

### Motion :-

A body is said to be in motion if it is changing its position w.r.t. reference point.

### Speed :-

Rate of change of distance w.r.t. time but irrespective of the direction. It is scalar quantity. It is always positive.

### Velocity :- ( $v = \frac{x}{t}$ )

Rate of change of displacement w.r.t. time in a particular direction. It is vector quantity.

### Displacement :- (change in position of particle)

shortest distance b/w initial & final position of a particle during motion. It may be positive or negative. It is denoted by 's' or 'se'.

### Distance :-

Total path covered by a particle during given time interval. It is always positive. It is denoted by 's' or 'd'.

Distance  $\geq$  Displacement.

### \* Average speed & Instantaneous speed :-

The avg. speed of a particle is the distance traveled in the particular time interval.

If particle travels the distance 's' in time  $t_1$  to  $t_2$ , then, avg. speed

$$V_{\text{avg}} = \frac{s}{t_2 - t_1} = \frac{\Delta s}{\Delta t}$$

Instantaneous speed is the speed of the particle at a particular instant when time interval approaches to zero.

i.e. Instantaneous speed,

$$v = \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta s}{\Delta t} = \frac{ds}{dt}$$

## \* Average velocity & Instantaneous Velocity :-

Avg. velocity is the ratio of displacement  $\Delta s$  (or  $\Delta x$ ) to the time interval  $\Delta t$ .

$$\therefore \text{Avg. velocity} = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta t}$$

Instantaneous velocity is the rate of change of displacement when time interval approaches to zero.

$$\therefore \text{Instantaneous velocity} = \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta t}$$

$$\therefore v = \frac{dx}{dt}$$

Velocity may be positive or negative.

## \* Avg. Acceleration & Instantaneous Acc<sup>n</sup>.

Avg. acceleration is the rate of change of velocity of a particle for the time interval  $\Delta t$ .

$$a_{\text{avg}} = \frac{\Delta v}{\Delta t}$$

Instantaneous acc<sup>n</sup> is the rate of change of velocity of a particle at a particular instant when time interval  $\Delta t$  approaches to zero.

$$\therefore \text{Instantaneous Acc}^n = a = \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta v}{\Delta t} = \frac{dv}{dt}$$

$$\text{but } v = \frac{dx}{dt} \quad \therefore a = \frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{dx}{dt} \right)$$

$$\therefore a = \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2}$$

by chain rule

$$a = \frac{dv}{ds} \times \frac{ds}{dt}$$

$$\therefore a = \frac{dv}{ds} \times v \quad \therefore a = v \cdot \frac{dv}{ds}$$

It may be positive or negative.

### \* Jerk

Rate of change of acc<sup>n</sup> wrt. time.

$$J = \frac{da}{dt}$$

### \* Newton's first law:-

Every body continues to be in its state of rest or of uniform motion, unless it is acted by some external agency.

### \* Newton's second law:-

Rate of change of momentum is directly proportional to the impressed force & it takes place in the direction of the impressed force.

$$F = m \cdot a.$$

### \* Newton's third law:-

For every action, there is equal & opposite reaction.

### \* Linear Motion (Rectilinear motion) :-

① Uniform motion

→ (Linear motion with zero Acc<sup>n</sup>)

②

Linear motion with uniform (constant)  
Acc<sup>n</sup>.

③

Linear motion with uniform (constant)  
Acc<sup>n</sup> (under gravity).

(Motion under gravity)

④

Linear motion with variable Acc<sup>n</sup>.

## Rectilinear Motion

### Linear (Rectilinear) Motion:-

The motion of the particle along the straight line is called as Rectilinear motion.

- \* Uni-directional  $\rightarrow$  particle moving only in one direction
- \* Bi-directional  $\rightarrow$  forward & reverse motion of particle.

### Uniform motion (U.M.) (Motion with zero Accn). :-

If the particle is moving with constant velocity and zero acceleration, the motion of the particle is called as uniform motion.

Thus, Here,

$$v = \frac{dx}{dt} = \text{constant}$$

taking integration,

$$\therefore \int v \cdot dt = \int dx$$

$$\therefore \int dx = v \int dt$$

$$\therefore \boxed{x = v \cdot t}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{x = \text{velocity} \times \text{time}}$$

**Examples on Uniform Motion - Velocity constant  
(Acceleration is zero)**

- ① In a race of 100 m distance, A runner runs at constant velocity from 30m to 100m position at velocity of 12m/sec. Find the time required for the runner to cover the distance from 30m position to 70m position.

→  $v = 12 \text{ m/sec.}$

$x_1 = s_1 = 30 \text{ m}$

$x_2 = s_2 = 70 \text{ m}$

distance covered / displacement = final position - initial position

$$x = s = s_2 - s_1 = x_2 - x_1 \\ = 70 - 30$$

$x = s = 40 \text{ m.}$

for Uniform motion

i. displacement / distance =  $vxt$

$$40 = 12 \times t$$

$\therefore t = \frac{40}{12}$

$t = 3.33 \text{ sec.}$

- ② A train accelerates uniformly & gains the speed of 90 kmph. & runs at this speed for 17 minutes before getting slowed down due to work in progress. Find the distance covered by the train while running at constant speed.



$v = 90 \text{ kmph} = 90 \times \frac{5}{18} = 25 \text{ m/sec.}$

$t = 17 \text{ minutes} = 17 \times 60 = 1020 \text{ sec.}$

i. distance covered / displacement of train while running at constant speed =  $vxt$

$s = x = vxt$

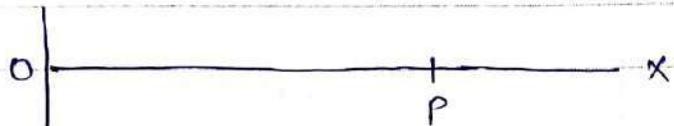
$s = x = 25 \times 1020$

$= 25500 \text{ m.}$

$\boxed{s = x = 25.5 \text{ km}}$

Train covers 25.5 kms before getting slowed down due to work in progress.

\* Rectilinear motion with uniform (constant) Accn :-  
[ U.A.M. — Uniform Acceleration Motion ]



- Consider linear motion of particle starting from 0 & moving along ox with uniform acceleration.
- Let P is the position of particle after t sec.
- Let  $u$  = initial velocity  
 $v$  = final velocity  
 $t$  = time taken by particle to change its velocity from  $u$  to  $v$ .  
 $a$  = uniform positive acceleration  
or  $s$  = Displacement in 't' seconds.

since, in 't' seconds, velocity of particle has increased steadily from ( $u$ ) to ( $v$ ) at the rate of Accn ' $a$ ',

$$\therefore \text{Total increase in velocity} \\ = at$$

$$\therefore \text{final velocity, } \boxed{v = u + at} \quad - \textcircled{1}$$

$$\text{avg. velocity} = \left( \frac{u+v}{2} \right)$$

As we know that, Displacement by the Particle,  
 $s = \text{Avg. velocity} \times \text{Time}$

$$\therefore s = \left(\frac{u+v}{2}\right) t \quad -\text{eqn 11}$$

substituting value of  $v$  from eqn ①

$$\therefore s = \left(\frac{u+u+at}{2}\right) t$$

$$= \frac{ut + ut + at^2}{2}$$

$$= \frac{ut + ut}{2} + \frac{at^2}{2}$$

$$= ut + \frac{at^2}{2}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{s = ut + \frac{1}{2} at^2} \quad - \text{eqn 11}$$

from eqn ①,  $v = u+at$

$$t = \frac{v-u}{a} \quad - \text{put this value in ⑪}$$

$$\therefore s = \left(\frac{u+v}{2}\right) \left(\frac{v-u}{a}\right)$$

$$= \frac{v^2 - u^2}{2a}$$

$$\therefore 2as = v^2 - u^2$$

$$\therefore \boxed{v^2 = u^2 + 2as} \quad - \text{eqn 14}$$

Thus the eqns of motion are

$$1) v = u + at$$

$$2) s = ut + \frac{1}{2} at^2$$

$$3) v^2 = u^2 + 2as$$

\* Examples on Motion with Uniform Acceleration \*

\* UAM - Uniform Acceleration Motion \*

\* (Acceleration is constant) \*

- ① A car starting from rest is accelerated at the rate of  $0.4 \text{ m/s}^2$ . Find the distance covered by the car in 20 seconds.



Given :- Initial velocity =  $u = 0$  ---- car is starting from rest.  
 Acceleration =  $a = 0.4 \text{ m/s}^2$   
 time =  $t = 20 \text{ sec.}$

We know that, from the eqn of motion for displacement,

②

$$S = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2$$

$$= (0 \times 20) + \frac{1}{2} \times 0.4 \times 20^2$$

$$\boxed{S = 80 \text{ m.}}$$

car will cover 80 m distance in 20 seconds.

- ② A train travelling at 27 kmph is accelerated at the rate of  $0.5 \text{ m/sec}^2$ . What is the distance travelled by train in 12 seconds.



Given :- Initial velocity =  $u = 27 \text{ kmph} = 27 \times \frac{5}{18} = 7.5 \text{ m/sec.}$   
 Acceleration =  $a = 0.5 \text{ m/sec}^2$   
 time =  $t = 12 \text{ sec.}$

i. from eqn of motion,

$$S = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2$$

$$= (7.5 \times 12) + \left(\frac{1}{2} \times 0.5 \times 12^2\right)$$

$$S = 90 + 36$$

$$\boxed{S = 126 \text{ m.}} \quad \text{--- distance travelled by train.}$$

③ A scooter is starting from rest & moves with constant Accn of  $1.2 \text{ m/s}^2$ . Determine its velocity, after it has travelled for 60 meters.



Given: Initial velocity,  $u = 0$  ----- start from rest.

$$\text{Accn} , a = 1.2 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\text{distance travelled} = 60 \text{ m} = s$$

$$V = ?$$

we know that,

$$\begin{aligned} V^2 &= u^2 + 2as \\ &= 0^2 + 2 \times 1.2 \times 60 \\ V^2 &= 144 \end{aligned}$$

Taking root,

$$V = 12 \text{ m/sec.}$$

④ A motorist rushing at  $20 \text{ m/sec}$ , find a child on the road 50 m ahead. He instantly stops the engine & applies the brakes, so as to stop the car within 10 m of the child. calculate retardation & time required to stop the car.



Initial velocity,  $u = 20 \text{ m/sec.}$

final velocity,  $V = 0$

$$\text{distance travelled} = 50 - 10 = 40 \text{ m.}$$

we know that,  $V^2 = u^2 + 2as$

$$0 = 20^2 + 2 \times a \times 40$$

$$0 = 400 + 80a$$

$$\therefore 80a = -400$$

$$a = \frac{-400}{80}$$

$$a = -5 \text{ m/sec}^2 \quad (-\text{ sign indicate Retardation})$$

Time req. to stop the car,

$$V = u + at$$

$$0 = 20 + (-5)t$$

$$0 = 20 - 5t$$

$$\therefore t = \frac{20}{5} = \underline{\underline{4 \text{ sec.}}}$$

- (3) A runner in a 100 m race accelerates uniformly for the first 30 m & then runs with constant velocity. If the runners time for the first 30 m is 5 sec, determine the time required for the race.

⇒ Given:-

Total distance covered during race = 100 m.

time req. for the first 30 m =  $t_1 = 5 \text{ sec.}$

Let, time req. for the remaining race =  $t_2$

total time taken for the entire race =  $t$ .

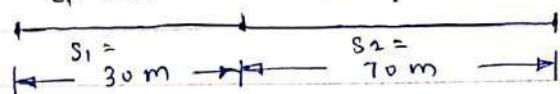
$a = \text{constant}$

$t_1 = 5 \text{ sec.}$

$v = \text{constant.}$

$t_2 = ?$

$$\therefore S = S_1 + S_2$$



$$\begin{aligned} & \text{if} \\ & \underline{\underline{S = 100 \text{ m.}}} \end{aligned}$$

Initial velocity,  $u = 0$ .

i) for first 30 m race, accn is uniform. Thus motion is Uniform Accelerated motion (UAM).

we know that,  $S = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2$

$$\therefore \text{Here, } S_1 = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2$$

$$\therefore 30 = (0 \times 5) + \frac{1}{2}a \times 5^2$$

$$\therefore 30 = 0 + 12.5a$$

$$\therefore a = \frac{30}{12.5}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{a = 2.4 \text{ m/sec}^2}$$

we know that

$$v = u + at$$

$$v = 0 + 2.4 \times 5$$

$$\underline{\underline{v = 12 \text{ m/sec.}}}$$

ii) Motion for next 70m - velocity is constant. Thus motion is Uniform motion.

i. we know that,

$$S_2 = 100 - S_1$$

$$= 100 - 30$$

$$\boxed{S_2 = 70 \text{ m}}$$

For U.M.,

$S_2 = \text{velocity} \times \text{time.}$

$$70 = v \times t_2 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\therefore t_0 = 12 \times t_2$$

$$\therefore \boxed{t_2 = 5.83 \text{ sec.}}$$

$$\text{Time req. for the Race } t = t_1 + t_2 = 5 + 5.83 = \boxed{10.83 \text{ sec.}}$$

⑥ A burglar's car had a start with an acceleration  $2.5 \text{ m/s}^2$ . A police vigilant team came in a van to the spot at a velocity of  $20 \text{ m/sec}$  after  $3.75 \text{ sec}$ . & continued to chase burglar's car with uniform velocity. Find the time in which the police van will overtake the burglar's car.



Given:- Accel<sup>n</sup> of burglar's car,  $a = 2.5 \text{ m/s}^2$   
constant velocity of police van =  $20 \text{ m/sec}$ .

Let,  $t$  = time taken by burglar's car.

1) Consider the motion of burglar's car (UAM).

Distance travelled by burglar's car, in  $t$  sec.

$$S = ut + \frac{1}{2} at^2$$

Here :  $S_1 = (0 \times t) + \frac{1}{2} \times 2.5 \times t^2$

$$S_1 = 0 + 1.25 t^2$$

$$S_1 = 1.25 t^2 \quad \dots \dots \dots \textcircled{1}$$

2) Distance travelled by police van

Let  $S_2$  = distance travelled by police van.

As police van is running at constant velocity,

$S_2 = \text{velocity} \times \text{time}$ .

To overtake the burglar's car, police van should also travel  $S_1$  distance.

But time available for police van to cover that  $S_1$  distance is  $(t - 3.75)$  sec.

$$\therefore S_2 = v \times (t - 3.75) = 20(t - 3.75)$$

But  $S_2 = S_1$

$$1.25 t^2 = 20(t - 3.75)$$

$$\therefore 1.25 t^2 - 20t + 75 = 0$$

Solving the eqn,

$$t = 10 \text{ sec. or } \boxed{t = 6 \text{ sec.}}$$

As initially burglar's car is having less velocity than police van, thus  $\boxed{t = 6 \text{ sec.}}$

Police will overtake the car in 6 seconds.

7 A car comes to complete halt from an initial speed of 50 kmph in distance of 100 m. with same constant retardation what would be stopping distance from an initial speed of 70 kmph.?



Given :-

$$u = 50 \text{ Kmph} = 13.89 \text{ m/sec.}$$

$$S_1 = 100 \text{ m}$$

$$V_1 = 0$$

when initial speed is 50 kmph,

$$\text{We know that, } \therefore V_1^2 = U_1^2 + 2 a S_1$$

$$\therefore 0 = 13.89^2 + 2a \times 100$$

$$\therefore 0 = 192.9 + 200a$$

$$\therefore a = \frac{-192.9}{200}$$

$$\therefore a = -0.964 \text{ m/s}^2 \quad (-\text{ve sign indicates retardation})$$

when initial speed is 70 kmph

$$\text{i.e. } u = 70 \text{ Kmph} = 70 \times \frac{5}{18} = 19.44 \text{ m/sec.}$$

Then,

$$\therefore V_2^2 = U_2^2 + 2 a S_2$$

$$\therefore 0 = 19.44^2 + 2 \times (-0.964) \times S_2$$

$$\therefore 0 = 378.09 - 1.928 S_2$$

$$\therefore -1.928 S_2 = -378.09$$

$$\therefore S_2 = \frac{378.09}{1.928}$$

$$\therefore S_2 = 196.10 \text{ m}$$

If the initial speed of the car is 70 kmph, then it will stop after covering 196.1 m distance.

③ Two trucks A & B travelling in the same direction on same adjacent lanes are stopped at traffic signal. As the signal turns green, Truck A accelerates at a constant rate of  $2 \text{ m/sec}^2$ . Three seconds later, truck B starts and accelerates at  $3.6 \text{ m/sec}^2$ . Find ① when & where truck B will overtake ② speed of each truck at that time.

$$\Rightarrow \text{Truck A} \Rightarrow u = 0 \text{ m/s}$$

$$a = 2 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\text{Time req.} = t_A \quad (\text{from signal to point p})$$

$$\text{Truck B} \Rightarrow u = 0$$

$$a = 3.6 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad t_B = \text{Time req.} = (t_A - 3) \quad (\text{from signal to point p}).$$

① For Truck A,

distance covered from signal to point 'p' =  $s_A$

$$\therefore s_A = ut_A + \frac{1}{2}at_A^2$$

$$= 0 + \frac{1}{2} \times 2 t_A^2$$

$$s_A = t_A^2 \quad \dots \dots \dots \textcircled{1}$$

② for Truck B,

distance covered from signal to point p =  $s_B$

$$\therefore s_B = ut_B + \frac{1}{2}at_B^2$$

$$= 0 + \frac{1}{2} \times 3.6(t_A - 3)^2$$

$$s_B = 1.8(t_A - 3)^2 \quad \dots \dots \dots \textcircled{2}$$

As the distance covered by both trucks from signal to Point P is same,

$$\therefore s_A = s_B$$

$$\therefore t_A^2 = 1.8(t_A - 3)^2$$

$$\therefore t_A^2 = 1.8(t_A^2 - 6t_A + 9)$$

$$\therefore t_A^2 - 1.8t_A^2 + 10.8t_A - 16.2 = 0$$

$$-0.8t_A^2 + 10.8t_A - 16.2 = 0$$

Solving above eqn,  $t_A = 1.718 \text{ sec}$  &  $t_A = 11.78 \text{ sec}$ .

As  $t_A = 1.718 < 3 \text{ sec}$ , it can't be considered.

$$\therefore \boxed{t_A = 11.78 \text{ sec}}$$

Truck B will overtake A at  $t_A = 11.78 \text{ sec}$ .

Distance covered by truck A during 11.78 sec,

$$S_A = t_A^2 = 11.78^2 = \underline{138.76 \text{ m.}}$$

Truck B will overtake truck A after 138.76 m from signal.

g) Speed of Each truck. after  $t = 11.78 \text{ sec}$  & at  $s = 138.76 \text{ m.}$

$$\therefore V_A = u + at$$

$$\therefore V_A = U_A + a_A t_A$$

$$\therefore V_A = 0 + 2 \times 11.78$$

$$V_A = 23.56 \text{ m/sec.}$$

Similarly,

$$\therefore V_B = U_B + a_B t_B$$

$$\therefore V_B = 0 + 3.6 (t_A - 3)$$

$$\therefore V_B = 0 + 3.6 (11.78 - 3)$$

$$\therefore V_B = 31.608 \text{ m/sec.}$$

Ans :

Time req. to overtake = 11.78 sec.

Distance covered before overtaking = 138.76 m.

$$V_A = 23.56 \text{ m/s}$$

$$V_B = 31.608 \text{ m/sec.} \quad \text{while overtaking}$$

Q) A train which is at rest starts from station with constant acceleration of  $5 \text{ m/s}^2$ , 3 seconds later another train passes the same station on the same line & in same direction with constant velocity. Find the velocity of 2nd train to just avoid collision.

$\Rightarrow$

Let train A = a train starts from the station.  
train B = a train passing the same station after 3 seconds.

i) consider Train A - constant ACCL<sup>n</sup> (VAM).

$u = 0$  ---- starts from rest

$$a = 5 \text{ m/s}^2$$

let  $t_A$  = time taken by train to cover  $s_A$  distance.

$$\therefore s = ut_A + \frac{1}{2}at_A^2$$

$$\therefore s_A = (0 \times t_A) + \left( \frac{1}{2} \times 5 \times t_A^2 \right)$$

$$\therefore s_A = 2.5t_A^2 \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

ii) Consider Train B - constant velocity - (UM) :-

let  $t_B$  = time taken by train B to cover  $s_B$  distance

$$t_B = (t_A - 3) \text{ sec.}$$

iii) For uniform motion,

$$s = \text{velocity} \times \text{time}$$

$$s_B = v_B \times (t_A - 3) \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

Now To just avoid the collision distance travelled by both trains must be same.

$$\therefore s_A = s_B$$

$$\therefore 2.5t_A^2 = v_B(t_A - 3)$$

$$\therefore v_B = \frac{2.5t_A^2}{(t_A - 3)} \quad \text{--- (iii)}$$

But,

As velocity of train B is constant,

i.e.  $v_B = \text{constant}$ ,

$$\frac{dv_B}{dt} = a_B = 0$$

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{dv_B}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{2.5t_A^2}{t_A - 3} \right)$$

Using quotient Rule to take derivative.

$$\therefore \frac{dV_B}{dt} = a_B = \frac{(t_A - 3)(5t_A) - (2.5t_A^2)(1)}{(t_A - 3)^2}$$

$$\therefore 0 = \frac{5t_A^2 - 15t_A - 2.5t_A^2}{(t_A - 3)^2}$$

$$\therefore 0 = 5t_A^2 - 15t_A - 2.5t_A^2$$

$$\therefore 2.5t_A^2 - 15t_A = 0$$

$$\therefore 2.5t_A^2 = 15t_A$$

$$\therefore 2.5t_A = 15$$

$$\therefore t_A = \frac{15}{2.5}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{t_A = 6 \text{ sec.}}$$

$\therefore$  From eqn ①

$$S = 2.5t_A^2$$

$$= 2.5 \times 6 \times 6$$

$$\underline{S_A = 90 \text{ m}}$$

from eqn ⑩

$$V_B = \frac{2.5t_A^2}{(t_A - 3)}$$

$$= \frac{2.5 \times 6^2}{(6 - 3)}$$

$$\boxed{V_B = 30 \text{ m/sec}}$$

$$\text{from eqn ⑪ } S_B = V_B(t_A - 3)$$

$$= 30(6 - 3)$$

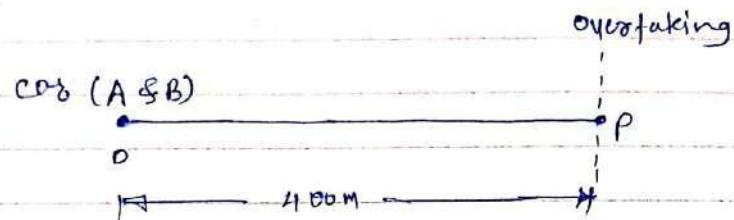
$$\underline{S_B = 90 \text{ m}}$$

Ans:-

Velocity of 2nd train to just avoid collision should

$$\text{be } \boxed{V_B = 30 \text{ m/sec.}}$$

- (11) A car A starts from rest & accelerates uniformly on the straight road. Another car B starts from the same point after 6 sec; with zero initial velocity & accelerates at  $5 \text{ m/s}^2$  uniformly. If car B overtakes car A at 400 m from starting posn; determine accn of car A & velocity of each car while overtaking.



(1) for car A - (UAM) from O to P.

$$u=0$$

$$s = 400 \text{ m}$$

$$a_A = ?$$

Time of journey from O to P = t

$\therefore$

$$\therefore s = ut + \frac{1}{2} a_A t^2$$

$$\therefore 400 = 0 + 0.5 a_A t^2$$

$$\therefore a_A t^2 = 800 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

(2) For Car B (Motion from O to P — UAM)

$$u=0$$

$$s = 400 \text{ m}$$

$$a_B = 5 \text{ m/s}^2$$

time of journey from O to P =  $(t - 6)$

$$\therefore s = ut + \frac{1}{2} a_B t^2$$

$$400 = 0 + 0.5 \times 5 \times (t - 6)^2$$

$$\therefore \frac{400}{2.5} = (t - 6)^2$$

$$\therefore (t - 6)^2 = 160$$

$$\therefore t - 6 = 12.649$$

$$\therefore \boxed{t = 18.649 \text{ sec.}} \quad - \text{ put in eqn (1)}$$

$$\therefore a_A = \frac{800}{t^2} = \frac{800}{18.649^2} = 2.3 \text{ m/s}^2 \quad \therefore \boxed{a_A = 2.3 \text{ m/sec}^2}$$

$$\therefore V_A(\text{at P}) = u + at$$

$$= 0 + (2.3 \times 18.649)$$

$$\therefore \boxed{V_A = 42.9 \text{ m/sec.}}$$

$$\therefore V_B(\text{at P}) = u + at$$

$$= 0 + 5 \times (18.649 - 6)$$

$$\therefore \boxed{V_B = 63.245 \text{ m/sec.}}$$

(10) Two cars A & B travelling at constant speed of 160 kmph. Car A leads car B by 40 m. At  $t = 0$ , both cars accelerate at constant rates. At  $t = 8$  sec, car B passes car A & velocity of car A is 220 kmph. Find accelerations of A & B.



① Car A :-

$$U_A = 160 \text{ kmph} = 160 \times \frac{5}{18} = 44.45 \text{ m/sec.}$$

$$V_A = 220 \text{ kmph} = 220 \times \frac{5}{18} = 61.11 \text{ m/sec.}$$

$$t = 8 \text{ sec.}$$

We know that,

$$\therefore V = U + at$$

$$\therefore V_A = U_A + a_A t$$

$$\therefore 61.11 = 44.45 + a_A \times 8$$

$$\therefore a_A = \frac{(61.11 - 44.45)}{8}$$

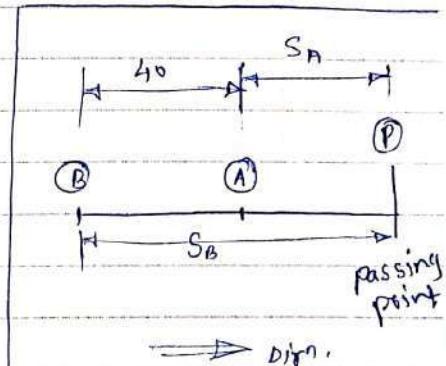
$$\therefore [a_A = 2.08 \text{ m/sec}^2]$$

As

$$S = Ut + \frac{1}{2} at^2$$

$$S_A = U_A t + \frac{1}{2} a_A t^2 \\ = 44.45 \times 8 + \frac{1}{2} \times 2.08 \times 8^2$$

$$S_A = 422.16 \text{ m.}$$



At  $t = 8$  sec, car B passes car A. Thus car B has to travel the distance ( $S_B = 40 + S_A$ ) as initially car A was leading by 40 m distance. Thus in the same time  $t = 8$  sec, car B travels ( $40 + S_A$ ) distance.

$\therefore$   
we know that,

$$S_B = U_B t + \frac{1}{2} a_B t^2$$

but initially both cars are having same velocity.

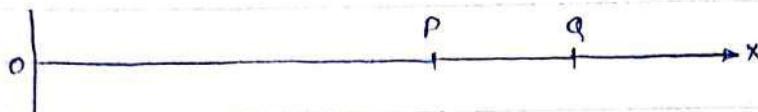
$$\therefore U_A = U_B = 44.45 \text{ m/sec.}$$

$$\therefore 462.16 = 44.45 \times 8 + \frac{1}{2} \times a_B \times 8^2$$

$$\therefore 462.16 = 355.6 + 32 a_B$$

$$\therefore a_B = \frac{(462.16 - 355.6)}{32} \therefore [a_B = 3.33 \text{ m/s}^2]$$

## Displacement in $n^{\text{th}}$ second :- (with uniform or constant acceleration).



Consider the motion of particle moving along straight line with uniform / constant acceleration.

Let the particle starts from O & moves along OX.

Let  $u$  = initial velocity of particle

$v$  = final velocity

$a$  = constant positive acceleration.

Let - the particle moves from O to Q in  $n$  seconds &  
- the particle moves from O to P in  $(n-1)$  seconds.

$S_n = x_n$  = Displacement in  $n$  seconds.

$S_{n-1} = x_{n-1}$  = Displacement in  $(n-1)$  seconds.

$\therefore S = x = S_n - S_{n-1} = x_n - x_{n-1}$  = Displacement in  $n^{\text{th}}$  second.  
 $n$  = no. of seconds.

We have eqn of motion for displacement,

$$S = ut + \frac{1}{2} at^2$$

for  $t = n$ ,

$$S_n = u(n) + \frac{1}{2} an^2$$

for  $t = n-1$

$$S_{n-1} = u(n-1) + \frac{1}{2} a(n-1)^2$$

$\therefore$  Displacement by particle in  $n^{\text{th}}$  second is  
given by,

$$S = S_n - S_{n-1} \quad \text{OR}$$

$$x = x_n - x_{n-1}$$

$$\therefore S = \left[ un + \frac{1}{2} \alpha n^2 \right] - \left[ u(n-1) + \frac{1}{2} \alpha (n-1)^2 \right]$$

$$\therefore S = un + \frac{1}{2} \alpha n^2 - \left[ un - u + \frac{1}{2} \alpha (n^2 - 2n + 1) \right]$$

$$\therefore S = un + \frac{1}{2} \alpha n^2 - un + u - \frac{1}{2} \alpha (n^2 + 1 - 2n)$$

$$\therefore S = un + \frac{1}{2} \alpha n^2 - un + u - \frac{1}{2} \alpha n^2 - \frac{1}{2} \alpha + \alpha n$$

$$\therefore S = \frac{1}{2} \alpha n^2 + u - \frac{1}{2} \alpha n^2 - \frac{1}{2} \alpha + \alpha n$$

$$\therefore S = u - \frac{1}{2} \alpha + \alpha n$$

$$\therefore S = u + \alpha \left( \frac{1}{2} + n \right)$$

$$= u + \alpha \left( n - \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$\therefore S = u + \frac{\alpha}{2} (2n-1) \quad \text{OR.}$$

$$\boxed{x = u + \frac{\alpha}{2} (2n-1)}$$

\* distance covered / Travelled.:

① For uni-directional motion along straight line

Distance covered in  $t$  sec. is given by,

$$d = |x_t - x_0| = |S_t - S_0|.$$

② for un-directional motion, i.e. when particle reverses the direction in betw  $0$  &  $t$  sec.,

Assume that Particle velocity is zero at  $t_1, t_2, t_3$  (where  $t_1, t_2, t_3$  lie betw  $0$  &  $t$ ). Then,

$$\boxed{d = |x_{t_1} - x_0| + |x_{t_2} - x_{t_1}| + |x_t - x_{t_2}|} \quad \text{OR}$$

$$\boxed{d = |S_{t_1} - S_0| + |S_{t_2} - S_{t_1}| + |S_t - S_{t_2}|}$$

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**Examples on distance travelled in  $n^{\text{th}}$  second.  
(JAM).**

- 1) A train starts from rest & moves with uniform accn along the straight line. It covers 120m distance in 8<sup>th</sup> second. Find uniform accn of train.

⇒ for train,  $u = 0$ ,  $s^{8\text{th}} = 120\text{m}$ .

Using distance travelled in  $n^{\text{th}}$  second,

$$s^{8\text{th}} = u + \frac{a}{2} (2n-1)$$

$$s^{8\text{th}} = u + \frac{a}{2} (2n-1) \quad \text{--- Here } n=8 \text{ sec.}$$

$$120 = 0 + \frac{a}{2} (2 \times 8 - 1)$$

$$120 = 7.5a$$

$$a = 16 \text{ m/sec}^2$$

- 2) A particle covers 90m in 5<sup>th</sup> sec; & 140m in 9<sup>th</sup> sec. of its journey with uniform accn. Find distance travelled in 15<sup>th</sup> sec.

When  $n = 5$ ,  $s = 90\text{m}$

$$n = 9 \quad s = 140\text{m}$$

∴

$$s^{n\text{th}} = u + \frac{a}{2} (2n-1)$$

using 1st cond

$$90 = u + \frac{a}{2} (2 \times 5 - 1)$$

$$\therefore 4.5a + u = 90 \quad \text{--- } \textcircled{1}$$

using 2nd cond,

$$s^{n\text{th}} = u + \frac{a}{2} (2n-1)$$

$$\therefore 140 = u + \frac{a}{2} (2 \times 9 - 1)$$

$$\therefore 140 = u + 8.5a$$

$$\therefore 8.5a + u = 140 \quad \text{--- } \textcircled{11}$$

Solving  $\textcircled{1}$  &  $\textcircled{11}$ , we get

$$a = 12.5 \text{ m/sec}^2$$

$$u = 33.75 \text{ m/sec}$$

$$s^{15\text{th}} = 33.75 + \frac{12.5}{2} (2 \times 15 - 1) = 215 \text{ m}$$

## \* Motion under the Gravity \*

(Linear motion with uniform gravitational Accl")

In this type of motion, the vertical motion of the particle under the influence of constant gravitational acceleration is considered.

$$g = 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2 - \text{gravitational acceleration.}$$

The eqns of motions for motion under the gravity are as follows:-

- A) when particle motion is towards earth surface  
(Downward motion of particle)

$$v = u + gt$$

$$v^2 = u^2 + 2gs$$

$$s = ut + \frac{1}{2}gt^2$$

- B) when particle motion is away from earth surface  
against the gravity force  
(upward motion)

$$v = u - gt$$

$$v^2 = u^2 - 2gs$$

$$s = ut - \frac{1}{2}gt^2$$

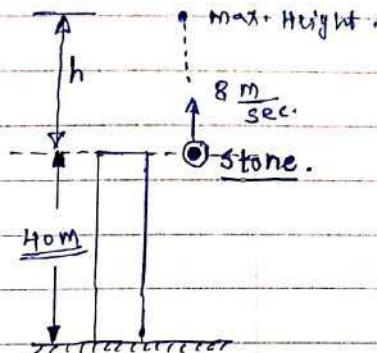
**Examples on Motion with Uniform Accn (UAM).**  
**Motion Under the Gravity**  
 $(g = \text{constant})$

- Q. Q From the top of the tower which is 40 m high, a stone is thrown vertically upwards with a velocity of 8 m/sec. How long does the stone take to reach the ground? Also find out the velocity with which it strikes the ground.



$$u = 8 \text{ m/sec.}$$

Tower height = 40m.



I consider upward motion of stone.

when stone is thrown upward,

let  $h$  = max. height reached by stone.

$$\therefore \text{we have } v = u + gt$$

As stone will stop at max height, thus  $v = 0$

Also  $g = -9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$  for upward motion.

Thus, eqn becomes;

$$v_i = u_i - gt_i$$

$$0 = 8 - 9.81 \times t_i$$

$$\therefore t_i = \frac{8}{9.81}$$

$$\boxed{t_i = 0.81 \text{ sec}} \quad \text{-- Time req. to reach max. height.}$$

Now,

let  $h$  = max. height reached by stone during upward motion.

$$\therefore \text{thus we have, } v_i^2 = u_i^2 + 2as_i$$

Here for upward motion,  $g = -9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$

$$v_i^2 = u_i^2 - 2gh$$

$$0 = 8^2 - 2 \times 9.81 \times h$$

$$0 = 64 - 19.62 \times h$$

$$\therefore 19.62h = 64$$

$$\therefore h = \frac{64}{19.62}$$

$$\boxed{h = 3.26 \text{ m}} \quad \text{-- Above the tower.}$$

Now consider downward motion of the stone from the max. height ( $h$ ).

Thus in this case, stone will cover  $(h + 40) = 43.26$  meter distance while coming down.

$$\therefore s_2 = h + 40 = 40 + 3.26 = 43.26 \text{ m.}$$

while starting downward motion,

$$\text{initial velocity } = u_2 = 0$$

$$\& \text{ final velocity } = v_2 = ?$$

$$\text{we have, } v^2 = u^2 + 2as.$$

as  $g = 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$  for downward motion,

$$\therefore v_2^2 - u_2^2 = 2gs_2.$$

$$\therefore v_2^2 - 0 = 2 \times 9.81 \times 43.26$$

$$\therefore v_2^2 = 848.76$$

$\therefore [v_2 = 29.1 \text{ m/sec}]$  with this velocity, stone will strike the ground.

Now, let  $t_2$  = time req. for stone to reach ground level from the max height ( $h$ ).

we have,

$$\therefore v_2 = u_2 + gt_2$$

$$\therefore 29.1 = 0 + 9.81 \times t_2$$

$$\therefore t_2 = \frac{29.1}{9.81}$$

$$\therefore [t_2 = 2.97 \text{ sec}] - \text{for downward motion.}$$

i. Total time required for stone to reach the ground = Time req. for upward motion + Time req. for downward motion

$$t = t_1 + t_2$$

$$t = 0.81 + 2.97$$

$$[t = 3.78 \text{ sec.}]$$

Q. ② A ball is released from a building (top of building) of height 'h' meter. It covers a vertical distance  $\frac{h}{6}$  during its last second of descend. Find the height of building.

$\Rightarrow$  Let  $h$  = total height of building

Let the ball is released from the top of the Bldg. from point A.

B is the start point of last second of the travel of the ball.

G - is the ground level.

$t_1$  = time req. from A to B.

$\frac{h}{6}$  = distance covered during last second.

$t_2$  = time req. from B to G.

$\frac{5h}{6}$  = remaining distance covered.

$t =$  Total time req. =  $t_1 + t_2 = (t_1 + 1)$  sec

1) Consider motion from A to B :-

$$u = 0, g = 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2, s_1 = \frac{5h}{6}$$

from eqn of motion,  $s = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2$

$$s_1 = u_1 t_1 + \frac{1}{2} g t_1^2$$

Putting the values,

$$\therefore \frac{5h}{6} = 0 + \frac{1}{2} \times 9.81 \times t_1^2$$

$$\therefore 5h = 29.43 t_1^2$$

$$\therefore h = 5.886 t_1^2 \quad \dots \textcircled{1}$$

2) Consider motion from A to G.

$$s_2 = ut + \frac{1}{2}gt^2$$

$$h = 0 + \frac{1}{2} \times 9.81 \times (t_1 + 1)^2$$

$$h = 4.905 (t_1 + 1)^2 \quad \dots \textcircled{2}$$

Equating  $\textcircled{1}$  &  $\textcircled{2}$  as LHS are same,

$$\therefore 5.886 t_1^2 = 4.905 (t_1 + 1)^2$$

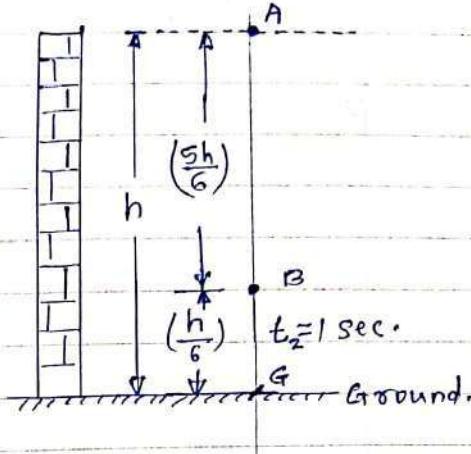
$$\therefore 5.886 t_1^2 = 4.905 (t_1^2 + 2t_1 + 1)$$

$$5.886 t_1^2 = 4.905 t_1^2 + 9.81 t_1 + 4.905$$

$$0.981 t_1^2 - 9.81 t_1 - 4.905 = 0 \quad \dots \text{Solving this.}$$

$$[t_1 = 10.477 \text{ sec.}] \quad \therefore h = 5.886 t_1^2 = [646.09 \text{ m}]$$

$$\therefore \text{Height of Building} = h = 646.09 \text{ m}$$



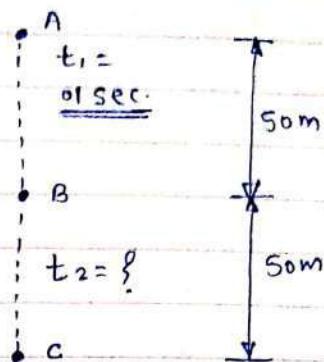
- Q. 3) A particle freely falls 50 m under gravity in a certain second. Calculate the time required to cover next 50 m.

Consider a particle freely falls from Point A to B (50m) in 1 sec.

i.e.  $t_1$  = time reqd. from A to B.

$$t_1 = 1 \text{ sec.}$$

Let particle covers next 50m i.e.  
from B to C in time  $t_2$  sec.



(1) Consider motion from A to B.

$$u_1 = 0, t_1 = 1 \text{ sec.}, s_1 = 50 \text{ m.}$$

Using eqn of motion,

$$s_1 = u_1 t_1 + \frac{1}{2} g t_1^2$$

$$\therefore 50 = u_1 + \frac{1}{2} \times 9.81 \times 1^2$$

$$\therefore s_1 = u_1 + 4.905$$

$$\therefore \boxed{u_1 = 45.095 \text{ m/sec.}}$$

$v_1$  = velocity at point B - is given by,

$$v_1 = u_1 + g t_1$$

$$= 45.095 + (9.81 \times 1)$$

$$\boxed{v_1 = 54.905 \text{ m/sec.}}$$

(2)

Consider the motion from B to C :-

at the start point of motion, i.e. at B,

$$v_1 = 54.905 = u_2$$

&  $s_2 = 50 \text{ m}$  (from B to C).

Thus,

using eqn of motion;

$$\therefore s_2 = u_2 t_2 + \frac{1}{2} g t_2^2$$

$$\therefore 50 = 54.905 t_2 + \frac{1}{2} \times 9.81 \times t_2^2$$

$$\therefore 50 = 54.905 t_2 + 4.905 t_2^2$$

$$\therefore 4.905 t_2^2 + 54.905 t_2 - 50 = 0$$

Solving this eqn

$$\boxed{t_2 = 0.846 \text{ sec.}}$$

Q.14 A stone is thrown vertically downwards from the top of a 49 m high tower. A second later, one ball is thrown vertically upwards from the ground with a velocity of 12.5 m/sec. At what distance above the ground, will both the stones cross each other?

Let, A - Point from which stone is thrown

G - Ground level (Ball is thrown up)

C - Crossing point of Stone & Ball.

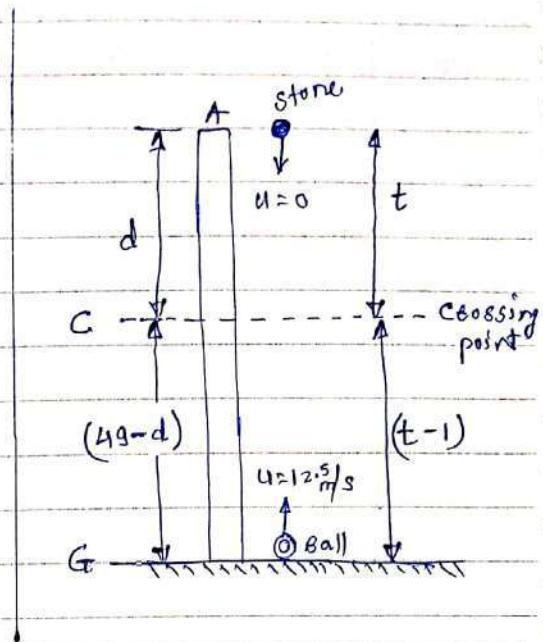
Let

$d$  = distance covered by stone from A to C (crossing point)

$(49-d)$  = distance covered by ball from Ground to crossing point 'C'.

$t$  = time taken by stone to reach from A to C

$(t-1)$  = time taken by ball to reach from G to C.



1) Consider motion from A to C (for stone)  $\Rightarrow u=0$ .

$$S = ut + \frac{1}{2}gt^2$$

$$d = 0 \times t + \frac{1}{2} \times 9.81 \times t^2$$

$$\therefore d = 4.905t^2 \quad \text{--- --- ---} \quad (i)$$

2) Consider motion from G to C

$$S = ut - \frac{1}{2}gt^2$$

$$(49-d) = 12.5 \times (t-1) - \frac{1}{2} \times 9.81 \times (t-1)^2$$

$$= 12.5t - 12.5 - 4.905(t^2 - 2t + 1)$$

$$49-d = 12.5t - 12.5 - 4.905t^2 + 9.81t - 4.905$$

$$\therefore d = 4.905t^2 - 22.31t + 66.405 \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

Equating (i) & (ii)

$$\therefore 4.905t^2 = 4.905t^2 - 22.31t + 66.405$$

$$\therefore 22.31t = 66.405$$

$$\therefore [t = 2.97 \text{ sec.}] \approx 3 \text{ sec.}$$

$$\therefore d = 4.905 \times t^2 = 4.905 \times 3^2$$

$$\therefore d = 44.14 \text{ m}$$

$\therefore (49-d) = 4.85 \text{ m.} \quad \text{--- Both objects cross each other at } 4.85 \text{ m above ground.}$

Q5

Water droplets from a tap at the rate of five droplets per second. Determine the vertical separation betw two consecutive droplets after the lower droplet has attained a velocity of 7 m/sec.



Rate of droplets = 5 droplets per second.

$\therefore$  Time difference betw two consecutive droplets =  $\frac{1}{5} = 0.2$  sec.

Let us assume that, 1st or lower droplet attains the velocity of 7 m/sec after 't<sub>1</sub>' sec.

Then 2nd droplet will take ( $t_1 - 0.2$ ) sec. = t<sub>2</sub>

(1) Consider first droplet & its motion:

$$u_i = 0, v_i = 7 \text{ m/sec}$$

$$\therefore v_i = u_i + gt_i$$

$$7 = 0 + 9.81 \times t_1$$

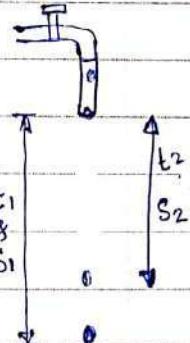
$$\therefore t_1 = 0.714 \text{ sec.}$$

During this time, distance travelled by 1st droplet will be,

$$S_1 = u_i t_1 + \frac{1}{2} g t_1^2$$

$$= 0 + \frac{1}{2} \times 9.81 \times 0.714^2$$

$$[S_1 = 2.497 \text{ m.}]$$



(2) Consider 2nd droplet & its motion.

$$\therefore \text{Time for 2nd droplet} = t_1 - 0.2$$

$$= 0.714 - 0.2$$

$$t_2 = 0.514 \text{ sec.}$$

$\therefore$  Distance travelled by 2nd droplet in 0.514 sec.

$$S_2 = u_i t_2 + \frac{1}{2} g t_2^2$$

$$= 0 + \frac{1}{2} \times 9.81 \times 0.514^2$$

$$[S_2 = 1.296 \text{ m.}]$$

The vertical separation betw two droplets

$$= S_1 - S_2$$

$$= 2.497 - 1.296$$

$$= 1.201 \text{ m.}$$

Q.6 A ball is projected vertically upward with a velocity of  $9.81 \text{ m/s}$ . Determine maximum height travelled by the ball, velocity at which it strikes the ground & Total time of journey.

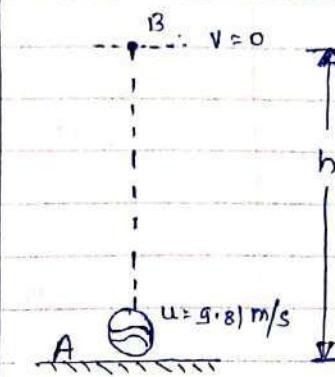
1) consider the motion of Ball from A to B :-

$$u = 9.8 \text{ m/s}$$

$$v_i = 0 \text{ m/s}$$

$s_i = h = \text{max. height travelled by ball.}$

$t_i = \text{Time taken by ball for motion from A to B.}$



Using eqn of motion  $v^2 = u^2 + 2as$

$$\therefore v_i^2 = u^2 - 2gs_i$$

$$\therefore 0 = 9.81^2 - 2 \times 9.81 \times h$$

$$\therefore h = \frac{9.81^2}{19.62}$$

$$\therefore h = 4.905 \text{ m.} \quad \text{— max. height reached.}$$

Now using

$$s_i = h = u_i t_i - \frac{1}{2} g t_i^2$$

$$\therefore 4.905 = 9.81 t_i - 0.5 \times 9.81 \times t_i^2$$

$$\therefore 4.905 t_i^2 - 9.81 t_i + 4.905 = 0$$

Solving

$$t_i = 0.1 \text{ sec.} \quad \text{— for upward motion of Ball.}$$

2) Consider downward motion of ball,

$$u_2 = 0, \quad v_2 = ?, \quad s_2 = h = 4.905 \text{ m}$$

Using  $v^2 - u^2 = 2as$

$$v_2^2 - u_2^2 = 2g s_2$$

$$v_2^2 - 0 = 2 \times 9.81 \times 4.905$$

$$\therefore [v_2 = 9.81 \text{ m/s}] \quad \text{— with this velocity, ball will strike the ground.}$$

Now using

$$v_2 = u_2 + g t_2$$

$$9.81 = 0 + 9.81 t_2$$

$$\therefore [t_2 = 0.1 \text{ sec.}]$$

$$\text{Total time of Journey} = t_1 + t_2 = 2 \text{ sec.}$$

## \* Rectilinear Motion with Variable Acceleration :-

We know, velocity of a body is

$$v = \frac{ds}{dt}$$

OR

$$v = \frac{dx}{dt}$$

∴

Acceleration,

$$a = \frac{dv}{dt}$$

$$= \frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{ds}{dt} \right)$$

$$a = \frac{d^2 s}{dt^2} = v \cdot \frac{dv}{ds}$$

$$a = \frac{dv}{dt}$$

$$= \frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{dx}{dt} \right)$$

$$a = \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} = v \cdot \frac{dv}{dx}$$

- A body or particle sometimes moves along the straight line with variable acceleration.
- This variable acceleration may be the function of time or position or velocity.

① When acceleration is function of time ( $t$ )  $[a = f(t)]$

$$a = \frac{dv}{dt} = f(t)$$

$$\therefore dv = f(t) dt$$

Integrating both sides, we get

$$\int dv = \int f(t) dt$$

This will give us eqn for velocity as a function of time

$$v = f(t)$$

Velocity,

$$v = \frac{ds}{dt} = f(t).$$

$$\therefore ds = f(t) dt.$$

Integrating above eqn we get  $s$  (displacement) in terms of  $t$ .

While solving the problems on variable acceleration, following cases will arise:-

① Given eqn<sup>of motion</sup> is in terms of displacement (s) & time (t)

$$s = f(t) \quad \text{OR} \quad x = f(t)$$

Differentiating both sides will give, (w.r.t. time t)

$$v = \frac{ds}{dt} = f(t) \quad \text{OR} \quad v = \frac{dx}{dt} = f(t)$$

Again differentiating above eqn, w.r.t. (t),

$$a = \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{d^2 s}{dt^2} = v \cdot \frac{dv}{ds} = f(t) \quad \text{OR} \therefore a = \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} = \frac{v \cdot dv}{dx} = f(t)$$

② Given eqn is in terms of acceleration (a) & time (t).

$$a = f(t)$$

Integrating once will give us velocity.

Integrating again will give us the displacement.

③ Given eqn is in terms of Accel<sup>n</sup> (a) & displacement (x or s).

$$a = f(s) \quad \text{OR} \quad a = f(x)$$

Integrating once will give us velocity eqn

Integrating twice will give the eqn of motion for displacement.

④ Given eqn is in terms of velocity (v) & time (t).

$$v = f(t)$$

• Integrate above eqn to get displacement.

• Differentiate above eqn to get acceleration.

(\* In all above cases, use given conditions to find the constants of integration \*)

Examples Based on Variable acceleration:-  
(eqn in terms of  $s$  &  $t$  or  $x$  &  $t$  - given)

- 1) The position of a particle which moves along a straight line is defined by the relation  $s = t^3 - 6t^2 - 15t + 40$ , where  $s$  is in meters and  $t$  in sec;

Determine :-  
 (a) time at which velocity will be zero.  
 (b) position & distance travelled by particle at that time.  
 (c) Acceleration at that time.  
 (d) distance travelled by particle from  $t = 4$  sec to  $t = 6$  sec.

$$\Rightarrow s = t^3 - 6t^2 - 15t + 40$$

differentiating w.r.t. 'time'  $t$ .

$$\frac{ds}{dt} = 3t^2 - 12t - 15$$

$$\therefore v = \frac{ds}{dt} = 3t^2 - 12t - 15$$

Again differentiating w.r.t. time  $t$ ,

$$a = \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{d^2s}{dt^2} = 6t - 12$$

- (a) time at which velocity will be zero.

for,  $v = 0$

$$\therefore v = 3t^2 - 12t - 15$$

$$\therefore 0 = 3t^2 - 12t - 15$$

solving the eqn

$$\boxed{t = 5 \text{ sec.}}$$

- (b)  $t = 5$  sec. at this time,

displacement will be,

$$\therefore S_s = t^3 - 6t^2 - 15t + 40$$

$$\therefore S_s = (5^3) - (6 \times 5^2) - (15 \times 5) + 40$$

$$\therefore S_s = -60 \text{ m.}$$

at  $t = 0$  sec; displacement will be,

$$S_0 = t^3 - 6t^2 - 15t + 40$$

$$\therefore S_0 = 40 \text{ m.}$$

- 2) The motion of particle is defined by  $x = t^3 - 6t^2 - 36t - 40$ , in meters. Determine ① when the velocity is zero.  
 ② Velocity, Acceleration & total distance travelled when  $x=0$ .

⇒ Given,

$$x = t^3 - 6t^2 - 36t - 40$$

Differentiating w.r.t.  $t$ , we get,

$$\therefore v = \frac{dx}{dt} = 3t^2 - 12t - 36$$

Again differentiating w.r.t. 't'

$$\therefore a = \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{d^2x}{dt^2} = 6t - 12$$

- ① When the velocity is zero.

for,  $v=0$ ;

$$v = 3t^2 - 12t - 36$$

$$0 = 3t^2 - 12t - 36$$

Solving above eqn, we get

$$\boxed{t = 6 \text{ sec.}}$$

- ② Velocity, Accl & total distance travelled at  $x=0$ .

for  $x=0$ ,  $x = t^3 - 6t^2 - 36t - 40$

$$0 = t^3 - 6t^2 - 36t - 40$$

Solving above eqn, we get

$$t = 10 \text{ sec.}$$

i. Velocity (for  $t=10$ )

$$V_{10} = 3t^2 - 12t - 36$$

$$= (3 \times 10^2) - (12 \times 10) - 36$$

$$\boxed{V_{10} = 144 \text{ m/sec.}}$$

∴ Accl (for  $t=10$ )

$$a = 6t - 12$$

$$= (6 \times 10) - 12$$

$$\boxed{a = 48 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

$$\text{distance travelled} = |x_{10} - x_6| + |x_6 - x_0|$$

$$\therefore x_{10} = 10^3 - (6 \times 10^2) - (36 \times 10) - 40 \\ = 1000 - 600 - 360 - 40 \\ \underline{x_{10} = 0 \text{ m}}$$

$$\therefore x_6 = 6^3 - (6 \times 6^2) - (36 \times 6) - 40 \\ \underline{x_6 = -256 \text{ m}}$$

$$\therefore x_0 = 0^3 - 6 \times 0^2 - 36 \times 0 - 40 \\ \underline{x_0 = -40 \text{ m}}$$

$$\therefore \text{distance travelled} = |0 - (-256)| + |-256 - (-40)| \\ = 256 + 216 \\ = \underline{472 \text{ m.}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{distance travelled} &= |S_5 - S_0| \\ &= |-60 - 40| \\ &= \underline{\underline{100\text{m}}}.\end{aligned}$$

(c) Acceleration at  $t = 5$  sec.

$$\begin{aligned}a &= 6t - 12 \\ &= (6 \times 5) - 12 \\ a &= \underline{\underline{18 \text{ m/s}^2}}\end{aligned}$$

(d) distance travelled from 4 to 6 sec.

As at  $t = 5$  sec,  $v = 0$ ,

Thus,

distance travelled = distance travelled + distance travelled  
from 4 to 5 sec. from 5 to 6 sec.

$$= |S_5 - S_4| + |S_6 - S_5|$$

$$\therefore \text{at } t = 6, S_6 = 6^3 - (6 \times 6^2) - (15 \times 6) + 40 \\ = -50 \text{ m}$$

$$\text{at } t = 4, S_4 = 4^3 - (6 \times 4^2) - (15 \times 4) + 40 \\ = -52 \text{ m.}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{distance travelled} &= |-60 - (-52)| + |-50 - (-60)| \\ &= 8 + 10 \\ &= \underline{\underline{18 \text{ m}}}.\end{aligned}$$

- 3) A small part in the mechanism travels on straight line such that its position is  $x = t^4 - 10t^2 + 24$  where  $x$  is in metres &  $t$  in sec. determine
- (a) when velocity is zero (b) when acceleration is zero
  - (c) minimum speed reached by particle
  - (d) distance travelled in 3 sec. (e) expression of  $x$  in terms of  $a$ .

$\Rightarrow$

$$x = t^4 - 10t^2 + 24$$

i.e. differentiating w.r.t. 't'

$$v = \frac{dx}{dt} = 4t^3 - 20t$$

Again differentiating w.r.t.  $t$ ,

$$a = \frac{dv}{dt} = 12t^2 - 20$$

- (a) when velocity is zero. ( $v=0$ )

$$\therefore v = 4t^3 - 20t$$

$$\therefore 0 = 4t^3 - 20t$$

$$\therefore 0 = t(4t^2 - 20)$$

$$\therefore \underline{t=0} \text{ and } 4t^2 - 20 = 0 - \text{Solving this eqn.}$$

$$\underline{t = 2.23 \text{ sec.}}$$

i.e. Velocity is zero at

$$\underline{t=0 \text{ & } t=2.23 \text{ sec.}}$$

- (b) when acceleration is zero. i.e. ( $a=0$ )

$$\therefore a = 12t^2 - 20$$

$$\therefore 0 = 12t^2 - 20$$

Solving this eqn

$$\underline{t = 1.29 \text{ sec.}}$$

$\therefore$  At  $\underline{t = 1.29 \text{ sec.}}$ , acceleration is zero.

- (c) minimum speed reached by particle.

$\therefore$  Minimum speed will be reached when  $\frac{dv}{dt} = 0$

i.e.  $a=0$ . & for  $a=0$ ,  $t = 1.29 \text{ sec.}$

Thus minimum speed will be reached at  $t = 1.29 \text{ sec.}$

$$\therefore |V_{t=1.29}| = |4t^3 - 20t| \\ = |4 \times 1.29^3 - 20 \times 1.29|$$

$$V_{1.29} = 17.21 \text{ m/sec.}$$

(d) distance travelled in 3 sec.

$$d = |x_3 - x_{2.23}| + |x_{2.23} - x_0|$$

$$\therefore x_3 = t^4 - 10t^2 + 24$$

$\therefore x_3 = 15 \text{ m.}$  ... position at  $t = 3 \text{ sec.}$

$$\therefore x_{2.23} = 2.23^4 - 10 \times 2.23^2 + 24$$

$\therefore x_{2.23} = -0.99 \text{ m.}$  ... position at  $t = 2.23 \text{ sec.}$

&

$$x_0 = 0^4 - 10 \times 0^2 + 24$$

$x_0 = 24 \text{ m.}$  ... position at  $t = 0 \text{ sec.}$

$$\therefore \text{distance travelled} = |15 - (-0.99)| + |(-0.99) - 24| \\ = 15.99 + 24.99 \\ = \underline{\underline{40.98 \text{ m.}}}$$

(e) Relation  $x$  in terms of  $a.$

$$\therefore \text{we have, } a = 12t^2 - 20 \quad \therefore t^2 = \frac{a+20}{12}$$

Substituting this value in the eqn of  $x,$  we get,

$$\therefore x = t^4 - 10t^2 + 24.$$

$$\therefore x = \left(\frac{a+20}{12}\right)^2 - 10\left(\frac{a+20}{12}\right) + 24$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{a^2 + 40a + 400}{144} - \frac{10(a+20)}{12} + 24$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{a^2 + 40a + 400}{144} - \frac{10(a+20)}{12} + 24$$

$$\therefore 144x = -144 \frac{(a^2 + 40a + 400)}{144} - \frac{12 \times 144 \times 10(a+20)}{12} + 24 \times 144$$

$$\therefore 144x = a^2 + 40a + 400 - 120a - 2400 + 3456.$$

$$\therefore \boxed{144x = a^2 - 80a + 1456}$$

Examples on motion with variable Acceleration  
(eqn in terms of  $a$  &  $t$  i.e.  $a = f(t)$  is given)

- 1) A particle moves along straight line with an acceleration  $a = (4t^2 - 2)$ , where  $a$  is in  $\text{m/s}^2$  &  $t$  is in sec. When  $t = 0$ , the particle is at  $-2\text{ m}$  to the left of origin & when  $t = 2 \text{ sec}$ , particle is at  $-20\text{ m}$  to the left of origin. Determine the position of particle at  $t = 4 \text{ sec}$ .

$$\Rightarrow \text{Given } a = 4t^2 - 2$$

- when  $t = 0, x = -2\text{ m}$
- $t = 2, x = -20\text{ m}$

$$\therefore a = \frac{dv}{dt} = 4t^2 - 2$$

$$\therefore dv = (4t^2 - 2) dt$$

$$\therefore \int dv = \int (4t^2 - 2) dt$$

$$\therefore v = \frac{4t^3}{3} - 2t + C_1$$

$$\therefore \frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{4t^3}{3} - 2t + C_1$$

$$\therefore dx = \left( \frac{4t^3}{3} - 2t + C_1 \right) dt$$

$$\therefore \int dx = \int \left( \frac{4t^3}{3} - 2t + C_1 \right) dt$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{t^4}{3} - t^2 + C_1 t + C_2$$

Now, at  $t = 0, x = -2$ .

$$\therefore -2 = 0 - 0 + 0 + C_2$$

$$\therefore C_2 = -2$$

$\text{at } t = 2, x = -20$	$\therefore -20 = \frac{2^4}{3} - 2^2 + C_1 \times 2 - 2$
	$\therefore -20 = \frac{16}{3} - 4 + 2C_1 - 2$
	$\therefore C_1 = -9.67$

$$\text{Thus, } x = \frac{t^4}{3} - t^2 - 9.67t - 2$$

$$\therefore \text{at } t = 4, \quad \therefore x = \frac{4^4}{3} - 4^2 - 9.67 \times 4 - 2$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{256}{3} - 16 - 38.68 - 2$$

$$x = 28.65 \text{ m}$$

- 2) The acceleration of a point moving along a straight line is given by the equation  $a = 12t - 20$ . It is known that its displacement  $s = -10\text{m}$  at time  $t = 0$  &  $s = +10\text{m}$  at time  $t = 5\text{ sec}$ . Derive eqn of motion.



$$a = 12t - 20$$

- Given condition: 1)  $s = -10\text{m}$  at  $t = 0 \text{ sec}$   
2)  $s = 10\text{m}$  at  $t = 5 \text{ sec}$

$\therefore$  we know that,

$$\therefore a = \frac{dv}{dt} = 12t - 20$$

$$\therefore dv = (12t - 20) dt$$

Taking integration

$$\therefore \int dv = \int (12t - 20) dt$$

$$\therefore v = 6t^2 - 20t + C_1$$

$$\therefore \frac{ds}{dt} = 6t^2 - 20t + C_1$$

$$\therefore ds = (6t^2 - 20t + C_1) dt$$

Integrating again,

$$\therefore \int ds = \int (6t^2 - 20t + C_1) dt$$

$$\therefore s = 2t^3 - 10t^2 + C_1 t + C_2$$

- Now, using given conditions, 1)  $s = -10$  if  $t = 0$   
2)  $s = 10$  if  $t = 5$

$$\therefore -10 = 2 \times 0^3 - 10 \times 0^2 + C_1 \times 0 + C_2$$

$$\therefore \boxed{C_2 = -10} \quad \text{and}$$

$$\therefore 10 = 2 \times 5^3 - 10 \times 5^2 + C_1 \times 5 - 10$$

$$\therefore 10 = 250 - 250 + 5C_1 - 10$$

$$\therefore 10 + 10 = 5C_1$$

$$\therefore C_1 = \frac{20}{5}$$

$$\boxed{C_1 = 4}$$

Thus, eqn of motion is  $\boxed{s = 2t^3 - 10t^2 + 4t - 10}$

Examples Based on Motion with Variable Acceleration

C eqn in terms of  $a$  &  $x$  is given. i.e.  $a = F(x)$

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- 1) A particle oscillates betw the points  $x=40\text{ mm}$  &  $x=160\text{ mm}$  with an acceleration  $a = k(100-x)$  where  $k$  is constant. The velocity of particle is  $18\text{ mm/sec}$  when  $x=100\text{ mm}$  & is zero at both  $x=40\text{ mm}$  &  $160\text{ mm}$ . Determine (i) value of  $k$  (ii) The velocity when  $x=120\text{ mm}$ .

$$\Rightarrow a = k(100-x) \quad \text{-- Given relation.}$$

$$\text{Given conditions are: } \begin{aligned} \text{i)} \quad & V = 18\text{ mm/s} \text{ at } x = 100\text{ mm} \\ \text{ii)} \quad & V = 0\text{ mm/sec. at } x = 40\text{ mm} \\ \text{iii)} \quad & V = 0\text{ mm/s} \text{ at } x = 160\text{ mm} \end{aligned}$$

i.

$$a = \frac{V \cdot dV}{dx} = k(100-x)$$

$$\therefore V \cdot dV = k(100-x) dx \quad \text{-- Integrating this}$$

$$\therefore \int V \cdot dV = \int k(100-x) dx.$$

$$\therefore \frac{V^2}{2} = k(100x - \frac{x^2}{2}) + C_1$$

Now using conditions (i) & (ii)

$$\therefore \frac{18^2}{2} = k(100 \times 100 - \frac{100^2}{2}) + C_1 \quad \left| 0 = k(100 \times 40 - \frac{40^2}{2}) + C_1 \right.$$

$$\therefore 162 = 5000k + C_1$$

$$0 = 3200k + C_1$$

$$\therefore 162 = 5000k - 3200k$$

$$\therefore C_1 = -3200k$$

$$\therefore 162 = 1800k$$

$$\therefore [k = 0.09] \quad \& \quad C_1 = -3200 \times 0.09$$

$$\therefore [C_1 = -288]$$

The eqn of velocity becomes,

$$\therefore \frac{V^2}{2} = 0.09(100x - \frac{x^2}{2}) - 288$$

$$\therefore V^2 = 0.18(100x - \frac{x^2}{2}) - 576.$$

Now for  $x = 120\text{ mm}$ ,

$$V^2 = 0.18(100 \times 120 - \frac{120 \times 120}{2}) - 576.$$

$$V = \pm 16.97\text{ mm/sec.}$$

2) A particle travels in a straight line with accelerated motion such that  $a = -Kx$ , where  $x$  is the distance from starting point. Find constant  $K$  if for  $x=2\text{m}$ , velocity is  $4\text{m/sec}$ . and for  $x=3.5\text{m}$ , the velocity is  $10\text{m/sec}$ . Also find  $x$  when the velocity is zero.

→ Given data:

$$a = -Kx$$

conditions given:

$$1) x=2\text{m}, v=4\text{m/sec.}$$

$$2) x=3.5\text{m}, v=10\text{m/sec.}$$

find ①  $K$  & ② find  $x$  for  $v=0$ .

$$\therefore a = V \cdot \frac{dv}{dx} = -K \cdot x$$

$$\therefore V \cdot dv = -Kx dx$$

$$\therefore \int V \cdot dv = -K \int x \cdot dx$$

$$\frac{V^2}{2} = -K \frac{x^2}{2} + C_1$$

using 1st condition,  $x=2, v=4\text{ m/sec.}$

$$\therefore \frac{4^2}{2} = -K \times \frac{2^2}{2} + C_1$$

$$\therefore 8 = -2K + C_1 \quad \dots \textcircled{1}$$

using 2nd condition,  $x=3.5, v=10$

$$\frac{10^2}{2} = -K \times \frac{3.5^2}{2} + C_1$$

$$\therefore 50 = -6.125K + C_1 \quad \dots \textcircled{11}$$

Solving eqn ① & ⑪ we get

$$\boxed{C_1 = -12.36} \quad \& \quad \boxed{K = -10.18}$$

$$\therefore \text{eqn of velocity is } \frac{V^2}{2} = 10.18 \frac{x^2}{2} - 12.36$$

$$\therefore V^2 = 10.18x^2 - 24.72$$

$$\text{for, } V=0, \quad 0 = 10.18x^2 - 24.72$$

∴ Solving above eqn for  $x$ .

$$\boxed{x = 1.558\text{ m.}}$$

**Example on Motion with Variable Acceleration**  
 (Eqn is given in terms of  $v \& t$  i.e.  $v = f(t)$ )

①

A particle moves along a straight line with velocity  $v = 3t^2 - 6t$  (in m/sec.). If it is initially at origin. Determine the average velocity, average speed & distance travelled during interval  $0 \leq t \leq 3.5$  sec.

$$\Rightarrow \text{Given, } v = 3t^2 - 6t$$

if  $t=0$ , then  $v=0$ . & also  $x=0$ .

$$\therefore v = 3t^2 - 6t$$

$$\therefore v = \frac{dx}{dt} = 3t^2 - 6t$$

②

$$\therefore dx = (3t^2 - 6t) dt$$

Integrating above eqn;

$$\int dx = \int (3t^2 - 6t) dt$$

$$x = t^3 - 3t^2 + C_1$$

from the condition,  $t=0, x=0$

$$\therefore 0 = 0^3 - 3 \times 0 + C_1$$

$$\therefore C_1 = 0$$

③

$$\therefore x = t^3 - 3t^2$$

① Average velocity,  $= \frac{\text{Change in position}}{\text{Time interval}}$

$$V_{\text{avg}} = \frac{x_{3.5} - x_0}{3.5 - 0}$$

$$\therefore x_{3.5} = 3.5^3 - 3 \times 3.5^2 = 6.125 \text{ m.}$$

$$x_0 = 0^3 - 3 \times 0 = 0 \text{ m.}$$

$$\therefore V_{\text{avg}} = \frac{6.125 - 0}{3.5 - 0} = 1.75 \text{ m/sec.}$$

② Average Speed.

To find avg. speed, always check where the velocity is zero. & Then find distance travelled.

$$\therefore v = 3t^2 - 6t$$
$$\therefore 0 = 3t^2 - 6t$$

solving the eqn

$$t = 0 \text{ & } t = 2 \text{ sec.}$$

$$\text{distance travelled} = |x_{3.5} - x_2| + |x_2 - x_0|$$

$$\therefore x_{3.5} = 6.125 \text{ m.}$$

$$\therefore x_0 = 0 \text{ m.}$$

$$x_2 = 2^3 - 3 \times 2^2$$
$$= 8 - 12$$

$$\underline{x_2 = -4 \text{ m}}$$

∴ Thus distance travelled is,

$$d = |6.125 - (-4)| + |-4 - 0|$$
$$= 10.125 + 4$$
$$= 14.125 \text{ m.}$$

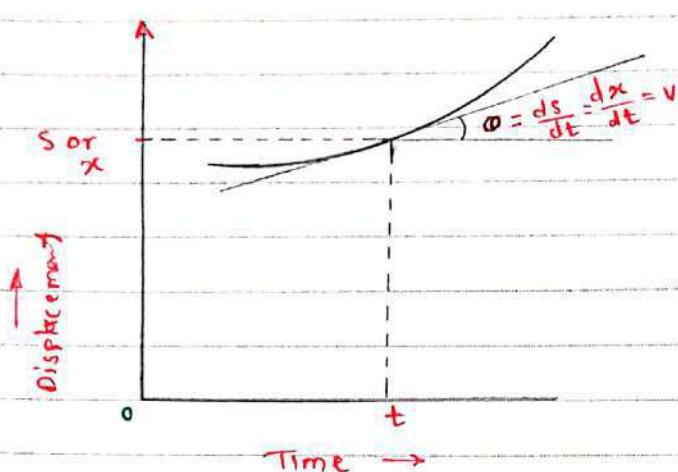
$$\therefore \text{Avg. Speed} = \frac{\text{distance travelled}}{3.5} = \frac{14.125}{3.5}$$

$$\therefore \text{Avg. Speed} = 4.08 \text{ m/sec.}$$

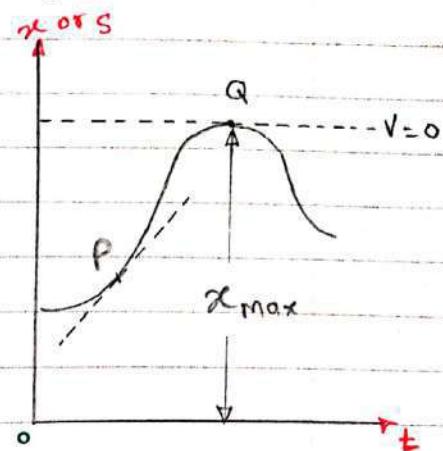
## \* \* Motion Diagrams (motion curves):-

It is a graphical representation of displacement, velocity & acc<sup>n</sup> with time.

### (1) Displacement - Time Curve: ( $x-t$ diagram)



(i)



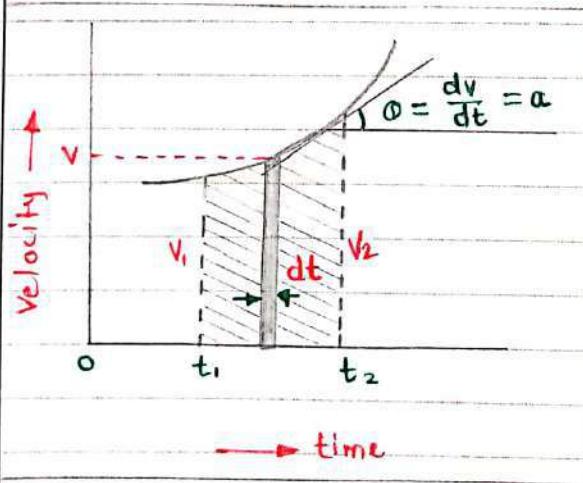
(ii)

- This diagram represents position of particle w.r.t. to time. Here time is taken on x-axis & displacement (s or x) is taken on y-axis.
- Slope of  $x-t$  diagram at any point represents the velocity at that instant.

i.e. At any instant  $t$  (time),

$$\text{velocity is given by } v = \frac{ds}{dt} = \frac{dx}{dt}$$

### (2) Velocity - time curve: ( $v-t$ diagram) -



This diagram represents velocity of particle w.r.t. time. Here velocity is taken on y-axis & time on x-axis.

- a) The slope of the  $v-t$  diagram represents acc<sup>n</sup> at that instant.

$$\therefore a = \frac{dv}{dt}$$

b) Area under the curve ( $v-t$  curve) represents change in displacement ( $x$  or  $s$ ) betw two instants of time.

i.e. Let us select elementary strip betw  $t_1$  &  $t_2$ .

$$\therefore \text{The area of strip, } dA = v \times dt$$

Area bounded b/w  $t_1$  &  $t_2$  can be find out by integrating  
Area of elementary strip.

$$\therefore dA = V \cdot dt$$

$$\therefore \int dA = \int V \cdot dt$$

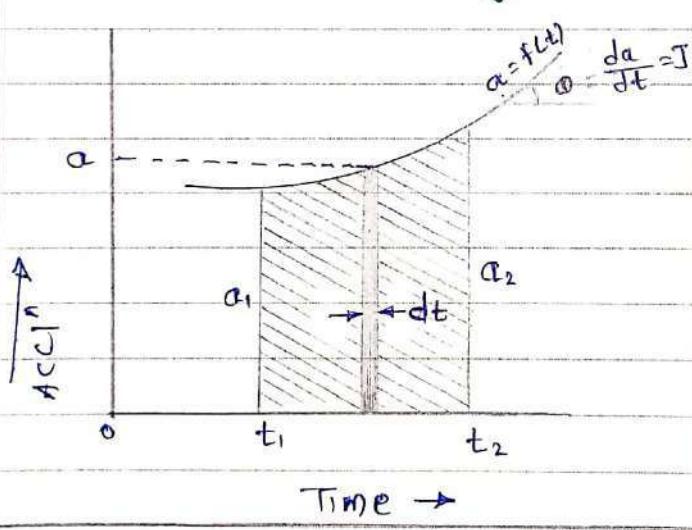
$$\therefore A = \int_{t_1}^{t_2} V \cdot dt$$

$$\text{But } V = \frac{dx}{dt} \quad \therefore V \cdot dt = dx.$$

$$\therefore A = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} dx = [x]_{x_1}^{x_2}$$

$$\therefore A = \text{Area b/w } (t_1 \text{ & } t_2) = x_2 - x_1$$

**<3> Accn-time diagram ( $a-t$  curve) :-**



This represents accn of particle w.r.t. time 't'.  
Accn is plotted on y axis & time is plotted on x axis.

The slope of the curve represents jerk  $J = \frac{da}{dt}$

The area under  $a-t$  diagram b/w two instants of time ( $t_1$  &  $t_2$ ) represents change in velocity.

Let us consider an elementary strip.

i.e. area of strip ;  $dA = a \cdot dt$

i.e. Total Area ;  $A = \int_{t_1}^{t_2} a dt$  but  $a = \frac{dv}{dt}$ .

$$\therefore A = \int_{v_1}^{v_2} dv \quad \because a \cdot dt = dv,$$

$$\therefore \text{Area} = A = v_2 - v_1.$$

The position co-ordinate ( $x$ ) is directly find out from the following moment regr C (from a-t diagram).

$$x_t = x_0 + v_0 t + \frac{1}{2} a t^2$$

where

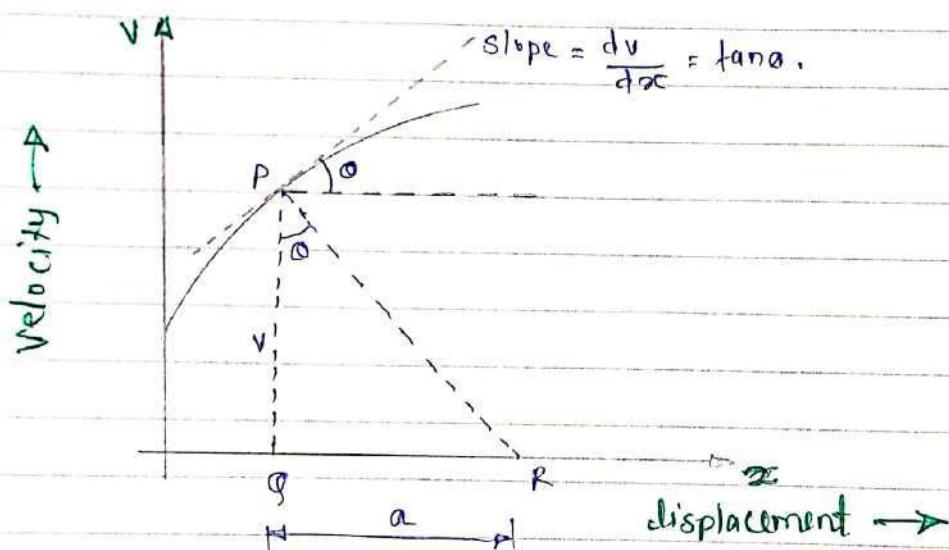
$x_t$  = position of particle at time 't'.

$x_0$  = initial position of particle.

$v_0$  = initial velocity of particle.

$\frac{1}{2} a t^2$  = moment of area under a-t diagram about the instant  $t$ .

#### 4] Velocity - Displacement diagram ( $v-x$ )



Here plot or graph of velocity (on y-axis) & displacement (x-axis) is drawn.

If a normal is drawn to the tangent on curve, the subnormal on  $x$  axis represents the accn.

Let  $PR$  is the normal drawn at  $P$ .

The subnormal  $QR = PQ \cdot \tan \theta$

$$= v \cdot \tan \theta$$

$$= v \cdot \frac{dv}{dx}$$

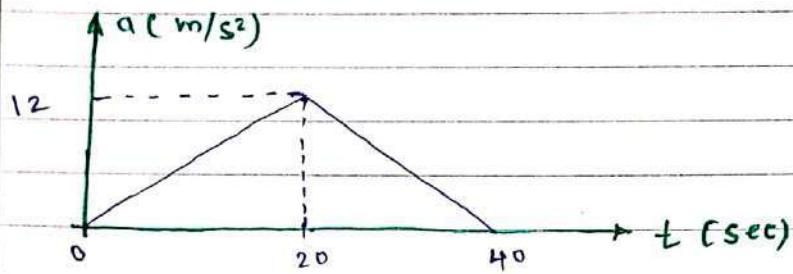
$$= a.$$

$$\therefore a = v \frac{dv}{dx}$$

$a = v \frac{dv}{dx}$  = velocity  $\times$  slope of  $v-x$  diagram.

## Numericals on Motion Diagrams.

- Q) The acceleration versus time for a particle moving along x-axis is given in the figure given below. The time interval is 0 to 40 sec. For the same time interval, plot -  
 1) V-t diagram 2) X-t diagram  
 3) Also find max speed attained & max. distance covered.



→ We know that,

Change in velocity = Area under a-t diagram.  
 ∵ from the given a-t diagram  
 at  $t = 20$  sec.

$$V_{20} - V_0 = \frac{1}{2} \times 20 \times 12$$

$$V_{20} - V_0 = 120 \text{ m/s}$$

But at  $t = 0$ ,  $V_0 = 0$

$$\therefore \boxed{V_{20} = 120 \text{ m/sec.}}$$

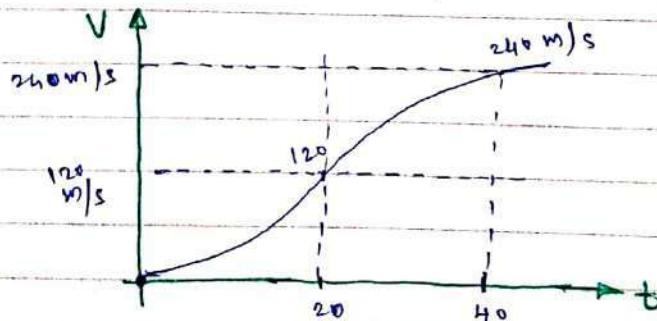
Now at  $t = 40$  sec.

$$\therefore V_{40} - V_{20} = \frac{1}{2} \times 20 \times 12 = 120$$

$$\therefore V_{40} = 120 + V_{20}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{V_{40} = 240 \text{ m/sec.}}$$

Thus V-t diagram will be as follows



Now from above v-t diagram,  
Change in displacement = Area under v-t diagram.

At  $t = 20$  sec.

$$x_{20} - x_0 = \frac{1}{2} \times 20 \times 120 = 800 \text{ m.}$$

as ( $x_0 = 0$  at  $t=0$ )

$$\therefore \boxed{x_{20} = 800 \text{ m.}}$$

At  $t = 40$  sec.

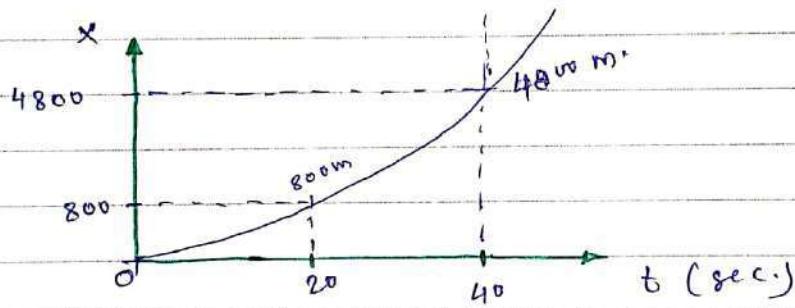
$$x_{40} - x_{20} = (20 \times 120) + (\frac{2}{3} \times 20 \times 120)$$

$$x_{40} = 2400 + 1600 + x_{20}$$

$$x_{40} = 2400 + 1600 + 800$$

$$\boxed{x_{40} = 4800 \text{ m.}}$$

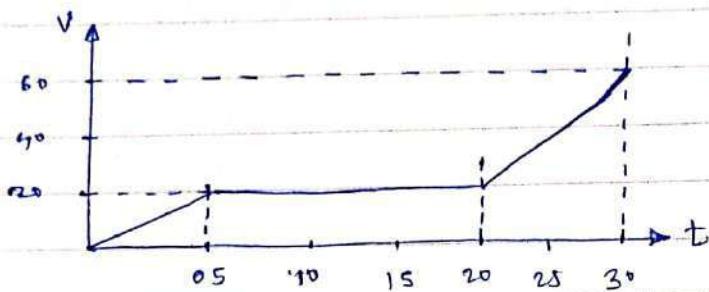
$\therefore$   $x-t$  diagram will be as follows-



Max. speed attained =  $240 \text{ m/sec.}$

Max. distance travelled =  $4800 \text{ m.}$

- ② The figure below shows v-t graph of jet plane travelling along runway. Construct x-t & a-t graph for the motion of jet plane. The plane starts from rest.



$\Rightarrow$  ① x-t diagram:

$\therefore$  change in displacement = Area under v-t diagram.

$$\therefore \text{At } t=0, x_0 = 0$$

$$\text{At } t=5 \text{ sec.}$$

$$x_5 - x_0 = \frac{1}{2} \times 5 \times 20 = 50$$

$$\therefore x_5 = 50 - x_0$$

$$x_5 = 50 \text{ m}$$

$$\text{At } t=20 \text{ sec.}$$

$$\therefore x_{20} - x_5 = 15 \times 20 = 300$$

$$\therefore x_{20} = 300 + x_5 = 300 + 50 = 350 \text{ m.}$$

$$\text{At } t=30 \text{ sec.}$$

$$\therefore x_{30} - x_{20} = (10 \times 20) + (\frac{1}{2} \times 10 \times 40)$$

$$\therefore = 200 + 200$$

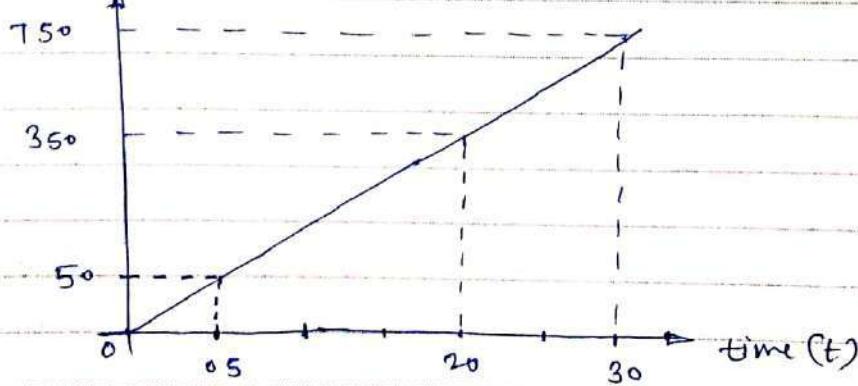
$$x_{30} = 400 + x_{20}$$

$$x_{30} = 400 + 350$$

$$x_{30} = 750 \text{ m.}$$

( $x$ ) displacement

$\therefore$  This x-t diagram is as below-



Now,  
from given v-t diagram,

Slope of v-t diagram = acceleration.

At  $t = 0$ , slope  $= a = \frac{20}{5} = 4 \text{ m/s}^2$

Before  $t = 5$ , slope  $= a = \frac{20}{5} = 4 \text{ m/s}^2$

After  $t = 5$  slope  $= a = 0$  - as  $v$  is constant.

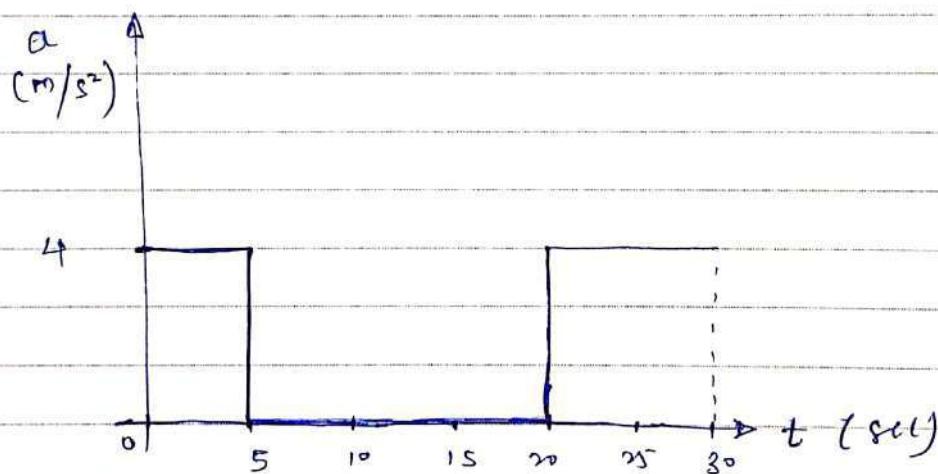
Before  $t = 20$ , slope  $= a = 0$

After  $t = 20$ , slope  $a = \frac{40}{10} = 4 \text{ m/s}^2$

At  $t = 30$ ,

slope  $= a = \frac{40}{10} = 4 \text{ m/s}^2$

∴ a-t diagram is drawn below.



# Relative Velocity/motion.

Absolute motion :-

The motion of particle with respect to fixed frame of reference.

Relative motion :-

The motion of particle with respect to set of axes which are moving.

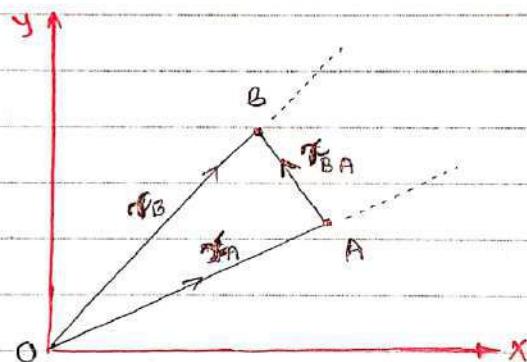
OR

The motion of particle with respect to another particle when both particles are moving.

## \* Relative motion betn two Particles.

Consider two particles A & B moving on different paths.

Let A is moving along OA & B is moving along OB.



Now as both A & B are moving, thus, motion of particle B w.r.t. A is called as Relative motion B w.r.t A.

i.  $\vec{r}_A = OA = \text{absolute position of } A = \text{position vector of } A$ .

ii.  $\vec{r}_B = OB = \text{absolute position of } B = \text{position vector of } B$ .

Thus,

$\vec{r}_{BA} = \text{position vector of } B \text{ w.r.t. } A$

From triangle law of vectors,

$$\vec{r}_B = \vec{r}_A + \vec{r}_{BA}$$

$$\therefore \vec{r}_{BA} = \vec{r}_B - \vec{r}_A.$$

Differentiating above eqn.

$$V_{BA} = V_B - V_A$$

again differentiating

$$\alpha_{BA} = \alpha_B - \alpha_A.$$

$$\text{So, } \alpha_{BA} = \alpha_B - \alpha_A$$

$$V_{BA} = V_B - V_A$$

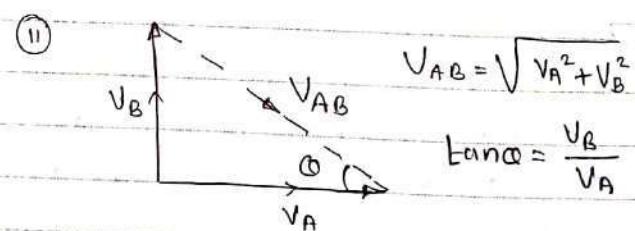
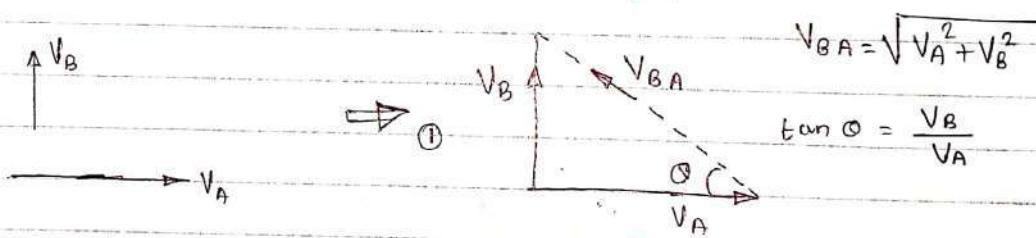
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### Graphical Representation

To find the relative velocity, place the two vectors in such a way that their tails are joined at common point.

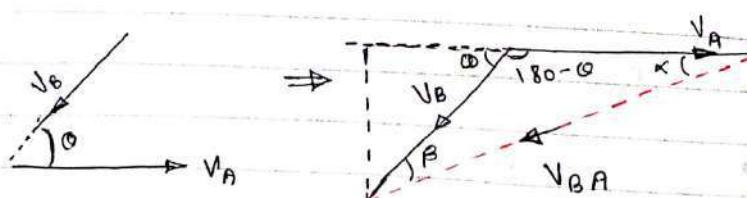
- ① Two velocities are perpendicular to each other.

Let  $V_A$  &  $V_B$  are the two velocity vectors, acting perpendicular to each other.



- ② When two velocities are inclined to each other.

Let  $V_A$  &  $V_B$  are the two velocities making angle  $\theta$  with each other.



in Above triangle by using cosine rule

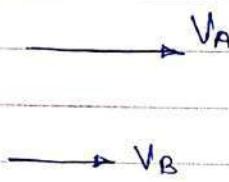
we have, magnitude,  $V_{BA}^2 = V_A^2 + V_B^2 - 2V_A V_B \cdot \cos(180 - \alpha)$

$$\therefore V_{BA} = \sqrt{V_A^2 + V_B^2 - 2V_A V_B \cdot \cos(180 - \alpha)}$$

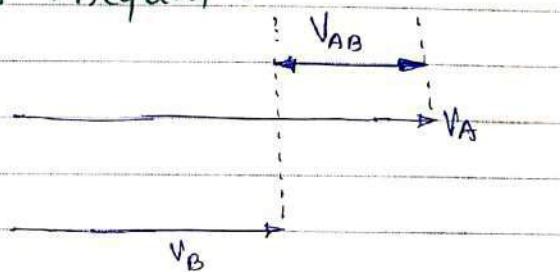
Direction,

$$\sin \alpha = \frac{V_B \cdot \sin \alpha}{V_{BA}}$$

③ When velocities are parallel & unequal.

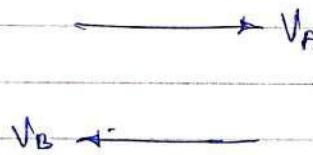


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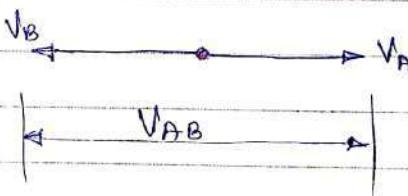


$$V_{AB} = V_A - V_B =$$

④ When velocities are equal & opposite.



Then



$$V_{AB} = V_A - V_B.$$

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$$\downarrow \quad \rightarrow V_t = 45 \text{ kmph}$$

$$V_t = 45 \text{ kmph} = \frac{45 \times 5}{18} =$$

$$\therefore V_t = 12.5 \text{ m/sec}$$

$$V_s = 22.5 \text{ kmph} = \frac{22.5 \times 5}{18} = 6.25 \text{ m/sec.}$$

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Velocity vectors

$$\bar{V}_t = 12.5 \hat{i}$$

$$\bar{V}_s = -6.25 \hat{j}$$

$\therefore$  Velocity of stone relative to train will be

$$\therefore \bar{V}_{st} = \bar{V}_s - \bar{V}_t$$

$$\bar{V}_{st} = -6.25 \hat{j} - 12.5 \hat{i}$$

$$\bar{V}_{st} = (-12.5) \hat{i} + (-6.25) \hat{j}$$

magnitude of velocity

$$V_{st} = \sqrt{12.5^2 + 6.25^2}$$

$$V_{st} = 13.975 \text{ m/sec.}$$

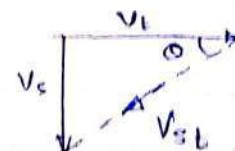
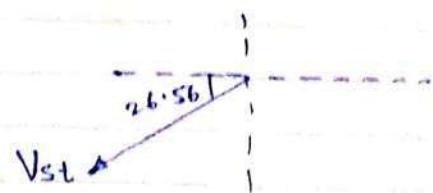
direction

$$\tan \theta = \frac{\text{i coefficient}}{\text{j coefficient}}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{6.25}{12.5}$$

$$\therefore \theta = 26.56^\circ$$

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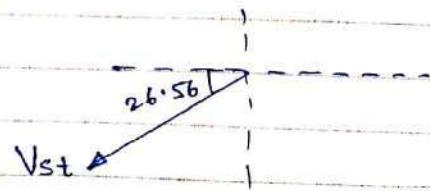
Direction

$$\tan \alpha = \frac{\text{j coefficient}}{\text{i coefficient}}$$

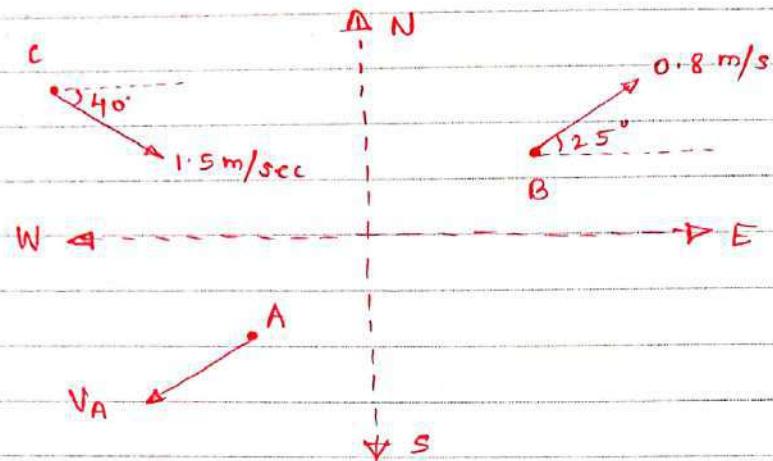
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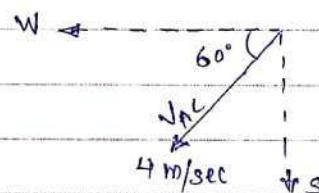
As both i & j component are negative, so  $V_{st}$  is in third quadrant.



Following figure shows 3 ships sailing in different directions.  
 If the sailor of ship C observes the ship A to sail with a velocity of  $4 \text{ m/sec}$  at  $60^\circ$  in the direction South of West.  
 Find - i) velocity of ship A ii) velocity of ship B  
 observed by A iii) velocity of ship C observed by B.



Given -  $V_{AC} = 4 \text{ m/sec.}$  at  $60^\circ$  in south of west.



$\therefore$  Velocity vector  $= \bar{V}_{AC}$

$$\therefore \bar{V}_{AC} = (-4 \cos 60) \mathbf{i} - (4 \sin 60) \mathbf{j}$$

$$V_{AC} = -2 \mathbf{i} - 3.464 \mathbf{j} \quad - (1)$$

From the given diagram,  $V_C = 1.5 \text{ m/sec.}$

$$\bar{V}_C = (1.5 \cos 40) \mathbf{i} + [-(1.5 \sin 40) \mathbf{j}]$$

$$\bar{V}_C = 1.149 \mathbf{i} + (-0.964) \mathbf{j} \quad - (11)$$

$$\bar{V}_C = 1.149 \mathbf{i} - 0.964 \mathbf{j}$$

$$V_B = 0.8 \text{ m/sec.}$$

$$\therefore \bar{V}_B = (0.8 \cos 25) \mathbf{i} + (0.8 \sin 25) \mathbf{j}$$

$$\bar{V}_B = 0.725 \mathbf{i} + 0.338 \mathbf{j} \quad - (11)$$

$$\text{Now, } \bar{V}_{AC} = \bar{V}_A - \bar{V}_C$$

from eqn ① & ②

$$\therefore -2i - 3.464j = \bar{V}_A - [1.149i - 0.964j]$$

$$\therefore -2i - 3.464j = \bar{V}_A - 1.149i + 0.964j$$

$$\therefore -2i + 1.149i - 3.464j - 0.964j = \bar{V}_A$$

$$\therefore \bar{V}_A = -0.851i - 4.428j$$

$$\therefore \text{magnitude of } V_A = \sqrt{0.851^2 + 4.428^2}$$

$$V_A = 4.509 \text{ m/sec.}$$

direction,

$$\theta_A = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{(\text{j-coefficient})}{(\text{i-coefficient})} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \frac{4.428}{0.851}$$

$$\therefore \theta_A = 79.12^\circ$$

velocity of ship B as observed by A:

$$\bar{V}_{BA} = \bar{V}_B - \bar{V}_A$$

$$= 0.725i + 0.338j - [-0.851i - 4.428j]$$

$$= 0.725i + 0.851i + 0.338j + 4.428j$$

$$\bar{V}_{BA} = 1.576i + 4.766j$$

magnitude

$$V_{BA} = \sqrt{1.576^2 + 4.766^2} = 5.02 \text{ m/sec.}$$

direction,

$$\theta_{BA} = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{4.766}{1.576} \right) = 71.70^\circ.$$

Velocity of ship C observed by B.

$$\bar{V}_{CB} = \bar{V}_C - \bar{V}_B$$

$$= 1.149i - 0.964j - (0.725i + 0.338j)$$

$$\bar{V}_{CB} = 0.424i - 1.302j$$

magnitude,

$$V_{CB} = \sqrt{0.424^2 + 1.302^2} = 1.369 \text{ m/sec}$$

$$\text{Direction, } \theta_{CB} = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1.302}{0.424} \right)$$

$$\theta_{CB} = 71.96^\circ$$

Two trains P & Q are 190m & 160m long moving in opposite directions on parallel tracks. The velocity of shorter train is 3 times that of larger train. If train takes 5 sec. to pass each other, find velocity of each train.

$$\Rightarrow \text{Length of train P} = L_p = 190\text{m}$$

— || — G = L\_g = 160\text{m}

$$\therefore V_Q = 3V_p \quad \text{--- Given.}$$

As tectons are moving in opposite directions & parallel to each other.

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$\therefore$  relative speed

$$\begin{aligned}V_{PG} &= V_{GP} = V_p + V_Q \\&= V_p + 3V_p \\&= 4V_p\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Time taken to cross each other} = \frac{\text{Total length of trains} = (L_p + L_q)}{\text{Relative speed}}.$$

$$5 = \frac{190 + 160}{4V_p}$$

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$$V_p = 17.5 \text{ m/s}$$

$$V_g = 3 V_p = 3 \times 17.5 = 52.5 \text{ m/sec.}$$

## Dependent Motion

When motion of one particle depends upon the motion of other particle or several particles, then that kind of motion is called as Dependent motion.

### \* String Law :-

When only two particles are connected by a continuous, inextensible string passing over smooth pulleys, then following relation holds good.

$$N_1 S_1 = N_2 S_2$$

$$N_1 V_1 = N_2 V_2$$

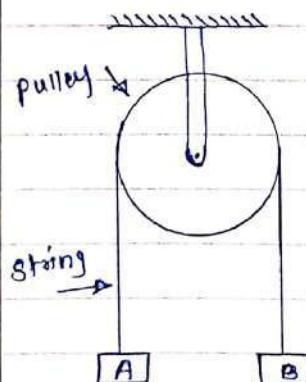
$$N_1 a_1 = N_2 a_2$$

--- Where,

$N_1$  = No. of strings parts connected to particle 1.

$N_2$  = No. of strings parts connected to particle 2.

- ① Consider the figure shown below.



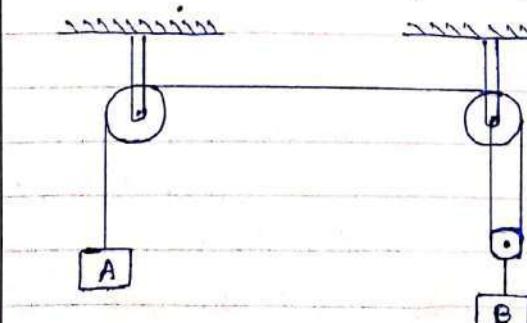
$$\text{Here, } N_A = 1 \quad \& \quad N_B = 1$$

$$\text{Also, } S_A = S_B$$

$$V_A = V_B$$

$$a_A = a_B$$

- ② Consider following diagram,



$$\text{Here } N_A = 1 \quad \& \quad N_B = 2.$$

$$\therefore N_A S_A = N_B S_B$$

$$S_A = 2 S_B$$

Similarly,

$$V_A = 2 V_B$$

$$a_A = 2 a_B$$

## Consistency of string :-

The length of the string during the motion of the particles remains constant as string is inextensible.

### \* Analysis of dependent motion :-

Following are the steps to be followed while solving the numericals of dependent motion.

#### Step - 1 :-

Select the datum passing through a fixed point or fixed points or fixed surface.

- If string parts are horizontal in the given system, then select vertical datum.
- If string parts are vertical in the given system, then select horizontal datum.
- If string parts are both vertical & horizontal in the given string system; then select two datums i.e. vertical & horizontal.

#### Step - 2 :-

- Select proper sign conventions w.r.t. datum.
- +ve sign is selected in the direction of string parts.

#### Step - 3 :-

- Decide the variables & mark their position co-ordinate (x) w.r.t. datum.
- Mark 'x' betw. datum & any other fixed point/surface.

#### Step - 4 :-

- Measure the length of strings in terms of variables using selected sign convention. ( $x_A, x_B, x_C \dots$ )
- Neglect overlaps with pulley & constant length if any.

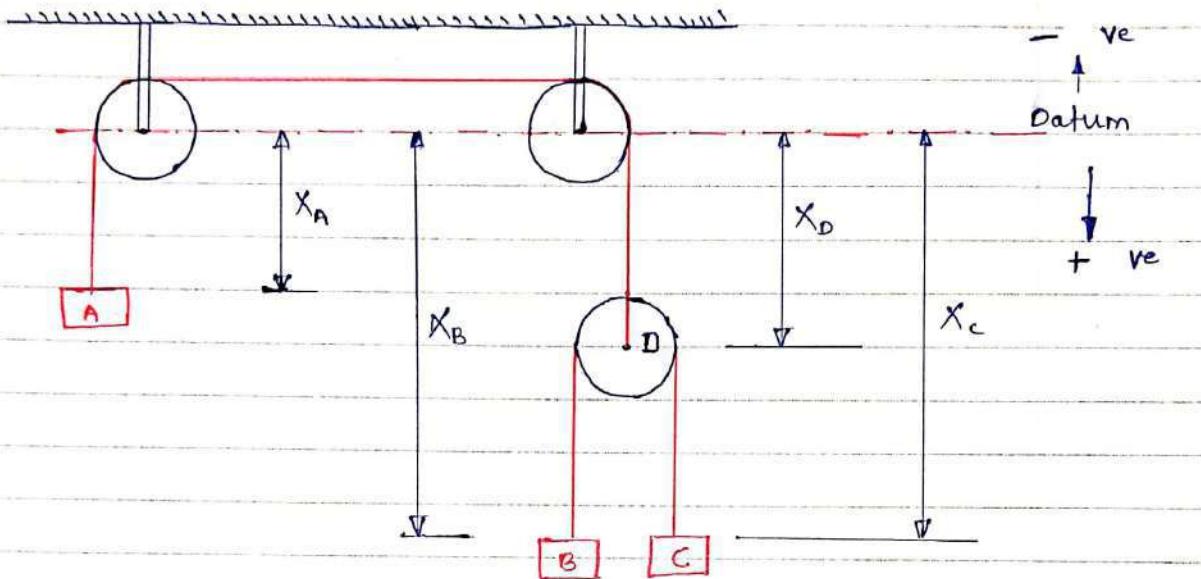
#### Step 5 :- Measure the length of each string separately if system consists of more than one string.

#### Step 6 :-

Differentiate once w.r.t.  $t$  to get velocity & Differentiate twice w.r.t.  $t$  to get acceleration.

## Numericals on Dependent Motion

Three blocks move with constant velocities as shown in figure. find the velocity of each block. The relative velocity of A w.r.t. C is 120 mm/sec. ( $\uparrow$ ) & relative velocity of B w.r.t. A is 40 mm/s ( $\uparrow$ ).



Mark positions of the variables w.r.t. datum as shown above.

Let  $x_A, x_B, x_C, x_D$  be the distances of the blocks A, B, C, D respectively.

No. of strings in the given system are two.

9. Let  $L_1$  = length of the string connecting block A & pulley D.

$$\therefore L_1 = x_A + x_D$$

Differentiate w.r.t. 't' ( $L_1 = \text{constant}$ )

$$0 = \frac{d}{dt}(x_A) + \frac{d}{dt}(x_D)$$

$$0 = v_A + v_D$$

$$\therefore v_D = -v_A \quad \text{---(1)}$$

Let  $L_2$  = length of the string connecting block B & C

$$\therefore L_2 = (x_B - x_D) + (x_C - x_D)$$

$$L_2 = x_B + x_C - 2x_D$$

Differentiating w.r.t. 't' ( $L_2 = \text{constant}$ )

$$0 = \frac{d}{dt}(x_B) + \frac{d}{dt}(x_C) - 2 \cdot \frac{d}{dt}(x_D)$$

$$\therefore 0 = V_B + V_C - 2V_D$$

But  $V_D = -V_A$  ---- from ①

$$\therefore 0 = V_B + V_C - 2 \times (-V_A)$$

$$0 = V_B + V_C + 2V_A \quad \text{--- ②}$$

$$\therefore V_{AC} = 120 \text{ mm/sec. } \uparrow \quad \text{--- given.}$$

$\therefore V_{AC} = -120 \text{ mm/sec}$  (Upward is Negative as per datum).  
of sign conventions.

$$\therefore V_A - V_C = -120$$

$$\therefore -V_C = -120 - V_A$$

$$\therefore V_C = V_A + 120 \quad \text{--- --- ③}$$

$$\text{Now } V_{BA} = 40 \text{ mm/sec } (\uparrow)$$

$$\therefore V_{BA} = -40 \text{ mm/sec}$$

$$\therefore V_B - V_A = -40$$

$$\therefore V_B = -40 + V_A \quad \text{--- ④}$$

put eqn ③ & ④ in eqn ②

$$\therefore (-40 + V_A) + (V_A + 120) + 2V_A = 0$$

$$4V_A + 120 - 40 = 0$$

$$\therefore 4V_A = -120 + 40$$

$$4V_A = -80$$

$$\therefore V_A = \frac{-80}{4} = -20 \text{ mm/sec.}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{V_A = 20 \text{ mm/sec}} \text{ - (upward)}$$

$$\therefore V_B = -40 + V_A \therefore V_B = -40 + (-20) = -60 \text{ mm/sec.}$$

$$\boxed{V_B = 60 \text{ mm/sec}} \text{ - (upward)}$$

$$\therefore V_C = V_A + 120 \\ = -20 + 120$$

$$\therefore V_C = \boxed{100 \text{ mm/sec. (downward)}}$$

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From eqn ②,  $V_w = -V_E$

$$V_w = \boxed{-5 \text{ m/sec}}$$

$V_w = 5 \text{ m/sec}$  upward.

Putting above values in eqn ①,

$$V_c = -2 V_E$$

$$= -2 \times (+5) = -10 \text{ m/sec.}$$

$$\boxed{V_c = 10 \text{ m/sec.}} \text{ upward.}$$

Now, Relative velocity of cable w.r.t. elevator

$$V_{CE} = V_c - V_E$$

$$V_{CE} = -10 - (+5) = -15 \text{ m/sec.}$$

$$\boxed{V_{CE} = 15 \text{ m/sec.}} \text{ upward.}$$

Relative velocity of counter weight w.r.t. elevator

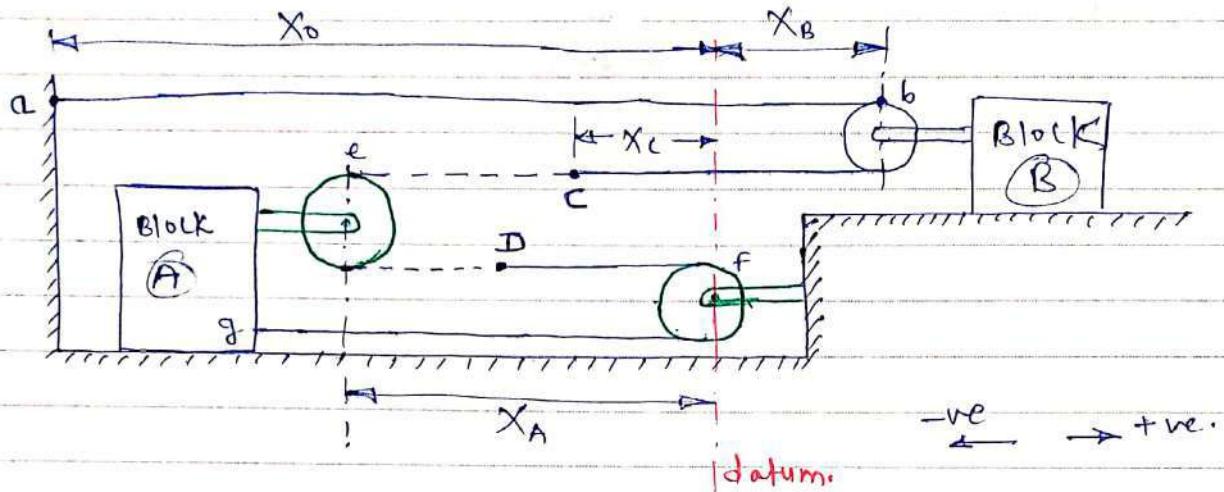
$$V_{WE} = V_w - V_E$$

$$V_{WE} = -5 - (+5) = -10 \text{ m/sec.}$$

$$\boxed{V_{WE} = 10 \text{ m/sec.}} \text{ upward.}$$

Slider Block B moves to the right with constant velocity of 300 mm/sec. Determine:

- 1) Velocity of the slider block A
- 2) Velocity of portion c of the cable
- 3) Velocity of portion D of cable.
- 4) Relative velocity of portion c of cable wrt. A.



Total length of string connecting slider block A & B

$$L_1 = 2x_B - 3x_A - x_o$$

neglecting  $x_o$

$$L_1 = 2x_B - 3x_A$$

As  $L = \text{constant}$

Differentiating w.r.t. t

$$0 = 2V_B - 3V_A$$

$$\therefore 3V_A = 2V_B$$

as  $V_B = 0.3 \text{ m/sec}$  ( $\rightarrow$ ) ---- given

$$\therefore V_A = \frac{2 \times 0.3}{3} = 0.2 \text{ m/sec. } (\rightarrow)$$

Now to find velocity of portion c of cable,

Consider the part of the cable starting from anyone end upto point c.

Length of the part a-b-c will be,

$$L_2 = -x_o + x_B + x_B - x_c$$

Neglecting  $x_o$ ,

$$\therefore L_2 = 2x_B - x_C$$

differentiating w.r.t. 't'

$$\therefore \dot{O} = 2V_B - V_C$$

$$\therefore V_C = 2V_B$$

$$\therefore V_C = 2 \times 0.3$$

$$\boxed{V_C = 0.6 \text{ m/sec}} \rightarrow$$

To find velocity of portion  $\textcircled{D}$  of the cable, consider the part of cable starting from any point upto  $\textcircled{D}$ .  
Thus

for the portion  $a-b-c-\textcircled{D}$ ,

$$L_3 = -x_0 + x_B + x_B - x_C - (x_A - x_C) - (x_A - x_0)$$

$$= 2x_B - x_C - x_A + x_C - x_A + x_0$$

$$L_3 = 2x_B - 2x_A + x_0$$

differentiating w.r.t. 't'

$$\therefore \dot{O} = 2V_B - 2V_A + V_D.$$

$$\therefore V_D = 2V_A - 2V_B$$

$$= 2 \times 0.2 - 2 \times 0.3$$

$$= 0.4 - 0.6$$

$$V_D = -0.2 \text{ m/sec.}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{V_D = 0.2 \text{ m/sec.}} \leftarrow \text{towards left}$$

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Consider portion  $g-f-\textcircled{D}$ .

$$L_3 = -x_A - x_D$$

Differentiating w.r.t. 't'

$$\dot{O} = -V_A - V_D$$

$$\therefore -V_D = V_A$$

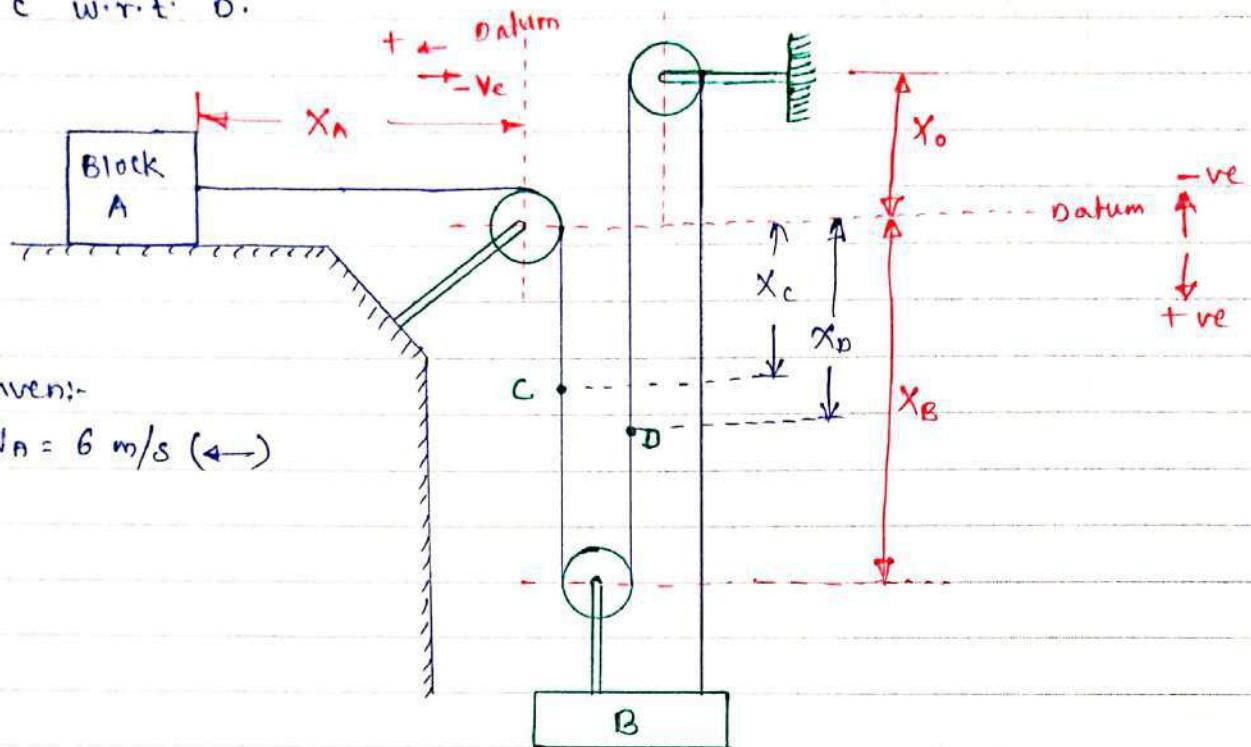
$$\therefore V_D = -V_A$$

$$\therefore V_D = -0.2 \text{ m/sec.} \leftarrow$$

$$\therefore \boxed{V_D = 0.2 \text{ m/sec.}} \text{ towards left}$$

$$V_{CA} = V_C - V_A = 0.6 - (-0.2) = 0.8 \text{ m/sec.} \quad 0.4 \text{ m/sec.}$$

Slider block A moves to the left with constant velocity of 6 m/sec. Determine the velocity of portion C & D of cable. Also find velocity of Block B & relative velocity of C w.r.t. O.



Consider length of the string connecting Block A & B

$$L = X_A + 3X_B - 2X_O$$

neglecting  $X_O$

$$L = X_A + 3X_B$$

$\therefore$  differentiating w.r.t. t

$$v_A + 3v_B = 0$$

$$\therefore v_B = -\frac{v_A}{3}$$

$$\therefore v_B = -\frac{6}{3} = -2 \text{ m/sec.}$$

$$\boxed{v_B = -2 \text{ m/sec}} \uparrow$$

Now,

Consider the portion of string from end A to point C.

$$\therefore L = X_A + X_C$$

$\therefore$  differentiating w.r.t. t

$$v_A + v_C = 0$$

$$\therefore v_C = -v_A.$$

i.  $V_C = -6 \text{ m/sec.}$

$V_C = 6 \text{ m/sec. } \uparrow$  upward.

Now consider the cable upto point D starting from block B.

$\therefore L = X_B - X_0 - X_0 + X_0$

$L = X_B - 2X_0 + X_0$

Neglecting  $X_0$  as it is constant.

$L = X_B + X_0$

$\therefore$  differentiating w.r.t. t

$V_B + V_D = 0$

$V_B = -V_D$

or  $V_D = -V_B$

$= -(-2)$

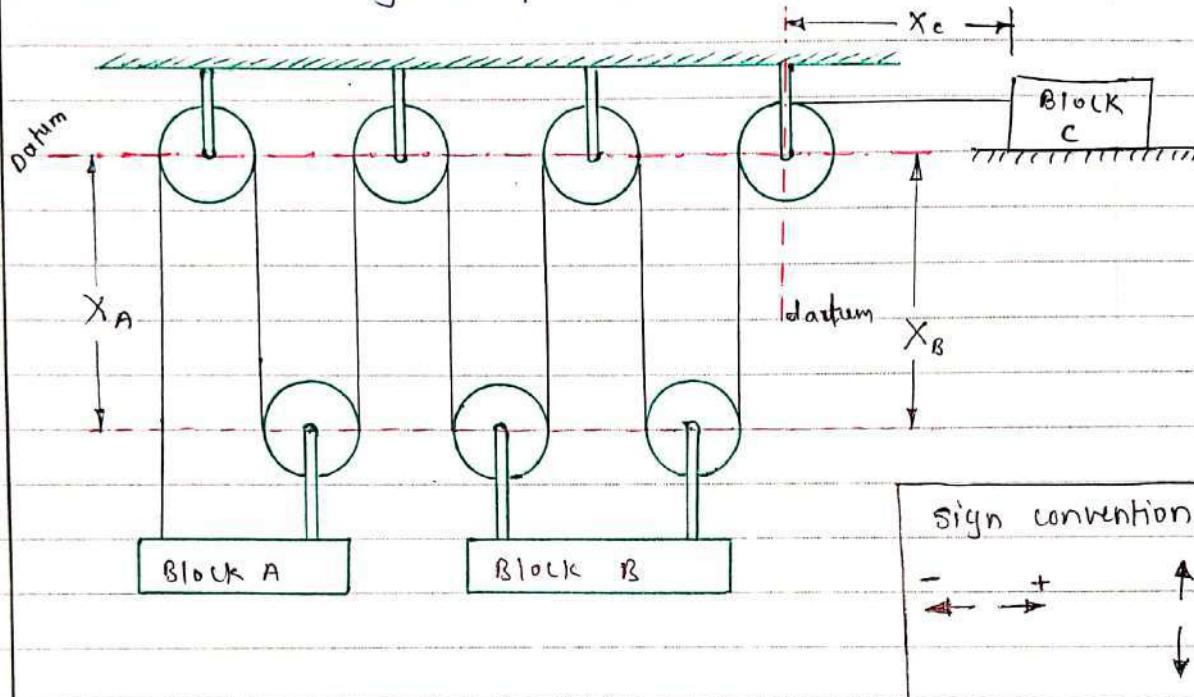
$V_D = 2 \text{ m/sec.}$

$\therefore V_D = 2 \text{ m/sec. } \downarrow$

Block A moves with constant acceleration, Block B starts from rest and slider block C moves to right with constant acceleration of  $75 \text{ mm/sec}^2$ . At  $t = 2 \text{ sec}$ , velocity of B & C are  $0.45 \text{ m/s}$  &  $0.25 \text{ m/s}$  to the right respectively. Determine (i) The accn of A & B

(ii) Initial velocities of A & C

(iii) Change in position of C after 3 sec.



Consider the length of the string connecting A, B, C;

$$L = 3X_A + 4X_B + X_C$$

Differentiating w.r.t. 't'

$$\therefore 0 = 3V_A + 4V_B + V_C \quad \text{similarly.} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$0 = 3U_A + 4U_B + U_C \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Again differentiating w.r.t. 't'

$$\therefore 0 = 3a_A + 4a_B + a_C \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Given:  $a_A = \text{constant}$

$$U_B = 0$$

$$a_C = 75 \text{ mm/sec}^2 = 0.075 \text{ m/sec}^2 \rightarrow$$

$$\text{At } t = 2, V_B = 0.45 \text{ m/s} (\rightarrow) \text{ & } V_C = 0.25 \text{ m/s} (\rightarrow)$$

Now for Block A & B (UAM)

$$V_B = U_B + a_B t$$

$$0.45 = 0 + a_B \times 2$$

$$\therefore a_B = \frac{0.45}{2} = 0.225 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\therefore \boxed{a_B = 0.225 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

$$\therefore 3a_A + 4a_B + a_C = 0 \quad \text{--- from eqn (ii)}$$

$$3a_A + 4 \times 0.225 + 0.075 = 0$$

$$\therefore a_A = \frac{-0.975}{3} = -0.325$$

$$\therefore a_A = -\frac{0.975}{3} = -0.325 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\therefore \boxed{a_A = -0.325 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

for Block A,  $\therefore 3V_B + 4V_A + V_C = 0$

$$\therefore 3V_A + 4 \times 0.45 + 0.25 = 0$$

$$\therefore 3V_A = -2.05$$

$$V_A = \frac{-2.05}{3} = -0.6833 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\boxed{V_A = 0.6833 \text{ m/s}}$$

$$\text{Using } V_A = U_A + a_A t$$

$$-0.6833 = U_A + (-0.325 \times 2)$$

$$\therefore U_A = -0.0333 \text{ m/sec}$$

$$\boxed{U_A = 0.0333 \text{ m/sec}}$$

for Block C,

$$V_C = U_C + a_C t$$

$$0.25 = U_C + (0.075 \times 2)$$

$$\therefore \boxed{U_C = 0.1 \text{ m/sec}} \rightarrow$$

Now at  $t = 3$ ,

$$V_C^2 = U_C^2 + 2a_C S_C$$

$$0.25^2 = 0.1^2 + (2 \times 0.075) S_C$$

$$0.0625 - 0.01 = 0.15 S_C$$

$$\therefore 0.15 S_C = 0.0525$$

$$\therefore S_C = \frac{0.0525}{0.15}$$

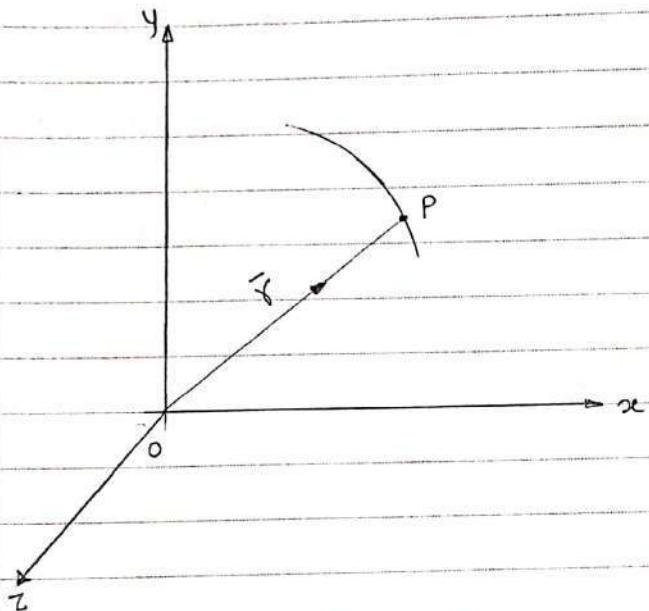
$$\text{Change in position} \Rightarrow \boxed{S_C = 0.35 \text{ m}} \rightarrow$$

## \* Curvilinear Motion:-

When a particle moves along a curved path, then motion of the particle is said to be curvilinear.

## \* Basic Terminology used to describe curvilinear motion:-

### ① Position vector :- ( $\vec{r}$ )



- consider that particle is moving along the curve as shown in figure.

- Let 'P' is the position of particle at any time instant 't'

- Let we have fixed reference axes x, y, z as shown.

- The line 'op' represents the position of particle & it is known as position vector of particle at time 't'.

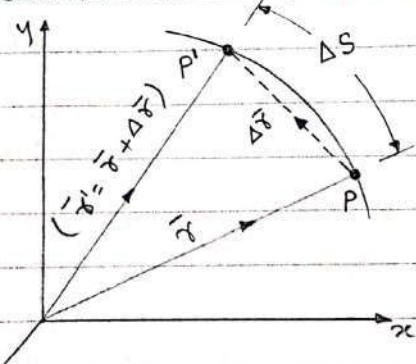
$$\therefore \text{Position vector } \overline{OP} = \vec{r}$$

In cartesian co-ordinates,

$$\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k} \quad \text{and}$$

$$r = OP = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2} \quad \text{- magnitude of position.}$$

### ② Displacement and distance :-



- consider that particle is moving along the plane curve P - P' as shown in figure.

- Let particle is located at point P, at time instant 't'.

- Position of particle at point  $P$  is given by vector  $\vec{r}$ .  
Now after time  $(t + \Delta t)$ , let particle is moved to a new position  $P'$ . This position of particle is given by the vector ( $\vec{r}' = \vec{r} + \Delta \vec{r}$ ).

- The vector joining  $P$  &  $P'$  is  $\Delta \vec{r}$ . (dashed line).  
 $\Delta \vec{r}$  = change of position of particle during the time interval ' $\Delta t$ '.  
 $\therefore \Delta \vec{r}$  = displacement of particle.

- The distance travelled by the particle along the curve from point  $P$  to  $P'$  is  $\Delta s$ . This is measured along the curved path & is scalar quantity.

### ③ Velocity :-

In the above figure,  $\Delta \vec{r}$  = displacement vector,

$\Delta r$  = displacement of particle (magnitude)

$\Delta t$  = time taken by particle to move from  $P$  to  $P'$ .

$$\text{Avg. Velocity} = \frac{\text{Displacement}}{\text{Time}} = \frac{\Delta \vec{r}}{\Delta t} = V_{\text{avg.}}$$

- When the time interval approaches to zero,  $\Delta t \rightarrow 0$   
Instantaneous velocity at  $P$  will be,

$$v = \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta \vec{r}}{\Delta t}$$

$$v = \frac{d \vec{r}}{dt} \quad \& \quad \vec{v} = \frac{d \vec{r}}{dt}$$

$$\text{Speed} = \frac{\text{Distance}}{\text{Time}} = \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta s}{\Delta t} = \frac{ds}{dt}$$

### ④ Acceleration :-

$$\text{Avg. accn} \quad a = \frac{\Delta \vec{v}}{\Delta t}$$

for very small interval of time,  $\Delta t \rightarrow 0$

$$\text{The accn at point } P = \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta \vec{v}}{\Delta t} = \frac{d \vec{v}}{dt}$$

Thus,

$$a = \frac{dv}{dt} \quad \&$$

$$\bar{a} = \frac{d \bar{v}}{dt}$$

## \* Co-ordinate systems in curvilinear motion:-

There are 3 different co-ordinate systems that are used to describe the motion of particle along the curved path.

### 1) Rectangular co-ordinates system.

Also known as Cartesian co-ordinate sys.

### 2) Normal & tangential co-ordinate system.

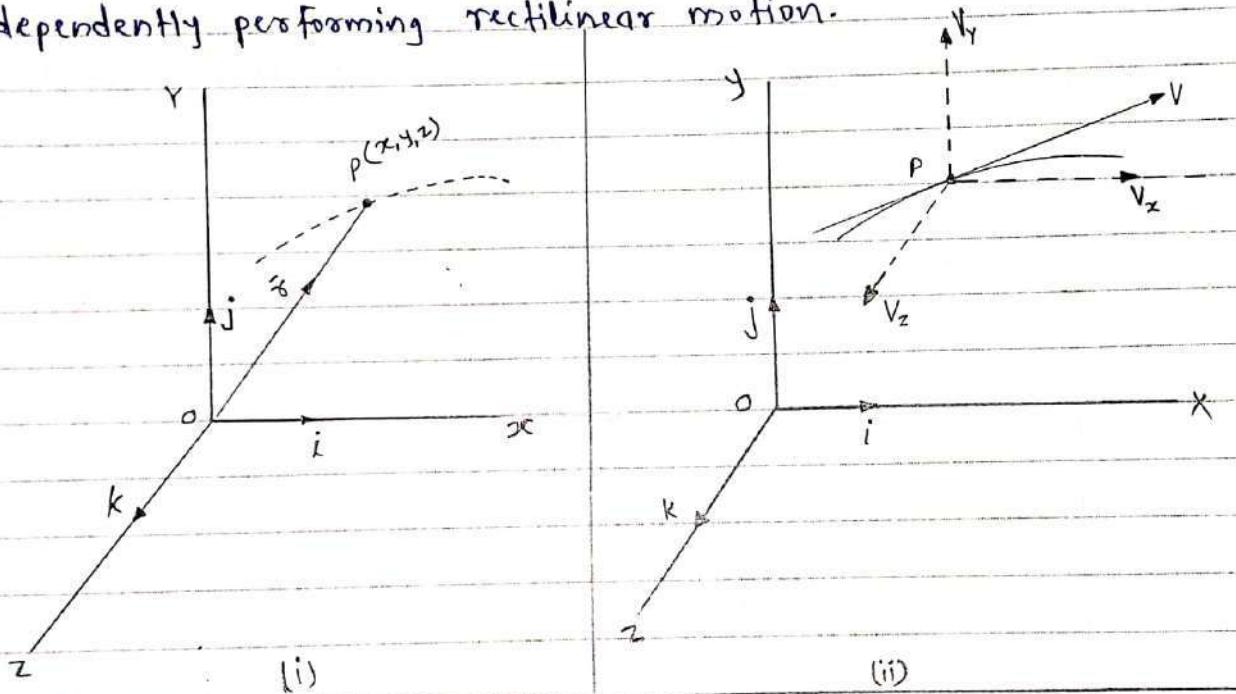
Also known as path variables or path co-ordinates.

### 3) Radial & Transverse co-ordinate system.

Also known as polar coordinate sys.

## \* ① Rectangular/Cartesian co-ordinate system.

If particle is moving along curved path, we can split its motion into  $x, y, z$  directions as an independently performing rectilinear motion.



- In the figure (i) above,

consider the particle moving along the curve & at any instant 't', it is at point  $P(x, y, z)$ . Thus position vector for particle at  $P$  is

$$\vec{OP} = \vec{r} = xi + yj + zk \quad \text{--- Position vector.}$$

where  $x, y, z$  are the functions of time ( $t$ ).

To find velocity & accn of particle, let us differentiate position vector  $\vec{r}$  w.r.t. 't' (time)

$$\vec{r} = x\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j} + z\mathbf{k}$$

Taking derivative,

$$\frac{d\vec{r}}{dt} = \vec{v} = \left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right)\mathbf{i} + \left(\frac{dy}{dt}\right)\mathbf{j} + \left(\frac{dz}{dt}\right)\mathbf{k}$$

$$\vec{v} = v_x\mathbf{i} + v_y\mathbf{j} + v_z\mathbf{k} \quad \text{--- Velocity vector.}$$

where,

$$v_x = \frac{dx}{dt}, \quad v_y = \frac{dy}{dt} \quad \& \quad v_z = \frac{dz}{dt}.$$

Thus  $v_x, v_y, v_z = x, y, z$  component of velocity respectively.

$$\text{magnitude of velocity} = v = \sqrt{v_x^2 + v_y^2 + v_z^2} \quad \text{- for space curve}$$

$$v = \sqrt{v_x^2 + v_y^2} \quad \text{- for plane curve}$$

$$\text{Direction of velocity} = \tan \alpha = \frac{v_y}{v_x} \quad \text{- - - for plane curve.}$$

Now differentiating velocity w.r.t. time,

$$\frac{d\vec{v}}{dt} = \vec{a} = \left(\frac{dv_x}{dt}\right)\mathbf{i} + \left(\frac{dv_y}{dt}\right)\mathbf{j} + \left(\frac{dv_z}{dt}\right)\mathbf{k}$$

$$\vec{a} = a_x\mathbf{i} + a_y\mathbf{j} + a_z\mathbf{k} \quad \text{--- ACCN vector.}$$

where

$$a_x = \frac{dv_x}{dt} \quad \text{--- } x \text{ component of Acceleration}$$

$$a_y = \frac{dv_y}{dt} \quad \text{--- } y \text{ component of ACCN}$$

$$a_z = \frac{dv_z}{dt} \quad \text{--- } z \text{ component of ACCN}$$

Magnitude of ACCN

$$a = \sqrt{a_x^2 + a_y^2 + a_z^2} \quad \text{- for space curve}$$

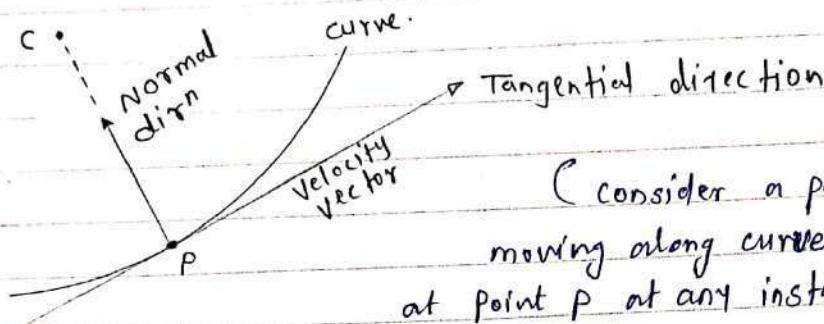
$$a = \sqrt{a_x^2 + a_y^2} \quad \text{- for plane curve.}$$

Direction of ACCN

$$\tan \beta = \frac{a_y}{a_x} \quad \text{--- for plane curve.}$$

\* (2) Normal & Tangential co-ordinate system :-  
 [Path variables]

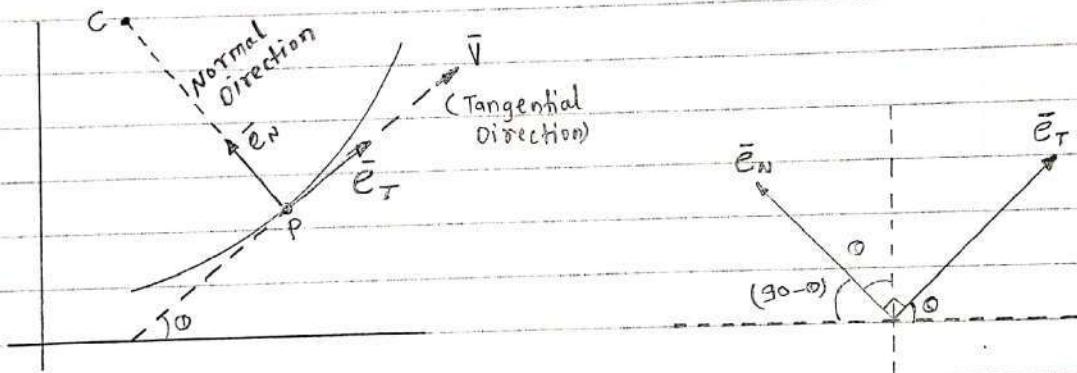
- We know that, velocity of particle is always tangential to the path along which it is moving.



( consider a particle moving along curve & is located at point P at any instant t. )

So, the tangent drawn at that point (at point P) represents the tangential direction. &

The direction which is perpendicular to the velocity vector (or tangent at P) & passing through centre of curvature is known as Normal direction.



- Let us consider the particle moving along a curve contained in the plane as shown in figure above.  
 Let P is the position of the particle at a given instant.  
 Now, let us attach unit vector  $\bar{e}_T$  &  $\bar{e}_N$  at point P.  $\bar{e}_T$  is along tangential direction &  $\bar{e}_N$  is along Normal direction.

$\bar{e}_T$  = unit vector along tangential direction

$\bar{e}_N$  = unit vector along Normal direction.

- Unit vectors can be written as

$$\bar{e}_T = \cos\alpha i + \sin\alpha j \quad \& \quad \bar{e}_N = -\sin\alpha i + \cos\alpha j$$

Differentiating above eq's w.r.t.  $\alpha$ ,

we get,

$$\therefore \frac{d\bar{e}_T}{d\theta} = -\sin\theta i + \cos\theta j \quad \& \quad \frac{d\bar{e}_N}{d\theta} = -\cos\theta i - \sin\theta j$$

$$\therefore \frac{d\bar{e}_T}{d\theta} = \bar{e}_N \quad \dots \dots \textcircled{I} \quad \text{And} \quad \frac{d\bar{e}_N}{d\theta} = -\bar{e}_T \quad \dots \dots \textcircled{II}$$

### • Velocity components.

As the velocity is always tangential to the path along which particle moves, Then

Tangential component of velocity is equal to velocity itself.  
and Normal component will be zero.

$$\therefore V_T = V$$

$$V_N = 0$$

The velocity vector of particle is tangent to path.

It will be

$\bar{v}$  = magnitude of velocity  $\times$  unit vector along tangential direction.

$$\boxed{\bar{v} = V \times \bar{e}_T}$$

### • Accn of Particle:

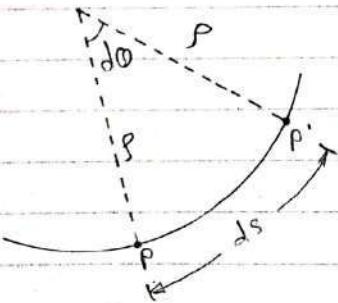
$$\bar{a} = \frac{d\bar{v}}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt}(V\bar{e}_T)$$

$$\bar{a} = \frac{dv}{dt}\bar{e}_T + \frac{d\bar{e}_T}{dt} \cdot v \quad \dots \dots \textcircled{III}$$

But  $\frac{d\bar{e}_T}{dt} = \frac{d\bar{e}_T}{d\theta} \cdot \frac{d\theta}{ds} \cdot \frac{ds}{dt}$  .... by double chain rule.

$$\frac{d\bar{e}_T}{dt} = \bar{e}_N \cdot \frac{d\theta}{ds} \cdot v \quad \dots \dots \textcircled{IV}$$

Now let us find the value of  $\frac{d\theta}{ds}$ .



Consider particle moving along curve is at P at time t.

Then after small time interval dt, particle attains new position at P'.  
During this it covers 'ds' distance along the curve.

Let  $C$  = centre of radius of curvature.  
 $\rho$  = Radius of curvature of curved path.

- Then, Arc length = Radius  $\times$  Angle subtended by arc

$$ds = \rho \times d\theta$$

$$\therefore \frac{d\theta}{ds} = \frac{1}{\rho}$$

Putting above value in eqn (ii), we get,

$$\frac{d\bar{e}_T}{dt} = \bar{e}_N \cdot \frac{1}{\rho} \cdot v$$

Putting this value in eqn (iii), we get,

$$\bar{a} = \left( \frac{dv}{dt} \right) \bar{e}_T + \bar{e}_N \cdot \frac{1}{\rho} \cdot v \cdot v$$

$$\bar{a} = \left( \frac{dv}{dt} \right) \bar{e}_T + \left( \frac{v^2}{\rho} \right) \bar{e}_N$$

$$\bar{a} = (a_T) \bar{e}_T + (a_N) \bar{e}_N \quad \text{--- Acceleration vector.}$$

where

$$a_T = \frac{dv}{dt} \quad \text{--- Tangential component of ACC^n}$$

$$a_N = \frac{v^2}{\rho} \quad \text{--- Normal component of ACC^n.}$$

Magnitude of Acceleration, (Total)

$$a = \sqrt{(a_T)^2 + (a_N)^2}$$

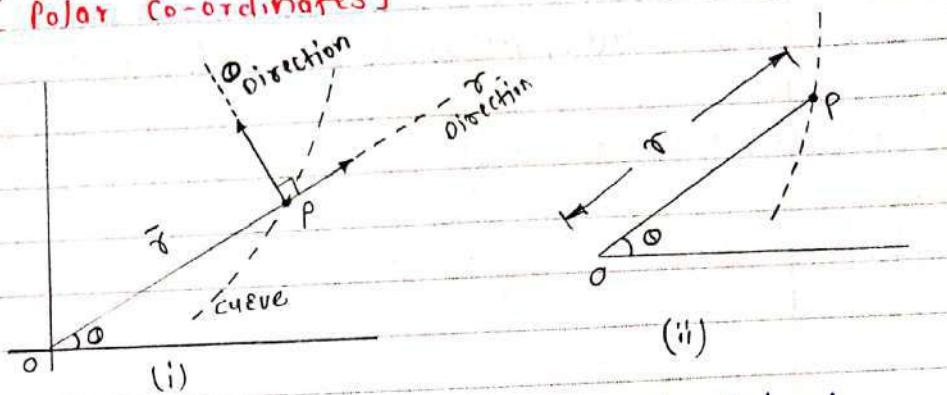
Direction of Total ACC^n is,

$$\tan \alpha = \frac{a_T}{a_N} \quad \text{where}$$

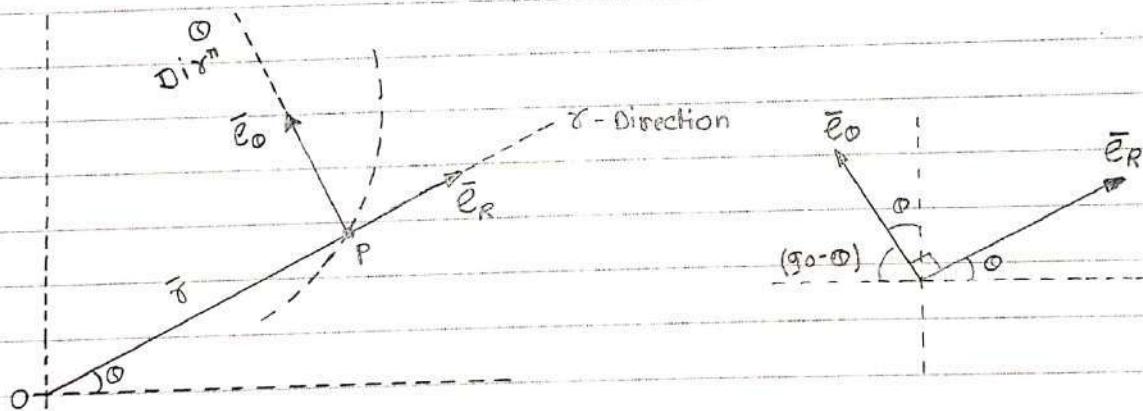
$\alpha$  = angle made by ACC^n with normal direction.

- $a_N$  is always directed towards centre of curvature.
- $a_T$  reflects the change in speed of particle
- $a_N$  reflects the change in dir'n of motion.
- When  $\rho$  becomes infinity at inflection point then  
 $\underline{a_N = 0}$ .

\* (3) Radial & Transverse co-ordinates system  
[Polar co-ordinates]



- Consider a particle moving along the curve & located at point P at any instant 't'.
- To define the position of the particle, we can say that P is located at a radial distance  $\bar{r}$  from origin & at an angular measurement  $\theta$  to the radial line. (Fig-ii)
- Thus, the direction along the position vector  $\bar{r}$  is called as radial direction ( $\theta$ ) and the direction which is perpendicular to the position vector  $\bar{r}$  is called as transverse direction ( $\phi$ ). (Fig-i)



- Let particle is moving along a wave & is located at point P at any time instant 't'. & let  $r$  is radial distance &  $\theta$  is angle made by radial dir<sup>n</sup>.
- Let us attach unit vector  $\bar{e}_R$  at point P along Radial direction &  $\bar{e}_\phi$  at point P along transverse direction.
- Unit vector  $\bar{e}_R$  defines Radial direction & unit vector  $\bar{e}_\phi$  defines Transverse direction.

- Unit vectors can be written as,

$$\bar{e}_R = \cos\omega i + \sin\omega j \quad \text{And} \quad \bar{e}_\theta = -\sin\omega i + \cos\omega j$$

Differentiating above vectors with  $\theta$ :

$$\therefore \frac{d\bar{e}_R}{d\theta} = -\sin\omega i + \cos\omega j \quad \text{And} \quad \frac{d\bar{e}_\theta}{d\theta} = -\cos\omega i - \sin\omega j$$

$$\therefore \frac{d\bar{e}_R}{d\omega} = \bar{e}_\theta \quad \dots \dots \textcircled{1}$$

$$\therefore \frac{d\bar{e}_\theta}{d\omega} = -(\cos\omega i + \sin\omega j)$$

$$\therefore \frac{d\bar{e}_\theta}{d\omega} = -\bar{e}_R \quad \dots \dots \textcircled{11}$$

Now by using chain rule,

$$\therefore \frac{d\bar{e}_R}{dt} = \frac{d\bar{e}_R}{d\theta} \cdot \frac{d\theta}{dt} \quad \text{And} \quad \therefore \frac{d\bar{e}_\theta}{dt} = \frac{d\bar{e}_\theta}{d\theta} \cdot \frac{d\theta}{dt}$$

let  $\dot{\theta} = \frac{d\theta}{dt}$  = time derivative of  $\theta$ ; then,

$$\therefore \frac{d\bar{e}_R}{dt} = \frac{d\bar{e}_R}{d\theta} \cdot \dot{\theta} \quad \& \quad \frac{d\bar{e}_\theta}{dt} = \frac{d\bar{e}_\theta}{d\theta} \cdot \dot{\theta}$$

$$\therefore \frac{d\bar{e}_R}{dt} = \bar{e}_\theta \cdot \dot{\theta} \quad \& \quad \frac{d\bar{e}_\theta}{dt} = -\bar{e}_R \cdot \dot{\theta} \quad \dots \dots \textcircled{3}$$

### velocity components :-

we know that,

position vector = magnitude  $\times$  unit vector along the dirn.

$$\bar{r} = r \times \bar{e}_R$$

Differentiating this w.r.t. time,

$$\bar{v} = \frac{d\bar{r}}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt}(r \cdot \bar{e}_R)$$

$$\bar{v} = r \cdot \frac{d\bar{e}_R}{dt} + \bar{e}_R \cdot \frac{dr}{dt}$$

$$\bar{v} = r \cdot (\bar{e}_\theta \cdot \dot{\theta}) + \bar{e}_R \cdot \dot{r} \quad \text{- by using eqn } \textcircled{3}$$

$$\bar{v} = (\dot{r})\bar{e}_R + (r \cdot \dot{\theta})\bar{e}_\theta \quad \left( \text{where } \dot{r} = \frac{dr}{dt} \right)$$

$$\bar{v} = (V_r)\bar{e}_R + (V_\theta)\bar{e}_\theta \quad \dots \dots \text{ where}$$

Radial component of velocity =  $V_r = \dot{r} = \frac{dr}{dt}$

Transverse component of velocity =  $V_\theta = r\dot{\theta}$

Resultant velocity or total velocity,

$$V = \sqrt{V_r^2 + V_\theta^2} \quad \text{--- magnitude}$$

$$\text{Direction of velocity, } \tan \alpha = \frac{V_\theta}{V_r} \quad \text{where}$$

$\alpha$  = angle made by velocity with  
Radial direction.

### • Accel components

we know that,

Accel vector,

$$\bar{a} = \frac{d\bar{v}}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt} (\dot{r}\bar{e}_R + r\dot{\theta}\bar{e}_\theta)$$

$$\therefore \bar{a} = \frac{d}{dt} (\dot{r}\bar{e}_R) + \frac{d}{dt} (r\dot{\theta}\bar{e}_\theta)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \bar{a} &= \dot{r} \frac{d\bar{e}_R}{dt} + \bar{e}_R \frac{d\dot{r}}{dt} + r\dot{\theta} \frac{d\bar{e}_\theta}{dt} + r\bar{e}_\theta \frac{d\dot{\theta}}{dt} + \dot{\theta}\bar{e}_\theta \frac{dr}{dt} \\ &= \dot{r}\cdot\dot{\theta}\bar{e}_\theta + \ddot{r}\bar{e}_R + r\ddot{\theta}(-\bar{e}_R \cdot \dot{\theta}) + r\bar{e}_\theta\ddot{\theta} + \dot{\theta}\dot{\theta}\bar{e}_\theta \\ &= \dot{r}\dot{\theta}\bar{e}_\theta + \ddot{r}\bar{e}_R - r(\dot{\theta})^2\bar{e}_R + r\dot{\theta}\bar{e}_\theta + \dot{\theta}\dot{\theta}\bar{e}_\theta \\ &= \ddot{r}\bar{e}_R - r(\dot{\theta})^2\bar{e}_R + 2\dot{r}\dot{\theta}\bar{e}_\theta + r\ddot{\theta}\bar{e}_\theta \\ &= [\ddot{r} - r(\dot{\theta})^2]\bar{e}_R + [2\dot{r}\dot{\theta} + r\ddot{\theta}]\bar{e}_\theta \end{aligned}$$

$$\bar{a} = (a_r)\bar{e}_R + (a_\theta)\bar{e}_\theta \quad \text{--- Accel vector.}$$

where,

$a_r$  = Radial component of Accel =  $[\ddot{r} - r(\dot{\theta})^2]$

$a_\theta$  = Transverse component of Accel =  $(2\dot{r}\dot{\theta} + r\ddot{\theta})$

$$\text{Resultant or Total Accel} = \sqrt{a_r^2 + a_\theta^2} \quad \text{--- magnitude.}$$

$$\tan \beta = \frac{a_\theta}{a_r} \quad \text{--- direction of Accel}$$

where  $\beta$  = Angle made by Accel with radial dirn.

## \* Special case of curvilinear motion (Circular motion)

For the motion in circular path :- ( $\sigma$  is constant)

- Radial component of velocity =  $V_r = 0$
- Transverse component of velocity =  $V = V_\theta = \sigma \dot{\theta}$
- Radial component of Acceleration =  $a_r = -\sigma(\dot{\theta})^2$
- Transverse component of Acceleration =  $a_\theta = \sigma \ddot{\theta}$
- $a_T = a_\theta$  &  $a_r = -a_N$

### \* Radius of curvature \*

① when rectangular components of velocity & Acc/ $\alpha$  are known,

$$\text{Radius of curvature } R = \frac{[V_x^2 + V_y^2]^{3/2}}{[V_x \cdot a_y - a_x V_y]} = \frac{V^3}{V_x \cdot a_y - a_x V_y}$$

② when  $\vec{V}$  &  $\vec{\alpha}$  are known, Then

a) magnitude of  $a_T = \frac{\vec{V} \cdot \vec{\alpha}}{|V|}$

b) magnitude of  $a_N = \sqrt{a^2 - a_T^2}$

c) radius of curvature =  $R = \frac{V^2}{a_N}$

③ when path eqn  $y = f(x)$  is given,

$$R = \frac{\left[1 + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2\right]^{3/2}}{\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}}$$

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Eqn of motion in cartesian co-ordinates

- \* A particle moves along a curved path given by the relation  $y = 4x^2 + 8x + 10$  starting with initial velocity  $\vec{V}_0 = 5i + 3j$ . If  $V_x = \text{constant}$ , determine  $V_y$  &  $a_y$  at  $x = 3\text{ m}$ . Also determine the magnitude of velocity and acceleration.

⇒

Given:  $\vec{V}_0 = 5i + 3j$  so,  $V_{x_0} = 5\text{ m/sec.}$  &  $V_{y_0} = 3\text{ m/sec.}$   
 $y = 4x^2 + 8x + 10$ .

$$y = 4x^2 + 8x + 10$$

Differentiating w.r.t. 't'

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{dy}{dx} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt}$$

$$V_y = (8x + 8) \frac{dx}{dt}$$

$$= (8x + 8) V_x$$

$$\therefore V_y = 8x \cdot V_x + 8V_x$$

Again differentiating w.r.t. 't'

$$\frac{dV_y}{dt} = \frac{dV_y}{dx} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt}$$

$$a_y = \left[ 8x \cdot \frac{dV_x}{dx} + V_x \cdot \frac{d(8x)}{dx} + 8 \cdot \frac{dV_x}{dx} \right] V_x$$

$$\therefore a_y = [0 + 8V_x + 0] V_x$$

$$\therefore a_y = 8V_x^2$$

Now, at  $x = 3\text{ m.}$

$$V_y = 8 \cdot x \cdot V_x + 8V_x$$

$$= (8 \times 3 \times 5) + (8 \times 5)$$

$$= 120 + 40$$

$$= 160 \text{ m/sec.}$$

[ (As  $V_x = \text{constant}$ )  
 $(V_{x_0} = V_x = 5\text{ m/sec.})$  ]

$$a_y = 8 \cdot V_x^2$$

$$= 8 \times 5^2$$

$$a_y = 200 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$a_x = 0$$

i.e. magnitude of velocity

$$V = \sqrt{V_x^2 + V_y^2}$$

$$V = \sqrt{5^2 + 160^2}$$

$$V = 160.07 \text{ m/s}$$

magnitude of Acc^n

$$a = \sqrt{a_x^2 + a_y^2}$$

$$a = \sqrt{0 + 200^2}$$

$a = 200 \text{ m/s}^2$

\* A Particle moves along the path  $\vec{r} = (8t^2)\mathbf{i} + (t^3+5)\mathbf{j}$ , where  $t$  is in seconds. Determine the magnitude of particle velocity and acc<sup>n</sup> when  $t=4$  sec. Find the eqn of path,  $y=f(x)$ .



Given:  $\vec{r} = (8t^2)\mathbf{i} + (t^3+5)\mathbf{j}$  - position vector.

$$\therefore x = 8t^2 \quad \& \quad y = t^3 + 5$$

Differentiation w.r.t.  $t$

$$v_x = \frac{dx}{dt} = 16t \quad \& \quad v_y = \frac{dy}{dt} = 3t^2$$

Again differentiation w.r.t.  $t$

$$a_x = \frac{dv_x}{dt} = 16 \text{ m/s}^2 \quad \& \quad a_y = \frac{dv_y}{dt} = 6t$$

Now, at  $t = 4$  sec.

$$v_x = 16t = 16 \times 4 = 64 \text{ m/s}$$

$$v_y = 3t^2 = 3 \times 4^2 = 48 \text{ m/sec.}$$

Magnitude of velocity,

$$v = \sqrt{v_x^2 + v_y^2} \\ = \sqrt{64^2 + 48^2}$$

$$v = 80 \text{ m/sec.}$$

$$a_x = 16 \text{ m/sec}^2$$

$$a_y = 6t = 6 \times 4 = 24 \text{ m/sec}^2$$

∴ Magnitude of acc<sup>n</sup>

$$a = \sqrt{a_x^2 + a_y^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{16^2 + 24^2} \\ a = 28.84 \text{ m/sec}^2$$

Now as,

$$x = 8t^2$$

$$\therefore t^2 = \frac{x}{8}$$

$$\therefore t = \sqrt{\frac{x}{8}} = \left(\frac{x}{8}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\text{But } y = t^3 + 5$$

put the value of  $t$  in this eqn.

$$\therefore y = \left[\left(\frac{x}{8}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}\right]^3 + 5$$

$$\boxed{y = \left(\frac{x}{8}\right)^{\frac{3}{2}} + 5}$$

--- Path eqn.

\* The y co-ordinate of the particle is given by  $y = 4t^3 - 3t$ . If  $a_x = 12t \text{ m/s}^2$  &  $v_x = 8 \text{ m/s}$  at  $t=0$ , calculate the magnitude of velocity & acceleration of particle at time  $t = 2$  seconds.

⇒

Given:- at  $t=0$ ,  $a_x = 12t$  &  $v_x = 8 \text{ m/sec.}$   
at  $t=2$ ,  $v=?$   $a=?$

$$y = 4t^3 - 3t \quad \dots \text{ Given}$$

Differentiating w.r.t. time 't'.

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 12t^2 - 3$$

$$v_y = 12t^2 - 3 \quad \dots \textcircled{1}$$

Differentiating again

$$a_y = 24t \quad \dots \textcircled{11}$$

$$a_x = 12t \quad \dots \textcircled{11} \quad \text{Given.}$$

Now,

$$a_x = \frac{dv_x}{dt} = 12t$$

$$\therefore dv_x = 12t dt$$

Taking integration

$$\int dv_x = \int 12t dt$$

$$v_x = 12 \frac{t^2}{2} + C_1$$

$$v_x = 6t^2 + C_1$$

Now using the given conditions.

$$t=0, v_x = 8 \text{ m/s}$$

$$8 = 6 \times 0 + C_1$$

$$\therefore C_1 = 8$$

$$\therefore v_x = 6t^2 + 8 \quad \dots \textcircled{4}$$

At time  $t=2 \text{ sec.}$

$$v_x = 6t^2 + 8$$

$$= 6 \times 2^2 + 8$$

$$v_x = 32 \text{ m/sec.}$$

$$v_y = 12t^2 - 3$$

$$= 12 \times 2^2 - 3$$

$$v_y = 45 \text{ m/sec.}$$

$$a_x = 12t$$

$$= 12 \times 2$$

$$a_x = 24 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$a_y = 24t = 24 \times 2 = 48 \text{ m/s}^2$$

∴ Magnitude of velocity at  $t=2$ ,

$$v = \sqrt{v_x^2 + v_y^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{32^2 + 45^2}$$

$$v = 55.21 \text{ m/sec.}$$

Magnitude of Accel' at  $t=2$

$$a = \sqrt{a_x^2 + a_y^2} = \sqrt{24^2 + 48^2}$$

$$a = 53.66 \text{ m/s}^2$$

\* A particle is moving along a wave,  $y = ae - \frac{x^2}{600}$ . If  $V_x = 4 \text{ m/s}$  and is constant. Determine the magnitude of velocity & accn when  $x = 30 \text{ m}$ .



Given:  $V_x = 4 \text{ m/sec. (constant)}$

$$y = ae - \frac{x^2}{600}$$

Given eqn of wave is

$$y = ae - \frac{x^2}{600}$$

Differentiating this wrt 't'

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{dy}{dx} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt} \quad \text{--- by chain rule}$$

$$\therefore V_y = \frac{d}{dx} \left( ae - \frac{x^2}{600} \right) \cdot \frac{dx}{dt}$$

$$= \left( 1 - \frac{2x}{600} \right) \cdot V_x$$

$$= \left( 1 - \frac{x}{300} \right) \cdot V_x$$

$$V_y = V_x - \frac{x}{300} \cdot V_x$$

$$\therefore V_y = V_x \left[ 1 - \frac{x}{300} \right] \quad \text{--- ①}$$

Again differentiating wrt 't'

$$\frac{dV_y}{dt} = \frac{dV_y}{dx} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt} \quad \text{--- using chain rule.}$$

$$\therefore a_y = \frac{d}{dx} \left[ V_x \left( 1 - \frac{x}{300} \right) \right] \cdot \frac{dx}{dt}$$

$$= \left[ V_x \frac{d}{dx} \left( 1 - \frac{x}{300} \right) + \left( 1 - \frac{x}{300} \right) \frac{dV_x}{dx} \right] \frac{dx}{dt}$$

$$\therefore a_y = \left[ V_x \left[ 0 - \frac{1}{300} \right] + 0 \right] V_x$$

$$= -\frac{V_x}{300} \cdot V_x$$

$$a_y = -\frac{V_x^2}{300} \quad \text{---- ②}$$

Now, at  $x = 30 \text{ m}$ ,

$$\therefore [V_x = 4 \text{ m/sec.}]$$

$$\therefore V_y = V_x \left( 1 - \frac{x}{300} \right)$$

$$\therefore V_y = 4 \left( 1 - \frac{30}{300} \right)$$

$$\therefore [V_y = 3.6 \text{ m/sec.}]$$

Now as

$$V_x = \text{constant}$$

$$\therefore [a_x = 0] \quad \text{f}$$

$$a_y = -\frac{V_x^2}{300}$$

$$a_y = -\frac{4^2}{300}$$

$$\therefore [a_y = -0.053 \text{ m/s}^2]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore a &= \sqrt{a_x^2 + a_y^2} \\ &= \sqrt{0^2 + (-0.053)^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore [a = 0.053 \text{ m/s}^2] \quad \text{f}$$

as  $a_x = 0$ ,  $a$  must be downward because  $a_y$  is negative.

Numericals on Tangential & Normal Components  
 (Eqn of motion in Path co-ordinates.)

- \* A car is travelling on a curved portion of Highway of radius 350 m at a speed of 72 kmph. The brakes are suddenly applied, causing the speed to decrease at a constant rate of  $1.25 \text{ m/s}^2$ . Determine the magnitude of total acc<sup>n</sup> of car (a) immediately after the brakes have been applied (b) 4 sec. later.

⇒

Given :  $r = 350 \text{ m}$

$$V = 72 \text{ kmph} = 20 \text{ m/s}$$

$a_T = \text{Tangential acc}^n$  represents change in speed.

$$\therefore a_T = -1.25 \text{ m/s}^2$$

At the instant when brakes are applied;

$$\text{speed of car} = V = 20 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\therefore a_N = \frac{V^2}{r} = \frac{20^2}{350} = 1.143 \text{ m/s}^2$$

∴ magnitude of Total acc<sup>n</sup> is

$$a = \sqrt{a_T^2 + a_N^2} = \sqrt{(1.25)^2 + 1.143^2} = 1.69$$

$$\therefore \boxed{a = 1.69 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

After  $t = 4 \text{ sec}$ ,

velocity of car will be decreased due to application of brake.

i.e. final velocity after 4 sec =  $V$

initial velocity before 4 sec =  $u = 20 \text{ m/sec}$ .

∴ using

$$V = u + a_T t = 20 + (-1.25) \times 4 = 20 - 5$$

$$\therefore V = 15 \text{ m/sec.}$$

$$\therefore a_N = \frac{V^2}{r} = \frac{15^2}{350} = 0.64 \text{ m/s}^2$$

∴ magnitude of Total acc<sup>n</sup> is,

$$a = \sqrt{a_T^2 + a_N^2} = \sqrt{(1.25)^2 + 0.64^2}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{a = 1.4 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

- \* A rocket follows a path such that its accn' is given by a  
 $\bar{a} = (4i + tj) \text{ m/s}^2$  at  $x=0$  it start from rest.  
At  $t = 20 \text{ sec.}$ , determine, i) speed of rocket, ii) radius of curvature of its path iii) magnitude of Tangential & Normal components of acceleration.

$\Rightarrow$

$$\bar{a} = 4i + tj$$

$$\therefore \bar{a} = \frac{d\bar{v}}{dt} = 4i + tj$$

Integrating Both sides,

$$\int d\bar{v} = \int (4i + tj) dt$$

$$\therefore \bar{v} = \int (4dt)i + \int (t dt) j$$

$$\bar{v} = (4t)i + \left(\frac{t^2}{2}\right)j + c_1$$

Now, at  $t=0$ ,  $v=0$ .

$$\therefore \boxed{c_1 = 0}$$

NOW At  $t=20 \text{ sec.}$

$$\bar{a} = 4i + tj$$

$$\bar{a} = 4i + 20j$$

$$\therefore a_x = 4 \text{ m/s}^2 \quad \& \quad a_y = 20 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\text{Also, } \bar{v} = (4t)i + \left(\frac{t^2}{2}\right)j$$

$$= (4 \times 20)i + \left(\frac{20^2}{2}\right)j$$

$$\bar{v} = 80i + 200j$$

$$\therefore v_x = 80 \text{ m/s} \quad \& \quad v_y = 200 \text{ m/sec}$$

$\therefore$  magnitude of velocity

$$v = \sqrt{v_x^2 + v_y^2} = \sqrt{80^2 + 200^2} = \underline{\underline{215.40 \text{ m/s}}}$$

Magnitude of Acceleration.

$$a = \sqrt{a_x^2 + a_y^2} = \sqrt{4^2 + 20^2}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{a = 20.39 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

Radius of curvature (S)

$$|S| = \frac{\left(V_x^2 + V_y^2\right)^{3/2}}{|V_x \cdot a_y - V_y \cdot a_x|}$$

$$|S| = \frac{\left[80^2 + 200^2\right]^{3/2}}{(80 \times 20) - (200 \times 4)}$$

$$\therefore |S| = 12492.5 \text{ m.}$$

Normal ACCN;

$$a_N = \frac{V^2}{S} = \frac{215.40^2}{12492.5}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{a_N = 3.71 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

Tangential ACCN

$$a_T = \sqrt{a_x^2 - a_N^2}$$

$$\therefore a_T = \sqrt{20.39^2 - 3.71^2}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{a_T = 20.04 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

\* Determine the distance travelled & time taken by a car starting from rest, moving on a circular curve having a radius of 275 m, and accelerates at constant rate of tangential acc<sup>n</sup> of 1 m/s<sup>2</sup> & total acc<sup>n</sup> of 1.4 m/s<sup>2</sup>.

Given :  $\rho = 275 \text{ m}$

$$a_T = 1 \text{ m/s}^2 \text{ - constant}$$

$$a = 1.4 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$u = 0 \text{ m/sec}$  - car starting from rest.

Normal component of acc<sup>n</sup>,

$$a_N = \sqrt{a^2 - a_T^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{1.4^2 - 1^2}$$

$$\boxed{a_N = 0.979 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

$$\text{But } a_N = \frac{v^2}{\rho} \quad \therefore v^2 = a_N \cdot \rho$$

$$\therefore v^2 = 0.979 \times 275$$

$$\therefore \boxed{v = 16.41 \text{ m/s}}$$

As  $a_T = \text{constant}$ , motion is UAM.

Using eqn of motion,

$$v^2 = u^2 + 2 a_T s.$$

$$\therefore 16.41^2 = 0 + 2 \times 1 \times s.$$

$$\therefore \boxed{s = 134.64 \text{ m.}} \text{ - distance travelled.}$$

Using  $v = u + a_T t$

$$\therefore 16.41 = 0 + 1 \times t$$

$$\therefore \boxed{t = 16.41 \text{ sec.}} \text{ - Time taken.}$$

- \* A particle travels a curved path of radius 600m with a speed of 108 kmph & a tangential acceleration of  $4 \text{ m/s}^2$ . Determine the total acceleration of the particle.

$\Rightarrow$  Given:  $R = 600\text{m}$

$$V = 108 \text{ kmph} = 108 \times \frac{5}{18} = 30 \text{ m/sec.}$$

$$a_T = 4 \text{ m/sec}^2.$$

i.e. we know that

Normal component of  $a_{\text{tot}}$  is given by

$$a_N = \frac{V^2}{R}$$

$$a_N = \frac{30^2}{600} = \frac{900}{600} = 1.5 \text{ m/sec}^2.$$

Magnitude of total acc<sup>n</sup> of a particle is,

$$a = \sqrt{a_T^2 + a_N^2}$$

$$a = \sqrt{4^2 + 1.5^2}$$

$$\boxed{a = 4.27 \text{ m/sec}^2}$$

- \* A particle is moving along a curve  $y = 1 + \cos x$  with constant speed of 4m/s. Find Tangential & Normal components of velocity & acc<sup>n</sup>.

$\Rightarrow V = 4 \text{ m/s}$  - constant

$$\therefore a_T = 0$$

Tangential component of velocity  $= V_T = V = 4 \text{ m/s}$

Normal component of velocity  $= V_N = 0$ ,

$$\therefore y = 1 + \cos x$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = -\sin x$$

$$\therefore \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -\cos x$$

$$\left| \frac{dy}{dx} \right| = \sqrt{1 + \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2} = \sqrt{1 + (-\sin x)^2} = \sqrt{1 + \sin^2 x}$$

putting all values in above eqn of 'f'.

$$\left| \frac{dy}{dx} \right| = \frac{\left[ 1 + (-\sin x)^2 \right]^{3/2}}{-\cos x} = \frac{(1 + \sin^2 x)^{3/2}}{\cos x}$$

$$\therefore a_N = \frac{V^2}{R} = \frac{4^2}{(1 + \sin^2 x)^{3/2}} = \frac{16}{\cos x}$$

$$\therefore a_N = \frac{16 \cos x}{(1 + \sin^2 x)^{3/2}}$$

Numericals on Radial & Transverse co-ordinates.  
(Eqn of motion in polar co-ordinates.)

- \* A particle moves in a circular path of radius 0.4m. Calculate magnitude of Accel<sup>n</sup> of the particle if its speed is 0.6 m/sec but it is increasing at a rate of 1.2 m/sec each second.

$\Rightarrow$  Given :  $r = 0.4 \text{ m}$ .

$$V = 0.6 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\alpha_r = \alpha_\theta = 1.2 \text{ m/s}^2$$

In case of circular motion  $\alpha$  & tangential direction coincides.  $\therefore \alpha_r = \alpha_\theta = 1.2 \text{ m/s}^2$

Also, positive  $\alpha$  dir<sup>n</sup> is in negative normal dir<sup>n</sup>.

$$\alpha_r = -\alpha_N,$$

$$\alpha_N = \frac{V^2}{r} = \frac{0.6^2}{0.4}$$

$$\therefore \alpha_N = 0.9 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\therefore \alpha_r = -\alpha_N = -0.9 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\therefore \text{Total Accel}^n = \alpha = \sqrt{\alpha_r^2 + \alpha_\theta^2} = \sqrt{0.9^2 + 1.2^2} = 1.5 \text{ m/s}^2.$$

- \* A particle moves on a curved path defined by polar co-ordinates. At certain instant,  $\theta = \frac{5\pi}{4}$ ,  $\dot{\theta} = 16 \frac{\text{mm}}{\text{s}^2}$ ,  $r = 5 \text{ mm}$ ,  $\ddot{r} = 6 \text{ mm/s}^2$  &  $\dot{\theta} = 0.5 \text{ rad/s}$  & increasing at the rate of 4 rad/s each second. Calculate magnitude of velocity of particle.

$\Rightarrow$  Given :  $r = 5 \text{ mm}$ ,  $\theta = \frac{5\pi}{4}$ ,  $\dot{\theta} = 0.5 \text{ rad/s}$   
 $\ddot{r} = 6 \text{ mm/s}^2$ ,  $\ddot{\theta} = 4 \text{ rad/s}^2$ ,  $\alpha_\theta = 16 \text{ mm/s}^2$

$$\therefore \alpha_r = 2\dot{r}\dot{\theta} + r\ddot{\theta}$$

$$\therefore 16 = (2 \cdot 6 \times 0.5) + 5 \times 4$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\dot{r} = -4 \text{ mm/s}}$$

$$\vec{V} = \dot{r} \vec{e}_R + (r\dot{\theta}) \vec{e}_\theta = (-4) \vec{e}_R + (5 \times 0.5) \vec{e}_\theta$$

$$\therefore \vec{V} = -4 \vec{e}_R + 2.5 \vec{e}_\theta \quad \therefore V_r = -4 \text{ mm/s} \text{ & } V_\theta = 2.5 \text{ mm/sec}$$

$$\therefore V = \sqrt{V_r^2 + V_\theta^2} = \sqrt{4^2 + 2.5^2} = \boxed{4.716 \text{ mm/s}}$$

\* A particle position is described by the co-ordinates  $r = 2 \sin 2\theta$  metres &  $\theta = (4t)$  rad, where  $t$  is in seconds. Determine the radial & transverse component of its velocity & acceleration at  $t = 1$  sec.

$$r = 2 \sin 2\theta \quad \text{&} \quad \theta = 4t$$

Differentiating w.r.t.  $t$ ,

$$\frac{dr}{dt} = \frac{dr}{d\theta} \cdot \frac{d\theta}{dt} \quad \text{&} \quad \therefore \frac{d\theta}{dt} = \dot{\theta} = 4$$

$$\therefore \dot{r} = 2 \times 2 \cos 2\theta \cdot \dot{\theta}$$

$$= 4 \cos 2\theta \cdot \dot{\theta}$$

$$\dot{r} = 4\dot{\theta} \cdot \cos 2\theta$$

Again differentiating w.r.t.  $t$

$$\frac{d\dot{r}}{dt} = \frac{d\dot{r}}{d\theta} \cdot \frac{d\theta}{dt} \quad \text{&} \quad \frac{d\dot{\theta}}{dt} = \ddot{\theta} = 0$$

$$\ddot{r} = 4\dot{\theta} \times (-2 \sin 2\theta) \cdot \dot{\theta}$$

$$= 4(\dot{\theta})^2 \times (-2 \sin 2\theta)$$

$$\ddot{r} = -8(\dot{\theta})^2 \sin 2\theta$$

$$\text{at } t = 1, \theta = 4t = 4 \text{ radians}$$

$$\therefore t = 1, \theta = 4 \text{ rad.}$$

$$\therefore r = 2 \sin 2\theta = 2 \times \sin(2 \times 4) = 1.978 \text{ m}$$

$$\therefore \dot{r} = 4\dot{\theta} \cos 2\theta = 4 \times 4 \cdot \cos(2 \times 4) = -2.33 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\therefore \ddot{r} = -8(\dot{\theta})^2 \sin 2\theta = -8 \times 4^2 \times \sin(2 \times 4) = -126.637 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\therefore \dot{\theta} = 4 \text{ rad/s}$$

$$\ddot{\theta} = 0$$

$$V_r = \dot{r} = -2.33 \text{ m/s.}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{V_r = -2.33 \text{ m/s}}$$

$$V_\theta = r\dot{\theta} = 1.978 \times 4 = 7.912 \text{ m/s} \quad \therefore \boxed{V_\theta = 7.912 \text{ m/s}}$$

$$a_r = \ddot{r} - r(\dot{\theta})^2 = -126.637 - 1.978 \times 4^2$$

$$\boxed{a_r = -158.28 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

$$a_\theta = r\ddot{\theta} + 2\dot{r}\dot{\theta} = 2 \times (-2.33) \times 4 + (1.978 \times 0)$$

$$= -18.64 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\therefore \boxed{a_\theta = -18.64 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

## \* Projectile Motion \*

- When a particle is <sup>freely</sup> thrown in the air along any direction other than vertical, it follows the parabolic path. The motion of a particle along this parabolic path is called as projectile motion.
- i.e. When we project the particle in the space, its motion is a combination of horizontal & vertical motion. This motion is called as projectile motion.
- Wind Resistance, curvature & rotation of the earth affects the actual path.  
But these parameters are neglected.
- The path traced by projectile is called as "Trajectory".
- The motion of projectile in Horizontal direction is Uniform motion.  
 $a_x$  = Horizontal component of acceleration = 0.
- The acceleration in vertical direction is affected by gravity. Thus motion in  $y$  direction is considered as "Motion under gravity".  
 $\therefore a_y = -g$ .

## \* Basic Terms involved in the projectile motion \*

### 1) Time of flight :- ( $t$ )

- The time taken by the projectile to move from point of projection to the point of target is called as "Time of flight".
- It is the total time during which projectile remains in space.

### 2) "Horizontal Range" :- ( $R$ )

It is Horizontal distance from point of projection to the point of target. OR

It is Horizontal distance b/w point of projection & point of landing.

3) Maximum Height :- (H) or ( $H_{max}$ ).

It is the vertical distance b/w the point of projection and the point (c) where the vertical component of velocity is zero.

4) Angle of projection: ( $\alpha$ )

- It is the angle made by velocity with the Horizontal.
- If velocity is directed up the horizontal, then it is called as angle of elevation.
- If the velocity is directed down the Horizontal, then it is called as angle of depression.

5) Trajectory :-

It is the path traced by a projectile during its motion. It is parabolic in nature.

### \* Projectile on Horizontal plane \*

Consider a projectile projected from point A with

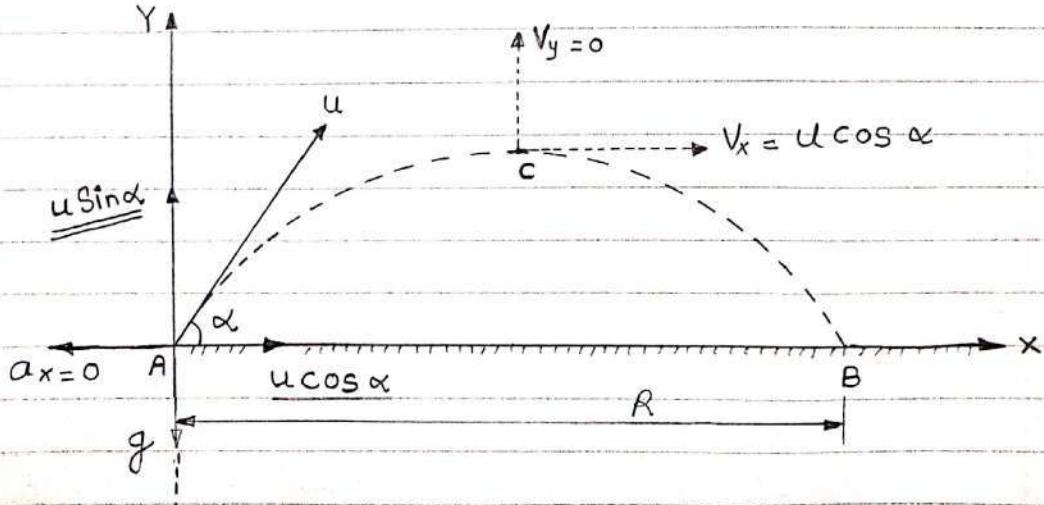
$u$  = initial velocity of projection &

$\alpha$  = angle of projection.

Let  $t$  = total time of flight.

Thus projectile will land at point B after time ' $t$ '.

Both Point A & B are on H.p.



As the air resistance is neglected, the motion in x-direction is uniform motion & y dir<sup>n</sup> motion is "Motion Under Gravity".

a) Time of Flight (t)

$$t = \frac{2u \sin \alpha}{g}$$

b) Horizontal Range (R)

$$R = \frac{u^2 \cdot \sin 2\alpha}{g}$$

c) Maximum Range ( $R_{max}$ )

for maximum range angle of projection must be  $45^\circ$ .

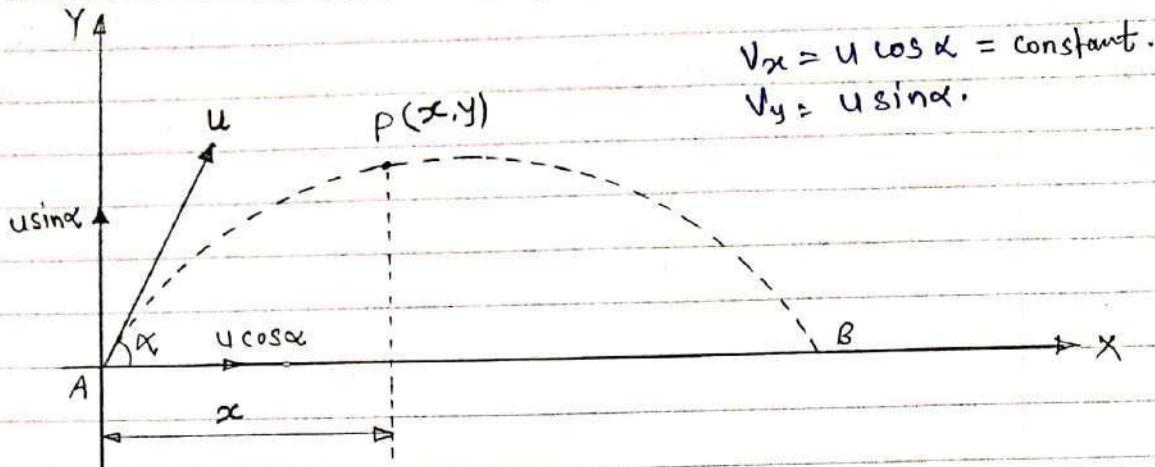
$$R_{max} = \frac{u^2}{g}$$

d) Maximum Height

$$H = \frac{u^2 \cdot \sin^2 \alpha}{2g}$$

\* Derivation of Path Equation \*

[Eqn of Trajectory]



$$v_x = u \cos \alpha = \text{constant.}$$

$$v_y = u \sin \alpha.$$

Consider a particle projected from A with initial velocity 'u' & angle of projection ' $\alpha$ '.

Let after time ' $t_1$ ', the particle has reached at point  $P(x, y)$ .

Consider the motion of projectile in x dim (UM) :- [A  $\rightarrow$  P]

$$s = \text{velocity} \times \text{time}$$

$$x = u \cos \alpha \cdot t_1$$

$$\therefore t_1 = \frac{x}{u \cos \alpha} \quad \dots \quad ①$$

Consider the motion of projectile in y dim (M.U.G.) [A  $\rightarrow$  P]

$$\therefore S_y = U_y t_1 - \frac{1}{2} g t_1^2$$

$$y = u \sin \alpha \cdot t_1 - \frac{1}{2} g t_1^2$$

From eqn ①, put the value of time  $t_1$ .

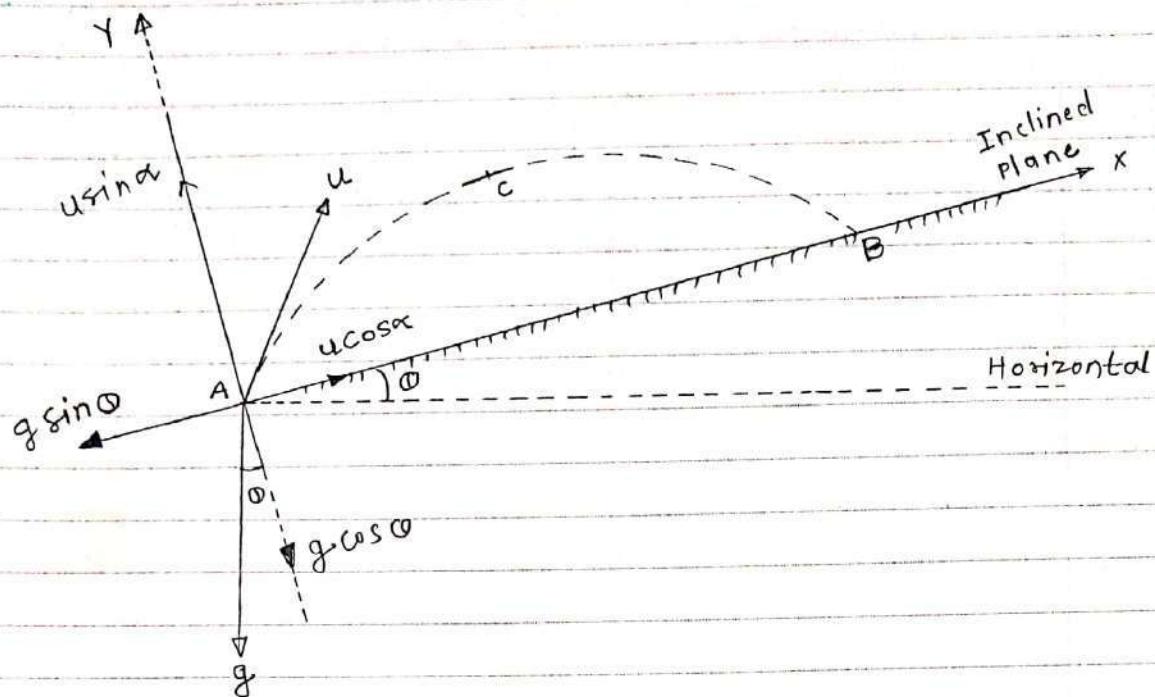
$$\therefore y = u \sin \alpha \cdot \left( \frac{x}{u \cos \alpha} \right) - \frac{1}{2} g \left( \frac{x}{u \cos \alpha} \right)^2$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{x \cdot u \cdot \sin \alpha}{u \cos \alpha} - \frac{1}{2} g \frac{x^2}{u^2 \cos^2 \alpha}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{y = x \cdot \tan \alpha - \frac{gx^2}{2u^2 \cos^2 \alpha}}$$

Eqn of trajectory.

## \* \* Projectile on Inclined Plane \*



Let projectile is projected from point A.

let  $\alpha$  = angle of projection with (inclined) plane.

$\theta$  = Angle of inclined plane with Horizontal.

Now let us select  $x$ -axis along the inclined plane and  $y$ -axis perpendicular to the inclined plane.

$$\therefore x \text{ component of velocity} = u \cos \alpha$$

$$\therefore y \text{ component} = u \sin \alpha$$

Similarly for gravitational accn 'g'.

$$x \text{ component} = g \sin \theta$$

$$y \text{ component} = g \cos \theta$$

[a] Time of flight ( $t$ )

$$t = \frac{2u \cdot \sin \alpha}{g \cos \theta}$$

[b] Range along the plane ( $R$ )

$$R = \frac{2u^2 \sin \alpha}{g \cos^2 \theta} \cdot \cos(\alpha + \theta)$$

[c] Maximum Range ( $R_{\max}$ )

$$R_{\max} = \frac{u^2}{g(1 + 8 \sin \theta)}$$

[d] Max. Height ( $\perp$  to plane)

$$H = \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \alpha}{2g \cos \theta}$$

## \* Special cases of projectile \*

### \* Projectile Projected with Horizontal velocity :-

x motion  
consider motion  $A \rightarrow B$   
(v.m.)

$$x = u \times t$$

consider motion (y-motion)  
from  $A \rightarrow B$  (m.v.g)

$$s = ut + \frac{1}{2}gt^2$$

$$h = 0 + \frac{1}{2}gt^2$$

$$\therefore t = \sqrt{\frac{2h}{g}}$$

$$\therefore \text{Horizontal distance} = x = u \sqrt{\frac{2h}{g}}$$

$$y = x \tan \alpha - \frac{gx^2}{u^2 \cos^2 \alpha} \quad \rightarrow \text{eqn of trajectory}$$

But  $\alpha = 0$  At point A.

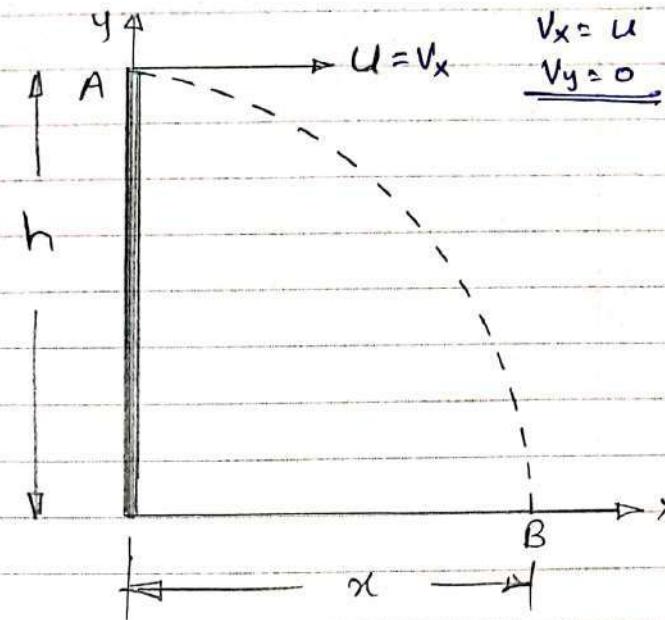
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\* For given value of  $u$ , two angle gives us the same Range.

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_1 &= \alpha \\ \alpha_2 &= \frac{\pi}{2} - \alpha \end{aligned}$$



Numericals on projectile motion.  
(Projectile on Horizontal plane)

\* A projectile is fired with a velocity of 60 m/s on Horizontal plane. Find its time of flight in the following 3 cases.

- Its Range is 4 times the max. Height
- Its max height is 4 times Horizontal range
- Its max. Height & Horizontal range are equal.

$$\Rightarrow u = 60 \text{ m/s}$$

a) when  $R = 4H$

$$\frac{u^2 \sin 2\alpha}{g} = 4 \left[ \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \alpha}{2g} \right]$$

$$\therefore \frac{u^2}{g} 2g \sin \alpha \cos \alpha = \frac{2u^2}{g} \sin^2 \alpha$$

$$\therefore \cos \alpha = \sin \alpha$$

$$\therefore \cos \alpha - \sin \alpha = 0$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\alpha = 45^\circ}$$

$$\text{Time of flight } t = \frac{2u \sin \alpha}{g} = \frac{2 \times 60 \times \sin 45}{9.81} = 8.65 \text{ sec.}$$

b) when  $H = 4R$

$$\therefore \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \alpha}{2g} = 4 \left[ \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \alpha}{g} \right]$$

$$\therefore \sin^2 \alpha = 8 \sin^2 \alpha$$

$$\therefore \sin^2 \alpha = (8 \times 2) \sin \alpha \cos \alpha$$

$$\therefore \sin \alpha = (2 \times 8) \cos \alpha$$

$$\therefore \sin \alpha = 16 \cos \alpha$$

$$\therefore \tan \alpha = 16 \quad \therefore \boxed{\alpha = 86.42^\circ}$$

$$t = \frac{2u \sin \alpha}{g} = \frac{2 \times 60 \times \sin 86.42}{9.81} = 12.21 \text{ sec}$$

c) when  $H = R$

$$\frac{u^2 \sin^2 \alpha}{2g} = \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \alpha}{g}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\sin^2 \alpha}{2} = \sin^2 \alpha$$

$$\therefore \sin^2 \alpha = 2 \times 2 \sin \alpha \cos \alpha$$

$$\therefore \sin \alpha = 4 \cos \alpha$$

$$\therefore \tan \alpha = 4 \quad \therefore \boxed{\alpha = 75.96^\circ}$$

$$t = \frac{2u \sin \alpha}{g} \\ = \frac{2 \times 60 \times \sin 75.96}{9.81}$$

$$t = 11.87 \text{ sec.}$$

A projectile is aimed at an object on a H.P. through the point of projection and falls 8m short when the angle of projection is  $15^\circ$ , while it overshoots the object by 18m when the angle of projection is  $45^\circ$ . Determine the angle of projection to hit the object exactly.

$\Rightarrow$  let  $R$  = actual range required to hit the object.

$$\Rightarrow \text{case } I - \alpha = 15^\circ$$

$$\text{Range} = R - 8$$

$$\therefore \frac{U^2 \sin 2\alpha}{g} = R - 8$$

$$\therefore \frac{U^2 \times \sin(2 \times 15)}{g} = (R - 8)$$

$$\therefore 0.5 \frac{U^2}{g} = (R - 8)$$

multiply both sides by 2

$$\therefore \frac{U^2}{g} = 2R - 16 \dots\dots\dots (I)$$

Case: II  $\alpha = 45^\circ$

$$\text{Range} = R + 18$$

$$\frac{U^2 \sin 2\alpha}{g} = R + 18$$

$$\frac{U^2}{g} \cdot \sin 90^\circ = R + 18$$

$$\therefore \frac{U^2}{g} = R + 18 \dots\dots\dots (II)$$

$$\text{from } (I) \text{ & } (II), \quad R + 18 = 2R - 16$$

$$\therefore 2R - R = 18 + 16 = 34.$$

$\therefore \boxed{R = 34 \text{ m}}$  --- Actual Range to hit the object

Actual Range

$$R = \left( \frac{U^2}{g} \right) \sin 2\alpha.$$

$$34 = (R + 18) \sin 2\alpha.$$

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$$34 = 52 \sin 2\alpha.$$

$$\therefore \sin 2\alpha = 0.653$$

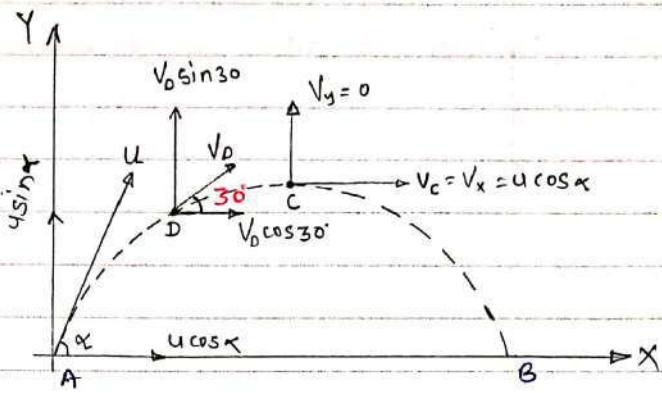
$\boxed{\alpha = 20.38^\circ}$  --- Angle of projection to hit the object.

A shot is fired from the gun. After 2 sec. the velocity of shot is inclined at  $30^\circ$  up the horizontal. After 1 more second, it attains max. height. Determine the initial velocity and angle of projection.

Let,  $u$  = initial velocity  
 $\alpha$  = angle of projection.

Let, after 2 seconds, the shot fired from gun reaches at point D. Here  $V_D$  makes  $30^\circ$  angle with Horizontal.  
&

Let after one more second, shot attains max. Height at point C as shown in figure.



At point D,  $V_D$  makes  $30^\circ$  with Horizontal.

$\therefore x$  component of velocity at 'D' =  $V_D \cos 30$

But we know that velocity in  $x$  dirn is constant (U.M.)

$$\therefore V_D \cos 30 = u \cos \alpha$$

$$\therefore 0.87 V_D = u \cos \alpha \quad \dots \textcircled{1}$$

Consider y-motion from A to D.  
This is motion under gravity.

$$V = u + at$$

$$\therefore V_D \sin 30 = u \sin \alpha - g t_{AD}$$

$$\therefore 0.5 V_D = u \sin \alpha - 9.81 \times 2$$

$$\therefore 0.5 V_D = u \sin \alpha - 19.62 \quad \textcircled{2}$$

Now,

consider y motion from D-C, (M.v.G)

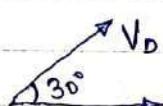
$$V = u + at$$

$$0 = V_D \sin 30 - g x_{DC}$$

$$0 = 0.5 V_D - 9.81 \times 1$$

$$\therefore 0.5 V_D = 9.81$$

$$\therefore \boxed{V_D = 19.62 \text{ m/s}}$$



By substituting the value of  $V_D$  in eqn  $\textcircled{1}$  &  $\textcircled{2}$

$$0.87 V_D = u \cos \alpha$$

$$\therefore u \cos \alpha = 0.87 \times 19.62$$

$$\therefore u \cos \alpha = 17.069 \text{ m/s} \quad \textcircled{3}$$

Also,

$$u \sin \alpha = 0.5 V_D + 19.62$$

$$= 0.5 \times 19.62 + 19.62$$

$$\therefore u \sin \alpha = 29.43 \text{ m/s} \quad \textcircled{4}$$

from eqn  $\textcircled{3}$  &  $\textcircled{4}$

$$\frac{u \sin \alpha}{u \cos \alpha} = \frac{29.43}{17.069}$$

$$\therefore \tan \alpha = 1.724$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\alpha = 59.886^\circ}$$

$$\therefore u = \frac{29.43}{\sin 59.886} = \boxed{34.02 \text{ m/s}}$$

A projectile is fired from the edge of a 150m cliff with an initial velocity of 180 m/s at  $30^\circ$  angle with horizontal. Find ① the horizontal distance from the gun to the point where the projectile strikes the ground ② the greatest elevation above the ground reached by projectile ③ striking velocity. Refer the given figure. (PV - May - 15)

let

$x$  = Horizontal distance  
b/w A & B

A = point of projection

B = point of striking.

We can see from the fig. that A & B are not on same level.

$$t_{AB} = \text{time req.} = t_{AC} + t_{CB}$$

Consider the horizontal motion from A to B (U.M.)

$\therefore$  Distance = velocity  $\times$  time

$$x = 180 \cos 30^\circ \times t_{AB}$$

$$x = 155.88 t_{AB} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Consider vertical motion from A to C,

$$\therefore V = U + at$$

$$V_{cy} = 180 \sin 30^\circ - g \times t_{AC}$$

$$0 = 90 - 9.81 t_{AC}$$

$$\therefore t_{AC} = \frac{90}{9.81}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{t_{AC} = 9.17 \text{ sec.}}$$

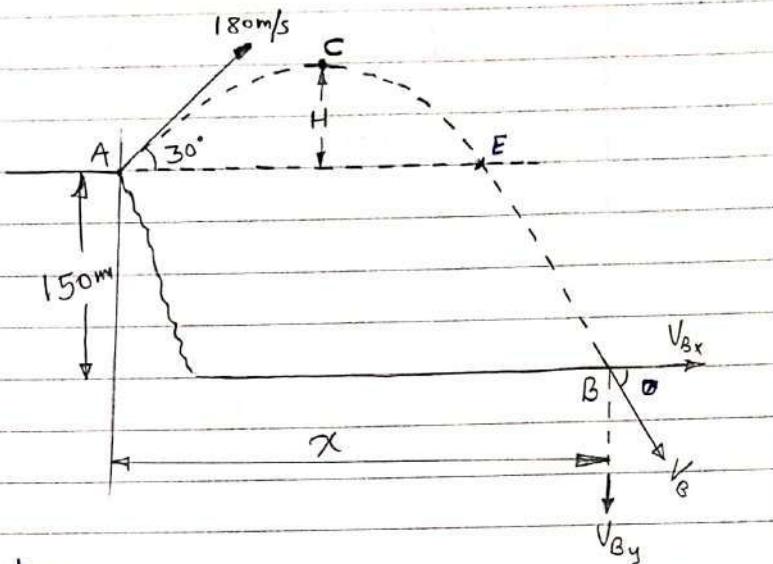
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$$H = \frac{U^2 \sin^2 \alpha}{2g} = \frac{180^2 \times \sin^2 30^\circ}{2 \times 9.81}$$

$$H = 412.84 \text{ m.}$$

$\therefore$  Now using, eqn of motion

$$S = Ut + \frac{1}{2} gt^2$$



$$H + 150 = 0 + \frac{1}{2} \times 9.81 \times t_{CB}^2$$

$$412.84 + 150 = 4.905 t_{CB}^2$$

$$\therefore t_{CB}^2 = \frac{562.84}{4.905}$$

$$\therefore t_{CB}^2 = 114.748$$

$$\therefore \boxed{t_{CB} = 10.71 \text{ sec.}}$$

$$t_{AB} = 9.17 + 10.71 = 19.88 \text{ sec.}$$

From eqn (1)

$$x = 155.88 t_{AB} = 155.88 \times 19.88$$

$$\boxed{x = 3098.9 \text{ m}}$$

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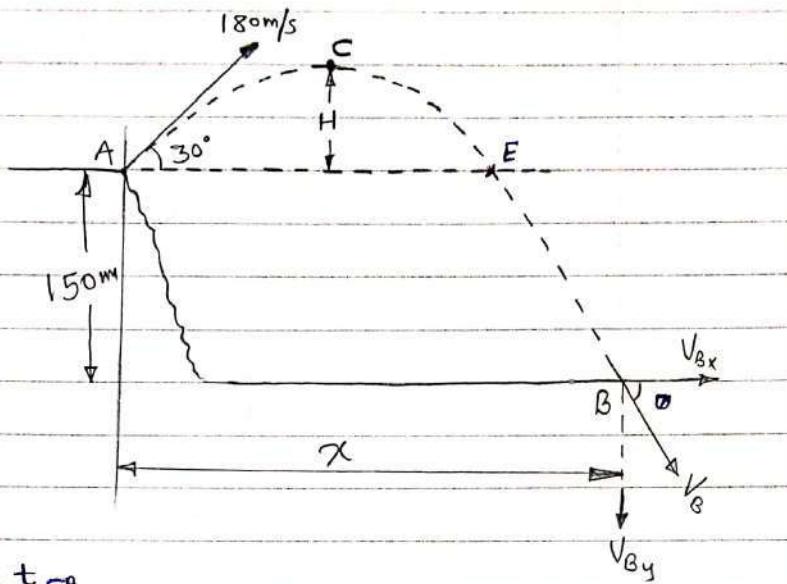
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Horizontal distance from the to the point of striking is

$$x = 3098 \cdot 9 \text{ m}$$

Time req. from A to B =  $t_{AB} = 19.88 \text{ sec.}$

greatest Height reached by projectile above the ground is

$$H_{\max} = H + 150 = 412.84 + 150$$

$$H_{\max} = 562.84 \text{ m}$$

Now,

consider that  $V_B$  = striking velocity.

$\theta$  = angle made by striking velocity with Horizontal, as shown.

Let  $V_{Bx}$  = x component of  $V_B$ .

$V_{By}$  = y component of  $V_B$ .

But we know that, in x dirn, motion is uniform.

Thus  $V_{Bx} = u \cos \alpha = 180 \cos 80 = 155.88 \text{ m/sec.}$

To find  $V_{By}$ , consider the motion from C to B.

$$\therefore V = u + gt$$

$$V_{By} = V_{CBy} + g \times t_{CB}$$

$$V_{By} = 0 + 9.81 \times 10.71$$

$$V_{By} = 105.06 \text{ m/sec.}$$

$$\therefore V_B = \sqrt{V_{Bx}^2 + V_{By}^2} = \sqrt{155.88^2 + 105.06^2}$$

$$V_B = 187.9 \text{ m/sec}$$

$$\tan \alpha = \frac{V_{By}}{V_{Bx}} = \frac{105.06}{155.88}$$

$$\therefore \alpha = 33.97^\circ$$

