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### Assignment 6: Kinematics of Particles

- i) The motion of a particle moving in straight line is given by a relation  $s = t^3 - 3t^2 + 2t + 5$  where 's' is displacement in metres and 't' is time in seconds. Determine
- velocity and acceleration at  $t = 4$  sec.
  - maximum or minimum velocity and corresponding displacement.
  - time at which velocity is zero.

$$s = t^3 - 3t^2 + 2t + 5$$

$$v = \frac{ds}{dt} = 3t^2 - 6t + 2, \quad a = \frac{dv}{dt} = 6t - 6$$

i)  $\therefore$  at  $t = 4$  s,  $v = 3(4^2) - 6(4) + 2$ ,  $a = 6(4) - 6$   
 $\boxed{v_4 = 26 \text{ m/s}}$   $\boxed{a_4 = 18 \text{ m/s}^2}$

- ii) for maximum or minimum velocity, acceleration should be zero.

$$a = 6t - 6 = 0 \quad \therefore t = 1 \text{ s}$$

$$\therefore v_1 = -1 \text{ m/s} \text{ is the minimum velocity}$$

also displacement,  $s = 1^3 - 3(1)^2 + 2(1) + 5$

$$\boxed{s = 5 \text{ m}} \text{ at } t = 1 \text{ s.}$$

iii) when  $v = 0$ ,  $3t^2 - 6t + 2 = 0$

$$\therefore t = 1.577 \text{ s or } t = 0.422 \text{ s.}$$

$\therefore$  velocity is zero at 0.422 s and 1.577 s.

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Q2) A particle is moving in x-y plane and its position is defined by  $\vec{r} = \left(\frac{3t^2}{2}\right)\hat{i} + \left(\frac{2t^3}{3}\right)\hat{j}$  Find radius of curvature when  $t=2s$ .

$$\vec{v} = \frac{d\vec{r}}{dt} = 3t\hat{i} + 2t^2\hat{j}$$

$$\vec{a} = \frac{d\vec{v}}{dt} = 3\hat{i} + 4t\hat{j}$$

at  $t=2s$ ,  $\vec{v} = 6\hat{i} + 8\hat{j}$ ,  $\vec{a} = 3\hat{i} + 8\hat{j}$   
 $v = |\vec{v}| = 10 \text{ m/s}$

$\therefore$  Radius of curvature  $P = \left| \frac{v^3}{a_x v_y - a_y v_x} \right| = \left| \frac{1000}{3 \times 8 - 8 \times 6} \right|$

$$P = \left| \frac{1000}{-12} \right| = 41.667 \text{ m}$$

Q3) A ball thrown with a speed of  $12 \text{ m/s}$  at an angle of  $60^\circ$  with building strikes the ground  $11.3 \text{ m}$  horizontally from the foot of the building as shown. Determine the height of building.

Projectile motion (A-B)

Horizontal motion

$$u_x = 12 \sin 60^\circ = 10.39 \text{ m/s}$$

$$s_x = 11.3 \text{ m}$$

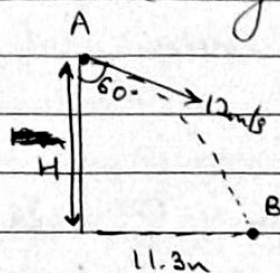
$$\therefore s_x = u_x t$$

$$\therefore t = \frac{11.3}{10.39} = 1.087 \text{ s}$$

Vertical motion.  $u_y = -12 \cos 60^\circ = -6 \text{ m/s}$ ,  $v_y = 0$ ,  $a = -g$ ,  $s = H$ .

$$s = u_y t + \frac{1}{2} a_y t^2, \therefore H = -6 \times 1.087 - \frac{1}{2} g \times (1.087)^2$$

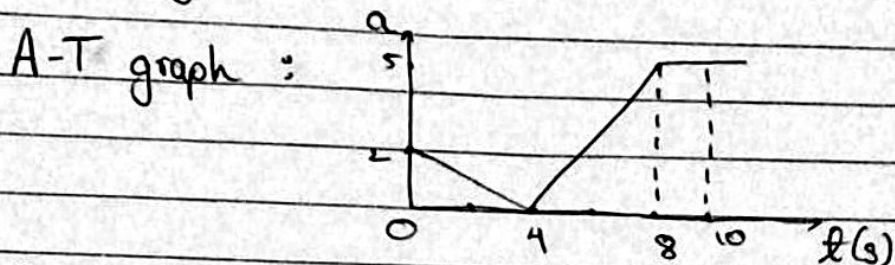
$$\therefore H = 12.32 \text{ m}$$





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(Q4) A particle is projected with an initial velocity of  $2\text{ m/s}$  along a straight line. The relation between acceleration and time is given.



Area under a-t curve = change in velocity  
for  $0 \leq t \leq 4$ ,  $\frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times 2 = V_4 - V_0$

$$V_0 = 2\text{ m/s}$$

$$\therefore V_4 = 6\text{ m/s}$$

for  $4 \leq t \leq 8$ ,  $\frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times 5 = V_8 - V_4$

$$V_8 = 16\text{ m/s}$$

for  $8 \leq t \leq 10$ ,  $2 \times 5 = V_{10} - V_8$

$$\therefore V_{10} = 26\text{ m/s}$$

v-t graph :

Area under v-t graph = change in displacement  
for  $0 \leq t \leq 4$ ,

$$(2 \times 4) + \frac{2 \times 4 \times 4}{3} = x_4 - x_0$$

$$x_0 = 0$$

$$\therefore x_4 = 18.68\text{ m}$$

for  $4 \leq t \leq 8$ ,  $(6 \times 4) + \frac{2 \times 4 \times 10}{3} = x_8 - x_4$

$$\therefore x_8 = 56\text{ m}$$

for  $8 \leq t \leq 10$ ,  $\frac{1}{2} \times 10 \times 2 + 16 \times 2 = x_{10} - x_8$

$$\therefore x_{10} = 98\text{ m}$$

