

Question Paper

Topic 1: Mechanics

Q1. A car of mass 1200 kg accelerates from rest to a speed of 20 m/s in 10 seconds. Calculate the average acceleration of the car.

Answer: 2 m/s^2

Explanation: Acceleration = change in velocity / time taken = $(20 \text{ m/s} - 0 \text{ m/s}) / 10 \text{ s} = 2 \text{ m/s}^2$

Q2. If a force of 50 N is applied to an object of mass 10 kg, what is the acceleration produced?

Answer: 5 m/s^2

Explanation: Acceleration = Force / Mass = $50 \text{ N} / 10 \text{ kg} = 5 \text{ m/s}^2$