

Chapter 4 Motion in Two Dimensions

- P4.2**
- (a) $\vec{r} = 18.0t\hat{i} + (4.00t - 4.90t^2)\hat{j}$
 - (b) $\vec{v} = (18.0 \text{ m/s})\hat{i} + [4.00 \text{ m/s} - (9.80 \text{ m/s}^2)t]\hat{j}$
 - (c) $\vec{a} = (-9.80 \text{ m/s}^2)\hat{j}$
 - (d) by substitution, $\vec{r}(3.00 \text{ s}) = (54.0 \text{ m})\hat{i} - (32.1 \text{ m})\hat{j}$
 - (e) $\vec{v}(3.00 \text{ s}) = (18.0 \text{ m/s})\hat{i} - (25.4 \text{ m/s})\hat{j}$
 - (f) $\vec{a}(3.00 \text{ s}) = (-9.80 \text{ m/s}^2)\hat{j}$

- P4.9**
- (a) The mug leaves the counter horizontally with a velocity v_{xi} (say). If time t elapses before it hits the ground, then since there is no horizontal acceleration, $x_f = v_{xi}t$, i.e.,

$$t = \frac{x_f}{v_{xi}} = \frac{(1.40 \text{ m})}{v_{xi}}$$

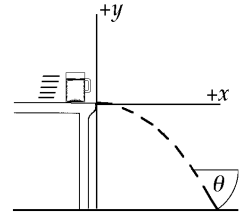


FIG. P4.9

In the same time it falls a distance of 0.860 m with acceleration downward of 9.80 m/s^2 . Then

$$y_f = y_i + v_{yi}t + \frac{1}{2}a_yt^2 : 0 = 0.860 \text{ m} + \frac{1}{2}(-9.80 \text{ m/s}^2)\left(\frac{1.40 \text{ m}}{v_{xi}}\right)^2$$

Thus,

$$v_{xi} = \sqrt{\frac{(4.90 \text{ m/s}^2)(1.96 \text{ m}^2)}{0.860 \text{ m}}} = 3.34 \text{ m/s}$$

- (b) The vertical velocity component with which it hits the floor is

$$v_{yf} = v_{yi} + a_yt = 0 + (-9.80 \text{ m/s}^2)\left(\frac{1.40 \text{ m}}{3.34 \text{ m/s}}\right) = -4.11 \text{ m/s}$$

Hence, the angle θ at which the mug strikes the floor is given by

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{v_{yf}}{v_{xf}}\right) = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{-4.11}{3.34}\right) = -50.9^\circ$$

P4.11 $x = v_{xi} t = v_i \cos \theta_i t$
 $x = (300 \text{ m/s})(\cos 55.0^\circ)(42.0 \text{ s})$
 $x = \boxed{7.23 \times 10^3 \text{ m}}$

$$y = v_{yi} t - \frac{1}{2} g t^2 = v_i \sin \theta_i t - \frac{1}{2} g t^2$$

$$y = (300 \text{ m/s})(\sin 55.0^\circ)(42.0 \text{ s}) - \frac{1}{2}(9.80 \text{ m/s}^2)(42.0 \text{ s})^2 = \boxed{1.68 \times 10^3 \text{ m}}$$

P4.17 (a) We use the trajectory equation:

$$y_f = x_f \tan \theta_i - \frac{g x_f^2}{2 v_i^2 \cos^2 \theta_i}$$

With

$$x_f = 36.0 \text{ m}, v_i = 20.0 \text{ m/s}, \text{ and } \theta = 53.0^\circ$$

we find

$$y_f = (36.0 \text{ m}) \tan 53.0^\circ - \frac{(9.80 \text{ m/s}^2)(36.0 \text{ m})^2}{2(20.0 \text{ m/s})^2 \cos^2(53.0^\circ)} = 3.94 \text{ m}$$

The ball clears the bar by

$$(3.94 - 3.05) \text{ m} = \boxed{0.889 \text{ m}}$$

(b) The time the ball takes to reach the maximum height is

$$t_1 = \frac{v_i \sin \theta_i}{g} = \frac{(20.0 \text{ m/s})(\sin 53.0^\circ)}{9.80 \text{ m/s}^2} = 1.63 \text{ s}$$

The time to travel 36.0 m horizontally is $t_2 = \frac{x_f}{v_{ix}}$

$$t_2 = \frac{36.0 \text{ m}}{(20.0 \text{ m/s})(\cos 53.0^\circ)} = 2.99 \text{ s}$$

Since $t_2 > t_1$ the ball clears the goal on its way down.

P4.18 When the bomb has fallen a vertical distance 2.15 km, it has traveled a horizontal distance x_f given by

$$x_f = \sqrt{(3.25 \text{ km})^2 - (2.15 \text{ km})^2} = 2.437 \text{ km}$$

$$y_f = x_f \tan \theta - \frac{g x_f^2}{2 v_i^2 \cos^2 \theta_i}$$

$$-2150 \text{ m} = (2437 \text{ m}) \tan \theta_i - \frac{(9.8 \text{ m/s}^2)(2437 \text{ m})^2}{2(280 \text{ m/s})^2 \cos^2 \theta_i}$$

$$\therefore -2150 \text{ m} = (2437 \text{ m}) \tan \theta_i - (371.19 \text{ m})(1 + \tan^2 \theta_i)$$

$$\therefore \tan^2 \theta - 6.565 \tan \theta_i - 4.792 = 0$$

$$\therefore \tan \theta_i = \frac{1}{2} \left(6.565 \pm \sqrt{(6.565)^2 - 4(1)(-4.792)} \right) = 3.283 \pm 3.945$$

Select the negative solution, since θ_i is below the horizontal.

$$\therefore \tan \theta_i = -0.662, \quad \boxed{\theta_i = -33.5^\circ}$$

P4.20 From the instant he leaves the floor until just before he lands, the basketball star is a projectile. His vertical velocity and vertical displacement are related by the equation

$$v_{yf}^2 = v_{yi}^2 + 2a_y(y_f - y_i). \text{ Applying this to the upward part of his flight gives}$$

$0 = v_{yi}^2 + 2(-9.80 \text{ m/s}^2)(1.85 - 1.02) \text{ m}$. From this, $v_{yi} = 4.03 \text{ m/s}$. [Note that this is the answer to part (c) of this problem.]

For the downward part of the flight, the equation gives
 $v_{yf}^2 = 0 + 2(-9.80 \text{ m/s}^2)(0.900 - 1.85) \text{ m}$. Thus the vertical velocity just before he lands is

$$v_{yf} = -4.32 \text{ m/s}$$

- (a) His hang time may then be found from $v_{yf} = v_{yi} + a_y t$:

$$-4.32 \text{ m/s} = 4.03 \text{ m/s} + (-9.80 \text{ m/s}^2)t$$

$$\text{or } t = \boxed{0.852 \text{ s}}.$$

- (b) Looking at the total horizontal displacement during the leap, $x = v_{xi}t$ becomes

$$2.80 \text{ m} = v_{xi}(0.852 \text{ s})$$

$$\text{which yields } v_{xi} = \boxed{3.29 \text{ m/s}}.$$

- (c) $v_{yi} = \boxed{4.03 \text{ m/s}}$. See above for proof.

- (d) The takeoff angle is: $\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{v_{yi}}{v_{xi}}\right) = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{4.03 \text{ m/s}}{3.29 \text{ m/s}}\right) = \boxed{50.8^\circ}$.

- (e) Similarly for the deer, the upward part of the flight gives

$$v_{yf}^2 = v_{yi}^2 + 2a_y(y_f - y_i):$$

$$0 = v_{yi}^2 + 2(-9.80 \text{ m/s}^2)(2.50 - 1.20) \text{ m}$$

$$\text{so } v_{yi} = 5.04 \text{ m/s}.$$

For the downward part, $v_{yf}^2 = v_{yi}^2 + 2a_y(y_f - y_i)$ yields

$$v_{yf}^2 = 0 + 2(-9.80 \text{ m/s}^2)(0.700 - 2.50) \text{ m} \text{ and } v_{yf} = -5.94 \text{ m/s}.$$

The hang time is then found as $v_{yf} = v_{yi} + a_y t$:

$$-5.94 \text{ m/s} = 5.04 \text{ m/s} + (-9.80 \text{ m/s}^2)t \text{ and}$$

$$\boxed{t = 1.12 \text{ s}}$$

P4.21 The horizontal kick gives zero vertical velocity to the rock. Then its time of flight follows from

$$y_f = y_i + v_{yi}t + \frac{1}{2}a_yt^2$$

$$-40.0 \text{ m} = 0 + 0 + \frac{1}{2}(-9.80 \text{ m/s}^2)t^2$$

$$t = 2.86 \text{ s}$$

The extra time $3.00 \text{ s} - 2.86 \text{ s} = 0.143 \text{ s}$ is the time required for the sound she hears to travel straight back to the player. It covers distance

$$(343 \text{ m/s})0.143 \text{ s} = 49.0 \text{ m} = \sqrt{x^2 + (40.0 \text{ m})^2}$$

where x represents the horizontal distance the rock travels.

$$x = 28.3 \text{ m} = v_{xi}t + 0t^2$$

$$\therefore v_{xi} = \frac{28.3 \text{ m}}{2.86 \text{ s}} = \boxed{9.91 \text{ m/s}}$$

P4.23 For the smallest impact angle

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{v_{yf}}{v_{xf}} \right)$$

we want to minimize v_{yf} and maximize $v_{xf} = v_{xi}$. The final y component of velocity is related to v_{yi} by $v_{yf}^2 = v_{yi}^2 + 2gh$, so we want to minimize v_{yi} and maximize v_{xi} . Both are accomplished by making the initial velocity horizontal. Then $v_{xi} = v$, $v_{yi} = 0$, and $v_{yf} = \sqrt{2gh}$. At last, the impact angle is

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{v_{yf}}{v_{xf}} \right) = \boxed{\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{2gh}}{v} \right)}$$

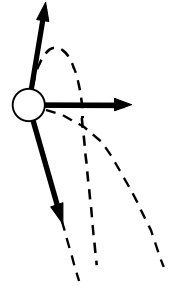


FIG. P4.23

P4.24 $a = \frac{v^2}{R}$, $T = 24 \text{ h} (3600 \text{ s/h}) = 86400 \text{ s}$

$$v = \frac{2\pi R}{T} = \frac{2\pi(6.37 \times 10^6 \text{ m})}{86400 \text{ s}} = 463 \text{ m/s}$$

$$a = \frac{(463 \text{ m/s})^2}{6.37 \times 10^6 \text{ m}} = \boxed{0.0337 \text{ m/s}^2 \text{ directed toward the center of Earth}}$$

P4.25 $a_c = \frac{v^2}{r} = \frac{(20.0 \text{ m/s})^2}{1.06 \text{ m}} = \boxed{377 \text{ m/s}^2}$ The mass is unnecessary information.

P4.27 (a) $v = r\omega$

At 8.00 rev/s, $v = (0.600 \text{ m})(8.00 \text{ rev/s})(2\pi \text{ rad/rev}) = 30.2 \text{ m/s} = 9.60\pi \text{ m/s}$.

At 6.00 rev/s, $v = (0.900 \text{ m})(6.00 \text{ rev/s})(2\pi \text{ rad/rev}) = 33.9 \text{ m/s} = 10.8\pi \text{ m/s}$.

$\boxed{6.00 \text{ rev/s}}$ gives the larger linear speed.

(b) Acceleration $= \frac{v^2}{r} = \frac{(9.60\pi \text{ m/s})^2}{0.600 \text{ m}} = \boxed{1.52 \times 10^3 \text{ m/s}^2}$.

(c) At 6.00 rev/s, acceleration $= \frac{(10.8\pi \text{ m/s})^2}{0.900 \text{ m}} = \boxed{1.28 \times 10^3 \text{ m/s}^2}$. So 8 rev/s gives the higher acceleration.

P4.31 $r = 2.50 \text{ m}$, $a = 15.0 \text{ m/s}^2$

$$(a) \quad a_t = a \cos 30.0^\circ = (15.0 \text{ m/s}^2)(\cos 30^\circ) = \boxed{13.0 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

$$(b) \quad a_c = \frac{v^2}{r}$$

$$\text{so } v^2 = r a_c = 2.50 \text{ m} (13.0 \text{ m/s}^2) = 32.5 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}^2$$

$$v = \sqrt{32.5} \text{ m/s} = \boxed{5.70 \text{ m/s}}$$

$$(c) \quad a^2 = a_t^2 + a_c^2$$

$$\text{so } a = \sqrt{a^2 - a_t^2} = \sqrt{(15.0 \text{ m/s}^2)^2 - (13.0 \text{ m/s}^2)^2} = \boxed{7.50 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

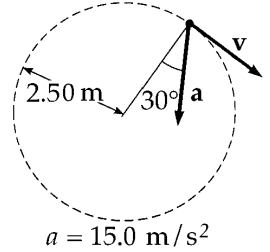


FIG. P4.31

P4.32 Let i be the starting point and f be one revolution later. The curvilinear motion with constant tangential acceleration is described by

$$\Delta x = v_{xi} t + \frac{1}{2} a_x t^2$$

$$2\pi r = 0 + \frac{1}{2} a_t t^2$$

$$a_t = \frac{4\pi r}{t^2}$$

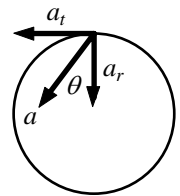


FIG. P4.32

and $v_{xf} = v_{xi} + a_x t$, $v_f = 0 + a_t t = \frac{4\pi r}{t}$. The magnitude of the radial acceleration is

$$a_r = \frac{v_f^2}{r} = \frac{16\pi^2 r^2}{t^2 r}. \text{ Then } \tan \theta = \frac{a_t}{a_r} = \frac{4\pi r t^2}{t^2 16\pi^2 r} = \frac{1}{4\pi} \quad \theta = \boxed{4.55^\circ}$$

P4.36 The bumpers are initially $100 \text{ m} = 0.100 \text{ km}$ apart. After time t the bumper of the leading car travels $40.0t$, while the bumper of the chasing car travels $60.0t$. Since the cars are side by side at time t , we have

$$0.100 + 40.0t = 60.0t$$

yielding

$$t = 5.00 \times 10^{-3} \text{ h} = \boxed{18.0 \text{ s}}$$

P4.37 To guess the answer, think of v just a little less than the speed c of the river. Then poor Alan will spend most of his time paddling upstream making very little progress. His time-averaged speed will be low and Beth will win the race.

Now we calculate: For Alan, his speed downstream is $c + v$, while his speed upstream is $c - v$.

Therefore, the total time for Alan is

$$t_1 = \frac{L}{c+v} + \frac{L}{c-v} = \boxed{\frac{2L/c}{1-v^2/c^2}}$$

For Beth, her cross-stream speed (both ways) is

$$\sqrt{c^2 - v^2}$$

Thus, the total time for Beth is $t_2 = \frac{2L}{\sqrt{c^2 - v^2}} = \frac{2L/c}{\sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2}}$.

Since $1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2} < 1$, $t_1 > t_2$, or Beth, who swims cross-stream, returns first.

***P4.38** We can find the time of flight of the can by considering its horizontal motion:

$$16 \text{ m} = (9.5 \text{ m/s}) t + 0 \quad t = 1.68 \text{ s}$$

(a) For the boy to catch the can at the same location on the truck bed, he must throw it

straight up, at 0° to the vertical.

(b) For the free fall of the can, $y_f = y_i + v_{yi}t + (1/2)a_y t^2$:

$$0 = 0 + v_{yi}(1.68 \text{ s}) - (1/2)(9.8 \text{ m/s}^2)(1.68 \text{ s})^2 \quad v_{yi} = 8.25 \text{ m/s}$$

(c) The boy sees the can always over his head, traversing a straight line segment upward and then downward.

(d) The ground observer sees the can move as a projectile on

a symmetric section of a parabola opening downward. Its initial velocity is $(9.5^2 + 8.25^2)^{1/2} \text{ m/s} = 12.6 \text{ m/s}$ north at $\tan^{-1}(8.25/9.5) = 41.0^\circ$ above the horizontal

P4.41 Choose the x axis along the 20-km distance. The y components of the displacements of the ship and the speedboat must agree:

$$(26 \text{ km/h})t \sin(40^\circ - 15^\circ) = (50 \text{ km/h})t \sin \alpha$$

$$\alpha = \sin^{-1} \frac{11.0}{50} = 12.7^\circ$$

The speedboat should head

$$15^\circ + 12.7^\circ = 27.7^\circ \text{ east of north}$$

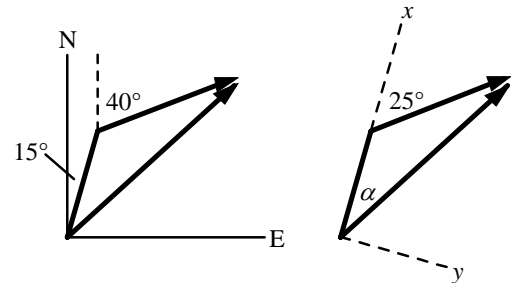


FIG. P4.41

P4.51 The special conditions allowing use of the horizontal range equation applies. For the ball thrown at 45° ,

$$D = R_{45} = \frac{v_i^2 \sin 90}{g}$$

For the bouncing ball,

$$D = R_1 + R_2 = \frac{v_i^2 \sin 2\theta}{g} + \frac{(v_i/2)^2 \sin 2\theta}{g}$$

where θ is the angle it makes with the ground when thrown and when bouncing.

(a) We require:

$$\frac{v_i^2}{g} = \frac{v_i^2 \sin 2\theta}{g} + \frac{v_i^2 \sin 2\theta}{4g}$$

$$\sin 2\theta = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$\theta = 26.6^\circ$$

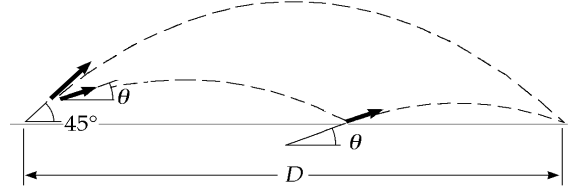


FIG. P4.51

(b) The time for any symmetric parabolic flight is given by

$$y_f = v_{yi}t - \frac{1}{2}gt^2$$

$$0 = v_i \sin \theta_i t - \frac{1}{2}gt^2$$

If $t = 0$ is the time the ball is thrown, then $t = \frac{2v_i \sin \theta_i}{g}$ is the time at landing.

So for the ball thrown at 45.0°

$$t_{45} = \frac{2v_i \sin 45.0^\circ}{g}$$

For the bouncing ball,

$$t = t_1 + t_2 = \frac{2v_i \sin 26.6^\circ}{g} + \frac{2(v_i/2) \sin 26.6^\circ}{g} = \frac{3v_i \sin 26.6^\circ}{g}$$

The ratio of this time to that for no bounce is

$$\frac{3v_i \sin 26.6^\circ / g}{2v_i \sin 45.0^\circ / g} = \frac{1.34}{1.41} = \boxed{0.949}$$

P4.62 We follow the steps outlined in Example 4.7, eliminating $t = \frac{d \cos \phi}{v_i \cos \theta}$ to find

$$\frac{v_i \sin \theta d \cos \phi}{v_i \cos \theta} - \frac{gd^2 \cos^2 \phi}{2v_i^2 \cos^2 \theta} = -d \sin \phi$$

Clearing of fractions,

$$2v_i^2 \cos \theta \sin \theta \cos \phi - gd \cos^2 \phi = -2v_i^2 \cos^2 \theta \sin \phi$$

To maximize d as a function of θ , we differentiate through with respect to θ and set $\frac{dd}{d\theta} = 0$:

$$2v_i^2 \cos \theta \cos \theta \cos \phi + 2v_i^2 \sin \theta (-\sin \theta) \cos \phi - g \frac{dd}{d\theta} \cos^2 \phi = -2v_i^2 2 \cos \theta (-\sin \theta) \sin \phi$$

We use the trigonometric identities from Appendix B4 $\cos 2\theta = \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta$ and $\sin 2\theta = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta$ to find $\cos \phi \cos 2\theta = \sin 2\theta \sin \phi$. Next, $\frac{\sin \phi}{\cos \phi} = \tan \phi$ and $\cot 2\theta = \frac{1}{\tan 2\theta}$ give $\cot 2\theta = \tan \phi = \tan(90^\circ - 2\theta)$ so $\phi = 90^\circ - 2\theta$ and $\theta = 45^\circ - \frac{\phi}{2}$.