

2002 AP[®] CALCULUS AB FREE-RESPONSE QUESTIONS

3. An object moves along the x -axis with initial position $x(0) = 2$. The velocity of the object at time $t \geq 0$ is given by $v(t) = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3}t\right)$.

- (a) What is the acceleration of the object at time $t = 4$?
(b) Consider the following two statements.

Statement I: For $3 < t < 4.5$, the velocity of the object is decreasing.

Statement II: For $3 < t < 4.5$, the speed of the object is increasing.

Are either or both of these statements correct? For each statement provide a reason why it is correct or not correct.

- (c) What is the total distance traveled by the object over the time interval $0 \leq t \leq 4$?
(d) What is the position of the object at time $t = 4$?
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END OF PART A OF SECTION II