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Vectors

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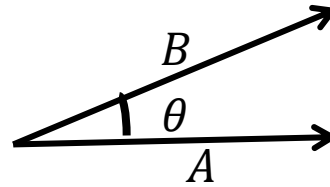
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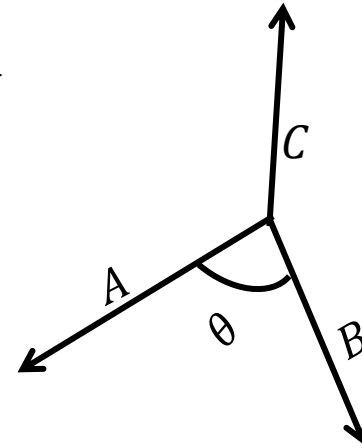
Review

Vector notation $\vec{A} = |A| \hat{A}$

Scalar product $\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B} = |A| |B| \cos \theta$



Vector product $\vec{A} \times \vec{B} = \vec{C}$; $|\vec{C}| = |A| |B| \sin \theta$



Motion under uniform acceleration governed by

$$\begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{v}(t) = \mathbf{v}_0 + \mathbf{a}t \\ \mathbf{r}(t) = \mathbf{r}_0 + \mathbf{v}_0 t + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a} t^2 \\ \mathbf{v}(t)^2 = \mathbf{v}_0^2 - 2\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{r}(t) \end{pmatrix}$$

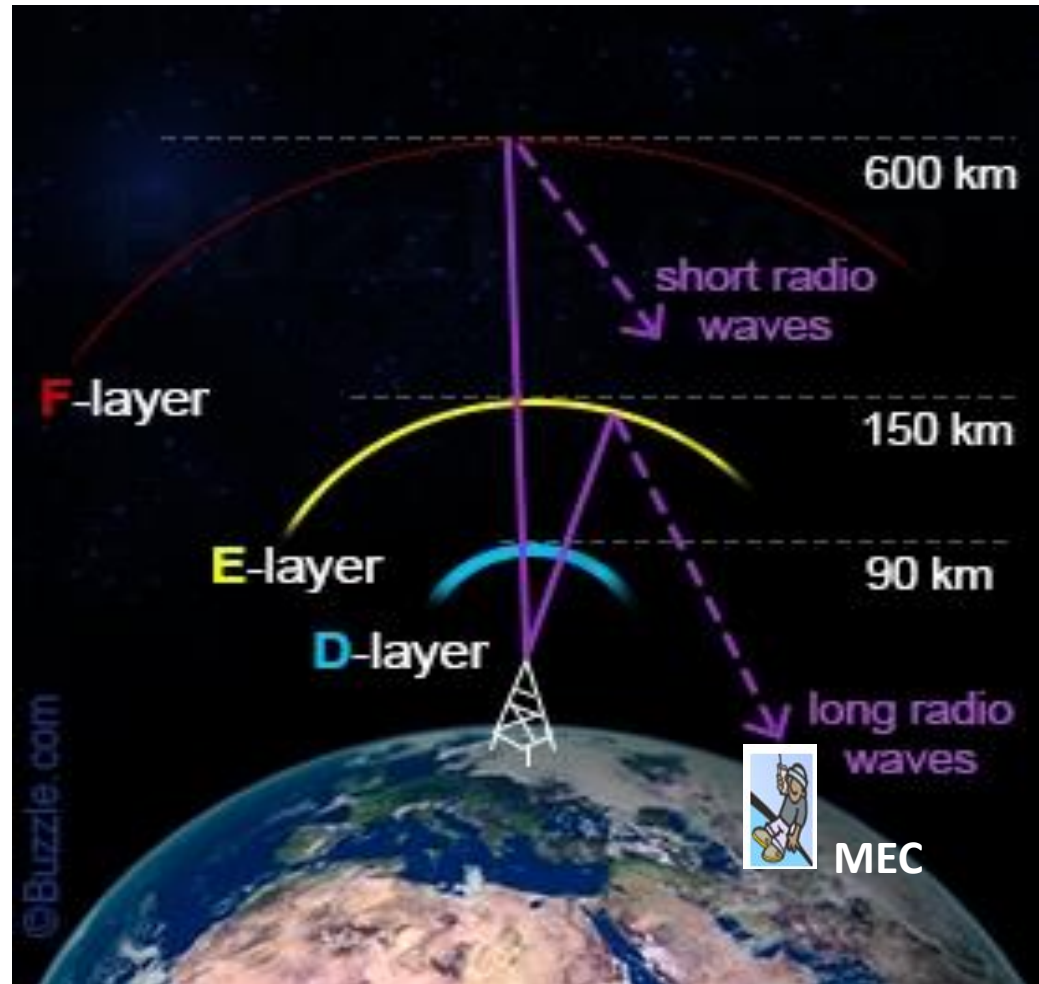
For non uniform acceleration:

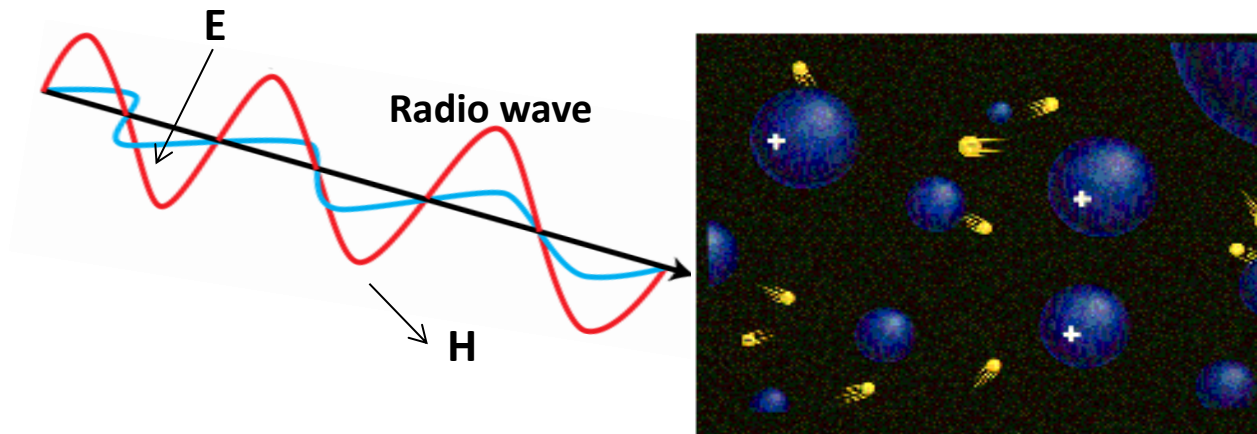
$$\mathbf{v}(t_1) = \mathbf{v}(t_0) + \int_{t_0}^{t_1} \mathbf{a}(t) dt$$

$$\mathbf{r}(t_1) = \mathbf{r}(t_0) + \int_{t_0}^{t_1} \mathbf{v}(t) dt$$

Non uniform acceleration

The effect of a radio wave on an ionospheric electrons





Electric field exerts force on electrons:

$$F = ma = -eE$$

where electric field in x direction given as $E = E_0 \sin \omega t$

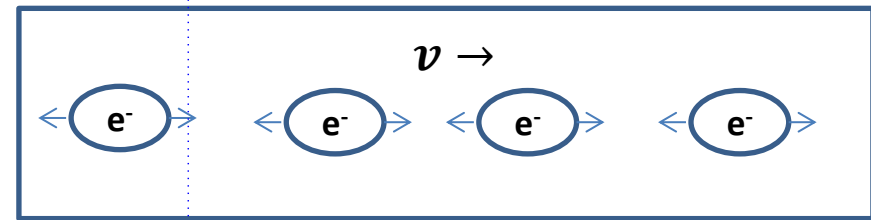
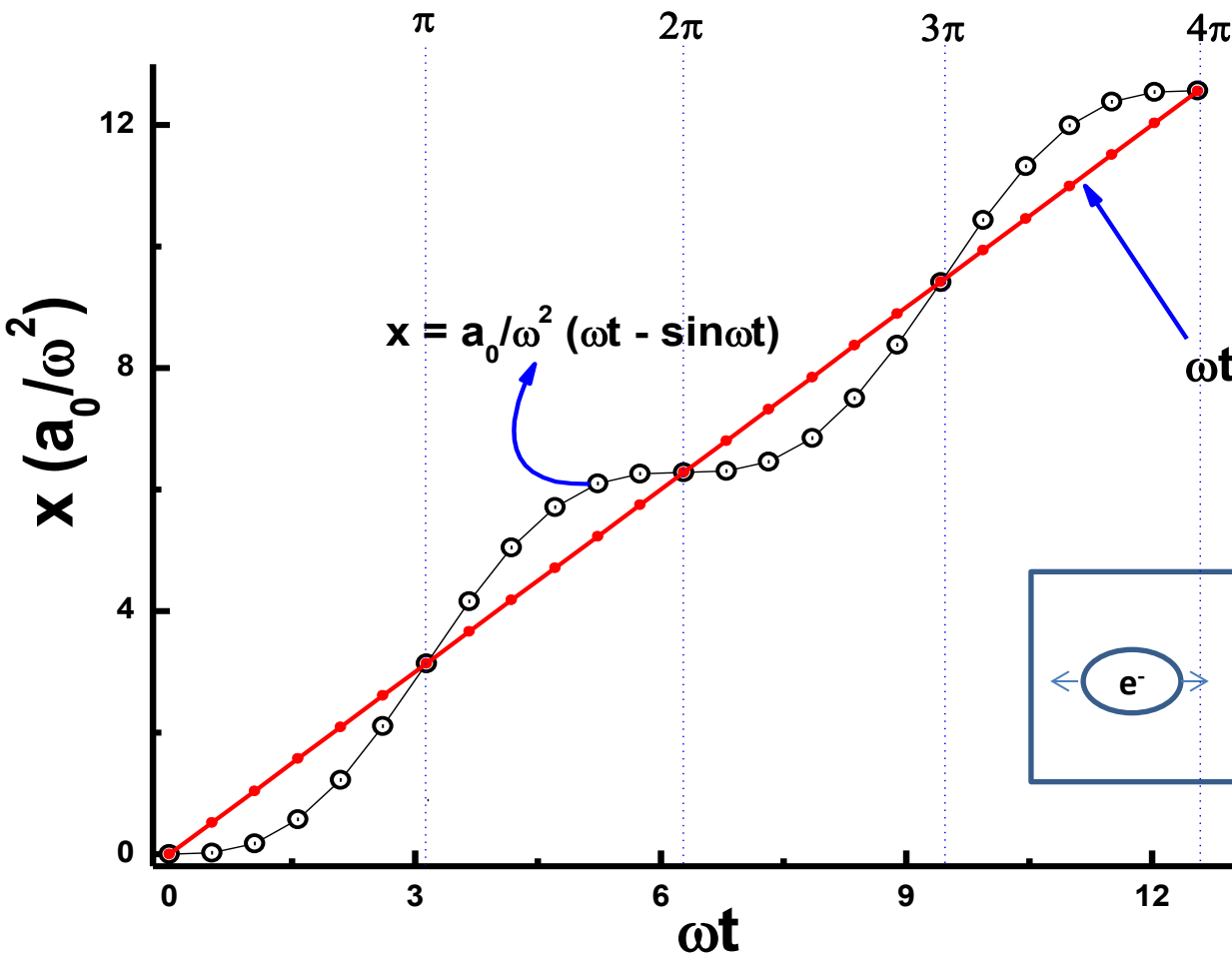
$$a = \frac{-eE_0}{m} \sin \omega t$$

$$a(t) = a_0 \sin \omega t \quad \text{where } a_0 = \frac{-eE_0}{m}$$

$$v(t) = \int_0^t a(t) dt = a_0 \int_0^t \sin \omega t dt = \frac{a_0}{\omega} (1 - \cos \omega t)$$

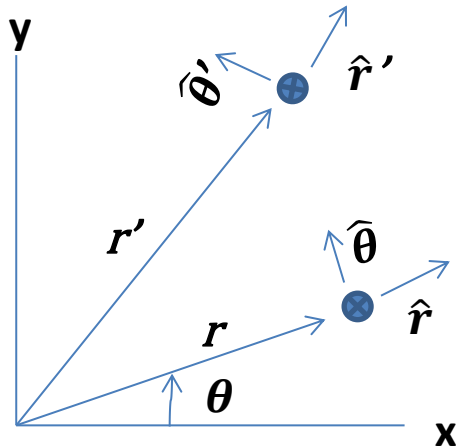
$$x(t) = \int_0^t v(t) dt = \frac{a_0}{\omega} \int_0^t (1 - \cos \omega t) dt = \frac{a_0}{\omega} t - \frac{a_0}{\omega^2} \sin \omega t$$

$$x = \frac{a_0}{\omega^2} (\omega t - \sin \omega t)$$



Motion in plane polar coordinates

-Direction of unit vectors (\hat{r} , $\hat{\theta}$) of polar coordinates change with in plane motion



$$\mathbf{r} = r \hat{r}(\theta)$$

-Unit vectors are function of θ but not r

$$d\hat{r} = 1 d\theta \hat{\theta} \quad \& \quad d\hat{\theta} = -1 d\theta \hat{r}$$

Time derivatives



$$\dot{\hat{r}} = \dot{\theta} \hat{\theta}$$

$$\dot{\hat{\theta}} = -\dot{\theta} \hat{r}$$

Position, velocity and accelerations

$$\mathbf{r} = r \hat{r}(\theta)$$

$$\mathbf{v} = \underset{\substack{\downarrow \\ v_r}}{\dot{r}} \hat{r} + r \underset{\substack{\downarrow \\ v_\theta}}{\dot{\theta}} \hat{\theta}$$

$$v = \sqrt{(v_r^2 + v_\theta^2)}$$

$$\mathbf{a} = (\ddot{r} - r\dot{\theta}^2) \hat{r} + (r\ddot{\theta} + 2\dot{r}\dot{\theta}) \hat{\theta}$$

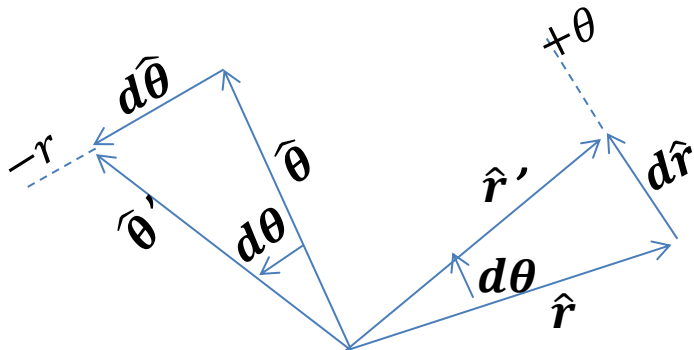
Radial acceleration

Centripetal acceleration

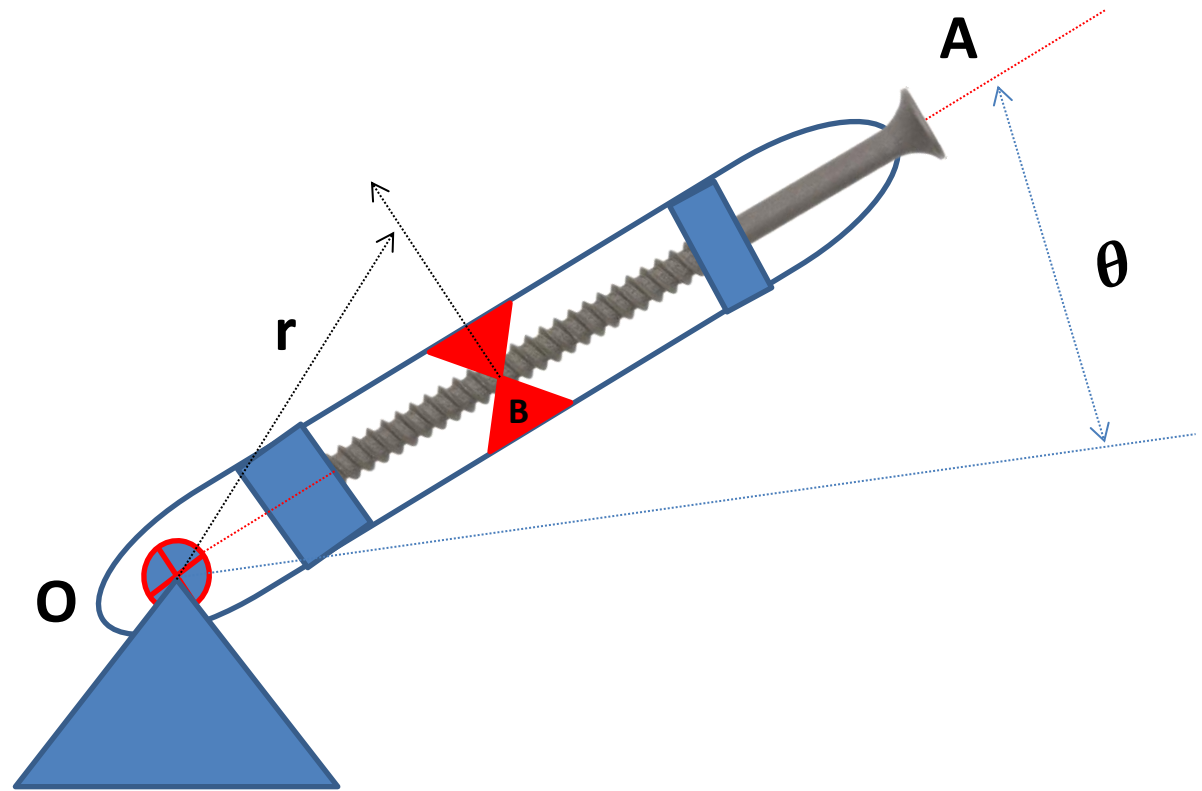
Tangential acceleration

Coriolis acceleration

$$a = \sqrt{(a_r^2 + a_\theta^2)}$$



Example



Rotation of the radially slotted arm is governed by $\theta = 0.2t + 0.02t^3$, where θ is in radians and t is in seconds. Simultaneously, the power screw in the arm engages the slider B and controls its distance from O according to $r = 0.2 + 0.04t^2$, where r is in meters and t is in seconds. Calculate the magnitudes of the velocity and acceleration of the slider for the instant when $t = 3$ s.

Hints:

The coordinates (r, θ) and their time derivatives used in velocity and acceleration formulas

$$r = 0.2t + 0.04t^2; \dot{r} = 0.08t; \ddot{r} = 0.08$$

$$\text{At } t = 3s, r = 0.56m; \dot{r} = 0.24m/s; \ddot{r} = 0.08 \frac{m}{s^2}$$

$$\theta = 0.2t + 0.02t^3; \dot{\theta} = 0.2 + 0.06t^2; \ddot{\theta} = 0.12t$$

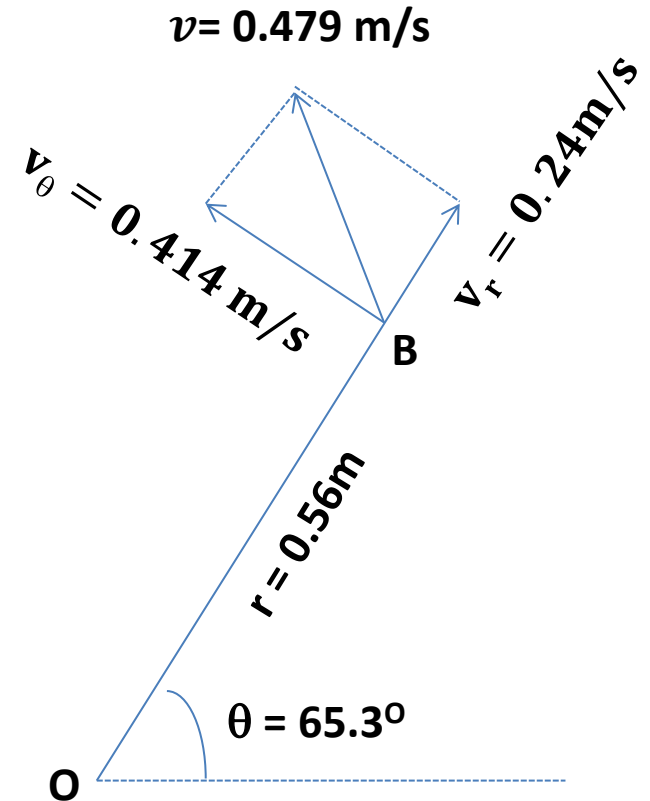
$$\text{At } t = 3s, \theta = 65.3^\circ; \dot{\theta} = 0.74 \text{ rad/s}; \ddot{\theta} = 0.36 \frac{\text{rad}}{s^2}$$

The velocity components

$$v_r = \dot{r} = 0.24m/s$$

$$v_\theta = r\dot{\theta} = 0.414 \text{ m/s}$$

$$v = \sqrt{(v_r^2 + v_\theta^2)} = 0.479 \text{ m/s}$$

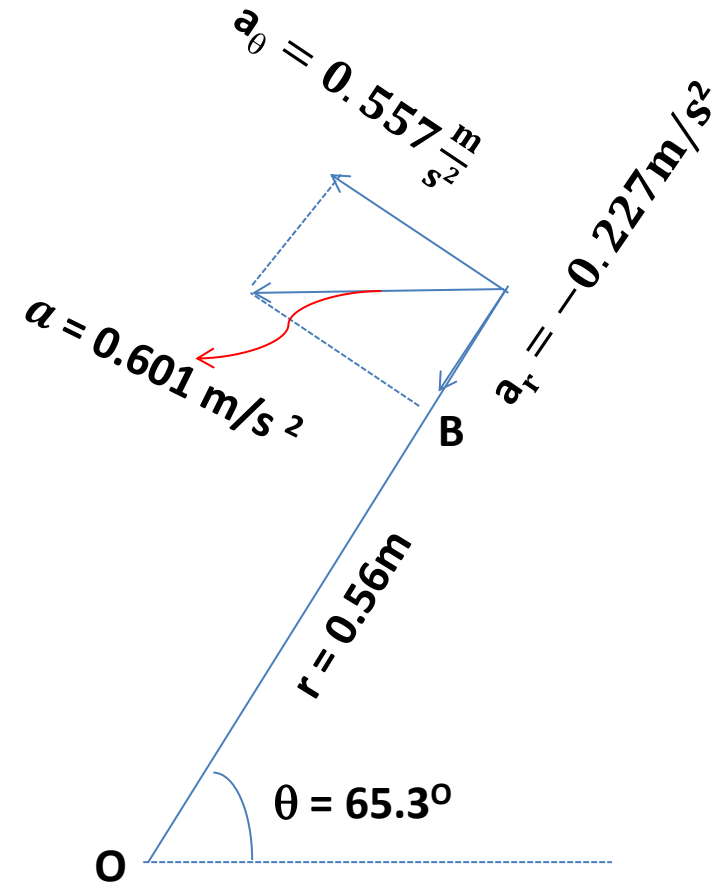


The acceleration components at t=3 sec

$$a_r = (\ddot{r} - r\dot{\theta}^2) = -0.227 \frac{m}{s^2}$$

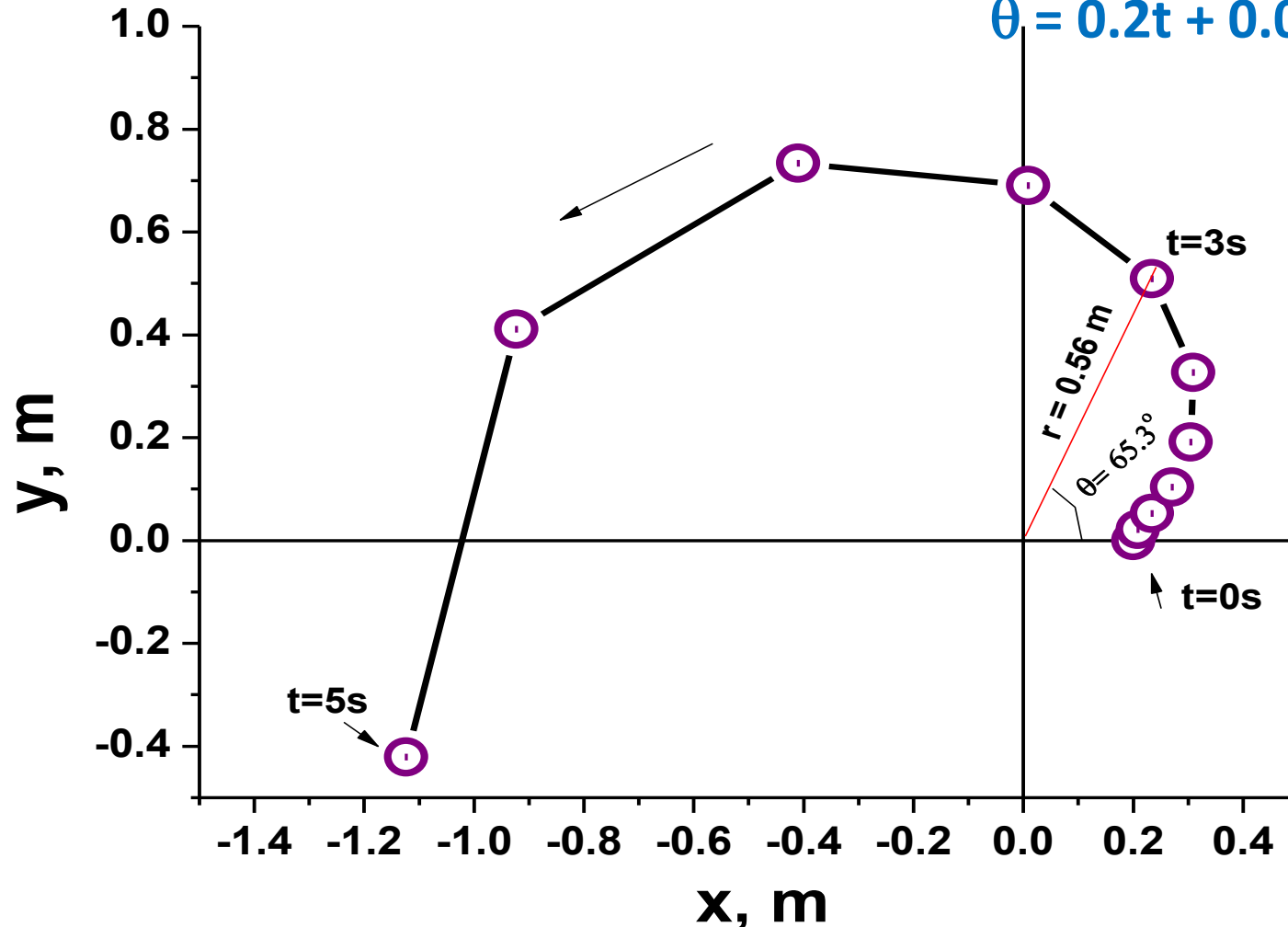
$$a = (r\ddot{\theta} + 2\dot{r}\dot{\theta}) = 0.557 \frac{m}{s^2}$$

$$a = \sqrt{(a_r^2 + a_\theta^2)} = 0.601 \frac{m}{s^2}$$



Sketch the motion of slider B over time interval $0 \leq t \leq 5s$

Using $x = r \cos \theta$, $y = r \sin \theta$ and
 $r = 0.2 + 0.04 t^2$
 $\theta = 0.2t + 0.02 t^3$



Thank you