

- 1 (a) State two conditions under which the following equation can be used to determine the displacement of an object in motion.

$$s = \frac{1}{2} at^2$$

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- (b) A ball is thrown with an initial velocity v at angle θ to the horizontal, as shown in Fig. 1.1.

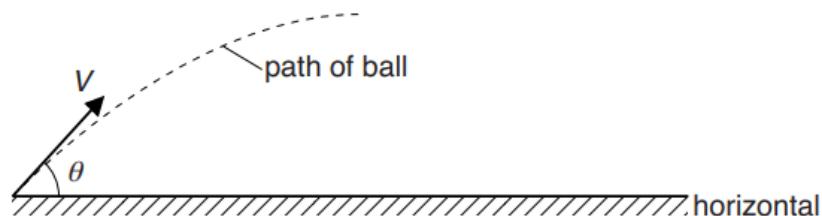


Fig. 1.1

The variation with time t of the height h of the ball is shown in Fig. 1.2.

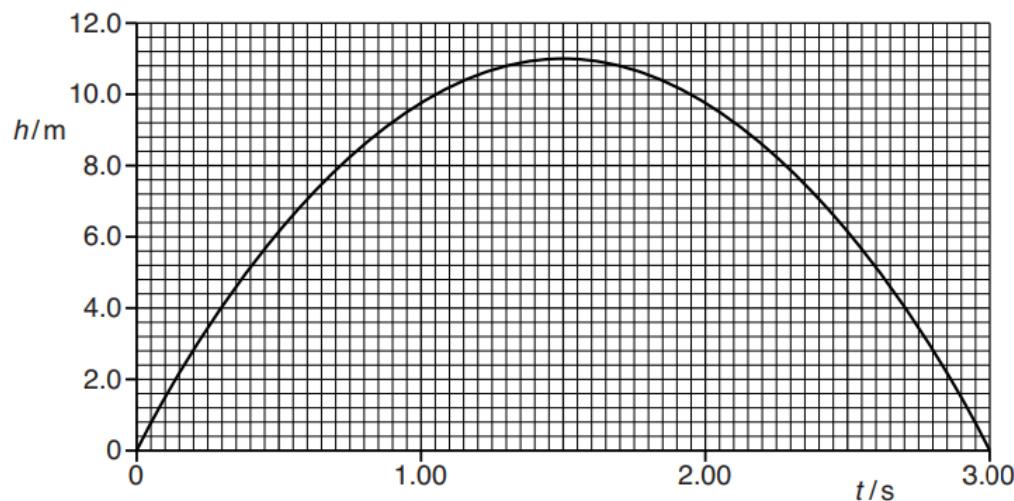


Fig. 1.2

- (i) Sketch the vertical component of the velocity of the ball with respect to time in Fig. 1.3.



Fig. 1.3

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- (ii) Hence, by using (b)(i), find the initial vertical velocity of the ball.

$$\text{vertical velocity} = \dots \text{m s}^{-1} \quad [1]$$

- (iii) Air resistance acting on the ball is actually not negligible. State and explain the effect of air resistance on the time taken for the ball to reach maximum height.

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