

- 3 A small bob of mass 0.50 kg is being swung by a string in an anticlockwise vertical circle, as shown in Fig. 3.1. The length of the string is 1.5 m.

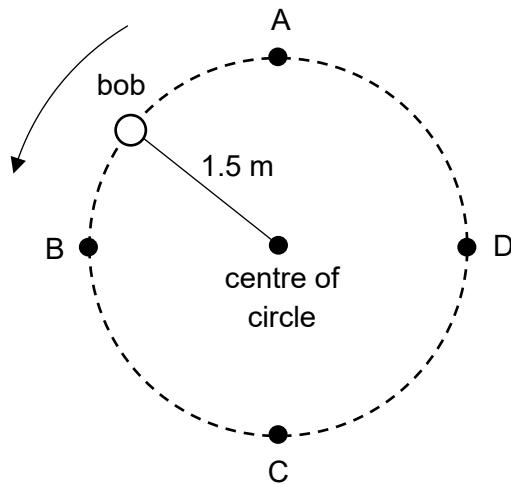


Fig. 3.1

- (a) State the angular displacement of the bob when it travels from A to B.

$$\text{angular displacement} = \dots \text{rad} \quad [1]$$

- (b) When the bob is at A, the tension in the string is 10 N.

Show that the velocity of the bob at A is 6.7 m s^{-1} .

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- (c) Calculate the velocity at B.

velocity = m s⁻¹ [2]

- (d) Calculate the angular velocity at B.

angular velocity = rad s⁻¹ [2]

- (e) (i) On Fig. 3.2, sketch and label the tension T and weight W experienced by the bob when it is at D. [1]

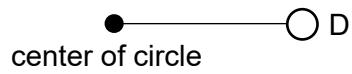


Fig. 3.2

- (ii) Explain whether the speed of the bob at D is increasing or decreasing.

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