

WebAssign code : wv 0615 7410

* Scientific notation

$$10^9 = 1000\ 000\ 000 = 1 \text{ billion}$$

$$10^9 : \text{giga, G} \quad (Gm = 10^9 \text{ m})$$

$$10^6 : \text{mega, M}$$

$$10^3 : \text{kilo, k}$$

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$$10^{-2} : \text{centi, c}$$

$$1 \text{ cm} = 10^{-2} \text{ m} = 0.01 \text{ m}$$

$$10^{-3} : \text{milli, m}$$

$$10^{-6} : \text{micro, } \mu$$

$$10^{-9} : \text{nano, n}$$

$$10^{-12} : \text{pico, p} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \\ \end{array} \right\}$$

$$ES = \times 10^5$$

$$10^5 = 1 \times 10^5 = 1 \text{ E } 5$$

$$10 \times 10^5 = 10^6$$

$$\begin{aligned} 1 \text{ m}^3 &= (100 \text{ cm})^3 = (100)^3 \text{ cm}^3 \\ &= 10^6 \text{ cm}^3 \\ &= 1000\ 000 \text{ cm}^3 \end{aligned}$$

* Unit conversion: "multiply by 1"

$$30 \text{ mpg} \rightarrow \text{km/l}$$

$$\left(\cancel{30 \text{ mpg}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ }}{1 \text{ }} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ }}{1 \text{ }} \right) \\ \left(30 \frac{\text{miles}}{\text{gallon}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1.609 \text{ km}}{1 \text{ mile}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ gallon}}{3.786 \text{ l}} \right)$$

$$= \left(30 \times 1.609 \times \frac{1}{3.786} \right) \text{ km/l}$$

$$= 12.8 \text{ km/l}$$

* Scaling laws:

1) Why aren't there huge ants?

ant 1 (small)

$$L_1 = 1 \text{ cm}$$

ant 2 (large)

$$L_2 = 1 \text{ m} = 100 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{Weight} \sim \text{Volume} \sim (\text{Length})^3 \sim L^3$$

$$\text{Strength} \sim \text{Area} \sim (\text{Length})^2 \sim L^2$$

(of legs)

$$\text{Relative Strength} \sim \frac{\text{Strength}}{\text{Weight}} \sim \frac{(\text{Length})^2}{(\text{Length})^3} \sim \frac{1}{\text{Length}}$$

large ant 2 has Relative Strength that is 100x smaller than ant 1

2) Cell viability, cell radius R

$$\text{oxygen use} \sim \text{Volume} \sim R^3$$

$$\text{oxygen absorption} \sim \text{Area} \sim R^2$$

$$\text{Viability factor} \sim \frac{\text{Oxygen absorption}}{\text{Oxygen use}} \sim \frac{1}{R}$$

low viability \rightarrow cell can't survive
large cells }



oxygen absorption \sim Area $\sim L \cdot 2\pi R$

oxygen use \sim Volume $\sim \pi R^2 L$

viability factor $\sim \frac{\text{Area}}{\text{Volume}} \sim \frac{2\pi R}{\pi R^2} \sim \frac{1}{R}$

* Scalars vs. vector

scalar = quantity without direction
↳ only has a magnitude
time, mass, temperature

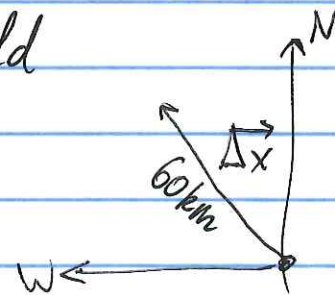
vectors = quantities with both magnitude and a direction

velocity, displacement, force
change in position

Example: magnitude = 60 km
direction = NW

$\Delta \vec{x}$, $\Delta \overline{x}$, $\underline{\Delta x}$, bold

coordinate system



vectors are the same if magnitude AND direction is the same
regardless of where they apply

$|\Delta \vec{x}|$ = magnitude of displacement vector
60 km = scalar

* Kinematics vs. Dynamics

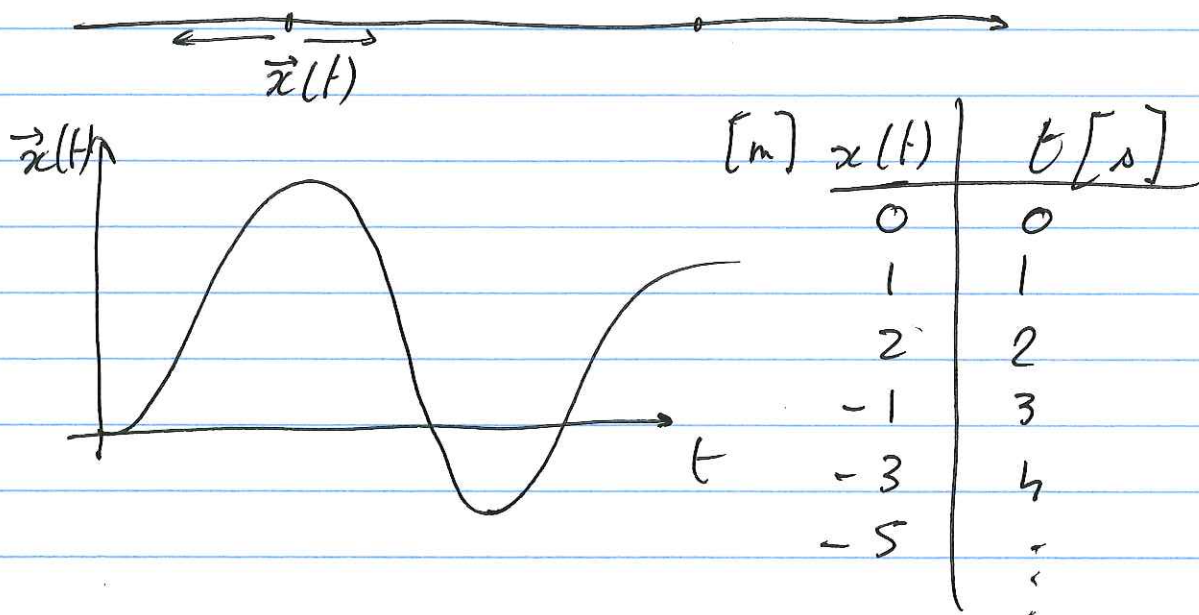
kinematics = study of motion without regards
to its origins
chapter 2-3

dynamics = study of motion and its causes
chapter 4-5

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Galileo, Newton (1600-1675)

* 1D kinematics

direction of vectors in 1D = + or - sign



$$\text{average speed} = \frac{\text{total distance}}{\text{total time}} = \frac{d}{\Delta t}$$

= scalar

$$\text{average velocity} = \frac{\text{displacement}}{\text{total time}} = \frac{\Delta \vec{x}}{\Delta t}$$

= vector = \vec{v}_{avg}