

Applied Physics.

Assignment 1

BSSE23058 section A

Q1

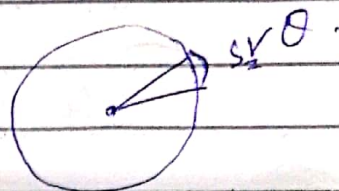
$$1 \text{ nt.mi} = 1.151 \text{ mi} \text{ or } 1852 \text{ m}$$

$$\text{House} \xrightarrow{2.3 \text{ nt.mi}} \text{ASTP}$$

$$2.3 \times 1.151 = 2.65 \text{ mi}$$

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$$2.3 \times 1852 = 4260 \text{ m}$$



$$1 \text{ min} = \frac{1}{60} \times \frac{\pi}{180} = \frac{\pi}{10800}$$

$$s = r\theta$$

$$= 4260 \times \frac{\pi}{10800} = 1.23$$

≈ 1.23 degrees in a minute arc.

Q2

a. $1 \text{ hr} = 1.44 \times 10^{13}$ calculation steps.

$$n = 1 \text{ calculation steps}$$

$$n = 6.94 \times 10^{-14} \text{ hr}$$

It takes $6.94 \times 10^{-14} \text{ hr}$ to perform one calculation step.

$$1 \text{ hr} = 1.44 \times 10^{13} \text{ c.steps.}$$

$$\frac{1 \times 60 \times 60 \text{ ns}}{10^{-9}} = 1.44 \times 10^{13} \text{ c.steps}$$

$$1 \text{ ns} = ?$$

$$1 \text{ ns} = 4 \text{ calculation steps.}$$

In one ns, 4 calculation steps can be performed.

b. $8 \text{ ft } 11.1 \text{ inch} \rightarrow \text{m}$

$$8 + (11.1 \times \frac{1}{12}) = 8.925 \text{ ft}$$

$$1 \text{ ft} = 0.3048 \text{ m}$$

$$8.925 \text{ ft} = n \text{ m}$$

$$2.72034 \text{ m} = n$$

$$8 \text{ ft } 11.1 \text{ inch} = 2.72034 \text{ m (6 sig. fig.)}$$

$$1918 - 1940 \quad 22 \text{ years.}$$

$$\frac{\text{growth}}{\text{rate}} = \frac{2.72034}{22}$$

$$= 0.124 \text{ meter/year.}$$

Q3 a. Mr of $\text{N}_2 = 2 \times 14 = 28$

$$\text{molecular mass} = \frac{\% \text{ of } \text{N}_2}{100} \times \text{Mr}$$

$$\% \text{N}_2 = \frac{75.5}{100} \times 28 = 21.14$$

$$\text{molecular mass of } \text{O}_2 = \frac{23.2}{100} \times 2 \times 16 = 7.424$$

$$\text{molecular mass of Ar} = \frac{1.3}{100} \times 1.8 = 0.234$$

$$\text{Average Molecular Mass of air} = 21.14 + 7.424 + 0.234$$

$$= 29.02$$

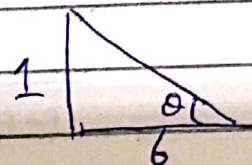
$$\Rightarrow 6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ molecules of air would have.}$$

$$\text{a mass of } 29.02 \text{ grams.}$$

b. The scientist should use second as the fundamental unit to describe the measurement. In 1 minute the bird beats its wings 3000 times, for more precise measurement the scientist should use $\frac{1}{1000} = 10^{-3}$ millisecond. (ms).

Q4

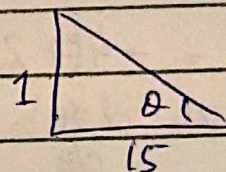
angle to use for 1 step 6 atoms.



$$\tan \theta = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$\theta = 9.46^\circ$$

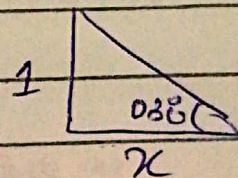
angle to use for 1 step 15 atoms



$$\tan \theta = \frac{1}{15}$$

$$\theta = 3.81^\circ$$

angle = 0.30° step = 1 atoms = x



$$\tan 0.30 = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$x = \frac{1}{\tan 0.30}$$

$$x \approx 191 \text{ atoms.}$$

Q5 a. Displacement = $-2-0$
 $0 \leq t \leq 1 = -2\text{m}$

Displacement = $6 - (-2)$
 $1 \leq t \leq 3 = 8\text{m}$

b. $\bar{v} = \frac{-2-0}{1-0} = -2\text{m/s}$ for $0 \leq t \leq 1$

$\bar{v} = \frac{6 - (-2)}{3-1} = 4\text{m/s}$ for $1 \leq t \leq 3$

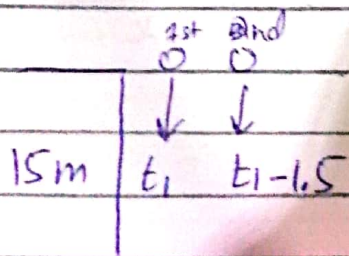
c. $x = -4t + 2t^2$

$v = \frac{dx}{dt}$

$v = -4 + 2(2)t$
 $= -4 + 4t$

$v(t=2.5) = -4 + 4(2.5)$
 $= 6\text{m/s}$

Q6



a. $t_1 = 1.5\text{s}$
 $s = ?$

$a = g = 9.81\text{m/s}^2$
 $v_0 = 0\text{m/s}$

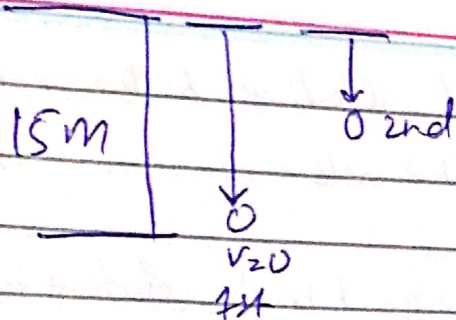
$s = v_0 t + \frac{1}{2} g t^2$

$= 0 \times 1.5 + \frac{1}{2} (9.81) (1.5)^2$

$s \approx 11.036\text{m}$

$s \approx 11.0\text{m}$

1st ball has travelled 11.0m when the second ball is released.
 1st ball is approximately 4m from ground.



$t_1 = ?$ - time taken for 1st ball to hit ground.

$$S = 15m$$

$$V_0 = 0m/s$$

$$V = 0m/s$$

$$a = 9.81m/s^2$$

$$S = V_0 t_1 + \frac{1}{2} a t_1^2$$

$$15 = 0 \times t_1 + \frac{1}{2} (9.81) t_1^2$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{15 \times 2}{9.81}} = t_1$$

$$1.75s = t_1$$

$$t_2 = 1.75 - 1.5$$

$$t_2 = 0.25s$$

$$a = 9.81m/s^2$$

$$V_0 = 0m/s$$

$$S_2 = ?$$

$$S_2 = V_0 t + \frac{1}{2} a t^2$$

$$= 0 \times 0.25 + \frac{1}{2} \times 9.81 \times (0.25)^2$$

$S_2 = 0.31m$ - distance travelled by 2nd ball when 1st ball hits ground, approximately 14.7m above the ground.

b. $t_1 = 1.75s$ (1st ball) $V_{f1} = V_0 + at$
 $g = 9.81m/s^2$
 $V_0 = 0m/s$
 $V_{f1} = ?$
 $= 0 + 9.81 \times 1.75$
 $= 17.2m/s$

$t_2 = 1.75 - 1.5$ (2nd ball)
 $= 0.25s$
 $V_{f2} = 9.81 \times 0.25$
 $V_0 = 0m/s$
 $g = 9.81m/s^2$
 $V_{f2} = ?$
 $= 2.6$

The ^{tan} instantaneous velocity of the first ball relative to the second just before it hits the ground is 17.2 m/s.

- c. The instantaneous acceleration of the first ball relative to the second is the same as the acceleration due to gravity ~~which is 9.8 m/s^2~~ . It is due to the balls being in free fall, but if seen relative to each other, it is 0 m/s^2 .

Q7

a. $A \rightarrow 100 \text{ km/h}$
P after 6 s $\rightarrow 110 \text{ km/h}$
 $v_i = 0$ in 10 s.

$$100 \text{ km/h} \times \frac{1000}{3600} = \frac{250}{9} \text{ m/s}$$

$$d = \frac{250}{9} \times 6$$

$$= 166.67 \text{ m}$$

distance travelled by speeder = 166.7 m ahead of police cruiser.

b. $110 \times \frac{1000}{3600} = 30.56 \text{ m/s}$

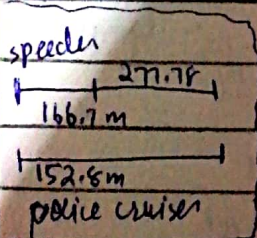
$$a = \frac{30.56 - 0}{10} = 3.056 \text{ m/s}^2$$

Distance covered by police car during 10 sec. $= v_0 t + \frac{1}{2} a t^2$

$$= 0 \times 10 + \frac{1}{2} \times 3.056 \times (10)^2$$

$$= 152.8 \text{ m}$$

Distance covered by speeder during 10 sec $= \frac{250}{9} \times 10 = 277.78 \text{ m}$



Distance ahead of cruiser of the speeder $= (166.7 + 277.78) - 152.8$
 $= 291.7 \text{ m}$

c. Distance covered by police cruiser - Distance covered by speeder $= \frac{30.56 - 250}{9} t^2 + 30.56 t - \frac{250}{9} t$
 $= 2.78 \text{ or } \frac{25}{9}$

$$t^2 + \frac{25}{9}t - \frac{25}{9} = 0$$

$$9t^2 + 25t - 25 = 0$$

$$t = \frac{-25 \pm \sqrt{(25)^2 - 4(9)(-25)}}{2(9)} = 0.78s$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Distance covered} &= 16.8 \times \frac{250}{9} \\ &= 466.7m \end{aligned}$$

$$t = 0.78 + 6 + 10 = 16.8s$$

Q8

From rest (displacement = 0) to B, object is accelerating

At B, object is at rest.

From B to C, object is decelerating.

Instantaneous velocity at A, B and C = slopes of line (tangents)

$$V_A = \frac{12-3}{4-0} = \frac{9}{4} = 2.25 \text{ m/s}$$

$$V_B = 0 \text{ m/s (slope = 0)}$$

$$V_C = \frac{5.5-13}{15-8.5} = -1.15 \text{ m/s}$$

Q9

$$a. \quad x = 3.5t - 0.45t^2 + 1.5t^3$$

$$x_{t=0} = 3.5(0) - 0.45(0)^2 + 1.5(0)^3$$

$$x_{t=0} = 0 \text{ m/s}$$

$$x_{t=5} = 3.5(5) - (0.45)(5)^2 + (1.5)(5)^3$$

$$x_{t=5} = 193.75$$

$$\text{Average speed} = \frac{193.75 - 0}{5 - 0}$$

$$= 38.75 \text{ m/s}$$

$$b. \quad V = \frac{V_0}{(1 + At + Bt^2)}$$

$$= V_0 (1 + At + Bt^2)^{-1}$$

$$V = 50(1 + 2.0t + 0.5t^2)^{-1}$$

$$a = \frac{dv}{dt}$$

$$a = 50 \times -1 (1 + 2.0t + 0.5t^2)^{-2} \times (2.0 + 0.5 \times 2t)$$

$$a = \frac{-50(2.0 + t)}{(1 + 2.0t + 0.5t^2)^2}$$

$$a \text{ when } t = 0 = \frac{-50(2.0 + 0)}{(1 + 2(0) + 0.5(0)^2)^2}$$

$$a_{t=0} = -100$$

$$a_{t=2} = \frac{-50(2+2)}{(1+2(2)+0.5(2)^2)^2}$$

$$= \frac{-200}{49} = -4.08$$

$$a_{t=\infty} = \frac{-50(2+\infty)}{(1+2(\infty)+0.5(\infty)^2)^2}$$

$$= -\infty$$

$$c. \quad a = At + Bt^2 + Ct^3$$

$$\int a = \int 10t + 30t^2 + 20t^3$$

$$v = \frac{10t^2}{2} + \frac{30t^3}{3} + \frac{20t^4}{4} + C$$

$$v = 5t^2 + 10t^3 + 5t^4 + C$$

$$(v=0 \text{ at } t=0)$$

$$0 = C$$

$$\int v = \int 5t^2 + 10t^3 + 5t^4$$

$$d = \frac{5t^3}{3} + \frac{10t^4}{4} + \frac{5t^5}{5}$$

$$d = \frac{5}{3}t^3 + \frac{5}{2}t^4 + t^5$$

$$d_{t=1} = \frac{5}{3} + \frac{5}{2} + 1 = \frac{31}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow t=2 \quad v = 5(2)^2 + 10(2)^3 + 5(2)^4$$

$$v = 180 \text{ m/s}$$

$$dt_{22} = \frac{5}{3}(2)^3 + \frac{5}{2}(2)^4 + (2)^5$$

$$= \frac{256}{3}$$

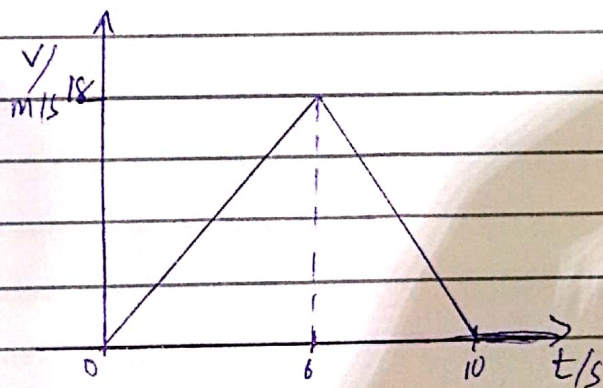
$$\begin{aligned} \text{distance travelled} &= dt_{22} - dt_{21} \\ &= \frac{256}{3} - \frac{31}{6} \\ &= 80.2 \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

Q10 Acceleration-time graph.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area between 0 to 6} &= 3 \times 6 \\ &= 18. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area b/w 6 to 10} &= 4.5 \times 4 \\ &= 18. \end{aligned}$$

Area \rightarrow P-t } slope
Area \rightarrow V-t } slope
Area \rightarrow a-t } slope



velocity time graph.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area b/w 0 to 6} &= \frac{1}{2} \times 18 \times 6 \\ &= 54 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area b/w 6 to 10} &= \frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times 18 \\ &= 36 \end{aligned}$$

