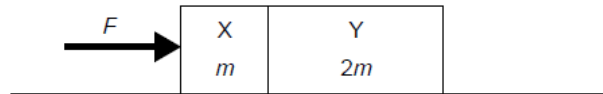


# Projectile [86 marks]

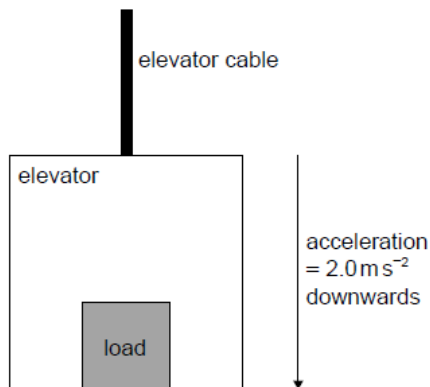
1. An object is released from rest in the gravitational field of the Earth. Air resistance is negligible. How far does the object move during [1 mark] the fourth second of its motion?
- A. 15 m
  - B. 25 m
  - C. 35 m
  - D. 45 m

2. Two boxes in contact are pushed along a floor with a force  $F$ . The boxes move at a constant speed. Box X has a mass  $m$  and box Y [1 mark] has a mass  $2m$ .



What is the resultant force acting on Y?

- A. 0
  - B.  $\frac{F}{2}$
  - C.  $F$
  - D.  $2F$
3. An elevator (lift) and its load have a total mass of 750 kg and accelerate vertically downwards at  $2.0 \text{ m s}^{-2}$ . [1 mark]

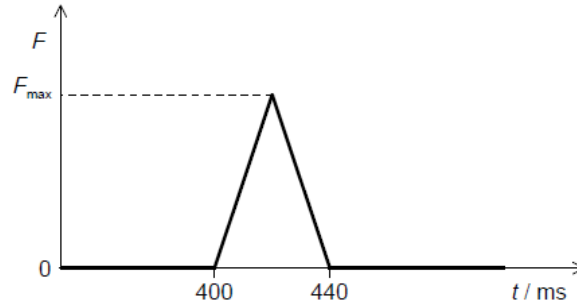


What is the tension in the elevator cable?

- A. 1.5 kN
  - B. 6.0 kN
  - C. 7.5 kN
  - D. 9.0 kN
4. A ball is tossed vertically upwards with a speed of  $5.0 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ . After how many seconds will the ball return to its initial position? [1 mark]
- A. 0.50 s
  - B. 1.0 s
  - C. 1.5 s
  - D. 2.0 s

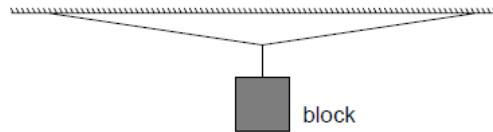
5. A net force acts on a body. Which characteristic of the body will definitely change? [1 mark]
- Speed
  - Momentum
  - Kinetic energy
  - Direction of motion

6. A ball of mass 0.2 kg strikes a force sensor and sticks to it. Just before impact the ball is travelling horizontally at a speed of 4.0 m s<sup>-1</sup>. The graph shows the variation with time  $t$  of the force  $F$  recorded by the sensor. [1 mark]



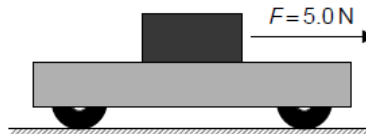
What is  $F_{\max}$ ?

- 2 N
  - 4 N
  - 20 N
  - 40 N
7. A block of weight  $W$  is suspended by two strings of equal length. The strings are almost horizontal. [1 mark]



What is correct about the tension  $T$  in one string?

- $T < \frac{W}{2}$
  - $T = \frac{W}{2}$
  - $\frac{W}{2} < T \leq W$
  - $T > W$
8. A block of mass 1.0 kg rests on a trolley of mass 4.0 kg. The coefficient of dynamic friction between the block and the trolley is 0.30. [1 mark]

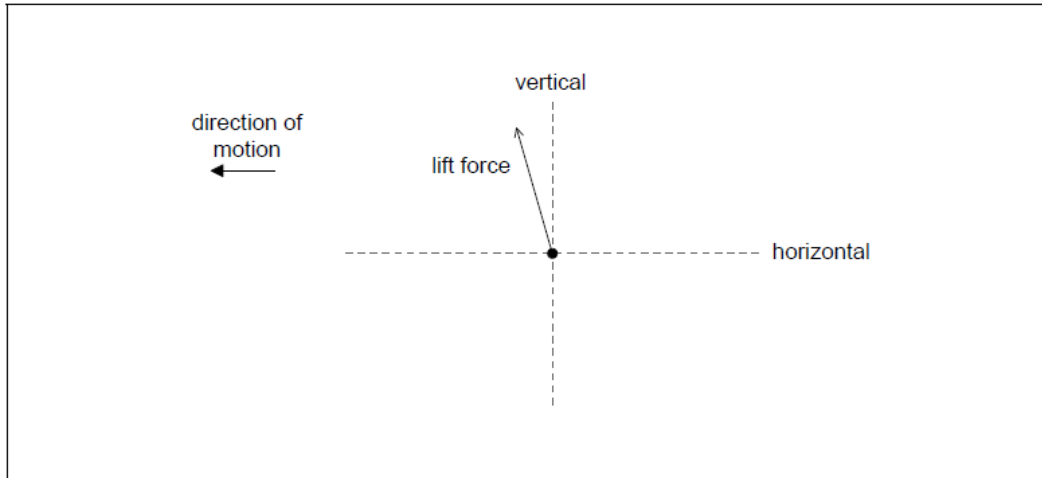


A horizontal force  $F = 5.0$  N acts on the block. The block slides over the trolley. What is the acceleration of the trolley?

- 5.0 m s<sup>-2</sup>
  - 1.0 m s<sup>-2</sup>
  - 0.75 m s<sup>-2</sup>
  - 0.60 m s<sup>-2</sup>
- 9a. The glider reaches its launch speed of 27.0 m s<sup>-1</sup> after accelerating for 11.0 s. Assume that the glider moves horizontally until it leaves the ground. Calculate the total distance travelled by the glider before it leaves the ground. [2 marks]

- 9b. The glider and pilot have a total mass of 492 kg. During the acceleration the glider is subject to an average resistive force of 160 N. [3 marks]  
Determine the average tension in the cable as the glider accelerates.

- 9c. The cable is pulled by an electric motor. The motor has an overall efficiency of 23 %. Determine the average power input to the motor. [3 marks]
- 9d. The cable is wound onto a cylinder of diameter 1.2 m. Calculate the angular velocity of the cylinder at the instant when the glider has a speed of  $27 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ . Include an appropriate unit for your answer. [2 marks]
- 9e. After takeoff the cable is released and the unpowered glider moves horizontally at constant speed. The wings of the glider provide a lift force. The diagram shows the lift force acting on the glider and the direction of motion of the glider. [2 marks]



Draw the forces acting on the glider to complete the free-body diagram. The dotted lines show the horizontal and vertical directions.

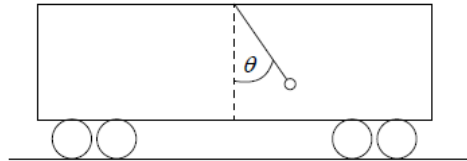
- 9f. Explain, using appropriate laws of motion, how the forces acting on the glider maintain it in level flight. [2 marks]
- 9g. At a particular instant in the flight the glider is losing 1.00 m of vertical height for every 6.00 m that it goes forward horizontally. At this instant, the horizontal speed of the glider is  $12.5 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ . Calculate the **velocity** of the glider. Give your answer to an appropriate number of significant figures. [3 marks]
10. Two objects  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  approach each other along a straight line with speeds  $v_1$  and  $v_2$  as shown. The objects collide and stick together. [1 mark]



What is the total change of linear momentum of the objects as a result of the collision?

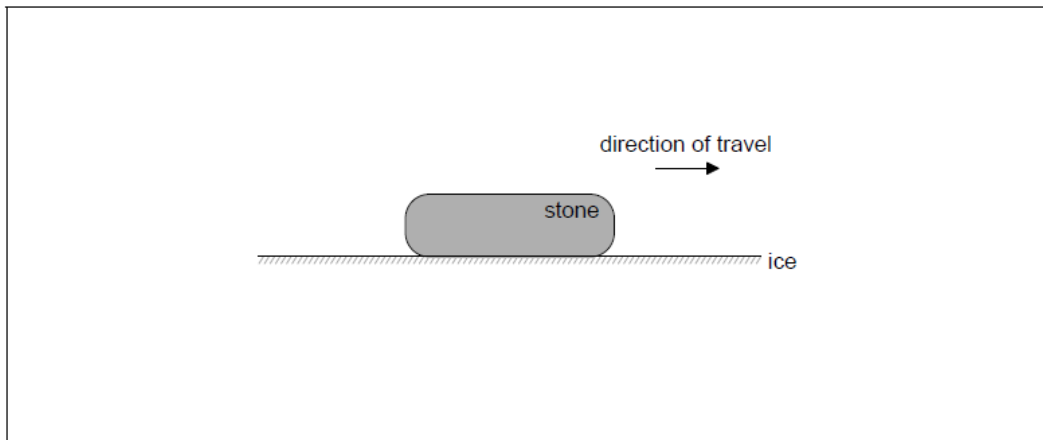
- A.  $m_1 v_1 + m_2 v_2$   
 B.  $m_1 v_1 - m_2 v_2$   
 C.  $m_2 v_2 - m_1 v_1$   
 D. zero

11. A mass is suspended from the ceiling of a train carriage by a string. The string makes an angle  $\theta$  with the vertical when the train is accelerating along a straight horizontal track. [4 marks]



What is the acceleration of the train?

- A.  $g \sin \theta$   
 B.  $g \cos \theta$   
 C.  $g \tan \theta$   
 D.  $\frac{g}{\tan \theta}$
- 12a. Determine the coefficient of dynamic friction between the stone and the ice during the last 14.0 s of the stone's motion. [3 marks]
- 12b. The diagram shows the stone during its motion **after** release. [3 marks]

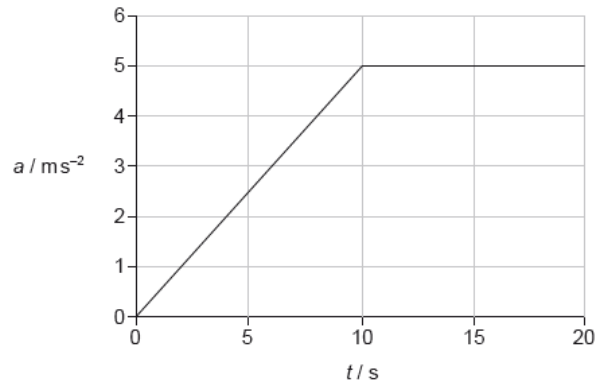


Label the diagram to show the forces acting on the stone. Your answer should include the name, the direction **and** point of application of each force.

13. An object of mass  $m$  rests on a horizontal plane. The angle  $\theta$  that the plane makes with the horizontal is slowly increased from zero. [1 mark]  
 When  $\theta = \theta_0$ , the object begins to slide. What are the coefficient of static friction  $\mu_s$  and the normal reaction force  $N$  of the plane at  $\theta = \theta_0$ ?

	$\mu_s$	$N$
A.	$\sin \theta_0$	$mg \cos \theta_0$
B.	$\tan \theta_0$	$mg \sin \theta_0$
C.	$\sin \theta_0$	$mg \sin \theta_0$
D.	$\tan \theta_0$	$mg \cos \theta_0$

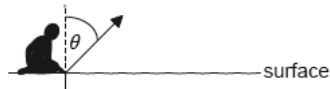
14. An object is at rest at time  $t = 0$ . The variation with  $t$  of the acceleration  $a$  of the object is shown from  $t = 0$  to  $t = 20$  s. [1 mark]



What is the speed of the object when  $t = 15$  s?

- A.  $25 \text{ m s}^{-1}$   
B.  $50 \text{ m s}^{-1}$   
C.  $75 \text{ m s}^{-1}$   
D.  $100 \text{ m s}^{-1}$
15. Which of the following is proportional to the net external force acting on a body? [1 mark]
- A. Speed  
B. Velocity  
C. Rate of change of speed  
D. Rate of change of velocity

16. A student throws a stone with velocity  $v$  at an angle  $\theta$  to the vertical from the surface of a lake. Air resistance can be ignored. The acceleration due to gravity is  $g$ . [1 mark]



What is the time taken for the stone to hit the surface of the lake?

- A.  $\frac{v \sin \theta}{g}$   
B.  $\frac{v \cos \theta}{g}$   
C.  $\frac{2v \sin \theta}{g}$   
D.  $\frac{2v \cos \theta}{g}$
- 17a. Show that the time taken for B to pass I is approximately 28 s. [4 marks]
- 17b. Calculate the distance travelled by B in this time. [2 marks]
- 17c. B slows down while I remains at a constant speed. The driver in each car wears a seat belt. Using Newton's laws of motion, explain the difference in the tension in the seat belts of the two cars. [3 marks]
- 17d. Calculate the speed of O immediately before the collision. [2 marks]
- 17e. The duration of the collision is 0.45 s. Determine the average force acting on O. [2 marks]
- 17f. An ammeter and a voltmeter are used to investigate the characteristics of a variable resistor of resistance  $R$ . State how the resistance of the ammeter and of the voltmeter compare to  $R$  so that the readings of the instruments are reliable. [2 marks]

17g. Show that the current in the circuit is approximately 0.70 A when  $R = 0.80 \Omega$ . [3 marks]

17h. Outline what is meant by the internal resistance of a cell. [2 marks]

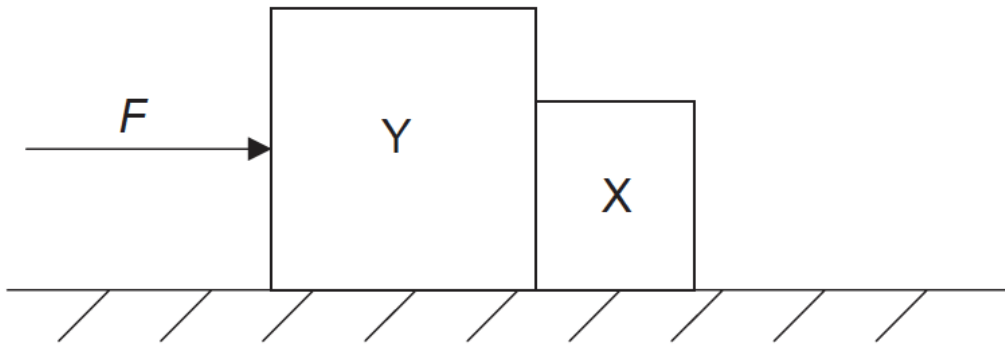
17i. Determine the internal resistance of the cell. [3 marks]

17j. Calculate the electromotive force (emf) of the cell. [2 marks]

18. Which statement applies to an object in translational equilibrium? [1 mark]

- A. The object must be stationary.
- B. The object must be moving with constant acceleration.
- C. The resultant force acting on the object must be zero.
- D. There must be no external forces acting on the object.

19. A constant horizontal force  $F$  is applied to a block Y. Block Y is in contact with a separate block X. [1 mark]



The blocks remain in contact as they accelerate along a horizontal frictionless surface. Y has a greater mass than X. Air resistance is negligible.

Which statement is correct?

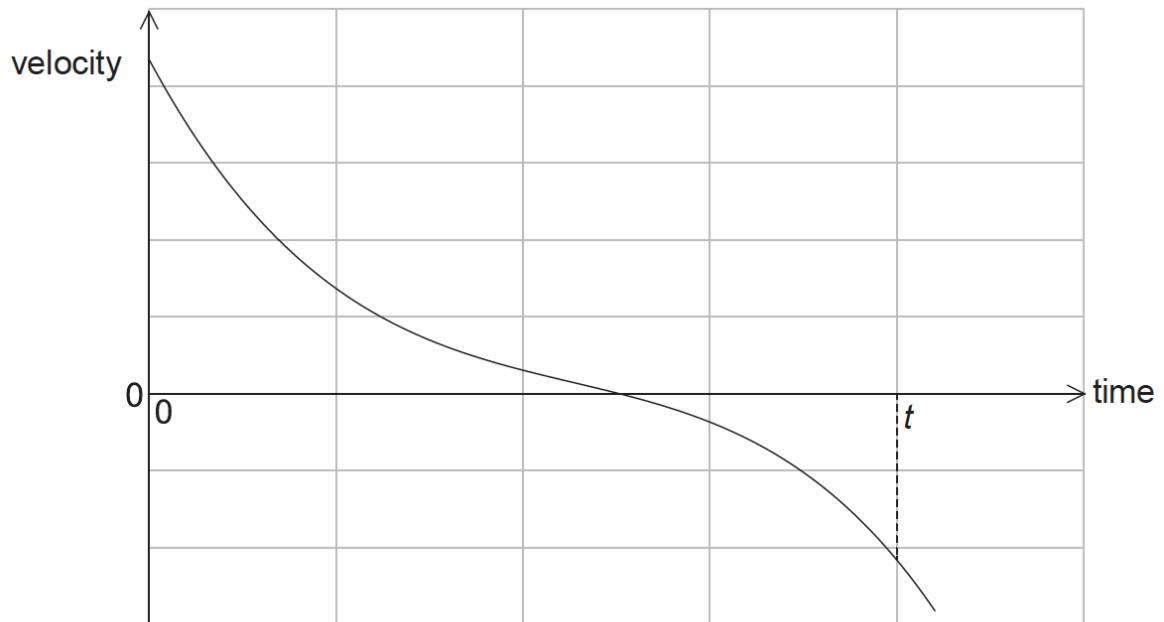
- A. The force  $F$  is equal to the product of the mass of Y and the acceleration of Y.
- B. The force that Y exerts on X is less than  $F$ .
- C. The force that Y exerts on X is less than the force that X exerts on Y.
- D. The force that Y exerts on X is equal to  $F$ .

20. A body moves in a straight line. In order for the equations for uniformly accelerated motion to be applied, which condition **must** be true? [1 mark]

- A. A constant net force acts on the body of fixed mass.
- B. A constant net force acts on the body.
- C. The body falls towards the surface of a planet.
- D. The body has an initial velocity of zero.

21. The graph shows the variation with time of the velocity of a truck of fixed mass.

[1 mark]

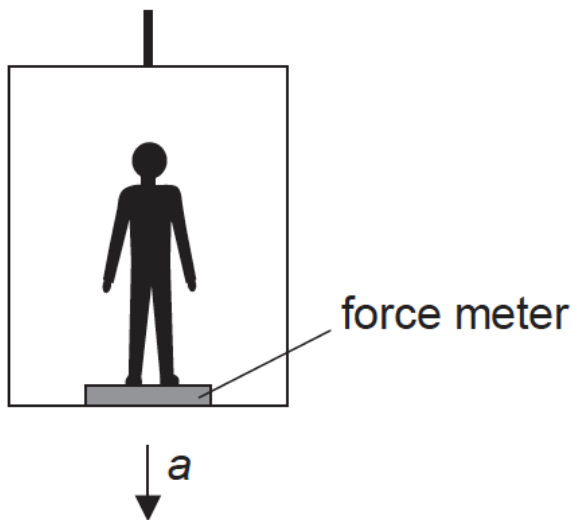


What can be deduced from the graph?

- A. The truck is always accelerating.
- B. The truck is always moving.
- C. The truck is always moving in one direction.
- D. The displacement of the truck after time  $t$  is zero.

22. A student of mass  $m$  is in an elevator which is accelerating downwards at an acceleration  $a$ .

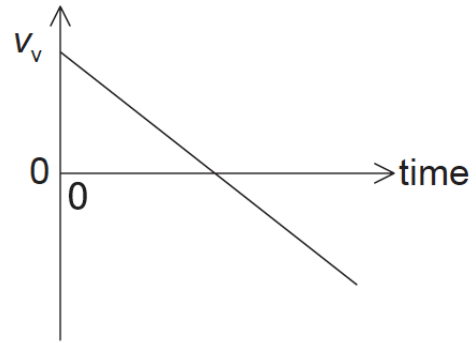
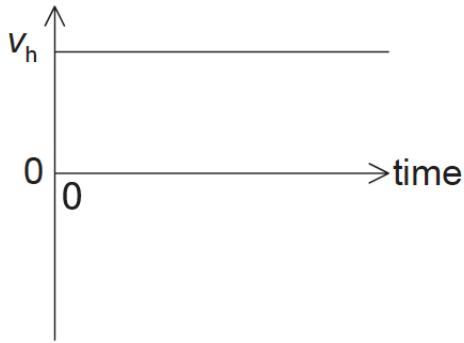
[1 mark]



What is the reading on the force meter?

- A.  $mg$
- B.  $mg - ma$
- C.  $mg + ma$
- D.  $ma - mg$

23. The horizontal component  $v_h$  and the vertical component  $v_v$  of velocity of an object are shown on the graphs. Air resistance is negligible. [1 mark]



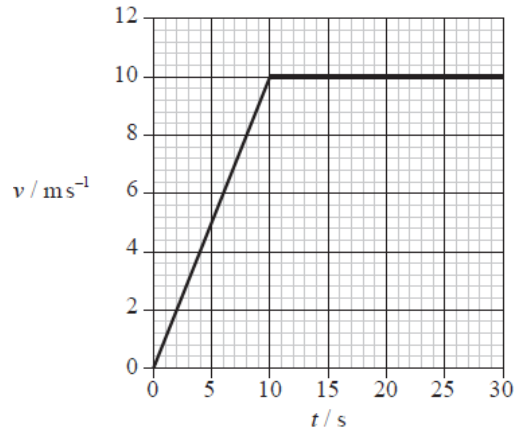
These graphs could represent the motion of an object fired from a cliff

- A. vertically upwards.  
B. at an angle above the horizontal.  
C. horizontally.  
D. at an angle below the horizontal.
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- 24a. Calculate the [3 marks]
- (i) component of the weight of the cyclist and bicycle parallel to the slope.  
(ii) normal reaction force on the bicycle from the slope.
- 24b. At the bottom of the slope the cyclist has a speed of  $5.5\text{ms}^{-1}$ . The cyclist stops pedalling and applies the brakes which provide an additional decelerating force of 250 N. Determine the distance taken for the cyclist to stop. Assume air resistance is negligible and that there are no other frictional forces. [4 marks]
25. A skydiver of mass 80 kg falls vertically with a constant speed of  $50\text{ m s}^{-1}$ . The upward force acting on the skydiver is approximately [1 mark]
- A. 0 N.  
B. 80 N.  
C. 800 N.  
D. 4000 N.



26. Joseph runs along a long straight track. The variation of his speed  $v$  with time  $t$  is shown below.

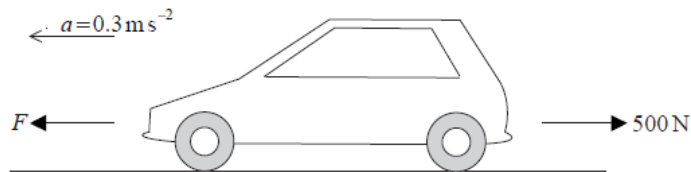
[1 mark]



After 25 seconds Joseph has run 200 m. Which of the following is correct at 25 seconds?

	Instantaneous speed / $\text{m s}^{-1}$	Average speed / $\text{m s}^{-1}$
A.	$8 \text{ m s}^{-1}$	$8 \text{ m s}^{-1}$
B.	$8 \text{ m s}^{-1}$	$10 \text{ m s}^{-1}$
C.	$10 \text{ m s}^{-1}$	$8 \text{ m s}^{-1}$
D.	$10 \text{ m s}^{-1}$	$10 \text{ m s}^{-1}$

27. A car of mass 1000 kg accelerates on a straight, flat, horizontal road with an acceleration  $a = 0.3 \text{ m s}^{-2}$ . The driving force  $F$  on the car is opposed by a resistive force of 500 N. [1 mark]



The net (resultant) force on the car is

- A. 200 N.
- B. 300 N.
- C. 500 N.
- D. 800 N.

28a. Calculate the maximum height reached by the stone as measured from the point where it is thrown. [2 marks]

[2 marks]

28b. Determine the time for the stone to reach the surface of the sea after leaving Lucy's hand. [3 marks]

[3 marks]