

Solutions: Projectile Motion W.S. #2

1) Horizontal

$$\Delta d_x = ?$$

$$v_x = 10.0 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\Delta t = 0.71 \text{ s}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta d_x &= v_x \Delta t \\ &= 10.0 \text{ m/s} \times 0.71 \text{ s} \\ &= \underline{7.1 \text{ m}} \end{aligned}$$

Vertical

$$\Delta d_y = -2.5 \text{ m}$$

$$a_y = -9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\Delta t = ?$$

$$v_{iy} = 0$$

$$\Delta d_y = v_{iy} \Delta t + \frac{1}{2} a (\Delta t)^2$$

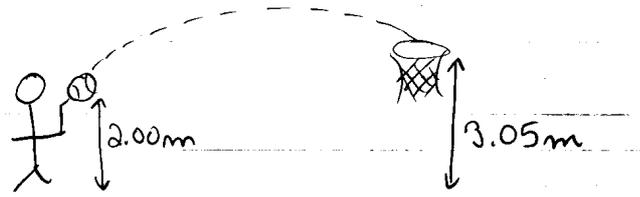
$$(\Delta t)^2 = \frac{2 \Delta d_y}{a}$$

$$= \frac{2(-2.5 \text{ m})}{-9.8 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

$$= 0.5102 \text{ s}^2$$

$$\Delta t = 0.71 \text{ s}$$

2)



17.1 m/s
 40°

$$v_x = v \cos \theta$$

$$= 17.1 \text{ m/s} \cos 40^\circ$$

$$= 13.1 \text{ m/s}$$

$$v_y = v \sin \theta$$

$$= 17.1 \text{ m/s} \sin 40^\circ$$

$$= 11.0 \text{ m/s}$$

Horizontal

$$\Delta d_x = ?$$

$$\Delta t = 2.14 \text{ s}$$

$$v_x = 13.1 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\Delta d_x = v_x \Delta t$$

$$= (13.1 \text{ m/s})(2.14 \text{ s})$$

$$= \underline{28.0 \text{ m}}$$

Vertical

$$\Delta d_y = 3.05 \text{ m} - 2.00 \text{ m}$$

$$= 1.05 \text{ m}$$

$$a = -9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$v_{iy} = 11.0 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\Delta d_y = v_{iy} \Delta t + \frac{1}{2} a (\Delta t)^2$$

quadratic

$$1.05 \text{ m} = 11 \text{ m/s} \Delta t + \frac{1}{2} (-9.8 \text{ m/s}^2) (\Delta t)^2$$

$$0 = -4.9 (\Delta t)^2 + 11 \Delta t - 1.05 \text{ m}$$

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$$\Delta t = 0.10 \text{ s} \quad \text{or} \quad \Delta t = 2.14 \text{ s}$$

↑
way
up

↑
way
down

3) Horizontal

$$\Delta d_x = 10.0 \text{ m}$$

$$v_{iy} = ?$$

$$\Delta t = 2.67 \text{ s}$$

$$v_x = \frac{\Delta d_x}{\Delta t}$$

$$= \frac{10.0 \text{ m}}{2.67 \text{ s}}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{3.75 \text{ m/s}}}$$

Vertical

$$\Delta d_y = -35.0 \text{ m}$$

$$a = -9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\Delta t = ?$$

$$v_{iy} = 0$$

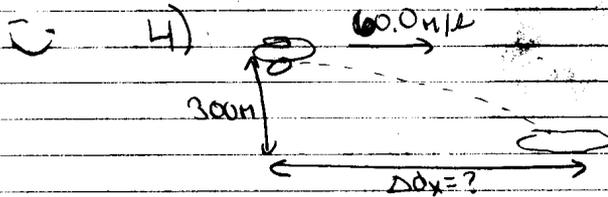
$$\Delta d_y = v_{iy} \Delta t + \frac{1}{2} a (\Delta t)^2$$

$$(\Delta t)^2 = \frac{2 \Delta d_y}{a}$$

$$= \frac{2(-35 \text{ m})}{-9.8 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

$$= 7.14 \text{ s}^2$$

$$\Delta t = 2.67 \text{ s}$$



Horizontal

$$v_x = 60.0 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\Delta t = 7.82 \text{ s}$$

$$\Delta d_x = ?$$

$$\Delta d_x = v_x \Delta t$$

$$= 60.0 (7.82 \text{ s})$$

$$= \underline{\underline{469 \text{ m}}}$$

Vertical

$$\Delta d_y = -300 \text{ m}$$

$$a = -9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\Delta t = ?$$

$$v_{iy} = 0$$

$$\Delta d_y = v_{iy} \Delta t + \frac{1}{2} a (\Delta t)^2$$

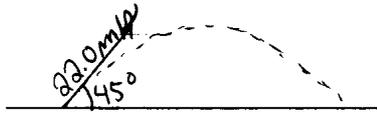
$$(\Delta t)^2 = \frac{2 \Delta d_y}{a}$$

$$= \frac{2(-300 \text{ m})}{-9.8 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

$$= 61.22 \text{ s}^2$$

$$\Delta t = 7.82 \text{ s}$$

5)



$$\begin{aligned}
 v_x &= v \cos \theta \\
 &= 22.0 \cos 45^\circ \\
 &= 15.6 \text{ m/s}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 v_x &= v \sin \theta \\
 &= 22.0 \sin 45^\circ \\
 &= 15.6 \text{ m/s}
 \end{aligned}$$

Horizontal

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Delta x &=? \\
 v_x &= 15.6 \text{ m/s} \\
 \Delta t &= 3.18 \text{ s}
 \end{aligned}$$

Vertical

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Delta y &=? \\
 a_y &= -9.8 \text{ m/s}^2 \\
 v_f &= 0 \\
 v_{iy} &= 15.6 \text{ m/s}
 \end{aligned}$$

b) continued

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Delta x &= v_x \Delta t \\
 &= 15.6 \text{ m/s} (3.18 \text{ s}) \\
 &= \underline{\underline{49.6 \text{ m}}}
 \end{aligned}$$

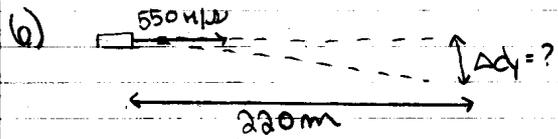
$$\begin{aligned}
 v_f^2 &= v_i^2 + 2a\Delta d \\
 -v_i^2 &= 2a\Delta d \\
 \Delta d &= \frac{-v_i^2}{2a} \\
 &= \frac{-(15.6 \text{ m/s})^2}{2(-9.8 \text{ m/s}^2)} \\
 &= \underline{\underline{12.4 \text{ m}}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{b) } \Delta y &= 0 \\
 a_y &= -9.8 \text{ m/s}^2 \\
 \Delta t &=? \\
 v_{iy} &= 15.6 \text{ m/s}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Delta y = v_i \Delta t + \frac{1}{2} a (\Delta t)^2$$

$$\frac{1}{2} a (\Delta t)^2 = -v_i \Delta t$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Delta t &= \frac{-2v_i}{a} \\
 &= \frac{-2(15.6 \text{ m/s})}{-9.8 \text{ m/s}^2} \\
 &= 3.18 \text{ s}
 \end{aligned}$$



Horizontal

$$\Delta x = 220\text{m}$$

$$v_x = 550\text{m/s}$$

$$\Delta t = ?$$

$$\Delta t = \frac{\Delta x}{v_x}$$

$$= \frac{220\text{m}}{550\text{m/s}}$$

$$= 0.400\text{s}$$

Vertical

$$v_{iy} = 0$$

$$a_y = -9.8\text{m/s}^2$$

$$\Delta t = 0.400\text{s}$$

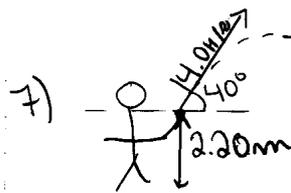
$$\Delta y = ?$$

$$\Delta y = v_{iy} \Delta t + \frac{1}{2} a (\Delta t)^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (-9.8\text{m/s}^2) (0.400\text{s})^2$$

$$= -0.784\text{m}$$

Ans: 0.784 m



$$\begin{aligned}
 v_x &= v \cos \theta \\
 &= 14.0 \text{ m/s} \cos 40^\circ \\
 &= 10.7 \text{ m/s}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 v_y &= v \sin \theta \\
 &= 14.0 \text{ m/s} \sin 40^\circ \\
 &= 9.00 \text{ m/s}
 \end{aligned}$$

Horizontal

$$\begin{aligned}
 v_x &= 10.7 \text{ m/s} \\
 \Delta t &= 2.06 \text{ s} \\
 \Delta x &= ?
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Delta x &= v_x \Delta t \\
 &= 10.7 \text{ m/s} (2.06 \text{ s}) \\
 &= \underline{\underline{22.0 \text{ m}}}
 \end{aligned}$$

Vertical

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Delta y &= -2.20 \text{ m} \\
 v_{iy} &= 9.00 \text{ m/s} \\
 a &= -9.8 \text{ m/s}^2 \\
 \Delta t &= ?
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Delta y = v_i \Delta t + \frac{1}{2} a (\Delta t)^2$$

quadratic!

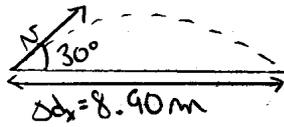
$$-2.20 \text{ m} = 9.00 \text{ m/s} \Delta t + \frac{1}{2} (-9.8 \text{ m/s}^2) (\Delta t)^2$$

$$0 = -4.9 (\Delta t)^2 + 9 \Delta t + 2.2$$

$$\Delta t = \frac{-9 \pm \sqrt{9^2 - 4(-4.9)(2.2)}}{2(-4.9)}$$

$$\Delta t = -0.218 \text{ s} \text{ or } \Delta t = 2.06 \text{ s}$$

8)



$$N_x = N \cos \theta = N \cos 30^\circ = 0.87 N$$

$$N_y = N \sin \theta = N \sin 30^\circ = 0.5 N$$

Horizontal

$$\Delta d_x = 8.90 \text{ m}$$

$$N_x = ? = 0.87 N$$

$$\Delta t = ?$$

Vertical

$$\Delta d_y = 0$$

$$a = -9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\Delta t = ?$$

$$N_y = ? = 0.5 N$$

2 equations, 2 unknown! (N and Δt)

$$\Delta d_x = N_x \Delta t$$

$$\Delta t = \frac{\Delta d_x}{N_x}$$

$$\Delta d_y = N_y \Delta t + \frac{1}{2} a (\Delta t)^2$$

$$-N_y \Delta t = \frac{1}{2} a (\Delta t)^2$$

$$\Delta t = -\frac{2N_y}{a}$$

$$\frac{\Delta d_x}{N_x} = -\frac{2N_y}{a}$$

$$\frac{8.90 \text{ m}}{0.87 N} = -\frac{2(0.5 N)}{-9.8 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

$$(8.90 \text{ m})(-9.8 \text{ m/s}^2) = (0.87 N)(-2(0.5) N)$$

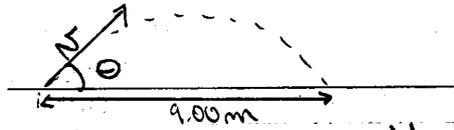
$$87.22 \frac{\text{m}^2}{\text{s}^2} = 0.87 N^2$$

$$\frac{87.22 \text{ m}^2}{(0.87) \text{ s}^2} = N^2$$

$$100 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}^2 = N^2$$

$$\underline{\underline{10 \text{ m/s} = N}}$$

9)

Horizontal

$$\Delta d_x = 9.00 \text{ m}$$

$$\Delta t = 1.14 \text{ s}$$

$$v_x = ?$$

$$v_x = \frac{\Delta d_x}{\Delta t}$$

$$= \frac{9.00 \text{ m}}{1.14 \text{ s}}$$

$$\underline{v_x = 7.89 \text{ m/s}}$$

Vertical

$$\Delta d_y = 0$$

$$v_{iy} = ?$$

$$a = -9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\Delta t = 1.14 \text{ s}$$

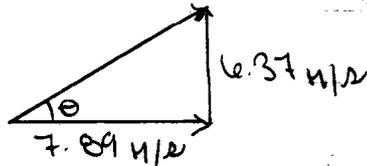
$$\Delta d_y = v_{iy} \Delta t + \frac{1}{2} a (\Delta t)^2$$

$$v_{iy} \Delta t = -\frac{1}{2} a (\Delta t)^2$$

$$v_{iy} = -\frac{1}{2} a \Delta t$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} (-9.8 \text{ m/s}^2) (1.14 \text{ s})$$

$$\underline{v_{iy} = 6.37 \text{ m/s}}$$



$$\tan \theta = \frac{6.37 \text{ m/s}}{7.89 \text{ m/s}}$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{6.37}{7.89} \right)$$

$$= \underline{\underline{38.9^\circ}}$$