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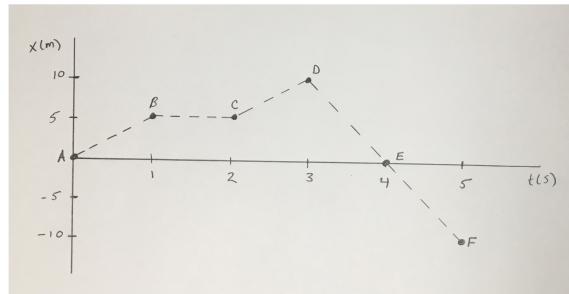
Physics 120 Quiz #1, January 10, 2020

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Consider the position versus time graph shown below where an object is undergoing motion in one-dimension. The vertical axis shows the position of the object measured in meters from the origin of the coordinate system while the horizontal axis shows the time in seconds.



- a. In words, describe the motion of the object between points B and D.

Between points B and C the object does not change its position while between points C and D the object starts moving in the positive  $x$ -direction. The velocity of the object is zero between points B and C while it is positive between points C and D. The acceleration of the object is zero between points B and C. Between points C and D as the slope of the position versus time graph for points between C and D is a constant, meaning since the velocity is constant, the acceleration is zero.

- b. In words describe the motion of the object between points D and F?

Between points D and F the object is moving in the negative  $x$ -direction. The velocity between points D and F is increasing from rest and points in the negative  $x$ -direction while the acceleration between points D and F is also negative. Since the slope of the line is constant between points D and F, the acceleration is zero over the interval.

- c. What is the average velocity of the object between points A and B?

$$v_{avg,x} = \frac{\Delta x_{AB}}{\Delta t_{AB}} = \frac{5m - 0m}{3s - 2s} = 5 \frac{m}{s}$$

- d. Suppose that the magnitude of the average velocity between points D and F is determined to be  $10 \frac{m}{s}$ . What is the magnitude of the average velocity between points D and F in furlongs per fortnight, if  $1 \text{ furlong} = 200m$  and  $1 \text{ fortnight} = 14 \text{ days}$ ?

$$10 \frac{m}{s} \times \frac{1 \text{ furlong}}{200m} \times \frac{3600s}{1 \text{ hour}} \times \frac{24 \text{ hr}}{1 \text{ day}} \times \frac{14 \text{ day}}{1 \text{ fortnight}} = 60480 \frac{\text{furlongs}}{\text{fortnight}}$$

# Physics 120 Formulas

## Motion

$$\Delta \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{x}_f - \mathbf{x}_i$$

$$\mathbf{v}_{avg} = \frac{\Delta \mathbf{x}}{\Delta t}$$

$$\mathbf{a}_{avg} = \frac{\Delta \mathbf{v}}{\Delta t}$$

## Equations of Motion

$$\text{displacement: } \begin{cases} x_f = x_i + v_{ix}t + \frac{1}{2}a_x t^2 \\ y_f = y_i + v_{iy}t + \frac{1}{2}a_y t^2 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{velocity: } \begin{cases} v_{fx} = v_{ix} + a_x t \\ v_{fy} = v_{iy} + a_y t \end{cases}$$

$$\text{time-independent: } \begin{cases} v_{fx}^2 = v_{ix}^2 + 2a_x \Delta x \\ v_{fy}^2 = v_{iy}^2 + 2a_y \Delta y \end{cases}$$

## Uniform Circular Motion

$$F_r = ma_r = m \frac{v^2}{r}; \quad a_r = \frac{v^2}{r}$$

$$v = \frac{2\pi r}{T}$$

$$F_G = G \frac{m_1 m_2}{r^2}$$

## Geometry /Algebra

Circles    Triangles    Spheres

$$C = 2\pi r \quad A = \frac{1}{2}bh \quad A = 4\pi r^2$$

$$A = \pi r^2 \quad V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$$

Quadratic equation:  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ ,

$$\text{whose solutions are given by: } x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

## Vectors

$$\text{magnitude of a vector: } v = |\vec{v}| = \sqrt{v_x^2 + v_y^2}$$

$$\text{direction of a vector: } \phi = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{v_y}{v_x}\right)$$

## Useful Constants

$$g = 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2 \quad G = 6.67 \times 10^{-11} \text{ Nm}^2/\text{kg}^2$$

$$N_A = 6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ atoms/mole} \quad k_B = 1.38 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J/K}$$

$$\sigma = 5.67 \times 10^{-8} \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}^4 \quad v_{\text{sound}} = 343 \text{ m/s}$$

## Linear Momentum/Forces

$$\vec{p} = m \vec{v}$$

$$\vec{p}_f = \vec{p}_i + \vec{F} \Delta t$$

$$\vec{F} = m \vec{a}$$

$$\vec{F}_s = -k \vec{x}$$

$$F_f = \mu F_N$$

## Work/Energy

$$K_t = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$

$$K_r = \frac{1}{2}I\omega^2$$

$$U_g = mgh$$

$$U_s = \frac{1}{2}kx^2$$

$$W_T = Fd \cos \theta = \Delta E_T$$

$$W_R = \tau \theta = \Delta E_R$$

$$W_{\text{net}} = W_R + W_T = \Delta E_R + \Delta E_T$$

$$\Delta E_R + \Delta E_T + \Delta U_g + \Delta U_s = 0$$

$$\Delta E_R + \Delta E_T + \Delta U_g + \Delta U_s = -\Delta E_{\text{diss}}$$

## Rotational Motion

$$\theta_f = \theta_i + \omega_i t + \frac{1}{2}\alpha t^2$$

$$\omega_f = \omega_i + \alpha t$$

$$\omega_f^2 = \omega_i^2 + 2\alpha \Delta \theta$$

$$\tau = I\alpha = rF$$

$$L = I\omega$$

$$L_f = L_i + \tau \Delta t$$

$$\Delta s = r \Delta \theta: v = r\omega: a_t = r\alpha$$

$$a_r = r\omega^2$$

## Simple Harmonic Motion/Waves

$$\omega = 2\pi f = \frac{2\pi}{T}$$

$$T_s = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{m}{k}}$$

$$T_p = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{l}{g}}$$

$$v = \pm \sqrt{\frac{k}{m} A} \left(1 - \frac{x^2}{A^2}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$x(t) = A \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{T}t\right)$$

$$v(t) = A \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{T}t\right)$$

$$a(t) = -A \frac{k}{m} \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{T}t\right)$$

$$v = f\lambda = \sqrt{\frac{F_T}{\mu}}$$

$$f = nf = n \frac{v}{\lambda}$$

