

Horizontal Motion

1. A body moves 6 m North, 8 m East and 10m vertically upwards, what is its resultant displacement from initial position [DCE 2000]

(1) $10\sqrt{2}m$ (2) $10m$ (3) $\frac{10}{\sqrt{2}}m$ (4) $10 \times 2m$
2. A man goes 10m towards North, then 20m towards East then displacement is [KCET 1999; JIPMER 1999; AFMC 2003]

(1) 22.5m (2) 25m (3) 25.5m (4) 30m
3. A person moves 30 m North and then 20 m towards East and finally $30\sqrt{2}$ m in South-West direction. The displacement of the person from the origin will be [J & K CET 2004]

(1) 10 m along North (2) 10 m long South
(3) 10 m along West (4) Zero
4. An aeroplane flies 400 m North and 300 m South and then flies 1200 m upwards then net displacement is [AFMC 2004]

(1) 1200 m (2) 1300 m (3) 1400 m (4) 1500 m
5. An athlete completes one round of a circular track of radius R in 40 sec. What will be his displacement at the end of 2 min. 20 sec [NCERT1990; Kerala PMT 2004]

(1) Zero (2) $2R$ (3) $2\pi R$ (4) $7\pi R$
6. A wheel of radius 1 meter rolls forward half a revolution on a horizontal ground. The magnitude of the displacement of the point of the wheel initially in contact with the ground is [BCECE 2005]

(1) 2π (2) $\sqrt{2}\pi$ (3) $\sqrt{\pi^2 + 4}$ (4) π
7. A person travels along a straight road for half the distance with velocity v_1 and the remaining half distance with velocity v_2 . The average velocity is given by

[MP PMT 2001]

$$(1) v_1 v_2 \quad (2) \frac{v_2^2}{v_1^2} \quad (3) \frac{v_1 + v_2}{2} \quad (4) \frac{2v_1 v_2}{v_1 + v_2}$$

8. The displacement-time graph for two particles A and B are straight lines inclined at angles of 30° and 60° with the time axis. The ratio of velocities of $v_A : v_B$ is [CPMT 1990; MP PET 1999; MP PET 2001; Pb. PET 2003]

$$(1) 1:2 \quad (2) 1:\sqrt{3} \quad (3) \sqrt{3}:1 \quad (4) 1:3$$

9. A car travels from A to B at a speed of 20 km/hr and returns at a speed of 30 km/hr . The average speed of the car for the whole journey is [MP PET 1985]

$$(1) 25 \text{ km/hr} \quad (2) 24 \text{ km/hr} \quad (3) 50 \text{ km/hr} \quad (4) 5 \text{ km/hr}$$

10. A boy walks to his school at a distance of 6 km with constant speed of 2.5 km/hour and walks back with a constant speed of 4 km/hr . His average speed for round trip expressed in km/hour , is [AIIMS 1995]

$$(1) 24/13 \quad (2) 40/13 \quad (3) 3 \quad (4) 1/2$$

11. A car travels the first half of a distance between two places at a speed of 30 km/hr and the second half of the distance at 50 km/hr . The average speed of the car for the whole journey is [Manipal MEE 1995; AFMC 1998]

$$(1) 42.5 \text{ km/hr} \quad (2) 40.0 \text{ km/hr} \quad (3) 37.5 \text{ km/hr} \quad (4) 35.0 \text{ km/hr}$$

12. One car moving on a straight road covers one third of the distance with 20 km/hr and the rest with 60 km/hr . The average speed is [MP PMT 1999; CPMT 2002]

$$(1) 40 \text{ km/hr} \quad (2) 80 \text{ km/hr} \quad (3) 46\frac{2}{3} \text{ km/hr} \quad (4) 36 \text{ km/hr}$$

13. A car moves for half of its time at 80 km/h and for rest half of time at 40 km/h . Total distance covered is 60 km . What is the average speed of the car

[RPET 1996]

$$(1) 60 \text{ km/h} \quad (2) 80 \text{ km/h} \quad (3) 120 \text{ km/h} \quad (4) 180 \text{ km/h}$$

14. A train has a speed of 60 km/h . for the first one hour and 40 km/h for the next half hour. Its average speed in km/h is [JIPMER 1999]
(1) 50 (2) 53.33 (3) 48 (4) 70
15. Which of the following is a one dimensional motion [BHU 2000; CBSE PMT 2001]
(1) Landing of an aircraft (2) Earth revolving a round the sun
(3) Motion of wheels of a moving trains (4) Train running on a straight track
16. A 150 m long train is moving with a uniform velocity of 45 km/h . The time taken by the train to cross a bridge of length 850 meters is [CBSE PMT 2001]
(1) 56 sec (2) 68 sec (3) 80 sec (4) 92 sec
17. A particle is constrained to move on a straight line path. It returns to the starting point after 10 sec . The total distance covered by the particle during this time is 30 m . Which of the following statements about the motion of the particle is false [CBSE PMT 2000; AFMC 2001]
(1) Displacement of the particle is zero (2) Average speed of the particle is 3 m/s
(3) Displacement of the particle is 30 m (4) Both (1) and (2)
18. A particle moves along a semicircle of radius 10m in 5 seconds . The average velocity of the particle is [Kerala (Engg.) 2001]
(1) $2\pi \text{ ms}^{-1}$ (2) $4\pi \text{ ms}^{-1}$ (3) 2 ms^{-1} (4) 4 ms^{-1}
19. A man walks on a straight road from his home to a market 2.5 km away with a speed of 5 km/h . Finding the market closed, he instantly turns and walks back home with a speed of 7.5 km/h . The average speed of the man over the interval of time 0 to 40 min . is equal to [AMU (Med.) 2002]
(1) 5 km/h (2) $\frac{25}{4} \text{ km/h}$ (3) $\frac{30}{4} \text{ km/h}$ (4) $\frac{45}{8} \text{ km/h}$
20. The ratio of the numerical values of the average velocity and average speed of a body is always [MP PET 2002]

- (1) Unity (2) Unity or less (3) Unity or more (4) Less than unity

21. A person travels along a straight road for the first half time with a velocity v_1 and the next half time with a velocity v_2 . The mean velocity v of the man is

[RPET 1999; BHU 2002]

- (1) $\frac{2}{V} = \frac{1}{v_1} + \frac{1}{v_2}$ (2) $v = \frac{v_1 + v_2}{2}$ (3) $v = \sqrt{v_1 v_2}$ (4) $v = \sqrt{\frac{v_1}{v_2}}$

22. The numerical ratio of displacement to the distance covered is always

[BHU 2004]

- (1) Less than one (2) Equal to one
(3) Equal to or less than one (4) Equal to or greater than one

23. A 100 m long train is moving with a uniform velocity of 45 km/hr. The time taken by the train to cross a bridge of length 1 km is [BHU 2004]

- (1) 58 s (2) 68 s (3) 78 s (4) 88 s

24. A particle moves for 20 seconds with velocity 3 m/s and then velocity 4 m/s for another 20 seconds and finally moves with velocity 5 m/s for next 20 seconds. What is the average velocity of the particle [MHCET 2004]

- (1) 3 m/s (2) 4 m/s (3) 5 m/s (4) Zero

25. A particle experiences a constant acceleration for 20 sec after starting from rest. If it travels a distance s_1 in the first 10 sec and a distance s_2 in the next 10 sec, then

[NCERT 1972; CPMT 1997; MP PMT 2002]

- (1) $s_1 = s_2$ (2) $s_1 = s_2 / 3$ (3) $s_1 = s_2 / 2$ (4) $s_1 = s_2 / 4$

26. The displacement x of a particle along a straight line at time t is given by $x = a_0 + a_1 t + a_2 t^2$. The acceleration of the particle is

[NCERT 1974; RPMT 1999; AFMC 1999]

- (1) a_0 (2) a_1 (3) $2a_2$ (4) a_2

27. The coordinates of a moving particle at any time are given by $x = at^2$ and $y = bt^2$. The speed of the particle at any moment is [DPMT 1984; CPMT 1997]
- (1) $2t(a+b)$ (2) $2t\sqrt{a^2 - b^2}$ (3) $t\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$ (4) $2t\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$
28. An electron starting from rest has a velocity that increases linearly with the time that is $v = kt$, where $k = 2m / \text{sec}^2$. The distance travelled in the first 3 seconds will be [NCERT 1982]
- (1) 9 m (2) 16 m (3) 27 m (4) 36 m
29. The displacement of a body is given to be proportional to the cube of time elapsed. The magnitude of the acceleration of the body is [NCERT 1990]
- (1) Increasing with time (2) Decreasing with time
(3) Constant but not zero (4) Zero
30. The displacement of a particle is given by $y = a + bt + ct^2 - dt^4$. The initial velocity and acceleration are respectively [CPMT 1999, 2003]
- (1) $b, -4d$ (2) $-b, 2c$ (3) $b, 2c$ (4) $2c, -4d$
31. A car moving with a speed of 40 km/h can be stopped by applying brakes after atleast 2 m. If the same car is moving with a speed of 80 km/h, what is the minimum stopping distance [CBSE PMT 1998, 1999; AFMC 2000; JIPMER 2001, 02]
- (1) 8 m (2) 2 m (3) 4 m (4) 6 m
32. If a train travelling at 72 kmph is to be brought to rest in a distance of 200 metres, then its retardation should be [SCRA 1998; MP PMT 2004]
- (1) 20 ms^{-2} (2) 10 ms^{-2} (3) 2 ms^{-2} (4) 1 ms^{-2}
33. A particle starts from rest, accelerates at 2 m/s^2 for 10s and then goes for constant speed for 30s and then decelerates at 4 m/s^2 till it stops. What is the distance travelled by it [DCE 2001; AIIMS 2002; DCE 2003]
- (1) 750 m (2) 800 m (3) 700 m (4) 850 m

34. The engine of a motorcycle can produce a maximum acceleration 5 m/s^2 . Its brakes can produce a maximum retardation 10 m/s^2 . What is the minimum time in which it can cover a distance of 1.5 km [Pb. PMT 2002]
(1) 30 sec (2) 15 sec (3) 10 sec (4) 5 sec
35. The path of a particle moving under the influence of a force fixed in magnitude and direction is [MP PET 2002]
(1) Straight line (2) Circle (3) Parabola (4) Ellipse
36. A body is moving with uniform acceleration describes 40 m in the first 5 sec and 65 m in next 5 sec . Its initial velocity will be [Pb. PET 2003]
(1) 4 m/s (2) 2.5 m/s (3) 5.5 m/s (4) 11 m/s
37. The displacement x of a particle varies with time t , $x = ae^{-\alpha t} + be^{\beta t}$, where a, b, α and β are positive constants. The velocity of the particle will [CBSE PMT 2005]
(1) Go on decreasing with time (2) Be independent of α and β
(3) Drop to zero when $\alpha = \beta$ (4) Go on increasing with time
38. A particle moves along x -axis as $x = 4(t-2) + a(t-2)^2$. Which of the following is true? [J&K CET 2005]
(1) The initial velocity of particle is 4 (2) The acceleration of particle is $2a$
(3) The particle is at origin at $t = 0$ (4) None of these
39. A body starting from rest moves with constant acceleration. The ratio of distance covered by the body during the 5th sec to that covered in 5 sec is [Kerala PET 2005]
(1) $9/25$ (2) $3/5$ (3) $25/9$ (4) $1/25$
40. What determines the nature of the path followed by the particle [AFMC 2005]
(1) Speed (2) Velocity (3) Acceleration (4) None of these
41. An object accelerates from rest to a velocity 27.5 m/s in 10 sec then find distance covered by object in next 10 sec [BCECE 2004]
(1) 550 m (2) 137.5 m (3) 412.5 m (4) 275 m

42. If the velocity of a particle is given by $v = (180 - 16x)^{1/2}$ m/s, then its acceleration will be [J & K CET 2004]
 (1) Zero (2) 8 m/s^2 (3) -8 m/s^2 (4) 4 m/s^2
43. The displacement of a particle is proportional to the cube of time elapsed. How does the acceleration of the particle depends on time obtained [Pb. PET 2001]
 (1) $a \propto t^2$ (2) $a \propto 2t$ (3) $a \propto t^3$ (4) $a \propto t$
44. Starting from rest, acceleration of a particle is $a = 2(t-1)$. The velocity of the particle at $t = 5\text{s}$ is [RPET 2002]
 (1) 15 m/sec (2) 25 m/sec (3) 5 m/sec (4) None of these
45. A body A moves with a uniform acceleration a and zero initial velocity. Another body B, starts from the same point moves in the same direction with a constant velocity v . The two bodies meet after a time t . The value of t is [MP PET 2003]
 (1) $\frac{2v}{a}$ (2) $\frac{v}{a}$ (3) $\frac{v}{2a}$ (4) $\sqrt{\frac{v}{2a}}$

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