

Thursday, November 22/12  
Science 10

Announcements

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1. Check Understanding Concepts - Page 465, #4, 5, 7 and 8
  2. Displacement During Constant Acceleration
  3. Understanding Concepts - Page 473, #5-8  
Optional -> #9

**HW - P3 Page 473 #5-7**



## Understanding Concepts

- Compare the calculations of the scalar quantities, speed and acceleration, with the calculations of the corresponding vector quantities. What is the same and what is different?
- You are riding your bicycle at a constant velocity west. If you decide to increase your velocity, in what direction is your acceleration?
- While riding in a car at 90 km/h [N], the brakes are suddenly applied. In what direction is the acceleration?
- A rabbit, eating in a field, scents a fox nearby and races off. It takes only 1.8 s to reach a top velocity of 7.5 m/s [N]. What is the rabbit's acceleration during this time?
- A bungee jumper is falling at a velocity of 25 m/s [down] when the bungee cord just starts to stretch. After the cord stretches for 2.5 s, the velocity is 11 m/s [down]. Assume that the acceleration is constant.
  - What is the acceleration of the jumper?
  - What is the total time for the jumper to slow down from 25 m/s [down] to zero?
- A spacecraft needs to alter its course. The retrorockets fire for 213 s to produce an acceleration of  $-3.25 \text{ m/s}^2$  [forward].
  - What is the change in velocity of the spacecraft?
  - What is the significance of the negative sign of the change in velocity?
  - If the velocity of the spacecraft before the rockets fired was 2635 m/s [forward], what is the velocity after the rockets have fired for 213 s?
- A supertanker coming west into port started accelerating 2.0 h before arriving. If the ship slowed at  $25 \text{ km/h}^2$  [E] before coming to a stop, what was the initial velocity?
- A car travelling at 26 m/s brakes and accelerates at  $-10 \text{ m/s}^2$  for 2.5 s. Does the car come to a stop? Support your answer with an appropriate calculation.

## Making Connections

- When you are inside a car you are moving at the same velocity as the car. If the car stops suddenly, for a while you will continue moving. Describe the motion of a driver with and without deployment of an airbag.

#7. port ←  $\vec{v}_i$  ⊖

$$t = 2.0 \text{ h}$$

$$\vec{a} = 25 \frac{\text{km}}{\text{h}^2}$$

$$\vec{v}_f = 0 \frac{\text{km}}{\text{h}}$$

$$\vec{v}_i = ?$$

$$\vec{v}_f = \vec{v}_i + \vec{a}t$$

$$\vec{v}_f - \vec{a}t = \vec{v}_i + \vec{a}t - \vec{a}t$$

$$\vec{v}_f - \vec{a}t = \vec{v}_i$$

$$\vec{v}_i = \vec{v}_f - \vec{a}t$$

$$\vec{v}_i = 0 \frac{\text{km}}{\text{h}} - 25 \frac{\text{km}}{\text{h}^2} (2.0 \text{ h})$$

$$\vec{v}_i = -50 \frac{\text{km}}{\text{h}}$$

The initial velocity is  $50 \frac{\text{km}}{\text{h}}$  [W].

## Page 473 - P3 - Do #5-7

### Understanding Concepts

For questions 5 to 9, assume constant acceleration and calculate your answers from defining equations.

5. A dragster slows down from 28 m/s [N] to 13 m/s [N] in a time of 12 s using a parachute and brakes. Calculate the displacement during this acceleration.
6. A baseball pitcher throws the ball at 28 m/s [S] toward a batter. The ball is in contact with the bat for 2.0 ms and leaves the bat travelling at 46 m/s [N]. What is the displacement of the ball while in contact with the bat?
7. A golfer hits a golf ball sitting at rest on a tee. The ball leaves the club at 64 m/s after a displacement of 35 mm. For how long was the club in contact with the ball?
8. While driving along a highway at 25 m/s [N], a driver spots an animal crossing the road. She brakes sharply for 2.0 s. If the car's acceleration is  $10 \text{ m/s}^2$  [S], what is the displacement of the car while braking?
- ★ 9. A speedboat travels at 6.0 m/s [E] for 90 s and then accelerates uniformly at  $2.0 \text{ m/s}^2$  [E] for 5.0 s. Calculate the displacement of the speedboat.