

Science 10
SA Physics #3 – June 6, 2018

Name - Key

Part 1 – Terms and Definitions (Value – 10)

Complete each statement using a word (from the list below) that makes the statement true. There are extra words in the list.

reference	direction	vector
displacement	speed	scalar
speed up	position	slow down
acceleration	distance	magnitude

1. A vector quantity has both magnitude and direction.
2. The change in an object's position is its displacement. ($\Delta \vec{d}$)
3. A reference point can be called a starting point.
4. The rate of change of velocity is called acceleration. ($\frac{\Delta \vec{v}}{t}$)
5. Distance is the amount of space between two objects or points.
6. A scalar quantity has only magnitude.
7. Speed is how fast an object is moving.
8. The separation and direction of an object from a reference point is called its position. (\vec{d})
9. If the velocity and acceleration of an object have the same directions, the object will speed up.

Part 2 – Physical Quantities (Value – 15)

1. Complete the chart below. Choices are provided in some of the headers. (9)

Physical Quantity	Type of Physical Quantity (scalar or vector)	Variable	Unit (s, m, m/s, m/s ²)
position	vector	\vec{d}	m
constant velocity	vector	\vec{v}	m/s
average speed	scalar	v_{av}	m/s
acceleration	vector	\vec{a}	m/s ²
distance	scalar	d	m
time	scalar	t	s

2. a) Using **B** as your reference point, state the position of each point below. Include signs to indicate directions: + for a positive direction and – for a negative direction. No units are required in this case. (2)

(i) A $\vec{d} = +4$ (ii) C $\vec{d} = -11$

b) If an object moves from A to C, what is the object's displacement? Show a calculation. A word statement is not required. *Consult your formula sheet if required. (4)

$$A \rightarrow \vec{d}_i = +4$$

$$B \rightarrow \text{ref. point}$$

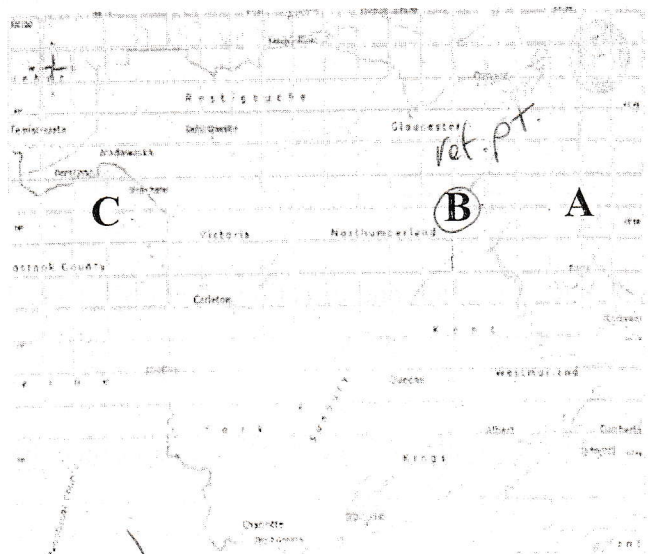
$$C \rightarrow \vec{d}_f = -11$$

$$\vec{\Delta d} = \vec{d}_f - \vec{d}_i$$

$$\vec{\Delta d} = -11 - (+4)$$

$$\vec{\Delta d} = -15$$

(C is 15 blocks to the left of A.)



* Formula Sheet → Use It!

Part 3 – Word Problems (Value - 29)

Solve these problems in the space provided. Use the problem solving steps discussed in class to obtain full value.

1. A car is moving south at a constant velocity of 90.0 km/h along a straight highway. Find the displacement of the car after 1.25 hours. (8)

$$\vec{\Delta d} = ?$$

$$\vec{v} = -90.0 \frac{\text{km}}{\text{h}}$$

$$t = 1.25 \text{ h}$$

$$\vec{v} = \frac{\Delta \vec{d}}{t}$$

$$\Delta \vec{d} = \vec{v} t \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{3SD} \\ \text{3SD} \end{array}$$

$$\Delta \vec{d} = (-90.0 \frac{\text{km}}{\text{h}})(1.25 \text{ h})$$

$$\Delta \vec{d} = -113 \text{ km} \quad \text{3SD}$$

The displacement was 113 km South.

2. After accelerating uniformly for 12.8 s, an object with an initial velocity of 4.0 m/s [E] reaches a final velocity of 7.1 m/s [E]. What was the acceleration of the object? (6)

$$\vec{a} = ?$$

$$t = 12.8 \text{ s}$$

$$\vec{v}_i = +4.0 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\vec{v}_f = +7.1 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\vec{a} = \frac{\vec{v}_f - \vec{v}_i}{t} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{2SD} \\ \text{2SD} \end{array}$$

$$\vec{a} = \frac{(+7.1 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}) - (+4.0 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})}{12.8 \text{ s}} \quad \text{3SD}$$

$$\vec{a} = +0.24 \text{ m/s}^2 \quad \text{2SD}$$

The acceleration of the object was 0.24 m/s² [E].

3. Maggie is walking with an average velocity of 4.2 m/s south. How long will it take her to go 110 m south? (8)

$$t = ?$$

$$\vec{v}_{av} = -4.2 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\Delta \vec{d}_r = -110 \text{ m}$$

$$\vec{v}_{av} = \frac{\Delta \vec{d}_r}{t}$$

$$t = \frac{\Delta \vec{d}_r}{\vec{v}_{av}}$$

$$t = \frac{-110 \text{ m}}{-4.2 \text{ m/s}} \quad \begin{matrix} 3 \text{ s} \\ 2 \text{ s} \end{matrix}$$

$$t = 26 \text{ s} \quad 2 \text{ s}$$

It would take Maggie 26 s.

4. A motorbike traveling north accelerates uniformly with an acceleration of 1.34 m/s² north along a straight road. What was the initial velocity of the motorbike after accelerating for 16 s if its final velocity was 31 m/s north? (7)

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

$$\vec{a} = +1.34 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$t = 16 \text{ s}$$

$$\vec{v}_f = +31 \text{ m/s}$$

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

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

$$\vec{v}_f - \vec{a}t = \vec{v}_i \quad \begin{matrix} 3 \text{ s} \\ 2 \text{ s} \end{matrix}$$

$$2 \text{ s} \quad \left(+31 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} \right) - \left(+1.34 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}^2} \right) (16 \text{ s}) = \vec{v}_i$$

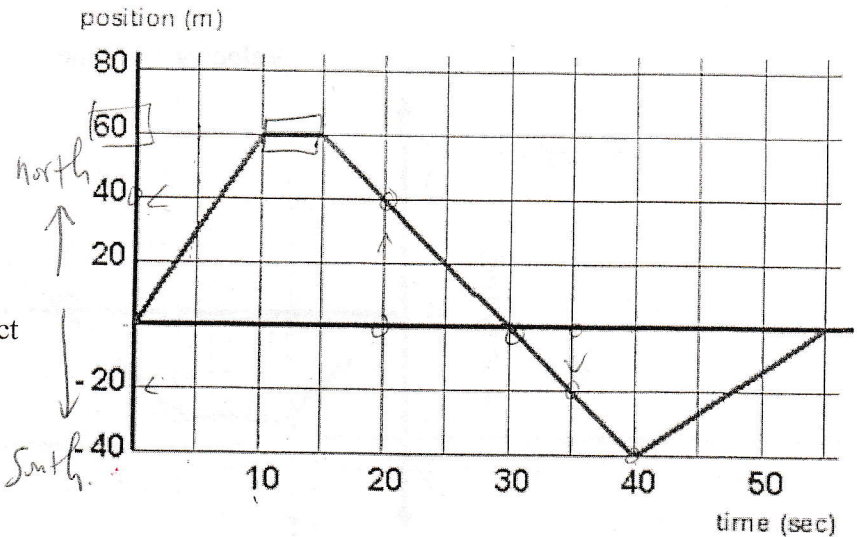
$$\vec{v}_i = +9.6 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} \quad 2 \text{ s}$$

The initial velocity of the motorbike was 9.6 m/s, north.

Part 4 – Graphs (Value – 27)

Position vs Time

1. Answer the questions below using the position versus time graph provided for a cart traveling in a straight line. Assume the positive direction is north.



- a) What is the position of the object
 (i) at $t = 20$ s? (1)
 40m, north.
 (ii) at $t = 35$ s? (1)
 20m, south.

b) During which time interval did the cart first travel in a negative direction? Circle the correct time interval below. (1)

- 0 – 10 10 – 15 15 – 30 30 – 40 40 – 55

c) What was the maximum displacement of the object? (1)

60m, north.

d) What was the total distance traveled by the cart? (1)

$$60m + 60m + 40m + 40m = 200m$$

e) What type of motion (uniform or uniformly accelerated) did the object have between $t = 30$ s and $t = 40$ s? (1)

constant slope \rightarrow constant velocity \rightarrow uniform motion

f) What was the velocity of the cart between 10 s and 15 s? (1)

Slope $\vec{v} = \frac{\text{rise}}{\text{run}} = \frac{0m}{5s} = 0m/s$

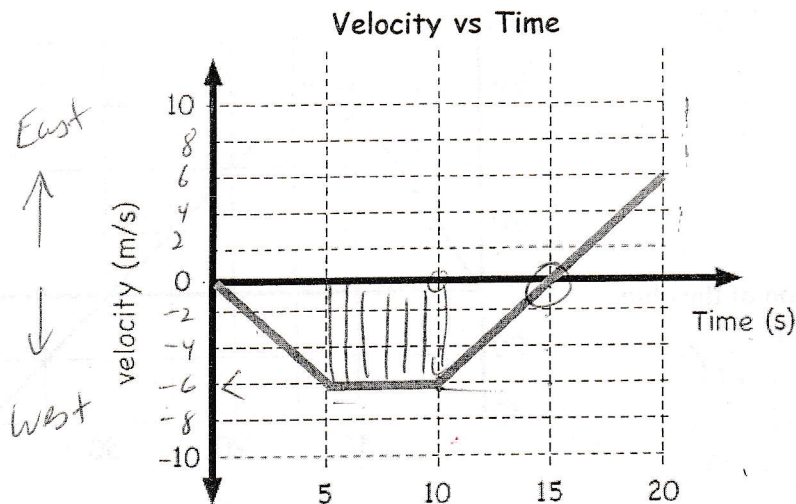
g) What was the velocity of the cart between 0 s and 10 s? Show a calculation. Report your answer to 2 significant digits. (3)

Slope $\vec{v} = \frac{+60m}{10s} = +6.0m/s$ or 6.0m/s, north.

h) What was the velocity of the cart between 30 s and 40 s? Show a calculation. Report your answer to 2 significant digits. (3)

Slope $\vec{v} = \frac{-40m}{10s} = -4.0m/s$ or 4.0m/s, south.

2. Answer the questions below using the velocity versus time graph provided for an object traveling in a straight line. Assume the positive direction is east.



- a) What is the velocity of the object at $t = 10$ s? (1)

6 m/s, west

- b) (i) What type of motion (uniform or uniformly accelerated) does the object have between $t = 0$ s and $t = 5$ s? uniformly accel (1) (velocity is changing)

- (ii) What type of motion (uniform or uniformly accelerated) does the object have between $t = 5$ s and $t = 10$ s? uniform motion (1) (velocity is constant)

- c) Did the object change direction? If so, when? (1)

yes, at $t = 15$ s.

- d) What is the acceleration of the object between $t = 10$ s and $t = 15$ s? Show a calculation and express your answer to 2 SDs. (3)

slope $\vec{a} = \frac{\text{rise}}{\text{run}} = \frac{-6.0 \text{ m/s}}{5 \text{ s}} = -1.2 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}^2}$ or 1.2 m/s^2 , west

- e) What was the displacement of the object between $t = 5$ s and $t = 10$ s? Show a calculation and express your answer to 2 SDs. (3)

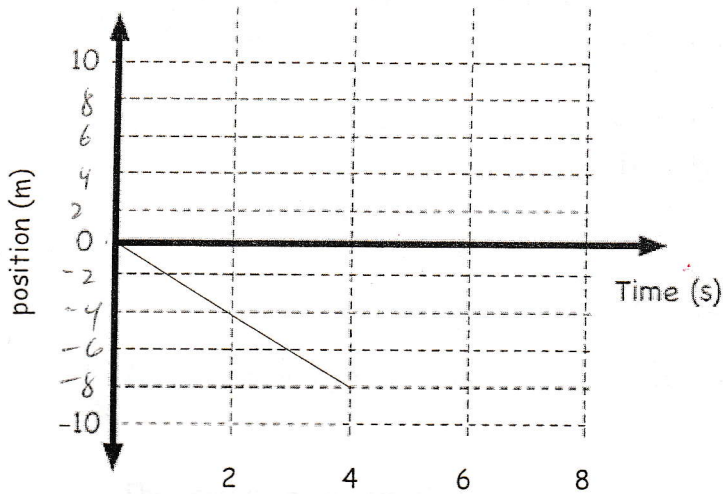
area $\vec{\Delta d} = (5 \text{ s})(-6 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}) = -30 \text{ m}$ or 30 m , west

3. Draw the velocity-time graphs for an object whose motion produced the position-time graphs provide. (4)

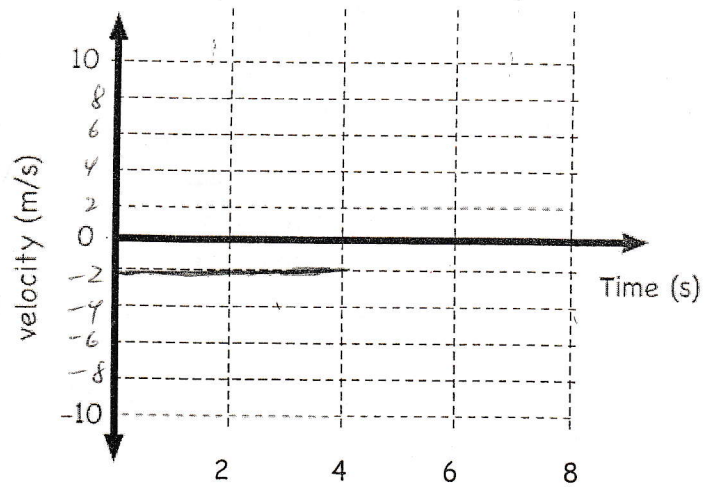
Calculate slope of P/t graph to get velocity.

a)

Position vs Time



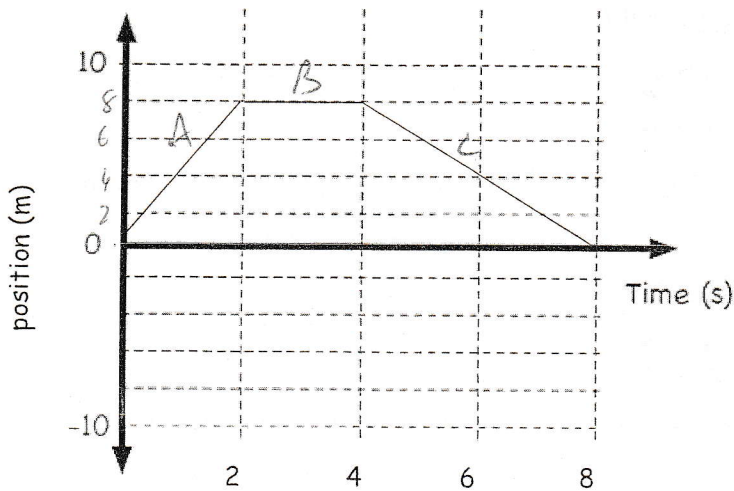
Velocity vs Time



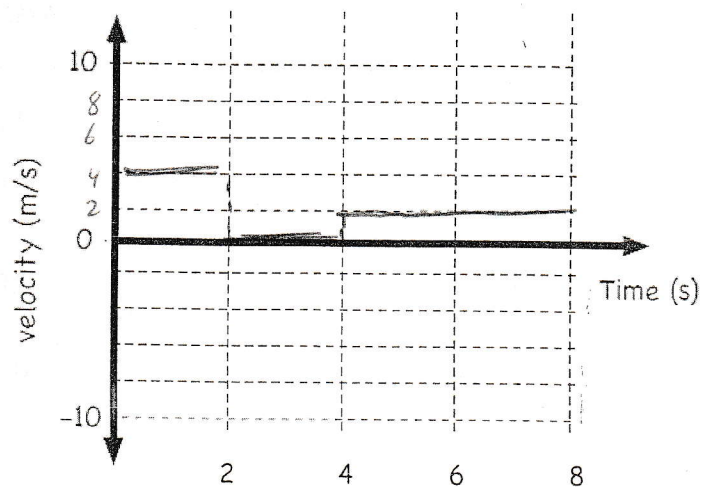
$$\vec{v} = \frac{\text{rise}}{\text{run}} = \frac{-8\text{m}}{4\text{s}} = -2\frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

b)

Position vs Time



Velocity vs Time



$$A \rightarrow \vec{v} = \frac{8\text{m}}{2\text{s}} = 4\text{ m/s}$$

$$B \rightarrow \vec{v} = 0\text{ m/s}$$

$$C \rightarrow \vec{v} = \frac{8\text{m}}{4\text{s}} = 2\text{ m/s}$$