

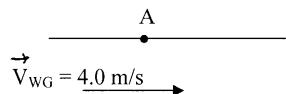
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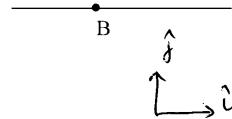
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A 140-m wide river flows with a uniform speed of 4.0 m/s toward the East. Starting from point A it takes 20 s for a boat to cross the river with constant speed to point B. What is the velocity of the boat relative to the water?



$$\begin{aligned}\vec{V}_{BW} &= \vec{V}_{BG} + \vec{V}_{GW} \\ &= \vec{V}_{BG} - \vec{V}_{WG}\end{aligned}$$



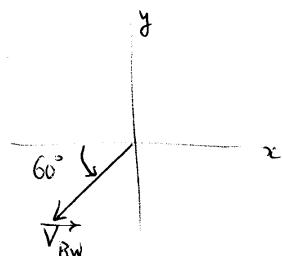
$$\vec{V}_{BG} = -\frac{140}{20} \hat{j} = -7 \text{ m/s } \hat{j}$$

$$\vec{V}_{WG} = 4 \text{ m/s } \hat{i}$$

$$\boxed{\vec{V}_{BW} = -7 \hat{j} - 4 \hat{i}} \text{ or } -4 \hat{i} - 7 \hat{j} \text{ m/s}$$

$$\text{speed} = 8 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\text{direction} \Rightarrow \theta = \tan^{-1}\left(-\frac{7}{4}\right) = 60^\circ$$



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A particle starts from the origin at $t = 0$ with a velocity of $(8j)$ (m/s) and moves in the xy plane with constant acceleration of $(4i - 2j)$ (m/s²).

When the particle reaches its maximum y coordinate, what are its (a) **position** and (b) **velocity** vectors?

$$\vec{v}_0 = 8j \text{ m/s}$$

$$\vec{a} = 4i - 2j \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{r} &= \vec{r}_0 + \vec{v}_0 t + \frac{1}{2} \vec{a} t^2 \quad (\vec{r}_0 = 0) \\ &= 8t j + \frac{1}{2} (4t^2 i - 2t^2 j)\end{aligned}$$

$$\vec{r} = \underbrace{2t^2 i}_{r_x} + \underbrace{(8t - t^2 j)}_{r_y}$$

$$\text{Maximum } y\text{-coordinate} \Rightarrow v_y = 0$$

$$v_y = \frac{dr_y}{dt} = 8 - 2t = 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{t = 4 \text{ s}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Rightarrow \vec{r} &= 2(4)^2 i + (8 \times 4 - (4)^2) j \\ &\boxed{\vec{r} = 32i + 16j \text{ m}}\end{aligned}$$

$$\vec{v} = \vec{v}_0 + \vec{a} t = 8j + (4t i - 2t j)$$

$$\boxed{t = 4 \text{ s}} \Rightarrow \vec{v} = 8j + 16i - 8j = 16i$$

$$\boxed{|\vec{v}| = 16i \text{ m/s}}$$

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A projectile is thrown from a height H with a speed of 10.0 m/s at an angle of 30 degrees below horizontal as shown in Fig 10.

- (a) Find the height H , if the horizontal distance $x = 20.0$ m.
 (b) The velocity of the projectile just before it hits the ground.

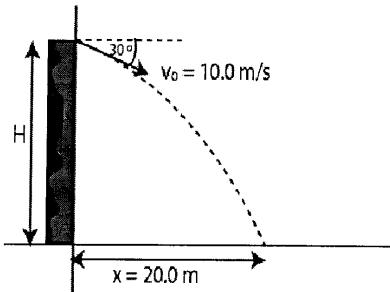


Figure 10

$$a) x - x_0 = v_{0x} t = v_0 \cos \theta_0 t$$

$$20 = 10 \cos 30^\circ t \Rightarrow t = 2.3 \text{ s}$$

$$y - y_0 = v_{0y} t - \frac{1}{2} g t^2$$

$$= v_0 \sin \theta_0 t - 4.9 t^2 = -10 \sin 30^\circ \times 2.3 - 4.9 \times (2.3)^2$$

$$= -37.4 \text{ m}$$

$$\boxed{H = 37.4 \text{ m}}$$

$$b) \vec{V} = v_x \hat{i} + v_y \hat{j}$$

$$v_x = v_{0x} = v_0 \cos 30^\circ = 8.7 \text{ m/s}$$

$$v_y = v_{0y} - gt = -10 \sin 30^\circ - 9.8 \times 2.3 = -27.5 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\boxed{\vec{V} = 8.7 \hat{i} - 27.5 \hat{j}} \text{ m/s}$$