

PHYS101 First Major Exam Formula Sheet

$$y = c x^n ; \quad dy/dx = cn x^{n-1}$$

Motion in One Dimension

Motion with Constant Acceleration

Free Fall

$$a = -g \quad ; \quad g = 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$$

Vectors

$$\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = a b \cos\theta, \quad |\vec{a} \times \vec{b}| = a b \sin\theta$$

Motion in Two Dimensions

Projectile Motion

$$\begin{aligned} a_x &= 0 & (x-x_0) &= V_0 t \cos\theta_0 \\ a_y &= -g & (y-y_0) &= V_0 t \sin\theta_0 - \frac{1}{2}gt^2 \\ H &= V_0^2 \sin^2\theta_0/2g & R &= V_0^2 \sin 2\theta_0/g \end{aligned}$$

Uniform Circular Motion

Relative Motion

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{V}_{PA} &= \vec{V}_{PB} + \vec{V}_{BA} \\ \vec{V}_{AB} &= \text{Velocity of A relative to B} = -\vec{V}_{BA} \end{aligned}$$

Newton's Second Law

$$\Sigma \vec{F} = m \vec{a} \Leftrightarrow \quad ; \quad \Sigma \vec{\tau} = I \vec{\alpha}$$

Friction

$$f_{s,\max} = \mu_s N \quad ; \quad f_k = \mu_k N$$