

Exam 1-001

**Q1** Speed of sound is 330 m/s. Express this in miles per hour (1 mile = 1609 m).

- A1: 738 miles/h
- A2: 533 miles/h
- A3: 945 miles/h
- A4: 853 miles/h
- A5: 443 miles/h

**Q2** The average radius of a nucleus is  $R = 10.0$  fm. Find the density of the nucleus which has a mass of  $15u$  [ $1 \text{ fm} = 10^{-15}\text{m}$ ,  $1 u = 1.66 \times 10^{-27}\text{kg}$ ].

- A1:  $5.94 \times 10^{15} \text{ kg/m}^3$
- A2:  $5.94 \times 10^{-5} \text{ kg/m}^3$
- A3:  $1.66 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg/m}^3$
- A4:  $1.68 \times 10^{-15} \text{ kg/m}^3$
- A5:  $2.94 \times 10^5 \text{ kg/m}^3$

**Q3** How far does the runner whose velocity - time graph is shown in Fig.1 travel in 10 s?

- A1: 20 m
- A2: 24 m
- A3: 28 m
- A4: 32 m
- A5: 16 m

**Q4** A car traveling 20.0 m/s is 30.0 m from a wall when the driver slams on the brakes. The car hits the wall 2.00 s later. How fast is the car traveling when it hits the wall?

- A1: 10.0 m/s
- A2: 11.8 m/s
- A3: 5.60 m/s
- A4: 7.45 m/s
- A5: 8.50 m/s

**Q5** The position of a particle moving along the x axis is described by the equation  $x(t) = 5.0 + 2.0t + t^3$ . Find its average acceleration for the time interval  $t = 1.0$  s to  $t = 2.0$  s.

- A1:  $9.0 \text{ m/s}^2$
- A2:  $7.3 \text{ m/s}^2$
- A3:  $5.0 \text{ m/s}^2$
- A4:  $11 \text{ m/s}^2$
- A5:  $13 \text{ m/s}^2$

**Q6** A ball is thrown vertically upward with an initial velocity  $v_0$  and reaches its maximum height in 6.0 s. After how many seconds will it have a velocity  $-v_0/2$ ?

- A1: 9.0 s
- A2: 12 s
- A3: 6.0 s
- A4: 18 s
- A5: 15 s

**Q7** Vector  $A = (5.0i + 3.0j)\text{m}$ , and vector B is 6m in length and making 120 degrees angle with +ve x-axis. Find A·B.

- A1:  $(8.0i - 2.2j)\text{m}$
- A2:  $(8.0i + 8.2j)\text{m}$
- A3:  $(-2.0i + 8.2j)\text{m}$
- A4:  $(2.0i - 5.6j)\text{m}$
- A5:  $(2.0i + 7.5j)\text{m}$

**Q8** If  $a = (3.0i + 4.0j)\text{m}$  and  $b = (5.0i - 2.0j)\text{m}$ , find the angle between the two vectors.

- A1: 75 degrees
- A2: 31 degrees
- A3: 82 degrees
- A4: 55 degrees
- A5: 93 degrees

**Q9** For the following three vectors;  
 $A=2i+3j+4k$ ,  $B=4i+4j$  and  $C= 2i+2k$ , find  $A \cdot (B \times A)$ .

- A1: 0
- A2:  $-16i+16j-8k$
- A3:  $16i-16j+8k$
- A4:  $8i-8j-8k$
- A5:  $-8i+8j+8k$

**Q10** A plane traveling north at 200 m/s turns and then travels south at 200 m/s. The change in its velocity is:

- A1: 400 m/s South
- A2: 400 m/s North
- A3: 200 m/s North
- A4: 200 m/s South
- A5: 0 m/s

**Q11** A stone is thrown horizontally from the top of a 40 m high hill. It strikes the ground at an angle of 30 degrees as shown in Fig.2. With what speed was it thrown?

- A1: 49 m/s
- A2: 19 m/s
- A3: 10 m/s
- A4: 98 m/s
- A5: 0 m/s

**Q12** A particle starts from the origin at  $t = 0$  with a velocity of  $8.0j$  m/s and moves in the XY plane with a constant acceleration of  $(4.0i + 2.0j)$ m/s<sup>2</sup>. At the instant the X coordinate of the particle is 32 m, find its y coordinate.

- A1: 48 m
- A2: 24 m
- A3: 32 m
- A4: 16 m
- A5: 64 m

**Q13** A river has a steady flow of 0.30 m/s. A student swims downstream a distance of 1.2 km and returns to the starting point. If the student can swim at a constant speed of  $v$  in still water and the downstream portion of the swim takes him 20 minutes, the time required for the entire swim is:

- A1: 70 minutes
- A2: 50 minutes
- A3: 20 minutes
- A4: 90 minutes
- A5: 0 minutes

**Q14** A 16-kg block and an 8-kg block is connected by a string as shown in Fig.3. If the pulley is mass less and the surface is frictionless, the magnitude of the acceleration of the 8-kg block is:

- A1:  $g/3$
- A2:  $3g/5$
- A3:  $4g/3$
- A4:  $g$
- A5:  $g/2$

**Q15** A 70-kg man stands on a spring scale in an elevator that has a downward acceleration of  $2.8$  m/s<sup>2</sup>. The scale will read:

- A1: 490 N
- A2: 980 N
- A3: 686 N
- A4: 343 N
- A5: 170 N

**Q16** Acceleration is always in the direction:

- A1: of the net force
- A2: of the displacement
- A3: of the initial velocity
- A4: of the final velocity
- A5: opposite to the frictional force

**Q17** A person pulls a 50-kg box horizontally with a constant horizontal force of 200 N. If the coefficient of kinetic friction  $\mu_k$  is 0.2 and the coefficient of static friction  $\mu_s$  is 0.3. Find the acceleration of the box.

- A1: 2 m/s<sup>2</sup>
- A2: 1 m/s<sup>2</sup>
- A3: 4 m/s<sup>2</sup>
- A4: -1 m/s<sup>2</sup>
- A5: 0 m/s<sup>2</sup>

**Q18** A block of mass  $M = 10\text{kg}$  is pushed up along a 30 degree inclined plane with a force  $F$  parallel to the inclined plane. If the velocity of the block is constant and the coefficient of kinetic friction  $\mu_k$  is 0.2, find the magnitude of the force.

- A1: 66 N
- A2: 95 N
- A3: 17 N
- A4: 6.7 N
- A5: 98 N

**Q19** An object moving at constant speed in a circular path:

- A1: has an acceleration of constant magnitude
- A2: has an acceleration of constant direction
- A3: has zero acceleration
- A4: has constant velocity
- A5: has a zero net force acting on it

**Q20** A motorcycle and 60.0 kg rider accelerate at 3.00 m/s<sup>2</sup> up an inclined plane 10.0 degrees above the horizontal. Find the magnitude of the net force acting on the rider.

- A1: 180 N
- A2: 588 N
- A3: 102 N
- A4: 282 N
- A5: 78 N

**Q21** A monkey hangs vertically from a rope in a descending elevator that decelerates at 2.4 m/s<sup>2</sup>. If the tension in the rope is 400 N, find the mass of the monkey.

- A1: 33 kg
- A2: 54 kg
- A3: 41 kg
- A4: 167 kg
- A5: 25 kg

**Q22** One end of a 1.0-m string is fixed, the other end is attached to a 2.0-kg stone. The stone swings in a vertical circle, and has a speed of 4.0 m/s at the top of the circle. The tension in the string at this point is approximately:

- A1: 12 N
- A2: 0 N
- A3: 20 N
- A4: 32 N
- A5: 9.8 N