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4 Kinematic Equations

$$\textcircled{1} \quad v = v_0 + at$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad x = x_0 + \frac{1}{2}(v_0 + v)t$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad x = x_0 + v_0 t + \frac{1}{2}at^2$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad v^2 = v_0^2 + 2a(x - x_0)$$

only use if $a = \text{constant}$

Note if $a = 0$

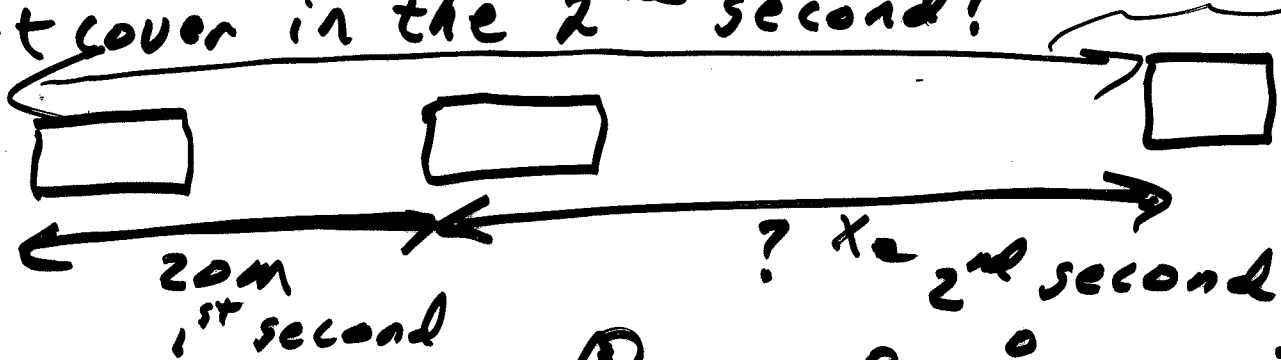
$$\textcircled{1} \quad v = v_0$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad x = x_0 + vt$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad x = x_0 + vt$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad v = v_0$$

ex) A car starts from rest and accelerates at a constant rate in a straight line. In the 1st second it covers 20m. How much additional distance will it cover in the 2nd second?



$$V_0 = 0 \text{ m/s}$$

$$X_1 = 20 \text{ m}$$

$$t_1 = 1 \text{ s}$$

$$X_0 = 0$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad X = X_0 + V_0 t + \frac{1}{2} a t^2$$

$$X_1 = \frac{1}{2} a t_1^2 \quad t_1 = 1 \text{ s}$$

$$\underline{X_2 = \frac{1}{2} a t_2^2} \quad t_2 = 2 \text{ s}$$

take ratio: $\frac{X_1}{X_2} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} a t_1^2}{\frac{1}{2} a t_2^2} = \frac{t_1^2}{t_2^2} = \frac{1}{4}$

$$X_2 = 4 X_1$$

$$X_1 = 20 \text{ m}$$

$$\underline{X_2 = 80 \text{ m}}$$

$$\text{Final answer} = 80 \text{ m} - 20 \text{ m} = \underline{\underline{60 \text{ m}}}$$

Note

many ways to solve this problem
could solve for acceleration

using $x = x_0 + v_0 t + \frac{1}{2} a t^2$

$$x = 20 \text{ m}$$

$$t = 1 \text{ s}$$

$$x_0 = 0$$

$$v_0 = 0$$

then put acceleration
into (2nd second)

$$x = x_0 + v_0 t + \frac{1}{2} a t^2$$

$$x_0 = 0$$

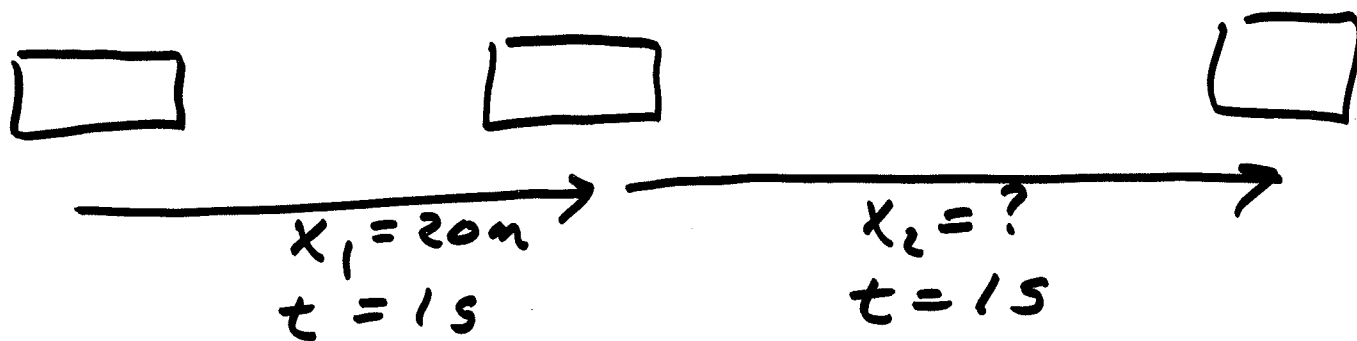
$$v_0 = 0$$

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

solve for x

At home prove to yourself
that you get same answer

Even more complicated way



solve for acceleration in 1st second

solve for velocity after 1st second

$$x = x_0 + v_0 t + \frac{1}{2} a t^2$$

$$x_0 = 0$$

$$v_0 =$$

$$a =$$

solve for x (prove this at home)

much more involved

not wrong

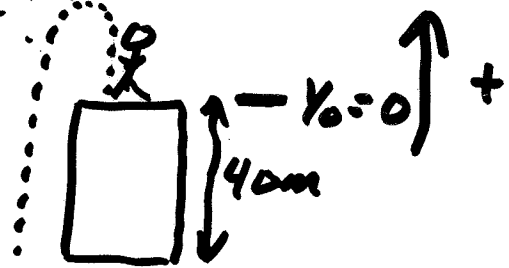
ONE OF THE MOST important cases of constant acceleration is objects near the earth falling

All objects near the surface of the earth fall with a constant acceleration of $\sim 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$

"g"

Equations we have been using for constant acceleration apply to an object in free fall. (ignore AIR RESISTANCE)

ex) A boy throws a ball upward with a speed of 10.0 m/s from a building 40.0 meter high. How long will it take for the ball to hit the ground?



$$y = -40\text{m}$$

$$t = ?$$

$$x = x_0 + v_0 t + \frac{1}{2} a t^2$$

$$v_0 = 10\text{ m/s}$$

$$y = y_0 + v_0 t + \frac{1}{2} a t^2$$

$$a = -g$$

$$y = 0 + v_0 t + \frac{1}{2} (-g) t^2$$

$$\frac{1}{2} g t^2 - v_0 t + y = 0$$

$$t = \frac{v_0 \pm \sqrt{v_0^2 - 4(\frac{1}{2} g y)}}{2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} g}$$

$$t = \frac{10\text{ m/s} \pm \sqrt{(10\text{ m/s})^2 - 2(9.8\text{ m/s}^2)(-40\text{ m})}}{9.8\text{ m/s}^2}$$

$$t = -2.01\text{ s}$$

$$\boxed{4.05\text{ s}}$$

EX] A BOY ON A BUILDING
OF HEIGHT 50M THROWS
A BALL UPWARD WITH AN
INITIAL VELOCITY OF 20m/s

- a) TIME FOR STONE TO REACH
MAXIMUM HEIGHT
- b) MAXIMUM HEIGHT
- c) TIME TO REACH LEVEL OF
THROWER
- d) VELOCITY AT THIS INSTANT
- e) VELOCITY AND POSITION OF
STONE AFTER 5s, ~~10s~~
- f) VELOCITY WHEN STONE
HITS GROUND



a) max height $v = 0$

$$v = v_0 + at$$

$$0 = v_0 + (-g)t \Rightarrow t = \frac{v_0}{g}$$

$$t = \frac{20 \text{ m/s}}{9.8 \text{ m/s}^2} = \boxed{2.04 \text{ s}}$$

b) $y = y_0 + v_0 t + \frac{1}{2} at^2$

$$= 0 + (20 \text{ m/s})(2.04 \text{ s}) + \frac{1}{2}(-9.8)(2.04 \text{ s})^2$$

$$\boxed{20.4 \text{ m from top}}$$

c) $y = y_0 + v_0 t + \frac{1}{2} at^2$

$$y = y_0 = 0$$

$$0 = 0 + v_0 t + \frac{1}{2}(-g)t^2$$

$$0 = t[v_0 - \frac{1}{2}gt]$$

$$t = 0 \text{ or } v_0 - \frac{1}{2}gt = 0$$

$$20 \text{ m/s} - \frac{1}{2}(9.8 \text{ m/s}^2)t = 0$$

$$\boxed{t = 4.08 \text{ s}}$$

d) velocity

$$v = v_0 + at$$

$$v = 20 \text{ m/s} - (9.8 \text{ m/s}^2)(4.08 \text{ s})$$
$$= \underline{\underline{-20 \text{ m/s}}}$$

e) $y = y_0 + v_0 t - \frac{1}{2} g t^2$

$$= 0 + (20 \text{ m/s})(5 \text{ s}) - \frac{1}{2} (9.8 \text{ m/s}^2)(5 \text{ s})^2$$
$$= \underline{\underline{-22.5 \text{ m}}}$$

$$v = v_0 - g t$$

$$20 \text{ m/s} - (9.8 \text{ m/s}^2)(5 \text{ s})$$
$$= \underline{\underline{-29 \text{ m/s}}}$$

f) $v^2 = v_0^2 + 2a(y - y_0)$

$$v^2 = (20 \text{ m/s})^2 - 2g(-50 \text{ m})$$

$$\boxed{v = -37 \text{ m/s}}$$