Physics 3204
Projectile Motion
Worksheet 5: Projectile Motion -Putting It Altogether


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## PART A: MULTIPLE CHOICE

Instructions: Shade the letter of the correct answer on the computer scorable answer sheet provided

1. Which expression represents the time it takes for a projectile, with initial velocity $v_{1}$, at angle $\theta$ above the horizontal, to reach its maximum height?
(A) $v_{1} g \cos \theta$
(B) $v_{1} g \sin \theta$
(C) $\frac{v_{1} \cos \theta}{g}$
(D) $\frac{v_{1} \sin \theta}{g}$
2. What is the vertical speed component of a projectile that is launched at an angle of $20.0^{\circ}$ to the horizontal with an initial speed of $30.0 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{s}$ ?
(A) $\quad 30.0\left(\cos 20.0^{\circ}\right)$
(B) $\quad 30.0\left(\sin 20.0^{\circ}\right)$
(C) $\frac{30.0}{\sin 20.0^{\circ}}$
(D) $\frac{30.0}{\cos 20.0^{\circ}}$
3. Which represents the range for a projectile launched horizontally with velocity, $v$, from height, h ?
(A)

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v \sin \theta \sqrt{\frac{h}{4.9}}
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(C)

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v \sqrt{\frac{h}{4.9}}
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(B)

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-v \cos \theta \sqrt{\frac{h}{4.9}}
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(D)

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v\left(\frac{h}{4.9}\right)
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4. A stone is thrown upward from the top of a building at an angle of $30.0^{\circ}$ to the horizontal with an initial speed of $20.0 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{s}$. If the stone lands on the ground 4.22 s later, how tall is the building?
(A) 14.2 m
(B) 21.5 m
(C) 45.1 m
(D) 129 m
5. A golf ball is launched with an initial velocity, $v_{0}$, at an angle $\theta$ above the ground. Which expression describes the time required for the golf ball to land on the ground?
(A) $\frac{-2 v_{0}}{a}$
(B) $\frac{-2 v_{0} \cos \theta}{a}$
(C) $\frac{-2 v_{o} \sin \theta}{a}$
(D) $\frac{-v_{o} \sin \theta}{a}$

## PART B: WRITTEN RESPONSE

1. A strike in baseball occurs between 0.50 m and 1.0 m directly above home plate.

A pitcher, 18.0 m from home plate, throws a ball with an initial velocity of $17.0 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{s}$ at $15^{\circ}$ above the horizontal. If the ball is released 2.0 m above the ground, will the pitch be a strike? Show workings. JUNE 2006

2. A fish sees a bug on a tree branch that is 4.1 m above the water, and tries to knock it down by shooting a jet of water with an initial velocity of $11.7 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{s}$ at an angle of $35^{\circ}$ to the surface of the water. With the aid of a diagram, calculate whether it is possible for the angler fish to hit the bug. JUNE 2008

