

In questions that tell you to show your working, you shouldn't depend solely on a calculator. For these questions, solutions based entirely on graphical or numerical methods are not acceptable.

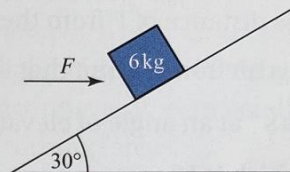
- 1 A particle moves with an initial velocity of  $(14\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j}) \text{ m s}^{-1}$  and a constant acceleration of  $(-\mathbf{i} + 7\mathbf{j}) \text{ m s}^{-2}$

a Work out its velocity at time  $t = 4$

b Work out its speed at this time.

[3 marks]

- 2 A box of mass 6 kg moves up a smooth plane, at constant velocity, under action of a horizontal force of magnitude  $F$  Newtons. The plane is inclined at an angle of  $30^\circ$  to the horizontal. Work out the value of  $F$



[2]

- 3 An object moving with constant acceleration has an initial velocity of  $(-2\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j}) \text{ m s}^{-1}$ . Six seconds later it has a velocity of  $(4\mathbf{i} - 7\mathbf{j}) \text{ m s}^{-1}$ . Work out

[5]

a Its acceleration,

[3]

b The distance of the object from its starting position after these six seconds.

[4]

- 4 A particle is projected with a velocity of  $58.8 \text{ m s}^{-1}$  at an angle of  $30^\circ$  to the horizontal from a point, X, on horizontal ground. Taking  $g = 9.81 \text{ m s}^{-2}$ , work out

a The highest point above the ground of the path of the particle,

[4]

b The distance from X to the point where the particle lands, giving your answer correct to the nearest metre.

[5]

- 5 A stone is thrown horizontally with a velocity of  $20 \text{ m s}^{-1}$  from the top of a vertical cliff. Five seconds later the stone reaches the sea. Work out

a The height of the cliff,

[3]

b The horizontal distance from the base of the cliff to the point where the stone lands,

[2]

c The direction in which the stone is travelling at the instant before it hits the sea.

[4]

- 6 Referred to a fixed origin, the position vector,  $\mathbf{r}$  metres, of a particle, P, at a time  $t$  seconds is given by  $\mathbf{r} = (\sin 2t)\mathbf{i} + (\cos 4t)\mathbf{j}$ , where  $t \geq 0$ . At the instant when  $t = \frac{\pi}{6}$ , work out

a The velocity of P, showing your working,

[4]

b The acceleration of P, showing your working.

[4]

- 7 A particle moves through the origin with constant acceleration. It has an initial velocity of  $(2\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{j}) \text{ m s}^{-1}$ . After six seconds it is moving through the point with position vector  $(-6\mathbf{i} + 18\mathbf{j}) \text{ m}$ . Work out

[3]

a Its velocity at  $t = 6$

[2]

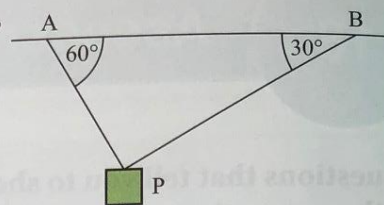
b Its acceleration,

[2]

c The time at which the particle is moving parallel to the x-axis.



- 8 A parcel, P, of mass 5 kg, hangs from the horizontal roof of a lift, supported by two light inextensible strings, AP and BP. The lift is accelerating upwards at  $\frac{1}{5}g \text{ m s}^{-2}$ . Work out



- a The tension in BP, showing all your working, [7]  
b The tension in AP [1]

- 9 A particle, P, of mass 0.4 kg moves under the action of a single force,  $\mathbf{F}$  Newtons. At time  $t$ , the velocity,  $\mathbf{v} \text{ m s}^{-1}$  of P is given by  $\mathbf{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 3t^2 + 5 \\ 14t - 2 \end{pmatrix} \text{ m s}^{-1}$ . At time  $t = 0$ , P is at the origin. Work out

- a  $\mathbf{F}$  when  $t = 2$ . Show all your working. [5]  
b The distance of P from the origin when  $t = 2$  [7]

- 10 A ball is hit from a point that is one metre above horizontal ground, with a velocity of  $20 \text{ m s}^{-1}$  at an angle of elevation of  $\alpha$  where  $\tan \alpha = \frac{4}{3}$ . The ball just clears a vertical wall, which is 12 metres horizontally from the point where the ball was hit. Work out (to 3 sf)

- a The height of the wall, [7]  
b The speed of the ball at the instant when it passes over the wall, [4]  
c The direction in which the ball is travelling at the instant when it passes over the wall. [2]

- 11 At time  $t = 0$ , a particle, P, is at rest at the point  $(2, 0)$ . At time  $t$  seconds, its acceleration,  $\mathbf{a} \text{ m s}^{-2}$  is given by  $\mathbf{a} = \begin{pmatrix} 16 \cos 4t \\ \sin t - 2 \sin 2t \end{pmatrix}$ . Work out

- a The acceleration of P when  $t = \frac{\pi}{2}$  [2]  
b The velocity of P when  $t = \frac{\pi}{4}$  [7]  
c The position of P when  $t = \pi$  [7]

- 12 Two boats, P and Q, are travelling with constant velocities  $(3\mathbf{i} - 8\mathbf{j}) \text{ km h}^{-1}$  and  $(-7\mathbf{i} + 12\mathbf{j}) \text{ km h}^{-1}$  respectively, relative to a fixed origin  $O$ . At noon, the position vectors of P and Q are  $(4\mathbf{i} + 11\mathbf{j}) \text{ km}$  and  $(9\mathbf{i} + 3.5\mathbf{j}) \text{ km}$  respectively. At time  $t$  hours after noon, the position vectors of P and Q, relative to  $O$ , are  $\mathbf{S}_P$  and  $\mathbf{S}_Q$ . Write

- a An expression in terms of  $t$  for  $\mathbf{S}_P$  [2]  
b An expression in terms of  $t$  for  $\mathbf{S}_Q$  [2]

At a time,  $t$  hours after noon, the distance between the boats is given by  $d \text{ km}$

- c Prove that  $d^2 = (-5 + 10t)^2 + (7.5 - 20t)^2$  [4]  
d Work out the time at which the boats are closest together. Show all your working. [5]  
e Work out the distance between the boats at the time when they are closest together. [2]

- 13 A particle is projected from a point  $O$ , with an initial velocity of  $u \text{ m s}^{-1}$ , at an angle of  $\alpha$  to the horizontal. In the vertical plane of projection, taking  $x$  and  $y$  as the horizontal and vertical axes respectively

- a Show that  $y = x \tan \alpha - \frac{gx^2}{2u^2} \sec^2 \alpha$  [5]

Given that  $u = 42$  and that the particle passes through the point  $(60, 70)$

- b Find the two possible angles of projection. Take  $g = 9.8 \text{ m s}^{-2}$  and show all your working. [6]