

## Projectiles, further practice

### Concepts:

- I) What is the difference between the path of Type 1 and Type 2 projectiles?
- II) Explain why  $V_{oy}$  is zero for Type 1 projectiles.
- III) Explain why  $a_x$  is zero for all projectiles?
- IV) After drawing the picture what should be the first step in solving a Type 2 projectile?
- V) What formula is used to find time for all projectiles?
- VI) What conditions are necessary to use the horizontal components to find time for a Type 1 projectile?
- VII) What is the relation between  $v_{ox}$  and  $v_{fx}$ , explain why this is.
- VIII) How are  $v_{fy}$  and  $v_{fx}$  used to find the final velocity of any object?
- IX) When should  $v_f^2 = v_o^2 + 2ad$  be used and when should  $v_f = v_o + at$  be used to find the final vertical velocity?

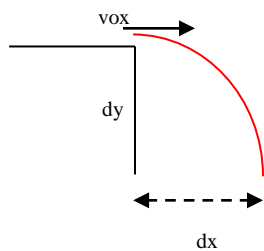
### Problems:

- 1) A physics student runs at 6.0 m/s horizontally off a 10.0 m high diving board. What will be her range when landing in the water below?
- 2) A rock is tossed off a bridge horizontally at 9.0 m/s and strikes the ground below 3.2 s later. How high is the bridge and what was the range of the throw?
- 3) A rifle is shot horizontally at 300 m/s from a height of 1.8 m. What is the maximum distance the bullet will travel before hitting the ground?
- 4) Water sprays horizontally out of a shower head which is 2.12 m above the ground. If the water hits the shower floor 0.85 m from the wall of the shower how fast was the water coming out the showerhead?
- 5) A supply plane flying at 250 m/s releases supplies 3900 m in front of survivors of a shipwreck. How high is the plane?
- 6) An Olympic javelin thrower releases the javelin at 30 m/s at an angle of  $40^\circ$  above the horizontal. What is the range of the projectile?
- 7) While skateboarding a student leaves a jump at  $20^\circ$  and velocity 5.0 m/s, what will be the range of his jump?
- 8) A football kickoff is moving with an initial velocity of 20 m/s at  $58^\circ$  above the field, what is the range of the kick?
- 9) A small electric current zaps a frog causing it to jump at 2.0 m/s on an angle of  $30^\circ$ , if the frog was in the middle of a 30 cm x 30 cm plate of copper will it get off the copper in one jump?

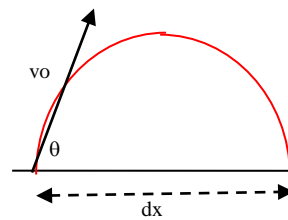
- 10) While studying a kangaroo at a distance a scientist notes the kangaroo consistently jumps on an angle of  $35^\circ$ . Careful measurements show the range of all jumps to be 4.0 m, with what was the velocity the kangaroo leaving the ground?
- 11) Calculate velocity when reaching the water of the student in #1.
- 12) What is the velocity of the bullet in #3 when it has dropped a vertical distance of 1.0 m?
- 13) For the football in #8 what is the velocity at the maximum height?
- 14) What is the maximum height of the football in #8?
- 15) Calculate the velocity of the kangaroo in #10 after 0.30 seconds.

Answers

I) type 1



type 2



- II) because the projectile is launched horizontally
- III) zero
- IV) find  $v_{ox}$  and  $v_{oy}$
- V)  $d = v_{ot} + \frac{1}{2} at^2$
- VI) must be given  $v_{ox}$  and  $dx$
- VII) they are the same because there is no acceleration in the x direction
- VIII) pythagoras' theorem
- IX) use  $v_f^2 = v_o^2 + 2ad$  when given  $dy$ , use  $v_f = v_o + at$  when given time

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| 1) $dx = 8.57 \text{ m}$     | 2) $dy = 50.2 \text{ m}, dx = 28.8 \text{ m}$ | 3) $dx = 182 \text{ m}$             |
| 4) $1.29 \text{ m/s}$        | 5) $dy = 1.19 \times 10^3 \text{ m}$          | 6) $dx = 90.4 \text{ m}$            |
| 7) $dx = 1.64 \text{ m}$     | 8) $dx = 36.7 \text{ m}$                      | 9) yes                              |
| 10) $6.46 \text{ m/s}$       | 11) $v_f = 15.3 \text{ m/s}$                  | 12) $v_f = 300 \text{ m/s}$ (still) |
| 13) $v_f = 10.6 \text{ m/s}$ | 14) $dy = 14.7 \text{ m}$                     | 15) $5.35 \text{ m/s}$              |