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*On my honor, I have neither given nor received unauthorized aid on this examination.***YOUR TEST NUMBER IS THE 5-DIGIT NUMBER AT THE TOP OF EACH PAGE.**

- (1) **Code your test number on your answer sheet (use lines 76–80 on the answer sheet for the 5-digit number).** Code your name on your answer sheet. **DARKEN CIRCLES COMPLETELY.** Code your UFID number on your answer sheet.
- (2) Print your name on this sheet and sign it also.
- (3) Do all scratch work anywhere on this exam that you like. **Circle your answers on the test form.** At the end of the test, this exam printout is to be turned in. No credit will be given without both answer sheet and printout.
- (4) **Blacken the circle of your intended answer completely, using a #2 pencil or blue or black ink.** Do not make any stray marks or some answers may be counted as incorrect.
- (5) **The answers are rounded off. Choose the closest to exact. There is no penalty for guessing. If you believe that no listed answer is correct, leave the form blank.**
- (6) Hand in the answer sheet separately.

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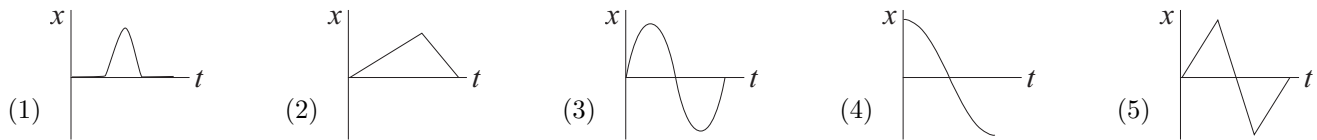
1. A ball rolls up a slope. At the end of three seconds, its velocity is 20 cm/s; at the end of eight seconds, its velocity is 0 cm/s. What is the average acceleration (in  $\text{cm/s}^2$ ) from the third to the eighth second?

(1) 4.0                      (2) 2.5                      (3) 5.0                      (4) 6.0                      (5) 6.67

2. The coordinate of an object is given as a function of time by  $x = 7t - 3t^2$ , where  $x$  is in meters and  $t$  is in seconds. Its average velocity over the interval from  $t = 0$  to  $t = 2$  s is:

(1)  $-5 \text{ m/s}$                       (2)  $5 \text{ m/s}$                       (3)  $11 \text{ m/s}$                       (4)  $-11 \text{ m/s}$                       (5)  $-14.5 \text{ m/s}$

3. A car accelerates from rest on a straight road. A short time later, the car decelerates to a stop and then returns to its original position in a similar manner. Which of the five following graphs best describes the motion?



4. An object is thrown vertically upward with a certain initial velocity in a world where the acceleration due to gravity is  $19.6 \text{ m/s}^2$ . The height to which it rises is \_\_\_\_\_ that to which the object would rise if thrown upward with the same initial velocity on the Earth. Neglect friction.

(1) half                      (2)  $\sqrt{2}$  times                      (3) twice                      (4) four times                      (5) cannot be calculated from the given data

5. If the  $x$  component of a vector  $\vec{A}$ , in the  $xy$  plane, is half as large as the magnitude of the vector, its  $y$  component is:

(1)  $\sqrt{3}A/2$                       (2)  $A/2$                       (3)  $2A$                       (4)  $3A/4$                       (5)  $\sqrt{5}A/2$

6. The angle between  $\vec{A} = 25\hat{i} + 45\hat{j}$  and the positive  $x$  axis is:

(1)  $61^\circ$                       (2)  $29^\circ$                       (3)  $151^\circ$                       (4)  $209^\circ$                       (5)  $241^\circ$

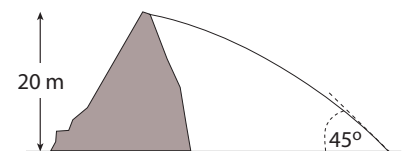
7. Two vectors lie with their tails at the same point. When the angle between them is increased by  $20^\circ$ , their scalar product has the same magnitude but changes from positive to negative. The original angle between them was:

(1)  $80^\circ$                       (2)  $0$                       (3)  $60^\circ$                       (4)  $70^\circ$                       (5)  $90^\circ$

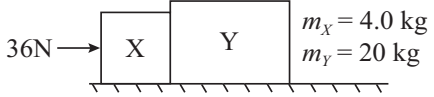
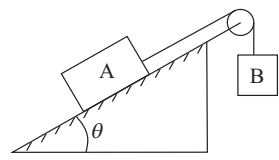
8. If  $\vec{A} = 2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j}$  and  $\vec{B} = \hat{i} - 2\hat{j}$ , then  $\vec{A} - 2\vec{B} =$

(1)  $\hat{j}$                       (2)  $-\hat{j}$                       (3)  $4\hat{i} - 7\hat{j}$                       (4)  $4\hat{i} + \hat{j}$                       (5)  $-4\hat{i} + 7\hat{j}$

9. A stone is thrown horizontally from the top of a 20-m high hill. It strikes the ground at an angle of  $45^\circ$ . With what speed was it thrown?



(1)  $20 \text{ m/s}$                       (2)  $14 \text{ m/s}$                       (3)  $28 \text{ m/s}$                       (4)  $32 \text{ m/s}$                       (5)  $40 \text{ m/s}$

10. A large cannon is fired over level ground at an angle of  $30^\circ$  above the horizontal. The muzzle velocity is 980 m/s. Neglecting air resistance, the projectile will travel what horizontal distance before striking the ground?
- (1) 85,000 m      (2) 4300 m      (3) 8500 m      (4) 43,000 m      (5) 170,000 m
11. Two objects are traveling around different circular orbits with constant speed. They both have the same acceleration but object A is traveling twice as fast as object B. The orbit radius for object A is \_\_\_\_\_ the orbit radius for object B.
- (1) four times      (2) one-fourth      (3) one-half      (4) the same as      (5) twice
12. A motor boat can travel at 10 km/h in still water. A river flows at 5 km/h west. A boater wishes to cross from the south bank to a point directly opposite on the north bank. At what angle must the boat be headed?
- (1)  $30^\circ$  E of N      (2)  $27^\circ$  E of N      (3)  $45^\circ$  E of N      (4)  $60^\circ$  E of N      (5) depends on the width of the river
13. A feather and a lead ball are dropped from rest in vacuum on the moon. The acceleration of the feather is:
- (1) the same as that of the lead ball.  
 (2) more than that of the lead ball.  
 (3) less than that of the lead ball.  
 (4)  $g = 9.80 \text{ m/s}^2$ .  
 (5) zero since it floats in a vacuum.
14. Two forces are applied to a 5.0-kg object; one is 6.0 N to the north and the other is 8.0 N to the west. The magnitude of the acceleration of the object is:
- (1)  $2.0 \text{ m/s}^2$       (2)  $0.50 \text{ m/s}^2$       (3)  $2.8 \text{ m/s}^2$       (4)  $10 \text{ m/s}^2$       (5)  $50 \text{ m/s}^2$
15. A car moves horizontally with a constant acceleration of  $4 \text{ m/s}^2$ . A ball is suspended by a string from the ceiling of the car; the ball does not swing, being at rest with respect to the car. What angle does the string make with the vertical?
- (1)  $22^\circ$       (2)  $24^\circ$       (3)  $66^\circ$       (4)  $68^\circ$       (5) cannot be found without knowing string length
16. Two blocks (X and Y) are in contact on a horizontal frictionless surface. A 36-N constant force is applied to X as shown. The force exerted by Y on X is:
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- (1) 30 N      (2) 1.5 N      (3) 6.0 N      (4) 29 N      (5) 36 N
17. A block rests on a rough horizontal surface ( $\mu_s = 0.50$ ,  $\mu_k = 0.40$ ). A constant horizontal force, just sufficient to start the block in motion, is applied. The acceleration of the block after starting to move, in  $\text{m/s}^2$ , is:
- (1) 0.98      (2) 0      (3) 3.3      (4) 4.5      (5) 8.9
18. Block A, with a mass of 10 kg, rests on a  $\theta = 30^\circ$  incline. The coefficient of kinetic friction is 0.20. The attached string is parallel to the incline and passes over a massless, frictionless pulley at the top. Block B, with a mass of 8.0 kg, is attached to the dangling end of the string. The acceleration of B is:
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- (1)  $0.69 \text{ m/s}^2$ , down      (2)  $0.69 \text{ m/s}^2$ , up      (3)  $2.6 \text{ m/s}^2$ , down      (4)  $2.6 \text{ m/s}^2$ , up      (5) 0

19. If a certain car, going with speed  $v_1$ , rounds a level curve with a radius  $R_1$ , it is just on the verge of skidding. If its speed is now doubled, the radius of the tightest curve on the same road that it can round without skidding is:

- (1)  $4R_1$                       (2)  $2R_1$                       (3)  $R_1/2$                       (4)  $R_1/4$                       (5)  $R_1$

20. A giant wheel, 40 m in diameter, is fitted with a cage and platform on which a man can stand. The wheel rotates at such a speed that when the cage is at X (as shown), the force exerted by the man on the platform is equal to his weight. The tangential speed of the man (in m/s) is:

- (1) 20                      (2) 14                      (3) 28                      (4) 80                      (5) 120

