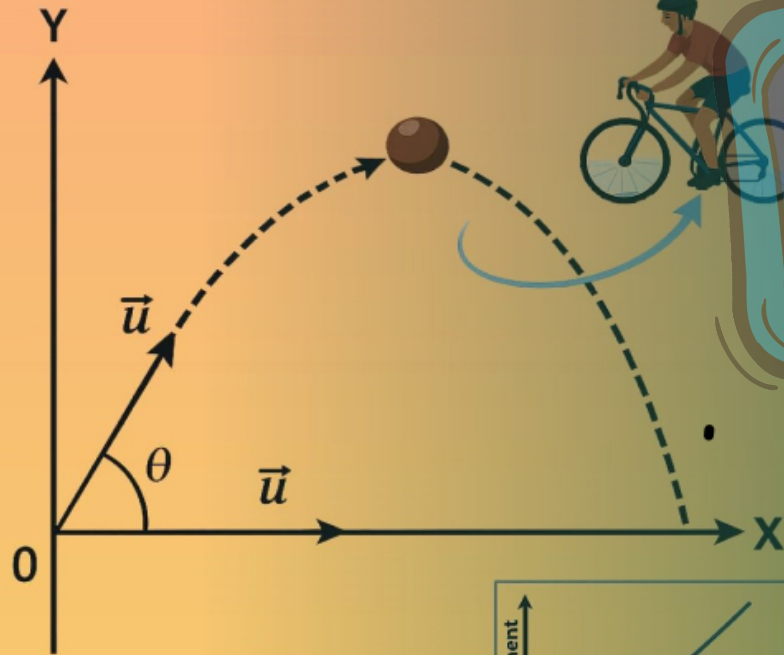


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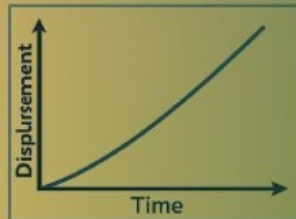
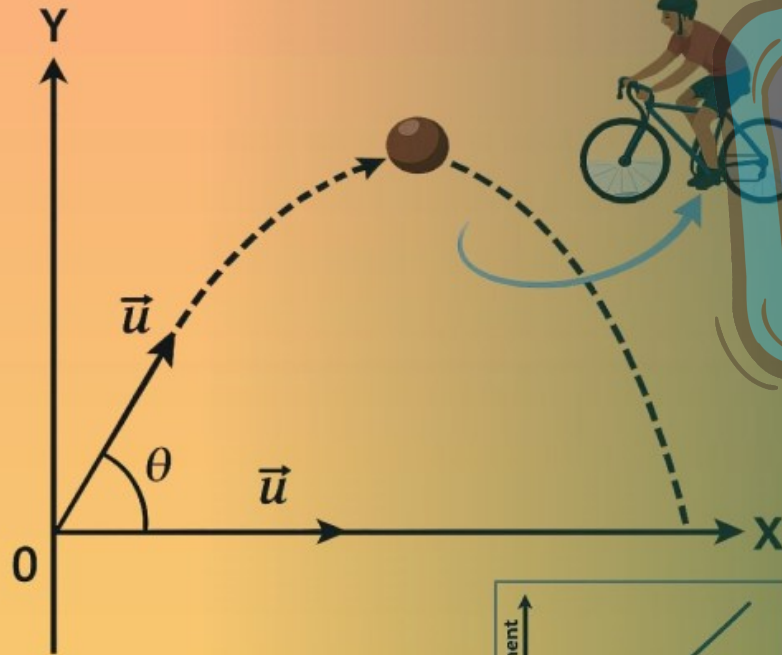
Motion in a Plane

Part – 4

Projectile Motion

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OVERVIEW



1. Scalars and Vectors

2. Addition of Vectors

3. Resolution of Vectors

4. Projectile Motion

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PROJECTILE MOTION

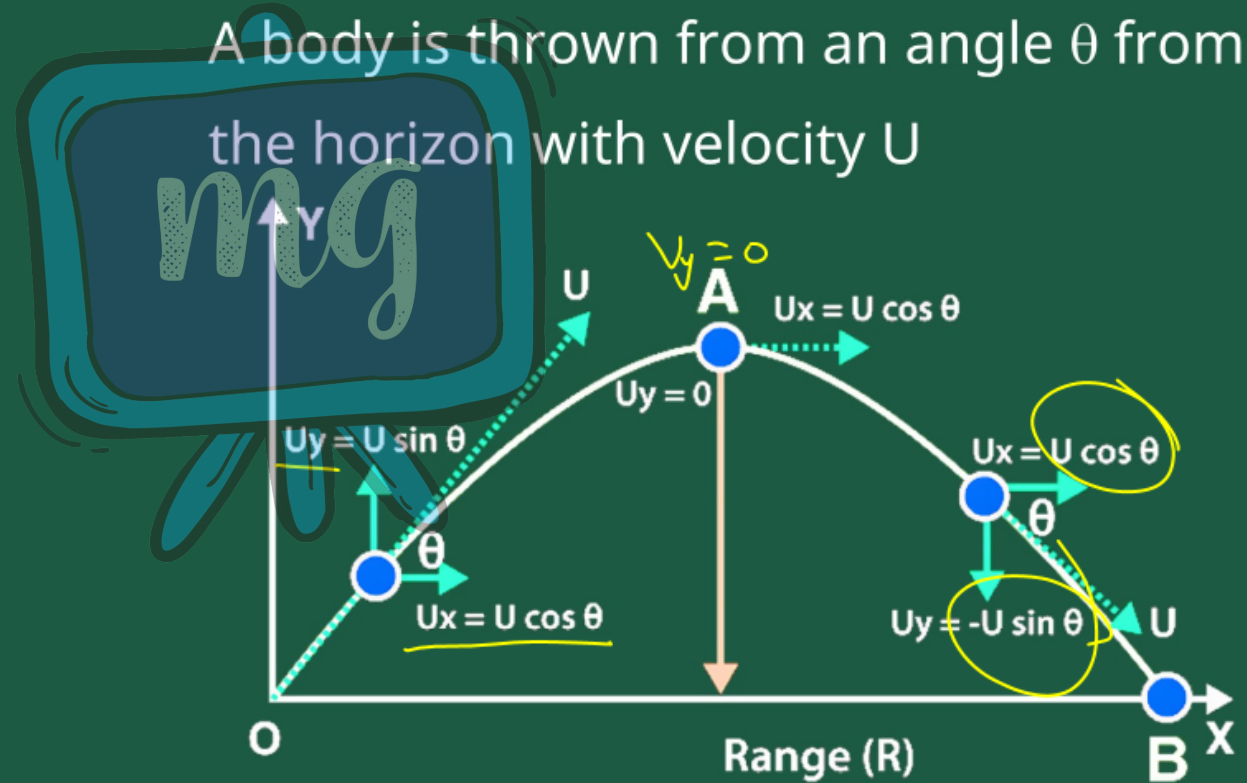
On throwing a body into the space with a definite velocity it moves freely in the gravitational field of the earth then it is called a projectile and the motion of the projectile is called projectile motion.



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- ▮ In the range of motion the value of acceleration due to gravity 'g' is constant. and the direction is always vertically downwards.
 - ▮ Air resistance is negligible.

TRAJECTORY OF PROJECTILE

A body is thrown from an angle θ from the horizon with velocity U



Trajectory of projectile

Let at time t (x, y)

$$s = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2$$

$$x = u_x t + \frac{1}{2}a_x t^2$$

$$x = (u \cos \theta) t + \frac{1}{2}(0)t^2$$

$$t = \frac{x}{u \cos \theta}$$

$$y = u_y t + \frac{1}{2}a_y t^2$$

$$y = (u \sin \theta) \frac{x}{u \cos \theta} + \frac{1}{2}(-g) \frac{x^2}{u^2 \cos^2 \theta}$$

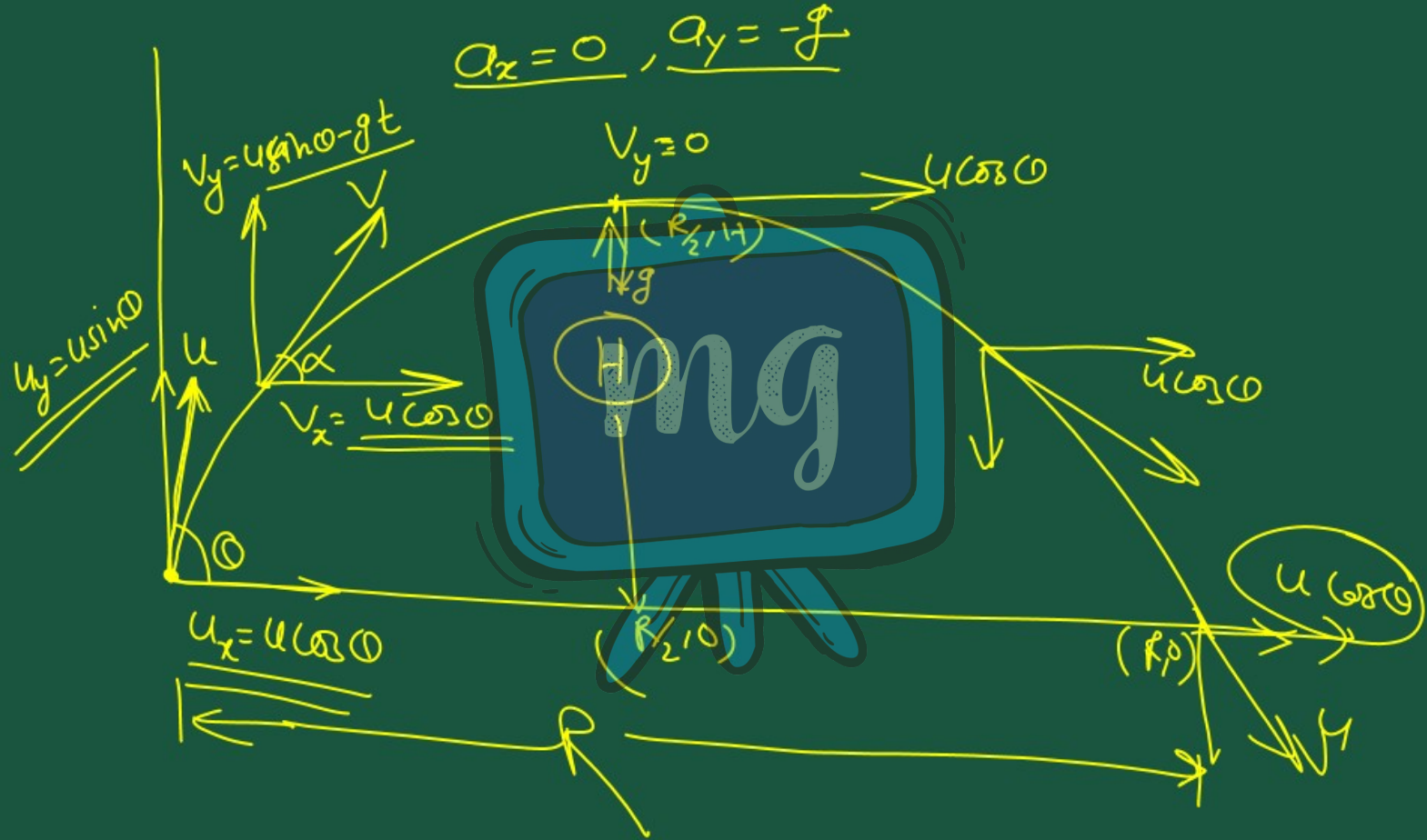
$$* \quad y = x \tan \theta - \frac{g x^2}{2 u^2 \cos^2 \theta}$$

$$\text{Let } \tan \theta = a, \quad \frac{g}{2 u^2 \cos^2 \theta} = b$$

$$y = ax - bx^2 \rightarrow \text{Equation of a Parabolic}$$

trajectory (path)

Parabolic



Horizontal component $u_x = u \cos\theta$

Vertical component $u_y = u \sin\theta$

Acceleration $a_x = 0$

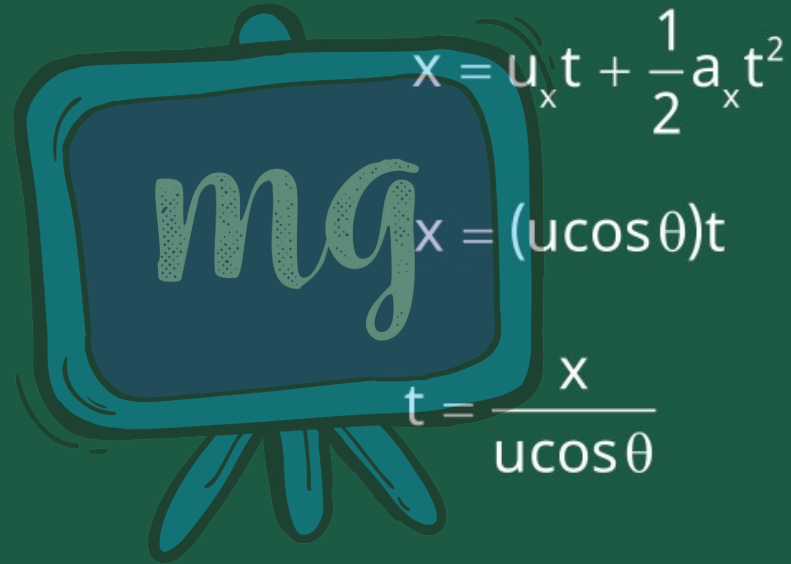
$$a_y = -g$$

From the second equation of motion

$$s = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2$$



X-axis



Y-axis

$$y = u_y t + \frac{1}{2} a_y t^2$$

$$y = x \tan \theta - \frac{g x^2}{2 u^2 \cos^2 \theta}$$

$$y = u \sin \theta \left(\frac{x}{u \cos \theta} \right) - \frac{1}{2} g \left(\frac{x^2}{u^2 \cos^2 \theta} \right)$$

This equation expresses the equation of parabola. So, the path of the projectile is parabolic.

Maximum height $u_y = u \sin \theta$

$v_y = 0, u_y = u \sin \theta, a_y = -g, y = H$

$v_y^2 = u_y^2 + 2a_y s$

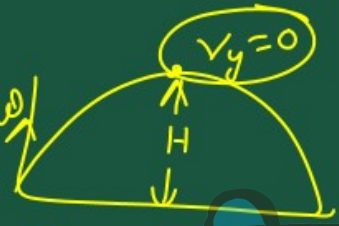
$0 = (u \sin \theta)^2 + 2(-g)H$

$2gH = u^2 \sin^2 \theta$

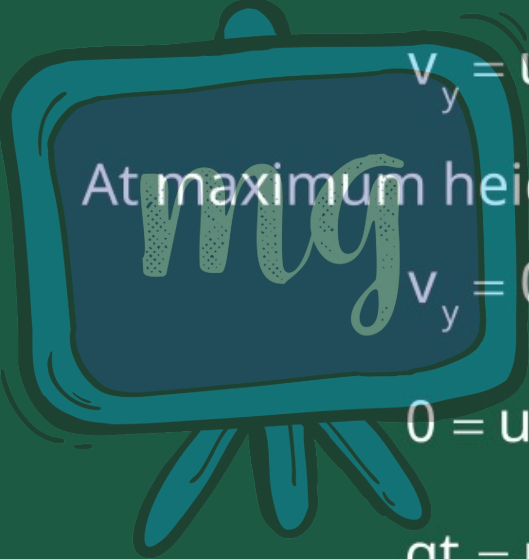
$H = \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \theta}{2g}$

If $H \rightarrow \max$
 $\sin^2 \theta = \max = 1$
 $\theta = 90^\circ$

$H_{\max} = \frac{u^2}{2g}$



MAXIMUM HEIGHT OF PROJECTILE

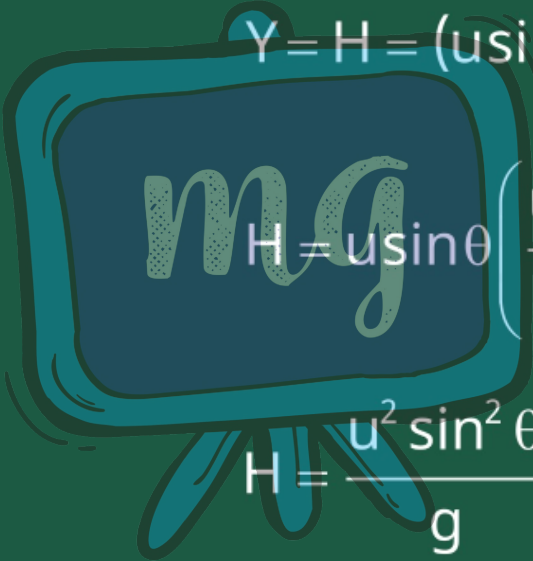

$$v_y = u_y + a_y t$$

At maximum height

$$v_y = 0$$
$$0 = u \sin \theta - gt$$
$$gt = u \sin \theta$$
$$g = \frac{u \sin \theta}{t}$$

Maximum height of the projectile

$$Y = H = (u \sin \theta)t - \frac{1}{2}gt^2$$


$$H = u \sin \theta \left(\frac{u \sin \theta}{g} \right) - \frac{1}{2}g \left(\frac{u^2 \sin^2 \theta}{g^2} \right)$$

$$H = \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \theta}{g} - \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \theta}{2g}$$

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$$H = \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \theta}{2g}$$

Time of flight

$$V_y = 0, u_y = u \sin \theta$$

$$a_y = -g, t = t_1$$

$$V_y = u_y + a_y t$$

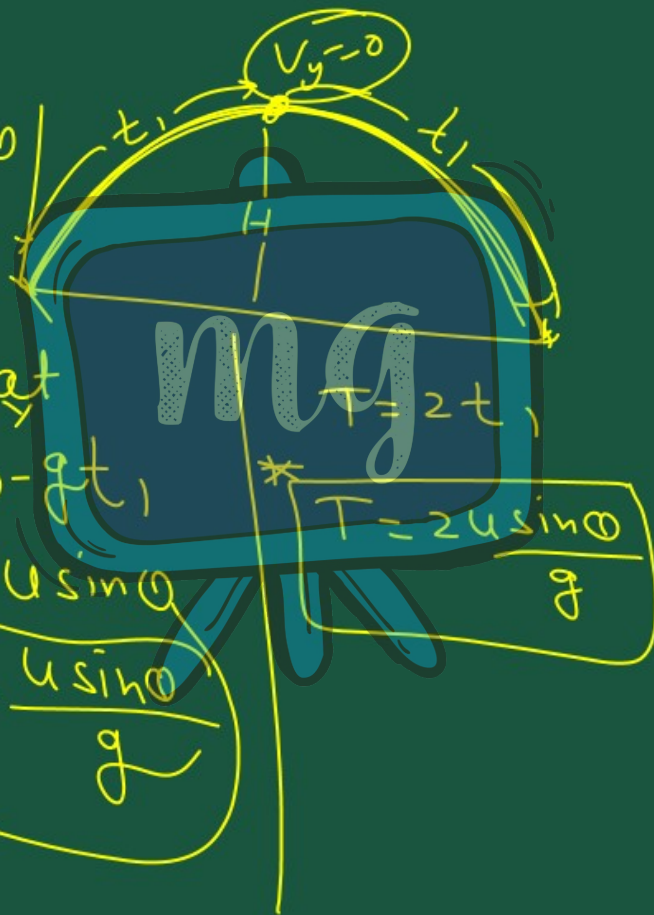
$$0 = u \sin \theta - g t_1$$

$$g t_1 = u \sin \theta$$

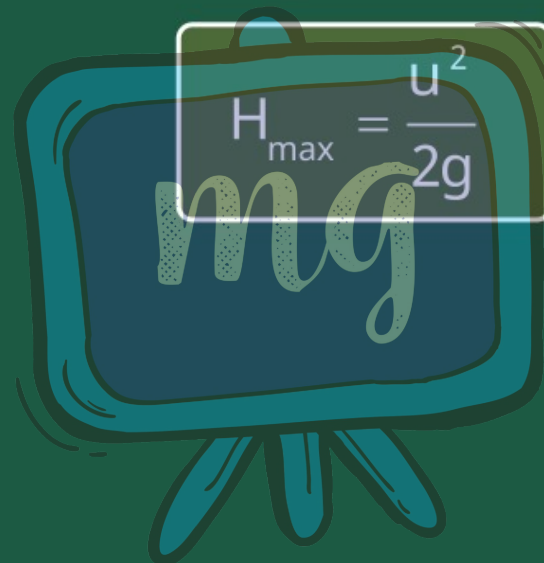
$$t_1 = \frac{u \sin \theta}{g}$$

$$T = 2 t_1$$

$$T = \frac{2 u \sin \theta}{g}$$



$$\text{If } \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$$


$$H_{\max} = \frac{u^2}{2g}$$

TIME OF FLIGHT OF PROJECTILE

The total time taken by a projectile in coming back to the same plane from the total time of flight

$$T = 2t$$

$$T = 2 \left(\frac{u \sin \theta}{g} \right)$$

$$T = \frac{2u \sin \theta}{g}$$

If $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$T_{\max} = \frac{2u}{g}$$

mg

HORIZONTAL RANGE

$$R = u_x T + \frac{1}{2} a_x T^2$$

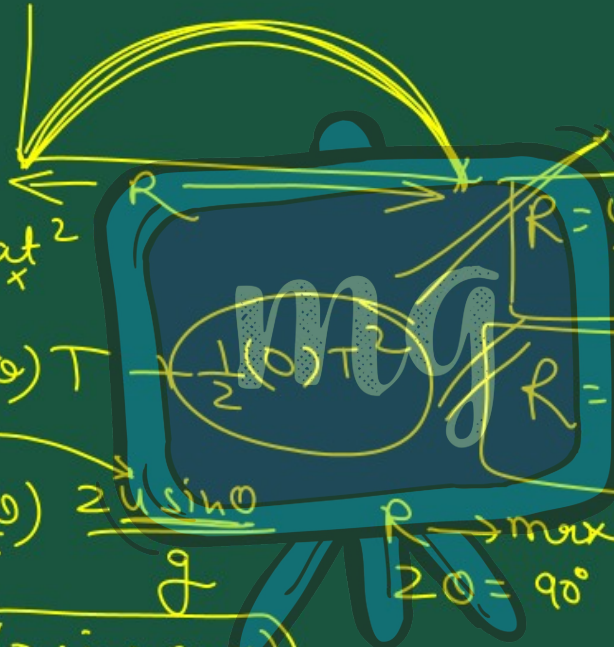
$$R = u \cos \theta \left(\frac{2u \sin \theta}{g} \right)$$

$$\because a_x = 0$$

$$R = \frac{u^2}{g} (2 \sin \theta \cos \theta)$$

$$R = \frac{u^2}{g} \sin 2\theta$$

$$= \frac{2u_x u_y}{g}$$



$$S_x = u_x t + \frac{1}{2} a_x t^2$$

$$R = (u \cos \theta) T - \frac{1}{2} (0) T^2$$

$$R = \frac{(u \cos \theta) \cdot 2u \sin \theta}{g}$$

$$R = \frac{u^2 (2 \sin \theta \cos \theta)}{g}$$

$$R = \frac{u^2 \sin 2\theta}{g}$$

$$R = \frac{2u_x u_y}{g}$$

$R \rightarrow \text{max} \Rightarrow \sin 2\theta = 1$
 $2\theta = 90^\circ \Rightarrow \theta = 45^\circ$

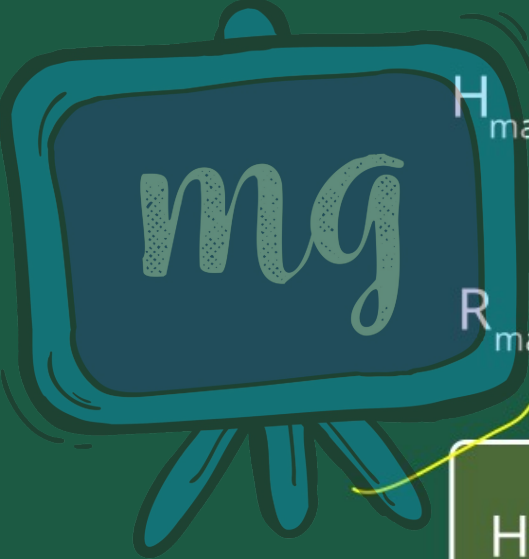
If $\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$

$$R_{\max} = \frac{u^2}{g}$$

$$H_{\max} = \frac{u^2}{2g}$$

$$R_{\max} = 2 H_{\max}$$

RELATION BETWEEN $R_{\max}$ AND $H_{\max}$


$$H_{\max} = \frac{u^2}{2g}$$
$$R_{\max} = \frac{u^2}{g}$$
$$H_{\max} = \frac{R_{\max}}{2}$$

Proof it :

$$\frac{H}{R} = \frac{\frac{u^2 \sin^2 \theta}{2g}}{\frac{u^2 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta}{g}}$$

$$\frac{H}{R} = \frac{\sin \theta}{4 \cos \theta}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{4H}{R}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{4H}{R}$$

$$H = \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \theta}{2g}$$

$$R = \frac{u^2 \sin 2\theta}{g} = \frac{u^2 (2 \sin \theta \cos \theta)}{g}$$

$$\frac{H}{R} = \frac{\tan \theta}{4} \Rightarrow$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{4H}{R}$$

Proof it :

$$8 \times \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \theta}{2g} = 8H$$

$$8H = gT^2$$

$$gT^2 = g \times \left(\frac{2u \sin \theta}{g} \right)^2$$

$$H = \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \theta}{2g}$$

$$= g \times \frac{4u^2 \sin^2 \theta}{g^2}$$

$$T^2 = \left(\frac{2u \sin \theta}{g} \right)^2$$

$$= \frac{4u^2 \sin^2 \theta}{g}$$

$$gT^2 = 8 \times \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \theta}{2g}$$

$$gT^2 = 8H$$

$$\frac{H}{T^2} = \frac{g}{8} \Rightarrow$$

$$8H = gT^2$$

Proof it :

$$gT^2 = g \left(\frac{2u \sin \theta}{g} \right)^2$$

$$gT^2 = \cancel{g} \left(\frac{4u^2 \sin^2 \theta}{\cancel{g^2}} \right)$$

$$gT^2 = \cancel{4} \frac{\cancel{u^2} \sin^2 \theta}{\cancel{g}} \quad T^2 = \left(\frac{2u \sin \theta}{g} \right)^2$$

$$2R = \frac{2 \times u^2 \sin \theta \cos \theta}{g}$$

$$2R = \frac{4u^2 \sin \theta \cos \theta}{g}$$

$$\frac{gT^2}{2R} = \tan \theta$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{gT^2}{2R}$$

$$R = \frac{u^2 \sin 2\theta}{g} = \frac{u^2 (2 \sin \theta \cos \theta)}{g}$$

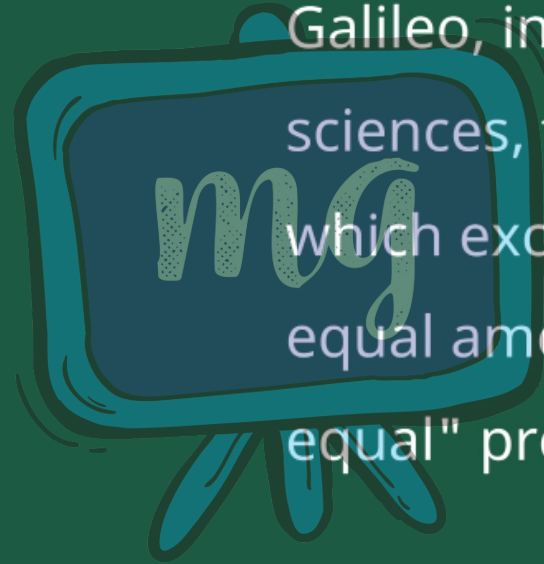
$$\Rightarrow \frac{T^2}{R} = \frac{2 \tan \theta}{g} \Rightarrow$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{gT^2}{2R}$$

Example : 1

$R_{45-\theta}$

$R_{45+\theta}$



Galileo, in his book two new sciences, stated that "for elevation which exceed or fall short of 45° by equal amounts, the ranges are equal" prove this statement.

$$R = \frac{u^2 \sin 2\theta}{g}$$

$$\theta_1 = 45^\circ - \theta$$

$$R_1 = \frac{u^2 \sin 2(45^\circ - \theta)}{g}$$

$$= \frac{u^2 \sin [90^\circ - 2\theta]}{g}$$

$$R_1 = \frac{u^2 \cos 2\theta}{g}$$

$$R_1 = R_2$$

$$\theta_2 = 45^\circ + \theta$$

$$R_2 = \frac{u^2 \sin 2(45^\circ + \theta)}{g}$$

$$= \frac{u^2 \sin (90^\circ + 2\theta)}{g}$$

$$R_2 = \frac{u^2 \cos 2\theta}{g}$$

$$\theta_1, 90^\circ - \theta$$

$$45^\circ - \theta, 45^\circ + \theta$$

Range Same

Answer :

$$R = \frac{u^2 \sin 2\theta}{g}$$

$$\theta = 45^\circ + \alpha, \quad \theta = 45^\circ - \alpha$$

$$R = \frac{u^2 \sin 2(45^\circ + \alpha)}{g}$$

$$R = \frac{u^2 \sin(90^\circ + 2\alpha)}{g} \Rightarrow \frac{u^2 \cos 2\alpha}{g} \dots(i)$$

$$R' = \frac{u^2 \sin 2(45^\circ - \alpha)}{g}$$

$$R' = \frac{u^2 \sin(90^\circ - 2\alpha)}{g} \Rightarrow \frac{u^2 \cos 2\alpha}{g} \dots(ii)$$

So, $R = R'$

Example : 2

$$u = 28 \text{ m/sec}$$

$$\theta = 30^\circ$$

$$\begin{aligned} H &= \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \theta}{2g} \\ &= \frac{(28)^2 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)}{2 \times 10} \\ &= \frac{14 \times 28 \times 28}{2 \times 10 \times 4} \\ &= \frac{98}{10} = \underline{\underline{9.8 \text{ m}}} \end{aligned}$$

A cricket ball is thrown at a speed of 28 ms^{-1} in a direction 30° above the horizontal. Calculate -

(a) The maximum height

(b) The time taken by the ball to return to the same level

(c) The distance from the thrower to the point where the ball return to the same level.

$$T = \frac{2u \sin \theta}{g}$$

$$= \frac{2 \times 20 \times \frac{1}{2}}{10}$$

$$= 2.8 \text{ sec}$$

$$R = \frac{u^2 \sin 2\theta}{g}$$

$$= \frac{20 \times 20 \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}{10}$$

$$= 14 \times 2.8 \times \sqrt{3}$$

Answer :

$$\theta = 30^\circ, u = 28 \text{ m/s}$$

(a)

$$H = \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \theta}{2g}$$

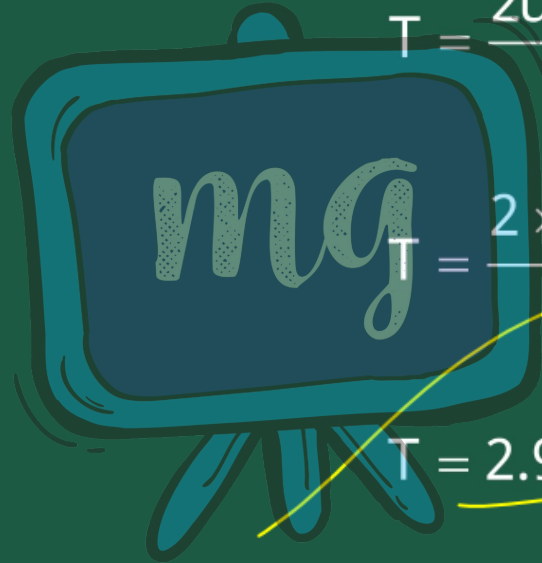
$$H = \frac{(28)^2 (\sin 30^\circ)^2}{2 \times 9.8} = 10 \text{ m}$$

(b)

$$T = \frac{2u \sin \theta}{g}$$

$$T = \frac{2 \times 28 \times \sin 30^\circ}{9.8}$$

$$T = 2.9 \text{ sec}$$

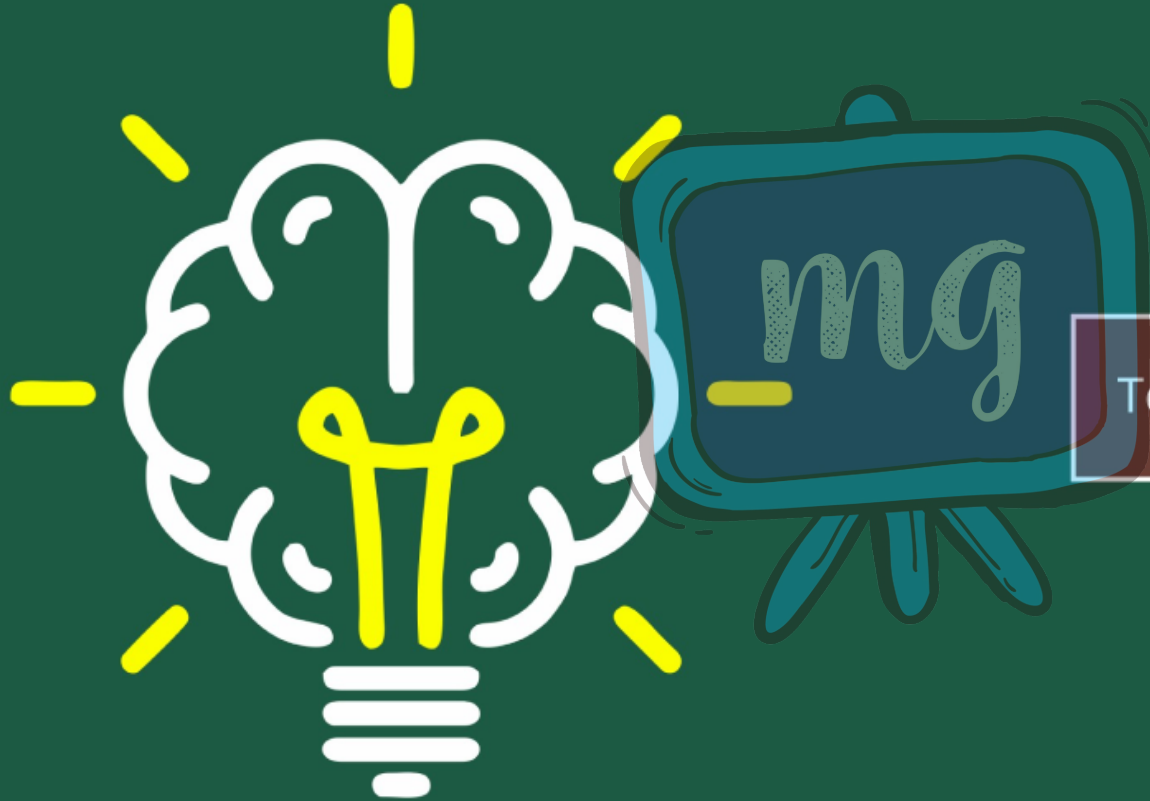


(c)

$$R = \frac{u^2 \sin 2\theta}{g}$$

$$R = \frac{(28)^2 \sin 60^\circ}{9.8}$$

$$R = \frac{28 \times 28 + \sqrt{3}}{9.8 \times 2} = 6.9\text{m}$$



To study projectile motion

1

The direction of velocity and acceleration at the peak of a projectile path are –

A

Mutually parallel

B

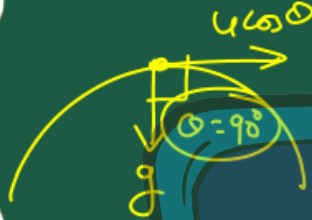
Mutually opposite

C

Mutually at 45° angle

D

Mutually perpendicular





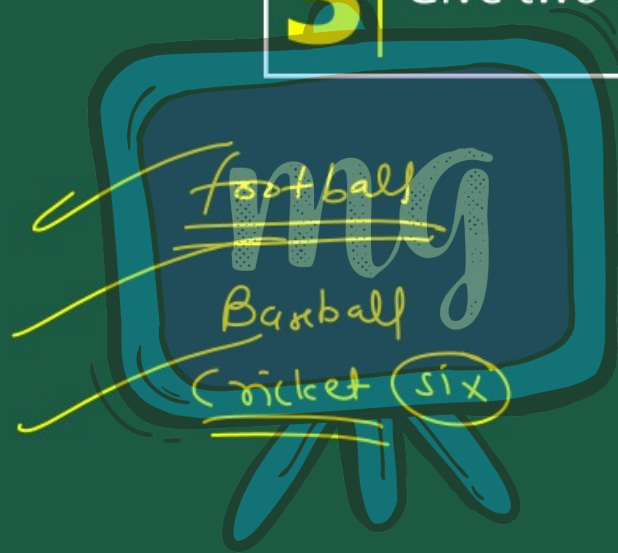
2

A ball is thrown at an angle θ from the horizon with a velocity. The value of θ for it's horizontal range to be maximum will be -

- ☐ A 30°
- ☐ B 0°
- ☒ C 45°
- ☐ D 60°

3

Give two examples of projectile motion.





4

A cricketer can throw a ball to a maximum horizontal distance of 100m. How high above the ground can the cricketer throw the same ball?

