

CHAPTER-7 | Motion

QUIZ-01

1. What is the SI unit of speed?

- A. km/h B. m/s
C. cm/s D. m/h (B)

Explanation: Speed is measured in metres per second in SI units, denoted as m/s or m s^{-1} .

2. Which of the following is a vector quantity?

- A. Distance B. Speed
C. Displacement D. Time (C)

Explanation: Displacement has both magnitude and direction, making it a vector quantity.

3. Which graph represents an object in uniform motion?

- A. Curved distance-time graph
B. Straight line sloping distance-time graph
C. Zigzag line on time axis
D. Parabolic velocity-time graph (B)

Explanation: A straight sloping distance-time graph indicates equal distance in equal time, i.e., uniform motion.

4. What is the average speed of an object that travels 32 m in 6 seconds?

- A. 4 m/s B. 5.33 m/s
C. 6 m/s D. 3.5 m/s (B)

Explanation: Average speed = Total distance / Total time = $32 \div 6 = 5.33 \text{ m/s}$.

5. Which of the following quantities can be zero for a moving object?

- A. Distance B. Speed
C. Displacement D. Time (C)

Explanation: If the object returns to its starting point, displacement is zero though distance may not be.

6. A car accelerates uniformly from 5 m/s to 10 m/s in 5 seconds. What is the acceleration?

- A. 1 m/s^2 B. 0.5 m/s^2
C. 2 m/s^2 D. 3 m/s^2 (A)

Explanation: Acceleration = (Final velocity – Initial velocity) / Time = $(10 - 5)/5 = 1 \text{ m/s}^2$.

7. What does the area under a velocity-time graph represent?

- A. Acceleration B. Speed
C. Distance/Displacement D. Time (C)

Explanation: The area under a velocity-time graph gives the displacement of the object.

8. An object is moving with uniform circular motion. What remains constant?

- A. Velocity B. Speed
C. Direction D. Displacement (B)

Explanation: In uniform circular motion, speed remains constant but direction changes continuously.

9. What would be the displacement of a particle moving in a circular path of radius r after a displacement of half a circle?

- A. $2\pi r$
B. πr
C. $2r$
D. Zero (C)

Explanation: After half a circle, the particle will be diametrically opposite to its origin. Hence, displacement is equal to the diameter.

10. If a train moves with uniform acceleration and covers 3 km in 300 s, what is the acceleration if final speed is 20 m/s and initial speed is 0?

- A. 0.25 m/s^2 B. 1.0 m/s^2
C. $1/15 \text{ m/s}^2$ D. 0.5 m/s^2 (C)

Explanation: Using $v = u + at$ $v = u + at$,
 $a = (20 - 0) / 300 = 1/15 \text{ m/s}^2$.