

CHAPTER-3 | Motion in a Plane

QUIZ
PART-04

1. A projectile is launched with speed u at an angle θ to the horizontal. Its horizontal and vertical components of the initial velocity are:

A. $u_x = u \sin\theta$, $u_y = u \cos\theta$
 B. $u_x = u \cos\theta$, $u_y = u \sin\theta$
 C. $u_x = u \tan\theta$, $u_y = u \cot\theta$
 D. $u_x = u$, $u_y = 0$ (B)

Explanation: With θ from horizontal: $u_x = u \cos\theta$, $u_y = u \sin\theta$.

2. For the same launch and landing height, the time of flight T is:

A. $u \sin\theta / g$ B. $u \cos\theta / g$
 C. $2u \sin\theta / g$ D. $2u \cos\theta / g$ (C)

Explanation: Time of flight is $T = 2u \sin\theta / g$.

3. The maximum height H (for level ground) equals:

A. $u^2 \sin^2\theta / (2g)$ B. $u^2 \cos^2\theta / (2g)$
 C. $u^2 \sin 2\theta / g$ D. $u \sin\theta / g$ (D)

Explanation: $H = u^2 \sin^2\theta / (2g)$.

4. The horizontal range R on level ground is:

A. $u^2 \sin^2\theta / g$ B. $u^2 \sin 2\theta / g$
 C. $2u \sin\theta / g$ D. $u^2 / (2g)$ (B)

Explanation: $R = u^2 \sin 2\theta / g$.

5. Which statement is true for level-ground projectile motion (same launch and landing height)?

A. Maximum range occurs at $\theta = 30^\circ$
 B. Complementary angles θ and $90^\circ - \theta$ give different ranges
 C. Maximum range occurs at $\theta = 45^\circ$
 D. Range is independent of angle (C)

Explanation: $R \propto \sin 2\theta$, max at $\theta = 45^\circ$

6. The trajectory equation (eliminating t) is:

A. $y = x \tan\theta + (g x^2) / (2u^2 \cos^2\theta)$
 B. $y = x \tan\theta - (g x^2) / (2u^2 \cos^2\theta)$
 C. $y = x \cot\theta - (g x^2) / (2u^2 \sin^2\theta)$
 D. $y = x \tan\theta$ (B)

Explanation: Trajectory is parabolic: $y = x \tan\theta - (g x^2) / (2u^2 \cos^2\theta)$.

7. Useful identity linking angle, height, and range:

A. $\tan\theta = R / 4H$
 B. $\tan\theta = 4H / R$
 C. $\tan\theta = 2R / (gT^2)$
 D. $\tan\theta = g / (2R)$ (B)

Explanation: Relation: $\tan\theta = 4H / R$.

8. Another identity valid for level-ground projectile motion is:

A. $4H = gT^2$ B. $8H = gT^2$
 C. $H = gT$
 D. $T = H / g$ (B)

Explanation: By eliminating $u \sin\theta$: $8H = gT^2$

9. For $u = 28 \text{ m/s}$ and $\theta = 30^\circ$ ($g = 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$), the horizontal range R is closest to:

A. 6.9 m B. 69.3 m
 C. 69.3 m D. 96.0 m (D)

Explanation: $R = (u^2 \sin 60^\circ) / g \approx 69.3 \text{ m}$.

10. Which set is all correct for $\theta = 45^\circ$ on level ground?

A. $R = u^2/g$, $H = R/2$
 B. $R = u^2/g$, $H = R/4$
 C. $R = u^2/(2g)$, $H = R/4$
 D. $R = u^2/g$, $H = R/8$ (B)

Explanation: At 45° , $R = u^2/g$ and $H = R/4$.

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