

7. A student drives the 100 mile trip back to campus after spring break and travels with an average speed of 55 mi/hr for 1 hour and 30 minutes?

- a. What distance was traveled during this time?

$$V = \frac{d}{t}$$

$$d = V \times t$$

$$d = 55 \frac{\text{mi}}{\text{hr}} \times 1.5 \text{ hours}$$

$$d = 82 \text{ mi}$$

- b. Traffic gets heavier, and the last part of the trip takes another half-hour. What was the average speed during this leg of the trip?

$$V = \frac{d}{t}$$

$$V = \frac{(100 - 82) \text{ mi}}{0.50 \text{ hr}}$$

$$V = 36 \frac{\text{mi}}{\text{hr}}$$

- c. Find the average speed for the total trip.

$$V = \frac{d}{t}$$

$$V = \frac{100 \text{ mi}}{2.0 \text{ hr}}$$

$$V = 50 \frac{\text{mi}}{\text{hr}}$$

9. An airplane flying directly eastward at a constant rate travels 300 km in 2.0 h.

- a. What is the average velocity of the plane?

$$V = \frac{d}{t}$$

$$V = \frac{300 \text{ km}}{2.0 \text{ hr}}$$

$$V = 150 \frac{\text{km}}{\text{hr}}$$

- b. What is its instantaneous velocity?

$$V = 150 \frac{\text{km}}{\text{hr}}$$

*It is the same because the plane did not change directions.*

11. A sprinter starting from rest on a straight and level track is able to achieve a speed of 12 m/s in a time of 4.0 s. What is the sprinter's average acceleration?

$$a = \frac{V}{t}$$
$$a = \frac{12 \text{ m/s}}{4.0 \text{ s}}$$
$$a = 3.0 \text{ m/s}^2$$

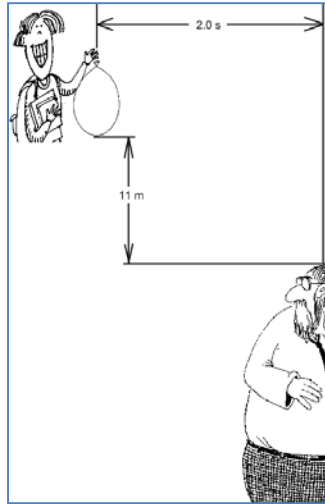
13. A motorboat starting from rest travels in a straight line on a lake.
- a. If the boat achieves a speed of 12 m/s in  $\bar{10}$  s, what is the boat's average acceleration?

$$a = \frac{V}{t}$$
$$a = \frac{12 \text{ m/s}}{\bar{10} \text{ s}}$$
$$a = 1.2 \text{ m/s}^2$$

- b. Then, in 5.0 more seconds, the boat's speed is 18 m/s. What is the boat's average acceleration for the total time?

$$a = \frac{V}{t}$$
$$a = \frac{18 \text{ m/s}}{15 \text{ s}}$$
$$a = 1.2 \text{ m/s}^2$$

18. A student sees her physical science professor approaching on the sidewalk that runs by her dorm. She gets a water balloon and waits. When the professor is 2.0 s from being directly under her window 11 m above the sidewalk, she drops the balloon. You finish the story.



- a. Determine how long it will take for the balloon to drop 11 m.

$$d = \frac{1}{2}gt^2$$

$$g = 9.80 \frac{m}{s^2}$$

$$11 \text{ m} = \frac{1}{2} \left( 9.80 \frac{m}{s^2} \right) t^2$$

$$2.2 \text{ s}^2 = t^2$$

$$1.5 \text{ s} = t$$

- b. See if this is the time that the professor is under the window.

*It is a sad day. The balloon hit the ground before the professor was under the window.*