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Projectile Motion II

$\cos 30 = \frac{V_x}{27m}$
 $V_x = 23.38m$

$\sin 30 = \frac{V_y}{27m}$
 $V_y = 13.5m$

1. A player kicks a football from ground level with a velocity of magnitude 27 m/s at an angle of 30° above the horizontal.

a. its "hang time," that is, the time the ball is in the air

$V_y = V_{y_i} + at$
 $0 = 13.5 \frac{m}{s} + (-9.8 \frac{m}{s^2})t$

$2(t_{1/2}) = 2.76s$
 $t_{1/2} = 1.38s$

b. the distance the ball travels before it hits the ground

$x = V_x t$
 $x = 23.38m (2.76s) = 6.45 \times 10^1 m$

c. its maximum height

$y = V_{y_i} t + \frac{1}{2} g t^2$
 $= (13.5 \frac{m}{s})(1.38s) + \frac{1}{2}(-9.8 \frac{m}{s^2})(1.38s)^2 = 18.63m - 9.33 = 9.3m$

$\cos 60 = \frac{V_x}{27m}$
 $V_x = 13.5m$

$\sin 60 = \frac{V_y}{27m}$
 $V_y = 23.38m$

2. The kicker now kicks the ball with the same speed, but at 60° from the horizontal, find:

a. the "hang time"

$V_y = V_{y_i} + at$
 $0 = 23.38 \frac{m}{s} + (-9.8 \frac{m}{s^2})t$
 $t_{1/2} = 2.39s$

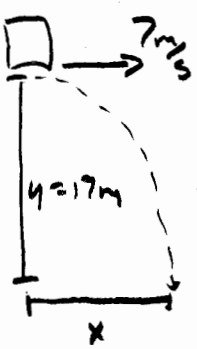
$2(t_{1/2}) = 4.78s$

b. the distance the ball travels before it hits the ground

$x = V_x t$
 $= (13.5 \frac{m}{s}) 4.78s = 6.45 \times 10^1 m$

c. its maximum height

$y = V_{y_i} t + \frac{1}{2} g t^2$
 $= (23.38 \frac{m}{s}) 2.39s + \frac{1}{2}(-9.8 \frac{m}{s^2})(2.39s)^2 = 55.88m - 27.99m = 2.79 \times 10^1 m$



3. A rude tourist throws a peach pit horizontally with a 7 m/s velocity out of an elevator cage.

a. If the elevator is not moving, how long will the pit take to reach the ground, 17 m below?

$y = V_{y_i} t + \frac{1}{2} g t^2$
 $17m = 0 + \frac{1}{2}(-9.8 \frac{m}{s^2})t^2$

$t = 1.86s$

b. How far horizontally from the elevator will the pit land?

$x = V_x t$
 $= 7 \frac{m}{s} (1.86s) = 1.30 \times 10^1 m$

c. He throw the next pit when the elevator is at the same height but moving upward at a constant 8.5 m/s velocity. How long will it take this pit to land?

$V_y = V_{y_i} + at$
 $0 = 8.5 \frac{m}{s} + (-9.8 \frac{m}{s^2})t$
 $t_{1/2} = 0.87s$

$y = V_{y_i} t + \frac{1}{2} g t^2$
 $= (8.5 \frac{m}{s})(0.87s) + \frac{1}{2}(-9.8 \frac{m}{s^2})(0.87s)^2$
 $= 7.42m - 3.71m$
 $y = 3.69m$

$y = V_{y_i} t + \frac{1}{2} g t^2$
 $20.69 = 0 + \frac{1}{2}(-9.8 \frac{m}{s^2})t^2$
 $t_{1/2} = 2.05s$

$y = 17m + 3.69m = 20.69m$
 $t = 0.87s + 2.05s = 2.92s$

