

# EXAM-STYLE PRACTICE SOLUTIONS

VFM - 1.

## SECTION A STATISTICS

1. Let  $X$  be the random variable that represents complete test times (at least larger than 500 hours).

$$X \sim B(40, 0.52)$$

$$\begin{aligned} a) \quad P(X \geq 22) &= 1 - P(X \leq 21) \\ &= 0.4133. \end{aligned}$$

b)  $n$  large  $p$  close to 0.5

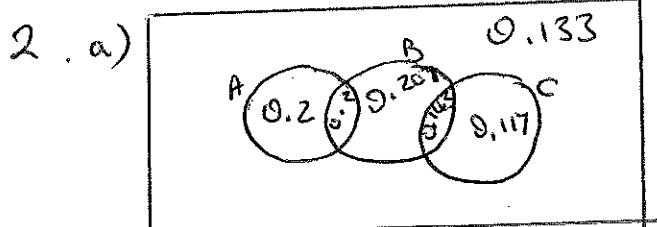
$$\begin{aligned} c) \quad X &\sim N(np, np(1-p)) & n = 250, p = 0.52 \\ &\sim N(130, 62.4) & \sigma = 7.899 \end{aligned}$$

$$P(X \leq 120) = P(Y \leq 120.5) \text{ continuity correction} \\ = 0.115$$

$$d) \quad P(X < x) = 0.05 \\ x = 117.$$



so 120 not in critical region so no evidence to reject engineer's claim.



b) independent if  
 $P(A \cap B) = P(A) \times P(B)$

$$0.2 = 0.4 \times 0.55 \\ \neq 0.22$$

so not independent

$$c) \quad P(A|B') = \frac{0.2}{0.45} \quad \text{since } P(B') = 0.45$$

$$d) \quad P(A \cap B) = 0.2 \\ P(A \cap B)' = 0.8 \quad \text{so } P(C|(A \cap B)') = \frac{0.26}{0.8} \\ = \frac{13}{40}$$

3. a) continuous - on a continuous scale

b) Menu 7 THEN cf. (set up frequency on) then AC open 2

13.5	2	2
16.5	6	8
19	11	19
21	7	26
24	5	31
		31

$$\text{Mean } \frac{\sum fx}{n} = 19.4^\circ\text{C}$$

$$\text{S.d } \sqrt{\frac{\sum x^2}{n}} = 2.81^\circ\text{C}$$

c) Continuous data, unequal class widths

$$d) P_{90} = \frac{90}{100} \times 31 = 27.9\text{th.}$$

(falls in class  
 $22 \leq t < 26$ )

$$\text{value} = 22 + \frac{1.9}{5} \times 4$$

$$\leftarrow f=5 \rightarrow \\ 26 < 1.9 \Rightarrow 27.9\text{th.} \\ 22 \quad \quad \quad = 23.52.$$

$\leftarrow$  class width 4  $\rightarrow$

$$P_{10} = \frac{10}{100} \times 31 = 3.1\text{th.}$$

(falls in class  
 $15 \leq t < 18$ )

$$\leftarrow f=6 \rightarrow \\ 2 < 1.1 \Rightarrow 3.1\text{th.} \\ 15 \quad \quad \quad$$

$\leftarrow$  class 3  $\rightarrow$   
width

P<sub>10</sub> is  
Value =  $15 + \frac{1.1}{6} \times 3$   
= 15.55

10th to 90th interpercentile range

$$\text{is } 23.52 - 15.55$$

$$= 7.97^\circ\text{C}$$

3 e)  $r = 0.612$ . sample 8 days.

$$H_0: \rho = 0$$

$$H_p: \rho > 0.$$

From tables critical value is 0.6215

since  $r < 0.6215$  no evidence that the population correlation coefficient is greater than zero.

k a) yes since  $r$  is close to 1  
(use calculator)

b)  $q = kt^n$

$$\log q = \log k + n \log t.$$

$$y = \log k + nx$$

$$y = 0.0761 + 2.1317x.$$

$$\log k = 0.0761$$

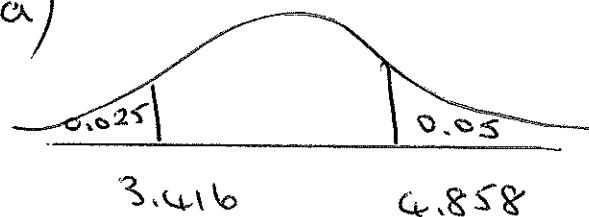
$$k = 10^{0.0761}$$

$$k = 1.19$$

$$n = 2.1317$$

c) extrapolation long way from range of data - not sensible.

5. a)



$$P\left(W < \frac{3.416 - \mu}{\sigma}\right) = 0.025$$

*(negative sign of mean left of mean)*

$$\frac{3.416 - \mu}{\sigma} = 1.9599$$

$$-(3.416 - \mu) = 1.965 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$P\left(W < \frac{4.858 - \mu}{\sigma}\right) = 0.95$$

$$\frac{4.858 - \mu}{\sigma} = 1.645$$

$$4.858 - \mu = 1.645\sigma \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

SOLVE (1) and (2)  
gives  $\mu = 4.2$ .

$$\sigma = 0.4$$



3.5  
lower bound

4.6

upper bound

calculated

$$\mu = 4.2$$

$$\sigma = 0.4$$

$$P(3.5 < W < 4.6) = 0.8012,$$

$$80.1\%$$

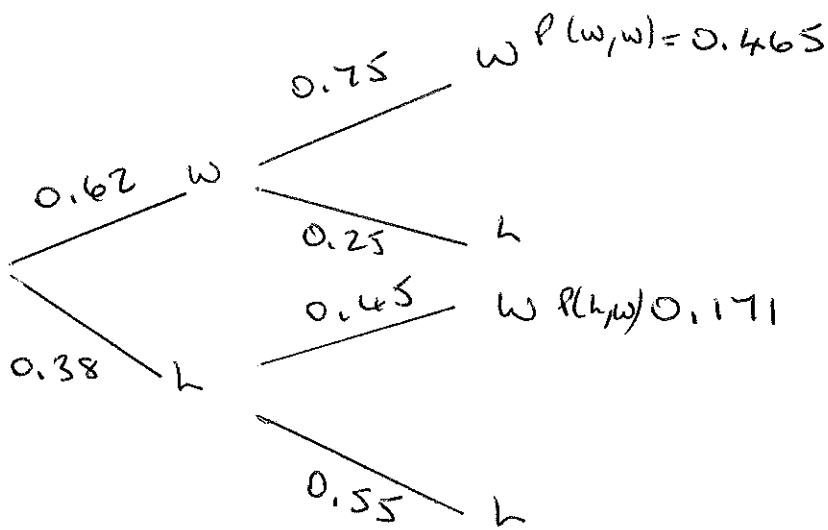
b)  $P(X: n=15, p=0.801)$

$$X \sim B(15, 0.801)$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(X \geq 10) &= 1 - P(X \leq 9) \\ &= 1 - 0.05977 \\ &= 0.9402 \end{aligned}$$

5c) IN CLASS TO DISCUSS.

6.



$$\begin{aligned}
 P(WW | W_{\text{second}}) &= \frac{0.465}{0.465 + 0.171} \\
 &= 0.731 \quad (3 \text{ sf})
 \end{aligned}$$

## SECTION B MECHANICS

7.  $\underline{v} = (2-6t^2)\underline{i} - \underline{tj}$

$$\underline{s} = (2t - 2t^3)\underline{i} - \frac{t^2}{2}\underline{j} + a\underline{i} + b\underline{j}$$

when  $t=1$  }  $s_i = -\frac{1}{2}\underline{j} + a\underline{i} + b\underline{j}$   
 $s = s_i$

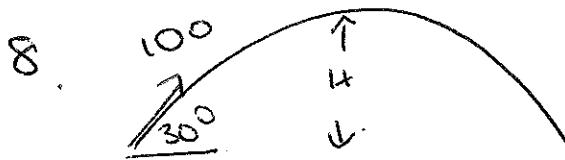
$$s_i + \frac{1}{2}\underline{j} = a\underline{i} + b\underline{j}$$

$$s = (2t - 2t^3 + 5)\underline{i} + \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{t^2}{2}\right)\underline{j}$$

when  $t=5$

$$s = -235\underline{i} + 12\underline{j}$$

Distance  $|s| = 235 \text{ m}$  (3sf).



↑:  $[s = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2]$

$$0 = 100s \cdot 30^\circ t - \frac{1}{2}gt^2$$

$$0 = t(50 - \frac{1}{2}gt)$$

$$t = \frac{100}{g}$$

$$t = 10.2s$$

↑  ~~$[v^2 = u^2 + 2as]$~~

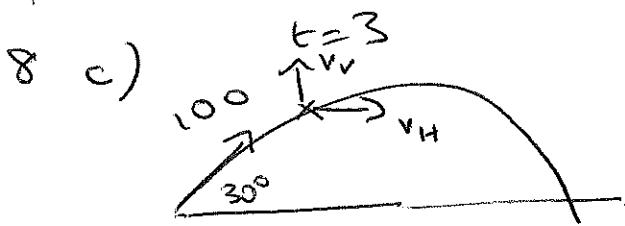
$$0 = 100s \cdot 30^\circ -$$

~~$[v^2 = u^2 + 2as]$~~

$$0 = (100s \cdot 30^\circ)^2 - 2gH.$$

$$H = \frac{50^2}{2g}$$

$$H = 128m$$



$$\uparrow: [v = u + at]$$

$$v_V = 100 \sin 30^\circ - 3g \\ = 50 - 3g$$

$$\rightarrow v_H = 100 \cos 30^\circ \\ = 50\sqrt{3}$$

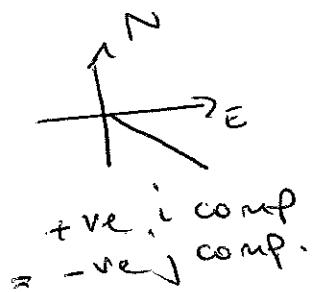
$$\bar{v} = \sqrt{(50-3g)^2 + (50\sqrt{3})^2} \\ = 89.0 \text{ ms}^{-1}$$

9. a)  $\underline{u} = 2\underline{i}$   
 $\underline{a} = 0.2\underline{i} - 0.8\underline{j}$   
 $t = 10$   
 $\underline{s} ? (\Sigma)$

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

$$\begin{aligned} \Sigma &= 2\underline{i} \times 10 + \frac{1}{2}(0.2\underline{i} - 0.8\underline{j})100 \\ &= 20\underline{i} + (0.1\underline{i} - 0.4\underline{j})100 \\ &= 20\underline{i} + 10\underline{i} - 40\underline{j} \\ &= 30\underline{i} - 40\underline{j} \end{aligned}$$

b)  $|\Sigma| = \sqrt{30^2 + 40^2}$   
 $= 50 \text{ m}$



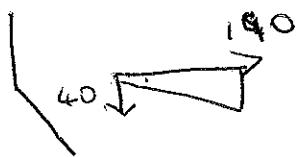
c)  $\Sigma = 30\underline{i} - 40\underline{j} + 5t\underline{i}$

$$30 + 5t = 40 \\ t = 2.$$

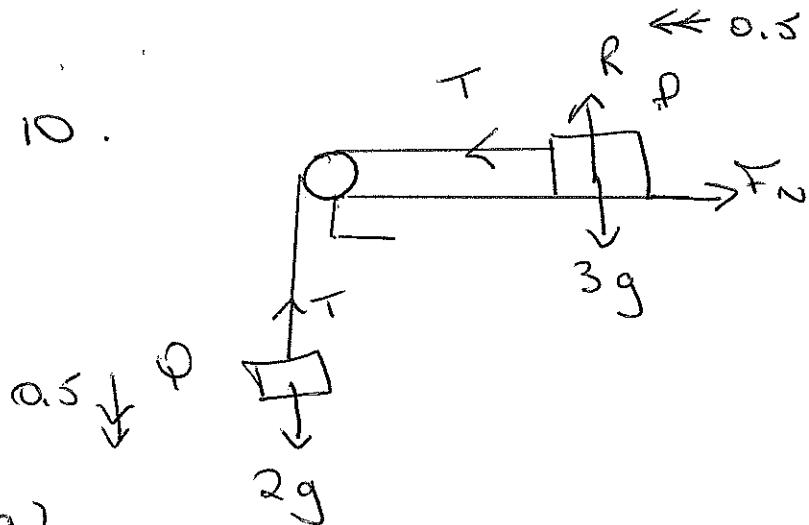
after 12 seconds it is southeast of A

d)  $\Sigma = (30 + 5 \times 2)\underline{i} - 40\underline{j} + 30 \times 5\underline{i}$   
 $= 190\underline{i} - 40\underline{j}$

Bearing  $90^\circ + \arctan \frac{40}{190}$   
 $= 102^\circ$



10.



a)  
to Q:  $[F = ma]$

$$2g - T = 2 \times 0.5$$

$$\frac{T}{T} = 18.6 \text{ N}$$

b)  $\uparrow: R = 3g$

to P:  $[F = ma]$

$$18.6 - \mu 3g = 3 \times 0.5$$

$$\frac{18.6 - 3 \times 0.5}{3g} = \mu$$

$$\underline{\mu = 0.58}$$

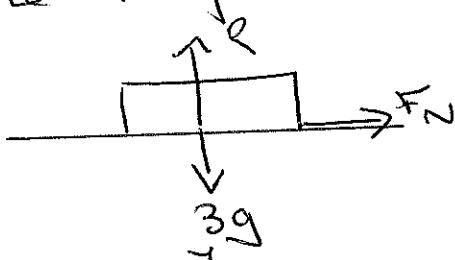
To find the velocity when the string breaks.

$[v = u + at]$

$$v = 0 + 0.5 \times 2$$

$$= 1 \text{ ms}^{-1}$$

After the string breaks



$[F = ma]$

$$0 - 0.58 \times 3g = 3a$$

$$a = -5.68 \text{ ms}^{-2}$$

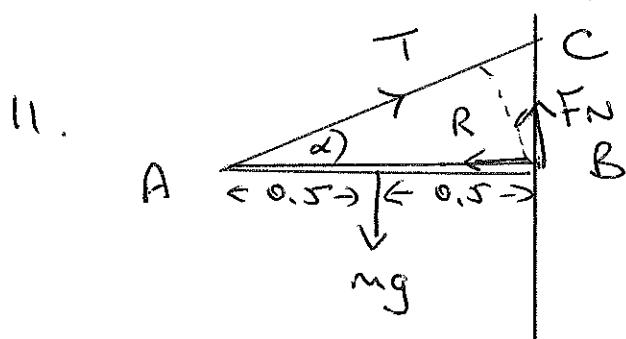
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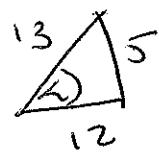
$$\left. \begin{array}{l} u = 1 \\ v = 0 \\ a = -5.68 \\ t ? \end{array} \right\} \quad \begin{aligned} [v &= u + at] \\ 0 &= 1 - 5.68t \\ t &= \frac{1}{5.68} \\ t &= 0.176 \text{ s.} \end{aligned}$$

tie to come to rest.

- d) tension and acceleration equal in both strings



$$\tan \alpha = \frac{5}{12}$$



$$\sin \alpha = \frac{5}{13}$$

$$\cos \alpha = \frac{12}{13}$$

a)

$$\text{By: } mg \times 0.5 = T \times 1 \times \sin \alpha.$$

$$mg \times 0.5 = T \times \frac{5}{13}$$

$$\frac{13mg \times 0.5}{5} = T$$

$$T = \frac{13mg}{10} \text{ N}$$

b)  $\rightarrow: R = T \cos \alpha$

$$= \frac{13mg}{10} \times \frac{12}{13}$$

$$= \frac{6mg}{5}$$

$$\uparrow: T \sin \alpha + F_N = mg$$

$$\frac{13mg}{10} \times \frac{5}{13} + F_N = mg$$

continued  $\Rightarrow$

11(b) continued

$$F_N = mg - \frac{mg}{2}$$

$$= \frac{mg}{2}$$

$$\mu = \frac{F_N}{R}$$

$$= \frac{mg/2}{6mg\sqrt{5}}$$

$$= \frac{mg}{2} \times \frac{1}{6mg}$$

$$= \frac{1}{12}$$