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1) A ball is thrown upward with an initial velocity of 10 m/s from top of 50 m bridge

a) With what velocity will the ball strike the ground?

b) How long does it take the ball to strike the ground?

2) A stone is dropped freely in a river from the bridge. It takes 5 s to touch the water surface. Calculate

i) the height of the bridge from water level.

ii) the distance covered by stone in the last second?

3) A tennis ball is struck with a racket, firing it straight upward at 22 m/s. After how much time will it be falling at 15 m/s?

1 i) Initial velocity of ball = 50 m/s

Final velocity of ball when it reached the top = 0 m/s.

By (iii) eqⁿ of motion

$$= v^2 - u^2 = 2as$$

$$- v^2 - u^2 = -2 \times g \times h$$

$$= (0)^2 - (50)^2 = -2 \times 10 \times h$$

$$= \frac{-100}{-20} = h = 5\text{m}$$

So it will cover 5m within attaining its max height when thrown upward.

Distance covered by ball when it comes down = 50 + 5 = 55m.

Initial velocity when it starts falling down = 0

Let, Final velocity with which it hits ground = v

By (iii) equation of motion,

$$= v^2 - u^2 = 2as$$

$$= v^2 - u^2 = 2gh$$

$$- v^2 - 0^2 = 2 \times 10 \times 55$$

$$= v = \sqrt{2 \times 10 \times 55} = 10\sqrt{11} \text{ m/s.}$$

Therefore the ball hits ground with $10\sqrt{11}$ m/s.

ii) Initial velocity of ball when thrown upwards
 $= 10 \text{ m/s}$

Final velocity at attaining maximum height $= 0$

By ① eqⁿ of motion

$$= v = u + at$$

$$= v = u - gt$$

$$= 0 = 10 - 10t$$

$$= t = 1 \text{ s.}$$

∴ time taken to reach maximum height is 1 s.

Initial velocity when the ball started falling

$$= 0 \text{ m/s}$$

Final velocity with which the ball hits ground $= 10\sqrt{11}$ m/s.

By ① eqⁿ of motion

$$= v = u + at$$

$$= v = u + g \times t$$

$$= 10\sqrt{11} = 0 + 10 \times t$$

$$= t = \sqrt{11} \text{ s}$$

∴ the ball reached ground in $\sqrt{11}$ s.

Hence, the body takes $(1 + \sqrt{11})$ s to reach the ground from starting.

2) i) Initial velocity of the stone = 0 m/s
 Time taken to touch river = 5 s

By (i) eqn of motion,

$$= S_1 = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2$$

$$= S_1 = ut + \frac{1}{2}gt^2 \quad \rightarrow \quad S = 0 \times t + \frac{1}{2} \times 10 \times (5)^2$$

$$= S_1 = 0 + \frac{1}{2} \times 10 \times 25$$

$$= 5 \times 25 = 125 \text{ m.}$$

ii) Distance covered by stone in last second
 \cong distance covered by body / stone in 4th sec

So, distance covered by body in 4th sec

$$= S_2 = u + \frac{a(2n-1)}{2}$$

$$= u + \frac{g(2(4)-1)}{2}$$

$$= 0 + \frac{10(8-1)}{2}$$

$$= 5 \times 7 = 35 \text{ m.}$$

Hence the body covered 35 m in 4th / last sec

3) Initial velocity of ball = 22 m/s

Final velocity of ball = 0 m/s

From ① equation of motion

$$= v = u + at$$

$$= v = u - gt$$

$$= 0 = 22 - 10t$$

$$= -22 = -10$$

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

Now, the initial velocity when it started coming down = 0 m/s

Given final velocity = 15 m/s

By ① equation of motion

$$= v = u + at$$

$$= v = u + gt$$

$$= 15 = 0 + 10t$$

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

Therefore the time after which it will be falling at 15 m/s is

$$= 1.5 + 2.2 = 3.7 \text{ s}$$

Hence, the ball will be falling at 15 m/s after 3.7 s.