# Motion

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### Introduction

- Some objects are at rest, and some are in motion.
- Atoms, molecules, planets, stars, galaxies are all in motion.
- Some motions can be perceived and some cannot be perceived.
- Day and night; change in season, etc. is because of motion of earth.
- An object may appear to be moving for one person and stationary for some other person.
- Most motions are <u>complex</u>:
  - Linear motion, circular motion
  - Rotational motion, vibrational motion.
  - Combination of above motions.
- In this chapter we will be discussing about <u>linear</u> motion and circular motion.

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- Suppose four a,b,c,d are seating in a row equidistant from their neighbors from left to right as shown
- Position of b with respect to
- a is immediate right
- c is immediate left
- d is second to the left
- Thus position is relative which varies according to the reference point.

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In the figure position of B with respect to A is AB in East

#### Respect to C is CB North East.

- Thus position of a particular point can vary with different points
- This is known as *Relative Position*.
- But in order to consider all points in one frame we need to consider one point as a absolute referral point an position of all other points with respect to that point will be their

#### Absolute Position.

For example consider O as a absolute point then position of all other points with respect to O will be their absolute position for B is OB in North East. Similarly A is OA North West and So On.

Note :- 1. We Can take any point as absolute according to our convenience.

2. Direction as well as distance both is required to know ones position.



## **Reference Point**

• A Reference Point is used to describe the location of an object. An object can be referred through many reference points.

## Origin

• The reference point that is used to describe the absolute position of an object is called **Origin**.

#### Example

• a new restaurant is opening shortly at a distance of 5 km north from my house. Here, the house is the reference point that is used for describing where the restaurant is located.



#### Illustrative Problem



#### • Questions:

- 1. What is the position of E with respect to D?
- 2. What is the position of O with respect to B?
- 3. What is the position of B with respect to E?
- 4. Find the absolute position of all points Considering O as absolute point? (Origin)
- 5. Find the absolute position of all points considering A as absolute Point?



# Concept of Rest and Motion

- Rest: A body is said to be in rest if its position does not vary wrt a given referral point as time passes.
- Motion: A body is said to be in motion if there is a continuous change in its position wrt a given referral point as time passes.
- Concept of rest and motion is related to change in position <u>wrt</u> reference point.
  - So, a single object can be at rest or motion at same time wrt different referral points.
- If we consider a single object as a reference point and consider it at rest. Any object whose position, is not changing with time wrt to that referral object is at rest and if position is changing then it is in motion.
- To describe most of the motion on earth we consider earth as at rest.









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# Motion along a Straight Line



Distance (d) (Scalar)

The total path length covered by an object between two endpoints.

Distance is a numerical quantity

We do not mention the direction in which an object is travelling while mentioning about the distance covered by that object.





#### Displacement



The shortest possible distance between the initial and final position of an object is called **Displacement** 

Displacement depends upon the direction in which the object is travelling



**Displacement:** 

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#### Zero Displacement

When the first and last positions of an object are same, the displacement is zero.

#### Negative and Positive Displacement

Here, displacement of object B is negative  $\Delta B = B_f - B_0 = 7-12 = -5$ A negative sign indicates opposite direction here.

Also, displacement of object A is positive  $\Delta A = A_f - A_0 = 7 - 0 = 7$ 



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# Illustrative Examples:



In the figure there can be various paths, but the shortest path denotes actual change in position from Initial point A to final point B which we call as displacement.

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# Illustrative Example:





Suppose a boy running on the track , he starts from A and after completing one round his distance is  $2\pi r$ 

But his position remains same thus displacement is zero.



#### Distance vs Displacement

Distance	Displacement					
Distance provides the complete details of the path taken by the object	Displacement does not provide the complete details of the path taken by the object					
Distance is always positive	Displacement can be positive, negative or zero					
It is a scalar quantity	It is a vector quantity					
The distance between two points may not be unique	Displacement between two points is always unique					





# Uniform and Non-uniform Motion

- When an object travels equal distances in equal intervals of time the object is said to have a uniform motion.
- When an object covers unequal distances in equal intervals of time it is said to be in non-uniform motion.
- To describe rate of motion word <u>speed</u> is used.
- To describe rate of motion in a particular direction word velocity is used.



$$\frac{2s}{5m} \frac{2s}{10m} \frac{2s}{1m}$$



#### Speed

SD unit:

- It is Rate of change of distance.
- Distance travelled by object per unit time.

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• Speed at a particular instance of time is called instantaneous speed.





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Velocity

- Rate of change of displacement is velocity.
- It is a vector quantity.
- Here the direction of motion is specified.
- Velocity can be positive or negative.





## Average Velocity



Q. What will be the <u>speed</u> of body in m/s and km/hr if it travels 40 km in 5 hrs?



Q. During an experiment, a signal from a spaceship reached the ground station in 5 minutes. What was the distance of the spaceship from the ground station? The signal travels at the speed of light, that is, 3x10<sup>8</sup> m/s.



Q. Usha swims in a 90 m long pool. She covers 180 m in one minute by swimming from one end to other and back along the same straight path. Find the average speed and average velocity of Usha.

$$d = 180 \text{ m}$$

$$f = \frac{108}{5}$$

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Take the example of a racing car as pictured in the animation above. It takes the vehicle 10 minutes(0.17 hours) to travel 23km, from start to finish. average speed =  $\frac{\text{distance travelled}}{\text{time taken}}$ Average speec average velocity =  $\frac{\text{displacement}}{\text{time taken}}$ Average velocity = 4km / 0.17hrs = 23.53km/hr

The average speed is 135.29km/hr but the velocity is only 23.53km/hr. The reason that velocity is lower, is that it can be positive and negative. Since the velocity has negative and positive values some will cancel each other out, hence the lower value. Speed, however, can only be positive.

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A ball circles inside a cylinder of radius 12m as shown in the animation on the left.a) Calculate the total distance the ball travelsb) Calculate the displacement of the ball.

The ball takes 30 minutes to complete one revolutionc) Calculate the average speed of the ball.d) Calculate the average velocity of the ball.



#### Acceleration

- In uniform motion velocity of object remains constant.
  - No change in velocity.
- In Non-uniform motion, velocity changes.
  - Rate of change of velocity per unit time is called acceleration.

**Acceleration =** Change in velocity/ Time taken **SI Unit:** m/s<sup>2</sup>



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Time: 0.0 s Meaning: velocity changes by 0.5 m/s every second



#### Acceleration

- Acceleration is related with change in velocity.
- Change in velocity in terms of magnitude or direction or both regarded as accelerated motion.
- In the below example (circular motion), the direction of velocity keep on changing but its magnitude is constant. Such kind of motion is also an example of accelerated motion.





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  - Motion of freely falling object is example of uniformly accelerated motion.







#### Non-uniform acceleration

- An object is said to have non-uniform acceleration if:
  - Its velocity changes (increases or decreases) by unequal amounts in equal time intervals.



#### Positive and negative acceleration

- If velocity of object increases with time:
  - Then direction of acceleration is same as the direction of velocity.
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#### Questions on acceleration

1. A bus decreases its speed from 80 km h<sup>-1</sup> to 60 km h<sup>-1</sup> in 5 s. Find the acceleration of the bus.



#### Questions on acceleration

2. A train starting from a railway station and moving with uniform acceleration attains a speed 40 km  $h^{-1}$  in 10 minutes. Find its acceleration.

