

- 1 A girl throws a small stone with initial speed 14 m s^{-1} at an angle of 60° to the horizontal from a point 1 m above the ground. She throws the stone directly towards a vertical wall of height 6 m standing on horizontal ground. The point O is on the ground directly below the point of projection, as shown in Fig. 8. Air resistance is negligible.

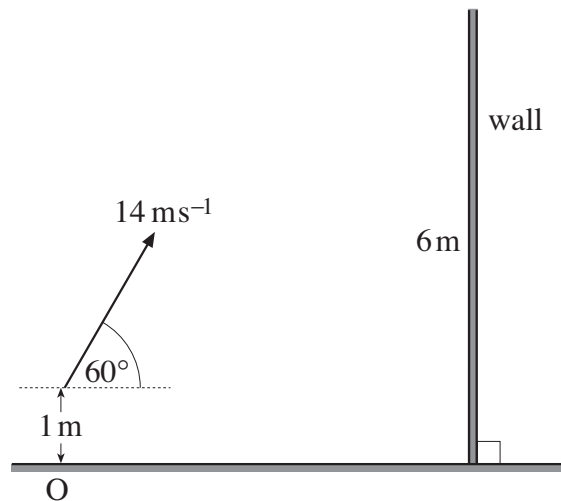


Fig. 8

- (i) Write down an expression in terms of t for the horizontal displacement of the stone from O , t seconds after projection. Find also an expression for the height of the stone above O at this time. [5]

The stone is at the top of its trajectory when it passes over the wall.

- (ii) (A) Find the time it takes for the stone to reach its highest point. [2]
 (B) Calculate the distance of O from the base of the wall. [2]
 (C) Show that the stone passes over the wall with 2.5 m clearance. [4]
- (iii) Find the cartesian equation of the trajectory of the stone referred to the horizontal and vertical axes, Ox and Oy . There is no need to simplify your answer. [2]

The girl now moves away a further distance $d \text{ m}$ from the wall. She throws a stone as before and it just passes over the wall.

- (iv) Calculate d . [5]

2 A particle is projected vertically upwards from a point O at 21 ms^{-1} .

(i) Calculate the greatest height reached by the particle. [2]

When this particle is at its highest point, a second particle is projected vertically upwards from O at 15 ms^{-1} .

(ii) Show that the particles collide 1.5 seconds later and determine the height above O at which the collision takes place. [6]

- 3 The trajectory ABCD of a small stone moving with negligible air resistance is shown in Fig. 7. AD is horizontal and BC is parallel to AD.

The stone is projected from A with speed 40ms^{-1} at 50° to the horizontal.

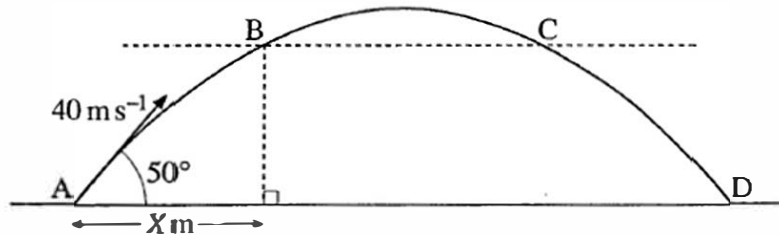


Fig. 7

- (i) Write down an expression for the horizontal displacement from A of the stone t seconds after projection. Write down also an expression for the vertical displacement at time t . [3]
- (ii) Show that the stone takes 6.253 seconds (to three decimal places) to travel from A to D. Calculate the range of the stone. [5]

You are given that $X = 30$.

- (iii) Calculate the time it takes the stone to reach B. Hence determine the time for it to travel from A to C. [4]
- (iv) Calculate the direction of the motion of the stone at C. [5]