

HW 14.4 #4,12,16,19,23,28,32

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3-8 ■ Find the velocity, acceleration, and speed of a particle with the given position function. Sketch the path of the particle and draw the velocity and acceleration vectors for the specified value of t .

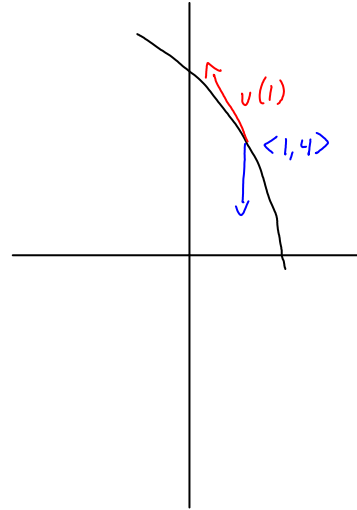
4. $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle 2-t, 4\sqrt{t} \rangle, \quad t=1$

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle 2-t, 4t^{1/2} \rangle$$

$$\text{velocity} = \mathbf{r}'(t) = \langle -1, 2t^{-1/2} \rangle \\ = \langle -1, 2 \rangle$$

$$\text{acceleration} = \mathbf{r}''(t) = \langle 0, -t^{-3/2} \rangle \\ = \langle 0, -1 \rangle$$

$$\text{speed} = |\mathbf{r}'(t)| = \sqrt{(-1)^2 + (2t^{-1/2})^2} = \sqrt{1 + \frac{4}{t}}$$



9-14 ■ Find the velocity, acceleration, and speed of a particle with the given position function.

12. $\mathbf{r}(t) = t^2 \mathbf{i} + \ln t \mathbf{j} + t \mathbf{k}$

$$\mathbf{r}'(t) = \langle 2t, t^{-1}, 1 \rangle \quad \text{velocity} \\ \mathbf{r}''(t) = \langle 2, -t^{-2}, 0 \rangle \quad \text{acceleration} \\ |\mathbf{r}'(t)| = \sqrt{4t^2 + t^{-2} + 1} \quad \text{speed}$$

15-16 ■ Find the velocity and position vectors of a particle that has the given acceleration and the given initial velocity and position.

16. $\mathbf{a}(t) = -10 \mathbf{k}, \quad \mathbf{v}(0) = \mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}, \quad \mathbf{r}(0) = 2\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j}$

$$\mathbf{v}(t) = \int (-10\mathbf{k}) dt = -10t\mathbf{k} + \mathbf{c}$$

$$\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k} = \mathbf{v}(0) = 0 + \mathbf{c} \quad \mathbf{c}_1 = \mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}$$

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = \int (\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} - (10t+1)\mathbf{k}) dt = t\mathbf{i} + t\mathbf{j} - (5t^2 + t)\mathbf{k} + \mathbf{c}_2$$

$$2\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} = \mathbf{r}(0) + \mathbf{c}_2 \quad \mathbf{c}_2 = 2\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j}$$

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = (t+2)\mathbf{i} + (t+3)\mathbf{j} - (5t^2 + t)\mathbf{k}$$

19. The position function of a particle is given by

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle t^2, 5t, t^2 - 16t \rangle. \quad \text{When is the speed a minimum?}$$

$$\mathbf{v}(t) = \langle 2t, 5, 2t-16 \rangle$$

$$|\mathbf{v}(t)| = \sqrt{4t^2 + 25 + 4t^2 - 64t + 256} = \sqrt{8t^2 - 64t + 281}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} |\mathbf{v}(t)| = \frac{1}{2} (8t^2 - 64t + 281)^{-1/2} \cdot (16t - 64)$$

$$16t - 64 = 0$$

$$t = 4$$

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23. A projectile is fired with an initial speed of 500 m/s and angle of elevation 30° . Find (a) the range of the projectile, (b) the maximum height reached, and (c) the speed at impact.

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{a} \quad |v(0)| &= 500 \text{ m/s} & \frac{1}{2}(\sqrt{3}i + j) \\ v(0) &= 250(\sqrt{3}i + j) = c_1 \\ F(t) &= -mgj \quad g = 9.8 \\ a(t) &= -gj \\ v(t) &= -gtj + c \\ v(t) &= 250\sqrt{3}ti + \left(250t - \frac{1}{2}gt^2\right)j = 0 \\ t=0 \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{500}{g} &= 51 \text{ s} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{range } 250 \cdot \sqrt{3} \cdot 51 = 22 \text{ km}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{b} \quad \frac{d}{dt} \left(250 - \frac{1}{2}gt^2 \right) &= 250 - gt = 0 & t = \frac{250}{g} = 25.5 \\ (250)(25.5) - g(25.5)^2 \frac{1}{2} &= \frac{(250)^2}{2g} = 3.2 \text{ km} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{c} \quad v\left(\frac{500}{g}\right) &= 250\sqrt{3}i + \left(250 - g\left(\frac{500}{g}\right)\right)j = 250\sqrt{3}i - 250j \\ v\left(\frac{500}{g}\right) &= 250\sqrt{3+1} = 500 \text{ m/s} \end{aligned}$$

28. A batter hits a baseball 3 ft above the ground toward the center field fence, which is 10 ft high and 400 ft from home plate. The ball leaves the bat with speed 115 ft/s at an angle 50° above the horizontal. Is it a home run? (In other words, does the ball clear the fence?)

$$\begin{aligned} v_0 &= 115 \text{ ft/s} & \alpha &= 50^\circ \\ r(0) &= 3j \\ r(t) &= \frac{1}{2}gt^2j + tv_0 + D & D &= r(0) = 3j \\ & & v_0 &= v_0 \cos \alpha i + v_0 \sin \alpha j \\ r(t) &= (v_0 \cos \alpha)t i + \left((v_0 \sin \alpha)t - \frac{1}{2}gt^2 + 3\right)j \\ x &= v_0 \cos \alpha t & y &= v_0 \sin \alpha t - \frac{1}{2}gt^2 + 3 \end{aligned}$$

$$v_0 \cos \alpha t = 400$$

$$t = \frac{400}{115 \cos 50^\circ} = 5.41 \text{ s}$$

$$y = (115 \sin 50^\circ)(5.41) - \frac{1}{2}(32)(5.41)^2 + 3 = 11.2 \text{ ft}$$

yes, home run

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31-36 ■ Find the tangential and normal components of the acceleration vector.

32. $\mathbf{r}(t) = (1 + t)\mathbf{i} + (t^2 - 2t)\mathbf{j}$

$$\mathbf{r}'(t) = \mathbf{i} + (2t-2)\mathbf{j}$$
$$|\mathbf{r}'(t)| = \sqrt{1 + 4t^2 - 8t + 4} = \sqrt{4t^2 - 8t + 5}$$

$$\mathbf{r}''(t) = 2\mathbf{j}$$

$$\mathbf{r}'(t) \times \mathbf{r}''(t) = 2\mathbf{k}$$

$$\frac{\mathbf{r}'(t) \cdot \mathbf{r}''(t)}{|\mathbf{r}'(t)|} = \frac{2(2t-2)}{\sqrt{4t^2 - 8t + 5}} \quad \text{tangent}$$
$$\frac{|\mathbf{r}'(t) \times \mathbf{r}''(t)|}{|\mathbf{r}'(t)|} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{4t^2 - 8t + 5}} \quad \text{normal}$$