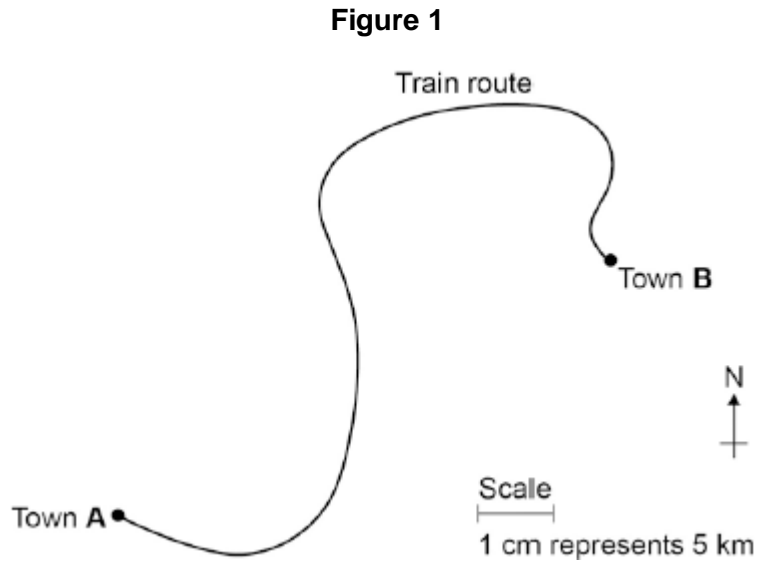


**Q1.** A train travels from town **A** to town **B**.

**Figure 1** shows the route taken by the train.  
**Figure 1** has been drawn to scale.



- (a) The distance the train travels between **A** and **B** is not the same as the displacement of the train.

What is the difference between distance and displacement?

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(1)

- (b) Use **Figure 1** to determine the displacement of the train in travelling from **A** to **B**.

Show how you obtain your answer.

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Displacement = ..... km

Direction = .....

(2)

- (c) There are places on the journey where the train accelerates without changing

speed.

Explain how this can happen.

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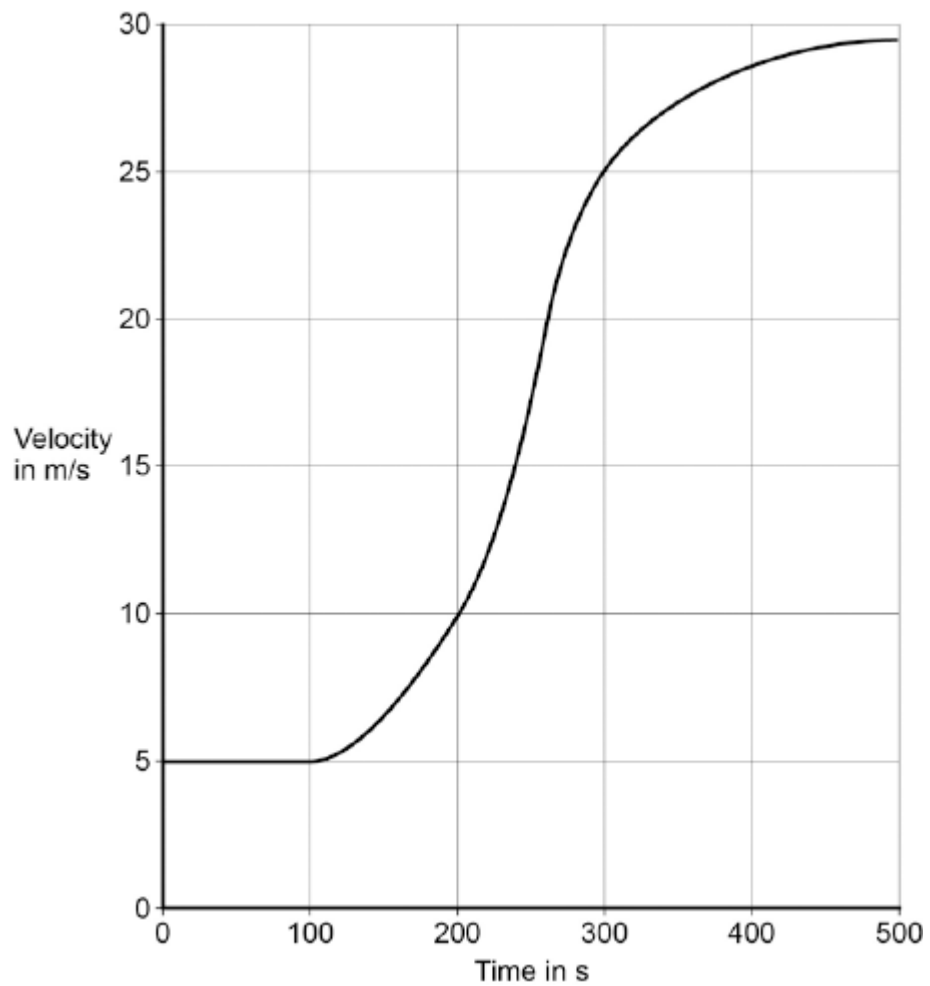
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- (d) **Figure 2** shows how the velocity of the train changes with time as the train travels along a straight section of the journey.

**Figure 2**



Estimate the distance travelled by the train along the section of the journey shown in **Figure 2**.

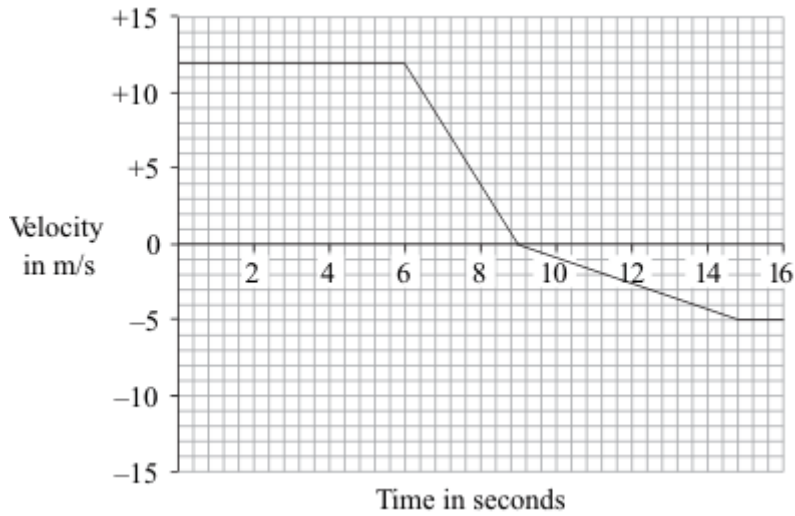
To gain full marks you must show how you worked out your answer.

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Distance = ..... m

**(3)**  
**(Total 8 marks)**

**Q2.** A car is driven along a straight road. The graph shows how the velocity of the car changes during part of the journey.



(a) Use the graph to calculate the deceleration of the car between 6 and 9 seconds.  
Show clearly how you work out your answer and give the unit.

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Deceleration = .....

**(3)**

(b) At what time did the car change direction?

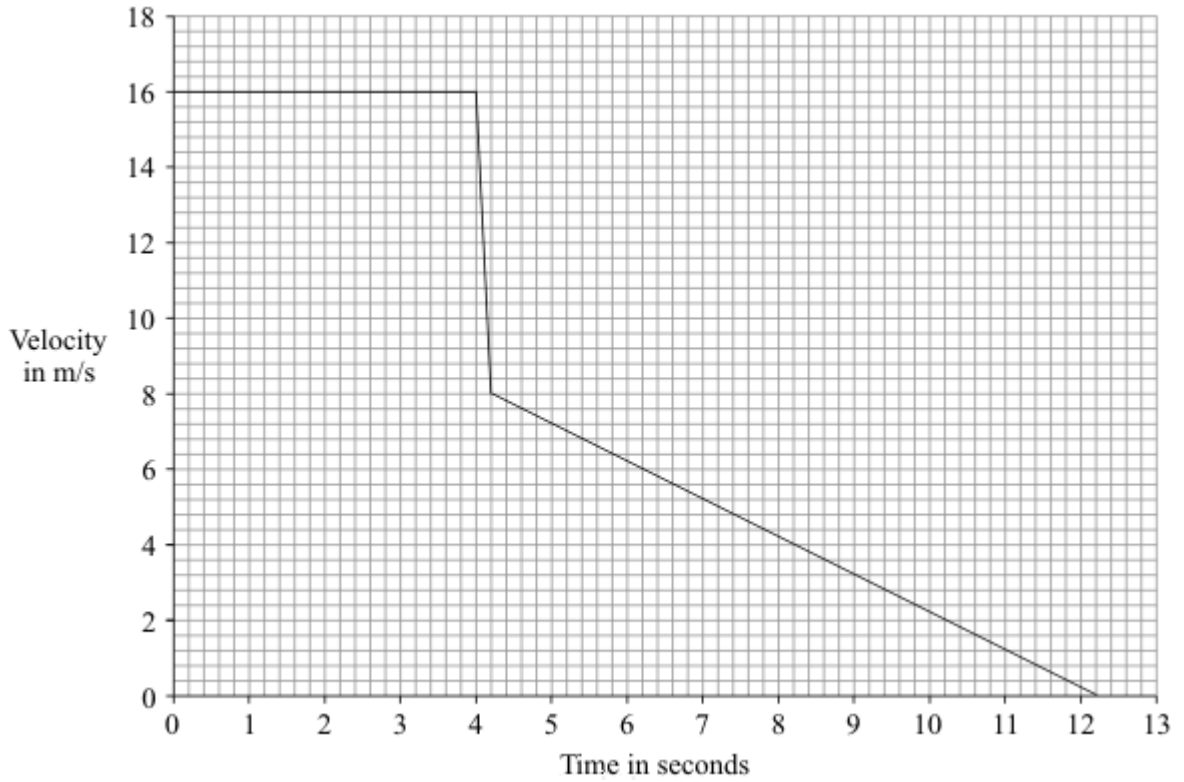
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**(Total 4 marks)**

**Q3.** In an experiment at an accident research laboratory, a car driven by remote control was crashed into the back of an identical stationary car. On impact the two cars joined together and moved in a straight line.

(a) The graph shows how the velocity of the remote-controlled car changed during the experiment.



(i) How is the *velocity* of a car different from the speed of a car?

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(ii) Use the graph to calculate the distance travelled by the remote-controlled car before the collision.

Show clearly how you work out your answer.

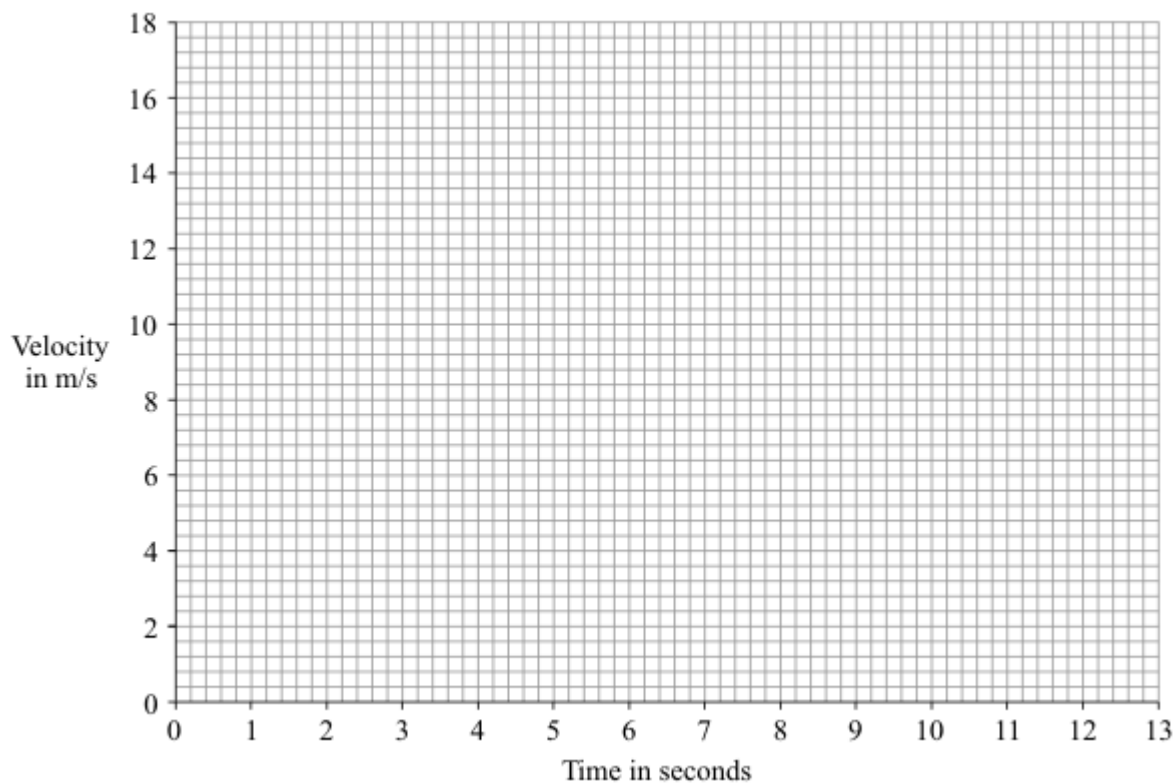
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Distance = ..... m

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- (iii) Draw, on the grid below, a graph to show how the velocity of the second car changed during the experiment.



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- (iv) The total momentum of the two cars was not conserved.

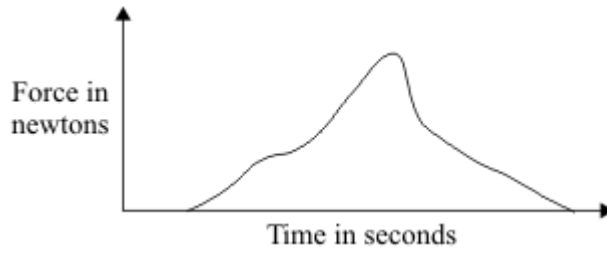
What does this statement mean?

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- (b) The graph line shows how the force from a seat belt on a car driver changes during a collision.



Scientists at the accident research laboratory want to develop a seat belt that produces a constant force throughout a collision.

Use the idea of momentum to explain why this type of seat belt would be better for a car driver.

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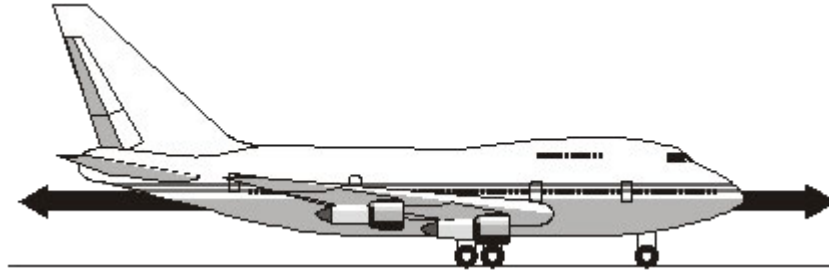
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- Q4.** (a) The diagram shows an aircraft and the horizontal forces acting on it as it moves along a runway. The *resultant force* on the aircraft is zero.



- (i) What is meant by the term *resultant force*?

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(1)

- (ii) Describe the movement of the aircraft when the resultant force is zero.

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(1)

- (b) The aircraft has a take-off mass of 320 000 kg. Each of the 4 engines can produce a maximum force of 240 kN.

Calculate the maximum acceleration of the aircraft.

Show clearly how you work out your answer and give the unit.

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Acceleration = .....

(3)



- (c) As the aircraft moves along the runway to take off, its acceleration decreases even though the force from the engines is constant.

Explain why.

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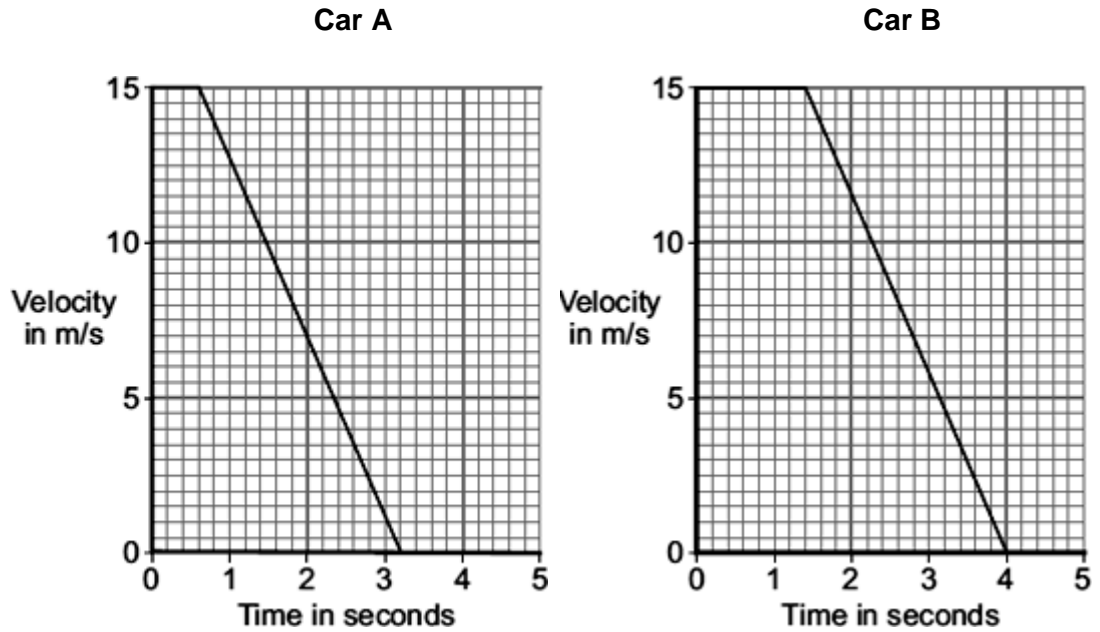
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- Q5.** (a) The graphs show how the velocity of two cars, **A** and **B**, change from the moment the car drivers see an obstacle blocking the road.



One of the car drivers has been drinking alcohol. The other driver is wide awake and alert.

- (i) How does a comparison of the two graphs suggest that the driver of car **B** is the one who has been drinking alcohol?

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(1)

- (ii) How do the graphs show that the two cars have the same deceleration?

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- (iii) Use the graphs to calculate how much further car **B** travels before stopping compared to car **A**.

Show clearly how you work out your answer.

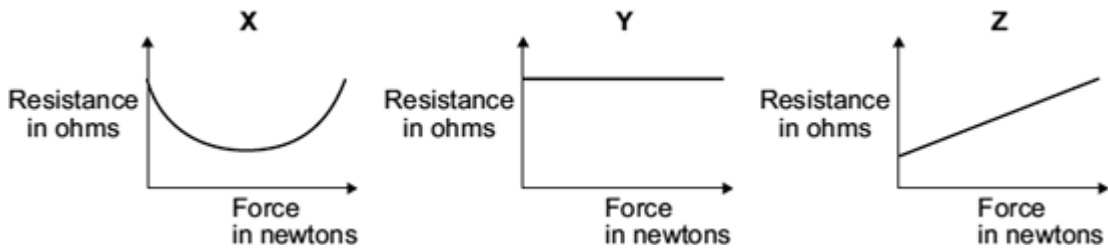
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Additional stopping distance = ..... m

(3)

- (b) In a crash test laboratory, scientists use sensors to measure the forces exerted in collisions. The graphs show how the electrical resistance of 3 experimental types of sensor, X, Y and Z, change with the force applied to the sensor.



Which of the sensors, X, Y or Z, would be the best one to use as a force sensor?

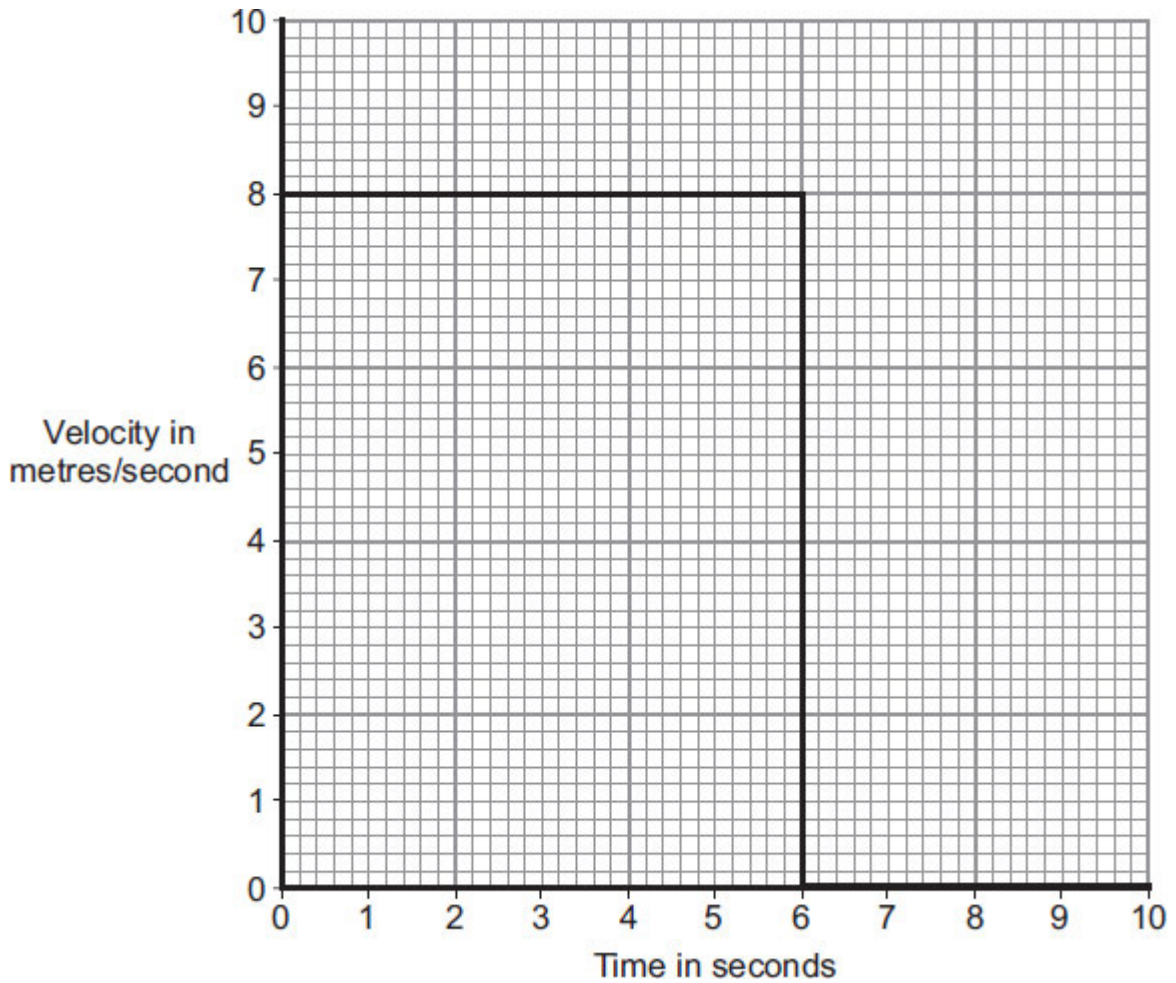
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Give a reason for your answer.

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(2)  
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**Q6.** The diagram shows the velocity-time graph for an object over a 10 second period.



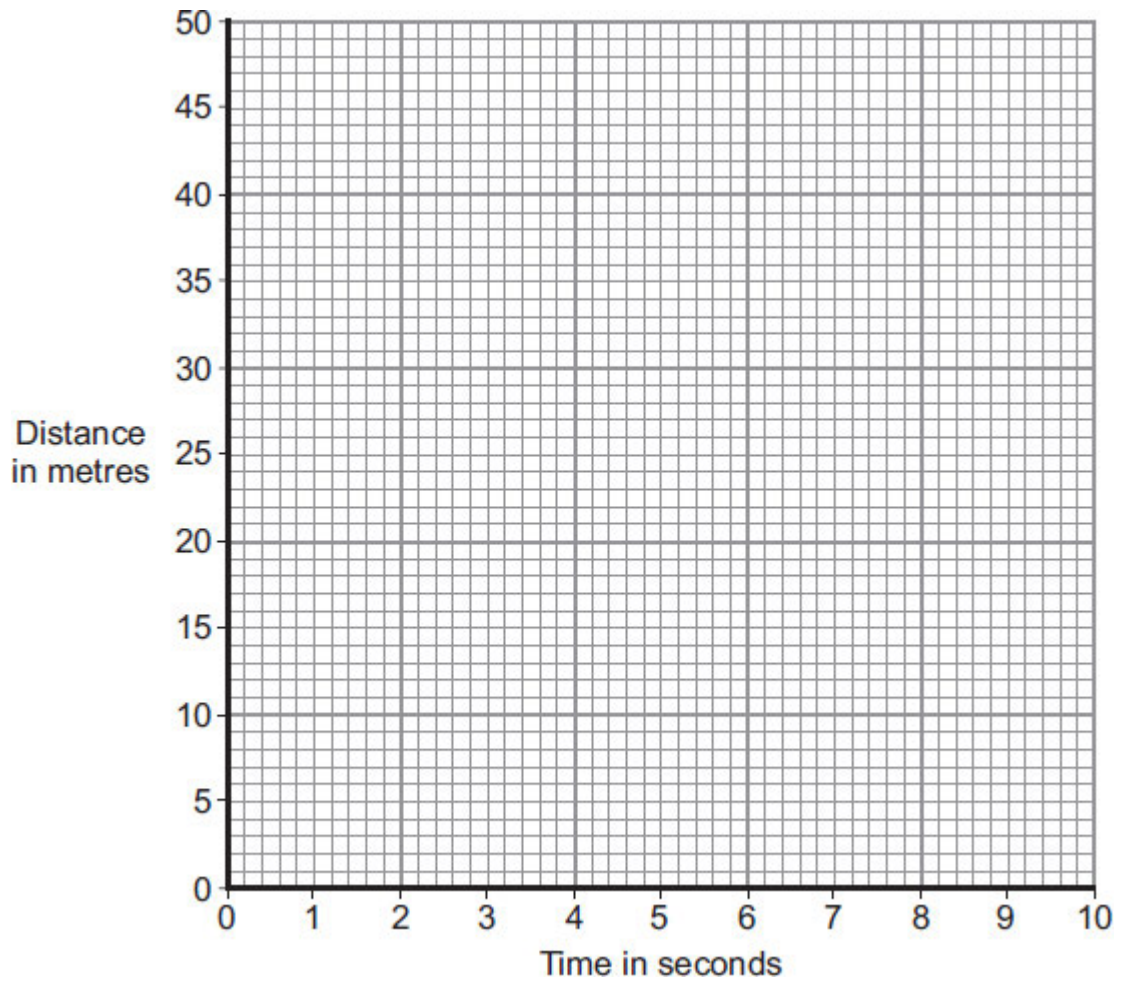
- (a) Use the graph to calculate the distance travelled by the object in 10 seconds.  
Show clearly how you work out your answer.

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Distance = ..... m

(2)

- (b) Complete the distance-time graph for the object over the same 10 seconds.



(2)  
(Total 4 marks)

Q7. The London Eye is one of the largest observation wheels in the world.



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The passengers ride in capsules. Each capsule moves in a circular path and accelerates.

(a) Explain how the wheel can move at a steady speed and the capsules accelerate at the same time.

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(2)

(b) In which direction is the resultant force on each capsule?

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(1)

(c) The designers of the London Eye had to consider **three** factors which affect the resultant force described in part (b).

Two factors that increase the resultant force are:

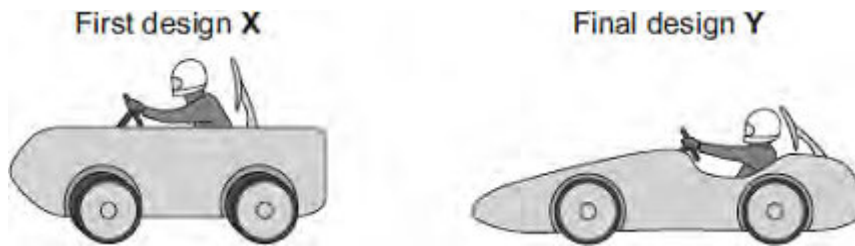
- an increase in the speed of rotation
- an increase in the total mass of the wheel, the capsules and the passengers.

Name the other factor that affects the resultant force and state what effect it has on the resultant force.

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(1)  
**(Total 4 marks)**

**Q8.(a)** Some students have designed and built an electric-powered go-kart. After testing, the students decided to make changes to the design of their go-kart.



The go-kart always had the same mass and used the same motor.

The change in shape from the first design (X) to the final design (Y) will affect the top speed of the go-kart.

Explain why.

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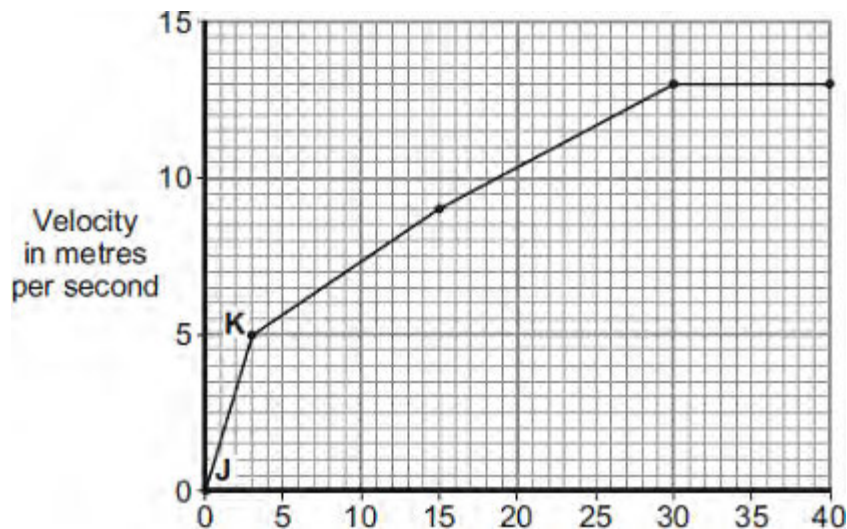
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(b) The final design go-kart, Y, is entered into a race.

The graph shows how the velocity of the go-kart changes during the first 40 seconds of the race.





Time in seconds

- (i) Use the graph to calculate the acceleration of the go-kart between points **J** and **K**.

Give your answer to **two** significant figures.

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Acceleration = ..... m/s<sup>2</sup>

**(2)**

- (ii) Use the graph to calculate the distance the go-kart travels between points **J** and **K**.

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Distance = ..... m

**(2)**

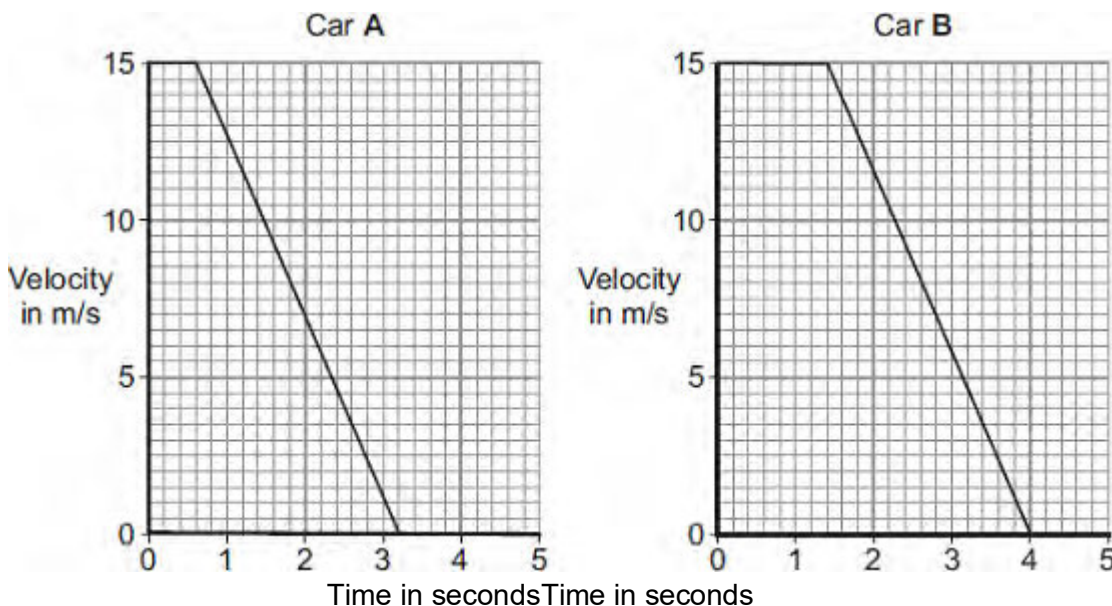
- (iii) What causes most of the resistive forces acting on the go-kart?

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**(1)**

**(Total 8 marks)**

**Q9.(a)** The graphs show how the velocity of two cars, **A** and **B**, change from the moment the car drivers see an obstacle blocking the road.



One of the car drivers has been drinking alcohol. The other driver is wide awake and alert.

(i) How does a comparison of the two graphs suggest that the driver of car **B** is the one who has been drinking alcohol?

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(ii) How do the graphs show that the two cars have the same deceleration?

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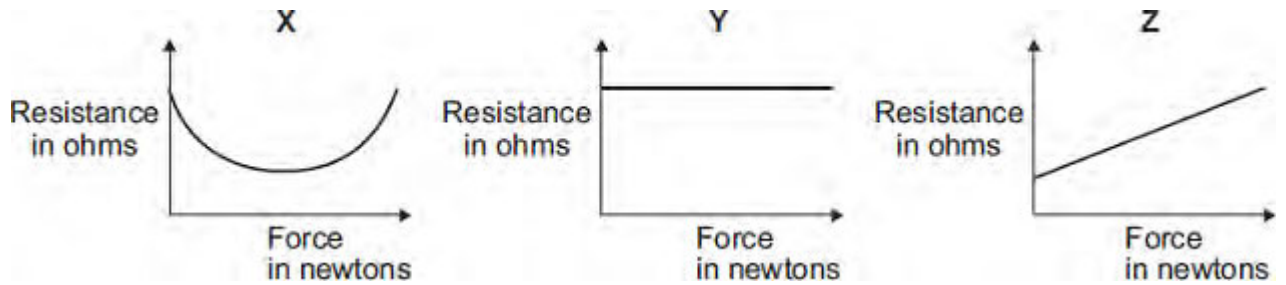
Show clearly how you work out your answer.

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Additional stopping distance = ..... m

(3)

- (b) In a crash-test laboratory, scientists use sensors to measure the forces exerted in collisions. The graphs show how the electrical resistance of 3 experimental types of sensor, X, Y, and Z, change with the force applied to the sensor.



Which of the sensors, X, Y or Z, would be the best one to use as a force sensor?

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Give a reason for your answer.

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