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1. A sprinter covers 100 m in 11.2 seconds.

a) Find the average velocity of the sprinter in m/s

$$V = \frac{d}{t} = \frac{100}{11.2} = 8.93 \text{ m/s}$$

b) Convert this speed to km/hr showing all the steps

$$8.93 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} \times \frac{3600 \text{ sec}}{1 \text{ hour}} \times \frac{1 \text{ km}}{1000 \text{ m}} = 32.1 \text{ km/hr}$$

c) What is the shortcut for converting km/hr to m/s?

$$\div \text{ by } 3.6$$

2. A car travels at 85 km/hr for 35 mins. How far does it travel?

$$\begin{aligned} & \hookrightarrow \text{convert to hour} = \frac{35}{60} = 0.58\bar{3} \text{ hours.} \\ d &= V \cdot t \\ &= 85 \text{ km/hr} \times 0.58\bar{3} = 49.6 \text{ km} \end{aligned}$$

3. A plane travels 580 km in 2 hours 30 mins. How fast is it going? (in km/hr)

$$\begin{aligned} & \hookrightarrow 2.5 \text{ hours} \\ V &= \frac{d}{t} = \frac{580}{2.5} \\ &= 232 \text{ km/hr} \end{aligned}$$

4. A drag car accelerates from 0 to 29 m/s in 4 seconds. What was the acceleration of the car? Find acceleration in m/s^2

$$a = \frac{\Delta V}{t} = \frac{29-0}{4} = \frac{29}{4} = 7.25 \text{ m/s}^2.$$

5. A mini van accelerates from 20 km/hr to 110 km/hr in 8 seconds. What was the acceleration of the mini van? Find acceleration in m/s^2

$$\Delta V = V_f - V_i = 110 - 20 = 90 \text{ km/hr} = 25 \text{ m/s} \quad \leftarrow \div 3.6$$

$$a = \frac{\Delta V}{t} = \frac{25}{8} = 3.125 \text{ m/s}^2.$$

6. A semi truck accelerates at 1.4 m/s^2 . If the truck accelerates for 7.9 seconds from rest, what is the truck's final speed?

$$V_f = V_i + at$$

$$= 0 + (1.4)(7.9) = 11.06 \text{ m/s}$$

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$V_i = 0$

7. A dropped ball accelerates at 9.8 m/s^2 . Starting from rest, how long does it take the ball to reach a speed of 25 m/s?

$$V_f = V_i + at$$

$$25 = 0 + (9.8)(t)$$

$$t = 25/9.8 = 2.55 \text{ sec.}$$

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8. A sports car accelerates from 0 to 60 mph in 5.6 seconds. What is the acceleration of the car in m/s^2 ?

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$$1 \text{ mph} = 1.61 \text{ km/hr.}$$

$$\textcircled{1} 60 \text{ mph} \times \frac{1.61 \text{ km/hr}}{1 \text{ mph}} = 96.6 \text{ km/hr.}$$

$$\textcircled{2} a = \frac{\Delta V}{t} = \frac{V_f - V_i}{t} = \frac{96.6 - 0}{5.6} =$$

$$= \frac{26.83 - 0}{5.6} = 4.79 \text{ m/s}^2.$$

$$\textcircled{2} 96.6 \text{ km/hr} \div 3.6 = 26.83 \text{ m/s.}$$