

5.3

General Launch Angle Projectiles

LEARNING TARGETS

**5.3** I can interpret, analyze, and calculate the motion of a general launch angle projectile.

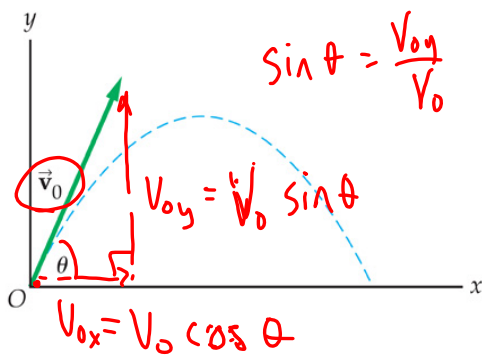


**PROJECTILE MOTION**

Zero Launch Angle Projectiles

$V_{0y} = 0$   
 $x_f = V_{0x} t$   
 $t = \sqrt{\frac{2h}{g}}$   
 $a_x = 0$   
 $a_y = g$

General Launch Angle

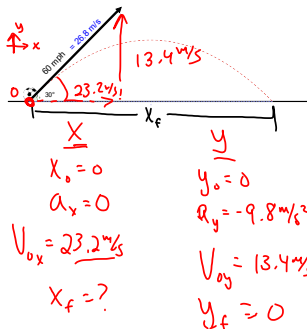


**How Far?**

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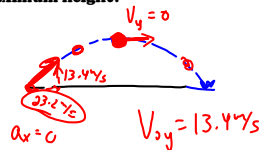


$x_f = V_{0x} t = (23.2 \text{ m/s})(2.73 \text{ s})$   
 $x_f = 63 \text{ m}$

$y_f^2 = y_0^2 + V_{0y} t + \frac{1}{2} a_y t^2$   
 $0 = V_{0y} t + \frac{1}{2} a_y t^2$   
 $0 = t (V_{0y} + \frac{1}{2} a_y t)$   
 $t = 0$   
 $V_{0y} + \frac{1}{2} a_y t = 0$   
 $\frac{1}{2} a_y t = -V_{0y}$   
 $t = \frac{-2V_{0y}}{a_y} = 2.73 \text{ s}$

### How High?

If a soccer player kicks a ball 60.0-mph at an angle of 30° above the ground, what is the ball's maximum height?

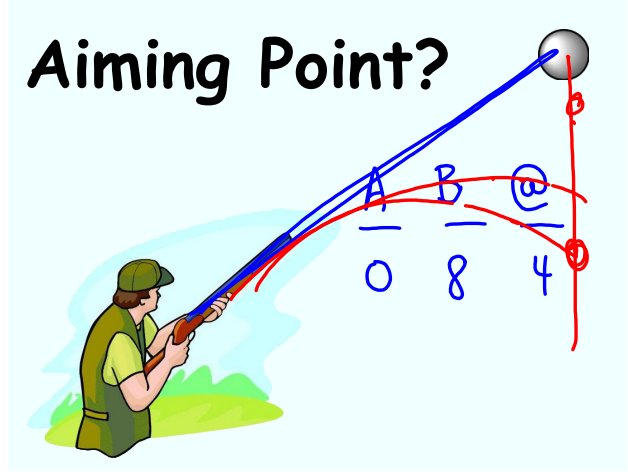


$$v_{fy}^2 = v_{oy}^2 + 2a_y(y_f - y_o)$$

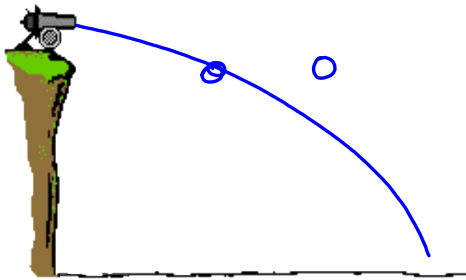
$$0 = (13.4)^2 + 2(-9.8)y_f$$

$$-180 = -19.6y_f$$

$$y_f = 9.2 \text{ m}$$



### Aiming Point?



# HOMework

## Unit 5 Problems (9-13)