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Class



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Distance time graphs

(9 – 1) Topic booklet

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These questions have been collated from previous years GCSE Mathematics papers.

You must have: Ruler graduated in centimetres and millimetres, protractor, pair of compasses, pen, HB pencil, eraser.

Total Marks

Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
– *there may be more space than you need.*
- Diagrams are NOT accurately drawn, unless otherwise indicated.
- You must **show all your working out.**
- If the question is a **1H** question you are not allowed to use a calculator.
- If the question is a **2H** or a **3H** question, you may use a calculator to help you answer.

Information

- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Keep an eye on the time.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

Answer ALL questions
Write your answers in the space provided.
You must write down all the stages in your working.

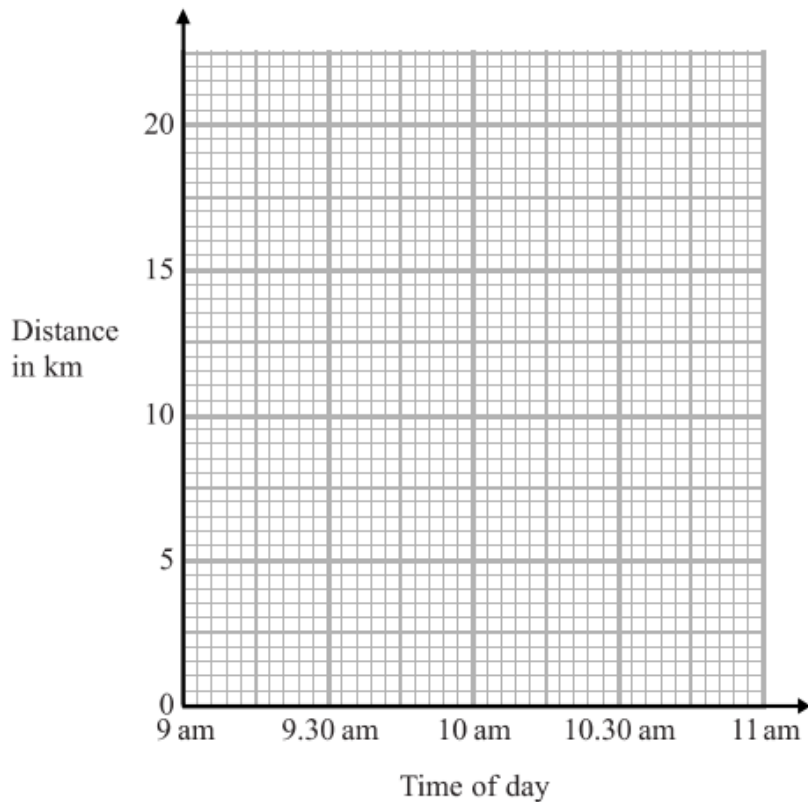
5 At 9 am, Bradley began a journey on his bicycle.



From 9 am to 9.36 am, he cycled at an average speed of 15 km/h.

From 9.36 am to 10.45 am, he cycled a further 8 km.

(a) Draw a travel graph to show Bradley's journey.



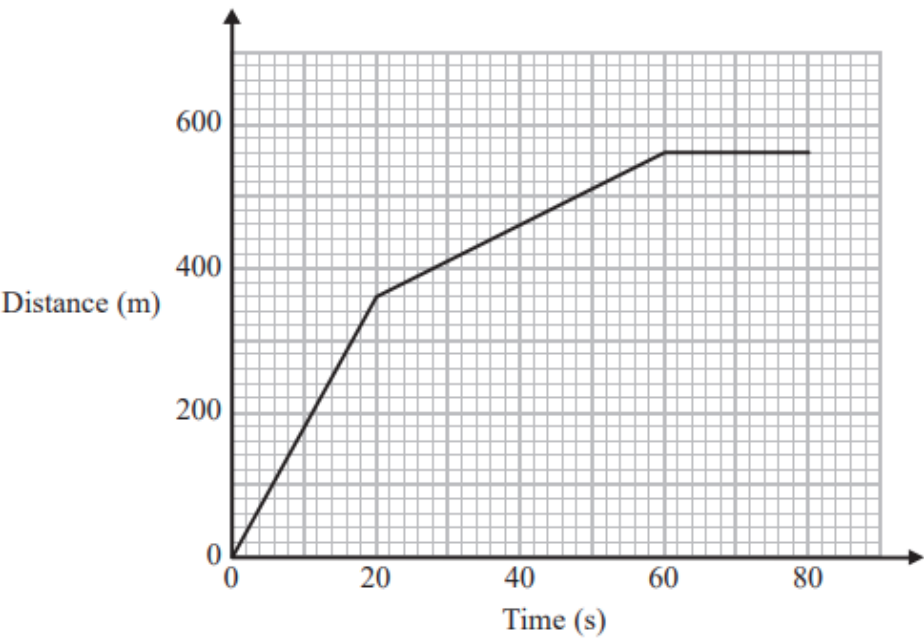
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From 10.45 am to 11 am, Bradley cycled at an average speed of 18 km/h.

(b) Work out the distance Bradley cycled from 10.45 am to 11 am.

..... km
 (2)

10 Here is part of a distance-time graph for a car's journey.



- (a) Between which two times does the car travel at its greatest speed?
Give a reason for your answer.

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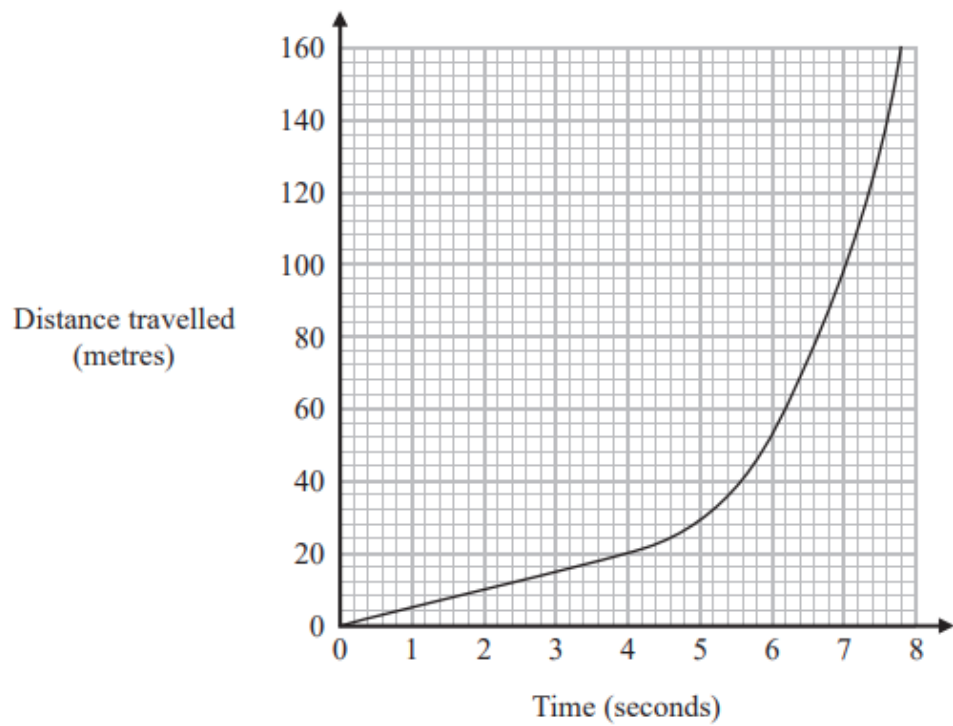
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- (b) Work out this greatest speed.

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(1)

14 The distance-time graph shows information about part of a car journey.

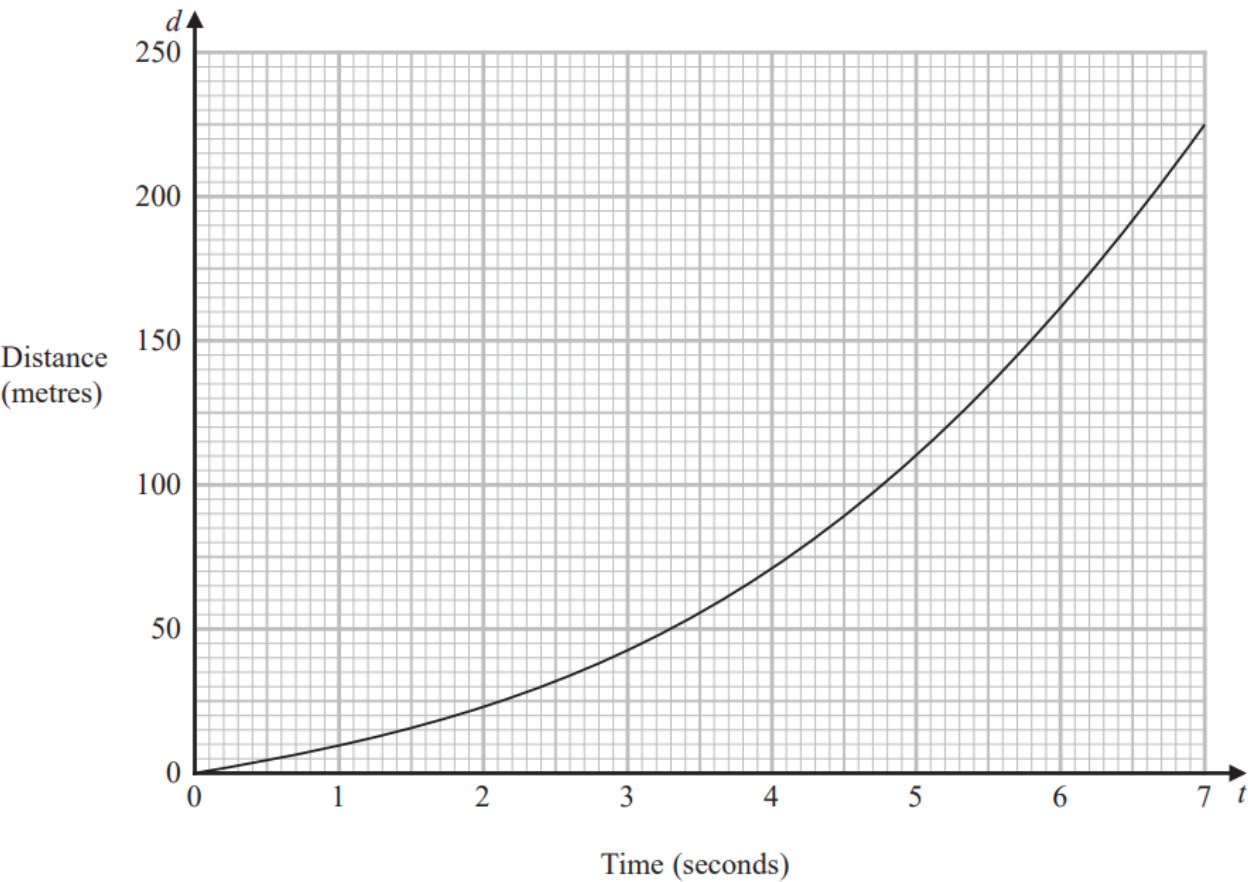


Use the graph to estimate the speed of the car at time 5 seconds.

..... m/s

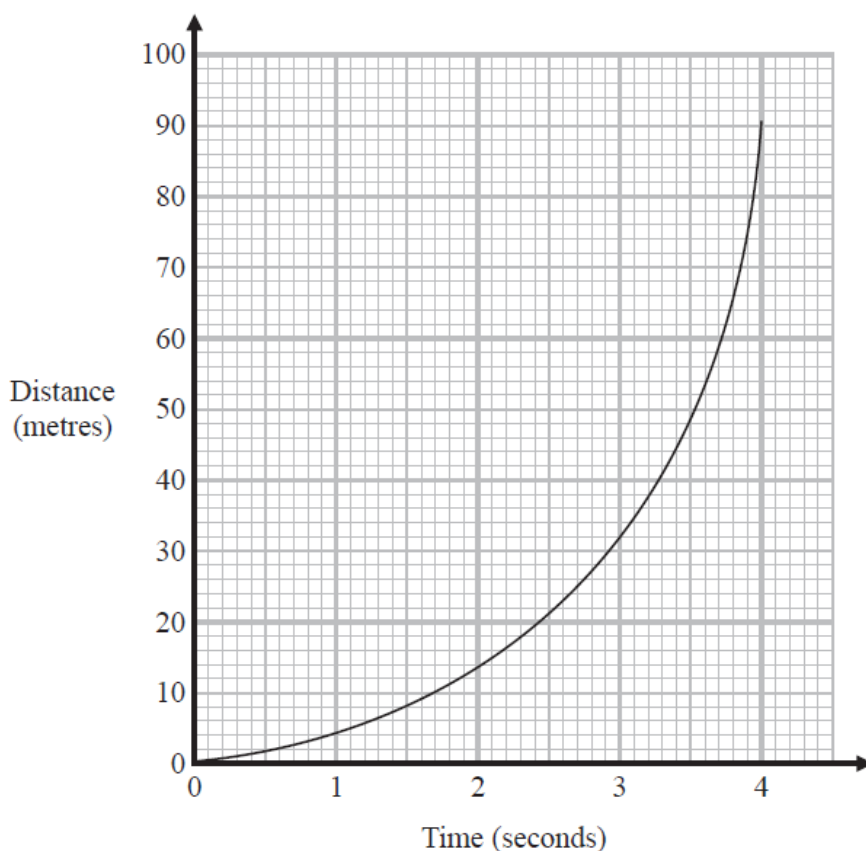
15 An object falls from rest.

Here is the distance-time graph for the distance (d metres) fallen by the object t seconds after it starts to fall.



Work out an estimate for the gradient of the graph at $t = 3$
You must show how you get your answer.

17 Here is a distance-time graph.



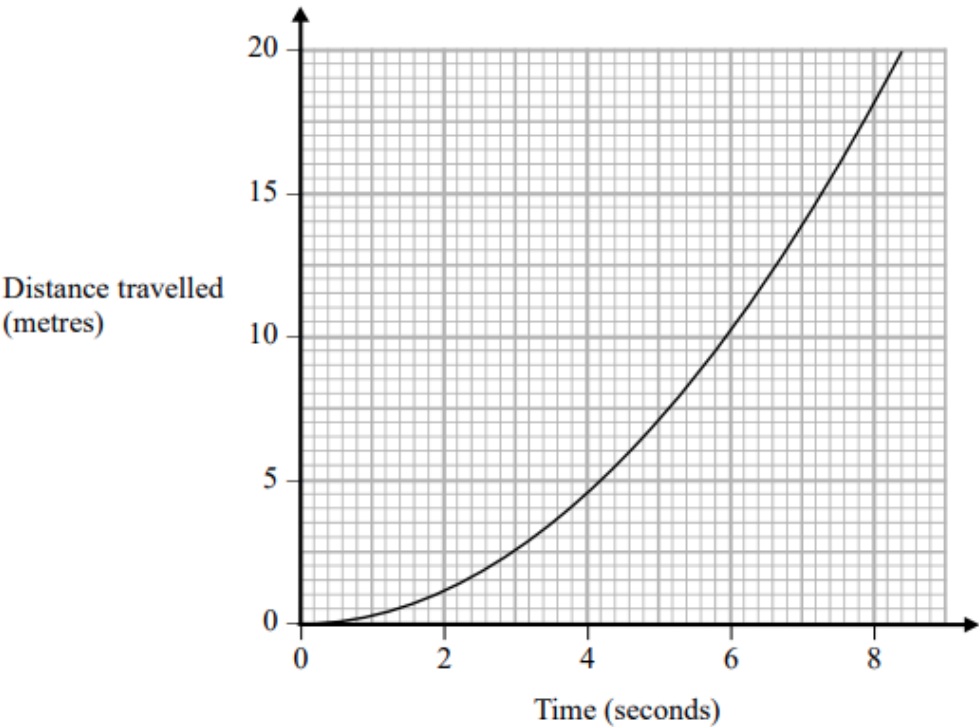
- (a) Find an estimate of the gradient of the graph at time 2.5 seconds.
You must show how you get your answer.

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(3)

- (b) What does the gradient of the graph represent?

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(1)

19 The graph shows information about part of a cyclist's journey.



Work out an estimate of the speed, in m/s, of the cyclist at time 6 seconds.

..... m/s