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Work Sheet – 20

Subject – Physics

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Class – XI

Chapter – Circular motion

Topic – Centripetal
acceleration & centripetal
force

Choose the correct option for the following questions.

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- A particle of mass m describes a circular motion of radius r . the centripetal acceleration of the particle is $\frac{4}{r^2}$. The momentum of the particle is –
 - $\frac{2m}{r}$
 - $\frac{2m}{\sqrt{r}}$
 - $\frac{4m}{\sqrt{r}}$
 - $\frac{4m}{r}$
- A particle is moving around a circular path of radius r with uniform angular speed w . The acceleration of the particle is –
 - $\frac{w^2}{r}$
 - $\frac{w}{r}$
 - $v w$
 - $v r$
- A mass of 2kg is whirled in a horizontal circle by means of a string at an initial speed of 5r.p.m. keeping the radius constant the tension in the in the string is doubled, the new speed is nearly –
 - 7r.p.m
 - 14r.p.m
 - 10r.p.m
 - 20r.p.m
- A particle is acted upon by a force of constant magnitude which is always perpendicular to the velocity. The motion of the particle takes place in a plane. It follows that –
 - Its velocity is constant
 - Its K.E. is constant
 - Its acceleration is constant
 - It moves in a straight line
- A stone is tied to one end of string 50cm long and is whirled in a horizontal circle with constant speed. If stone makes 10 revolutions in 20s, then what is the magnitude of acceleration of the stone ?
 - 493 m/s^2
 - 720 m/s^2
 - 860 m/s^2
 - 990 m/s^2
- For a particle in a non uniform accelerated circular motion –
 - Velocity is radial and acceleration is transverse
 - Velocity is transverse and acceleration radial
 - Velocity is radial and acceleration has both the components
 - Velocity is transverse and acceleration has both the components

7. Two particles having mass M and m are moving in a circular path of radius R and r respectively. If their time period are same then the ratio of angular velocity will be –
- $\frac{r}{R}$
 - $\frac{R}{r}$
 - 1
 - $\sqrt{\frac{R}{r}}$
8. A car moving with a speed 30m/s on a circular path of radius 500m . Its speed is increasing at the rate of 2m/s^2 . The acceleration of the car is –
- 9.8 m/s^2
 - 1.8 m/s^2
 - 2 m/s^2
 - 2.7 m/s^2 .
9. If a particle is rotating uniformly in a horizontal circle, then –
- No force is acting on the particle
 - Velocity of particle is constant
 - Acceleration of the particle is zero
 - No work is done
10. A particle moves along a circle of radius $\frac{20}{\pi}$ m with constant tangential acceleration. If the velocity of the particle is 80m/s at the end of the second revolution after motion has begun, the tangential acceleration is –
- 40 m/s^2 .
 - 640 m/s^2 .
 - 160 m/s^2 .
 - $40\pi\text{ m/s}^2$.
11. The linear and angular acceleration of a particle are 10 m/s^2 and 5rad/s^2 respectively. It will be at a distance from the axis of rotation –
- 50m
 - 0.5m
 - 1m
 - 2m
12. The angular acceleration of particle moving along a circular path with uniform speed –
- Uniform but non zero
 - Zero
 - Variable
 - As cannot be predicted from given information
13. If the speed and radius both are tripled for a body moving on a circular path, then the new centripetal force will be –
- Doubled
 - Same
 - Triple
 - One third
14. When a body moves with a constant speed along a circle –
- No acceleration is present
 - No force acts
 - Its velocity remains constant
 - No work is done on it

15. A string of length 0.1m can not bear a tension more than 100N. it is tied to a body of mass 100g and rotated in a horizontal circle. The maximum angular velocity can be –
- a. 100rad/s
 - b. 1000rad/s
 - c. 10000rad/s
 - d. 0.1rad/s

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