

2. A cannon ball is shot at an angle of 65.0° with an initial speed of $330. \text{ m/s}$. Determine:

- a) the components of its initial velocity

$$\boxed{V_x = 139 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} \quad V_y = 299 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} 330. \text{ m/s} \\ \theta = 65.0^\circ \\ V_y = V \sin \theta \\ V_x = V \cos \theta \end{array}$$

- b) how long it took to land

$$\frac{1}{2} \text{ time} \quad v_{fy} = v_{iy} + at \quad t_{\frac{1}{2}} = 30.5 \text{ s} \quad \boxed{t_{\text{total}} = 61.0 \text{ s}}$$

- c) how far away it landed

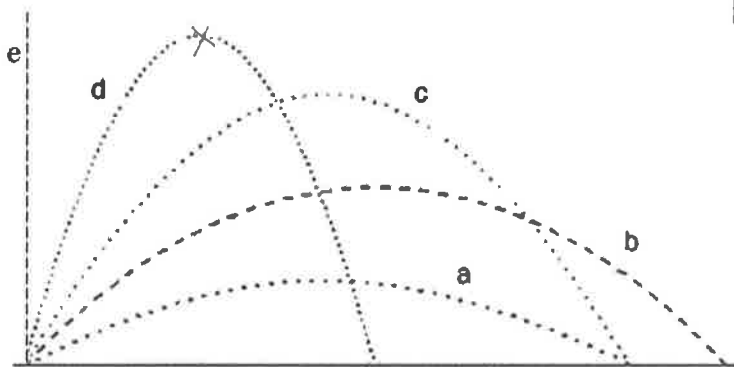
$$d_x = v_{x_i} t + \frac{1}{2} a t^2 \quad d = (139 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})(61.0 \text{ s}) = \boxed{d_x = 8,480 \text{ m}}$$

- d) how high it went

$$d_y = (299 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})(30.5 \text{ s}) + \frac{1}{2}(-9.8 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}^2})(30.5 \text{ s})^2 = \boxed{4,560 \text{ m}}$$

3. The diagram below shows the trajectories of five identical cannonballs all launched with the same speeds but at different launch angles measured from the horizontal.

Phet simulation:
Projectiles



Cannonball	Launch Angle
a	30°
b	45°
c	60°
d	70°
e	90°

1. Which path shows the projectile having the

- a) largest angle of launch? **E**
 b) largest initial vertical component of velocity? **E**
 c) largest initial horizontal component of velocity? **A**

2. As the launch angle increases, what happens to the

- a) initial velocity? **resultant \vec{v} (initial) stays the same**
 b) the components of the initial velocity? **vertical or \vec{v}_y increases, horizontal \vec{v}_x decreases**

3. At what launch angle will the components of the initial velocity be equal?

45°

4. What angle of launch will give the largest range?

45°

5. Which two projectiles have the same range?

a, c
 $30^\circ + 60^\circ = 90^\circ$

6. What angle of launch will give the longest time in the air (flight time)?

E or 90°

7. What angle of launch will make the cannonball go the highest?

E or 90°