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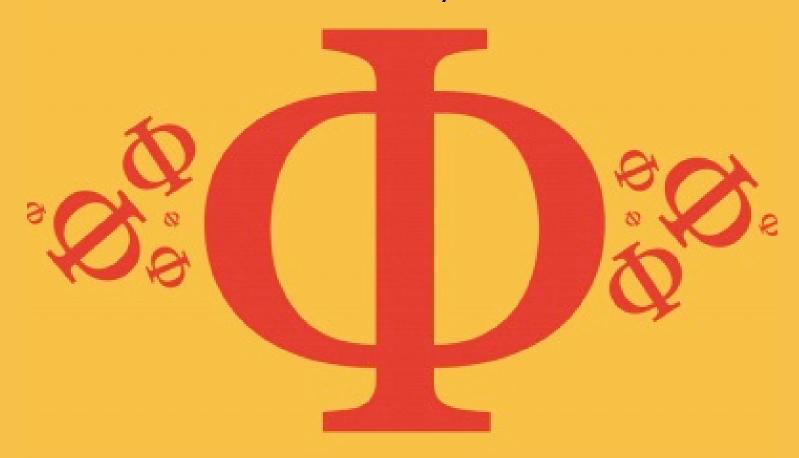
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2.4 Momentum & Impulse

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Course	DP IB Physics
Section	2. Mechanics
Topic	2.4 Momentum & Impulse
Difficulty	Easy

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Time allowed: 20

Score: /10

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A car drives into a wall. The change in momentum is 17 000 kg ms⁻¹ and the time of impact is 0.1 seconds.

What is the force acting on the car as a result of the collision?

- A. 17 000 N
- B.1700000N
- C.170 000 N
- D.1700 N

[1 mark]

Question 2

Which of the following is the correct equation for impulse?

$$A.I = mv - mu$$

$$B.I = F\Delta p$$

$$C.I = \Delta t$$

$$D.I = \frac{F}{\Delta t}$$



[1 mark]

Question 3

Which feature on a force-time graph represents the impulse?

- A. Gradient
- B. y-intercept
- C. Area
- D. x-intercept



What is the equation for momentum?

A.p = Fs

B.p = mv

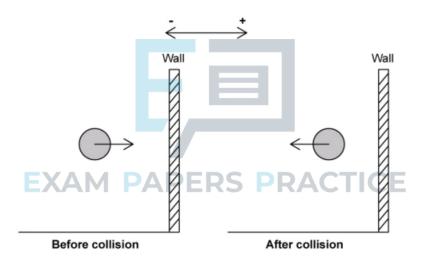
 $C.p = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$

 $D.p = F\Delta t$

[1 mark]

Question 5

A tennis ball is thrown at a wall and then bounces off.



Which row states the correct directions for the velocity, v, before and after hitting the wall?

	Before collision	After collision
A.	-	-
B.	-	+
C.	+	-
D.	+	+



Before a collision object A is stationary and object B is travelling at $1 \, \text{ms}^{-1}$.

What is the correct symbol and value for the initial velocity of object A?

- $A.u_B = 0$
- $B.u_A = 0$
- $C. v_A = 0$
- $D.u_A=1$

[1 mark]

Question 7

What is the definition of an external force?

- A. Forces that act on a system from outside of it
- B. Forces exchanged by the particles in a system
- C. Every action has an equal and opposite reaction
- D. The rate of change of momentum on a body



[1 mark]

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Question 8

What is the definition of an inelastic collision?

- A. A collision where kinetic energy is conserved
- B. A collision where the momentum is conserved
- C. A collision where both objects are stationary after the collision
- D. A collision where kinetic energy is not conserved



What is the main purpose of the crumple zone in a car?

- A. To decrease the contact time over which a collision occurs.
- B. To increase the contact time over which a collision occurs.
- C. To reduce the mass of the car involved in the collision.
- $\hbox{D. To reduce damage to the rest of the car in a collision.}\\$

[1 mark]

Question 10

What type of collision are explosions?

- A. Elastic
- B. Conserved
- C. Inelastic
- D. Impulsive

