

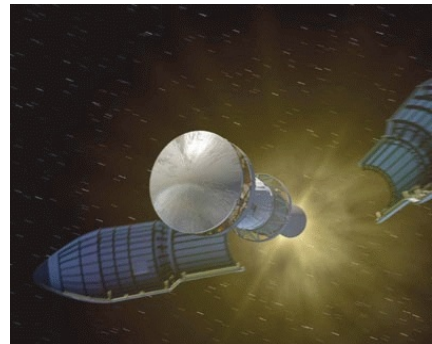
1: Motion

1. The Spirit and Opportunity robot rovers are still exploring the surface of Mars. The rovers' spacecraft and the rovers themselves travel at wildly different speeds.

- a. The Spirit rover can move across the Martian landscape at a maximum of 2.68 m/min. How many minutes would it take for it to travel 10.4 m, the width of Mr. M's classroom?



- b. Spirit journeyed to Mars in a spacecraft that traveled about 487 gigameters (487×10^9 m or 303 million miles) from Earth to Mars, averaging about 27,100 m/s (60,600 mi/h). Use the SI units to calculate how many Earth **days** it took for the spacecraft to complete its journey.

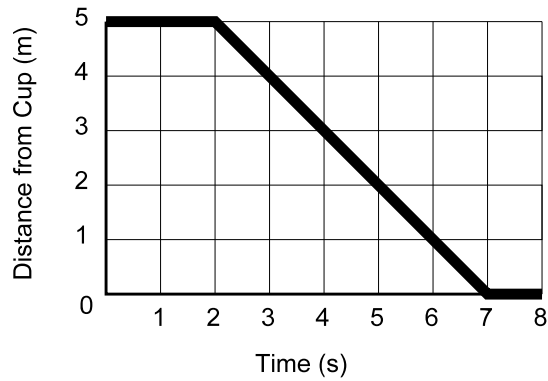


2. A runner in a 1.00×10^2 meter race passes the 40.0 meter mark with a speed of 5.00 m/s.

- a. If she maintains that speed, *how far from the starting line* will she be 3.00 seconds later?

- b. If 5.00 m/s was her top speed, what is the shortest possible time for her entire 1.00×10^2 m run?

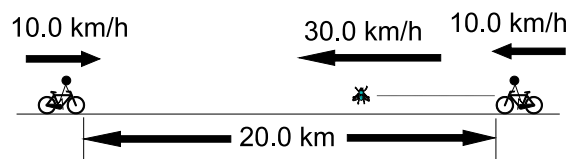
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3. The graph above describes the motion of a golf ball. Note that it graphs *distance from a position*, **not** *distance traveled*. The ball is placed on the green at 5 meters from the cup at $t=0$ seconds.

- How far from the cup was the ball at $t=1$ second?
- What was the speed of the ball at $t=1$ second?
- How far from the cup was the ball at $t=5$ seconds?
- What was the speed of the ball as it moved towards the cup?
- What happened at $t=7$ seconds?

4. Two bicyclists are riding toward each other, and each has an average speed of 10.0 km/h. When their bikes are 20.0 km apart, a pesky fly begins flying from one wheel to the other at a steady speed of 30.0 km/h. When the fly gets to the wheel, it abruptly turns around and flies back to touch the first wheel, then turns around and keeps repeating the back-and-forth trip until the bikes meet, and the fly meets an unfortunate end.



How many kilometers did the fly travel in its total back-and-forth trips?