

Sangam SKM College- Nadi

Year 13

Physics

Worksheet 5

Questions:

1. Determine the values of k and a if the relation $y = kx^a$ is a good representation for the data values:

x	0.5	1	2	3	4
y	5.93	8.80	19.36	42.59	93.70

[HINT: Draw log graph]

2. A Ferris wheel that moves at constant speed of 5 m/s in a vertical circle of radius 16 m.
- a) What must the velocity be so that a 90 kg passenger will be "weightless" when at the highest point?
- b) What will be the passenger's apparent weight at the lowest point?
3. A bicycle wheel of radius 36 cm is turning at a constant speed of 10 rev/s. Calculate:
- a) its angular speed in rad/s
- b) the linear speed of a point on the rim.
- c) the angular acceleration if the angular speed is increased to 15 rev/s in 3.5 seconds.

