

1. At time t seconds ($t \geq 0$), a particle P is modelled as having velocity \mathbf{v} ms⁻¹, where

$$\mathbf{v} = (3t^2 - 12t)\mathbf{i} + (9t^2 - 3t)\mathbf{j}$$

and having acceleration \mathbf{a} ms⁻²

- (a) Find \mathbf{a} in terms of \mathbf{i} , \mathbf{j} and t .

(2)

When $t = 0$, P is at the origin O .

At time t seconds ($t \geq 0$), P has position vector \mathbf{r} metres relative to O .

- (b) Find \mathbf{r} in terms of \mathbf{i} , \mathbf{j} and t .

(2)

At the instant when $\mathbf{a} = \lambda\mathbf{j}$, where λ is a constant, P is at the point A .

- (c) Find the position vector of A relative to O .

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