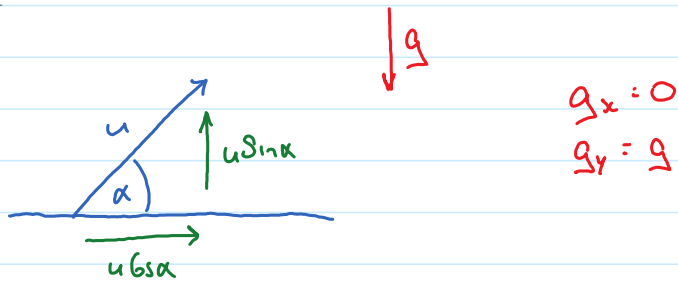


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$$V_x = u \cos \alpha - g t \quad V_y = u \sin \alpha - g t$$

$$S_x = u \cos \alpha \cdot t - \frac{1}{2} g t^2 \quad S_y = u \sin \alpha \cdot t - \frac{1}{2} g t^2$$

$$S_y = 0$$

$$u \sin \alpha t - \frac{1}{2} g t^2 = 0$$

$$t = 0 \quad t = \frac{2u \sin \alpha}{g}$$

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$S_x \rightarrow$

$$u \cdot \cos \alpha \cdot t = R$$

$$u \cdot \cos \alpha \left(\frac{2u \sin \alpha}{g} \right) = R$$

$$\frac{2u^2 \sin \alpha \cdot \cos \alpha}{g} = R$$

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$$V_y = 0 \Rightarrow u \sin \alpha - g t = 0$$

$$t = \frac{u \sin \alpha}{g}$$

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$$S_y = \frac{R}{4\sqrt{3}}$$

$$S_y = u \sin \alpha t - \frac{1}{2} g t^2$$

$$\frac{R}{4\sqrt{3}} = u \sin \alpha \left(\frac{u \sin \alpha}{g} \right) - \frac{1}{2} g \left(\frac{u^2 \sin^2 \alpha}{g^2} \right)$$

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$$= \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \alpha}{g} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \alpha}{g} = \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \alpha}{2g} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{u^2 \cdot \sin^2 \alpha}{g} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{u^2 \cdot \sin^2 \alpha}{g} = \frac{u^2 \cdot \sin^2 \alpha}{g} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$\frac{R}{4\sqrt{3}} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{u^2 \cdot \sin^2 \alpha}{g} \right)$$

$$\frac{2u^2 \sin \alpha \cos \alpha}{4\sqrt{3} \cdot g} = \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \alpha}{2g}$$

$$\frac{1 \cdot \cos \alpha}{\sqrt{3}} = \sin \alpha$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha} \quad \rightarrow \quad \tan \alpha = \frac{\sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha}$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \tan \alpha$$

$$\alpha = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$$

$$\alpha = 30^\circ$$

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b) Don't sub in $\tan^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ until the end.

$$u_x = u \cos \theta \quad u_y = u \sin \theta$$

$$a_x = -g \sin \alpha \quad a_y = -g \cos \alpha$$

$$S_x = u_x t - \frac{1}{2} a_x t^2 = R \quad S_y = u_y t - \frac{1}{2} a_y t^2 = 0$$

$$S_y = 0 \Rightarrow u \sin \theta \cdot t - \frac{1}{2} g \cos \alpha t^2 = 0$$

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$$t = 0 \quad \leftarrow \quad \rightarrow \quad t = \frac{2u \sin \theta}{g \cos \alpha}$$

Sm

$$\Rightarrow R = u \cos \theta \left(\frac{2u \sin \theta}{g \cos \alpha} \right) - \frac{1}{2} g \sin \alpha \left(\frac{4u^2 \sin^2 \theta}{g^2 \cos^2 \alpha} \right)$$

$$= \frac{2u^2 \sin \theta \cdot G \cos \theta}{g G \cos \alpha} - \frac{2u^2 \sin^2 \theta \cdot \sin \alpha}{g G \cos^2 \alpha}$$

Common Denom. = $g G \cos^2 \alpha$

$$= \frac{2u^2 \sin \theta G \cos \theta G \cos \alpha - 2u^2 \sin^2 \theta \cdot \sin \alpha}{g G \cos^2 \alpha}$$

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$$= \frac{2u^2 \sin \theta (G \cos \theta \cdot G \cos \alpha - \sin \theta \cdot \sin \alpha)}{g \cdot G \cos^2 \alpha}$$

$\rightarrow G \cos A + B = G \cos A G \cos B - \sin A \sin B$

$$= \frac{2u^2 \sin \theta \cdot G \cos(\theta + \alpha)}{g \cdot G \cos^2 \alpha}$$

$$\rightarrow 2 \sin A G \cos B = \sin(A+B) + \sin(A-B)$$

↳ Where $A = \theta$
 $B = \theta + \alpha$

$$= \frac{u^2 [\sin(\theta + \theta + \alpha) + \sin(\theta - \theta - \alpha)]}{g \cdot G \cos^2 \alpha}$$

$$= \frac{u^2}{g G \cos^2 \alpha} (\sin(2\theta + \alpha) + \sin(\alpha))$$

$$= \frac{u^2}{g G \cos^2 \alpha} (\sin(2\theta + \alpha) - \sin \alpha)$$

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Max Value of Sin function involving $\theta = 1$

$$\sin(2\theta + \alpha) = 1$$

θ is angle of projection.

$$2\theta + \alpha = 90$$

$$\theta = \frac{90 - \alpha}{2}$$

$$\theta = 45 - \frac{1}{2}\alpha \dots \dots \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{2} = \alpha$$

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$$\approx 26.6^\circ$$

$$= 45 - \frac{1}{2}(26.6)$$

$$\theta = 31.7^\circ$$

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