

Calculus H
Ch. 3 #9

Name _____

1. What is the relationship between position, velocity, and acceleration?

2. Fill in the blanks.

a) When the _____ is positive, the object is moving in a positive direction.

b) An object is _____ when the velocity and acceleration have different signs.

c) An object is stopped when _____ is zero.

d) Speed is always positive because it is the _____ of velocity.

A particle moves along a horizontal line. Its position function is $s(t)$ for $t \geq 0$. Find the following:

3. If $s(t) = -t^4 + 15t^3$, find the velocity function $v(t)$ and the acceleration function $a(t)$.

4. If $s(t) = t^4 - 8t^3$, find the times t when the particle changes direction.

5. If $s(t) = t^2 - 4t - 96$, find the times t when the acceleration is 0.

6. If $s(t) = -t^2 + t + 72$, find the intervals of time when the particle is slowing down and speeding up.

7. If $s(t) = -t^3 + 10t^2$, find the position, velocity, speed, and acceleration at $t = 7$.

8. If $s(t) = -t^3 + 10t^2$ what is the distance traveled from $t = 0$ to $t = 8$?

9. If $s(t) = t^3 - 23t^2 + 120t$, find the intervals of time when the particle is slowing down and speeding up.

10. If $s(t) = -t^4 + 11t^3$, find the position, velocity, speed and acceleration at $t = 4$.