

13. Calculate the momentum of the following objects:

a) A 100. kg football player running at 12 km/hr.

$$p = mv \quad 100 \text{ kg} \cdot 12 \text{ km/h} = 1200 \text{ kg} \cdot \text{km/h}$$

b) A blue whale of mass 150 tonnes moving at 30 km/hr.

$$150 \text{ tons} \cdot 30 \text{ km/h} = 4500 \text{ tons} \cdot 30 \text{ km/h}$$

c) The Saturn V rocket blasting into space with a mass of 8,700,000 kg and velocity of 28,000 km/hr.

$$8,700,000 \text{ kg} \cdot 28,000 \text{ km/h} = 2.4 \times 10^{11} \text{ kg} \cdot \text{km/h}$$

14. A golfer hits a ball ($m = 50. \text{ g}$) causing it to leave its fairway lie with a velocity of 32 m/s. Determine the change in momentum of the ball. If the ball strikes the club face for only .05 s, what force is applied by the club to the ball?

$$\text{Change in momentum} = 50 \text{ g} \cdot 32 \text{ m/s} = 1600 \text{ g} \cdot \text{m/s}$$

$$\text{Impulse} = \text{change in momentum} \quad \frac{1600}{t} = ft = \frac{1600}{.05} = 3200 \text{ N}$$

15. A 1000 kg car traveling South at 20.0 m/s collides with a 1200 kg car traveling East at 20 m/s. The two vehicles entangle after the collision and head off as one. What is the velocity of the combined wreckage immediately after the collision?

$$(1000 \text{ kg} \cdot 20 \text{ m/s}) + (1200 \text{ kg} \cdot 20 \text{ m/s}) = (1000 \text{ kg} + 1200 \text{ kg})v$$

$$20,000 \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m/s} + 24,000 \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m/s} = (2200 \text{ kg})v$$

$$\frac{44,000 \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m/s}}{2200 \text{ kg}} = \frac{(2200 \text{ kg})v}{2200 \text{ kg}} = 20 \text{ m/s}$$