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 - (a) If he wants to arrive at 12 noon, at what time should he leave?
 - (b) He leaves at this time, and finds that in fact he arrives at 11.40am. What average speed did he actually manage over the journey?
- 6) A woman leaves her home by car at 1300 on a 200km journey.
 - (a) She estimates that she can average 75km/h for the trip. At what time does she expect to arrive?
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- 7) A train is travelling at 81km/hour
 - (a) What is its speed in metres per second?
 - (b) How long does it take to travel 180 metres?
- 8) A man has to make a 180-mile journey. 105 miles of the journey are on motorway, where the man averages 70mph, but for the rest of the journey he averages 30mph.
 - (a) How long does the whole journey take?
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