Question 1

A neutral pion moves toward Yvonne, with speed v as measured in Yvonne's rest frame. The pion decays into two pulses of light, one of which travels directly toward Yvonne. Which of the following is true for the speed of the pulse?

- 1. Galilean relativity $\Rightarrow v$ Einstein's postulate $\Rightarrow c$
- 2. Galilean relativity $\Rightarrow v + c$ Einstein's postulate $\Rightarrow c$
- 3. Galilean relativity $\Rightarrow v c$ Einstein's postulate $\Rightarrow c$
- 4. Galilean relativity $\Rightarrow c$ Einstein's postulate $\Rightarrow c$
- 5. Galilean relativity $\Rightarrow v + c$ Einstein's postulate $\Rightarrow v + c$

Question 2

Two observers Zach and Yvonne travel in rocket ships. The velocity of Yvonne relative to Zach is u.



Zach repeatedly fires pulses of light up to his mirror. He records a round trip time for each pulse $\Delta t_{\rm Z}$ and Yvonne records $\Delta t_{\rm Y}$. Which of the following is true?

1.
$$\Delta t_{\mathsf{Z}} = \Delta t_{\mathsf{Y}}$$

2.
$$\Delta t_{\mathsf{Z}} < \Delta t_{\mathsf{Y}}$$

3. $\Delta t_{\sf Z} > \Delta t_{\sf Y}$

Question 3

Two observers Zach and Yvonne travel in rocket ships. The velocity of Yvonne relative to Zach is u.



Yvonne repeatedly fires pulses to the mirror. She records an elapsed round trip time for a pulse time, $\Delta t_{\rm Y}$ and for this process Zach records an elapsed time, $\Delta t_{\rm Z}$. Which of the following is true?

- 1. As Yvonne gets further away both $\Delta t_{\rm Z}$ and $\Delta t_{\rm Y}$ stay the same.
- 2. As Yvonne gets further away Δt_{Z} decreases but Δt_{Y} stays the same, since it takes longer for the light to reach Zach.
- 3. As Yvonne gets further away Δt_{Z} increases but Δt_{Y} stays the same, since it takes longer for the light to reach Zach.