

A ball is thrown upward from a height of 10 meters at a speed of 30 meters per second. The height of the ball after t seconds is given by $s(t) = 10 + 30t - 4.9t^2$.

1. What is the height of the ball at 3 seconds?

Find $f(3)$



10+30*3-4.9*3^2
55.9

... **55.9 meters**

2. What is the height of the ball at 6 seconds?

Find $f(6)$



10+30*6-4.9*6^2
13.6

... **13.6 meters**

3. What is the velocity of the ball at 3 seconds?

The derivative is $s'(t) = 30 - 9.8t$

Find $s'(3)$



30-9.8*3
.6

... **.6 m/sec (going up at .6 m/sec)**

4. What is the velocity of the ball at 6 seconds?

Find $s'(6)$



30-9.8*6
-28.8

... **-28.8 m/sec (going down at 28.8 m/sec)**

5. What is the acceleration of the ball at 3 seconds?

Second derivative ... **-32 m/sec^2**

6. What is the acceleration of the ball at 6 seconds?

Second derivative ... **-32 m/sec^2**

7. When will the ball reach its highest point?

Derivative = 0 ... **$30 - 9.8t = 0$**

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30/9.8
3.06122449
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... about 3.06 seconds

8. How high is the highest point the ball will reach?

Find $f(3.06)$

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30/9.8
3.06122449
10+30Ans-4.9Ans^2
55.91836735
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... about 55.92 meters (just slightly higher than in Part a)

9. When will the ball hit the ground?

Original = 0

$10 + 30t - 4.9t^2 = 0$... Use Quadratic Formula

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(-30+J(30^2-4*-4.
9*10))/(2*-4.9)
-.3169276239
(-30-J(30^2-4*-4.
9*10))/(2*-4.9)
6.439376604
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... about 6.4 seconds (only positive answer matters)

How fast will the ball be moving when it hits the ground?

Find $s'(6.4)$

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9*10))/(2*-4.9)
-.3169276239
(-30-J(30^2-4*-4.
9*10))/(2*-4.9)
6.439376604
30-9.8Ans
-33.10589071
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... -33.1 ft/sec or 33.1 feet per second downward

The height above ground of an object moving vertically is given by $s(t) = 112 + 96t - 16t^2$, with s in feet and t in seconds.

10. When does the maximum height occur?

Derivative = 0 ... $96 - 32t = 0$

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96/32
3
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... 3 seconds

11. What is the maximum height?

Find $s(3)$

$$112 + 96 \cdot 3 - 16 \cdot 3^2 = 256$$

... 256 feet

12. When is the position $s = 0.38$?

Set $s(t) = 0.38$... $112 + 96t - 16t^2 = .38$... $0 = 16t^2 - 96t - 111.62$

Use Quadratic Formula

$$\frac{(96 + \sqrt{(-96)^2 - 4 \cdot 16 \cdot (-111.62)})}{2 \cdot 16} = 6.997030147$$

... about 7 seconds

13. What is the velocity when $s = 0.38$?

Find $s'(7)$

$$\frac{(96 + \sqrt{(-96)^2 - 4 \cdot 16 \cdot (-111.62)})}{2 \cdot 16} = 6.997030147$$

96 - 32Ans = -127.9049647

... -127.9 (or -128) ft/sec

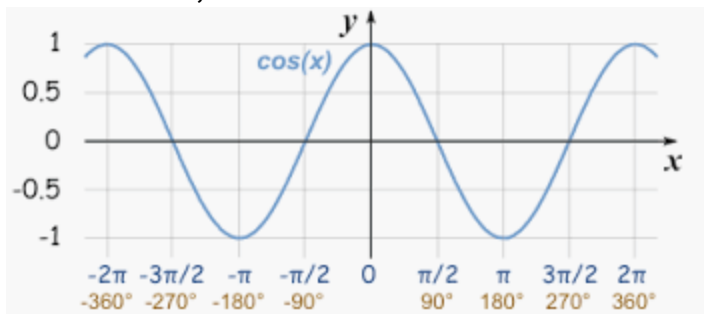
14. What is the constant acceleration?

Second derivative ... $-32 \text{ ft}/\text{sec}^2$

The motion of an oscillating object is given by the formula $s(t) = 40 - \sin t$.

15. The object will reach its maximum height at many different times. Find one of these times.

Derivative = 0, so $-\cos t = 0$



$\pi/2$ (or any odd multiple of $\pi/2$) ... 90° would also be correct.

16. Find a general expression for all the times the object is at its maximum height.

$\frac{\pi}{2} + k\pi$ (This is NOT something you'll be asked to find later.)

17. What is the maximum height the object reaches?

Plug $\pi/2$ into the original function

$$40 - \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 40 - 1 = 39$$

18. What expression gives the acceleration of the object?

Second derivative

$$s''(t) = \sin t$$

19. What is the height of the object at time $t = \pi/4$?

$$40 - \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$40 - \sqrt{2}/2$$

39.29289322

20. What is the velocity of the object at time $t = \pi/4$?

$$-\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = -\sqrt{2}/2$$

21. What is the height of the object at time $t = 2\pi/3$?

$$22. 40 - \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right)$$

$$40 - \sin(2\pi/3)$$

39.1339746

This is the same as $40 - \sqrt{3}/2$. (The decimal answer is fine.)

23. What is the velocity of the object at time $t = 2\pi/3$?

$$-\cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$-\cos(2\pi/3)$$

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