

given

launch angle  $49^\circ$

engine burn time 8.2 seconds

net acceleration of rocket while engine burns  $6.5 \text{ m/s}^2$

vertical distance rocket falls from max height before parachute opens 75 m

Rocket with parachute constant vertical speed  $9 \text{ m/s}$

Wind and rocket with parachute constant horizontal speed  $15 \text{ m/s}$

### Step 1

find rockets final velocity during engine burn cycle

$$v_f = v_i + a t$$

$v_i$  initial

 $v_f = 0 + 6.5(8.2)$ 

given

 $v_f = 53.3 \text{ m/s}$

### Step 2

find how far rocket travels in first stage

using:

$$\Delta x = \left( \frac{v_i + v_f}{2} \right) t$$

given:

$$\Delta x = \left( \frac{0+53}{2} \right) 8.2$$

$\Delta x = 218.53 \text{ m}$

### Step 3

Find x and y components from  $\Delta x$

$$y \text{ component} = \sin(49) = 0.718 \cdot 53$$

Step 2

$$x = 164.9267 \text{ m}$$

$$x \text{ component} = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} = c^2$$

$$164.9267^2 + b^2 = 218.53^2$$

$$b = 143.3283 \quad x = 143.3283 \text{ m}$$

## Step 4

Find max height reached when in projectile state

$$V_y^2 = V_{0y}^2 - 2gh$$

$$0 = 53.3(\sin 45^\circ)^2 + 2(-9.8) V_{0y}$$

$$0 = 82.557 + 164.9267$$

$$V_{0y} = 82.557$$

max height

$$\Delta y_{\text{projectile}} + \Delta y_{\text{rocket}} = \text{max height}$$

$$\text{max height} = 82.557 + 164.9267$$

$$\text{max height} = 247.4837 \text{ m}$$

## Step 6

Find projectile x value.

|   |   |
|---|---|
| H | V |
|---|---|

$$\Delta x = V_{0x} t$$

$$172.4837 = V_{0x} t + \frac{1}{2} g t^2$$

$$172.4837 = 164.9267 t + 53(\sin 45^\circ) t - 4.9 t^2$$

$$0 = -4.9t^2 + 53(\sin 45^\circ) t - 7.557$$

$$t = 8.017$$

## Step 5

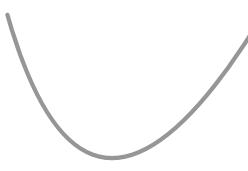
Find height parachute opens

$$\text{max height} = 75$$

$$247.4837 - 75 \quad \text{given}$$

$$172.4837 \text{ m}$$

Step 4



## Step 7

Find x component of parachute

|       |   |   |
|-------|---|---|
| given | H | V |
|-------|---|---|

$$\Delta x = V_{0x} t$$

$$\Delta x = 16(19.1649)$$

$$\Delta x = 287.4737 \text{ m}$$

*Note will be - because it's going west*

$$y = y_0 + V_{0y} t + \frac{1}{2} g t^2$$

$$y = y_0 + V_{0y} t$$

$$y = y_0 + g t$$

$$0 = 172.4837 - 9t$$

$$t = 19.1649$$

## Final Step

add the x components

$$143.3283 + 280.3320 - 287.4735$$

Step 3

Step 6

Step 7

$$\Delta x = 136.228 \text{ m}$$