

Story Problem PACKET

Ex1: (A) $t \approx 1.4$ sec (B) $h(t) = 36$ ft

(C) $t = 5$ sec (D) $t \approx 1.08$ sec

(E) $h_0 = 449.44$ ft (F) $t \approx 1.07$ sec

Ex2: (A) $w = 4$
 $l = 10$ (B) sides: 11 & 19

(C) consecutive evens (D) Max Area = 2450 ft^2
 are either -26 & -24
 or 24 & 26

Ex3: (A) (1) $x = -3.9$ & 3.72 (2) $x = -7.03$ & 2.15 (3) -3.01 & -0.17

(B) 30ft

(C) max height = 14.89 ft, width = 18.95 ft

(D) max height = 127.37 ft, ball strikes 77.73 ft from child

- Ex4: (A) 1. $b^2 - 4ac = -55$. Since discriminant is negative there are no real solutions. Thus, the stick will NOT reach the branch
2. $b^2 - 4ac = 128$. Since the discriminant is positive there are 2 real solutions. The stick will be at the height of the branch on the way up & again on the way down as it goes over the branch

Ex4
(cont)

- Ⓐ 3. If the discriminant equals zero then the stick w/ the rope attached would reach the branch height but would not be able to get over the branch for you to hang your food pack.

Ⓑ 1. $h(t) = -16t^2 + 40t + 0$

2. reach a height of 16 ft?

$\rightarrow b^2 - 4ac = 576$, since discriminant is positive the ball will reach 16 ft 2 different times: once on the way up & once on the way down

reach a height of 25 ft?

$\rightarrow b^2 - 4ac = 0$, since discriminant is zero there is one real solution so there is one time the ball is @ a height of 25 ft \rightarrow at its maximum.

3. over 25 ft? No, since we saw above that 25 ft is the maximum height then the ball cannot reach above 25 ft.

Additional Practice

1. $t \approx 1.41$ sec
2. $t = 1.25$ sec
3. $t = 3.75$ sec
4. $t \approx 2.72$ sec
5. $t \approx 1.08$ sec
6. $t \approx 1.07$ sec
7. $t = 3.75$ sec
8. A Yes, after 3.77 sec
 B No, imaginary solutions
9. $t = .75$ sec
10. A max height = 4 ft high
horiz. distance = 1 ft from original position
 B zeros @ -1 ± 3 : from exit from water to
point of reentry into water the
dolphin has traveled 4 ft. The
zeros represent the dolphin @ water
level. There are 2 places that this
occurs.
11. 74.23 ft
12. .343 inches