

Due: 21 October (note date!)

Read Marion & Thornton Chapter 10.

1. A parachutist falls from rest in gravity and experience (hopefully) aerodynamic drag $\vec{F}_{Aero} = -c\vec{v}$. Find:

- (a) $v_{terminal}$
- (b) $v(t)$
- (c) $x(t)$

2. Solve the previous problem, part (c), by numerical methods. Use:

$$\begin{aligned} m &= 70 \text{ kg} & t_0 &= 0 \\ c &= 0.3 \text{ N}\cdot\text{s}^2/\text{m}^2 & x_0 &= 0 \\ & & v_0 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

(a) Generate a table

t (sec)	$x(t)$			Theory
	$\Delta t = 1 \text{ sec}$	$\Delta t = 0.1 \text{ sec}$	$\Delta t = 0.01 \text{ sec}$	
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
6				
7				
8				
9				
10				

(b) Plot the four curves.

- 3. Marion & Thornton 2-12.
- 4. Marion & Thornton 2-27.
- 5. Marion & Thornton 10-2.
- 6. Find a typo in Marion & Thornton.