

20-P-MOM-PT-009

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If momentum "p" varies with time such that $p = 5.67t^{8.91}$ and is measured in kg m/s, what is net force as a function of time? Assume the answer is measured in Newtons.

$$p = 5.67 t^{8.91} \text{ kg m/s}$$
$$F = \frac{dp}{dt}$$
$$F = 50.52 t^{7.91} \text{ N}$$

What is the net force at $t = 2.31$ seconds?

$$F = 50.52 (2.31)^{7.91} \text{ N}$$
$$F = 3.8 \times 10^4 \text{ N}$$