

① We know that

$$\Delta v = I_{sp} \cdot g_0 \cdot \ln \left( \frac{M_0}{M_f} \right)$$

Here,  $\Delta v = 7.6 \text{ km/s} = 7600 \text{ m/s}$

$$I_{sp} = 400 \text{ s}$$

$$g_0 = 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$M_0 = M_{\text{propellant}} + M_{\text{else}}$$

$$M_f = M_{\text{else}}$$

Putting the values,

$$7600 = 400 \times 9.8 \ln \left( \frac{M_0}{M_f} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1.938 = \ln \left( \frac{M_0}{M_f} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 6.944 = M_0 / M_f = \frac{M_{\text{prop}} + M_{\text{else}}}{M_{\text{else}}}$$

$$\therefore 6.944 M_{\text{prop}} = 5.944 M_{\text{else}}$$

$$\Rightarrow 6.944 M_{\text{prop}} = 5.944 [M_0 - M_{\text{prop}}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{M_{\text{prop}}}{M_0} = \frac{5.944}{12.888} = \underline{\underline{0.46}} = \frac{23}{50}$$

∴ The propellant fraction should be  $\frac{23}{50}$  of the initial wet mass.

②

$$\frac{F_{\text{thrust}}}{m_0 g} = +C \dot{m}$$

$$\text{d}t \frac{dm}{dt} = -\dot{m}$$

$$m = m(t) = \frac{m_0 - \dot{m}t}{m_0}$$

$$F_{\text{net}} = F_{\text{thrust}} + F_{\text{gravitational}} = \frac{C \dot{m}}{m_0 g} - mg$$

$$\therefore m \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{C \dot{m}}{m_0 g} - mg = n m_0 g - mg$$

$$m \frac{dv}{dm} \cdot \frac{dm}{dt} = nm_0 g - mg$$

$$\Rightarrow -m \frac{dv}{dm} \dot{m} = nm_0 g - mg$$

$$m \frac{dv}{dt} = C \dot{m} - mg \Rightarrow \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{C \dot{m} - mg}{m}$$

$$\text{where } m = m_0 - \dot{m}t$$

$$\therefore \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{C \dot{m} - m_0 g + \dot{m} t g}{m_0 - \dot{m}t} = C$$

$$-m \frac{dv}{dm} \dot{m} = nm_0 g - mg$$

$$\Rightarrow -dv = dm \cdot \left( \frac{nm_0 g}{m} - \frac{g}{\dot{m}} \right)$$

Integrating:

$$-\int_0^v dv = \int_0^m dm \left( \frac{nm_0 g}{m} - \frac{g}{\dot{m}} \right)$$

$$v = \frac{nm_0g}{m} \ln\left(\frac{m_0}{m}\right) - gt$$

$$\boxed{v = -gt - \frac{nm_0g}{m} \ln\left(\frac{m}{m_0}\right)}$$

$$(b) \frac{dz}{dt} = -gt - \frac{nm_0g}{m} \ln\left(\frac{m_0 - mt}{m_0}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow z = -\frac{gt^2}{2} + \frac{nm_0g}{m} t + \frac{nm_0g}{m^2} (m_0 - mt) \ln\left(\frac{m}{m_0}\right)$$

(c) Total time of flight:

First we take the burnout time  $t_b$ .

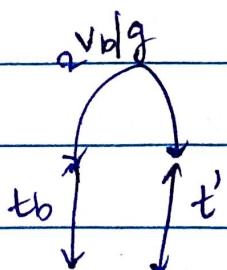
$$\text{Let } v(t_b) = v_b$$

After that rocket is in gravity free fall.

$$\text{further time taken} = \frac{v_b}{g}$$

$$\therefore \text{Total time taken} = t_b + \frac{2v_b}{g} + t'$$

$$\text{where } t' \text{ is given by: } h_b = v_b t' + \frac{1}{2} g t'^2$$



where  $h_b$  is altitude at burnout time.

(d) physically,  $n$  signifies about the exhaust speed and the thrust, the ejection gases are able to provide to the rocket.

$$③ \Delta v = 8 \text{ km s}^{-1} = 8000 \text{ m s}^{-1}$$

$$\text{SSTO: } v_e = 4.5 \text{ km/s} = 4500 \text{ m/s.}$$

$$\Delta V = v_{ex} \cdot \ln \left( \frac{M_f}{M_0} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 8000 = +4500 \ln \left( \frac{M_0}{M_f} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1.78 = \ln \left( \frac{M_0}{M_f} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow M_0 = 5.93 M_f$$

$$\Rightarrow M_{\text{prop}} + M_{\text{pay}} + M_{\text{rocket}} = 5.93 [M_{\text{pay}} + M_{\text{rocket}}]$$

$$\Rightarrow 4.93 (M_{\text{pay}} + M_{\text{rocket}}) = M_{\text{prop}}$$

$$\text{Let } M_{\text{pay}} + M_{\text{rocket}} = m$$

$$\therefore 4.93 m = M_0 - m$$

$$m = \frac{M_0}{5.93}$$

$$④ \quad \lambda = \frac{M_{rocket}}{M_{rocket} + M_{pay}}$$

$$\Delta V = I_{sp} \cdot g_0 \cdot \ln \left[ \frac{M_{prop} + M_{pay} + M_{rocket}}{M_{pay} + M_{rocket}} \right]$$

$$\Delta V = I_{sp} \cdot g_0 \cdot \ln \left[ \frac{M_0}{M_{pay} + M_{rocket}} \right]$$

$$\text{Now, } (M_{pay} + M_{rocket}) \lambda = M_{rocket}$$

$$M_{rocket} = \frac{\lambda M_{pay}}{1-\lambda}$$

$$\therefore M_{pay} + M_{rocket} = \frac{\lambda M_{pay}}{1-\lambda} + M_{pay} = \frac{M_{pay}}{1-\lambda}$$

$$\Delta V = I_{sp} \cdot g_0 \cdot \ln \left[ \frac{M_0 (1-\lambda)}{M_{pay}} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{\frac{\Delta V}{I_{sp} g_0}} = \frac{M_0 (1-\lambda)}{M_{pay}}$$

$$\therefore M_0 = \frac{M_{pay} \cdot e^{\frac{\Delta V}{I_{sp} g_0}}}{(1-\lambda)}$$

(Definition of  $\lambda$  in slides is wrong. graphs are therefore in second and fourth quad. which is absurd)

## Untitled Graph

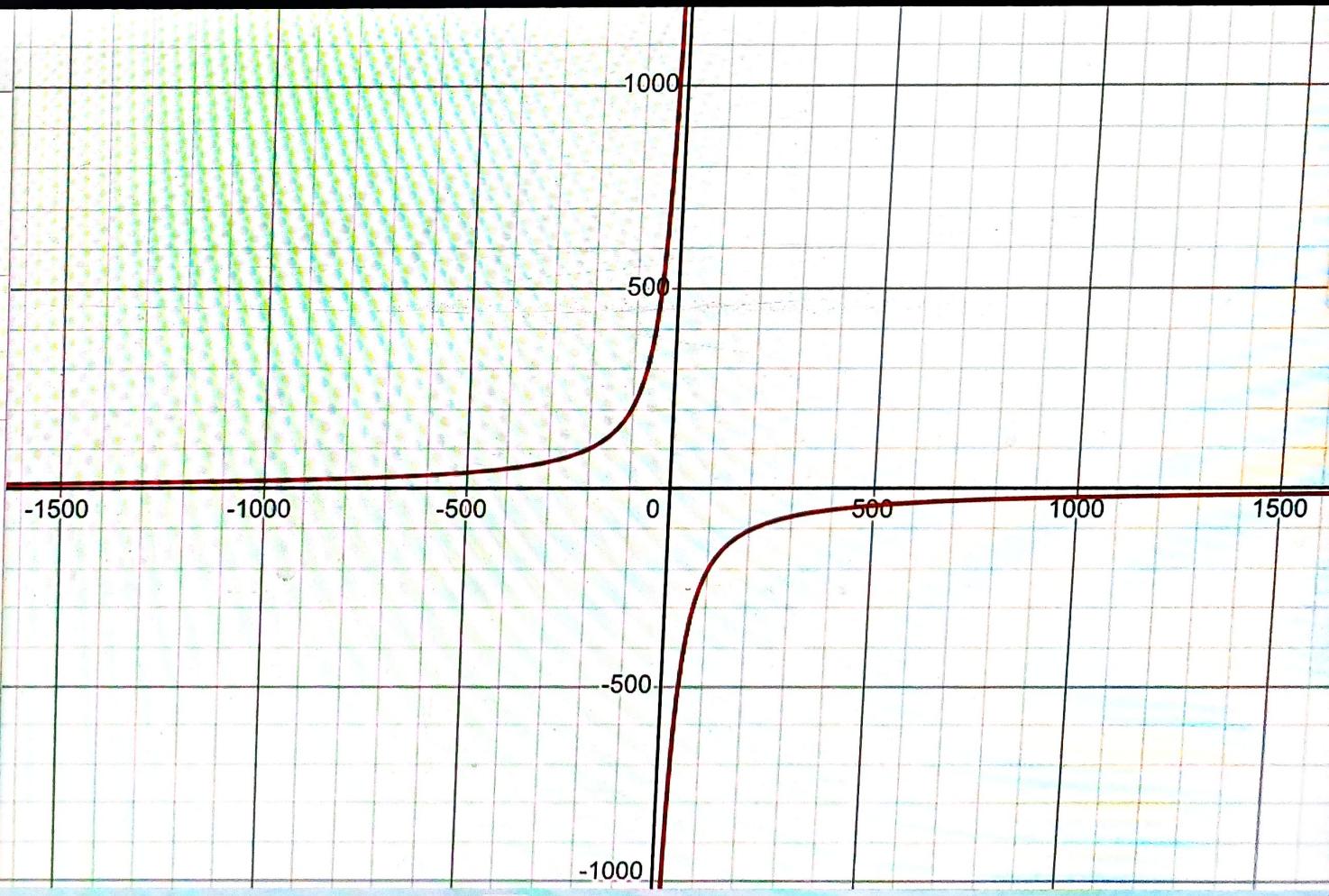
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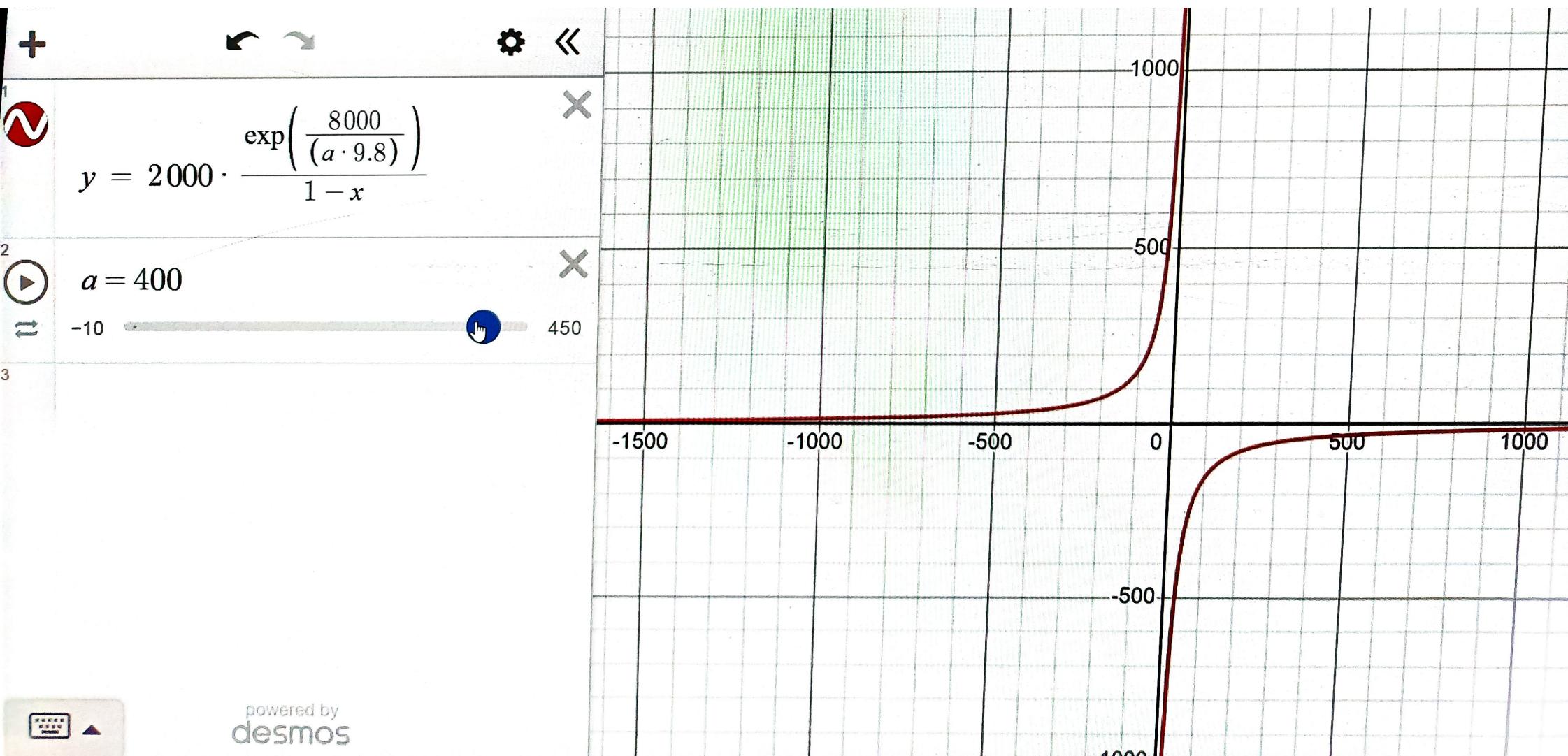
1  $y = 2000 \cdot \frac{\exp\left(\frac{8000}{(a \cdot 9.8)}\right)}{1 - x}$

2  $a = 350$

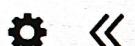
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$$y = 2000 \cdot \frac{\exp\left(\frac{8000}{(a \cdot 9.8)}\right)}{1 - x}$$

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$$a = 450$$

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