

Textbook Section 2.3:

13) Separate variables in Eq. (12) and substitute $u = v\sqrt{\frac{p}{g}}$ to obtain the upward-motion velocity function given in Eq. (13) with initial condition $v(0) = v_0$.

Equation 12:

$$\frac{dv}{dt} = -g - pv^2 = -g \left(1 + \frac{p}{g} v^2 \right).$$

Remember:

$$\int \frac{1}{1+u^2} du = \tan^{-1}(u) + C$$

Equation 13:

$$v(t) = \sqrt{\frac{g}{p}} \tan(C_1 - t\sqrt{pg})$$

with

$$C_1 = \tan^{-1} \left(v_0 \sqrt{\frac{p}{g}} \right).$$

Work:

$$-g \left(1 + \frac{p}{g} v^2 \right)$$

with

$$u = v\sqrt{\frac{p}{g}}$$

$$\implies du = \sqrt{\frac{p}{g}} dv$$

yields:

$$\frac{du}{dt} = -g(1 + u^2)$$

$$\implies \sqrt{\frac{p}{g}} \int \frac{dv}{1+u^2} = \int -g dt$$

$$\implies \sqrt{\frac{p}{g}} \tan^{-1}(u) = -gt + u_0$$

$$\implies \tan^{-1}(u) = \sqrt{\frac{p}{g}} \cdot (-gt + u_0)$$

$$\implies \tan^{-1}(u) = -\sqrt{pg}t + \sqrt{\frac{p}{g}}u_0$$

$$\begin{aligned}\implies u &= \tan\left(\sqrt{\frac{p}{g}}u_0 - \sqrt{pgt}\right) \\ v\sqrt{\frac{p}{g}} &= \tan\left(\sqrt{\frac{p}{g}}u_0 - \sqrt{pgt}\right) \\ v &= \sqrt{\frac{g}{p}}\tan\left(\tan^{-1}\left(\sqrt{\frac{p}{g}}v_0\right) - \sqrt{pgt}\right)\end{aligned}$$

14) Integrate the velocity function in Eq. (13) to obtain the upward-motion function in Eq. (14) with initial condition $y(0) = y_0$.

Recall:

$$\int \tan(u)du = -\ln|\cos(u)| + C$$

Equation 14:

$$y(t) = y_0 + \frac{1}{p}\ln\left|\frac{\cos(C_1 - t\sqrt{pg})}{\cos(C_1)}\right|$$

Work:

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \sqrt{\frac{g}{p}}\tan(C_1 - \sqrt{pgt})$$

Let $u = C_1 - \sqrt{pgt}$. $\implies du = -\sqrt{pg}dt$.

$$\implies \frac{dy}{du} = -\sqrt{\frac{g}{p}}\tan(u)$$

$$\implies dy = -\sqrt{\frac{g}{p}}\tan(u)du$$

$$-\sqrt{\frac{p}{g}}dy = \tan(u)du$$

$$-\sqrt{\frac{p}{g}}\int dy = \int \tan(u)du$$

$$-\sqrt{\frac{p}{g}}y = -\ln|\cos(u)| + u_0$$

$$y = \frac{g}{p}(-u_0 + \ln|\cos(u)|)$$

Since $y(0) = y_0$, then the inside of \ln must be 1. And since $\cos(C_1 - \sqrt{pgt})$ at $t = 0$ is C_1 , we have to divide it out.

$$y = y_0 + \frac{g}{p}\left(\ln\left|\frac{\cos(C_1 - \sqrt{pgt})}{\cos(C_1)}\right|\right)$$

Not sure how $\frac{g}{p}$ is supposed to become $\frac{1}{p}$.

Textbook Section 2.4:

4) $y' = x - y, y(0) = 1; y(x) = 2e^{-x} + x - 1$

For euler's method with step size of 0.25: We get an approximation of y at 0.5 of 0.625.

For euler's method with step size of 0.1: We get an approximation of y at 0.5 of 0.681.

The actual value of y at 0.5 is 0.713.

Textbook Section 2.5:

4) $y' = x - y, y(0) = 1; y(x) = 2e^{-x} + x - 1$

| x | approximation | actual |
|-----|---------------|--------|
| 0.1 | 0.9100 | 0.9097 |
| 0.2 | 0.8381 | 0.8375 |
| 0.3 | 0.7824 | 0.7816 |
| 0.4 | 0.7416 | 0.7406 |
| 0.5 | 0.7142 | 0.7131 |

Textbook Section 2.6:

4) $y' = x - y, y(0) = 1; y(x) = 2e^{-x} + x - 1$

| x | approximation | actual |
|------|---------------|---------|
| 0.25 | 0.80762 | 0.80762 |
| 0.5 | 0.71309 | 0.71306 |