

between adjacent floors is shown as a function of time t in the graph above. At which of the following times is the force exerted by the elevator floor on a passenger the <u>least</u>?

- (A) 1 s
- (B) 3 s
- (C) 4 s
- (D) 5 s
- (E) 6 s

A 5 kg object is propelled from rest at time t = 0 by a net force **F** that always acts in the same direction. The magnitude of **F** in newtons is given as a function of t in seconds by F = 0.5t. What is the speed of the object at t = 4 s?

- (A) 0.5 m/s
- (B) 0.8 m/s
- (C) 2.0 m/s
- (D) 4.0 m/s
- (E) 8.0 m/s

The object of mass m shown above is dropped from rest near Earth's surface and experiences a resistive force of magnitude kv, where v is the speed of the object and k is a constant. Which of the following expressions can be used to find v as a function of time t? (Assume that the direction of the gravitational force is positive.)

(A)
$$\int_{0}^{v} \frac{dv}{mg - kv} = \int_{0}^{t} \frac{dt}{m}$$

(B)
$$\int_{0}^{t} \frac{dv}{mg - kv} = \int_{0}^{v} \frac{dt}{m}$$

(C)
$$\int_{0}^{v} \frac{dv}{kv} = \int_{0}^{t} \frac{dt}{m}$$

(D)
$$\int_{0}^{v} (mg - kv) \ dv = \int_{0}^{t} m \ dt$$

(E)
$$\int_{0}^{v} (mg - kv) dt = \int_{0}^{t} m dv$$

A person holds a portable fire extinguisher that ejects 1.0 kg of water per second horizontally at a speed of 6.0 m/s. What horizontal force in newtons must the person exert on the extinguisher in order to prevent it from accelerating?

- (A) 0 N
- (B) 6 N
- (C) 10 N
- (D) 18 N
- (E) 36 N

A particle of mass m starts from rest at position x = 0 and time t = 0. It moves along the positive x-axis under the influence of a single force $F_x = bt$, where b is a constant. The velocity v of the particle is given by

(A)
$$\frac{bt}{m}$$

(B)
$$\frac{bt^2}{2m}$$

(C)
$$\frac{bt^2}{m}$$

(D)
$$\frac{b\sqrt{t}}{m}$$

(E)
$$\frac{b}{mt}$$

A certain one-dimensional conservative force is given as a function of x by the expression $F = -kx^3$, where F is in newtons and x is in meters. A possible potential energy function U for this force is

$$(A) U = -\frac{1}{2}kx^2$$

(B)
$$U = \frac{1}{2}kx^2$$

$$(C) U = -\frac{1}{4}kx^4$$

(D)
$$U = \frac{1}{4}kx^4$$

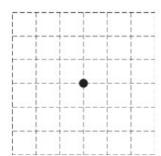
(E)
$$U = -3kx^2$$

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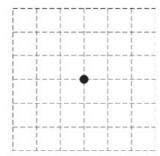
A ball of mass m and cross-sectional area A is released from rest near the surface of Earth. The ball experiences a resistive force due to the air that is proportional to the ball's velocity, $\mathbf{F}_r = -bA\mathbf{v}$, where b is a positive constant. Determine all algebraic answers in terms of m, b, A, and fundamental constants.

(a) Draw free-body diagrams for the ball for the following situations. Give each vector a descriptive label and draw them approximately to scale.

A Short Time After the Ball is Released



Once the Ball Has Reached Terminal Velocity



(b) Calculate the terminal velocity v_T of the ball.