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**MATH 1560 - Tutorial #7**  
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Some additional practice (discuss the answers but don't write anything down):

1. A person standing on a ledge 75 m above the ground throws a ball upward at 20 m/s. Assume that acceleration due to gravity is  $-10 \text{ m/s}^2$ .
  - (a) How high (from the ground) does the ball get?
  - (b) How many seconds does it take before the ball hits the ground?
2. A baseball diamond is a square with sides of length 90 feet. A baseball player hits the ball, and runs toward first base at a speed of 24 ft/s.
  - (a) At what rate is his distance from second base decreasing when he is halfway to first base?
  - (b) At what rate is his distance from third base increasing at the same moment?

1. An aircraft is flying away from a viewer on the ground at a speed of 210 m/s at an elevation of 130 m. The person on the ground is watching the plane through a set of binoculars. Let  $\theta$  denote the viewing angle, measured from the ground, in radians. At what rate is  $\theta$  changing when the plane is 500 m away (as measured along the ground)?

2. Suppose a police officer is 300 metres south of an intersection, and travelling north at 80 km/h. At the same time, a vehicle is 400 metres east of the same intersection, travelling east (away from the intersection).

If the officer's radar gun registers a speed of 32 km/h, how fast is the car travelling?