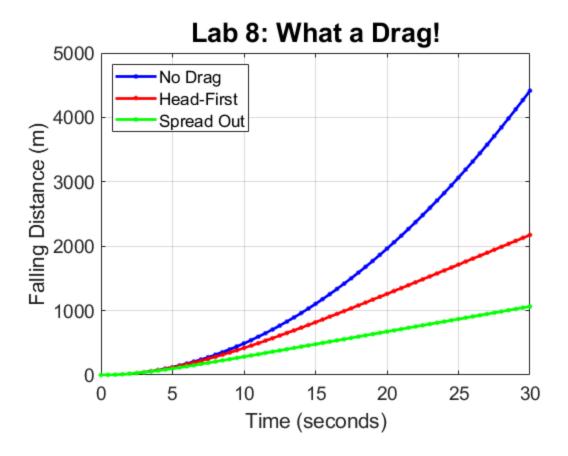
Task 1: What a Drag!

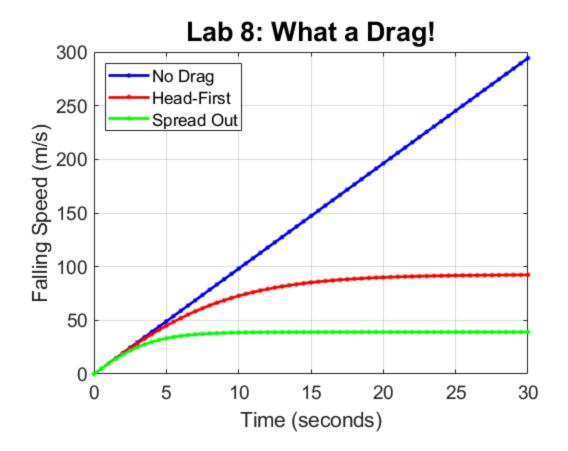
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% Defining Constants
g = 9.81; % gravity, m/s^2
m = 70;
              % mass, kq
dt = 0.5;
              % time step, s
t = 0:dt:30; % time vector
% a) Modling a skydiver falling with no drag
Н
     = zeros(size(t));
Hprime = 0; v = H;
% Solving second-order ODE with constant acceleration using Runge-Kutta 4
for iTime = 2:length(t)
   haccel = m*q/m;
                 % Acceleration is constant, so it is simple
   k1 = haccel;
   11 = Hprime;
   k2 = haccel;
   12 = Hprime + (dt/2)*k1;
   k3 = haccel;
   13 = Hprime + (dt/2)*k2;
   k4 = haccel;
   14 = Hprime + dt*k3;
   Hprime = Hprime + (dt/6)*(k1 + 2*k2 + 2*k3 + k4);
   v(iTime) = Hprime; % Store time-series of velocity for plotting later
   H(iTime) = H(iTime-1) + (dt/6)*(11 + 2*12 + 2*13 + 14);
end
figure();
h_grav = plot(t,H,'b.-','linewidth',2,'markersize',10); hold on;
grid on; set(gca, 'fontsize',14);
title('Lab 8: What a Drag!', 'fontsize', 20, 'fontweight', 'b');
xlabel('Time (seconds)'); ylabel('Falling Distance (m)');
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% b) Adding drag to the equation (Skydiver falling head-first)
H_headfirst = zeros(size(t));
Hprime headfirst = 0; v headfirst = zeros(size(t));
headfirst_Cd = 0.08;
for iTime = 2:length(t)
   kd1 = (m*g - headfirst_Cd*Hprime_headfirst^2)/m;
    ld1 = Hprime headfirst;
    % Now that our acceleration is based on velocity we need to update our
    % calculations at each step!
   kd2 = (m*g - headfirst_Cd*(Hprime_headfirst + (dt/2)*kd1)^2)/m;
    1d2 = Hprime headfirst + (dt/2)*kd1;
   kd3 = (m*q - headfirst Cd*(Hprime headfirst + (dt/2)*kd2)^2)/m;
    ld3 = Hprime_headfirst + (dt/2)*kd2;
   kd4 = (m*g - headfirst_Cd*(Hprime_headfirst + (dt)*kd3)^2)/m;
    ld4 = Hprime headfirst + (dt)*kd3;
   Hprime_headfirst = Hprime_headfirst + (dt/6)*(kd1 + 2*kd2 + 2*kd3 + kd4);
    v_headfirst(iTime) = Hprime_headfirst;
    H_headfirst(iTime) = H_headfirst(iTime-1) + (dt/6)*(ld1 + 2*ld2 + 2*ld3 + 2*ld3)
 ld4);
end
h_hf = plot(t,H_headfirst,'r.-','linewidth',2,'markersize',10);
% c) Changing drag to spread out skydiver
H spread = zeros(size(t));
Hprime_spread = 0; v_hdrag = zeros(size(t));
spread_Cd = 0.45;
for iTime = 2:length(t)
    khd1 = (m*q - spread Cd*Hprime spread^2)/m;
    lhd1 = Hprime spread;
   khd2 = (m*g - spread_Cd*(Hprime_spread + (dt/2)*khd1)^2)/m;
    lhd2 = Hprime_spread + (dt/2)*khd1;
   khd3 = (m*g - spread_Cd*(Hprime_spread + (dt/2)*khd2)^2)/m;
    lhd3 = Hprime_spread + (dt/2)*khd2;
    khd4 = (m*g - spread_Cd*(Hprime_spread + (dt)*khd3)^2)/m;
    lhd4 = Hprime_spread + (dt)*khd3;
   Hprime\_spread = Hprime\_spread + (dt/6)*(khd1 + 2*khd2 + 2*khd3 + khd4);
    v hdrag(iTime) = Hprime spread;
    H_spread(iTime) = H_spread(iTime-1) + (dt/6)*(lhd1 + 2*lhd2 + 2*lhd3 +
 lhd4);
end
h_sp = plot(t,H_spread,'g.-','linewidth',2,'markersize',10);
legend([h_grav, h_hf, h_sp], {'No Drag', 'Head-First', 'Spread
Out' \ , 'location', 'NorthWest');
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% d) We see that by adding drag we basically cap out falling speed at some
% terminal velocity. This means the more drag we can create, the slower we
% can fall!

% Create a Plot of Speed vs Time (for fun)
figure()
plot(t,v,'b.-','linewidth',2,'markersize',10); hold on
plot(t,v_headfirst,'r.-','linewidth',2,'markersize',10);
plot(t,v_hdrag,'g.-','linewidth',2,'markersize',10);
grid on; set(gca,'fontsize',14);
title('Lab 8: What a Drag!','fontsize',20,'fontweight','b');
xlabel('Time (seconds)'); ylabel('Falling Speed (m/s)');
legend('No Drag','Head-First','Spread Out','location','NorthWest');
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