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main

```
function main

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% constants
T_PART1 = 60;
HEIGHT_1 = 38969.4;
V_INIT = 0;
FILE = 'data_clean_more_fixed.xlsx';
COLS = 3;
T_PART3 = 270; % 4.5 minutes * 60 seconds / 1 minute (conversion)
T_PART5 = 524.49; % change this to the time that Felix stayed in fall
T_PART6 = (9 * 60) + 2;

% variables
TimeData = [];
HeightData = [];
VelocityData = [];
AllData = [];

% prepare the data
AllData = xlsread(FILE);

il = 1;
j = 1;

% in the following loop we remove all the rows with missing or nan
% values
% thus cleaning the data

    for xx = 1: length(AllData)
        for yy = 1:COLS
            y = AllData(il,j);
            if (isnan(y))
                AllData(il,:) = [];
                il = il - 1;
            end
            j = j+1;
        end
        il = il + 1;
        j = 1;
    end
```

```
TimeData = AllData(:,1); %extracting the time elapsed column in
    seconds from the spreadsheet
HeightData = AllData(:,2); %extracting the height column in meter from
    the spreadsheet
Velocity = AllData(:,3)*1000/3600; %extracting the velocity/airspeed
    column in kph from the spreadsheet and at the same time converting it
    into mps
YData = [HeightData, Velocity];
v_t = max(Velocity); % constant terminal velocity taken from the table
    given

% We converted velocity from kph to mps when we took it out of the
    table I
% believe these values are consistent now
```

Part 1

How accurate is the model for the first portion of the minute? The model is very accurate to the first half of the minute as there almost no deflection from the measured data.

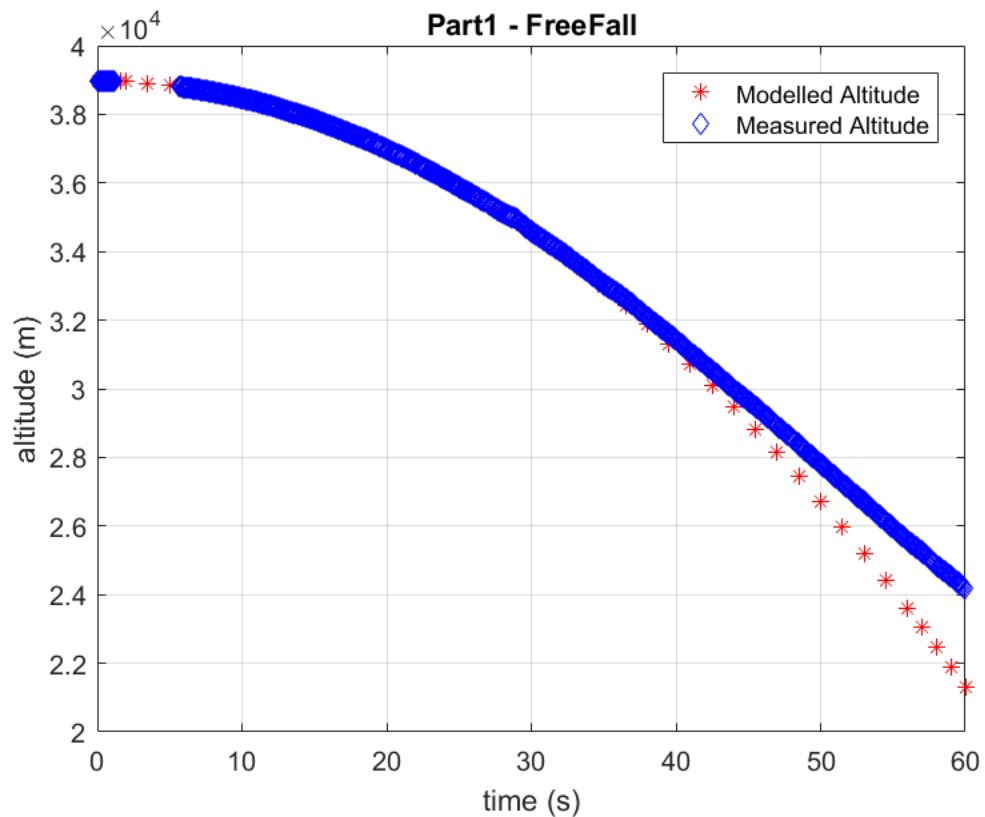
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% How accurate is the model for the last portion of that first minute?
% The model is not very accurate to the last half of the minute as
    there
% is significant deflection from the measured data
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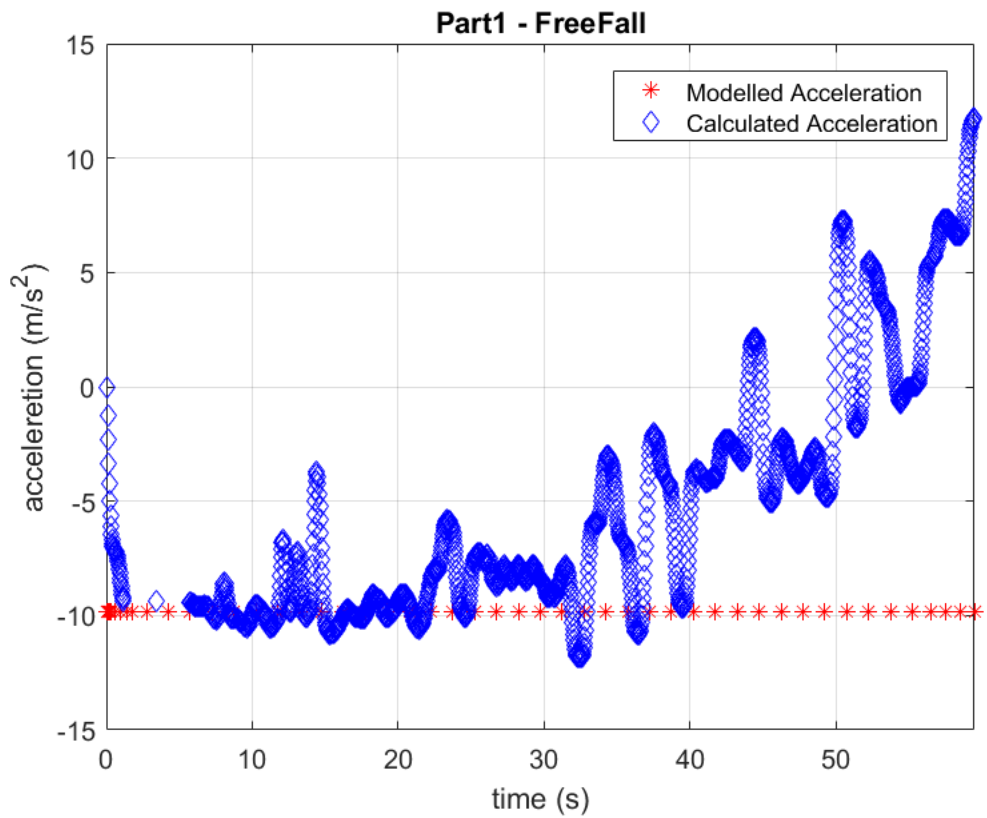
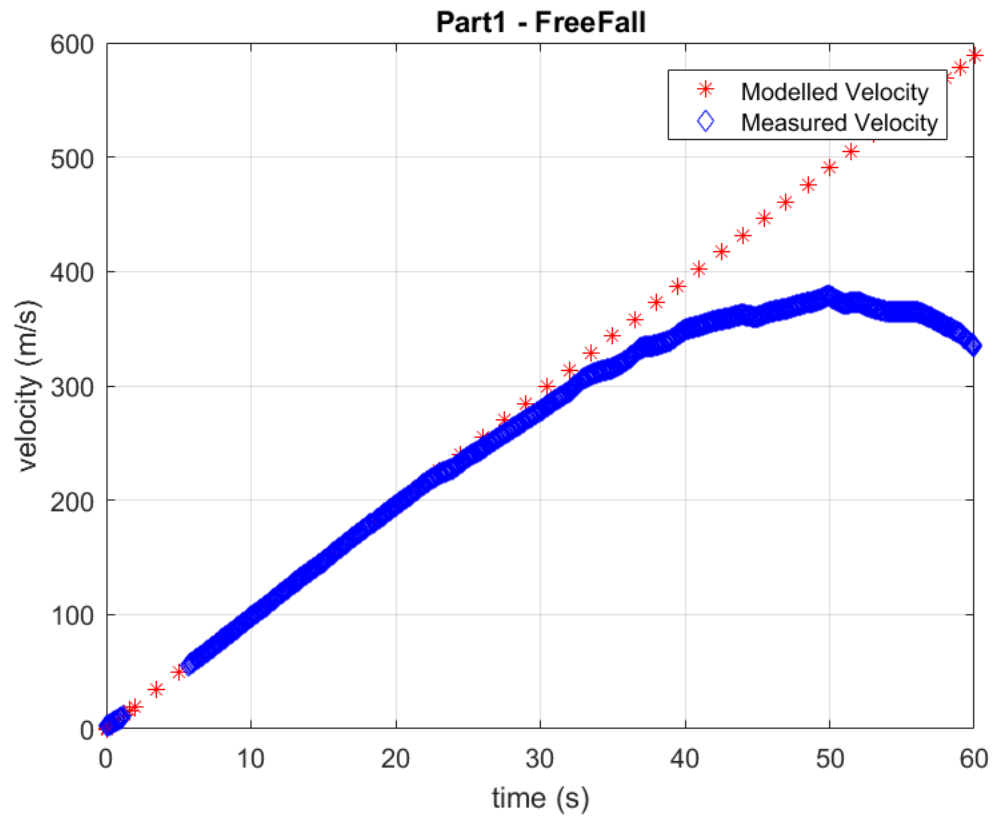
```

% Comment on the acceleration calculated from the measured data.
% We used the relation that change in velocity divided by the change
  in
% time to calculate acceleration. The plot for acceleration was had a
  lot
% peaks and valleys so we used the smooth function to smooth out the
  plot
% to some extent.

part = 1;
%setting up the data
[T_model,Y_model] = ode45(@fall, [0,T_PART1], [HEIGHT_1, V_INIT]); %
  here we call the ode45 to model Felix's fall
string1 = 'Part1 - FreeFall';
t_end = T_model(end);
% <call here your function to create your plots>
plotComparisons(t_end, string1 , T_model, TimeData, Y_model, YData)

```





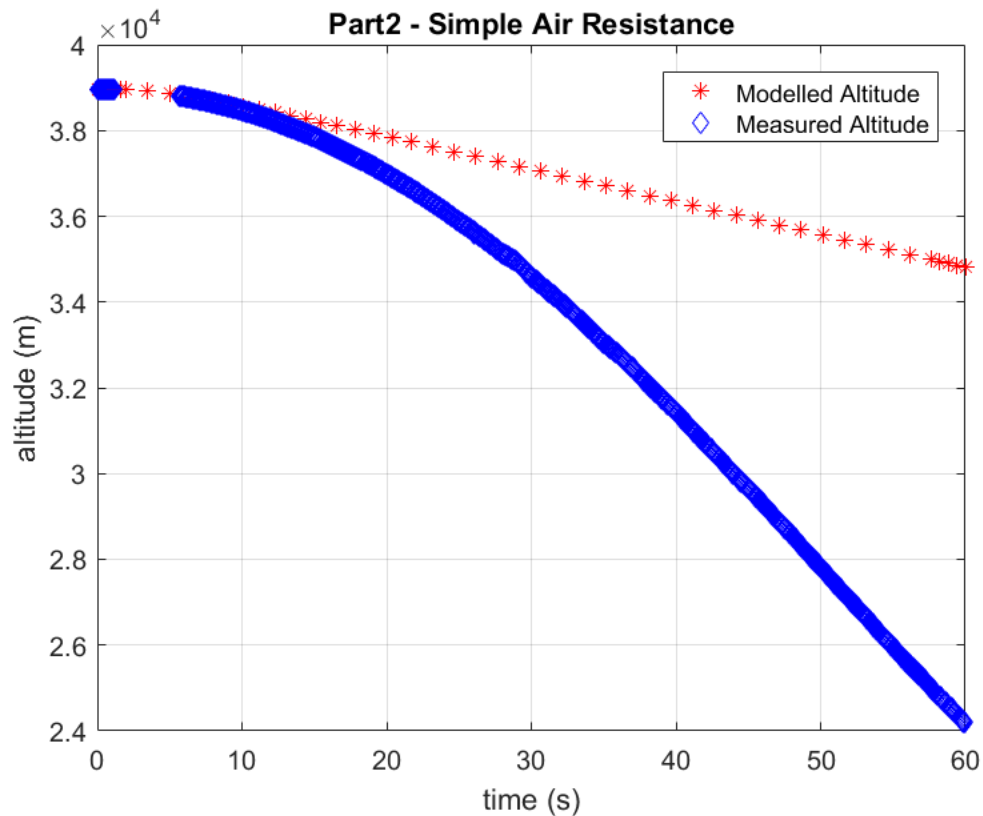
Part 2

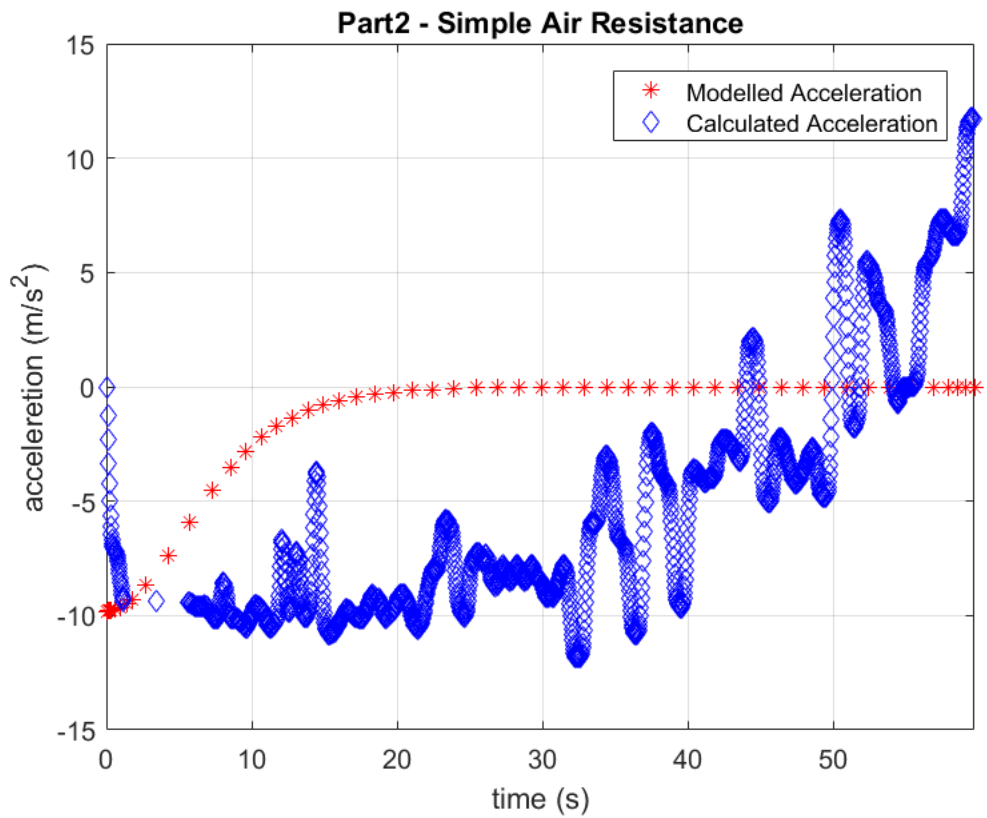
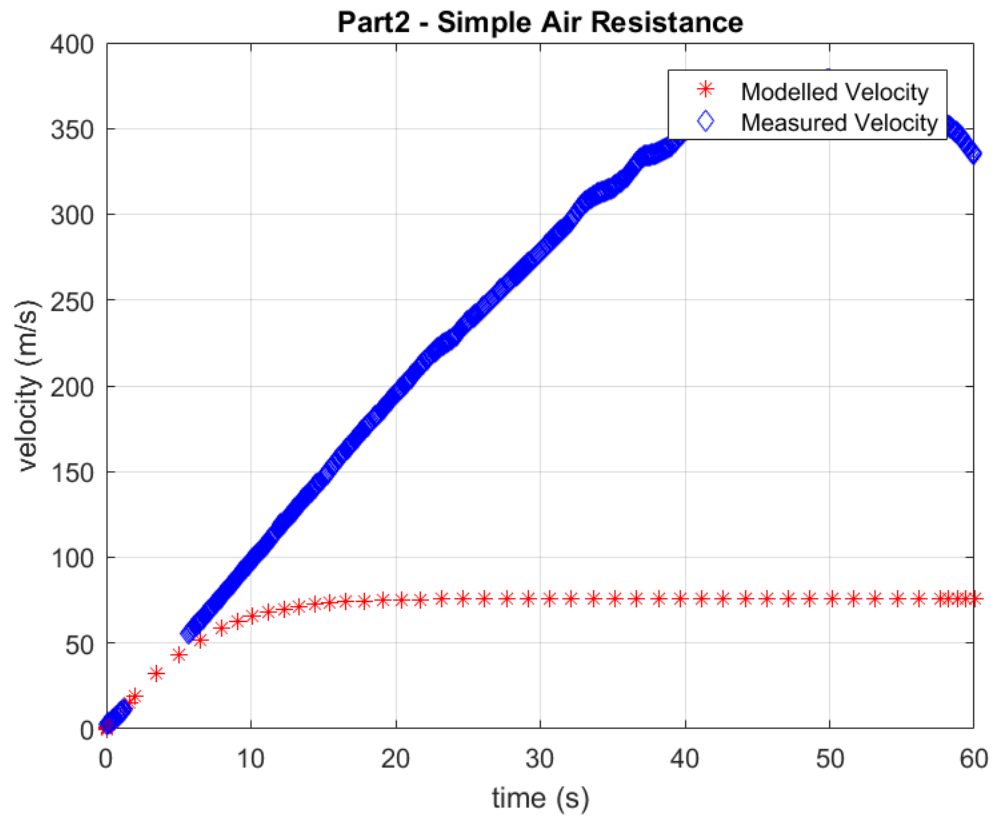
Estimated uncertainty in the mass that you have chosen (at the beginning of the jump): Found on the red bull stratos jump site and a scientific report by the University of Leicester that the mass of Felix along with the suit was 260 pounds or 117.93 kg. The uncertainty could be plus minus 1 pound.

```
% How sensitive is the velocity and altitude reached after 60 seconds
to
%   changes in the chosen mass?
% Altitude sensitivity at 60 seconds: 34815.386 - 21316.8 = 13498.586m
% Velocity sensitivity at 60 seconds: 588.42 - 76.044 = 512.376m/s

part = 2;

[T_model,Y_model] = ode45(@fall, [0,T_PART1], [HEIGHT_1, V_INIT]); %
    here we call the ode45 to model Felix's fall
string2 = 'Part2 - Simple Air Resistance';
t_end = T_model(end);
% <call here your function to create your plots>
plotComparisons(t_end, string2 , T_model, TimeData, Y_model, YData)
```





Part 3

Answer some questions here in these comments... Felix was wearing a pressure suit and carrying oxygen. Why? What can we say about the density of air in the stratosphere? How is the density of air different at around 39,000 meters than it is on the ground? Humans aren't conditioned for the density at the top of the stratosphere. Plus the oxygen levels at that height are really low so he would have died from the lack of oxygen. pressure inside his body would be greater than the atmospheric pressure and due to science, he would have exploded. density in the stratosphere is less than that 39,000 meters below on Earth. the suit for safety because he surpassed the speed of sound, protected from the heat

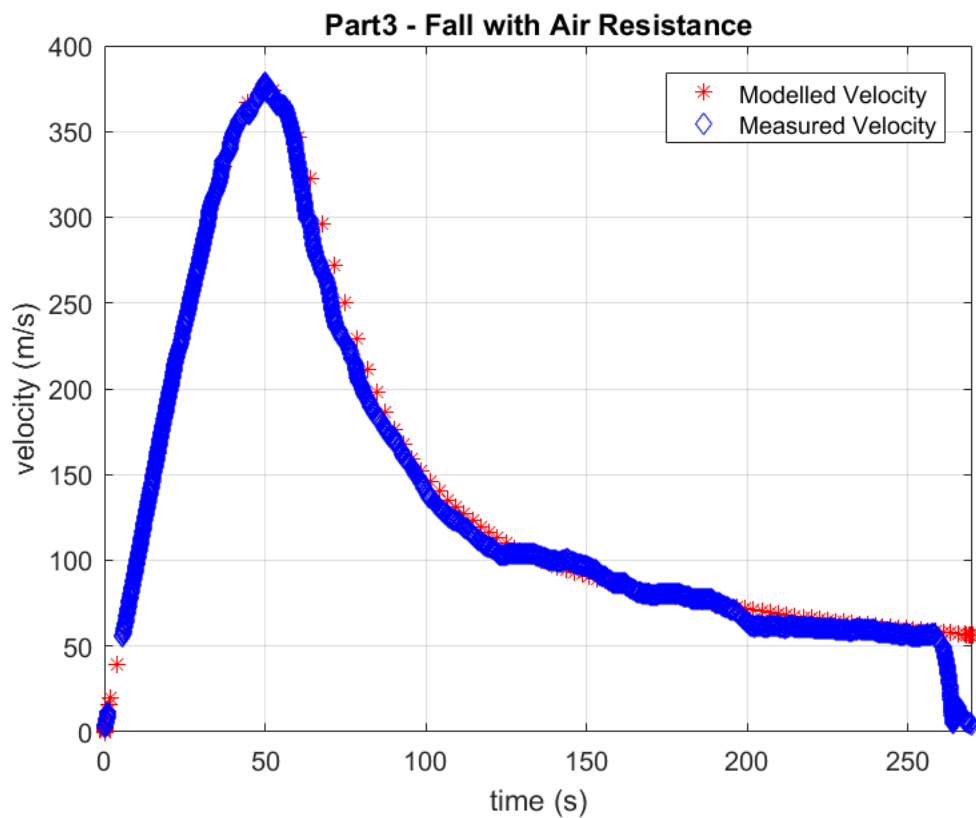
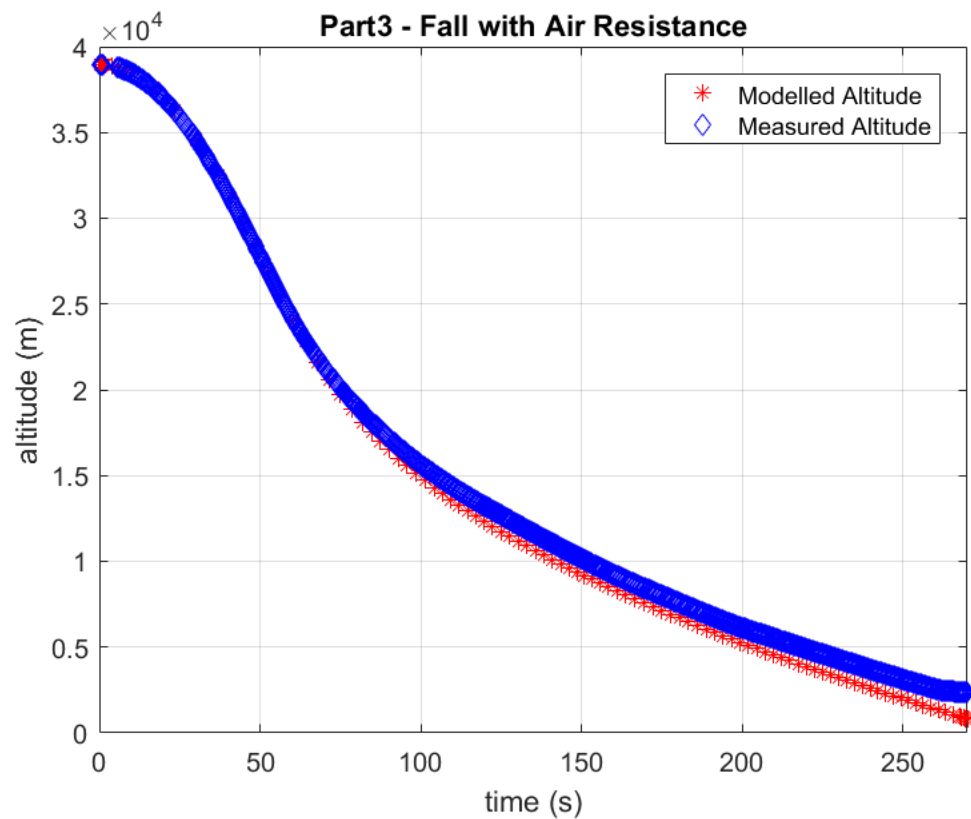
```
% What are the factors involved in calculating the density of air?
%   How do those factors change when we end up at the ground but
%   start
%   at the stratosphere? Please explain how calculating air density
%   up
%   to the stratosphere is more complicated than say just in the
%   troposphere.
% <The factors in calculating air density are the altitude and the
%   temperature offset which are used to calculate the pressure which
%   then gets the density.>
% <Altitude decreases from the stratosphere to the ground, temperature
%   increases as well. Pressure will increase due to this.>
% <the temperature formula:  $T = T_0 - L \cdot h$  (Stoke's law) is only valid
%   for the troposphere. And therefore to calculate density in the
%   stratosphere we used different equations which were more complicated>

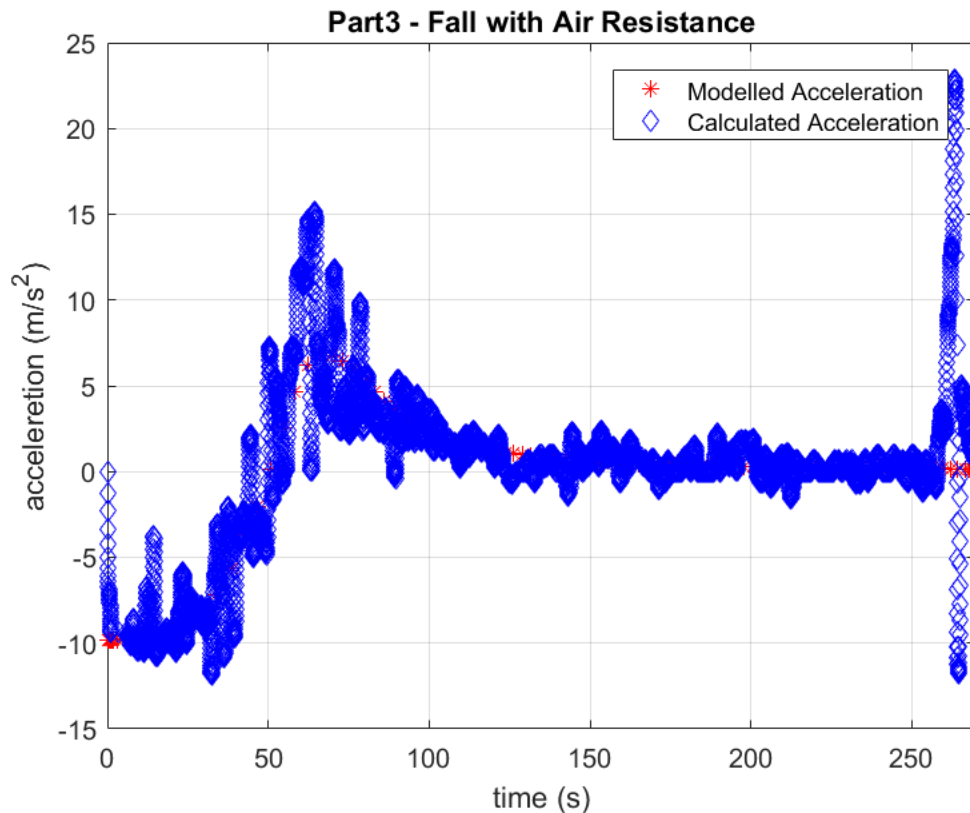
% What method(s) can we employ to estimate [the ACd] product?
% <When terminal velocity is reached, force due to drag is equal to
%   force due to gravity. This simplifies the equation  $F_{net}$  equals  $F_g - F_d = 0$ 
%   which in turn finds us the ACd product from  $F_d$ .>
% <We assumed it as constant up until parachute opening>

% What is your estimated [ACd] product?
% <0.65>
%
% [Given what we are told in the textbook about the simple drag
%   constant, b,]
%   does the estimate for ACd seem reasonable?
% <Yes it seems reasonable>

part = 3;

% <place your work here>
[T_model,Y_model] = ode45(@fall, [0,T_PART3], [HEIGHT_1, V_INIT]); %
%   here we call the ode45 to model Felix's fall
string3 = 'Part3 - Fall with Air Resistance';
t_end = T_model(end);
% % <function is called to create plots>
plotComparisons(t_end, string3 , T_model, TimeData, Y_model, YData)
```



Part 4

Answer some questions here in these comments... What is the actual gravitational field strength around 39,000 meters? (See Tipler Volume 1 6e page 369.) [9.74m/s²](#)

```
% How sensitive is the altitude reached after 4.5 minutes to simpler
and
% more complicated ways of modelling the gravitational field
strength?
% <857.9 m - 819 m = 38.9 m>
```

```
% What other changes could we make to our model? Refer to, or at least
% attempt to explain, the physics behind any changes that you
propose.
% <We changed the gravitational field strength. GM1M2/R^2. As R
decreases because Felix is falling, the gravitational field strength
increases>
```

```
% What is a change that we could make to our model that would result
in
% insignificant changes to the altitude reached after 4.5 minutes?
% <The change in gravitational field strength did not make much of a
difference>
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% How can we decide what change is significant and what change is
% insignificant?
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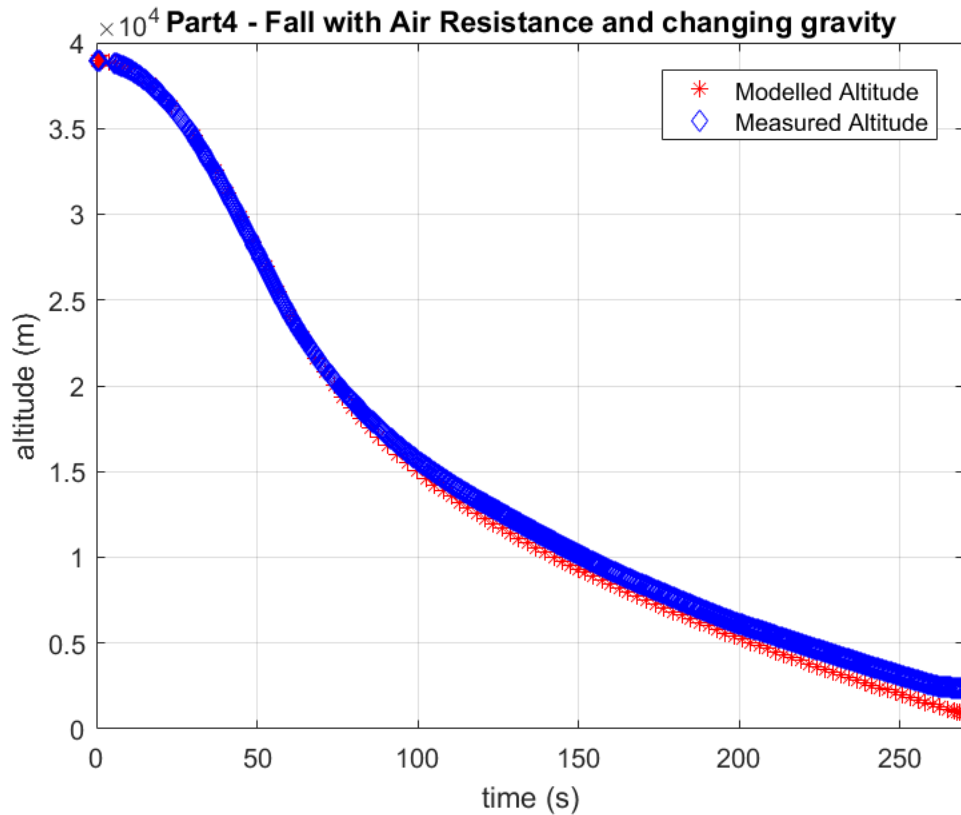
% <If safety is assured then the change is insignificant>

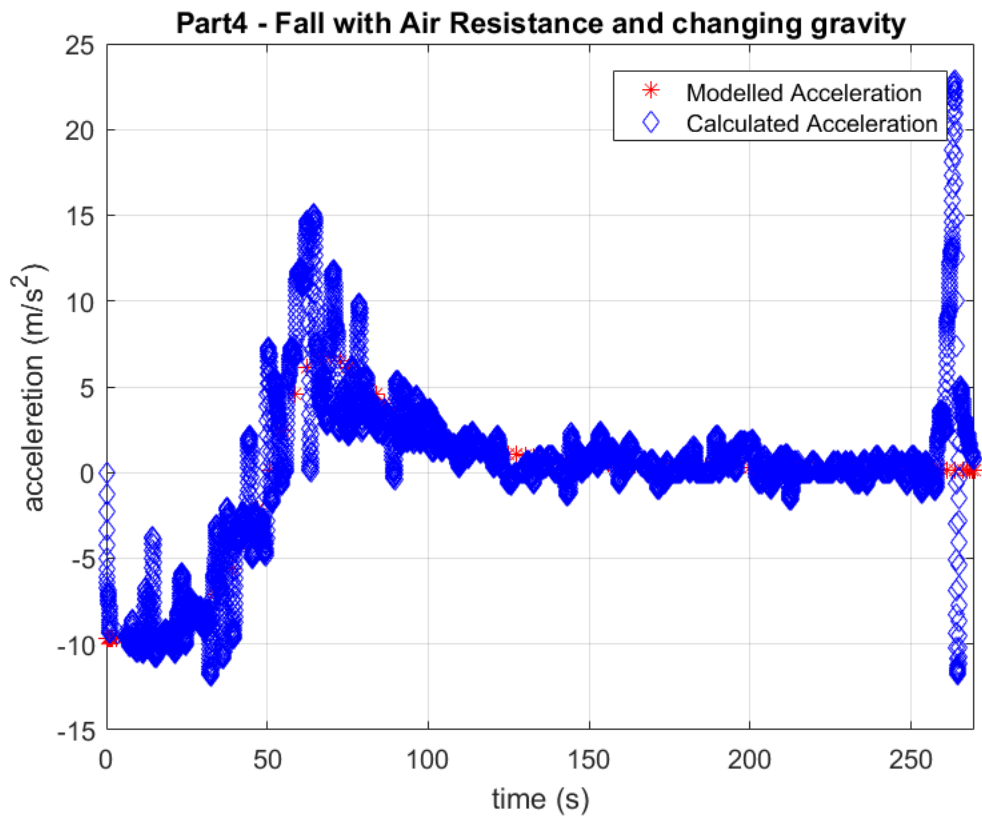
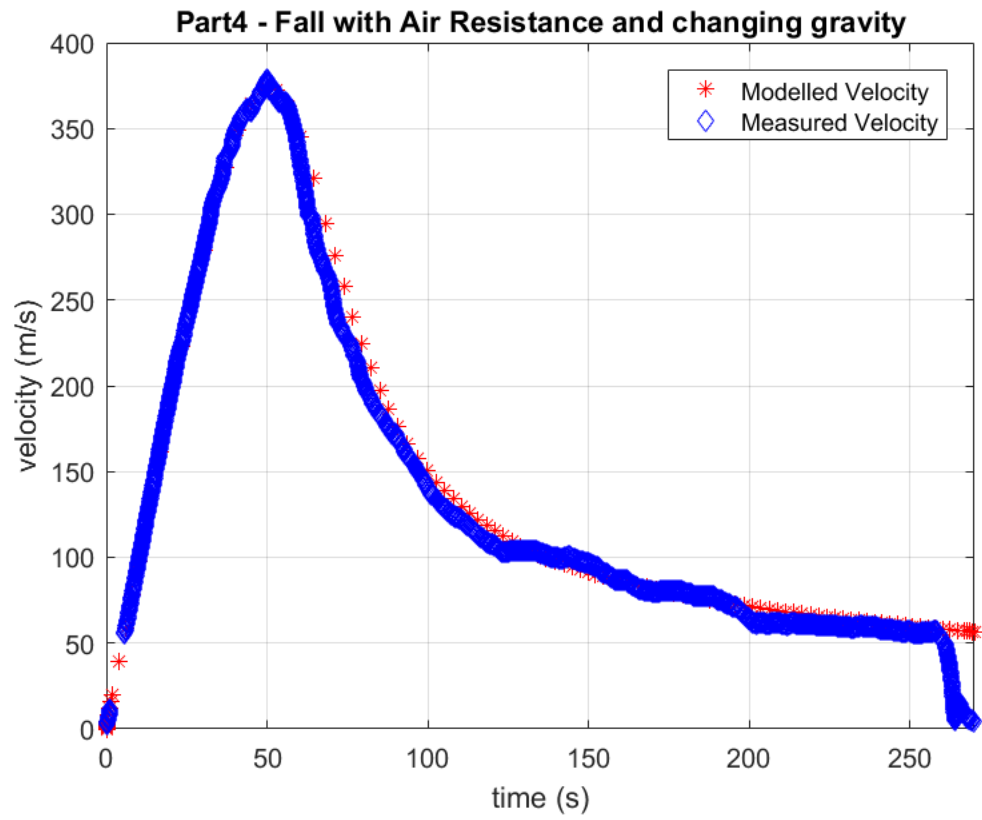
% [What changes did you try out to improve the model? (Show us your
  changes
% even if they didn't make the improvement you hoped for.)]
% <We attempted finding each variable to obtain more precise values.
  The attempt proved to be difficult.>

part = 4;

% <place your work here>
[T_model,Y_model] = ode45(@fall, [0,T_PART3], [HEIGHT_1, V_INIT]); %
  here we call the ode45 to model Felix's fall
string4 = 'Part4 - Fall with Air Resistance and changing gravity';
t_end = T_model(end);
% % <function is called to create plots>
plotComparisons(t_end, string4 , T_model, TimeData, Y_model, YData)

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Part 5

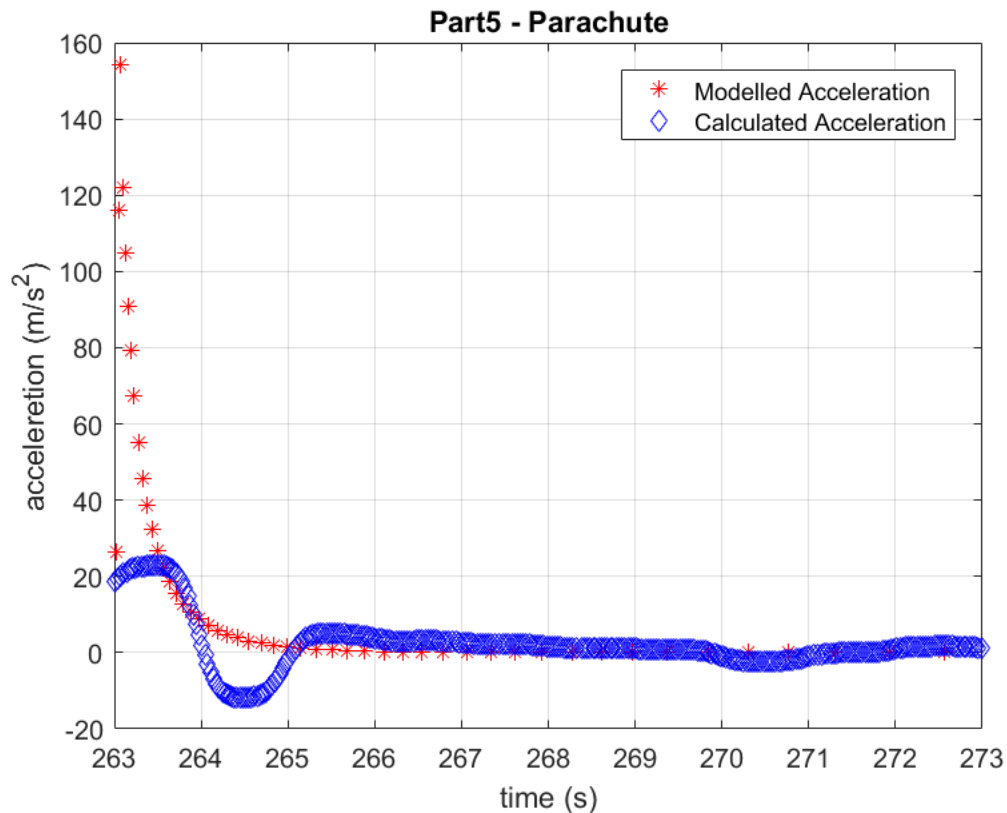
Answer some questions here in these comments... At what altitude does Felix pull the ripcord to deploy his parachute? 2750 meters

```
% Recalculate the ACd product with the parachute open, and modify your
% code so that you use one ACd product before and one after this
% altitude.
% According to this version of the model, what is the maximum
% magnitude
% of acceleration that Felix experiences?
% <154.35m/s^2>

% How safe or unsafe would such an acceleration be for Felix?
% <Very unsafe according to the number above>

part = 5;

%Make a single acceleration-plot figure that includes, for each of the
%model and the acceleration calculated from measurements, the moment
%when
%the parachute opens and the following 10 or so seconds. If you have
%trouble solving this version of the model, just plot the acceleration
%calculated from measurements.
%increment initial value of acd <siri>
% <place your work here>
[T_model,Y_model] = ode45(@fall, [0,T_PART5], [HEIGHT_1, V_INIT]); %
% here we call the ode45 to model Felix's fall
string5 = 'Part5 - Parachute';
t_end = T_model(end);
% % <function is called to create plots>
plotComparisons(t_end, string5 , T_model, TimeData, Y_model, YData)
```

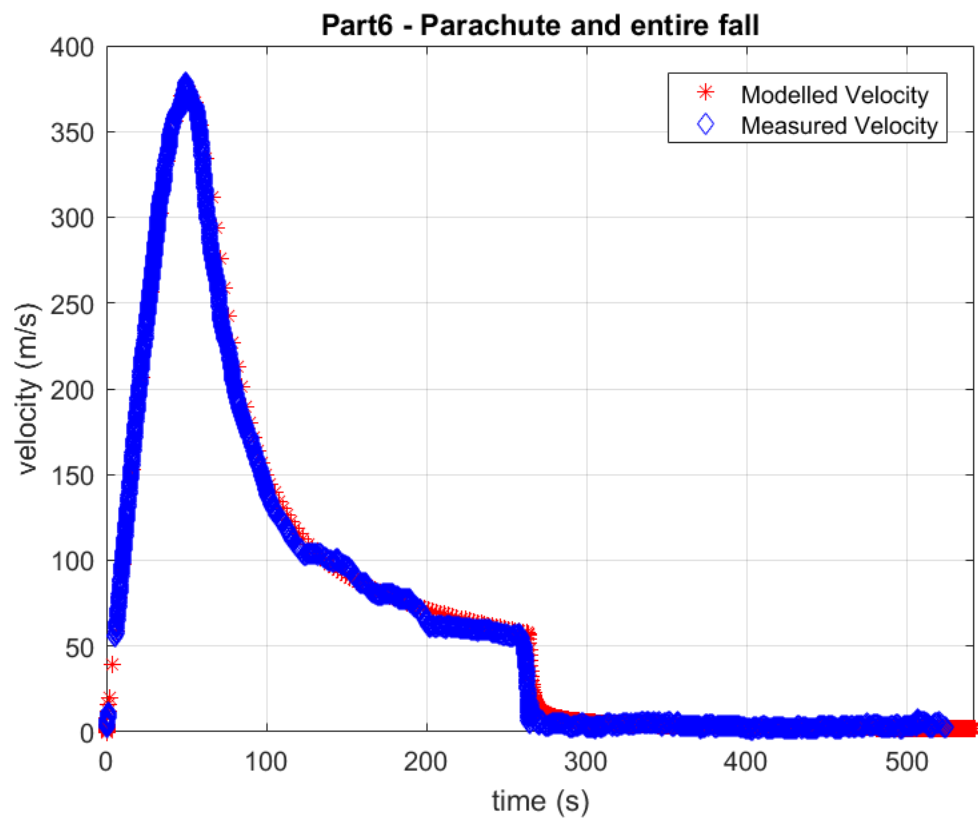
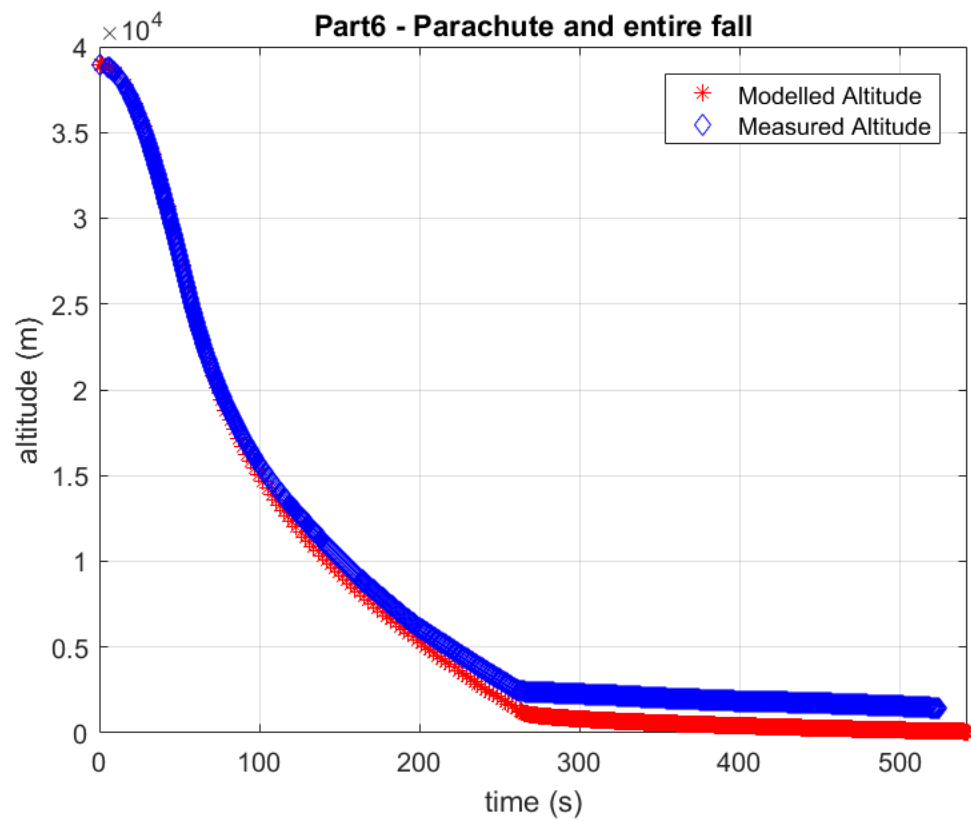


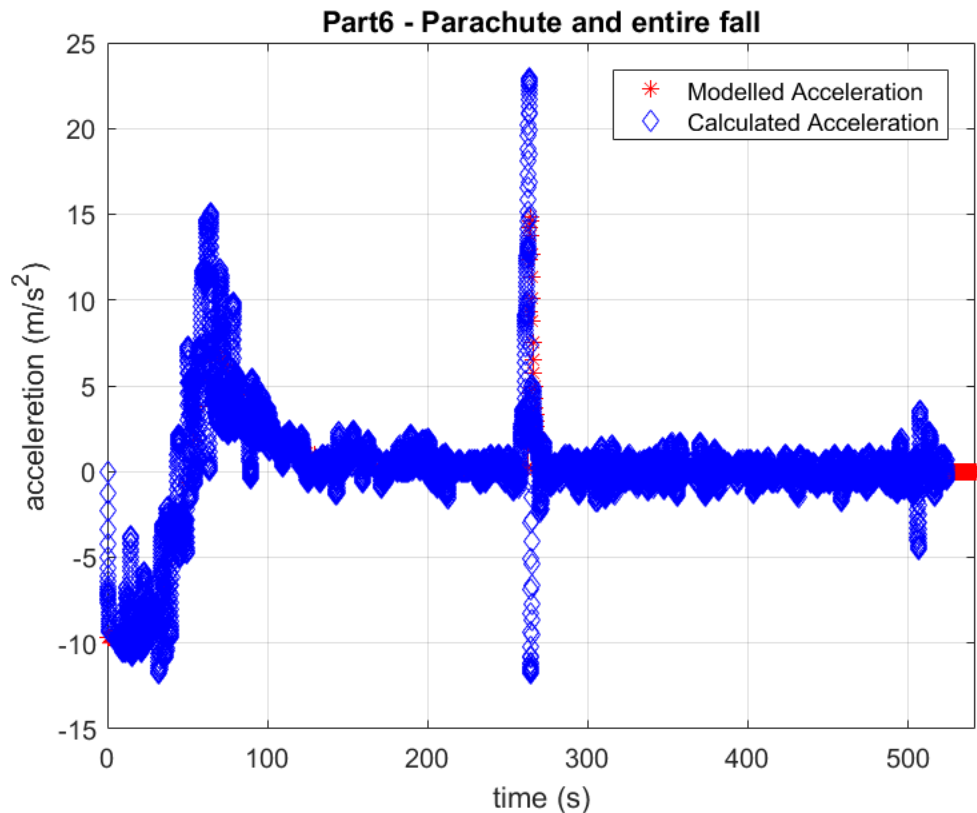
Part 6

Answer some questions here in these comments... How long does it take for Felix's parachute to open?
 It takes 7 seconds for Felix's parachute to open

```
part = 6;

%Redraw the acceleration figure from the previous Part but using the
new
% model. Also, using your plotting function from Part 1, plot the
% measured/calculated data and the model for the entire jump from
% stratosphere to ground.
% <place your work here>
[T_model,Y_model] = ode45(@fall, [0,T_PART6], [HEIGHT_1, V_INIT]); %
here we call the ode45 to model Felix's fall
string6 = 'Part6 - Parachute and entire fall';
t_end = T_model(end);
% % <function is called to create plots>
plotComparisons(t_end, string6 , T_model, TimeData, Y_model, YData)
```





nested functions

nested functions below are required for the assignment. see Downey Section 10.1 for discussion of nested functions

```
function res = fall(t, X)
    %FALL <Summary of this function goes here>
    %   <Detailed explanation goes here>

    % do not modify this function unless required by you for some
    reason!

    p = X(1); % the first element is position
    v = X(2); % the second element is velocity

    dpdt = v; % velocity: the derivative of position w.r.t. time
    dvdt = acceleration(t, p, v); % acceleration: the derivative of
    velocity w.r.t. time

    res = [dpdt; dvdt]; % pack the results in a column vector
end

function res = acceleration(t, p, v)
    % This function calculates the acceleration and returns it to the
    fall function
    % input:                                units:
```

```

% t: time            s
% p: position        m
% v: velocity        m/s
% output:
% res: acceleration  m/s^2

% do not modify this function unless required by you for some
reason!
% no changes were made to this function

a_grav = gravityEst(p);

if part == 1 % variable part is from workspace of function main.
    res = -a_grav;
else
    m = mass(t, v);
    b = drag(t, p, v, m);

    f_drag = b * v^2;
    a_drag = f_drag / m;
    res = -a_grav + a_drag;
end
end

% Please paste in or type in code into the below functions as may be
needed.

function a_grav = gravityEst(p)
% estimate the acceleration due to gravity as a function of
altitude, p
A_GRAV_SEA = 9.807; % acceleration of gravity at sea level in m/
s^2
RAD_EARTH = 6400000; % radius of Earth in meter
TEMP = (RAD_EARTH/(RAD_EARTH + p));
if (part == 1 || part == 2 || part == 3)
    a_grav = A_GRAV_SEA;
else
    a_grav = A_GRAV_SEA * power(TEMP,2);
end
end

function res = mass(t, v)
% mass in kg of Felix and all his equipment
res = 117.93;
end

function res = drag(t, p, v, m)
% <insert description of function here>
DRAG_CONST = 0.2;
if part == 2
    res = DRAG_CONST;
else
    % air resistance drag = 1/2*rho*A*Cd
    ACd = AC(t,p,v);

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        rho = density(p);
        res = 0.5 * rho * ACd;
    end
end

```

Additional nested functions

Nest any other functions below.

%Do not put functions in other files when you submit.

```

function plotComparisons(t_end, string1 , T_model, TimeData,
Y_model, YData)
    if (part ==1)
        f = 1;
        g = 2;
        h = 3;
    else if(part == 2)
        f = 4;
        g = 5;
        h = 6;
    else if(part == 3)
        f = 7;
        g = 8;
        h = 9;
    else if (part == 4)
        f = 10;
        g = 11;
        h = 12;
    else if (part == 5)
        h = 13;
    else if (part == 6)
        f = 14;
        g = 15;
        h = 16;
    end
end
end
end
end
end
end

```

```

%plotting Felix's altitude/height in m
P = Y_model(:,1);
P1 = YData(:,1);
T = T_model(:,1);
T1 = TimeData(:,1);
V = abs(Y_model(:,2));
V1 = abs(YData(:,2));
[dT,A] = myacceleration(T, V);

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```

        figure(h)
        plot(dT,A,'r*');
        hold on
        plot(dT1,C1,'bd');
        title( string1 )
        xlim([263 273])
        xlabel('time (s)');
        ylabel('acceleretion (m/s^2)')
        grid on
        legend('Modelled Acceleration','Calculated Acceleration')
        hold off
    end

end

function [T2,A] = myacceleration(T, V)
    T_f = [];
    T = T(:,1);
    A = [];
    dT = diff(T);
    dV = diff(V);
    A = [A; (-1)*(dV./dT)];

    for il = 1:(length(T)-1)
        T_f = [T_f; ((T(il,1)+T((il+1),1))/2)];
    end
    T2 = T_f;
end

function ACd = AC(t,p,v)
    %terminal velocity v_t is used in this function
    g_const_vt = 9.757504543 ;%Meters per second squared
    ma = 117.93;
    ro = density(27873);
    b = g_const_vt * ma / power(v_t,2);
    ACd1 = (b*2)/ro;
    Cd = ACd1/(1.7 * 0.8); % trying to take out the Cd by assuming
Felix's area
    ACd2 = 25 * Cd;

    if(t>263.02 && part == 5)
        ACd = ACd2;
    else if (part == 6 && t>263.02)
        ACd = chute(t, ACd1, ACd2);
    else
        ACd = ACd1;
    end
end

end

function res = density(p)

```

```

P_NOT = 101.325 * 10^3; %Pressure in Pascal
T_NOT = 288.15 ;%In Kelvin
g_const = 9.80665 ;%Meters per second squared
L = 0.0065 ;%Kelvin per meters
R_CONST = 8.31447 ;%joules per mole * kelvin | universal gas
constant
M = 0.0289644 ;%kg per mole | molar mass of air

pressure_power = (g_const*M)/(R_CONST*L);
pressure_base = 1-(L*p/T_NOT);
if (p > 25000) % upper stratosphere
    Temp = -131.21 + (0.00299 * p);
    Pressure = 2.488 * power( ((Temp + 273.1)/216.6)),
(-11.388) );
    rho = Pressure/(0.2869 * (Temp + 273.1));
else if (p <=25000 && p > 11000) % lower stratosphere
    Temp = - 56.46;
    Pressure = 22.65 * exp(1.73 - 0.000157 * p);
    rho = Pressure/(0.2869 * (Temp + 273.1));
else if (p < 11000) % troposphere
    Temp = T_NOT - (L*p);
    Pressure =
P_NOT*power(pressure_base,pressure_power);
    rho = (Pressure * M) / (R_CONST * Temp);
end
end
end
res = rho;
end

function ACd_chute = chute(t,ACdi, ACdf)
% use this function to return the ACd value
ti = 263.02;
tf = 270;
slope = (ACdf - ACdi)/(tf - ti);
ACd_chute = ACdi + slope * (t - ti);

end

% end of nested functions

end % closes function main.

```

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