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% Homework 8, Problem 4
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% EGR 101-01
% Due: 4/6/23
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clear;clc;close all; % housekeeping
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% constants
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G = 9.8;
X_M = 310;
Y_M = 33;
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% conversion constants
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FEET2METERS = 0.3048;
MPH2MPS = 0.44704;
METERS2FEET = 1/FEET2METERS;
MPS2MPH = 1/MPH2MPS;
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% conversion functions
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dist_to_metric = @(x) x * FEET2METERS;
speed_to_us_customary = @(x) x * MPS2MPH;
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%  $(G/2)(X_M)^2 = (u^2)\cos(\theta)(X_M\sin(\theta) - Y_M\cos(\theta))$ 
%  $u^2 = ((G/2)(X_M)^2) / (\cos(\theta)(X_M\sin(\theta) - Y_M\cos(\theta)))$ 
%  $u = \sqrt{((G/2)(X_M)^2) / (\cos(\theta)(X_M\sin(\theta) - Y_M\cos(\theta)))}$ 
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theta = 15:0.01:45;
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% anonymous function for u-squared value, takes theta as param
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u_sq = @(x) (G/2) * dist_to_metric(X_M)^2 ./ (cosd(x).*(dist_to_metric(X_M)*sind(x) -  
dist_to_metric(Y_M)*cosd(x)));
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% self-explanatory
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u = speed_to_us_customary(sqrt(u_sq(theta)));
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% plot that groovy data
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plot(theta, u)
grid on
xlabel("angle (degrees)")
ylabel("speed (mph)")
title("Bat Speed & Angle Needed to Clear the Green Monster")
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