

50 = #3 (End of Thrust)

Velocity vs Time

V
(m/s)

0

5

10

T (Seconds)

#6

#5 (apogee)

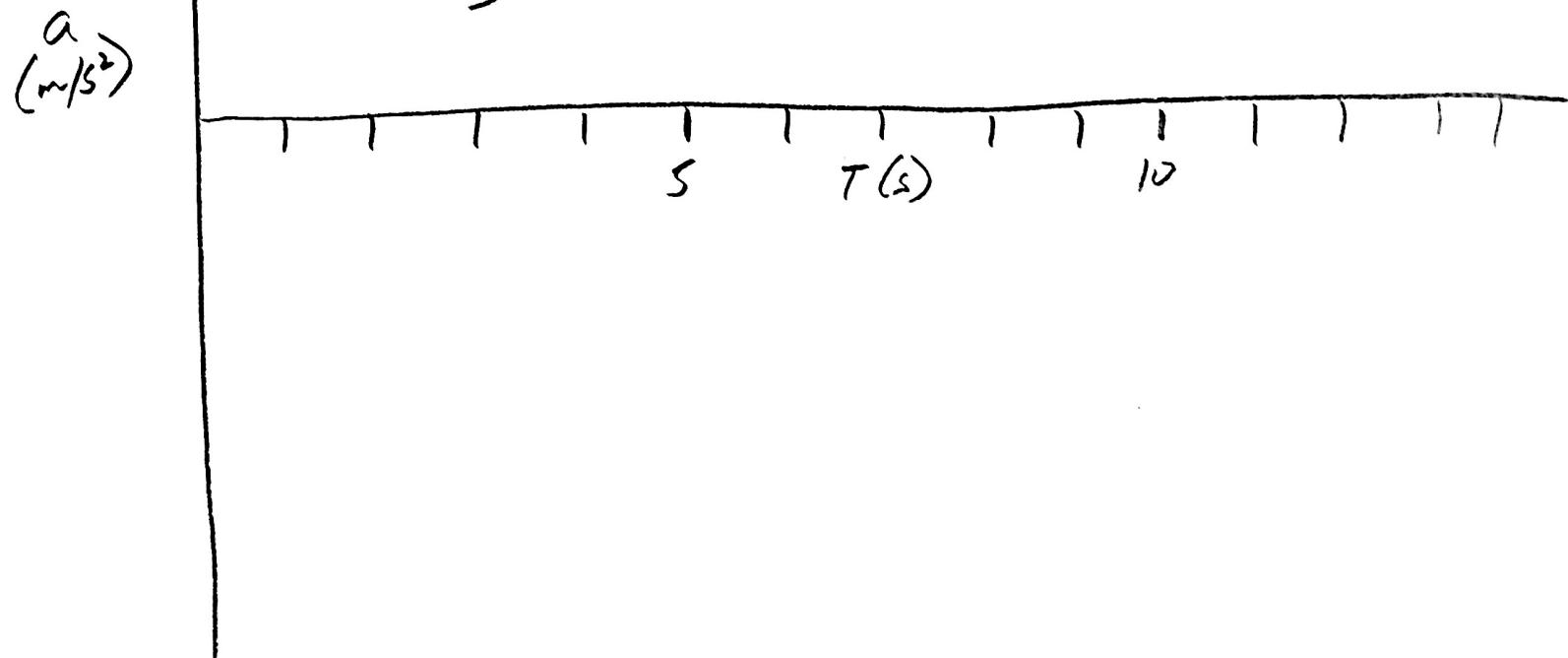
#4

#7
(Just before
ground contact)

#3

Acceleration
Vs
Time

*Intentionally left blank to avoid giving too much away.



Snapshots

#1

Before
Launch

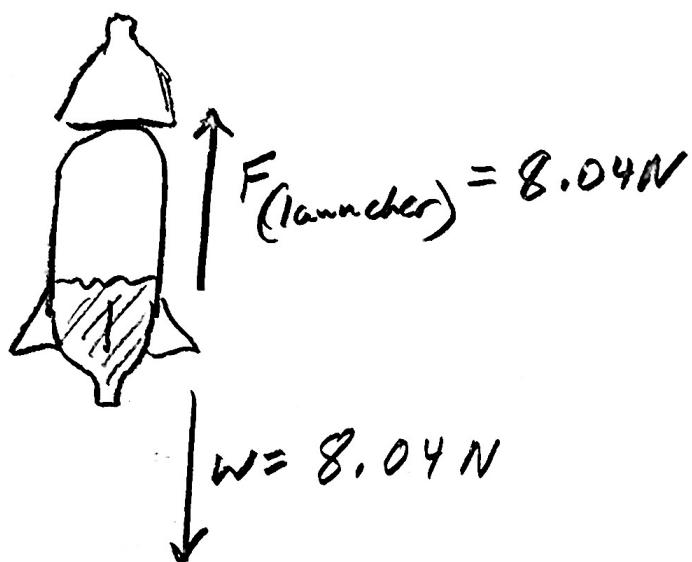
$$T = -1\text{s}$$

$$a = 0\text{m/s}^2$$

$$\Sigma F = 0\text{N}$$

$$m = 0.82\text{kg}$$

$$v = 0\text{m/s}$$



#2

Middle of Water Thrust Phase

$$T = 0.038\text{s}$$

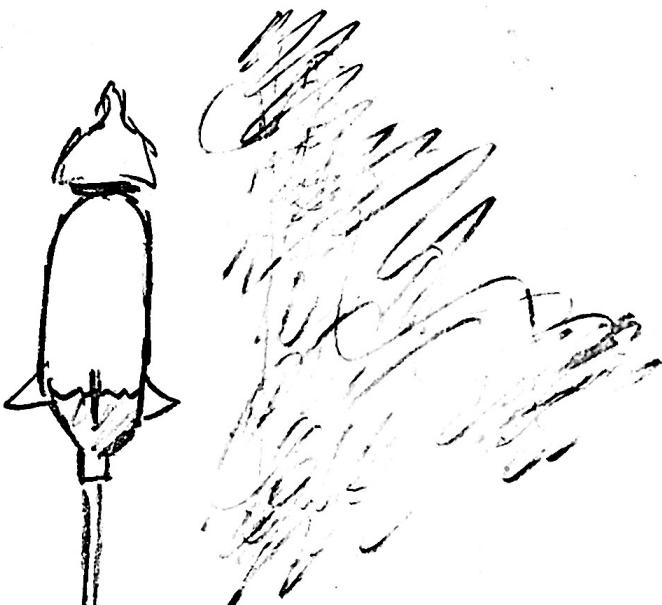
$$a = 800\text{m/s}^2$$

$$\Sigma F =$$

$$m = 0.42\text{kg}$$

$$v = 24\text{m/s}$$

~~*SF and individual forces intentionally left blank, but you should include them~~



* Continue with
#3 - #8

Part 4: Drag Coefficients and Cross-sectional Areas

1. C_d and A at the moment of *snapshot 4* (half-way between the end of thrust and apogee): Find the following values for this moment in time, and enter them here.

- a. 0.01 Approximate cross-sectional area (A) that is exposed to the oncoming air, in m^2 .
- b. 0.12 Current mass (kg)
- c. -2.8 Current net force (N)
- d. 17 Current speed (m/s)
- e. 1.22 Approximate Air Density (kg/m^3)
- f. -0.84 Current force of drag (N)
- g. 0.476 Rocket's drag coefficient, based on the values above

2. C_d and A at the moment of *snapshot 7* (just before reaching the ground):

- a. _____ Approximate cross-sectional area (A) that is exposed to the oncoming air, in m^2 .
- b. _____ Current mass (kg)
- c. _____ Current net force (N)
- d. _____ Current speed (m/s)
- e. 1.22 Approximate Air Density (kg/m^3)
- f. _____ Current force of drag (N)
- g. _____ Rocket's drag coefficient, based on the values above

* Intentionally
left blank (for
your satisfaction
of discovery!)