

2/55 For an acceleration of form $a = -g - kv^2$,
we cite the results from Probs. 2/51 & 2/52

$$\begin{cases} t_u = \frac{1}{\sqrt{gk}} \tan^{-1} \left(v_0 \sqrt{\frac{k}{g}} \right) \\ h = \frac{1}{2k} \ln \left[\frac{g + kv_0^2}{g} \right] \end{cases}$$

For the numbers at hand:

$$t_u = \frac{1}{\sqrt{9.81(0.0005)}} \tan^{-1} \left(120 \sqrt{\frac{0.0005}{9.81}} \right) = 10.11 \text{ s}$$

$$h = \frac{1}{2(0.0005)} \ln \left[\frac{9.81 + 0.0005(120)^2}{9.81} \right] = 550 \text{ m}$$

Down ($v = \text{constant}$): $y = y_0 + v_{y0}t$
 $0 = 550 - 4t_d$
 $t_d = 137.6 \text{ s}$

$$\text{Flight time } t = t_u + t_d = 10.11 + 137.6 = \underline{147.7 \text{ s}}$$