

Solve the following problems using your kinematics equations and knowledge of 1-D motion. Include diagrams, given information, formula, etc. as part of your complete solution. You may need to work on a separate piece of paper to show your full solutions.

1. A flower pot resting on a window sill on the third floor of a building is blown off by the wind. Each floor is 3 m in height.
  - a. When is the flower pot half way to the ground?
  - b. When does the flower pot hit the ground?
  - c. What is the velocity of the flower pot the instant before it strikes the ground?

- d. To make this a 2-D problem, we can say the flower pot was pushed off the ledge with an initial horizontal velocity of 1.5m/s.
  - i. Does this horizontal velocity change any of the previous calculations?
  - ii. How far from the base of the wall does the flower pot land?
  - iii. What is the Resultant velocity (mag. and direction) of the flower pot right before impact?

2. A water propelled rocket is launched from a two metre high platform. The initial velocity of the rocket is  $45\text{m/s}$ .
- a. What is the maximum height achieved by the rocket?
  - b. When does the rocket reach its maximum height?
  - c. What is the total flight time, when the rocket is back at its original launch height?
  - d. What is the total flight time, when the rocket hits the ground?
- e. To make this a 2-D problem, we can say the rocket had an initial horizontal velocity of  $20\text{m/s}$ .
- i. Does this horizontal velocity change any of the previous calculations?
  - ii. What is the Resultant velocity (mag. and direction) of the rocket at the **BEGINNING** of the problem?
  - iii. What is the range of the rocket when it hits the ground?