

## Homework 38.3

1. A baseball is thrown into the air and its height ( $h$ ), in feet, can be modeled by the equation  $h = -16t^2 + 30t + 6$ , where  $t$  represents time in seconds.

How many seconds will it take for the baseball to hit the ground ( $h=0$ ) after it is thrown into the air?

Answer 2.1 sec

$$0 = -16t^2 + 30t + 6 \quad 900 + 384 = 1284$$

$$a = -16 \quad b = 30 \quad c = 6 \quad X = \frac{-30 \pm \sqrt{30^2 - 4(-16)(6)}}{2(-16)}$$

$$X = \frac{-30 - 35.8}{-32} = \frac{65.8}{32} = 2.1$$

2. Suppose a soccer player kicks a ball and the height ( $h$ ) of the ball in feet can be modeled by the equation  $h = -16t^2 + vt + c$ , where  $t$  is the time in seconds after the ball is kicked,  $v$  is the initial upward velocity, and  $c$  is the starting height.

Write an equation that can be used to find the height ( $h$ ) of the ball after  $t$  seconds if the initial upward velocity is 20 ft/sec and the starting height is 6 ft.

Answer  $h = -16t^2 + 20t + 6$

$$h = -16t^2 + 20t + 6 \quad 400 + 384 = 784$$

$$a = -16 \quad b = 20 \quad c = 6 \quad t = \frac{-20 \pm \sqrt{20^2 - 4(-16)(6)}}{2(-16)}$$

$$t = \frac{-20 - 28}{-32} = \frac{-48}{-32} = 1.5$$

If the ball is not touched, how long will it take for the ball to reach the ground?

Answer 1.5 sec

3. A woman is going to jump into a pool from a diving board that is 60 ft above the water. Her height ( $h$ ) above the pool can be modeled by the equation  $h = -16t^2 + vt + c$ , where  $t$  is the time in seconds after the woman jumps,  $v$  is the initial upward velocity, and  $c$  is her starting height.

Write an equation that can be used to find the height ( $h$ ) of the woman after  $t$  seconds if her initial upward velocity is 4.5 ft/sec.

Answer  $h = -16t^2 + 4.5t + 60$

$$a = -16 \quad b = 4.5 \quad c = 60 \quad X = \frac{-4.5 \pm \sqrt{4.5^2 - 4(-16)(60)}}{2(-16)}$$

$$= \frac{-4.5 - 62.13}{-32} = \frac{-66.6}{-32} = 2.08$$

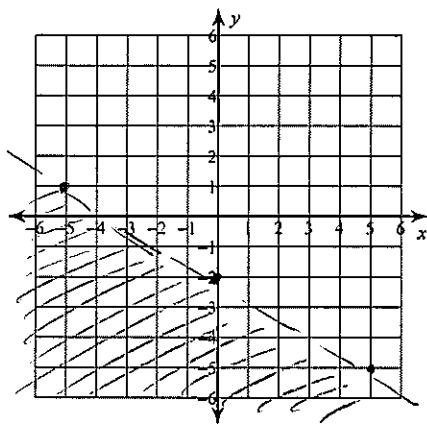
How many seconds will it take for the woman to hit the water?

Answer  $t = 2.08$  sec

$$X = \frac{-4.5 - 62.13}{-32} = \frac{-66.6}{-32} = 2.08$$

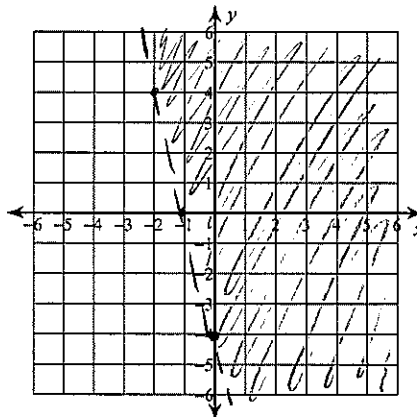
Sketch the graph of each linear inequality.

4.  $y < -\frac{3}{5}x - 2$



$m = -\frac{3}{5}$   
 $b = -2$

5.  $y > -4x - 4$



$m = -4$   
 $b = -4$

Divide.

6.  $(3m^3 + 3m^2 + 5m) \div 6m^3$

$$\frac{3m^3}{6m^3} + \frac{3m^2}{6m^3} + \frac{5m}{6m^3}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2m} + \frac{5}{6m^2}$$

7.  $(20p^5 + 20p^4 + 20p^3) \div 4p^3$

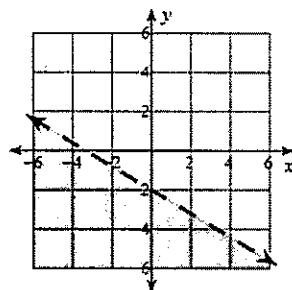
$$\frac{20p^5}{4p^3} + \frac{20p^4}{4p^3} + \frac{20p^3}{4p^3}$$

$$5p^2 + 5p + 5$$

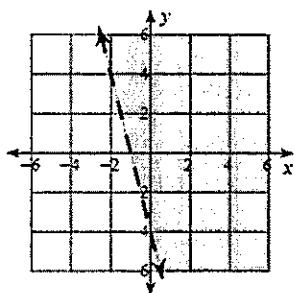
# Answers to Homework 38.3

1. 2.1 seconds

2.  $h = -16t^2 + 20t + 6$ ; 1.5 seconds



3.  $h = -16t^2 + 60t + 4.5$ ; 3.8 seconds, 4.



5.

6.  $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2m} + \frac{5}{6m^2}$       7.  $5p^2 + 5p + 5$