## Answer on Question \#62505 - Physics - Atomic and Nuclear Physics

## Question:

Calculate the instantaneous speed of an apple that falls freely from a rest position and accelerates at $10 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{s}^{2}$ for 1.5 seconds.

## Solution:

Let $\quad v_{0}$ - initial speed of an apple,
$a$ - its acceleration,
$t$ - time,
$v_{t}$ - instantaneous speed at moment $t$.
We can write that $v_{t}=v_{0}+a \cdot t$.
Because an apple falls from a rest position $v_{0}=0 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{s}$
and then $v_{t}=0+10 \cdot 1.5=15 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{s}$

## Answer:

$15 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{s}$

