



- If the particle moves in the  $\hat{r}$  direction with velocity  $v_r \hat{r}$ , the Coriolis force is

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{F}_{\text{Cor}} &= -2m\vec{\omega} \times \vec{v}_r \\ &= -2m\omega v_r \hat{z} \times \hat{r} \\ &= -2m\omega v_r \cos \lambda \hat{\phi}\end{aligned}$$

(neglect the resulting velocity in the  $\hat{\phi}$  direction in calculating  $\vec{F}_{\text{Cor}}$ , since it would be small)

- The velocity in the  $\hat{r}$ -direction is:  $v_r = v_0 - gt$ .

It reaches its peak at  $t_p$ :  $0 = v_0 - gt_p$

$$t_p = \frac{v_0}{g}$$

and its height is

$$y_p = h = v_0 t_p - \frac{1}{2} g t_p^2$$

$$h = \frac{v_0^2}{g} - \frac{1}{2} g \left( \frac{v_0}{g} \right)^2 = \frac{v_0^2}{2g}$$

$$\sqrt{2gh} = v_0 \rightarrow t_p = \sqrt{\frac{2h}{g}}$$

$$\text{So: } v_r(t) = \sqrt{2gh} - gt$$

- The acceleration in the  $\hat{\phi}$  direction is

$$\frac{dv_{\phi}}{dt} = (-2\omega \cos \lambda) v_r(t)$$

$$\text{so: } v_{\phi}(t) = -2\omega \cos \lambda \int v_r(t) dt$$

$$= -2\omega \cos \lambda \left[ \sqrt{2gh} t - \frac{1}{2} g t^2 \right]$$

and the displacement in the  $\hat{\phi}$  direction is

$$\Delta = \int_0^{2t_p} v_{\phi} dt = -2\omega \cos \lambda \left[ \sqrt{2gh} \frac{t^2}{2} - \frac{1}{6} g t^3 \right]_0^{2t_p}$$

$$= -2\omega \cos \lambda \left[ (\sqrt{2gh})(2t_p^2) - \frac{1}{6} g (8t_p^3) \right]$$

$$= -2\omega \cos \lambda \left[ \sqrt{2gh} \left( 2 \times \frac{2h}{g} \right) - \frac{4}{3} g \left[ \frac{2h}{g} \right]^{3/2} \right]$$

$$= (-2\omega \cos \lambda) \left( \frac{h^{3/2}}{g^{1/2}} \right) \left( 4\sqrt{2} - \frac{8\sqrt{2}}{3} \right)$$

$$= -2\omega \cos \lambda \sqrt{\frac{h^3}{g}} \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{3}$$

$$= -\frac{4}{3} \omega \cos \lambda \sqrt{\frac{8h^3}{g}}, \quad \text{i.e. of mag. } \frac{4}{3} \omega \cos \lambda \sqrt{\frac{8h^3}{g}} \text{ to the west of the start.}$$