Problem A in Day 2: Defend the Nation

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Problem in Brief



Moonlamb

Drone



Summary

- # Submissions : 12
 - Unknown (6), MPI*3.0 (6)
- # Acceptances : 0
 - MPI*3.0 was closer to the solution.



How to Solve

- Struggle against the problem with your pencil and paper.
- Then write 200+ lines of code.
 - Pay much attention to the corner cases.
- Avoid this problem.
 - This is a problem to <u>defend the judge</u> from all problems being solved!



Basic Strategy

- Fix where the projectile destroyed.
 - Then everything can be solved.



Basic Formulae

 $\begin{bmatrix} v_2 t_2 \cos \theta_2 = X \\ v_2 t_2 \sin \theta_2 = Y + (1/2) \cdot g t_2^2 \\ \text{minus is enough} \end{bmatrix}$ $t_2^2 = \frac{2}{g} \left\{ (V - Y) \pm \sqrt{V^2 - 2VY - X^2} \right\}$ $\tan \theta_2 = \frac{V \pm \sqrt{V^2 - 2VY - X^2}}{V}$ where $\begin{bmatrix} X = d - x \\ Y = y = \kappa \cdot x(s_1 - x) \\ V = v_2^2 / \sigma \end{bmatrix}$



Feasibility

(x,y) must be below the green line.
The contents of sqrt() must be positive.



Straight-forward Method

$$\Delta(x) = \frac{x}{v_1 \cos \theta_1} - t_2 \ge \tau$$

- This can be transformed into a quadradic inequation.
- Just solve it.

Advanced Method (?)

- The solution is one of the following:
 - the roots of the equation $\Delta(x) = \tau$
 - the lower boundaries of the feasible sub-ranges
- The roots of $\Delta(x) = \tau$:
 - the positions where the projectile can be destroyed when the interceptor is fired at the time T.



By the Way

- Moonlamb \leftarrow Bonmalmo
- Drone ← Endor

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