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Section Handout #2

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Problem 1: Bouncing Balls

Write an interactive graphics program that simulates the motion of balls bouncing under the influence of gravitational force.

Each time the user clicks, drop a randomly colored ball from the top left corner of the window. The ball should begin with a random velocity in the X direction and no velocity in the Y direction. It will fall, accelerating towards the bottom of the screen, until it hits the bottom of the window. As it bounces, the ball will reverse direction and begin decelerating upwards, but it will also lose some energy from the collision. It should continue bouncing until it rolls off the right-hand end of the window. Like the previous exercise, your program should be able to handle multiple balls bouncing at once if the user clicks in quick succession.

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/* Constants */
const GWINDOW_WIDTH = 800;
const GWINDOW_HEIGHT = 300;
const DIAMETER = 20;
const MIN_X_VEL = 3;
const MAX_X_VEL = 15;
const TIME_STEP = 20;
const GRAVITY = 3; // amount Y velocity is increased each cycle
const BOUNCE_REDUCE = 0.75; // amount Y velocity is reduced during bounce
```

The diagram below illustrates the trajectory of the dropped ball:



Problem 2: Spoonerisms

A *spoonerism* is a phrase in which the leading consonant strings of the first and last words are inadvertently swapped, generally with comic effect. Some examples of spoonerisms include the following phrases and their spoonerized counterparts (the consonant strings that get swapped are underlined):

<u>cr</u>ushing <u>bl</u>ow ® <u>bl</u>ushing <u>cr</u>ow <u>s</u>ons of toil ® tons of <u>s</u>oil <u>pack of lies ® lack of pies</u> <u>jelly beans ® belly-jeans</u> <u>flutter by ® butter fly</u>

In this problem, your job is to write a function

function spoonerize(phrase)

that takes a multiword phrase as its argument and returns its spoonerized equivalent. For example, you should be able to use your function to duplicate the following console session in which all the examples come from Shel Silverstein's spoonerism-filled children's book *Runny Babbit*:



In this problem, you are not responsible for any error-checking. You may assume that the phrase passed to **spoonerize** contains nothing but lowercase letters along with spaces to separate the words. You may also assume that the phrase contains at least two words, that there are no extra spaces, and that each word contains at least one vowel. What your method needs to do is extract the leading consonant clusters from the first and last words and then exchange them, leaving the rest of the phrase alone.

Hint: Remember that you can use methods from the book. The findFirstVowel and isEnglishVowel methods from the Pig Latin lecture example will certainly come in handy.

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