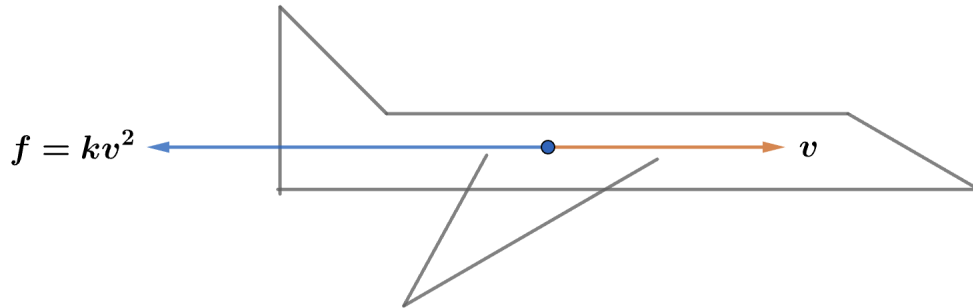


2015 F=ma Exam: Problem 3

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To fly at velocity v , the power needed is $P = fv$ where $f = kv^2$. We are given

$$P_0 = kv_0^3$$

If the power is doubled,

$$2P_0 = kv_1^3$$

Substituting in the previous equation,

$$\begin{aligned} 2kv_0^3 &= kv_1^3 \\ v_1 &= 2^{1/3}v_0 = 1.26v_0 \end{aligned}$$

so the answer is B.