

84. (a) With  $M = 2.0 \times 10^{30}$  kg and  $r = 10000$  m, we find

$$a_g = \frac{GM}{r^2} = 1.3 \times 10^{12} \text{ m/s}^2 .$$

- (b) Although a close answer may be gotten by using the constant acceleration equations of Chapter 2, we show the more general approach (using energy conservation):

$$K_o + U_o = K + U$$

where  $K_o = 0$ ,  $K = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$  and  $U$  given by Eq. 14-20. Thus, with  $r_o = 10001$  m, we find

$$v = \sqrt{2GM \left( \frac{1}{r} - \frac{1}{r_o} \right)} = 1.6 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s} .$$