

Related Rates

1. An oil spill is growing in a circular shape. The radius is increasing at the rate of 5 miles per day. How fast is the area changing when the circumference is 49π miles?
2. A 17 foot ladder is leaning against a wall. It is sliding down the wall at a rate of 2ft/min.
 - a) How fast is the ladder moving away from the wall when the top is 15 feet from the ground?
 - b) How fast is the area enclosed by the ladder changing when the top is 15 feet from the ground? *of elevation*
 - c) How fast is the angle changing when the top is 15 feet from the ground?
3. A cone with diameter 14 and height 28 is being filled with oil at a rate of 2 cubic feet per second.
 - a) Express the volume of the water as a function of the water level h .
 - b) How fast is the level of the oil rising in the cone when $h = 4$?
 - c) How fast is the radius increasing when $h = 4$?
4. A man observes the launching of a rocket from a distance of 300 feet. The rocket is launched at a speed of 100 ft/sec. How fast is the rocket moving away from the man four seconds after launch? How fast is the angle changing at this same moment?
5. A spherical balloon is being inflated at the rate of $2\text{in}^3/\text{sec}$. How fast is the radius increasing when the radius is 10 inches?
6. A six foot tall man is walking towards a light pole that is ten feet tall at a speed of two feet per second. How fast is the shadow moving when he is eight from the lamp?
7. Melted chocolate is flowing at a rate of $3\text{m}^3/\text{s}$ into a giant ice cream cone with diameter 30m and height 180m.
 - a) Find the volume of the melted chocolate as a function of the chocolate level h .
 - b) How fast is the level of the cone rising when the height is 3m?
 - c) How fast is the radius changing when the height is 3m?

Related Rates Key

1)



$$\frac{dr}{dt} = 5 \frac{m}{d}$$

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = ?$$

$$C = 49\pi \text{ miles}$$

$$C = d\pi$$

$$C = 2r\pi$$

$$C = 24.5(2)\pi$$

$$r = 24.5$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}(A) = \frac{d}{dt}(\pi r^2)$$

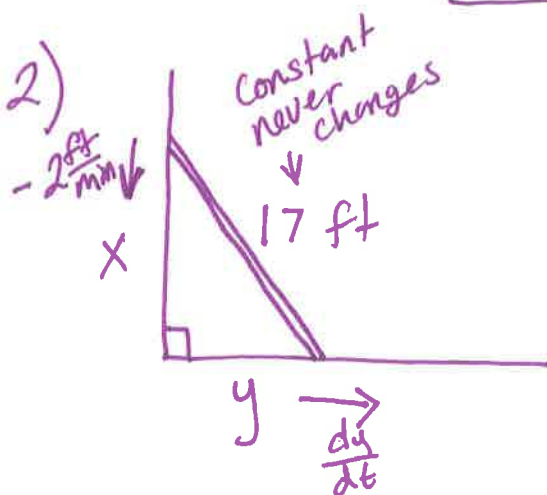
$$\frac{dA}{dt}(1) = \pi 2r \frac{dr}{dt}$$

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = 2\pi r \frac{dr}{dt}$$

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = 2\pi(24.5)(5)$$

$$\boxed{\frac{dA}{dt} = 245\pi \frac{m^2}{day}}$$

2)



$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -2 \frac{ft}{min}$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = 17^2$$

a) $\frac{dy}{dt} = ?$

$$x = 15$$

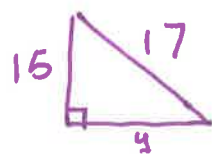
$$\frac{d}{dt} x^2 + \frac{d}{dt} y^2 = \frac{d}{dt} 17^2$$

$$2x \frac{dx}{dt} + 2y \frac{dy}{dt} = 0$$

$$2(15)(-2) + 2(8) \frac{dy}{dt} = 0$$

$$-60 + 16 \frac{dy}{dt} = 0$$

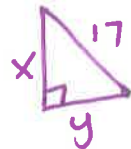
$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{60}{16} = \boxed{\frac{15}{4} \frac{ft}{min}}$$

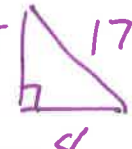


$$15^2 + y^2 = 17^2$$

$$y = \pm \sqrt{17^2 - 15^2}$$

$$y = \sqrt{64} = 8$$

2) b) $\frac{dA}{dt} = ?$ $x = 15 \text{ ft}$  $A = \frac{1}{2} b(h) : \begin{matrix} b=y \\ h=x \end{matrix}$
 $A = \frac{1}{2} y(x)$

from problem $= \frac{dx}{dt} = -2$ $x = 15$ 
 $y = 8$

from part a $= \frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{15}{4}$

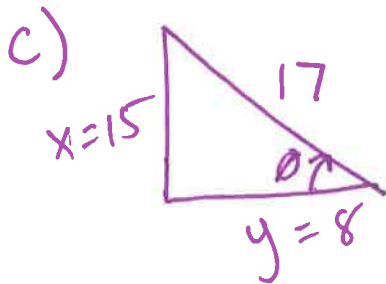
$$\frac{d}{dt} A = \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{1}{2} yx \right)$$

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = \frac{1}{2} \left((1) x \frac{dy}{dt} + (1) y \frac{dx}{dt} \right)$$

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = \frac{1}{2} \left((15) \left(\frac{15}{4} \right) + (8) (-2) \right)$$

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = 28.125 - \frac{8}{16}$$

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = 20.125 \frac{\text{ft}^2}{\text{min}}$$



$$\frac{d\theta}{dt} = ?$$

$$\sin(\theta) = \frac{y}{17}$$

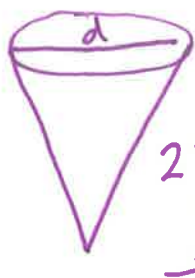
$$\frac{d\theta}{dt} \cos(\theta) = \frac{1}{17} \frac{dy}{dt}$$

$$\frac{d\theta}{dt} \left(\frac{8}{17} \right) = \frac{1}{17} (-2)$$

$$\frac{d\theta}{dt} = \frac{-2}{17} \left(\frac{17}{8} \right)$$

$$\frac{d\theta}{dt} = -\frac{1}{4} \frac{\text{rad}}{\text{min}}$$

3)



$$d=14$$

$$r=7$$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = 2 \frac{\text{ft}^3}{\text{sec}}$$

$$V = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h$$

$$V = \frac{1}{3} \pi \left(\frac{h}{4}\right)^2 h$$

$$V = \frac{1}{3} \pi \frac{h^3}{16}$$

$$V(h) =$$

a) $\frac{dh}{dt} = ?$ $h=4$ $V = \frac{1}{3} \pi \frac{h^3}{16}$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = \frac{3}{3} \pi \frac{h^2}{16} \frac{dh}{dt}$$

$$2 = \pi \frac{(4)^2}{16} \frac{dh}{dt}$$

$$\frac{2}{\pi (4)^2} = \frac{dh}{dt}$$

$$\frac{2}{\pi 8} = \frac{dh}{dt} = \frac{2}{8\pi} \frac{\text{ft}}{\text{sec}}$$

$$\frac{6}{\pi} = 2 \frac{dr}{dt} + \frac{32}{\pi}$$

$$\frac{6}{\pi} - \frac{32}{\pi} = 2 \frac{dr}{dt}$$

$$\frac{4}{\pi} = 2 \frac{dr}{dt}$$

$$\frac{dr}{dt} = \frac{1}{2\pi}$$

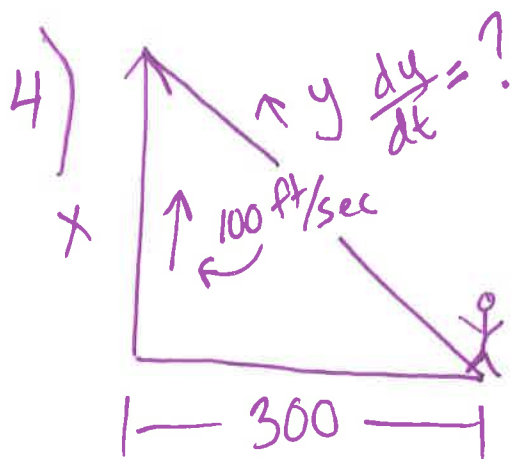
c) $\frac{dr}{dt} = ?$ $h=4$ $h=4$ $r=1$

$$V = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h$$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = \frac{1}{3} \pi \left(2r \frac{dr}{dt} h + r^2 (1) \frac{dh}{dt} \right)$$

$$2 = \frac{1}{3} \pi \left(2(1) \frac{dr}{dt} (4) + (1)^2 \left(\frac{2}{8\pi} \right) \right)$$

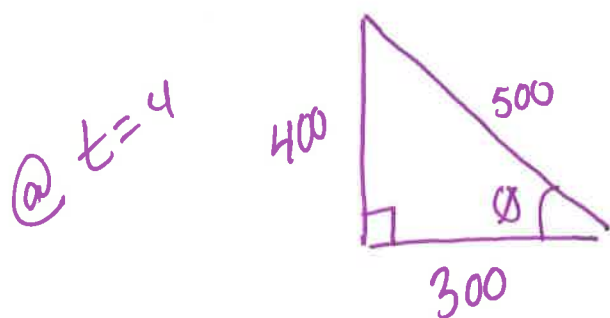
$$2 = \frac{1}{3} \pi \left(8 \frac{dr}{dt} + \frac{2}{8\pi} \right)$$



$$\text{Speed} = 100 \text{ ft/sec}$$

$$t = 4 \text{ sec}$$

$$\text{Speed} = \frac{\text{distance}}{\text{time}}$$



a) $x^2 + 300^2 = y^2$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = ?$$

$$2x \frac{dx}{dt} + 0 = 2y \frac{dy}{dt}$$

$$2(400)(100) + 0 = 2(500) \frac{dy}{dt}$$

$$80000 + 0 = 1000 \frac{dy}{dt}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{dy}{dt} = 80. \text{ ft/sec}}$$

b) $\cos \theta = \frac{300}{y}$

$$-\sin \theta \frac{d\theta}{dt} = -300 y^{-2} \frac{dy}{dt}$$

$$-\left(\frac{400}{500}\right) \frac{d\theta}{dt} = \frac{-300}{(500)^2} (80.)$$

$$\frac{d\theta}{dt} = -0.096 \left(-\frac{5}{4}\right)$$

$$\boxed{\frac{d\theta}{dt} = 0.12 \text{ rad/sec}}$$

5)



$$\frac{dV}{dt} = 2 \text{ in}^3/\text{sec}$$

$$\frac{dr}{dt} = ?$$

$$r = 10 \text{ in}$$

$$V = \frac{4}{3} \pi r^3$$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = \frac{4}{3} \pi (3r^2) \frac{dr}{dt}$$

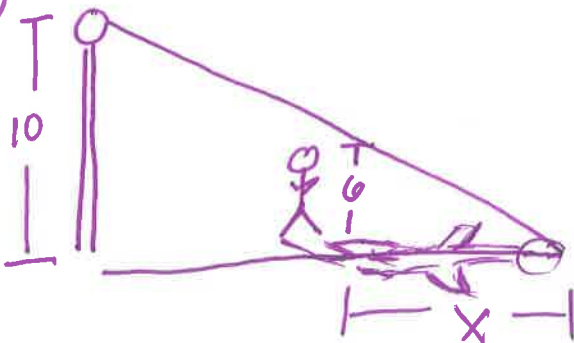
$$2 = \frac{4}{3} \pi (10)^2 \left(\frac{dr}{dt} \right)$$

$$2 = 400 \pi \frac{dr}{dt}$$

$$\frac{dr}{dt} = \frac{2}{400 \pi}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{1}{200 \pi} \frac{\text{in}}{\text{sec}}}$$

6)



$$y = 8 - 1$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = -2 \quad \frac{dx}{dt} = ?$$

$$\text{Speed} = \frac{\text{distance}}{\text{time}}$$

$$\frac{10}{y+x} = \frac{6}{x}$$

$$10x = 6(y+x)$$

$$10 \frac{dx}{dt} = 6 \left(1 \frac{dy}{dt} + 1 \frac{dx}{dt} \right)$$

$$10 \frac{dx}{dt} = 6(1(-2) + 1 \frac{dx}{dt})$$

$$10 \frac{dx}{dt} = -12 + 6 \frac{dx}{dt}$$

$$10 \frac{dx}{dt} - 6 \frac{dx}{dt} = -12$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -3 \frac{\text{ft}}{\text{sec}}$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -\frac{12}{4}$$

$$4 \frac{dx}{dt} = -12$$

7)



$$D = 30\text{m}$$

$$h = 180\text{m}$$

$$d = 2r$$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = 3\text{m}^3/\text{s}$$

$$180 h = 30 d$$

$$h = \frac{3}{8} d$$

$$h = \frac{3}{8} (2r)$$

$$h = \frac{3}{4} r$$

$$\frac{4}{3} h = r$$

$$V = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h$$

$$V = \frac{1}{3} \pi \left(\frac{4}{3} h\right)^2 h$$

$$V = \frac{1}{3} \pi \frac{16}{9} h^3 = \frac{16\pi}{27} h^3$$

$$a) \quad \frac{dV}{dt} = ? \quad h = 3$$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = \frac{16}{27} \pi \cdot 3^2 \frac{dh}{dt}$$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = \frac{16}{9} \pi h^2 \frac{dh}{dt}$$

$$3 = \frac{16}{9} \pi (3)^2 \frac{dh}{dt}$$

$$\frac{3}{16\pi} = \frac{dh}{dt} = \frac{3}{16\pi} \text{m/s}$$

$$c) \quad \frac{dr}{dt} = ? \quad h = 3$$

$$V = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h$$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = \frac{1}{3} \pi \left(2r \frac{dr}{dt} h + (1) r^2 \frac{dh}{dt} \right)$$

$$\left(\frac{3}{16\pi}\right) 3 = \frac{1}{3} \pi \left(2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \frac{dr}{dt} (3) + 3^2 \left(\frac{3}{16\pi}\right) \right)$$

$$\frac{9}{\pi} = 3 \frac{dr}{dt} + \frac{27}{16\pi}$$

$$\frac{117}{16\pi} = 3 \frac{dr}{dt}$$

$$\frac{dr}{dt} = \frac{117}{3(16\pi)}$$

$$\frac{dr}{dt} = \frac{39}{16\pi}$$

$$\frac{30}{180} = \frac{r}{3}$$

$$90 = 180 r$$

$$r = \frac{90}{180} = \frac{1}{2}$$