

Related rates [69 marks]

A water trough which is 10 metres long has a uniform cross-section in the shape of a semicircle with radius 0.5 metres. It is partly filled with water as shown in the following diagram of the cross-section. The centre of the circle is O and the angle KOL is θ radians.

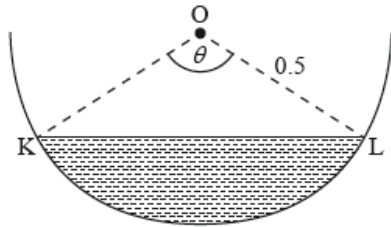


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- 1a. Find an expression for the volume of water V (m^3) in the trough in terms of θ . [3 marks]

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The volume of water is increasing at a constant rate of $0.0008\text{m}^3\text{s}^{-1}$.

1b. Calculate $\frac{d\theta}{dt}$ when $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$.

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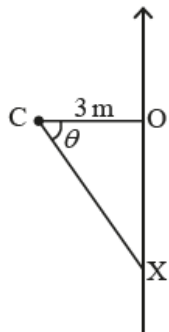
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2. A camera at point C is 3 m from the edge of a straight section of road as [6 marks] shown in the following diagram. The camera detects a car travelling along the road at $t = 0$. It then rotates, always pointing at the car, until the car passes O, the point on the edge of the road closest to the camera.



A car travels along the road at a speed of 24ms^{-1} . Let the position of the car be X and let $\text{O}\hat{\text{C}}\text{X} = \theta$.

Find $\frac{d\theta}{dt}$, the rate of rotation of the camera, in radians per second, at the instant the car passes the point O.

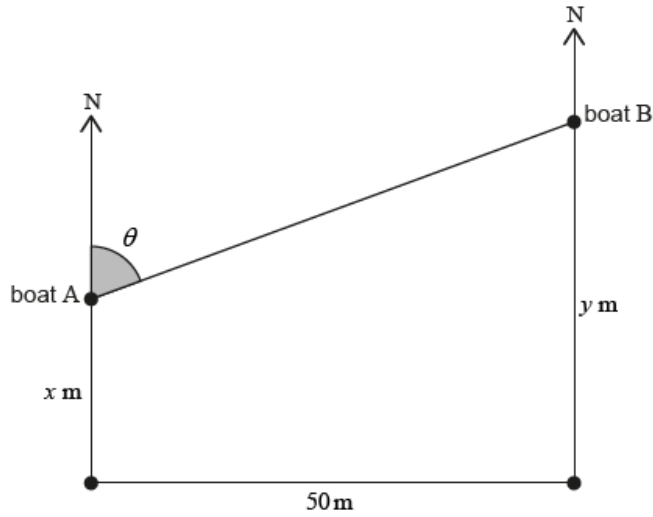
A large rectangular box containing 20 horizontal dotted lines, intended for writing or drawing.

Two boats A and B travel due north.

Initially, boat B is positioned 50 metres due east of boat A.

The distances travelled by boat A and boat B, after t seconds, are x metres and y metres respectively. The angle θ is the radian measure of the bearing of boat B from boat A. This information is shown on the following diagram.

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3a. Show that $y = x + 50 \cot \theta$.

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5b. Hence, write down the maximum speed of the body.

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The body first comes to rest at time $t = t_1$. Find

5c. the value of t_1 .

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5d. the distance travelled between $t = 0$ and $t = t_1$.

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5e. the acceleration when $t = t_1$.

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5f. Find the distance travelled in the first 30 seconds.

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A point P moves in a straight line with velocity $v \text{ ms}^{-1}$ given by $v(t) = e^{-t} - 8t^2e^{-2t}$ at time t seconds, where $t \geq 0$.

6a. Determine the first time t_1 at which P has zero velocity. [2 marks]

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6b. Find an expression for the acceleration of P at time t . [2 marks]

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6c. Find the value of the acceleration of P at time t_1 . [1 mark]

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Xavier, the parachutist, jumps out of a plane at a height of h metres above the ground. After free falling for 10 seconds his parachute opens. His velocity, $v \text{ ms}^{-1}$, t seconds after jumping from the plane, can be modelled by the function

$$v(t) = \begin{cases} 9.8t, & 0 \leq t \leq 10 \\ \frac{98}{\sqrt{1+(t-10)^2}}, & t > 10 \end{cases}$$

7a. Find his velocity when $t = 15$.

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7b. Calculate the vertical distance Xavier travelled in the first 10 seconds.

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Points A and P lie on opposite banks of a river, such that AP is the shortest distance across the river. Point B represents the centre of a city which is located on the riverbank. $PB = 215$ km, $AP = 65$ km and $\widehat{APB} = 90^\circ$.

The following diagram shows this information.



A boat travels at an average speed of 42 km h^{-1} . A bus travels along the straight road between P and B at an average speed of 84 km h^{-1} .

Find the travel time, in hours, from A to B given that

8a. the boat is taken from A to P , and the bus from P to B .

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8b. the boat travels directly to B .

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There is a point D , which lies on the road from P to B , such that $BD = x$ km. The boat travels from A to D , and the bus travels from D to B .

- 8c. Find an expression, in terms of x for the travel time T , from A to B [3 marks]
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8d. Find the value of x so that T is a minimum.

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8e. Write down the minimum value of T .

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An excursion involves renting the boat and the bus. The cost to rent the boat is \$ 200 per hour, and the cost to rent the bus is \$ 150 per hour.

8f. Find the new value of x so that the total cost C to travel from A to B via D is a minimum. [3 marks]

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8g. Write down the minimum total cost for this journey. [1 mark]

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