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Section: H

- [6] 1. Consider a right-angled triangle with catheti (adjacent sides) x and y and hypotenuse (opposite side) z . When $x = 5$ and $y = 12$ we have that x is growing at the rate of 7 cm/s and the angle θ between x and z is growing at the rate of $\frac{1}{4} \text{ rad/s}$, (the right angle $\frac{\pi}{2}$ between x and y is fixed throughout the process). What is the rate of change of z at that point? For **2 bonus marks** determine the rate of change of y at that point.



$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 7 \text{ cm/s}$$

$$\frac{d\theta}{dt} = \frac{1}{4} \text{ rad/s}$$

$$x = 5, y = 12 \rightarrow z^2 = x^2 + y^2$$

$$z^2 = 25 + 144$$

$$z = 13$$

$\cos \theta = \frac{x}{z}$ relates x and z . Take the derivative w.r.t. t

$$\frac{d}{dt}(\cos \theta) = \frac{d}{dt}\left(\frac{x}{z}\right) \Rightarrow -\sin \theta \frac{d\theta}{dt} = \frac{\frac{dx}{dt}z - \frac{dz}{dt}x}{z^2}$$

$$\text{we want to find } \frac{dz}{dt} \Rightarrow -\frac{12}{13} \cdot \frac{1}{4} = \frac{7 \cdot 13 - \frac{dz}{dt} \cdot 5}{13^2}$$

$$-\frac{3}{13} = \frac{91 - 5 \frac{dz}{dt}}{169} \Rightarrow -39 = 91 - 5 \frac{dz}{dt}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dz}{dt} = \frac{130}{5} = 26 \text{ cm/s}$$

Bonus ~~~~~

$$\frac{d}{dt}(z^2 = x^2 + y^2) \Rightarrow 2z \frac{dz}{dt} = 2x \frac{dx}{dt} + 2y \frac{dy}{dt}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \cdot 13 \cdot 26 = 2 \cdot 5 \cdot 7 + 2 \cdot 12 \frac{dy}{dt} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{\sqrt{13 \cdot 26} - 35}{12} = \frac{303}{12}$$

- [3] 2. Let x and y be functions of t related by $x^2 + y^2 = xy + 7$. When $x = 3$ and $y = 2$ we have that $\frac{dx}{dt} = -2$. Find the value of $\frac{dy}{dt}$ at that point.

$$\frac{d}{dt}(x^2 + y^2 = xy + 7)$$

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

$$\underline{x=3, y=2} \quad 2(3)(-2) + 2(2)\left(\frac{dy}{dt}\right) = (-2)(2) + (3)\left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right)$$

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

$$-12 + 4 \frac{dy}{dt} = -4 + 3 \frac{dx}{dt}$$

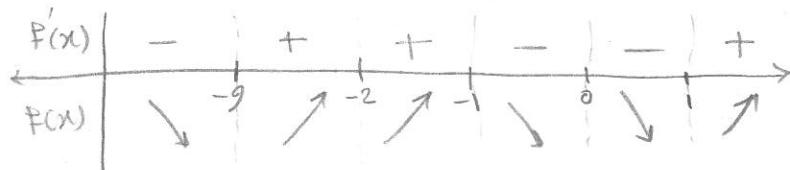
$$\boxed{\frac{dy}{dt} = 8}$$

- [4] 3. Let f be a function whose derivative is

$$f'(x) = \frac{(x+2)^4 \ln(x^2)e^x}{\sqrt[3]{x+9}}.$$

List the intervals where f is increasing and list as well as classify all critical values.

- $f'(x)$ is undefined for $x=0, -9$. ($\ln(x^2)$ is undefined for $x=0$)
- $f'(x)=0$ when $x=2, \pm 1$ ($\ln(x^2)=0$ when $x^2=1 \rightarrow x=\pm 1$)



$f(x)$ is increasing on $(-9, -2), (-2, -1), (1, \infty)$

local max at $x=-1$

local min at $x=-9, 1$

no extremes at $x=0$ & $x=-2$

- [7] 4. Find the global maximum and the global minimum of $f(x) = (x^2 - 2x)e^x$ on the interval $[0, 3]$. For 3 bonus marks find the global maximum and minimum of f on $(-\infty, 0]$ or explain why they do not exist.

$$f'(x) = (2x-2)e^x + (x^2-2x)e^x$$

$f'(x)$ is defined on $[0, 1]$

$$= (x^2-2)e^x \Rightarrow f'(x)=0$$

and $f'(x)=0$ when $x=\pm\sqrt{2}$

The critical points on $[0, 3]$ are $x=\sqrt{2}$

$$f(\sqrt{2}) = (2-2\sqrt{2})e^{\sqrt{2}} = 2(1-\sqrt{2})e^{\sqrt{2}} < 0 \quad (\text{since } (1-\sqrt{2}) < 0)$$

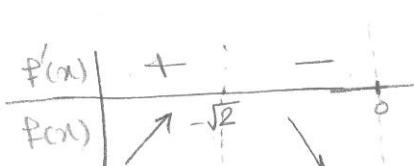
$$f(0) = 0$$

$$f(3) = 3e^3 > 0$$

\Rightarrow So f has abs. max of $3e^3$ when $x=3$ and abs. min of $(2-2\sqrt{2})e^{\sqrt{2}}$ when $x=\sqrt{2}$

BONUS
Consider $f'(x) = (x^2-2)e^x$ on $(-\infty, 0]$. Note that $f(0) = 0$

$f'(x)=0 \rightarrow x=\pm\sqrt{2}$ so $x=-\sqrt{2}$ is critical point.

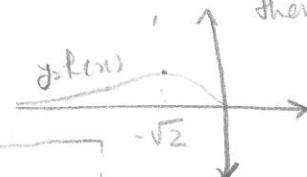


so we have a local max at $x=-\sqrt{2}$

$$\text{and } f(-\sqrt{2}) = \frac{2+2\sqrt{2}}{e^{\sqrt{2}}} > 0$$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} (x^2-2x)e^x = \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{x^2+2x}{e^x} = 0 \Rightarrow$ as exponential grows much faster than polynomial.

\Rightarrow horizontal asymptote $y=0$



Therefore, we have global min of 0 at $x=0$

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and global max of $\frac{2+2\sqrt{2}}{e^{\sqrt{2}}}$ at $x=-\sqrt{2}$