

3.6 Implicit Differentiation and Related Rates

Concept Questions

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- We differentiate both sides of $F(x, y) = 0$ with respect to x , then solve for dy/dx .
 - The Chain Rule is used to differentiate any expression involving the dependent variable y .
- $xg(y) + yf(x) = 0$. Differentiating both sides with respect to x gives $xg'(y)y' + g(y) + y'f(x) + yf'(x) = 0$, so $[xg'(y) + f(x)]y' = -[g(y) + yf'(x)]$, and finally $y' = -\frac{g(y) + yf'(x)}{f(x) + xg'(y)}$.
- Suppose x and y are two variables that are related by an equation. Furthermore, suppose x and y are both functions of a third variable t . (Normally t represents time.) Then a related rates problem involves finding dx/dt or dy/dt .
- See page 228 in the text.

Exercises

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- Solving for y in terms of x , we have $y = -\frac{1}{2}x + \frac{5}{2}$. Therefore, $y' = -\frac{1}{2}$.
 - Next, differentiating $x + 2y = 5$ implicitly, we have $1 + 2y' = 0$, or $y' = -\frac{1}{2}$.
- Solving for y in terms of x , we have $y = -\frac{3}{4}x + \frac{3}{2}$. Therefore, $y' = -\frac{3}{4}$.
 - Next, differentiating $3x + 4y = 6$ implicitly, we obtain $3 + 4y' = 0$, or $y' = -\frac{3}{4}$.
- $xy = 1$, $y = \frac{1}{x}$, and $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{1}{x^2}$.
 - $x\frac{dy}{dx} + y = 0$, so $x\frac{dy}{dx} = -y$ and $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{y}{x} = \frac{-1/x}{x} = -\frac{1}{x^2}$.
- Solving for y , we have $y(x-1) = 1$ or $y = (x-1)^{-1}$. Therefore, $y' = -(x-1)^{-2} = -\frac{1}{(x-1)^2}$.
 - Next, differentiating $xy - y - 1 = 0$ implicitly, we obtain $y + xy' - y' = 0$, or $y'(x-1) = -y$, so $y' = -\frac{y}{x-1} = -\frac{1}{(x-1)^2}$.
- $x^3 - x^2 - xy = 4$.
 - $-xy = 4 - x^3 + x^2$, so $y = -\frac{4}{x} + x^2 - x$ and $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4}{x^2} + 2x - 1$.
 - $x^3 - x^2 - xy = 4$, so $-x\frac{dy}{dx} = -3x^2 + 2x + y$, and therefore $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3x - 2 - \frac{y}{x} = 3x - 2 - \frac{1}{x}\left(-\frac{4}{x} + x^2 - x\right) = 3x - 2 + \frac{4}{x^2} - x + 1 = \frac{4}{x^2} + 2x - 1$.
- $x^2y - x^2 + y - 1 = 0$.
 - $(x^2 + 1)y = 1 + x^2$, or $y = \frac{1 + x^2}{1 + x^2} = 1$. Therefore, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$.
 - Differentiating implicitly, $x^2y' + 2xy - 2x + y' = 0$, so $(x^2 + 1)y' = 2x(1 - y)$, and thus $y' = \frac{2x(1 - y)}{x^2 + 1}$.
But from part (a), we know that $y = 1$, so $y' = \frac{2x(1 - 1)}{x^2 + 1} = 0$.

7. a. $\frac{x}{y} - x^2 = 1$ is equivalent to $\frac{x}{y} = x^2 + 1$, or $y = \frac{x}{x^2 + 1}$. Therefore, $y' = \frac{(x^2 + 1) - x(2x)}{(x^2 + 1)^2} = \frac{1 - x^2}{(x^2 + 1)^2}$.

b. Next, differentiating the equation $x - x^2y = y$ implicitly, we obtain $1 - 2xy - x^2y' = y'$, $y'(1 + x^2) = 1 - 2xy$, and thus $y' = \frac{1 - 2xy}{(1 + x^2)}$. This may also be written in the form $-2y^2 + \frac{y}{x}$. To show that this is equivalent to the

results obtained earlier, use the earlier value of y to get $y' = \frac{1 - 2x\left(\frac{x}{x^2 + 1}\right)}{1 + x^2} = \frac{x^2 + 1 - 2x^2}{(1 + x^2)^2} = \frac{1 - x^2}{(1 + x^2)^2}$.

8. a. $\frac{y}{x} - 2x^3 = 4$ is equivalent to $y = 2x^4 + 4x$. Therefore, $y' = 8x^3 + 4$.

b. Next, differentiating the equation $y - 2x^4 = 4x$ implicitly, we obtain $y' - 8x^3 = 4$, and so $y' = 8x^3 + 4$, as obtained earlier.

9. $x^2 + y^2 = 16$. Differentiating both sides of the equation implicitly, we obtain $2x + 2yy' = 0$, and so $y' = -x/y$.

10. $2x^2 + y^2 = 16$, $4x + 2y\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$ and $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{2x}{y}$.

11. $x^2 - 2y^2 = 16$. Differentiating implicitly with respect to x , we have $2x - 4y\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$, and so $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x}{2y}$.

12. $x^3 + y^3 + y - 4 = 0$. Differentiating both sides of the equation implicitly, we obtain $3x^2 + 3y^2y' + y' = 0$ or $y'(3y^2 + 1) = -3x^2$. Therefore, $y' = -\frac{3x^2}{3y^2 + 1}$.

13. $x^2 - 2xy = 6$. Differentiating both sides of the equation implicitly, we obtain $2x - 2y - 2xy' = 0$ and so $y' = \frac{x - y}{x} = 1 - \frac{y}{x}$.

14. $x^2 + 5xy + y^2 = 10$. Differentiating both sides of the equation implicitly, we obtain $2x + 5y + 5xy' + 2yy' = 0$, $2x + 5y + y'(5x + 2y) = 0$, and so $y' = -\frac{2x + 5y}{5x + 2y}$.

15. $x^2y^2 - xy = 8$. Differentiating both sides of the equation implicitly, we obtain $2xy^2 + 2x^2yy' - y - xy' = 0$, $2xy^2 - y + y'(2x^2y - x) = 0$, and so $y' = \frac{y(1 - 2xy)}{x(2xy - 1)} = -\frac{y}{x}$.

16. $x^2y^3 - 2xy^2 = 5$. Differentiating both sides of the equation implicitly, we obtain $2xy^3 + 3x^2y^2y' - 2y^2 - 4xyy' = 0$, $2y^2(xy - 1) + xy(3xy - 4)y' = 0$, and so $y' = \frac{2y(1 - xy)}{x(3xy - 4)}$.

17. $x^{1/2} + y^{1/2} = 1$. Differentiating implicitly with respect to x , we have $\frac{1}{2}x^{-1/2} + \frac{1}{2}y^{-1/2}\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$. Therefore, $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{x^{-1/2}}{y^{-1/2}} = -\frac{\sqrt{y}}{\sqrt{x}}$.

18. $x^{1/3} + y^{1/3} = 1$. Differentiating both sides of the equation implicitly, we obtain $\frac{1}{3}x^{-2/3} + \frac{1}{3}y^{-2/3}y' = 0$, so $y' = -\frac{x^{-2/3}}{y^{-2/3}} = -\frac{y^{2/3}}{x^{2/3}} = -\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^{2/3}$.

19. $\sqrt{x+y} = x$. Differentiating both sides of the equation implicitly, we obtain $\frac{1}{2}(x+y)^{-1/2}(1+y') = 1$, $1+y' = 2(x+y)^{1/2}$, and so $y' = 2\sqrt{x+y} - 1$.
20. $(2x+3y)^{1/3} = x^2$. Differentiating both sides of the equation implicitly, we obtain $\frac{1}{3}(2x+3y)^{-2/3}(2+3y') = 2x$, $2+3y' = 6x(2x+3y)^{2/3}$, and so $y' = \frac{2}{3}[3x(2x+3y)^{2/3} - 1]$.
21. $\frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{y^2} = 1$. Differentiating both sides of the equation implicitly, we obtain $-\frac{2}{x^3} - \frac{2}{y^3}y' = 0$, or $y' = -\frac{y^3}{x^3}$.
22. $\frac{1}{x^3} + \frac{1}{y^3} = 5$. Differentiating both sides of the equation implicitly, we obtain $-\frac{3}{x^4} - \frac{3}{y^4}y' = 0$, or $y' = -\frac{y^4}{x^4}$.
23. $\sqrt{xy} = x+y$. Differentiating both sides of the equation implicitly, we obtain $\frac{1}{2}(xy)^{-1/2}(xy'+y) = 1+y'$, so $xy'+y = 2\sqrt{xy}(1+y')$, $y'(x-2\sqrt{xy}) = 2\sqrt{xy}-y$, and so $y' = -\frac{2\sqrt{xy}-y}{2\sqrt{xy}-x} = \frac{2\sqrt{xy}-y}{x-2\sqrt{xy}}$.
24. $\sqrt{xy} = 2x+y^2$. Differentiating both sides of the equation implicitly, we obtain $\frac{1}{2}(xy)^{-1/2}(xy'+y) = 2+2yy'$, $xy'+y = 4\sqrt{xy}+4\sqrt{xy}yy'$, $y'(x-4y\sqrt{xy}) = 4\sqrt{xy}-y$, and so $y' = \frac{4\sqrt{xy}-y}{x-4y\sqrt{xy}}$.
25. $\frac{x+y}{x-y} = 3x$, or $x+y = 3x^2 - 3xy$. Differentiating both sides of the equation implicitly, we obtain $1+y' = 6x - 3xy' - 3y$, so $y' + 3xy' = 6x - 3y - 1$ and $y' = \frac{6x - 3y - 1}{3x + 1}$.
26. $\frac{x-y}{2x+3y} = 2x$, or $x-y = 4x^2 + 6xy$. Differentiating both sides of the equation implicitly, we have $1-y' = 8x + 6y + 6xy'$, so $y' + 6xy' = -8x - 6y + 1$ and $y' = -\frac{8x + 6y - 1}{6x + 1}$.
27. $xy^{3/2} = x^2 + y^2$. Differentiating implicitly with respect to x , we obtain $y^{3/2} + x\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)y^{1/2}\frac{dy}{dx} = 2x + 2y\frac{dy}{dx}$.
Multiply both sides by 2 to get $2y^{3/2} + 3xy^{1/2}\frac{dy}{dx} = 4x + 4y\frac{dy}{dx}$. Then $(3xy^{1/2} - 4y)\frac{dy}{dx} = 4x - 2y^{3/2}$, so $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2(2x - y^{3/2})}{3xy^{1/2} - 4y}$.
28. $x^2y^{1/2} = x + 2y^3$. Differentiating implicitly with respect to x , we have $2xy^{1/2} + \frac{1}{2}x^2y^{-1/2}y' = 1 + 6y^2y'$, so $4xy + x^2y' = 2y^{1/2} + 12y^{5/2}y'$, $y'(x^2 - 12y^{5/2}) = -4xy + 2y^{1/2}$, and $y' = \frac{2\sqrt{y} - 4xy}{x^2 - 12y^{5/2}}$.
29. $(x+y)^3 + x^3 + y^3 = 0$. Differentiating implicitly with respect to x , we obtain $3(x+y)^2\left(1 + \frac{dy}{dx}\right) + 3x^2 + 3y^2\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$, $(x+y)^2 + (x+y)^2\frac{dy}{dx} + x^2 + y^2\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$, $[(x+y)^2 + y^2]\frac{dy}{dx} = -[(x+y)^2 + x^2]$, and thus $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{2x^2 + 2xy + y^2}{x^2 + 2xy + 2y^2}$.

30. $(x + y^2)^{10} = x^2 + 25$. Differentiating both sides of this equation with respect to x , we obtain

$$10(x + y^2)^9(1 + 2yy') = 2x, \text{ so } 1 + 2yy' = \frac{2x}{10(x + y^2)^9}, 2yy' = \frac{2x}{10(x + y^2)^9} - 1, \text{ and } y' = \frac{x - 5(x + y^2)^9}{10y(x + y^2)^9}.$$

31. $4x^2 + 9y^2 = 36$. Differentiating the equation implicitly, we obtain $8x + 18yy' = 0$. At the point $(0, 2)$, we have $0 + 36y' = 0$, and the slope of the tangent line is 0. Therefore, an equation of the tangent line is $y = 2$.

32. $y^2 - x^2 = 16$. Differentiating both sides of this equation implicitly, we obtain $2yy' - 2x = 0$. At the point $(2, 2\sqrt{5})$, we have $4\sqrt{5}y' - 4 = 0$, or $y' = m = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{5}$. Using the point-slope form of an equation of a line, we have $y = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{5}x + \frac{8\sqrt{5}}{5}$.

33. $x^2y^3 - y^2 + xy - 1 = 0$. Differentiating implicitly with respect to x , we have $2xy^3 + 3x^2y^2 \frac{dy}{dx} - 2y \frac{dy}{dx} + y + x \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$.

At $(1, 1)$, $2 + 3 \frac{dy}{dx} - 2 \frac{dy}{dx} + 1 + \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$, and so $2 \frac{dy}{dx} = -3$ and $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{3}{2}$. Using the point-slope form of an equation of a line, we have $y - 1 = -\frac{3}{2}(x - 1)$, and the equation of the tangent line to the graph of the function f at $(1, 1)$ is $y = -\frac{3}{2}x + \frac{5}{2}$.

34. $(x - y - 1)^3 = x$. Differentiating both sides of the given equation implicitly, we obtain

$3(x - y - 1)^2(1 - y') = 1$. At the point $(1, -1)$, $3(1 + 1 - 1)^2(1 - y') = 1$ or $y' = \frac{2}{3}$. Using the point-slope form of an equation of a line, we have $y + 1 = \frac{2}{3}(x - 1)$ or $y = \frac{2}{3}x - \frac{5}{3}$.

35. $xy = 1$. Differentiating implicitly, we have $xy' + y = 0$, or $y' = -\frac{y}{x}$. Differentiating implicitly once again, we

have $xy'' + y' + y' = 0$. Therefore, $y'' = -\frac{2y'}{x} = \frac{2\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)}{x} = \frac{2y}{x^2}$.

36. $x^3 + y^3 = 28$. Differentiating implicitly, we have $3x^2 + 3y^2y' = 0$. Differentiating again, we

have $6x + 3y^2y'' + 6y(y')^2 = 0$. Thus, $y'' = -\frac{2y(y')^2 + 2x}{y^2}$. But $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{x^2}{y^2}$, and therefore,

$$y'' = -\frac{2y\left(\frac{x^4}{y^4}\right) + 2x}{y^2} = -\frac{2\left(\frac{x^4}{y^3} + x\right)}{y^2} = -\frac{2x(x^3 + y^3)}{y^5}.$$

37. $y^2 - xy = 8$. Differentiating implicitly we have $2yy' - y - xy' = 0$, and so $y' = \frac{y}{2y - x}$. Differentiating

implicitly again, we have $2(y')^2 + 2yy'' - y' - y' - xy'' = 0$, so $y'' = \frac{2y' - 2(y')^2}{2y - x} = \frac{2y'(1 - y')}{2y - x}$. Then

$$y'' = \frac{2\left(\frac{y}{2y - x}\right)\left(1 - \frac{y}{2y - x}\right)}{2y - x} = \frac{2y(2y - x - y)}{(2y - x)^3} = \frac{2y(y - x)}{(2y - x)^3}.$$

38. Differentiating $x^{1/3} + y^{1/3} = 1$ implicitly, we have $\frac{1}{3}x^{-2/3} + \frac{1}{3}y^{-2/3}y' = 0$ and $y' = -\frac{y^{2/3}}{x^{2/3}}$. Differentiating implicitly once again, we have

$$\begin{aligned} y'' &= -\frac{x^{2/3} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right) y^{-1/3} y' - y^{2/3} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right) x^{-1/3}}{x^{4/3}} = \frac{-\frac{2}{3}x^{2/3}y^{-1/3} \left(-\frac{y^{2/3}}{x^{2/3}}\right) + \frac{2}{3}y^{2/3}x^{-1/3}}{x^{4/3}} = \frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{y^{1/3} + y^{2/3}x^{-1/3}}{x^{4/3}}\right) \\ &= \frac{2y^{1/3}(x^{1/3} + y^{1/3})}{3x^{4/3}x^{1/3}} = \frac{2y^{1/3}}{3x^{5/3}}. \end{aligned}$$

39. a. Differentiating the given equation with respect to t , we obtain $\frac{dV}{dt} = \pi r^2 \frac{dh}{dt} + 2\pi r h \frac{dr}{dt} = \pi r \left(r \frac{dh}{dt} + 2h \frac{dr}{dt}\right)$.
 b. Substituting $r = 2$, $h = 6$, $\frac{dr}{dt} = 0.1$, and $\frac{dh}{dt} = 0.3$ into the expression for $\frac{dV}{dt}$, we obtain $\frac{dV}{dt} = \pi(2)[2(0.3) + 2(6)(0.1)] = 3.6\pi$, and so the volume is increasing at the rate of 3.6π in³/sec.

40. Let $(x, 0)$ and $(0, y)$ denote the position of the two cars. Then

$D^2 = x^2 + y^2$. Differentiating with respect to t , we obtain

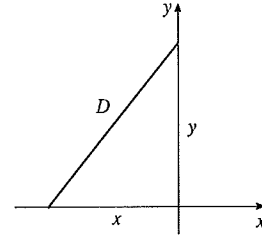
$$2D \frac{dD}{dt} = 2x \frac{dx}{dt} + 2y \frac{dy}{dt}, \text{ so } D \frac{dD}{dt} = x \frac{dx}{dt} + y \frac{dy}{dt}. \text{ When } t = 4, x = -20,$$

and $y = 28$, $\frac{dx}{dt} = -9$ and $\frac{dy}{dt} = 11$. Therefore,

$$\left(\sqrt{(-20)^2 + (28)^2}\right) \frac{dD}{dt} = (-20)(-9) + (28)(11) = 488, \text{ and so}$$

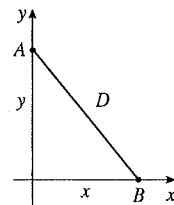
$$\frac{dD}{dt} = \frac{488}{\sqrt{1184}} = 14.18 \text{ ft/sec. Thus, the distance is changing at the rate}$$

of 14.18 ft/sec.



41. We are given $\frac{dp}{dt} = 2$ and wish to find $\frac{dx}{dt}$ when $x = 9$ and $p = 63$. Differentiating the equation $p + x^2 = 144$ with respect to t , we obtain $\frac{dp}{dt} + 2x \frac{dx}{dt} = 0$. When $x = 9$, $p = 63$, and $\frac{dp}{dt} = 2$, we have $2 + 2(9) \frac{dx}{dt} = 0$, and so $\frac{dx}{dt} = -\frac{1}{9} \approx -0.111$. Thus, the quantity demanded is decreasing at the rate of approximately 111 tires per week.
42. $p = \frac{1}{2}x^2 + 48$. Differentiating implicitly, we have $\frac{dp}{dt} - x \frac{dx}{dt} = 0$, so $-x \frac{dx}{dt} = -\frac{dp}{dt}$, and thus $\frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{dp/dt}{x}$. When $x = 6$, $p = 66$, and $\frac{dp}{dt} = -3$, we have $\frac{dx}{dt} = -\frac{3}{6} = -\frac{1}{2}$, or $\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)(1000) = -500$ tires/week.
43. $100x^2 + 9p^2 = 3600$. Differentiating the given equation implicitly with respect to t , we have $200x \frac{dx}{dt} + 18p \frac{dp}{dt} = 0$. Next, when $p = 14$, the given equation yields $100x^2 + 9(14)^2 = 3600$, so $100x^2 = 1836$, or $x \approx 4.2849$. When $p = 14$, $\frac{dp}{dt} = -0.15$, and $x \approx 4.2849$, we have $200(4.2849) \frac{dx}{dt} + 18(14)(-0.15) = 0$, and so $\frac{dx}{dt} \approx 0.0441$. Thus, the quantity demanded is increasing at the rate of approximately 44 headphones per week.
44. $625p^2 - x^2 = 100$. Differentiating the given equation implicitly with respect to t , we have $1250p \frac{dp}{dt} - 2x \frac{dx}{dt} = 0$. To find p when $x = 25$, we solve the equation $625p^2 - 625 = 100$, obtaining $p = \sqrt{\frac{725}{625}} \approx 1.0770$. Therefore, $1250(1.077)(-0.02) - 2(25) \frac{dx}{dt} = 0$, and so $\frac{dx}{dt} = -0.5385$. We conclude that the supply is falling at the rate of 539 dozen eggs per week.
45. Differentiating $625p^2 - x^2 = 100$ implicitly, we have $1250p \frac{dp}{dt} - 2x \frac{dx}{dt} = 0$. When $p = 1.0770$, $x = 25$, and $\frac{dx}{dt} = -1$, we find that $1250(1.077) \frac{dp}{dt} - 2(25)(-1) = 0$, and so $\frac{dp}{dt} = -\frac{50}{1250(1.077)} = -0.037$. We conclude that the price is decreasing at the rate of 3.7 cents per carton.

46. $p = -0.01x^2 - 0.1x + 6$. Differentiating the given equation with respect to p , we obtain $1 = -0.02x \frac{dx}{dp} - 0.1 \frac{dx}{dp} = -(0.02x + 0.1) \frac{dx}{dp}$. When $x = 10$, we have $1 = -[0.02(10) + 0.1] \frac{dx}{dp}$, so $\frac{dx}{dp} = -\frac{1}{0.3} = -\frac{10}{3}$. Also, for this value of x , $p = -0.01(100) - 0.1(10) + 6 = 4$. Therefore, for these values of x and p , $E(p) = -\frac{pf'(p)}{f(p)} = -\frac{p \frac{dx}{dp}}{f(p)} = -\frac{4\left(-\frac{10}{3}\right)}{10} = \frac{4}{3} > 1$, and so the demand is elastic.
47. $p = -0.01x^2 - 0.2x + 8$. Differentiating the given equation implicitly with respect to p , we have $1 = -0.02x \frac{dx}{dp} - 0.2 \frac{dx}{dp} = -[0.02x + 0.2] \frac{dx}{dp}$, so $\frac{dx}{dp} = -\frac{1}{0.02x + 0.2}$. When $x = 15$, $p = -0.01(15)^2 - 0.2(15) + 8 = 2.75$, and so $\frac{dx}{dp} = -\frac{1}{0.02(15) + 0.2} = -2$. Therefore, $E(p) = -\frac{pf'(p)}{f(p)} = -\frac{(2.75)(-2)}{15} \approx 0.37 < 1$, and the demand is inelastic.
48. a. The required output is $Q(16, 81) = 5(16^{1/4})(81^{3/4}) = 270$, or \$270,000.
- b. Rewriting $5x^{1/4}y^{3/4} = 270$ as $x^{1/4}y^{3/4} = 54$ and differentiating implicitly, we have $\frac{1}{4}x^{-3/4}y^{3/4} + x^{1/4}\left(\frac{3}{4}y^{-1/4}\frac{dy}{dx}\right) = 0$, so $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{1}{4}x^{-3/4}y^{3/4}\left(\frac{4}{3}x^{-1/4}y^{1/4}\right) = -\frac{y}{3x}$. If $x = 16$ and $y = 81$, then $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{81}{3 \cdot 16} = -1.6875$. Thus, to keep the output constant at \$270,000, the amount spent on capital should decrease by \$1687.50 per \$1000 in labor spending. The MRTS is \$1687.50 per thousand dollars.
49. a. The required output is $Q(32, 243) = 20(32^{3/5})(243^{2/5}) = 1440$, or \$1440 billion.
- b. Differentiating $20x^{3/5}y^{2/5} = 1440$ implicitly with respect to x , we have $20\left(\frac{3}{5}x^{-2/5}y^{2/5}\right) + 20\left(x^{3/5}\right)\left(\frac{2}{5}y^{-3/5}\frac{dy}{dx}\right) = 0$, so $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{3}{5}x^{-2/5}y^{2/5}\left(\frac{5}{2}x^{-3/5}y^{3/5}\right) = -\frac{3y}{2x}$. If $x = 32$ and $y = 243$, then $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{3 \cdot 243}{2 \cdot 32} \approx -11.39$, so the amount spent on capital should decrease by approximately \$11.4 billion. The MRTS is \$11.4 billion per billion dollars.
50. $V = x^3$, so $\frac{dV}{dt} = 3x^2 \frac{dx}{dt}$. When $x = 5$ and $\frac{dx}{dt} = 0.1$, we have $\frac{dV}{dt} = 3(25)(0.1) = 7.5 \text{ in}^3/\text{sec}$.
51. $A = \pi r^2$. Differentiating with respect to t , we obtain $\frac{dA}{dt} = 2\pi r \frac{dr}{dt}$. When the radius of the circle is 60 ft and increasing at the rate of $\frac{1}{2}$ ft/sec, $\frac{dA}{dt} = 2\pi(60)\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = 60\pi \text{ ft}^2/\text{sec}$. Thus, the area is increasing at a rate of approximately $188.5 \text{ ft}^2/\text{sec}$.
52. Let D denote the distance between the two ships, x the distance that ship A traveled north, and y the distance that ship B traveled east. Then $D^2 = x^2 + y^2$. Differentiating implicitly, we have $2D \frac{dD}{dt} = 2x \frac{dx}{dt} + 2y \frac{dy}{dt}$, so $D \frac{dD}{dt} = x \frac{dx}{dt} + y \frac{dy}{dt}$. At 1 p.m., $x = 12$ and $y = 15$, so $\sqrt{144 + 225} \frac{dD}{dt} = (12)(12) + (15)(15)$. Thus, $\frac{dD}{dt} = \frac{369}{\sqrt{369}} \approx 19.21 \text{ ft/sec}$.

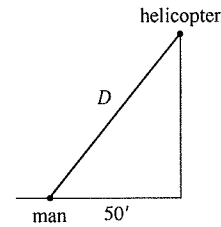


53. $A = \pi r^2$, so $r = \left(\frac{A}{\pi}\right)^{1/2}$. Differentiating with respect to t , we obtain $\frac{dr}{dt} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{A}{\pi}\right)^{-1/2} \frac{dA}{dt}$. When the area of the spill is $1600\pi \text{ ft}^2$ and increasing at the rate of $80\pi \text{ ft}^2/\text{sec}$, $\frac{dr}{dt} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1600\pi}{\pi}\right)^{-1/2} (80\pi) = \pi \text{ ft/sec}$. Thus, the radius is increasing at the rate of approximately 3.14 ft/sec.

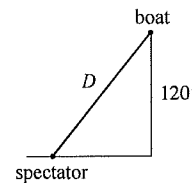
54. Let D denote the distance between the two cars, x the distance traveled by the car heading east, and y the distance traveled by the car heading north. Then $D^2 = x^2 + y^2$. Differentiating with respect to t , we have $2D \frac{dD}{dt} = 2x \frac{dx}{dt} + 2y \frac{dy}{dt}$, so $D \frac{dD}{dt} = x \frac{dx}{dt} + y \frac{dy}{dt}$. Notice also that $\frac{dx}{dt} = 2t + 1$ and $\frac{dy}{dt} = 2t + 3$. When $t = 5$, $x = 5^2 + 5 = 30$, $y = 5^2 + 3(5) = 40$, $\frac{dx}{dt} = 2(5) + 1 = 11$, and $\frac{dy}{dt} = 2(5) + 3 = 13$, so $\frac{dD}{dt} = \frac{(30)(11) + (40)(13)}{\sqrt{900 + 1600}} = 17 \text{ ft/sec}$.

55. Let $(x, 0)$ and $(0, y)$ denote the position of the two cars at time t . Then $y = t^2 + 2t$. Now $D^2 = x^2 + y^2$ so $2D \frac{dD}{dt} = 2x \frac{dx}{dt} + 2y \frac{dy}{dt}$ and thus $D \frac{dD}{dt} = x \frac{dx}{dt} + (t^2 + 2t)(2t + 2)$. When $t = 4$, we have $x = -20$, $\frac{dx}{dt} = -9$, and $y = 24$, so $\sqrt{(-20)^2 + (24)^2} \frac{dD}{dt} = (-20)(-9) + (24)(10)$, and therefore $\frac{dD}{dt} = \frac{420}{\sqrt{976}} \approx 13.44$. That is, the distance is changing at approximately 13.44 ft/sec.

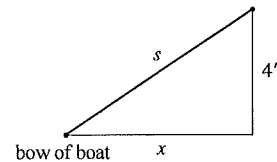
56. $D^2 = x^2 + (50)^2 = x^2 + 2500$. Differentiating implicitly with respect to t , we have $2D \frac{dD}{dt} = 2x \frac{dx}{dt}$, so $\frac{dD}{dt} = \frac{x \frac{dx}{dt}}{D}$. When $x = 120$ and $\frac{dx}{dt} = 44$, $\frac{dD}{dt} = \frac{(120)(44)}{\sqrt{(120)^2 + (50)^2}} \approx 40.6$, and so the distance between the helicopter and the man is increasing at the rate of 40.6 ft/sec.



57. Referring to the diagram, we see that $D^2 = 120^2 + x^2$. Differentiating this last equation with respect to t , we have $2D \frac{dD}{dt} = 2x \frac{dx}{dt}$, and so $\frac{dD}{dt} = \frac{x \frac{dx}{dt}}{D}$. When $x = 50$ and $\frac{dx}{dt} = 20$, $D = \sqrt{120^2 + 50^2} = 130$ and $\frac{dD}{dt} = \frac{(20)(50)}{130} \approx 7.69$, or 7.69 ft/sec.



58. By the Pythagorean Theorem, $s^2 = x^2 + 4^2 = x^2 + 16$. We want to find $\frac{ds}{dt}$ when $x = 25$, given that $\frac{dx}{dt} = -3$. Differentiating both sides of the equation with respect to t yields $2s \frac{ds}{dt} = 2x \frac{dx}{dt}$, or $\frac{ds}{dt} = \frac{s \frac{dx}{dt}}{x}$. Now when $x = 25$, $s^2 = 25^2 + 16 = 641$ and $s = \sqrt{641}$. Therefore, when $x = 25$, we have $\frac{ds}{dt} = \frac{\sqrt{641}(-3)}{25} \approx -3.04$; that is, the boat is approaching the dock at the rate of approximately 3.04 ft/sec.



59. Let V and S denote its volume and surface area. Then we are given that $\frac{dV}{dt} = kS$, where k is the constant of proportionality. But from $V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$, we find, upon differentiating both sides with respect to t , that $\frac{dV}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{4}{3}\pi r^3 \right) = 4\pi r^2 \frac{dr}{dt} = kS = k(4\pi r^2)$. Therefore, $\frac{dr}{dt} = k$ a constant.

60. Let V denote the volume of the soap bubble and r its radius. Then, we are given $\frac{dV}{dt} = 8$. Differentiating the formula $V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$ with respect to t , we find $\frac{dV}{dt} = \left(\frac{4}{3} \right) (3\pi r^2 \frac{dr}{dt}) = 4\pi r^2 \frac{dr}{dt}$, so $\frac{dr}{dt} = \frac{dV/dt}{4\pi r^2}$. When $r = 10$, we have $\frac{dr}{dt} = \frac{8}{4\pi(10^2)} \approx 0.0064$. Thus, the radius is increasing at the rate of approximately 0.0064 cm/sec. From $s = 4\pi r^2$, we find $\frac{ds}{dt} = 4\pi(2r) \frac{dr}{dt} = 8\pi r \frac{dr}{dt}$. Therefore, when $r = 10$, we have $\frac{ds}{dt} = 8\pi(10)(0.0064) \approx 1.6$. Thus, the surface area is increasing at the rate of approximately 1.6 cm²/sec.

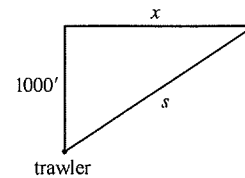
61. We are given that $\frac{dx}{dt} = 264$. Using the Pythagorean Theorem,

$$s^2 = x^2 + 1000^2 = x^2 + 1,000,000. \text{ We want to find } \frac{ds}{dt} \text{ when}$$

$s = 1500$. Differentiating both sides of the equation with respect to t ,

we have $2s \frac{ds}{dt} = 2x \frac{dx}{dt}$ and so $\frac{ds}{dt} = \frac{x \frac{dx}{dt}}{s}$. When $s = 1500$, we have

$1500^2 = x^2 + 1,000,000$, or $x = \sqrt{1,250,000}$. Therefore, $\frac{ds}{dt} = \frac{\sqrt{1,250,000} \cdot (264)}{1500} \approx 196.8$, that is, the aircraft is receding from the trawler at the speed of approximately 196.8 ft/sec.

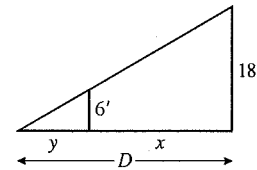


62. The volume V of the water in the pot is $V = \pi r^2 h = \pi(16)h = 16\pi h$. Differentiating with respect to t , we obtain $\frac{dV}{dt} = 16\pi \frac{dh}{dt}$. Therefore, with $\frac{dh}{dt} = 0.4$, we find $\frac{dV}{dt} = 16\pi(0.4) \approx 20.1$; that is, water is being poured into the pot at the rate of approximately 20.1 cm³/sec.

63. $\frac{y}{6} = \frac{y+x}{18}$, $18y = 6(y+x)$, so $3y = y+x$, $2y = x$, and $y = \frac{1}{2}x$.

Thus, $D = y + x = \frac{3}{2}x$. Differentiating implicitly, we have

$\frac{dD}{dt} = \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt}$, and when $\frac{dx}{dt} = 6$, $\frac{dD}{dt} = \frac{3}{2}(6) = 9$, or 9 ft/sec.



64. Differentiating $x^2 + y^2 = 400$ with respect to t gives $2x \frac{dx}{dt} + 2y \frac{dy}{dt} = 0$. When $x = 12$, we have $144 + y^2 = 400$, or $y = \sqrt{256} = 16$. Therefore, with $x = 12$, $\frac{dx}{dt} = 5$, and $y = 16$, we find $2(12)(5) + 2(16) \frac{dy}{dt} = 0$, or $\frac{dy}{dt} = -3.75$. Thus, the top of the ladder is sliding down the wall at the rate of 3.75 ft/sec.

65. Differentiating $x^2 + y^2 = 13^2 = 169$ with respect to t gives

$2x \frac{dx}{dt} + 2y \frac{dy}{dt} = 0$. When $x = 12$, we have $144 + y^2 = 169$, or $y = 5$.

Therefore, with $x = 12$, $y = 5$, and $\frac{dx}{dt} = 8$, we find

$2(12)(8) + 2(5) \frac{dy}{dt} = 0$, or $\frac{dy}{dt} = -19.2$. Thus, the top of the ladder is sliding down the wall at the rate of 19.2 ft/sec.

