

## Today's Learning Goal(s):

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

By the end of the class, I will be able to:

- a) solve problems related to real-world applications of sinusoidal functions.

## "Show What You Know" 6.2 is Today

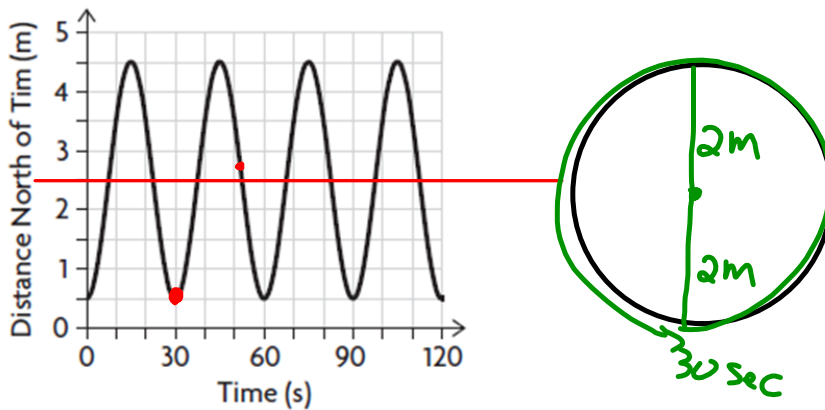
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## 6.7 Solving Problems Using Sinusoidal Models

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Ex. 1 Tim has a model train that goes around a circular train track, and Tim is standing directly south of the track.

The graph below shows the train's distance north of Tim as a function of time.



- What is the equation of the axis of the function?  $y = 2.5$
- What is the amplitude of the function, and what does it represent in this situation??  $a = 2$ ; the radius of the track
- What is the period of the function, and what does it represent in this situation??  $30$  s; time for 1 lap around the track
- What is the range of the function?  $\{y \in \mathbf{R} / 0.5 \leq y \leq 4.5\}$
- Determine the equation of the sinusoidal function.  $y = -2 \cos(12x) + 2.5$
- What is the train's distance north of Tim at  $t = 52$  s?

e) start at  $t = 30$ sSub  $t = 52$  s in equation above, then  $y = 2.709$  m

$$y = -2 \cos(12(t-30)) + 2.5$$

f) if  $t = 52$ 

$$\begin{aligned} y &= -2 \cos(12(52-30)) + 2.5 \\ &= -2 \cos(12(22)) + 2.5 \\ &= -2 \cos(264) + 2.5 \\ &\approx 2.709 \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} k &= \frac{360}{30} \text{ } \leftarrow \text{period} \\ &= 12 \dots \end{aligned}$$

Ex. 2

A Ferris wheel with radius 20 metres rotates once every 40 seconds.

Passengers get on at the bottom of the wheel, which is 1 metre off the ground.

Suppose you get on, and the wheel starts to rotate.

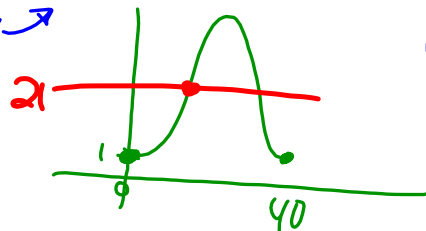
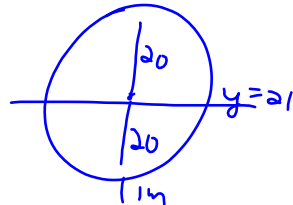
a) Write a sinusoidal equation which expresses your height as a function of elapsed time.

$$a = 20 \text{ (radius)}$$

$$\text{period} = 40 \text{ Sec}$$

$$C = 21 \quad \because y = 21 \rightarrow$$

$$k = \frac{360}{40} \\ = 9$$



$$h(t) = -20 \cos(9t) + 21$$

$$y = -20 \cos(9(t-0)) + 21 \\ = -20 \cos(9t) + 21$$

b) Calculate your height after 15 seconds.

35.14 m

$$\text{if } h(15) = -20 \cos(9(15)) + 21 \\ t = 15 \text{ sec} \quad = -20 \cos(135) + 21 \\ = 35.14$$

c) If you are on the Ferris wheel for 5 minutes, how many complete rotations will you have completed?

$$5 \text{ min} \\ = 300 \text{ Sec}$$

$$\frac{300}{40}$$

(7.5)

7 complete rotations

$$= 7.5$$

**Are there any Homework Questions you would like to see on the board?**

Last day's work: pp. 391-393 #1 – 6, 9, 12 [13,14]

Today's Homework Practice includes:

pp. 398-401 #1 – 4, 6, 7, 9 [13]

Tomorrow's Review:

pp. 404-405 #1 – 3, 6, 8 – 10, 12, 13