

Relate Rates

- (1) A water tank has the shape of an inverted circular cone with base radius 2 m and height 4m. If water is being pumped into the tank at a rate of $2 \text{ m}^3/\text{min}$, find the rate at which the water level is rising when the water is 3 m deep.
- (2) A boat is pulled into a dock by a rope attached to the bow of the boat and passing through a pulley on the dock that is 1 m higher than the bow of the boat. If the rope is pulled in at a rate of 1 m/s how fast is the boat approaching the dock when it is 8 m from the dock?

(3) Gravel is being dumped from a conveyor belt at a rate of $30 \text{ ft}^3/\text{min}$ and its coarseness is such that it forms a pile in the precise shape of a cone whose base diameter and height are always equal. How fast is the height of the pile increasing when the pile is 10 ft high?

(4) A lighthouse is on a small island 3 km away from the nearest point P on the straight shoreline and its light turns four revolutions per minute. How fast is the beam of light moving along the shoreline when it is 1 km from P? (Hint: four revolutions per minute means that the relevant angle is changing at $4 \cdot 2\pi$ radians per minute).