

HATT Chap 3 Practice

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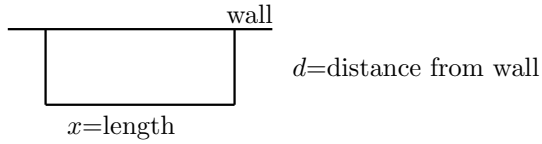
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1. Two cars are approaching an intersection. One is 1 mile south of the intersection and is moving at a constant speed of 40 mph. At the same time, the other car is 2 miles east of the intersection and is moving at a constant speed of 10 mph.

(a) Express the distance d between the cars as a function of time t .

(b) For what value of t is d smallest?

2. A farmer wants make a rectangular garden by forming three sides of fencing against an existing wall. She has 100 feet of fencing.



- (a) Express an area Function $f(x)$ that computes the area of the garden based on the length x , and state its domain.

- (b) Express an area Function $g(x)$ that computes the area of the garden based on the distance d from the wall, and state its domain.

- (c) Use your calculator to graph and discover the range of possible areas of the garden

- (d) What is the best distance d for the most area?

3. A rectangle has one corner on the graph of $f(x) = 9 - x^2$, another at the origin, a third on the positive y -axis, and the fourth on the positive x -axis.

(a) Express the area A as a function of x .

(b) For what value of x is A the largest?

(c) What *is* the domain of A ?

(d) What *is* the range of A ?

4. Let $P = (x, f(x))$ be a point on the graph of $f(x) = x^2 - 25$.

(a) Express the distance d from P to the point $(0, 0)$ as a function of x .

(b) What is d if $x = 2$?