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 - b) the angular velocity of a point in the center of the wheel. 1256.6 rad/min
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$$500 \cdot 2\pi = 1000\pi = \omega$$
$$\frac{3}{2} \cdot 1000\pi = 1500\pi = 4712.4 \text{ m/min}$$
$$3000\pi \frac{\text{m}}{\text{min}}$$

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$$\frac{2\pi}{24} = \frac{\pi}{12} \text{ radians/hr}$$

- c) Find the linear velocity of the same point in miles per hour.

$$4000 \cdot \frac{\pi}{12} = \frac{1000}{3}\pi = 1047.2 \text{ mph}$$

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$$1 \text{ rev} / 20 \text{ sec} = 3 \text{ rev} / \text{min}$$

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$$(25) 6\pi = 150\pi = 471.2 \text{ ft/min}$$

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Linear velocity

$$60 \text{ km/hr} = 1 \text{ km/min} = \frac{1}{60} \text{ km/sec} = 166.7 \text{ cm/sec}$$

$$v = r\omega$$

$$\omega = \frac{v}{r}$$

$$\omega = \frac{166.7}{33} \approx 3.21 \text{ Rad/sec}$$

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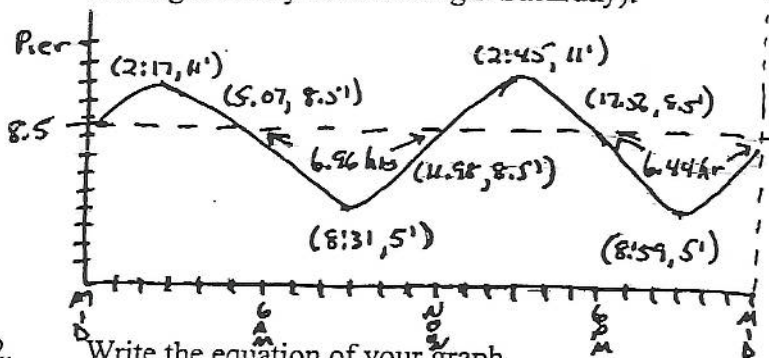
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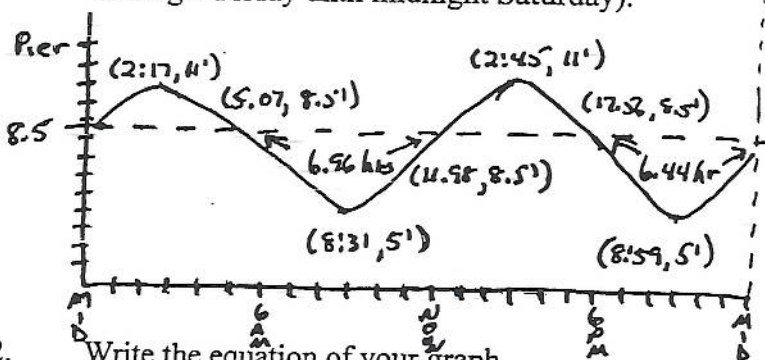
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