

Two boaters leave Ludington, Michigan, at 8:00 A.M. One is going to Manitowoc, Wisconsin, at a direction of  $150^\circ$ . The other heads for Milwaukee at a direction of  $200^\circ$ . Manitowoc is about 70 miles from Ludington; Milwaukee is about 107 miles. The radios on the boats are good for distances up to 60 miles.

- a. With Ludington as the origin, set up a coordinate system. What are the coordinates of Manitowoc and Milwaukee?



$$\text{Man} = \langle 70 \cos 150^\circ, 70 \sin 150^\circ \rangle \\ \langle -60.6, 35 \rangle$$

$$M:I = \langle 107 \cos 200^\circ, 107 \sin 200^\circ \rangle \\ \langle -100.55, -36.59 \rangle$$

- b. Sketch a vector diagram if the boat to Manitowoc travels at 10 mph and the boat to Milwaukee travels at 12 mph.

How far from each other are the boats at 9:00 A.M.? At 11:00 A.M.?

$$\text{Man} = \begin{aligned} x &= 10 \cos 150^\circ t = -8.66t \\ y &= 10 \sin 150^\circ t = 5t \end{aligned} \quad M:I \quad \begin{aligned} x &= 12 \cos 200^\circ t = -11.28t \\ y &= 12 \sin 200^\circ t = -4.1t \end{aligned}$$

- c. At about what time will they lose radio contact?

$$D = rt$$

2:21 pm

$$60 = 9.448t$$

$$\frac{60}{9.448} = 6.35 \\ (.35)(60) \approx 21$$

- d. How far from their destinations are the boats when they lose radio contact?

$$t = 6.35$$

min

$$x = -8.66(6.35)$$

$$y = 5(6.35)$$

$$\underline{\langle -54.991, 31.75 \rangle}$$

min

$$x = -11.28(6.35)$$

$$y = -4.1(6.35)$$

$$\langle -71.628, -26.035 \rangle$$

$\nwarrow$   
min

$$\langle -71.628 - (-54.991), -26.035 - 31.75 \rangle$$

$$70 - \text{mag}$$

$$\langle -16.637, -57.785 \rangle$$

$$107 - \text{mag}$$

$$70 - 63.499$$

$$6.5$$

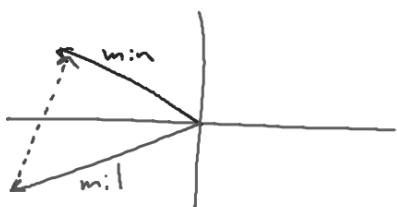
$$107 - 76.21$$

$$30.79$$

b)  $t=1$  (9:00 am)

$$\text{min} \langle -8.66, 5 \rangle$$

$$\text{mil} \langle -11.2, -4.1 \rangle$$



$$\text{mil} - \text{min}$$

$$\langle -11.2 - (-8.66), -4.1 - 5 \rangle$$

$$\langle -2.54, -9.1 \rangle$$

$$\text{mag} = \sqrt{(-2.54)^2 + (-9.1)^2} = 9.448 \text{ miles}$$

$t=3$  (11:00 am)

$$\text{man} = \langle -25.98, 15 \rangle$$

$$\text{mil} = \langle -33.6, -12.3 \rangle$$

$$\langle -33.6 - (-25.98), -12.3 - 15 \rangle$$

$$\langle -7.62, -27.3 \rangle$$

$$\sqrt{(-7.62)^2 + (-27.3)^2} = 28.344 \text{ mi}$$