

## 1 | boatman problem

Target displacement:  $\langle 3\text{km}, 2\text{km} \rangle$

We are working with the velocities of the boat and the river. The velocity of the river is defined as  $r = \langle 0, -3.5 \rangle$ . We want to find vector  $v = \langle v_x, v_y \rangle$  s.t.

$$\begin{aligned} |v| &= 13 \text{ km/h} \\ \lambda(v + r) &= \langle 3, 2 \rangle \end{aligned}$$

Where the trip will take  $\lambda$  hours

$$\begin{aligned} v_x^2 + v_y^2 &= 13^2 \\ \lambda(v_x + 0) &= 3 \\ \lambda(v_y + -3.5) &= 2 \\ v_x &= \frac{3}{\lambda} \\ v_y &= \frac{2}{\lambda} + 3.5 \\ \frac{3^2}{\lambda^2} + \left(\frac{2}{\lambda} + 3.5\right)^2 &= 13^2 \\ \frac{3^2}{\lambda^2} + \frac{2^2}{\lambda^2} + 3.5^2 + \frac{4(3.5)}{\lambda} &= 13^2 \\ \frac{3^2 + 2^2}{\lambda^2} + \frac{4(3.5)}{\lambda} &= 13^2 - 3.5^2 \\ 13 + 4(3.5)\lambda &= \lambda^2 (156.75) \\ -156.75\lambda^2 + 14^2 + 13 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$