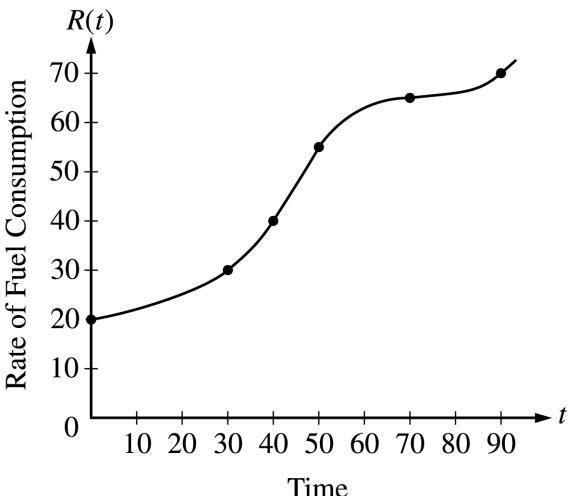


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t (minutes)	$R(t)$ (gallons per minute)
0	20
30	30
40	40
50	55
70	65
90	70

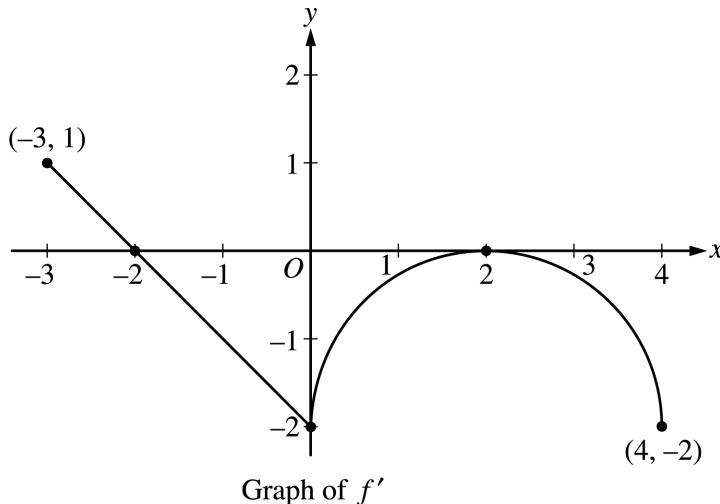
3. The rate of fuel consumption, in gallons per minute, recorded during an airplane flight is given by a twice-differentiable and strictly increasing function R of time t . The graph of R and a table of selected values of $R(t)$, for the time interval $0 \leq t \leq 90$ minutes, are shown above.
- (a) Use data from the table to find an approximation for $R'(45)$. Show the computations that lead to your answer. Indicate units of measure.
- (b) The rate of fuel consumption is increasing fastest at time $t = 45$ minutes. What is the value of $R''(45)$? Explain your reasoning.
- (c) Approximate the value of $\int_0^{90} R(t) dt$ using a left Riemann sum with the five subintervals indicated by the data in the table. Is this numerical approximation less than the value of $\int_0^{90} R(t) dt$? Explain your reasoning.
- (d) For $0 < b \leq 90$ minutes, explain the meaning of $\int_0^b R(t) dt$ in terms of fuel consumption for the plane. Explain the meaning of $\frac{1}{b} \int_0^b R(t) dt$ in terms of fuel consumption for the plane. Indicate units of measure in both answers.

END OF PART A OF SECTION II

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SECTION II, Part B
Time—45 minutes
Number of problems—3

No calculator is allowed for these problems.



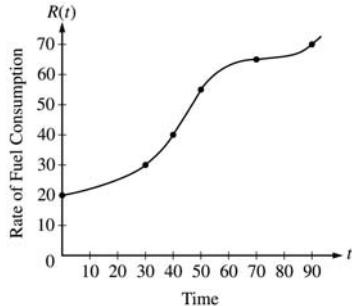
4. Let f be a function defined on the closed interval $-3 \leq x \leq 4$ with $f(0) = 3$. The graph of f' , the derivative of f , consists of one line segment and a semicircle, as shown above.
- On what intervals, if any, is f increasing? Justify your answer.
 - Find the x -coordinate of each point of inflection of the graph of f on the open interval $-3 < x < 4$. Justify your answer.
 - Find an equation for the line tangent to the graph of f at the point $(0, 3)$.
 - Find $f(-3)$ and $f(4)$. Show the work that leads to your answers.
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Question 3

The rate of fuel consumption, in gallons per minute, recorded during an airplane flight is given by a twice-differentiable and strictly increasing function R of time t . The graph of R and a table of selected values of $R(t)$, for the time interval $0 \leq t \leq 90$ minutes, are shown above.

- (a) Use data from the table to find an approximation for $R'(45)$. Show the computations that lead to your answer. Indicate units of measure.
- (b) The rate of fuel consumption is increasing fastest at time $t = 45$ minutes. What is the value of $R''(45)$? Explain your reasoning.
- (c) Approximate the value of $\int_0^{90} R(t) dt$ using a left Riemann sum with the five subintervals indicated by the data in the table. Is this numerical approximation less than the value of $\int_0^{90} R(t) dt$? Explain your reasoning.
- (d) For $0 < b \leq 90$ minutes, explain the meaning of $\int_0^b R(t) dt$ in terms of fuel consumption for the plane. Explain the meaning of $\frac{1}{b} \int_0^b R(t) dt$ in terms of fuel consumption for the plane. Indicate units of measure in both answers.



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$$(a) R'(45) \approx \frac{R(50) - R(40)}{50 - 40} = \frac{55 - 40}{10} \\ = 1.5 \text{ gal/min}^2$$

2 : $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 1 : \text{a difference quotient using} \\ \text{numbers from table and} \\ \text{interval that contains 45} \\ 1 : 1.5 \text{ gal/min}^2 \end{array} \right.$

$$(b) R''(45) = 0 \text{ since } R'(t) \text{ has a maximum at} \\ t = 45.$$

2 : $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 1 : R''(45) = 0 \\ 1 : \text{reason} \end{array} \right.$

$$(c) \int_0^{90} R(t) dt \approx (30)(20) + (10)(30) + (10)(40) \\ + (20)(55) + (20)(65) = 3700$$

2 : $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 1 : \text{value of left Riemann sum} \\ 1 : \text{"less" with reason} \end{array} \right.$

Yes, this approximation is less because the graph of R is increasing on the interval.

$$(d) \int_0^b R(t) dt \text{ is the total amount of fuel in} \\ \text{gallons consumed for the first } b \text{ minutes.}$$

2 : meanings
 1 : meaning of $\int_0^b R(t) dt$
 3 : $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 1 : \text{meaning of } \frac{1}{b} \int_0^b R(t) dt \\ <-1> \text{ if no reference to time } b \\ 1 : \text{units in both answers} \end{array} \right.$

$\frac{1}{b} \int_0^b R(t) dt$ is the average value of the rate of fuel consumption in gallons/min during the first b minutes.