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Clear your desk of everything excepts pens, pencils and erasers. **Show all your work.**

If you have a question raise your hand and I will come to you.

1. **Multiple Choice. Circle the best answer. No partial credit available**

(a) (1 point) Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$, where y and x satisfy the implicit equation: $\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y} = 9$

- A. $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\sqrt{\frac{y}{x}}$
B. $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\sqrt{x} - 9}{\sqrt{x}}$
C. $\frac{dy}{dx} = (9 - \sqrt{x})^2$
D. $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$
E. None of the above.

Solution:

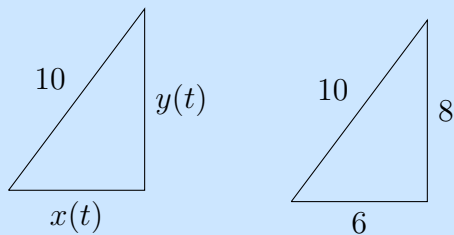
$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y} &= 9 \\ \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} + \frac{y'}{2\sqrt{y}} &= 0 \\ \frac{y'}{2\sqrt{y}} &= \frac{-1}{2\sqrt{x}} \\ y' &= -\frac{\sqrt{y}}{\sqrt{x}} \\ y' &= \frac{\sqrt{x} - 9}{\sqrt{x}}\end{aligned}$$

(b) (1 point) Find the slope of the tangent line of the graph given by $\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y} = 9$ through the point (25, 16).

- A. 16
B. -16
C. -1/10
D. $-4/5$
E. None of the above.

Solution: Plut in $x = 25$, and $y = 16$ into the formula from part (a).

2. (2 points) The top of a 10 foot ladder, leaning against a vertical wall, is slipping down the wall at a rate of 4 feet per second. How fast is the bottom of the ladder sliding along the ground away from the wall when the bottom of the ladder is 6 feet away from the base of the wall?



Solution: Consider the pictures

$$\begin{aligned}y^2 + x^2 &= 10 \\2y \cdot y' + 2x \cdot x' &= 0 \\y \cdot y' + x \cdot x' &= 0 \\(8)(-4) + (6)x' &= 0 \\x' &= 16/3\end{aligned}$$