**3.** [10 points] Horatio the Daring is performing a dangerous stunt. Helicopter A and Helicopter B are circling around Horatio to film the event. Let t be the amount of time, in minutes, since the start of Horatio's stunt.

A top-down view of the flight paths is shown at right. The locations of the helicopters at t = 0 are labeled A and B, respectively, and Horatio's location is labeled H (at the origin).

All distances are measured in kilometers (km). The helicopters are flying counter-clockwise around Horatio in perfect circles at a constant height above the ground.



**a**. [4 points] Helicopter A moves at a constant speed of 0.7 km/min around a circle of radius 2.1 km. Write a formula for the function a(t) that gives the *y*-coordinate of Helicopter A at time *t*.

## Answer: a(t) =\_\_\_\_\_

**b**. [6 points] The x-coordinate of Helicopter B at time t is given by the formula

$$b(t) = -3.8 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{32}t\right).$$

Find <u>all</u> values of t during the first hour of the stunt at which the location of Helicopter B has x-coordinate less than or equal to -3. Give your answer as one or more intervals, with endpoints in <u>exact form</u>.