## Helpful? hints for 25.13

- Stare, transfixed, at [CO pg 969].
- Then actually read it.
- Note that unit vectors  $\hat{i}$ ,  $\hat{j}$  and  $\hat{k} = \hat{e}_z$  are constant in time.
- But unit vectors  $\hat{\mathbf{e}}_{\scriptscriptstyle R}, \hat{\mathbf{e}}_{\scriptscriptstyle \phi}$  are not constant in time.

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{\hat{\mathbf{e}}}_{\phi} &= -\hat{\mathbf{e}}_{R} \dot{\phi} \\ \hat{\mathbf{e}}_{R} &= \hat{\mathbf{i}} \cos \phi + \hat{\mathbf{j}} \sin \phi \\ \hat{\mathbf{e}}_{\phi} &= -\hat{\mathbf{i}} \sin \phi + \hat{\mathbf{j}} \cos \phi \end{aligned}$$