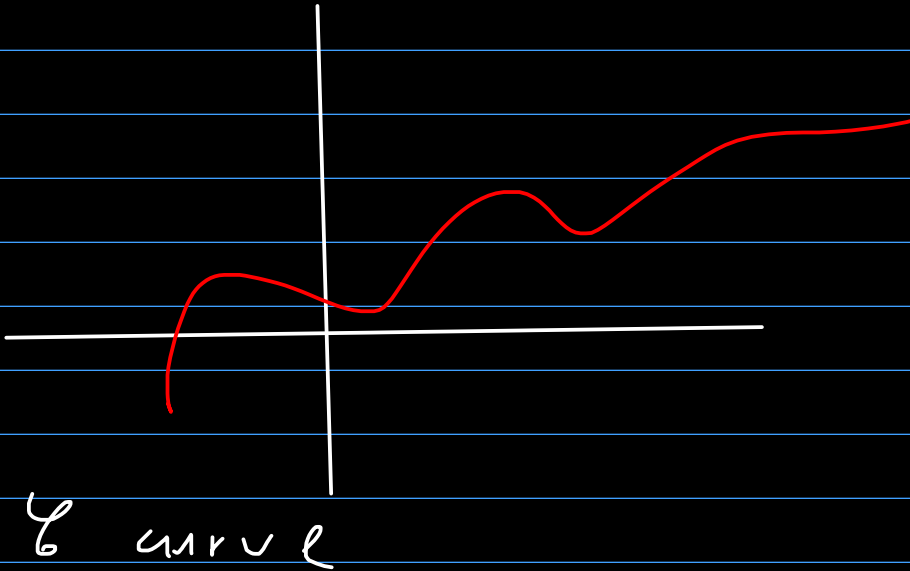


Seminar W8 - 915

Curves



- given parametrically: $\gamma : \begin{cases} x = x(t) \\ y = y(t) \\ z = z(t) \end{cases}$

$$\gamma: \gamma: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 \text{ (resp. } \mathbb{R}^3 \text{)}$$

$$t \mapsto (x(t), y(t), z(t))$$

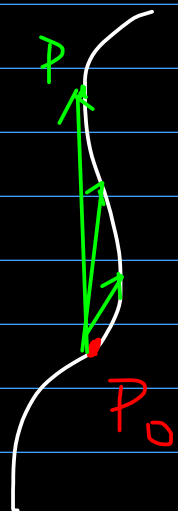
$$\gamma = \gamma(0, r) : \gamma : \begin{cases} x = r \cos t \\ y = r \sin t \end{cases}, t \in [0, 2\pi)$$

• given implicitly

→ in 2D : $f(x, y) = 0$

→ in 3D :
$$\begin{cases} f_1(x, y, z) = 0 \\ f_2(x, y, z) = 0 \end{cases}$$

• \mathcal{C} curve, the tangent to \mathcal{C} in the point P_0 is a line that contains the point P_0 whose direction is given by :



$$\vec{t} = \lim_{\substack{P \rightarrow P_0 \\ P \in \mathcal{C}}} \frac{\overrightarrow{P_0 P}}{\|\overrightarrow{P_0 P}\|}$$

• If \mathcal{C} is given parametrically by :

$$\varphi : \begin{cases} x = x(t) \\ y = y(t) \\ z = z(t) \end{cases} \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \gamma = \gamma(t)$$

$$\lim_{P \rightarrow P_0} \frac{\overrightarrow{P_0 P}}{\|\overrightarrow{P_0 P}\|} = \frac{(x(t) - x(t_0), y(t) - y(t_0), z(t) - z(t_0))}{\|\overrightarrow{P_0 P}\|} =$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} \left(\frac{x(t) - x(t_0)}{t - t_0}, \frac{y(t) - y(t_0)}{t - t_0}, \frac{z(t) - z(t_0)}{t - t_0} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow T_{\varphi}(t=t_0) = \gamma'(t_0)$$

$$T_{\varphi}(t=t_0) : \frac{x - x(t_0)}{x'(t_0)} = \frac{y - y(t_0)}{y'(t_0)} = \frac{z - z(t_0)}{z'(t_0)}$$

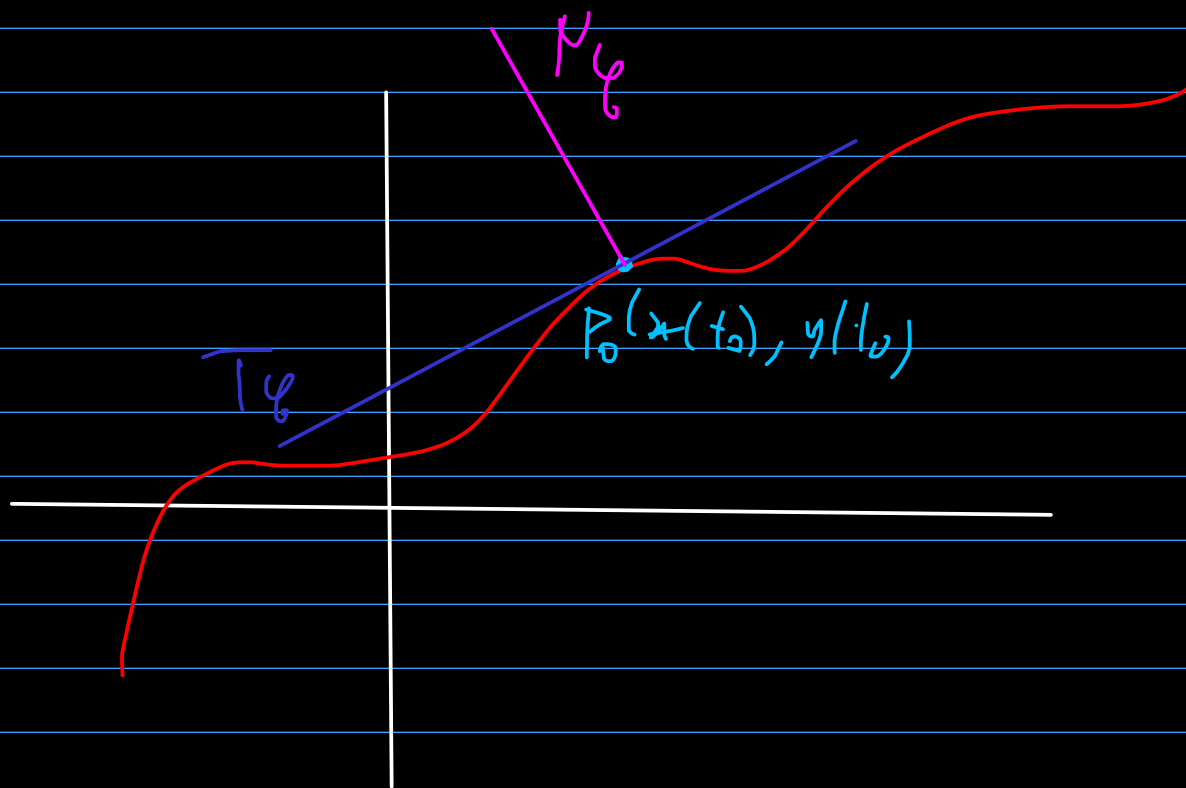
$$(\text{in } \mathbb{R}^3) \quad m_{T_{\varphi}(t=t_0)} = \frac{y'(t_0)}{x'(t_0)}$$

• if γ is planar (in 2D):

normal line = line that contains P_0 and
in P_0
is perpendicular to
the tangent

$$N_\gamma(t=t_0) : -\frac{x'(t_0)}{y'(t_0)} \cdot (x - x(t_0)) = \\ = y - y(t_0) \Leftrightarrow$$

$$\Leftrightarrow y'(t_0) \cdot (y - y(t_0)) + x'(t_0) \cdot (x - x(t_0)) = 0$$



• If \mathcal{C} is spatial (in 3D)

normal plane = the plane perpendicular
in P_0 to the tangent line in P_0
and containing P_0

$$N_{\mathcal{C}}(t=t_0): x'(t_0) \cdot (x - x(t_0)) + y'(t_0) \cdot (y - y(t_0)) + z'(t_0) \cdot (z - z(t_0)) = 0$$

• If \mathcal{C} is given implicitly
(and is planar), then:

$$\mathcal{C}: f(x, y) = 0$$

$$T_{\mathcal{C}}(x_0, y_0): \underbrace{f'_x(x_0, y_0) \cdot (x - x_0)}_{\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0)} + \underbrace{f'_y(x_0, y_0) \cdot (y - y_0)}_{\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(x_0, y_0)} = 0$$

$$N_{\gamma}(x_0, y_0): \quad \frac{x - x_0}{\gamma'_x(x_0, y_0)} = \frac{y - y_0}{\gamma'_y(x_0, y_0)}$$

8.1. Show that the angle between the tangent of the circular helix:

$$\gamma: \begin{cases} x = a \cdot \cos t \\ y = a \cdot \sin t \\ z = bt \end{cases}, t \in \mathbb{R}$$

and the z -axis is constant.

$$x'(t) = -a \sin t$$

$$y'(t) = a \cos t$$

$$z'(t) = b$$

$$T_{\gamma}(t=t_0) : \frac{x - a \cos t_0}{-a \sin t_0} = \frac{y - a \sin t_0}{a \cos t_0} = \frac{z - bt_0}{b}$$

$$\vec{v}_{T_C} (-a \sin t_0, a \cos t_0, b)$$

$$\vec{v}_{Oz} (0, 0, 1)$$

$$m(T_C(t=t_0), Oz) = \arccos \frac{\vec{v}_{T_C} \cdot \vec{v}_{Oz}}{\|\vec{v}_{T_C}\| \cdot \|\vec{v}_{Oz}\|} =$$

$$= \arccos \frac{b}{\sqrt{a^2 \sin^2 t_0 + a^2 \cos^2 t_0 + b^2}} =$$

$$= \arccos \frac{b}{\sqrt{a^2 (\sin^2 t_0 + \cos^2 t_0) + b^2}} =$$

$= \arccos \frac{b}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}$ does not depend
on $t_0 \Rightarrow$ the angle between the tangent
and the z -axis is constant.

7-8. Write the equations of the tangent line and the normal plane for the following curve.

$$\gamma: \begin{cases} x = e^t \cos 3t \\ y = e^t \sin 3t \\ z = e^{-2t} \end{cases} \quad \text{at the}$$

points corresponding to the values $t=0$ and $t=\frac{\pi}{4}$ of the parameter.

$$x'(t) = e^t \cdot \cos(3t) - 3 \cdot e^t \sin(3t) \Rightarrow x'(0) = 1$$

$$y'(t) = e^t \cdot \sin(3t) + 3 \cdot e^t \cos(3t) \Rightarrow y'(0) = 3$$

$$z'(t) = -2 \cdot e^{-2t} \Rightarrow z'(0) = -2$$

$$T_{\gamma}(t=0): \frac{x-x(0)}{x'(0)} = \frac{y-y(0)}{y'(0)} = \frac{z-z(0)}{z'(0)}$$

$$x(0) = 1, \quad y(0) = 0, \quad z(0) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow T_C(t=0): \frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y}{3} = \frac{z-1}{-2}$$

$$\Rightarrow N_C(t=0): x'(0) \cdot (x-x(0)) + y'(0) \cdot (y-y(0)) + z'(0) \cdot (z-z(0)) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow N_C(t=0): 1 \cdot (x-1) + 3 \cdot y + (-2) \cdot (z-1) = 0$$

8.2 Find the equation of the tangent line

and the normal line to the curve

$$C: x^3 - x^2y^4 + y - x + 2 = 0$$

in the point $P_0(0, -2)$

$$f(x, y) = x^3 - x^2y^4 + y - x + 2$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(x, y) = 3x^2 - 2xy^4 - 1$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(x, y) = -4x^2y^3 + 1$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(0, 2) = -1$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(0, 2) = 1$$

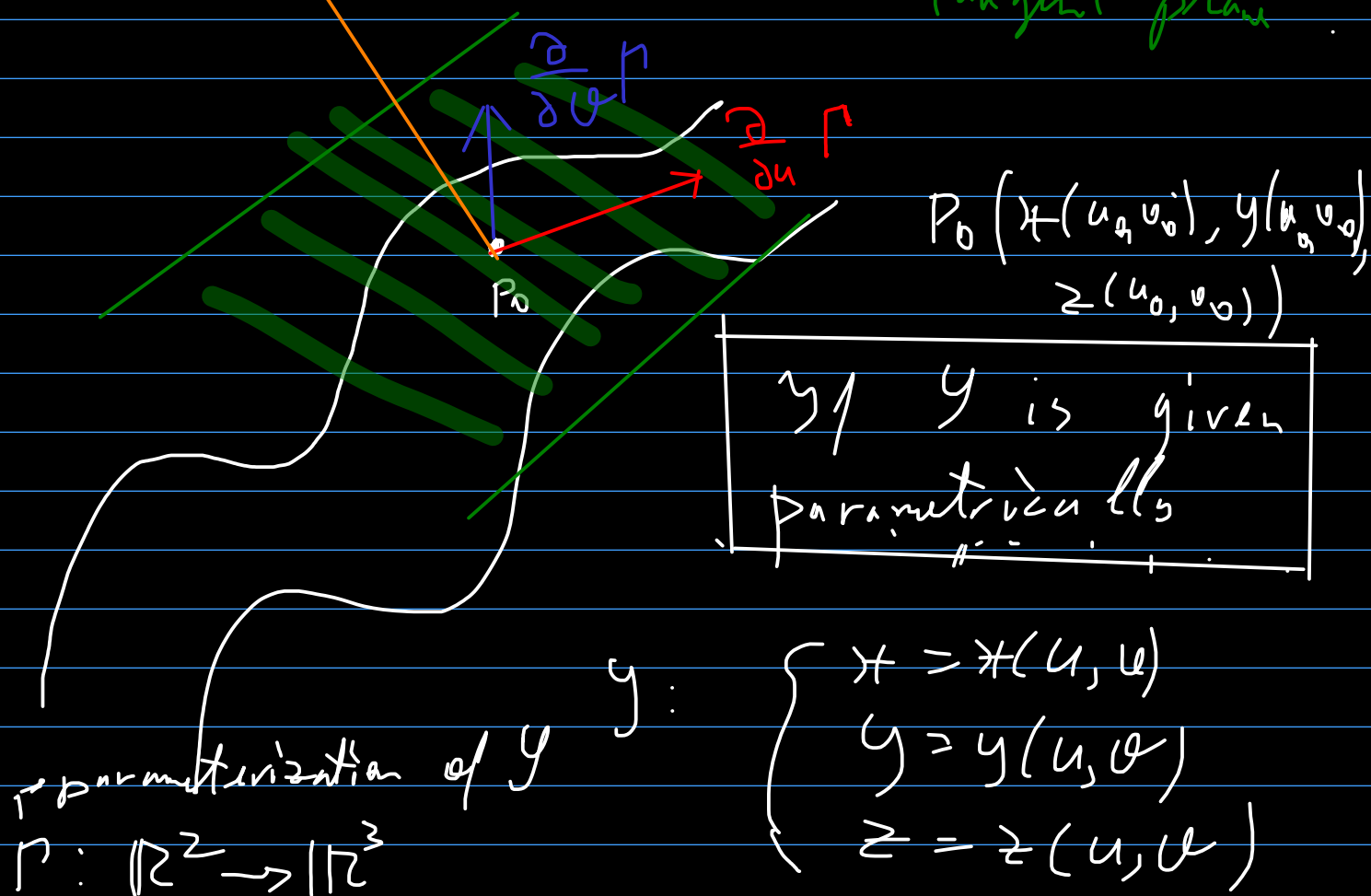
$$\Rightarrow T_f(0, 2): -x + y - 2 = 0$$

$$N_f(0, 2): \frac{x}{-1} = \frac{y-2}{1}$$

$$N_y(u=u_0, v=v_0) = N_y(p_0)$$

Surface

tangent plane



$$(u, v) \mapsto (x(u, v), y(u, v), z(u, v))$$

Ex.: y sphere centered in O
with radius r

$$y: \begin{cases} x = \cos u \cdot \cos v \\ y = \cos u \cdot \sin v \\ z = \sin u \end{cases}$$

$$T_y(u=u_0, v=v_0) :$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} x - x(u_0, v_0) & y - y(u_0, v_0) & z - z(u_0, v_0) \\ \frac{\partial x}{\partial u}(u_0, v_0) & \frac{\partial y}{\partial u}(u_0, v_0) & \frac{\partial z}{\partial u}(u_0, v_0) \\ \frac{\partial x}{\partial v}(u_0, v_0) & \frac{\partial y}{\partial v}(u_0, v_0) & \frac{\partial z}{\partial v}(u_0, v_0) \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow T_y(u=u_0, v=v_0) :$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial y}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial z}{\partial u} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial v} & \frac{\partial z}{\partial v} \end{vmatrix} \cdot (x - x(u_0, v_0)) +$$

$$+ \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial z}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial u} \\ \frac{\partial z}{\partial v} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial v} \end{vmatrix} \cdot (y - y(u_0, v_0)) +$$

$$+ \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial u} \\ \frac{\partial x}{\partial v} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial v} \end{vmatrix} \cdot (z - z(u_0, v_0)) = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)}$$

$$N_y(P_0): \quad \frac{x - x(u_0, v_0)}{\frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)}} = \frac{y - y(u_0, v_0)}{\frac{\partial(z, x)}{\partial(u, v)}} = \frac{z - z(u_0, v_0)}{\frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)}}$$

If y is given implicitly

$$y: \quad f(x, y, z) = 0$$

$$T_y(x_0, y_0, z_0) :$$

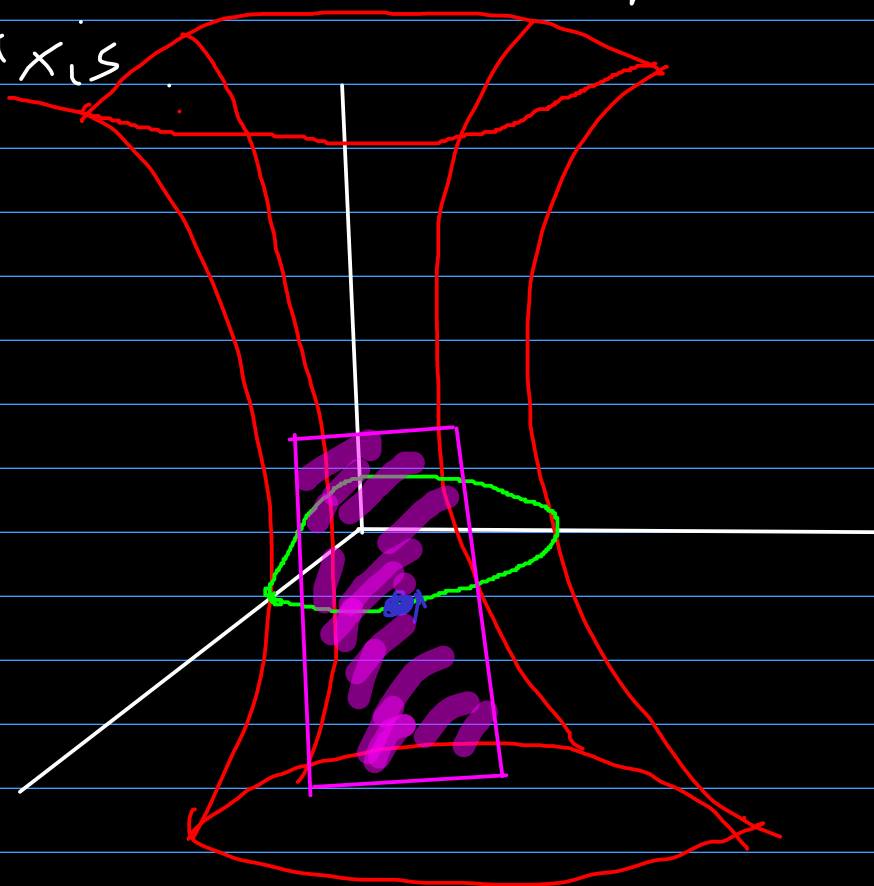
$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0, z_0) \cdot (x - x_0) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(x_0, y_0, z_0) \cdot (y - y_0) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z}(x_0, y_0, z_0) \cdot (z - z_0) = 0$$

$$N_y(x_0, y_0, z_0) :$$

$$\frac{x - x_0}{\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0, z_0)} = \frac{y - y_0}{\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(x_0, y_0, z_0)} = \frac{z - z_0}{\frac{\partial f}{\partial z}(x_0, y_0, z_0)}$$

8.9. Write the equations of the tangent planes of the hyperboloid of one sheet
$$H: x^2 + y^2 - z^2 = 1$$

at the points of the form $(x_0, y_0, 0)$ and show that they are parallel to the z -axis



$$f(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 - z^2 - 1 = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = 2x, \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 2y, \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} = -2z$$

$$\Rightarrow T_{\gamma} (x_0, y_0, 0) \cdot$$

$$2x_0 \cdot (x - x_0) + 2y_0(y - y_0) - 2z_0(z - z_0) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow T_{\gamma}: x_0(x - x_0) + y_0(y - y_0) = 0$$

$$\vec{n}_{T_{\gamma}(x_0, y_0, 0)} (x_0, y_0, 0)$$

$$\vec{v}_{0z} = (0, 0, 1)$$

$$\text{Because } \vec{n}_{T_{\gamma}(x_0, y_0, z_0)} \cdot \vec{v}_{0z} \neq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \neq 1 \parallel T_{\gamma}(x_0, y_0, 0)$$