

Seminar WS - 916

Curves: (2D/3D)

→ given parametrically: $\mathcal{C} : \begin{cases} x = x(t) \\ y = y(t) \\ z = z(t) \end{cases}$

→ given implicitly

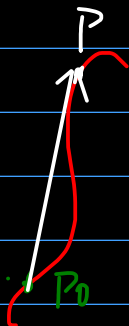
— (planar) $f(x, y) = 0$

— (spatial) $\begin{cases} f_1(x, y, z) = 0 \\ f_2(x, y, z) = 0 \end{cases}$

The tangent to the curve \mathcal{C} at the point P_0

is a line that contains P_0 and has a

direction specified by the vector:



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

1. If C is given parametrically by

$$C: \begin{cases} x = x(t) \\ y = y(t) \\ z = z(t) \end{cases}$$

then the tangent line to C in the point P_0 ($t = t_0$) is:

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

→ if C is in $z \perp$

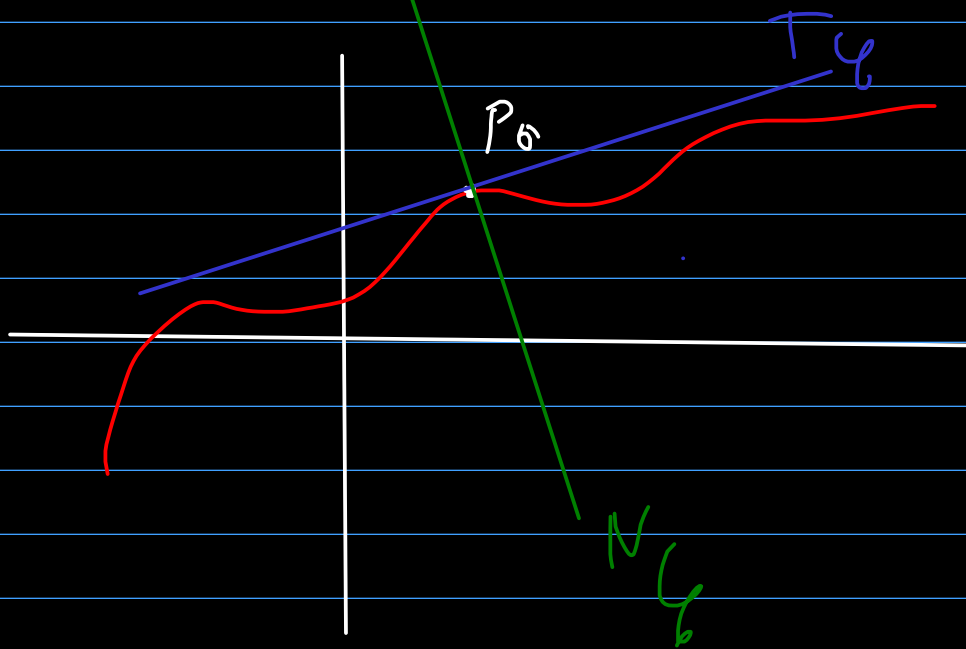
normal line = line \perp the tangent and

contains the point P_0

$$m_{T_C} = \frac{y'(t_0)}{x'(t_0)} \Rightarrow m_{N_C} = \frac{-x'(t_0)}{y'(t_0)}$$

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

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

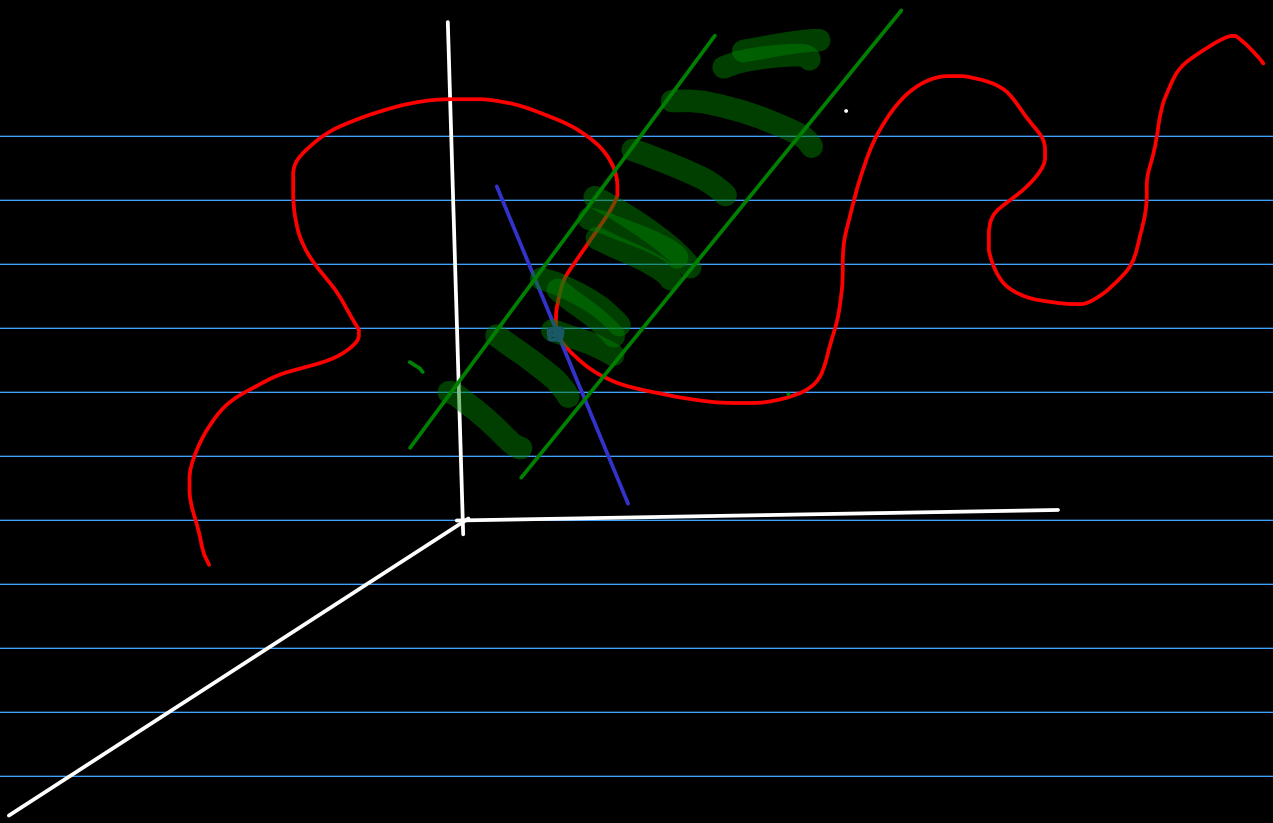


- if \mathcal{C} is in 3D

normal plane = plane that is perp
to the tangent and contains 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) \rightarrow i.e. it is in \mathbb{R}^2 then

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

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

$$N_{\mathcal{C}}(x_0, y_0): \frac{x - x_0}{f'_x(x_0, y_0)} = \frac{y - y_0}{f'_y(x_0, y_0)}$$

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

$$\mathcal{C}: \begin{cases} x = a \cos t \\ y = a \sin t \\ z = bt \end{cases}$$

and the z -axis is constant.

$$\tau_{\mathcal{C}}(t=t_0): \frac{x - x(t_0)}{x'(t_0)} = \frac{y - y(t_0)}{y'(t_0)} = \frac{z - z(t_0)}{z'(t_0)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x - a \cos(t_0)}{-a \sin t_0} = \frac{y - a \sin(t_0)}{a \cos t_0} = \frac{z - bt_0}{b}$$

$$\rightarrow \vec{v}_{\tau_{\mathcal{C}}}(t=t_0) = (-a \sin t_0, a \cos t_0, b)$$

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

$$m(\tau_{\mathcal{C}}, Oz) = \arccos \frac{\vec{v}_{\tau_{\mathcal{C}}} \cdot \vec{v}_{Oz}}{\|\vec{v}_{\tau_{\mathcal{C}}}\| \cdot \|\vec{v}_{Oz}\|}$$

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

$$= \arccos \frac{b}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} \text{ does not depend}$$

on $t_0 \Rightarrow$ g.l.d.

8.8. Write the equation of the tangent line and the normal plane for the curve:

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

at the point $t=0$.

$$x'(t) = e^t \cos 3t - 3e^t \sin 3t$$

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

$$z'(t) = -2e^{-2t}$$

$$\Rightarrow x'(0) = 1, y'(0) = 3, z'(0) = -2$$

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

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

$$T_{\mathcal{C}}(t=0): \frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y}{3} = \frac{z-1}{-2}$$

$$N_{\mathcal{C}}(t=0): 1 \cdot (x-1) + 3 \cdot y + (-2) \cdot (z-1) = 0$$

8. ? Find the equation of the tangent line and normal line to the curve \mathcal{C} at the point $P_0(1,0)$

$$\mathcal{C}: x^3 - x^2y + y^4 - 1 = 0$$

$$f(x,y) = x^3 - x^2y + y^4 - 1$$

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

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

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

$$\Rightarrow T_{\zeta}(1, 0) : 3 \cdot (x - 1) - y = 0$$

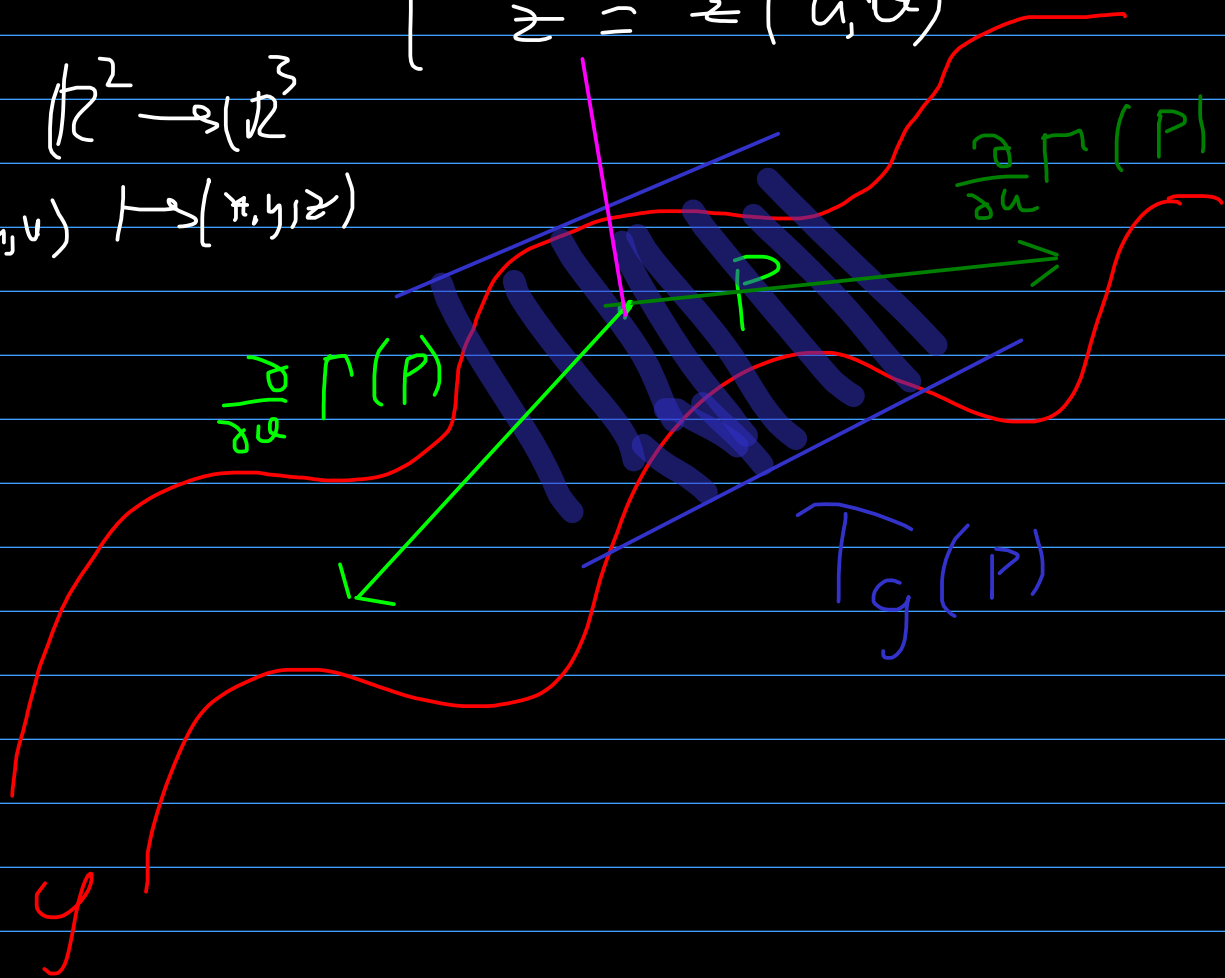
$$N_{\zeta}(1, 0) : \frac{x-1}{3} = \frac{y}{-1}$$

Surfaces

→ given parametrically:

$$\gamma: \begin{cases} x = x(u, v) \\ y = y(u, v) \\ z = z(u, v) \end{cases}$$

$$\Gamma: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3 \\ (u, v) \mapsto (x, y, z)$$



The tangent plane to γ in $P(u_0, v_0)$

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

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

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

→ if the surface is given implicitly,
 $y: f(x, y, z) = 0$

$$T_y(x_0, y_0, z_0): f'_x(x_0, y_0, z_0) \cdot (x - x_0) + f'_y(x_0, y_0, z_0) \cdot (y - y_0) + f'_z(x_0, y_0, z_0) \cdot (z - z_0) = 0$$

$$N_y(x_0, y_0, z_0): \frac{x - x_0}{f'_x(x_0, y_0, z_0)} = \frac{y - y_0}{f'_y(x_0, y_0, z_0)} = \frac{z - z_0}{f'_z(x_0, y_0, z_0)}$$

8.9- Write the equations of the tangent planes of the hyperboloid of one sheet

$$x^2 + y^2 - z^2 = 1$$

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

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

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

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

$$T_y(x_0, y_0, 0) : 2x_0 \cdot (x - x_0) + 2y_0 \cdot (y - y_0) = 0$$

$$\vec{n}_{T_y(x_0, y_0, 0)}(2x_0, 2y_0, 0)$$

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

$$\vec{n}_{T_y(x_0, y_0, 0)} \cdot \vec{u}_{Oz} = 0 \Rightarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow 0z + \vec{n}_{T_y(x_0, y_0, 0)} \cdot \vec{u}_{Oz} = 0$$

8.?? γ sphere

$$\gamma: \begin{cases} x = \cos u \cdot \cos v \\ y = \cos u \cdot \sin v \\ z = \sin u \end{cases} \Rightarrow \Gamma = \Gamma(t)$$

Write the equation of the tangent plane to γ at the point $(0, 0, 1)$ (i.e. the point corresponding to $u = \frac{\pi}{2}, v = 0$)

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial u} \Gamma = (-\sin u \cos v, -\sin u \sin v, \cos u)$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial v} \Gamma = (-\cos u \sin v, \cos u \cos v, 0)$$

$$T_\gamma: \begin{vmatrix} x & y & z-1 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

\Rightarrow the parameterization is wrong!