



LINEAR ALGEBRA, CALCULUS & STATISTICS

**UNIT-II**

**DIFFERENTIAL CALCULUS**

**TUTORIAL SHEET - 1**

1. If  $(-1, -\sqrt{3})$  are Cartesian coordinates of a point in plane, the corresponding polar coordinates are \_\_\_\_\_  
Ans:  $(2, 4\pi/3)$
2. If  $(\sqrt{2}, 5\pi/4)$  are the polar coordinates of a point in plane, the corresponding Cartesian Coordinates are \_\_\_\_\_  
Ans:  $(-1, -1)$
3. The circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2ax = 0$  in polar form is \_\_\_\_\_  
Ans:  $(r = 2a \cos(\theta))$
4. The polar equation  $\theta - k = 0$ , geometrically represents \_\_\_\_\_  
Ans: (straight lines)
5. If two polar curves  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  are orthogonal, then value of  $\cot(\varphi_1) \cot(\varphi_2) =$  \_\_\_\_\_ Ans: -1
6. Find the angle of intersection between the polar curves  
 $r = \frac{k\theta}{1+\theta}$  and  $r = \frac{k}{1+\theta^2}$  Ans:  $\tan^{-1}(3)$
7. Show that the angle made by the tangent and the normal at any point  $P(r, \theta)$  on the curve Lemniscate  $r^2 = a^2 \cos(2\theta)$  with the initial line is  $'3\theta'$ .



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8. Show that the tangents to the cardioid  $r = a(1 + \cos\theta)$  at  $\theta = \pi/3$  and  $\theta = 2\pi/3$  are respectively parallel and perpendicular to the initial line.
9. Show that the circle  $r = b$  intersects the curve  $r^2 = a^2 \cos(2\theta) + b^2$ , at an angle given by  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{a^2}{b^2}\right)$
10. Find the angle of intersection between the curves  $r = a(1 + \sin\theta)$  and  $r = a(1 - \sin\theta)$ : Ans:  $\pi/2$

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**TUTORIAL SHEET - 2**

1. The curvature of a circle  $s = a\psi$  at any point is \_\_\_\_\_

Ans: ( $\kappa = 1/a$ )

2. The radius of curvature for straight line  $y = mx + c$  is \_\_\_\_\_

Ans: ( $\rho = \infty$ , not defined)

3. The curvature of the curve  $y = e^x$  at the point where it crosses the y-axis is \_\_\_\_\_

Ans: ( $\kappa = \frac{1}{2^{3/2}}$ )

4. The Taylor series expansion of  $\log(x)$  about  $x = 1$  up to second degree term is \_\_\_\_\_

Ans:  $\log(x) = (x - 1) - \frac{(x-1)^2}{2} + \dots \infty$

5. The Maclaurin series expansion of  $\cos(x)$  is \_\_\_\_\_

Ans:  $\cos(x) = 1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} - \dots \infty$

6. Show that the radius of curvature of the Folium  $x^3 + y^3 = 3axy$  at the point  $(3a/2, 3a/2)$  is given by  $-\frac{3a}{8\sqrt{2}}$ .

7. Find the radius of curvature of the curve  $y^2 = \frac{4a^2(2a-x)}{x}$  where the curve meets the x-axis.

8. For the curve  $y = \frac{ax}{a+x}$ , show that  $\left(\frac{2\rho}{a}\right)^{\frac{2}{3}} = \left(\frac{x}{y}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^2$

9. Find the radius of curvature of the  $x = a \log(\sec t + \tan t)$ ,  
 $y = a \sec t$ .

Ans:  $\rho = a \sec^2 t$

10. Show that the curvature of the tractrix  $x = a[\cos t + \log \tan(\frac{t}{2})]$ ,  
 $y = a \sin t$  at any point is given by  $\kappa = \frac{\tan t}{a}$

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11. Find the coordinates of the centre of curvature at  $(at^2, 2at)$  on the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ .

Ans:  $((\bar{x}, \bar{y}) = ((2 + 3t)at^2, -4\sqrt{2}at^{3/2})$

12. Find the circle of curvature at the point  $(a/4, a/4)$  for the curve  $\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y} = \sqrt{a}$ .

Ans:  $\left(x - \frac{3a}{4}\right) + \left(y + \frac{3a}{4}\right) = \frac{a^2}{2}$

13. Find the radius of curvature of the curve  $r^n = a^n \cos(n\theta)$

Ans:  $\frac{a^n r^{1-n}}{n+1}$

14. Show that the radius of curvature at any point  $(r, \theta)$  on the Cardioid  $r = a(1 - \cos \theta)$  varies as  $\sqrt{r}$

15. Find the radius of curvature for the parabola  $\frac{2a}{r} = 1 - \cos \theta$  at any point  $(r, \theta)$

Ans:  $2\sqrt{\frac{r^3}{a}}$

### TUTORIAL SHEET -3

1. Match the following:

i)	The angle between radius vector and tangent for the polar curve at any point $P(r, \theta)$ is	a)	$\rho \propto y^2$
ii)	The angle between radius vector and tangent for the Cartesian curve at any point $P(x, y)$ is	b)	$\rho \propto \frac{1}{y^2}$
iii)	The radius of curvature at any point $P(x, y)$ on the catenary $y = c \cdot \cosh\left(\frac{x}{c}\right)$ is	c)	$\cot(\phi) = \frac{1}{r} \cdot \frac{dr}{d\theta}$
		d)	$\tan(\phi) = r \cdot \frac{dr}{d\theta}$
		e)	$\tan(\phi) = \frac{xy' - y}{x + yy'}$
		h)	$\tan(\phi) = \frac{xy' + y}{x - yy'}$

Ans: (i) - (c)    (ii) - (e)    (iii) - (a)

2. Find the Taylor series expansion of the function  $y = \log(\cos x)$  about the point  $x = \pi/3$ .

Ans:  $\log(\cos x) = -\log 2 - \sqrt{3} \left(x - \frac{\pi}{3}\right) - 2 \left(x - \frac{\pi}{3}\right)^2 - \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}} \left(x - \frac{\pi}{3}\right)^3 - \frac{10}{\sqrt{3}} \left(x - \frac{\pi}{3}\right)^4 - \dots$

3. Obtain the expansion of the function  $e^{\sin(x)}$  in ascending powers of 'x' up to terms containing 'x<sup>4</sup>'

Ans:  $e^{\sin(x)} = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{x^4}{8} \dots$



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4. Obtain the Maclaurin series expansion for the function  $f(x) = \tan^{-1}(x)$  and hence deduce that  $\pi = 4 \left[ 1 - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{5} - \dots \right]$

Ans:  $\tan^{-1}(x) = \left[ x - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^5}{5} - \dots \right]$

5. Using Maclaurin's series, prove that

$$\sqrt{1 + \sin(2x)} = 1 + x - \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{x^3}{6} + \dots$$

6. Show that  $\left( \frac{x}{\sin x} \right) = 1 + \frac{x^2}{6} + \frac{7x^4}{360} + \dots$