

ASSIGNMENT 4

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1 RAMSEY 1.2 LOC Q 4

A point moves so that it's distance from the y-axis is equal to the distance from the point $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$. Find the equation of the locus.

2 SOLUTION

Let $\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$ be the point. Then distance from y-axis

$$= x \quad (2.0.1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Distance from } \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ = \sqrt{((x-2)^2 + (y-1)^2)} \end{aligned} \quad (2.0.2)$$

We are given that these distances are equal.

$$\Rightarrow x = \sqrt{((x-2)^2 + (y-1)^2)} \quad (2.0.3)$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = x^2 - 4x + 4 + y^2 - 2y + 1 \quad (2.0.4)$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 = 4x + 2y - 5 \quad (2.0.5)$$

Therefore 2.0.5 is the required locus.

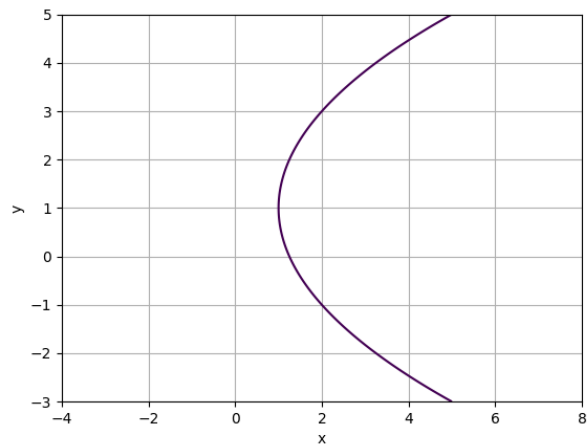


Fig. 0: Plot of the locus