

MATH 151 Lab 2

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In [1]: from sympy import *
from sympy.solvers import solve
from sympy import Symbol
from sympy.plotting import (plot, plot_parametric)
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Question 1

1a

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In [2]: #start code here
x = Symbol('x')
f = 1 + x*(x+1)*(x+2)*(x+3)
l = solve(f)
print("Exact form", l)
print("Approximate form", [i.evalf() for i in l])
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Exact form $[-3/2 - \sqrt{5}/2, -3/2 + \sqrt{5}/2]$

Approximate form $[-2.61803398874989, -0.381966011250105]$

1b

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In [3]: print("Expanded form:", f.expand())
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Expanded form: $x^4 + 6x^3 + 11x^2 + 6x + 1$

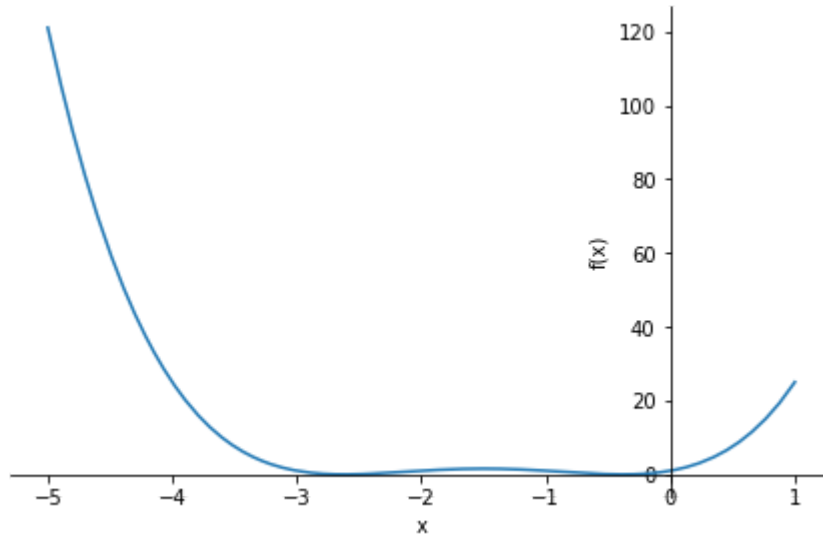
1c

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In [4]: print("Factored form", f.factor())
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Factored form $(x^2 + 3x + 1)^2$

1d

In [5]: `plot(f,(x,-5,1))`



Out[5]: <sympy.plotting.plot.Plot at 0x2306ace97c0>

Question 2

2a

In [6]: `#start code here`
`t = Symbol('t')`
`g = 9.8`
`hi = 6`
`fa = -.5*g*(t**2)+hi`
`l = solve(fa)`
`print("the textbook hits the ground at t = ", [i for i in l if i > 0][0], "seconds")`

the textbook hits the ground at t = 1.10656667034498 seconds

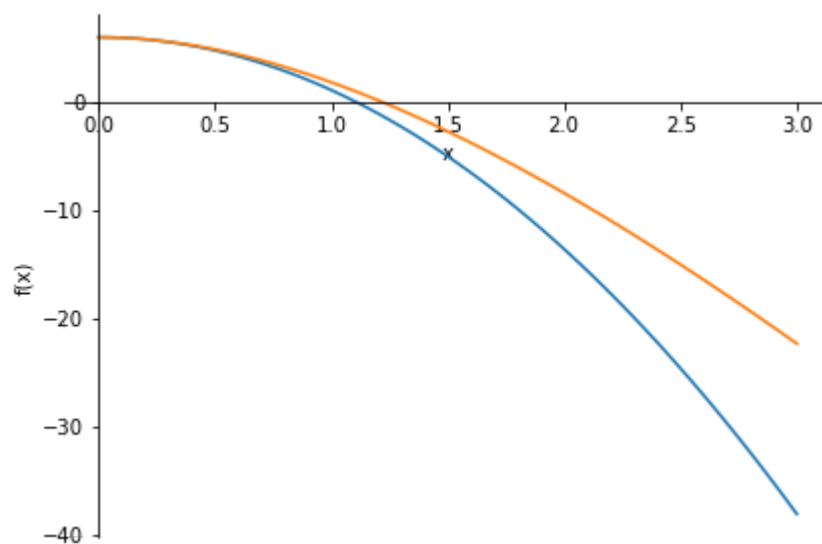
2b

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In [7]: #start code here
t = Symbol('t')
g = 9.8
hi = 6
R = 2
fb = (-1*g*t)-(R*g*exp(-t/R))+(R*g)+hi/R
l = solve(fb)
print("with an the textbook hits the ground at t = ", [i for i in l if i > 0][0],
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with an the textbook hits the ground at t = 1.21873095569557 seconds

2c

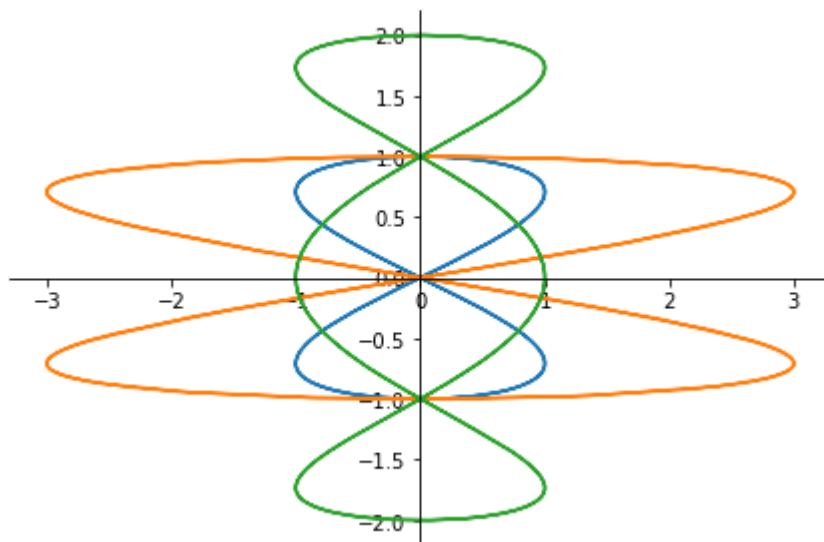
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In [8]: #start code here
t = Symbol('t')
g = 9.8
hi = 6
R = 2
fb = (-R*g*t)-(R**2*g*exp(-t/R))+(R**2*g)+hi
fa = -.5*g*(t**2)+hi
fabplot = plot((fa,(t,0,3)),(fb,(t,0,3)))
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Question 3

3a

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In [9]: #start code here
xt1 = sin(2*t)
yt1 = cos(t)
xt2 = 3*sin(2*t)
yt2 = cos(t)
xt3 = sin(3*t)
yt3 = 2*cos(t)
paraplot = plot_parametric((xt1,yt1,(t,0,4*pi)),(xt2,yt2,(t,0,4*pi)),(xt3,yt3,(t,
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3b

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In [10]: #start code here
print(" a affects the horizontal width of the parametric curve")
print(" b affects the vertical height of the parametric curve")
print(" n affects the number of times parametric curve crosses the y axis")
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a affects the horizontal width of the parametric curve
 b affects the vertical height of the parametric curve
 n affects the number of times parametric curve crosses the y axis

In []: