Programming Assignment-2

1) Curvature Flow Equation:

Code was implemented Based on the Equation:

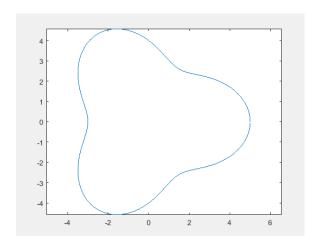
$$\partial C(s,t)/\partial t = \kappa N$$

For discretizing the curvature Central difference euler's method was used and for discretising Curve shape w.r.t Forward difference euler's method was used.

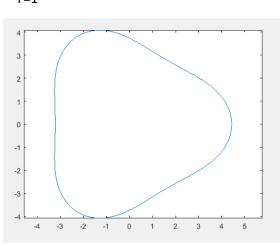
The code was tested on 3 different with different time steps. Below are some results:

Curve 1:

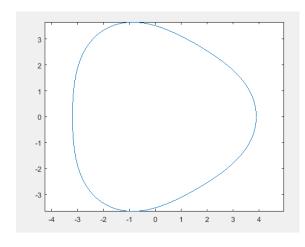
T=0



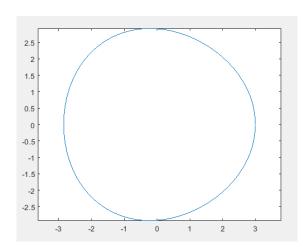
T=1



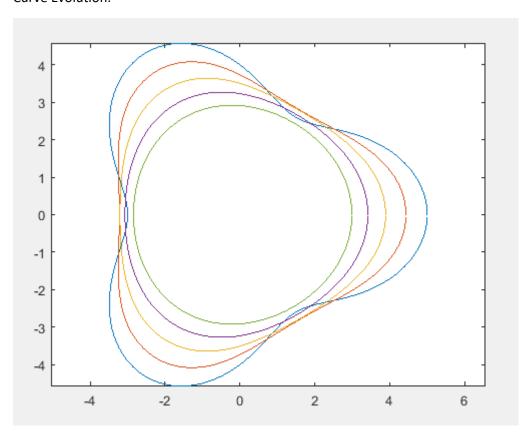
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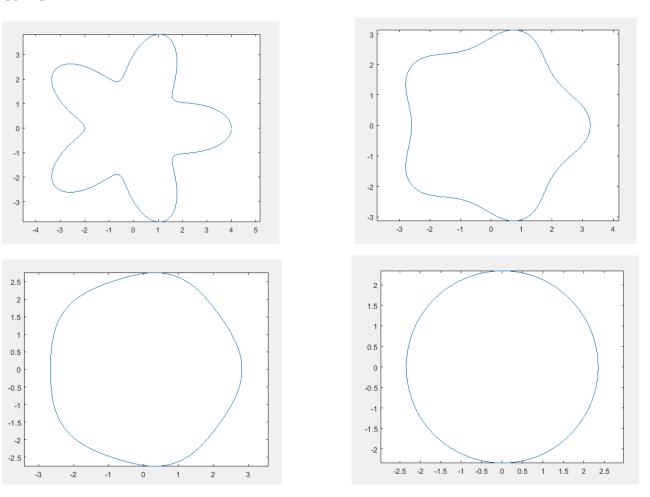
T=4



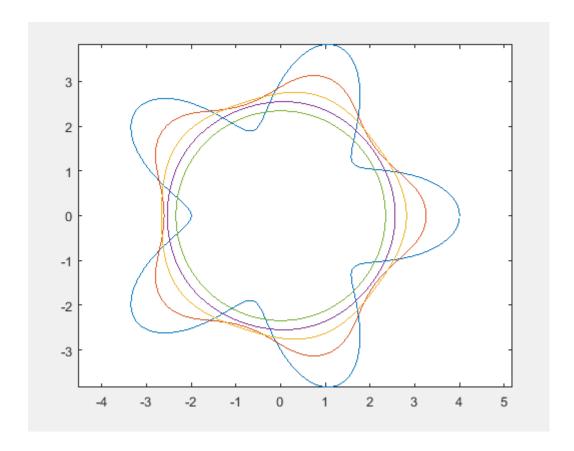
Curve Evolution:



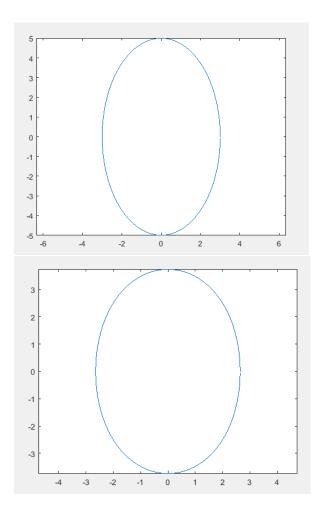
Curve 2:

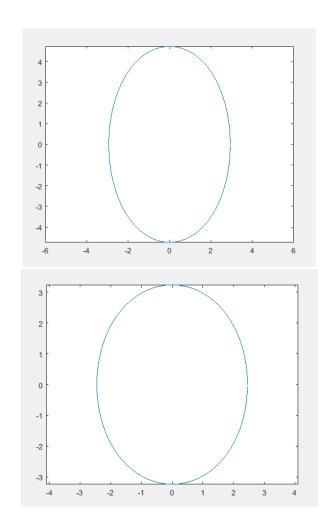


Curve Evolution:

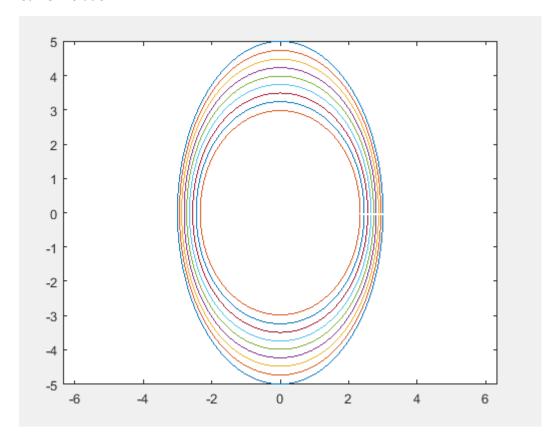


Curve 3:





Curve Evolution:



Time Steps used was: 1600, 10,000, 40,000, 80,000

Results shown are for Time step 40,000.

Number of Sample points: 256,512,1024,2048

Observations:

- 1) All the closed curves tend to become a **circle** as t->inf in it's stable state.
- 2) As we increase the sample point size we have to increase the time steps to get error free results.
- 3) If sample size is ,say 2000, and time step of 1600 the error rate will be very high as some of the derivatives will shoot up.

How to Run:

The file Main.m is the entry point. We can run the script by:

1) Main: It will import all the functions

>> Main

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'Done importing functions to workspace'