

$$X(\alpha) = X_c + a \cos \alpha \cos \beta + b \sin \alpha \sin \beta$$

$$Y(\alpha) = Y_c + a \cos \alpha \sin \beta + b \sin \alpha \cos \beta$$

$$e = \sqrt{\frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2}} = 0.5975$$

Borealis

$$a = 5,300 \text{ km}$$

$$b = 4,250 \text{ km}$$

$$\beta = 14^\circ \text{ (N76}^\circ\text{E)}$$

$$(Y_c, X_c) = (67^\circ \text{N}, 208^\circ \text{E})$$

$$\frac{dX}{d\alpha} = -a \sin \alpha \cos \beta + b \cos \alpha \sin \beta$$

$$\frac{dY}{d\alpha} = -a \sin \alpha \sin \beta + b \cos \alpha \cos \beta$$

Put

~~eqn 7~~

$$a_x = a \cos \beta$$

$$a_y = a \sin \beta$$

$$b_x = b \sin \beta$$

$$b_y = b \cos \beta$$

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$$X(\theta) = X_c + a_x \cos \theta + b_x \sin \theta$$

$$Y(\theta) = Y_c + a_y \cos \theta + b_y \sin \theta$$

A

$\theta = 0 : 2\pi$

$$\frac{dx}{d\theta} = -a_x \sin \theta + b_x \cos \theta$$

$$\frac{dy}{d\theta} = -a_y \sin \theta + b_y \cos \theta$$

B

eqns being normal
line to ellipse

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Equation of tangent line @ point of contact

$$y - y_1 = \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \bigg|_{x=x_1, y=y_1} \right) (x - x_1)$$

and

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{d\theta} \cdot \frac{1}{\frac{dx}{d\theta}}$$

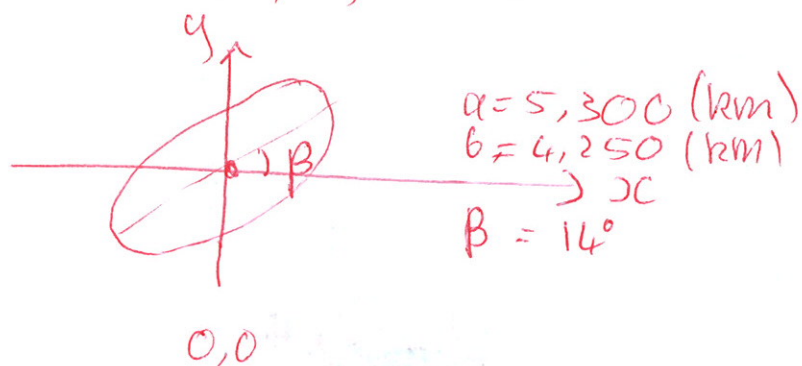
Eqn normal line

$$(y - y_1) = - \left(\frac{dx}{dy} \bigg|_{x=x_1, y=y_1} \right) (x - x_1)$$

C

$$\frac{dx}{dy} = \frac{dx}{d\theta} \cdot \frac{1}{\frac{dy}{d\theta}}$$

- 1) generate x, y coords of an ellipse centered on $(0,0)$ but oriented like Borealis



~~Assume only~~
in

x, y will be in km.

~~use a small dx so x, y fairly close~~
Use $dx \approx \text{arcsec } 1^\circ$ (prob ok)

- 2) @ each (x_i, y_i) on ellipse ie @ each x_i
generate eqn of normal to ellipse

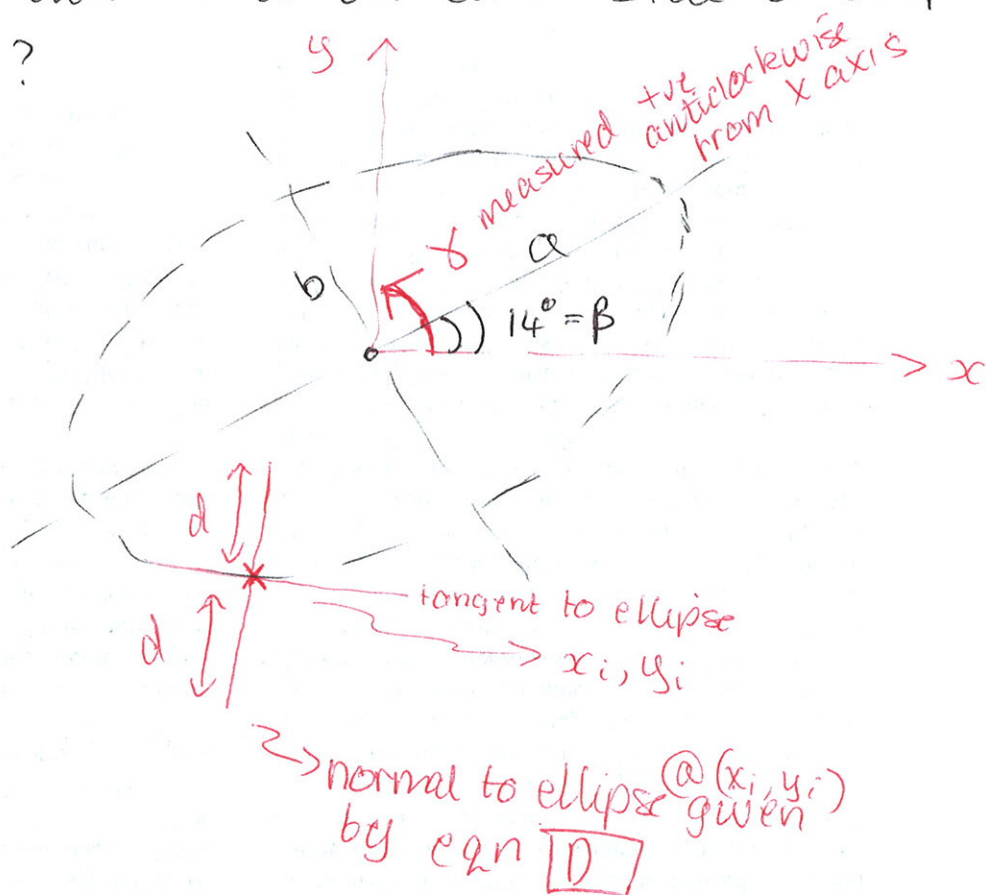
$$y = y_i + \left(\frac{-dx}{dy} \right)_{|x=x_i, y=y_i} (x - x_i)$$

$$y = y_i + \left[\frac{-a_x \sin \delta_i + b_x \cos \delta_i}{-a_y \sin \delta_i + b_y \cos \delta_i} \right] (x - x_i)$$

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- 3) generate x, y coords (still in km) of points
~~normal to the ellipse to~~ along this normal line

- 3) old
that extend a dist $\pm d$ on either side of ellipse
 $d \approx 3000 \text{ km}$?



not sure how to
implement
this yet.

want set of x, y points along
this normal spaced @ $\sim 10 \text{ km}$
and extending to $\sim \pm d$.

- 4) Convert ellipse (x, y) points
and (x, y) points on each normal line
into lat, lon. + move origin to be @
origin of Borealis basin $(67^\circ \text{N}, 208^\circ \text{E})$.

~~lat, lon~~

$$\text{lat}, \lambda = \lambda_c + y \left(\frac{\pi R_{\text{mars}}}{180} \right) \rightarrow \text{radius Mars, } R_{\text{mars}} = 3393.5 \text{ km}$$

if $\lambda > 90^\circ$ means have gone over pole. \rightarrow

(4)

eg if $\lambda = 97^\circ$ really @ 88° on other side of pole

$$\delta \quad \phi = \phi + 180^\circ \dots \dots$$

longitude 1) $\phi = \phi_c + x \left(\frac{\pi R_{\text{meers}}}{180} \right) \cdot \cos(\lambda)$

longitude pts
spaced more
closely @ hi lat

- check for ϕ wrapping around 360°
 - check whether have to add 180° to ϕ b/c have gone over pole
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