R Program for Plotting a Parametric Curve

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Task

Write an R program that calculates the coordinates of points on a parametric curve and plots it.

Description

A parametric curve is defined by the following equations:

$$x(t) = 3\cos(t)$$
$$y(t) = 2\sin(t)$$

The parameter range is from 0 to π . The program should:

- 1. Calculate the coordinates of the curve points for different values (dividing the range into 20 equal parts).
- 2. Plot the curve using the calculated values.

Sample Expected Output

The coordinates of the curve points should be displayed as follows:

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t = 1.8188 : (x, y) = (-0.7365, 1.9388)

t = 1.9842 : (x, y) = (-1.2051, 1.8315)

t = 2.1495 : (x, y) = (-1.6408, 1.6743)

t = 2.3149 : (x, y) = (-2.0318, 1.4714)

t = 2.4802 : (x, y) = (-2.3674, 1.2284)

t = 2.6456 : (x, y) = (-2.6384, 0.9519)

t = 2.8109 : (x, y) = (-2.8375, 0.6494)

t = 2.9762 : (x, y) = (-2.9591, 0.3292)

t = 3.1416 : (x, y) = (-3.0000, 0.0000)
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Image of Sample Plot

Notes

- You may use either the ggplot2 or plot package for plotting.
- Commenting your code (adding brief explanations) will be part of the evaluation.