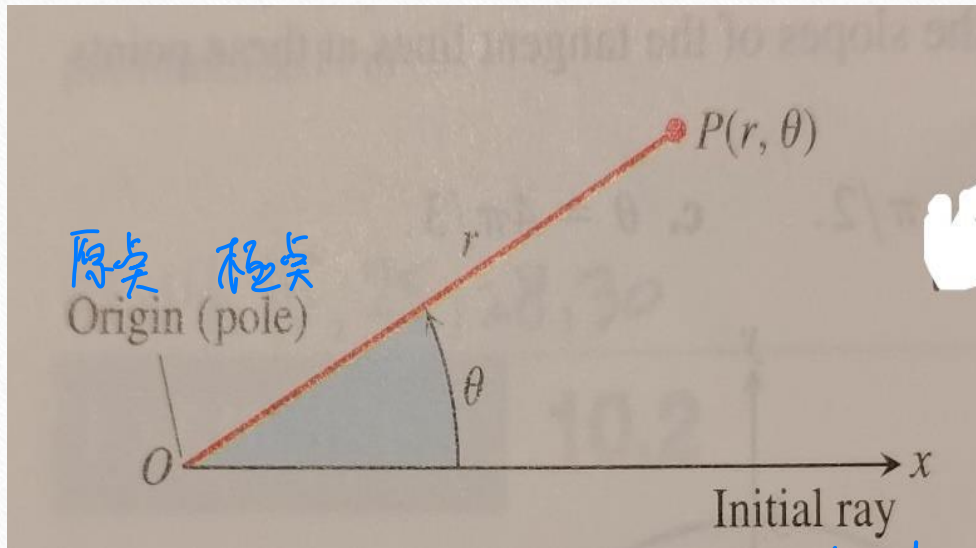


# 10-3 Polar Coordinates

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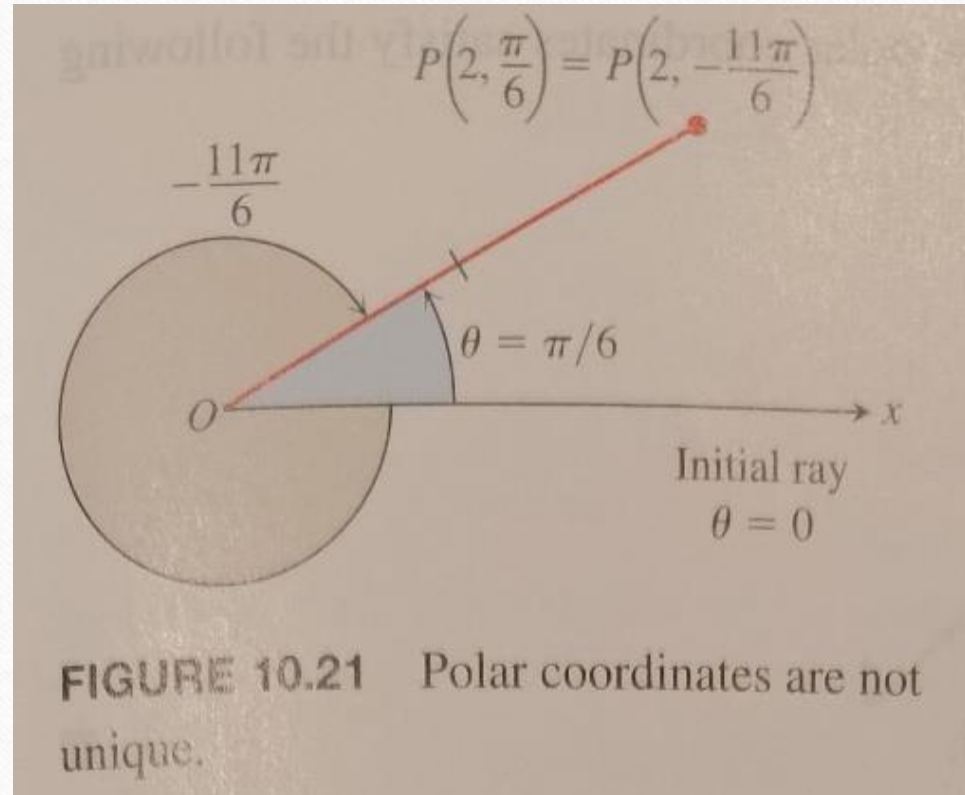
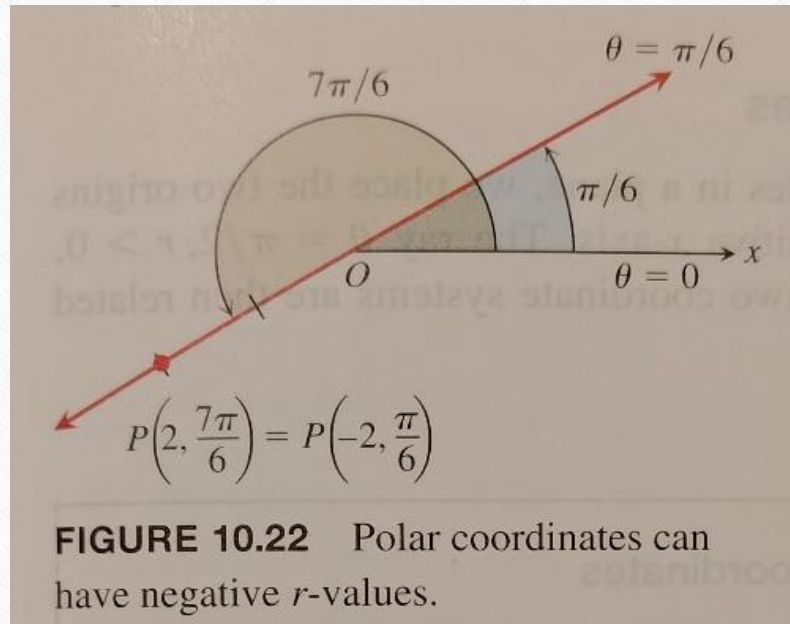
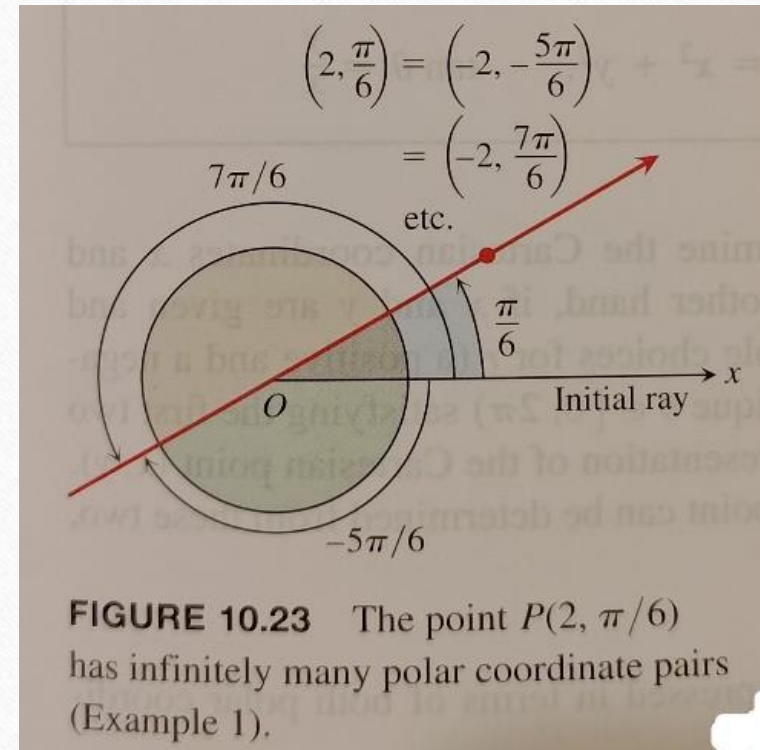


FIGURE 10.21 Polar coordinates are not unique.





**FIGURE 10.22** Polar coordinates can have negative  $r$ -values.



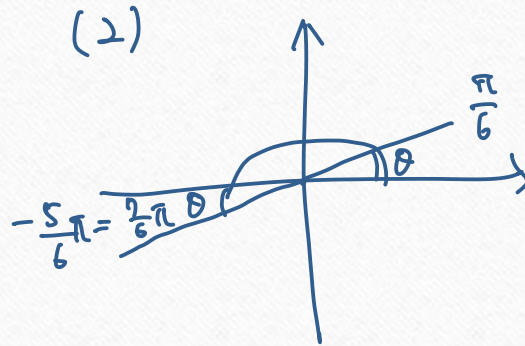
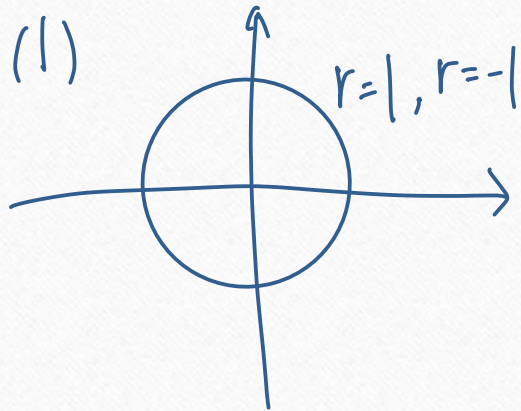
**FIGURE 10.23** The point  $P(2, \pi/6)$  has infinitely many polar coordinate pairs (Example 1).

## Polar Equations and Graphs

Ex2(p617) Graph the following equations in polar coordinates.

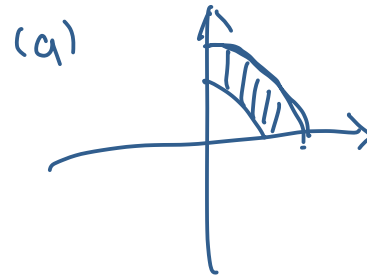
(1)  $r = 1$ ,  $r = -1$

(2)  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{6}$ ,  $\theta = \frac{7\pi}{6}$ ,  $\theta = \frac{-5\pi}{6}$

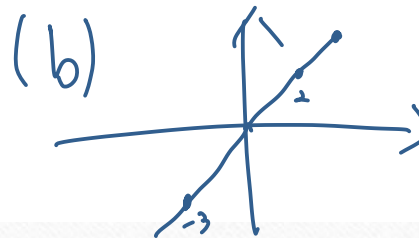


Ex3(p618) Graph the sets of points whose polar coordinates satisfy the following conditions.

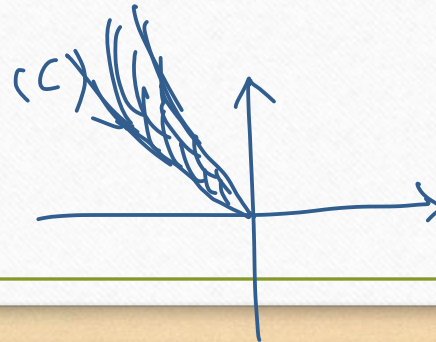
(a)  $1 \leq r \leq 2$  and  $0 \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$



(b)  $-3 \leq r \leq 2$  and  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$



(c)  $\frac{2\pi}{3} \leq \theta \leq \frac{5\pi}{6}$





## Equations Relating Polar and Cartesian Coordinates

$$\begin{cases} x = r \cos \theta \\ y = r \sin \theta \end{cases} \quad \begin{cases} r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \\ \tan \theta = \frac{y}{x} \end{cases}$$

Ex5(p618) Find a polar equation for the circle  $x^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 9$ .

$$(r \cos \theta)^2 + (r \sin \theta - 3)^2 = 9$$

$$r^2 = 6r \sin \theta$$

$$r^2 - 6r \sin \theta = 0$$

$$r(r - 6 \sin \theta) = 0$$

$$\cancel{r=0} \text{ or } r = 6 \sin \theta$$

Ex6(p619) Replace the following polar equations by equivalent Cartesian equations and identify their graphs.

(a)  $r \cos \theta = -4$

(b)  $r^2 = 4r \cos \theta$

(c)  $r = \frac{4}{2 \cos \theta - \sin \theta}$

(1)  $r \cos \theta = -4$   
 $x = -4$

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