

# kreyszig-9.5

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## 1 Erwin Kreyzig - Problem Set 9.5 Parametric Curves

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1.1 1-10 What curves are represented by the following? Sketch them.

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1.2 1.

**Parametric Representation:**  $[3 + 2 \cos t, 2 \sin t, 0]$

$x = 3 + 2 \cos t, y = 2 \sin t, z = 0.$

Let  $u = \cos t, v = \sin t$ , so  $u^2 + v^2 = 1.$

Then  $u = \frac{x-3}{2}, v = \frac{y}{2}.$

Thus,

$$\left(\frac{x-3}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{y}{2}\right)^2 = u^2 + v^2 = 1.$$

**Curve:** Circle with center  $(3, 0)$  in the  $xy$ -plane ( $z = 0$ ).

**Equation:**

$$\left(\frac{x-3}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{y}{2}\right)^2 = 1$$

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[1]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

# Create parameter t for parametric equations
t = np.linspace(0, 2*np.pi, 100)

# Parametric equations for the ellipse
# x = h + a*cos(t), y = k + b*sin(t)
# where (h,k) is center, a is horizontal radius, b is vertical radius
# circle special case when a = b = r, radius r
x = 3 + 2 * np.cos(t) # h=3, a=2
y = 0 + 2 * np.sin(t) # k=0, b=2
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# Create the plot
plt.figure(figsize=(8, 6))
plt.plot(x, y, 'b-', label=r'$\left(\frac{x-3}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{y}{2}\right)^2 = 1$')

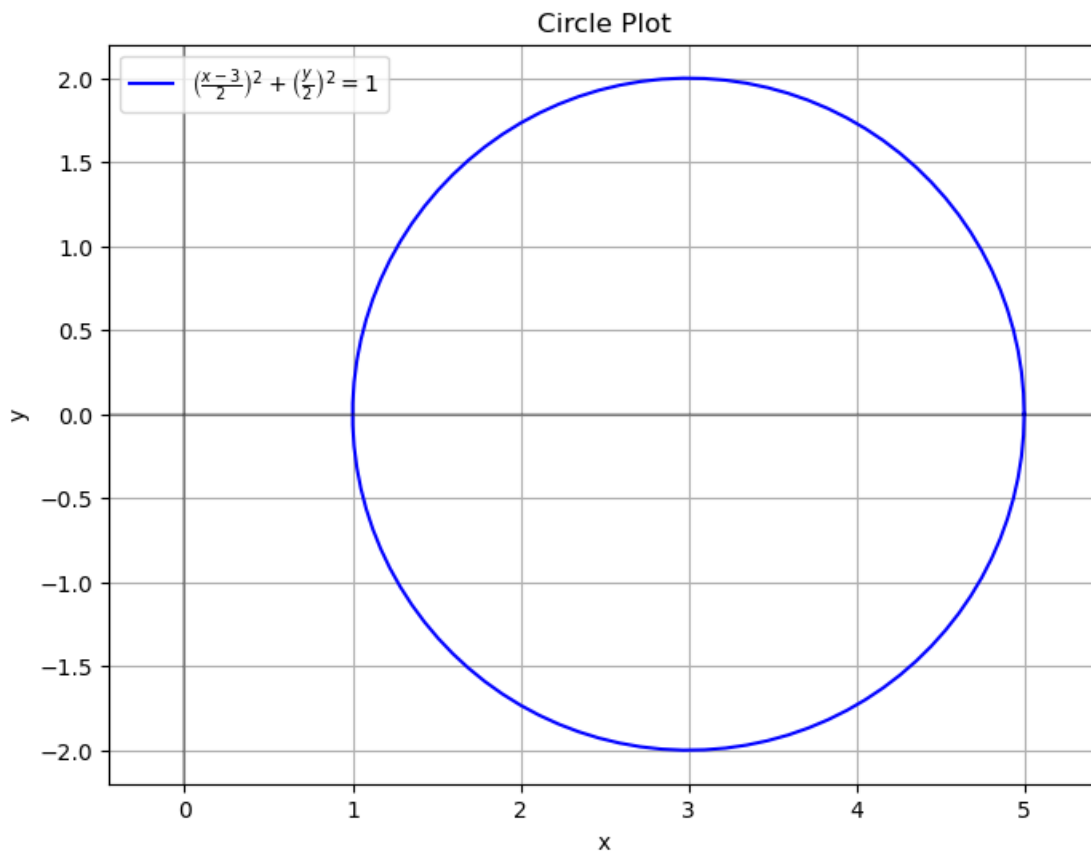
# Add grid and axes
plt.grid(True)
plt.axhline(y=0, color='k', linestyle='--', alpha=0.3)
plt.axvline(x=0, color='k', linestyle='--', alpha=0.3)

# Set equal aspect ratio to show true ellipse shape
plt.axis('equal')

# Add labels and title
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('y')
plt.title('Circle Plot')
plt.legend()

# Show the plot
plt.show()

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### 1.2.1 2.

**Parametric Equation:**  $[a + t, b + 3t, c - 5t]$

$$x = a + t, y = b + 3t, z = c - 5t.$$

Let  $t = 0$ . Then,  $x = a, y = b, z = c$ . Thus the curve passes through  $(a, b, c)$ .

If  $t \neq 0$ , the displacement  $(t, 3t, -5t)$  is added to the point  $(a, b, c)$ . Thus, it is a line in the direction  $(1, 3, -5)$  through  $(a, b, c)$ .

To get non-parametric equation relating  $x, y, z$  without involving  $t$ , solving for  $t$ , we get  $t = x - a$ . Substituting back in,  $y = b + 3(x - a), z = c - 5(x - a)$ .

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[3]: # Import required libraries
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from mpl_toolkits.mplot3d import Axes3D

# Define constants
a = 1 # You can change these values
b = 2
c = 3

# Create parameter t
t = np.linspace(-5, 5, 100) # Creates 100 points from -5 to 5

# Calculate x, y, z coordinates
x = a + t
y = b + 3*t
z = c - 5*t

# Create the 3D plot
fig = plt.figure(figsize=(10, 8))
ax = fig.add_subplot(111, projection='3d')

# Plot the line
ax.plot(x, y, z, 'b-', label=f'Line: [{a}+t, {b}+3t, {c}-5t]')

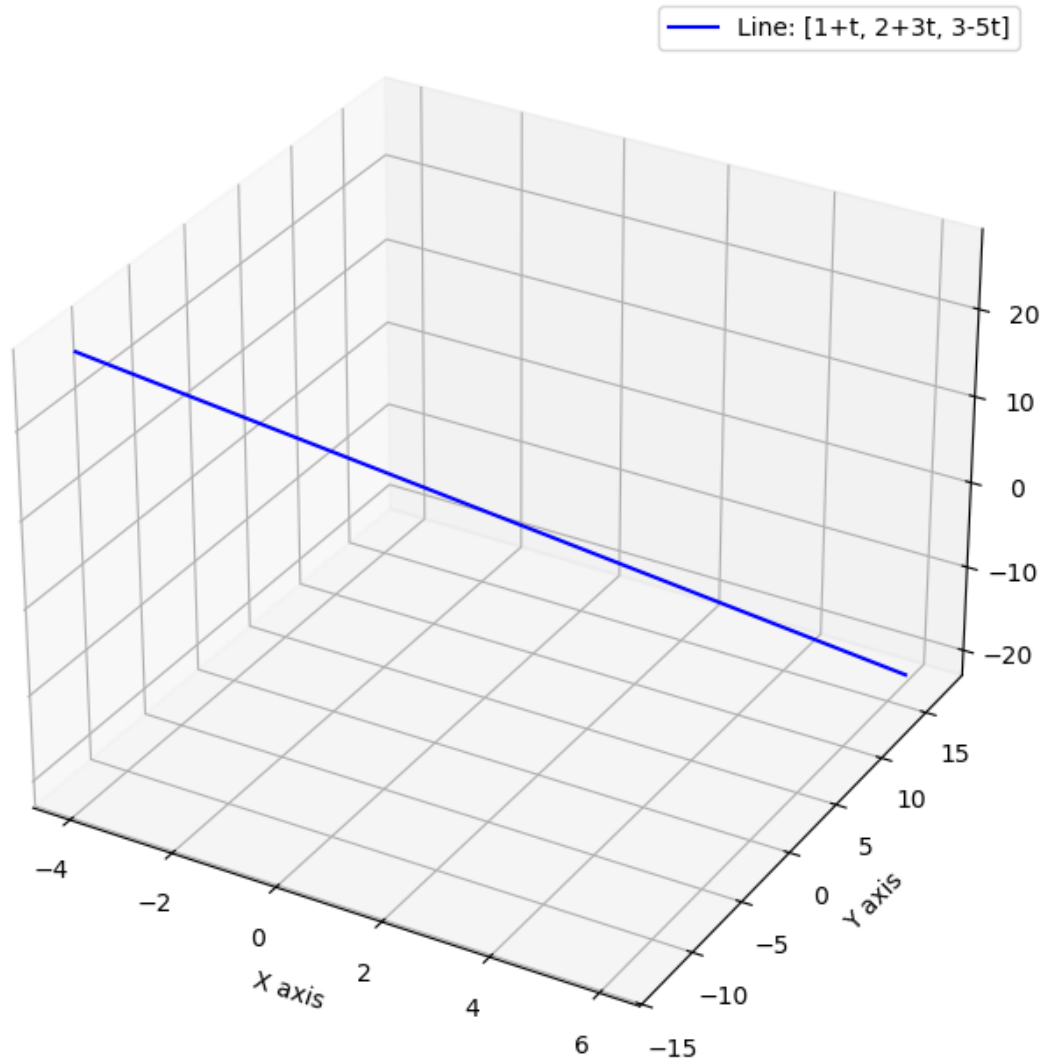
# Set labels
ax.set_xlabel('X axis')
ax.set_ylabel('Y axis')
ax.set_zlabel('Z axis')
ax.set_title('Parametric Line in 3D Space')
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# Add legend
ax.legend()

# Add grid
ax.grid(True)

# Show plot
plt.show()
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Parametric Line in 3D Space



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### 1.2.2 3.

**Parametric Representation:**  $[0, t, t^3]$

We want to eliminate  $t$ .

Using  $y = t$ , we get  $z = t^3$ .

Substitute  $t = y$  back in, so  $z = y^3$ .

**Curve:** Cubic curve in the  $yz$ -plane ( $x = 0$ ) given by equation  $z = y^3$ .

```
[5]: # Import required libraries
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from mpl_toolkits.mplot3d import Axes3D

# Create y values
y = np.linspace(-2, 2, 100) # Creates 100 points from -2 to 2

# Calculate x and z coordinates
x = np.zeros_like(y) # x = 0 for all points
z = y**3 # z = y^3

# Create the 3D plot
fig = plt.figure(figsize=(10, 8))
ax = fig.add_subplot(111, projection='3d')

# Plot the curve
ax.plot(x, y, z, 'r-', label='Curve: z = y^3, x = 0')

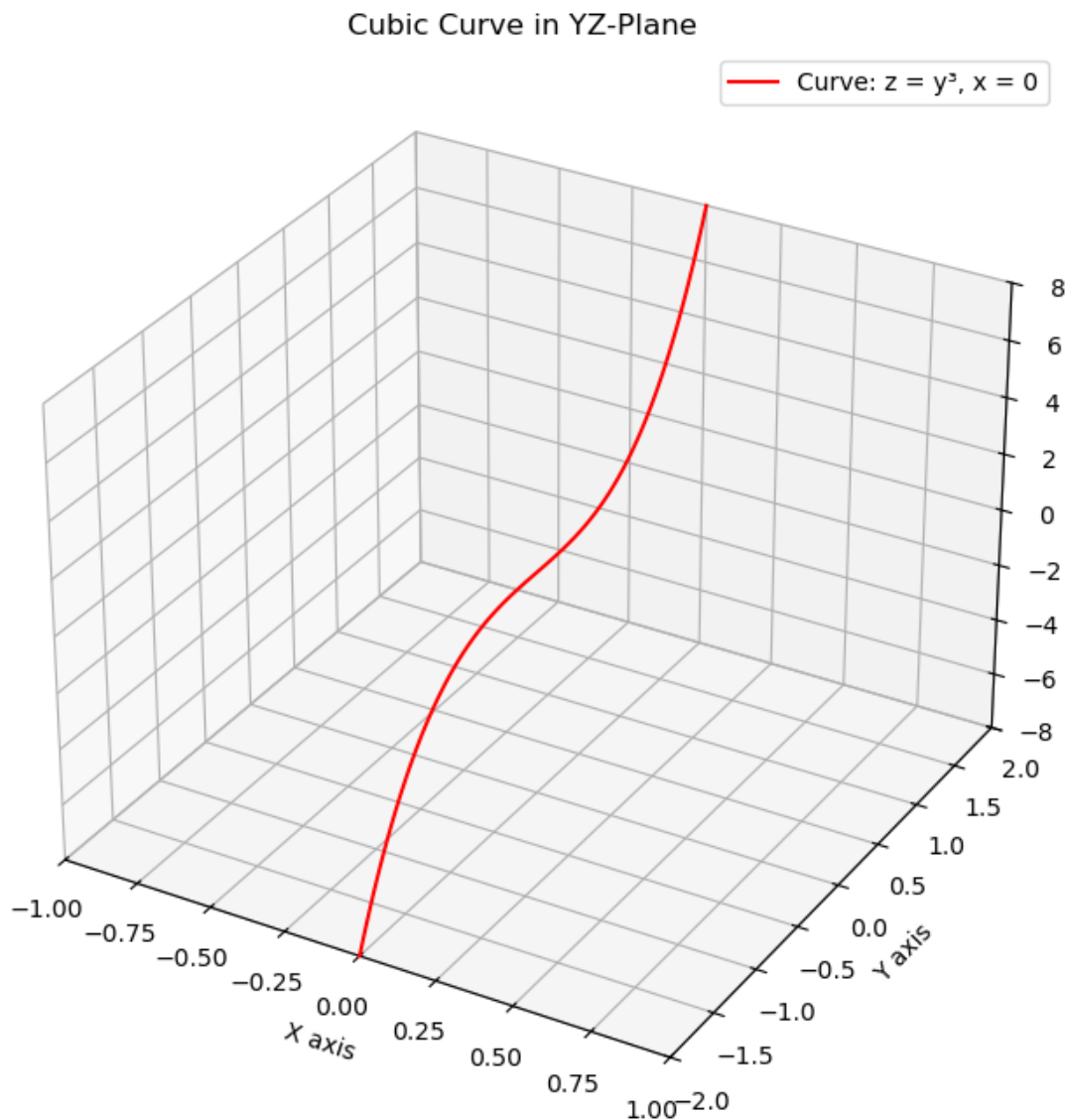
# Set labels
ax.set_xlabel('X axis')
ax.set_ylabel('Y axis')
ax.set_zlabel('Z axis')
ax.set_title('Cubic Curve in YZ-Plane')

# Set axis limits to better visualize the curve
ax.set_xlim(-1, 1) # Small range since x is always 0
ax.set_ylim(-2, 2)
ax.set_zlim(-8, 8) # Larger range since z = y^3

# Add legend
ax.legend()

# Add grid
ax.grid(True)

# Show plot
plt.show()
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### 1.2.3 4.

**Parametric Representation:**  $[-2, 2 + 5 \cos t, -1 + 5 \sin t]$

We have  $x = -2, y = 2 + 5 \cos t$  and  $z = -1 + 5 \sin t$ .

Let  $u = \cos t, v = \sin t$ , so  $u^2 + v^2 = 1$ .

But solving for  $u = \cos t$  and  $v = \sin t$  in terms of  $y$  and  $z$  gives  $u = \frac{y - 2}{5}$  and  $v = \frac{z + 1}{5}$ .

Thus, we have equations without  $t$ :

$$\left(\frac{y-2}{5}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{z+1}{5}\right)^2 = 1.$$

Or:

$$(y-2)^2 + (z+1)^2 = 5^2,$$

while  $x = -2$ .

This is a circle in the  $yz$ -plane centered at  $(-2, 2, -1)$ , radius 5, translated to  $x = -2$ .

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### 1.2.4 5.

**Parametric Representation:**  $[2 + 4 \cos t, 1 + \sin t, 0]$

$x = 2 + 4 \cos t, y = 1 + \sin t, z = 0$ .

Let  $u = \cos t, v = \sin t$ , so  $u^2 + v^2 = 1$ .

Then  $\frac{x-2}{4} = u, \frac{y-1}{1} = v$ .

Thus,

$$\left(\frac{x-2}{4}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{y-1}{1}\right)^2 = 1$$

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**Curve:** Ellipse in the  $xy$ -plane ( $z = 0$ ) centered at  $(2, 1, 0)$ , semi-major axis 4 ( $x$ ), semi-minor axis 1 ( $y$ ).

An ellipse has two axes. The bigger axis is called major axis and smaller one minor axis. Instead of radius for circle, we have two values, the lengths of semi-major axis and semi-minor axis.

An ellipse in general co-ordinates in two dimensions may be transformed to the above form equation by translation and rotation of the cartesian co-ordinates.

```
[11]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

# Create parameter t for parametric form
t = np.linspace(0, 2*np.pi, 100)

# Parametric equations for ellipse
x = 2 + 4 * np.cos(t) # center x=2, semi-major axis=4
y = 1 + 1 * np.sin(t) # center y=1, semi-minor axis=1

# Create the plot
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 8))
plt.plot(x, y, 'b-', label='Ellipse')
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# Plot center point
plt.plot(2, 1, 'ro', label='Center (2,1)')

# Major axis (x-direction, length 8 = 2*4)
plt.plot([2-4, 2+4], [1, 1], 'g--', label='Major axis (length=8)')
# Minor axis (y-direction, length 2 = 2*1)
plt.plot([2, 2], [1-1, 1+1], 'm--', label='Minor axis (length=2)')

# Add annotations for axes lengths
plt.text(2+2, 1.2, 'Semi-major = 4', color='green')
plt.text(2.2, 1.5, 'Semi-minor = 1', color='magenta')

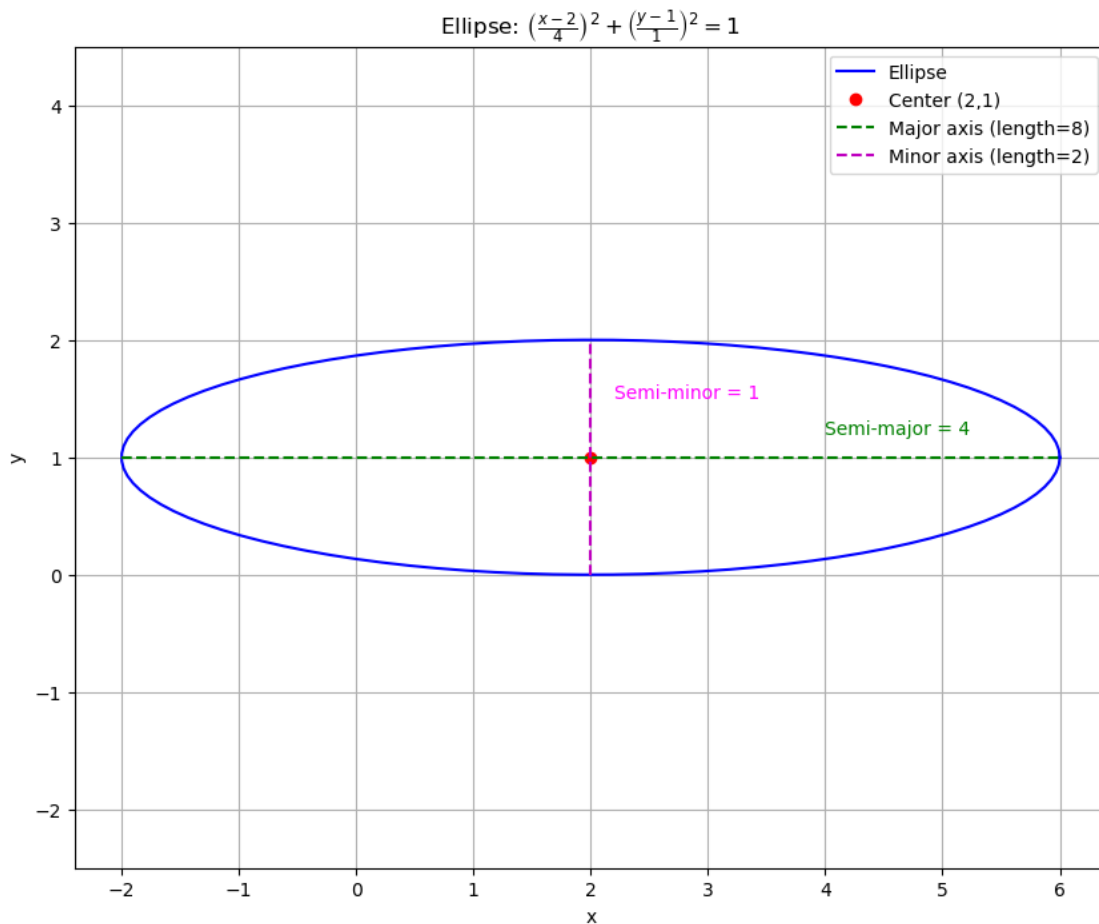
# Set equal aspect ratio
plt.axis('equal')

# Add grid and labels
plt.grid(True)
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('y')
plt.title('Ellipse:  $\left(\frac{x-2}{4}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{y-1}{1}\right)^2 = 1$ ')
plt.legend()

# Show the plot
plt.show()

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### 1.2.5 6.

**Parametric Representation:**  $[a + 3 \cos \pi t, b - 2 \sin \pi t, 0]$  - **Curve:** Ellipse in the  $xy$ -plane ( $z = 0$ ).

- **Derivation:**  $x = a + 3 \cos \pi t$ ,  $y = b - 2 \sin \pi t$ . Let  $u = \cos \pi t$ ,  $v = \sin \pi t$ , so  $u^2 + v^2 = 1$ . Then  $\frac{x-a}{3} = u$ ,  $\frac{y-b}{-2} = v$ . Thus,

$$\left(\frac{x-a}{3}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{y-b}{-2}\right)^2 = 1$$

- **Equation:**

$$\left(\frac{x-a}{3}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{y-b}{-2}\right)^2 = 1$$

- **Sketch:** Ellipse centered at  $(a, b, 0)$ , semi-major axis 3 ( $x$ ), semi-minor axis 2 ( $y$ ).

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### 1.2.6 7.

**Parametric Representation:**  $[4 \cos t, 4 \sin t, 3t]$

$$x = 4 \cos t, y = 4 \sin t, z = 3t.$$

$$\text{Then } x^2 + y^2 = (4 \cos t)^2 + (4 \sin t)^2 = 16(\cos^2 t + \sin^2 t) = 16 = 4^2.$$

$$\text{So, } x^2 + y^2 = 16, \text{ with } z = 3t.$$

**Curve:** Circular helix in 3D, with  $x, y$  co ordinates along a circle with center at origin and radius 4. The helix rises along  $z$  co-ordinate at the rate of three units per  $t$ .

Even though the equation relating  $x, y$  can be obtained as that of a circle, the the parametric form for the helix cannot be really removed as it's required for the  $z$ -coordinate.

```
[1]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from mpl_toolkits.mplot3d import Axes3D

# Create parameter t
t = np.linspace(0, 4*np.pi, 1000) # Adjust range as needed

# Calculate x, y, z coordinates
x = 4 * np.cos(t)
y = 4 * np.sin(t)
z = 3 * t

# Create the 3D plot
fig = plt.figure(figsize=(10, 8))
ax = fig.add_subplot(111, projection='3d')

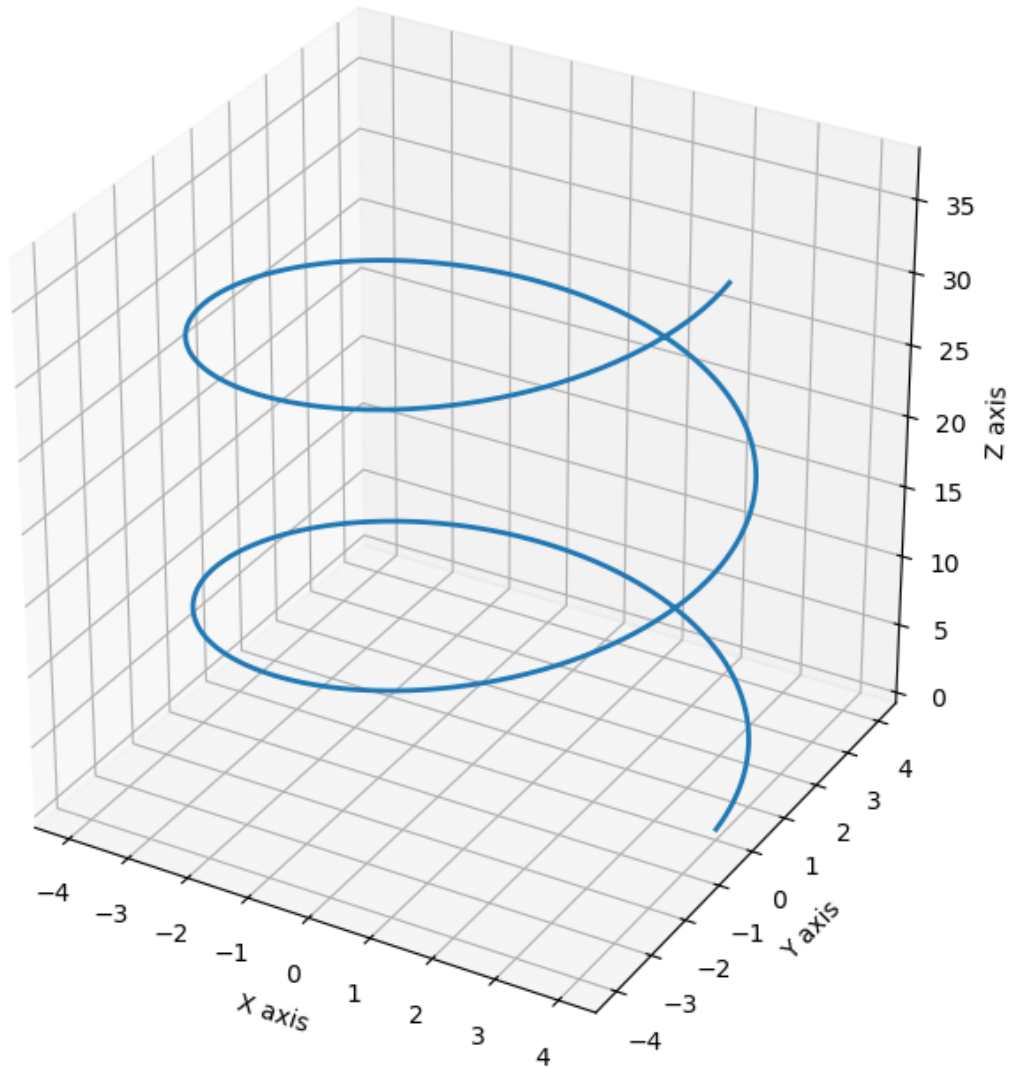
# Plot the parametric curve
ax.plot(x, y, z, lw=2)

# Add labels and title
ax.set_xlabel('X axis')
ax.set_ylabel('Y axis')
ax.set_zlabel('Z axis')
ax.set_title('Parametric Curve: [4cos(t), 4sin(t), 3t]')

# Optional: Set equal aspect ratio
ax.set_box_aspect([1,1,1])

# Show the plot
plt.show()
```

Parametric Curve:  $[4\cos(t), 4\sin(t), 3t]$



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1.2.7 8.

**Parametric Representation:**  $[\cosh t, \sinh t, 2]$

Instead of the circular trigonometric functions  $\sin$ ,  $\cos$ , the parametrization is by the hyperbolic trigonometric functions  $\sinh$  and  $\cosh$ .

We have  $x = \cosh t$ ,  $y = \sinh t$ ,  $z = 2$ .

Using  $\cosh^2 t - \sinh^2 t = 1$ , we get  $x^2 - y^2 = 1$ .

**Curve:** Hyperbola in the  $xy$ -plane with offset  $z = 2$  with equation:  $x^2 - y^2 = 1$ , opens along

$x$ -axis, centered at  $(0, 0, 2)$ .

When we have the hyperbolic trigonometric functions in the parametric representation, we get a hyperbola as the equation. When we had the circular trigonometric functions in parametric representation, we had got the circle.

```
[4]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from mpl_toolkits.mplot3d import Axes3D

# Create parameter t range
t = np.linspace(-2, 2, 100)

# Calculate coordinates for first branch (positive x)
x1 = np.cosh(t)
y1 = np.sinh(t)
z1 = np.full_like(t, 2)

# Calculate coordinates for second branch (negative x)
x2 = -np.cosh(t)
y2 = np.sinh(t)
z2 = np.full_like(t, 2)

# Create the 3D plot
fig = plt.figure(figsize=(10, 8))
ax = fig.add_subplot(111, projection='3d')

# Plot both branches
ax.plot(x1, y1, z1, 'b-', label='[cosh(t), sinh(t), 2]')
ax.plot(x2, y2, z2, 'r-', label='[-cosh(t), sinh(t), 2]')

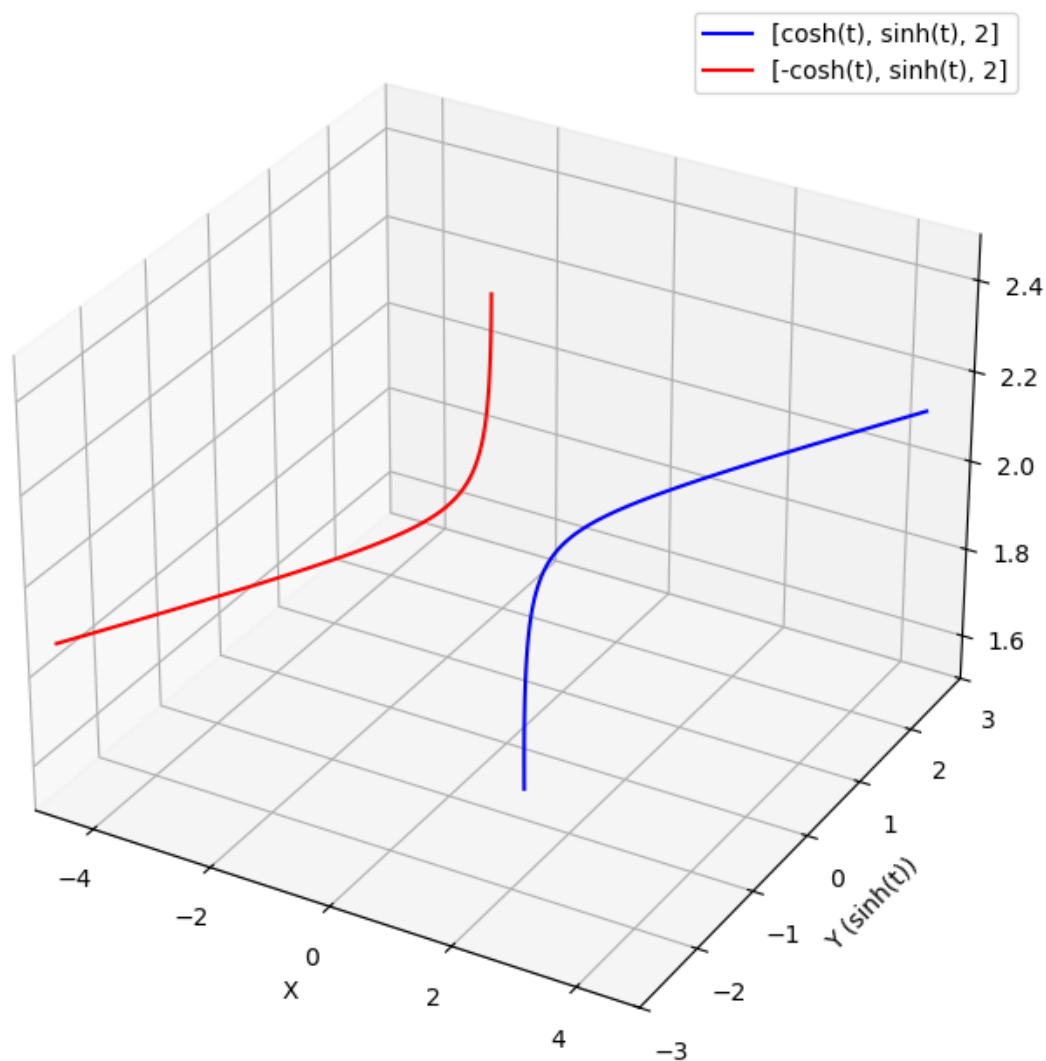
# Set labels
ax.set_xlabel('X')
ax.set_ylabel('Y (sinh(t))')
ax.set_zlabel('Z')
ax.set_title('Parametric Plot: Hyperbola at z=2')

# Add a legend
ax.legend()

# Set reasonable axis limits to see both branches clearly
ax.set_xlim(-5, 5)
ax.set_ylim(-3, 3)
ax.set_zlim(1.5, 2.5)

# Show the plot
plt.show()
```

Parametric Plot: Hyperbola at  $z=2$



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### 1.2.8 9.

**Parametric Representation:**  $[\cos t, \sin 2t, 0]$

We have  $x = \cos t$ ,  $y = \sin 2t$ ,  $z = 0$ .

Since the  $z$ -component is zero, the curve lies in the  $xy$ -plane, with:

**Parametric Behavior:**

-  $x = \cos t$ : Period  $2\pi$ . Value between  $\pm 1$ . -  $y = \sin 2t$ : Period  $\pi$ .

Such parametrization using  $\cos$  and  $\sin$  functions with different speed/frequency for  $x$  and  $y$  give rise to a type of figure-8 shape called Lissajous curve.

Use the trigonometric formula  $\sin 2t = 2 \sin t \cos t$ ,

But  $\cos t = x$ , and  $y = \sin t = \pm\sqrt{1 - \cos^2 t} = \pm\sqrt{1 - x^2}$

The frequency ratio 1 : 2 suggests a Lissajous curve, where  $x$  and  $y$  are sinusoidal functions with integer-related frequencies.

Such curves are explained here: <https://mathworld.wolfram.com/LissajousCurve.html>

In the following page, this curve is traced in the first example, with horizontal figure-8 or bow tie shape: <https://jwilson.coe.uga.edu/emt668/emat6680.2003.fall/shiver/assignment10/assignment10.htm>

### Eliminating the Parameter

- $x = \cos t$ , so  $\cos t = x$ ,  $\sin t = \pm\sqrt{1 - x^2}$ .
- $y = \sin 2t = 2 \sin t \cos t = 2(\pm\sqrt{1 - x^2})x$ .

Thus:

$$y = \pm 2x\sqrt{1 - x^2}$$

Square both sides:

$$y^2 = 4x^2(1 - x^2)$$

**Shape**  $1 - x^2$  is negative if  $x > 1$  or  $x < -1$ . Thus  $y^2$ , which has to be a positive quantity, is defined only if  $-1 \leq x \leq 1$ .

If  $y$  is a solution, then so is  $-y$ . The figure is symmetric about  $x$ -axis. Likewise it is symmetric about  $y$ -axis.

The value of the right side expression approaches zero at the origin. It also approaches 0 at  $x = \pm 1$ .

Plotting the curve, we see it's a horizontal figure eight curve (bowtie).

```
[5]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from mpl_toolkits.mplot3d import Axes3D

# Create parameter t
t = np.linspace(0, 2*np.pi, 100)

# Calculate x, y, z coordinates
x = np.cos(t)
y = np.sin(2*t)
z = np.zeros_like(t) # z = 0 for all points

# Create the 3D plot
fig = plt.figure(figsize=(10, 8))
ax = fig.add_subplot(111, projection='3d')
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# Plot the curve
ax.plot(x, y, z)

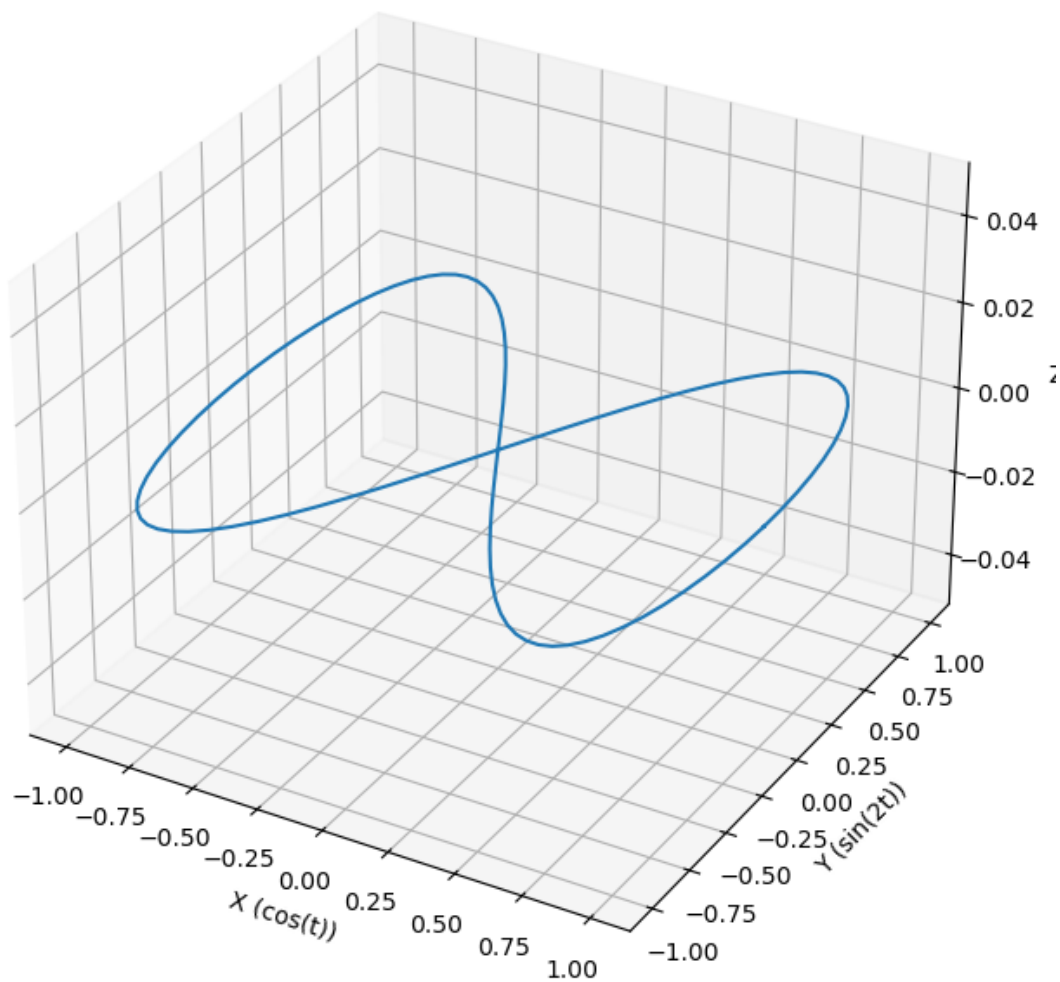
# Set labels
ax.set_xlabel('X (cos(t))')
ax.set_ylabel('Y (sin(2t))')
ax.set_zlabel('Z')
ax.set_title('Parametric Curve: [cos(t), sin(2t), 0]')

# Add grid
ax.grid(True)

# Show the plot
plt.show()

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Parametric Curve:  $[\cos(t), \sin(2t), 0]$



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**Parametric Representation:**  $[t, 2, 1/t]$

$y$  is constant, with value 2. Therefore the curve is in the plane  $y = 2$ , parallel to the  $xz$  plane.

$x = t$ ,  $z = 1/t$ . Substitute  $t = x$ , so  $z = 1/x$  (for  $x \neq 0$ ).

Thus it's a hyperbola in the  $z = 1/x$  in  $xz$ -plane, with  $y = 2$  where  $x$  and  $z$  are inversely related, and the two axes  $x$  and  $z$  are asymptotes.

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## 1.3 11–20 FIND A PARAMETRIC REPRESENTATION

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### 11 Circle in the plane $z = 1$ with center $(3, 2)$ and passing through the origin.

A circle is parameterized using trigonometric functions  $\cos$  and  $\sin$ .

Since the circle lies in the plane  $z = 1$ , the  $z$ -coordinate is constant.

The center is  $(3, 2, 1)$ , and the circle passes through the point  $(0, 0, 1)$  in the plane  $z = 1$  corresponding to origin  $0, 0$  in  $xy$  plane.

The equation for the circle in  $xy$  plane with center  $(a, b)$  with radius  $r$  is  $(x - x_c)^2 + (y - y_c)^2 = r^2$ .

Here  $(x_c, y_c) = (3, 2)$  and  $r$  is the distance between  $(3, 2)$  and  $(0, 0)$ , which is  $\sqrt{3^2 + 2^2} = \sqrt{13}$ .

The co-ordinate equation is  $(x - x_c)^2 + (z - 1)^2 = r^2$ , where  $r$  is the radius, along with  $z = 1$ . Thus the equation is  $(y - 2)^2 + (z - 1)^2 = 13$ , along with  $z = 1$ .

The parametric representation for the same is set up as  $(x - x_c) = r \cos t$  and  $(y - y_c) = r \sin t$ , where  $t = \theta$  represents the angle made by the point  $(x, y)$  on the circle. Thus the equation is:

$$x = 3 + \sqrt{13} \cos t, \quad y = 2 + \sqrt{13} \sin t, \quad z = 1,$$

where  $t \in [0, 2\pi)$ .

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[17]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from mpl_toolkits.mplot3d import Axes3D

# Create parameter t for the circle
t = np.linspace(0, 2*np.pi, 100) # 100 points from 0 to 2

# Calculate radius
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r = np.sqrt(13)

# Parametric equations for the circle
x = 3 + r * np.cos(t)
y = 2 + r * np.sin(t)
z = np.ones_like(t) # z = 1 for all points

# Specific point at t = /4
t_point = np.pi/4
x_point = 3 + r * np.cos(t_point)
y_point = 2 + r * np.sin(t_point)
z_point = 1

# Point at t = 0
x_zero = 3 + r * np.cos(0)
y_zero = 2 + r * np.sin(0)
z_zero = 1

# Points for angle arc (smaller radius near center)
arc_radius = r * 0.2 # Small radius for angle visualization
t_arc = np.linspace(0, t_point, 20) # Points from 0 to /4
x_arc = 3 + arc_radius * np.cos(t_arc)
y_arc = 2 + arc_radius * np.sin(t_arc)
z_arc = np.ones_like(t_arc)

# Create 3D plot
fig = plt.figure(figsize=(10, 8))
ax = fig.add_subplot(111, projection='3d')

# Plot the circle
ax.plot(x, y, z, 'b-', label='Circle at z=1')

# Plot the center point
ax.scatter([3], [2], [1], color='red', label='Center (3,2,1)')

# Plot the origin point
ax.scatter([0], [0], [1], color='green', label='Point (0,0,1)')

# Plot the specific point at t = /4
ax.scatter([x_point], [y_point], [z_point], color='purple', label='Point at t= /
↪4')

# Plot the point at t = 0
ax.scatter([x_zero], [y_zero], [z_zero], color='orange', label='Point at t=0')

# Add line from center to t = /4 point

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ax.plot([3, x_point], [2, y_point], [1, 1], 'k--', alpha=0.5, label='Radius at_
↳t= /4')

# Add line from center to t = 0 point
ax.plot([3, x_zero], [2, y_zero], [1, 1], 'k-', alpha=0.5, label='Radius at_
↳t=0')

# Plot the angle arc
ax.plot(x_arc, y_arc, z_arc, 'm-', label='Angle t= /4')

# Annotate the angles
ax.text(x_point/2 + 1.5, y_point/2 + 1, 1, 't = /4', fontsize=10)
ax.text(x_zero/2 + 1.5, y_zero/2 + 1, 1, 't = 0', fontsize=10)

# Set labels and title
ax.set_xlabel('X axis')
ax.set_ylabel('Y axis')
ax.set_zlabel('Z axis')
ax.set_title('Circle in Plane z=1 with Angles')

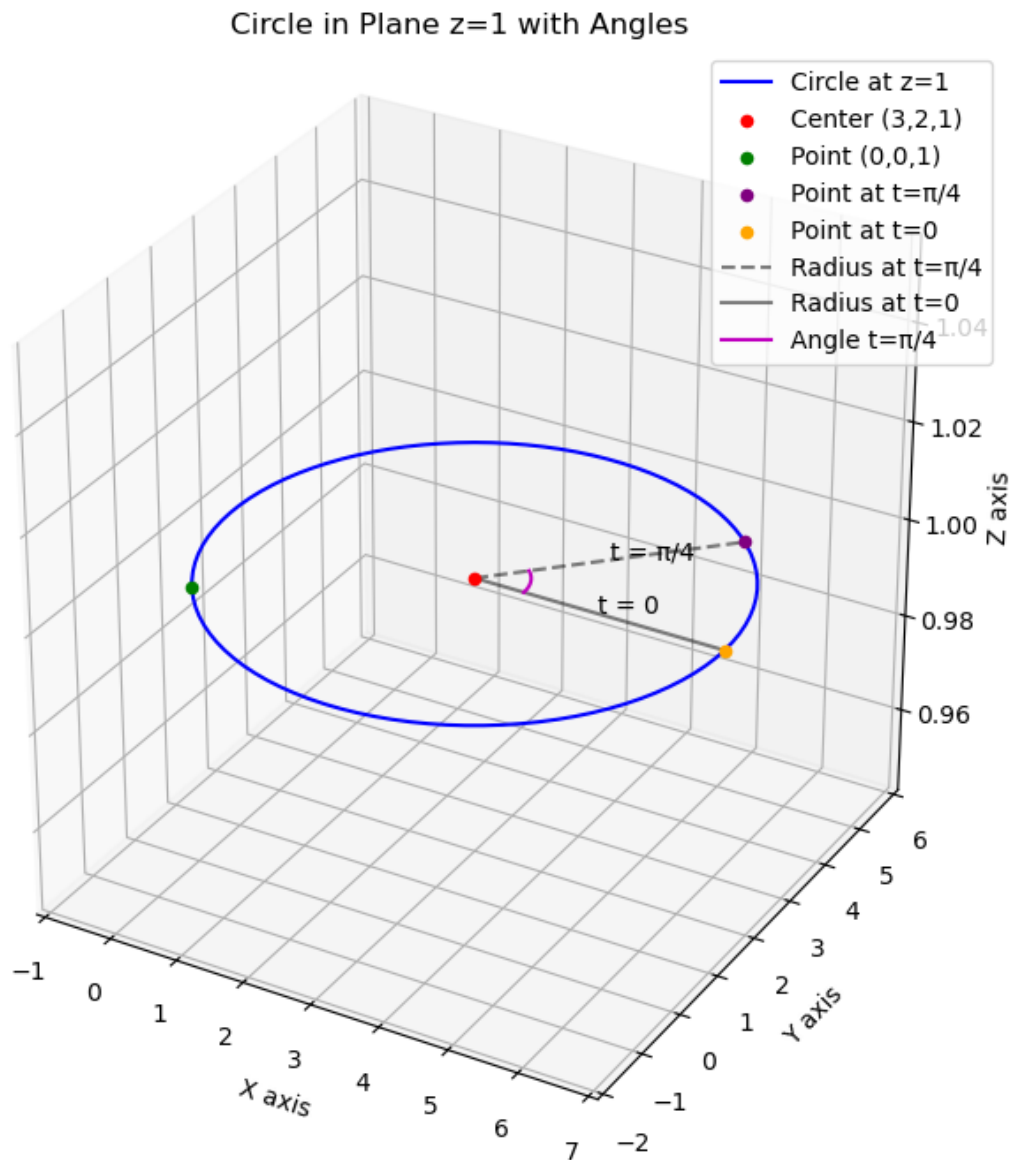
# Set equal aspect ratio
ax.set_box_aspect([1,1,1])

# Add legend
ax.legend()

# Add grid
ax.grid(True)

# Show plot
plt.show()

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## 12 Circle in the $yz$ -plane with center $(4, 0)$ and passing through $(0, 3)$ . Sketch it.

In the  $yz$ -plane,  $x = 0$ . The circle is parameterized using  $y$  and  $z$  coordinates with trigonometric functions, centered at  $(0, 4, 0)$  (adjusted for the  $yz$ -plane context).

The center is  $(0, 4, 0)$  (since it's in the  $yz$ -plane,  $x = 0$ ), and it passes through  $(0, 3, 0)$ .

The radius is the distance from  $(0, 4, 0)$  to  $(0, 3, 0)$ . Thus  $r = |4 - 3| = 1$ .  $\$$

The parametric equations are  $y = y_c + r \cos t$ ,  $z = z_c + r \sin t$ , with  $x = 0$ .

### Parametric Representation:

$$x = 0, \quad y = 4 + \cos t, \quad z = \sin t,$$

where  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi)$ .

Sketch a circle in the  $yz$ -plane centered at  $(0, 4, 0)$  with radius 1, passing through  $(0, 3, 0)$ . It extends from  $y = 3$  to  $y = 5$  and  $z$  from  $-1$  to  $1$ .

```
[18]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from mpl_toolkits.mplot3d import Axes3D

# Create parameter t
t = np.linspace(0, 2*np.pi, 100)

# Parametric equations
x = np.zeros_like(t) # x = 0 (yz-plane)
y = 4 + np.cos(t)    # y = 4 + cos(t)
z = np.sin(t)        # z = sin(t)

# Create 3D plot
fig = plt.figure(figsize=(8, 8))
ax = fig.add_subplot(111, projection='3d')

# Plot the circle
ax.plot(x, y, z, 'b-', label='Circle in yz-plane')

# Plot the center point
ax.scatter([0], [4], [0], color='red', label='Center (0, 4, 0)')

# Plot the point it passes through
ax.scatter([0], [3], [0], color='green', label='Point (0, 3, 0)')

# Set labels
ax.set_xlabel('X axis')
ax.set_ylabel('Y axis')
ax.set_zlabel('Z axis')
ax.set_title('Circle in yz-plane: Center (0, 4, 0), Radius 1')

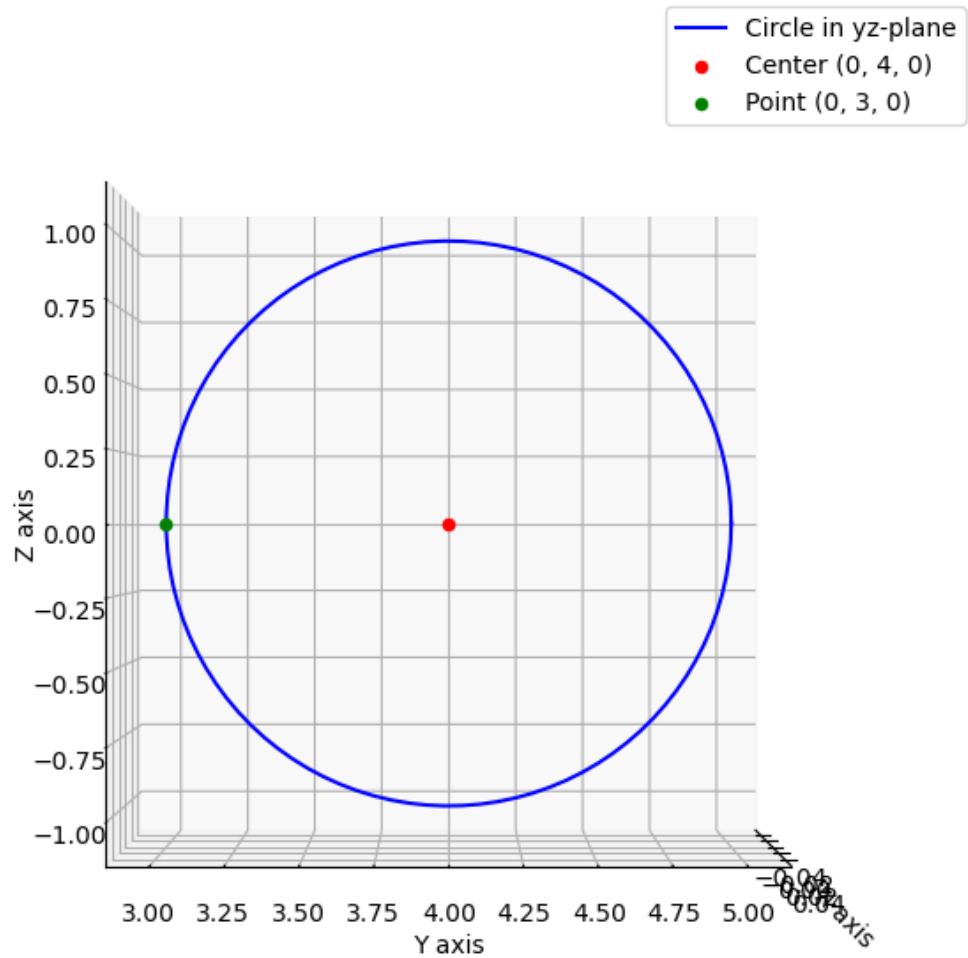
# Set equal aspect ratio
ax.set_box_aspect([1,1,1])

# Add legend
ax.legend()

# Adjust view to emphasize yz-plane
ax.view_init(elev=0, azim=0)
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plt.show()
```

Circle in yz-plane: Center (0, 4, 0), Radius 1



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### 13 Straight line through (2, 1, 3) in the direction of $\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j}$ .

A line in 3D space is parameterized using a point on the line and a direction vector. The direction vector  $\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j}$  corresponds to (1, 2, 0).

The line passes through (2, 1, 3) with direction vector  $\mathbf{d} = (1, 2, 0)$ .

The parametric form is  $\mathbf{r}(t) = \mathbf{r}_0 + t\mathbf{d}$ , where  $\mathbf{r}_0 = (2, 1, 3)$ .

**Parametric Representation:**

$$x = 2 + t, \quad y = 1 + 2t, \quad z = 3,$$

where  $t \in \mathbb{R}$ .

**Note:** The  $z$ -coordinate remains constant since the direction vector has no  $z$ -component.

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#### 14 Straight line through $(1, 1, 1)$ and $(4, 0, 2)$ . Sketch it.

The parametric equation of a line through two points uses the direction vector as the difference of the points.

Direction vector  $\mathbf{d} = (4 - 1, 0 - 1, 2 - 1) = (3, -1, 1)$ .

The line passes through  $(1, 1, 1)$ , so  $\mathbf{r}(t) = (1, 1, 1) + t(3, -1, 1)$ .

Thus, Parametric Representation:

$$x = 1 + 3t, \quad y = 1 - t, \quad z = 1 + t,$$

where  $t \in \mathbb{R}$ .

The line starts at  $(1, 1, 1)$  and moves toward  $(4, 0, 2)$ . As  $t$  increases,  $x$  and  $z$  increases and  $y$  decreases.

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#### 15 Straight line $y = 4x - 1, z = 5x$ .

We have to represent  $x, y, z$  in terms of a parameter  $t$ . Here already  $y$  and  $z$  can be represented in terms of  $x$ . Therefore we can use  $x$  as the parameter and set  $t = x$ . Then  $y = 4t - 1$  and  $z = 5t$ . Thus Parametric representation is:

$$x = t, \quad y = 4t - 1, \quad z = 5t,$$

where  $t \in \mathbb{R}$ .

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#### 16 The intersection of the circular cylinder of radius 1 about the $z$ -axis and the plane $z = y$ .

A cylinder of radius 1 about the  $z$ -axis has the equation  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ .

If  $x, y$  are represented in parametric form by a parameter  $t$ , then the intersection of above with  $z = y$  has  $z = y$  in the parametrization.

For parametric representation, use  $x = \cos t$ ,  $y = \sin t$ , and  $z = y = \sin t$ .

The intersection is an ellipse in the plane  $z = y$ . It projects to a circle to both the  $xy$ -plane and  $xz$ -plane. Its semi minor axis has length 1 while semi major axis has length  $\sqrt{2}$ .

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**17 Circle**  $\frac{1}{2}x^2 + y^2 = 1, z = y$ .

The first equation is:

$$x^2/2 + y^2 = 1$$

This is an ellipse in the  $xy$ -plane with: - Semi-major axis  $a = \sqrt{2}$  along  $x$ -axis (since  $x^2/2 = x^2/(\sqrt{2})^2$ ) - Semi-minor axis  $b = 1$  along  $y$ -axis

To parametrize this in  $xy$  plane, we can use: -  $x = \sqrt{2}\cos(t)$  -  $y = \sin(t)$  where  $t \in [0, 2\pi)$

Since  $z = y$ , we can write parametrization for the third co-ordinate also: -  $z = \sin(t)$ .

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**18 Helix**  $x^2 + y^2 = 25, z = 2\arctan(y/x)$ .

A helix is parameterized using circular motion in the  $xy$ -plane with a linear or other  $z$ -component.

Here,  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$  is a circle of radius 5.

This can be parametrized as  $x = 5\cos t, y = 5\sin t$ .

Thus  $z = 2\arctan(y/x) = 2\arctan\left(\frac{\sin t}{\cos t}\right) = 2t$ .

Thus, Parametric Representation is:

$$x = 5\cos t, \quad y = 5\sin t, \quad z = 2t,$$

where  $t = \theta \in \mathbb{R}$  represents the angle (e.g.,  $[0, 2\pi)$  for one turn).

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**19 Hyperbola**  $4x^2 - 3y^2 = 4, z = -2$

A hyperbola in the  $xy$ -plane is parameterized using hyperbolic functions  $\cosh t$  and  $\sinh t$ . In the given case, it is a hyperbola in the plane  $z = -2$ .

Just as we have the relation  $\cos^2 t + \sin^2 t = 1$  for the circular trigonometric functions, we have  $\cosh^2 t - \sinh^2 t = 1$  for the hyperbolic trigonometric functions. We use the latter to represent a hyperbola in parametric form.

The standard form of an ellipse centered at the origin is:

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

where  $a > b > 0$ ,  $a$  is the semi-major axis, and  $b$  is the semi-minor axis.

Similarly the standard form of a hyperbola centered at the origin (opening left and right) is:

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

where  $a$  and  $b$  are positive constants, and the asymptotes are  $y = \pm \frac{b}{a}x$ .

Rewrite given curve equation as  $4x^2 - 3y^2 = 4$  as  $\frac{x^2}{1} - \frac{y^2}{4/3} = 1$ .

Use  $x = \cosh t$ ,  $y = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \sinh t$ , so:

$$4(\cosh t)^2 - 3 \left( \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \sinh t \right)^2 = 4(\cosh^2 t - \sinh^2 t) = 4.$$

Also set  $z = -2$ . Thus the parametric representation is:

$$x = \cosh t, \quad y = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \sinh t, \quad z = -2,$$

where  $t \in \mathbb{R}$ .

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## 20 Intersection of $2x - y + 3z = 2$ and $x + 2y - z = 3$

The intersection of two planes in 3D space is a straight line (unless the planes are parallel). To find a parametric representation, solve the system of equations to express two variables in terms of a third, then parameterize the line.

We can do in the manner of Gauss elimination for matrices or work directly with equations.

### Derivation:

- The given planes are:

$$2x - y + 3z = 2 \quad (1)$$

$$x + 2y - z = 3 \quad (2)$$

- Solve the system by eliminating one variable. Multiply equation (2) by 3 to align the  $z$  terms:

$$3(x + 2y - z) = 3(3) \implies 3x + 6y - 3z = 9 \quad (3)$$

- Add equation (1) and equation (3) to eliminate  $z$ :

$$(2x - y + 3z) + (3x + 6y - 3z) = 2 + 9 \implies 5x + 5y = 11 \implies x + y = \frac{11}{5} \implies y = \frac{11}{5} - x.$$

- Substitute  $y = \frac{11}{5} - x$  into equation (2) to solve for  $z$ :

$$x + 2 \left( \frac{11}{5} - x \right) - z = 3 \implies x + \frac{22}{5} - 2x - z = 3 \implies -x + \frac{22}{5} - z = 3 \implies z = -x + \frac{22}{5} - 3 = -x + \frac{22}{5} - \frac{15}{5} = -x + \frac{7}{5}.$$

- Now, let  $x = t$  (as the parameter). Then:

$$y = \frac{11}{5} - t, \quad z = -t + \frac{7}{5}.$$



### Parametric Representation:

$$x = t, \quad y = \frac{11}{5} - t, \quad z = \frac{7}{5} - t,$$

where  $t \in \mathbb{R}$ .

### Verification:

- Substitute into equation (1):  $2(t) - (\frac{11}{5} - t) + 3(\frac{7}{5} - t) = 2t - \frac{11}{5} + t + \frac{21}{5} - 3t = \frac{10}{5} = 2$ , which holds.

- Substitute into equation (2):  $t + 2(\frac{11}{5} - t) - (\frac{7}{5} - t) = t + \frac{22}{5} - 2t - \frac{7}{5} + t = \frac{15}{5} = 3$ , which holds.

**Note:** The line passes through the point  $(0, \frac{11}{5}, \frac{7}{5})$  when  $t = 0$ , and its direction vector is  $(1, -1, -1)$ .

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### 1.4 24-28 Tangent

Given a curve  $C : \mathbf{r}(t)$ , find a tangent vector  $\mathbf{r}'(t)$ , a unit tangent vector  $\mathbf{u}'(t)$ , and the tangent of  $C$  at  $P$ . Sketch curve and tangent.

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**24**  $\mathbf{r}(t) = [t, 1 - 2t^2, 1]$

To calculate tangent vector first compute derivative:  $\mathbf{r}'(t) = [1, -4t, 0]$

The point  $P$  corresponds to  $t = 2$ . There the tangent vector is  $\mathbf{r}'(2) = [1, -8, 0]$ .

To calculate unit tangent vector, compute magnitude and divide the tangent vector by it:

Magnitude:  $|\mathbf{r}'(2)| = \sqrt{1^2 + (-8)^2 + 0^2} = \sqrt{65}$

Denoting by  $\mathbf{u}'$  the unit tangent vector,  $\mathbf{u}'(t) = [\frac{1}{\sqrt{65}}, \frac{-4t}{\sqrt{65}}, 0]$ .

The tangent line at is the line through the point  $P$  in the direction of the tangent vector.

Given by parametric equations  $x = 2 + s$ ,  $y = -8s$ ,  $z = 1$  for parameter  $s$ .

```
[1]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from mpl_toolkits.mplot3d import Axes3D

# Curve
t = np.linspace(0, 4, 100)
x = t
y = 0.5 * t**2
z = np.ones_like(t)

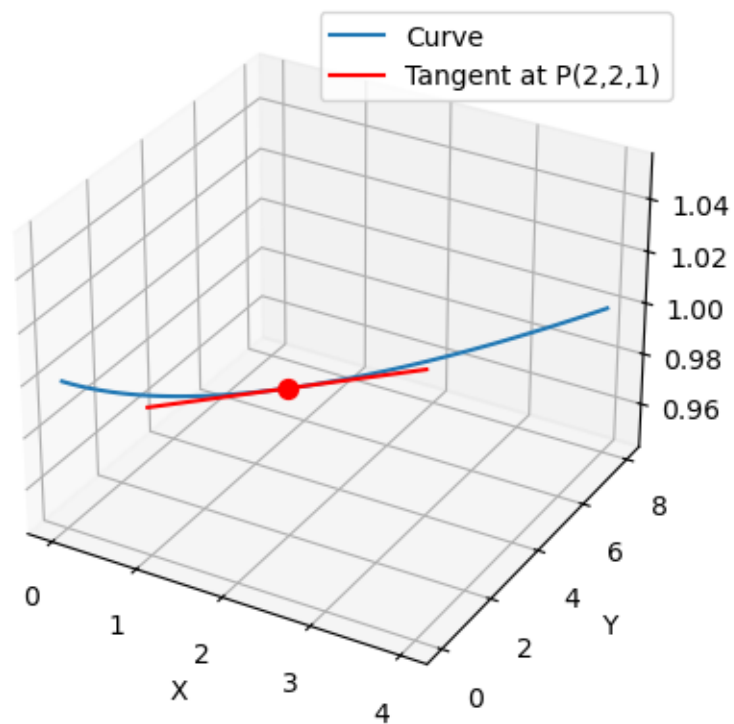
# Tangent at t=2
t0 = 2
s = np.linspace(-1, 1, 20)
x_tan = 2 + s
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y_tan = 2 + 2 * s
z_tan = np.ones_like(s)

# Plot
fig = plt.figure()
ax = fig.add_subplot(111, projection='3d')
ax.plot(x, y, z, label='Curve')
ax.plot(x_tan, y_tan, z_tan, 'r', label='Tangent at P(2,2,1)')
ax.scatter([2], [2], [1], color='red', s=50)
ax.set_xlabel('X')
ax.set_ylabel('Y')
ax.set_zlabel('Z')
ax.legend()
plt.show()

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25  $\mathbf{r}(t) = [10 \cos t, 1, 10 \sin t]$ ,  $P : (6, 1, 8)$

For tangent vector:

$\mathbf{r}'(t) = [-10 \sin t, 0, 10 \cos t]$

For  $t$  corresponding to  $P$  above, we know that  $\sin t = 0.8$ ,  $\cos t = 0.6$ . Thus,  $\mathbf{r}'(t) = [-8,$

0, 6] \$.

Magnitude:  $|\mathbf{r}'(t)| = \sqrt{(-8)^2 + 0^2 + 6^2} = \sqrt{64 + 36} = \sqrt{100} = 10$

Unit tangent vector:  $\mathbf{T}(t) = \frac{\mathbf{r}'(t)}{|\mathbf{r}'(t)|} = (-0.8, 0, 0.6)$

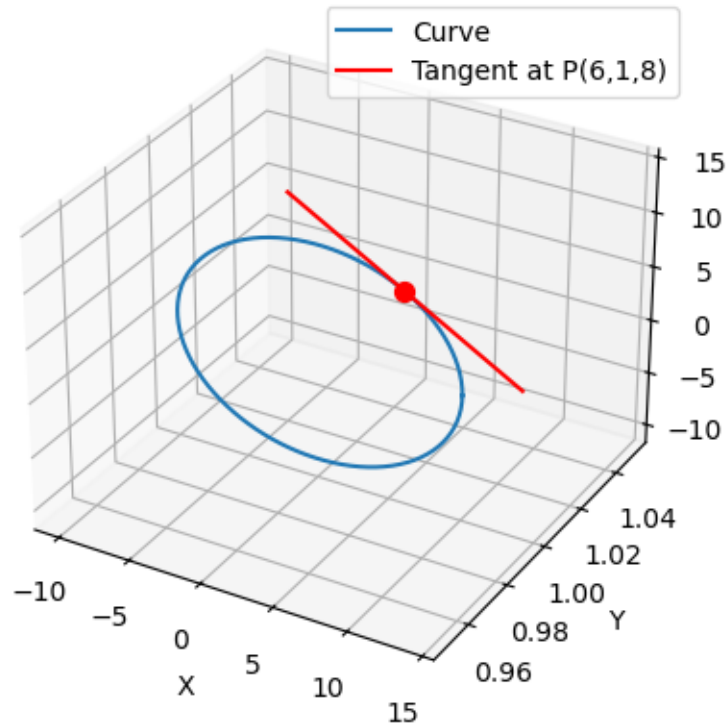
Tangent line at \$ P :\$  $x = 6 - 8s$  ,  $y = 1$  ,  $z = 8 + 6s$  .\$\$

```
[2]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from mpl_toolkits.mplot3d import Axes3D

# Curve
t = np.linspace(0, 2*np.pi, 100)
x = 10 * np.cos(t)
y = np.ones_like(t)
z = 10 * np.sin(t)

# Tangent at t=0.927
t0 = 0.927
s = np.linspace(-1, 1, 20)
x_tan = 6 - 8 * s
y_tan = np.ones_like(s)
z_tan = 8 + 6 * s

# Plot
fig = plt.figure()
ax = fig.add_subplot(111, projection='3d')
ax.plot(x, y, z, label='Curve')
ax.plot(x_tan, y_tan, z_tan, 'r', label='Tangent at P(6,1,8)')
ax.scatter([6], [1], [8], color='red', s=50)
ax.set_xlabel('X')
ax.set_ylabel('Y')
ax.set_zlabel('Z')
ax.legend()
plt.show()
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26  $\mathbf{r}(t) = [\cos t, \sin t, 9t]$ ,  $P: (1, 0, 18\pi)$

Tangent vector:

$\mathbf{r}'(t) = [-\sin t, \cos t, 9]$

At  $t = 2$ ,  $\mathbf{r}'(2) = [0, 1, 9]$ .

Magnitude:  $|\mathbf{r}'(2)| = \sqrt{82}$

Unit tangent vector:  $\mathbf{u}'(t) = \left[0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{82}}, \frac{9}{\sqrt{82}}\right]$ .

Tangent line at  $P$ :

$$x = 1, \quad y = s, \quad z = 18\pi + 9s.$$

```
[5]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from mpl_toolkits.mplot3d import Axes3D

# Curve
t = np.linspace(0, 2*np.pi, 100)
x = np.cos(t)
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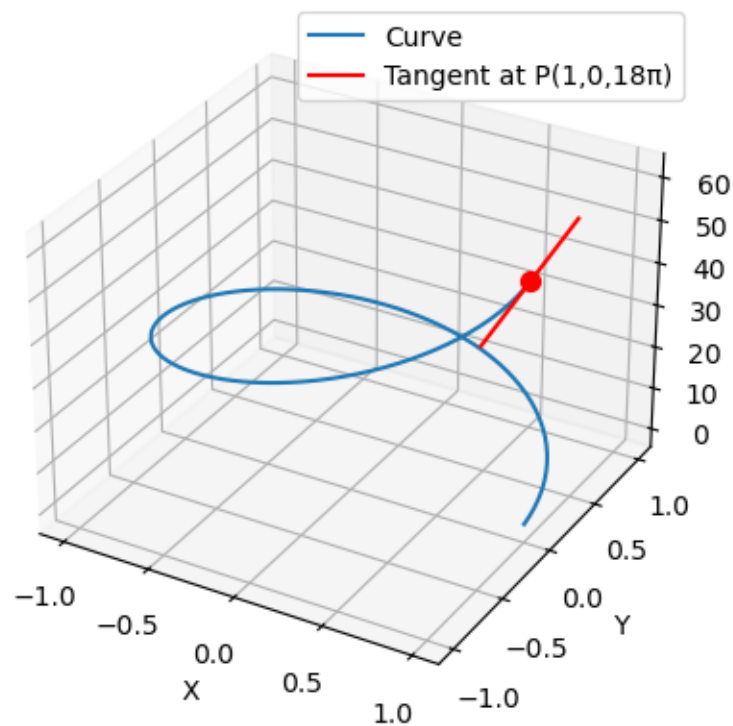
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y = np.sin(t)
z = 9 * t

# Tangent at t=2pi
t0 = 2 * np.pi
s = np.linspace(-0.5, 0.5, 20)
x_tan = np.ones_like(s)
y_tan = s
z_tan = 18 * np.pi + 9 * s

# Plot
fig = plt.figure()
ax = fig.add_subplot(111, projection='3d')
ax.plot(x, y, z, label='Curve')
ax.plot(x_tan, y_tan, z_tan, 'r', label='Tangent at P(1,0,18π)')
ax.scatter([1], [0], [18*np.pi], color='red', s=50)
ax.set_xlabel('X')
ax.set_ylabel('Y')
ax.set_zlabel('Z')
ax.legend()
plt.show()

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$$27 \quad \mathbf{r}(t) = \left[ t, \frac{1}{t}, 0 \right] \quad P: \left( 2, \frac{1}{2}, 0 \right)$$

Tangent vector:

$$\mathbf{r}'(t) = \left[ 1, -\frac{1}{t^2}, 0 \right]$$

$$\text{At } t = 2, \quad \mathbf{r}'(2) = \left[ 1, -\frac{1}{4}, 0 \right]$$

$$\text{Magnitude: } |\mathbf{r}'(2)| = \sqrt{17}$$

$$\text{Unit tangent vector: } \mathbf{u}'(t) = \left[ \frac{4}{\sqrt{17}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{17}}, 0 \right]$$

Tangent line at P:

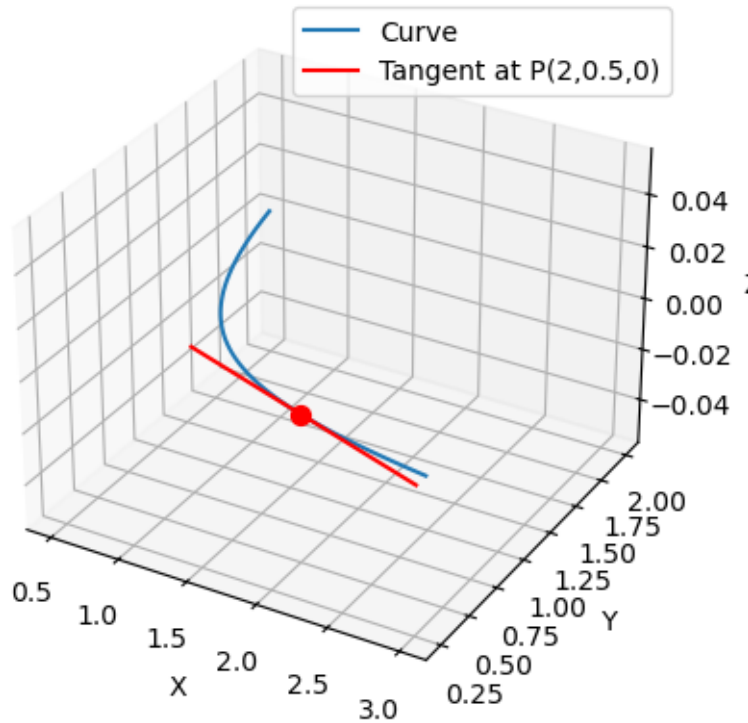
$$x = 2 + s, \quad y = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4}s, \quad z = 0.$$

```
[6]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from mpl_toolkits.mplot3d import Axes3D

# Curve
t = np.linspace(0.5, 3, 100)
x = t
y = 1 / t
z = np.zeros_like(t)

# Tangent at t=2
t0 = 2
s = np.linspace(-1, 1, 20)
x_tan = 2 + s
y_tan = 0.5 - 0.25 * s
z_tan = np.zeros_like(s)

# Plot
fig = plt.figure()
ax = fig.add_subplot(111, projection='3d')
ax.plot(x, y, z, label='Curve')
ax.plot(x_tan, y_tan, z_tan, 'r', label='Tangent at P(2,0.5,0)')
ax.scatter([2], [0.5], [0], color='red', s=50)
ax.set_xlabel('X')
ax.set_ylabel('Y')
ax.set_zlabel('Z')
ax.legend()
plt.show()
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$\mathbf{r}(t) = [t, t^2, t^3]$ ,  $P: (1, 1, 1)$

Tangent vector:

$\mathbf{r}'(t) = [1, 2t, 3t^2]$

At  $t = 1$ ,  $\mathbf{r}'(1) = [1, 2, 3]$ .

Magnitude:  $|\mathbf{r}'(1)| = \sqrt{14}$

Unit tangent vector:  $\mathbf{u}'(t) = \left[ \frac{1}{\sqrt{14}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{14}}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{14}} \right]$ .

Tangent line at  $P$ :

$$x = 1 + s, \quad y = 1 + 2s, \quad z = 1 + 3s.$$

```
[7]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from mpl_toolkits.mplot3d import Axes3D

# Curve
```

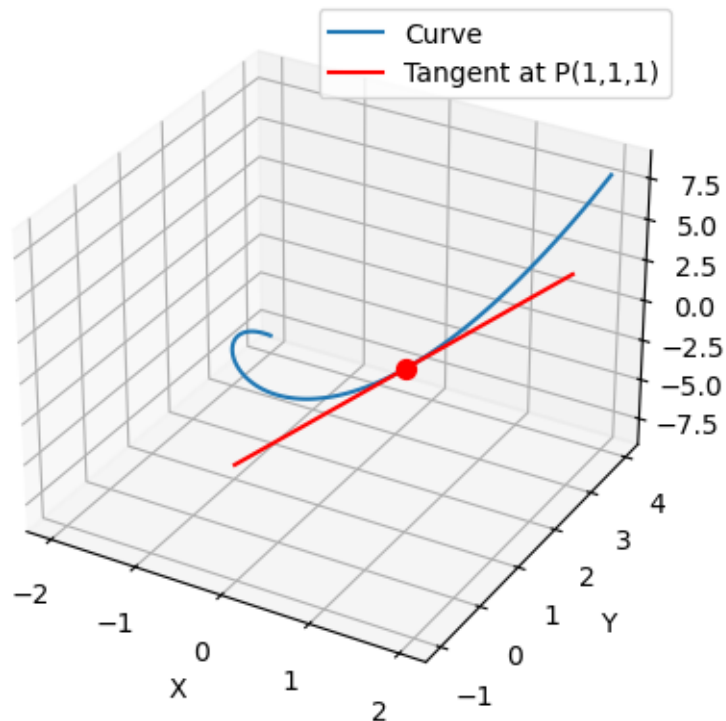
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t = np.linspace(-2, 2, 100)
x = t
y = t**2
z = t**3

# Tangent at t=1
t0 = 1
s = np.linspace(-1, 1, 20)
x_tan = 1 + s
y_tan = 1 + 2 * s
z_tan = 1 + 3 * s

# Plot
fig = plt.figure()
ax = fig.add_subplot(111, projection='3d')
ax.plot(x, y, z, label='Curve')
ax.plot(x_tan, y_tan, z_tan, 'r', label='Tangent at P(1,1,1)')
ax.scatter([1], [1], [1], color='red', s=50)
ax.set_xlabel('X')
ax.set_ylabel('Y')
ax.set_zlabel('Z')
ax.legend()
plt.show()

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