

Ch 12 Appendix - Parametric Representation of Curves

1. (a) point-slope form of tangent line at $(a, f(a))$: $y - f(a) = (x - a)f'(a)$

tangent line: all points of form $(x, f(a) + f'(a)(x - a))$

we can think of a vector-valued fn $\vec{c}(x) = (x, f(a) + f'(a)(x - a))$

and reparameterize it

$$s(t) = t - a$$

$$\rightarrow x(s) = s + a$$

$$\therefore (\vec{c} \circ \varphi)(s) = \vec{c}(x(s)) = (s + a, f(a) + sf'(a))$$

(b) $\vec{c}(t) = (t, f(t))$

$\vec{c}'(t) = (1, f'(t))$

The tangent line of \vec{c} at $(a, f(a))$ is defined as all points satisfying

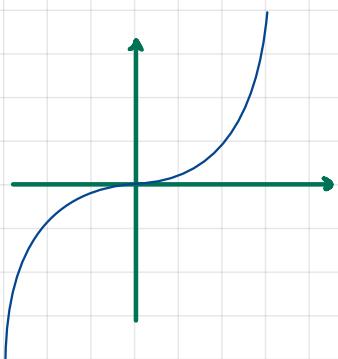
$$\vec{c}(a) + s\vec{c}'(a) = (a, f(a)) + s(1, f'(a))$$

$$= (a + s, f(a) + sf'(a))$$

But this is the same set of points that make up the tangent line of \vec{s} at $(a, f(a))$.

2. $\tilde{c}(t) = (f(t), t)$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 & x \geq 0 \\ -x^2 & x \leq 0 \end{cases}$$



$$\tilde{c}(t) = \begin{cases} (t^2, t) & t \geq 0 \\ (-t^2, t) & t \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

parametrize: $x(t) = t^2 \rightarrow t(x) = \sqrt{x}$

$$\tilde{c}(t) = c(\sqrt{x}) = \begin{cases} (t, t) & t \geq 0 \\ (-t, t) & t \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

The graph of c is the set of points (x, y) s.t. $x = y = t^2$ for $t \geq 0$ and $-x = y = t^2$ for $t \leq 0$

Therefore, $y(x) = \begin{cases} x & x \geq 0 \\ -x & x \leq 0 \end{cases}$

$$\rightarrow y(x) = |x|$$

We know this function is not diff at 0.

$$c'(t) = \begin{cases} (2t, 1) & t \geq 0 \\ (-2t, 1) & t \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$c'(0) = (0, 1)$$

3. $\begin{cases} x = u(t) \\ y = v(t) \end{cases}$ parametric representation of a curve
 u is one-one on some interval

$$(a) f(x) = (\sqrt{u}, v)(x) = \sqrt{u}(v(x))$$

Intuitively, given an x -coord., we can obtain the time t (in the one-one interval) using $u^{-1}(x)$. With that time we can find $v(t)$.

$$c(t) = (u(t), v(t))$$

$t(x) = u^{-1}(x)$ is a reparametrization.

$$\rightarrow d(x) = c(u^{-1}(x)) = (x, v(u^{-1}(x)))$$

$$\rightarrow f = j(x) = \sqrt{u(u^{-1}(x))}$$

(b) u diff. on this interval \rightarrow at $x = u(t)$ we have $f'(x) = \frac{v'(t)}{u'(t)}$

Proof

$$u'(t) \neq 0 \rightarrow (u^{-1})'(x) = \frac{1}{u'(u^{-1}(x))}$$

$$f'(x) = v'(u^{-1}(x)) \cdot (u^{-1})'(x)$$

$$= v'(x) \cdot (u^{-1})'(u(x))$$

$$= v'(x) \cdot \frac{1}{u'(x)}$$

$$(a) f''(x) = \frac{v''(t)(u^{-1})'(x)u'(t) - v'(t)u''(t) \cdot (u^{-1})'(x)}{(u'(t))^2}$$

$$\frac{v''(t) \cdot u'(x) \cdot \frac{1}{u'(x)} - u''(t)v'(x) \cdot \frac{1}{u'(x)}}{(u'(x))^2}$$

$$\frac{v''(t)u'(x) - u''(x)v'(x)}{(u'(x))^3}$$

$$4. x^{\frac{2}{3}} + y^{\frac{2}{3}} = 1 \quad (1)$$

$$(1) \cancel{\frac{2}{3}x^{-\frac{1}{3}} + \frac{2}{3}y^{-\frac{1}{3}}y' = 0}$$

$$y' = -\frac{x^{\frac{2}{3}}}{y^{\frac{2}{3}}} = -\frac{y^{\frac{2}{3}}}{x^{\frac{2}{3}}} \quad (2)$$

Note that if we solve for y explicitly,

$$y^{\frac{2}{3}} = 1 - x^{\frac{2}{3}}$$

$$y = \pm (1 - x^{\frac{2}{3}})^{\frac{3}{2}} = \pm \sqrt{(1 - x^2)^3}$$

we obtain two functions. Either one solves (1).

The domain of both fns is

$$(1 - x^2)^{\frac{3}{2}} \geq 0 \rightarrow 1 - x^2 \geq 0 \rightarrow x^2 \leq 1 \rightarrow |x| \leq 1 \rightarrow -1 \leq x \leq 1$$

Note that $y(x)$ appears in (2), and so y is

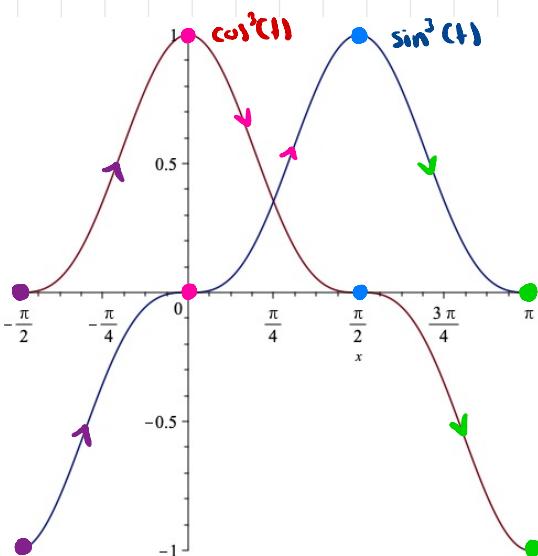
also two functions, one for each of the two $y(x)$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{curl } x \cdot \cos^2 t \cdot u(t) &\rightarrow u(t) = 3\cos^2(t)(-\sin t) = -3\cos^2 t \sin t \\ \text{curl } x \cdot \sin^2 t \cdot v(t) &\rightarrow v'(t) = 3\sin^2 t \cos t \end{aligned}$$

consider the interval $(k\pi \frac{\pi}{2}, (k+1)\frac{\pi}{2})$, $k \in \mathbb{Z}$. Just

$u(t)$ is one-one on this interval, and $v'(t) \neq 0$

$$\text{By 3b), if } y = F(x) \text{ then } y'(x) \cdot F'(x) = \frac{3\sin^2 t \cos t}{-3\cos^2 t \sin t} = -\frac{\sin t}{\cos t}$$



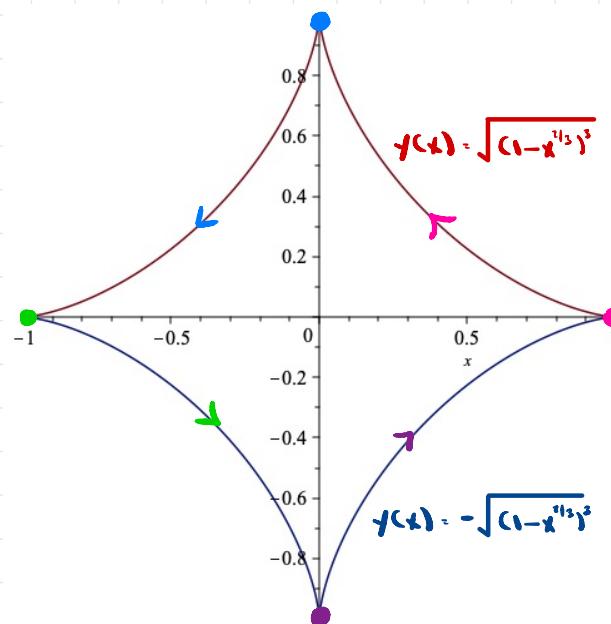
note $x^{\frac{2}{3}} + y^{\frac{2}{3}} = 1$ is an equation. The solutions form a set of points in the plane. If we think of x as an independent variable then it can be that y is a function of x in a certain interval.

(1) $\rightarrow (x^{\frac{2}{3}}, \sin^3 t)$ is a parametric curve.

If $x(t) = \cos^2 t$ and $y(t) = \sin^2 t$, then for any t ,

$$(\cos^2 t)^{\frac{2}{3}} + (\sin^2 t)^{\frac{2}{3}} = 1.$$

That is, the set of points on the curve coincides w/ the set of points satisfying the initial equation we had.



Interpretation

$(\cos^2 t, \sin^2 t)$ is one parametrization of the curve shown above.

$(t, \sqrt{(1-t^2)^3})$ and $(t, -\sqrt{(1-t^2)^3})$ are two parametrizations for two parts of the curve.

Note that since $x = \cos^2 t$, if we sub into (1) we get

$$\cos^2 t + y(t)^{\frac{2}{3}} = 1 \rightarrow y(t)^{\frac{2}{3}} = 1 - \cos^2 t = \sin^2 t$$

$$y(t)^{\frac{2}{3}} = \sin^2 t$$

$$\rightarrow y'(t) = -\frac{y(t)^{\frac{2}{3}}}{x^{\frac{2}{3}}}$$

5. $(x, y) = (u(t), v(t))$

u, v diff.

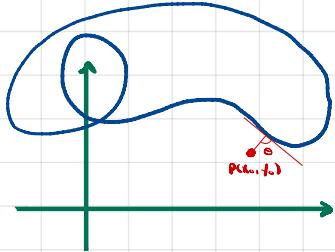
$P = (x_0, y_0)$ point on plane

→ line from P to Q is perpendicular to tangent line of the curve at Q

$Q(u(\bar{t}), v(\bar{t}))$ point on curve closest to (x_0, y_0)

$u'(\bar{t})$ and $v'(\bar{t})$ not both zero.

Proof



$$D(t) = \sqrt{(u(t) - x_0)^2 + (v(t) - y_0)^2} \quad (1)$$

Note that D is defined for all t , it is bounded below, differentiable, and it has a min on any closed interval.

By assumption $D(t)$ has a global min at \bar{t} . This is an interio point of \mathbb{R} , therefore $D'(\bar{t}) = 0$

$$D'(\bar{t}) = \frac{1}{2} \frac{[2(u(\bar{t}) - x_0)u'(\bar{t}) + 2(v(\bar{t}) - y_0)v'(\bar{t})]}{\sqrt{(u(\bar{t}) - x_0)^2 + (v(\bar{t}) - y_0)^2}} = 0$$

$$u'(\bar{t})(u(\bar{t}) - x_0) + v'(\bar{t})(v(\bar{t}) - y_0) = 0$$

$$(u'(\bar{t}), v'(\bar{t})) \cdot (u(\bar{t}) - x_0, v(\bar{t}) - y_0) = 0$$

$$\rightarrow \cos \theta = 0 \rightarrow \theta = \pi/2$$

The vector $(u'(\bar{t}), v'(\bar{t}))$ is tangent to curve at Q .

An alternative way to see this, w/ dot product

$$\text{Case 1: } u'(\bar{t}) \neq 0$$

Then

$$\frac{v'(\bar{t})}{u'(\bar{t})} \cdot \frac{v(\bar{t}) - y_0}{u(\bar{t}) - x_0} = -1$$

From 4b, we know that $\frac{v'(t)}{u'(t)} = v'(x)$ is the slope of the tangent at $(u(\bar{t}), v(\bar{t}))$. $\frac{v(\bar{t}) - y_0}{u(\bar{t}) - x_0}$ is the slope of the line from P to Q .

From 4-8a, if two lines have slopes m and n , and $m \cdot n = -1$ then the lines are perpendicular.

6. (a)

$r \sin \theta$.

graph of f in polar coord.: all points of polar coord. $(f(\theta), \theta) = (r, \theta)$

we want the slope of the tangent line at $(f(\theta), \theta)$.

Note

$(f(\theta), \theta)$ are just coordinates, not a vector or a vector-valued fn.

$(x(\theta), y(\theta)) = (f(\theta) \cos \theta, f(\theta) \sin \theta)$ is a v.v. fn

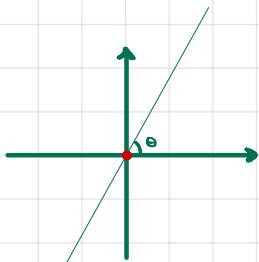
It is the param. representation of a curve which is the graph of f in polar coordinates.

As we proved in problem 3b, in intervals of θ where $y(\theta)$ is one-one and $y'(\theta) \neq 0$, we have

$$y'(\theta) = \frac{y'(\theta)}{x'(\theta)} = \frac{f'(\theta) \sin \theta + f(\theta) \cos \theta}{f'(\theta) \cos \theta - f(\theta) \sin \theta} \quad (1)$$

(b) $f(\theta) = 0$

f diff at θ



$$\begin{aligned} x &= x(\theta) = f(\theta) \cos \theta = 0 \\ y'(\theta) &= \frac{f'(\theta) \sin \theta + f(\theta) \cos \theta}{f'(\theta) \cos \theta - f(\theta) \sin \theta} \\ &= \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}, \text{ where } f(\theta) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Note that the above result relies on $x'(\theta) = f'(\theta) \cos \theta \neq 0$

If $\cos \theta = 0$ then $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$ or $\theta = \frac{3\pi}{2}$. The slope of the tangent isn't defined since it is vertical.

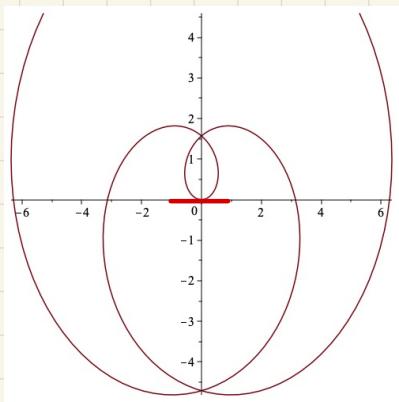
If $y'(\theta) = 0$ then $f(\theta) = \text{constant} = a$, and if $a \neq 0$ this is a circle.

$(x(\theta), y(\theta)) \neq (0,0)$ for all θ unless $f(\theta) = 0$ in which cases the curve is the single point $(0,0)$.

In either case there is no derivative at $(0,0)$.

deconde this scenario in the context of some related graphs of curves

Spiral of Archimedes $r = \theta$

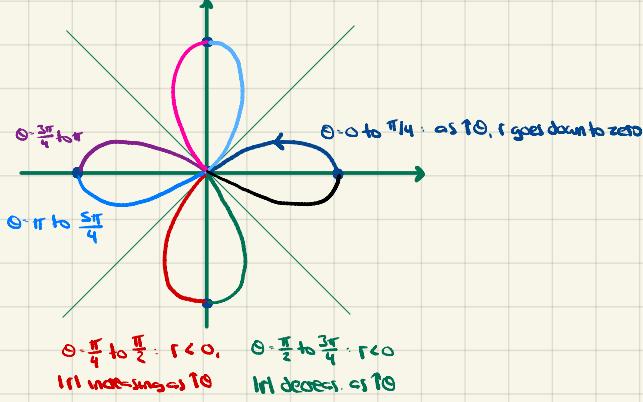


$$r = \frac{a}{\cos \theta} = f(\theta) \quad \text{note that } c(\theta) = (x(\theta), y(\theta)) = (a, a \tan \theta)$$

$x'(\theta) = 0$, so there is no defined $\frac{dy}{dx}$.

$$f'(\theta) = \frac{a}{\cos^2 \theta} + 0, \text{ so } \frac{dx}{dy} = \frac{0}{a \cos^2 \theta} = 0$$

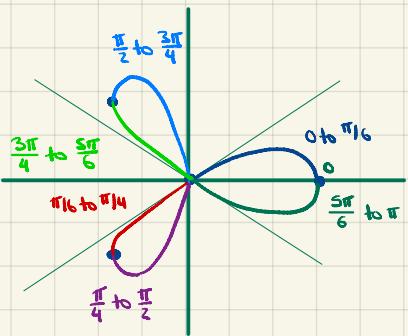
$$r = \cos 2\theta$$



$$c(\theta) = (\cos(2\theta), \cos\theta, \cos(2\theta)\sin\theta)$$

$$f(\theta) = 0? \quad \cos(2\theta) = 0 \rightarrow 2\theta = \frac{\pi}{2} + k\pi \rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{k\pi}{2} \rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4}, \frac{5\pi}{4}, \frac{7\pi}{4}$$

$$r = \cos 3\theta \cdot f(\theta)$$



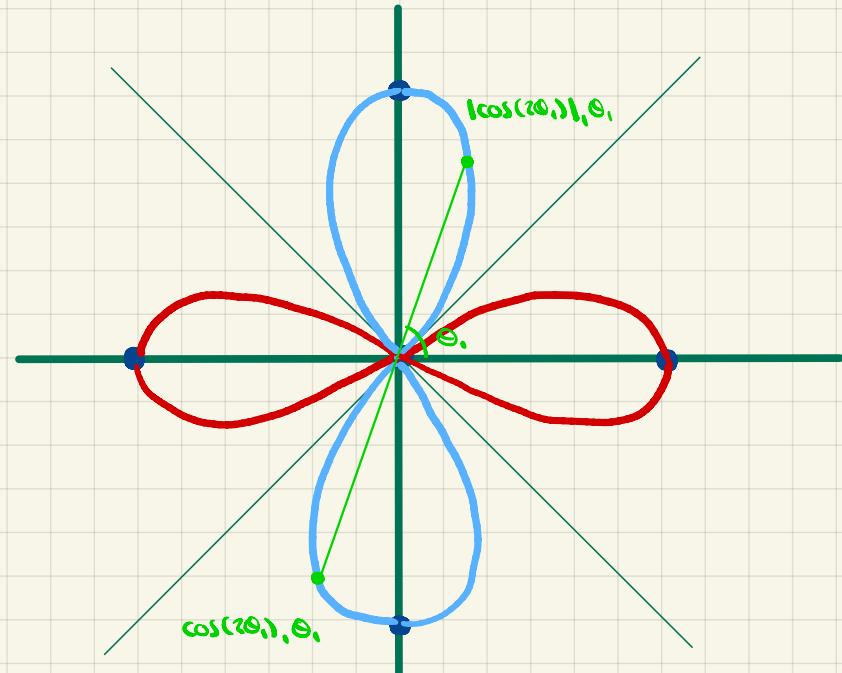
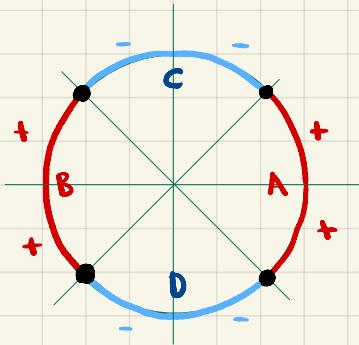
$$f(\theta) = 0 \rightarrow \cos(3\theta) = 0 \rightarrow 3\theta = \frac{\pi}{2} + k\pi \rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{k\pi}{3}$$

$$\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{5\pi}{6}, \frac{7\pi}{6}, \frac{3\pi}{2}, \frac{11\pi}{6}$$

Note, however, that $\cos(\pi/2) \cdot \cos(3\pi/2) = 0$, where the tangent is vertical.

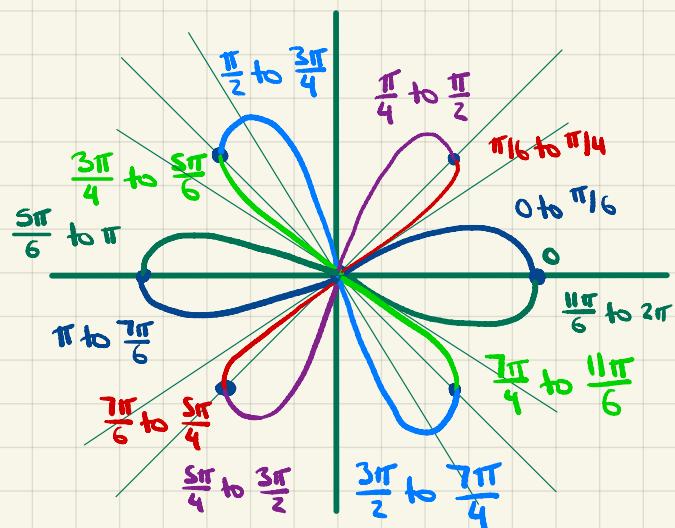
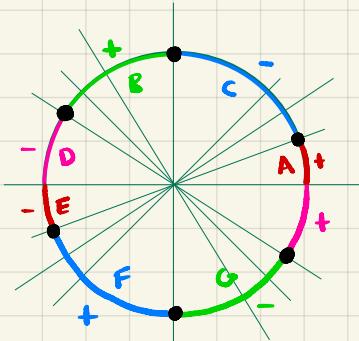
Also,

$$r = |\cos 2\theta|$$



$$|\cos 2\theta| = 0 \text{ at same } \theta \text{ as the case of } \cos 2\theta.$$

$$r = |\cos 3\theta|$$



$$|\cos(3\theta)| = 0$$

$$A = [0, \frac{\pi}{6}]$$

$$B = [\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{5\pi}{6}]$$

$$C = [\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{\pi}{2}]$$

$$D = [\frac{5\pi}{6}, \pi]$$

$$\cos 3\theta = 0 \Rightarrow 3\theta = \frac{\pi}{2} + k\pi \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{5\pi}{6}$$

$$-\cos 3\theta = 0 \Rightarrow 3\theta = \frac{3\pi}{2} + k\pi \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{7\pi}{6}, \frac{3\pi}{2}, \frac{11\pi}{6}$$

Same as the case of $r = \cos 3\theta$

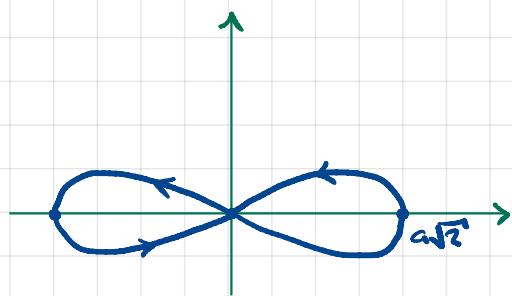
$$r = \begin{cases} \cos 3\theta & \theta \in A \cup B \\ -\cos 3\theta & \theta \in C \cup D \end{cases}$$

$$r^2 = 2a^2 \cos(2\theta)$$

$$2a^2 \cos(2\theta) = 0$$

$$\rightarrow \cos 2\theta = 0$$

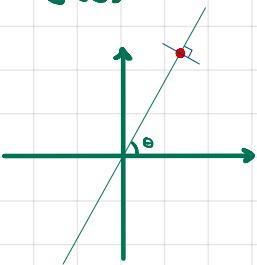
$$\rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4}, \frac{5\pi}{4}, \frac{7\pi}{4}$$



(c) $(x(\theta), y(\theta))$ furthest point of graph of γ from origin

As we showed in problem 5, given a point P (in our case, $(0,0)$), if Q is on the graph of a curve and is either the closest or farthest point from P , then $(\dot{x}(\theta), \dot{y}(\theta)) \cdot (\dot{x}(\theta) - 0, \dot{y}(\theta) - 0) = 0$

$$\text{or } \frac{\dot{y}'(\theta)}{\dot{x}'(\theta)} \cdot \frac{\dot{y}(\theta)}{\dot{x}(\theta)} = -1 \rightarrow \frac{\dot{y}'(\theta)}{\dot{x}'(\theta)} \cdot \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = -1 \rightarrow \dot{x}'(\theta) = -\frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta}$$



The tangent at $(x(\theta), y(\theta))$ is perpendicular to the line from origin to $(x(\theta), y(\theta))$, and has slope $\cot \theta / \sin \theta = \cot \theta = 1 / \tan \theta$.

Note also that we can obtain the same information by computing the derivative directly.

$$y'(\lambda) = \frac{y'(\theta)}{x'(\theta)} = \frac{y'(\theta) \sin \theta + x'(\theta) \cos \theta}{x'(\theta) \cos \theta - y'(\theta) \sin \theta} = -\frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta}$$

$$(d) \tan(\alpha - \theta) = \frac{f(\theta)}{f'(\theta)}$$

Proof

A parametrization of the curve: $(x(\theta), y(\theta)) = (f(\theta) \cos \theta, f(\theta) \sin \theta)$

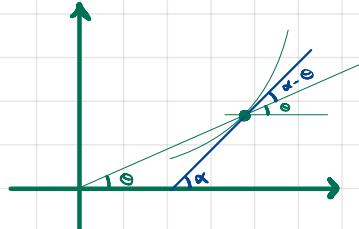
$$\tan \alpha = y'(\lambda) = \frac{y'(\theta)}{x'(\theta)} = \frac{f'(\theta) \sin \theta + f(\theta) \cos \theta}{f'(\theta) \cos \theta - f(\theta) \sin \theta}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}$$

$$\text{From trigonometry, } \tan(\alpha - \theta) = \frac{\tan \alpha - \tan \theta}{1 + \tan \alpha \tan \theta}$$

subbing in, we obtain

$$\tan(\alpha - \theta) = \frac{f(\theta)}{f'(\theta)}$$



7. (a) $r = f(\theta) = 1 - \sin\theta$, also described by $(x^2 + y^2 + r)^2 = x^2 + y^2$

(i) Assume $y = f(x)$

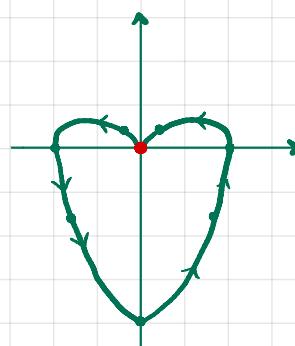
$$r(x^2 + y^2 + r)(2x + 2y + y' + y'') = 2x + 2y + y'$$

$$2x(x^2 + y^2 + r) + y'(x^2 + y^2 + r)(2y + 1) = x + y + y'$$

$$y'(x^2 + y^2 + r)(2y + 1) - y'y = x - 2x(x^2 + y^2 + r) - x(1 - 2(x^2 + y^2 + r))$$

$$y'[(x^2 + y^2 + r)(2y + 1) - y] = x(1 - 2(x^2 + y^2 + r))$$

$$y' = \frac{x(1 - 2(x^2 + y^2 + r))}{(x^2 + y^2 + r)(2y + 1) - y}$$



(ii) $\tan(\alpha - \theta) = \frac{\tan\alpha - \tan\theta}{1 + \tan\alpha\tan\theta} = \frac{f(\theta)}{f'(\theta)} = \frac{1 - \sin\theta}{-\cos\theta}$

For any given θ , we know $\tan\theta = \sin\theta/\cos\theta$, and we know $\tan(\alpha - \theta)$. We should be able to solve for $\tan\alpha$.

$$-\cos\theta(\tan\alpha - \tan\theta) = 1 - \sin\theta + \tan\alpha\tan\theta - \tan\alpha\tan\theta\sin\theta$$

$$\tan\alpha(-\cos\theta - \tan\theta + \tan\theta\sin\theta) = 1 - \sin\theta - \cos\theta\tan\theta = 1 - 2\sin\theta$$

$$\tan\alpha\left(\frac{-\cos^2\theta - \sin\theta + \sin^2\theta}{\cos\theta}\right) = 1 - 2\sin\theta$$

$$\tan\alpha = \frac{\cos\theta(1 - 2\sin\theta)}{\sin^2\theta - \cos^2\theta - \sin\theta}$$

Interpretation

In 6a, we obtained a formula for $\tan(\alpha - \theta)$ based on knowledge of $\tan\alpha$ and $\tan\theta$. $\tan\theta$ is always known if we know the point we are at: $\tan\theta = \frac{\sin\theta}{\cos\theta} = \frac{y}{x}$.

$\tan\alpha$, on the other hand, is the slope of the tangent, and this we found in 3b to be $y'(x) = \frac{y'(\theta)}{x'(\theta)}$.

$$(x(\theta), y(\theta)) = ((1 - \sin\theta)\cos\theta, (1 - \sin\theta)\sin\theta)$$

$$\begin{aligned} x'(\theta) &= -\cos\theta\cos\theta + (1 - \sin\theta)(-\sin\theta) \\ &= -\cos^2\theta - \sin\theta + \sin^2\theta \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} y'(\theta) &= -\cos\theta\sin\theta + (1 - \sin\theta)\cos\theta \\ &= -\cos\theta\sin\theta + \cos\theta - \sin\theta\cos\theta \\ &= \cos\theta - 2\sin\theta\cos\theta \end{aligned}$$

$$y'(x) = \frac{y'(\theta)}{x'(\theta)} = \frac{\cos\theta - 2\sin\theta\cos\theta}{-\cos^2\theta - \sin\theta + \sin^2\theta}$$

so this direct calculation is yet another way to obtain $y'(x)$.

(b) tangent lines at the origin

$$r = 1 - \sin\theta = 0 \rightarrow \sin\theta = 1 \rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$x'(\theta) = \sin^2\theta - \cos^2\theta - \sin\theta$$

$$y'(\theta) = \cos\theta(1 - 2\sin\theta)$$

$$x'(\pi/2) = 1 - 0 - 1 = 0 \rightarrow \text{we can't use the formula } y'(x) = \frac{y'(\theta)}{x'(\theta)}$$

$$y'(\pi/2) = 0(1 - 0) = 0 \rightarrow \text{can't use } x'(y) = \frac{x'(\theta)}{y'(\theta)}$$

How can we show that the tangent is vertical?

let's compute $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} y'(x)$ and $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} y'(x)$.

$$y'(x) = \frac{\cos\theta - 2\sin\theta\cos\theta}{\sin^2\theta - \cos^2\theta - \sin\theta}$$

We want to compute $\lim_{\theta \rightarrow \pi/2^+} \frac{\cos\theta - 2\sin\theta\cos\theta}{\sin^2\theta - \cos^2\theta - \sin\theta}$. But first let's just show that $x \rightarrow 0$ when $\theta \rightarrow \pi/2$.

$$\lim_{\theta \rightarrow \pi/2} \cos\theta = \cos\pi/2 = 0 \rightarrow \forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0 \text{ s.t. } |\theta - \pi/2| < \delta \rightarrow |\cos(\theta) - \cos(\pi/2)| < \epsilon \rightarrow \cos\pi/2 - \epsilon < \cos\theta < \cos\pi/2 + \epsilon$$

$$\text{let } \theta = \pi/2 - h. \text{ Then } \forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0 \text{ s.t. } |h| < \delta \rightarrow |\cos(\pi/2 - h) - \cos(\pi/2)| < \epsilon$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \cos(\pi/2 - h) = \cos(\pi/2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{similarly, } \forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0 \text{ s.t. } |\theta - \pi/2| < \delta \rightarrow |\sin(\theta) - \sin(\pi/2)| < \epsilon \rightarrow \sin(\pi/2) - \epsilon < \sin(\theta) < \sin(\pi/2) + \epsilon \\ \rightarrow -\sin\pi/2 - \epsilon < -\sin\theta < -\sin\pi/2 + \epsilon \\ \rightarrow 1 - \sin\pi/2 - \epsilon < 1 - \sin\theta < 1 - \sin\pi/2 + \epsilon \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now, } x(\theta) = (1 - \sin\theta)\cos\theta$$

For $\theta_0 \cdot \frac{\pi}{2}$ we have

$$\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0 \text{ s.t. } |\theta - \pi/2| < \delta \rightarrow -\epsilon < \cos\theta < \epsilon \quad \wedge \quad -\epsilon < 1 - \sin\theta < \epsilon$$

$$\rightarrow -\epsilon^2 < -\epsilon\cos\theta < \cos\theta(1 - \sin\theta) < \epsilon\cos\theta < \epsilon^2$$

Therefore

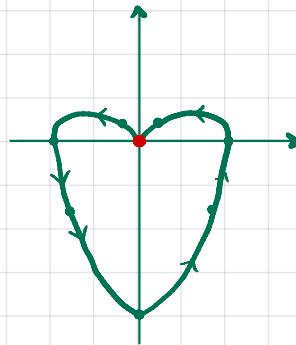
$$\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0 \text{ s.t. } |\theta - \pi/2| < \delta \rightarrow -\sqrt{\epsilon} < \cos\theta < \sqrt{\epsilon} \rightarrow -\sqrt{\epsilon} < 1 - \sin\theta < \sqrt{\epsilon}$$

$$\rightarrow -\sqrt{\epsilon}\cos\theta < (1 - \sin\theta)\cos\theta < \sqrt{\epsilon}\cos\theta$$

$$\rightarrow -\epsilon < \cos\theta(1 - \sin\theta) < \epsilon$$

$$\rightarrow |x| < \epsilon$$

That is, $\theta \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2} \rightarrow x \rightarrow 0$



Back to our limit

$$\lim_{\substack{\theta \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}^+ \\ x \rightarrow 0^+}} \frac{\cos \theta - 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta}{\sin^2 \theta - \cos^2 \theta - \sin \theta} = \lim_{\substack{\theta \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}^+ \\ x \rightarrow 0^+}} \frac{h(\theta)}{g(\theta)}$$

Note that we can't apply L'Hopital here

$$h'(\theta) = -\sin \theta - 2(\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta) \rightarrow h'(\pi/2) = -1 - 2(0-1) = -1 + 2 = 1$$

$$g'(\theta) = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta - 2 \cos \theta (-\sin \theta) - \cos \theta \rightarrow g'(\pi/2) = 2 \cdot 1 \cdot 0 - 2 \cdot 0 \cdot (-1) - 0 = 0$$

$$\lim_{\substack{\theta \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}^+ \\ x \rightarrow 0^+}} h(\theta) = 0$$

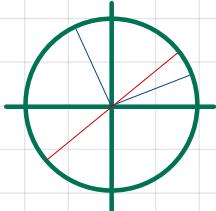
$$\lim_{\substack{\theta \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}^+ \\ x \rightarrow 0^+}} g(\theta) = 0$$

$\lim_{\substack{\theta \rightarrow 0^+ \\ x \rightarrow 0^+}} \frac{h'(\theta)}{g'(\theta)}$ doesn't exist can't apply L'Hopital's Rule

Let's try a change of variable

let $\phi = \theta + \pi/2$.

$$\lim_{\phi \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\cos(\phi + \pi/2) - 2 \sin(\phi + \pi/2) \cos(\phi + \pi/2)}{\sin^2(\phi + \pi/2) - \cos^2(\phi + \pi/2) - \sin(\phi + \pi/2)} = \lim_{\phi \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\cos(\phi + \pi/2) - \sin(2(\phi + \pi/2))}{\sin^2(\phi + \pi/2) - \cos^2(\phi + \pi/2) - \sin(\phi + \pi/2)}$$



$$\cos(\phi + \pi/2) = -\sin(\phi)$$

$$\sin(2\phi + \pi) = -\sin(2\phi)$$

$$\sin(\phi + \pi/2) = \cos(\phi)$$

$$\cos(2\phi + \pi) = -\cos(2\phi)$$

$$\cos(\phi + \pi/2) = -\sin \phi$$

$$\lim_{\phi \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{-\sin(\phi) + \sin(2\phi)}{\cos^2(\phi) - \sin^2(\phi) - \cos(\phi)}$$

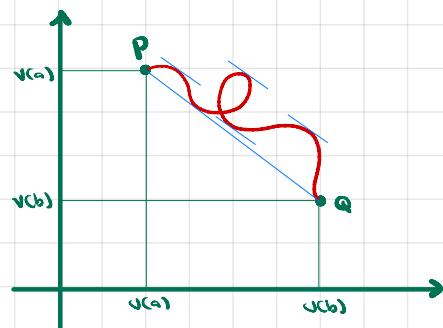
9. \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} continuous on $[a, b]$ diff on (a, b)

$$\mathbf{P} = (\mathbf{u}(a), \mathbf{v}(a))$$

$$\mathbf{Q} = (\mathbf{u}(b), \mathbf{v}(b))$$

$(\mathbf{u}(t), \mathbf{v}(t)) = (\mathbf{u}(t), \mathbf{v}(t))$ is a parametric repres. of a curve from \mathbf{P} to \mathbf{Q} .

At some point on the curve, the tangent is parallel to line segment from \mathbf{P} to \mathbf{Q} .



Proof

$$\text{Line segment: } g(t) = \frac{\mathbf{v}(b) - \mathbf{v}(a)}{\mathbf{u}(b) - \mathbf{u}(a)} (\mathbf{u}(t) - \mathbf{u}(a)) + \mathbf{v}(a), t \in [a, b], \text{ assuming } \mathbf{u}(b) \neq \mathbf{u}(a)$$

$$\text{Let } d(t) = \mathbf{v}(t) - g(t).$$

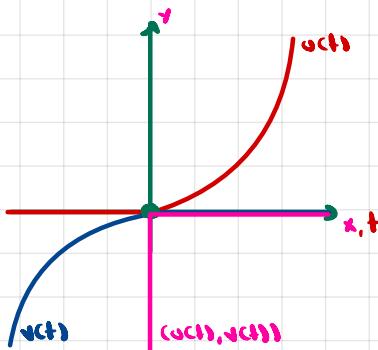
$$\text{Then } d(a) = \mathbf{v}(a) - \mathbf{v}(a) = 0 \text{ and } d(b) = \mathbf{v}(b) - \mathbf{v}(b) = 0.$$

Since d is diff, $\exists c, C \in (a, b) \wedge d'(c) = 0$.

$$d'(t) = \mathbf{v}'(t) - g'(t) = \mathbf{v}'(t) - \mathbf{u}'(t) \frac{\mathbf{v}(b) - \mathbf{v}(a)}{\mathbf{u}(b) - \mathbf{u}(a)} = 0$$

$$\text{If } \mathbf{u}'(t) \neq 0 \text{ then } \frac{\mathbf{v}'(t)}{\mathbf{u}'(t)} = \frac{\mathbf{v}(b) - \mathbf{v}(a)}{\mathbf{u}(b) - \mathbf{u}(a)}$$

$$\text{But } f'(x) = \frac{\mathbf{v}'(t)}{\mathbf{u}'(t)}. \text{ Therefore } \exists c, C \in (a, b) \wedge f'(x) = \frac{\mathbf{v}'(c)}{\mathbf{u}'(c)} = \frac{\mathbf{v}(b) - \mathbf{v}(a)}{\mathbf{u}(b) - \mathbf{u}(a)}$$



Alternative Solution

Recall Cauchy Mean Value theorem

$$f, g \text{ cont. on } [a, b] \text{ and diff on } (a, b) \rightarrow \exists z, x \in (a, b) \wedge [f(b) - f(a)]g'(z) = [g(b) - g(a)]f'(x)$$

$$\text{If } g(b) \neq g(a) \text{ and } g'(z) \text{ to be sensible limit} \Rightarrow \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{g(b) - g(a)} = \frac{f'(x)}{g'(z)}$$

\mathbf{u} and \mathbf{v} are, by assumption, continuous on $[a, b]$ diff on (a, b)

$$\text{Therefore, } \exists c, C \in (a, b) \wedge [\mathbf{u}(b) - \mathbf{u}(a)]\mathbf{v}'(C) = [\mathbf{v}(b) - \mathbf{v}(a)]\mathbf{u}'(c)$$

P must be different from Q. Therefore either $\mathbf{u}(b) \neq \mathbf{u}(a)$ or $\mathbf{v}(b) \neq \mathbf{v}(a)$. Assume $\mathbf{u}(b) \neq \mathbf{u}(a)$.

$$\text{If } \mathbf{u}'(c) = 0 \text{ then } \mathbf{v}'(C) = 0.$$

10. Definition of limit for vector-valued fn

$\lim_{t \rightarrow a} c(t) = l$ means position approaches l as parameter approaches a

$$\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0 \forall t: |t - a| < \delta \Rightarrow \|c(t) - l\| < \epsilon \quad (1)$$

the size of the vector from l to $c(t)$ can be made arbitrarily small

where $l = (l_1, l_2)$ is a vector.

$$\text{norm } \|v\| = \sqrt{v \cdot v}$$

$$c(t) = (u(t), v(t))$$

$$\|c(t) - l\| = \|(u(t) - l_1, v(t) - l_2)\| = \sqrt{(u(t) - l_1)^2 + (v(t) - l_2)^2}$$

$$\|c(t) - l\|^2 = (u(t) - l_1)^2 + (v(t) - l_2)^2 = \|u(t) - l_1\|^2 + \|v(t) - l_2\|^2$$

$$(a) \|u(t) - l_1\| \leq \|c(t) - l\|$$

$$\|v(t) - l_2\| \leq \|c(t) - l\|$$

Proof

$$\|c(t) - l\|^2 = \|u(t) - l_1\|^2 + \|v(t) - l_2\|^2 \geq \|u(t) - l_1\|^2$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \|u(t) - l_1\| \leq \|c(t) - l\| < \epsilon$$

$$\text{Analogously, } \|v(t) - l_2\| \leq \|c(t) - l\| < \epsilon$$

Indirect

$$\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0 \forall t: |t - a| < \delta \Rightarrow \|u(t) - l_1\| < \epsilon \wedge \|v(t) - l_2\| < \epsilon$$

$$\rightarrow \lim_{t \rightarrow a} u(t) = l_1$$

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow a} v(t) = l_2$$

$$(b) \text{ Let } \lim_{t \rightarrow a} c(t) = (\lim_{t \rightarrow a} u(t), \lim_{t \rightarrow a} v(t)) = (l_1, l_2)$$

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow a} u(t) = l_1 \rightarrow \forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0 \forall t: |t - a| < \delta \Rightarrow \|u(t) - l_1\| < \epsilon \rightarrow \|u(t) - l_1\|^2 < \epsilon^2$$

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow a} v(t) = l_2 \rightarrow \forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0 \forall t: |t - a| < \delta \Rightarrow \|v(t) - l_2\| < \epsilon \rightarrow \|v(t) - l_2\|^2 < \epsilon^2$$

$$\text{Therefore } \|u(t) - l_1\|^2 + \|v(t) - l_2\|^2 = \|c(t) - l\|^2 < 2\epsilon^2 \rightarrow \|c(t) - l\| < \sqrt{2}\epsilon$$

$$\forall \epsilon > 0, \text{ let } \epsilon_1 = \frac{\epsilon}{\sqrt{2}}. \text{ Then } \exists \delta > 0 \forall t: |t - a| < \delta \Rightarrow \|c(t) - l\| < \epsilon$$

$$\rightarrow \lim_{t \rightarrow a} c(t) = l \text{ as per definition (1) above.}$$