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In [ ]: # import required modules
        from breastshot_calcs import *
        from undershot_calcs import *
        from user_interface import *
        from river_class import *
        from payback import *
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TURBINE MODELLING, POSITION OPTIMISATION, POWER AND COST PREDICTION

This notebook will take a customer through the step by step process of assessing the installation of a PicoStream turbine at their location.

Section 1: begins with an input of estimated river, household and turbine features

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In [ ]: # Input river details

        # width in meters
        width = 1.2

        # depth in meters
        depth = 0.7

        # velocity in m/s
        velocity = 1.5

        # initialise river object
        river = river_obj(width, depth, velocity)
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In [ ]: # initialise default PicoStream breastshot turbine object with river object
        b_turbine = breastTurbine(river=river)
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In [ ]: # initialise default household object (either small, medium or large or none)
        house = household('small')
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Section 2. the details of the turbine, river and household are inputted and so modelling begins

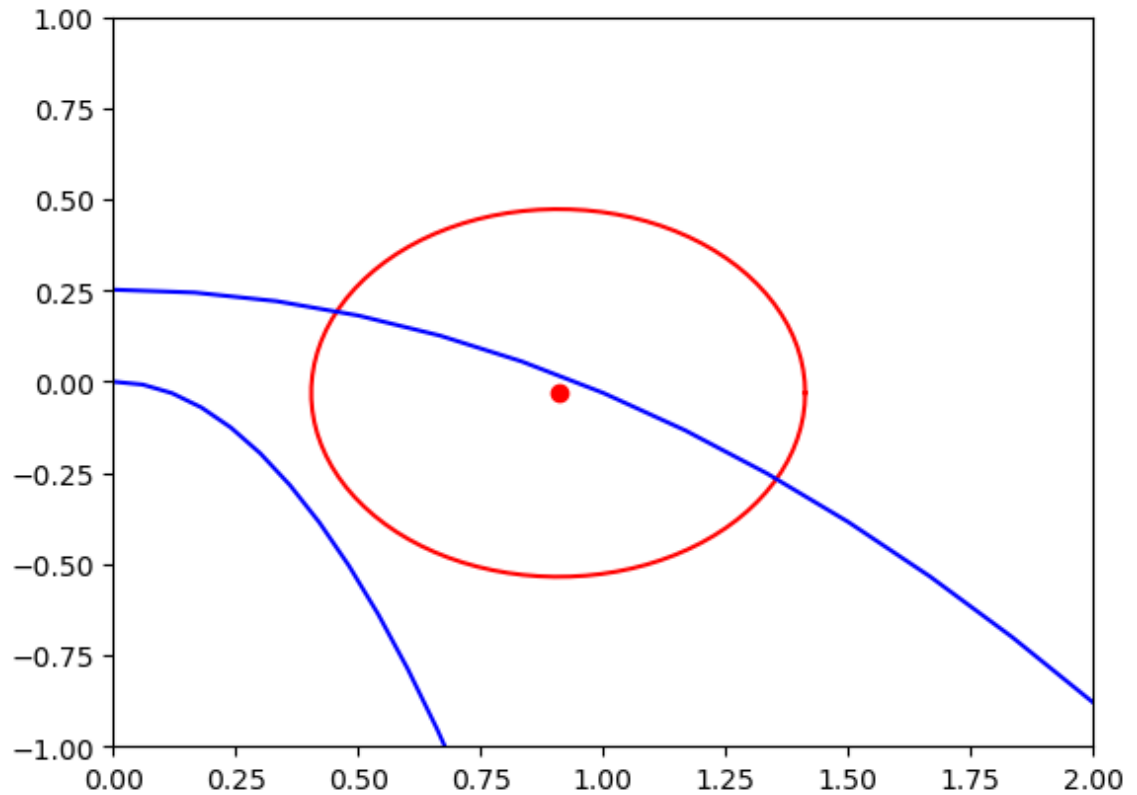
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In [ ]: power, x, y = b_turbine.optimise()

Turbine RPM: 14.21
Optimization terminated successfully.
    Current function value: -358.522894
    Iterations: 78
    Function evaluations: 157
The optimised average power output of the turbine is: 358.52 W
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In [ ]: # plot the turbine
        # reinitialise the turbine object with the optimised coordinates
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b_turbine = breastTurbine(river=river, x_centre=x, y_centre=y)
b_turbine.analysis(x_centre=x, y_centre=y)
b_turbine.plot_turbine()
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Turbine RPM: 14.21



The turbine centre is positioned at: (0.91, -0.03)

Section 3. the payback and business calculations

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In [ ]: # calculate the payback period
payback_time, benefit = house.payback(b_turbine)
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Normal annual electricity cost: 724.75 £ / year
 Energy produced: 2699.77 kWh / year
 Energy difference: -1199.77 kWh / year
 Profit: 49.19 £ / year
 Savings: 555.55 £ / year
 Benefit: 604.75 £ / year
 Payback time: 6.61 years for a turbine cost of £4000.00