

MA426 — 微分几何

Assignment 2

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证明：下列每一条曲线的曲率和挠率相等.

- (1) $\mathbf{r}(t) = (a(3t - t^3), 3at^2, a(3t + t^3))$;
- (2) $\mathbf{r}(t) = \left(t, \frac{t^2}{2a}, \frac{t^3}{6a^2}\right)$, $a \neq 0$;
- (3) $\mathbf{r}(t) = \left(t + \frac{a^2}{t}, t - \frac{a^2}{t}, 2a \log \frac{t}{a}\right)$, $t, a > 0$.

(1)

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{r}(t) &= (a(3t - t^3), 3at^2, a(3t + t^3)), \\ \mathbf{r}'(t) &= (a(3 - 3t^2), 6at, a(3 + 3t^2)), \\ \mathbf{r}''(t) &= (-6at, 6a, 6at), \\ \mathbf{r}'''(t) &= (-6a, 0, 6a), \\ |\mathbf{r}'(t)| &= \sqrt{a^2(3 - 3t^2)^2 + (6at)^2 + a^2(3 + 3t^2)^2} = 3\sqrt{2}|a|(t^2 + 1), \\ \mathbf{r}'(t) \times \mathbf{r}''(t) &= (18a^2(t^2 - 1), -36a^2t, 18a^2(t^2 + 1)), \\ |\mathbf{r}'(t) \times \mathbf{r}''(t)| &= 18a^2\sqrt{(t^2 - 1)^2 + (-2t)^2 + (t^2 + 1)^2} = 18\sqrt{2}a^2(t^2 + 1), \\ \kappa(t) &= \frac{|\mathbf{r}'(t) \times \mathbf{r}''(t)|}{|\mathbf{r}'(t)|^3} = \frac{18\sqrt{2}a^2(t^2 + 1)}{[3\sqrt{2}|a|(t^2 + 1)]^3} = \frac{1}{3|a|(t^2 + 1)^2}, \\ \tau(t) &= \frac{(\mathbf{r}'(t), \mathbf{r}''(t), \mathbf{r}'''(t))}{|\mathbf{r}'(t) \times \mathbf{r}''(t)|^2} = 18a^2 \cdot \frac{(t^2 - 1, -2t, t^2 + 1) \cdot (-6a, 0, 6a)}{[18\sqrt{2}a^2(t^2 + 1)]^2} = \frac{1}{3a(t^2 + 1)^2}.\end{aligned}$$

(2)

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{r}(t) &= (t, t^2/2a, t^3/6a^2), \\ \mathbf{r}'(t) &= (1, t/a, t^2/2a), \\ \mathbf{r}''(t) &= (0, 1/a, t/a^2), \\ \mathbf{r}'''(t) &= (0, 0, 1/a^2),\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
|\mathbf{r}'(t)| &= \sqrt{1 + (t/a)^2 + (t^2/2a)^2} = \frac{2a^2 + t^2}{2a^2}, \\
\mathbf{r}'(t) \times \mathbf{r}''(t) &= (t^2/2a^3, -t/a^2, 1/a), \\
|\mathbf{r}'(t) \times \mathbf{r}''(t)| &= \sqrt{(t^2/2a^3)^2 + (-t/a^2)^2 + (1/a)^2} = \frac{2a^2 + t^2}{2|a|^3}, \\
\kappa(t) &= \frac{|\mathbf{r}'(t) \times \mathbf{r}''(t)|}{|\mathbf{r}'(t)|^3} = \frac{\frac{2a^2+t^2}{2|a|^3}}{[\frac{2a^2+t^2}{2a^2}]^3} = \frac{4|a|^3}{(2a^2 + t^2)^2}, \\
\tau(t) &= \frac{(\mathbf{r}'(t), \mathbf{r}''(t), \mathbf{r}'''(t))}{|\mathbf{r}'(t) \times \mathbf{r}''(t)|^2} = \frac{(t^2/2a^3, -t/a^2, 1/a) \cdot (0, 0, 1/a^2)}{[\frac{2a^2+t^2}{2|a|^3}]^2} = \frac{4a^3}{(2a^2 + t^2)^2}.
\end{aligned}$$

(3)

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{r}(t) &= (t + a^2/t, t - a^2/t, 2a \log(t/a)), \\
\mathbf{r}'(t) &= (1 - a^2/t^2, 1 + a^2/t^2, 2a/t), \\
\mathbf{r}''(t) &= (2a^2/t^3, -2a^2/t^3, -2a/t^2), \\
\mathbf{r}'''(t) &= (-6a^2/t^4, 6a^2/t^4, 4a/t^3), \\
|\mathbf{r}'(t)| &= \sqrt{(1 - a^2/t^2)^2 + (1 + a^2/t^2)^2 + (2a/t)^2} = \frac{\sqrt{2}(a^2 + t^2)}{t^2}, \\
\mathbf{r}'(t) \times \mathbf{r}''(t) &= (2a^3/t^4 - 2a/t^2, 2a^3/t^4 + 2a/t^2, -4a^2/t^3), \\
|\mathbf{r}'(t) \times \mathbf{r}''(t)| &= \sqrt{(2a^3/t^4 - 2a/t^2)^2 + (2a^3/t^4 + 2a/t^2)^2 + (-4a^2/t^3)^2} = \frac{2\sqrt{2}a(a^2 + t^2)}{t^4}, \\
\kappa(t) &= \frac{|\mathbf{r}'(t) \times \mathbf{r}''(t)|}{|\mathbf{r}'(t)|^3} = \frac{\frac{2\sqrt{2}a(a^2+t^2)}{t^4}}{[\frac{\sqrt{2}(a^2+t^2)}{t^2}]^3} = \frac{at^2}{(a^2 + t^2)^2}, \\
\tau(t) &= \frac{(\mathbf{r}'(t), \mathbf{r}''(t), \mathbf{r}'''(t))}{|\mathbf{r}'(t) \times \mathbf{r}''(t)|^2} = \frac{(\frac{2a^3}{t^4} - \frac{2a}{t^2}, \frac{2a^3}{t^4} + \frac{2a}{t^2}, -\frac{4a^2}{t^3}) \cdot (-\frac{6a^2}{t^4}, \frac{6a^2}{t^4}, \frac{4a}{t^3})}{[\frac{2\sqrt{2}a(a^2+t^2)}{t^4}]^2} = \frac{at^2}{(a^2 + t^2)^2}.
\end{aligned}$$