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ASSIGNMENT 7

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1 Question No 2.74(d)

In each of the following find the equation for the ellipse that satisfies the given conditions:

a. Conjugate axis length= 8, Foci = $\begin{pmatrix} \pm 5 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

2 Solution

Given that,

Conjugate axis length = 2b = 8 (2.0.1)

Foci =
$$\mathbf{F} = \begin{pmatrix} \pm 5 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$
 (2.0.2)

Lemma 2.1. The standard equation of an ellipse is given by:

$$\frac{\mathbf{y}^{\mathsf{T}}D\mathbf{y}}{\mathbf{u}^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{V}^{-1}\mathbf{u} - f} = 1 \tag{2.0.3}$$

where,
$$D = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 \end{pmatrix}$$
 (2.0.4)

Lemma 2.2. The coordinates of foci of ellipse \mathbf{F} with x-axis as major axis are:

$$\mathbf{F} = \begin{pmatrix} \pm \left(\sqrt{\frac{(\mathbf{u}^T \mathbf{V}^{-1} \mathbf{u} - f)(\lambda_2 - \lambda_1)}{\lambda_1 \lambda_2}} \right) \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$
 (2.0.5)

Also, the length of semi major axis, a is

$$a = \sqrt{\frac{\mathbf{u}^{\mathsf{T}} \mathbf{V}^{-1} \mathbf{u} - f}{\lambda_1}}$$
 (2.0.6)

and the length of semi minor axis, b is

$$b = \sqrt{\frac{\mathbf{u}^{\mathsf{T}} \mathbf{V}^{-1} \mathbf{u} - f}{\lambda_2}}$$
 (2.0.7)

1) Using (2.0.1) length of conjugate axis is:

$$2b = 8$$
 (2.0.8)

$$\implies b = 4 \tag{2.0.9}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{\mathbf{u}^{\top}\mathbf{V}^{-1}\mathbf{u} - f}{\lambda_2}} = 4 \tag{2.0.10}$$

$$\frac{\mathbf{u}^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{V}^{-1}\mathbf{u} - f}{\lambda_2} = 16 \tag{2.0.11}$$

$$\implies \lambda_2 = \frac{\mathbf{u}^{\mathsf{T}} \mathbf{V}^{-1} \mathbf{u} - f}{16} \qquad (2.0.12)$$

2) Using (2.0.5), the focus of ellipse is given as:

$$\mathbf{F} = \begin{pmatrix} \pm \left(\sqrt{\frac{(\mathbf{u}^T \mathbf{V}^{-1} \mathbf{u} - f)(\lambda_2 - \lambda_1)}{\lambda_1 \lambda_2}} \right) \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$
 (2.0.13)

or

$$\|\mathbf{F}\|^2 = \frac{(\mathbf{u}^T \mathbf{V}^{-1} \mathbf{u} - f)(\lambda_2 - \lambda_1)}{\lambda_1 \lambda_2}$$
 (2.0.14)

$$\|\mathbf{F}\|^2 = \frac{\mathbf{u}^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{V}^{-1}\mathbf{u} - f}{\lambda_1} - \frac{\mathbf{u}^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{V}^{-1}\mathbf{u} - f}{\lambda_2} \quad (2.0.15)$$

3) Using (2.0.2) we get:

$$\implies 25 = \frac{\mathbf{u}^{\mathsf{T}} \mathbf{V}^{-1} \mathbf{u} - f}{\lambda_1} - \frac{\mathbf{u}^{\mathsf{T}} \mathbf{V}^{-1} \mathbf{u} - f}{\lambda_2}$$
(2.0.16)

4) Putting (2.0.11) in above equation we get:

$$25 = \frac{\mathbf{u}^{\mathsf{T}} \mathbf{V}^{-1} \mathbf{u} - f}{\lambda_1} - 16 \qquad (2.0.17)$$

$$41 = \frac{\mathbf{u}^{\mathsf{T}} \mathbf{V}^{-1} \mathbf{u} - f}{\lambda_1}$$
 (2.0.18)

$$\implies \lambda_1 = \frac{\mathbf{u}^{\mathsf{T}} \mathbf{V}^{-1} \mathbf{u} - f}{41} \tag{2.0.19}$$

5) Using lemma (2.1),the standard equation of ellipse is given by:

$$\frac{\mathbf{y}^{\mathsf{T}}D\mathbf{y}}{\mathbf{u}^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{V}^{-1}\mathbf{u} - f} = 1 \tag{2.0.20}$$

$$\implies \frac{\mathbf{y}^{\mathsf{T}} \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{y}}{\mathbf{u}^{\mathsf{T}} \mathbf{V}^{-1} \mathbf{u} - f} = 1 \tag{2.0.21}$$

6) Putting (2.0.12) and (2.0.19) in above equation we get:

$$\implies \mathbf{y}^{\mathsf{T}} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{41} & 0\\ 0 & \frac{1}{16} \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{y} = 1 \tag{2.0.22}$$

7) So,the equation of ellipse is:

$$\mathbf{y}^{\mathsf{T}} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{41} & 0\\ 0 & \frac{1}{16} \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{y} = 1 \tag{2.0.23}$$

8) The Plot of ellipse is:

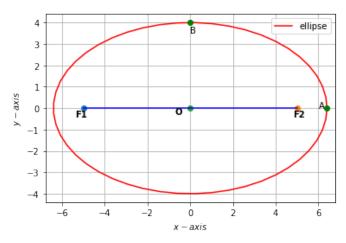


Fig. 2.1: Ellipse $\frac{x^2}{41} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$