

## UNIT 1 : DIFFERENTIAL CALCULUS

### Unit - I

#### Differential Calculus.

Problems on angle between radius vector and tangent,

- Find the angle between radius vector and tangent to the curve  $r^2 \sec 2\theta = a^2$ .

solt:

given-

$$r^2 \sec 2\theta = a^2$$

differentiating wrt to  $\theta$

$$\frac{2r dr}{d\theta} \sec 2\theta + r^2 \tan 2\theta \sec 2\theta \times 2 = 0$$

$$2r \cdot r \sec 2\theta \frac{dr}{d\theta} = 2r^2 \tan 2\theta \sec 2\theta$$

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta} = -r \tan 2\theta$$

angle b/w radius vector & tangent,

$$\tan \phi = \frac{r}{dr/d\theta}$$

$$= \frac{-r}{r \cdot \tan 2\theta}$$

$$\tan \phi = -\cot 2\theta$$

$$\phi = \frac{\pi}{2} + 2\theta$$

2)

Find the angle between the radius vector and tangent and also find the slope of tangent to the curve  $r^2 = a^2 \sin 2\theta$ .

Soln:-

Given :-

$$r^2 = a^2 \sin 2\theta$$

Differentiating w.r.t.  $\theta$ .

$$\text{fr. } \frac{dr}{d\theta} = a^2 \cos 2\theta \cdot \cancel{r}$$

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta} = \frac{a^2 \cos 2\theta}{r}$$

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$$\tan \phi = \frac{r}{\frac{dr}{d\theta}}$$

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$$= \frac{r^2}{a^2 \cos 2\theta}$$

$$= \frac{a^2 \sin 2\theta}{a^2 \cos 2\theta}$$

[as  $r^2 = a^2 \sin 2\theta$ ]

$$\tan \phi = \frac{\tan 2\theta}{|\phi = 2\theta|}$$

At the point where  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{12}$ ,  $\phi = \frac{\pi}{6}$

Now,

$$\psi = \theta + \phi = \frac{\pi}{12} + \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$= \frac{3\pi}{12}$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{4}$$

Slope of the tangent at  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{12}$  is  $\tan \psi$

which is  $\tan \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

$$\tan(\theta + \phi) = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = 1$$

3. Find the angle between the radius vector and tangent to the curve  $r = \sin \theta + \cos \theta$ .

Soln:-

$$\text{given: } r = \sin \theta + \cos \theta$$

differentiating with respect to  $\theta$ ,

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta} = \cos \theta - \sin \theta$$

$$\begin{aligned}\tan \phi &= \frac{r}{dr/d\theta} \\ &= \frac{r}{\cos \theta - \sin \theta} \\ &= \frac{\cos \theta + \sin \theta}{\cos \theta - \sin \theta} \\ &\div \text{ each by } \cos \theta\end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{1 + \tan \theta}{1 - \tan \theta}$$

$$= \frac{\tan(\frac{\pi}{4}) + \tan \theta}{1 - \tan(\frac{\pi}{4}) \tan \theta}$$

$$\left[ \tan \frac{\pi}{4} = 1 \right]$$

$$\tan \phi = \tan \left( \frac{\pi}{4} + \theta \right)$$

$$\boxed{\phi = \frac{\pi}{4} + \theta}$$

$$\begin{aligned}& \left[ \begin{array}{l} \text{ds} \\ \tan(a+b) \\ = \tan a + \tan b \\ \hline 1 - \tan a \tan b \end{array} \right] \\ & \tan(a+b) = \frac{\tan a + \tan b}{1 - \tan a \tan b}\end{aligned}$$

4. Find the angle between the radius vector and tangent to the curve  $r^m \cos m\theta = a^m$

soln:-

Given:-

$$r^m \cos m\theta = a^m$$

differentiating wrt  $\theta$

$$mr^{m-1} \cdot \frac{dr}{d\theta} \cos m\theta + r^m (-\sin m\theta) \cdot m = 0$$

$$r^{m-1} \frac{dr}{d\theta} \cdot \cos m\theta = r^m \sin m\theta$$

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta} = \frac{\sin m\theta}{\cos m\theta} \cdot r^{m-(m-1)}$$

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta} = \tan m\theta \cdot r$$

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$$\begin{aligned}\tan \phi &= \frac{r}{dr/d\theta} \\ &= \frac{r}{\tan m\theta \cdot r} \end{aligned}$$

$$\tan \phi = \cot m\theta$$

$$\tan \phi = \tan \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - m\theta \right)$$

$$\boxed{\phi = \frac{\pi}{2} - m\theta}$$

5. Show that the tangents to the polar curve  $r = a(1 + \cos \theta)$  at the point  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$  and  $\theta = \frac{2\pi}{3}$  are respectively parallel and perpendicular.

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$$\frac{de}{d\theta} = r \cdot (\cot n\theta)$$

$$\tan \phi = \frac{e}{\frac{de}{d\theta}}$$

$$= \frac{\phi}{r \cdot \cot n\theta}$$

$$\tan \phi = \tan n\theta$$

$$\phi = n\theta$$

when  $n = 0$ ,  $\phi = n\theta$ .

angle made by the tangent to the curve  
is,  $\psi = \theta + \phi$

$$= \theta + n\theta$$

$$\underline{\underline{\psi = \theta(n+1)}}$$

## Angle between two curves

- Find the angle of intersection of curves  $r = a \sec^2(\frac{\theta}{2})$  ;  
 $r = b \cosec^2(\frac{\theta}{2})$

Ans → Given functions  $r = a \sec^2(\frac{\theta}{2})$  and  $r = b \cosec^2(\frac{\theta}{2})$

diff  $r = a \sec^2(\frac{\theta}{2})$  w.r.t  $\theta$

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta} = a \sec^2(\frac{\theta}{2}) \tan \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$\therefore \tan \phi_1 = \frac{r}{dr/d\theta} = \frac{a \sec^2(\frac{\theta}{2})}{a \sec^2(\frac{\theta}{2}) \tan(\frac{\theta}{2})} \\ = \cot \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$\therefore \tan \phi_1 = \tan \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\theta}{2} \right) \\ \Rightarrow \underline{\phi_1 = \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\theta}{2}}$$

diff  $r = b \cosec^2 \frac{\theta}{2}$  w.r.t  $\theta$

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta} = -b \cosec^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \cot \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$\therefore \tan \phi_2 = \frac{r}{dr/d\theta} = \frac{b \cosec^2 \frac{\theta}{2}}{-b \cosec^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \cot \frac{\theta}{2}} \\ = -\tan \frac{\theta}{2} \\ = \tan \left( -\frac{\theta}{2} \right) \\ \Rightarrow \underline{\phi_2 = -\frac{\theta}{2}}$$

$$\therefore |\phi_1 - \phi_2| = \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\theta}{2} + \frac{\theta}{2} \\ = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

∴ The angle between the two curves is  $\frac{\pi}{2}$

Find the angle of intersection of curves  $r = a\theta$ ,  $r = \frac{a}{\theta}$

Given  $r = a\theta$  and  $r = \frac{a}{\theta}$  —①  
from ① & ②

$$a\theta = \frac{a}{\theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \pm 1$$

now, diff  $r = a\theta$  w.r.t  $\theta$

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta} = a$$

$$\therefore \tan \phi_1 = \frac{r}{dr/d\theta} = \frac{a\theta}{a} = \theta \quad \text{--- ③}$$

diff  $r = \frac{a}{\theta}$  w.r.t.  $\theta$

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta} = -\frac{a}{\theta^2}$$

$$\therefore \tan \phi_2 = \frac{r}{dr/d\theta} = \frac{a/\theta}{-a/\theta^2} = -\theta \quad \text{--- ④}$$

Putting  $\theta = 1$  in ③ & ④

$$\tan \phi_1 = 1 \quad \& \quad \tan \phi_2 = -1$$

as,  $\tan \phi_1 \cdot \tan \phi_2 = -1$ , these curves are

orthogonal.

$\therefore$  The angle between curves is  $90^\circ$  or  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ .

Show that the curves  $r = a(1 + \cos\theta)$ ,  $r = b(1 - \cos\theta)$  cut each other orthogonally.

Given  $r = a(1 + \cos\theta)$  and  $r = b(1 - \cos\theta)$

diff  $r = a(1 + \cos\theta)$  w.r.t  $\theta$

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta} = -a\sin\theta$$

$$\therefore \tan\phi_1 = \frac{r}{dr/d\theta} = \frac{a(1 + \cos\theta)}{-a\sin\theta} = \frac{2\cos^2\theta/2}{-2\sin\theta/2\cos\theta/2}$$

$$= -\cot\theta/2 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$= \tan(\pi/2 + \theta/2)$$

$$\therefore \phi_1 = \pi/2 + \theta/2$$

diff  $r = b(1 - \cos\theta)$  w.r.t  $\theta$

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta} = b\sin\theta$$

$$\therefore \tan\phi_2 = \frac{r}{dr/d\theta} = \frac{b(1 - \cos\theta)}{b\sin\theta} = \frac{2\sin^2\theta/2}{2\sin\theta/2\cos\theta/2}$$

$$= \tan\theta/2 \quad \textcircled{2}$$

$$\text{As } \tan\phi_1 \tan\phi_2 = \tan\theta/2(-\cot\theta/2) = -1$$

The given curves cut orthogonally.

know that the curves  $2a = 1 + \cos\theta$  &  $2a = 1 - \cos\theta$   
cut orthogonally each other.

Given  $\frac{2a}{r} = 1 - \cos\theta$

taking log on both sides

$$\log 2a - \log r = \log(1 - \cos\theta)$$

diff w.r.t  $\theta$

$$-\frac{1}{r} \frac{dr}{d\theta} = \frac{\sin\theta}{1 - \cos\theta}$$

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta} = -r \frac{\sin\theta}{1 - \cos\theta}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \tan\phi_1 &= \frac{r}{dr/d\theta} = -\frac{(1 - \cos\theta)}{\sin\theta} \\ &= -\frac{2\sin^2\theta/2}{2\sin\theta/2 \cos\theta/2} \\ &= -\tan\theta/2 \quad \text{--- (1)}\end{aligned}$$

Given  $\frac{2a}{r} = 1 + \cos\theta$

taking log on both sides

$$\log 2a - \log r = \log(1 + \cos\theta)$$

diff w.r.t  $\theta$

$$-\frac{1}{r} \frac{dr}{d\theta} = \frac{-\sin\theta}{1 + \cos\theta}$$

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta} = \frac{r \sin\theta}{1 + \cos\theta}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \tan\phi_2 &= \frac{r}{dr/d\theta} = \frac{1 + \cos\theta}{\sin\theta} \\ &= \cot\theta/2 \quad \text{--- (2)}\end{aligned}$$

from (1) & (2)

$$\tan\phi_1 \tan\phi_2 = -\tan\theta/2 (\cot\theta/2) = -1$$

$\therefore$  The 2 curves cut each other orthogonally.

## PROBLEMS ON PEDAL EQUATION

1. Find the pedal equation of the curve  $2a = r(1 + \cos\theta)$ .

↪ Soln:

given curve:  $r(1 + \cos\theta) = 2a$ .

Differentiating with respect to  $\theta$ :

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta}(1 + \cos\theta) - r\sin\theta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dr}{d\theta}(1 + \cos\theta) = r\sin\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{r} \cdot \frac{dr}{d\theta} = \frac{\sin\theta}{1 + \cos\theta} = \frac{2\sin\frac{\theta}{2} \cdot \cos\frac{\theta}{2}}{2\cos^2\frac{\theta}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot\phi = \tan\frac{\theta}{2} = \cot\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\theta}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi = \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\theta}{2}$$

Now, pedal equation:

$$p = r\sin\phi$$

$$\Rightarrow p = r\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\theta}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow p = r\cos\frac{\theta}{2} \rightarrow ①$$

In the given curve:

$$r(1 + \cos\theta) = 2a$$

$$\Rightarrow r \cdot 2\cos^2\frac{\theta}{2} = 2a$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2\frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{a}{r} \Rightarrow \cos\frac{\theta}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{a}{r}} \rightarrow ②$$

substituting ② in ①:

$$P = r \sqrt{\frac{a}{\gamma}} = \sqrt{ar}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{P^2 = ar}$$

This is the required pedal equation.

2. Find the pedal equation of the curve  $\frac{l}{r} = 1 + e \cos \theta$ .

$\hookrightarrow$  Soln:

$$\text{given curve: } r(1 + e \cos \theta) = l$$

Differentiating with respect to  $\theta$ :

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta}(1 + e \cos \theta) + r[-e \sin \theta] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dr}{d\theta}(1 + e \cos \theta) = r e \sin \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{r} \cdot \frac{dr}{d\theta} = \frac{e \sin \theta}{1 + e \cos \theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot \phi = \frac{e \sin \theta}{1 + e \cos \theta}$$

$$\text{Pedal equation: } \frac{1}{P^2} = \frac{1}{r^2} [1 + \cot^2 \phi]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{P^2} = \frac{1}{r^2} \left[ 1 + \frac{e^2 \sin^2 \theta}{(1 + e \cos \theta)^2} \right] = \frac{1}{r^2} \left[ \frac{(1 + e \cos \theta)^2 + e^2 \sin^2 \theta}{(1 + e \cos \theta)^2} \right]$$

$\Rightarrow$  substituting  $1 + e \cos \theta = \frac{l}{r}$  in the denominator:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{P^2} &= \frac{1}{r^2} \left[ \frac{1 + e^2 \cos^2 \theta + 2e \cos \theta + e^2 \sin^2 \theta}{\left(\frac{l}{r}\right)^2} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{r^2} \left[ \frac{1 + 2e \cos \theta + e^2 (\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta)}{\frac{l^2}{r^2}} \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{P^2} = \frac{1}{l^2} [1 + 2e \cos \theta + e^2]$$

From given curve:

$$1 + e \cos \theta = \frac{l}{r}$$

$$\Rightarrow e \cos \theta = \frac{l}{r} - 1 = \frac{l-r}{r}$$

$$e \cos \theta = \frac{2(l-r)}{r}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{P^2} = \frac{1}{l^2} \left[ 1 + 2 \frac{(l-r)}{r} + e^2 \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{P^2} = \frac{1}{l^2} \left[ \frac{r + 2l - 2r + e^2 r}{r} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{P^2} = \frac{[2l - r + e^2 r]}{l^2 r} \Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{1}{P^2} = \frac{e^2 r - r + 2l}{l^2 r}}$$

multiplying and dividing by 'r' on RHS (to get given answer)

$$\boxed{\frac{1}{P^2} = \frac{e^2 r^2 - r^2 + 2lr}{l^2 r^2}}$$

3. Find the pedal equation of the curve  $r^n = a^n \sin n\theta + b^n \cos n\theta$

↳ Done in class notes. Please refer.

4. Show that the pedal equation of the curve  $r \cos \left[ \frac{1}{a} \sqrt{a^2 - b^2} \theta \right] = \sqrt{a^2 - b^2}$  is  $p^2 = \frac{a^2 b^2}{\theta^2 + b^2}$ .

→ Done in class notes [same as:  $\frac{r}{\sqrt{a^2 - b^2}} = \sec \left( \frac{\sqrt{a^2 - b^2}}{a} \theta \right)$ ]

5. Find the pedal equation of the curve  $r \left[ 1 - \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \right]^2 = a$ .

→ given equation:  $r \left[ 1 - \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \right]^2 = a$

Differentiating with respect to  $\theta$ :

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta} \left[ 1 - \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \right]^2 + r \cdot 2 \left( 1 - \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \right) \left( -\cos \frac{\theta}{2} \right) \cdot \frac{1}{2} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dr}{d\theta} \left( 1 - \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \right)^2 = r \left( 1 - \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \right) \cdot \cos \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{r} \cdot \frac{dr}{d\theta} = \frac{\cancel{\cos \frac{\theta}{2}} - \cancel{\sin \frac{\theta}{2}} \cancel{\cos \frac{\theta}{2}}}{\cancel{(1 - \sin \frac{\theta}{2})^2}} \frac{\cos \frac{\theta}{2} (1 - \sin \frac{\theta}{2})}{(1 - \sin \frac{\theta}{2})^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot \phi = \frac{\cos \frac{\theta}{2}}{1 - \sin \frac{\theta}{2}}$$

The pedal equation:

$$\frac{1}{p^2} = \frac{1}{r^2} \left[ 1 + (\cot^2 \phi) \right] \Rightarrow \frac{1}{p^2} = \frac{1}{\theta^2} \left[ 1 + \frac{(\cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2})}{(1 - \sin \frac{\theta}{2})^2} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{p^2} = \frac{1}{\theta^2} \left[ \frac{1 + \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} + \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} - 2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2}}{\frac{a}{\theta}} \right] \quad [\text{from given curve: } (1 - \sin \frac{\theta}{2})^2 = \frac{a}{\theta}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{P^2} = \frac{1}{a\gamma} [2(1 + 2\sin \frac{\theta}{2})]$$

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from given curve,

$$(1 - \sin \frac{\theta}{2}) = \sqrt{\frac{a}{\gamma}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{P^2} = \frac{1}{a\gamma} \left[ 2 \sqrt{\frac{a}{\gamma}} \right] \Rightarrow \frac{1}{P^2} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{a \cdot \gamma^{3/2}}}$$

Squaring on both sides :

$$\frac{1}{P^4} = \frac{4}{a\gamma^3} \Rightarrow \boxed{4P^4 = a\gamma^3} \rightarrow \text{This is required pedal equation.}$$

## PROBLEMS ON RADIUS OF CURVATURE

### CARTESIAN FORM

1. Find the radius of curvature of the curve  $x^{\frac{2}{3}} + y^{\frac{2}{3}} = a^{\frac{2}{3}}$  at the point  $(x, y)$ .

Given curve:  $x^{\frac{2}{3}} + y^{\frac{2}{3}} = a^{\frac{2}{3}}$

Differentiating with respect to  $x$ :

$$\frac{2}{3} \cdot x^{-\frac{1}{3}} + \frac{2}{3} \cdot y^{-\frac{1}{3}} \cdot y_1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y^{-\frac{1}{3}} \cdot y_1 = -x^{-\frac{1}{3}} \Rightarrow y_1 = -\frac{y^{\frac{1}{3}}}{x^{\frac{1}{3}}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{y_1 = -\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}}$$

Differentiating  $y_1$  with respect to  $x$ :

$$y_2 = \frac{-x^{\frac{1}{3}} \cdot \frac{1}{3} \cdot y^{-\frac{2}{3}} \cdot y' - y^{\frac{1}{3}} \cdot \frac{1}{3} \cdot x^{-\frac{2}{3}}}{y^{\frac{2}{3}}}$$

$$= -\left( x^{\frac{1}{3}} \cdot y^{-\frac{2}{3}} \left( -\frac{y^{\frac{1}{3}}}{x^{\frac{1}{3}}} \right) - y^{\frac{1}{3}} \cdot x^{-\frac{2}{3}} \right) \Rightarrow \boxed{y_2 = \frac{y^{-\frac{1}{3}} + y^{\frac{1}{3}} \cdot x^{-\frac{2}{3}}}{3x^{\frac{2}{3}}}}$$

We know, radius of curvature,  $\rho = \frac{(1 + y_1^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{y_2}$

substituting  $y_1$  &  $y_2$  in above:

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

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

$$x \left[ y^{-\frac{1}{3}} + y^{\frac{1}{3}} \cdot x^{-\frac{2}{3}} \right]$$

but, from given curve,  $x^{\frac{2}{3}} + y^{\frac{2}{3}} = a^{\frac{2}{3}}$

$$\Rightarrow \rho = \frac{3a}{x^{\frac{1}{3}}(y^{-\frac{1}{3}} + y^{\frac{1}{3}} \cdot x^{-\frac{2}{3}})} = \frac{3a}{y^{-\frac{1}{3}} \cdot x^{\frac{1}{3}} + y^{\frac{1}{3}} \cdot x^{-\frac{1}{3}}}$$

$$= \frac{3a}{y^{-\frac{1}{3}} \cdot x^{-\frac{1}{3}} \left[ x^{\frac{2}{3}} + y^{\frac{2}{3}} \right]} = \frac{3a}{y^{-\frac{1}{3}} \cdot x^{-\frac{1}{3}} \cdot a^{\frac{2}{3}}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\rho = 3(axy)^{\frac{1}{3}}}$$

2. Show that the radius of curvature of the curve  $y = 4\sin x - \sin 2x$  at the point  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$  is  $\frac{5\sqrt{5}}{4}$ .

Given curve:  $y = 4\sin x - \sin 2x$

Differentiating  $y$  with respect to  $x$ :

$$y_1 = 4\cos x - 2\cos 2x$$

at  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$ :

$$y_1 = 4\cos \frac{\pi}{2} - 2\cos \pi \Rightarrow \boxed{y_1 = 2}$$

Differentiating  $y_1$  with respect to  $x$ :

$$y_2 = -4\sin x + 4\sin 2x$$

at  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$y_2 = -4\sin \frac{\pi}{2} + 4\sin \pi \Rightarrow \boxed{y_2 = -4}$$

$$\text{Radius of curvature in Cartesian form, } \rho = \frac{(1+y_1^2)^{3/2}}{y_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho = \frac{(1+4)^{3/2}}{-4}$$

radius of curvature is not negative, hence we neglect the negative sign.

$$\text{hence, } \rho = \frac{5^{3/2}}{4} = \frac{5\sqrt{5}}{4} \Rightarrow \boxed{\rho = \frac{5\sqrt{5}}{4}}$$

Hence Proved.

3. In the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , show that the radius of curvature at an end point of the major axis is equal to the semi-latus rectum.

Note: In this ~~degree~~ ellipse, end point of major axis is  $(a, 0)$  or  $(-a, 0)$

Length of latus rectum is  $\frac{2b^2}{a} \Rightarrow$  semi-latus rectum is  $\frac{b^2}{a}$ .

$$\text{Given curve: } \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

Differentiating with respect to  $x$ :

$$\frac{2x}{a^2} + \frac{2y}{b^2} \cdot y_1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y_1 = -\frac{x}{y} \frac{b^2}{a^2}$$

at point  $(a, 0) \quad y_1 \rightarrow \infty$

Therefore we rotate the axes by  $90^\circ$ , and find  $\frac{dx}{dy}$

$$\therefore \frac{dx}{dy} = x_1 = -\frac{y a^2}{x b^2} \quad \text{at } (a, 0), \quad \boxed{x_1 = 0}$$

Differentiating  $x$ , with respect to  $y$ :

$$x_2 = -\frac{a^2}{b^2} \left[ \frac{x - y \cdot x_1}{x^2} \right]$$

at  $(a, 0)$ ,

$$x_2' = -\frac{a^2}{b^2} \left[ \frac{a - 0}{a^2} \right] \Rightarrow \boxed{x_2' = -\frac{a}{b^2}}$$

Now, since we have differentiated with respect to  $x$ :

$$P = \frac{(1 + x_1^2)^{3/2}}{x_2} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{Taking LCM in denominator} \\ \text{and canceling common terms} \end{matrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow P = \frac{1}{x_2} \quad [\because x_1 = 0]$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{P = \frac{b^2}{a}} \rightarrow \text{This is equal to semi-latus rectum}$$

Hence Proved.

4. For the curve  $y = \frac{ax}{a+x}$ , prove that  $\left(\frac{2P}{a}\right)^{2/3} = \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{x}{y}\right)^2$

Given curve:  $y = \frac{ax}{a+x}$

Differentiating above equation with respect to  $x$ :

$$y_1 = \frac{(a+x)(a) - ax(1)}{(a+x)^2} = \frac{a^2 + ax - ax}{(a+x)^2} \Rightarrow y_1 = \boxed{\frac{a^2}{(a+x)^2}}$$

Differentiating  $y_1$  with respect to  $x$ :

$$\boxed{y_2 = \frac{-2a^2}{(a+x)^3}}$$

$$\rho = \frac{(1+y_1^2)^{3/2}}{y_2} = \frac{\left(1 + \frac{a^4}{(a+x)^4}\right)^{3/2}}{\frac{-2a^2}{(a+x)^3}} \quad [-' \text{ is neglected}]$$

$$= \frac{[(a+x)^4 + a^4]^{3/2}}{2a^2(a+x)^3}$$

$$2\rho = \frac{[(a+x)^4 + a^4]}{a^2(a+x)^3}^{3/2}$$

$$\text{now, } \left(\frac{2\rho}{a}\right)^{2/3} = \left\{ \frac{[(a+x)^4 + a^4]^{3/2}}{a^3(a+x)^3} \right\}^{2/3}$$

$$= \frac{(a+x)^4 + a^4}{a^2(a+x)^2} = \frac{(a+x)^2}{a^2} + \frac{a^2}{(a+x)^2} \rightarrow ①$$

$$\text{consider } y = \frac{ax}{a+x} \quad \frac{y}{x} = \frac{a}{a+x}$$

hence we can rewrite ①:

$$\boxed{\left(\frac{2\rho}{a}\right)^{2/3} = \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^2}$$

Hence Proved.

Show that the radius of curvature of the curve, at a point P on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is given by  $R = \frac{(CD)^3}{ab}$ , where CD is semi-diameter conjugate to CP.

→ Two diameters of an ellipse are said to be conjugate if each bisects a chord parallel to the other.

Consider a point P on the ellipse, it is  $(a\cos\theta, b\sin\theta)$   
[ $\theta \rightarrow$  parameter]

Then, if CP & CD are conjugate diameters,  
D is  $(a\cos(\theta + \frac{\pi}{2}), b\sin(\theta + \frac{\pi}{2}))$   
that is, D is  $(-a\sin\theta, b\cos\theta)$ .

Also  $((0,0))$  is the centre of the ellipse.

$$\therefore CD = \sqrt{a^2\sin^2\theta + b^2\cos^2\theta} \dots \text{I} \quad (\text{using distance formula})$$

$$\text{at } P, \quad x = a\cos\theta \\ y = b\sin\theta$$

We can proceed by finding R in parametric form, which will be less complicated than cartesian form.

$$\therefore x_1 = \frac{dx}{d\theta} = -a \sin \theta \rightarrow ①$$

$$x_2 = \frac{d^2 x}{d\theta^2} = -a \cos \theta \rightarrow ②$$

$$y_1 = \frac{dy}{d\theta} = b \cos \theta \rightarrow ③$$

$$y_2 = \frac{d^2 y}{d\theta^2} = -b \sin \theta \rightarrow ④$$

In parametric form,

$$\rho = \frac{(x_1^2 + y_1^2)^{3/2}}{x_1 y_2 - x_2 y_1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho = \frac{(a^2 \sin^2 \theta + b^2 \cos^2 \theta)^{3/2}}{ab \sin^2 \theta + ab \cos^2 \theta}$$

we know that  $CD = (a^2 \sin^2 \theta + b^2 \cos^2 \theta)^{1/2}$  from ①:

hence,

$$\boxed{\rho = \frac{CD^3}{ab}}$$

$$[\because \sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1]$$

Hence Proved.

## POLAR FORM

1. Show that the radius of curvature of the curve  $r^n = a^n \sin n\theta$ .

Given curve,  $r^n = a^n \sin n\theta$

Here, it is easier to find pedal equation, and then find  $P$ .

Differentiating on both sides with respect to  $\theta$ :

$$\cancel{r} \cdot r^{n-1} \cdot \frac{dr}{d\theta} = \cancel{r} \cdot a^n \cos n\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dr}{d\theta} = \frac{a^n \cos n\theta}{r^{n-1}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{r} \frac{dr}{d\theta} = \cot \phi = \frac{a^n \cos n\theta}{r^n \cancel{\sin n\theta}} = \frac{a^n \cos n\theta}{a^n \sin n\theta} \quad [\because r^n = a^n \sin n\theta]$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot \phi = \cot n\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\phi = n\theta}$$

Pedal equation,

$$P = r \sin \phi$$

$$= r \sin n\theta$$

From given curve,

$$\sin n\theta = \frac{r^n}{a^n}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{P = \frac{r^{n+1}}{a^n}}$$

now, differentiating above equation w.r.t  $r$ :

$$\frac{dp}{dr} = \frac{(n+1)r^n}{a^n}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dr}{dp} = \frac{a^n}{(n+1)r^n}$$

We knew that

$$P = r \cdot \frac{dr}{dp}$$

$$\Rightarrow P = r \cdot \frac{a^n}{(n+1)r^n} \Rightarrow \boxed{P = \frac{a^n}{(n+1) \cdot r^{n-1}}}$$

2. Obtain the pedal equation of the curve  $r = a \sec 2\theta$ .  
Hence find the radius of curvature at any point  $(r, \theta)$  on the curve.

Given  $r = a \sec 2\theta$

Differentiating w.r.t  $\theta$ :

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta} = 2a \sec 2\theta \cdot \tan 2\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\theta} \cdot \frac{dr}{d\theta} = \frac{2a \sec 2\theta \cdot \tan 2\theta}{a \sec 2\theta} \quad [r = a \sec 2\theta]$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot \phi = 2 \tan 2\theta$$

Pedal equation:

$$\frac{1}{P^2} = \frac{1}{r^2} [1 + \cot^2 \phi]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{p^2} = \frac{1}{r^2} [1 + 4 \tan^2 \theta] = \frac{1}{r^2} [1 + 4(\sec^2 \theta - 1)] \\ = \frac{1}{r^2} [4 \sec^2 \theta - 3]$$

from  $r = a \sec \theta$ ,

$$\sec \theta = \frac{r}{a} \Rightarrow \sec^2 \theta = \frac{r^2}{a^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{p^2} = \frac{1}{r^2} \left[ 4 \frac{r^2}{a^2} - 3 \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{p^2} = \frac{4}{a^2} - \frac{3}{r^2} \stackrel{(1)}{=} \frac{4r^2 - 3a^2}{a^2 r^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{p^2(4r^2 - 3a^2) = a^2 r^2} \rightarrow \text{This is pedal equation}$$

Difff (1) w.r.t p:

$$-\frac{2}{p^3} = -\frac{6}{r^3} \cdot \frac{dr}{dp} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{p^3} = \frac{3}{r^3} \cdot \frac{dr}{dp} \Rightarrow \frac{r^4}{p^4} \cdot \frac{dr}{dp} = \frac{r^4}{3p^3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{p = \frac{r^4}{3p^3}}$$

for

3. Show that, the curve  $r = a \sin n\theta$ , the radius of curvature at the pole is  $\frac{n a}{2}$ .

Given curve:  $\boxed{r = a \sin n\theta}$

Differentiating above equation w.r.t  $\theta$ : [w.r.t  $\theta$   $\Rightarrow$  with respect to  $\theta$ ]

$$r_1 = \frac{dr}{d\theta} = a n \cos n\theta \Rightarrow \boxed{r_1 = a n \cos n\theta}$$

Again differentiating w.r.t  $\theta$ :

$$r_2 = \frac{d^2 r}{d\theta^2} = -a n^2 \sin n\theta \Rightarrow \boxed{r_2 = -a n^2 \sin n\theta}$$

$$\text{Radius of curvature, } \rho = \frac{(r^2 + r_1^2)^{3/2}}{r^2 + 2r_1^2 - rr_2}$$

at the pole, P,  $(r, \theta) = (0, 0)$

$$\Rightarrow r = a \sin(\theta) = 0 \Rightarrow [r=0] \text{ at P}$$

$$r_1 = a \cos(\theta) = a \cdot 1 \Rightarrow [r_1=a] \text{ at P}$$

$$r_2 = -a \sin^2(\theta) = 0 \Rightarrow [r_2=0] \text{ at P}$$

substituting these values in  $\rho$  equation:

$$\rho = \frac{(a^2 n^2)^{3/2}}{2a^2 n^2} = \frac{a^3 n^3}{2a^2 n^2} \Rightarrow \boxed{\rho = \frac{an}{2}} \text{ at } P(0, 0), \text{ (Pole)}$$

Hence proved.

4. Show that <sup>for</sup> the curve  $r(1 - \cos \theta) = 2a$ ,  $\rho^2$  is proportional to  $r^3$  where  $\rho$  is the radius of curvature at any point.

Given curve:  $r(1 - \cos \theta) = 2a$

$$\Rightarrow \cancel{\frac{2a}{1-\cos\theta}} = r \left( 2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \right) = 2a$$

$$\Rightarrow r = a \csc^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \quad [1 - \cos \theta = 2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}]$$

Differentiating with respect to  $\theta$ :

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta} = -2a \csc^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \cdot \csc \frac{\theta}{2} \cdot \cot \frac{\theta}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2}$$

Dividing by  $r$  on both sides:

$$\frac{1}{r} \cdot \frac{de}{d\theta} = - \frac{a \csc^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \cdot \cot \frac{\theta}{2}}{r} = - \frac{a \csc^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \cdot \cot \frac{\theta}{2}}{a \csc^2 \frac{\theta}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot \phi = -\cot \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\phi = -\frac{\theta}{2}}$$

The pedal equation,  $p = r \sin \phi$

$$\Rightarrow p = r \sin \left( -\frac{\theta}{2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow p = -r \sin \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$\text{given } r \left( \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \right) = a$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \frac{\theta}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{a}{r}}$$

$$\Rightarrow p = -r \sqrt{\frac{a}{r}} \Rightarrow \boxed{p = -\sqrt{ar}} \rightarrow \text{This is pedal equation.}$$

We know that radius of curvature,  $R = r \cdot \frac{dr}{dp}$

$$p = -\sqrt{ar} \Rightarrow p^2 = -ar$$

$$\Rightarrow r = -\frac{p^2}{a}$$

Differentiating w.r.t p:

$$\frac{dr}{dp} = -\frac{2p}{a}$$

~~We will neglect the -ve sign, because it is never evt~~

$$\Rightarrow \rho = r \cdot \left( -\frac{2}{a} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho = \frac{2}{a} \cdot r (-p)$$

from pedal equation

$$\rho = -\sqrt{ar}$$

$$\Rightarrow -\rho = \sqrt{ar}$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho = \frac{2}{a} (r\sqrt{ar})$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho = \frac{2}{\sqrt{a}} \cdot r^{3/2}$$

Squaring on both sides:

$$\rho^2 = \frac{2}{a} \cdot r^3$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\rho^2 \propto r^3}$$

Hence Proved.

5. Show that for the curve  $r = a \sin^3 \frac{\theta}{3}$ ,  $\rho^3$  is proportional to  $r^2$ .

Given curve:  $r = a \sin^3 \frac{\theta}{3}$

diff w.r.t  $\theta$ :

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta} = 3a \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{3} \cdot \cos \frac{\theta}{3} \times \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dr}{d\theta} = a \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{3} \cdot \cos \frac{\theta}{3}$$

Dividing by 'r' on both sides:

$$\frac{1}{r} \cdot \frac{dr}{d\theta} = \frac{a \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{3} \cdot \cos \frac{\theta}{3}}{a \sin^3 \frac{\theta}{3}} = \frac{\cos \frac{\theta}{3}}{\sin \frac{\theta}{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot \phi = \cot \frac{\theta}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\phi = \frac{\theta}{3}}$$

pedal equation:  $p = r \sin \phi$

$$= p = r \sin \frac{\theta}{3}$$

$$\text{given } r = a \sin^3 \frac{\theta}{3} \Rightarrow \sin \frac{\theta}{3} = \left(\frac{r}{a}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow p = r \cdot \frac{r^{\frac{1}{3}}}{a^{\frac{1}{3}}} \Rightarrow \boxed{p = \frac{r^{\frac{4}{3}}}{a^{\frac{1}{3}}}} \rightarrow \text{This is pedal equation.}$$

We know that  $\rho = r \cdot \frac{dr}{dp}$

differentiating pedal equation w.r.t  $r$ :

$$\frac{dp}{dr} = \frac{\frac{4}{3} \cdot r^{\frac{1}{3}}}{a^{\frac{1}{3}}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dr}{dp} = \frac{3a^{\frac{1}{3}}}{4r^{\frac{1}{3}}}$$

$$\therefore \rho = r \cdot \frac{dr}{dp} = r \cdot \frac{3a^{\frac{1}{3}}}{4r^{\frac{1}{3}}} = r^{\frac{2}{3}} \cdot \frac{3a^{\frac{1}{3}}}{4} = r^{\frac{2}{3}}(K)$$

cubing:  $\rho^3 = r^2 \cdot K$   $\Rightarrow \boxed{\rho^3 \propto r^2}$  Hence Proved.

## PARAMETRIC FORM

1. Find the radius of curvature of the curve  $x = e^t \cos t$ ,  $y = e^t \sin t$ .

Given curve:  $x = e^t \cos t$ ,  $y = e^t \sin t$ .

$$x_1 = \frac{dx}{dt} = e^t \cos t - e^t \sin t = e^t (\cos t - \sin t)$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{x_1 = e^t \cos t - e^t \sin t}$$

$$x_2 = \frac{d^2x}{dt^2} = e^t (\cos t - \sin t) + e^t (-\sin t - \cos t)$$

$$= e^t \cos t - e^t \sin t - e^t \sin t - e^t \cos t$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{x_2 = -2e^t \sin t}$$

$$y_1 = \frac{dy}{dt} = e^t \sin t + e^t \cos t = e^t (\sin t + \cos t)$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{y_1 = e^t \sin t + e^t \cos t}$$

$$y_2 = \frac{d^2y}{dt^2} = e^t \sin t + e^t \cos t + e^t \cos t - e^t \sin t$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{y_2 = 2e^t \cos t}$$

we know that  $\rho = \frac{(x_1^2 + y_1^2)^{3/2}}{x_1 y_2 - x_2 y_1}$

$$\Rightarrow \rho = \frac{\left[ e^{2t} (\cos t - \sin t)^2 + e^{2t} (\sin t + \cos t)^2 \right]^{3/2}}{e^t (\cos t - \sin t) \cdot 2e^t \cos t + e^t (\sin t + \cos t) \cdot 2e^t \sin t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho = \frac{\left[ e^{2t} (\underline{\cos^2 t + \sin^2 t} - 2\cancel{\sin t \cos t}) + \cancel{\sin^2 t + \cos^2 t} + 2\cancel{\sin t \cos t} \right]}{2e^{2t} \cancel{\cos t} \left[ \underline{\cos^2 t} - \cancel{\sin t \cos t} + \underline{\sin^2 t} + \cancel{\sin t \cos t} \right]}$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho = \frac{[e^{2t} (2)]^{3/2}}{2e^{2t}} \quad [\because \sin^2 t + \cos^2 t = 1]$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho = [e^{2t} (2)]^{1/2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho = e^t \sqrt{2} \Rightarrow \boxed{\rho = \sqrt{2} e^t} \rightarrow \text{This is required radius of curvature}$$

2. Find the radius of curvature of the curve  
 $x = a(\theta + \sin \theta)$ ,  $y = a(1 - \cos \theta)$ .

Given curve:  $x = a(\theta + \sin \theta)$ ,  $y = a(1 - \cos \theta)$

$$x_1 = \frac{dx}{dt} = a(1 + \cos \theta)$$

$$y_1 = \frac{dy}{dt} = a \sin \theta$$

$$x_2 = \frac{d^2x}{dt^2} = -a \sin \theta$$

$$y_2 = \frac{d^2y}{dt^2} = a \cos \theta$$

$$\rho = \frac{(x_1^2 + y_1^2)^{3/2}}{|x_1 y_2 - x_2 y_1|}$$

$$= \frac{[a^2(1 + \cos \theta)^2 + a^2 \sin^2 \theta]^{3/2}}{|a(1 + \cos \theta) a \cos \theta + a^2 \sin^2 \theta|}$$

$$= \frac{[a^2 + a^2 \cos^2 \theta + 2a^2 \cos \theta + a^2 \sin^2 \theta]^{3/2}}{a^2 \cos \theta + a^2 \cos^2 \theta + a^2 \sin^2 \theta}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{(2a^2 + 2a^2 \cos \theta)^{3/2}}{a^2 + a^2 \cos \theta} = \frac{[2a^2 (1 + \cos \theta)]^{3/2}}{a^2 (1 + \cos \theta)} \\
 &= \frac{[2a^2 \cdot 2 \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}]^{3/2}}{a^2 \cdot 2 \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} \quad [\because 1 + \cos \theta = 2 \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}] \\
 &= \frac{8a^3 \cos^3 \frac{\theta}{2}}{2a^2 \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} \\
 \Rightarrow & \boxed{R = 4a \cos(\frac{\theta}{2})} \rightarrow \text{This is the required radius of curvature.}
 \end{aligned}$$

3. Find the radius of curvature of the curve  
 $x = a \sin 2\theta (1 + \cos 2\theta)$ ,  $y = a \cos 2\theta (1 - \cos 2\theta)$ .

→ sln:

given curve:  $x = a \sin 2\theta (1 + \cos 2\theta)$ ,  $y = a \cos 2\theta (1 - \cos 2\theta)$

$$x = a \sin 2\theta + a \sin 2\theta \cos 2\theta$$

$$= a \sin 2\theta + \frac{a \sin 4\theta}{2}$$

$$x_1 = 2a \cos 2\theta + 4 \frac{a \cos 4\theta}{2}$$

$$= 2a \cos 2\theta + 2a \cos 4\theta$$

$$= 2a [\cos 2\theta + \cos 4\theta] = 4a \cos 3\theta \cdot \cos \theta \quad [\cos(1+cos\theta) = 2\cos(\frac{1+\theta}{2}) \cdot \cos(\frac{1-\theta}{2})]$$

$$x_2 = -2a [2 \sin 2\theta + 4 \sin 4\theta]$$

$$= -4a [\sin 2\theta + 2 \sin 4\theta]$$

(using unsimplified  $x$ , for further differentiation to avoid product rule).

$$y = a \cos 2\theta (1 - \cos 2\theta)$$

$$= a \cos 2\theta - a \cos^2 2\theta$$

$$y_1 = -a \cdot 2 \cdot \sin 2\theta + 2a \cdot \cos 2\theta \cdot \sin 2\theta \cdot 2$$

$$\Rightarrow y_1 = 2a \cdot 2 \sin 2\theta \cdot \cos 2\theta - 2a \sin 2\theta$$

$$= 2a \cdot \sin 4\theta - 2a \sin 2\theta$$

$$y_1 = 2a [\sin 4\theta - \sin 2\theta] = 4a \sin \theta \cdot \underline{\cos 3\theta}$$

$[\sin C - \sin D = 2 \sin \left(\frac{C-D}{2}\right) \cdot \cos \left(\frac{C+D}{2}\right)]$

$$y_2 = 2a [4 \cos 4\theta - \cos 2\theta]$$

$$= 4a [2 \cos 4\theta - \cos 2\theta]$$

$$x_1 = 4a \cdot \cos 3\theta \cdot \cos \theta$$

$$y_1 = 4a \cos 3\theta \cdot \sin \theta$$

$$x_2 = -4a [\sin 2\theta + 2 \sin 4\theta]$$

$$y_2 = 4a [2 \cos 4\theta - \cos 2\theta]$$

$$\rho = \frac{(x_1^2 + y_1^2)^{3/2}}{x_1 y_2 - x_2 y_1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho = \frac{(16a^2 \cos^2 3\theta \cdot \cos^2 \theta + 16a^2 \cos^2 3\theta \cdot \sin^2 \theta)^{3/2}}{4a \cdot \cos 3\theta \cdot \cos \theta \cdot 4a (2 \cos 4\theta - \cos 2\theta) + 4a \cos 3\theta \cdot \sin \theta \cdot 4a (\sin 2\theta + 2 \sin 4\theta)}$$

$$= \frac{[16a^2 \cos^2 3\theta (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta)]^{3/2}}{16a^2 \cos 3\theta [2 \cos \theta \cdot \cos 4\theta - \cos \theta \cdot \cos 2\theta + \sin \theta \cdot \sin 2\theta + 2 \sin \theta \cdot \sin 4\theta]}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{64a^3 \cos^3 30}{16a^2 \cos 30 [2(\cos 0 \cdot \cos 40 + \sin 0 \cdot \sin 40) - (\cos 0 \cdot \cos 20 - \sin 0 \cdot \sin 20)]} \\
 &= \frac{64a^3 \cos^3 30}{16a^2 \cos 30 [2\cos 30 - \cos 30]} \\
 &= \frac{64a^3 \cos^3 30}{16a^2 \cos^2 30}
 \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow [P = 4a \cos 30]$  → This is radius of curvature.

Find

4. Show that, the radius of curvature at any point  $t$  on the curve  $x = a[\cos \theta + \log(\tan \frac{\theta}{2})]$ ,  $y = a \sin \theta$ .

Given curve:  $x = a[\cos \theta + \log(\tan \frac{\theta}{2})]$ ,  $y = a \sin \theta$

$$\begin{aligned}
 x_1 &= a \left[ -\sin \theta + \frac{1}{\tan \frac{\theta}{2}} \cdot \sec^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \right] \\
 &= a \left[ -\sin \theta + \frac{1}{2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2}} \right] = a \left[ \frac{1}{\sin \theta} - \sin \theta \right] \\
 &= a \left[ \frac{1 - \sin^2 \theta}{\sin \theta} \right] = a \left[ \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{\sin \theta} \right] \\
 \Rightarrow x_1 &= a \cot \theta \quad \Rightarrow x_1 = a \cot \theta \cdot \cos \theta
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \cancel{x_2 = -a \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta} \quad x_2 &= \cot \theta (-\sin \theta) + \cos \theta (-\operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta) \\
 \cancel{x_2 = a(-\cos \theta - \cot \theta \cdot \operatorname{cosec} \theta)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$y_1 = a \cos \theta$$

$$y_2 = -a \sin \theta$$

$$\rho = \frac{(x_1^2 + y_1^2)^{3/2}}{x_1 y_2 - x_2 y_1}$$
$$= \frac{(a^2 \cot^2 \theta \cdot \cos^2 \theta + a^2 \cos^2 \theta)^{3/2}}{a(\cos \theta \cdot \cot \theta \cdot \csc \theta) \sin \theta + a(\cos \theta + \cot \theta \cdot \csc \theta) \cdot a \cos \theta}$$
$$= \frac{[a^2 \cos^2 \theta (1 + \cot^2 \theta)]^{3/2}}{a^2 \cos^2 \theta + a^2 \cos \theta \cdot \cot \theta \cdot \csc \theta - a^2 \sin \theta \cdot \cot \theta \cdot \csc \theta}$$
$$= \frac{a^3 \cos^3 \theta \cdot \csc^3 \theta}{a^2 \cot^2 \theta + a^2 \cot^2 \theta - a^2 \cos^2 \theta} = \frac{a^3 \cos^3 \theta \cdot \csc^3 \theta}{a^2 \cot^2 \theta}$$

$$= \frac{a^3 \cot^3 \theta}{a^2 \cot^2 \theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho = a \cot \theta$$

at point t:

$$\boxed{\rho = a \cot t}$$

→ This is radius of curvature

5. Prove that the radius of curvature of a circle,  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  is a constant.

[Hint : take  $x = a \cos t$ ,  $y = a \sin t$ ;  $0 \leq t \leq \pi$ ]

→ Solution:

given,  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$

let  $x = a \cos t$

$y = a \sin t$

$x_1 = -a \sin t$

$y_1 = a \cos t$

$x_2 = -a \cos t$

$y_2 = -a \sin t$

we know that  $\rho = \frac{(x_1^2 + y_1^2)^{3/2}}{x_1 y_2 - x_2 y_1}$

$$\Rightarrow \rho = \frac{(a^2 \sin^2 t + a^2 \cos^2 t)^{3/2}}{a^2 \sin^2 t + a^2 \cos^2 t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho = \frac{a^3}{a^2} \Rightarrow \boxed{\rho = a}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\rho = \text{constant}}$$

Since  $a$  is a constant.

Hence Proved.

## Pedal form

1. Write p-r equation of the polar curve  
 $\theta = \frac{\sqrt{r^2 - a^2}}{a} - \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{a}{r}\right)$  and hence find the radius of curvature at any point on the curve.

Soln:-

$$\theta = \frac{\sqrt{r^2 - a^2}}{a} - \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{a}{r}\right)$$

diff wrt r

$$\frac{d\theta}{dr} = \frac{1}{a} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{r^2 - a^2}} \times 2r - \frac{(-1)}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{a^2}{r^2}}} \times \frac{-1}{r^2}$$

$$= \frac{r}{a} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{r^2 - a^2}} - \frac{i\sqrt{r^2 - a^2} \times a}{\sqrt{r^2 - a^2} \times r^2}$$

$$= \frac{r}{a} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{r^2 - a^2}} - \frac{a}{r\sqrt{r^2 - a^2}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{r^2 - a^2}} \left[ \frac{r}{a} - \frac{a}{r} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{r^2 - a^2}} \left[ \frac{r^2 - a^2}{ar} \right]$$

$$\frac{dr}{dt} = \frac{\sqrt{r^2 - a^2}}{ar}$$

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$$\cot \phi = \frac{1}{r} \times \frac{dr}{dt}$$

$$= \frac{1}{r} \times \frac{ar}{\sqrt{r^2 - a^2}}$$

$$\cot \phi = \frac{a}{\sqrt{r^2 - a^2}}$$

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$$\frac{1}{P^2} = \frac{1}{r^2} \left[ 1 + \cot^2 \phi \right]$$

$$\frac{1}{P^2} = \frac{1}{r^2} \left[ 1 + \frac{a^2}{r^2 - a^2} \right]$$

$$\frac{1}{P^2} = \frac{1}{r^2} \left[ \frac{r^2 - ar + ar}{r^2 - a^2} \right]$$

$$P^2 = r^2 - a^2$$

$$P = \sqrt{r^2 - a^2}$$

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diff wr to r

$$\frac{dp}{dr} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{r^2 - a^2}} \times 2r$$

$$= \frac{r}{\sqrt{r^2 - a^2}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 f &= r \cdot \frac{dh}{dp} \\
 &= dx \times \frac{\sqrt{h^2 - a^2}}{dx} \\
 f &= \underline{\underline{\sqrt{h^2 - a^2}}}
 \end{aligned}$$

(3)

Find the radius of curvature of the curve  $r^3 = 2ap^2$ .

Soln:-

Given:-

$$\begin{aligned}
 r^3 &= 2ap^2 \\
 p^2 &= \frac{r^3}{2a}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$P = \sqrt{\frac{r^3}{2a}}$$

$$= \frac{r \times r}{\sqrt{2a}}$$

$$P = \frac{r^{3/2}}{\sqrt{2a}}$$

diff wrt to  $r$

$$\frac{dp}{dr} = \frac{3}{2} \frac{r^{1/2}}{\sqrt{2a}}$$

$$f = \lambda \cdot \frac{dr}{dp}$$

$$= \lambda \times \frac{2}{3} \sqrt{2a} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{r}}$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \sqrt{2a} \times \sqrt{r}$$

$$\underline{\underline{f = \frac{2}{3} \sqrt{2ar}}}$$

4. Find the radius of curvature of the curve  $r^2 + 3p^2 = a^2$ .

Soln:-

~~$$r^2 + 3p^2 = a^2$$~~

~~diff wrt to r~~

~~$$P = \frac{r^2 + a^2 - r^2}{3}$$~~

~~diff wrt to r~~

~~$$\frac{dp}{dr} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \left[ \frac{1}{2\sqrt{a^2 - r^2}} \times 2r \right]$$~~

~~$$\frac{dp}{dr} = -\frac{r}{\sqrt{3} \sqrt{a^2 - r^2}}$$~~

$$r^2 + 3p^2 = a^2$$

$$3p^2 = a^2 - r^2$$

$$\therefore P = \sqrt{\frac{a^2 - r^2}{3}}$$

diff wrt to  $r$

$$\frac{dp}{dr} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 - r^2}} \times -\frac{1}{r}$$

$$\frac{dp}{dr} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3} \sqrt{a^2 - r^2}}$$

$$l = r \cdot \frac{dr}{dp}$$

$$= rx - \frac{\sqrt{3} \sqrt{a^2 - r^2}}{r}$$

$$l = -\sqrt{3} (a^2 - r^2)^{1/2}$$

5. Find the radius of curvature of the

curve.  $\frac{1}{P^2} = \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} - \frac{r^2}{a^2 b^2}$

~~total~~  
soln:-

given

$$\frac{1}{P^2} = \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} - \frac{r^2}{a^2 b^2}$$

$$\frac{1}{P} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} - \frac{r^2}{a^2 b^2}}$$

$$P = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} - \frac{r^2}{a^2 b^2}}}$$

diff wr to  $\gamma$

$$\frac{dp}{dx} = \frac{-1}{\left(\sqrt{\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} - \frac{x^2}{a^2 b^2}}\right)^2} \times \frac{-2x}{a^2 b^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dp}{dt} &= -\frac{1}{\left(\sqrt{\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} - \frac{x^2}{a^2 b^2}}\right)^2} \times \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} - \frac{x^2}{a^2 b^2}}} \times \frac{-2x}{a^2 b^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{\left(\sqrt{\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} - \frac{x^2}{a^2 b^2}}\right)^3} \cdot \frac{1}{a^2 b^2}\end{aligned}$$

$$\int = t - \frac{dx}{dp}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned}&= a^2 x \\ \int &= a^2 b^2 \left( \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} - \frac{x^2}{a^2 b^2} \right)^{3/2}\end{aligned}$$

② If  $\rho_1, \rho_2$  are the radii of curvature at the extremities of a polar chord of the polar curve  $r = a(1 + \cos \theta)$ , prove that  $\rho_1^2 + \rho_2^2$

$$= \frac{16a^2}{9}.$$

Soln:-

Given:-

$$r = a(1 + \cos \theta)$$

## TAYLOR'S & MACLAURIN'S SERIES

1. Expand  $f(x) = \log(\sin x)$  in powers of  $(x-2)$ .

↳ Soln.

Given function:  $f(x) = \log(\sin x)$

Taylor's series:  $f(1) = f(a) + \frac{(x-a)f'(a)}{1!} + \frac{(x-a)^2 f''(a)}{2!} + \dots \infty$

Comparing  $(x-2)$  with the above series,

$$\boxed{a=2}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(a) = \log[\sin 2] = -\underline{\underline{3.36}}$$

Differentiating  $f(x)$  with respect to  $x$ :

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{\sin x} \cdot \cos x = \cot x \Rightarrow f'(2) = \cot 2 = \underline{\underline{28.64}}$$

$$f''(x) = -\operatorname{cosec}^2 x \Rightarrow f''(2) = -\operatorname{cosec}^2(2) = -821.03$$

$$\therefore \boxed{f(x) = -3.36 + \frac{(x-2)}{1!}(28.64) - \frac{(x-2)^2}{2!}(821.03) + \dots \infty}$$

2. Find the Taylor's series expansion of the function

$$f(x) = \tan^{-1} x \text{ at } a=1.$$

↳

Given function:  $f(x) = \tan^{-1} x$

$$\text{Let } y = f(x) = \tan^{-1} x.$$

$$\text{Given } a=1.$$

$$\therefore y(1) = \tan^{-1}(1) = \frac{\pi}{4} \Rightarrow \boxed{y(1) = \frac{\pi}{4}}$$

Differentiating  $y$ , with respect to  $x$ :

$$y_1 = \frac{1}{1+x^2} \quad \text{[where } y_1 = \frac{dy}{dx} \text{]}$$

$$\Rightarrow y_1(1) = \frac{1}{1+1} \Rightarrow \boxed{y_1(1) = \frac{1}{2}}$$

Now multiplying,

$$(1+x^2)y_1 = 1$$

Differentiating with respect to  $x$ , 'n' times using Leibnitz's theorem:

$$\frac{d^n}{dx^n} (1+x^2)(y_1) = \frac{d^n}{dx^n} (1)$$

$\downarrow \quad \downarrow$   
 $u \quad v$

$$\Rightarrow (1+x^2)y_{n+1} + n \cdot 2x \cdot y_n + \frac{n(n-1)}{2} \cdot 2 \cdot y_{n-1} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (1+x^2)y_{n+1} + 2nx y_n + n(n-1)y_{n-1} = 0$$

at  $x=1$ :

$$2y_{n+1} + 2ny_n = 0 \quad [\because n(n-1)y_{n-1} = 0]$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{y_{n+1} = -ny_n}$$

here,  $n = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$

at  $n=1$ ,

$$y_2(1) = -1(y_1) = -1\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \Rightarrow \boxed{y_2(1) = -\frac{1}{2}}$$

at  $n=2$ ,

$$y_3(1) = -2[y_2(1)] = -2\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) \Rightarrow \boxed{y_3(1) = 1}$$

at  $n=3$ ,

$$y_4(1) = -3[y_3(1)] = -3(1) \Rightarrow \boxed{y_4(1) = -3}$$

substituting these values in:

$$f(x) = f(a) + \frac{(x-a)}{1!} \cdot f'(a) + \frac{(x-a)^2}{2!} f''(a) + \dots$$

here,  $a=1$

$$f(x) = y$$

$$f'(a) = y_1(1), \text{ etc.}$$

Therefore,

$$y = \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{(x-1)}{1!} \cdot \frac{1}{2} + \frac{(x-1)^2}{2!} \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) + \frac{(x-1)^3}{3!}(1) + \frac{(x-1)^4}{4!}(-3) + \dots \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{y = \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{(x-1)}{2} - \frac{(x-1)^2}{4} + \frac{(x-1)^3}{6} - \frac{(x-1)^4}{8} + \dots \infty}$$

3. Obtain the MacLaurin's series expansion of the function  $f(x) = \sqrt{1+\sin 2x}$  up to fourth degree terms.

Given function,  $f(x) = \sqrt{1+\sin 2x}$

since it is a MacLaurin's series, we know that  $a=0$ .

$$\text{Let } y = f(x) = \sqrt{1+\sin 2x}$$

$$\Rightarrow y(0) = \sqrt{1} \Rightarrow \boxed{y(0) = 1}$$

rewriting  $f(x)$ :

$$f(x) = \sqrt{\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x + 2\sin x \cos x} \quad [\because \sin^2 x + \cos^2 x = 1]$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \sqrt{(\sin x + \cos x)^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \sin x + \cos x \rightarrow ①$$

Differentiating ① with respect to  $x$ :

$$f'(x) = \cos x - \sin x \Rightarrow \boxed{f'(0) = 1}$$

again differentiating with respect to  $x$ :

$$f''(x) = -\sin x - \cos x \Rightarrow f''(0) = -1$$

Differentiating with respect to  $x$ :

$$f'''(x) = -\cos x + \sin x \Rightarrow f'''(0) = -1$$

Differentiating this with respect to  $x$ :

$$f^{(4)}(x) = \sin x + \cos x \Rightarrow f^{(4)}(0) = 1$$

The MacLaurin's series expansion is:

$$f(x) = f(0) + \frac{x}{1!} f'(0) + \frac{x^2}{2!} f''(0) + \frac{x^3}{3!} f'''(0) + \frac{x^4}{4!} f^{(4)}(0) + \dots \infty$$

substituting the values,

$$f(x) = 0 + \frac{x}{1!}(1) + \frac{x^2}{2!}(-1) + \frac{x^3}{3!}(-1) + \frac{x^4}{4!}(1) + \dots \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = x - \frac{x^2}{2!} - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} + \dots \infty$$

4. Obtain the MacLaurin's series expansion of the function  $f(x) = e^{\sin^{-1}(x)}$

↳ DONE IN CLASS NOTES - REFER.

5. Obtain the MacLaurin's series expansion of the function  $f(x) = \log(1+e^x)$ .

↳ Given function,  $f(x) = \log(1+e^x)$

$$\text{let } y = \log(1+e^x)$$

$$y(0) = \log 2$$

Differentiating  $y$  with respect to  $x$ :

$$y_1 = \frac{e^x}{1+e^x} \quad y_1(0) = \frac{1}{1+1} \Rightarrow \boxed{y_1(0) = \frac{1}{2}}$$

Differentiating  $y_1$  with respect to  $x$ :

$$y_2 = \frac{(1+e^x)(e^x) - e^x(e^x)}{(1+e^x)^2} = \frac{1+e^{2x}-e^{2x}}{(1+e^x)^2} = \frac{1}{(1+e^x)^2} = \frac{1}{(1+e^x)^{-2}} \Rightarrow \boxed{y_2(0) = \frac{1}{4}}$$

Differentiating  $y_2$  with respect to  $x$ :

$$y_3 = -2(1+e^x)^{-3} \cdot e^x = \frac{-2e^x}{(1+e^x)^3} \quad y_3(0) = \frac{-2(1)}{(1+1)^3} = \frac{-2}{2^3} = -\frac{1}{4}$$
$$\Rightarrow \boxed{y_3(0) = -\frac{1}{4}}$$

The MacLaurin series is:

$$f(x) = y = y(0) + \frac{x}{1!} y_1(0) + \frac{x^2}{2!} y_2(0) + \frac{x^3}{3!} y_3(0) + \dots \rightarrow \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \log 2 + \frac{x}{1!} \times \frac{1}{2} + \frac{x^2}{2!} \times \frac{1}{4} + \frac{x^3}{3!} \left(-\frac{1}{4}\right) + \dots \rightarrow \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{y = \log 2 + \frac{x}{2} + \frac{x^2}{8} - \frac{x^3}{24} + \dots \rightarrow \infty}$$