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LEARNING

COMPONENT

# UNIT-1

## n<sup>th</sup> derivatives

let  $y = f(x)$  be a real-valued function possessing derivatives of all orders.

The first derivative of  $y$  wrt  $x$  is written as

$$y' = y_1 = f'(x) = \frac{dy}{dx} = D^1 y$$

Similarly, the higher order derivatives of  $y$  wrt  $x$  can be written as

$$y'' = y_2 = f''(x) = \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = D^2 y$$

In general, the  $n^{\text{th}}$  derivative of  $y$  wrt  $x$  is written as

$$y^{(n)} = y_n = f^{(n)}(x) = \frac{d^n y}{dx^n} = D^n y$$

Note:  $f^{(n)}(x)$   
 $= f(f(f(\dots)))$

The process of finding the derivatives of  $y$  wrt  $x$  is called successive differentiation.

## n<sup>th</sup> Derivatives of Standard Functions $(n=1, 2, 3, \dots)$

$$(1) D^n e^{ax+b} = a^n e^{ax+b}$$

$$(2) D^n a^{mx} = (m \ln a)^n a^{mx}$$

$$(3) D^n (ax+b)^m = m(m-1)(m-2)\dots(m-n+1) (ax+b)^{m-n} a^m$$

$$(4) D^n x^n = n!$$

$$(5) D^n \left( \frac{1}{ax+b} \right) = \frac{(-1)^n n! a^n}{(ax+b)^{n+1}}$$

If  $m$  is the  
int,  
n.P.

$$(6) D^n \ln(ax+b) = \frac{(-1)^{n-1} (n-1)! a^n}{(ax+b)^n}$$

$$y = \ln(ax+b)$$

$$y_1 = \frac{1}{ax+b} a$$

$$y_n = D^{n-1} \left( \frac{a}{ax+b} \right)$$

$$(7) D^n \sin(ax+b) = a^n \sin\left(ax+b + \frac{n\pi}{2}\right)$$

$$y = \sin(ax+b)$$

$$y_1 = a \cos(ax+b) = a \sin\left(ax+b + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

$$y_2 = -a^2 \sin(ax+b) = a^2 \sin\left(ax+b + 2 \cdot \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

$$y_3 = -a^3 \cos(ax+b) = a^3 \sin\left(ax+b + 3 \cdot \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

$$(8) D^n \cos(ax+b) = a^n \cos\left(ax+b + n\pi/2\right)$$

$$(9) D^n \left( e^{ax} \sin(bx+c) \right) = (a^2+b^2)^{n/2} e^{ax} \sin\left(bx+c+n\tan^{-1}\frac{b}{a}\right)$$

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$$(10) D^n \left( e^{ax} \cos(bx+c) \right) = (a^2+b^2)^{n/2} e^{ax} \cos\left(bx+c+n\tan^{-1}\frac{b}{a}\right)$$

## PROBLEMS

1. Obtain the  $n^{\text{th}}$  derivative of  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2x}{1-x^2}\right)$  as

$$2(-1)^{n+1} (n+1)! \sin(n\theta) \sin^n \theta, \quad \theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{2}$$

$$y = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2x}{1-x^2}\right) = 2\tan^{-1}x$$

$$y = d\tan^{-1}x$$

$$\text{Let } s = \tan^{-1}x$$

$$s_1 = \frac{1}{1+x^2} = \frac{1}{(x+i)(x-i)} = \frac{A}{x+i} + \frac{B}{x-i}$$

$$1 = A(x-i) + B(x+i)$$

$$\text{At } x = i,$$

$$1 = B(2i) \Rightarrow B = \frac{1}{2i}$$

$$\text{At } x = -i,$$

$$1 = A(-2i) \Rightarrow A = \frac{1}{2i}$$

$$\frac{1}{(x+i)(x-i)} = \frac{1}{2i(x+i)} - \frac{1}{2i(x-i)}$$

$s_1 = \frac{-1}{2ix-2} + \frac{1}{2ix+2}$
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Differentiating  $n-1$  times

$$s_n = D^n \left( \frac{1}{x-i} \right) - D^n \left( \frac{1}{x+i} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2i} \left[ \frac{(-1)^{n-1} (n-1)!}{(x-i)^n} - \frac{(-1)^{n-1} (n-1)!}{(x+i)^n} \right]$$

$$\text{let } x = r \cos \theta, \quad i = r \sin \theta$$

$$\frac{1}{r} = \sin \theta \quad \theta = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{r} \right)$$

$$y_n = \frac{2(-1)^{n-1} (n-1)!}{r^n} \left[ \frac{1}{(r \cos \theta - ir \sin \theta)^n} - \frac{1}{(r \cos \theta + ir \sin \theta)^n} \right]$$

$$y_n = \frac{(-1)^{n-1} (n-1)!}{i} \left[ \frac{1}{r^n e^{-in\theta}} - \frac{1}{r^n e^{in\theta}} \right]$$

$$y_n = \frac{2(-1)^{n-1} (n-1)!}{2ir^n} \left( e^{in\theta} - e^{-in\theta} \right)$$

$$= \underbrace{\frac{2(-1)^{n-1} (n-1)!}{r^n}}_{\sin n\theta}$$

$$\frac{1}{r} = \sin \theta$$

$$y_n = 2(-1)^{n-1} (n-1)! \sin^n \theta \sin(n\theta)$$

## UNIT-2

### Taylor's Expansion for a Function of 2 Variables

If  $f(x,y)$  is a function of 2 independent variables with continuous partial derivatives of all orders, then

$$f(x,y) = f(a,b) + (x-a) f_x(a,b) + (y-b) f_y(a,b)$$

continuous  
functions:  
 $f_{xy} = f_{yx}$

$$+ \frac{1}{2!} \left( (x-a)^2 f_{xx}(a,b) + 2(x-a)(y-b) f_{xy}(a,b) \right)$$

$$+ (y-b)^2 f_{yy}(a,b) \Big)$$

$$+ \frac{1}{3!} \left( (x-a)^3 f_{xxx}(a,b) + 3(x-a)^2 (y-b) f_{xxy}(a,b) \right)$$

$$+ 3(x-a)(y-b)^2 f_{xyy}(a,b) + (y-b)^3 f_{yyy}(a,b) \Big)$$

$$+ \dots \infty$$

In particular, if  $a=b=0$ , then the series is called MacLaurin's series.

## UNIT 3

### Curve Tracing (186, Grewal)

1. Trace the curve  $y^2(2a-x) = x^3$ ,  $a > 0$

From the given equation, we make the following observations.

#### (a) Symmetry

The equation of the curve remains the same when  $y$  is changed to  $-y$ .

∴ Curve is symmetric about  $x$ -axis.

If  $x \rightarrow -x$ , equation lost

Not symmetric about  $y$ -axis.

#### (b) Region of existence:

$$y = \pm \sqrt{\frac{x^3}{2a-x}}$$

if  $x < 0$ , then does not exist ( $y$  not real)

∴ no part of curve  $x < 0$

$$2a-x > 0$$

$$x < 2a \quad \text{and} \quad x > 0$$

(c) Passing through  $(0,0)$  & tangents

$$y^2(2a-x) = x^3$$

(i) if  $(0,0)$  satisfies equation, passes through origin

(ii) Tangents at origin

Equate the lowest-degree terms to 0 to find tangents

$$2ay^2 - y^2x = x^3$$

$2ay^2 = 0$   
( $a$  is a const.)

$$y^2 = 0 \Rightarrow y = 0, 0$$

2 tangents:  
double point

DOUBLE POINT

→ If 2 tangents diff & real: node



→ If 2 tangents same & real: cusp



Here:  $y=0$  and  $y=0$  are tangents (cusp)

(d) Asymptotes

tangents at  $\infty$

(i) Parallel to axes

equating to 0 the coefficients of highest power of  $y$ , we get

$$2a - z = 0$$

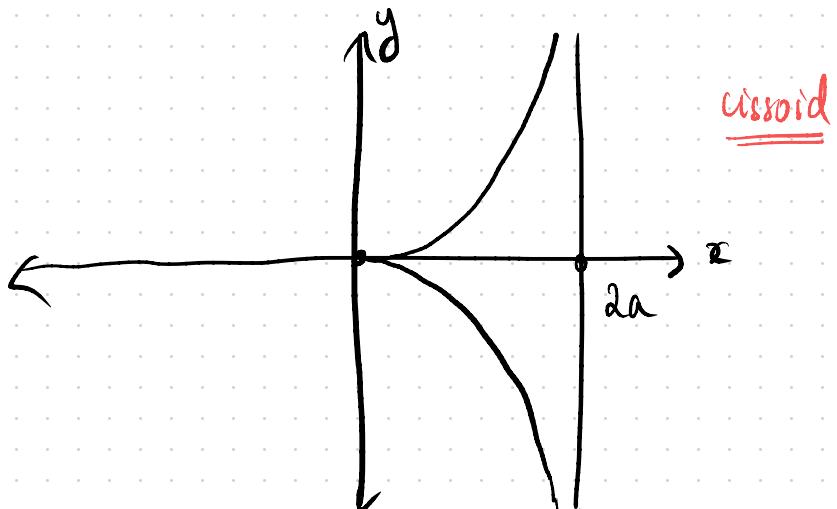
$z = 2a$  is an asymptote

coeff of  $x^3 = 1 \Rightarrow$  no asymptote  $\parallel$  to  $x$ -axis.

(ii) Oblique asymptotes

next example

Based on these observations, the curve is shown as



2. Trace the curve  $y^2(a^2 + x^2) = x^2(a^2 - x^2)$

### (a) Symmetry

$\begin{matrix} x \rightarrow -x \\ y \rightarrow -y \end{matrix}$ ] symmetric about both axes.

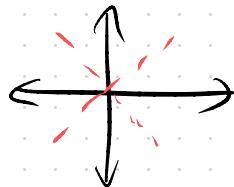
### (b) Origin

$x=0$  &  $y=0$  satisfies the eqn.

$$\begin{aligned} y^2 a^2 + y^2 x^2 &= x^2 a^2 - x^4 \\ (y^2 - x^2)a^2 &\stackrel{\text{2nd degree}}{=} 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} y^2 &= x^2 \\ y &= \pm x \end{aligned}$$

two tangents:  $y=x$  and  $y=-x$  (node)



### (c) Asymptotes

(i) Parallel to axes

$-x^4 = 0$ : no asymptote || to x axis

$y^2(a^2 + x^2) = 0$

$x = \pm ai$ : imaginary tangents

no asymptote || to x axis

## (ii) Oblique asymptotes

### (d) Region of existence

Solving for  $y_1$ , we get

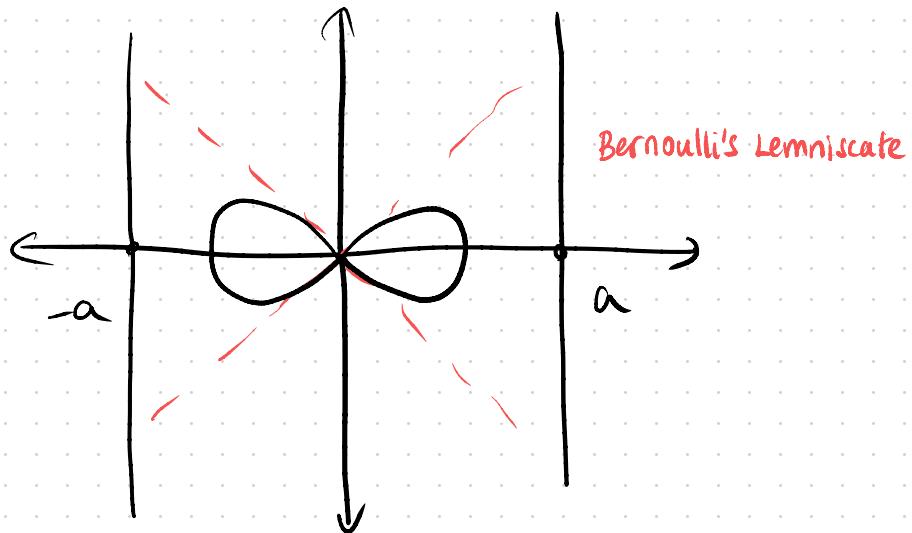
$$y = \pm 2 \sqrt{\frac{a^2 - x^2}{a^2 + x^2}}$$

$$a^2 - x^2 \geq 0$$

$$x^2 \leq a^2$$

$$x \leq a \text{ and } x \geq -a$$

$x=a$  and  $x=-a$  bound curve



UNIT 3

# Curve tracing

## Cartesian

1. Symmetry
2. Origin and tangents at  $(0,0)$
3. Region of Existence & points
4. Asymptotes

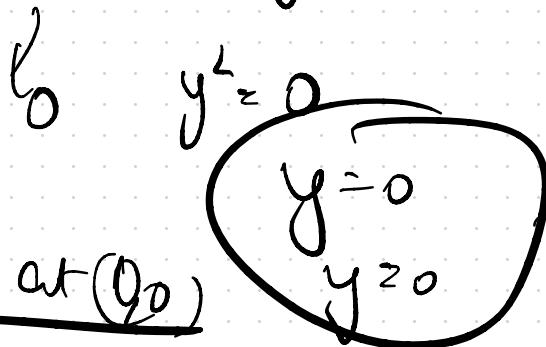
$$1. \quad y^2(2a - u) = u^3$$

Symm:  $x - a \cos \theta$

Origin: Passing

Tangents at  $(0, 0)$

$$2ay^2 - xy^2 = u^3.$$

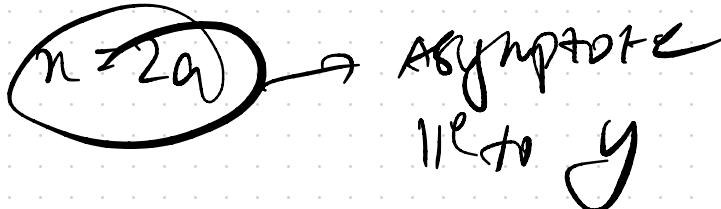


Double point

1. Cusp
2. Node
3. Conjugate

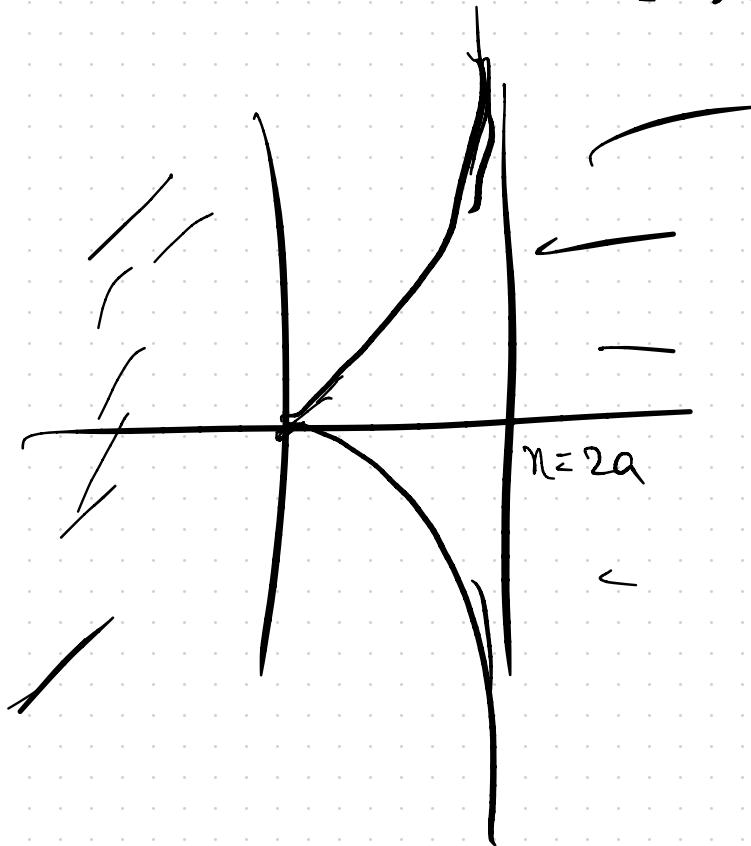
Asymptotes

$$1. \quad 2a - u = 0$$



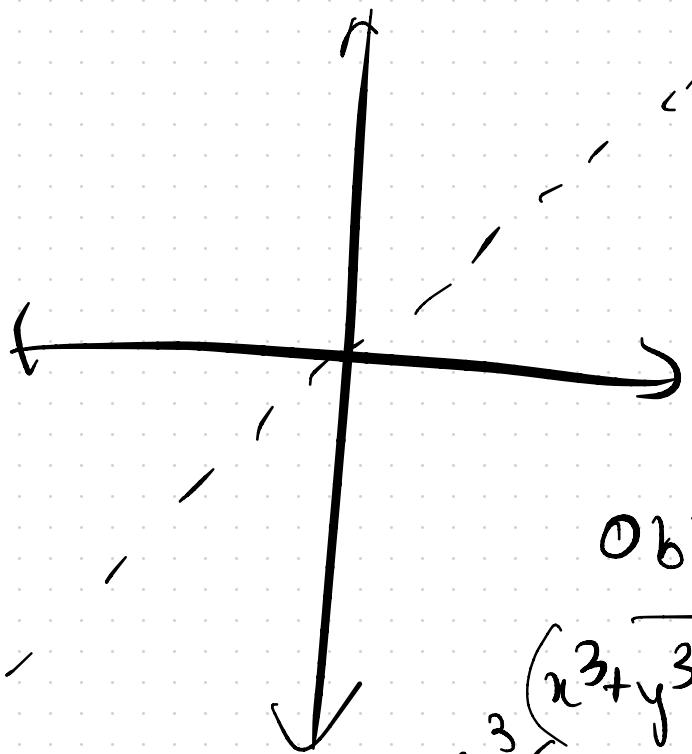
# Region of existence

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



$$2. \quad x^3 + y^3 = 3axy$$

← Point of  
De cartes.



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$$x^3 \left( x^3 + y^3 \right) - 3axy = 0$$

$$x^3 \left( 1 + \frac{y^3}{x^3} \right) - x^2 (3ay) = 0$$

$$x^2 \phi_2 \left( \frac{y}{x} \right) = 0$$

$$x^3 \phi \left( \frac{y}{x} \right) - \dots \rightarrow 0$$

$$x_m \phi_m\left(\frac{y}{n}\right) + n_{m+1} \phi_{m+1}\left(\frac{y}{n}\right) = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} y &= m+n \\ \frac{y}{n} &= m + \frac{n}{n} \end{aligned}$$

$$x_m \phi_m\left(m + \frac{n}{n}\right) + n - \phi\left(m + \frac{n}{n}\right) = 0$$

$$f(a+h) = f(a) + f'(a)h + \frac{h^2}{2!} f''(a)$$

$$\phi_m\left(m + \frac{n}{n}\right) = \phi_m(m) + \phi'_m(n) \frac{n}{n} + \frac{\frac{n^2}{n^2}}{2!} \phi''_m(n)$$

$$\boxed{c = -\frac{\phi_2(m)}{\phi'_3(m)}}$$

$$\frac{\phi_2(n)}{\phi'_3(n)}$$

Subs  $\begin{cases} n=1, \\ y=m \end{cases}$

$$\phi_3(m) = 1 + m^3$$

$$\phi_2(m) \approx 34m$$