

17 Find the radius of curvature for the curve whose intrinsic equation is  $s = a \log \tan(\pi/4 + \psi/2)$

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$$\frac{ds}{d\psi} = \frac{a \times \sec^2(\pi/4 + \psi/2) \times \frac{1}{2}}{\tan(\pi/4 + \psi/2)}$$

$$= \frac{a}{2} \frac{\cos(\pi/4 + \psi/2)}{\sin(\pi/4 + \psi/2)} \times \frac{1}{\cos^2(\pi/4 + \psi/2)}$$

$$= \frac{a}{2 \sin(\pi/4 + \psi/2) \cos(\pi/4 + \psi/2)} = \frac{a}{\sin(\pi/2 + \psi)} = \frac{a}{\cos \psi}$$

$$\frac{ds}{d\psi} = a \sec \psi \Rightarrow \rho = a \sec \psi$$

25 Find the radius of curvature for the catenary of uniform strength  $y = a \log \sec(x/a)$  is  $a \sec(x/a)$

$$\rho = \frac{(1 + y_1^2)^{3/2}}{y_2}$$

$$y = a \log \sec(x/a)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{a \times \sec x/a \tan x/a \times \frac{1}{a}}{\sec x/a}$$

$$= \tan x/a$$

$$y_2 = \sec^2 x/a \times 1/a$$

$$\rho = \frac{(1 + \tan^2(x/a))^{3/2}}{\sec^2(x/a) \times 1/a}$$

$$= \frac{(\sec^2(x/a))^{3/2} \times a}{\sec^2(x/a)} = a \sec(x/a)$$

3) St for the catenary  $y = c \cosh(x/c)$ , the radius of curvature is equal to  $y^2/c$ .

$$R = \frac{(1 + y_1^2)^{3/2}}{y_2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = c \sinh(x/c) \times \frac{1}{c} = \sinh(x/c)$$

$$y_2 = \cosh(x/c) \times \frac{1}{c}$$

$$R = \frac{(1 + \sinh^2(x/c))^{3/2} \times c}{\cosh(x/c)}$$

$$R = \frac{(\cosh^2(x/c))^{3/2}}{\cosh(x/c)} \times c = c \cosh^2(x/c) \quad - (1)$$

$$\frac{y^2}{c} = c \cosh^2(x/c) \quad - (2)$$

(1) = (2) Hence proved.

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\sinh x) = \cosh x$$

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$$\frac{d}{dx} (\coth x) = -\operatorname{cosech}^2 x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\sinh^{-1} x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\operatorname{cosech}^{-1} x) = \frac{-1}{x\sqrt{1+x^2}}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\cosh^{-1} x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2-1}}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\operatorname{sech}^{-1} x) = \frac{-1}{x\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\tanh^{-1} x) = \frac{1}{1-x^2}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\coth^{-1} x) = \frac{1}{1-x^2}$$



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$$\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x^2-1}} = \cosh^{-1} x$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{1-x^2} = \tanh^{-1} x$$

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$$\int \sqrt{a^2+x^2} \, dx = \frac{x}{2} \sqrt{a^2+x^2} + \frac{a^2}{2} \sinh^{-1} \left( \frac{x}{a} \right)$$

$$\int \sqrt{a^2-x^2} \, dx = \frac{x}{2} \sqrt{x^2-a^2} - \frac{a^2}{2} \cosh^{-1} \left( \frac{x}{a} \right)$$

Find the radius of curvature for the curve

$$y^2 = \frac{4a^2(2a-x)}{x} \text{ where the curve meets the } x\text{-axis.}$$

$$0 = \frac{4a^2(2a-x)}{x} \quad (\because \text{it meets } x\text{-axis}).$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2a.$$

$(2a, 0)$  is the point on the curve at which  $\rho$  should be found.

The given eq<sup>n</sup> can be put in the form:

$$y^2 = 8a^2 - 4a^2/x.$$

$$2yy_1 = \frac{-8a^3/x^2}{x^2} \Rightarrow y_1 = \frac{-4a^3}{x^2y}$$

At  $(2a, 0)$ ,  $y_1 = \infty$  and hence we have to consider  $\frac{dx}{dy}$ .

$$x_1 = \frac{dx}{dy} = -\frac{x^2y}{4a^3} \quad x_1 = 0 \text{ at } (2a, 0)$$

$$x_2 = \frac{-1}{4a^3} (2xx_1y + x^2)$$

$$\text{At } (2a, 0), \quad x_2 = -\frac{1}{a}$$

$$\rho = \frac{(1+x_1^2)^{3/2}}{x_2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{-1/a} = -a \quad |\rho| = a.$$

Find radius of curvature for the curve

$$x^2y = a(x^2 + y^2) \text{ at } (-2a, 2a)$$

$$2xy + x^2y_1 = a(2x + 2yy_1)$$

$$2xy - 2ax = y_1(2y - x^2)$$

$$y_1 = \frac{2xy - ax}{2y - x^2}$$

$$\text{at } (-2a, 2a), \quad y_1 = \infty$$



$$x_1 \Rightarrow 2xx_1y + x^2 = a(2xx_1 + 2y)$$

$$x_1(2xy - 2ax) = 2ay - x^2$$

$$x_1 = \frac{2ay - x^2}{2xy - 2ax}$$

$$2xy - 2ax$$

$$\text{at } (-2a, 2a), x_1 = 0.$$

$$x_2 \rightarrow \frac{(2xy - 2ax)(2a - 2xx_1) - (2ay - x^2)(2x + 2yx_1 - 2ax_1)}{(2xy - 2ax)^2}$$

$$\text{at } (-2a, 2a), \frac{(-8a^2 + 4a^2)(2a) - (4a^2 - 4a^2) \rightarrow 0}{(-8a^2 + 4a^2)^2}$$

$$= \frac{2a}{-4a^2} = -\frac{1}{2a}$$

$$f = \frac{(1 + x_1^2)^{3/2}}{x_2} = \frac{1}{-1/2a} = -2a$$

$$|f| = 2a$$

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