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Midterm 2 on Wed.

NO quiz on Tuesday

Representing functions as power series

Some basic power series:

• $\frac{1}{1-x} = 1+x+x^2+\dots = \sum x^n \quad 0 \leq |x| < 1$

• $e^x = 1+x+\frac{x^2}{2!}+\dots = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!} \quad \text{For all } x, |x| < \infty$

Ex. Power series rep. of $\frac{1}{1+x}$

• $\frac{1}{1+x} = \frac{1}{1-(-x)} = \sum_n (-x)^n = \sum_n (-1)^n x^n = 1-x+x^2-x^3\dots$
 $|x| < 1$

• $\frac{x^3}{1+x} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^3 \cdot (-1)^n x^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n x^{n+3} = +x^3 - x^4 + x^5 - \dots$
 $|x| < 1$
radius of conv. \curvearrowright

• $\frac{1}{(1-x)^2}$

① $\frac{1}{1-x} \cdot \frac{1}{1-x} = (1+x+x^2+\dots)(1+x+x^2+\dots) =$
(not the best way)

$= \left(\sum_n x^n\right) \left(\sum_m x^m\right)$

$= \sum_{n,m=0}^{\infty} x^{n+m}$

$= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (i+1) x^i = 1+2x+3x^2+4x^3+\dots$

rearrange terms & write it as a power series

② (better way)

$$\frac{1}{(1-x)^2} = \left(\frac{1}{1-x} \right)' = \left(\sum_n x^n \right)'$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (x^n)' = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n x^{n-1}$$

(remember $(x^0)' = 1' = 0$.)

Ex. $\frac{1}{(1+x)^3} = \left(\frac{1}{-2(1+x)^2} \right)' \rightsquigarrow \int \frac{1}{(1+x)^3} dx = \frac{(1+x)^{-3+1}}{-3+1} + C$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{2(1+x)} \right)'' = \frac{(1+x)^{-2}}{-2}$$

$$\frac{1}{2(1+x)} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{2} x^n$$

$$\frac{1}{(1+x)^3} = \left(\frac{1}{2(1+x)} \right)'' = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{2} n(n-1) x^{n-2}$$

$(x^n)'' \rightarrow n(n-1)x^{n-2}$

Ex. $\frac{1}{1+3x^2} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-3x^2)^n$

$0 \leq |3x^2| < 1$

$$\frac{1}{1 - (-3x^2)} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-3)^n x^{2n}$$

$3|x|^2 < 1$

$0 \leq |x| < \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$

radius of conv.

$-\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} < x < \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$

Some review problems

Para. Curves:

- Find (slope of) tangent line to a para. curve.
- Find angle between two para. curves.

Ex. $r_1(t) = (t, t^2)$

$$r_2(t) = (\sin(t), \sin(2t))$$

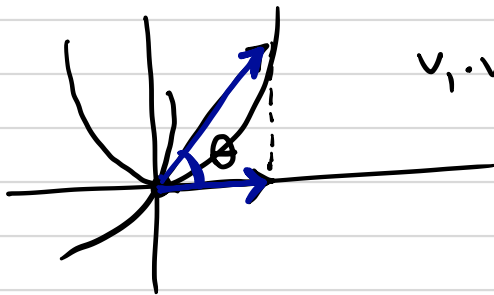
At $t=0$ the two curves intersect.

Find angle between the curves at $t=0$.

$$r_1'(t) = (1, 2t) \xrightarrow{t=0} (1, 0)$$

$$r_2'(t) = (\cos(t), 2\cos(2t)) \xrightarrow{t=0} (1, 2).$$

So we want angle between $\frac{(1,0)}{v_1}$ & $\frac{(1,2)}{v_2}$.



$$v_1 \cdot v_2 = (1,0) \cdot (1,2) = 1$$

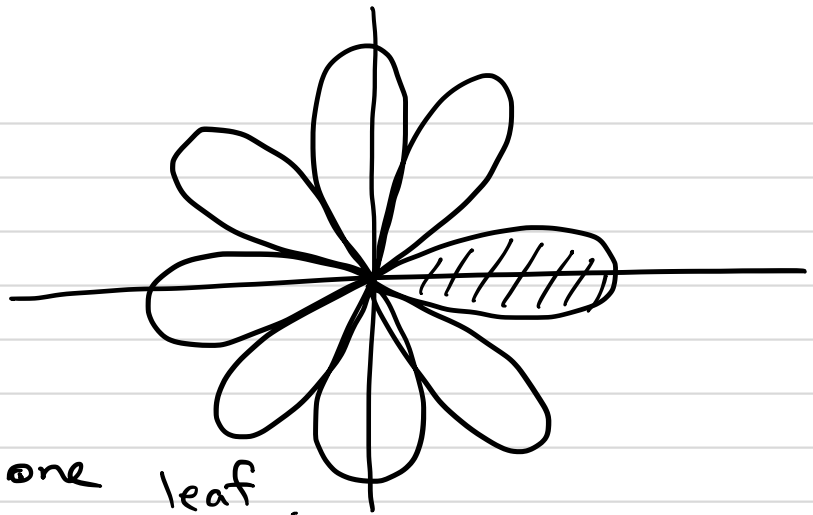
$$\cos(\theta) = \frac{v_1 \cdot v_2}{|v_1| |v_2|}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 \cdot \sqrt{5}}$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}\right).$$

Ex. Consider the polar curve $r = 3 \cos 4\theta$.

$$r = 3 \cos 4\theta$$



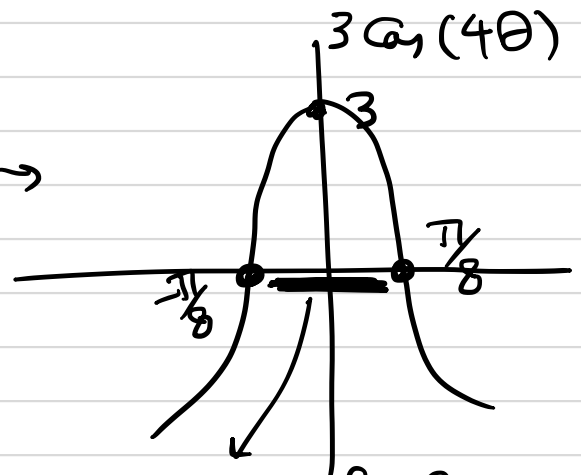
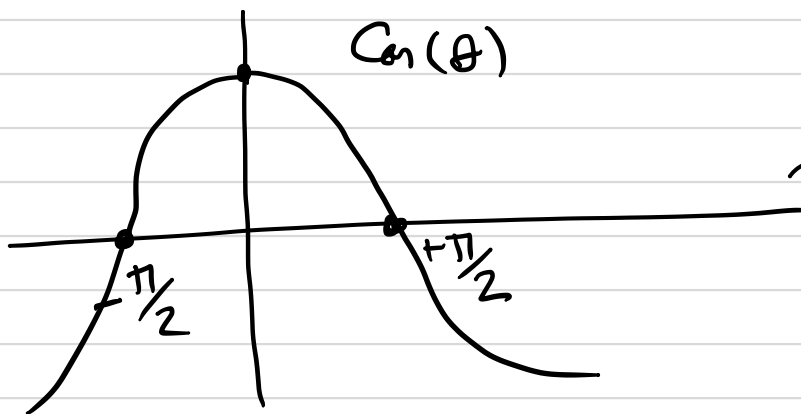
Find area of one leaf.

- Formula for area in polar coor.

$$A = \int_{\theta=a}^b \frac{1}{2} r(\theta)^2$$

- Range of θ in one leaf.

↳ Look at usual graph of $\cos(4\theta)$ & see where $\cos(4\theta)$ goes from 0 & comes back to 0.



range of θ for one leaf.