

1. A curve C has parametric equations

$$x = 2t - 1, \quad y = 4t - 7 + \frac{3}{t}, \quad t \neq 0$$

Show that the Cartesian equation of the curve C can be written in the form

$$y = \frac{2x^2 + ax + b}{x + 1}, \quad x \neq -1$$

where a and b are integers to be found.

$$C: \quad x = 2t - 1, \quad y = 4t - 7 + \frac{3}{t} \Rightarrow y = 4\left(\frac{x+1}{2}\right) - 7 + \frac{3 \times 2}{x+1} \quad (3)$$

$$x+1 = 2t$$

$$\Rightarrow t = \frac{x+1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{4(x+1)}{2} - 7 + \frac{6}{x+1} \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 2x + 2 - 7 + \frac{6}{x+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = (2x - 5) + \frac{6}{x+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{(2x-5)(x+1) + 6}{x+1} \quad 2x - 5x = -3x$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{2x^2 - 3x - 5 + 6}{x+1} = \frac{2x^2 - 3x + 1}{x+1} \quad (1)$$

$$y = \frac{2x^2 - 3x + 1}{x+1}, \quad a = \underline{-3} \quad \text{and} \quad b = \underline{1}$$

2. A curve C has parametric equations

$$x = 3 + 2 \sin t, \quad y = 4 + 2 \cos 2t, \quad 0 \leq t < 2\pi$$

(a) Show that all points on C satisfy $y = 6 - (x - 3)^2 \rightarrow$ Cartesian (2)

(b) (i) Sketch the curve C .

(ii) Explain briefly why C does not include all points of $y = 6 - (x - 3)^2, x \in \mathbb{R}$ (3)

The line with equation $x + y = k$, where k is a constant, intersects C at two distinct points.

(c) State the range of values of k , writing your answer in set notation. (5)

a)

$$\cos(2t) = 1 - 2 \sin^2 t$$

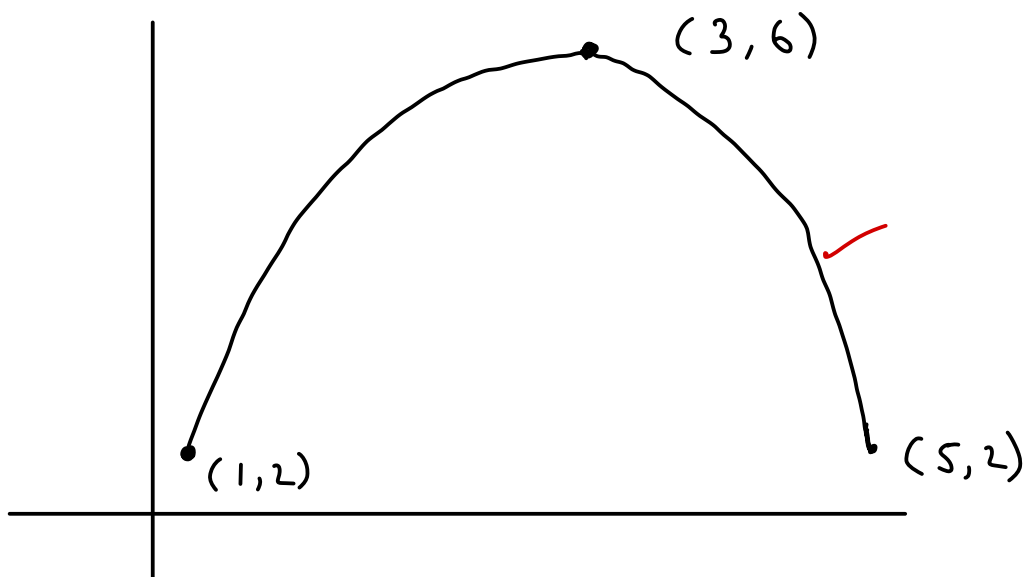
$$y = 4 + 2(1 - 2 \sin^2 t) \quad x = 3 + 2 \sin t$$

$$= 4 + 2 - 4 \sin^2 t \quad 2 \sin t = x - 3$$

$$y = 6 - (2 \sin t)^2$$

$$\therefore y = 6 - (x - 3)^2 \text{ as required.}$$

b)



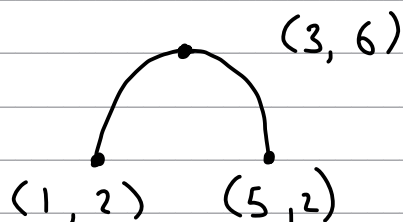
correct points = ✓

$$y = 6 - (x - 3)^2$$

$$0 \leq t < 2\pi$$

$$x = 3 + 2 \sin t$$

$$y = 4 + 2 \cos(2t)$$



$$\begin{aligned} \max y &= 4 + 2 \cos(0) \\ &= 4 + 2 = 6 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \min y: \quad \cos(2t) &= -1 & : \min y &= 4 + 2(-1) \\ 2t &= \pi & &= 4 - 2 = 2 \\ t &= \frac{\pi}{2} \end{aligned}$$

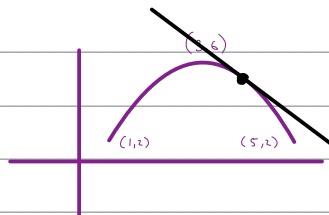
$$\min x: \quad \sin(2t) = -1 \Rightarrow \min x = 3 - 2 = 1$$

$$\max x: \quad \sin(2t) = 1 \Rightarrow \max x = 3 + 2 = 5$$

ii) Since $0 \leq t < 2\pi$, $x = 3 + 2 \sin t$ can only take values when $\sin t$ is $[-1, 1]$ $\therefore 1 \leq x \leq 5$ ✓

c)

$$y = 6 - (x-3)^2$$



The line takes equation $x+y=k$

first time 2 intersections occur : @ $(5, 2)$

$$\text{for } x+y=k \text{ @ } (5, 2) \Rightarrow k = 5+2 = 7 \checkmark$$

Since $x+y=k$, $y = k-x$. $y = 6 - (x-3)^2$

$$6 - (x-3)^2 = k-x \checkmark$$

$$6 - (x^2 - 6x + 9) = k-x$$

$$6 - x^2 + 6x - 9 = k-x$$

$$-x^2 + 7x - 3 - k = 0$$

$$x^2 - 7x + 3+k = 0 \checkmark$$

final k value is when $b^2 - 4ac = 0$

$$a = 1$$

$$b = -7$$

$$c = 3+k$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} a = 1 \\ b = -7 \\ c = 3+k \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} 49 - 4(1)(3+k) = 0 \\ 49 - 12 - 4k = 0 \end{array}$$

$$37 - 4k = 0$$

$$4k = 37$$

$$k = \frac{37}{4} \checkmark$$

range of 2 distinct points is $7 \leq k < \frac{37}{4}$

Range of values for $k = \left\{ k : 7 \leq k < \frac{37}{4} \right\} \checkmark$

3.

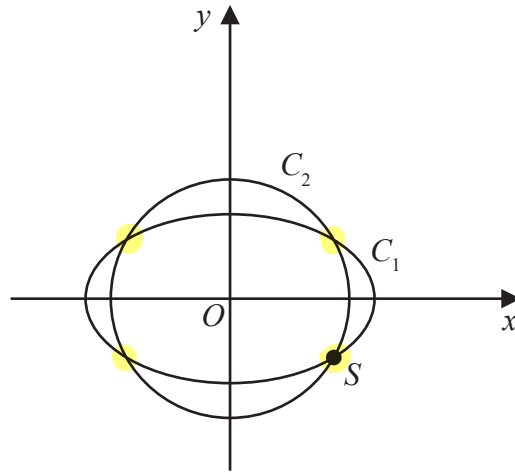


Figure 2

The curve C_1 with parametric equations

$$x = 10\cos t, \quad y = 4\sqrt{2}\sin t, \quad 0 \leq t < 2\pi$$

meets the circle C_2 with equation

$$x^2 + y^2 = 66$$

at four distinct points as shown in Figure 2.

Given that one of these points, S , lies in the 4th quadrant, find the Cartesian coordinates of S . (6)

$$C_1: x = 10\cos t \quad \text{and} \quad y = 4\sqrt{2}\sin t$$

$$C_2: x^2 + y^2 = 66$$

$$C_1 \rightarrow C_2$$

$$(4\sqrt{2})^2 = 32$$

$$\Rightarrow (10\cos t)^2 + (4\sqrt{2}\sin t)^2 = 66 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\Rightarrow 100\cos^2 t + 32\sin^2 t = 66$$

$$\sin^2 t + \cos^2 t = 1 \Rightarrow \cos^2 t = 1 - \sin^2 t$$

$$\Rightarrow 100(1 - \sin^2 t) + 32\sin^2 t = 66 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

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$$\Rightarrow 100 - 100\sin^2 t + 32\sin^2 t = 66$$

$$\Rightarrow 68\sin^2 t = 34$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\sin^2 t = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 t = 1/2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin t = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \quad \textcircled{1} \Rightarrow t = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$x = 10\cos t$$

$$y = 4\sqrt{2}\sin t$$

$$x = 10\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$y = 4\sqrt{2}\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$x = \underline{\underline{5\sqrt{2}}}$$

$$y = 4 \Rightarrow y = -4 \quad \text{Since } S \text{ lies below the } y\text{-axis.} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\Rightarrow S = \underline{\underline{(5\sqrt{2}, -4)}} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

4. A curve C has parametric equations

$$x = \frac{t^2 + 5}{t^2 + 1} \quad y = \frac{4t}{t^2 + 1} \quad t \in \mathbb{R}$$

Show that all points on C satisfy

$$(x - 3)^2 + y^2 = 4 \quad (3)$$

$$x = \frac{t^2 + 5}{t^2 + 1} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$y = \frac{4t}{t^2 + 1} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$(x - 3)^2 + y^2 = 4 \quad \leftarrow \text{substitute (1) and (2) in here}$$

$$\left(\frac{t^2 + 5}{t^2 + 1} - 3 \right)^2 + \left(\frac{4t}{t^2 + 1} \right)^2 = 4 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\left(\frac{t^2 + 5 - 3(t^2 + 1)}{t^2 + 1} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{4t}{t^2 + 1} \right)^2 = 4$$

$$\left(\frac{2 - 2t^2}{t^2 + 1} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{4t}{t^2 + 1} \right)^2 = 4$$

$$\frac{(2 - 2t^2)^2 + (4t)^2}{(t^2 + 1)^2} = 4$$

$$\frac{4 - 8t^2 + 4t^4 + 16t^2}{(t^2 + 1)^2} = 4$$

$$\frac{4t^4 + 8t^2 + 4}{(t^2 + 1)^2} = 4 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\frac{4(t^4 + 2t^2 + 1)}{(t^2 + 1)^2} = 4$$

$$\frac{4 \cancel{(t^2 + 1)}^2}{\cancel{(t^2 + 1)}^2} = 4 \quad \text{--- (1)} \quad \therefore 4 = 4$$



5. The curve C has parametric equations

$$x = \sin 2\theta \quad y = \operatorname{cosec}^3 \theta \quad 0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$$

(a) Find an expression for $\frac{dy}{dx}$ in terms of θ (3)

(b) Hence find the exact value of the gradient of the tangent to C at the point where $y = 8$ (3)

a) $y = \operatorname{cosec}^3 \theta$

$y = (\operatorname{cosec} \theta)^3$ using product rule for brackets
 $\frac{d}{dx} (f(x))^n = f'(x) \times (n-1) \times (f(x))^{n-1}$

$$\frac{dy}{d\theta} = 3 \times -\operatorname{cosec} \theta \cot \theta \times (\operatorname{cosec} \theta)^2 = -3 \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta \operatorname{cosec} \theta \cot \theta \quad (1)$$

$$= -3 \operatorname{cosec}^3 \theta \cot \theta$$

$$x = \sin 2\theta \quad \frac{dx}{d\theta} = 2 \cos 2\theta \quad \text{using differentiation laws for trig}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{d\theta} \div \frac{dx}{d\theta} \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-3 \operatorname{cosec}^3 \theta \cot \theta}{2 \cos 2\theta} \quad (1)$$

$$\operatorname{cosec} \theta = \frac{1}{\sin \theta}$$

b) $y = 8 \Rightarrow \operatorname{cosec}^3 \theta = 8 \Rightarrow \sin^3 \theta = \frac{1}{8} \quad (1)$

$$\sin \theta = \sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{8}} = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{6} \quad \text{remember to use radians!}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-3 \operatorname{cosec}^3(\frac{\pi}{6}) \cot(\frac{\pi}{6})}{2 \cos(\frac{2\pi}{6})} \quad (1) \quad \text{(put in calculator)}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -24\sqrt{3} \quad (1)$$



6. The curve C has parametric equations

$$x = 2 \cos t, \quad y = \sqrt{3} \cos 2t, \quad 0 \leq t \leq \pi$$

(a) Find an expression for $\frac{dy}{dx}$ in terms of t .

(2)

The point P lies on C where $t = \frac{2\pi}{3}$

The line l is the normal to C at P .

(b) Show that an equation for l is

$$2x - 2\sqrt{3}y - 1 = 0$$

(5)

The line l intersects the curve C again at the point Q .

(c) Find the exact coordinates of Q .

You must show clearly how you obtained your answers.

(6)

$$\text{a) } x = 2 \cos t \quad \text{and} \quad y = \sqrt{3} \cos(2t) \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dt} \times \frac{dt}{dx} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -2 \sin t$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 2 \times \sqrt{3} \times -\sin(2t)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = -2\sqrt{3} \sin(2t)$$

$$\sin(2t) = 2 \sin t \cos t$$

$$= \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-2\sqrt{3} \sin(2t)}{-2 \sin(t)} = \frac{\sqrt{3} (2 \sin t \cos t)}{\sin(t)} = \frac{2\sqrt{3} \cancel{\sin t} \cos t}{\cancel{\sin t}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \underline{\underline{2\sqrt{3} \cos(t)}} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$b) \frac{dy}{dx} = 2\sqrt{3} \cos(t) = 2\sqrt{3} \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right) = \underline{-\sqrt{3}} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\text{Gradient of the Normal} = -\frac{1}{-\sqrt{3}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \Rightarrow \underline{\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}} = m \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$t = \frac{2\pi}{3} \quad \text{and} \quad x = 2\cos t \quad \text{and} \quad y = \sqrt{3} \cos(2t)$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2\cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right) \quad y = \sqrt{3} \cos\left(2 \times \frac{2\pi}{3}\right) = \underline{-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -1$$

$$y - \left(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(x - (-1)) \Rightarrow y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}x + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}x - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}$$

$$\begin{matrix} \times \sqrt{3} \downarrow \\ \Rightarrow \sqrt{3}y = x - \frac{1}{2} \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} \times 2 \downarrow \\ \Rightarrow 2\sqrt{3}y = 2x - 1 \end{matrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{2x - 2\sqrt{3}y - 1 = 0} \quad \text{as required.} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$c) \quad x = 2\cos t \quad y = \sqrt{3} \cos(2t)$$

$$\text{Eq of line } l: \quad 2x - 2\sqrt{3}y - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(2\cos t) - 2\sqrt{3}(\sqrt{3} \cos(2t)) - 1 = 0 \quad \textcircled{1} \quad 6\cos(2t) = 6(2\cos^2 t - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4\cos t - 6\cos(2t) - 1 = 0 \quad = 12\cos^2 t - 6$$

$$\begin{matrix} \times -1 \downarrow \\ \Rightarrow 4\cos t - 12\cos^2 t + 6 - 1 = 0 \quad \textcircled{1} \end{matrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow 12\cos^2 t - 4\cos t - 5 = 0 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

Now, let $\theta = \cos t$

$$12\theta^2 - 4\theta - 5 = 0 \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{(-4)^2 - 4(12)(-5)}}{2 \times 12}$$

$$\text{+ve } \sqrt{} : \theta = \frac{5}{6} \quad , \quad \text{-ve } \sqrt{} : \theta = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\cos t = \frac{5}{6} \quad \cos t = -\frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow t = \cos^{-1}\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{2\pi}{3} \Rightarrow \text{ignore solution.} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$x = 2\cos t \quad \text{and} \quad y = \sqrt{3} \cos(2t) \quad 2t = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{5}{6}\right) \times 2$$

$$x = 2 \times \frac{5}{6} = \frac{5}{3} \quad y = \sqrt{3} \cos\left(\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{5}{6}\right) \times 2\right) = \frac{7\sqrt{3}}{18} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$Q : \left(\frac{5}{3}, \frac{7\sqrt{3}}{18}\right) \quad \textcircled{1}$$