

9.3 continued

Concavity $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ indicates

pos, concave up 

neg, concave down 

How to tell with

param. curves:

$$x = f(t)$$

$$y = g(t)$$

Ex $x = 2t^3 - 3t^2 \longrightarrow \frac{dx}{dt} = 6t^2 - 6t$

$y = t^2 - 2t \longrightarrow \frac{dy}{dt} = 2t - 2$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy/dt}{dx/dt} = \frac{2t-2}{6t^2-6t} = \frac{2(t-1)}{6t(t-1)} = \frac{1}{3t}$$

But how to get $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$?

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[\frac{dy}{dx} \right] = \frac{d}{dx} \left[\frac{1}{3t} \right]$$

$$= \frac{\frac{d}{dt} \left[\frac{1}{3t} \right]}{\frac{dx}{dt}}$$

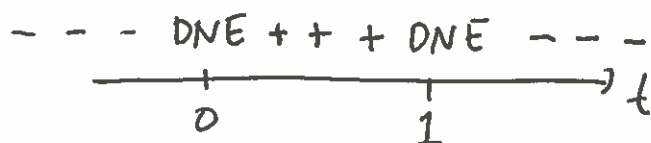
$$= \frac{\frac{d}{dt} \left[\frac{1}{3t} \right]}{\frac{dx}{dt}} = \frac{-\frac{1}{3t^2}}{6t^2-6t}$$

Chain Rule

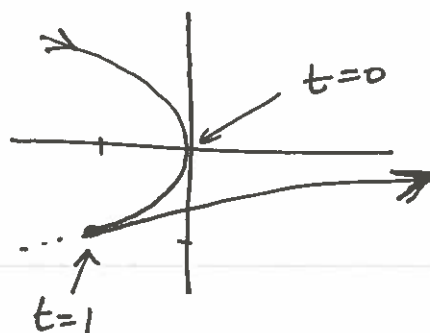
$$\frac{d}{dx} [h] = \frac{d}{dt} [h] \cdot \frac{dt}{dx}$$

$$\text{So } \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{-1}{18t^3(t-1)}$$

Rational Function



So where is this curve
concave up or down?
[0, 1] $(-\infty, 0]$
and
[1, ∞)



for t in $[0, \infty)$

Ex $x = \sqrt{t} = t^{1/2}$ Where is this
 $y = \sin(t)$ concave up & down?

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{\frac{d}{dt} \left[\frac{dy}{dx} \right]}{\frac{dx}{dt}} = \frac{\frac{d}{dt} [2\sqrt{t} \cos(t)]}{\frac{1}{2\sqrt{t}}} \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = \cos(t)$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{1}{2t^{1/2}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{\sqrt{t}} \cdot \cos(t) - 2\sqrt{t} \sin(t)}{\frac{1}{2\sqrt{t}}} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{t}}$$

~~[To be fixed]~~

In class, I felt there was a mistake here.

But no mistake.

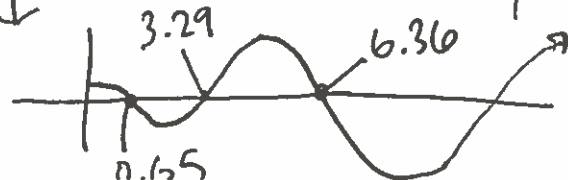
These values:

0.65, 3.29, ...

are t-values not
x-values

Need: $\frac{1}{\sqrt{t}} \cos(t) - 2\sqrt{t} \sin(t) = 0$

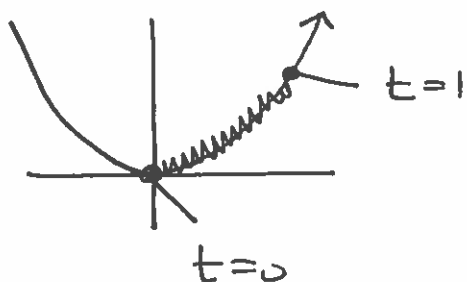
Can't solve by hand ...



So for example,
concave up
on $[0, 0.65...]$

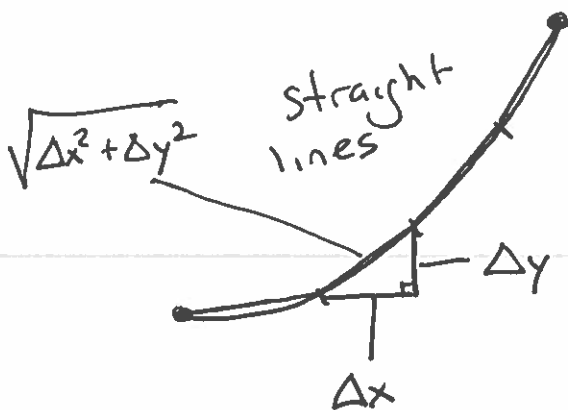
Arc Length

$$x = t$$
$$y = t^2$$



How long
is this
arc?

Zoom in



$$\text{Area} \approx \sum \sqrt{\Delta x^2 + \Delta y^2}$$

Make $\Delta x \rightarrow 0$

$$\left[\text{Area} = \int \sqrt{\left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{dy}{dt}\right)^2} \cdot dt \right]$$

$$\text{So ... Area} = \int_0^1 \sqrt{1^2 + (2t)^2} dt = \int_0^1 \sqrt{1 + 4t^2} dt$$

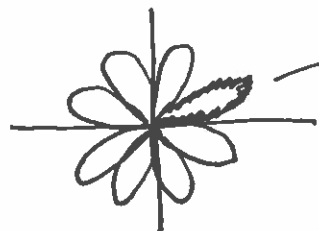
trig substitution ...

$$\approx 1.4789 \dots$$

Ex Length of one loop of

$$x = \cos(t) \sin(4t)$$

$$y = \sin(t) \sin(4t)$$



$$\int_a^b \sqrt{x'(t)^2 + y'(t)^2} dt$$

start at 0

↑
?

$\frac{1}{2}$
 $\cos(t) \cdot \sin(4t) = 0$
 &
 $\sin(t) \cdot \sin(4t) = 0$
 $\frac{\pi}{4}$ earliest

$$\int_0^{\pi/4} \sqrt{\frac{(-\sin(t) \sin(4t) + \cos(t) \cdot 4 \cos(4t))^2 + (\cos(t) \cdot \sin(4t) + \sin(t) \cdot 4 \cos(4t))^2}{}} dt$$

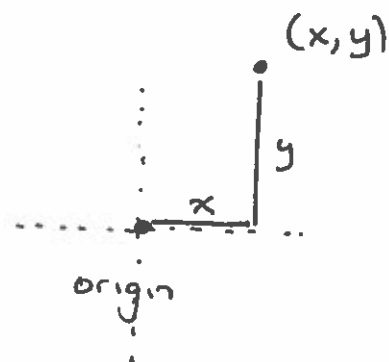
= simplify ...

$$= \int_0^{\pi/4} \sqrt{16 \cos^2(4t) + \sin^2(4t)} dt \approx 8.578 \dots$$

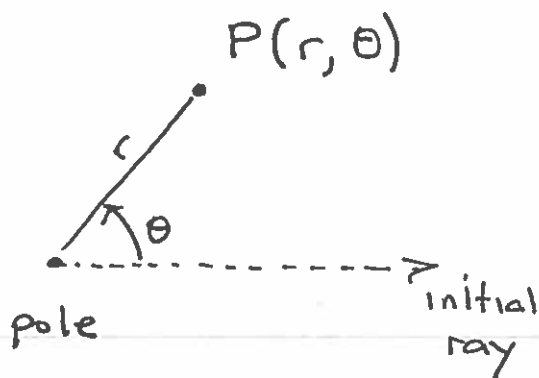
↑
using calculator

9.4 Introduction to Polar Coordinates

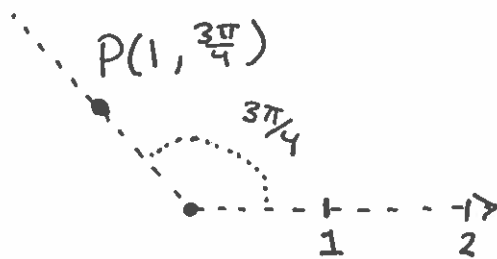
Cartesian:
(rectangular)



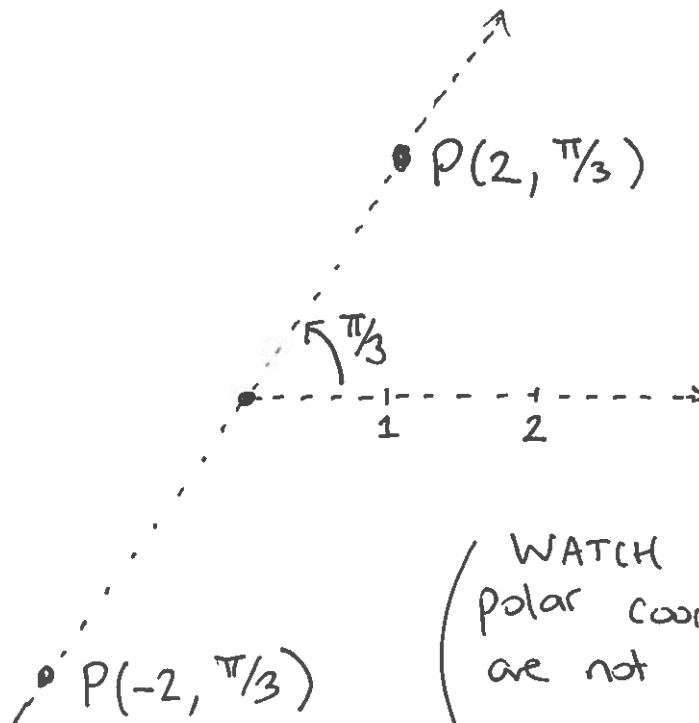
Polar:



Ex Plot $P(1, \frac{3\pi}{4})$.



Ex Plot $P(-2, \frac{\pi}{3})$.



WATCH OUT:
polar coordinates
are not unique!

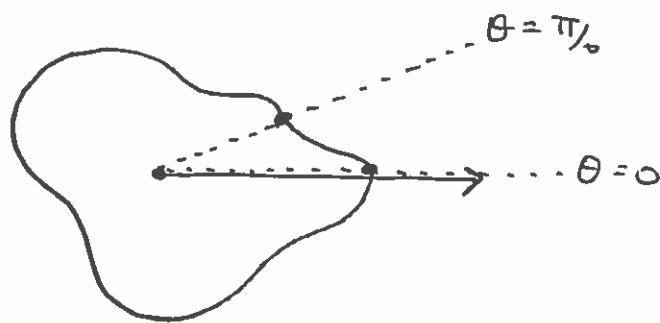
Rectangular functions

$$y = f(x)$$



Polar functions

$$r = f(\theta)$$

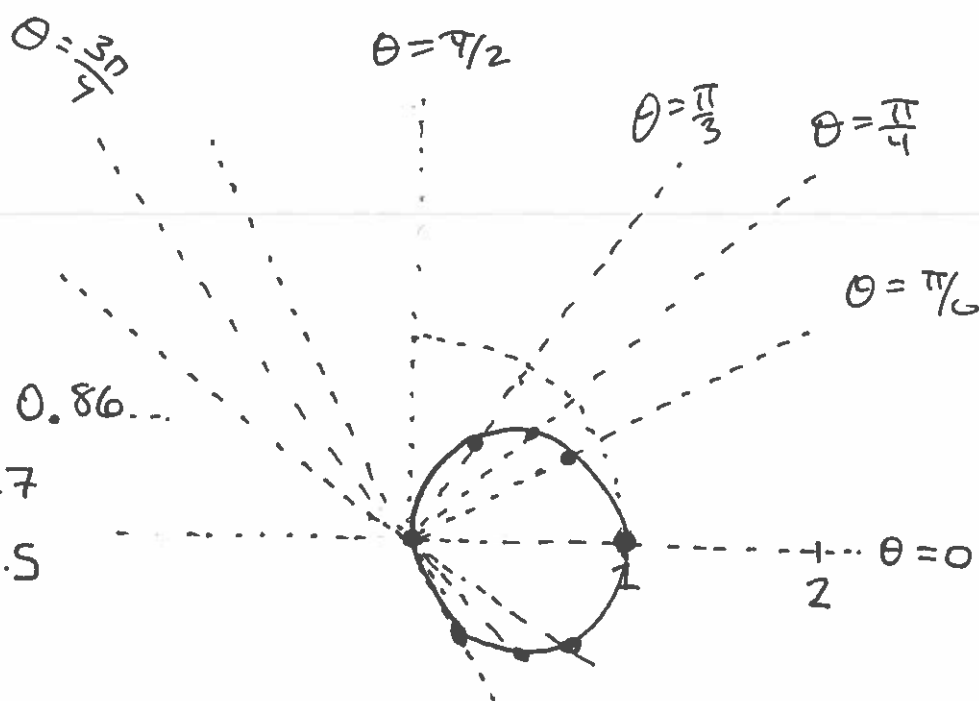


Ex $r = \cos \theta$

Plot this.

By hand:

θ	r
0	1
$\pi/6$	$\sqrt{3}/2 \approx 0.86...$
$\pi/4$	$\sqrt{2}/2 \approx 0.7$
$\pi/3$	$1/2 = 0.5$
$\pi/2$	0
$2\pi/3$	$-1/2 = -0.5$
$3\pi/4$	$-\sqrt{2}/2 \approx -0.7...$
$5\pi/6$	$-\sqrt{3}/2 \approx -0.86...$
π	-1

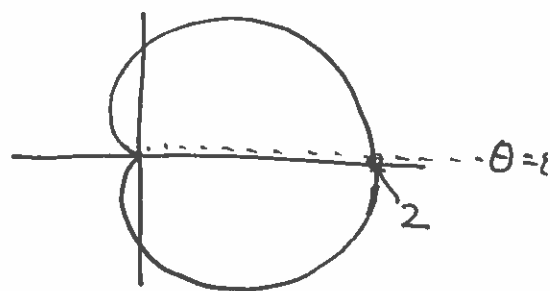


Looks like a circle

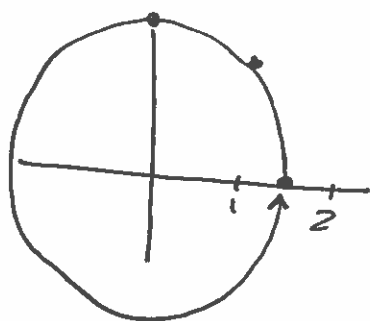
It is a perfect circle

Ex $r = 1 + \cos \theta$

Use Wolfram Alpha:



Ex $r = 1.5$



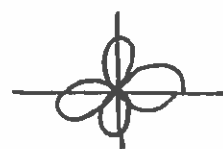
Ex $r = \cos(2\theta)$

Use GeoGebra

(doesn't plot polar directly ...
so change to parametric

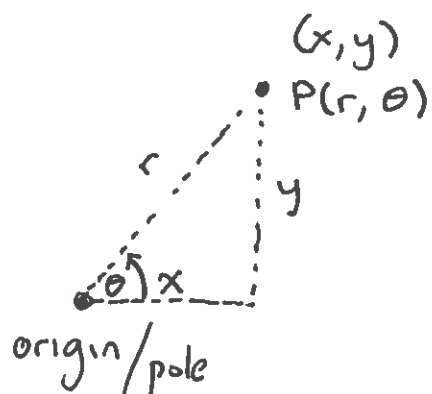
$$x = \overbrace{\cos(2\theta)}^r \cdot \cos(\theta)$$

$$y = \cos(2\theta) \cdot \sin(\theta)$$



Translate Cartesian $\longleftrightarrow$ polar

Memorize!



$$\tan \theta = \frac{y}{x}$$

$$r^2 = x^2 + y^2$$

Cartesian $\rightarrow$ polar

$$x = r \cdot \cos \theta$$

$$y = r \cdot \sin \theta$$

polar $\rightarrow$ Cartesian

Gallery of Polar Curves on page 533.

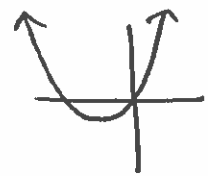
Ex $r(\theta) = 1 + \underbrace{\tanh}_{\text{hyperbolic tangent.}} (100(0.9 - \cos \theta))$

Pac-Man

Convert Rectangular Equations $\longleftrightarrow$ Polar Equations

Ex $y = x^2 + x$

$y = x(x+1)$



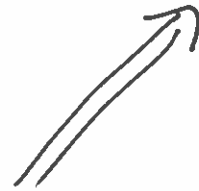
$r \sin \theta = r^2 \cos^2 \theta + r \cos \theta$
isolate r

$\sin \theta = r \cos^2 \theta + \cos \theta$

$\sin \theta - \cos \theta = r \cos^2 \theta$

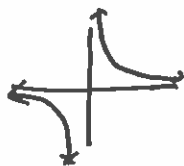
$r = \frac{\sin \theta - \cos \theta}{\cos^2 \theta} = \frac{\tan \theta - 1}{\cos \theta}$

$r = \frac{\tan \theta - 1}{\cos \theta}$



Ex

$y = \frac{1}{x}$



same conversion

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

$r^2 = \frac{1}{\sin \theta \cos \theta}$

$\sqrt{r^2} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{\sin \theta \cos \theta}}$

$|r| =$

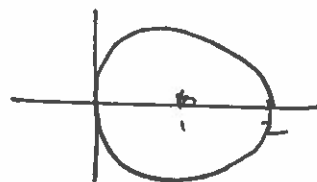
$r = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{\sin \theta \cos \theta}}$

only makes sense if θ is in quadrant I or quadrant III

Ex Convert Polar Eq $\rightarrow$ Rectangular.

$$r = 2 \cdot \cos \theta$$

could memorized



$$(x-1)^2 + y^2 = 1$$

One good method,
try to make
 $r \cdot \cos \theta$, $r \cdot \sin \theta$
appear. ...

Here, mult by r : $r^2 = 2 \cdot r \cos \theta$

$$x^2 + y^2 = 2 \cdot x \rightarrow \text{Done!}$$

Same if
you play
around ...

Ex $r = \frac{3}{\cos \theta + 2 \sin \theta}$

Find rectangular
version ...

Divide by r on both sides

OR

Multiply by $\frac{r}{r}$ on right

$$r = \frac{3r}{r \cdot \cos \theta + 2r \sin \theta}$$

$$r = \frac{3r}{x + 2y}$$

$$x + 2y = 3$$

$$\left(\text{Solve as } y = -\frac{1}{2}x + \frac{3}{2} \right)$$

Where do polar plots cross themselves?

$$r = 1 + 2 \cdot \cos \theta$$

First consider crossing at pole.

$$1 + 2 \cos \theta = 0$$

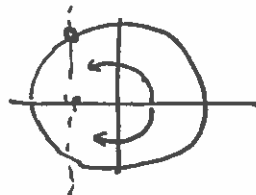
$$2 \cos \theta = -1$$

$$\cos \theta = -1/2$$

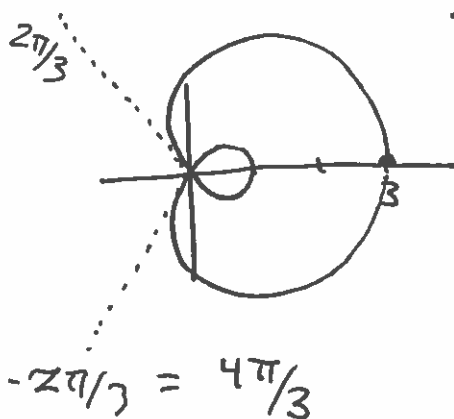
$$\theta = 2\pi/3$$

or

$$-2\pi/3 \quad (\text{or } 4\pi/3)$$



In fact:



Self-crosses
at pole

$$\theta = \frac{2\pi}{3} \text{ and } \frac{4\pi}{3}$$

has period 4π .

Ex $r = 1 + 2 \sin(\frac{\theta}{2})$ Where does it self-cross?

investigate
pole crossings

third
scenario...
See next page.

Imagine $\theta_2 > \theta_1$

but $\theta_2 - \theta_1$ is an even multiple
of 2π . where r_2 and r_1
are equal.

Two angles in $[0, 4\pi)$ do all this

$$r_2 = r_1$$

$$1 + 2 \sin\left(\frac{\theta_2}{2}\right) = 1 + 2 \sin\left(\frac{\theta_1}{2}\right)$$

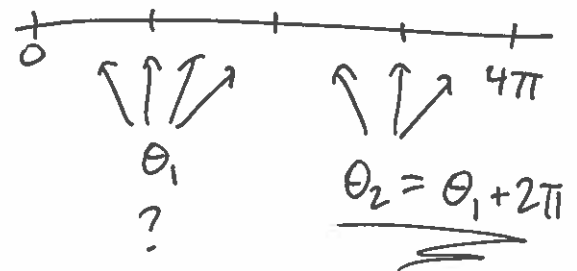
$$\sin\left(\frac{\theta_2}{2}\right) = \sin\left(\frac{\theta_1}{2}\right)$$

Angles in $[0, 4\pi)$

$$\sin\left(\frac{\theta_1 + 2\pi}{2}\right) = \sin\left(\frac{\theta_1}{2}\right)$$

$$\sin\left(\frac{\theta_1}{2} + \pi\right) = \sin\left(\frac{\theta_1}{2}\right)$$

$$-\sin\left(\frac{\theta_1}{2}\right) = \sin\left(\frac{\theta_1}{2}\right)$$

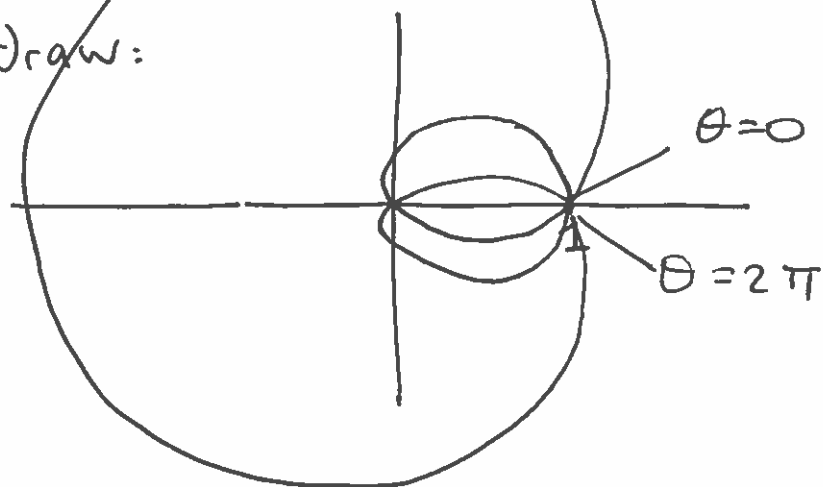


$$\Rightarrow \sin\left(\frac{\theta_1}{2}\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\theta_1}{2} = 0 \text{ or } \pi \quad \text{~~or } 2\pi \text{ or } 3\pi~~$$

$$\theta_1 = \textcircled{0} \text{ or } 2\pi \quad \text{//} \quad \theta_2 = \textcircled{2\pi} \text{ or } 4\pi.$$

Now, draw:



So θ_1 is either π or 2π

And $\theta_2 = \theta_1 + \pi$.

θ_2 could be $2\pi + \pi$
 $= 3\pi$.