

Math 2D Quiz 1 Afternoon - January 14, 2016

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Show all of your work.

[Based on 10.1.14]

*There is a question on the back side.

1. Let $x = e^t - 1$, $y = e^{2t}$ parameterize a curve, where $-\infty < t < \infty$.

(a) Eliminate the parameter to find a Cartesian equation of the curve and sketch the curve. Indicate, with arrows, the direction in which the curve is traced as the parameter increases. (Hint/Be Careful Graphing: If $-\infty < t < \infty$, what are the ranges of x and y values?)

(b) Compute $\frac{dy}{dx}$ and $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$. Leave your final answers as functions of t .

3 pts

2 pts

a) There's a ~~few~~ ^{few} ways to eliminate the parameter. Here's 2 ways.

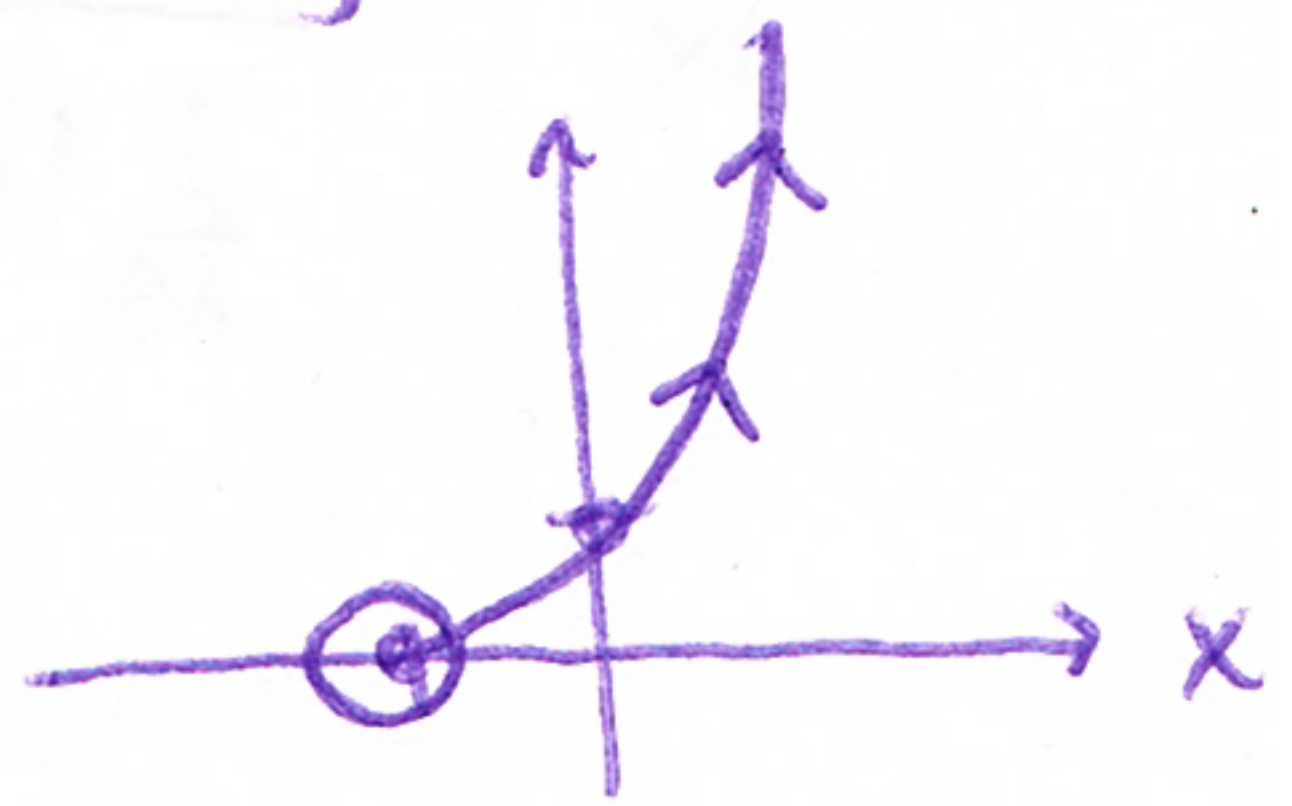
(i) $x = e^t - 1 \Rightarrow e^t = x + 1 \Rightarrow y = e^{2t} = (e^t)^2 = (x+1)^2$ is the easiest.

(Alternative) ↓

$$t = \ln(x+1) \Rightarrow y = e^{2\ln(x+1)} = e^{\ln(x+1)^2} = (x+1)^2 \quad \checkmark$$

(ii) $y = e^{2t} \Rightarrow e^t = \sqrt{y} \Rightarrow x = \sqrt{y} - 1$

Since $-\infty < t < \infty$, e^t is between 0 and $\infty \Rightarrow x > -1$
 $(0 < e^t < \infty) \Rightarrow y > 0$



For trajectory, as " $t = -\infty$ ", we are near $(-1, 0)$
 $t = 0$, we are at $(0, 1) \Rightarrow$ Moves upwards.

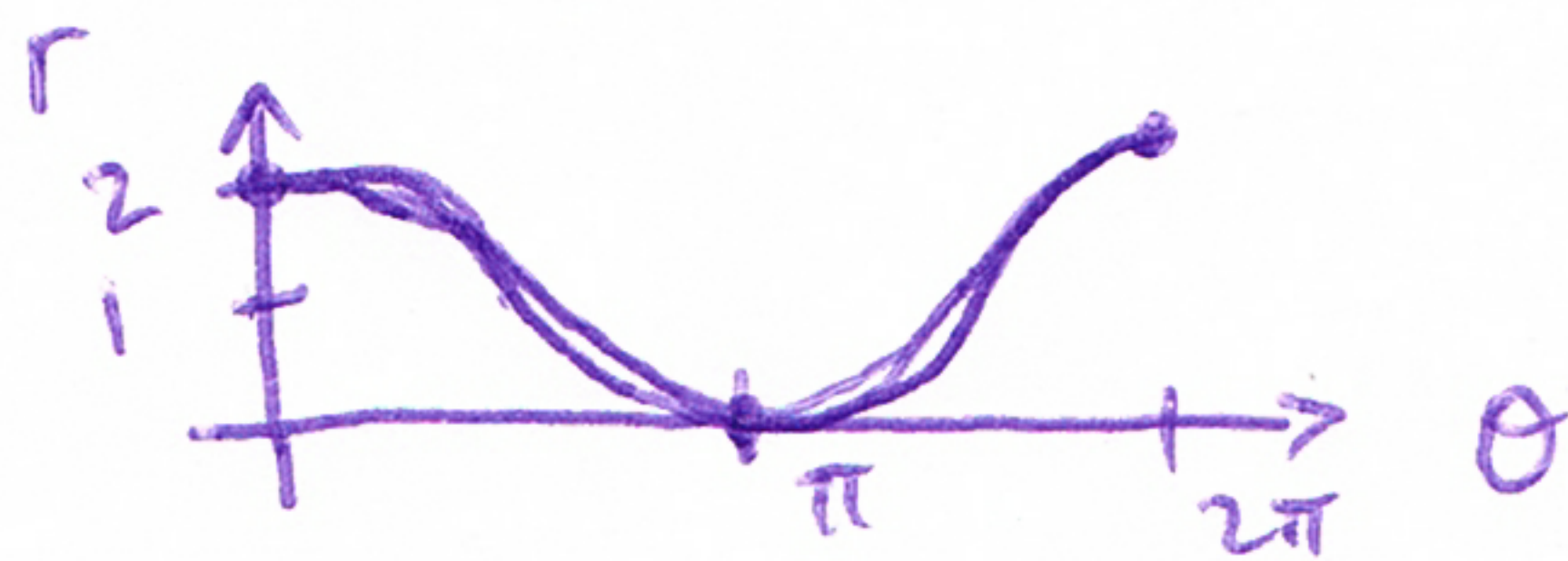
b) • $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy/dt}{dx/dt} = \frac{2e^{2t}}{e^t} = \boxed{2e^t}$

[Note: This is $2(x+1)$, " $\frac{dy}{dx} = 2(x+1)$ " is what we expect w/ $y = (x+1)^2$]

• $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{\frac{d}{dt}(\frac{dy}{dx})}{\frac{dx}{dt}} = \frac{2e^t}{e^t} = \boxed{2}$

[Again, consistent w/ $y = (x+1)^2$]

* Some people graphed $r = 1 + \cos \theta$
 Like " $y = 1 + \cos x$ "



instead of
 tabulating
 points.

[Based on 10.3.63]

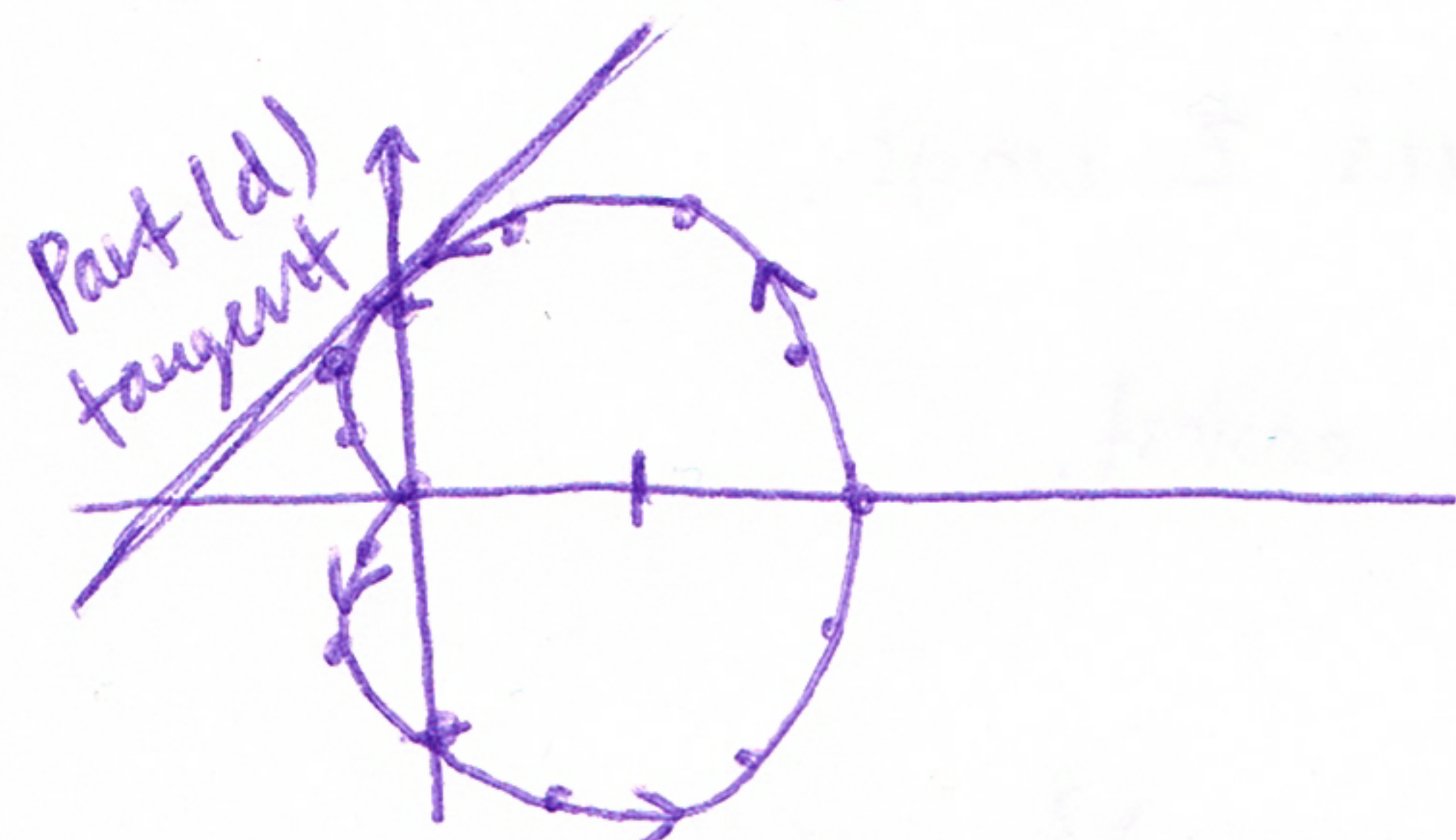
2. Let $r = 1 + \cos \theta$.
- 2 pts (a) Sketch the curve.
 - 2 pts (b) Compute $\frac{dy}{dx}$ as a function of θ .
 - 1 pt (c) When $\theta = \pi/2$: What is the (x, y) coordinate on the curve? What is the value of $\frac{dy}{dx}$?
 - 1 pt (d) Using part (c), write the equation of the tangent line to the curve when $\theta = \pi/2$.

a)

| θ | 0 | $\pi/6$ | $\pi/4$ | $\pi/3$ | $\pi/2$ | $2\pi/3$ | $3\pi/4$ | $5\pi/6$ | π | $7\pi/6$ | $5\pi/4$ | $4\pi/3$ | $3\pi/2$ | $5\pi/3$ | $7\pi/4$ | $11\pi/6$ | 2π |
|----------|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|---------------|---------|---------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------|--------------------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|---------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------|
| r | 2 | $1 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ | $1 + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{2}$ | 1 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $1 - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$ | $1 - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ | 0 | $1 - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ | $1 - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 0 | $\frac{3}{2}$ | $1 + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$ | $1 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ | 2 |

* A shortcut is to note $\cos \theta$ is even.

* Recall: $x = r \cos \theta$, $y = r \sin \theta$ // plug in $r = 1 + \cos \theta$.



b)

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{d}{d\theta}(r \sin \theta)}{\frac{d}{d\theta}(r \cos \theta)} = \frac{\frac{d}{d\theta}(\sin \theta + \sin \theta \cos \theta)}{\frac{d}{d\theta}(\cos \theta + \cos^2 \theta)} = \frac{\cos \theta + \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta}{-\sin \theta - 2 \cos \theta \sin \theta}$$

This also equals $\frac{\cos \theta + \cos 2\theta}{-\sin \theta - \sin 2\theta}$

c) At $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$:

- $x = r \cos \theta = 0$
- $y = r \sin \theta = 1 \cdot \sin \frac{\pi}{2} = 1 \rightarrow (x, y) = (0, 1)$
- $\frac{dy}{dx} \Big|_{\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}} = \frac{\cos \frac{\pi}{2} + \cos^2 \frac{\pi}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{2}}{-\sin \frac{\pi}{2} - 2 \cos \frac{\pi}{2} \sin \frac{\pi}{2}} = \frac{-1}{-1} = 1$

d) Using (c), it's $y - 1 = x$ ($y = x + 1$). It's appropriate on the graph.