

Problem 1

Let $r(t) = \langle 5 - t, 4 - 3t, 3t \rangle$ and $P(4, 1, 3)$

- Find the arc length function for the curve measured from the point P in the direction of increasing t .
- Reparameterize the curve with respect to the arc length starting from P .
- Find the point 4 units along the curve (in the direction of increasing t) from P .

point P is when $t=1$

$$r' = \langle -1, -3, 3 \rangle$$

$$s = \int_1^t |r'(m)| \, dm = \int_1^t \sqrt{(-1)^2 + (-3)^2 + 3^2} \, dm$$

$$= \int_1^t \sqrt{1+9+9} \, dm = \int_1^t \sqrt{19} \, dm = \sqrt{19} \, m \Big|_1^t$$

$$s = t\sqrt{19} - \sqrt{19}$$

b) $s + \sqrt{19} = t\sqrt{19}$

$$t = \frac{s + \sqrt{19}}{\sqrt{19}}$$

$$r(s) = \left\langle 5 - \frac{s + \sqrt{19}}{\sqrt{19}}, 4 - 3\left(\frac{s + \sqrt{19}}{\sqrt{19}}\right), 3\left(\frac{s + \sqrt{19}}{\sqrt{19}}\right) \right\rangle$$

c) $s = 4$ find $r(4)$

$$r(4) = \left\langle 5 - \frac{4 + \sqrt{19}}{\sqrt{19}}, 4 - 3\left(\frac{4 + \sqrt{19}}{\sqrt{19}}\right), 3\left(\frac{4 + \sqrt{19}}{\sqrt{19}}\right) \right\rangle$$

$$r(4) \approx \langle 3.0823, -1.7530, 5.7530 \rangle$$

Problem 2

Let C be the curve of intersection of the parabolic cylinder $x^2 = 2y$ and the surface $3z = xy$. Find the exact length of C from the origin to the point $(6, 18, 36)$

$$\text{Let } x = t \quad \text{Then } y = \frac{t^2}{2} \quad \text{and } z = \frac{1}{3} \left(t \cdot \frac{t^2}{2} \right) \\ = \frac{1}{6} t^3$$

$$r(t) = \left\langle t, \frac{t^2}{2}, \frac{t^3}{6} \right\rangle$$

The origin is when $t=0$ and $(6, 18, 36)$ is when $t=6$

$$r'(t) = \left\langle 1, t, \frac{1}{2} t^2 \right\rangle$$

$$\text{arc length} = \int_0^6 \sqrt{1^2 + t^2 + \left(\frac{1}{2} t^2\right)^2} dt$$

$$= \int_0^6 \sqrt{1 + t^2 + \frac{t^4}{4}} dt$$

$$= \int_0^6 \sqrt{\frac{4 + 4t^2 + t^4}{4}} dt$$

$$= \int_0^6 \frac{\sqrt{t^4 + 4t^2 + 4}}{2} dt = \int_0^6 \frac{\sqrt{(t^2 + 2)^2}}{2} dt$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int_0^6 \frac{1}{2} (t^2 + 2) dt = \int_0^6 \left(\frac{1}{2} t^2 + 1 \right) dt \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{6} t^3 + t \right) \Big|_0^6 \\ &= \frac{1}{6} \cdot 6^3 + 6 - (0) = 36 + 6 = \underline{\underline{42}} \end{aligned}$$

Problem 3

Find the arc length function for $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle e^t, e^t \sin(t), e^t \cos(t) \rangle$ from the point $(1, 0, 1)$ in the direction of increasing t .

$\hookrightarrow t=0$

$$\mathbf{r}' = \langle e^t, e^t \sin(t) + e^t \cos(t), e^t \cos(t) - e^t \sin(t) \rangle$$

$$|\mathbf{r}'| = \sqrt{(e^t)^2 + (e^t \sin t + e^t \cos t)^2 + (e^t \cos t - e^t \sin t)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(e^t)^2 + [e^t (\sin t + \cos t)]^2 + [e^t (\cos t - \sin t)]^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(e^t)^2 + (e^t)^2 (\sin t + \cos t)^2 + (e^t)^2 (\cos t - \sin t)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(e^t)^2 \cdot [1 + \sin^2 t + 2 \sin t \cos t + \cos^2 t + \cos^2 t - 2 \sin t \cos t + \sin^2 t]}$$

$$= e^t \sqrt{1 + 2 \sin^2 t + 2 \cos^2 t}$$

$$= e^t \sqrt{1 + 2 (\sin^2 t + \cos^2 t)} = e^t \sqrt{1 + 2(1)} = e^t \sqrt{3}$$

$$s = \int_0^t |\mathbf{r}'(m)| dm = \int_0^t e^m \sqrt{3} dm = \sqrt{3} e^m \Big|_0^t$$

$$s = \sqrt{3} e^t - \sqrt{3}$$

Find the curvature of $r(t) = \langle t^3, t^2, t \rangle$ at a general point and then at $(8, 4, 2)$.

$$r' = \langle 3t^2, 2t, 1 \rangle \quad |r'| = \sqrt{9t^4 + 4t^2 + 1}$$

$t = 2$ at the point.

Let's try the formula $\frac{|T'|}{|r'|}$

$$T = \frac{1}{\sqrt{9t^4 + 4t^2 + 1}} \langle 3t^2, 2t, 1 \rangle$$

use product rule.

$$T' = \frac{1}{2} (9t^4 + 4t^2 + 1)^{-3/2} \cdot (36t^3 + 8t) \langle 3t^2, 2t, 1 \rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{9t^4 + 4t^2 + 1}} \langle 6t, 2, 0 \rangle$$

now we need to find the magnitude of T'

... nope not going to do this

Let's do $\frac{|r' \times r''|}{|r'|^3}$

$$|r'| = \sqrt{9t^4 + 4t^2 + 1}$$

$$r' = \langle 3t^2, 2t, 1 \rangle$$

$$r'' = \langle 6t, 2, 0 \rangle$$

Note if you only want curvature at $t = 2$ (the point $(8, 4, 2)$) then evaluate r' and r'' at $t = 2$ and then do the cross product.

$$r' \times r'' = \begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ 3t^2 & 2t & 1 \\ 6t & 2 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \langle -2, -(0 - 6t), 6t^2 - 12t^2 \rangle$$

$$= \langle -2, 6t, -6t^2 \rangle$$

$$K = \frac{|r' \times r''|}{|r'|^3} = \frac{\sqrt{4 + 36t^2 + 36t^4}}{\sqrt{9t^4 + 4t^2 + 1}^{3/2}}$$

$$r'(2) = \langle 12, 4, 1 \rangle$$

$$r''(2) = \langle 12, 2, 0 \rangle$$

$$r'(2) \times r''(2) = \begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ 12 & 4 & 1 \\ 12 & 2 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \langle -2, -(0 - 12), 24 - 48 \rangle$$

$$= \langle -2, 12, -24 \rangle$$

$$|r'(2)| = \sqrt{144 + 16 + 1}$$

$$K = \frac{r''}{|r'|^3} = \frac{\sqrt{4 + 36t^2 + 36t}}{(9t^4 + 4t^2 + 1)^{3/2}}$$

at $t=2$

$$K = \frac{\sqrt{4 + 144 + 576}}{\sqrt{(144 + 16 + 1)^{3/2}}}$$

$$K = \frac{\sqrt{724}}{(161)^{3/2}}$$

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