

Announcements

- 1) Quiz Thursday over
10.1, 10.2
- 2) Exam next Thursday over
10.1 - 10.4, 8.1, 8.2
- 3) Halloween tomorrow
Costumes = candy

Recall : tangent lines to parametric curves

If $f(t) = \langle x(t), y(t) \rangle$, the equation of the tangent line to the graph of f at $t = t_0$ is

$$\frac{y'(t_0)}{x'(t_0)} = \frac{y - y(t_0)}{x - x(t_0)}$$

Example 1: Find the tangent line

$$\text{to } g(t) = \langle \arctan(t), \cos(\pi t) \rangle$$

$$\text{at the point } \left(\frac{\pi}{4}, -1 \right)$$

To find t_0 , determine the point as

$$x(t_0) = \frac{\pi}{4} = \arctan(t_0)$$

$$y(t_0) = -1 = \cos(\pi t_0)$$

$$\text{Use } \arctan(t_0) = \frac{\pi}{4},$$

take tangent of both sides.

$$\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \tan(\arctan(t_0)) = t_0$$

$$t_0 = 1$$

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$$x(t) = \arctan(t)$$

$$y(t) = \cos(\pi t)$$

$$x'(t) = \frac{1}{1+t^2}$$

$$y'(t) = -\sin(\pi t) \cdot \pi$$

$$x'(1) = \frac{1}{1+1} = \frac{1}{2}$$

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Equation of line:

$$\frac{y'(1)}{x'(1)} = \frac{y - y(1)}{x - x(1)}$$

$$\frac{0}{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{y + 1}{x - \frac{\pi}{4}}$$

$$y + 1 = 0,$$

$$y = -1$$

horizontal
line

Vertical / Horizontal Tangents

- When $y'(t_0) = 0$ (and $x'(t_0) \neq 0$)
the tangent line is horizontal.
- When $x'(t_0) = 0$ (and $y'(t_0) \neq 0$),
the tangent line is vertical.

Arc length

(Section 10.2)

Motivating example:

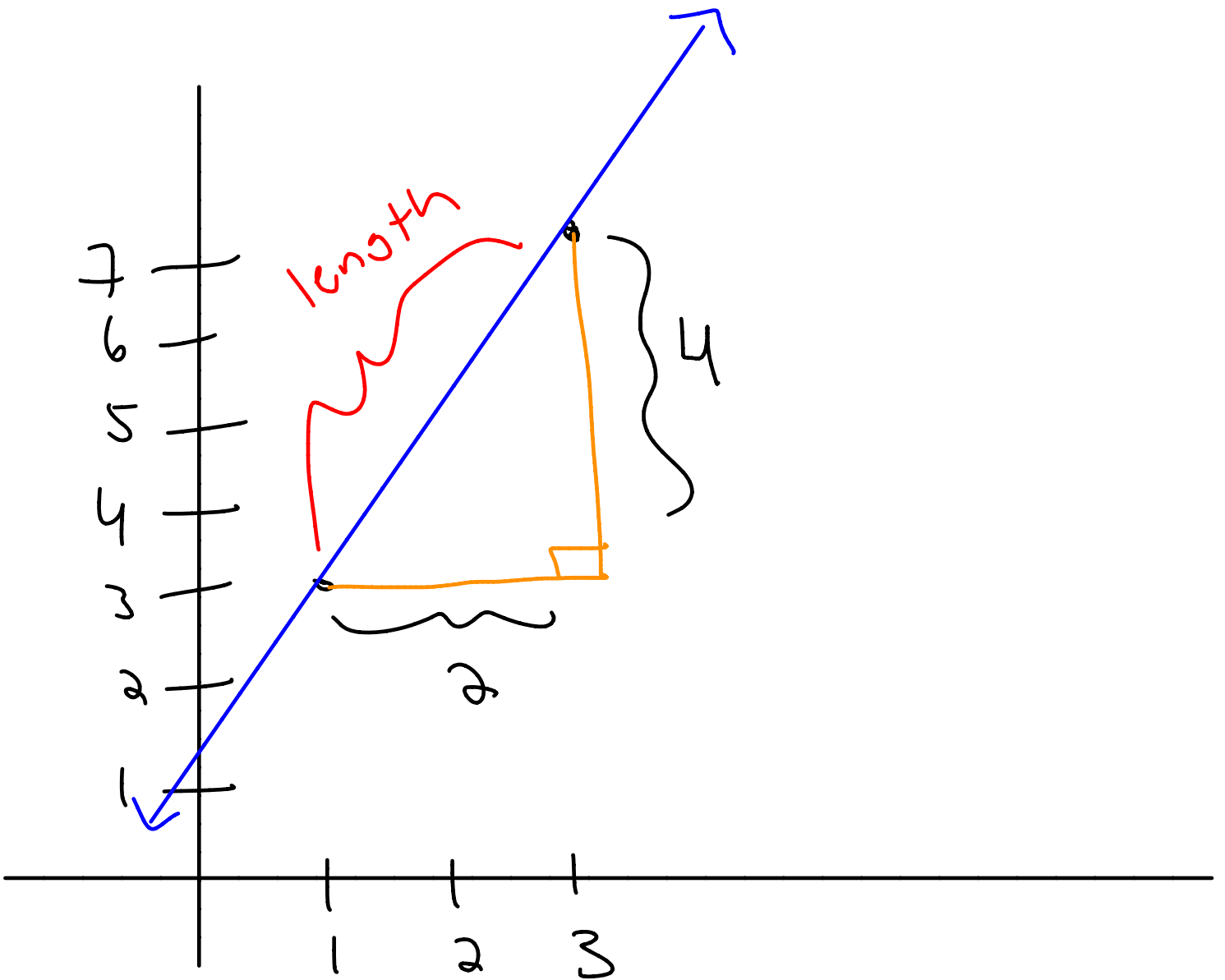
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Picture



Use Pythagorean Theorem:

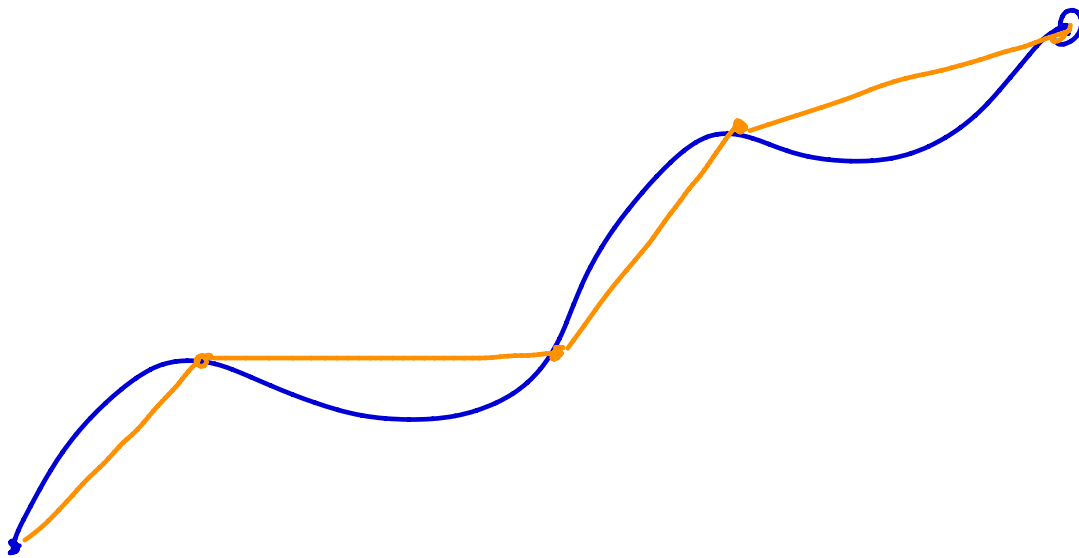
$$(\text{length})^2 = 2^2 + 4^2$$

$$= 20$$

$$\text{length} = \sqrt{20} = 2\sqrt{5}$$

For a general curve:

approximate by line segments



Take smaller and smaller segments,
add up, take limit as number
of segments goes to infinity
(all lengths go to zero)

Formula

The arclength L for a parametric curve $f(t) = \langle x(t), y(t) \rangle$ from $t=a$ to $t=b$ is

$$L = \int_a^b \underbrace{\sqrt{(x'(t))^2 + (y'(t))^2}}_{\text{distance formula}} dt$$

Need x, y differentiable,

x', y' continuous.

Don't forget the derivatives!

Example 1: Find the arclength of

$$f(t) = \langle e^{3t} + e^{-3t}, 24 - 6t \rangle$$

from $t=0$ to $t=\ln(8)$

$$\text{Formula: } L = \int_0^{\ln(8)} \sqrt{(x'(t))^2 + (y'(t))^2} dt$$

$$x(t) = e^{3t} + e^{-3t}$$

$$x'(t) = 3e^{3t} - 3e^{-3t}$$

$$y(t) = 24 - 6t$$

$$y'(t) = -6$$

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$$(x'(t))^2 = 9e^{6t} + 9e^{-6t} - 18$$

$$+ (y'(t))^2 = 36$$

$$= 9e^{6t} + 9e^{-6t} + 18$$

$$= (3e^{3t} + 3e^{-3t})^2$$

$$(x'(t))^2 + (y'(t))^2 = (3e^{3t} + 3e^{-3t})^2$$

$$L = \int_0^{\ln(8)} \sqrt{(3e^{3t} + 3e^{-3t})^2} dt$$

$$= \int_0^{\ln(8)} (3e^{3t} + 3e^{-3t}) dt$$

$$= (e^{3t} - e^{-3t}) \Big|_0^{\ln(8)}$$

$$= e^{3\ln(8)} - e^{-3\ln(8)}$$

$$= e^{\ln(8^3)} - e^{\ln\left(\frac{1}{8^3}\right)}$$

$$= \boxed{512 - \frac{1}{512}}$$

Example 3: Find the arclength of

$$y = \sqrt{x} \text{ from } x=4 \text{ to } x=9.$$

First, parameterize by

$$x(t) = t, \quad y(t) = \sqrt{t} = t^{1/2}$$

$$x'(t) = 1, \quad y'(t) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{t}}$$

Then

$$L = \int_4^9 \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{1}{2\sqrt{t}}\right)^2} dt$$

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$$= \int_4^9 \sqrt{\frac{4t+1}{4t}} dt$$

$$= \int_4^9 \frac{1}{2\sqrt{t}} \sqrt{4t+1} dt$$

$$u = \sqrt{t} \quad (u(4)=2, u(9)=3)$$

$$du = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{t}} dt$$

$$u^2 = t \quad \text{substitute!}$$

$$L = \int_2^3 \sqrt{4v^2 + 1} \, dv$$

$$v = \frac{1}{2} \tan \theta$$

$$dv = \frac{1}{2} \sec^2 \theta \, d\theta$$

forget bounds

$$\int \sqrt{4\left(\frac{1}{2} \tan \theta\right)^2 + 1} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \sec^2 \theta \, d\theta$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int \sqrt{\underbrace{\tan^2 \theta + 1}_{\sec^2 \theta}} \sec^2 \theta \, d\theta$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int \sec \theta \sec^2 \theta \, d\theta$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int \sec^3 \theta \, d\theta$$

$\int \sec^3 \theta d\theta$ is

perhaps the hardest integral
in this class!

Will work out later

Surface Area

(Section 8.2 - kind of)

Take a parametric curve

$f(t) = \langle x(t), y(t) \rangle$ with

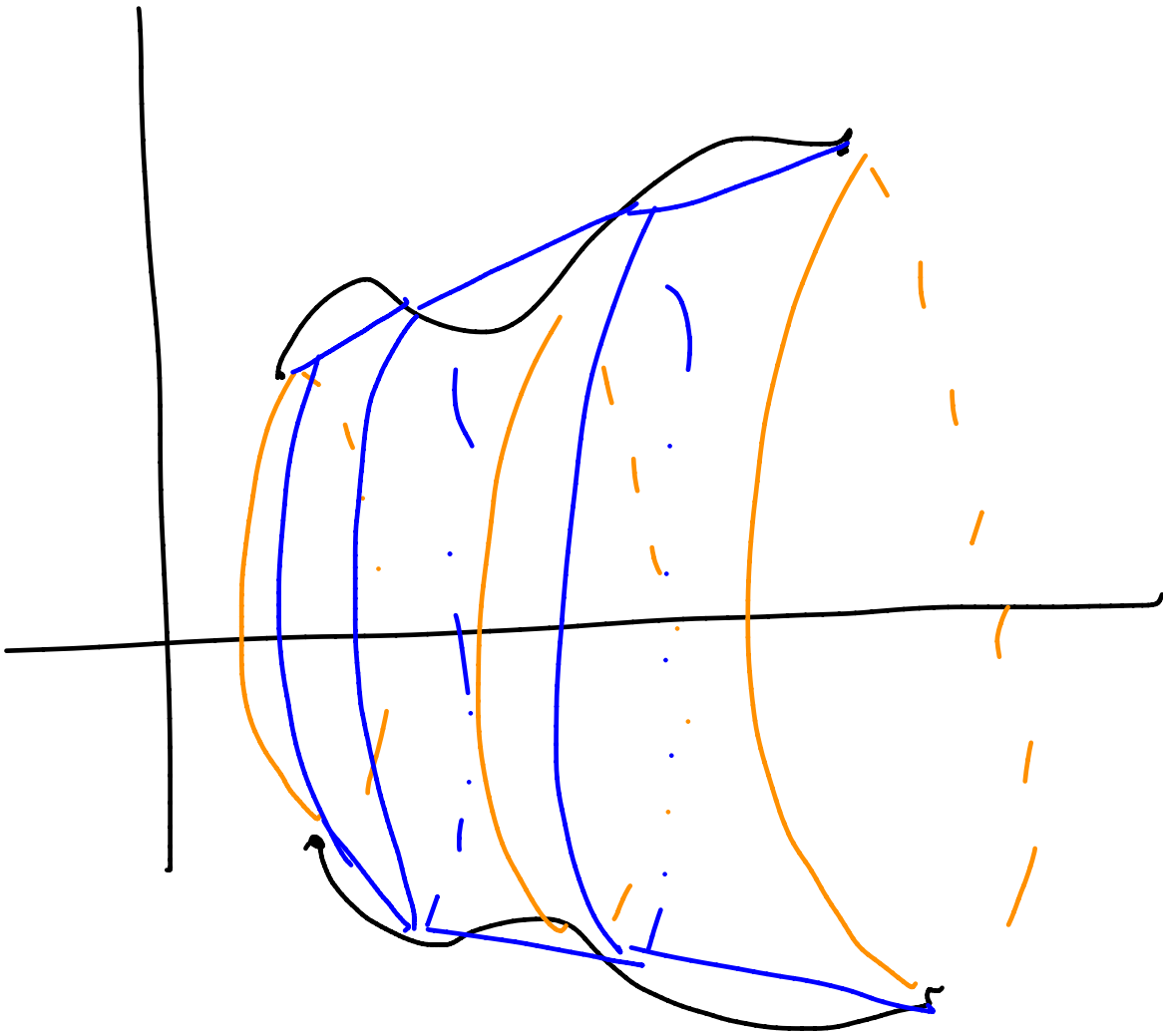
no self-intersections

Spin the curve around the

x or y axis from $t = a$

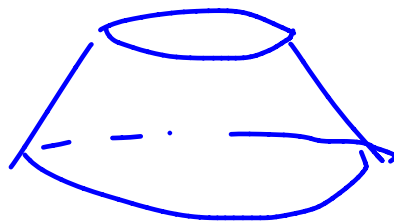
to $t = b$.

Picture



Want surface area, not volume!

Break up into pieces that look like



Take limits as number of subdivisions goes to infinity.

You get:

$$SA = \int_a^b \underbrace{2\pi|y(t)|}_{\text{circumference}} \underbrace{\sqrt{(x'(t))^2 + (y'(t))^2}}_{\text{length of curve}} dt$$

(about x-axis)

or

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

(about y-axis)