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Space curve - working in \mathbb{R}^3

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = x(t)\hat{i} + y(t)\hat{j} + z(t)\hat{k}$$

t is time | Velocity is $\mathbf{r}'(t)$

Acceleration is $\mathbf{r}''(t)$

If $\mathbf{r}'(t)$ is continuous and $\mathbf{r}'(t) \neq \mathbf{0}$

Find velocity of particle w/ path function

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = 2\cos t \hat{i} + 2\sin t \hat{j} + 5\cos^2 t \hat{k}$$

$$\text{Velocity: } \mathbf{r}'(t) = -2\sin t \hat{i} + 2\cos t \hat{j} + \underbrace{10\cos t(-\sin t)}_{-10\sin t \cos t} \hat{k}$$

$$\mathbf{r}''(t) = -2\cos t \hat{i} - 2\sin t \hat{j} + (-5 \cdot 2 \cdot \cos 2t) \hat{k} \quad \left[\frac{1}{2} \sin 2t \right]$$

$$= -2\cos t \hat{i} - 2\sin t \hat{j} - 10\cos 2t \hat{k}$$

$$\text{speed} \cdot |\mathbf{r}'(t)| = \sqrt{4\sin^2 t + 4\cos^2 t + 100\sin^2 t \cos^2 t}$$

$$= 2\sqrt{1 + 25\sin^2 t \cos^2 t}$$

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Let v be velocity

$$v(t) = r'(t) = |v| \left(\frac{v}{|v|} \right)$$

What happens when you differentiate a vector of constant length?

Given $r(t)$ and $|r(t)| = c$

What is relation between $r(t)$ & $r'(t)$

$$r(t) \cdot r(t) = |r(t)|^2 = c^2$$

Take derivative: $\frac{d}{dt} (r(t) \cdot r(t)) = 2$

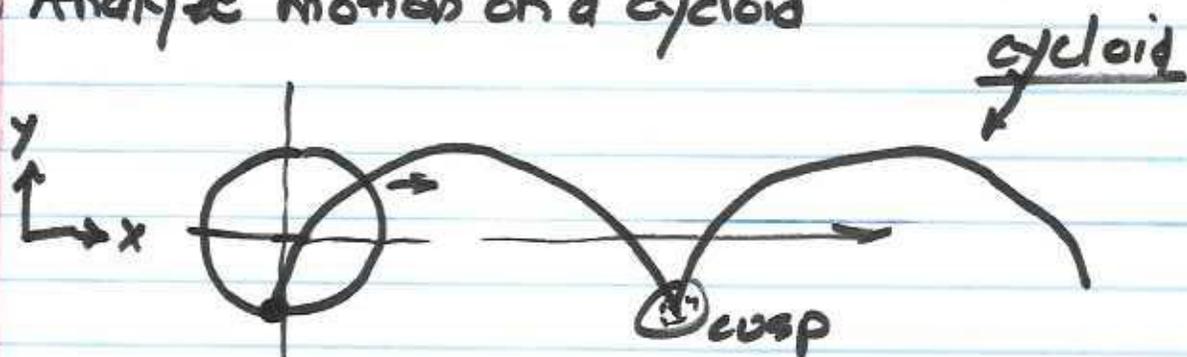
$$|r(t)|^2 = r'(t) \cdot r(t) + r(t) \cdot r'(t)$$

$$= 2 r'(t) \cdot r(t) = \frac{d}{dt} c^2 = 0$$

So... $r(t) \perp r'(t)$

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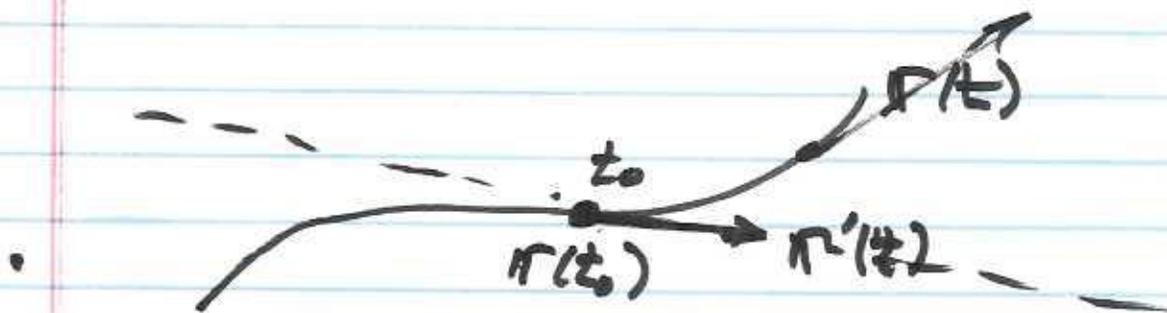
$$x = t - \sin t, \quad y = 1 - \cos t$$

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = (t - \sin t) \hat{i} + (1 - \cos t) \hat{j}$$

$$\mathbf{r}'(t) = (1 - \cos t) \hat{i} + (\sin t) \hat{j}$$

We can say @ $t=0$, $\mathbf{r}'(0) = 0$

Is $\mathbf{r}'(t)$ tangent to $\mathbf{r}(t)$?



@ t_0 tangent line is $\mathbf{r}(t_0) + u \cdot \mathbf{r}'(t_0)$

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$$l(u) = r(t_0) + u \frac{r'(t_0)}{|r'(t_0)|}$$

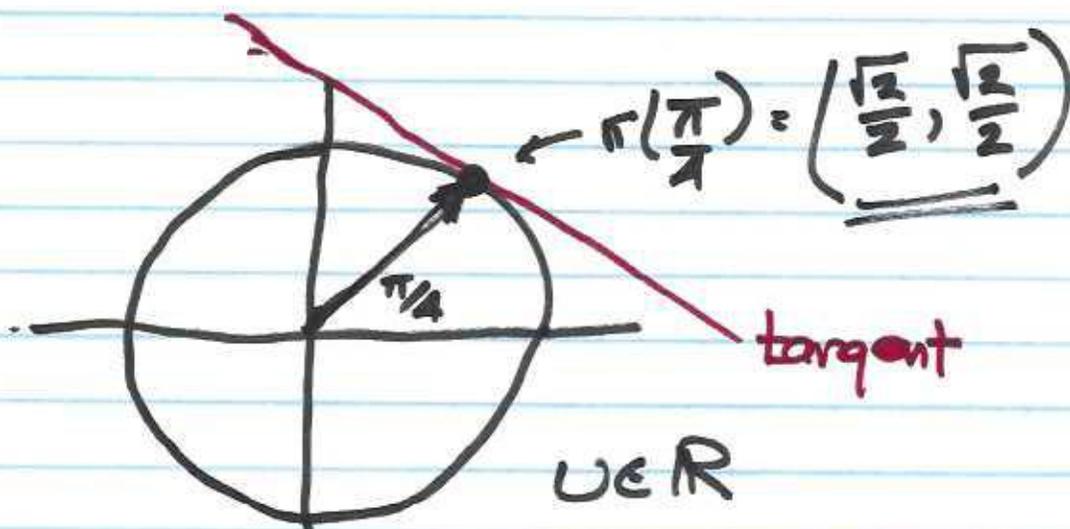
initial vector
to get onto
straight

unit vector
tangent to curve

Example $r(t) = \cos t \hat{i} + \sin t \hat{j}$

What is eqn of tangent line (to circle) when

$$t = \frac{\pi}{4}$$



$$l(u) = r\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + u$$

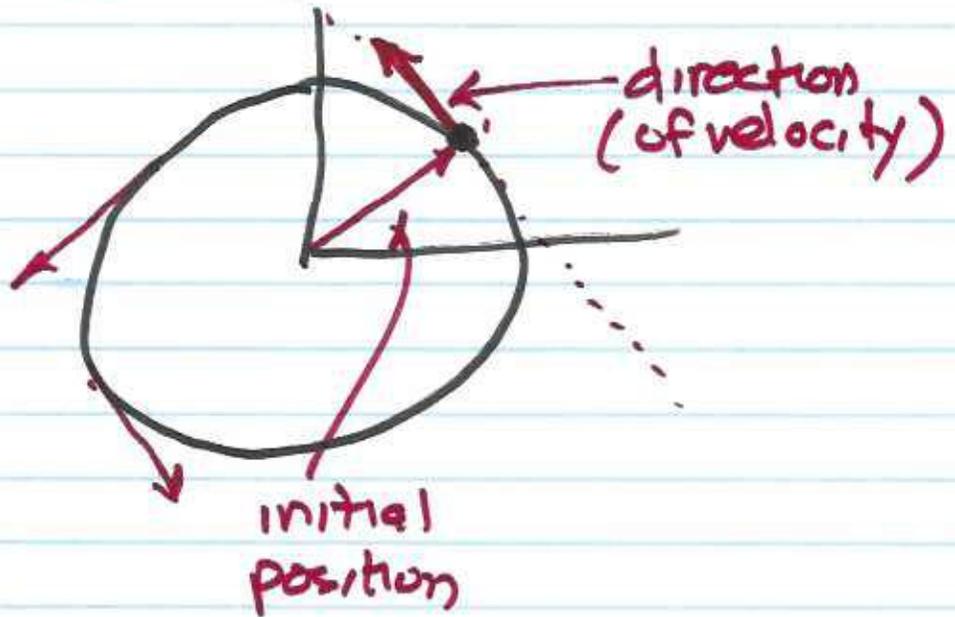
direction
unit
vector

$$\frac{r'(t)}{|r'(t)|} \leftarrow 1 = \frac{-\sin t \hat{i} + \cos t \hat{j}}{1} = \underbrace{-\sin t \hat{i} + \cos t \hat{j}}_{\text{unit direction vector}}$$

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Tangent:
Line

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbf{r}(t) &= \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) + t \left(-\sin t \hat{i} + \cos t \hat{j}\right) \\
 &= \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) + t \left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)
 \end{aligned}$$



Triple Products

A, B, C are vectors (\cdot, \times)

- $(A \times B) \cdot C$ = scalar triple product
- $\rightarrow A \cdot B \cdot C$ not defined
- $A \times B \times C$ = vector triple product

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$$\frac{d}{dt} \left(\underbrace{A \times B}_{2^{st}} \cdot \underbrace{C}_{2^{nd}} \right) = \dots$$

Scalar

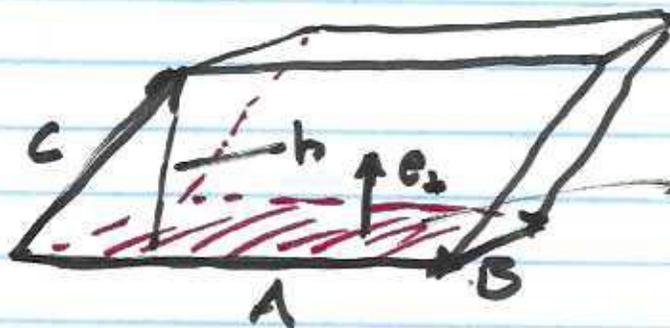
$$\frac{A \cdot B \cdot C \cdot D}{\text{scalar} \cdot \text{scalar}}$$

$$\boxed{BAC - CAB}$$

$$(A \times B) \times C = B(A \cdot C) - C(A \cdot B)$$

$$A \cdot B \times C = C \cdot A \times B = B \cdot C \times A \text{ all same}$$

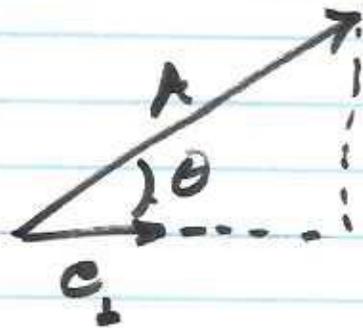
$$A \cdot B \times C = \begin{vmatrix} A_1 & A_2 & A_3 \\ B_1 & B_2 & B_3 \\ C_1 & C_2 & C_3 \end{vmatrix}$$



$$(A \times B) \cdot C = V$$

$$|A||B|\sin\theta = |A \times B|$$

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$$A \cdot e_1 = |A| |1| \cos \theta$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}$
 $A \cos \theta$