

Lesson 32 Calculus With Parametric Curves.

Exam 3: Average 60
Median 64.

A - 82

B - 73

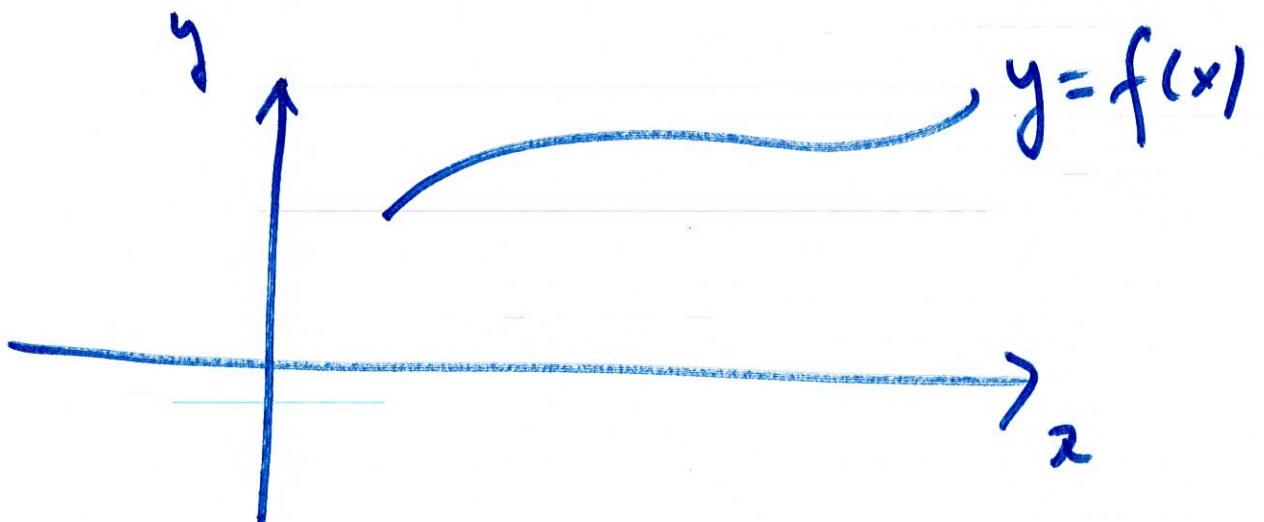
C - 55 and 64

D⁺ to C⁻ - 46.


$$y = y(t)$$

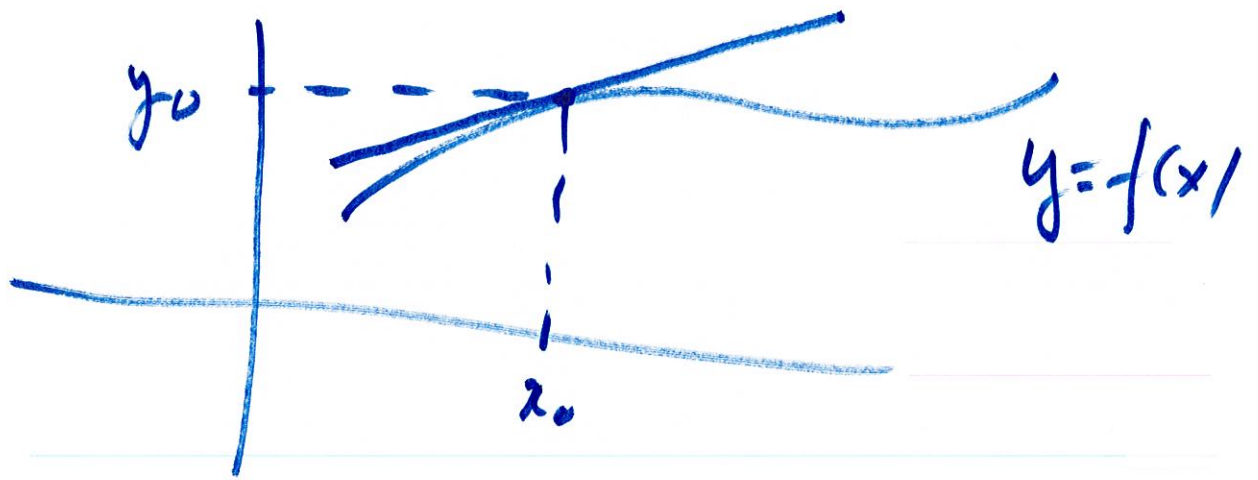
$$x = x(t)$$

Example: $y = f(x)$



$$x = t, \quad y = f(t).$$

$$y = f(x)$$

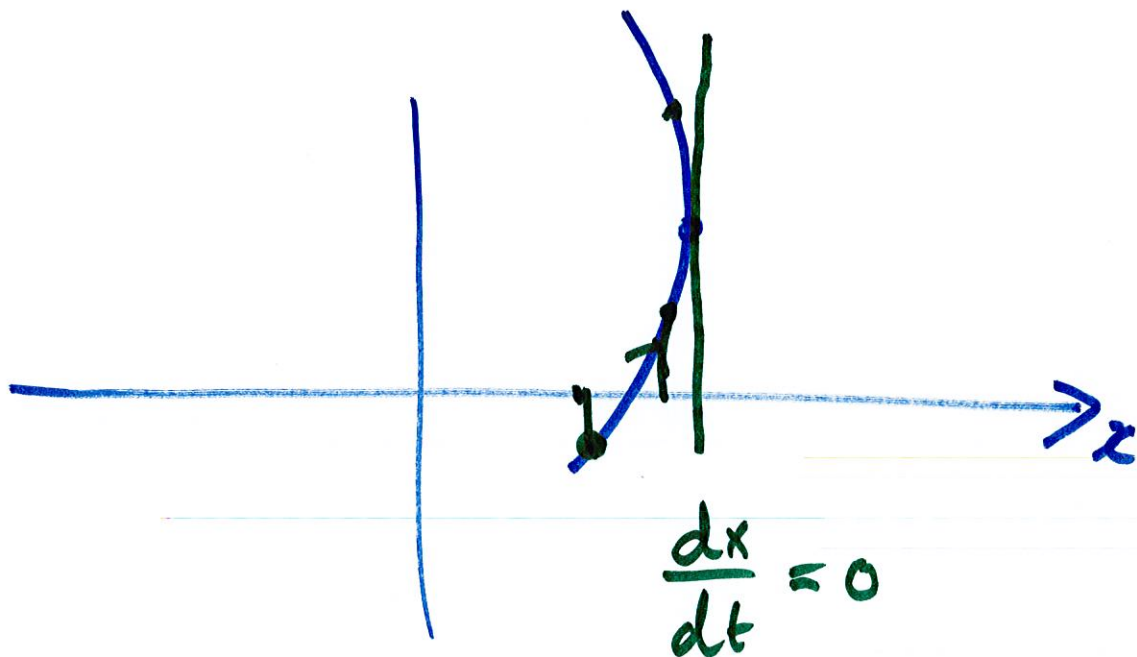


Slope of the tangent
line

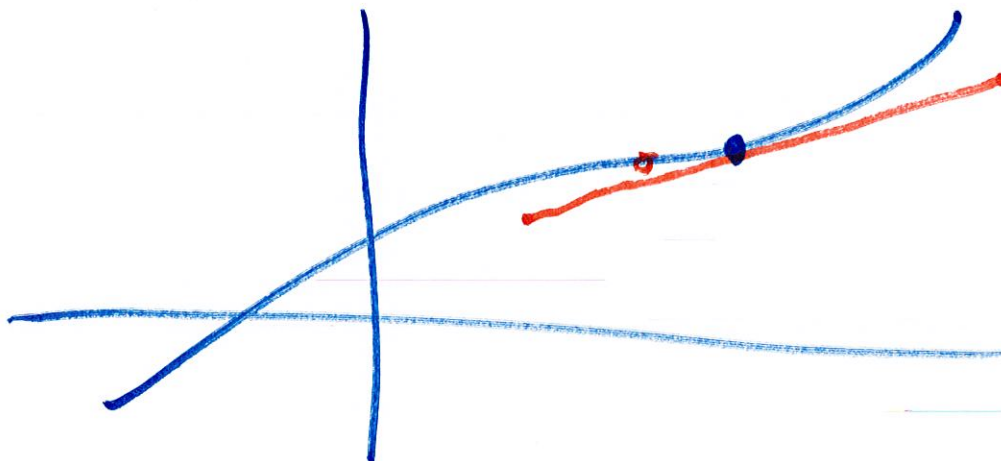
$$\text{Slope} = \frac{dy}{dx} = f'(x)$$

Question: Given $y = y(t)$
 $x = x(t)$

find $\frac{dy}{dx}$, if possible.

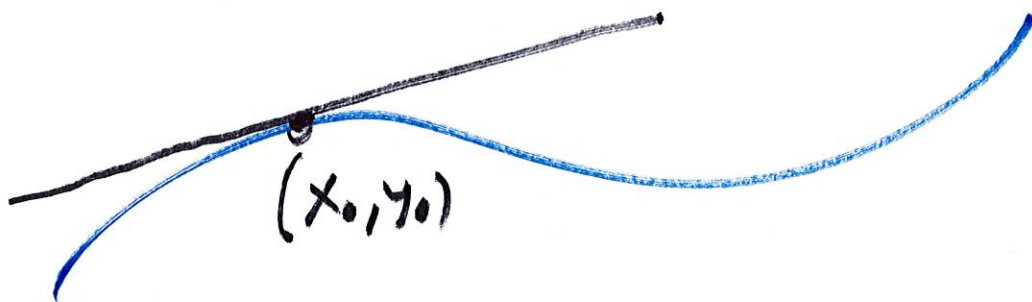


$\frac{dx}{dt} \neq 0$, tangent line is
not vertical



Example: $y = t^2 + 4t + 1$

$$x = t^3 + 8t + 2.$$



Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ at $(x_0, y_0) = (11, 6)$

We have $y = y(t)$

$$x = x(t)$$

If $\frac{dx}{dt} \neq 0$ one can write
 $t = t(x)$

$$y = y(t) \text{ , but } t = t(x)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dt} \cdot \frac{dt}{dx}$$

$$\text{but } \frac{dt}{dx} = \frac{1}{\frac{dx}{dt}}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dt} \cdot \frac{1}{\frac{dx}{dt}}$$

$$\left| \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}} \right|$$

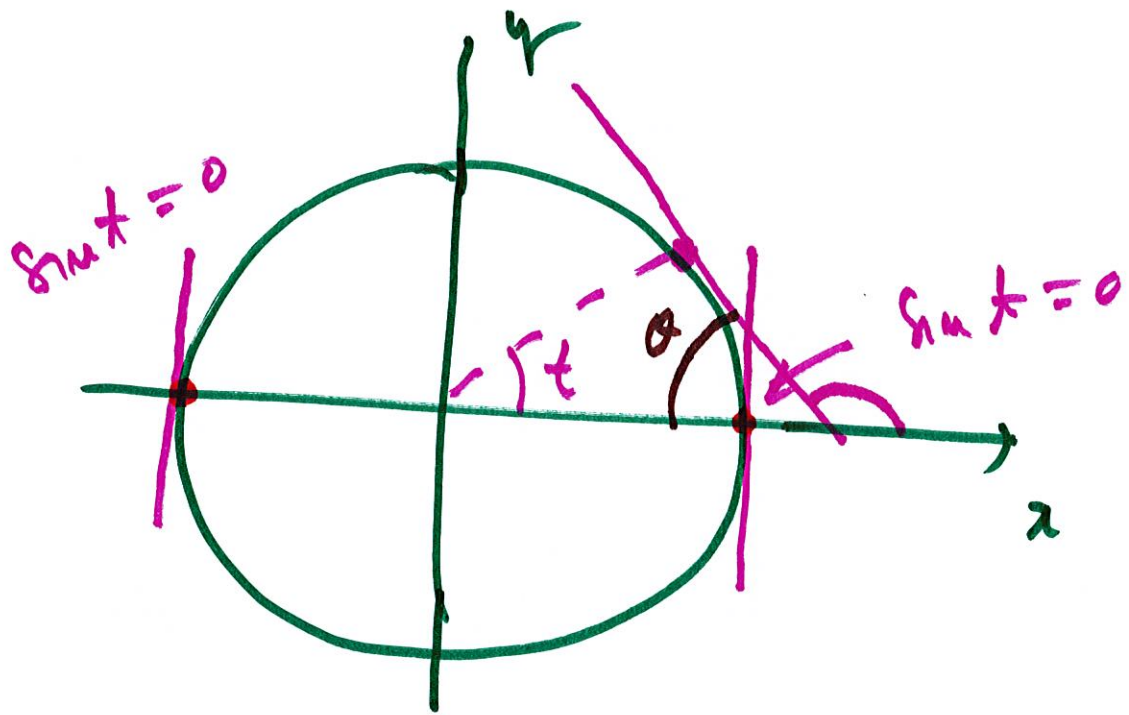
$$y = t^2 + 4t + 1$$

$$x = t^3 + 8t + 2$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}} = \frac{2t + 4}{3t^2 + 8}$$

when $t = 1$; $y = 6$, $x = 11$.

$$\boxed{\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{6}{11}}$$



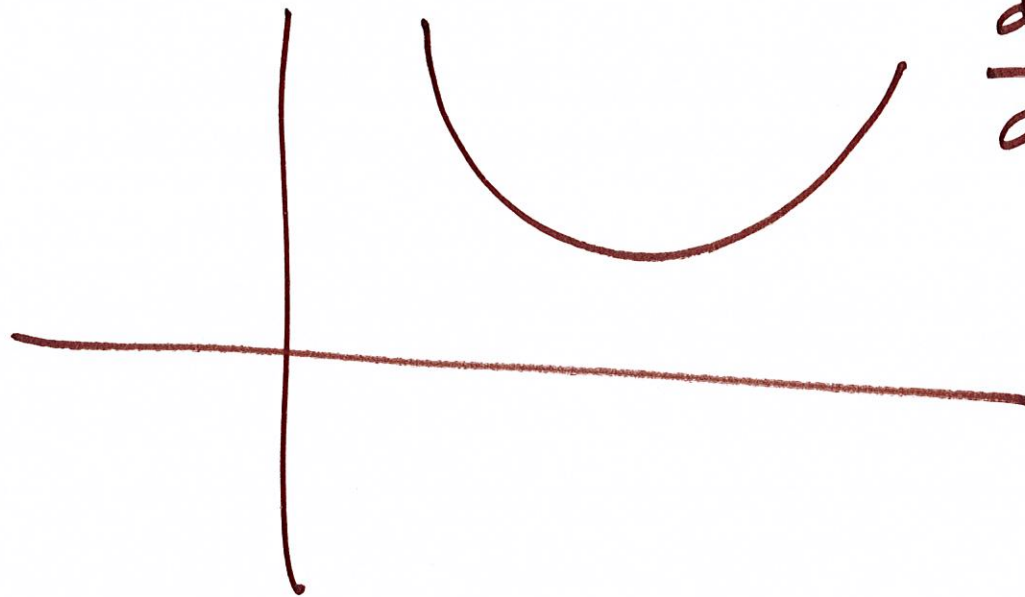
$$x = \cos t, \quad y = \sin t.$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}}, \quad \frac{dx}{dt} \neq 0$$

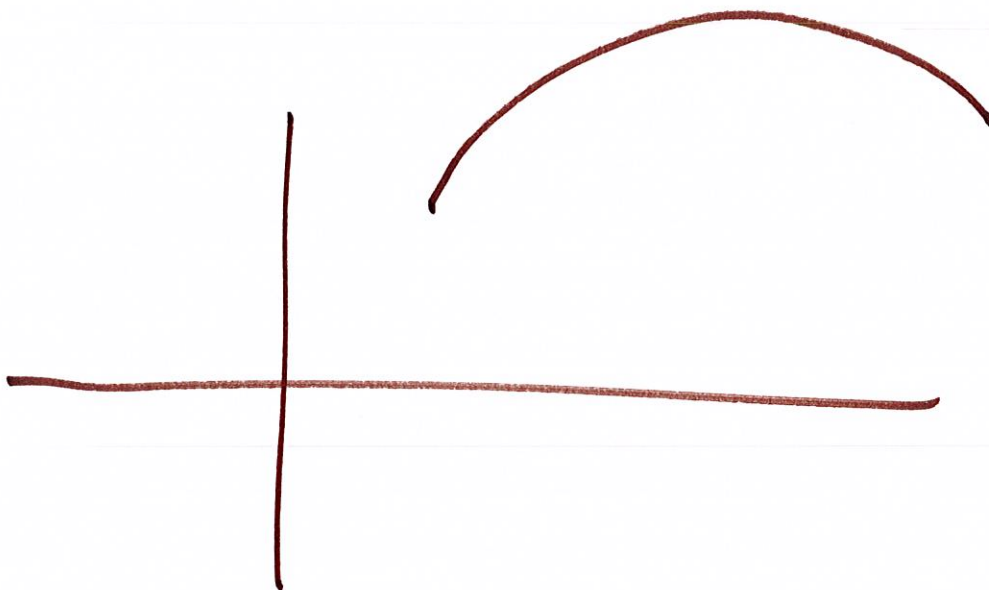
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\cos t}{-\sin t} = -\frac{\cos t}{\sin t}$$

$$\sin t \neq 0$$

Concavity



$$\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} > 0$$



$$\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} < 0$$

Given $y = y(t)$, $z = z(t)$

Find $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2}$.

$$(*) \left[\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}} \right] \quad y \text{ is arbitrary}$$

Find $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2}$. $\frac{dx}{dt} \neq 0$

Use (*) for $\frac{dy}{dx}$ in place
of y .

$$\left[\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = \frac{\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right)}{\frac{dx}{dt}} \right]$$

Example:

$$y = 3t^2 + 4t$$

$$x = t^4 + 8t^2 + 3t.$$

Find $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$.

Step 1: Find $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}}$

$$\boxed{\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{6t + 4}{4t^3 + 16t + 3}}$$

Step 2: $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}}$

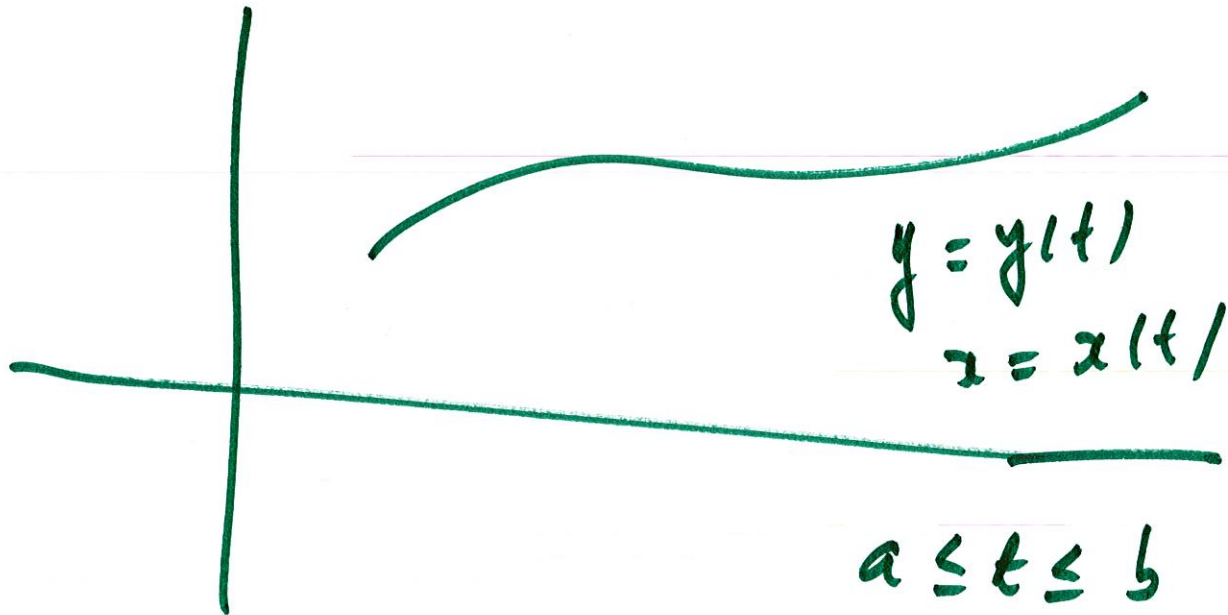
$$\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = \frac{\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right)}{\frac{dx}{dt}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{6t+4}{4t^3+16t+3} \right)}{4t^3+16t+3}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{6(4t^3+16t+3) - (6t+4)(12t^2+16)}{(4t^3+16t+3)^2}}{4t^3+16t+3}$$

$$= \frac{24t^3 + 96t + 18 - 72t^3 - 96t - 48t^2 - 64}{(4t^3 + 16t + 3)^3}$$

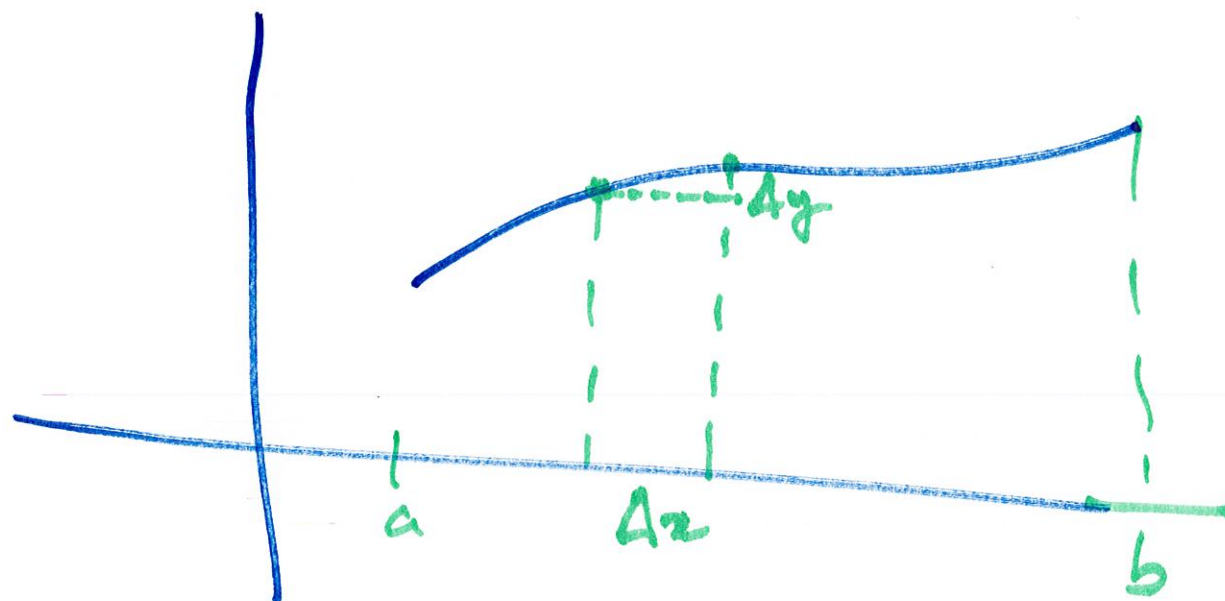
Arc Length



We have studied the case

$$y = f(x) \quad a \leq x \leq b$$

$$L = \int_a^b \sqrt{1 + (f'(x))^2} dx.$$



$$L = \sqrt{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2}$$

$$L = \sqrt{\left(\frac{\Delta x}{\Delta t}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta t}\right)^2} \Delta t.$$

$$\sim \sqrt{\left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{dy}{dt}\right)^2} dt.$$

$$L = \int_a^b \sqrt{\left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{dy}{dt}\right)^2} dt$$

In the case of a graph

$$x = t, \quad y = f(t)$$

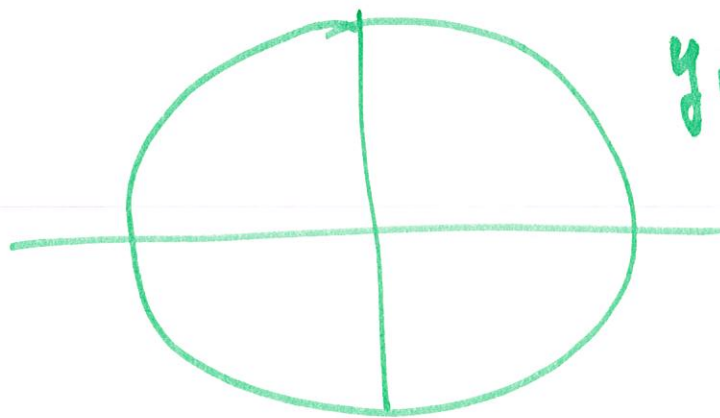
$$L = \int_a^b \sqrt{1 + (f'(t))^2} dt.$$

Example: Find the length
of a circumference of
radius R .

$$x = R \cos t$$

$$y = R \sin t$$

$$0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$$



$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -R \sin t$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = R \cos t$$

$$\left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{dy}{dt}\right)^2 = R^2 \cos^2 t + R^2 \sin^2 t$$

$$= R^2$$

$$L = \int_0^{2\pi} \sqrt{R^2} dt = 2\pi R.$$