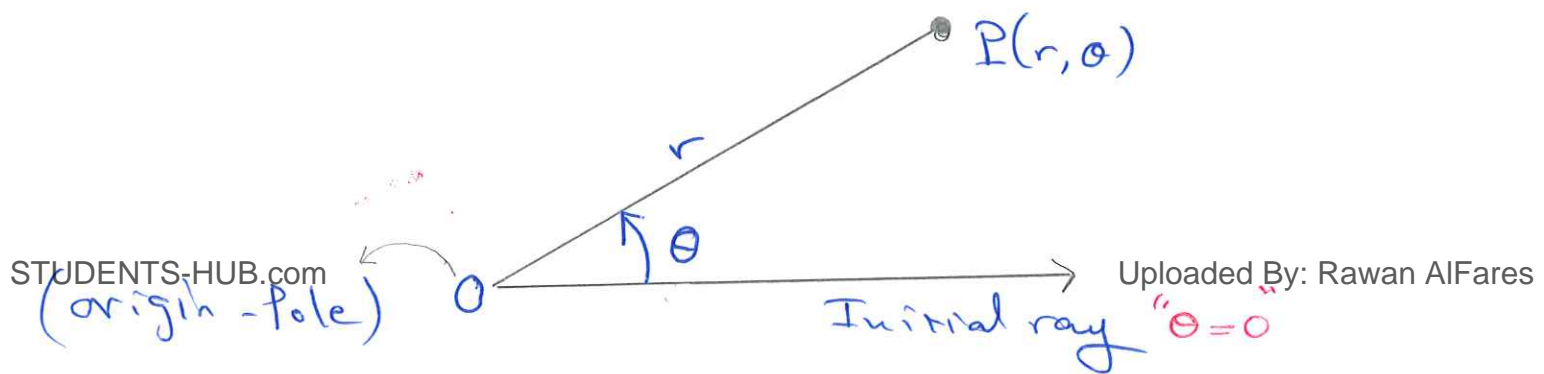


## 11.3 Polar Coordinates

We Use Polar Coordinates to help in Calculating some Integrals. To define Polar Coordinates, we fix an origin  $O$ , we call it "pole", and an initial ray from  $O$ , then each point  $P$  can be located by assigning to it polar coordinate pair  $(r, \theta)$ ;  $P(r, \theta)$ ; where:

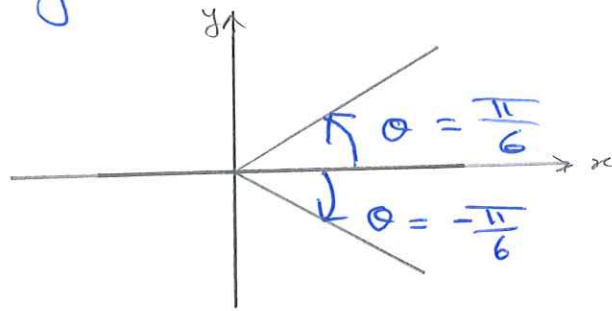
$r$ : directed distance from  $O$  to  $P$ . "Can be negative"

$\theta$ : directed angle from the Initial ray to  $OP$

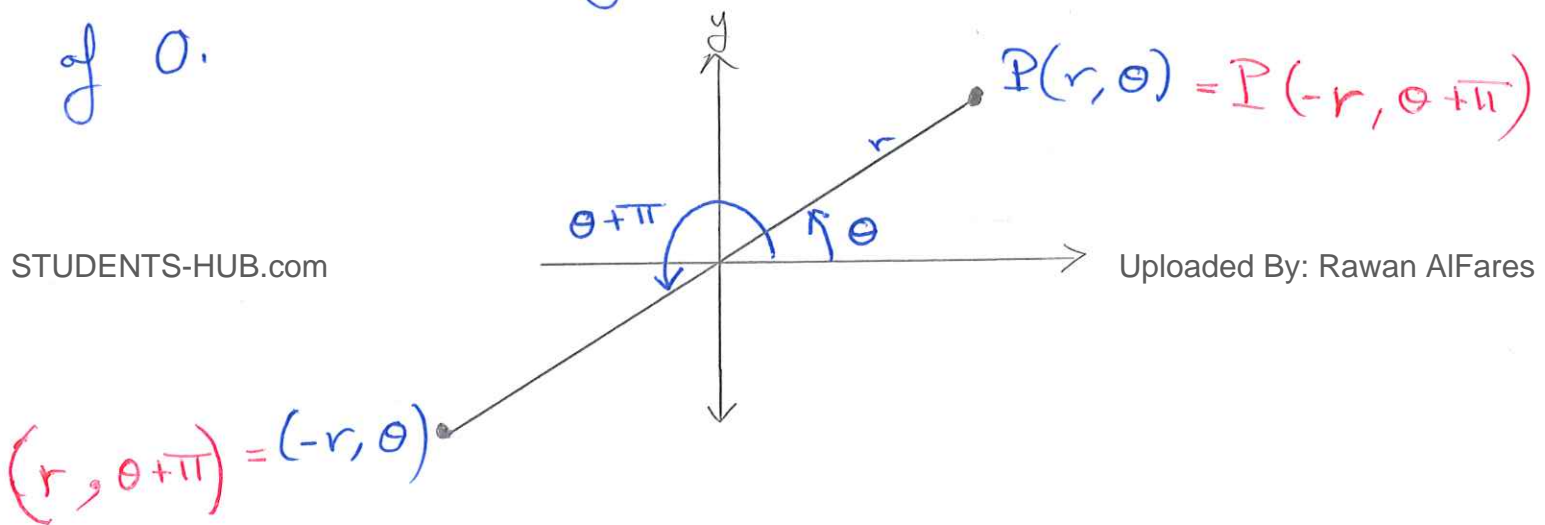


## Remarks:

- 1) The angle  $\theta$  will be positive if the directed angle from the Initial ray to OP is measured counter-clockwise, and will be negative if the directed angle is measured clockwise.



- 2) The points  $(r, \theta)$  and  $(-r, \theta)$  lies on the same line through O, but on opposite sides of O.



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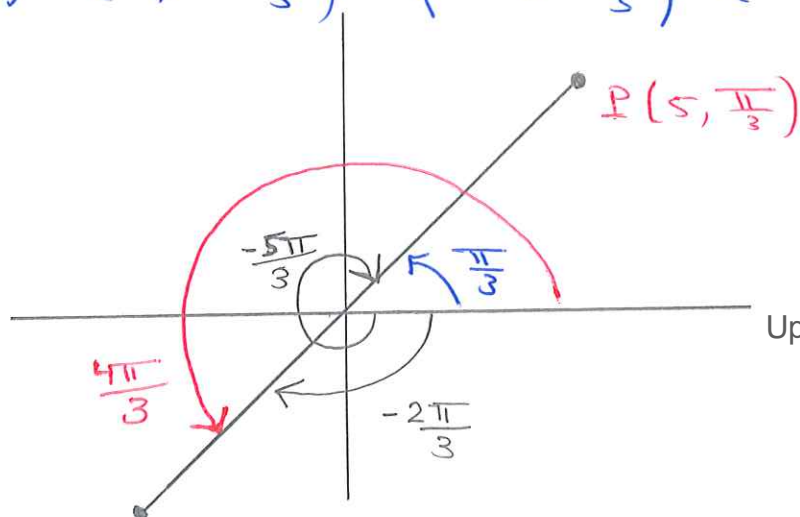
(i.e) if  $r$  is negative, we can write it positive by adding or subtracting  $\pi$  to the angle  $\theta$ .

3) If  $r > 0$ , then the point  $(r, \theta)$  lies on the same quadrant as  $\theta$ .

If  $r < 0$ , then the point  $(r, \theta)$  will be end up in the quadrant exactly opposite  $\theta$ .

4) The representation of a point P in polar coordinate is **Not** Unique. as in Cartesian coordinates. In fact it has infinitely many pairs of Polar coordinates. For instance:

$$\left(5, \frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \left(5, -\frac{5\pi}{3}\right) = \left(-5, \frac{4\pi}{3}\right) = \left(-5, -\frac{2\pi}{3}\right)$$



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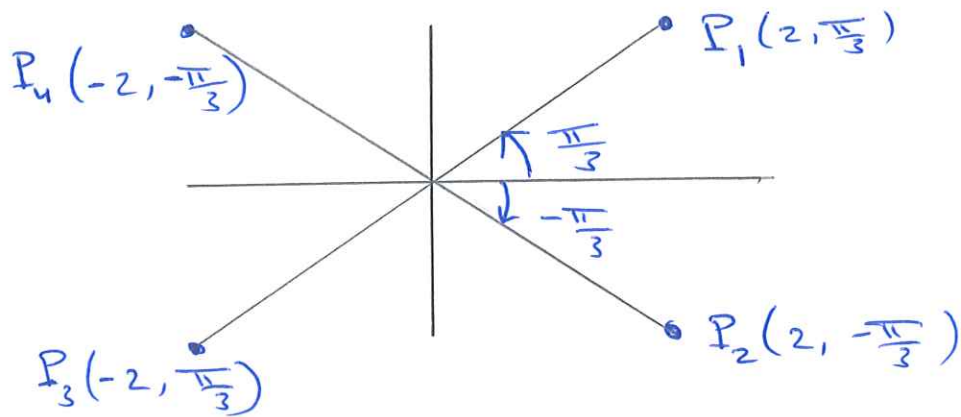
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$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow P(r, \theta) &= P(r, \theta + 2\pi m) = P(-r, (\theta \pm \pi) + 2\pi m) \\ &= P(-r, \theta \pm (2m+1)\pi), \quad m = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots \end{aligned}$$

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Example: Plot  $P_1(2, \frac{\pi}{3}), P_2(2, -\frac{\pi}{3})$

$P_3(-2, \frac{\pi}{3}), P_4(-2, -\frac{\pi}{3})$



Example: Find all Polar Coordinates of  $P(2, \frac{\pi}{6})$

Case 1: If  $r = 2$ , then  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{6} + 2m\pi$

where  $m = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$

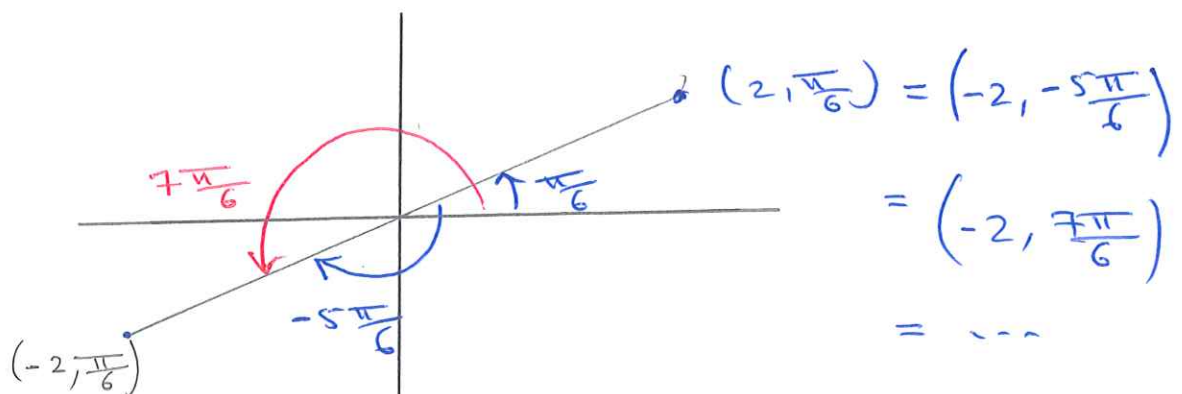
Case 2: If  $r = -2$ , then  $\theta = (\frac{\pi}{6} + \pi) + 2m\pi$

where  $m = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$   $= \frac{\pi}{6} + (2m+1)\pi$

$$\Rightarrow P(2, \frac{\pi}{6}) = P(2, \frac{\pi}{6} + 2m\pi) = P(-2, \frac{7\pi}{6} + 2m\pi)$$

where  $m = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$

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# Polar Equations and Graphs.

•  $r = a$   $\Rightarrow$  Circle of radius  $|a|$  centered at  $O$ .  
where  $\theta$  varies over any interval of length  $2\pi$ .

•  $\theta = \theta_0$   $\Rightarrow$  Line through  $O$  making an angle  $\theta_0$  with the Initial ray.

In this case  $r$  varies between  $-\infty$  and  $\infty$ .

Example: [1]  $r = 9$  and  $r = -9$  are equations

for the circle of radius 3 centered at  $O$ .

[2]  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{6}$ ,  $\theta = \frac{7\pi}{6}$  and  $\theta = -\frac{5\pi}{6}$  are equations for the line.

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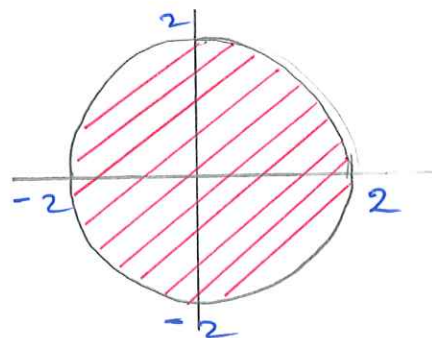
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Example: Graph the sets of points whose polar

coordinates satisfy the following equations and identities.

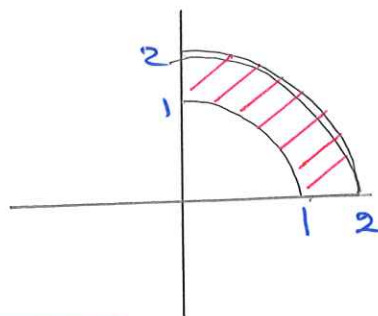
(a)  $0 \leq r \leq 2$

(No restriction on  $\theta$ )



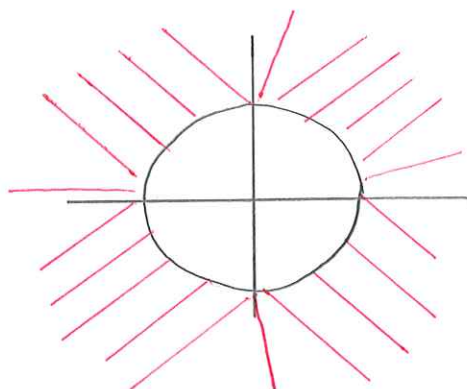
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(b)  $1 \leq r \leq 2$  and  $0 \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$



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(c)  $r \geq 1$

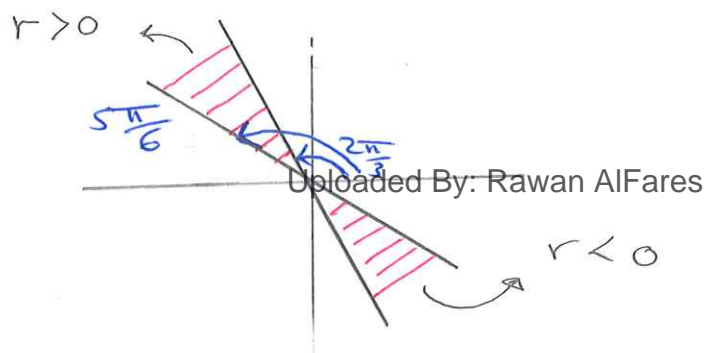


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(d)  $\frac{2\pi}{3} \leq \theta \leq \frac{5\pi}{6}$

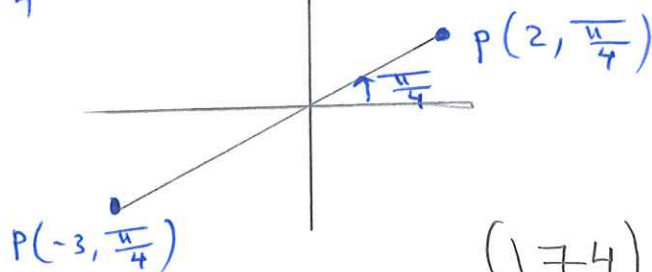
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(No restriction on  $r$ )

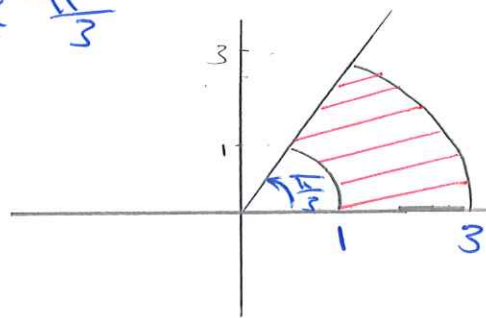


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(e)  $-3 \leq r \leq 2$  and  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$

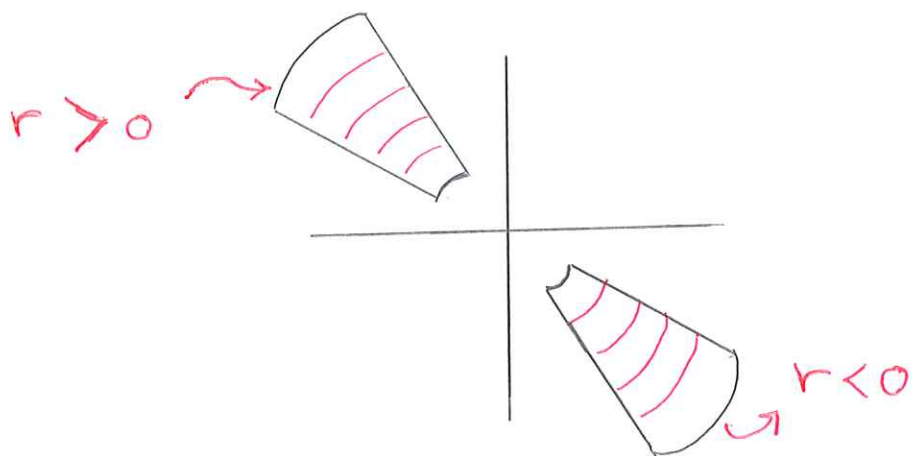


(f)  $1 \leq r \leq 3$  and  $0 \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{3}$

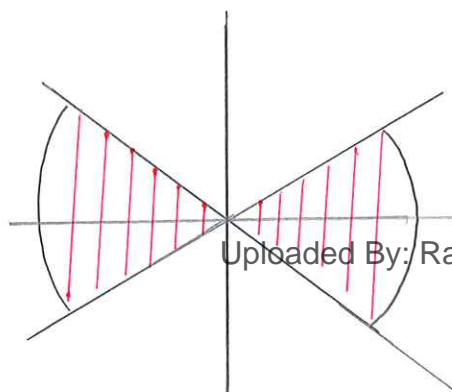


(g)  $\frac{2\pi}{3} \leq \theta < \frac{5\pi}{6}$  and  $1 \leq |r| \leq 2$ .

First, note that  $1 \leq |r| \leq 2 \iff 1 \leq r \leq 2$  or  $-2 \leq r \leq -1$



(h)  $-\frac{\pi}{4} \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{4}$  and  $-1 \leq r \leq 1$



# Equations Relating Polar and Cartesian Coordinates.

- $x = r \cos \theta$

- $y = r \sin \theta$

- $r^2 = x^2 + y^2$

- $\tan \theta = \frac{y}{x}$  ~~here~~  $\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)$

Notice that  $\tan^{-1} x \in \left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ , but  $\theta$  could be any angle.

Example: Replace the Polar Coordinates with Cartesian.

1  $2 = r \cos \theta \Rightarrow x = 2$ , vertical line passes (2, 0)

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2  $r = -3 \sec \theta \Rightarrow r = \frac{-3}{\cos \theta} \Rightarrow -3 = r \cos \theta$   
 $\Rightarrow x = -3$ , vertical line passes (-3, 0)

3  $r^2 = 1 \Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 = 1$ , circle centered at (0, 0) with radius  $r = 1$ .



$$\boxed{4} \quad r = \frac{5}{\sin \theta - 2 \cos \theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow 5 = r \sin \theta - 2r \cos \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow 5 = y - 2x \Rightarrow \boxed{y = 2x + 5}, \text{ Line.}$$

$m = 2$   
 $y\text{-int.} = 5$

$$\boxed{5} \quad r = \csc \theta e^{r \cos \theta} = \frac{e^{r \cos \theta}}{\sin \theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow r \sin \theta = e^{r \cos \theta} \Rightarrow \boxed{y = e^x}, \text{ Exponential.}$$

$\boxed{6}$   $(-\sqrt{2}, \frac{\pi}{4}) = (r, \theta)$ , then the Cartesian Coordinates

$$x = r \cos \theta = -\sqrt{2} \cos \frac{\pi}{4} = -\sqrt{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = -1$$

$$y = r \sin \theta = -\sqrt{2} \sin \frac{\pi}{4} = -\sqrt{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow (x, y) = (-1, -1)$$

$$\boxed{7} \quad r^2 = 4r \cos \theta$$

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$$x^2 + y^2 = 4x \Leftrightarrow x^2 - 4x + y^2 = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (x^2 - 4x + 4) + y^2 = 4$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (x-2)^2 + y^2 = 4$$

which is Circle with center  $(2, 0)$  & radius = 2.

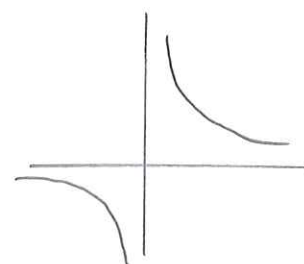
8 (Q32)

$$r^2 \sin(2\theta) = 2 \Leftrightarrow r^2 (2 \sin \theta \cos \theta) = 2$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (r \sin \theta)(r \cos \theta) = 1$$

$$\Leftrightarrow y \cdot x = 1$$

$$\Leftrightarrow y = \frac{1}{x} \quad (\text{Hyperbola}).$$



9 (Q40)

$$r = 4 \tan \theta \sec \theta$$

$$\Leftrightarrow r = 4 \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} \cdot \frac{1}{\cos \theta}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow r \cos^2 \theta = 4 \sin \theta$$

$$\Leftrightarrow r^2 \cos^2 \theta = 4 r \sin \theta$$

$$\Leftrightarrow x^2 = 4y, \text{ which is parabola } y = \frac{x^2}{4}$$

10 (Q51)  $r \sin(\theta + \frac{\pi}{6}) = 2$

$$\Leftrightarrow r \left[ \sin \theta \cos \frac{\pi}{6} + \cos \theta \sin \frac{\pi}{6} \right] = 2$$

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$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} r \sin \theta + \frac{1}{2} r \cos \theta = 2$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} y + \frac{1}{2} x = 2$$

$$\Leftrightarrow y = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} x + \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}, \text{ which is a Line}$$

with  $m = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ ,  $y$ -intercept =  $\frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}$ .

Example: Replace the Cartesian equations with Polar Coordinates.

$$\textcircled{1} \text{ (Q55)} \quad x = y \Leftrightarrow r \cos \theta = r \sin \theta \Leftrightarrow \cos \theta = \sin \theta$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \boxed{\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \text{ (Q57)} \quad x^2 + y^2 = 4 \Leftrightarrow r^2 = 4 \Leftrightarrow \boxed{r = \pm 2}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \text{ (Q64)} \quad (x-5)^2 + y^2 = 25$$

$$x^2 - 10x + 25 + y^2 = 25$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = 10x$$

$$r^2 = 10r \cos \theta \Leftrightarrow r(r - 10 \cos \theta) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{r = 10 \cos \theta} \quad \text{or} \quad \boxed{r = 0}$$

← Included here for  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\textcircled{4} \text{ (Q6)} \quad \text{The point } (x, y) = (-2, -2) \quad \text{if } \begin{cases} -\pi \leq \theta \leq \pi \\ r \geq 0. \end{cases}$$

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$$r^2 = x^2 + y^2 = (-2)^2 + (-2)^2 = 8$$

$$\Leftrightarrow r = \sqrt{8} = 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{y}{x} = \frac{-2}{-2} = 1 \Rightarrow \theta = -\frac{3\pi}{4} \quad \text{الربع الثالث}$$

$$\Rightarrow (r, \theta) = \left( 2\sqrt{2}, -\frac{3\pi}{4} \right)$$

$$\textcircled{5} \text{ (Q60)} \quad xy = 2 \Rightarrow y = \frac{2}{x}$$

$$(r \cos \theta)(r \sin \theta) = 2$$

$$\Leftrightarrow r^2 = \frac{1}{\cos \theta} \frac{1}{\sin \theta} \cdot 2 = 2 \sec \theta \csc \theta.$$


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$$\textcircled{6} \text{ (Q61)} \quad y^2 = 4x$$

$$r^2 \sin^2 \theta = 4r \cos \theta$$

$$\Leftrightarrow r(r \sin^2 \theta - 4 \cos \theta) = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow r = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad r \sin^2 \theta = 4 \cos \theta.$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{r \sin^2 \theta = 4 \cos \theta} \quad \text{(Includes } r=0 \text{)} \\ \text{for } \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$$


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$$\textcircled{7} \quad (x, y) = (-1, 1)$$

$$r^2 = x^2 + y^2 = 2 = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{y}{x} = \frac{1}{-1} = -1 \Rightarrow \theta = \tan^{-1}(-1) + \pi = \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

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Notice that  $\tan^{-1}(-1) = -\frac{\pi}{4}$  which occurs

in the fourth quadrant, but the  $\theta$

required must be in the 2nd quadrant.

(النقطة  $(-1, 1)$  في الربع الثاني)

Example: Convert to the other Coordinates.

$$(1) \quad r = a \iff r^2 = a^2 \iff x^2 + y^2 = a^2$$

$$(2) \quad \theta = \theta_0 \iff \tan \theta = \tan \theta_0 = m \text{ (number)}$$
$$\iff \frac{y}{x} = m \iff y = mx.$$

$$(3) \quad 2x - 5x^3 = 1 + xy.$$

$$2(r \cos \theta) - 5(r \cos \theta)^3 = 1 + (r \cos \theta)(r \sin \theta).$$

$$2r \cos \theta - 5r^3 \cos^3 \theta = 1 + r^2 \sin \theta \cos \theta.$$

$$(4) \quad r = -8 \cos \theta \implies r^2 = -8r \cos \theta$$

$$\implies x^2 + y^2 = -8x.$$

Example: Is the Curve  $r = 2 \sin 2\theta$  passes

through the point  $P(2, \frac{3\pi}{4})$ ?

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$$\text{Let } F(r, \theta) = r - 2 \sin 2\theta = 0$$

$$F(2, \frac{3\pi}{4}) = 2 - 2 \sin \frac{3\pi}{2} = 4 \neq 0$$

$$\text{But } P(2, \frac{3\pi}{4}) = P(-2, \frac{3\pi}{4} - \pi) = P(-2, -\frac{\pi}{4})$$

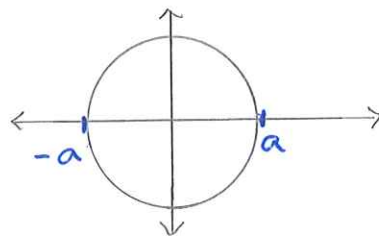
$$F(-2, -\frac{\pi}{4}) = -2 - 2 \sin(-\frac{\pi}{2}) = -2 + 2 = 0$$

$\implies P(-2, -\frac{\pi}{4}) = P(2, \frac{3\pi}{4})$  lies on the Curve. (181)

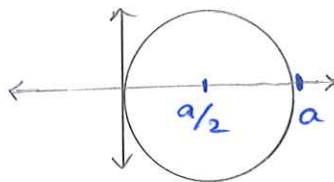
## 11.4 Graphing in Polar Coordinates.

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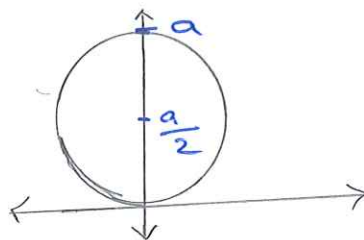
(1)  $r = a, a \neq 0$



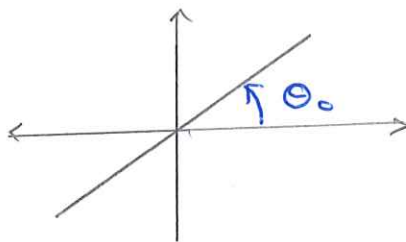
(2)  $r = a \cos \theta$



(3)  $r = a \sin \theta$



(4)  $\theta = \theta_0$



Symmetry Tests for Polar Graphs:

1 symmetry about x-axis:

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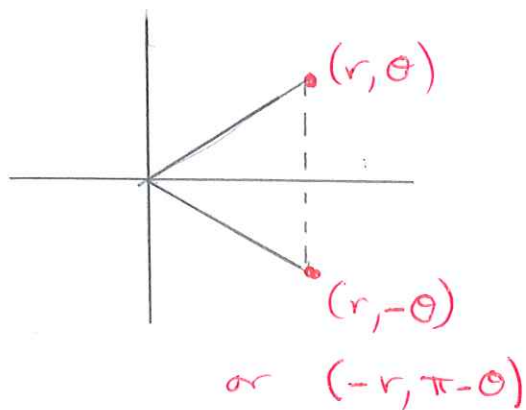
$$(r, \theta) \leftrightarrow (r, -\theta) \text{ or } (-r, \pi - \theta).$$

2 symmetry about y-axis:

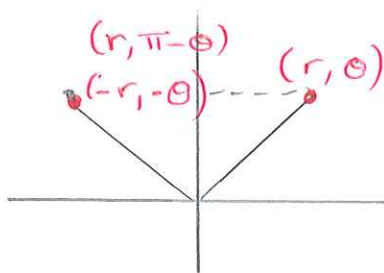
$$(r, \theta) \leftrightarrow (r, \pi - \theta) \text{ or } (-r, -\theta).$$

### 3 Symmetry about the Origin :

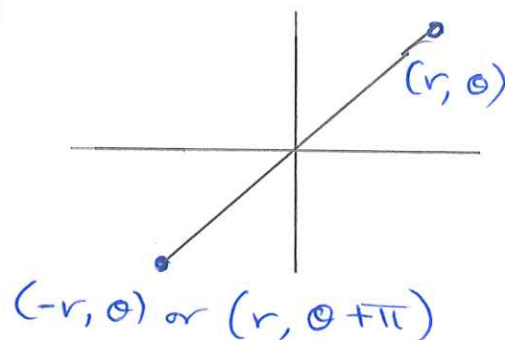
$$(r, \theta) \leftrightarrow (-r, \theta) \text{ or } (r, \theta + \pi).$$



↑  
About x-axis.



↑  
About y-axis.



↑  
About the Origin

Remark : Each Graph has one of the following :

- 1) NO symmetries.
- 2) Only one symmetry.
- 3) All the three symmetries.

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Remark: Any Curve of the form:

symmetry  
y-axis ←

$$r = a + a \sin \theta$$

or

$$r = a + a \cos \theta$$

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symmetry  
→ x-axis

is called a "Cardioid".

Example: sketch the graph of the following

(1)  $r = 1 - \cos \theta$ , (Cardioid).

First, we need to check symmetries:

(1) About the  $x$ -axis:  $(r, -\theta)$  or  $(-r, \pi - \theta)$  ??

$$(r, \theta) \in \text{graph} \Rightarrow r = 1 - \cos \theta = 1 - \cos(-\theta)$$

$\Rightarrow (r, -\theta) \in \text{graph} \Rightarrow$  The Curve is symmetric about  $x$ -axis.

(2) About the  $y$ -axis:  $(r, \pi - \theta)$  or  $(-r, -\theta)$  ??

$$\left. \begin{aligned} 1 - \cos(-\theta) &= 1 - \cos \theta \neq -r \\ 1 - \underbrace{\cos(\pi - \theta)}_{-\cos \theta} &= 1 + \cos \theta \neq r \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow \text{The Curve is } \text{Not} \text{ symmetric about } y\text{-axis.}$$

(3) About the Origin:  $(-r, \theta)$  or  $(r, \theta + \pi)$  ??

$$\left. \begin{aligned} 1 - \cos \theta &\neq -r \\ 1 - \cos(\theta + \pi) &= 1 + \cos \theta \neq r \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow \text{The Curve is } \text{Not} \text{ symmetric about the origin.}$$

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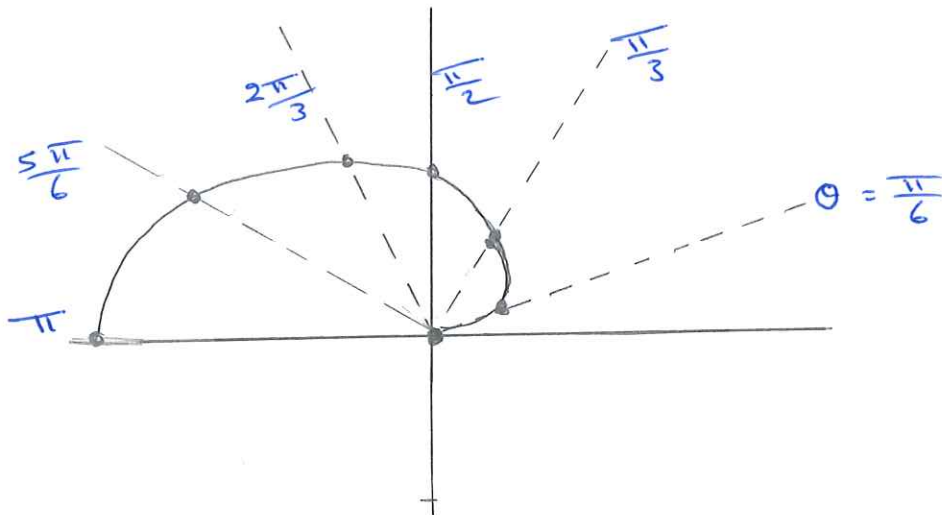
Now, we need to construct a table for  $r$  and  $\theta$

taking in consideration if  $r$  is periodic in  $\theta$

and the symmetry about  $x$ -axis. (i.e. 0 to  $\pi$ ) is enough here.



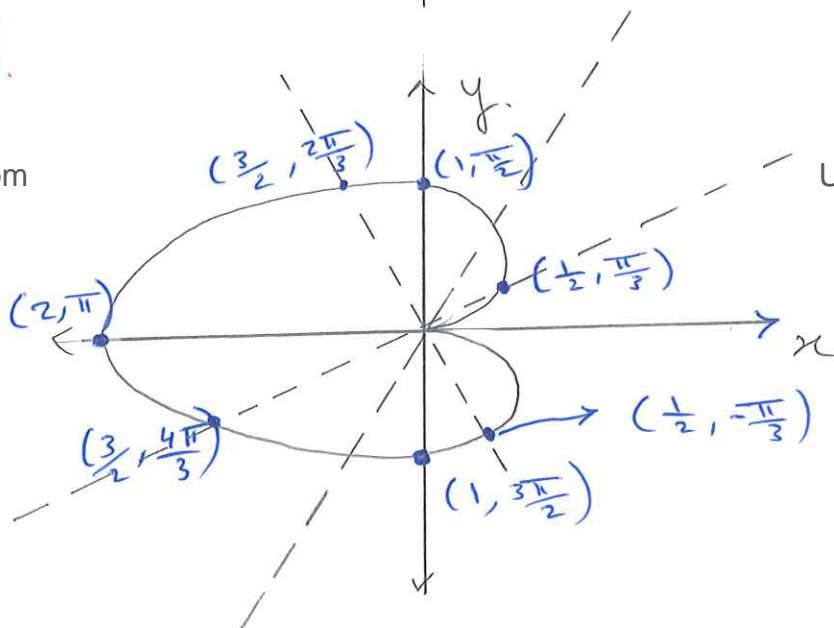
$\theta$	$r = 1 - \cos \theta$	$(r, \theta)$
0	0	(0, 0)
$\frac{\pi}{3}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{\pi}{3})$
$\frac{\pi}{2}$	1	$(1, \frac{\pi}{2})$
$\frac{2\pi}{3}$	$\frac{3}{2}$	$(\frac{3}{2}, \frac{2\pi}{3})$
$\pi$	2	$(2, \pi)$
$\frac{3\pi}{2}$	1	$(1, \frac{3\pi}{2})$



Cardioid.

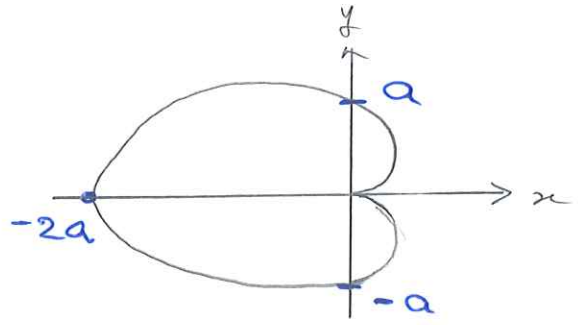
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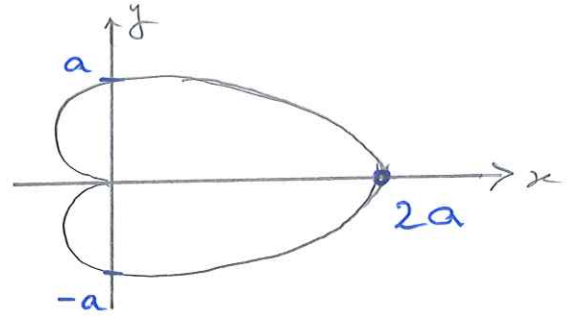


# Graphs:

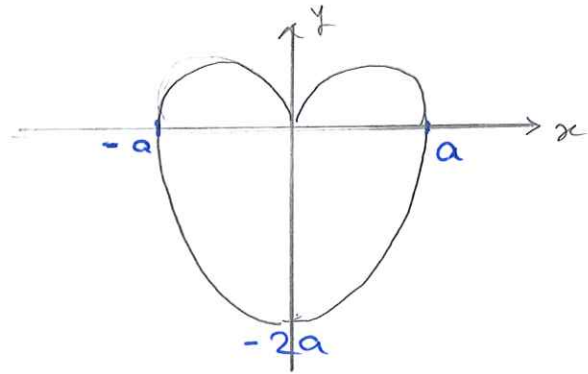
①  $r = a(1 - \cos \theta)$



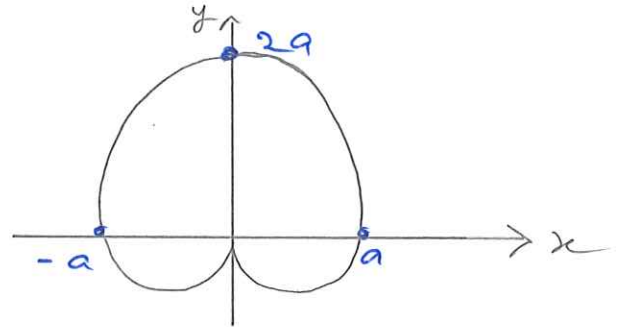
②  $r = a(1 + \cos \theta)$



③  $r = a(1 - \sin \theta)$



④  $r = a(1 + \sin \theta)$



(Q6) (2) sketch  $r = 1 + 2\sin \theta$ .

First, we need to check symmetries.

(1) About the  $x$ -axis.  $(r, -\theta)$  or  $(-r, \pi - \theta)$  ??

$$(r, \theta) \in \text{graph} \Rightarrow r = 1 + 2\sin \theta.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{But: } & 1 + 2\sin(-\theta) = 1 - 2\sin \theta \neq r. \\ & \& 1 + 2\sin(\pi - \theta) = 1 + 2\sin \theta \neq -r. \end{aligned} \Rightarrow \text{No symmetry about } x\text{-axis.}$$

(2) About  $y$ -axis:  $(r, \pi - \theta)$  or  $(-r, -\theta)$

$$1 + 2\sin(\pi - \theta) = 1 + 2\sin \theta = r \Rightarrow \text{The Curve is symmetric about } y\text{-axis}$$

(3) No symmetry about the origin'  $\Rightarrow$  (check).

since the symmetry is about the  $y$ -axis, and

the function  $\sin \theta$  is periodic of period  $2\pi$

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it's enough to draw the graph in the first

and fourth quadrants. (i.e),  $(-\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2})$ .

$\theta$	$r = 1 + 2\sin \theta$	$(r, \theta)$
$-\frac{\pi}{2}$	-1	$(-1, -\frac{\pi}{2})$
$-\frac{\pi}{3}$	$\approx -0.73$	$(-0.73, -\frac{\pi}{3})$
$-\frac{\pi}{6}$	0	$(0, -\frac{\pi}{6})$
0	1	$(1, 0)$
$\frac{\pi}{6}$	2	$(2, \frac{\pi}{6})$
$\frac{\pi}{3}$	$\approx 2.73$	$(2.73, \frac{\pi}{3})$
$\frac{\pi}{2}$	3	$(3, \frac{\pi}{2})$

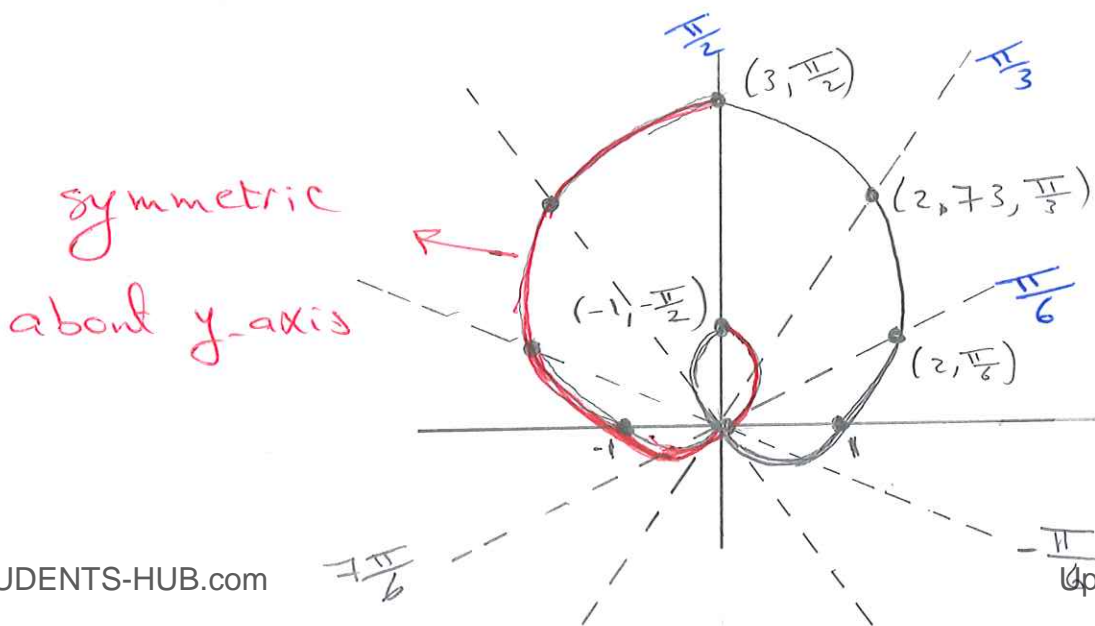
$$r = 1 + 2\sin \theta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{7\pi}{6}$$

or

$$\theta = \frac{11\pi}{6} = -\frac{\pi}{6}$$



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Remark: The curve is called Limaçon with inner loop, with general form:

$$r = a + b\sin \theta$$

مركز الـ y-axis

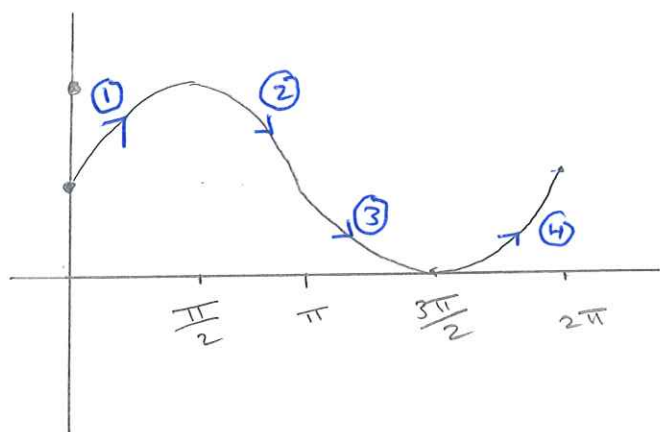
Remark: If  $r = a + b \cos \theta$ , then

the curve is also Lemniscate with inner loop but it's symmetric about x-axis.

If  $b > 0$ , then it's to the right side.

If  $b < 0$ , then it's to the left side

Example: sketch  $r = 1 + \sin \theta$ .



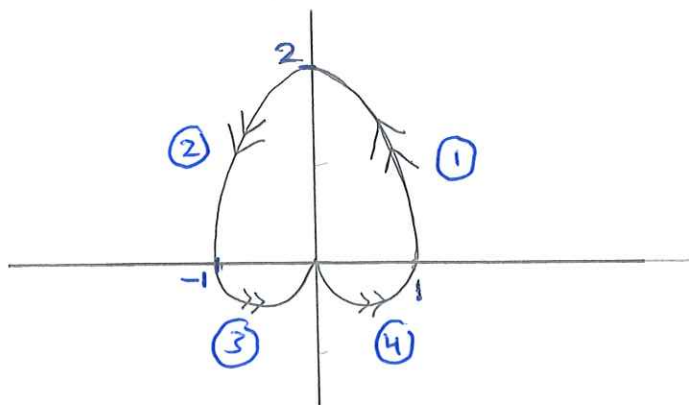
$\Rightarrow r = 1 + \sin \theta$   
In the Cartesian  
Coordinates.

Notice that: ① As  $\theta$  increases from 0 to  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ ,  
 $r$  increases from 1 to 2.

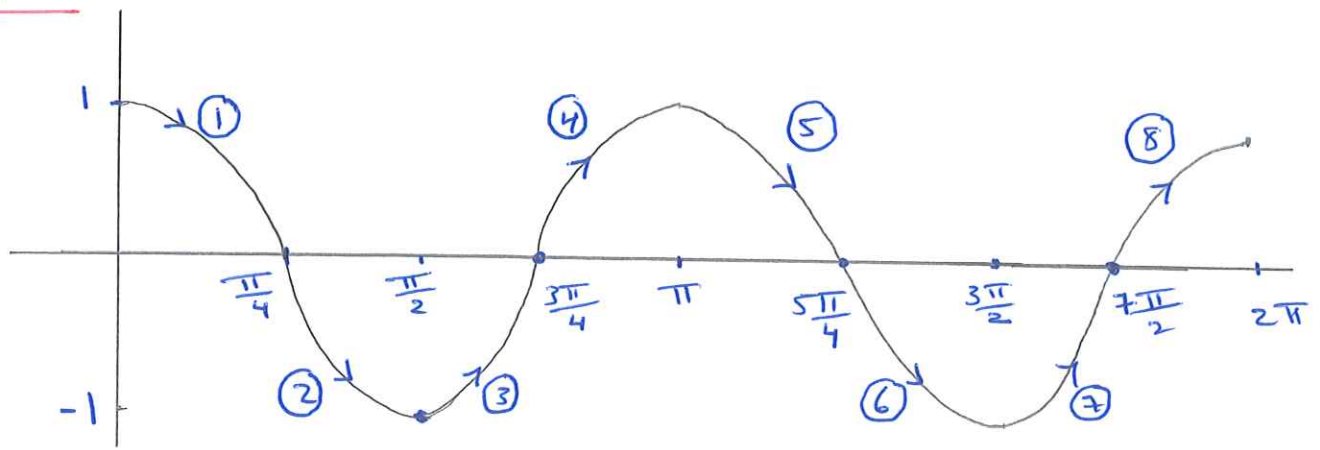
② As  $\theta$  increases from  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  to  $\pi$ ,  $r$  decreases from 2 to 1.

③ As  $\theta$  increases from  $\pi$  to  $\frac{3\pi}{2}$ ,  $r$  decreases from 1 to 0

④ As  $\theta$  increases from  $\frac{3\pi}{2}$  to  $2\pi$ ,  $r$  increases from 0 to 1



Example: Sketch the Curve  $r = \cos 2\theta$ .

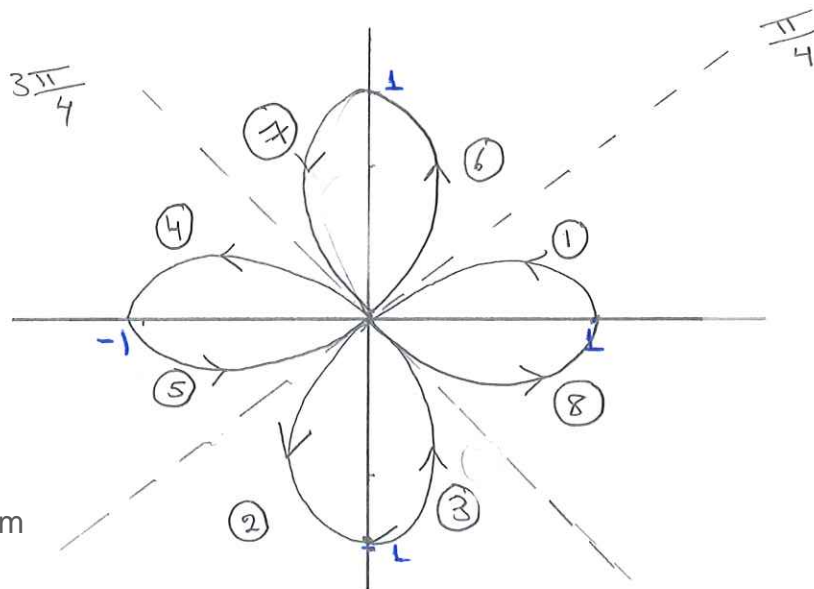


Notice that: ① As  $\theta$  increases from  $0$  to  $\frac{\pi}{4}$

$r$  decreases from  $1$  to  $0$ .

② As  $\theta$  increases from  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  to  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ ,  $r$  decreases from

$0$  to  $-1$ , ... etc --



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Remarks:

① This curve is called Four Leaved Rose.

② This graph is a good graph since its

symmetric about  $x$ -axis,  $y$ -axis & the Origin.

1)  $x$ -axis : If  $(r, \theta) \in \text{graph}$ , then

$(r, -\theta) \in \text{graph}$  also,  $[r = \cos 2\theta = \cos(-2\theta)]$ .

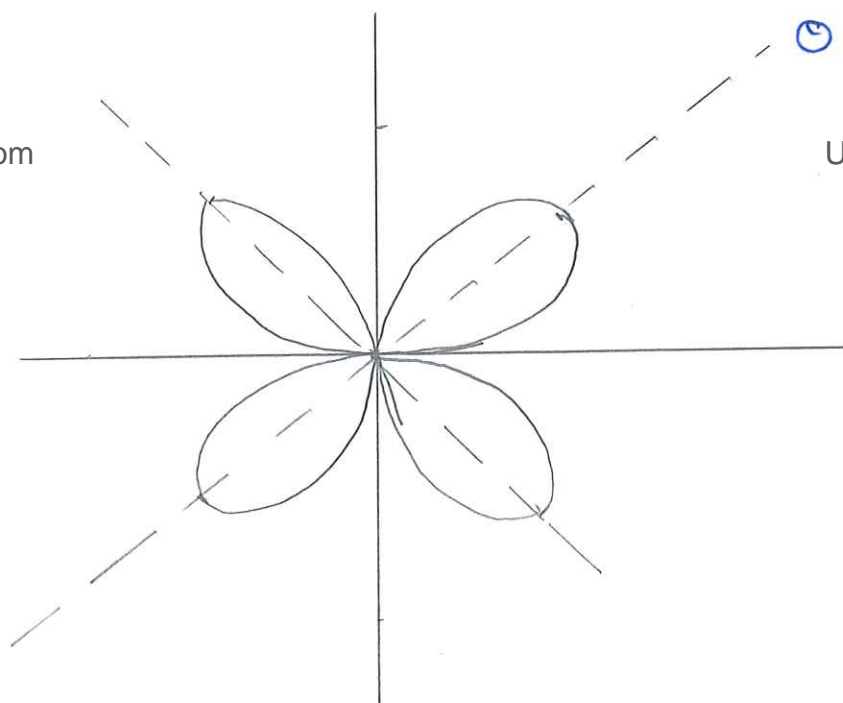
2)  $y$ -axis :  $(r, \theta) \in \text{graph}$ , then  $(r, \pi - \theta) \in \text{graph}$

also,  $[\cos(2(\pi - \theta)) = \cos 2\pi \cos 2\theta + \sin 2\pi \sin 2\theta$   
 $= \cos 2\pi = r]$ .

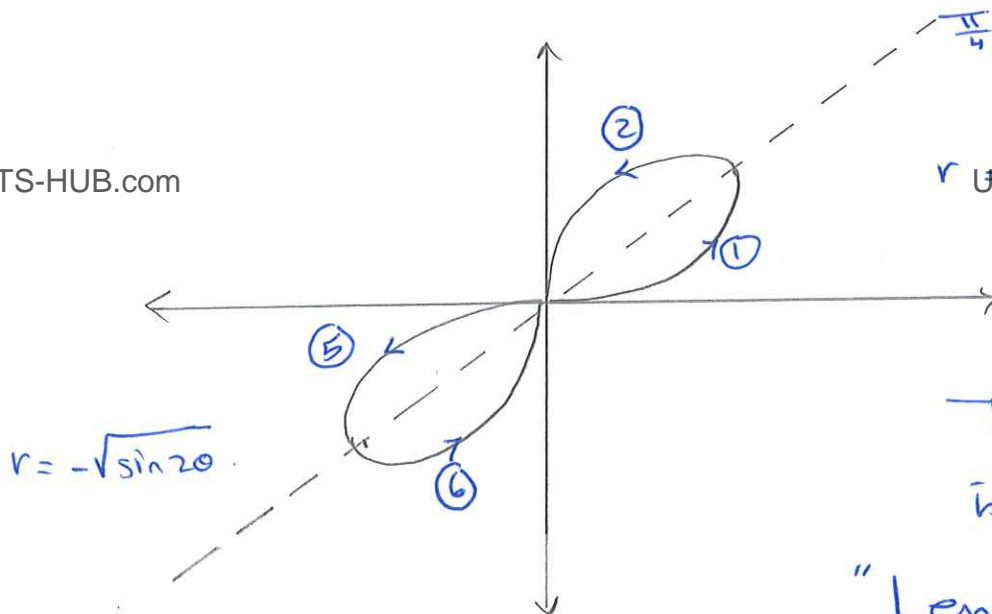
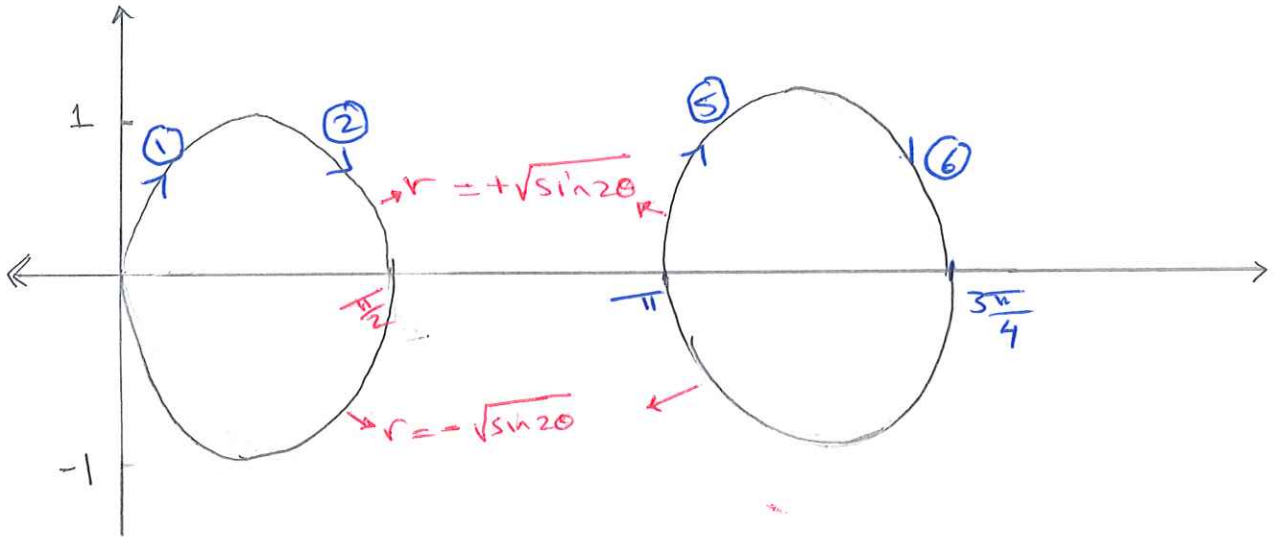
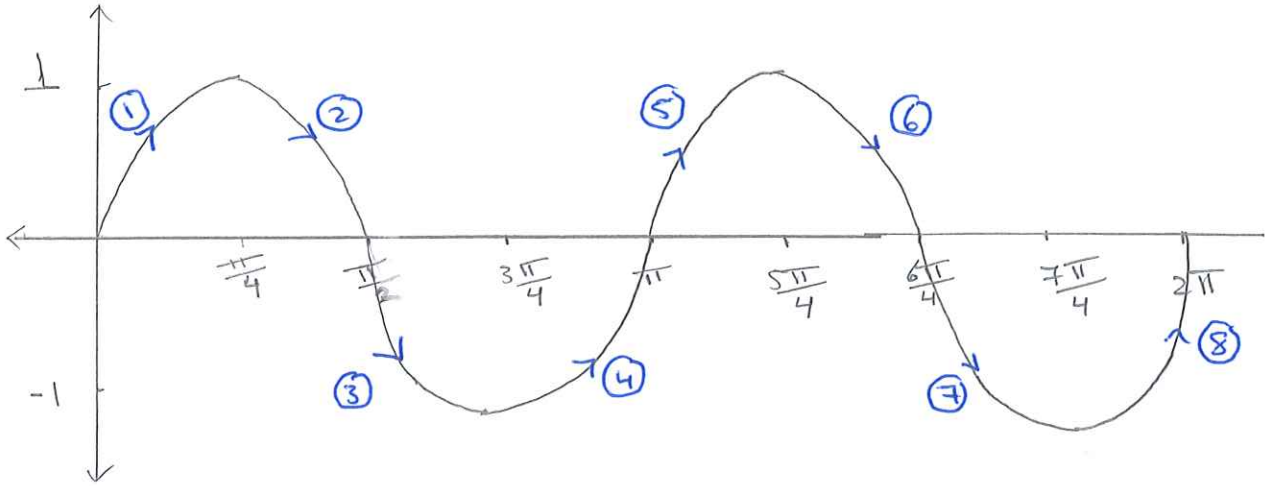
3) Origin :  $(r, \theta) \in \text{graph}$ , then  $(r, \theta + \pi) \in \text{graph}$

also,  $[\cos(2(\theta + \pi)) = \cos 2\theta \cos 2\pi - \sin 2\theta \sin 2\pi$   
 $= \cos 2\theta = r]$ .

Example:  $r = \sin 2\theta$



Example: sketch  $r^2 = \sin 2\theta$



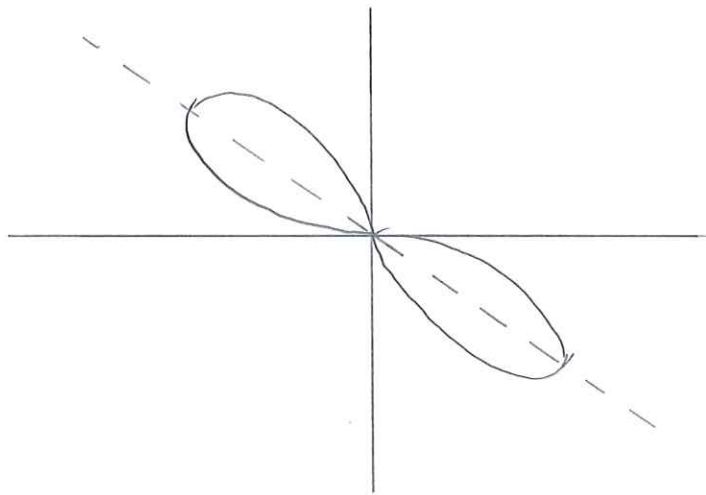
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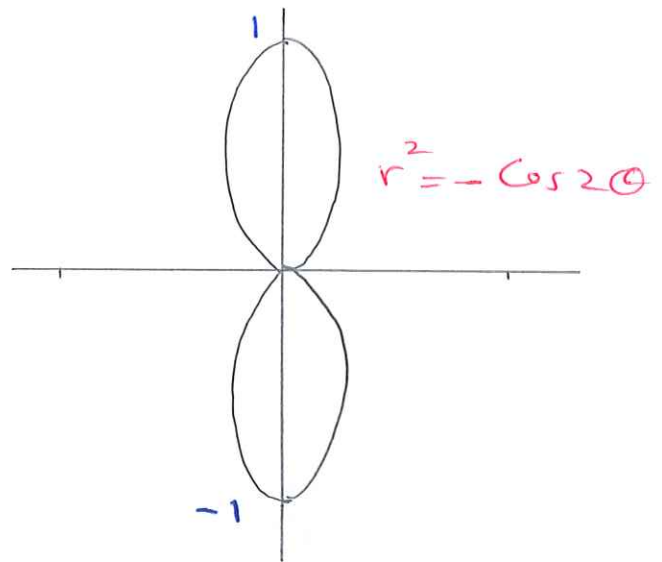
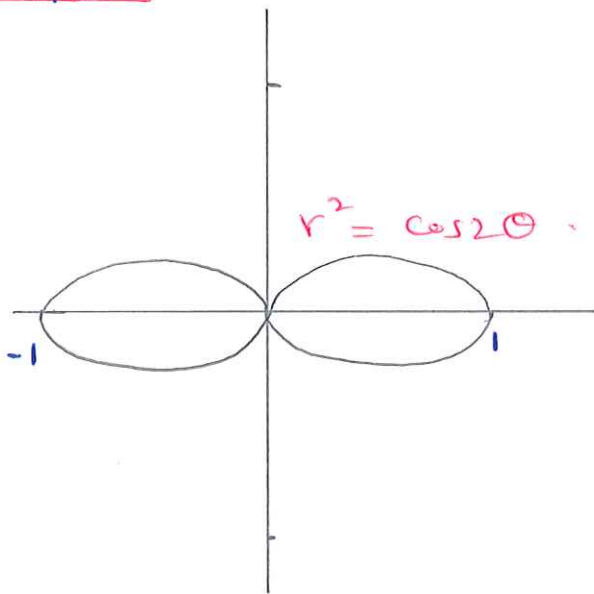
The Curve  
is called  
"Lemniscate"



Example : sketch  $r^2 = -\sin 2\theta$ .



Example: sketch  $r^2 = \cos 2\theta$  &  $r^2 = -\cos 2\theta$ .



Slope of the Curve  $r = f(\theta)$

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If we have a curve that is given in

Polar Coordinates and we want to find the

slope at  $(r, \theta)$ , then we need to find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ .

$$\left( \frac{dy}{dx} = f'(\theta) \right).$$

Recall that :  $x = r \cos \theta = f(\theta) \cos \theta$ .

$$y = r \sin \theta = f(\theta) \sin \theta.$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Slope} = \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{(r,\theta)} = \left. \frac{dy/d\theta}{dx/d\theta} \right|_{(r,\theta)}$$

$$= \frac{f(\theta) \cos \theta + f'(\theta) \sin \theta}{-f(\theta) \sin \theta + f'(\theta) \cos \theta}, \quad \frac{dx}{d\theta} \neq 0$$

Remark : If  $r = f(\theta)$  passes through the Origin  $(0, \theta_0)$ , then

$$\text{slope} \Big|_{(0, \theta_0)} = \frac{f'(\theta_0) \sin \theta_0}{f'(\theta_0) \cos \theta_0} = \tan \theta_0.$$

Example: Find the slope of  $r = \cos 2\theta$  at  $\theta = 0$

&  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

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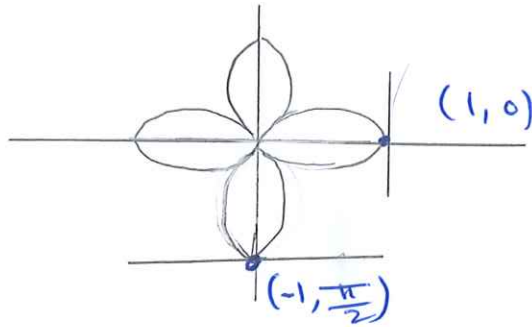
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sol: when  $\theta = 0$ , then  $r = 1$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{slope} \Big|_{(1,0)} &= \left. \frac{r \cos \theta + r' \sin \theta}{-r \sin \theta + r' \cos \theta} \right|_{(1,0)} = \frac{1(\cos 0) + 2 \sin 0 (\sin 0)}{-1(\sin 0) - 2 \sin 0 (\cos 0)} \\ &= \frac{1}{0}, \quad \text{Undefined} \end{aligned}$$

when  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$  ,  $r = -1$

$$\text{slope} \Big|_{(-1, \frac{\pi}{2})} = \frac{-1 \cos(\frac{\pi}{2}) - 2 \sin(\frac{\pi}{2}) \sin(\frac{\pi}{2})}{1 \sin(\frac{\pi}{2}) - 2 \sin(\frac{\pi}{2}) \cos(\frac{\pi}{2})} = \boxed{0}$$



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Example: Find the slope of  $r = -2 + 3 \cos \theta$   
at  $(0, \frac{\pi}{3})$ .

$$\text{slope} \Big|_{(0, \frac{\pi}{3})} = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \sqrt{3} . .$$

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Example: For the Cardioid  $r = 1 + \sin \theta$ .

- 1) Find the slope of the tangent line at  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$ .
- 2) Find the points on the Cardioid where the tangent line is Horizontal or Vertical.

Sol: 1)  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{r \cos \theta + r' \sin \theta}{-r \sin \theta + r' \cos \theta}$

$$= \frac{(1 + \sin \theta) \cos \theta + \cos \theta \sin \theta}{-(1 + \sin \theta) \sin \theta + \cos \theta \cdot \cos \theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{(\theta = \frac{\pi}{3})} = \frac{(1 + \sin \frac{\pi}{3}) \cos(\frac{\pi}{3}) + \cos(\frac{\pi}{3}) \sin(\frac{\pi}{3})}{-(1 + \sin \frac{\pi}{3}) \sin(\frac{\pi}{3}) + (\cos \frac{\pi}{3})^2}$$

$$= \frac{(1 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2})(\frac{1}{2}) + (\frac{1}{2})(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2})}{-(1 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2})(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}) + (\frac{1}{2})^2}$$

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$$= \frac{(1 + \sqrt{3})/2}{-(1 + \sqrt{3})/2} = \boxed{-1}$$

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2) Recall that the Horizontal Tangent Lines Occur

$$\text{When } \frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \Leftrightarrow \frac{dy}{d\theta} = 0$$

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& the vertical tangent where the denominator

is 0, Now,  $y = r \sin \theta$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \frac{dy}{d\theta} &= r \cos \theta + r' \sin \theta = (1 + \sin \theta) \cos \theta + \sin \theta \cos \theta \\ &= \cos \theta + 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta = \cos \theta (1 + 2 \sin \theta) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = 0 \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

$$\text{or } (1 + 2 \sin \theta) = 0 \Rightarrow \sin \theta = -\frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{7\pi}{6}, \frac{11\pi}{6}$$

Now,  $x = r \cos \theta$

$(1 - \sin^2 \theta)$

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$$\Rightarrow \frac{dx}{d\theta} = -r \sin \theta + r' \cos \theta = -(1 + \sin \theta) \sin \theta + \cos^2 \theta$$

$$= (1 - \sin^2 \theta) - \sin \theta (1 + \sin \theta)$$

$$= (1 - \sin \theta)(1 + \sin \theta) - \sin \theta (1 + \sin \theta)$$

$$= (1 + \sin \theta)(1 - 2 \sin \theta) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 + \sin \theta) = 0 \Rightarrow \sin \theta = -1 \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

$$\text{or } (1 - 2 \sin \theta) = 0 \Rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}$$

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Notice that  $\left. \frac{dy/d\theta}{dx/d\theta} \right| = \frac{0}{0}$ .

$$\theta = \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

So, we need to check if there is a Horizontal or vertical

Asymptote at  $\theta = \frac{3\pi}{2}$ .

$$\lim_{\theta \rightarrow \frac{3\pi}{2}^-} \frac{dy/d\theta}{dx/d\theta} = \infty \quad \& \quad \lim_{\theta \rightarrow \frac{3\pi}{2}^+} \frac{dy/d\theta}{dx/d\theta} = -\infty$$

Therefore, at  $\theta = \frac{3\pi}{2}$ , there is a Vertical

Asymptote.

Therefore, The Cardioid has a Horizontal Tangent

Lines at  $(2, \frac{\pi}{2})$ ,  $(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{7\pi}{6})$ ,  $(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{11\pi}{6})$

and a Vertical Tangent Lines at

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$(\frac{3}{2}, \frac{\pi}{6})$ ,  $(\frac{3}{2}, \frac{5\pi}{6})$ ,  $(0, \frac{3\pi}{2})$

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# Lecture Problems:

(Q13) sketch  $r^2 = 4 \cos 2\theta$ .

We need to check symmetries:

1) x-axis: If  $(r, \theta) \in \text{graph}$ , then  $(r, -\theta) \in \text{graph}$ .

(since:  $4 \cos(2(-\theta)) = 4 \cos 2\theta = r$ ).

2) y-axis: If  $(r, \theta) \in \text{graph}$ , then  $(-r, -\theta) \in \text{graph}$ .

(since:  $(-r)^2 = 4 \cos(-2\theta) \Rightarrow r^2 = 4 \cos 2\theta$ ).

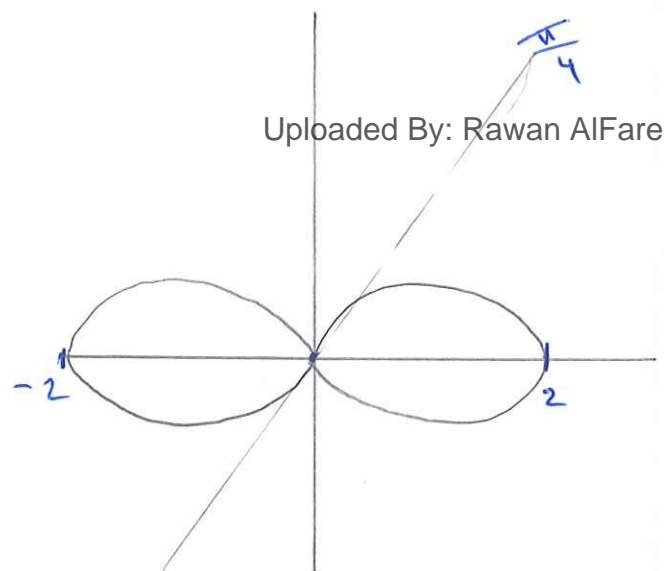
3) Origin: Yes, (Check !!)

Notice that  $r^2 = 4 \cos 2\theta$  is always nonnegative.

therefore  $2\theta$  must be in the first & fourth quadrant. So take  $2\theta$  in the first quadrant

then apply the symmetries.

$\theta$	$r = \pm \sqrt{4 \cos 2\theta}$	$(r, \theta)$
0	$\pm 2$	$(\pm 2, 0)$
$\frac{\pi}{12}$	$\pm 1.86$	$(\pm 1.86, \frac{\pi}{12})$
$\frac{\pi}{6}$	$\pm 1.414$	$(\pm 1.414, \frac{\pi}{6})$
$\frac{\pi}{4}$	0	$(0, \frac{\pi}{4})$



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(Q14)  $r^2 = 4 \sin 2\theta$

check the symmetries:

1) x-axis: If  $(r, \theta) \in \text{graph}$ , then  $(r, -\theta) \notin \text{graph}$   
&  $(-r, \pi - \theta) \notin \text{graph}$ .

(NO)

$4 \sin(-2\theta) = -4 \sin 2\theta \neq r^2$ .

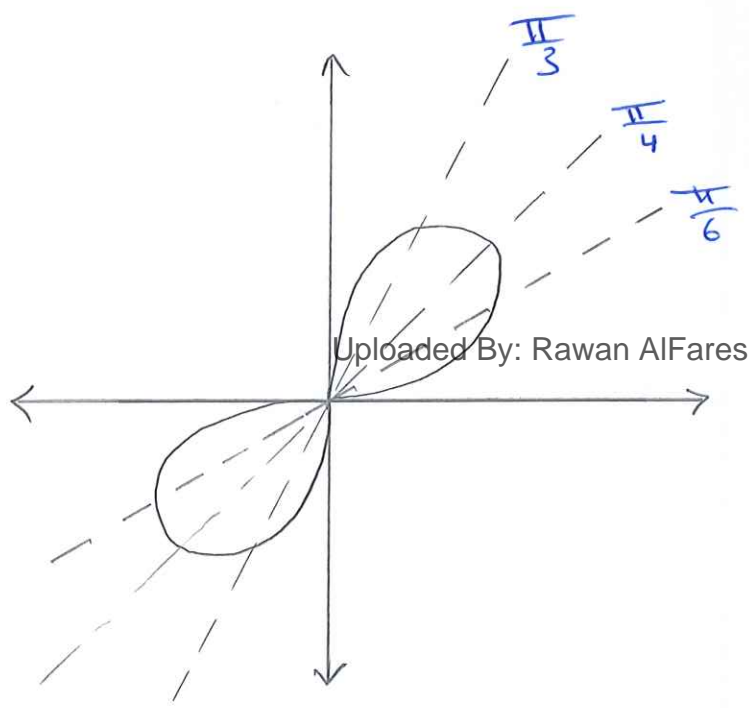
&  $4 \sin(2(\pi - \theta)) = 4 \sin(-2\theta) = -4 \sin 2\theta \neq r^2$ .

2) y-axis: If  $(r, \theta) \in \text{graph}$ , then  $(r, \pi - \theta) \notin \text{graph}$   
(check !!) &  $(-r, -\theta) \notin \text{graph}$ . (NO)

3) Origin:  $(r, \theta) \in \text{graph} \Rightarrow (-r, \theta) \in \text{graph}$ . (Yes)

$\theta$	$r = \pm \sqrt{4 \sin 2\theta}$	$(r, \theta)$
0	0	(0, 0)
$\frac{\pi}{6}$	$\pm 1.86$	$(\pm 1.86, \frac{\pi}{6})$
$\frac{\pi}{4}$	$\pm 2$	$(\pm 2, \frac{\pi}{4})$
$\frac{\pi}{3}$	$\pm 1.86$	$(\pm 1.86, \frac{\pi}{3})$
$\frac{\pi}{2}$	0	$(0, \frac{\pi}{2})$

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