

ENHANCED ANALYTICAL PERSPECTIVES ON HYPERBOLIC GEOMETRY AND ITS PROPERTIES

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ABSTRACT

A hyperbola is defined as the locus of points for which the absolute difference of the distances to two fixed points, known as the foci, remains constant. Its fundamental components include the center, transverse and conjugate axes, vertices, foci, and asymptotes. The geometric properties of a hyperbola establish intrinsic relationships among its axes, focal distances, tangent, normal, directrix, and vertex.

This research article examines the geometric and mathematical significance of the hyperbola as a fundamental conic section. Extending beyond its classical definition, the study presents seven newly derived properties and three theorems that characterize the relationships between the angle formed between elements such as tangent, normal & focal distances. Each property and theorem is rigorously formulated and supported with detailed proofs, step-by-step derivations, and illustrative diagrams to enhance conceptual clarity.

These contributions collectively enrich the theoretical framework of hyperbola geometry and provide a valuable reference for researchers engaged in advanced studies of conic sections. Furthermore, the newly identified properties offer potential applications in the development of Artificial Intelligence techniques for analysing hyperbolic structures and their role in mathematical modelling.

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INTRODUCTION

A hyperbola [Borowski E.J & Borwein J.M (1991)] can be defined in two equivalent ways: as the locus of a point whose distance from a fixed point (focus) [Christopher Clapham & James Nicolson (2009)], and a fixed line (directrix) [Borowski E.J & Borwein J.M (1991)] are in a constant ratio, or as the set of points for which the absolute difference of the distances from two fixed points, known as the foci, remains constant. Fundamental concepts such as the foci, directrix, latus rectum, and eccentricity [Borowski E.J & Borwein J.M (1991)] play a central role in its geometric characterization. Hyperbolas appear naturally in various phenomena, including the path traced by the tip of a sundial's shadow and the scattering trajectories of subatomic particles. Owing to their unique structure, hyperbolas hold significant importance in astronomy, physics, engineering, and several branches of applied mathematics.

This research article extends the traditional study of the hyperbola by introducing newly derived properties and theorems concerning the angle in between its tangent [Borowski E.J & Borwein J.M (1991)], normal [Borowski E.J & Borwein J.M (1991)], and focal distances [Borowski E.J & Borwein J.M (1991)]. Each result is rigorously formulated and supported by comprehensive proofs, detailed step-by-step derivations, and analytically constructed diagrams that enhance conceptual clarity. In addition to these contributions, the study establishes refined mathematical relationships with respect to angle between the elements involving the tangent, normal, focal distances, and other essential geometric elements of the hyperbola.

To support the development of these results, a separate Analysis section presents the fundamental formulas derived from the parametric equations [Borowski E.J & Borwein J.M (1991)] of the hyperbola. These serve as the foundational framework for the logical progression of proofs and derivations. Collectively, the findings enrich the theoretical landscape of hyperbola geometry and offer new insights for advanced studies in conic sections and related mathematical disciplines.

ANALYSIS & DERIVATIONS OF EQUATIONS FOR ELEMENTS

Referring fig.1,

This figure shows the basic elements of an ellipse that should be understood before proceeding to the analysis and derivations.

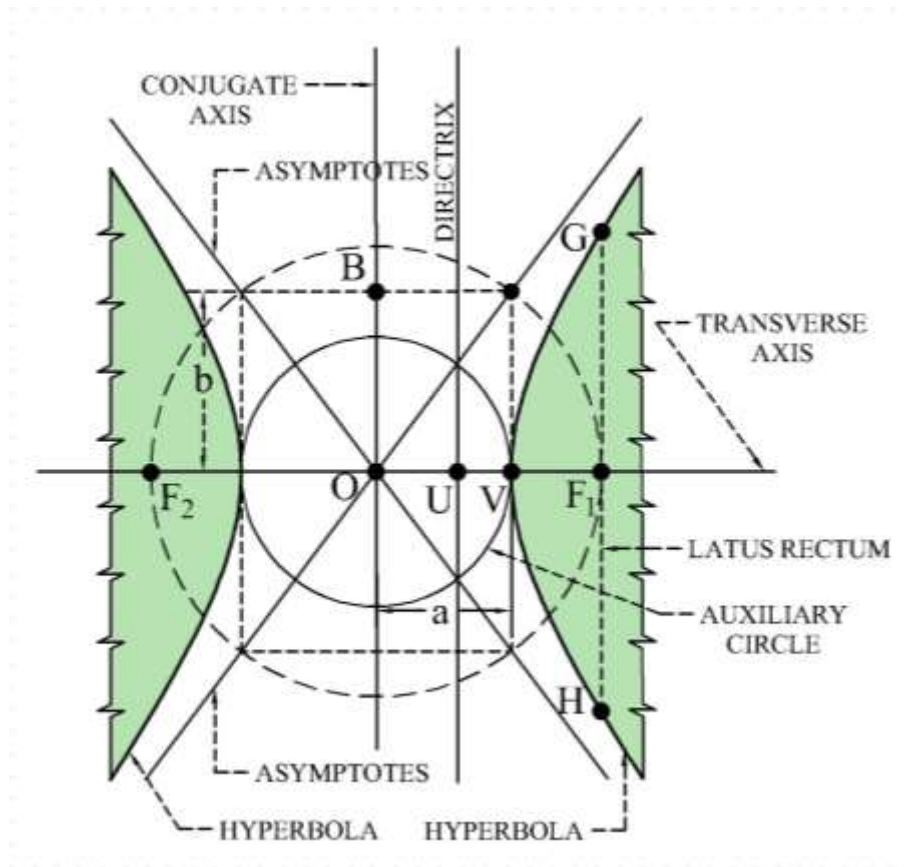


Fig. 1: Basic elements of an Hyperbola

Referring fig. 2,

$$OQ = \frac{a}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (A.1)$$

$$PQ = OR = \frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (A.2)$$

$$OF_1 = OF_2 = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \quad \dots (A.3)$$

Referring fig. 2, $F_1Q = OQ - OF_1$

Substituting eqns. (A.2) & (A.1),

$$\therefore F_1 Q = \left(\frac{a}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \right) - \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$$

$$\therefore F_1 Q = \frac{a - \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (A.4)$$

Referring fig. 2, in right-triangle F_1QP ,

$$PF_1^2 = F_1Q^2 + PQ^2$$

Referring fig. 2,

We know that parametric equation is $x = a \sec(\theta^\circ)$ & $y = b \tan(\theta^\circ)$.

In this figure let $(x, y) = (OQ, PQ)$. Therefore,

Substituting eqns. (A.4) & (A.3),

$$\therefore PF_1^2 = \left(\frac{a - \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \right)^2$$

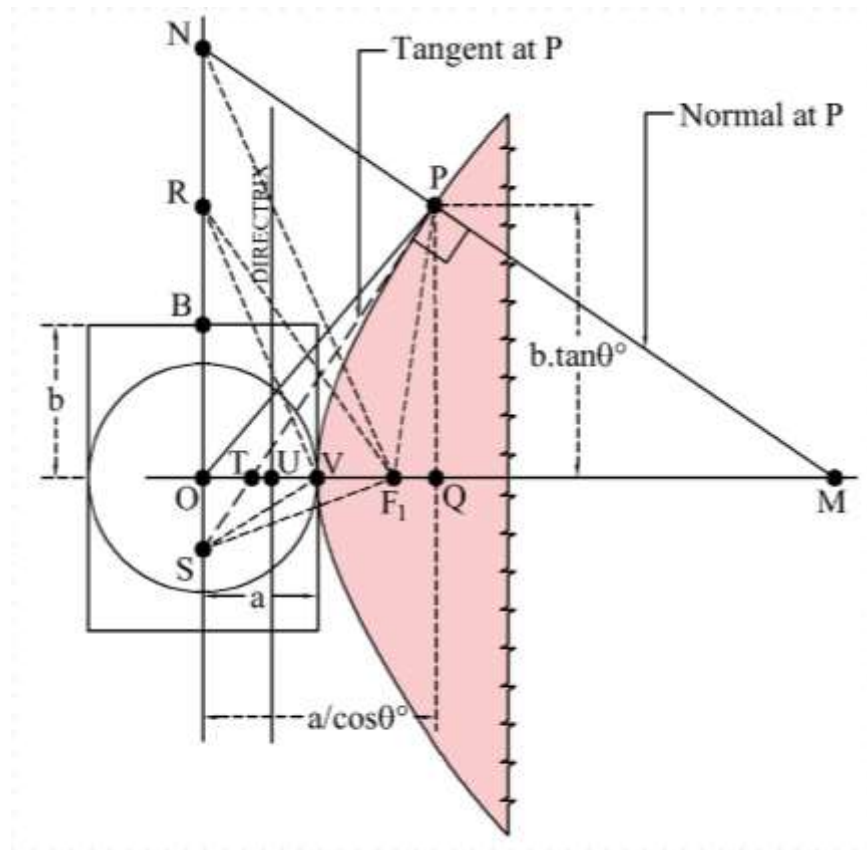


Fig.2

In this figure. 2,

Point O is the centre of the hyperbola, otherwise it is intersection of transverse axis [Christopher Clapham & James Nicolson (2009)] & conjugate axis [Borowski E.J & Borwein J.M (1991)].

Point F_1 are foci of the hyperbola.

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Point P	is a point considered anywhere on hyperbola.
Point Q	is projection of point P on transverse axis.
OQ	is abscissa [Borowski E.J & Borwein J.M (1991)] of point P.
PQ or OR	is ordinate [Borowski E.J & Borwein J.M (1991)] of point P.
Point R	is projection of point P on conjugate axis.
Point T	is intersection of the tangent and transverse axis, where PT is a tangent drawn at point P on hyperbola.
QT	is sub-tangent [Borowski E.J & Borwein J.M (1991)] about transverse axis.
Point S	PS is a tangent drawn at point P on hyperbola and S is intersection of tangent and conjugate axis.
RS	is sub-tangent about conjugate axis.
Point M	is intersection of normal and transverse axis, where MN is a normal drawn at point P on hyperbola.
QM	is sub-normal [Mark D Licker (2003)] about transverse axis.
Point N	is intersection of normal & conjugate axis.
RN	is sub-normal about conjugate axis.

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore PF_1^2 &= \frac{a^2 + (a^2 + b^2)\cos^2(\theta^\circ) - 2a\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos(\theta^\circ)}{\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} + \frac{b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)}{\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore PF_1^2 &= \frac{a^2 + a^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ) - 2a\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos(\theta^\circ) + b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)}{\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore PF_1^2 &= \frac{a^2 + b^2[\cos^2(\theta^\circ) + \sin^2(\theta^\circ)] + a^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ) - 2a\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos(\theta^\circ)}{\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore PF_1^2 &= \frac{a^2 + b^2 + a^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ) - 2a\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos(\theta^\circ)}{\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore PF_1^2 &= \frac{(\sqrt{a^2 + b^2})^2 + [a\cos(\theta^\circ)]^2 - 2\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}a\cos(\theta^\circ)}{\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore PF_1^2 &= \left(\frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a\cos(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \right)^2 \\ \therefore PF_1 &= \frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a\cos(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \end{aligned} \quad \dots (A.5)$$

Referring fig. 2,

We know that $OT \times OQ = a^2$

$$\therefore OT = \frac{a^2}{OQ}$$

Substituting eqns. (A.2) in above eqn.,

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore OT &= \frac{a^2}{\left(\frac{a}{\cos(\theta^\circ)}\right)} \\ \therefore OT &= a^2 \times \frac{\cos(\theta^\circ)}{a} \\ \therefore OT &= a \cos(\theta^\circ) \quad \dots (A.6)\end{aligned}$$

We know that $OS \times OR = b^2$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore OS &= \frac{b^2}{OR} \\ \text{Substituting eqns. (A.3) in above eqn.,} \\ \therefore OS &= \frac{b^2}{\left(\frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)}\right)} \\ \therefore OS &= b^2 \times \frac{\cos(\theta^\circ)}{b \sin(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore OS &= \frac{b \cos(\theta^\circ)}{\sin(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (A.7)\end{aligned}$$

Referring fig. 2, $TQ = OQ - OT$

Substituting eqns. (A.2) & (A.6) in above eqn.,

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore TQ &= \left(\frac{a}{\cos(\theta^\circ)}\right) - a \cos(\theta^\circ) \\ \therefore TQ &= \frac{a - a \cos^2(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore TQ &= \frac{a[1 - \cos^2(\theta^\circ)]}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore TQ &= \frac{a \sin^2(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (A.8)\end{aligned}$$

Referring fig. 2, ΔMQP & ΔPQT are similar.

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \frac{PQ}{QM} &= \frac{TQ}{PQ} \\ \therefore QM &= \frac{PQ}{TQ} \times PQ \\ \therefore QM &= \frac{PQ^2}{TQ}\end{aligned}$$

Substituting eqns. (A.3) & (A.8),

$$\therefore QM = \left(\frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)}\right)^2 \div \left(\frac{a \sin^2(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)}\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore QM &= \left(\frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \right)^2 \times \left(\frac{\cos(\theta^\circ)}{a \sin^2(\theta^\circ)} \right) \\ \therefore QM &= \frac{b^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ)}{\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \times \frac{\cos(\theta^\circ)}{a \sin^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore QM &= \frac{b^2}{a \cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (A.9)\end{aligned}$$

Referring fig. 2, $OM = OQ + QM$

Substituting eqns. (A.2) & (A.9) in above eqn.,

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore OM &= \left(\frac{a}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \right) + \left(\frac{b^2}{a \cos(\theta^\circ)} \right) \\ \therefore OM &= \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a \cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (A.10)\end{aligned}$$

Referring fig. 2, ΔMON & ΔMQP are similar.

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \frac{ON}{OM} &= \frac{PQ}{QM} \\ \therefore ON &= \frac{PQ \times OM}{QM}\end{aligned}$$

Substituting eqns. (A.3), (A.10) & (A.9),

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore ON &= \frac{\left(\frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \right) \times \left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{a \cos(\theta^\circ)} \right)}{\left(\frac{b^2}{a \cos(\theta^\circ)} \right)} \\ \therefore ON &= \frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \times \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a \cos(\theta^\circ)} \times \frac{a \cos(\theta^\circ)}{b^2} \\ \therefore ON &= \frac{(a^2 + b^2) \sin(\theta^\circ)}{b \cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (A.11)\end{aligned}$$

Referring fig. 2, $TM = OM - OT$

Substituting eqns. (A.10) & (A.6) in above eqn.,

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore TM &= \left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{a \cos(\theta^\circ)} \right) - a \cos(\theta^\circ) \\ \therefore TM &= \frac{a^2 + b^2 - a^2 \cos^2(\theta^\circ)}{a \cos(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore TM &= \frac{a^2 [1 - \cos^2(\theta^\circ)] + b^2}{a \cos(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore TM &= \frac{a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}{a \cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (A.12)\end{aligned}$$

Referring fig. 2, $F_1T = OF_1 - OT$

Substituting eqns. (A.1) & (A.6),

$$F_1T = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a\cos(\theta^\circ) \quad \dots (A.13)$$

Referring fig. 2, in right-triangle MQP,

$$PM^2 = QM^2 + PQ^2$$

Substituting eqns. (A.9) & (A.3) in above eqn.,

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore PM^2 &= \left(\frac{b^2}{a\cos(\theta^\circ)} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{b\sin(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \right)^2 \\ \therefore PM^2 &= \frac{b^4}{a^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} + \frac{b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)}{\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore PM^2 &= \frac{b^4 + a^2b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)}{a^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore PM^2 &= \frac{b^2[b^2 + a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)]}{a^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore PM &= \frac{b\sqrt{b^2 + a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)}}{a\cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (A.14) \end{aligned}$$

Referring fig. 2, in right-triangle MPT,

$$PT^2 + PM^2 = TM^2$$

$$\therefore PT^2 = TM^2 - PM^2$$

Substituting eqns. (A.12) & (A.14),

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore PT^2 &= \left(\frac{a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}{a\cos(\theta^\circ)} \right)^2 - \left(\frac{b\sqrt{b^2 + a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)}}{a\cos(\theta^\circ)} \right)^2 \\ \therefore PT^2 &= \frac{[a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2]^2}{a^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} - \frac{b^2[b^2 + a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)]}{a^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore PT^2 &= \frac{[a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2]^2 - b^2[b^2 + a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)]}{a^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore PT^2 &= \frac{a^4\sin^4(\theta^\circ) + b^4 + 2a^2b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) - b^4 - a^2b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)}{a^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore PT^2 &= \frac{a^4\sin^4(\theta^\circ) + a^2b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)}{a^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore PT^2 &= \frac{a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)(a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2)}{a^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore PT^2 &= \frac{\sin^2(\theta^\circ)(a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2)}{\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore PT = \frac{\sin(\theta^\circ)\sqrt{a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (A.15)$$

Referring fig. 2, in right-triangle F_1OS ,

$$F_1S^2 = OF_1^2 + OS^2$$

Substituting eqns. (A.1) & (A.7) in above,

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore F_1S^2 &= (a^2 + b^2) + \left(\frac{b\cos(\theta^\circ)}{\sin(\theta^\circ)}\right)^2 \\ \therefore F_1S^2 &= a^2 + b^2 + \frac{b^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ)}{\sin^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore F_1S^2 &= \frac{a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ)}{\sin^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore F_1S^2 &= \frac{a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2[\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + \cos^2(\theta^\circ)]}{\sin^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore F_1S^2 &= \frac{a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}{\sin^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore F_1S &= \frac{\sqrt{a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}}{\sin(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (A.16) \end{aligned}$$

Referring fig. 2, in right triangle F_1ON

$$\therefore F_1N^2 = OF_1^2 + ON^2$$

Substituting eqns. (A.1) & (A.11) in above eqn.,

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore F_1N^2 &= a^2 + b^2 + \frac{(a^2 + b^2)^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)}{b^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore F_1N^2 &= \frac{(a^2 + b^2)b^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ) + (a^2 + b^2)^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)}{b^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore F_1N^2 &= \frac{(a^2 + b^2)[b^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ) + (a^2 + b^2)\sin^2(\theta^\circ)]}{b^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore F_1N^2 &= \frac{(a^2 + b^2)[b^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ) + a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)]}{b^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore F_1N^2 &= \frac{(a^2 + b^2)[a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2\{\cos^2(\theta^\circ) + \sin^2(\theta^\circ)\}]}{b^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore F_1N^2 &= \frac{(a^2 + b^2)(a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2)}{b^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore F_1N &= \frac{\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)(a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2)}}{b\cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (A.17) \end{aligned}$$

Referring fig. 2, $SN = OS + ON$

Substituting eqns. (A.7) & (A.11) in above eqn.,

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore SN &= \left(\frac{b \cos(\theta^\circ)}{\sin(\theta^\circ)} \right) + \left(\frac{(a^2 + b^2) \sin(\theta^\circ)}{b \cos(\theta^\circ)} \right) \\ \therefore SN &= \frac{b^2 \cos^2(\theta^\circ) + (a^2 + b^2) \sin^2(\theta^\circ)}{b \sin(\theta^\circ) \cos(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore SN &= \frac{b^2 \cos^2(\theta^\circ) + a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ)}{b \sin(\theta^\circ) \cos(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore SN &= \frac{a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2 [\cos^2(\theta^\circ) + \sin^2(\theta^\circ)]}{b \sin(\theta^\circ) \cos(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore SN &= \frac{a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}{b \sin(\theta^\circ) \cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (A.18)\end{aligned}$$

PL, TL, RS, RN

The following table is abstract of derived equations for various elements of a Hyperbola

A.1	$OF_1 = OF_2 = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$	A.10	$OM = \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a \cos(\theta^\circ)}$
A.2	$OQ = \frac{a}{\cos(\theta^\circ)}$	A.11	$ON = \frac{(a^2 + b^2) \sin(\theta^\circ)}{b \cos(\theta^\circ)}$
A.3	$PQ = OR = \frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)}$	A.12	$TM = \frac{a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}{a \cos(\theta^\circ)}$
A.4	$F_1Q = \frac{a - \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)}$	A.13	$F_1T = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a \cos(\theta^\circ)$
A.5	$PF_1 = \frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a \cos(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)}$	A.14	$PM = \frac{b \sqrt{a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}}{a \cos(\theta^\circ)}$
A.6	$OT = a \cos(\theta^\circ)$	A.15	$PT = \frac{\sin(\theta^\circ) \sqrt{a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}}{\cos(\theta^\circ)}$
A.7	$OS = \frac{b \cos(\theta^\circ)}{\sin(\theta^\circ)}$	A.16	$F_1S = \frac{\sqrt{a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}}{\sin(\theta^\circ)}$
A.8	$TQ = \frac{a \sin^2(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)}$	A.17	$F_1N = \frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \times \sqrt{a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}}{b \cos(\theta^\circ)}$
A.9	$QM = \frac{b^2}{a \cos(\theta^\circ)}$	A.18	$SN = \frac{a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}{b \sin(\theta^\circ) \cos(\theta^\circ)}$

DERIVATIONS OF THE PROPERTIES & THEOREMS

PROPERTY- 1:

In a Hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$,

$$PF_1 = \frac{b^2 (a - \sqrt{a^2 + b^2 \cos^2 \beta^\circ})}{b^2 \cos^2 \beta^\circ - a^2 \sin^2 \beta^\circ}$$

$$PF_2 = \frac{2a(b^2 \cos^2 \beta^\circ - a^2 \sin^2 \beta^\circ) + b^2 (a - \sqrt{a^2 + b^2 \cos^2 \beta^\circ})}{b^2 \cos^2 \beta^\circ - a^2 \sin^2 \beta^\circ}$$

(i) Determination of Focal distance (r) of hyperbola at an angle β° (measured from transverse axis)

Referring fig. 3, In this fig., P is one of the points of the hyperbola.

F_1 & F_2 are the foci. OB is the major axis. OC is the minor axis. O is centre of the hyperbola.

Q is the projection of point P on transverse axis. Let, r is the focal distance at any instant β° . $OA = OC = a$, $OB = OD = b$. $\angle QF_1P = \beta^\circ$.

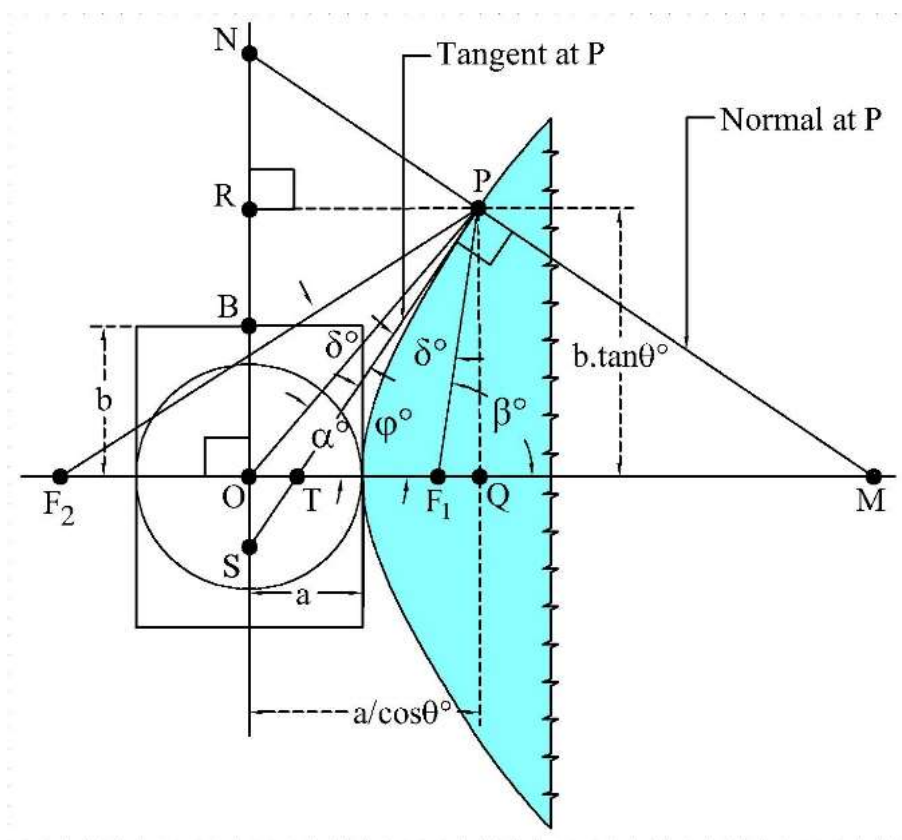


Fig. 3

In this figure. 3,

Point O is the centre of the hyperbola, otherwise it is intersection of transverse axis and conjugate axis.

Point F_1 & F_2 are foci of the hyperbola.

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PF_1 & PF_2	are pair focal distances from point P .
Point P	is a point considered anywhere on hyperbola.
Point Q	is foot of perpendicular of point P upon transverse axis.
Point R	is foot of perpendicular of point P upon conjugate axis.
Point T	is intersection of the tangent and transverse axis, where PT is a tangent drawn at point P on hyperbola.
Point S	S is intersection of tangent and conjugate axis. Where, PS is a tangent drawn at point P on hyperbola.
Point M	is intersection of normal and transverse axis, where MN is a normal drawn at point P on hyperbola.
Point N	is intersection of normal & conjugate axis.
$\angle POQ = \alpha^\circ$	
$\angle PF_1M = \beta^\circ$	
$\angle PTQ = \varphi^\circ$	
$\angle OPF_1 = \angle OPF_2 = \delta^\circ$	

We know already that, $OF_1 = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$

Let, (x, y) is the coordinate of point P with respect to O . Therefore, $OQ = x$, $PQ = y$,

Let, $PF_1 = r$, PF_1 is the focal distance and $\angle QF_1P = \beta^\circ$, therefore

$$F_1Q = r \times \cos\beta^\circ \quad \dots (2.1)$$

$$y = PQ = r \sin\beta^\circ \quad \dots (2.2)$$

In fig. 5, $OQ = x = OF_1 + F_1Q$

Substituting eqn. (2.1) & $OF_1 = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$ in above,

$$\therefore x = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} + r \cos\beta^\circ \quad \dots (2.3)$$

We know that, the equation of hyperbola with respect to its centre $O(0,0)$ is

$$\left(\frac{x^2}{a^2}\right) - \left(\frac{y^2}{b^2}\right) = 1$$

Substituting eqn. (2.3) & (2.2) in above eqn., we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \left(\frac{(\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} + r \cos\beta^\circ)^2}{a^2}\right) - \left(\frac{(r \sin\beta^\circ)^2}{b^2}\right) = 1 \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{b^2(\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} + r \cos\beta^\circ)^2 - a^2(r \sin\beta^\circ)^2}{a^2b^2} = 1 \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{b^2(a^2 + b^2 + r^2 \cos^2\beta^\circ + 2r\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos\beta^\circ) - a^2(r^2 \sin^2\beta^\circ)}{a^2b^2} = 1 \end{aligned}$$

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$$\Rightarrow (a^2b^2 + b^4 + r^2b^2\cos^2\beta^\circ + 2b^2r\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \times \cos\beta^\circ) - (r^2a^2\sin^2\beta^\circ) = a^2b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2b^2\cos^2\beta^\circ + 2b^2r\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \times \cos\beta^\circ - r^2a^2\sin^2\beta^\circ + b^4 + a^2b^2 - a^2b^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2(b^2\cos^2\beta^\circ - a^2\sin^2\beta^\circ) + r(2b^2\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \times \cos\beta^\circ) + b^4 = 0$$

Solving the above quadratic equation,

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{-2b^2\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos\beta^\circ \pm \sqrt{4b^4(a^2 + b^2) \times \cos^2\beta^\circ - 4b^4(b^2\cos^2\beta^\circ - a^2\sin^2\beta^\circ)}}{2(b^2\cos^2\beta^\circ - a^2\sin^2\beta^\circ)}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{-2b^2\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos\beta^\circ \pm \sqrt{4b^4(a^2\cos^2\beta^\circ + b^2\cos^2\beta^\circ) - 4b^4(b^2\cos^2\beta^\circ - a^2\sin^2\beta^\circ)}}{2(b^2\cos^2\beta^\circ - a^2\sin^2\beta^\circ)}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{-2b^2\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos\beta^\circ \pm \sqrt{4a^2b^4\cos^2\beta^\circ + 4b^6\cos^2\beta^\circ - 4b^6\cos^2\beta^\circ + 4a^2b^4\sin^2\beta^\circ}}{2(b^2\cos^2\beta^\circ - a^2\sin^2\beta^\circ)}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{-2b^2\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos\beta^\circ \pm \sqrt{4a^2b^4(\cos^2\beta^\circ + \sin^2\beta^\circ)}}{2(b^2\cos^2\beta^\circ - a^2\sin^2\beta^\circ)}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{-2b^2\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos\beta^\circ \pm \sqrt{4a^2b^4}}{2(b^2\cos^2\beta^\circ - a^2\sin^2\beta^\circ)}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{-2b^2\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos\beta^\circ \pm 2\sqrt{a^2b^4}}{2(b^2\cos^2\beta^\circ - a^2\sin^2\beta^\circ)}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{\pm[-b^2\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos\beta^\circ \pm ab^2]}{2(b^2\cos^2\beta^\circ - a^2\sin^2\beta^\circ)}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{-b^2\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos\beta^\circ \pm ab^2}{(b^2\cos^2\beta^\circ - a^2\sin^2\beta^\circ)}$$

$$\Rightarrow r_1 = \frac{-b^2\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos\beta^\circ + ab^2}{(b^2\cos^2\beta^\circ - a^2\sin^2\beta^\circ)} \text{ or } r_2 = \frac{-b^2\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos\beta^\circ - ab^2}{(b^2\cos^2\beta^\circ - a^2\sin^2\beta^\circ)}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = r_2 = \frac{ab^2 + b^2\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos\beta^\circ}{(b^2\cos^2\beta^\circ - a^2\sin^2\beta^\circ)} \text{ (} r_1 \text{ is invalid)}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{b^2(a + \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos\beta^\circ)}{(a^2\sin^2\beta^\circ - b^2\cos^2\beta^\circ)}$$

Resubstituting $r = PF_1$ in above,

$$\therefore PF_1 = \frac{b^2(a + \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos\beta^\circ)}{a^2\sin^2\beta^\circ - b^2\cos^2\beta^\circ} \quad \dots (2.4)$$

We know that $PF_2 - PF_1 = 2a$

$$\therefore PF_2 = 2a + PF_1$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore PF_2 &= 2a + \left(\frac{b^2(a + \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos \beta^\circ)}{(a^2 \sin^2 \beta^\circ - b^2 \cos^2 \beta^\circ)} \right) \\ \therefore PF_2 &= \frac{2a(a^2 \sin^2 \beta^\circ - b^2 \cos^2 \beta^\circ) + b^2(a + \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos \beta^\circ)}{a^2 \sin^2 \beta^\circ - b^2 \cos^2 \beta^\circ} \quad \dots (2.5)\end{aligned}$$

Eqn. (2.5) is mathematical expression of the property.

PROPERTY- 2:

In a Hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1,$

$$P'F_1 = \frac{b^2(a - \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos(\beta^\circ))}{a^2 \sin^2 \beta^\circ - b^2 \cos^2 \beta^\circ}$$

(ii) Determination of length of focal distance ($P'F_1$) at an angle β° measured from transverse axis

$$\text{Eqn. (2.4)} \Rightarrow PF_1 = \frac{b^2(a + \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos \beta^\circ)}{a^2 \sin^2 \beta^\circ - b^2 \cos^2 \beta^\circ} \quad \dots (2.1)$$

Referring fig. 4,

If $\beta^\circ = (180^\circ + \beta^\circ)$ and substitute in eqn. (102.1)

$$\begin{aligned}P'F_1 &= \frac{b^2(a + \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos(180^\circ + \beta^\circ))}{a^2 \sin^2(180^\circ + \beta^\circ) - b^2 \cos^2(180^\circ + \beta^\circ)} \\ \therefore P'F_1 &= \frac{b^2(a - \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos(\beta^\circ))}{a^2 \sin^2 \beta^\circ - b^2 \cos^2 \beta^\circ} \quad \dots (2.2)\end{aligned}$$

Eqn. (2.2) is mathematical expression of the property.

PROPERTY- 3:

In a Hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1,$

$$PP' = \frac{2ab^2}{a^2 \sin^2 \beta^\circ - b^2 \cos^2 \beta^\circ}$$

(iii) Determination of length of focal chord (PP') at an angle β° measured from transverse axis

Referring fig. 4,

$$\text{Eqn. (2.4)} \Rightarrow PF_1 = \frac{b^2(a + \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos \beta^\circ)}{a^2 \sin^2 \beta^\circ - b^2 \cos^2 \beta^\circ} \quad \dots (3.1)$$

$$\text{Eqn. (2.2)} \Rightarrow P'F_1 = \frac{b^2(a - \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos(\beta^\circ))}{a^2 \sin^2 \beta^\circ - b^2 \cos^2 \beta^\circ} \quad \dots (3.2)$$

$$PP' = PF_1 + P'F_1$$

Adding eqns. (3.1) & (3.2),

$$\begin{aligned}
 PP' &= PF_1 + P'F_1 = \left(\frac{b^2(a + \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos\beta^\circ)}{a^2 \sin^2 \beta^\circ - b^2 \cos^2 \beta^\circ} \right) + \left(\frac{b^2(a - \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos(\beta^\circ))}{a^2 \sin^2 \beta^\circ - b^2 \cos^2 \beta^\circ} \right) \\
 \therefore PP' &= \frac{b^2(a + \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos\beta^\circ)}{a^2 \sin^2 \beta^\circ - b^2 \cos^2 \beta^\circ} + \frac{b^2(a - \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos(\beta^\circ))}{a^2 \sin^2 \beta^\circ - b^2 \cos^2 \beta^\circ} \\
 \therefore PP' &= \frac{b^2(a + \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos\beta^\circ) + b^2(a - \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos(\beta^\circ))}{a^2 \sin^2 \beta^\circ - b^2 \cos^2 \beta^\circ} \\
 \therefore PP' &= \frac{b^2(a + \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos\beta^\circ + a - \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos(\beta^\circ))}{a^2 \sin^2 \beta^\circ - b^2 \cos^2 \beta^\circ} \\
 \therefore PP' &= \frac{2ab^2}{a^2 \sin^2 \beta^\circ - b^2 \cos^2 \beta^\circ} \quad \dots (3.3)
 \end{aligned}$$

Eqn. (3.3) is mathematical expression of the property.

Determination of φ° in terms of θ° .

PROPERTY- 4:

In a Hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$,

$$\tan(\varphi^\circ) = \frac{b}{a \sin(\theta^\circ)}$$

Determination of φ° in terms of θ° .

$$\text{Eqn. (A. 3)} \Rightarrow PQ = \frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (4.1)$$

$$\text{Eqn. (A. 8)} \Rightarrow TQ = \frac{a \sin^2(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (4.2)$$

Referring fig. 4, in right-triangle PQT $\angle PTQ = \varphi^\circ$

$$\tan(\varphi^\circ) = \frac{PQ}{TQ}$$

Substituting eqns. (4.1) & (4.2),

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore \tan(\varphi^\circ) &= \left(\frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \right) \div \left(\frac{a \sin^2(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \right) \\
 \therefore \tan(\varphi^\circ) &= \frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{\cancel{\cos(\theta^\circ)}} \times \frac{\cancel{\cos(\theta^\circ)}}{a \sin^2(\theta^\circ)} \\
 \therefore \tan(\varphi^\circ) &= \frac{b}{a \sin(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (4.3)
 \end{aligned}$$

Eqn. (4.3) is mathematical expression of the property.

PROPERTY- 5:

In a Hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1,$

$$\tan(\beta^\circ) = \frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{a - \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos(\theta^\circ)}$$

Determination of β° in terms of θ° .

$$\text{Eqn. (A. 3)} \Rightarrow PQ = \frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (5.1)$$

$$\text{Eqn. (A. 4)} \Rightarrow F_1Q = \frac{a - \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (5.2)$$

Referring fig. 4, in right-triangle PQT $\angle PF_1Q = \beta^\circ$

$$\tan(\beta^\circ) = \frac{PQ}{F_1Q}$$

Substituting eqns. (5.1) & (5.2),

$$\therefore \tan(\beta^\circ) = \left(\frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \right) \div \left(\frac{a - \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \right)$$

$$\therefore \tan(\beta^\circ) = \frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \times \frac{\cos(\theta^\circ)}{a - \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos(\theta^\circ)}$$

$$\therefore \tan(\beta^\circ) = \frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{a - \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (5.3)$$

Eqn. (5.3) is mathematical expression of the property.

PROPERTY - 6:

In a Hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1,$

$$\cos(\delta^\circ) = \frac{\sin(\theta^\circ) \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}{\sqrt{a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}}$$

Determination of δ° in terms of θ° .

$$\text{Eqn. (A. 5)} \Rightarrow PF_1 = \frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a \cos(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (6.1)$$

$$\text{Eqn. (A. 15)} \Rightarrow PT = \frac{\sin(\theta^\circ) \sqrt{a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (6.2)$$

$$\text{Eqn. (A. 13)} \Rightarrow F_1T = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a \cos(\theta^\circ) \quad \dots (6.3)$$

Referring fig. 4, in triangle TPF₁, $\angle TPF_1 = \angle TPF_2 = \delta^\circ$

According to Cosine law, $c^2 = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab\cos(C^\circ)$

$$\therefore \cos(C^\circ) = \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab}$$

In this case, $a = PF_1$, $b = PT$ & $c = TF_1$

$$\therefore \cos(\delta^\circ) = \frac{PF_1^2 + PT^2 - F_1T^2}{2 \times PF_1 \times PT}$$

Substituting eqns. (A.5), (A.15) & (A.13) in above eqn.,

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \cos(\delta^\circ) &= \frac{\left(\frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a\cos(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\sin(\theta^\circ)\sqrt{a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}}{\cos(\theta^\circ)}\right)^2 - \left(\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a\cos(\theta^\circ)\right)^2}{2 \times \left(\frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a\cos(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)}\right) \times \left(\frac{\sin(\theta^\circ)\sqrt{a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}}{\cos(\theta^\circ)}\right)} \\ \therefore \cos(\delta^\circ) &= \left\{ \frac{\frac{a^2 + b^2 + a^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ) - 2a\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos(\theta^\circ)}{\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} + \frac{\sin^2(\theta^\circ) \times (a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2)}{\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} - [a^2 + b^2 + a^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ) - 2a\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos(\theta^\circ)]}{2 \times \left(\frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\sqrt{a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}\sin(\theta^\circ) - a\sin(\theta^\circ)\cos(\theta^\circ)\sqrt{a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}}{\cos^2(\theta^\circ)}\right)} \right\} \\ \therefore \cos(\delta^\circ) &= \left\{ \frac{\frac{a^2 + b^2 + a^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ) - 2a\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos(\theta^\circ) + a^2\sin^4(\theta^\circ) + b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) - a^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ) - b^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ) - a^2\cos^4(\theta^\circ) + 2a\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos^3(\theta^\circ)}{\cos^2(\theta^\circ)}}{\frac{2 \times \sqrt{a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2} \times \sin(\theta^\circ) (\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a\cos(\theta^\circ))}{\cos^2(\theta^\circ)}} \right\} \\ \therefore \cos(\delta^\circ) &= \left\{ \frac{\frac{a^2 - a^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2 - b^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ) + a^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ) - 2a\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos(\theta^\circ) + a^2\sin^4(\theta^\circ) + b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) - a^2\cos^4(\theta^\circ) + 2a\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos^3(\theta^\circ)}{\cos^2(\theta^\circ)}}{\frac{2 \times \sqrt{a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2} \times \sin(\theta^\circ) (\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a\cos(\theta^\circ))}{\cos^2(\theta^\circ)}} \right\} \\ \therefore \cos(\delta^\circ) &= \frac{\left\{ \begin{aligned} &a^2[1 - \cos^2(\theta^\circ)] + b^2[1 - \cos^2(\theta^\circ)] + a^2\sin^4(\theta^\circ) + b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) \\ &+ a^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ) - a^2\cos^4(\theta^\circ) - 2a\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos(\theta^\circ) + 2a\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos^3(\theta^\circ) \end{aligned} \right\}}{2\sin(\theta^\circ)\sqrt{a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}(\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a\cos(\theta^\circ))} \\ \therefore \cos(\delta^\circ) &= \frac{\left\{ \begin{aligned} &a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + a^2\sin^4(\theta^\circ) + b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) \\ &+ a^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ)[1 - \cos^2(\theta^\circ)] - 2a\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}\cos(\theta^\circ)[1 - \cos^2(\theta^\circ)] \end{aligned} \right\}}{2\sin(\theta^\circ)\sqrt{a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}(\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a\cos(\theta^\circ))} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore \cos(\delta^\circ) &= \frac{\left\{ \begin{aligned} &a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + a^2 \sin^4(\theta^\circ) + a^2 \cos^2(\theta^\circ) \sin^2(\theta^\circ) \\ &+ b^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) - 2a\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos(\theta^\circ) \sin^2(\theta^\circ) \end{aligned} \right\}}{2\sin(\theta^\circ)\sqrt{a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2} \left(\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a \cos(\theta^\circ) \right)} \\
 \therefore \cos(\delta^\circ) &= \frac{\left\{ \begin{aligned} &a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) [\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + \cos^2(\theta^\circ)] \\ &+ b^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) - 2a\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos(\theta^\circ) \sin^2(\theta^\circ) \end{aligned} \right\}}{2\sin(\theta^\circ)\sqrt{a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2} \left(\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a \cos(\theta^\circ) \right)} \\
 \therefore \cos(\delta^\circ) &= \frac{\left\{ \begin{aligned} &a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) \\ &- 2a\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos(\theta^\circ) \sin^2(\theta^\circ) \end{aligned} \right\}}{2\sin(\theta^\circ)\sqrt{a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2} \left(\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a \cos(\theta^\circ) \right)} \\
 \therefore \cos(\delta^\circ) &= \frac{2a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + 2b^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) - 2a\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos(\theta^\circ) \sin^2(\theta^\circ)}{2\sin(\theta^\circ)\sqrt{a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2} \left(\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a \cos(\theta^\circ) \right)} \\
 \therefore \cos(\delta^\circ) &= \frac{2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) [a^2 + b^2 - a \cos(\theta^\circ) \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}]}{2\sin(\theta^\circ)\sqrt{a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2} \left(\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a \cos(\theta^\circ) \right)} \\
 \therefore \cos(\delta^\circ) &= \frac{\sin(\theta^\circ) [a^2 + b^2 - a \cos(\theta^\circ) \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}]}{\sqrt{a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2} \left(\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a \cos(\theta^\circ) \right)} \\
 \therefore \cos(\delta^\circ) &= \frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \sin(\theta^\circ) [\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a \cos(\theta^\circ)]}{\sqrt{a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2} [\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a \cos(\theta^\circ)]} \\
 \therefore \cos(\delta^\circ) &= \frac{\sin(\theta^\circ) \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}{\sqrt{a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}} \quad \dots (6.4)
 \end{aligned}$$

Eqn. (6.4) is mathematical expression of the property.

PROPERTY - 7:

In a Hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$,

$$\tan(\alpha^\circ) = \frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{a}$$

Determination of α° in terms of θ° .

$$\text{Eqn. (A. 3)} \Rightarrow PQ = \frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (7.1)$$

$$\text{Eqn. (A. 2)} \Rightarrow OQ = \frac{a}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (7.2)$$

Referring fig. 4, in right-triangle POQ, $\angle POQ = \alpha^\circ$

$$\tan(\alpha^\circ) = \frac{PQ}{OQ}$$

Substituting eqns. (A.3) & (A.2) in above eqn.,

$$\begin{aligned}\tan(\alpha^\circ) &= \left(\frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \right) \div \left(\frac{a}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \right) \\ \tan(\alpha^\circ) &= \frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \times \frac{\cos(\theta^\circ)}{a} \\ \tan(\alpha^\circ) &= \frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{a} \quad \dots (7.3)\end{aligned}$$

Eqn. (7.3) is mathematical expression of the property.

THEOREM- 1:

In a Hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$,

if point S is intersection of tangent & conjugate axis, point N is intersection of normal & conjugate axis and point F₁ is one of the foci of a hyperbola, then SF₁ is perpendicular to NF₁. In other words, the triangle SF₁N is right-angled triangle.

Proof of the theorem

Referring fig. 4,

It is known that ΔNOF_1 & ΔSOF_1 are a right-triangle. Fig. 5 is detailed drawing of ΔSF_1N .

Referring fig. 5,

Let $\angle NF_1O$ be γ_1° and $\angle SF_1O$ be γ_2° .

$$\text{Eqn. (A. 11)} \Rightarrow ON = \frac{(a^2 + b^2)\sin(\theta^\circ)}{b\cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (8.1)$$

$$\text{Eqn. (A. 7)} \Rightarrow OS = \frac{(a^2 + b^2)\sin(\theta^\circ)}{b\cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (8.2)$$

$$\text{Eqn. (A. 1)} \Rightarrow OF_1 = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \quad \dots (8.3)$$

In right triangle NOF_1 ,

$$\tan(\gamma_1^\circ) = \frac{ON}{OF_1}$$

Substituting eqns. (8.1) & (8.3) in above,

$$\begin{aligned}\tan(\gamma_1^\circ) &= \frac{(a^2 + b^2)\sin(\theta^\circ)}{b\cos(\theta^\circ)} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} \\ \therefore \tan(\gamma_1^\circ) &= \frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \times \sin(\theta^\circ)}{b\cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (8.3)\end{aligned}$$

Referring fig. 5,

Let it be $\angle SF_1O = \gamma_2^\circ$.

In right triangle SOF_1 ,

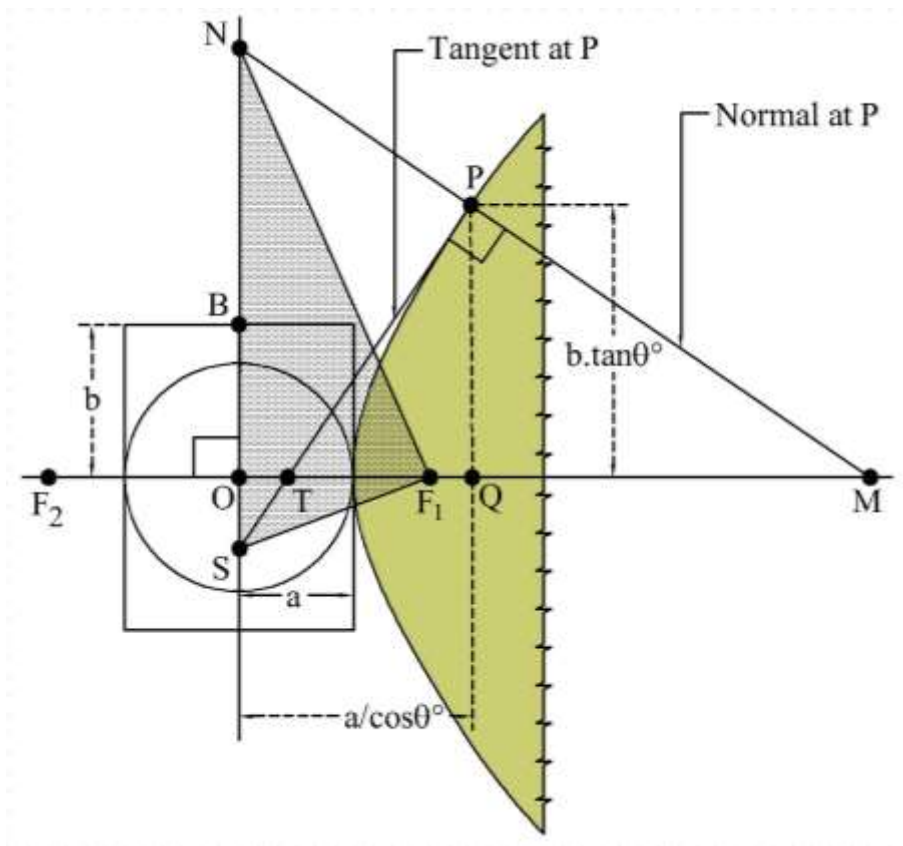


Fig. 4

$$\tan(\gamma_2^\circ) = \frac{OS}{OF_1}$$

Substituting eqns. (A.7) & (A.1) in above,

$$\tan(\gamma_2^\circ) = \frac{\left(\frac{b \cos(\theta^\circ)}{\sin(\theta^\circ)}\right)}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}$$

$$\therefore \tan(\gamma_2^\circ) = \frac{b \cos(\theta^\circ)}{\sin(\theta^\circ)} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}$$

$$\therefore \tan(\gamma_2^\circ) = \frac{b \cos(\theta^\circ)}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \times \sin(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (8.4)$$

Let $(\gamma_1^\circ + \gamma_2^\circ) = (\gamma^\circ)$

$$\therefore \tan(\gamma^\circ) = \tan(\gamma_1^\circ + \gamma_2^\circ)$$

We know already that

$$\tan(\gamma_1^\circ + \gamma_2^\circ) = \frac{\tan(\gamma_1^\circ) + \tan(\gamma_2^\circ)}{1 - [\tan(\gamma_1^\circ) \times \tan(\gamma_2^\circ)]}$$

To prove $\gamma_1^\circ + \gamma_2^\circ = 90^\circ$, we need to prove $\tan(\gamma_1^\circ + \gamma_2^\circ) = \infty$. [since, $\tan(90^\circ)$ is infinite]

To prove $\tan(90^\circ) = \infty$, it is necessary to prove only denominator is equal to zero. Therefore, we need to prove $1 - \tan(\gamma_1^\circ) \times \tan(\gamma_2^\circ) = 0$ (since, anything is divided by zero is infinite).

Let L.H.S be $1 - \tan(\gamma_1^\circ) \times \tan(\gamma_2^\circ)$

Substituting eqns. (8.3) & (8.4) in above,

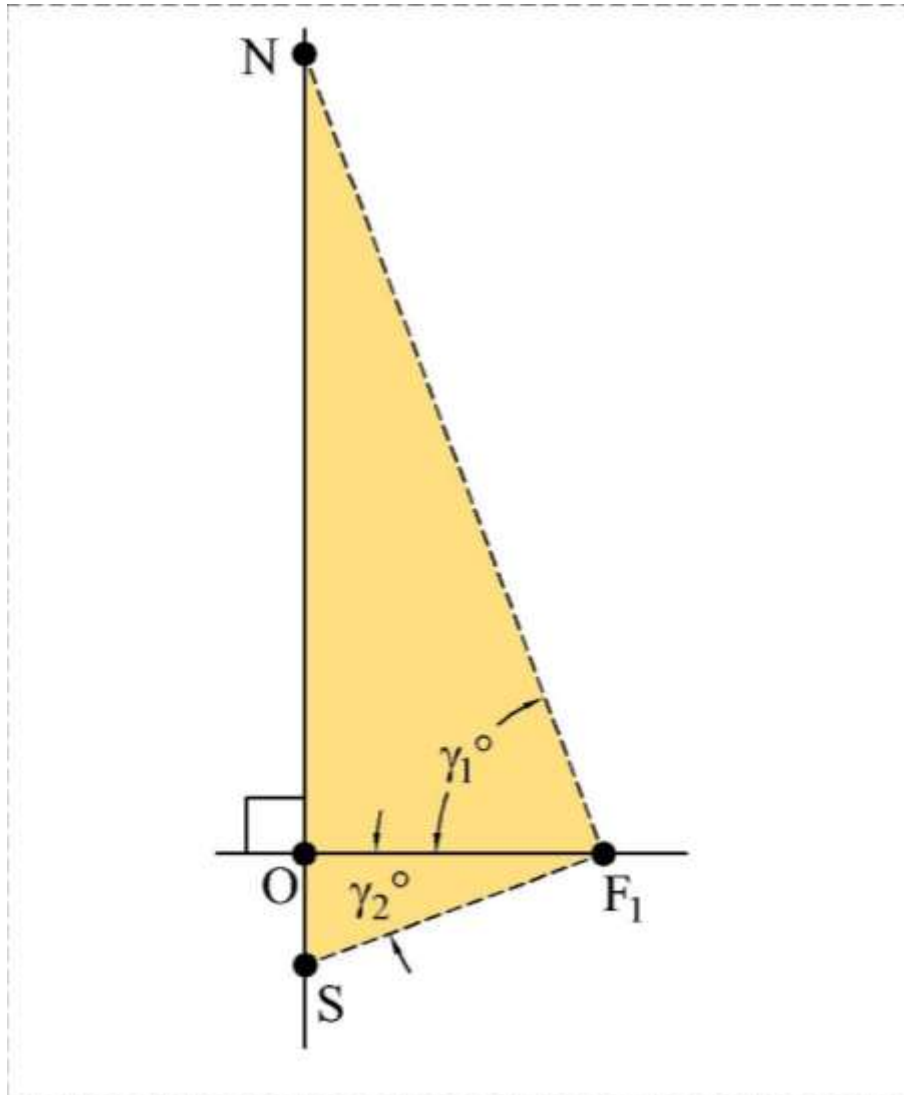


Fig. 5

$$\text{L. H. S} \Rightarrow 1 - \left(\frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \times \sin(\theta^\circ)}{b \cos(\theta^\circ)} \times \frac{b \cos(\theta^\circ)}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \times \sin(\theta^\circ)} \right)$$

$$\therefore \text{L. H. S} \Rightarrow 1 - 1$$

$$\therefore \text{L. H. S} \Rightarrow 0$$

Since $1 - \tan(\gamma_1^\circ) \times \tan(\gamma_2^\circ) = 0$, γ° should be 90° (right angle).

Hence, the theorem is proven.

Alternate proof for the theorem

Referring fig. 5,

If this ΔSF_1N is a right-triangle, according to Pythagoras theorem of right-angled triangle

$$SF_1^2 + F_1N^2 = SN^2.$$

$$\text{Eqn. (A. 16)} \Rightarrow F_1S = \frac{\sqrt{a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}}{\sin(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (8.5)$$

$$\text{Eqn. (A. 17)} \Rightarrow F_1N = \frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \times \sqrt{a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}}{b\cos(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (8.6)$$

Let LHS be $SF_1^2 + F_1N^2$ & RHS = SN^2

$$\text{LHS} \Rightarrow F_1S^2 + F_1N^2$$

Substituting eqns. (8.5) & (8.6) in above,

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$$\begin{aligned} \therefore F_1S^2 + F_1N^2 &= \left(\frac{\sqrt{a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}}{\sin(\theta^\circ)} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \times \sqrt{a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}}{b\cos(\theta^\circ)} \right)^2 \\ \therefore F_1S^2 + F_1N^2 &= \frac{a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}{\sin^2(\theta^\circ)} + \frac{(a^2 + b^2) \times (a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2)}{b^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore F_1S^2 + F_1N^2 &= \frac{(a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2) \times b^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ) + (a^2 + b^2)\sin^2(\theta^\circ) \times (a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2)}{b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore F_1S^2 + F_1N^2 &= \frac{[a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2] \times [b^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ) + (a^2 + b^2)\sin^2(\theta^\circ)]}{b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore F_1S^2 + F_1N^2 &= \frac{(a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2) \times [b^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ) + a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)]}{b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore F_1S^2 + F_1N^2 &= \frac{(a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2) \times [b^2\cos^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)]}{b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore F_1S^2 + F_1N^2 &= \frac{(a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2) \times [b^2\{\cos^2(\theta^\circ) + \sin^2(\theta^\circ)\} + a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)]}{b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore F_1S^2 + F_1N^2 &= \frac{(a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2) \times [a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2]}{b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore F_1S^2 + F_1N^2 &= \frac{(a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2)^2}{b^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ)\cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (8.7) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Eqn. (A. 18)} \Rightarrow SN = \frac{a^2\sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2}{b\sin(\theta^\circ)\cos(\theta^\circ)}$$

Squaring above eqn.,

$$SN^2 = \frac{(a^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) + b^2)^2}{b^2 \sin^2(\theta^\circ) \cos^2(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (8.8)$$

Equating eqns. (8.7) & (8.8), $SF_1^2 + F_1N^2 = SN^2$, according to Pythagoras theorem.

Therefore, the triangle SF_1

$\therefore \Delta SF_1N$ is a right-triangle. Hence the theorem is proved in two methods.

THEOREM- 2:

In a Hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1,$

$\tan(\alpha^\circ) \times \tan(\varphi^\circ) = \frac{b^2}{a^2}$

Referring fig. 3,

Let $\angle POQ$ be α° & $\angle PTQ$ be φ° .

Eqn. (7.3) $\Rightarrow \tan(\alpha^\circ) = \frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{a} \quad \dots (9.1)$

Eqn. (4.3) $\Rightarrow \tan(\varphi^\circ) = \frac{b}{a \sin(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (9.2)$

Multiplying eqns. (9.1) & (9.2),

$$\tan(\alpha^\circ) \times \tan(\varphi^\circ) = \left(\frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{a} \right) \times \left(\frac{b}{a \sin(\theta^\circ)} \right)$$

$$\therefore \tan(\alpha^\circ) \times \tan(\varphi^\circ) = \frac{b^2}{a^2} \quad \dots (9.3)$$

where, a & b are arbitrary constant.

Eqn. (9.3) is mathematical expression of the property.

THEOREM- 3:

In a Hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1,$

$OQ \times PQ = \frac{b^2}{\tan(\alpha^\circ) - \tan(\varphi^\circ)}$

Referring fig. 3,

Let $\angle POQ$ be α° & $\angle PTQ$ be φ° .

Eqn. (7.3) $\Rightarrow \tan(\alpha^\circ) = \frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{a} \quad \dots (10.1)$

Eqn. (4.3) $\Rightarrow \tan(\varphi^\circ) = \frac{b}{a \sin(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (10.2)$

Subtracting eqn. (10.1) from (10.2),

$$\begin{aligned}\tan(\varphi^\circ) - \tan(\alpha^\circ) &= \left(\frac{b}{a \sin(\theta^\circ)} \right) - \left(\frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{a} \right) \\ \therefore \tan(\alpha^\circ) - \tan(\varphi^\circ) &= \frac{b - b \sin^2(\theta^\circ)}{a \sin(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore \tan(\alpha^\circ) - \tan(\varphi^\circ) &= \frac{b[1 - \sin^2(\theta^\circ)]}{a \sin(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore \tan(\alpha^\circ) - \tan(\varphi^\circ) &= \frac{b[\cos^2(\theta^\circ)]}{a \sin(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (10.3)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Eqn. (A. 2)} \Rightarrow OQ &= \frac{a}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore \frac{1}{OQ} &= \frac{\cos(\theta^\circ)}{a} \quad \dots (10.4)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Eqn. (A. 3)} \Rightarrow PQ &= \frac{b \sin(\theta^\circ)}{\cos(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore \frac{1}{PQ} &= \frac{\cos(\theta^\circ)}{b \sin(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (10.5)\end{aligned}$$

Multiplying eqns. (10.4), (10.5) & b^2

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{1}{OQ} \times \frac{1}{PQ} \times b^2 &= \left(\frac{\cos(\theta^\circ)}{a} \right) \times \left(\frac{\cos(\theta^\circ)}{b \sin(\theta^\circ)} \right) \times b^2 \\ \therefore \frac{1}{OQ} \times \frac{1}{PQ} \times b^2 &= \frac{b[\cos^2(\theta^\circ)]}{a \sin(\theta^\circ)} \\ \therefore \frac{b^2}{OQ \times PQ} &= \frac{b[\cos^2(\theta^\circ)]}{a \sin(\theta^\circ)} \quad \dots (10.6)\end{aligned}$$

Equating eqns. (10.3) & (10.6),

$$\tan(\alpha^\circ) - \tan(\varphi^\circ) = \frac{b^2}{OQ \times PQ}$$

The above equation may be rewritten as

$$OQ \times PQ = \frac{b^2}{\tan(\alpha^\circ) - \tan(\varphi^\circ)} \quad \dots (10.7)$$

where,

OQ is abscissa & PQ is ordinate of point P where the tangent is drawn on the hyperbola.

b is an arbitrary constant.

Eqn. (10.7) is mathematical expression of the property.

CONCLUSION

This research provides a comprehensive mathematical exploration of the hyperbola, with particular focus on the behavior of tangents, normals, and focal distances. By employing parametric techniques, seven new properties and three theorems have been systematically developed and rigorously established, accompanied by clear illustrative diagrams that enhance understanding. These contributions deepen and extend the classical theory of the hyperbola, offering refined insights into its geometric nature.

Beyond theoretical significance, the results hold practical relevance for several applied domains, including radar technology, antenna engineering, and optical systems such as torch reflectors, where hyperbolic geometry plays a functional role. The integration of parametric analysis with detailed visual representations strengthens both the precision and accessibility of the study.

Overall, this work offers a valuable resource for scholars and researchers in conic geometry, celestial mechanics, and related mathematical fields, representing a meaningful addition to both the theoretical framework of conic sections and their diverse interdisciplinary applications.

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