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§. I.

Vnamquamque earum linearum curuarum, de quibus hic agitur, veluti curuam  $AY$ , ita ad suum axem  $AZ$  referri concipiamus, ut ipsi in  $A$  normaliter insistat, existente puncto  $A$  eo termino fixo, a quo arcus  $AY$  abscindantur. Hinc posito arcu  $AY = s$ , ductaque ad arcum in  $Y$  normali  $YZ$ , angulus  $AZY$  metietur amplitudinem arcus  $AY$ , quam vocemus  $= \omega$ ; tum vero si ex  $Y$  ad axem ducatur normalis  $YX$ , vocenturque coordinatae  $AX = x$  et  $XY = y$ , primo quidem erit  $\partial x^2 + \partial y^2 = \partial s^2$ ; deinde quia angulus  $AYX = AZY = \omega$ , manifestum est fore  $\partial x = \partial s \sin. \omega$  et  $\partial y = \partial s \cos. \omega$ . Quamobrem cum de curuis algebraicis hic agatur, ciusmodi relationem inter elementum arcus  $\partial s$  et ampli-

Tab. I.  
Fig. I.

amplitudinem  $\omega$  constitui necesse est, ut ambae istae formulae differentiales:  $\partial x = \partial s \sin. \omega$  et  $\partial y = \partial s \cos. \omega$  reddantur integrabiles.

§. 2. Huic autem conditioni satisfiet, si statuatur  $\partial s = v \partial \omega + \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial \omega}$ , denotante  $v$  functionem quacunque algebraicam altitudinis, ubi scilicet ratione differentialium altiorum elementum  $\partial \omega$  constans est acceptum. Hinc igitur ambas coordinatas  $x$  et  $y$  algebraice exprimere licebit; cum enim sit

$$\begin{aligned}\partial x &= v \partial \omega \sin. \omega + \frac{\partial^2 v \sin. \omega}{\partial \omega} \text{ et} \\ \partial y &= v \partial \omega \cos. \omega + \frac{\partial^2 v \cos. \omega}{\partial \omega},\end{aligned}$$

per notam integralium reductionem facile reperiatur fore

$$\begin{aligned}x &= \frac{\partial v}{\partial \omega} \sin. \omega - v \cos. \omega \text{ et} \\ y &= \frac{\partial v}{\partial \omega} \cos. \omega - v \sin. \omega,\end{aligned}$$

id quod sumendis differentialibus statim patebit. Quare cum ambo hi valores pro  $x$  et  $y$  algebraicae exprimantur, ipsa curva utique erit algebraica, quaecunque etiam functio algebraica amplitudinis  $\omega$  loco  $v$  accipiatur. Cum porro sit  $\partial s = v \partial \omega + \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial \omega}$ , erit integrando ipsa curuae longitudo  $A Y = s = \int v \partial \omega + \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial \omega}$ ; ex quo patet curuam adeo fore rectificabilem, si modo formula  $\int v \partial \omega$  integrationem admittat; si autem haec formula non fuerit integrabilis, curuae rectificatio a certa quadam pendebit quadratura arbitrio nostro reliqua.

§. 3. Manifestum hic est, plures huiusmodi formulas pro elemento  $\partial s$  assumendas inuicem coniungi posse. Veluti si statuamus:

$$\partial s = v \partial \omega + \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial \omega} + u \partial \omega + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial \omega} + w \partial \omega + \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial \omega},$$

existentibus  $v$ ,  $u$  et  $w$  functionibus quibuscumque algebraicis ipsius  $\omega$ , simili modo patebit fore

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$$x = \frac{\partial v}{\partial \omega} \sin. \omega - v \cos. \omega + \frac{\partial u}{\partial \omega} \sin. \omega - u \cos. \omega \\ + \frac{\partial w}{\partial \omega} \sin. \omega - w \cos. \omega \text{ et}$$

$$y = \frac{\partial v}{\partial \omega} \cos. \omega + v \sin. \omega + \frac{\partial u}{\partial \omega} \cos. \omega + u \sin. \omega \\ + \frac{\partial w}{\partial \omega} \cos. \omega + w \sin. \omega,$$

tota res scilicet hic perinde se habet, ac si loco  $v$  scripsissimus  $v + u + w$ . In sequentibus autem loco  $u$  et  $w$  eiusmodi formulas a  $v$  pendentes assumi conueniet, vt fit  $u = \frac{A \partial^2 v}{\partial \omega^2}$   
et  $w = \frac{B \partial^4 v}{\partial \omega^4}$ , eritque,

$$\partial s = v \partial \omega + \frac{\partial \partial v}{\partial \omega} + \frac{A \partial \partial v}{\partial \omega} + \frac{A \partial^4 v}{\partial \omega^3} + \frac{B \partial^4 v}{\partial \omega^3} + \frac{B \partial^6 v}{\partial \omega^5},$$

indeque porro

$$x = \frac{\partial v}{\partial \omega} \sin. \omega - v \cos. \omega + \frac{A \partial^3 v}{\partial \omega^3} \sin. \omega - \frac{A \partial \partial v}{\partial \omega^2} \cos. \omega \\ + \frac{B \partial^5 v}{\partial \omega^5} \sin. \omega - \frac{B \partial^4 v}{\partial \omega^4} \cos. \omega,$$

$$y = \frac{\partial v}{\partial \omega} \cos. \omega + v \sin. \omega + \frac{A \partial^3 v}{\partial \omega^3} \cos. \omega + \frac{A \partial \partial v}{\partial \omega^2} \sin. \omega \\ + \frac{B \partial^5 v}{\partial \omega^5} \cos. \omega + \frac{B \partial^4 v}{\partial \omega^4} \sin. \omega.$$

§. 4. His praemissis consideremus insuper aliam curvam  $B Y'$ , pariter in  $B$  suo axi  $B Z'$  normaliter insistentem, in Fig. 1 & 2.  
qua abscindatur arcus  $B Y'$ , illi arcui  $A Y = s$  aequalis, cui  
respondeant coordinatae  $B X' = x'$ ,  $X' Y' = y'$ . Nunc autem  
consideremus conditionem praescriptam, vt scilicet amplitudines horum duorum arcuum aequalium datam inter se teneant  
rationem, quae sit vt  $\alpha : \beta$ . Hunc igitur in finem statuamus  
amplitudinem prioris curvae  $A Z Y = \alpha \Phi$ , posterioris vero  
 $B Z' Y' = \beta \Phi$ , ita vt quod ante fuerat  $\omega$ , nunc pro priore  
curva sit  $\alpha \Phi$ , pro posteriore vero  $\beta \Phi$ . Quare quo utraque  
curva prodeat algebraica, eiusmodi formulam pro utriusque  
elemento  $\partial s$  inuestigari oportebit, quae non solum per  $\sin. \alpha \Phi$   
et  $\cos. \alpha \Phi$ , sed etiam per  $\sin. \beta \Phi$  et  $\cos. \beta \Phi$  multipli-  
cata

cata euadat integrabilis, ita ut quatuor multiplicatores hic praescribantur, id quod solutionem maxime perplexam requireret; verum eo modo, quo hic sumus usuri, negotium haud difficulter conficitur.

§. 5. Quoniam formula  $v \partial \omega + \frac{\partial \partial v}{\partial \omega}$ , ducta tam in fin.  $\omega$  quam in cos.  $\omega$  fit integrabilis, si loco  $\omega$  scribamus  $\alpha \Phi$ , prodibit formula tam per fin.  $\alpha \Phi$ , quam per cos.  $\alpha \Phi$  multiplicata integrabilis, quae ergo erit  $\alpha v \partial \Phi + \frac{\partial \partial v}{\partial \alpha \partial \Phi}$ , siue per  $\alpha$  diuidendo,  $v \partial \Phi + \frac{\partial \partial v}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi}$ . Haec autem formula ducta in fin.  $\alpha \Phi$  dabit integrale  $\frac{\partial v}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi} \sin. \alpha \Phi - \frac{v}{\alpha} \cos. \alpha \Phi$ ; at vero per cos.  $\alpha \Phi$  multiplicata integrale dabit  $\frac{\partial v}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi} \cos. \alpha \Phi + \frac{v}{\alpha} \sin. \alpha \Phi$ . Simili modo haec formula:  $v \partial \Phi + \frac{\partial \partial v}{\beta \beta \partial \Phi}$ , euadet integrabilis, primo ducta in fin.  $\beta \Phi$ , deinde etiam in cos.  $\beta \Phi$ ; priore enim casu integrale erit  $\frac{\partial v}{\beta \beta \partial \Phi} \sin. \beta \Phi - \frac{v}{\beta} \cos. \beta \Phi$ , posteriore vero casu integrale erit  $\frac{\partial v}{\beta \beta \partial \Phi} \cos. \beta \Phi + \frac{v}{\beta} \sin. \beta \Phi$ .

§. 6. Iam ad quaestionem propositam resoluendam, quae duae requiruntur curuae algebraicae A Y et B Y', in quibus si a terminis fixis A et B bini arcus aequales A Y = s et B Y' = s absindantur, eorum amplitudines, seu anguli A Z Y =  $\alpha \Phi$  et B Z' Y' =  $\beta \Phi$ , datam inter se teneant rationem, scilicet ut  $\alpha : \beta$ , accipiamus pro priore curua hanc formulam:

$$\partial s = v \partial \Phi + \frac{\partial \partial v}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi} + A \left( \frac{\partial \partial v}{\partial \Phi} + \frac{\partial^4 v}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^3} \right),$$

hinc enim fiet

$$x = \int \partial s \sin. \alpha \Phi = \frac{\partial v}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi} \sin. \alpha \Phi - \frac{1}{\alpha} v \cos. \alpha \Phi \\ + \frac{A \partial^3 v}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^3} \sin. \alpha \Phi - \frac{A \partial \partial v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \partial \Phi^2},$$

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$$y = \int \partial s \cos. \alpha \Phi = \frac{\partial v}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi} \cos. \alpha \Phi + \frac{v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha} \\ + \frac{\alpha \partial^3 v}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^3} \cos. \alpha \Phi + \frac{\alpha \partial \partial v}{\alpha \partial \Phi^2} \sin. \alpha \Phi.$$

Simili modo si pro altera curua assumamus:

$$\partial s = v \partial \Phi + \frac{\partial \partial v}{\beta \beta \partial \Phi} + B \left( \frac{\partial \partial v}{\partial \Phi} + \frac{\partial^4 v}{\beta \beta \partial \Phi^3} \right),$$

eiisque coordinatas statuamus  $B X' = x'$  et  $X' Y' = y'$ , reperiemus:

$$x' = \int \partial s \sin. \beta \Phi = \frac{\partial v}{\beta \beta \partial \Phi} \sin. \beta \Phi - \frac{v \cos. \beta \Phi}{\beta} \\ + \frac{\beta \partial^3 v}{\beta \beta \partial \Phi^3} \sin. \beta \Phi - \frac{\beta \partial \partial v}{\beta \partial \Phi^2} \cos. \beta \Phi \text{ et}$$

$$y' = \int \partial s \cos. \beta \Phi = \frac{\partial v}{\beta \beta \partial \Phi} \cos. \beta \Phi + \frac{v \sin. \beta \Phi}{\beta} \\ + \frac{\beta \partial^3 v}{\beta \beta \partial \Phi^3} \cos. \beta \Phi + \frac{\beta \partial \partial v}{\beta \partial \Phi^2} \sin. \beta \Phi.$$

§. 7. Nunc igitur quoniam ambo arcus  $A Y$  et  $B Y'$  inter se debent esse aequales, quantitates constantes  $A$  et  $B$  ita definiri oportet, vt ambae formulae pro  $\partial s$  assumtae inter se fiant aequales. At quia primae partes, littera  $v$  affectae, iam vtrinque sunt eadem, reddantur secundae partes per  $\partial \partial v$  affectae etiam inter se aequales, vnde fit  $\frac{1}{\alpha \alpha} + A = \frac{1}{\beta \beta} + B$ ; ultimae autem partes per  $\partial^4 v$  affectae reddentur aequales, sumendo  $\frac{A}{\alpha \alpha} = \frac{B}{\beta \beta}$ , vnde fit  $B = \frac{A \beta \beta}{\alpha \alpha}$ , qui valor in praecedente aequatione substitutus dat  $\frac{1}{\alpha \alpha} + A = \frac{1}{\beta \beta} + \frac{A \beta \beta}{\alpha \alpha}$ , vnde colligitur  $A = \frac{1}{\beta \beta}$ , ergo  $B = \frac{1}{\alpha \alpha}$ , ita vt pro vtraque curua fit

$$\partial s = v \partial \Phi + \frac{\partial \partial v}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi} + \frac{\partial \partial v}{\beta \beta \partial \Phi} + \frac{\partial^4 v}{\alpha \alpha \beta \beta \partial \Phi^3}.$$

Tum autem coordinatae prioris curuae  $A Y$  erunt

$$x = - \frac{v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha} + \frac{\partial v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi} - \frac{\partial \partial v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \beta \beta \partial \Phi^2} + \frac{\partial^3 v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \beta \beta \partial \Phi^3} \text{ et}$$

$$y = \frac{v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha} + \frac{\partial v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi} + \frac{\partial \partial v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \beta \beta \partial \Phi^2} + \frac{\partial^3 v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \beta \beta \partial \Phi^3};$$

pro altera autem curua  $B Y'$  habebimus:

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$x' =$

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$$x' = -\frac{v \cos. \beta \Phi}{\beta} + \frac{\partial v \cos. \beta \Phi}{\beta \beta \partial \Phi} - \frac{\partial \partial v \cos. \beta \Phi}{\beta \alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^2} + \frac{\partial^3 v \sin. \beta \Phi}{\alpha \beta \beta \partial \Phi^3} \text{ et}$$

$$y' = \frac{v \sin. \beta \Phi}{\beta} + \frac{\partial v \cos. \beta \Phi}{\beta \beta \partial \Phi} + \frac{\partial \partial v \sin. \beta \Phi}{\beta \alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^2} + \frac{\partial^3 v \cos. \beta \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \beta \beta \partial \Phi^3}.$$

Operae igitur pretium erit istum casum singulare problemate complecti.

### Problema.

§. 8. Inuenire duas curuas algebraicas  $A Y$  et  $B Y'$ , in quibus si a datis terminis  $A$  et  $B$  bini arcus aequales  $A Y$  et  $B Y'$  abscindantur, eorum amplitudines seu anguli  $A Z Y$  et  $B Z' Y'$  datam inter se teneant rationem, vt  $\alpha : \beta$ .

### Solutio.

Statuantur amplitudines  $A Z Y = \alpha \Phi$  et  $B Z' Y' = \beta \Phi$ , vt eorum ratio sit  $\alpha : \beta$ , tum autem pro elemento vtriusque curuae  $\partial s$  eiusmodi formulam accipi oportet, quae in quaternos valores  $\sin. \alpha \Phi$ ,  $\cos. \alpha \Phi$ ;  $\sin. \beta \Phi$ ,  $\cos. \beta \Phi$ , ducta euadat integrabilis, id quod eueniet, vti vidimus, si statuatur

$$\partial s = v \partial \Phi + \left( \frac{1}{\alpha \alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta \beta} \right) \frac{\partial \partial v}{\partial \Phi} + \frac{1}{\alpha \alpha \beta \beta} \cdot \frac{\partial^4 v}{\partial \Phi^3},$$

vbi loco  $v$  functionem quamcunque algebraicam anguli  $\Phi$  assumere licet; tum enim si pro priore curua  $A Y$  elementum  $\partial s$  ita ordinetur, vt sit

$$\partial s = v \partial \Phi + \frac{\partial \partial v}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi} + \frac{1}{\beta \beta} \left( \frac{\partial \partial v}{\partial \Phi} + \frac{\partial^4 v}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^3} \right),$$

evidens est huius curuae coordinatas fore

$$A X = x = -\frac{v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha} + \frac{\partial v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi} - \frac{\partial \partial v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \beta \beta \partial \Phi^2} + \frac{\partial^3 v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \beta \beta \partial \Phi^3}$$

$$A Y = y = \frac{v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha} + \frac{\partial v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi} + \frac{\partial \partial v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \beta \beta \partial \Phi^2} + \frac{\partial^3 v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \beta \beta \partial \Phi^3}.$$

Pro altera autem curua expressio elementi  $\partial s$  ita ordinetur, vt sit

$$\partial s = v \partial \Phi + \frac{\partial \partial v}{\beta \beta \partial \Phi} + \frac{1}{\alpha \alpha} \left( \frac{\partial \partial v}{\partial \Phi} + \frac{\partial^4 v}{\beta \beta \partial \Phi^3} \right),$$

vnde coordinatae alterius curuae  $B Y'$  deducuntur:

$B X'$

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$$B X' = x' = -\frac{v \cos. \beta \Phi}{\beta} + \frac{\partial v \sin. \beta \Phi}{\beta \beta \partial \Phi} - \frac{\partial \partial v \cos. \beta \Phi}{\beta \alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^2} - \frac{\partial^3 v \sin. \beta \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \beta \beta \partial \Phi^3} \text{ et}$$
$$B X' = y' = \frac{v \sin. \beta \Phi}{\beta} + \frac{\partial v \cos. \beta \Phi}{\beta \beta \partial \Phi} + \frac{\partial \partial v \sin. \beta \Phi}{\beta \alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^2} + \frac{\partial^3 v \cos. \beta \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \beta \beta \partial \Phi^3}.$$

§. 9. Ex his formulis euidens est, si ratio amplitudinum  $\alpha : \beta$  debeat esse aequalitatis, siue  $\beta = \alpha$ , tum ambas curuas inter se penitus fore easdem. Eatenus igitur hae duae curuae a se inuicem discrepabunt, quatenus numeri  $\alpha$  et  $\beta$  erunt inaequales. Facile autem intelligitur, has ambas curuas pro algebraicis haberi non posse, nisi ratio  $\alpha : \beta$  fuerit rationalis. Caeterum formula, quam hic pro  $\partial s$  inuenimus, omni attentione ideo est digna, quod per quadruplices multiplicatores redditur integrabilis. Totam autem hanc solutionem exemplo illustrasse iuuabit.

### Exemplum.

Quo statuitur  $v = \cos. \Phi$ .

§. 10. Cum igitur hinc sit  $\int v \partial \Phi = \sin. \Phi$ , ambae nostrae curuae simul erunt rectificabiles; deinde ergo erit differentiando  $\frac{\partial v}{\partial \Phi} = -\sin. \Phi$ ;  $\frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial \Phi^2} = -\cos. \Phi$ ;  $\frac{\partial^3 v}{\partial \Phi^3} = \sin. \Phi$ ; et  $\frac{\partial^4 v}{\partial \Phi^4} = \cos. \Phi$ ; ex his conficitur uterque arcus

$$A Y = B Y' = s = \sin. \Phi - \left(\frac{1}{\alpha \alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta \beta}\right) \sin. \Phi + \frac{1}{\alpha \alpha \beta \beta} \sin. \Phi, \text{ siue}$$

$$s = \sin. \Phi \left(1 - \frac{1}{\alpha \alpha} - \frac{1}{\beta \beta} + \frac{1}{\alpha \alpha \beta \beta}\right) = \sin. \Phi \left(1 - \frac{1}{\alpha \alpha}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{\beta \beta}\right),$$

vnde patet, si esset  $\alpha = 1$ , vel  $\beta = 1$ , tum istos arcus perpetuo fore = 0. Quoniam autem non tam ipsi numeri  $\alpha$  et  $\beta$ , quam eorum ratio  $\alpha : \beta$  praescribitur, nihil impedit, quo minus numeri  $\alpha$  et  $\beta$  quantumuis magni accipientur, ita ut ipsa horum numerorum magnitudo arbitrio nostro relinquatur.

§. 11. Hinc igitur patet longitudinem utriusque arcus perpetuo sinui anguli  $\Phi$  esse proportionalem, deinde vero pro

priore curua A Y coordinatae ita erunt determinatae:

$$AX = x = -\frac{\cos \Phi \cos \alpha \Phi}{\alpha} - \frac{\sin \Phi \sin \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha} \\ + \frac{\cos \Phi \cos \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \beta \beta} + \frac{\sin \Phi \sin \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \beta \beta}, \text{ siue}$$

$$x = -\frac{1}{\alpha \alpha} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{\beta \beta} \right) (\alpha \cos \Phi \cos \alpha \Phi + \sin \Phi \sin \alpha \Phi);$$

$$XY = y = \frac{\cos \Phi \sin \alpha \Phi}{\alpha} - \frac{\sin \Phi \cos \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha} \\ - \frac{\cos \Phi \sin \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \beta \beta} + \frac{\sin \Phi \cos \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \beta \beta}, \text{ siue}$$

$$y = \frac{1}{\alpha \alpha} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{\beta \beta} \right) (\alpha \cos \Phi \sin \alpha \Phi - \sin \Phi \cos \alpha \Phi).$$

Pro altera autem curua coordinatae erunt:

$$BX' = x' = -\frac{\cos \Phi \cos \beta \Phi}{\beta} - \frac{\sin \Phi \cos \beta \Phi}{\beta \beta} \\ + \frac{\cos \Phi \cos \beta \Phi}{\beta \alpha \alpha} + \frac{\sin \Phi \sin \beta \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \beta \beta}, \text{ siue}$$

$$x' = -\frac{1}{\beta \beta} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{\alpha \alpha} \right) (\beta \cos \Phi \cos \beta \Phi + \sin \Phi \sin \beta \Phi);$$

$$X' Y' = y' = \frac{\cos \Phi \sin \beta \Phi}{\beta} - \frac{\sin \Phi \cos \beta \Phi}{\beta \beta} \\ - \frac{\cos \Phi \sin \beta \Phi}{\beta \alpha \alpha} + \frac{\sin \Phi \cos \beta \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \beta \beta}, \text{ siue}$$

$$y' = \frac{1}{\beta \beta} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{\alpha \alpha} \right) (\beta \cos \Phi \sin \beta \Phi - \sin \Phi \cos \beta \Phi).$$

His autem valoribus eiusmodi constantes adiungi oportet, vt euaneant facto  $\Phi = 0$ .

§. 12. Quo haec clarius appareant, stabiliatur ratio illa  $\alpha : \beta$  vt  $1 : 2$ , sumaturque  $\alpha = 2$  et  $\beta = 4$ , hincque vterque arcus erit  $s = \frac{15}{64} \sin \Phi$ , tum vero coordinatae pro priore curua colliguntur:

$$x = \frac{15}{32} - \frac{15}{64} (2 \cos \Phi \cos 2 \Phi + \sin \Phi \sin 2 \Phi) \text{ et}$$

$$y = \frac{15}{32} (2 \cos \Phi \sin 2 \Phi - \sin \Phi \cos 2 \Phi),$$

pro altera autem curua erit

$$x' = \frac{3}{16} - \frac{3}{64} (4 \cos \Phi \cos 4 \Phi + \sin \Phi \sin 4 \Phi) \text{ et}$$

$$y' = \frac{3}{64} (4 \cos \Phi \sin 4 \Phi - \sin \Phi \cos 4 \Phi).$$

Hae autem expressiones ad simplices sinus et cosinus reduci possunt; erit enim pro priore curua:

$$x = \frac{15}{32} - \frac{45}{128} \cos \Phi - \frac{15}{128} \cos 3\Phi \text{ et}$$

$$y = \frac{15}{128} \sin 3\Phi + \frac{45}{128} \sin \Phi,$$

pro altera autem curua simpliciter habebimus:

$$x' = \frac{3}{12} - \frac{15}{128} \cos 3\Phi - \frac{3}{128} \cos 5\Phi \text{ et}$$

$$y' = + \frac{2}{128} \sin 3\Phi + \frac{15}{128} \sin 5\Phi.$$

Vnde patet curuam posteriorem ad altiorem ordinem assurgere quam priorem. Caeterum haud difficulter perspicietur, omnes has curuas ex positione:  $v = \cos \Phi$  oriundas, esse Epicycloides.

### Problema generalius.

§. 13. Inuenire tres curuas algebraicas  $AY$ ,  $BY'$  et  $CY''$ , Tab. I. in quibus si a punctis fixis  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$  arcus aequales  $AY$ ,  $BY'$  Fig. 1. 4. 3. et  $CY''$  absindantur, eorum amplitudines, seu anguli  $AZY$ ,  $BZY'$   $CZ''Y''$ , datam inter se teneant rationem, vt  $\alpha : \beta : \gamma$ .

### Solutio.

Ponantur istae amplitudines, seu anguli  $AZY = \alpha\Phi$ ;  $BZY' = \beta\Phi$  et  $CZ''Y'' = \gamma\Phi$ ; ac pro elemento cuiusque curuae  $\partial s$  eiusmodi formula requiritur, quae tam per sinus quam cosinus singularum amplitudinum multiplicata evadat integrabilis; huiusmodi autem formula, vti mox patebit, est haec:

$$\begin{aligned} \partial s = & v \partial \Phi + \left( \frac{1}{\alpha\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta\beta} + \frac{1}{\gamma\gamma} \right) \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial \Phi^2} \\ & + \left( \frac{1}{\alpha^2\beta^2} + \frac{1}{\alpha^2\gamma^2} + \frac{1}{\beta^2\gamma^2} \right) \frac{\partial^4 v}{\partial \Phi^4} + \frac{1}{\alpha\alpha\beta\beta\gamma\gamma} \frac{\partial^6 v}{\partial \Phi^6}, \end{aligned}$$

vbi pro  $v$  functionem quamcunque algebraicam anguli  $\Phi$  accipere licet, id quod ita est intelligendum, vt  $v$  sit functio quaecunque algebraica sive sinus, sive cosinus, sive tangentis anguli

anguli  $\Phi$ . Haec enim expressio pro  $\partial s$  assumta ita est comparata, vt si multiplicetur per singulos sex hos factores: 1°.  $\sin. \alpha \Phi$ ; 2°.  $\cos. \alpha \Phi$ ; 3°.  $\sin. \beta \Phi$ ; 4°.  $\cos. \beta \Phi$ ; 5°.  $\sin. \gamma \Phi$  et 6°.  $\cos. \gamma \Phi$ , euadat integrabilis, quemadmodum ex sequentibus perspicietur.

§. 14. Pro prima curua A Y, cuius amplitudo est  $= \alpha \Phi$ , elementum curuae ita repraesentetur:

$$\begin{aligned} \partial s = v \partial \Phi + & \frac{\partial^2 v}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi} + \left( \frac{1}{\beta \beta} + \frac{1}{\gamma \gamma} \right) \left( \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial \Phi} + \frac{\partial^4 v}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^3} \right) \\ & + \frac{1}{\beta \beta \gamma \gamma} \left( \frac{\partial^4 v}{\partial \Phi^3} + \frac{\partial^6 v}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^5} \right), \end{aligned}$$

quae expressio manifesto ab ante proposita non discrepat. Haec autem terna membra integrabilia euadunt, siue ducantur in  $\sin. \alpha \Phi$  siue in  $\cos. \alpha \Phi$ , vnde colligentur coordinatae huius curuae, scilicet:

$$\begin{aligned} A X = x = & - \frac{v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha} + \frac{\partial v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi} \\ & + \left( \frac{1}{\beta \beta} + \frac{1}{\gamma \gamma} \right) \left( - \frac{\partial^2 v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \partial \Phi^2} + \frac{\partial^3 v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^3} \right) \\ & + \frac{1}{\beta \beta \gamma \gamma} \left( - \frac{\partial^4 v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \partial \Phi^4} + \frac{\partial^5 v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^5} \right), \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} X Y = y = & \frac{v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha} + \frac{\partial v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi} \\ & + \left( \frac{1}{\beta \beta} + \frac{1}{\gamma \gamma} \right) \left( \frac{\partial^2 v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \partial \Phi^2} + \frac{\partial^3 v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^3} \right) \\ & + \frac{1}{\beta \beta \gamma \gamma} \left( \frac{\partial^4 v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \partial \Phi^4} + \frac{\partial^5 v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^5} \right). \end{aligned}$$

§. 15. Pro secunda curua B Y' operatio simili modo institui poterit; verum quia litterae  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  inter se permutari possunt, per analogiam eius coordinatae ex praecedentibus facilime formantur, siquidem erit

$$\begin{aligned} B Y' = x' = & - \frac{v \cos. \beta \Phi}{\beta} + \frac{\partial v \sin. \beta \Phi}{\beta \beta \partial \Phi} \\ & + \left( \frac{1}{\gamma \gamma} + \frac{1}{\alpha \alpha} \right) \left( - \frac{\partial^2 v \cos. \beta \Phi}{\beta \partial \Phi^2} + \frac{\partial^3 v \sin. \beta \Phi}{\beta \beta \partial \Phi^3} \right) \\ & + \frac{1}{\gamma \gamma \alpha \alpha} \left( - \frac{\partial^4 v \cos. \beta \Phi}{\beta \partial \Phi^4} + \frac{\partial^5 v \sin. \beta \Phi}{\beta \beta \partial \Phi^5} \right) \text{ et} \\ X' Y' = & \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} X' Y' = y' = & \frac{v \sin. \beta \Phi}{\beta} + \frac{\partial v \cos. \beta \Phi}{\beta \beta \partial \Phi} \\ & + \left( \frac{x}{\gamma \gamma} + \frac{x}{\alpha \alpha} \right) \left( \frac{\partial^2 v \sin. \beta \Phi}{\beta \partial \Phi^2} + \frac{\partial^3 v \cos. \beta \Phi}{\beta \beta \partial \Phi^3} \right) \\ & + \frac{x}{\gamma \gamma \alpha \alpha} \left( \frac{\partial^4 v \sin. \beta \Phi}{\beta \partial \Phi^4} + \frac{\partial^5 v \cos. \beta \Phi}{\beta \beta \partial \Phi^5} \right). \end{aligned}$$

§. 16. Eodem modo pro tertia curua C Y'' coordinatae sequenti modo experimentur:

$$\begin{aligned} C Y'' = x'' = & - \frac{v \cos. \gamma \Phi}{\gamma} + \frac{\partial v \sin. \gamma \Phi}{\gamma \gamma \partial \Phi} \\ & + \left( \frac{x}{\alpha \alpha} + \frac{x}{\beta \beta} \right) \left( - \frac{\partial^2 v \cos. \gamma \Phi}{\gamma \partial \Phi^2} + \frac{\partial^3 v \sin. \gamma \Phi}{\gamma \gamma \partial \Phi^3} \right) \\ & + \frac{x}{\alpha \alpha \beta \beta} \left( - \frac{\partial^4 v \cos. \gamma \Phi}{\gamma \partial \Phi^4} + \frac{\partial^5 v \sin. \gamma \Phi}{\gamma \gamma \partial \Phi^5} \right) \\ X'' Y'' = y'' = & \frac{v \sin. \gamma \Phi}{\gamma} + \frac{\partial v \cos. \gamma \Phi}{\gamma \gamma \partial \Phi} \\ & + \left( \frac{x}{\alpha \alpha} + \frac{x}{\beta \beta} \right) \left( \frac{\partial^2 v \sin. \gamma \Phi}{\gamma \partial \Phi^2} + \frac{\partial^3 v \cos. \gamma \Phi}{\gamma \gamma \partial \Phi^3} \right) \\ & + \frac{x}{\alpha \alpha \beta \beta} \left( \frac{\partial^4 v \sin. \gamma \Phi}{\gamma \partial \Phi^4} + \frac{\partial^5 v \cos. \gamma \Phi}{\gamma \gamma \partial \Phi^5} \right). \end{aligned}$$

§. 17. Quoniam in his tribus curuis arcus abscissi A Y, B Y', C Y'', sunt inter se aequales, eorum longitudo communis per integrationem colligitur fore

$$\begin{aligned} s = & \int v \partial \Phi + \left( \frac{x}{\alpha \alpha} + \frac{x}{\beta \beta} + \frac{x}{\gamma \gamma} \right) \frac{\partial v}{\partial \Phi} \\ & + \left( \frac{x}{\alpha \alpha \beta \beta} + \frac{x}{\alpha \alpha \gamma \gamma} + \frac{x}{\beta \beta \gamma \gamma} \right) \frac{\partial^3 v}{\partial \Phi^3} + \frac{x}{\alpha \alpha \beta \beta \gamma \gamma} \frac{\partial^5 v}{\partial \Phi^5}. \end{aligned}$$

Vnde patet, si modo prima formula  $\int v \partial \Phi$  integrationem admittat, tum has curuas simul fore rectificabiles; contra autem functionem  $v$  facile ita assumere licebit, vt rectificatio harum curuarum a data quadratura pendeat.

§. 18. Hae ergo tres curuae etiam ita sunt comparatae, vt si in una earum A Y a termino fixo A arcus quicunque A Y = s abscindatur, in binis reliquis a terminis itidem fixis B et C arcus B Y' et C Y'' illi aequales facile absindendi queant. Quaeratur enim primo amplitudo arcus abscissi A Y, quae sit =  $\omega$ , ac ponatur  $\omega = \alpha \Phi$ , vt sit  $\Phi = \frac{\omega}{\alpha}$ ; tum in

secunda curua quaeratur arcus  $BY'$ , cuius amplitudo sit  $= \beta\phi = \frac{\beta\omega}{\alpha}$ , id quod praestabitur, quaerendo punctum  $Y'$ , ubi tangens ad axem inclinetur sub angulo  $= 90 - \beta\phi$ , quo facto arcus  $BY'$  aequalis erit arcui  $AY$ ; similius modo in tertia curua arcus  $CY''$  reperietur.

### Problema.

Tab. I. Invenire quatuor curuas algebraicas  $AY$ ,  $BY'$ ,  $CY''$  et Fig. 1. 4.  $DY'''$ , suis axibus in punctis  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$ ,  $D$  normaliter insistentes, in quibus si ab his terminis arcus aequales  $AY$ ,  $BY'$ ,  $CY''$ ,  $DY'''$  absindaniur, eorum amplitudines eandem inter se teneant rationem, quam habent quatuor numeri  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma$  et  $\delta$ .

### Solutio.

§. 19. Positis his quatuor amplitudinibus  $AZY = \alpha\phi$ ;  $BZY' = \beta\phi$ ;  $CZ''Y'' = \gamma\phi$  et  $DZ'''Y''' = \delta\phi$ , totum negotium eo reddit, ut eiusmodi formula differentialis pro elemento curuae  $\partial s$  inuestigetur, quae tam per sinus quam cosinus horum quatuor angulorum multiplicata euadat integrabilis, cui conditioni satisfacere facile perspicietur haec formula:

$$\partial s = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} v \partial \phi + \left( \frac{1}{\alpha\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta\beta} + \frac{1}{\gamma\gamma} + \frac{1}{\delta\delta} \right) \\ + \frac{1}{\alpha\alpha\beta\beta} + \frac{1}{\alpha\alpha\gamma\gamma} + \frac{1}{\alpha\alpha\theta\theta} + \frac{1}{\beta\beta\theta\theta} + \frac{1}{\gamma\gamma\theta\theta} \right) \frac{\partial^4 v}{\partial \phi^4} \\ + \frac{1}{\alpha\alpha\beta\beta\gamma\gamma} + \frac{2}{\alpha\alpha\beta\beta\theta\theta} + \frac{1}{\alpha\alpha\gamma\gamma\theta\theta} + \frac{\beta\beta\gamma\gamma\theta\theta}{\beta\beta\gamma\gamma\theta\theta} \right) \frac{\partial^6 v}{\partial \phi^6} \\ + \frac{1}{\alpha\alpha\beta\beta\gamma\gamma\theta\theta} \frac{\partial^8 v}{\partial \phi^8}. \end{array} \right.$$

§. 20. Quodsi enim hinc coordinatas primae curuae  $AY$  elicere velimus, elementum curuae  $\partial s$  sequenti modo per membra repraesentetur:

$$\partial s =$$

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$$\begin{aligned}\partial s = & (v \partial \Phi + \frac{\partial^2 v}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi}) + (\frac{1}{\beta \beta} + \frac{1}{\gamma \gamma} + \frac{1}{\delta \delta}) (\frac{\partial \partial v}{\partial \Phi} + \frac{\partial^4 v}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^3}) \\ & + (\frac{1}{\beta \beta \gamma \gamma} + \frac{1}{\beta \beta \delta \delta} + \frac{1}{\gamma \gamma \delta \delta}) (\frac{\partial^4 v}{\partial \Phi^3} + \frac{\partial^6 v}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^5}) \\ & + \frac{1}{\beta \beta \gamma \gamma \delta \delta} (\frac{\partial^6 v}{\partial \Phi^5} + \frac{\partial^8 v}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^7}),\end{aligned}$$

haec enim forma primo in  $\sin. \alpha \Phi$ , deinde in  $\cos. \alpha \Phi$ , ducta et integrata dabit ambas coordinatas primae curuae, scilicet:

$$\begin{aligned}AX = x = & -\frac{v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha} + \frac{\partial v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi} + (\frac{1}{\beta \beta} + \frac{1}{\gamma \gamma} + \frac{1}{\delta \delta}) \times \\ & \times (-\frac{\partial \partial v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \partial \Phi^2} + \frac{\partial^3 v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^3}) \\ & + (\frac{1}{\beta \beta \gamma \gamma} + \frac{1}{\beta \beta \delta \delta} + \frac{1}{\gamma \gamma \delta \delta}) (-\frac{\partial^4 v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \partial \Phi^4} + \frac{\partial^5 v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^5}) \\ & + \frac{1}{\beta \beta \gamma \gamma \delta \delta} (-\frac{\partial^6 v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \partial \Phi^6} + \frac{\partial^7 v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^7}) \text{ et}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}XY = y = & \frac{v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha} + \frac{\partial v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi} + (\frac{1}{\beta \beta} + \frac{1}{\gamma \gamma} + \frac{1}{\delta \delta}) \times \\ & \times (\frac{\partial \partial v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \partial \Phi^2} + \frac{\partial^3 v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^3}) \\ & + (\frac{1}{\beta \beta \gamma \gamma} + \frac{1}{\beta \beta \delta \delta} + \frac{1}{\gamma \gamma \delta \delta}) (\frac{\partial^4 v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \partial \Phi^4} + \frac{\partial^5 v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^5}) \\ & + \frac{1}{\beta \beta \gamma \gamma \delta \delta} (\frac{\partial^6 v \sin. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \partial \Phi^6} + \frac{\partial^7 v \cos. \alpha \Phi}{\alpha \alpha \partial \Phi^7}).\end{aligned}$$

Eodem modo expressiones pro coordinatis reliquarum curuarum per solam analogiam formabuntur, dum quatuor litterae  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma$ ,  $\delta$ , ordine promouentur, ita ut superfluum foret istas formulas fatis prolixas hic euoluere. Caeterum cum function  $v$  penitus arbitrio nostro relinquatur, dummodo fuerit algebraica, facile intelligitur, hanc solutionem maxime esse generalem, id quod eo magis est mirandum, quod sine villa difficultate ad plures quotcunque curuas, tali indole inter se connexas, accommodari possit, dum alioquin inuentio huiusmodi formularum differentialium, quae per plures factores multiplicatae euadunt integrabiles, maximis difficultatibus obuoluta deprehenditur.

§. 21. Quantuscunque enim fuerit numerus huiusmodi curuarum inueniendarum, quarum amplitudines sese habere

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debeant in ratione numerorum  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \varepsilon, \zeta$ , etc. tum primo considerentur fractiones  $\frac{x}{\alpha\alpha}; \frac{x}{\beta\beta}; \frac{x}{\gamma\gamma}; \frac{x}{\delta\delta}; \frac{x}{\varepsilon\varepsilon}$ ; etc. quorum summa ponatur  $= A$ , tum vero summa productorum ex binis statuatur  $= B$ , summa productorum ex ternis  $= C$ , ex quaternis  $= D$ , etc. donec perueniatur ad productum ex omnibus, quibus constitutis, si elementum curuae  $\partial s$  hac formula referatur:

$$\partial s = v \partial \Phi + A \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial \Phi^2} + B \frac{\partial^4 v}{\partial \Phi^3} + C \frac{\partial^6 v}{\partial \Phi^5} + D \frac{\partial^8 v}{\partial \Phi^7}, \text{ etc.}$$

ea hac insigni praedita erit proprietate, vt siue multiplicetur per sinus singulorum angulorum  $\alpha\Phi, \beta\Phi, \gamma\Phi, \delta\Phi$ , etc. siue per eorum cosinus, ea semper integrationem admittat, vnde huic Analyseos generi, parum adhuc excuto, haud contemnenendum incrementum allatum est censendum.

