# A Mechanized Proof of the Curve Length of a Rectifiable Curve 

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## Theory



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## Continuously Differentiable curve

(encapsulate ( (c (x) t)
(c-derivative (x) t))
; $;$ Our witness continuous function is the identit.
(local (defun $c(x) x)$ )
(local
(defun $c$-derivative (x) (declare (ignore $x$ )) 1 ))

$$
\begin{aligned}
;(i-\operatorname{close}(/ & \left.\left(-\binom{c}{x}(c \quad y)\right)(-x y)\right) \\
; & (c-\text { derivative } x))
\end{aligned}
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; (i-close (c-derivative $x)$ ( $c$-derivative $y)$ )
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    (not (i-close y1 y2)))
(not (= (standard-part (square y1))
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(defthmd root-close-f
(implies
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( $>=\times 10$ 0)
$(>=x 20)$

$$
(i-\text { close } \times 1 \times 2))
$$

(i-close (acl2-sqrt $\times 1$ ) (acl2-sqrt x2)))
;hints omitted
)
$\therefore \sqrt{\left(\frac{d x}{d t}\right)^{2}+\left(\frac{d y}{d t}\right)^{2}}$ is continuous

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- Thus as $n \rightarrow \infty, \Delta t$ is infinitely small and riemann sum is equal to $\int_{t_{0}}^{t_{n}} h(t) d t$


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Thus by using above proof length of $f(t)$ is equal to

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\int_{0}^{2 \pi}|g(t)| d t
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## Applying second Fundamental Theorem of Calculus

$g(t)=r *(-\sin t+i * \cos t)$
$|g(t)|=r ; \quad \therefore \int_{0}^{2 \pi}|g(t)| d t=\int_{0}^{2 \pi} r d t$
Let, $h(t)=r * t, \quad h^{\prime}(t)=|g(t)|$
$\therefore$ Using second fundamental theorem of calculus

$$
\int_{0}^{2 \pi}|g(t)| d t=h(2 \pi)-h(0)=r * 2 * \pi
$$

