

Scientific Computing II, SS 2012

Drawing Circles with ODEs

(worksheet inspired by the resp. example by G. Strang (Computational Science and Engineering))

```
> restart;  
> with(DEtools):  
> with(LinearAlgebra):  
> with(plots):  
[ >
```

- A 2nd Order ODE

u the position vector; the second derivative of u, i.e., acceleration, is always directed towards the origin:

```
> circ_ode := { diff( u[1](t),t,t ) = -u[1](t),  
               diff( u[2](t),t,t ) = -u[2](t) };
```

$$\text{circ_ode} := \left\{ \frac{d^2}{dt^2} u_1(t) = -u_1(t), \frac{d^2}{dt^2} u_2(t) = -u_2(t) \right\}$$

```
> dsolve( { op(circ_ode), u[1](0)=1, u[2](0)=0 }, {u[1](t),  
u[2](t)});
```

$$\{u_1(t) = _C3 \sin(t) + \cos(t), u_2(t) = _C1 \sin(t)\}$$

```
> usol := dsolve( { op(circ_ode),  
                 u[1](0)=1, u[2](0)=0,  
                 D(u[1])(0) = 0, D(u[2])(0) = 1 },  
                 {u[1](t), u[2](t)});
```

$$\text{usol} := \{u_1(t) = \cos(t), u_2(t) = \sin(t)\}$$

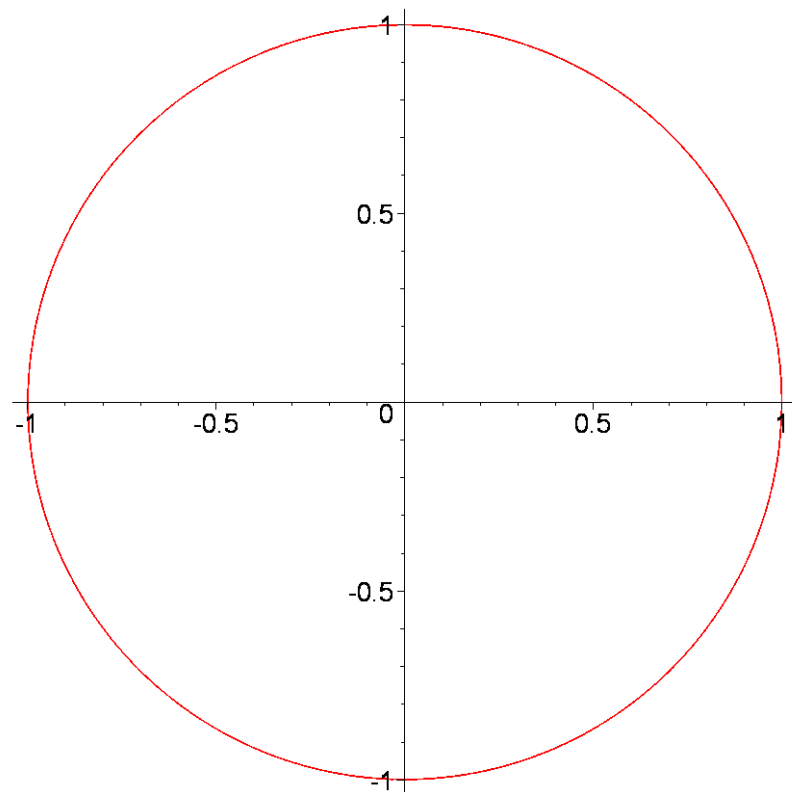
```
> us1 := subs(usol, u[1](t));  
us2 := subs(usol, u[2](t));
```

$$\text{us1} := \cos(t)$$

$$\text{us2} := \sin(t)$$

We obtain a circle as solution

```
> plot( [ us1,us2, t=0..100], scaling=CONSTRAINED );
```



- Formulation as a 1st order ODE:

u: position vector, v: velocity vector

```
> circ_ode := { diff( u[1](t),t ) = v[1](t),
                diff( u[2](t),t ) = v[2](t),
                diff( v[1](t),t ) = -u[1](t),
                diff( v[2](t),t ) = -u[2](t) };
```

$$\text{circ_ode} := \left\{ \frac{d}{dt} u_1(t) = v_1(t), \frac{d}{dt} u_2(t) = v_2(t), \frac{d}{dt} v_1(t) = -u_1(t), \frac{d}{dt} v_2(t) = -u_2(t) \right\}$$

```
> uv_sol :=
dsolve( { op(circ_ode),
          u[1](0)=1, u[2](0)=0, v[1](0)=0, v[2](0)=1 },
        { u[1](t), u[2](t), v[1](t), v[2](t) } );
```

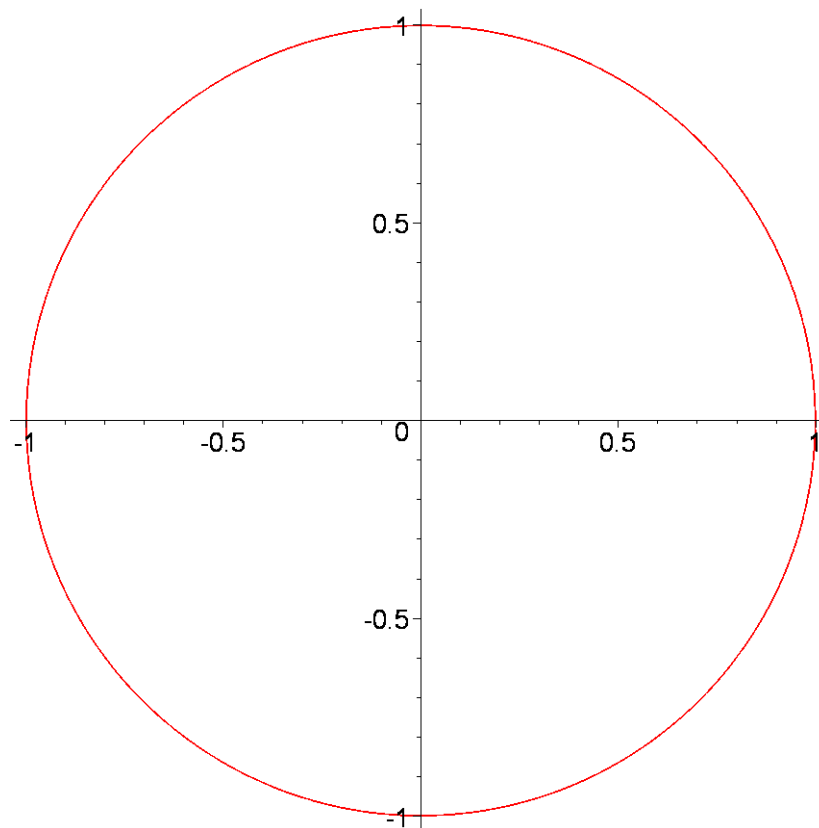
$$\text{uv_sol} := \{ u_1(t) = \cos(t), u_2(t) = \sin(t), v_1(t) = -\sin(t), v_2(t) = \cos(t) \}$$

```
> us1 := subs(uv_sol, u[1](t));
us2 := subs(uv_sol, u[2](t));
```

$$\text{us1} := \cos(t)$$

$$\text{us2} := \sin(t)$$

```
> plot( [ us1,us2, t=0..100], scaling=CONSTRAINED );
```



- Numerical Solution: Explicit Euler Scheme

We try an explicit Euler scheme to solve the PDE:

n is the number of time steps; τ the time step size;

-> we want to do m runs around the circle

```
> n := 500; m := 3;
   tau := evalf(m*2*Pi/n);
```

```
n := 500
```

```
m := 3
```

```
 $\tau := 0.03769911185$ 
```

Define two arrays unum and vnum for the approximate solutions:

```
> u1num := Vector(1..n+1);
   u2num := Vector(1..n+1);
   v1num := Vector(1..n+1);
   v2num := Vector(1..n+1);
```

```
u1num := [ 501 Element Column Vector
           Data Type: anything
           Storage: rectangular
           Order: Fortran_order ]
```

```
u2num := [ 501 Element Column Vector
           Data Type: anything
           Storage: rectangular
           Order: Fortran_order ]
```

```

v1num := [ 501 Element Column Vector
           Data Type: anything
           Storage: rectangular
           Order: Fortran_order ]
v2num := [ 501 Element Column Vector
           Data Type: anything
           Storage: rectangular
           Order: Fortran_order ]

```

Initial conditions:

```

> u1num[1] := 1; u2num[1] := 0;
   v1num[1] := 0; v2num[1] := 1;

           u1num1 := 1
           u2num1 := 0
           v1num1 := 0
           v2num1 := 1

```

Solve system of ODEs via explicit Euler:

```

> for k from 1 to n do
   u1num[k+1] := u1num[k] + tau*(v1num[k]):
   u2num[k+1] := u2num[k] + tau*(v2num[k]):
   v1num[k+1] := v1num[k] + tau*(-u1num[k]):
   v2num[k+1] := v2num[k] + tau*(-u2num[k]):
end do:

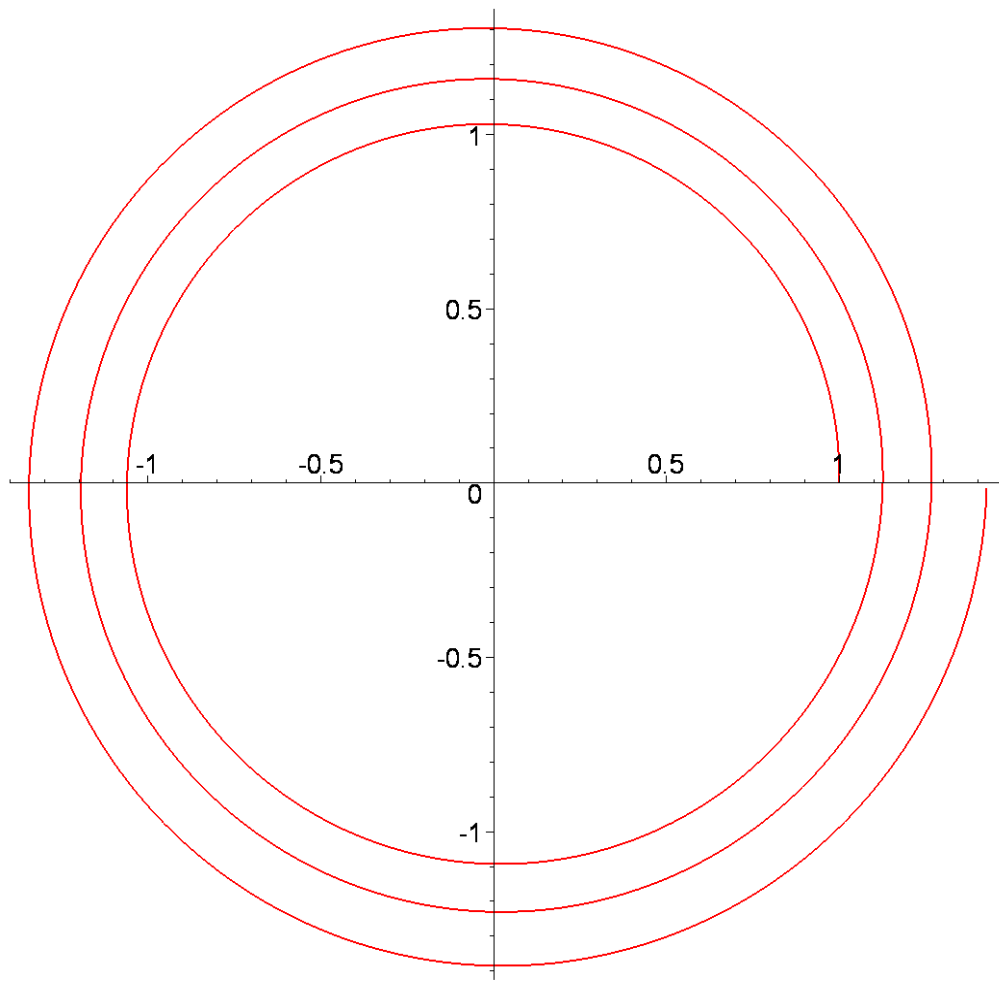
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and plot the result:

```

> plot( [ seq( [u1num[k], u2num[k]], k=1..n+1) ], thickness=2,
        scaling=CONSTRAINED );

```



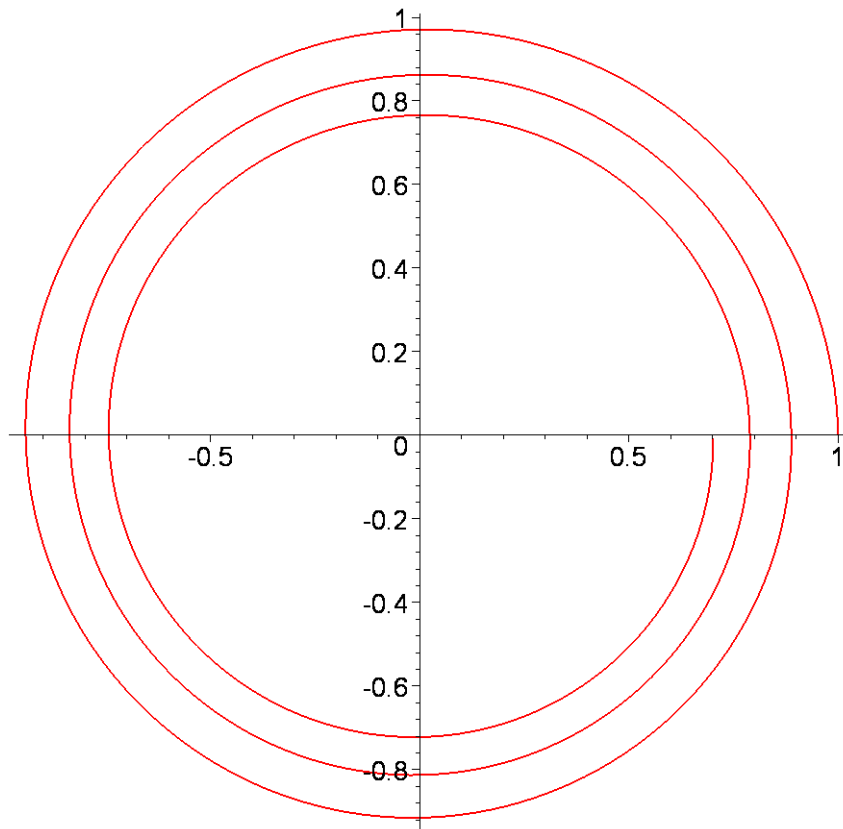
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- Implicit Euler

```

> for k from 1 to n do
  nextstep := solve({
    ulnew = ulnum[k] + tau*(v1new),
    u2new = u2num[k] + tau*(v2new),
    v1new = v1num[k] + tau*(-ulnew),
    v2new = v2num[k] + tau*(-u2new) }, {ulnew, u2new, v1new,
v2new}):
  ulnum[k+1] := subs(nextstep, ulnew);
  u2num[k+1] := subs(nextstep, u2new);
  v1num[k+1] := subs(nextstep, v1new);
  v2num[k+1] := subs(nextstep, v2new);
end do:
> plot( [ seq( [ulnum[k], u2num[k]], k=1..n+1) ], thickness=2,
scaling=CONSTRAINED );

```



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- Trapezoid Rule (Crank-Nicholson, implicit method)

```

> n := 100; m := 3;
  tau := evalf(m*2*Pi/n);
  u1num := Vector(1..n+1): u2num := Vector(1..n+1):
  v1num := Vector(1..n+1): v2num := Vector(1..n+1):

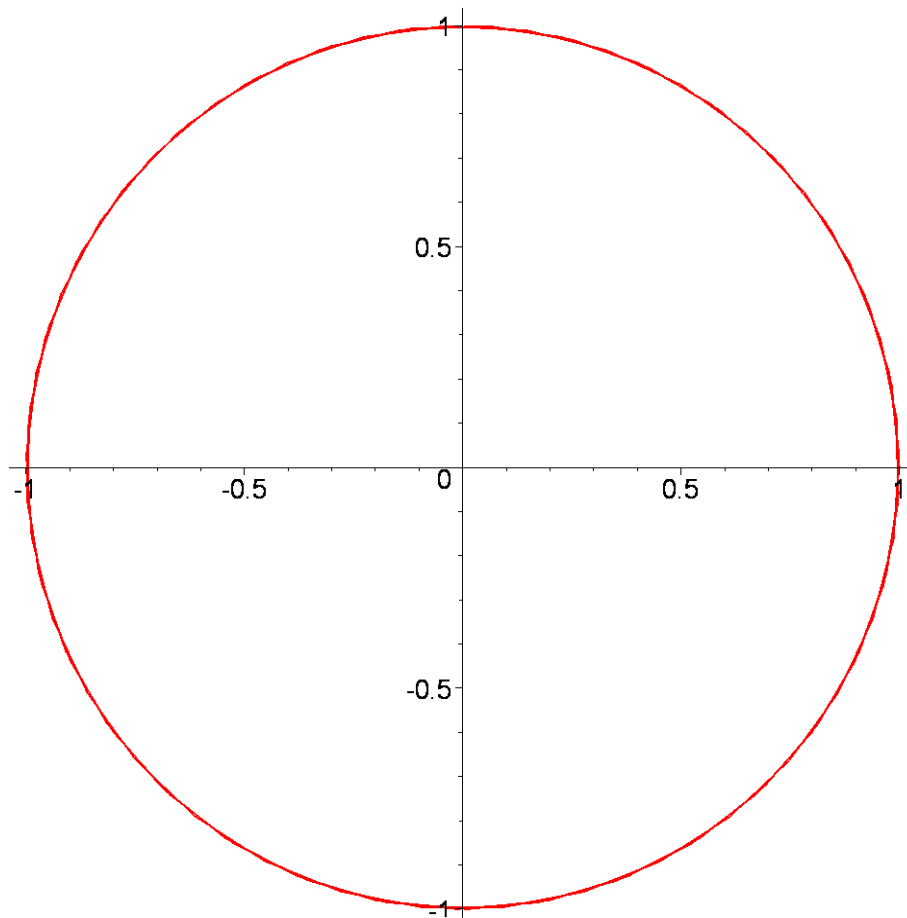
      n := 100
      m := 3
      τ := 0.1884955592
> u1num[1] := 1: u2num[1] := 0:
  v1num[1] := 0: v2num[1] := 1:
> for k from 1 to n do
  nextstep := solve({
    u1new = u1num[k] + tau*(v1num[k]+v1new)/2,
    u2new = u2num[k] + tau*(v2num[k]+v2new)/2,
    v1new = v1num[k] + tau*(-u1num[k]-u1new)/2,
    v2new = v2num[k] + tau*(-u2num[k]-u2new)/2 },
    {u1new, u2new, v1new, v2new}):
  u1num[k+1] := subs(nextstep, u1new);
  u2num[k+1] := subs(nextstep, u2new);
  v1num[k+1] := subs(nextstep, v1new);
  v2num[k+1] := subs(nextstep, v2new);
end do:

```

The implicit Crank-Nicholson scheme turns out to work fine;

however, as an implicit method, we will not be able to use it for molecular dynamics (it's simply too expensive)

```
> plot( [ seq( [u1num[k], u2num[k]], k=1..n+1) ], thickness=2,  
        scaling=CONSTRAINED );
```

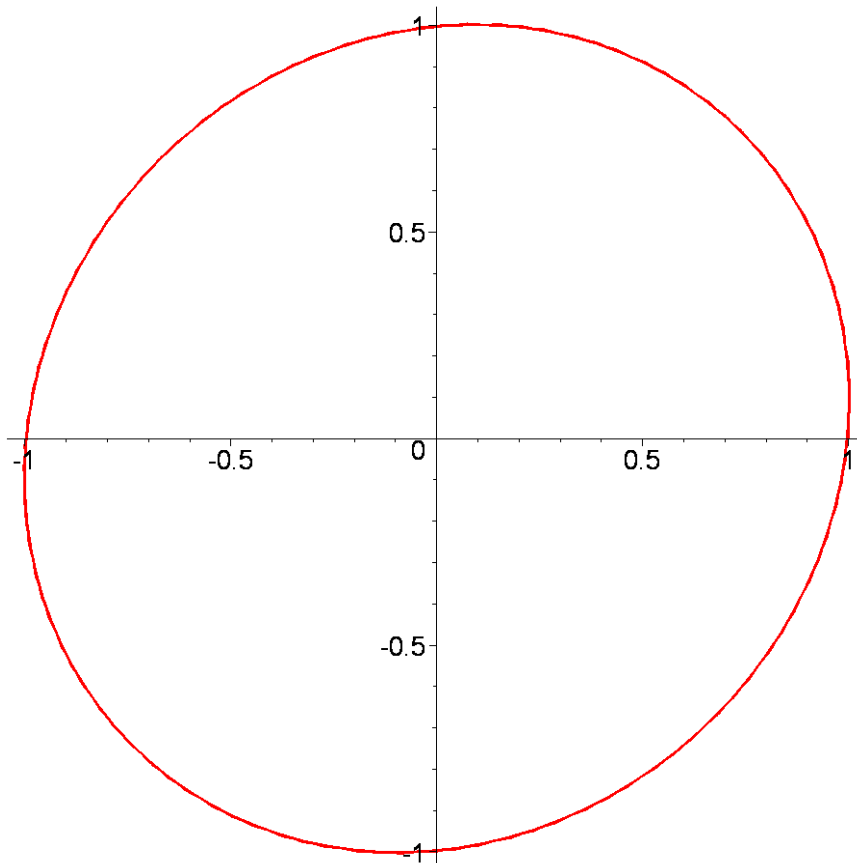


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>
```

- An alternative (simple) Leapfrog Scheme

```
> n := 100; m := 3;  
tau := evalf(m*2*Pi/n);  
u1num := Vector(1..n+1): u2num := Vector(1..n+1):  
v1num := Vector(1..n+1): v2num := Vector(1..n+1):  
  
n := 100  
m := 3  
tau := 0.1884955592  
  
> u1num[1] := 1: u2num[1] := 0:  
v1num[1] := 0: v2num[1] := 1:  
  
> for k from 1 to n do  
    u1num[k+1] := u1num[k] + tau*(v1num[k]):  
    u2num[k+1] := u2num[k] + tau*(v2num[k]):  
    v1num[k+1] := v1num[k] + tau*(-u1num[k+1]):  
    v2num[k+1] := v2num[k] + tau*(-u2num[k+1]):  
end do:  
  
> plot( [ seq( [u1num[k], u2num[k]], k=1..n+1) ], thickness=2,
```

```
scaling=CONSTRAINED );
```



```
>
```

- Velocity Verlet

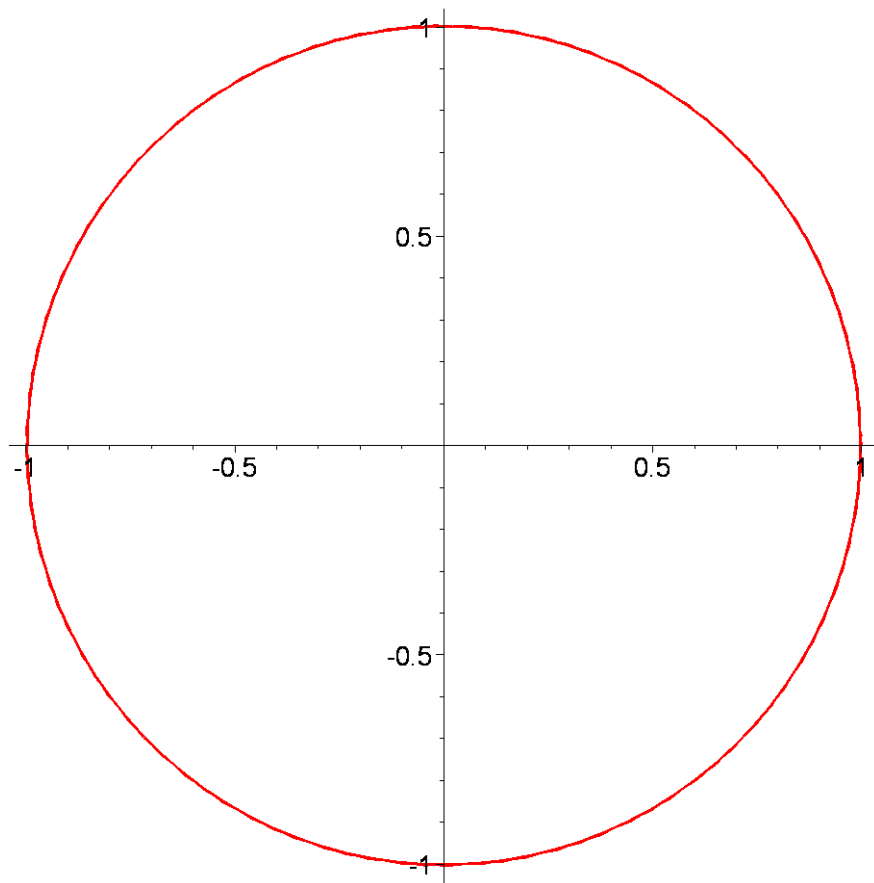
```
> n := 100; m := 3;
tau := evalf(m*2*Pi/n);
u1num := Vector(1..n+1): u2num := Vector(1..n+1):
v1num := Vector(1..n+1): v2num := Vector(1..n+1):

      n := 100
      m := 3
      τ := 0.1884955592

> u1num[1] := 1: u2num[1] := 0:
v1num[1] := 0: v2num[1] := 1:

> for k from 1 to n do
    v1ver := v1num[k] + tau*(-u1num[k])/2:
    v2ver := v2num[k] + tau*(-u2num[k])/2:
    u1num[k+1] := u1num[k] + tau*(v1ver):
    u2num[k+1] := u2num[k] + tau*(v2ver):
    v1num[k+1] := v1ver + tau*(-u1num[k+1])/2:
    v2num[k+1] := v2ver + tau*(-u2num[k+1])/2:
end do:

> plot( [ seq( [u1num[k], u2num[k]], k=1..n+1) ], thickness=2,
scaling=CONSTRAINED );
```

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