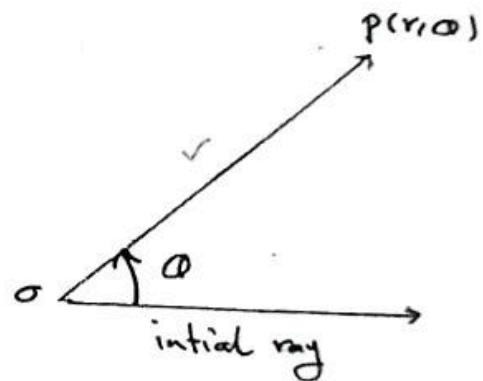
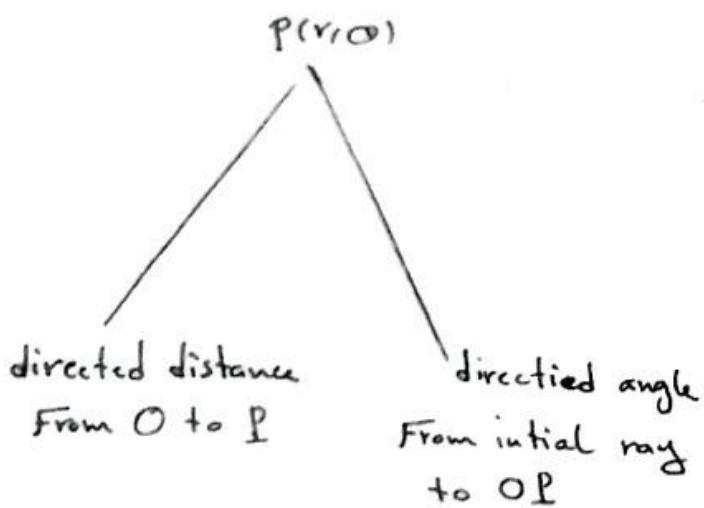


Polar Coordinate :-

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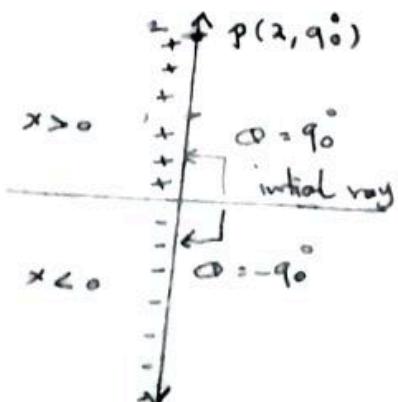
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To define polar coordinate, we first fix an origin O and an initial ray from O , then each point P can be assigned polar coordinates (r, θ) in which the first number r , gives the directed distance from O to P and the second number θ gives the directed angle from the initial ray to the segment OP .



Remark :- The angle θ is positive when measured ^{anti-clockwise} counter-clockwise and negative when measured ^{clockwise} clockwise.

Ex:- Plot the point $(2, 90^\circ)$



Remark (1)

Infinite coordinates

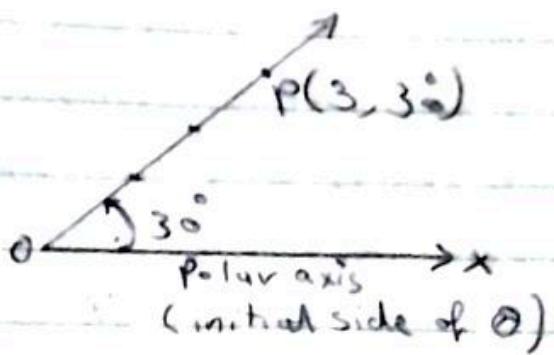
Any point P in polar coordinate system with coordinate (r, θ) has also infinite number of polar coordinates which are

- 1) (a) $(r, \theta + n \cdot 360^\circ)$ for all ~~all~~ integers n ,
when θ is measured in degrees
- (b) $(-r, (\theta - 180) + n \cdot 360^\circ)$ for all ~~all~~ integers n , when
 θ is measured in degrees
- → 2) (a) $(r, \theta + 2n\pi)$ for all ~~all~~ integers n ,
when θ is measured in radians
- (b) $(-r, (\theta - \pi) + n\pi)$ for all ~~all~~ integers n ,
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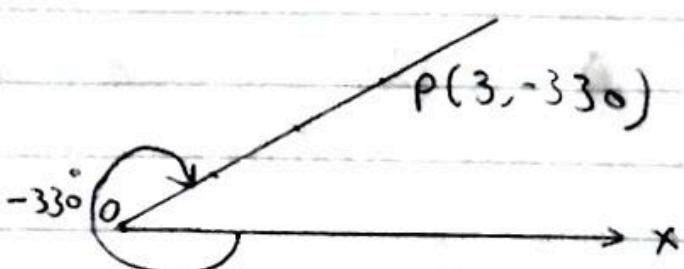
Example: Find all the polar coordinates (r, θ) of the point $P(3, 30^\circ)$ such that $-360^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$ and plot the point P for all these coordinates.

Solution: the point P has the coordinates $(3, 30^\circ)$, $(3, -330^\circ)$, $(-3, 210^\circ)$, $(-3, -150^\circ)$, i.e.
 $P(3, 30^\circ) \Leftrightarrow P(3, -330^\circ) \Leftrightarrow P(-3, 210^\circ) = P(-3, -150^\circ)$.

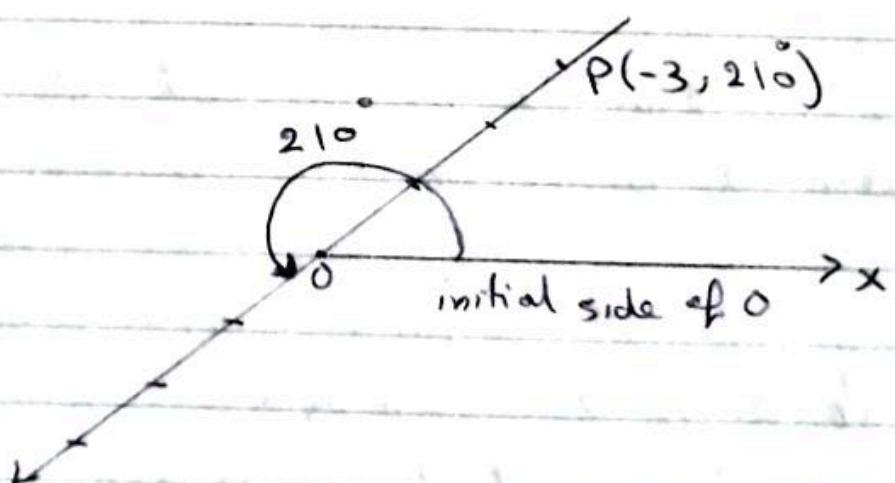
1- Plotting $P(3, 30^\circ)$



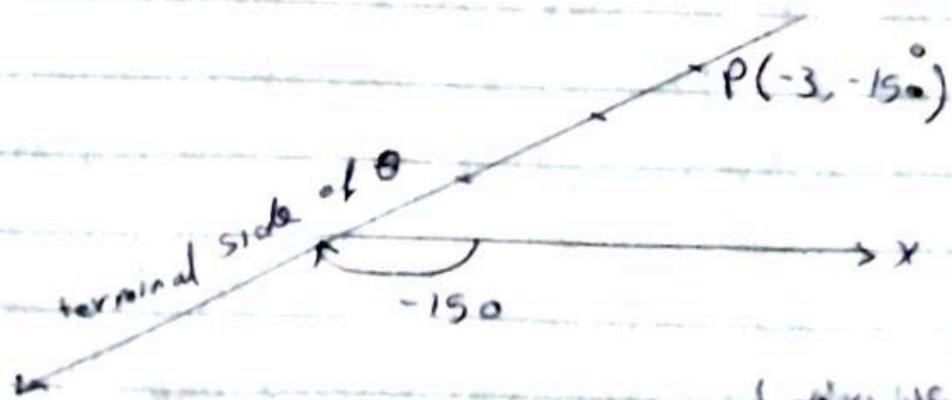
2- plotting $P(3, -330^\circ)$



3- plotting $(-3, 210^\circ)$



4) plotting $(-3, 150^\circ)$



Example 2 - Find all the polar coordinates of the point $P(2, 30^\circ)$

Solution :-

The polar coordinates are

$$(2, 30^\circ + n \cdot 180^\circ), n = 0, \pm 2, \pm 4, \pm 6$$

$$\text{i.e. } (2, 30^\circ), (2, 390^\circ), (2, 750^\circ), (2, 1110^\circ), \dots$$

$$(2, -330^\circ), (2, -690^\circ), (2, -1050^\circ), \dots$$

$$\text{and } (-2, 30^\circ + n \cdot 180^\circ), n = \pm 1, \pm 3, \pm 5, \dots$$

$$\text{i.e. } (-2, 210^\circ), (-2, 570^\circ), (-2, 930^\circ), \dots$$

$$(-2, -150^\circ), (-2, -510^\circ), (-2, -870^\circ).$$

Example 3 - Find all the polar coordinates of the point

$$P(2, \frac{\pi}{8})$$

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the polar coordinates are ① when $r = 2$

$$(2, \frac{\pi}{6} + n\pi), n = 0, \pm 2, \pm 4, \pm 6, \dots \text{ i.e.}$$

$$(2, \frac{\pi}{8}), (2, \frac{13\pi}{6}), (2, \frac{25\pi}{8}), \dots$$

$$(2, \frac{-11\pi}{6}), (2, -\frac{23\pi}{6}), (2, -\frac{35\pi}{6}), \dots$$

and ② when $r = -2$

$$(-2, \frac{\pi}{6} + n\pi), n = \pm 1, \pm 3, \pm 5, \dots$$

$$(-2, \frac{7\pi}{6}), (-2, \frac{19\pi}{6}), (-2, \frac{31\pi}{6}), \dots$$

$$(-2, -\frac{5\pi}{6}), (-2, -\frac{17\pi}{6}), (-2, -\frac{29\pi}{6})$$

Ex: Plot the point $(3, 30^\circ)$.

Sol: $P(3, 30^\circ), P(3, -330^\circ)$,
 $P(-3, -150^\circ), P(-3, 210^\circ)$



Thus the polar coordinates of the point $P(3, 30^\circ)$

Remark: $\cos(\theta + 180^\circ) = -\cos \theta$

$$\sin(\theta + 180^\circ) = -\sin \theta$$



Ex: Plot the following points

$$1. P(5, 45^\circ) \quad 2. P(4, 90^\circ) \quad 3. P(6, 270^\circ)$$

Ex: Find all the polar coordinates of the point $P(2, 30^\circ)$.

Sol 1. when $r > 2$.

$$\text{The angle } \theta = 30^\circ + n \cdot 360^\circ$$

$$30^\circ + 2 \cdot 360^\circ$$

$$30^\circ + 3 \cdot 360^\circ$$

Therefore the polar coordinates $(2, 30^\circ + n \cdot 360^\circ), n \in \mathbb{Z}, n \geq 0$,
or $(2, 30^\circ + n \cdot 360^\circ), n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 3, \dots$

2. For $r = -2$

$$\text{The angle } \theta = -150^\circ + n \cdot 360^\circ$$

$$-150^\circ + 2 \cdot 360^\circ$$

$$-150^\circ + 3 \cdot 360^\circ$$

Therefore the polar coordinates $(-2, -150^\circ + n \cdot 360^\circ), n \in \mathbb{Z}, n \geq 0$,
or $(-2, -150^\circ + n \cdot 360^\circ), n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$

∴ the polar coordinates are $(2, 30^\circ + n \cdot 360^\circ)$, $n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$
 $(-2, -150^\circ + n \cdot 360^\circ)$, $n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$

Radian measure :-

$$\rho(2, \frac{\pi}{6})$$

IF we measure angle in radian the Formula
that correspond $(2, \frac{\pi}{6} + 2n\pi)$, $n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$
 $(-2, -\frac{5\pi}{6} + 2n\pi)$, $n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$

when $n = 0 \Rightarrow$ the Formular give $(2, \frac{\pi}{6}), (-2, -\frac{5\pi}{6})$
 $n = 1 \Rightarrow \dots \dots \dots (2, \frac{13\pi}{6}), (-2, \frac{7\pi}{6})$.