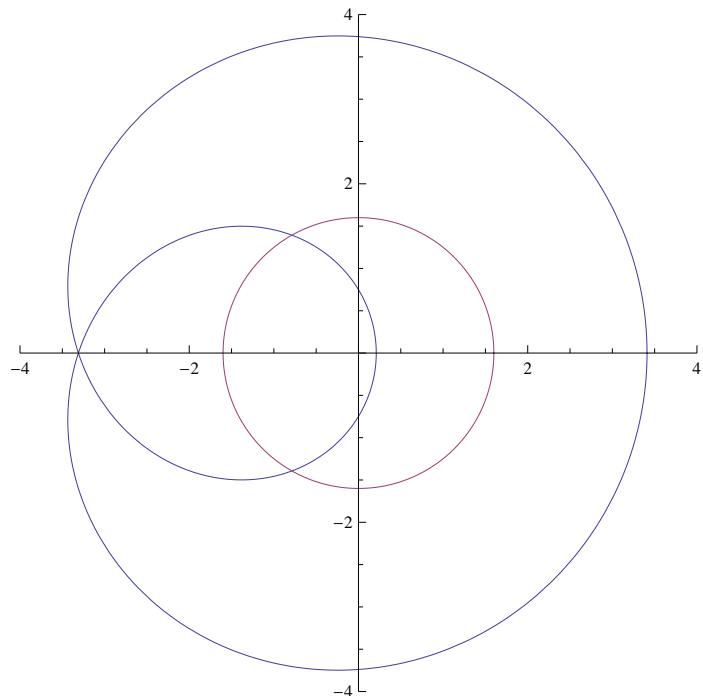


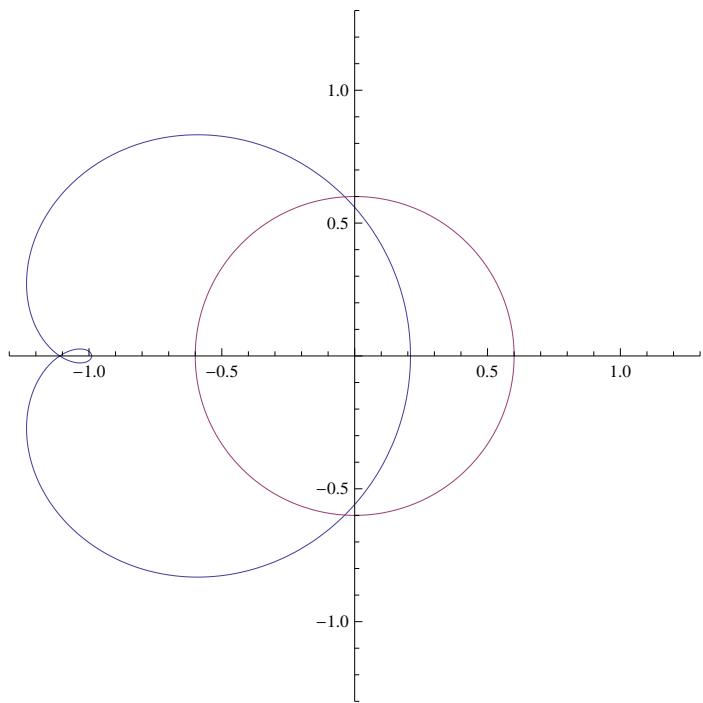
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(* ----- *)
(* wind      Winding number solution of z^2 + z - 3/4 = 0      *)
(* ----- *)
(* Exact solutions are z = 1/2 and z = -3/2  *)
(* Graphs show p(z(t)) and z(t) [RED] *)
wind[a_, b_] := ParametricPlot[{{a^2 Cos[2 t] + a Cos[t] - 3/4, a^2 Sin[2 t] + a Sin[t]}, {a Cos[t], a Sin[t]}}, {t, 0, 2 Pi},
  PlotRange -> {{{-b, b}, {-b, b}}}]
(* w = 2 *)
wind[1.6, 4]

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(* w = 1 *)
wind[0.6, 1.3]
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(* w = 0 *)
wind[0.4, 1.2]
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