

## Cycloidal Displacement

The equation of cycloidal displacement, as shown in Fig 1, is:

$$s = h \left[ \frac{\theta}{\beta} - \frac{1}{2\pi} \sin \left( 2\pi \frac{\theta}{\beta} \right) \right]$$

The displacement  $s$  is the projection of a point of cycloidal curve, which is generated by rolling a circle on a line, to the  $s$ -axis ( $y$ -axis).

The velocity, acceleration and jerk equations are:

$$v = \frac{h}{\beta} \left[ 1 - \cos \left( 2\pi \frac{\theta}{\beta} \right) \right]$$

$$a = 2\pi \frac{h}{\beta^2} \sin \left( 2\pi \frac{\theta}{\beta} \right)$$

$$j = 4\pi^2 \frac{h}{\beta^3} \sin \left( 2\pi \frac{\theta}{\beta} \right)$$

where  $h$  is the total rise, or lift,  $\theta$  is the camshaft angle, and  $\beta$  is the total angle of the rise interval. The  $s$   $v$   $a$   $j$  diagrams are shown in Fig. 2.



Figure 1

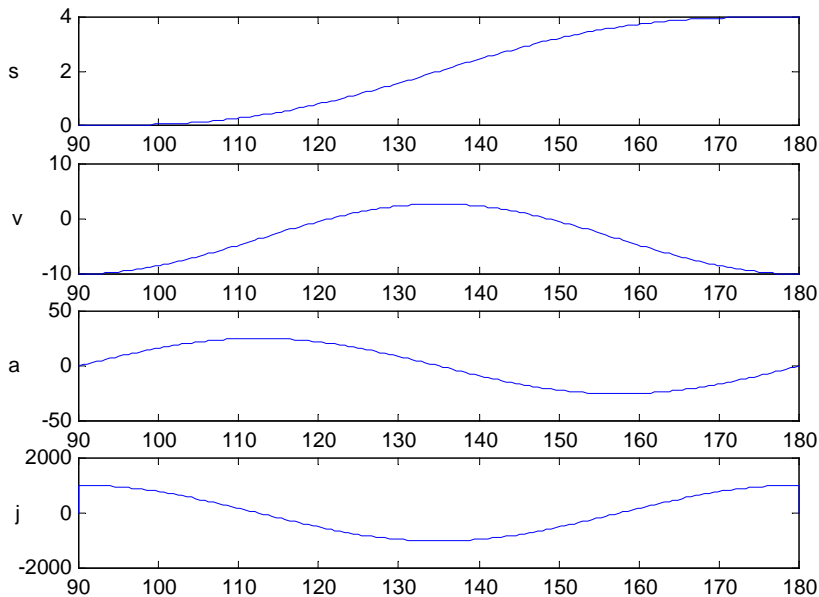


Figure 2