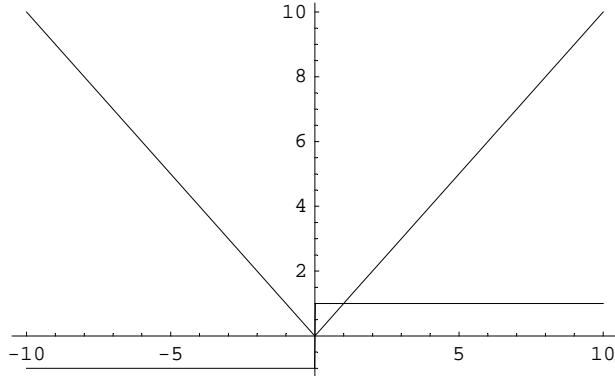


(* 2-parameter ICE preference maps in Cartesian Coordinates *)

```
Plot[{Abs[x], Sign[x]}, {x, -10, 10}]
```



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(* Obscure discontinuities in Sign function and derivative of Abs function at x = 0 *)

```
Sign'[x_] := 0;
```

```
Abs'[x_] := Sign[x];
```

(* 2-Parameter ICE Preference Maps: Functional DEFINITION *)

```
P[x_, y_, β_, γ_] := (x^2 + y^2)^((β-γ)/2) Sign[x - y] Abs[x - y]^γ;
```

```
Derivative[1, 0, 0, 0][P][x, y, β, γ]
```

$$x (x^2 + y^2)^{-1+\frac{\beta-\gamma}{2}} (\beta - \gamma) \operatorname{Abs}[x - y]^{\gamma} \operatorname{Sign}[x - y] + (x^2 + y^2)^{\frac{\beta-\gamma}{2}} \gamma \operatorname{Abs}[x - y]^{-1+\gamma} \operatorname{Sign}[x - y]^2$$

(* NOTE: Sign[]² is almost always 1,
but this cannot be declared because "Tag Power is Protected." *)

```
FullSimplify[Derivative[1, 0, 0, 0][P][x, y, β, γ]]
```

$$(x^2 + y^2)^{\frac{1}{2}(-2+\beta-\gamma)} \operatorname{Abs}[x - y]^{-1+\gamma} \operatorname{Sign}[x - y] (x (\beta - \gamma) \operatorname{Abs}[x - y] + (x^2 + y^2) \gamma \operatorname{Sign}[x - y])$$

(* Now, define dPdx[] = derivative of P[] with respect to x *)

```
dPdx[x_, y_, β_, γ_] := + (x^2 + y^2)^{-1+(\beta-\gamma)/2} Abs[x - y]^{-1+\gamma} (\beta x^2 + (\gamma - \beta) x y + \gamma y^2);
```

```
Derivative[0, 1, 0, 0][P][x, y, β, γ]
```

$$y (x^2 + y^2)^{-1+\frac{\beta-\gamma}{2}} (\beta - \gamma) \operatorname{Abs}[x - y]^{\gamma} \operatorname{Sign}[x - y] - (x^2 + y^2)^{\frac{\beta-\gamma}{2}} \gamma \operatorname{Abs}[x - y]^{-1+\gamma} \operatorname{Sign}[x - y]^2$$

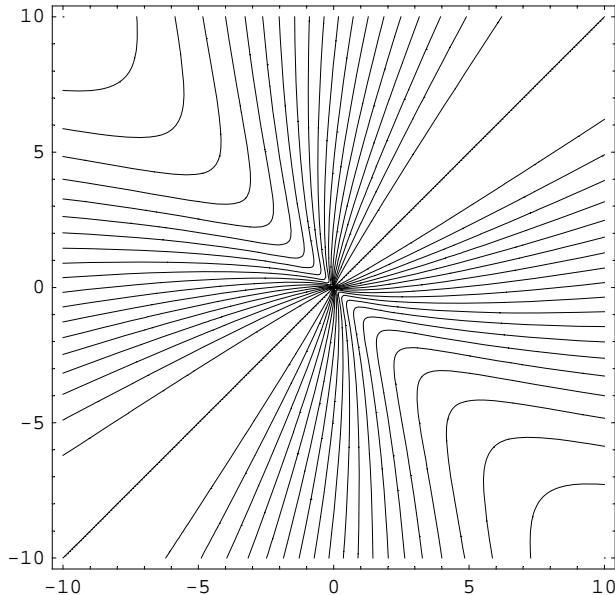
```

FullSimplify[Derivative[0, 1, 0, 0][P][x, y, β, γ]]
- (x2 + y2)(-2+β-γ)/2 Abs[x - y]-1+γ Sign[x - y] (y (-β + γ) Abs[x - y] + (x2 + y2) γ Sign[x - y])

(* Next, define dPdy[] = derivative of P[] with respect to y *)
dPdy[x_, y_, β_, γ_] := -(x2 + y2)-(β-γ)/2 Abs[x - y]-1+γ (γ x2 + (γ - β) x y + β y2);

ContourPlot[P[x, y, 0.2, 2], {x, -10, 10}, {y, -10, 10},
PlotPoints → 250, Contours → 41, ContourShading → False]

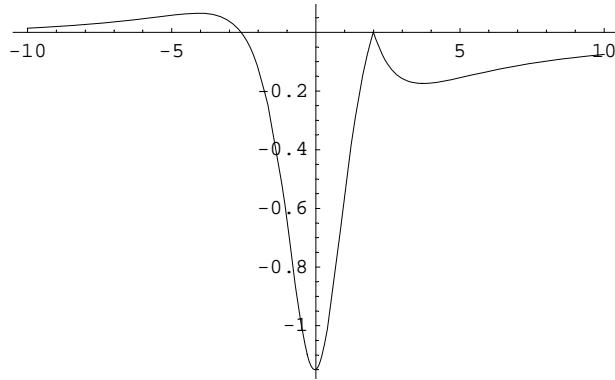
```



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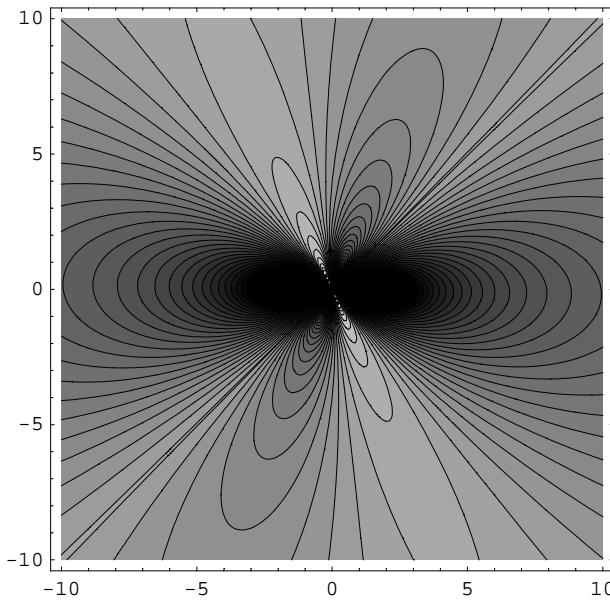
(* But the following dPdy derivative
is NOT always negative. NOTE: γ/β = 10 is large here *)

```
Plot[dPdy[2, y, 0.2, 2], {y, -10, 10}]
```



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```
ContourPlot[dPdy[x, y, 0.2, 2], {x, -10, 10},
{y, -10, 10}, PlotPoints → 250, Contours → 41]
```



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```

```
(* When can the ( $\gamma x^2 + (\gamma - \beta) x y + \beta y^2$ ) factor in dPdy[] change sign? *)
```

```
Solve[ $\gamma x^2 + (\gamma - \beta) x y + \beta y^2 = 0$ , x]
```

$$\left\{ \left\{ x \rightarrow \frac{-y(-\beta + \gamma) - y\sqrt{\beta^2 - 6\beta\gamma + \gamma^2}}{2\gamma} \right\}, \left\{ x \rightarrow \frac{-y(-\beta + \gamma) + y\sqrt{\beta^2 - 6\beta\gamma + \gamma^2}}{2\gamma} \right\} \right\}$$

```
(* When will  $\gamma^2 - 6\gamma\beta + \beta^2$  be negative? ... i.e. no real solution to above equation! *)
```

```
Solve[ $\gamma^2 - 6\gamma\beta + \beta^2 = 0$ ,  $\gamma$ ]
```

$$\left\{ \left\{ \gamma \rightarrow 3\beta - 2\sqrt{2}\beta \right\}, \left\{ \gamma \rightarrow 3\beta + 2\sqrt{2}\beta \right\} \right\}$$

```
(* No real solution when  $\gamma/\beta$  is less than the upper bound:  $3+2\sqrt{2} = (1+\sqrt{2})^2$ . *)
```

```
N[3 + 2  $\sqrt{2}$ , 25]
```

```
5.828427124746190097603377
```

```
(* Note that lower bound of  $3-2\sqrt{2}$  is also the reciprocal of the upper bound. *)
```

```

N[3 - 2 Sqrt[2], 25]
0.1715728752538099023966226

(* This notebook explores properties of the most "directional" ICE preference *)
(* maps that satisfy the axiom of Cartesian Monotonicity [CM]. *)
(* These extreme maps are called "ICE-Omega" preference maps because their *)
(* power-parameter-ratio,  $\gamma/\beta$ , equals the CM upper limit of  $\Omega = (1 + \sqrt{2})^2$ , *)
(* which is approximately 5.828 *)

P[x_, y_,  $\beta$ _,  $\Omega$ _] := (x2 + y2) $\beta$  (1- $\Omega$ )/2 Sign[x - y] Abs[x - y] $\beta$   $\Omega$ ;

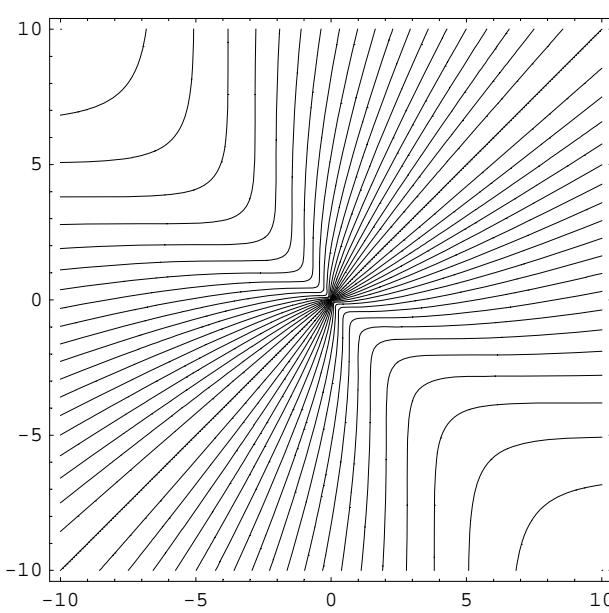
(* Note that {1- $\Omega$ }/2 = - $\sqrt{\Omega}$  = -1 -  $\sqrt{2}$ . *)

FullSimplify[{1 - (1 + Sqrt[2])2} / 2]

{-1 - Sqrt[2]}

(* The ContourPlot below depicts an ICE-Omega map which, due to  $\beta = 0.2 < 1$ , *)
(* corresponds to decreasing returns-to-scale. *)

ContourPlot[P[x, y, 0.2, (1 + Sqrt[2])2], {x, -10, 10}, {y, -10, 10},
PlotPoints → 250, Contours → 41, ContourShading → False]

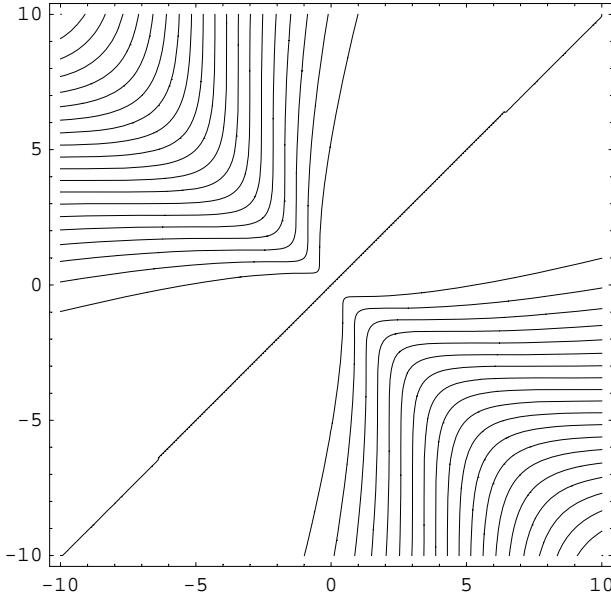


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(* Next, here is the ICE-Omega map with linear [constant] returns-to-scale, $\beta = 1$. *)

```
ContourPlot[P[x, y, 1, (1 + Sqrt[2])^2], {x, -10, 10}, {y, -10, 10},
PlotPoints → 250, Contours → 41, ContourShading → False]
```



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(* Willingness is a function of only the std. ICE ratio $\rho = x/y$ when $\gamma/\beta = \Omega$. *)

```
Willingness[ρ_, Ω_] := (1 + (Ω - 1) ρ + Ω ρ^2) / (Ω + (Ω - 1) ρ + ρ^2);
```

```
Solve[Willingness[ρ, (1 + Sqrt[2])^2] == 0, ρ]
```

```
{ {ρ → 1 - Sqrt[2]}, {ρ → 1 + Sqrt[2]} }
```

```
Solve[Derivative[1, 0][Willingness][ρ, (1 + Sqrt[2])^2] == 0, ρ]
```

```
Solve::verif : Potential solution {ρ → -1 - Sqrt[2]} (possibly
discarded by verifier) should be checked by hand. May require use of limits. More...
```

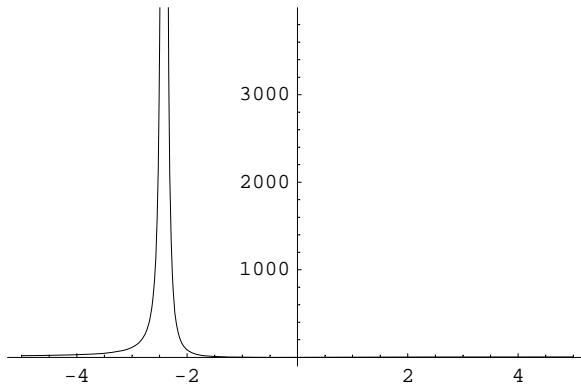
```
{ {ρ → 1 - Sqrt[2]} }
```

```
N[Solve[Derivative[1, 0][Willingness][ρ, (1 + Sqrt[2])^2] == 0, ρ]]
```

```
Solve::verif : Potential solution {ρ → -1 - Sqrt[2]} (possibly
discarded by verifier) should be checked by hand. May require use of limits. More...
```

```
{ {ρ → -0.414214} }
```

```
Plot[{Willingness[ρ, (1 + √2)^2]}, {ρ, -5, 5}]
```



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```
N[Willingness[-1 - √2, (1 + √2)^2]]
```

```
Power::infy : Infinite expression 1/0. encountered. More...
```

```
Power::infy : Infinite expression 1/(0.1) encountered. More...
```

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```
N[Willingness[1 - √2, (1 + √2)^2]]
```

0.

```
(* Unlike other 2 parameter ICE preference maps possessing Monotonicity, *)
(* Willingness within ICE-Omega maps ranges from 0 to +∞. In maps with a *)
(* power-parameter-ratio = γ/β that is strictly between 1/Ω and Ω, the minimum *)
(* Willingness is strictly positive, and the maximum Willingness is bounded. *)
```

```
Solve[Derivative[1, 0][Willingness][ρ, η] == 0, ρ]
```

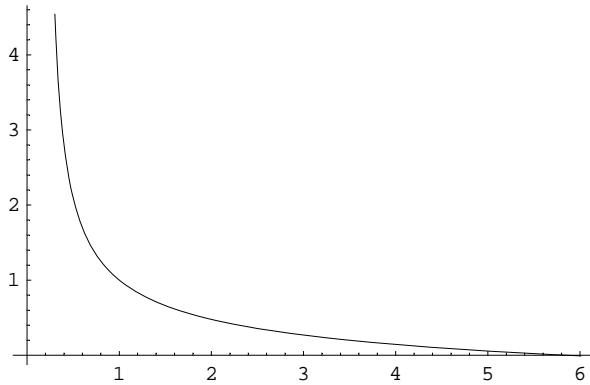
$$\left\{ \left\{ \rho \rightarrow \frac{-1 - 2\sqrt{\eta} - \eta}{-1 + \eta} \right\}, \left\{ \rho \rightarrow \frac{-1 + 2\sqrt{\eta} - \eta}{-1 + \eta} \right\} \right\}$$

```
(* Note that the above roots are reciprocals of each other ...
both have the same numerical sign. *)
```

```
FullSimplify[Willingness[(1 - √η)/(1 + √η), η]]
```

$$-1 + \frac{4\sqrt{\eta}}{-1 + 2\sqrt{\eta} + \eta}$$

```
Plot[-1 + 4 Sqrt[η] / (-1 + 2 Sqrt[η] + η), {η, 0.3, 6}]
```

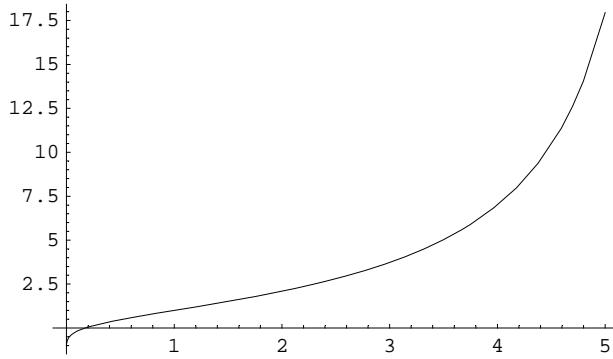


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```
FullSimplify[Willingness[(1 + Sqrt[η]) / (1 - Sqrt[η]), η]]
```

$$-1 - \frac{4 \sqrt{\eta}}{-1 - 2 \sqrt{\eta} + \eta}$$

```
Plot[-1 + 4 Sqrt[η] / (1 + 2 Sqrt[η] - η), {η, 0, 5}]
```



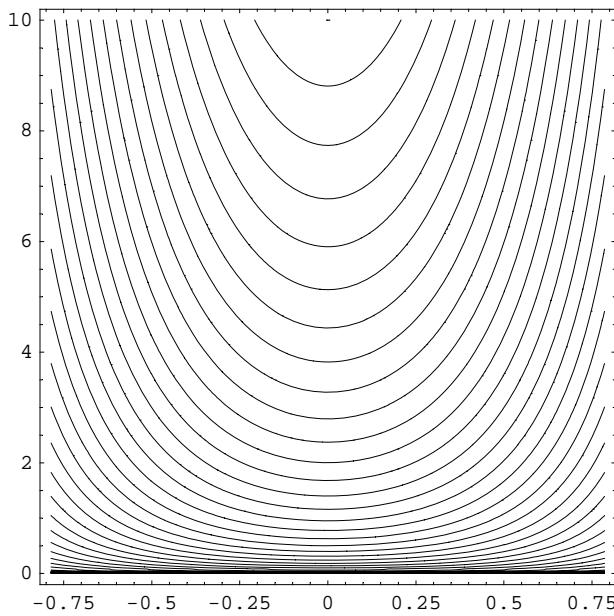
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(* Visualization of ICE-Omega preference maps in polar coordinates. *)

```
Ω[r_, θ_, β_, Ω_] := r^β Sign[Cos[θ]] Abs[Cos[θ]]^β Ω;
```

(* The graph below depicts ICE-Omega preferences within the South-East Quadrant. *)

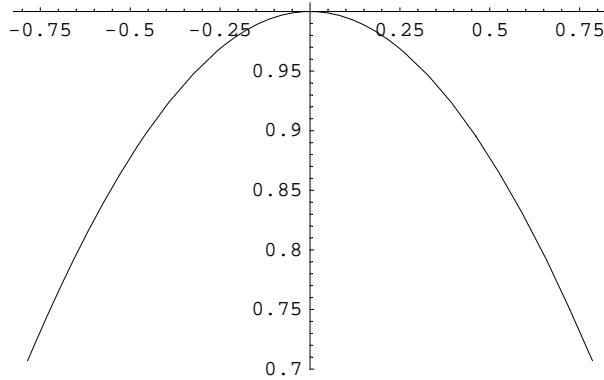
```
ContourPlot[Ω[r, θ, 0.2, (1 + √2)^2], {θ, -π/4, π/4},
{r, 0, 10}, PlotPoints → 250, Contours → 41, ContourShading → False]
```



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(* When ICE radius is restricted, such as "r at most 10" in the above graph, some *)
(* relatively large values of ICE preference can be achieved within the SE quadrant *)
(* that cannot be achieved within any other quadrant. *)

```
Plot[Cos[θ], {θ, -π/4, π/4}]
```



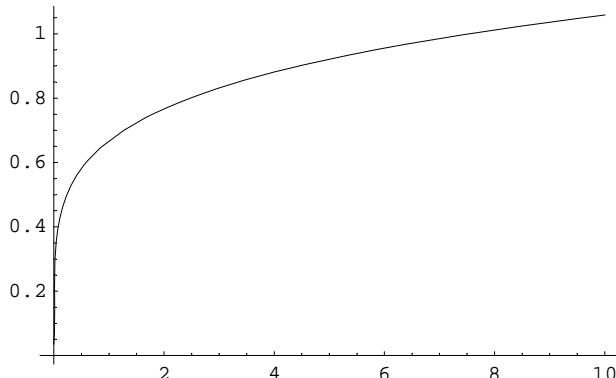
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(* Along the θ = π/4 boundary between the SE and NE quadrants, preference within *)
(* ICE-Omega maps can be made arbitrarily large simply by increasing the ICE *)
(* radius, r, as long as one restricts β to be strictly positive. *)

```
FullSimplify[Ω[r, π/4, β, (1 + √2)^2]]
```

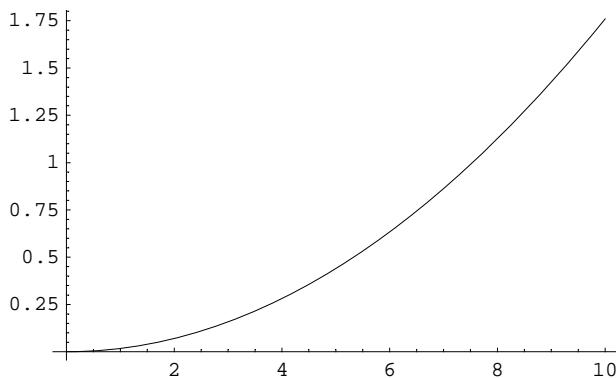
$$2^{-\frac{1}{2}} (3+2 \sqrt{2})^{\beta} r^{\beta}$$

```
Plot[Ω[r, π/4, 0.2, (1 + √2)^2], {r, 0, 10}]
```



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```
Plot[Ω[r, π/4, 2, (1 + √2)^2], {r, 0, 10}]
```



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```
Will2[θ_, Ω_] := (1 + (Ω - 1) Tan[θ - π/4] + Ω Tan[θ - π/4]^2) /  
(Ω + (Ω - 1) Tan[θ - π/4] + Tan[θ - π/4]^2);
```

```
Solve[Will2[θ, (1 + √2)^2] == 0, θ]
```

Solve::ifun : Inverse functions are being used by Solve, so some
solutions may not be found; use Reduce for complete solution information. More...

$$\left\{ \left\{ \theta \rightarrow \frac{1}{4} (\pi + 4 \operatorname{ArcTan}[1 - \sqrt{2}]) \right\} \right\}$$

(* Angle in radians. *)

```

N[ $\frac{1}{4} (\pi + 4 \operatorname{ArcTan}[1 - \sqrt{2}])$ ]
0.392699

(* Angle in degrees. *)
N[180 * 0.392699 / π]
22.5

(* Slope of Ray. *)
N[ $\sin[\frac{1}{4} (\pi + 4 \operatorname{ArcTan}[1 - \sqrt{2}])]$ ]
0.382683

N[ $1/\sin[\frac{1}{4} (\pi + 4 \operatorname{ArcTan}[1 - \sqrt{2}])]$ ]
2.61313

(* Willingness is ZERO at θ = π/8 = +22.5 degrees. *)
N[Will2[π/8, (1 + √2)2]]
5.55112 × 10-17

(* Willingness is +∞ at θ = -π/8 = -22.5 degrees. *)
N[Will2[-π/8, (1 + √2)2]]
Power::infy : Infinite expression  $\frac{1}{0}$ . encountered. More...
Power::infy : Infinite expression  $\frac{1}{0^{1}}$ . encountered. More...

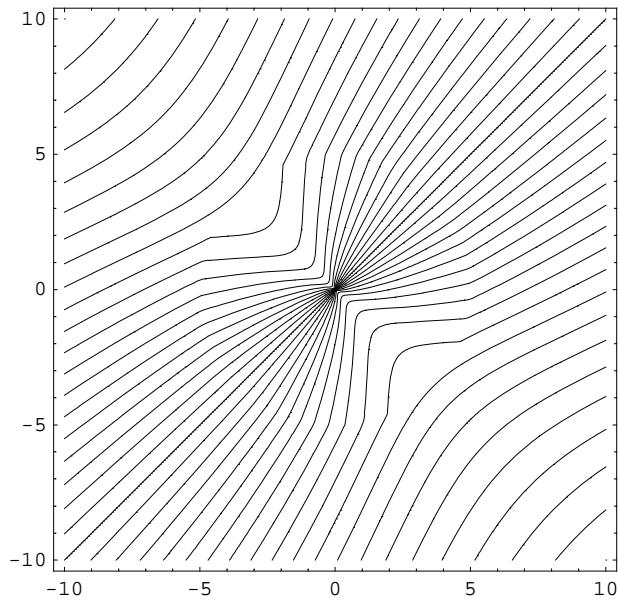
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(* Visualizing 4-parameter ICE preference maps... *)
P[x_, y_, β_, η_, γ_, ρ_] := If[x2 + y2 < ρ2,
  ((x2 + y2) / ρ2)(β-γ)/2 Sign[x - y] Abs[x - y]γ, ((x2 + y2) / ρ2)(η-γ)/2 Sign[x - y] Abs[x - y]γ];

(* Inside the circle of radius ρ,
one rescaling of the 2-parameter (β,γ) map applies. *)
(* Outside the circle of radius ρ,
a different rescaling of the 2-parameter (η,γ) map applies. *)
(* On the circle of radius ρ,
differences between β and η are unimportant because 1 to any power is 1. *)

```

```
ContourPlot[P[x, y, 0.2, 0.5, 1, 5], {x, -10, 10},  
{y, -10, 10}, PlotPoints → 250, Contours → 41, ContourShading → False]
```



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