

Assignment 1: Applications of Integration, Pappus Theorem

1. Compute area of the region bounded by the curves $y = x^3$ and $y = 3x - 2$.
2. Sketch the graphs of $r = f(\theta) = \cos(2\theta)$ and $r = g(\theta) = \sin(2\theta)$. Find the values of $\theta \in [0, \pi]$ such that $f(\theta) = g(\theta)$.
3. Find the area of the region that lies inside both the curves $r = 3$, $r = 6 \cos 2\theta$.
4. Let C denote the circular disc of radius b centered at $(a, 0)$ where $0 < b < a$. Find the volume of the torus that is generated by revolving C around the y -axis using
 - (a) the Washer Method
 - (b) the Shell Method.
5. Find the volume of the solid generated by revolving the region bounded by the lines $y = 0$, $x = 4$ and the curve $y = \sqrt{x}$ about the line $x = 6$.
6. Consider the curve C defined by $x(t) = \cos^3 t$, $y(t) = \sin^3 t$, $0 \leq t \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$.
 - (a) Find the length of the curve.
 - (b) Find the area of the surface generated by revolving C about the x -axis.
 - (c) If (\bar{x}, \bar{y}) is the centroid of C then find \bar{y} .
7. Find the centroid of the semicircular arc $(x - r)^2 + y^2 = r^2$, $r > 0$ described in the first quadrant. If this arc is rotated about the line $y + mx = 0$, $m > 0$, determine the generated surface area A and show that A is maximum when $m = \pi/2$.
8. Consider an equilateral triangle of each side 2 cm with its base on the x -axis and the triangle is on the positive side of the y -axis. Compute the volume of the solid generated by revolving the triangle about the line $y = -2$.

Assignment 2 : Vectors, Curves, Surfaces, Vector Functions

1. Find a parametric equation of the line of intersection of the planes $x - 2z = 3$ and $y + 2z = 5$.
2. Find an equation of the plane that passes through the point $(6, 0, 0)$ and contains the line $x = 4 - 2t, y = 2 + 3t, z = 3 + 5t$.
3. Determine the equation of a cone with vertex $(0, -a, 0)$ and base curve $x^2 = 2y, z = h$.
4. The velocity of a particle moving in space is $\frac{d}{dt}c(t) = (\cos t)\vec{i} - (\sin t)\vec{j} + \vec{k}$. Find the particle's position as a function of t if $c(0) = 2\vec{i} + \vec{k}$. Also find the angle between its position vector and the velocity vector.
5. Show that $c(t) = \sin(t^2)\vec{i} + \cos(t^2)\vec{j} + 5\vec{k}$ has constant magnitude and is orthogonal to its derivative. Is the velocity vector of constant magnitude?
6. Find the point on the curve $c(t) = (5 \sin t)\vec{i} + (5 \cos t)\vec{j} + (12t)\vec{k}$ at a distance 26π units from $(0, 5, 0)$ along the curve in the direction of increasing arc length.
7. Reparametrize the following curves in terms of arc length.
 - (a) $c(t) = \frac{t^2}{2}\vec{i} + \frac{t^3}{3}\vec{k}, \quad 0 \leq t \leq 2,$
 - (b) $c(t) = 2 \cos t \vec{i} + 2 \sin t \vec{j}, \quad 0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$
8. Show that the parabola $y = ax^2, \quad a \neq 0$ has its largest curvature at its vertex and has no minimum curvature.