

W14 - Homework

Stepwise problems - Thu. 11:59pm

Polar curves

01

✍ Convert points: Cartesian to Polar

Convert the Cartesian (rectangular) coordinates for these points into polar coordinates:

- (a) $(1, 0)$ (b) $(3, \sqrt{3})$ (c) $(-2, 2)$ (d) $(-1, \sqrt{3})$

02

✍ Convert equations: Polar to Cartesian

Convert the polar equation to a Cartesian equation. Be sure to simplify.

- (a) $r = 7$ (b) $r = 2 \sin \theta$ (c) $r = \frac{1}{\cos \theta - \sin \theta}$

Calculus with polar curves

03

✍ Polar curve - Vertical or horizontal tangent lines

Find all points on the given curve where the tangent line is horizontal or vertical.

$$r = \cos \theta \quad \theta \in [0, 2\pi)$$

Hint: First determine parametric Cartesian coordinate functions using θ as the parameter.

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✍ Arclength of one loop of a rose

Consider the graph of the polar curve $r = 2 \cos 3\theta$.

Set up an integral which computes the arclength of one loop of this curve.

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Polar curves

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✍ Convert points: Polar to Cartesian

Convert the polar coordinates for these points into Cartesian (rectangular) coordinates:

(a) $(3, \frac{\pi}{6})$ (b) $(-6, \frac{3\pi}{4})$ (c) $(0, \frac{\pi}{5})$ (d) $(5, -\frac{\pi}{2})$

06

✍ Convert equations: Cartesian to Polar

Convert the Cartesian equation to a polar equation. Be sure to simplify.

(a) $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ (b) $x = 5$ (c) $y = x^2$

07

✍ Sketching limaçons

Sketch the graphs of the following polar functions:

(a) $r = 2 + \sin \theta$ (b) $r = 2 \cos \theta$
 (c) $r = 1 + 2 \sin \theta$ (d) $r = 3 + 3 \cos \theta$

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✍ Sketching roses

Sketch the graphs of the following polar functions.

Use numbers to label the *order* in which the leaves/loops are traversed.

(a) $r = \sin 2\theta$ (b) $r = \sin 3\theta$ (c) $r = 2 \cos 2\theta$

Calculus with polar curves

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✍ Polar curve - Slope of tangent line

Find the slope of the tangent line to the given polar curve:

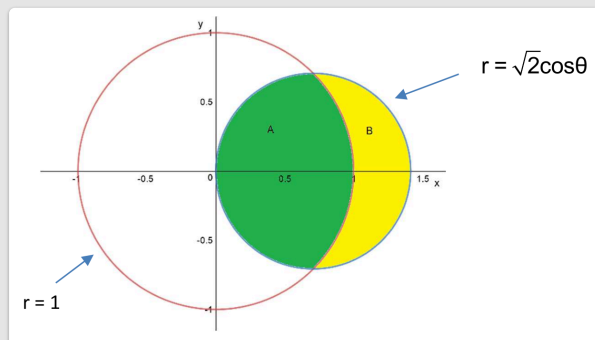
$$r = \sin \theta + 3 \cos \theta \quad \text{at } \theta = \pi/2$$

Hint: First determine parametric Cartesian coordinate functions using θ as the parameter.

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✎ Polar coordinates - lunar areas

- (a) Find the area of the green region.
- (b) Find the area of the yellow region.

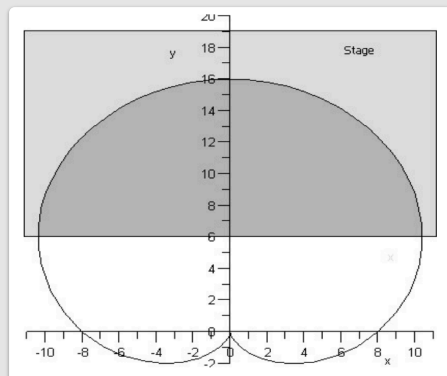


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✎ Pickup region of a microphone - limaçon area

The pickup region of a microphone is described by a limaçon with equation $r = 8 + 8 \sin \theta$, and part of the region is on a stage.

Find the area of the part of the region on the stage.



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✎ Area of an inner loop

A limaçon is given as the graph of the polar curve $r = 1 + 2 \sin \theta$.

Find the area of the inner loop of this limaçon.