

AOS AP CALCULUS BC 2024

Major Summative #10

Polar Calculus

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Multiple Choice.

Correct work must be shown for full credit. Choose the letter for the best answer.(4 pts each)

1. What is the slope of the line tangent to the polar curve $r = 3\theta$ at the point where $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$?
 - A) 0
 - B) 3
 - C) -3
 - D) $-\frac{\pi}{2}$
 - E) $-\frac{2}{\pi}$

2. The polar curve $r = 1 + \sin(\theta)\cos(\theta)$ has horizontal tangents at which of the following angles θ ? (Circle **all** answers that apply)
 - A) 0.435
 - B) -2.706
 - C) 1.135
 - D) -2.007
 - E) 1.345

3. A particle moves in a plane so that its position at any time $\theta, 0 \leq \theta \leq 8$, is given by the polar equation $r(\theta) = 5(1 + \cos\theta)$. When does the particle's distance from the origin change from decreasing to increasing?
 - A) $\theta = 0$ only
 - B) $\theta = \pi$ only
 - C) $\theta = 2\pi$ only
 - D) $\theta = 0$ and $\theta = \pi$
 - E) $\theta = \pi$ and $\theta = 2\pi$

4. The area of the region enclosed by the polar curve $r = \cos 2\theta$ for $0 \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$ is

A) 1

B) $\frac{\pi}{2}$

C) π

D) $\frac{\pi}{8}$

E) $\frac{\pi}{4}$

5. The area of one leaf of the rose $r = \sin 3\theta$ is

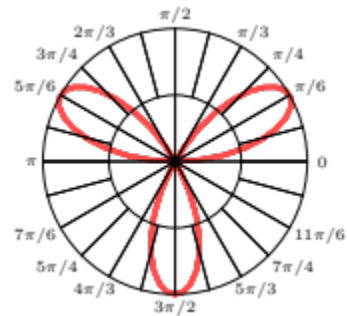
A) 1.5708

B) 0.2618

C) 0.5236

D) 0.7854

E) 1.0472



6. The area outside $r = 1$ and inside $r = 1 + \sin \theta$ is

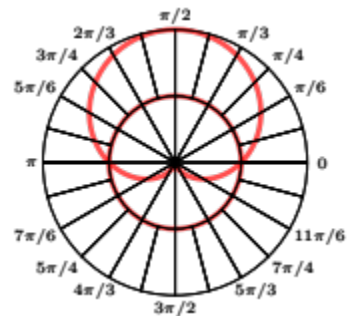
A) 0.4292

B) 3.5708

C) 2.7854

D) 1.2146

E) 5.1416



7. Which of the following approximates the total area of the region common to the interior of both polar curves $r = 2 \cos \theta$ and $r = 2 \sin \theta$?

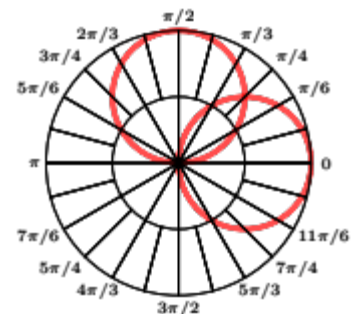
A) 0.28540

B) 0.57079

C) 0.78432

D) 1.57082

E) 3.14159



8. The area of the inner loop of the curve $r = 1 - 2\cos(\theta)$ is

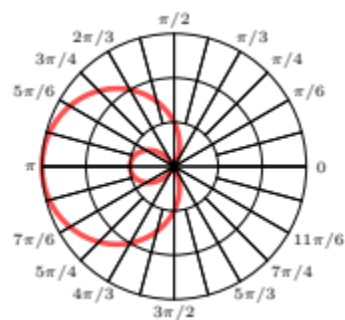
A. $\frac{1}{2} \int_{-\pi/3}^{\pi/3} (1 - 2\cos(\theta))^2 d\theta$

B. $\frac{1}{2} \int_{\pi/3}^{5\pi/3} (1 - 2\cos(\theta))^2 d\theta$

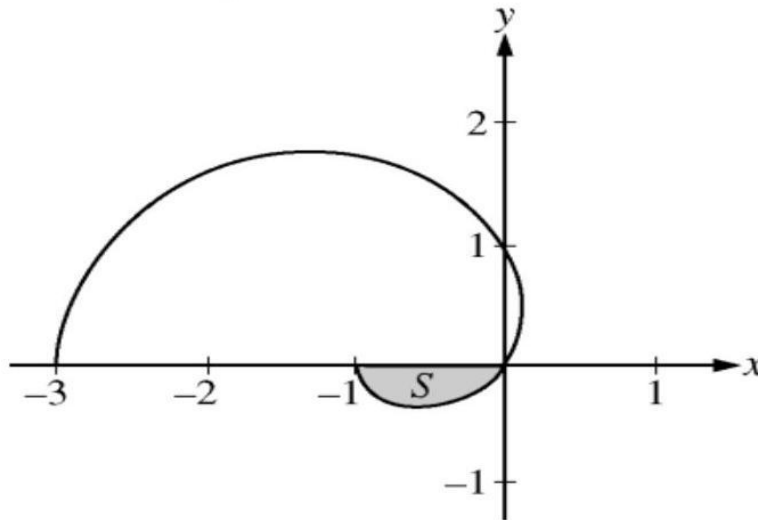
C. $\frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\pi/3} (1 - 2\cos(\theta))^2 d\theta$

D. $\frac{1}{2} \int_{\pi/3}^{-\pi/3} (1 - 2\cos(\theta))^2 d\theta$

E. $2 \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} (1 - 2\cos(\theta))^2 d\theta$



Free Response Question. (NON CALCULATOR)



The graph of the polar curve $r = 1 - 2\cos\theta$ for $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$ is shown above. Let S be the shaded region in the third quadrant bounded by the curve and the x -axis.

- (a) Write an integral expression for the area of S .
- (b) Write expressions for $\frac{dx}{d\theta}$ and $\frac{dy}{d\theta}$ in terms of θ .
- (c) Write an equation in terms of x and y for the line tangent to the graph of the polar curve at the point where $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$. Show the computations that lead to your answer.