

Polar Questions

1. 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 $\theta = 2\pi$
2. The area of the region enclosed by the polar curve $r = \cos 2\theta$ for $0 \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$ is
 - A) $\frac{\pi}{2}$
 - B) π
 - C) $\frac{\pi}{8}$
 - D) $\frac{\pi}{4}$
 - E) 1
3. The area of one leaf of the rose $r = \sin 3\theta$ is
 - A) $\frac{\pi}{12}$
 - B) $\frac{\pi}{6}$
 - C) $\frac{\pi}{4}$
 - D) $\frac{\pi}{3}$
 - E) $\frac{\pi}{2}$
4. The area outside $r = 1$ and inside $r = 1 + \sin \theta$ is
 - A) $2 + \pi$
 - B) $2 + \frac{\pi}{2}$
 - C) $2 + \frac{\pi}{4}$
 - D) $2 - \frac{\pi}{4}$
 - E) $2 - \frac{\pi}{2}$
5. The total area of the region enclosed by the polar graph of $r = \cos 3\theta$ is
 - A) $\frac{\pi}{12}$
 - B) $\frac{\pi}{6}$
 - C) $\frac{\pi}{4}$
 - D) $\frac{\pi}{3}$
 - E) $\frac{\pi + \sqrt{3}}{2}$
6. The area of the region enclosed by the polar curve $r = \sin \theta$ for $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$ equals
 - A) 1
 - B) $\frac{\pi}{2}$
 - C) $\frac{\pi}{4}$

- D) $\frac{\pi}{8}$
 E) π
7. Which of the following gives the area of the region enclosed by the graph of the polar curve $r = 1 + \cos \theta$?
- A) $\int_0^\pi (1 + \cos^2 \theta) d\theta$
 B) $\int_0^\pi (1 + \cos \theta)^2 d\theta$
 C) $\int_0^{2\pi} (1 + \cos \theta) d\theta$
 D) $\int_0^{2\pi} (1 + \cos \theta)^2 d\theta$
 E) $\frac{1}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} (1 + \cos^2 \theta) d\theta$
8. The area of the region enclosed by the polar curve $r = 2(\cos \theta + \sin \theta)$ is
- A) 1
 B) 2
 C) π
 D) 2π
 E) 4π
9. If the function $r = f(\theta)$ is continuous and nonnegative for $0 \leq \alpha \leq \theta \leq \beta \leq 2\pi$, then the area enclosed by the polar curve $r = f(\theta)$ and the lines $\theta = \alpha$ and $\theta = \beta$ is given by
- A) $\frac{1}{2} \int_\alpha^\beta f(\theta^2) d\theta$
 B) $\frac{1}{2} \int_\alpha^\beta f(\theta) d\theta$
 C) $\frac{1}{2} \int_\alpha^\beta \theta f(\theta^2) d\theta$
 D) $\frac{1}{2} \int_\alpha^\beta \theta f(\theta) d\theta$
 E) $\frac{1}{2} \int_\alpha^\beta (f(\theta))^2 d\theta$
10. Which of the following integrals gives the total area of the region shared by both polar curves $r = 2 \cos \theta$ and $r = 2 \sin \theta$
- A) $2 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \sin^2 \theta d\theta$ A) $4 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \sin^2 \theta d\theta$ A) $2 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^2 \theta d\theta$ A) $4 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \cos^2 \theta d\theta$ A)
 $2 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} (\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta) d\theta$