

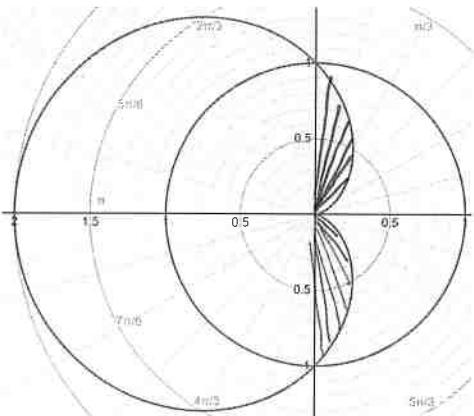
**BC Calculus Unit 9 Parametric & Polar Test Review WS #2**

Calculators Allowed: Show all work that lead to your answer to earn full credit.

1. What is the length of the curve defined by the parametric equations  $x(t) = 9 \cos t$  and  $y(t) = 9 \sin t$  for the interval  $0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$ ?

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dx}{dt} &= -9 \sin(t) & L &= \int_0^{2\pi} \sqrt{(-9 \sin t)^2 + (9 \cos t)^2} dt \\ \frac{dy}{dt} &= 9 \cos(t) & &= \int_0^{2\pi} \sqrt{81 \sin^2 t + 81 \cos^2 t} dt \\ & & &= \int_0^{2\pi} \sqrt{81(\sin^2 t + \cos^2 t)} dt \rightarrow \int_0^{2\pi} 9 \sqrt{\sin^2 t + \cos^2 t} dt \\ & & &= \left[ 9 \sqrt{1} dt \rightarrow 9t \right]_0^{2\pi} = 9(2\pi) - 0 = \boxed{18\pi} \end{aligned}$$

2. Calculator active. Find the area of the region inside the circle  $r = 1$  and outside the cardioid  $r = 1 - \cos \theta$ .



$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area of Region} &= \text{Semicircle} - 2(\text{half-loop}) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}\pi r^2 - 2 \left[ \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\pi/2} [1 - \cos \theta]^2 d\theta \right] \\ &= \frac{\pi}{2}(1)^2 - 0.35619 \\ &\approx \boxed{1.215} \end{aligned}$$

3. If  $x(t) = 2t^3$  and  $y(t) = t^3 - t$ , what is  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$  in terms of  $t$ ?

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y'(t)}{x'(t)} \rightarrow \frac{3t^2 - 1}{6t^2} \rightarrow \frac{3t^2}{6t^2} - \frac{1}{6t^2} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{6}t^{-2}$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)'}{dx/dt} \rightarrow \frac{0 + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{6}t^{-3}}{6t^2} \rightarrow \frac{\frac{1}{3t^3}}{6t^2} \rightarrow \frac{1}{3t^3} \cdot \frac{1}{6t^2} = \boxed{\frac{1}{18t^5}}$$

4. The position of a remote-controlled vehicle moving along a flat surface at time  $t$  is given by  $(x(t), y(t))$ , with velocity vector  $v(t) = \langle 3t^2, 2t \rangle$  for  $0 \leq t \leq 3$ . Both  $x(t)$  and  $y(t)$  are measured in meters, and time  $t$  is in seconds. When  $t = 0$ , the remote-controlled vehicle is at the point  $(1, 2)$ .

- a. Find the acceleration vector of the remote-controlled vehicle when  $t = 2$ .

$$a(t) = \langle 6t, 2 \rangle \quad \boxed{a(2) = \langle 12, 2 \rangle}$$

- b. Find the position of the remote-controlled vehicle when  $t = 3$ .

$$\begin{aligned} x &= \int 3t^2 dt & x &= t^3 + C_1 & y &= \int 2t dt & y &= t^2 + C_2 \\ x &= \frac{3t^3}{3} + C_1 & 1 &= 0^3 + C_1 & y &= \frac{2t^2}{2} + C_2 & 2 &= 0 + C_2 \\ x &= t^3 + C_1 & 1 &= C_1 & y &= t^2 + C_2 & 2 &= C_2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= \langle t^3 + 1, t^2 + 2 \rangle \\ x(3) &= \langle 27 + 1, 3^2 + 2 \rangle \\ \boxed{x(3) = \langle 28, 11 \rangle} \end{aligned}$$

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5. Which of the following gives the length of the path described by the parametric equations  $x = 2e^{3t}$  and  $y = 3t^2 + t$  from  $0 \leq t \leq 1$ ?

A.  $\int_0^1 \sqrt{12e^{6t} + (6t+1)^2} dt$

B.  $\int_0^1 \sqrt{4e^{6t} + (6t+1)^2} dt$

C.  $\int_0^1 \sqrt{4e^{6t} + 9t^4 + t^2} dt$

D.  $\int_0^1 \sqrt{36e^{6t} + (6t+1)^2} dt$

$$*L = \int_a^b \sqrt{\left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{dy}{dt}\right)^2} dt$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 2e^{3t} \cdot 3 = 6e^{3t} \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = 6t+1$$

$$L = \int_0^1 \sqrt{(6e^{3t})^2 + (6t+1)^2} dt$$

6. Calculator active. A polar curve is given by  $r = \frac{5}{3-\sin\theta}$ . What angle  $\theta$  corresponds on the curve with a  $y$ -coordinate of  $-1$ ?

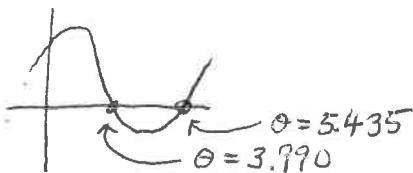
$$*y = r\sin\theta$$

$$y = \frac{5}{3-\sin\theta} \cdot \sin\theta$$

$$-1 = \frac{5\sin\theta}{3-\sin\theta}$$

$$0 = \frac{5\sin\theta}{3-\sin\theta}$$

\*Graph this and look for x-intercepts



$$\theta = 3.990 \text{ or } \theta = 5.435$$

7. If  $f$  is a vector-valued function defined by  $\langle te^t, 2t^2e^t \rangle$  then  $f''(1) = ?$

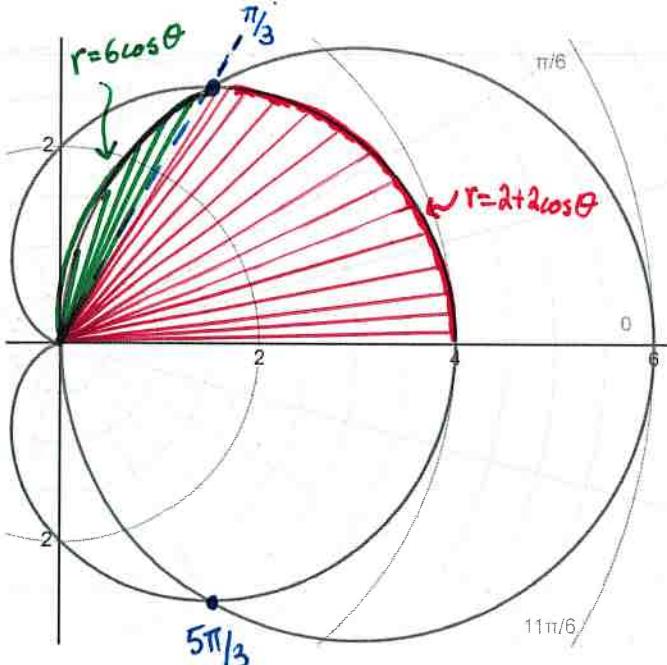
$$f'(t) = \langle e^t + te^t, 4te^t + 2t^2e^t \rangle$$

$$f''(t) = \langle e^t + 1e^t + te^t, 4e^t + 4te^t + 4te^t + 2t^2e^t \rangle$$

$$f''(1) = \langle e + e + e, 4e + 4e + 4e + 2e \rangle$$

$$f''(1) = \langle 3e, 14e \rangle$$

8. Calculator active. Find the area of the region common to the two regions bounded by the curves  $r = 6\cos\theta$  and  $r = 2 + 2\cos\theta$ .



\*find intersection:

$$6\cos\theta = 2 + 2\cos\theta$$

$$4\cos\theta = 2$$

$$2 \left[ \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\pi/3} (2 + 2\cos\theta)^2 d\theta + \frac{1}{2} \int_{\pi/3}^{\pi} (6\cos\theta)^2 d\theta \right]$$

$$14.0774 + 26.6437$$

$$= 40.721$$

9. Find the vector-valued function  $f(t)$  that satisfies the initial conditions  $f(0) = \langle 3, 0 \rangle$ , and  $f'(t) = \langle 4 \sin \frac{t}{2}, -2 \cos 2t \rangle$ .

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= \int 4 \sin\left(\frac{1}{2}t\right) dt & \xrightarrow{\text{plug in } (0,3)} y(t) &= \int -2 \cos 2t dt & u = 2t \\ u = \frac{1}{2}t & \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} dt = 2du \\ \frac{du}{dt} = \frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right. & x(t) &= 8 \cos\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) + C & \frac{du}{dt} = \frac{du}{2} \\ \frac{du}{dt} = \frac{1}{2} & \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} \int 4 \sin u \cdot 2 du \\ \int 8 \sin u du \end{array} \right. & 3 &= -8 \cos(0) + C & dt = \frac{du}{2} \\ x(t) &= -8 \cos\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) + 11 & 3 &= -8 + C & 0 = 0 + C \\ & & -11 &= C & C = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$f(t) = \langle -8 \cos\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) + 11, -\sin(2t) \rangle$$

10. If  $x = 7 \cos \theta$  and  $y = 7 \sin \theta$ , find the slope and the concavity at  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} y'(\theta) &= 7 \cos \theta & \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{\frac{dy}{d\theta}}{\frac{dx}{d\theta}} = \frac{\frac{d}{d\theta}[7 \cos \theta]}{\frac{d}{d\theta}[7 \sin \theta]} = \frac{-7 \sin \theta}{7 \sin \theta} = -1 & \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} &= \frac{\frac{d}{d\theta}\left[\frac{dy}{dx}\right]}{\frac{d}{d\theta}[dx/d\theta]} = \frac{\frac{d}{d\theta}[-\cot \theta]}{7 \sin \theta} = \frac{+\csc^2(\theta)}{7 \sin \theta} = \frac{-1}{7 \sin^3 \theta} \\ x'(\theta) &= -7 \sin \theta & \frac{dy}{dx} &= \cot \theta & \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} &= \frac{-1}{7} [\csc(\pi/4)]^3 = \frac{-1}{7} \left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^3 \\ \frac{dy}{dx} \Big|_{\theta=\pi/4} &= \frac{y'(\pi/4)}{x'(\pi/4)} = \frac{7 \cos(\pi/4)}{-7 \sin(\pi/4)} = -1 & & & &= -\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{7} \quad \boxed{\text{concave down}} \end{aligned}$$

11. Calculator active. At time  $t \geq 0$ , a particle moving in the  $xy$ -plane has velocity vector given by  $v(t) = \langle 9t^2, e^t \rangle$ . If the particle is at point  $(3, 4)$  at time  $t = 0$ , how far is the particle from the origin at time  $t = 2$ ?

\*final position = initial position + displacement

$$x(2) = x(0) + \int_0^2 v(t) dt$$

$$x(2) = x(0) + \int_0^2 x'(t) dt$$

$$x(2) = 3 + \int_0^2 9t^2 dt$$

$$= 3 + 24$$

$$x(2) = 27$$

$$y(2) = y(0) + \int_0^2 y'(t) dt \quad \boxed{y(2) = 10.389}$$

$$y(2) = 4 + \int_0^2 e^t dt$$

$$y(2) = 4 + 6.389$$

At  $t = 2$ , particle is at point  $(27, 10.389)$

Distance from origin is  $d = \sqrt{(27-0)^2 + (10.389-0)^2}$

$$d = 28.930$$

12. Find the slope of the tangent line to the polar curve  $r = 2 \cos \theta - 1$  at the point where  $\theta = \frac{3\pi}{2}$ .

$$x(\theta) = r \cos \theta$$

$$x(\theta) = (2 \cos \theta - 1) \cos \theta$$

$$x'(\theta) = (-2 \sin \theta) \cos \theta + (2 \cos \theta - 1)(-\sin \theta)$$

$$x'\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}\right) = (-2 \sin \frac{3\pi}{2}) \cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}\right) + (2 \cos \frac{3\pi}{2} - 1)(-\sin \frac{3\pi}{2})$$

$$x'\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}\right) = (2)(0) + (0-1)(1)$$

$$y(\theta) = r \sin \theta$$

$$y(\theta) = (2 \cos \theta - 1) \sin \theta$$

$$y'(\theta) = (-2 \sin \theta) \sin \theta + (2 \cos \theta - 1)(\cos \theta)$$

$$y'\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}\right) = -2 \left[\sin\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}\right)\right]^2 + (2 \cos \frac{3\pi}{2} - 1)(\cos \frac{3\pi}{2})$$

$$= -2(-1)^2 + (0-1)(0)$$

$$y'\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}\right) = -2$$

$$\text{slope} = \frac{y'\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}\right)}{x'\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}\right)} = \frac{-2}{-1} = 2$$

13. Find the slope of the tangent line to the curve defined parametrically by  $x(t) = 2 \cos t$  and  $y(t) = 3 \sin^2 t$  at  $t = \frac{\pi}{3}$ .

$$y(t) = 3 \left[ \sin(t) \right]^2$$

$$y'(t) = 6 \left[ \sin(t) \right] \cdot \cos(t)$$

$$x'(t) = -2 \sin(t)$$

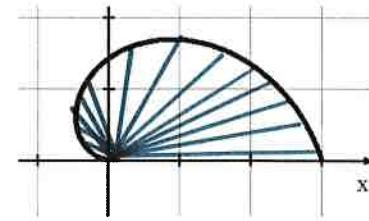
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y'(t)}{x'(t)} \rightarrow \frac{6 \sin t \cos t}{-2 \sin t} = -3 \cos(t)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} \Big|_{t=\pi/3} = -3 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = -3\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \boxed{-\frac{3}{2}}$$

14. Calculator active. The graph shows the polar curve  $r = 3 - \theta$  for  $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$ . What is the area of the region bounded by the curve and the  $x$ -axis?

$$A = \frac{1}{2} \int_a^b r^2 d\theta$$

$$A = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^\pi [3-\theta]^2 d\theta \approx 4.500$$



15. At time  $t$ ,  $0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$ , the position of a particle moving along a path in the  $xy$ -plane is given by the vector-valued function,  $f(t) = \langle \cos 2t, \sin 4t \rangle$ . Find the slope of the path of the particle at time  $t = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

$$f'(t) = \langle -2\sin(2t), 4\cos(4t) \rangle$$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{t=\pi/4} = \frac{y'(\pi/4)}{x'(\pi/4)} \rightarrow \frac{4\cos(4 \cdot \pi/4)}{-2\sin(2 \cdot \pi/4)} \rightarrow \frac{4\cos(\pi)}{-2\sin(\pi/2)} \rightarrow \frac{4(-1)}{-2(1)} \rightarrow \frac{-4}{-2} = 2$$

16. Find an equation for the line tangent to the curve given by the parametric equations  $x(t) = t^2 + 1$  and  $y(t) = t^3 + t + 1$ , when  $t = 2$ .

$$x(2) = 2^2 + 1 = 5$$

$$y(2) = 2^3 + 2 + 1 = 11$$

$$x'(t) = 2t$$

$$y'(t) = 3t^2 + 1$$

$$\text{slope} = \frac{y'(2)}{x'(2)} = \frac{3(2)^2 + 1}{2(2)} = \frac{13}{4}$$

$$\text{point: } (5, 11)$$

$$\text{slope: } m = \frac{13}{4}$$

$$y - 11 = \frac{13}{4}(x - 5)$$

OR

$$y = \frac{13}{4}x - \frac{21}{4}$$

17. Calculator active. Find the total area enclosed by the inner loop of the polar curve  $r = 4 - 5\sin\theta$ , shown in the figure.

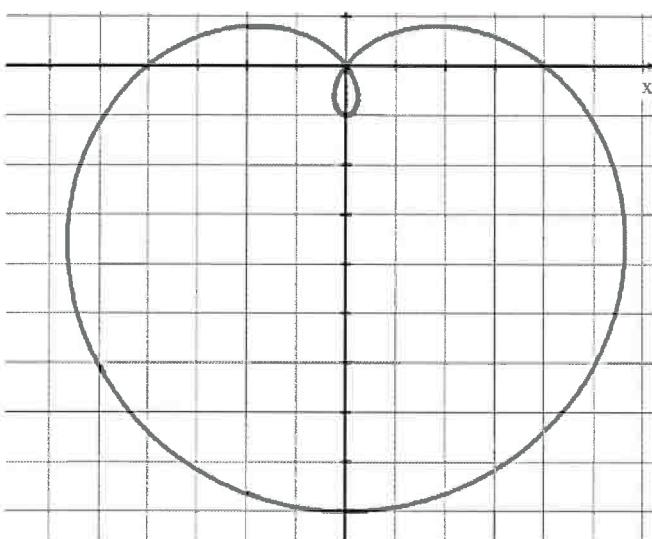
\*find polar zeros:  $r = 4 - 5\sin\theta$

$$0 = 4 - 5\sin\theta$$

$$5\sin\theta = 4$$

$$\sin\theta = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$\theta \approx 0.927$$



\* $\sin\theta$  is also positive in 2nd quadrant:  
since  $\theta = 0.927$  is reference angle,

$$\theta_2 = \pi - 0.927 \approx 2.214$$

$$\text{Area} = \frac{1}{2} \int_{0.927}^{2.214} [4 - 5\sin\theta]^2 d\theta \approx 0.340$$