

# Calculus II Midterm 1 - Sample

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**Problem 1.** Evaluate the definite integral  $\int_{-\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{1}{3 + 2 \cos 4x} dx$ . (Ans =  $\frac{\pi}{2\sqrt{5}}$ )

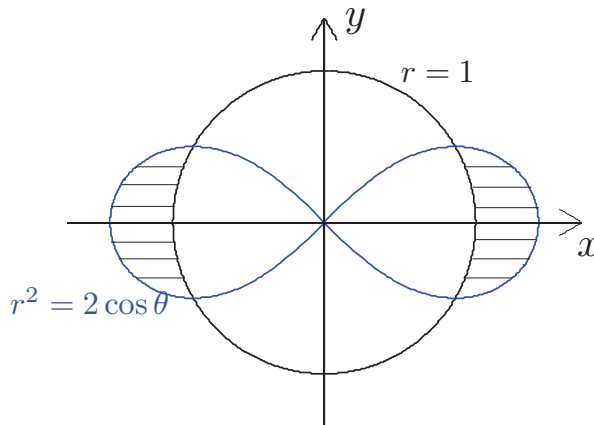
**Problem 2.** Find all  $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$  so that the improper integral  $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{1}{x[\ln(1+x)]^\alpha} dx$  is convergent.  
(Ans :  $\alpha > 1$ )

**Problem 3.** Show that  $\int_1^e (\ln x)^n dx = e \sum_{k=0}^{n-2} (-1)^k \frac{n!}{(n-k)!} + (-1)^{n-1} n!$ .

**Hint:** Use integration by parts to show that

$$\int_1^e (\ln x)^n dx = e - n \int_1^e (\ln x)^{n-1} dx.$$

**Problem 4.** Let  $R$  be the region bounded by the lemniscate  $r^2 = 2 \cos 2\theta$  and is outside the circle  $r = 1$  (see the shaded region in the graph).



1. Find the area of  $R$ . (Ans =  $\sqrt{3} - \frac{\pi}{3}$ )
2. Find the slope of the tangent line passing through the point on the lemniscate corresponding to  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{6}$ . (Ans = 0)
3. Find the volume of the solid of revolution obtained by rotating  $R$  about the  $x$ -axis by complete the following:

(a) Suppose that  $(x, y)$  is on the lemniscate. Then  $(x, y)$  satisfies

$$y^4 + a(x)y^2 + b(x) = 0 \tag{1}$$

for some functions  $a(x)$  and  $b(x)$ . Find  $a(x)$  and  $b(x)$ . (Ans :  $a(x) = 2(x^2 + 1), b(x) = x^4 - 2x^2$ )

- (b) Solving (1), we find that  $y^2 = c(x)$ , where  $c(x) = c_1x^2 + c_2 + c_3\sqrt{1 + 4x^2}$  for some constants  $c_1$ ,  $c_2$  and  $c_3$ . Then the volume of interests can be computed by

$$I = 2 \times \left[ \pi \int_{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}^{\sqrt{2}} c(x) dx - \pi \int_{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}^1 d(x) dx \right].$$

Compute  $\int_{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}^1 [d(x) - (1 - x^2)] dx$ . (Ans = 0)

- (c) Evaluate  $I$  by first computing the integral  $\int_{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}^{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{1 + 4x^2} dx$ , and then find  $I$ .

$$\left( \begin{array}{l} \text{Ans : } \int_{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}^{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{1 + 4x^2} dx = \pi \left( \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1}{4} \ln \frac{3 + 2\sqrt{2}}{2 + \sqrt{3}} \right), \\ I = \pi \left( \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{3 + 2\sqrt{2}}{2 + \sqrt{3}} + \sqrt{3} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3} - \frac{4}{3} \right). \end{array} \right)$$

4. Find the surface area of the surface of revolution obtained by rotating the boundary of  $R$  about the  $x$ -axis. (Ans =  $6\pi(2 - \sqrt{3})$ )

**Problem 5.** (15%) Parametrize the curve

$$\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{r}(t) = \tan^{-1} \frac{t}{\sqrt{1-t^2}} \mathbf{i} + \sin^{-1} t \mathbf{j} + \cos^{-1} t \mathbf{k}, \quad t \in [-1, 0.5],$$

in the same orientation in terms of arc-length measured from the point where  $t = 0$ .

$$\left( \text{Ans : } \mathbf{r}_1 = \mathbf{r}_1(s) = \frac{s}{\sqrt{3}} \mathbf{i} + \frac{s}{\sqrt{3}} \mathbf{j} + \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{s}{\sqrt{3}} \right) \mathbf{k}, \quad s \in \left[ -\frac{\sqrt{3}\pi}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{3}\pi}{6} \right] \right)$$