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Math 201: First Major Exam, Summer 153 (120 minutes)

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Q1. Consider the parametric curve

$$x = -\sin t, \quad y = \cos t, \quad \frac{\pi}{4} \leq t \leq \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

(a) (4 points) Find a cartesian equation for the curve.

$$x^2 + y^2 = (-\sin t)^2 + (\cos t)^2$$

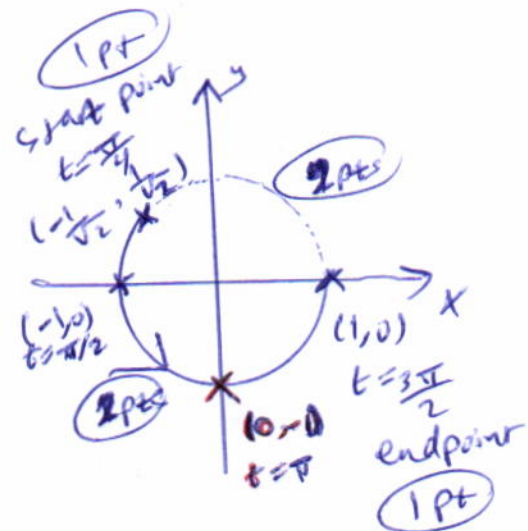
$$= \sin^2 t + \cos^2 t = 1$$

$x^2 + y^2 = 1$

(b) (8 points) Sketch the curve and indicate the direction in which the curve is traced as t increases (with an arrow) as well as the *start* and the *end* points.

2 pts

t	x	y
$\frac{\pi}{4}$	$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$
$\frac{\pi}{2}$	-1	0
π	0	-1
$\frac{3\pi}{2}$	1	0



Q2. Consider the parametric curve C

$$x = t^2, y = t - t^3, t \in \mathbb{R}.$$

(a) (8 points) Find the equations of the tangents to the curve C at the point $(x, y) = (1, 0)$.

1 pt $\frac{dx}{dt} = 2t$;

1 pt $\frac{dy}{dt} = 1 - 3t^2$.

3 pts $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy/dt}{dx/dt} = \frac{1-3t^2}{2t}$

$x = 1$ (1 pt)
 $t^2 = 1$
 $t = \pm 1$
 $y = 0$ ✓
 $m|_{t=1} = \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-2}{2} = -1$ (1 pt)
 $y - 0 = 1(x - 1)$
 $y = x - 1$ (1 pt)

$m|_{t=-1} = \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-2}{-2} = 1$ (1 pt)
 $y - 0 = -1(x - 1)$
 $y = 1 - x$

(b) (6 points) Find the point(s) at which the tangent is horizontal.

⊗ horizontal tangents when $\frac{dy}{dt} = 0$ & $\frac{dx}{dt} \neq 0$. (2 pts)

$\frac{dy}{dt} = 0$
 $1 - 3t^2 = 0$; $t = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ (1 pt)

$\frac{dx}{dt} \Big|_{\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \neq 0$ & $\frac{dy}{dt} \Big|_{\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}} = \frac{-2}{\sqrt{3}} \neq 0$. (1 pt)

So, h. tangents at $(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3\sqrt{3}})$ & $(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{-2}{3\sqrt{3}})$ (1 pt)

(c) (4 points) Find the point(s) at which the tangent is vertical.

(2 pts) C has a vertical tangent when $\frac{dx}{dt} = 0$ & $\frac{dy}{dt} \neq 0$

$\frac{dx}{dt} = 0$
 $2t = 0$; $t = 0$ (1 pt)

$\frac{dy}{dt} \Big|_{t=0} = 1 \neq 0$. (1 pt)

So, C has a v. tangent at $(x, y) = (0, 0)$.

Q3. (10 points) Find the length of the polar curve

$$r = 1 - \cos \theta$$

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta} = \sin \theta \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

$$r^2 + \left(\frac{dr}{d\theta}\right)^2 = (1 - \cos \theta)^2 + (\sin \theta)^2$$

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

$$= 2(1 - \cos \theta) \quad (2 \text{ pts})$$

$$= 2(1 - \cos 2 \cdot \frac{\theta}{2})$$

$$= 2(1 - \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} + \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2})$$

$$= 4 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \quad (2 \text{ pts})$$

$$L = \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} \sqrt{r^2 + \left(\frac{dr}{d\theta}\right)^2} d\theta \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

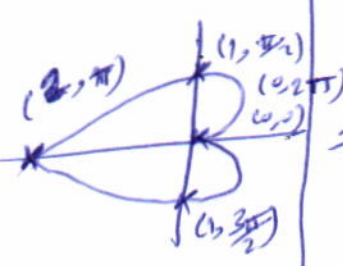
$$= \int_0^{2\pi} \sqrt{4 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} d\theta$$

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} 2 |\sin \frac{\theta}{2}| d\theta \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

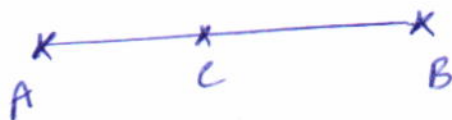
$$= \int_0^{2\pi} 2 \cdot \sin \frac{\theta}{2} d\theta$$

$$= (-4 \cos \frac{\theta}{2}) \Big|_0^{2\pi} \quad (3 \text{ pts})$$

$$= -4(-1 - 1) = 8$$



Q4 (6 points) Consider $A(1, 2, 5)$ and $B(0, 1, 3)$. Find the coordinates of the point C on the line segment AB such that $|\vec{AC}| = \frac{2}{3} |\vec{CB}|$.



Consider $C(a, b, c)$ on AB such that $|\vec{AC}| = \frac{2}{3} |\vec{CB}|$

As vectors $\vec{AC} = \frac{2}{3} \vec{CB} \quad (2 \text{ pts})$

$$\langle a-1, b-2, c-5 \rangle = \frac{2}{3} \langle 0-a, 1-b, 3-c \rangle$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} a-1 &= -\frac{2}{3}a \\ b-2 &= \frac{2}{3}(1-b) \\ c-5 &= \frac{2}{3}(3-c) \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{aligned} \frac{5}{3}a &= 1 \\ \frac{5}{3}b &= \frac{8}{3} \\ \frac{5}{3}c &= 7 \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{aligned} a &= \frac{3}{5} \\ b &= \frac{8}{5} \\ c &= \frac{21}{5} \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$$C\left(\frac{3}{5}, \frac{8}{5}, \frac{21}{5}\right) \quad (2 \text{ pts})$$

Q5. (15 Points) Use polar coordinates to find the area of the region common to the circles

$$x^2 + y^2 = 4 \text{ and } x^2 + y^2 = 4x$$

$$r^2 = 4$$

$$r = 2$$

$$r^2 = 4r \cos \theta$$

$$r = 4 \cos \theta$$

$$r_1 = r_2$$

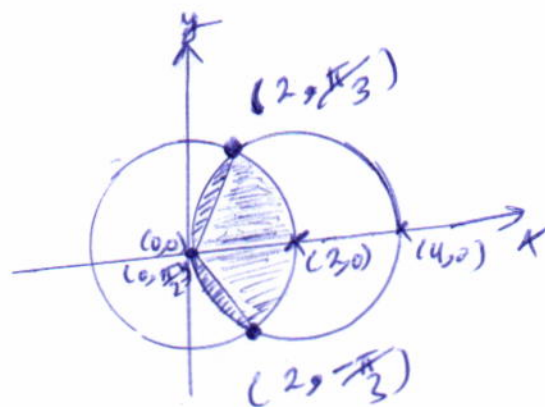
$$2 = 4 \cos \theta$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{3} + 2n\pi$$

$$\text{or } \theta = -\frac{\pi}{3} + 2n\pi$$

2 pts



3 pts

$$A = \frac{1}{2} \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} r^2 d\theta$$

2 pts

$$= 2(A_1 + A_2)$$

$$= 2 \left(\int_0^{\pi/3} 2 d\theta \right) + \left(\frac{1}{2} \int_{\pi/3}^{\pi/2} (4 \cos \theta)^2 d\theta \right)$$

2 pts

$$A_1 = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

1 pt

$$A_2 = 8 \int_{\pi/3}^{\pi/2} \cos^2 \theta d\theta = 8 \int_{\pi/3}^{\pi/2} \frac{1 + \cos 2\theta}{2} d\theta$$

2 pts

$$A = 2(A_1 + A_2) = 4 \left(\theta + \frac{\sin 2\theta}{2} \right) \Big|_{\pi/3}^{\pi/2} = 4 \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + 0 - \frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \right)$$

$$= 4 \left(\frac{\pi}{6} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \right)$$

$$= \frac{2\pi}{3} - \sqrt{3}$$

1 pt

Q6. Let $\vec{v} = \langle 2, -3, 1 \rangle$ and $\vec{w} = \langle -1, 1, 4 \rangle$.

(a) (5 points) Find two unit vectors parallel to the vector $2\vec{v} - 3\vec{w}$.

$$2\vec{v} - 3\vec{w} = 2\langle 2, -3, 1 \rangle - 3\langle -1, 1, 4 \rangle$$

$$= \langle 7, -9, -10 \rangle \quad ; \quad |2\vec{v} - 3\vec{w}| = \sqrt{49 + 81 + 100} = \sqrt{230}$$

(1 pt) $\vec{u}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{230}} \langle 7, -9, -10 \rangle$; $\vec{u}_2 = -\vec{u}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{230}} \langle -7, 9, 10 \rangle$.
 (2 pts) (1 pt) (1 pt)

(b) (5 points) Find the vector projection of \vec{v} on \vec{w} .

$$\text{proj}_{\vec{w}} \vec{v} = \frac{\vec{v} \cdot \vec{w}}{\vec{w} \cdot \vec{w}} \vec{w} = \frac{-2 - 3 + 4}{1 + 1 + 16} \langle -1, 1, 4 \rangle$$

$$= \frac{-1}{18} \langle -1, 1, 4 \rangle = \langle \frac{1}{18}, -\frac{1}{18}, -\frac{4}{18} \rangle$$

Q7 (8 points) Let $\vec{r} = \langle x, y, z \rangle$, $\vec{v} = \langle 1, 2, 3 \rangle$ and $\vec{w} = \langle 2, -1, 1 \rangle$. Show that the vector equation

$$(\vec{r} - \vec{v}) \cdot (\vec{r} - \vec{w}) = 0$$

represents a sphere. Find the center and the radius of that sphere.

$$\vec{r} - \vec{v} = \langle x-1, y-2, z-3 \rangle \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

$$\vec{r} - \vec{w} = \langle x-2, y+1, z-1 \rangle \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

$$(\vec{r} - \vec{v}) \cdot (\vec{r} - \vec{w}) = 0$$

$$(x-1)(x-2) + (y-2)(y+1) + (z-3)(z-1) = 0 \quad (3 \text{ pts})$$

$$x^2 - 3x + 2 + y^2 - y - 2 + z^2 - 4z + 3 = 0$$

$$\left(x - \frac{3}{2}\right)^2 + \left(y - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + (z-2)^2 = \frac{9}{4} + \frac{1}{4} + 4 - 3$$

$$\left(x - \frac{3}{2}\right)^2 + \left(y - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + (z-2)^2 = \frac{14}{4} \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

Sphere with center $\left(\frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 2\right)$ radius $\frac{\sqrt{14}}{2}$.
 (1 pt) (1 pt)

Q8. (10 points) Check whether the four points $P(3, 0, 1)$, $Q(-1, 2, 5)$, $R(5, 1, -1)$ and $S(0, 4, 2)$ lie on the same plane or not.

$$\vec{PQ} = \langle -4, 2, 4 \rangle \quad (1 \text{ pr})$$

$$\vec{PR} = \langle 2, 1, -2 \rangle \quad (1 \text{ pr})$$

$$\vec{PS} = \langle -3, 4, 1 \rangle \quad (1 \text{ pr})$$

$$\vec{PQ} \cdot (\vec{PR} \times \vec{PS}) =$$

2 pts

$$\begin{vmatrix} -4 & 2 & 4 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \\ -3 & 4 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \quad (2 \text{ pts})$$

$$= -4(1 - (-8))$$

$$- 2(2 - 6)$$

$$+ 4(8 - (-3))$$

$$= -36 + 8 + 44$$

$$= 16 \neq 0 \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

So, the four points are not in the same plane. 2 pts