

MATH 1272 SAMPLE MIDTERM II PROBLEMS

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The midterm exam will cover the Sections 8.1 - 8.3, 9.1 - 9.5, 10.1 - 10.5

1. Determine the length of the curve $x = y^2/2$ for $0 \leq x \leq 1/2$. Assume that $y \geq 0$.
2. Find the surface area of the torus (the donut-shape) with radii r and R (Exercise 30, Section 8.2).
3. Determine the center of mass for the region bounded by $y = x^3$ and $y = \sqrt{x}$.
4. Find the orthogonal trajectories of the family of curves $y = \frac{k}{x}$. Draw several members of each family.
5. Solve the initial-value problem
$$(x^2 + 1)\frac{dy}{dx} + 3x(y - 1) = 0, y(0) = 2.$$
6. Sketch the curve $r = 2 + 4\cos(\theta)$. Determine the area of the inner loop of $r = 2 + 4\cos(\theta)$.
7. Find the exact length of the polar curve $r = \theta^2, 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$