

University of Toronto  
Solutions to the **MAT187H1S TERM TEST**  
of **Thursday, March 12, 2009**  
Duration: 90 minutes

**Only aids permitted:** Casio 260, Sharp 520, or Texas Instrument 30 calculator.

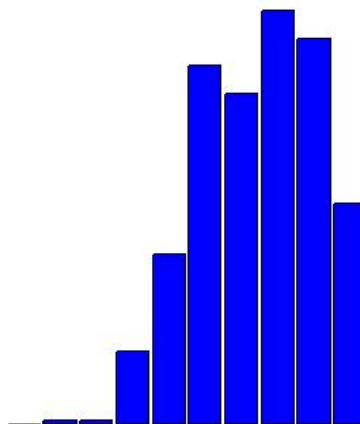
**Instructions:** Make sure this test contains 8 pages. Do not remove any pages from this test. Answer all questions. Present your solutions in the space provided. This means: show your work! The value for each question is indicated in parentheses beside the question number. **TOTAL MARKS: 60**

**Comments and Results:**

1. Questions 1, 2 and 4 are completely routine; everyone should have aced them.
2. Question 3 can be simplified in many ways; the given parametric equations describe a circle.
3. To set things up in Question 5 you need to use similar triangles.
4. Question 6 was almost an exact copy of last year's question 6; sorry about that!
5. Question 7 was right out of the homework from Section 8.5; see #3 on page 628. Two marks were deducted if you didn't handle the absolute value signs correctly, and three marks were deducted if you didn't solve for  $y$ . Finally, you can't let  $y = \sin \theta$  in this question since then  $|y| \leq 1$ , contradicting the initial condition  $y = 3$  if  $x = 0$ . You could let  $y = \sec \theta$ , instead of using partial fractions.

**Breakdown of Results:** 427 students wrote this test. The marks ranged from 11.7% to 100%, and the average was 68.5%. Some statistics on grade distributions are in the table on the left, and a histogram of the marks (by decade) is on the right.

Grade	%	Decade	%
A	30.9%	90-100%	11.2%
		80-89%	19.7%
B	21.1 %	70-79%	21.1%
C	16.9%	60-69%	16.9%
D	18.3%	50-59%	18.3%
F	12.9%	40-49%	8.7%
		30-39%	3.7%
		20-29%	0.2%
		10-19%	0.2%
		0-9%	0.0 %



1. [8 marks] Consider the curve with parametric equations

$$x = t^3; y = t^2 + \ln t.$$

Find both

$$\frac{dy}{dx} \text{ and } \frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$$

at the point on the curve at which  $t = 1$ .

**Solution:** for  $t \neq 0$  :

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

and

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{\frac{dy'}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}} = \frac{\frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{2}{3t} + \frac{1}{3t^3} \right)}{3t^2} = -\frac{\left( \frac{2}{3t^2} + \frac{1}{t^4} \right)}{3t^2} = -\frac{2}{9t^4} - \frac{1}{3t^6}$$

So at  $t = 1$ ,

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2}{3} + \frac{1}{3} = 1$$

and

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -\frac{2}{9} - \frac{1}{3} = -\frac{5}{9}.$$

2. [10 marks] Solve for  $x(t)$  as a function of  $t$  if

$$x''(t) + 12x'(t) + 100x(t) = 0; \quad x(0) = 12 \text{ and } x'(0) = -32.$$

Sketch the graph of  $x(t)$  for  $0 \leq t \leq \pi/2$ , and find the pseudo period and the time-varying amplitude of  $x(t)$ .

**Solution:** the auxiliary quadratic is  $r^2 + 12r + 100$ . Solve:

$$r^2 + 12r + 100 = 0 \Leftrightarrow r = \frac{-12 \pm \sqrt{144 - 400}}{2} = -6 \pm 8i.$$

Thus

$$x = C_1 e^{-6t} \cos(8t) + C_2 e^{-6t} \sin(8t).$$

To find  $C_1$  use the initial condition  $x = 12$  when  $t = 0$  :

$$12 = C_1 e^0 \cos 0 + C_2 e^0 \sin 0 \Leftrightarrow C_1 = 12.$$

To find  $C_2$  you need to find  $x'$  :

$$x' = C_1(-6e^{-6t} \cos(8t) - 8e^{-6t} \sin(8t)) + C_2(-6e^{-6t} \sin(8t) + 8e^{-6t} \cos(8t)).$$

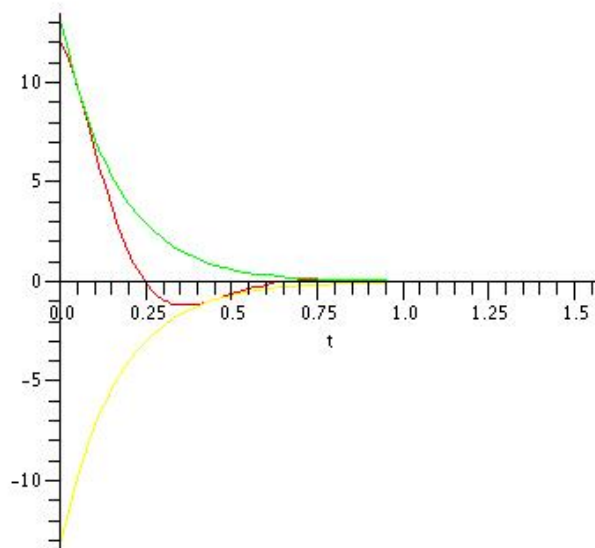
Now substitute  $t = 0, x' = -32, C_1 = 12$  :

$$-32 = 12(-6 - 0) + C_2(0 + 8) \Leftrightarrow 8C_2 = 42 \Leftrightarrow C_2 = 5.$$

Thus

$$x = 12e^{-6t} \cos(8t) + 5e^{-6t} \sin(8t) = 13e^{-6t} \cos\left(8t - \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{5}{12}\right)\right).$$

**Graph:**



The **pseudo period** is

$$\frac{2\pi}{8} = \frac{\pi}{4};$$

**time-varying amplitude** is

$$\sqrt{12^2 + 5^2} e^{-6t} = 13e^{-6t}.$$

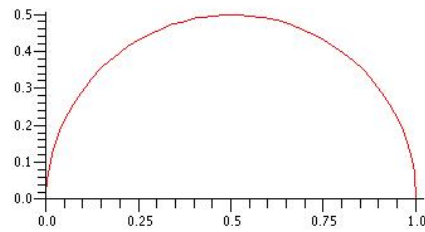
3. [8 marks] Consider the curve with parametric equations

$$x = \sin^2 t, y = \sin t \cos t, \text{ for } 0 \leq t \leq \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

Sketch this curve and compute its arc length.

**Solution:**  $t = 0 \Rightarrow (x, y) = (0, 0); t = \pi/2 \Rightarrow (x, y) = (1, 0).$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{y'(t)}{x'(t)} \\ &= \frac{\cos^2 t - \sin^2 t}{2 \sin t \cos t} \\ \text{(optional)} &= \frac{\cos(2t)}{\sin(2t)} \end{aligned}$$



$\frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \Rightarrow t = \frac{\pi}{4} \Rightarrow (x, y) = \left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$ , which is the maximum point on the graph.

**Arc Length:**

$$\begin{aligned} L &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{(x'(t))^2 + (y'(t))^2} dt \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{(2 \sin t \cos t)^2 + (\cos^2 t - \sin^2 t)^2} dt \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{4 \sin^2 t \cos^2 t + \cos^4 t - 2 \sin^2 t \cos^2 t + \sin^4 t} dt \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{\cos^4 t + 2 \sin^2 t \cos^2 t + \sin^4 t} dt \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{(\cos^2 t + \sin^2 t)^2} dt \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} dt = \frac{\pi}{2} \end{aligned}$$

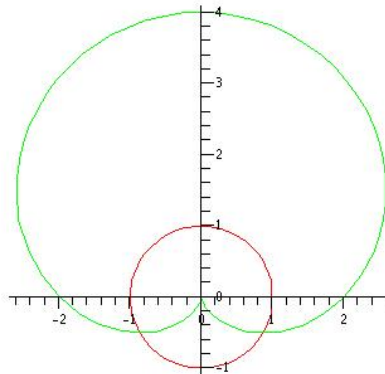
**Easier Calculation:**  $L = \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{\sin^2(2t) + \cos^2(2t)} dt = \int_0^{\pi/2} dt = \frac{\pi}{2}.$

**Alternate Solution:**  $r^2 = x^2 + y^2 = \sin^4 t + \sin^2 t \cos^2 t = \sin^2 t \Rightarrow r = \sin t$ , which is the polar equation of a circle with centre  $(1/2, 0)$  and radius  $1/2$ ; half of its circumference is  $\pi/2$ .

4. [8 marks] Find the area of the region within the cardioid with polar equation  $r = 2 + 2 \sin \theta$  but outside the circle with polar equation  $r = 1$ .

**Solution:** find the intersection points.

$$\begin{aligned} 2 + 2 \sin \theta &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow \sin \theta &= -\frac{1}{2} \\ \Rightarrow \theta &= -\frac{\pi}{6} \text{ or } \frac{7\pi}{6} \end{aligned}$$



**Set Up:**

$$A = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\pi/6}^{7\pi/6} ((2 + 2 \sin \theta)^2 - 1^2) d\theta \text{ or } A = \int_{-\pi/6}^{\pi/2} ((2 + 2 \sin \theta)^2 - 1^2) d\theta.$$

**Calculation:**

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \int_{-\pi/6}^{\pi/2} ((2 + 2 \sin \theta)^2 - 1^2) d\theta. \\ &= \int_{-\pi/6}^{\pi/2} (3 + 8 \sin \theta + 4 \sin^2 \theta) d\theta \\ &= \int_{-\pi/6}^{\pi/2} (3 + 8 \sin \theta + 2(1 - \cos(2\theta))) d\theta \\ &= \int_{-\pi/6}^{\pi/2} (5 + 8 \sin \theta - 2 \cos(2\theta)) d\theta \\ &= [5\theta - 8 \cos \theta - \sin(2\theta)]_{-\pi/6}^{\pi/2} \\ &= \frac{5\pi}{2} - 0 - 0 + \frac{5\pi}{6} + 4\sqrt{3} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ &= \frac{10\pi}{3} + \frac{7\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{aligned}$$

5. [8 marks] Torricelli's Law states that

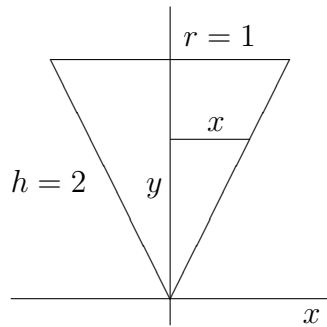
$$A(y) \frac{dy}{dt} = -a\sqrt{2gy},$$

where  $y$  is the depth of a fluid in a tank at time  $t$ ,  $A(y)$  is the cross-sectional area of the tank at height  $y$  above the exit hole,  $a$  is the cross-sectional area of the exit hole, and  $g$  is the acceleration due to gravity.

A water tank is in the shape of an inverted cone. Its height is 2 m and the radius of its circular top is 1 m. The tank is initially full of water. At 12 noon a plug at the bottom of the tank is removed, and 20 min later the depth of water in the tank is 1 m. At what time will the tank be completely empty?

**Solution:**

By similar triangles



$$\begin{aligned} \frac{x}{y} &= \frac{1}{2} \\ \Rightarrow x &= \frac{y}{2} \end{aligned}$$

So

$$A(y) = \pi x^2 = \frac{\pi y^2}{4}.$$

Solve the DE by separating variables:

$$\begin{aligned} A(y) \frac{dy}{dt} &= -a\sqrt{2gy} \Leftrightarrow \pi \int \frac{y^2}{4\sqrt{y}} dy = -\pi \int K dt, \text{ for } K = \frac{a\sqrt{2g}}{\pi} \\ &\Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{4} \int (y^{3/2}) dy = - \int K dt \\ &\Leftrightarrow \frac{y^{5/2}}{10} = -Kt + C, \text{ for some } C \end{aligned}$$

Let  $t$  be measured in minutes; let  $t = 0$  be noon. When  $t = 0, y = 2$ , so

$$\frac{2^{5/2}}{10} = C \Leftrightarrow C = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{5}.$$

When  $t = 20, y = 1$ , so

$$\frac{1}{10} = -20K + \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{5} \Leftrightarrow 20K = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{5} - \frac{1}{10} \Leftrightarrow K = \frac{4\sqrt{2} - 1}{200}$$

The tank is empty when  $y = 0$  :

$$0 = -Kt + C \Leftrightarrow t = \frac{C}{K} = \frac{80\sqrt{2}}{4\sqrt{2} - 1} \simeq 24.3.$$

So the tank will be empty at about 12:24 PM.

6. [10 marks] If  $x$  is the mass of salt dissolved in a saline solution of volume  $V$ , at time  $t$ , in a large mixing tank, then

$$\frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{r_o}{V}x = r_i c_i,$$

where  $c_i$  is the concentration of salt in a solution entering the mixing tank at rate  $r_i$ , and  $r_o$  is the rate at which the well-mixed solution is leaving the tank.

A 150-liter tank initially contains 100 liters of brine (i.e. saline solution) containing 20 kg of salt. Brine containing 1 kg of salt per liter enters the tank at the rate of 5 liters per sec, and the well-mixed brine in the tank flows out at the rate of 3 liters per sec. How many kilograms of salt will the tank contain when it is full?

**Solution:**  $V = 100 + (r_i - r_o)t = 100 + 2t$ . The integrating factor of the differential equation

$$\frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{3}{100 + 2t}x = 5$$

is

$$\rho = e^{\int \frac{3}{100+2t} dt} = e^{3 \ln(100+2t)/2} = (100 + 2t)^{3/2}$$

and so

$$x = \frac{\int 5 \rho dt}{\rho} = \frac{(100 + 2t)^{5/2} + C}{(100 + 2t)^{3/2}} = (100 + 2t) + \frac{C}{(100 + 2t)^{3/2}}.$$

Use the initial condition  $t = 0, x = 20$  to find  $C$  :

$$20 = 100 + \frac{C}{100^{3/2}} \Leftrightarrow C = -80\,000.$$

Thus

$$x = (100 + 2t) - \frac{80\,000}{(100 + 2t)^{3/2}}.$$

The tank is full when  $V = 150 \Leftrightarrow 100 + 2t = 150 \Leftrightarrow t = 25$ . At  $t = 25$ ,

$$x = (100 + 50) - \frac{80\,000}{(100 + 50)^{3/2}} = 150 - \frac{32}{9}\sqrt{150} \simeq 106.45.$$

So when the tank is full of brine it contains about 106.45 kilograms of salt.

7. [8 marks] Solve for  $y$  as a function of  $x$  if

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 1 - y^2 \text{ and } y = 3 \text{ if } x = 0.$$

**Solution:** separate variables.

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{1}{1-y^2} dy &= \int dx \Rightarrow \int \frac{1}{(1+y)(1-y)} dy = x + c \\ (\text{partial fractions}) &\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \int \left( \frac{1}{1+y} + \frac{1}{1-y} \right) dy = x + c \\ &\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} (\ln |1+y| - \ln |1-y|) = x + c \\ &\Rightarrow \ln \left| \frac{1+y}{1-y} \right| = 2x + c' \end{aligned}$$

To find  $c'$ , substitute  $x = 0$  and  $y = 3$  :

$$c' = \ln \left| \frac{1+3}{1-3} \right| = \ln 2.$$

Now solve for  $y$  :

$$\begin{aligned} \ln \left| \frac{1+y}{1-y} \right| &= 2x + \ln 2 \Rightarrow \left| \frac{1+y}{1-y} \right| = e^{2x+\ln 2} = 2e^{2x} \\ &\Rightarrow \frac{1+y}{1-y} = -2e^{2x}, \text{ since } y = 3, \text{ if } x = 0 \\ &\Rightarrow 1+y = -2e^{2x} + 2ye^{2x} \\ &\Rightarrow y(1-2e^{2x}) = -1-2e^{2x} \\ &\Rightarrow y = \frac{1+2e^{2x}}{2e^{2x}-1} \end{aligned}$$