

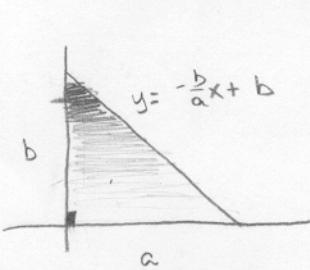
Quiz 5

Calculus 3

Due 10/24/2006

Each problem is worth 5 points. Clear and complete justification is required for full credit.

1. Find the center of mass of a right triangular region with legs of length a and b if the density is proportional to the distance from the leg of length a .

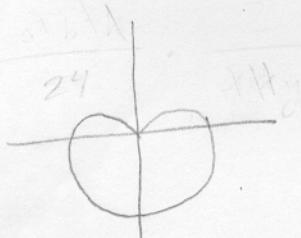


$$\bar{x} = \frac{\int_0^a \int_0^{-\frac{b}{a}x+b} kyx \, dy \, dx}{\int_0^a \int_0^{-\frac{b}{a}x+b} ky \, dy \, dx} = \frac{\frac{1}{24} a^4 b^2 K}{\frac{1}{6} a b^2 K} = \boxed{\frac{1}{4} a}$$

Nice!

$$\bar{y} = \frac{\int_0^a \int_0^{-\frac{b}{a}x+b} ky^2 \, dy \, dx}{\frac{1}{6} a b^2 K} = \frac{\frac{1}{12} a b^3 K}{\frac{1}{6} a b^2 K} = \boxed{\frac{1}{2} b}$$

2. Find the center of mass of the cardioid $r = 4 - 4\sin \theta$ provided that the density is uniform.



$$\rho(x, y) = K$$

$$0 \leq r \leq 4 - 4\sin \theta$$

$$0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$$

Good

$$\bar{x} = \frac{\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{4-4\sin\theta} Kx \, r \, dr \, d\theta}{\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{4-4\sin\theta} K \, r \, dr \, d\theta} = \frac{\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{4-4\sin\theta} Kr^2 \cos \theta \, dr \, d\theta}{\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{4-4\sin\theta} Kr \, dr \, d\theta} = \frac{0}{24K\pi} = 0$$

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$$\bar{y} = \frac{\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{4-4\sin\theta} Ky \, r \, dr \, d\theta}{\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{4-4\sin\theta} K \, r \, dr \, d\theta} = \frac{\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{4-4\sin\theta} Kr^2 \sin \theta \, dr \, d\theta}{\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{4-4\sin\theta} Kr \, dr \, d\theta} = \frac{-80K\pi}{24K\pi} = -\frac{10}{3}$$