

9.4**AREAS AND LENGTHS IN POLAR COORDINATES**

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- 1–8** Find the area of the region that is bounded by the given curve and lies in the specified sector.

1. $r = \theta, 0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$
2. $r = e^\theta, -\pi/2 \leq \theta \leq \pi/2$
3. $r = 2 \cos \theta, 0 \leq \theta \leq \pi/6$
4. $r = 1/\theta, \pi/6 \leq \theta \leq 5\pi/6$
5. $r = \sin 2\theta, 0 \leq \theta \leq \pi/6$
6. $r = \cos 3\theta, -\pi/12 \leq \theta \leq \pi/12$
7. $r = 3 \sin \theta, \pi/4 \leq \theta \leq 3\pi/4$
8. $r = \theta^2, \pi/2 \leq \theta \leq 3\pi/2$

- 9–16** Sketch the curve and find the area that it encloses.

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|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| 9. $r = 5 \sin \theta$ | 10. $r = 4 - \sin \theta$ |
| 11. $r = \sin 3\theta$ | 12. $r = 4(1 - \cos \theta)$ |
| 13. $r = 2 \cos \theta$ | 14. $r = 1 + \sin \theta$ |
| 15. $r = 3 - \cos \theta$ | 16. $r = \sin 4\theta$ |

17. Graph the curve $r = 2 + \cos 6\theta$ and find the area that it encloses.

18. The curve with polar equation $r = 2 \sin \theta \cos^2 \theta$ is called a **bifolium**. Graph it and find the area that it encloses.

- 19–22** Find the area of the region enclosed by one loop of the curve.

19. $r = \cos 3\theta$ 20. $r = 3 \sin 2\theta$

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21. $r = \sin 5\theta$ 22. $r = 2 + 3 \cos \theta$ (inner loop)

- 23–24** Find the area of the region that lies inside the first curve and outside the second curve.

23. $r = 1 - \cos \theta, r = \frac{3}{2}$
24. $r = 3 \cos \theta, r = 2 - \cos \theta$

- 25.** Find the area inside the larger loop and outside the smaller loop of the limaçon $r = 3 + 4 \sin \theta$.

26. Graph the hippopede $r = \sqrt{1 - 0.8 \sin^2 \theta}$ and the circle $r = \sin \theta$ and find the exact area of the region that lies inside both curves.

- 27–32** Find the length of the polar curve.

27. $r = 5 \cos \theta, 0 \leq \theta \leq 3\pi/4$
28. $r = 2^\theta, 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$
29. $r = 1 + \cos \theta$
30. $r = e^{-\theta}, 0 \leq \theta \leq 3\pi$
31. $r = \cos^2(\theta/4)$
32. $r = \cos^2(\theta/2)$

- 33–34** Use a calculator or computer to find the length of the loop correct to four decimal places.

33. One loop of the four-leaved rose $r = \cos 2\theta$
34. The loop of the conchoid $r = 4 + 2 \sec \theta$

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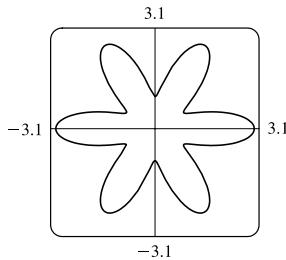
1. $\frac{1}{6}\pi^3$

2. $\frac{1}{4}(e^\pi - e^{-\pi})$

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3. $\frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$

4. $\frac{12}{5\pi}$



5. $\frac{4\pi - 3\sqrt{3}}{96}$

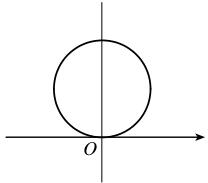
6. $\frac{1}{24}(\pi + 2)$

7. $\frac{9}{8}(\pi + 2)$

8. $\frac{121}{160}\pi^5$

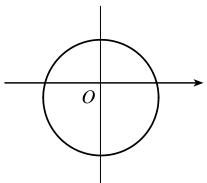
$\frac{9\pi}{2}$

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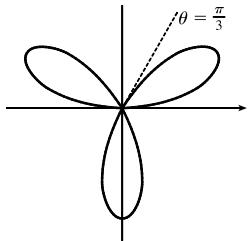
$\frac{25}{4}\pi$

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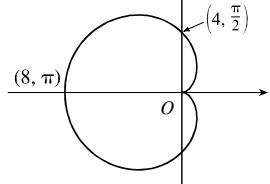
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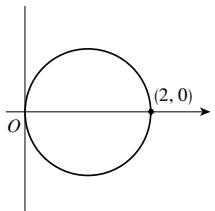
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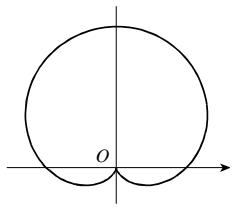
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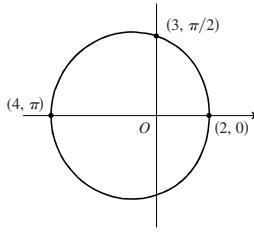
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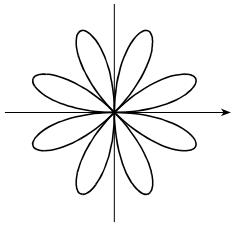
$\frac{3\pi}{2}$

15.



$\frac{19\pi}{2}$

16.



$\frac{\pi}{2}$

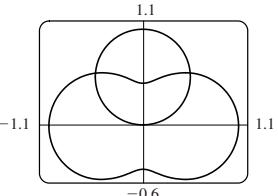
19. $\frac{\pi}{12}$

21. $\frac{\pi}{20}$

23. $\frac{9\sqrt{3}}{8} - \frac{1}{4}\pi$

25. $34\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{4}\right) + 9\sqrt{7}$

26.



$-\frac{3}{10}\pi - \frac{1}{10}\arcsin\frac{\sqrt{5}}{3} - \frac{1}{5}\sqrt{5}$

27. $\frac{15}{4}\pi$

29. 8

31. $\frac{16}{3}$

33. 2.4221

28. $\frac{\sqrt{1 + \ln^2 2} (2^{2\pi} - 1)}{\ln 2}$

30. $\sqrt{2}(1 - e^{-3\pi})$

32. 4

34. 5.8128

9.4 **SOLUTIONS**

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1. $A = \int_0^\pi \frac{1}{2}r^2 d\theta = \int_0^\pi \frac{1}{2}\theta^2 d\theta = \left[\frac{1}{6}\theta^3\right]_0^\pi = \frac{1}{6}\pi^3$

2. $A = \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{2}e^{2\theta} d\theta = \left[\frac{1}{4}e^{2\theta}\right]_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} = \frac{1}{4}(e^\pi - e^{-\pi})$

3. $A = \int_0^{\pi/6} \frac{1}{2}(2\cos\theta)^2 d\theta = \int_0^{\pi/6} (1 + \cos 2\theta) d\theta$
 $= \left[\theta + \frac{1}{2}\sin 2\theta\right]_0^{\pi/6} = \frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$

4. $A = \int_{\pi/6}^{5\pi/6} \frac{1}{2}(1/\theta)^2 d\theta = \left[-1/(2\theta)\right]_{\pi/6}^{5\pi/6} = \frac{12}{5\pi}$

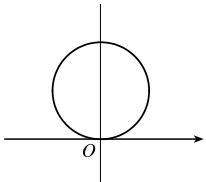
5. $A = \int_0^{\pi/6} \frac{1}{2}\sin^2 2\theta d\theta = \frac{1}{4} \int_0^{\pi/6} (1 - \cos 4\theta) d\theta$
 $= \left[\frac{1}{4}\theta - \frac{1}{16}\sin 4\theta\right]_0^{\pi/6} = \frac{4\pi - 3\sqrt{3}}{96}$

6. $A = 2 \int_0^{\pi/12} \frac{1}{2}\cos^2 3\theta d\theta = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\pi/12} (1 + \cos 6\theta) d\theta$
 $= \frac{1}{2} \left[\theta + \frac{1}{6}\sin 6\theta\right]_0^{\pi/12} = \frac{1}{24}(\pi + 2)$

7. $A = \int_{\pi/4}^{3\pi/4} \frac{1}{2}(3\sin\theta)^2 d\theta = 2 \int_{\pi/4}^{\pi/2} \frac{9}{4}(1 - \cos 2\theta) d\theta$
 $= \frac{9}{2} \left[\theta - \frac{1}{2}\sin 2\theta\right]_{\pi/4}^{\pi/2} = \frac{9}{8}(\pi + 2)$

8. $A = \int_{\pi/2}^{3\pi/2} \frac{1}{2}(\theta^2)^2 d\theta = \left[\frac{1}{10}\theta^5\right]_{\pi/2}^{3\pi/2} = \frac{121}{160}\pi^5$

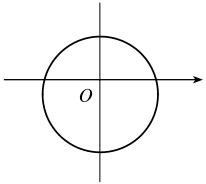
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$$A = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{2}(5\sin\theta)^2 d\theta = \frac{25}{4} \int_0^{\pi/2} (1 - \cos 2\theta) d\theta$$

$$= \frac{25}{4} \left[\theta - \frac{1}{2}\sin 2\theta\right]_0^{\pi/2} = \frac{25}{4}\pi$$

10.



$$A = 2 \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{2}(4 - \sin\theta)^2 d\theta$$

$$= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} (16 - 8\sin\theta + \sin^2\theta) d\theta$$

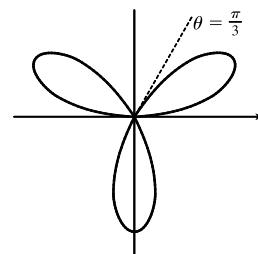
$$= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} (16 + \sin^2\theta) d\theta \quad [\text{by Theorem 5.5.7(b)}]$$

$$= 2 \int_0^{\pi/2} (16 + \sin^2\theta) d\theta \quad [\text{by Theorem 5.5.7(a)}]$$

$$= 2 \int_0^{\pi/2} \left[16 + \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos 2\theta)\right] d\theta$$

$$= 2 \left[\frac{33}{2}\theta - \frac{1}{4}\sin 2\theta\right]_0^{\pi/2} = \frac{33\pi}{2}$$

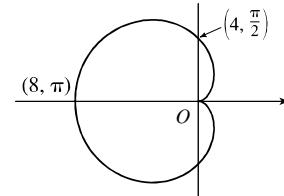
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$$A = 6 \int_0^{\pi/6} \frac{1}{2}\sin^2 3\theta d\theta = 3 \int_0^{\pi/6} \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos 6\theta) d\theta$$

$$= \frac{3}{2} \left[\theta - \frac{1}{6}\sin 6\theta\right]_0^{\pi/6} = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

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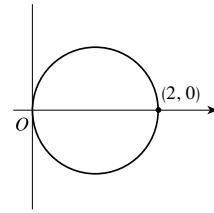
$$A = 2 \int_0^{\pi} \frac{1}{2}[4(1 - \cos\theta)]^2 d\theta$$

$$= 16 \int_0^{\pi} (1 - 2\cos\theta + \cos^2\theta) d\theta$$

$$= 8 \int_0^{\pi} (3 - 4\cos\theta + \cos 2\theta) d\theta$$

$$= 4[6\theta - 8\sin\theta + \sin 2\theta]_0^{\pi} = 24\pi$$

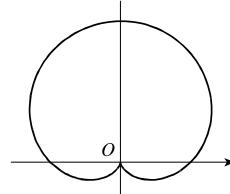
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$$A = 2 \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{2}(2\cos\theta)^2 d\theta = 2 \int_0^{\pi/2} (1 + \cos 2\theta) d\theta$$

$$= 2 \left[\theta + \frac{1}{2}\sin 2\theta\right]_0^{\pi/2} = \pi$$

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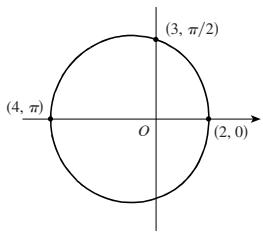
$$A = 2 \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{2}(1 + \sin\theta)^2 d\theta$$

$$= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} (1 + 2\sin\theta + \sin^2 2\theta) d\theta$$

$$= \left[\theta - 2\cos\theta\right]_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} + \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos 2\theta) d\theta$$

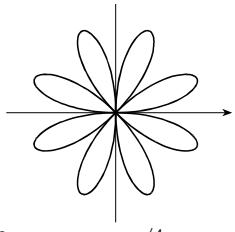
$$= \pi + \frac{1}{2} \left[\theta - \frac{1}{2}\sin 2\theta\right]_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} = \pi + \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

15.



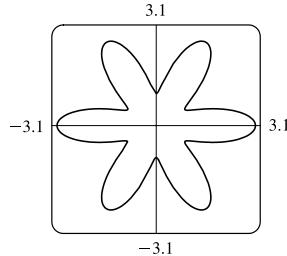
$$\begin{aligned} A &= 2 \int_0^\pi \frac{1}{2} (3 - \cos \theta)^2 d\theta \\ &= \int_0^\pi (9 - 6 \cos \theta + \cos^2 \theta) d\theta \\ &= [9\theta - 6 \sin \theta + \frac{1}{2}\theta + \frac{1}{4} \sin 2\theta]_0^\pi = \frac{19\pi}{2} \end{aligned}$$

16.



$$\begin{aligned} A &= 8 \int_0^{\pi/4} \frac{1}{2} \sin^2 4\theta d\theta = 2 \int_0^{\pi/4} (1 - \cos 8\theta) d\theta \\ &= [2\theta - \frac{1}{4} \sin 8\theta]_0^{\pi/4} = \frac{\pi}{2} \end{aligned}$$

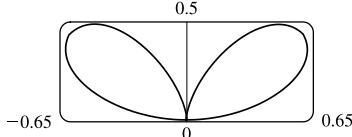
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By symmetry, the total area is twice the area enclosed above the polar axis, so

$$\begin{aligned} A &= 2 \int_0^{\pi/2} r^2 d\theta = \int_0^{\pi/2} [2 + \cos 6\theta]^2 d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} (4 + 4 \cos 6\theta + \cos^2 6\theta) d\theta \\ &= [4\theta + 4(\frac{1}{6} \sin 6\theta) + (\frac{1}{24} \sin 12\theta + \frac{1}{2}\theta)]_0^{\pi/2} \\ &= 4\pi + \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{9\pi}{2} \end{aligned}$$

18.



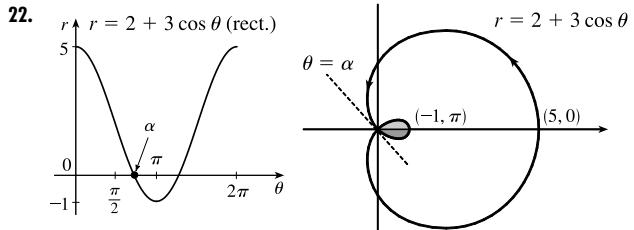
Note that the entire curve $r = 2 \sin \theta \cos^2 \theta$ is generated by $\theta \in [0, \pi]$. The radius is positive on this interval, so the area enclosed is

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \int_0^\pi \frac{1}{2} r^2 d\theta = \int_0^\pi \frac{1}{2} (2 \sin \theta \cos^2 \theta)^2 d\theta \\ &= 2 \int_0^\pi \sin^2 \theta \cos^4 \theta d\theta = 2 \int_0^\pi (\sin \theta \cos \theta)^2 \cos^2 \theta d\theta \\ &= 2 \int_0^\pi (\frac{1}{2} \sin 2\theta)^2 \cos^2 \theta d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \int_0^\pi \sin^2 2\theta (\cos 2\theta + 1) d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{4} [\int_0^\pi \sin^2 2\theta \cos 2\theta d\theta + \int_0^\pi \sin^2 2\theta d\theta] \\ &= \frac{1}{4} [\frac{1}{2}\theta - \frac{1}{4} \sin 4\theta]_0^\pi \text{ (the first integral vanishes)} = \frac{\pi}{8} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 19. A &= 2 \int_0^{\pi/6} \frac{1}{2} \cos^2 3\theta d\theta = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\pi/6} (1 + \cos 6\theta) d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{2} [\theta + \frac{1}{6} \sin 6\theta]_0^{\pi/6} = \frac{\pi}{12} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 20. A &= 2 \int_0^{\pi/4} \frac{1}{2} (3 \sin 2\theta)^2 d\theta = \frac{9}{2} \int_0^{\pi/4} (1 - \cos 4\theta) d\theta \\ &= \frac{9}{2} [\theta - \frac{1}{4} \sin 4\theta]_0^{\pi/4} = \frac{9\pi}{8} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 21. A &= \int_0^{\pi/5} \frac{1}{2} \sin^2 5\theta d\theta = \frac{1}{4} \int_0^{\pi/5} (1 - \cos 10\theta) d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{4} [\theta - \frac{1}{10} \sin 10\theta]_0^{\pi/5} = \frac{\pi}{20} \end{aligned}$$

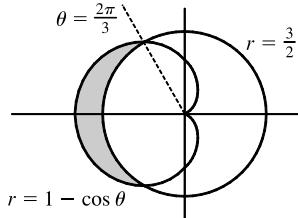


$$2 + 3 \cos \theta = 0 \Rightarrow \cos \theta = -\frac{2}{3} \Rightarrow \theta = \cos^{-1}(-\frac{2}{3})$$

or $2\pi - \cos^{-1}(-\frac{2}{3})$. Let $\alpha = \cos^{-1}(-\frac{2}{3})$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} A &= 2 \int_\alpha^{\pi/2} (2 + 3 \cos \theta)^2 d\theta \\ &= \int_\alpha^\pi (4 + 12 \cos \theta + 9 \cos^2 \theta) d\theta \\ &= \int_\alpha^\pi (\frac{17}{2} + 12 \cos \theta + \frac{9}{2} \cos 2\theta) d\theta \\ &= [\frac{17}{2}\theta + 12 \sin \theta + \frac{9}{4} \sin 2\theta]_\alpha^\pi \\ &= \frac{17}{2}(\pi - \alpha) - 12 \sin \alpha - \frac{9}{2} \sin \alpha \cos \alpha \\ &= \frac{17}{2}[\pi - \cos^{-1}(-\frac{2}{3})] - 12 \left(\frac{\sqrt{5}}{3}\right) - \frac{9}{2} \left(\frac{\sqrt{5}}{3}\right)(-\frac{2}{3}) \\ &= \frac{17}{2} \cos^{-1}(\frac{2}{3}) - 3\sqrt{5} \end{aligned}$$

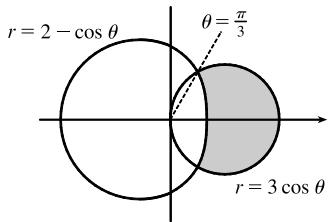
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$$1 - \cos \theta = \frac{3}{2} \Rightarrow \cos \theta = -\frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{2\pi}{3} \text{ or } \frac{4\pi}{3} \Rightarrow$$

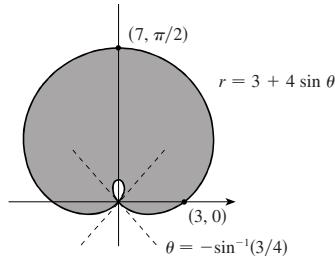
$$\begin{aligned} A &= 2 \int_{2\pi/3}^\pi \frac{1}{2} [(1 - \cos \theta)^2 - (\frac{3}{2})^2] d\theta \\ &= \int_{2\pi/3}^\pi (-\frac{5}{4} - 2 \cos \theta + \cos^2 \theta) d\theta \\ &= [-\frac{5}{12}\theta - 2 \sin \theta]_{2\pi/3}^\pi + \frac{1}{2} \int_{2\pi/3}^\pi (1 + \cos 2\theta) d\theta \\ &= -\frac{5}{12}\pi + \sqrt{3} + \frac{1}{2} [\theta + \frac{1}{2} \sin 2\theta]_{2\pi/3}^\pi \\ &= -\frac{5}{12}\pi + \sqrt{3} + \frac{1}{6}\pi + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{8} = \frac{9\sqrt{3}}{8} - \frac{1}{4}\pi \end{aligned}$$

24.



$$\begin{aligned} 3 \cos \theta &= 2 - \cos \theta \Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = \pm \frac{\pi}{3} \Rightarrow \\ A &= 2 \int_0^{\pi/3} \frac{1}{2} [(3 \cos \theta)^2 - (2 - \cos \theta)^2] d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/3} (8 \cos^2 \theta + 4 \cos \theta - 4) d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/3} (4 \cos 2\theta + 4 \cos \theta) d\theta \\ &= [2 \sin 2\theta + 4 \sin \theta]_0^{\pi/3} = 3\sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$

25.



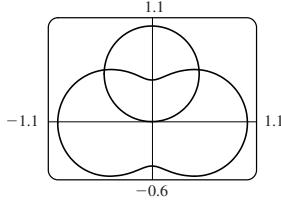
The curve crosses itself when $3 + 4 \sin \theta = 0 \Leftrightarrow \sin \theta = -\frac{3}{4}$. Letting $\alpha = \sin^{-1} \frac{3}{4}$, the desired area is

$$A = 2 \left[\int_{-\alpha}^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{2} (3 + 4 \sin \theta)^2 d\theta - \int_{-\pi/2}^{-\alpha} \frac{1}{2} (3 + 4 \sin \theta)^2 d\theta \right]$$

Now

$$\begin{aligned} \int (3 + 4 \sin \theta)^2 d\theta &= 9\theta - 24 \cos \theta + 8\theta - 4 \sin 2\theta + C, \text{ so} \\ A &= 34\alpha + 48 \cos \alpha - 16 \sin \alpha \cos \alpha = 34 \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{3}{4} \right) + 9\sqrt{7}. \end{aligned}$$

26.



The points of intersection occur where

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{1 - 0.8 \sin^2 \theta} &= \sin \theta \Leftrightarrow 1.8 \sin^2 \theta = 1 \Leftrightarrow \\ \theta &= \arcsin \sqrt{\frac{5}{9}} \quad (= \alpha, \text{ so } \cos \alpha = \frac{2}{3}). \text{ So the area is} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} A &= 2 \int_0^\alpha \frac{1}{2} \sin^2 \theta d\theta + 2 \int_\alpha^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{2} \left(\sqrt{1 - 0.8 \sin^2 \theta} \right)^2 d\theta \\ &= \left[\frac{1}{2}\theta - \frac{1}{4} \sin 2\theta \right]_0^\alpha + \left[\theta - 0.8 \left(\frac{1}{2}\theta - \frac{1}{4} \sin 2\theta \right) \right]_\alpha^{\pi/2} \\ &= \frac{1}{2}\alpha - \frac{1}{4}(2 \sin \alpha \cos \alpha) + 0.6 \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} \\ &\quad - [0.6\alpha + 0.2(2 \sin \alpha \cos \alpha)] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \arcsin \frac{\sqrt{5}}{3} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{\sqrt{5}}{3} \frac{2}{3} + 0.3\pi \\ &\quad - 0.6 \arcsin \frac{\sqrt{5}}{3} - 0.4 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{5}}{3} \frac{2}{3} \\ &= \frac{3}{10}\pi - \frac{1}{10} \arcsin \frac{\sqrt{5}}{3} - \frac{1}{5}\sqrt{5} \approx 0.411 \end{aligned}$$

$$27. L = \int_a^b \sqrt{r^2 + (dr/d\theta)^2} d\theta$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int_0^{3\pi/4} \sqrt{(5 \cos \theta)^2 + (-5 \sin \theta)^2} d\theta \\ &= 5 \int_0^{3\pi/4} \sqrt{\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta} d\theta \\ &= 5 \int_0^{3\pi/4} d\theta = \frac{15}{4}\pi \end{aligned}$$

$$28. L = \int_a^b \sqrt{r^2 + (dr/d\theta)^2} d\theta$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int_0^{2\pi} \sqrt{(2^\theta)^2 + [(\ln 2) 2^\theta]^2} d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} 2^\theta \sqrt{1 + \ln^2 2} d\theta \\ &= \left[\sqrt{1 + \ln^2 2} \left(\frac{2^\theta}{\ln 2} \right) \right]_0^{2\pi} = \frac{\sqrt{1 + \ln^2 2} (2^{2\pi} - 1)}{\ln 2} \end{aligned}$$

$$29. L = 2 \int_0^\pi \sqrt{(1 + \cos \theta)^2 + (-\sin \theta)^2} d\theta$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= 2\sqrt{2} \int_0^\pi \sqrt{1 + \cos \theta} d\theta = 2\sqrt{2} \int_0^\pi \sqrt{2 \cos^2 (\theta/2)} d\theta \\ &= [8 \sin (\theta/2)]_0^\pi = 8 \end{aligned}$$

$$30. L = \int_0^{3\pi} \sqrt{(e^{-\theta})^2 + (-e^{-\theta})^2} d\theta$$

$$= \sqrt{2} \int_0^{3\pi} e^{-\theta} d\theta = \sqrt{2} (1 - e^{-3\pi})$$

$$31. L = 2 \int_0^{2\pi} \sqrt{\cos^8 \left(\frac{1}{4}\theta \right) + \cos^6 \left(\frac{1}{4}\theta \right) \sin^2 \left(\frac{1}{4}\theta \right)} d\theta$$

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

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

$$= 8 \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^3 u du \quad (\text{where } u = \frac{1}{4}\theta)$$

$$= 8 [\sin u - \frac{1}{3} \sin^3 u]_0^{\pi/2} = \frac{16}{3}$$

Note that the curve is retraced after every interval of length 4π .

$$32. L = 2 \int_0^\pi \sqrt{[\cos^2 \left(\frac{1}{2}\theta \right)]^2 + [-\cos \left(\frac{1}{2}\theta \right) \sin \left(\frac{1}{2}\theta \right)]^2} d\theta$$

$$= 2 \int_0^\pi \cos \left(\frac{1}{2}\theta \right) d\theta = 4 [\sin \left(\frac{1}{2}\theta \right)]_0^\pi = 4$$

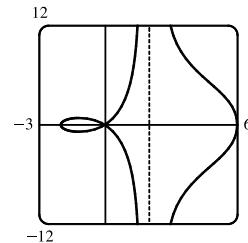
33. From Figure 4 in Example 1,

$$L = \int_{-\pi/4}^{\pi/4} \sqrt{r^2 + (r')^2} d\theta$$

$$= 2 \int_0^{\pi/4} \sqrt{\cos^2 2\theta + 4 \sin^2 2\theta} d\theta$$

$$\approx 2(1.211056) \approx 2.4221$$

34.



$$4 + 2 \sec \theta = 0 \Rightarrow \sec \theta = -2$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = -\frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{2\pi}{3}, \frac{4\pi}{3}.$$

$$L = \int_{2\pi/3}^{4\pi/3} \sqrt{(4 + 2 \sec \theta)^2 + (2 \sec \theta \tan \theta)^2} d\theta \approx 5.8128$$