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Department of Mathematics & Statistics  
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The Third Semester of 2016-2017 (163)

Time Allowed: 120 Minutes

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- Mobiles, calculators and smart devices are not allowed in this exam.
  - Provide all necessary steps required in the solution.
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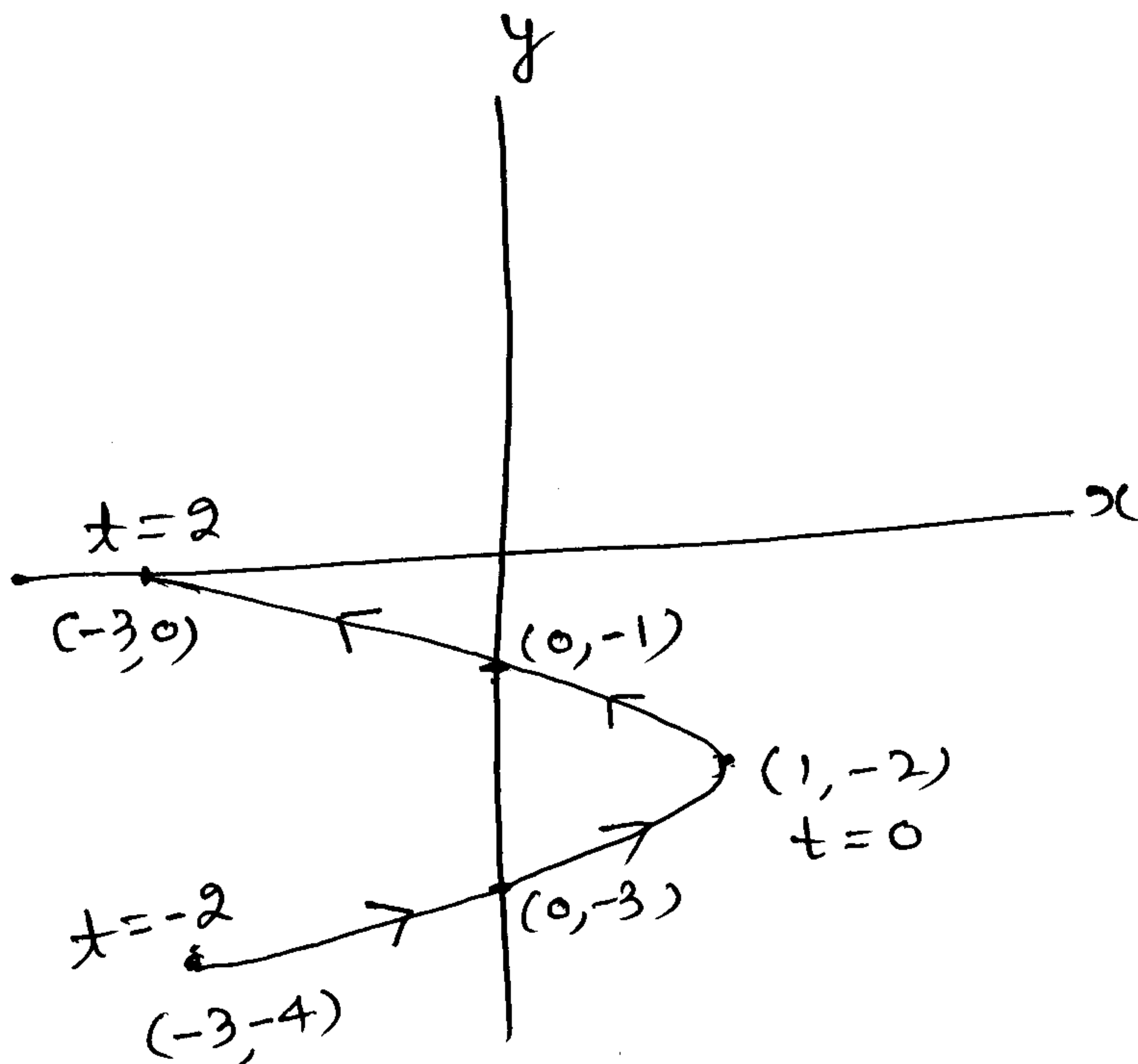
Question #	Marks	Maximum Marks
1		12
2		13
3		10
4		11
5		16
6		12
7		14
8		12
Total		100

Q:1 (8 + 4 points) Consider the parametric equations of a curve C :

$$x = 1 - t^2, \quad y = t - 2, \quad -2 \leq t \leq 2.$$

(a) Sketch the curve and indicate with an arrow the direction in which the curve is traced as  $t$  increases.

$t$	$x$	$y$
-2	-3	-4
-1	0	-3
0	1	-2
1	0	-1
2	-3	0



(b) Eliminate  $t$  to find the corresponding cartesian equation.

$$y = t - 2 \quad \Rightarrow \quad t = y + 2,$$

$$\text{So } x = 1 - t^2 \\ = 1 - (y + 2)^2, \quad -4 \leq y \leq 0$$

Q:2 (5 + 3 + 5 points) Consider the parametric equations of a curve C :

$$x = t^3 - 12t, \quad y = t^2 - 1.$$

(a) Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  and  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ .

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy/dt}{dx/dt} = \frac{2t}{3t^2-12}$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{\frac{d}{dt}\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)}{\frac{dx}{dt}}$$

$$= \frac{2(3t^2-12) - 2t \cdot 6t}{(3t^2-12)^2}$$

$$= \frac{-6t^2 - 24}{(3t^2-12)^3}$$

$$= \frac{-6(t^2+4)}{3^3(t^2-4)^3}$$

(b) For which values of  $t$  is the curve concave upward ?

The curve is CU when  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} > 0$

The curve is CU when  $t^2 - 4 < 0$

$$\Rightarrow |t| < 2$$

$$\Rightarrow -2 < t < 2$$

(c) Find an equation of the tangent line to the curve C when  $t = 1$ .

$$\frac{dy}{dx} \Big|_{t=1} = \frac{2}{3-12} = -\frac{2}{9}$$

$$(x, y) = (1-12, 1-1) = (-11, 0).$$

Equation of tangent line is

$$y - 0 = -\frac{2}{9}(x + 11)$$

or

$$9y = -2x - 22.$$

Q:3 (10 points) Find the length of the curve defined by  
 $x = t \cos(t)$ ,  $y = t \sin(t)$ ,  $0 \leq t \leq 1$ .

$$\text{Length} = \int_{t=\alpha}^{\beta} \sqrt{\left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{dy}{dt}\right)^2} dt$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = \cos t - t \sin t$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \sin t + t \cos t$$

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{dy}{dt}\right)^2 &= \cos^2 t - 2t \cos t \sin t + t^2 \sin^2 t \\ &\quad + \sin^2 t + 2t \cos t \sin t + t^2 \cos^2 t \\ &= 1 + t^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Length} = \int_0^1 \sqrt{1+t^2} dt$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let } t &= \tan \theta \\ dt &= \sec^2 \theta d\theta \end{aligned}$$

$$s = \int_0^{\pi/4} \sec \theta \cdot (1 + \tan^2 \theta) d\theta$$

$$= \int_0^{\pi/4} \sec \theta d\theta + \int_0^{\pi/4} \underbrace{\tan \theta}_u \cdot \underbrace{\sec \theta \tan \theta d\theta}_{dv}$$

$$= \ln(\sec \theta + \tan \theta) \Big|_0^{\pi/4} + \tan \theta \sec \theta \Big|_0^{\pi/4} - \int_0^{\pi/4} \sec \theta \cdot \sec^2 \theta d\theta$$

$$2s = \ln(\sqrt{2} + 1) + \sqrt{2}$$

$$s = \frac{1}{2} \ln(\sqrt{2} + 1) + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

Q:4 (a)(3 points) Find polar coordinate  $(r, \theta)$  of the rectangular point  $(-2, 2)$  in such a way that  $r < 0$  and  $2\pi \leq \theta < 4\pi$ .

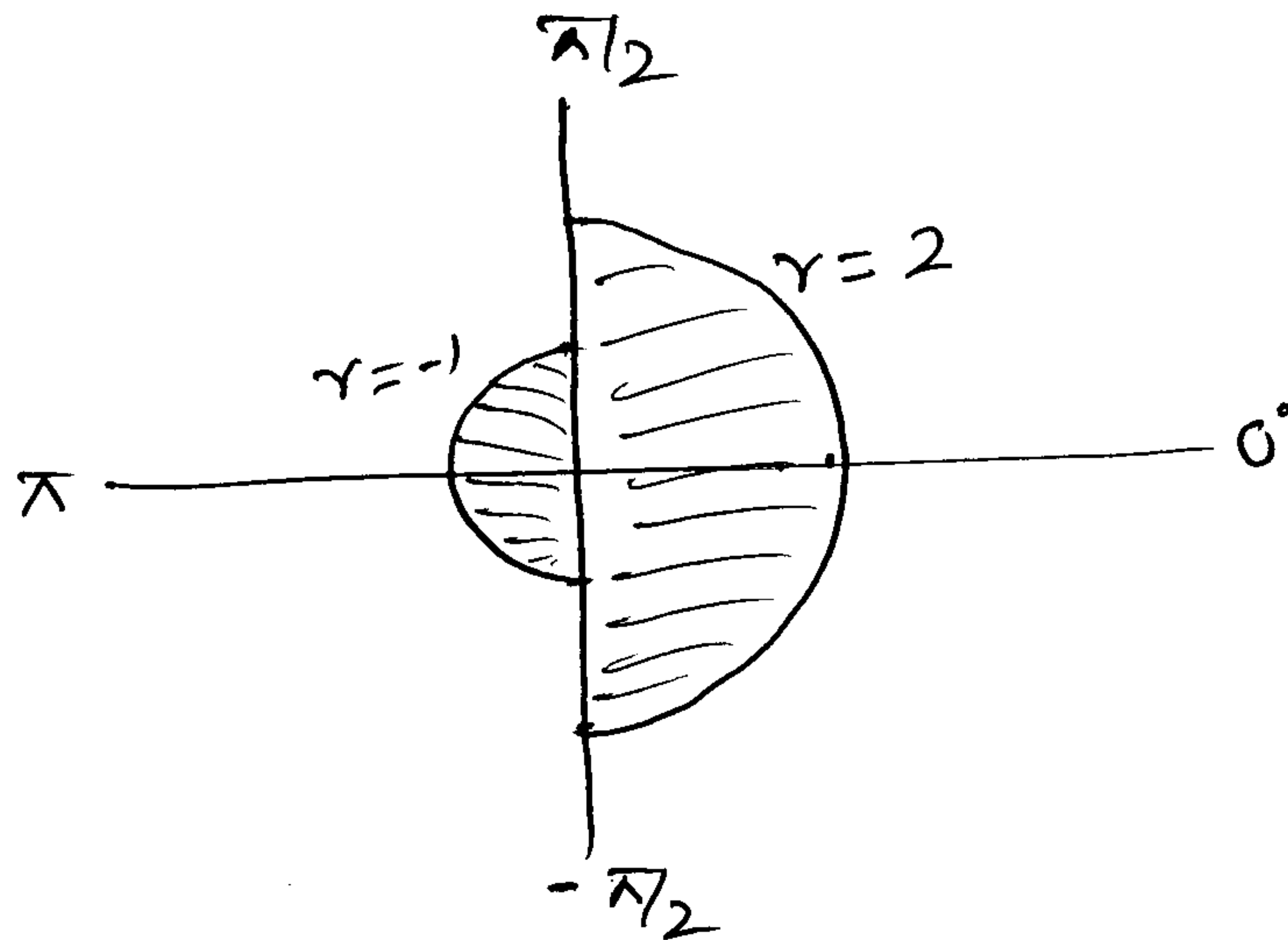
$$\begin{aligned} r^2 &= x^2 + y^2 \\ &= 2^2 + 2^2 \\ &= 4 + 4 = 8 \end{aligned}$$

$$r = -2\sqrt{2} \quad (r < 0)$$

$$\theta = 3\pi + \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \frac{15\pi}{4} \quad \text{or} \quad 4\pi - \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{15\pi}{4}$$

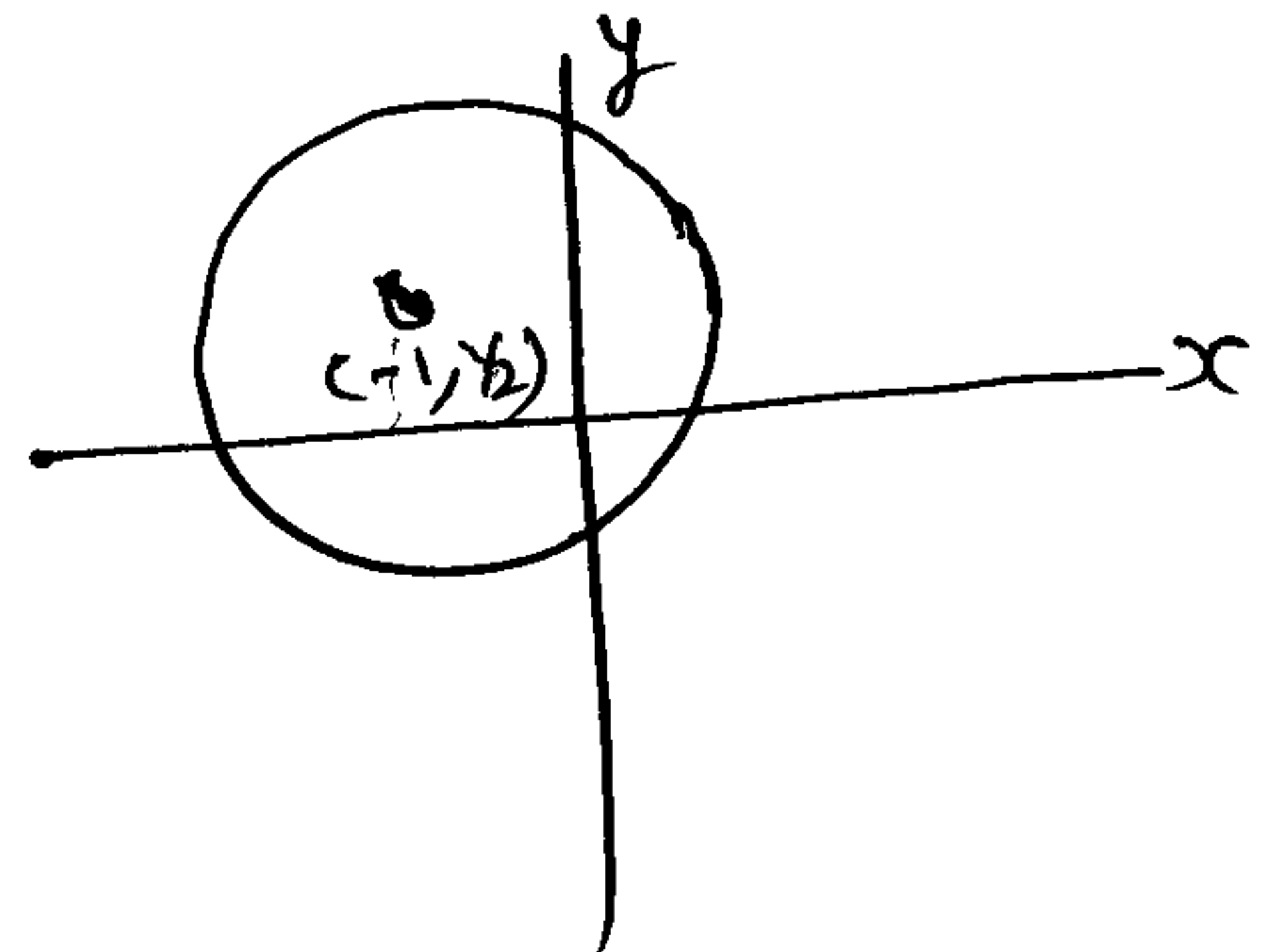
$$(r, \theta) = \left(-2\sqrt{2}, \frac{15\pi}{4}\right)$$

(b)(4 points) Sketch the region in the plane consisting of points whose polar coordinates satisfy the conditions  $-1 \leq r \leq 2$  and  $-\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$ .



(c) (4 points) Convert the polar equation  $r = \sin(\theta) - 2 \cos(\theta)$  to a cartesian equation. Sketch the resulting equation.

$$\begin{aligned} r &= r \sin \theta - 2 r \cos \theta \\ &= \frac{y}{r} - 2 \frac{x}{r} \\ \Rightarrow r^2 &= y - 2x \\ \Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + 2x - y &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (x+1)^2 + (y-\frac{1}{2})^2 &= \frac{5}{4} \end{aligned}$$



Circle with center  $(-1, \frac{1}{2})$  and radius  $\sqrt{\frac{5}{4}}$

Q:5 (a)(8 points) Sketch on the same polar coordinate system the curves  $r = \sin(\theta)$  and  $r = \sin(2\theta)$  and find the point(s) of intersection if any.

The pole is a point of intersection

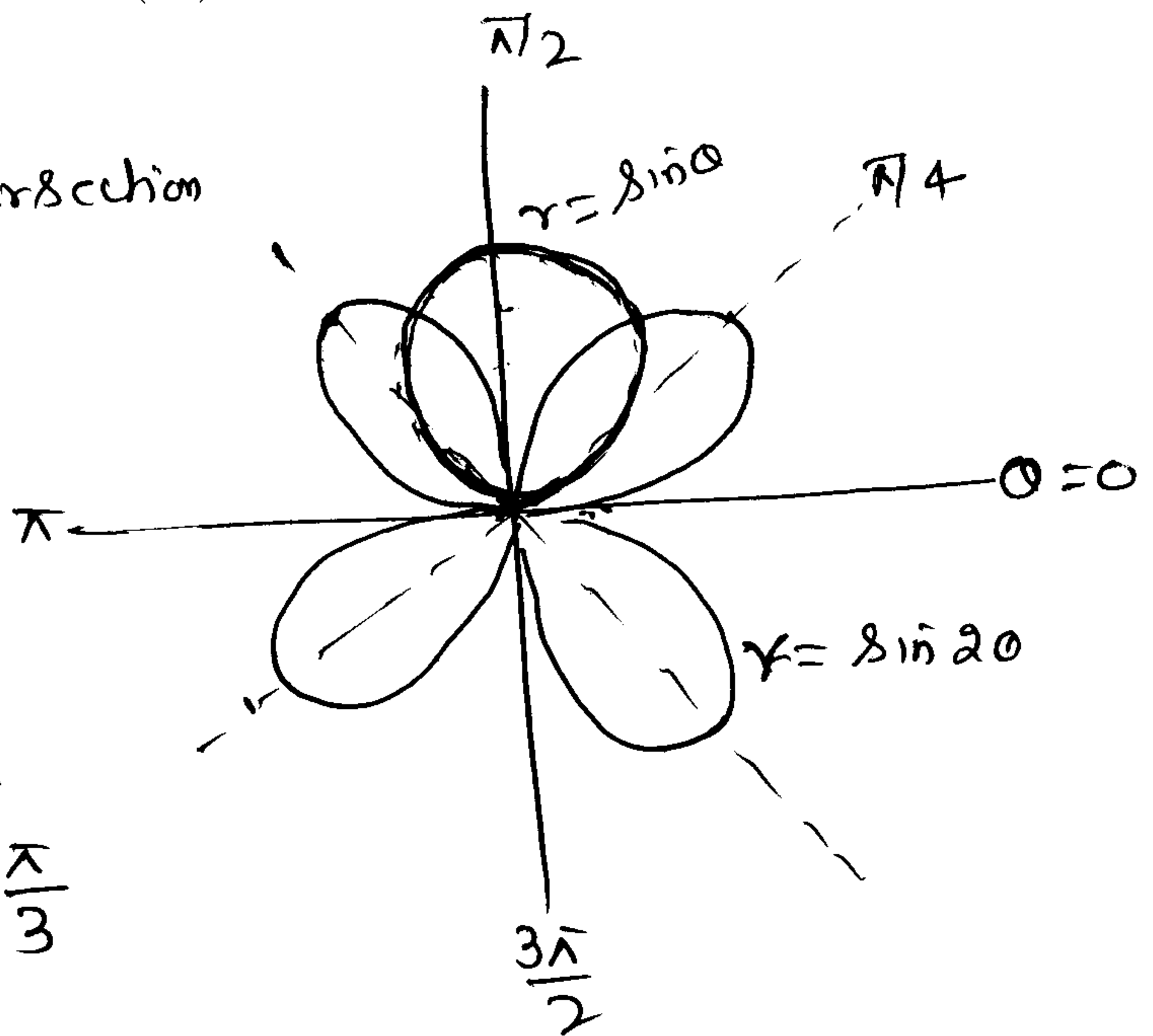
$$\begin{aligned} \sin \theta &= \sin 2\theta \\ &= 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta \end{aligned}$$

$$\sin \theta (1 - 2 \cos \theta) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = 0 \text{ or } \cos \theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = 0, \pi, \frac{\pi}{3} \text{ or } -\frac{\pi}{3}$$

The <sup>other</sup> points of intersection are  $\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$  and  $\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{2\pi}{3}\right)$



(b) (8 points) Find the area of the region that lies inside both curves  $r^2 = \sin(2\theta)$  and  $r^2 = \cos(2\theta)$ .

Points of intersection are

$$\sin 2\theta = \cos \theta$$

$$\tan 2\theta = 1$$

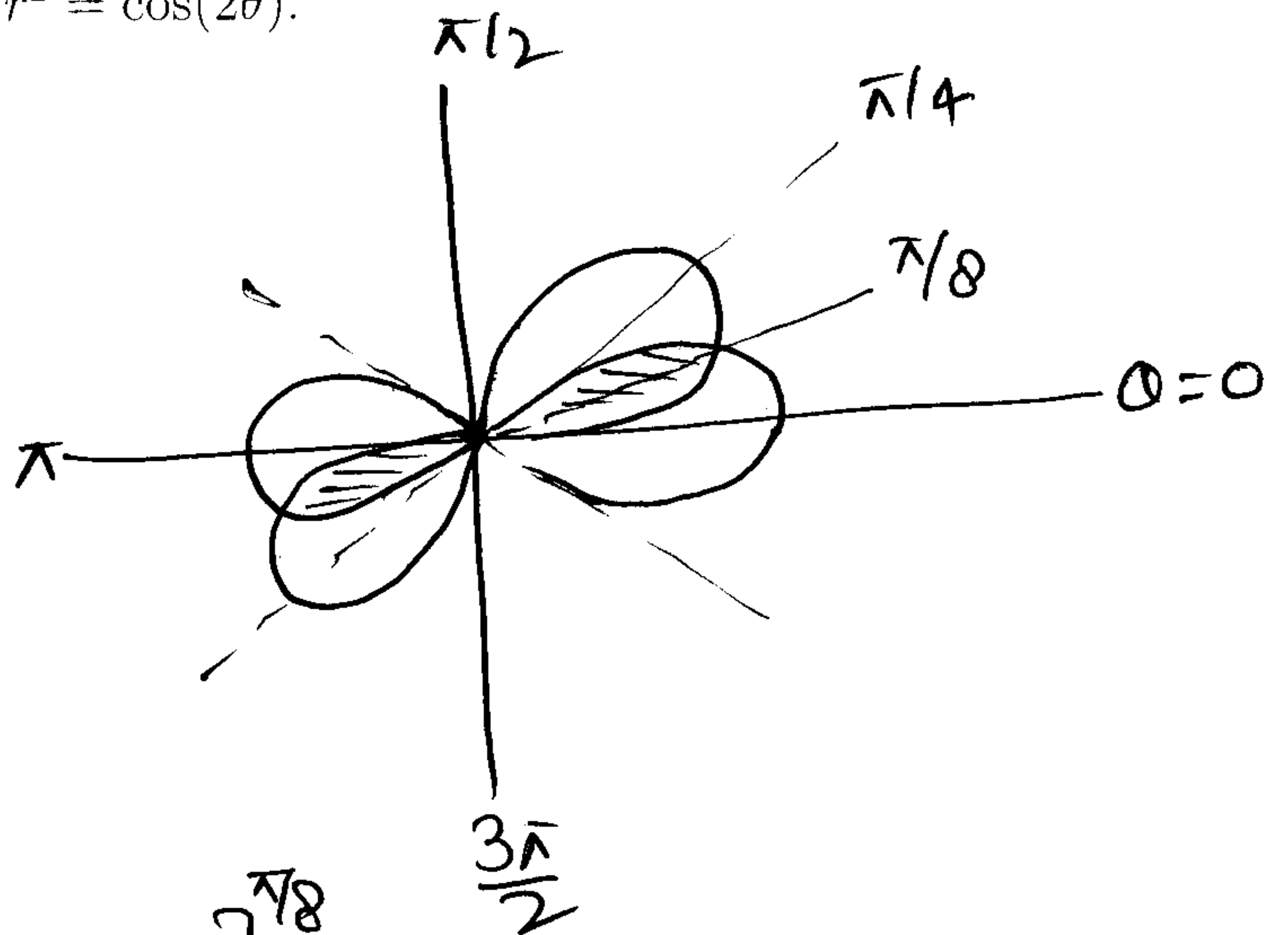
$$2\theta = \frac{\pi}{4} + 2n\pi$$

$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{8} \text{ or } \frac{9\pi}{8}$$

$$A = 4 \int_0^{\pi/8} \frac{1}{2} \sin 2\theta d\theta$$

$$= \int_0^{\pi/8} 2 \sin 2\theta d\theta = [-\cos 2\theta]_0^{\pi/8}$$

$$= -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + 1$$



Q:6 (a)(4 points) Find an equation of the sphere that passes through the point  $(0, 1, -1)$  and whose center is  $(2, 0, 1)$ .

$$r = \sqrt{(2-0)^2 + (0-1)^2 + (1+1)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{4+1+4} = 3$$

An equation of the sphere is

$$(x-2)^2 + y^2 + (z-1)^2 = 9$$

(b) (3 points) Write inequalities to describe the region between (but not on) the  $yz$ -plane and the plane  $x = 8$ .

$$0 < x < 8$$

(c) (5 points) Let  $A(-2, 0, 1)$  and  $B(1, 3, -2)$  be two points in three dimensional space.

(i) Find  $\vec{AB}$ .

(ii) Find a unit vector that has the same direction of  $\vec{AB}$ .

(iii) Find a vector of magnitude 7 and having the opposite direction of  $\vec{AB}$ .

$$(i) \vec{AB} = \langle 1+2, 3-0, -2-1 \rangle = \langle 3, 3, -3 \rangle$$

$$(ii) \text{Unit vector} = \frac{\langle 3, 3, -3 \rangle}{\sqrt{27}} = \frac{3 \langle 1, 1, -1 \rangle}{3\sqrt{3}}$$

$$(iii) \text{Unit vector in the direction of } \vec{AB} \text{ is } \frac{\langle 1, 1, -1 \rangle}{\sqrt{3}}$$

A vector in the opposite direction but magnitude 7

$$\text{is } -7 \vec{v} = \frac{\langle -7, 7, 7 \rangle}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Q:7 Let  $\vec{a} = \langle 3, 0, -1 \rangle$ ,  $\vec{b} = \langle -1, 4, 1 \rangle$  and  $\vec{c} = \langle 12, 1, 2 \rangle$  be three vectors.

(a) (4 points) Find the scalar projection of  $\vec{b}$  onto  $\vec{c}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Scalar projection } \vec{b} \text{ onto } \vec{c} &= \frac{\vec{b} \cdot \vec{c}}{|\vec{c}|} \\ &= \frac{-12 + 4 + 2}{\sqrt{14 + 4 + 1}} = \frac{-6}{\sqrt{149}} \end{aligned}$$

(b) (5 points) Find the vector projection of  $\vec{b}$  onto  $\vec{c}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Vector projection } \vec{b} \text{ onto } \vec{c} &= \frac{\vec{b} \cdot \vec{c}}{|\vec{c}|^2} \vec{c} \\ &= \frac{-6}{149} \langle 12, 1, 2 \rangle \\ &= \frac{\langle -72, -6, -12 \rangle}{149} \end{aligned}$$

(c) (5 points) Find two unit vectors that are orthogonal to both  $\vec{a} = \langle 3, 0, -1 \rangle$  and  $\vec{b} = \langle -1, 4, 1 \rangle$ .

$$\vec{A} \times \vec{B} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 3 & 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 4 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \langle 4, -2, 12 \rangle$$

$$|\vec{A} \times \vec{B}| = \sqrt{16 + 4 + 144} = \sqrt{164}$$

$$= 2\sqrt{41}$$

$$\text{Unit vectors} = \frac{\vec{A} \times \vec{B}}{|\vec{A} \times \vec{B}|} = \pm \frac{\langle 2, -1, 6 \rangle}{\sqrt{41}}$$



Q:8 (12 points) Find the volume of the parallelepiped determined by the vectors  $\vec{OA}$ ,  $\vec{OB}$ , and  $\vec{OC}$  where  $O$  is the origin and  $A(1, 2, -1)$ ,  $B(-2, 0, 3)$ ,  $C(0, 7, -4)$ .

$$\vec{OA} = \langle 1, 2, -1 \rangle$$

$$\vec{OB} = \langle -2, 0, 3 \rangle$$

$$\vec{OC} = \langle 0, 7, -4 \rangle$$

$$\vec{OA} \cdot (\vec{OB} \times \vec{OC}) = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ -2 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 7 & -4 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(0 - 21) - 2(8 - 0) - 1(-14 - 0)$$

$$= -21 - 16 + 14$$

$$= -23$$

$$\text{Volume} = |-23| = 23 \text{ unit}^3.$$