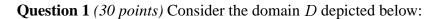
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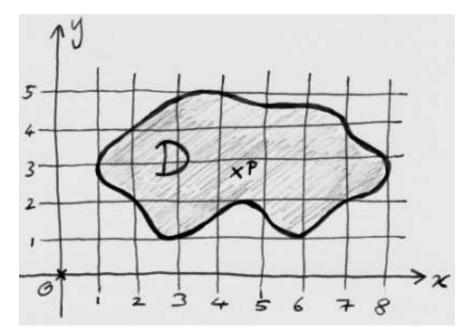
## **MIDTERM**

## 21C, Monday May 16, 2005

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Let  $\overline{\mathcal{O}P}$  be the distance from the point  $P \in D$  to the origin  $\mathcal{O}$ . Define a function

$$f:D\longrightarrow\mathbb{R}$$

by

$$f(P) = \overline{\mathcal{O}P}.$$

Now answer the following questions:

- (i) Sketch  $\partial D$ .
- (ii) Give (crude) upper and lower bounds on the area A of D.
- (iii) Write down, but do not compute, an integral equaling A.
- (iv) Propose numbers a and b such that

$$a < \int_D dA f(P) < b.$$

Briefly explain your choices.

(Working space for Question 1)

**Question 2** (50 points) Let the function f be the same as in Question 1 but extend its domain to the plane  $\mathbb{R}^2$ . Now answer the following questions:

- (i) Let (x, y) be Cartesian coordinates for  $\mathbb{R}^2$ . Write down a formula for f(x, y).
- (ii) Calculate  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$ . Does  $\lim_{(x,y)\to(0,0)} \partial_x f(x,y)$  exist?
- (iii) Compute the limit

$$\lim_{(x,y)\to(0,0)}f(x,y).$$

Prove that your proposed limit is correct.

- (iv) Let  $(r, \theta)$  be polar coordinates for  $\mathbb{R}^2$ . Write down a formula for  $f(r, \theta)$ .
- (v) Let D be a unit disc centered at  $\mathcal{O}$ . Compute

$$\int_D dA f(P).$$

(vi) Let  $\Sigma$  be the surface

$$z = f(x, y) \, .$$

Sketch the surface  $\Sigma$ .

- (vii) Copy out your sketch from part (vi). Indicate an interpretation of the integral in part (v) on this second sketch. (An English sentence may help too!)
- (viii) Let R be the solid region given in Cartesian coordinates (x, y, z) by

$$0 \le z \le f(x, y), \qquad x^2 + y^2 \le 1.$$

Describe this region using spherical coordinates.

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Question 3 (20 points) Compute the moment of inertia I of a homogeneous disc of mass M, radius R, about the perpendicular axis through its center.