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Advanced Calculus and Linear Algebra

2 hours 30 minutes

Attempt all the questions. The allocation of marks is shown in brackets. There is a total of 100 marks.

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- 1 (i) Compute the integral $\int_0^2 \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{z/2} \rho \, d\rho \, d\theta \, dz$. This integral in cylindrical polar coordinates represents the volume of a certain cone. What is the height of the cone, and what is the radius of the circular disc bounding it on top? **(5 marks)**
- (ii) Find the coordinates of the centroid of the cone referred to above, by computing the average value of z over the region. Is the fraction of the volume of the cone below its centroid greater than, equal to, or less than a half? [Hint: use a similarity/scaling argument.] **(8 marks)**

- 2 (i) Compute the volume of the parallelepiped with edges $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$, $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$, $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$. **(2 marks)**

- (ii) Compute the product AB , where

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 1 & 4 \\ 5 & 1 & -8 \\ -1 & -1 & 4 \end{pmatrix}.$$

From this, deduce what must be the volume of the parallelepiped with edges

$$\begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 5 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -8 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}.$$

[Hint: use multiplicativity of determinants.] **(4 marks)**

- (iii) Using the inverse of a matrix, find α, β, γ such that

$$\alpha \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \beta \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \gamma \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

[Hint: make use of your product calculation in part (ii).] **(4 marks)**

- 3 Let A be the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, and let $\ell_A : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be the linear map given by $\ell_A(\mathbf{x}) := A\mathbf{x}$ for all $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^3$.

(i) Find a linear dependence relation between the vectors

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

[Hint: try adding two of them together.] Use this to determine the rank of the matrix A .

Find bases for $\ker(\ell_A)$ (the null-space of A), and $\text{im}(\ell_A)$ (the column space of A). **(7 marks)**

- (ii) Describe $\text{im}(\ell_A)$ implicitly, by an equation $ax + by + cz = 0$. Hence show that $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} \in \text{im}(\ell_A)$. Also express $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}$ as a linear combination of the basis for $\text{im}(\ell_A)$ that you produced in (i). **(5 marks)**

- (iii) Write down matrices $B \in M_{3,1}(\mathbb{R})$ and $C \in M_{1,3}(\mathbb{R})$ such that $\ker(\ell_A) = \text{im}(\ell_B)$ and $\text{im}(\ell_A) = \ker(\ell_C)$. **(2 marks)**

- 4 Define $F : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ by $F\left(\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix}\right) = x^2 + y^2 - z^2 - 1$.

Consider also the map $\mathbf{r} : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ defined by $\mathbf{r}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} \cosh t \cos t \\ \cosh t \sin t \\ \sinh t \end{pmatrix}$. (Recall that

$\cosh u := \frac{e^u + e^{-u}}{2}$ and $\sinh u := \frac{e^u - e^{-u}}{2}$. You may assume standard properties of these hyperbolic functions.)

- (i) Compute the derivative matrix $D(F)$, i.e the gradient $\text{grad } F$. (This should be a row.)
Use it to find an equation for the tangent plane to the surface $S : x^2 + y^2 - z^2 = 1$ at the point $P = (\sqrt{2}, 0, 1)$. **(4 marks)**
- (ii) Compute the derivative matrix $D(\mathbf{r})(t)$. (This velocity should be a column vector.) **(2 marks)**
- (iii) Calculate directly the product $D(F)(\mathbf{r}(t)) D(\mathbf{r})(t)$, and check that it is the same as $D(F \circ \mathbf{r})(t)$. **(5 marks)**
- (iv) What is the relationship between $\text{im}(\mathbf{r})$ and the zero set of F ? **(2 marks)**

- 5 Find and classify the stationary points of the function $f(x, y) = x^4 + y^4 - 36xy$.
(12 marks)

- 6 Consider the vector field $\mathbf{F} = \frac{1}{r}(x, y, z)$, where $r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$. Find $\text{curl } \mathbf{F}$ and $\text{div } \mathbf{F}$.
(10 marks)

- 7 Find the function $g(y)$ for which the vector field $\mathbf{v} = \begin{pmatrix} g(y) \\ xe^{2y} \end{pmatrix}$ is conservative and find the corresponding potential function for \mathbf{v} . Hence, evaluate the line integral

$$I = \oint_{\Gamma} \mathbf{v} \cdot d\mathbf{r},$$

where Γ is the triangular path with vertices $(0, 0)$, $(1, 0)$ and $(1, 1)$. (7 marks)

- 8 You are given the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & -7 & -4 \\ 4 & -4 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$. You are further given that the eigenvalues of A are 0, 9 and -9 . The normalised eigenvector corresponding to the eigenvalue 0 is $\mathbf{v}_0 = \frac{1}{9} \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 4 \\ -7 \end{pmatrix}$. The normalised eigenvector corresponding to the eigenvalue 9 is $\mathbf{v}_9 = \frac{1}{9} \begin{pmatrix} -8 \\ 1 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$. Find the normalised eigenvector corresponding to the eigenvalue -9 . Hence, find the orthogonal matrix P and a diagonal matrix D such that $A = PDP^T$.
(8 marks)

- 9 (i) State Stokes' Theorem. (3 marks)

- (ii) Show that the integral $\oint_{\mathcal{C}} yzdx + xzdy + xydz$ vanishes along any closed contour \mathcal{C} .
(4 marks)

10 Let $f(x)$ be a function given by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & -\pi < x < 0, \\ 0, & 0 < x < \pi. \end{cases}$$

Find the Fourier series for $f(x)$ in the interval $-\pi < x < \pi$.

[Hint: You are given that the Fourier series of a function $f(x)$, which satisfies the Dirichlet conditions on $-L \leq x \leq L$ is given by

$$f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[a_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) + b_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) \right],$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} a_0 &= \frac{1}{L} \int_{-L}^L f(x) dx \\ a_n &= \frac{1}{L} \int_{-L}^L f(x) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx, \quad n = 1, 2, 3, \dots \\ b_n &= \frac{1}{L} \int_{-L}^L f(x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx, \quad n = 1, 2, 3, \dots \end{aligned}$$

(6 marks)

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