

Math 240

FINAL EXAM

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You need to show your work, even for multiple choice problems. A correct answer with no work will get 0 points. The only exception are True/False problems, where no work needs to be shown. Each problem is worth 10 points.

You are NOT allowed to use a calculator. The extra double sided sheet of paper needs to be hand written in your own hand writing (no copies allowed).

(Do not fill these in; they are for grading purposes only.)

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Total

1. The matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 6 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & -2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

has $K = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$ as an eigenvector. What is the corresponding eigenvalue?

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 6 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & -2 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 6 \\ -13 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

The eigenvalue is 0.



2. The matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 8 & -2 & 2 \\ -2 & 5 & 4 \\ 2 & 4 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

has eigenvalues $\lambda_1 = 0$ and $\lambda_2 = 9$ (with multiplicity 2). An eigenvector corresponding to λ_1 is $v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$ and an eigenvector corresponding to λ_2 is $v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$. Find an orthogonal matrix P such that $P^{-1}AP$ is diagonal.

First I'm looking for a vector \vec{w} which is \perp to \vec{v}_1 & \vec{v}_2 and is an e-vector with e-value 9.

$$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & -2 & 2 \\ -2 & -4 & 4 \\ 2 & 4 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \rightsquigarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightsquigarrow w_1 + 2w_2 - 2w_3 = 0$$

to be an e-rec. for e-value 9.

Now add the orthogonality conditions to get the system:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & -2 \\ 1 & 2 & -2 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightsquigarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & -2 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightsquigarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & -2 \\ 0 & 5 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \rightsquigarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & -4/5 \end{pmatrix}$$

I can choose $\vec{w} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$.

$-2 + \frac{2}{5}$

Now normalize $\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \vec{w}$ to have length 1.

$$P = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & \frac{-2}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{2}{3\sqrt{5}} \\ \frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{4}{3\sqrt{5}} \\ \frac{-2}{3} & 0 & \frac{\sqrt{5}}{3} \end{pmatrix}$$

3. Compute the determinant

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

Answer:

- (a) 2 (b) 4 (c) -4 (d) 8 (e) -2 (f) -8

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$$-4 \cdot \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -4 \cdot (2 \cdot (1-2)) = 8.$$

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4. For each of the following statements, determine whether they are true or false. All the matrices below are assumed to have real entries. No work needs to be shown for this problem.

(a) Any orthogonal 3×3 matrix has an eigenvalue equal to 1 or -1. True False

(b) There is a symmetric matrix having i and $-i$ as eigenvalues. True False

(c) If A is any 2×2 matrix of rank 1, then the system True False

$AX = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ has infinitely many solutions.

(d) If A is any 3×2 matrix of rank 2 and B a 2×3 matrix True False
such that $AB = 0$, then $B = 0$.

(e) If A is a 2×2 matrix with $A^2 = I$ (the identity matrix) True False
then $A = \pm I$.

5. Consider the vector field

$$\mathbf{F} = \left(\frac{-z^2}{5} - z + \pi y e^{\sin x} \cos x \right) \mathbf{i} + (\pi e^{\sin x} - x) \mathbf{j} - \frac{2xz}{5} \mathbf{k}$$

and the curve C given by

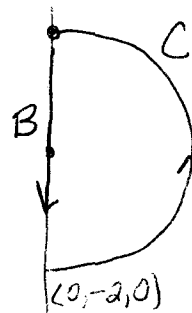
$$(2 \cos t, 2 \sin t, 0)$$

for $-\pi/2 \leq t \leq \pi/2$. Evaluate the line integral

$$\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}.$$

- (a) $2\pi\sqrt{2}$ (b) 0 (c) 4π (d) $-\pi$ (e) -2π (f) 2π (g) none of the above

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla \times \mathbf{F} &= \hat{i} (0 - 0) + \hat{j} \left(-\frac{2z}{5} + \frac{2z}{5} + 1 \right) \\ &\quad + \hat{k} (-1) = -\hat{j} - \hat{k}. \end{aligned}$$



$$\vec{n} = \hat{k}.$$

$$(\nabla \times \mathbf{F}) \cdot \hat{k} = -1.$$

$$B(t) = (2 \cos t, 2 \sin t, 0) \quad \text{for } -2 \leq t \leq 2.$$

$$\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} + \int_B \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \iint_{\text{half disk}} (-1) \cdot dA = \pi \cdot 2^2 \cdot (-1) = -2\pi.$$

$$\int_B \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_{-2}^2 (\pi y \hat{i} + \pi \hat{j}) \cdot \left(\frac{dy}{dt} dt \right) \hat{j} = -\pi \int_{-2}^2 dt = -4\pi.$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = 2\pi.$$

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6. In the following true/false problems, \mathbf{F} is any vector field in 3-dimensions and f is any function in 3 variables. (You may assume \mathbf{F} and f have continuous derivatives.) You do not need to show any work. For each problem, state whether the given identity is true or false.

(a) $\operatorname{div}(\nabla f) = 0$ True False

(b) $\operatorname{curl}(\nabla f) = \mathbf{0}$ True False

(c) $\operatorname{div}(\operatorname{curl} \mathbf{F}) = 0$ True False

(d) $\operatorname{curl}(\operatorname{curl} \mathbf{F}) = \mathbf{0}$ True False

(e) $\nabla(\operatorname{div} \mathbf{F}) = \mathbf{0}$ True False

$$(a) \operatorname{div}\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \hat{i} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \hat{j} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \hat{k}\right) = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial z^2}$$

$$(b) \operatorname{curl}\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \hat{i} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \hat{j} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \hat{k}\right) = \mathbf{0}.$$

$$(c) \operatorname{div}\left(\hat{i}\left(\frac{\partial R}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial Q}{\partial z}\right) + \hat{j}\left(\frac{\partial R}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial z}\right) + \hat{k}\left(\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y}\right)\right)$$

$$= 0$$

$$(d) \operatorname{curl}(\operatorname{curl}(x^2 \hat{j})) = \operatorname{curl}(2x \hat{z}) = -2 \hat{j}.$$

$$(e) \nabla(\operatorname{div}(x^2 \hat{i} + y^2 \hat{j} + z^2 \hat{k})) = \nabla(2x + 2y + 2z) = 2(\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k})$$

7. Define the function ~~scribble~~

$$f(x, y, z) = e^{(\sin x \cdot \cos y)} \cdot \left(z + \frac{\pi}{2}\right).$$

Let C be the curve

$$(t \cos^2(2t), t \sin(t), t)$$

for $0 \leq t \leq \pi/2$. Compute the integral

$$\int_C \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} dx + \int_C \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} dy + \int_C \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} dz.$$

$$C(0) = (0, 0, 0) \quad C\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \left(\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right).$$

so

$$\left(e^{1.0} \cdot \pi\right) - e^{0.1} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} = \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

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8. Let S be the closed surface in 3-space formed by the cone

$$x^2 + y^2 - z^2 = 0, \quad 1 \leq z \leq 2,$$

the disk $x^2 + y^2 \leq 4$ in the plane $z = 2$, and the disk $x^2 + y^2 \leq 1$ in the plane $z = 1$. Define the vector field

$$\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = xy^2\mathbf{i} + x^2y\mathbf{j} + \sin x\mathbf{k}$$

and let \mathbf{n} be the outward pointing unit normal vector to S . Compute the surface integral

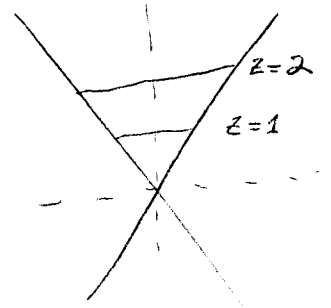
$$\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} \, dS.$$

$(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F}) = y^2 + x^2 = r^2$ in cylindrical coords

$$\iiint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} \, dS = \iiint_V (\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F}) \, dV$$

$$= \int_1^2 \int_0^z \int_0^{2\pi} r^2 \cdot r \, d\theta \, dr \, dz$$

$$= 2\pi \int_1^2 \frac{z^4}{4} = \frac{\pi}{2} \cdot \left[\frac{z^5}{5} \right]_1^2 = \frac{\pi}{2 \cdot 5} \cdot [32 - 1] = \frac{31\pi}{10}$$



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9. Find the solution of the differential equation $y' - y = y^2$ with $y(0) = \frac{1}{3}$.

$$\frac{y'}{y+y^2} = 1 \quad \int \frac{dy}{y+y^2} = \int dx$$

$$\int \left(\frac{1}{y} - \frac{1}{1+y} \right) dy = \int dx$$

$$\log \frac{y}{1+y} = x + C_1$$

$$\frac{y}{1+y} = C_2 e^x$$

$$y = C_2 e^x + y C_2 e^x$$

$$y = \frac{C_2 e^x}{1 - C_2 e^x}$$

$$y(0) = \frac{C_2}{1 - C_2} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$3C_2 = 1 - C_2 \Rightarrow C_2 = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$y(x) = \frac{e^x}{4 - e^x}$$

$$\frac{(4 - e^x)e^x + e^{2x}}{(4 - e^x)^2} = \frac{4e^x}{(4 - e^x)^2} \checkmark$$

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9. Find the solution of the differential equation $y' - y = y^2$ with $y(0) = \frac{1}{3}$.

This solution is using the equation of Bernoulli.

Substitute $y = u^{-1}$.

$$\frac{du}{dx} = \frac{du}{dy} \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-1}{y^2} \frac{dy}{dx} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = -y^2 \frac{du}{dx}$$

So the equation $y' - y - y^2 = 0$ becomes

$$-y^2 \frac{du}{dx} - y - y^2 = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} + u + 1 = 0.$$

integrating factor is $e^{\int dx} = e^x \Rightarrow e^x u'(x) + e^x u(x) = -e^x$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(e^x u(x)) = -e^x$$

$$\Rightarrow e^x u(x) = -e^x + C \Rightarrow u(x) = \frac{-e^x + C}{e^x}.$$

$$y(x) = \frac{1}{u(x)} = \frac{e^x}{C - e^x} \quad \text{and} \quad y(0) = \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{C - 1}.$$

$$\Rightarrow C = 4 \Rightarrow y(x) = \frac{e^x}{4 - e^x}.$$

10. Let y be the solution of $y'' = e^{-3t} - y'$ that passes through the origin and has a horizontal tangent line there. Then $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} y(t)$ is equal to:

Answer:

- (a) 0 (b) $\frac{1}{2}$ (c) $\frac{1}{3}$ (d) -2 (e) $-\frac{1}{4}$

$$y''(x) + y'(x) = e^{-3x}$$

$$y_h'(x) = C e^{-x} \leadsto y_h(x) = C_1 e^{-x} + C_2$$

$$9ke^{-3t} - 3ke^{-3t} \quad \omega_k = 1$$

$$y(x) = C_1 e^{-x} + C_2 + \frac{1}{6} e^{-3x}$$

$$y(0) = C_1 + C_2 + \frac{1}{6} = 0 \Rightarrow C_1 + C_2 = -\frac{1}{6}$$

$$y'(0) = -C_1 - \frac{1}{2} = 0 \Rightarrow C_1 = -\frac{1}{2} \quad C_2 = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$y(x) = -\frac{1}{2} e^{-x} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{6} e^{-3x}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} y(x) = \frac{1}{3}$$

11. Let $y(t) = (y_1(t), y_2(t))$ be any non-zero solution of the system of differential equations

$$y_1' = y_1 + 2y_2$$

$$y_2' = 3y_1 + 2y_2$$

such that $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} y(t) = 0$. Then $\frac{y_1(1)}{y_2(1)}$ is equal to

Answer:

- (a) -1 (b) 1 (c) $\frac{2}{3}$ (d) $-\frac{2}{3}$ (e) $\frac{3}{2}$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \rightsquigarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1-x & 2 \\ 3 & 2-x \end{pmatrix} \rightsquigarrow (x-1)(x-2)-6 = x^2 - 3x - 4.$$

$$\frac{3 \pm \sqrt{9+16}}{2} = 4, -1.$$

The sol'n corresponding to e-value 4 will go to ∞ as $t \rightarrow \infty$, so we can ignore it.

We need only the e-vec for -1:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 3 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \rightsquigarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \rightsquigarrow e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

12. Find the solution of $xy'' + y' = -\frac{y}{x}$ with $y(1) = 0$, $y'(1) = 2$. Do not use a power series approach.

Cauchy-Euler eqn.:

$$x^2 y'' + x y' + y = 0.$$

Guess the soln X^m .

$$m(m-1) + m + 1 = m^2 + 1 = 0$$

$$X^{\pm i} = e^{\pm i \log x} = \cos(\log x) \pm i \sin(\log x)$$

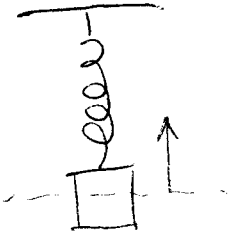
$$\leadsto y(x) = C_1 \cos(\log x) + C_2 \sin(\log x).$$

$$y(1) = C_1 = 0$$

$$y'(1) = C_2 \cos(\log 1) \cdot \frac{1}{1} = C_2 = 2.$$

$$y(x) = 2 \sin(\log x).$$

13. A spring satisfies the differential equation $x'' + 16x = 0$. It is released one meter above its equilibrium position with a downward velocity of 3 meters per second. What is its highest position above the equilibrium position?



$$x(0) = 1$$

$$x'(0) = -3.$$

$$x(t) = c_1 \cos(4t) + c_2 \sin(4t)$$

$$x(0) = c_1 = 1$$

$$x'(0) = 4c_2 = -3$$

$$x(t) = \cos(4t) - \frac{3}{4} \sin(4t).$$

Amplitude $\sqrt{1 + \frac{9}{16}} = \sqrt{\frac{16+9}{16}} = \left(\frac{5}{4}\right)$

$\frac{5}{4}$ meters

14. Find an inhomogeneous linear second order differential equation with constant coefficients having $y_p = \frac{1}{2}x^2 - x$ as a particular solution, and $y_1 = 3$ and $y_2 = e^{2x}$ as solutions of the associated homogeneous differential equation.

3 and e^{2x} are sol'ns. So the characteristic eqn is

$$(\lambda - 0)(\lambda - 2) = \lambda^2 - 2\lambda.$$

\Rightarrow the homogeneous eqn. is $y''(x) - 2y'(x) = 0$.

Then
$$\frac{d^2}{dx^2} \left(\frac{1}{2}x^2 - x \right) - 2 \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{1}{2}x^2 - x \right) = 1 - 2(x-1) = 3 - 2x.$$

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So the answer is

$$y''(x) - 2y'(x) = 3 - 2x$$

15. Consider the differential equation $2xy'' + y' + y = 0$.

a) Show that the equation has two *linearly independent* series solutions. You do not have to compute the coefficients of the series.

There is a soln of the form $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+r}$ with $y(0) = 1$, $y'(0) = -1$. The eqn. becomes

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+r)(n+r-1) \cdot 2 a_n x^{n+r-1} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+r) a_n x^{n+r-1} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+r} = 0. \quad (*)$$

The lowest order term is x^{r-1} . Its coefficients are

$$r \cdot (r-1) \cdot 2 \cdot a_0 + r \cdot a_0 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(r^2 - r) + r = 2r^2 - r = 0 \Rightarrow r = 0, \frac{1}{2}.$$

Therefore there is a soln of the form $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n$ (for $r=0$)

and a soln of the form $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+\frac{1}{2}}$. They are linearly independent.

b) Looking for the a_2 coefficient of the soln $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n$.

$$y(0) = a_0 = 1. \quad y'(0) = a_1 = -1.$$

Plugging $r=0$ into the above eqn (*) ~~and setting~~ yields

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n \cdot (n-1) \cdot 2 a_n x^{n-1} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n a_n x^{n-1} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=-1}^{\infty} (n+1) \cdot n \cdot 2 a_{n+1} x^n + \sum_{n=-1}^{\infty} (n+1) a_{n+1} x^n + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n = 0.$$

For $n > -1$ the coeff. is $((n+1) \cdot n \cdot 2 + (n+1)) a_{n+1} + a_n = 0.$

$$\text{For } n=1 \text{ this is } (4+2) a_2 + -1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a_2 = \frac{1}{6}.$$