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Course: MA2001 / MA2149 / MA2170 (Circle your course)

Answer ALL questions. (Full marks: 50)

Total Marks: \_\_\_\_\_

Q1: \_\_\_\_\_ Q2: \_\_\_\_\_

Q3: \_\_\_\_\_ Q4: \_\_\_\_\_

**Question 1 (12 marks)**

Suppose near the point  $(x, y, u, v) = (1, 1, 1, 1)$ , we can solve  $\begin{cases} xu + yvu^2 = 2 \\ xu^3 + y^2v^4 = 2 \end{cases}$  uniquely for  $u$

and  $v$  as functions of  $x$  and  $y$ . Compute  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(1, 1)$ .

**Question 2 (12 marks)**

Find the quadratic surface approximation of  $f(x, y) = \ln(x^2 + y)$  at  $(-1, 0)$ . Estimate  $f(-0.9, 0.1)$  by the quadratic surface approximation.

**Question 3 (10 marks)**

Find the value  $I$  by changing the order of the integration in  $I = \int_0^2 \int_0^{2x} (1 + x + xy) \, dy \, dx$ .

**Question 4 (16 marks)**

Given a  $3 \times 3$  real matrix  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 4 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$ ,

- (a) find the eigenvalues of matrix  $A$ , and find the eigenvectors corresponding to each of these eigenvalues;
- (b) show that there exists an invertible matrix  $P$  such that  $P^{-1}AP$  gives a diagonal matrix  $D$ ;
- (c) calculate  $P^{-1}$  and  $P^{-1}AP$ .

[Hint: Use the three eigenvectors found in part (a) as the columns of  $P$ .]

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1. Question. Suppose near the point  $(x, y, u, v) = (1, 1, 1, 1)$ , we can  
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of  $x$  and  $y$ . Compute  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(1, 1)$  ✓

Solution:  $\begin{cases} xu + yvu^2 = 2 \\ xu^3 + y^2v^4 = 2 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} (u + xu_x) + y(v_x u^2 + 2uv \cdot u_x) = 0 \\ (u^3 + 3xu^2 \cdot u_x) + y^2 \cdot 4v^3 \cdot v_x = 0 \end{cases}$

$\Rightarrow$  at  $\begin{cases} (x, y) = (1, 1) \\ (u, v) = (1, 1) \end{cases}$ , we have  $\begin{cases} 3u_x + v_x + 1 = 0 \\ 3u_x + 4v_x + 1 = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} u_x = -\frac{1}{3} \\ v_x = 0 \end{cases}$  ✓

Therefore  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(1, 1) = -\frac{1}{3}$  ✓

2. Question. Find the quadratic surface approximation of  
(10 marks)  $f(x, y) = \ln(x^2 + y)$  at  $(-1, 0)$ . Estimate  $f(-0.9, 0.1)$   
by the quadratic surface approximation.

Solution.  $f(-1, 0) = 0$ ,  $f_x = \frac{2x}{x^2 + y} \Rightarrow f_x(-1, 0) = -2$

$f_y = \frac{1}{x^2 + y} \Rightarrow f_y(-1, 0) = 1$

$f_{xx} = \frac{2(x^2 + y) - 2x(2x)}{(x^2 + y)^2} = \frac{2y - 2x^2}{(x^2 + y)^2} \Rightarrow f_{xx}(-1, 0) = -2$

$f_{yy} = \frac{-1}{(x^2 + y)^2} \Rightarrow f_{yy}(-1, 0) = -1$  ✓

$f_{xy} = \frac{-2x}{(x^2 + y)^2} \Rightarrow f_{xy}(-1, 0) = 2$

$\Rightarrow f(x, y) \approx p_2(x, y) = f(-1, 0) + f_x(-1, 0)(x+1) + f_y(-1, 0)y + \frac{1}{2} [f_{xx}(-1, 0)(x+1)^2 + 2f_{xy}(-1, 0)(x+1)y + f_{yy}(-1, 0)y^2]$   
 $= 0 - 2(x+1) + y + \frac{1}{2} [-2(x+1)^2 + 4(x+1)y - y^2]$   
 $= -2x - 2 + y - (x+1)^2 + 2(x+1)y + \frac{1}{2}y^2 = -x^2 - \frac{1}{2}y^2 + 2xy - 4x + y - 3$   
 ~~$= -x^2 - \frac{1}{2}y^2 + 2xy - 4x - 3$~~  ✓

$\Rightarrow f(-0.9, 0.1) \approx p_2(-0.9, 0.1) = -2 \times 0.1 + 0.1 + (-0.1^2 - \frac{1}{2} \times 0.1^2 + 2 \times 0.1 \times 0.1 - 4 \times 0.1 - 3)$   
 $= -2 \times 0.1 + 0.1 + \frac{1}{2} \times (-2 \times 0.1^2 + 4 \times 0.1^2 - 0.1^2)$   
 $= -0.1 + 0.5 \times 0.01$   
 $= -0.095$  ✓

Q3 Find the value I by changing

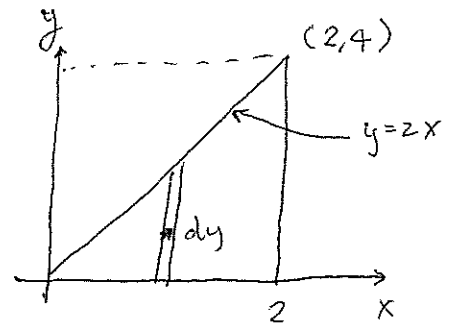
the order of the integration in

$$I = \int_{x=0}^{x=2} \int_{y=0}^{y=2x} (1+x+xy) dy dx$$

(10 marks)

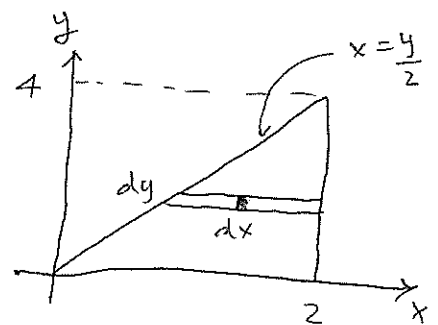
Solutions:

$$I = \int_{y=0}^4 \int_{x=y/2}^{x=2} (1+x+xy) dx dy$$



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$$= \int_0^4 \left[ \left( x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^2 y}{2} \right) \right]_{x=y/2}^{x=2} dy$$



$$= \int_0^4 \left( \left[ 2 + \frac{4}{2} + \frac{4y}{2} \right] - \left[ \frac{y}{2} + \frac{y^2}{8} + \frac{y^3}{8} \right] \right) dy$$

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$$= \int_0^4 \left( 4 + \frac{3y}{2} - \frac{y^2}{8} - \frac{y^3}{8} \right) dy$$

$$= \left[ 4y + \frac{3y^2}{4} - \frac{y^3}{24} - \frac{y^4}{32} \right]_0^4$$

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$$= 16 + 12 - \frac{64}{24} - \frac{4^4}{32} = 17\frac{1}{3}$$



Q4.

Mid-term test question.

(15 marks)

Question: Given a  $3 \times 3$  real matrix  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 4 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$ .

a). find the eigenvalues of matrix  $A$ , and find the eigenvectors corresponding to each of these eigenvalues;

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Soln: a).  $\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} 3-\lambda & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 4-\lambda & 2 \\ -2 & 1 & 5-\lambda \end{vmatrix}$

$$= (3-\lambda)(3-\lambda)(6-\lambda).$$

Hence, we find that matrix  $A$  has two real eigenvalues,

i.e.  $\lambda_1 = 6$  and  $\lambda_2 = \lambda_3 = 3$  (repeated).

For  $\lambda_1 = 6$ : The augmented matrix can be written as:

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 3-6 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 4-6 & 2 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 5-6 & 0 \end{array} \right) \sim \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} -3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & -2 & 2 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & -1 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\begin{array}{l} R_3 - R_2 \\ \sim \end{array} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} -3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & -2 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & -3 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\begin{array}{l} R_2 + \frac{2}{3}R_3 \\ \sim \end{array} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} -3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & -3 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$R_1 \sim \frac{1}{2} R_2 \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & -3 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Hence, we have that  $-2x_1 = 0 \Rightarrow x_1 = 0$

$$3x_2 - 3x_3 = 0 \Rightarrow x_2 = x_3$$

We can then conclude that  $E_6 = [0 \ t \ t]^T$ ,  $\forall t \in \mathbb{R}$ .

Let  $t=1$ ,  $\vec{v}_1 = [0 \ 1 \ 1]^T$  is one of the eigenvectors of  $A$  with  $\lambda=6$ .

For  $\lambda=3$ : The augmented matrix can be written as:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3-3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 4-3 & 2 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 5-3 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \sim \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$R_3 - R_2 \sim \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Hence, we have that  $-2x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3 = 0$ ,

We can then conclude that  $E_3 = [s \ 2s - 2t \ t]^T$ ,  $\forall t \in \mathbb{R}$ .

Let  $s=0$ ,  $t=1$ ,  $\vec{v}_2 = [0 \ -2 \ 1]^T$  is one of the eigenvectors of  $A$  with  $\lambda=3$   
 $s=1$ ,  $t=0$ ,  $\vec{v}_3 = [1 \ 2 \ 0]^T$  is one of the eigenvectors of  $A$  with  $\lambda=3$

b). We construct  $P = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ , with  $\vec{v}_1$ ,  $\vec{v}_2$  and  $\vec{v}_3$  as its columns

By using the formula that  $P^{-1} = \frac{(P_{jk})^T}{\det P}$ , we have:

$$(P_{jk})^T = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \det P = 3$$

$$\therefore P^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} -2/3 & 1/3 & 2/3 \\ 2/3 & -1/3 & 1/3 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \text{and hence we have:}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P^{-1}AP &= \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{2}{3} \\ \frac{2}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 4 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{pmatrix} -4 & 2 & 4 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = D.
 \end{aligned}$$