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APPM3039A  
Mechanics III

Quiz 03

Total: 5 Marks

Duration: 15 Minutes

Instructions:

- Write your student number on this answer sheet.
- Show all workings.

Question 1

[5 Marks]

Show that for any property of the continuum  $C$

$$\frac{D}{Dt} \int_V \rho C dV = \int_V \rho \frac{DC}{Dt} dV.$$

Assume that mass is conserved.

(5 marks)

Solution:

transforming coordinates:

$$\frac{D}{Dt} \int_{V_0} \rho C J dV_0$$

$$= \int_{V_0} \frac{D}{Dt} (\rho C J) dV_0$$

$$\int_{V_0} \left( \frac{D\rho}{Dt} C J + \rho \frac{DC}{Dt} J + \rho C \frac{DJ}{Dt} \right) dV_0$$

we have that since mass is conserved

$$\int_{V_0} \frac{D\rho}{Dt} C J dV_0 = - \int_{V_0} \rho C \frac{DJ}{Dt} dV_0$$

hence

$$\int_{V_0} \left( \frac{D\rho}{Dt} C J + \rho \frac{DC}{Dt} J + \rho C \frac{DJ}{Dt} \right) dV_0 = \int_{V_0} \rho \frac{DC}{Dt} J dV_0$$

Transform back so we have

$$\int_V \rho \frac{DC}{Dt} dV = \text{LHS as required}$$

hence

$$\frac{D}{Dt} \int_V \rho C dV = \int_V \rho \frac{DC}{Dt} dV$$

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