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1. Use the Maclaurin series for
- $\cos x$
- to evaluate the limit
- $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos x}{x^2}$
- .

$$\cos x = 1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + 0(x^4)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos x}{x^2} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - (1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + 0(x^4))}{x^2} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{x^2}{2!}}{x^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{1}{2!} + 0(x^2) \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2!} + 0$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}$$

2. Find the images of
- $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$
- and
- $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$
- under reflection in the line
- $y = -x$
- . Hence write down the matrix for the reflection.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \text{ after reflection is } \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ after reflection is } \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

The matrix for reflection is

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos 2\theta & \sin 2\theta \\ \sin 2\theta & -\cos 2\theta \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

3. Find the values of
- a
- and
- b
- that make the given function
- f
- continuous everywhere.

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2 - 4}{x - 2} & x < 2 \\ ax^2 - bx + 3 & 2 \leq x < 3 \\ 2x - a + b & x \geq 3 \end{cases}$$

$$\textcircled{1} \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x) = f(2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2 - 4}{x - 2} = x + 2 = 4$$

$$\text{So } 4a - 2b + 3 = 4$$

$$4a - 2b = 1$$

$$\textcircled{2} \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} f(x) = f(3)$$

$$\Rightarrow 9a - 3b + 3 = 6 - a + b$$

$$\Rightarrow 10a - 4b = 3$$

$$\text{So } \begin{cases} 4a - 2b = 1 \\ 10a - 4b = 3 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} a = \frac{1}{2} \\ b = \frac{1}{2} \end{cases}$$

4. Let G be a group containing the element a . We say a has a cube root in G if there is an $x \in G$ such that $x^3 = a$. Prove that if $a^2 = e$ then a has a cube root in G .

proof. if $a^2 = e$, $a \in G$.

$$a^2 \cdot a = e \cdot a = a.$$

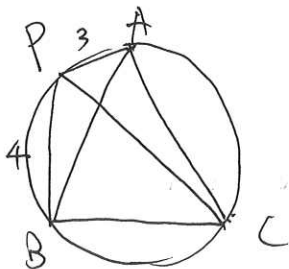
$$\text{So } a^3 = a.$$

~~exist~~

so a has a cube

root in G , which is a . \square

5. Point P is on arc AB of the circumcircle of equilateral triangle ABC , $AP = 3$, and $BP = 4$. Find CP .



$$\text{Let } AB = BC = CA = x.$$

~~Then~~

$$\text{Because } AB \cdot PC = AP \cdot BC + BP \cdot AC$$

$$x \cdot PC = 3x + 4x = 7x.$$

~~so~~

$$\text{so } CP = 7.$$

6. Let $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ be a linear transformation. Prove that $\text{ran } T$ is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^m .

proof. a) as $T(\vec{0}) = \vec{0}$,

$$\vec{0} \in \text{ran } T.$$

b). let $\vec{a}, \vec{b} \in \text{ran } T$,
then exist $\vec{u}, \vec{v} \in \mathbb{R}^n$,
such that

$$T(\vec{u}) = \vec{a}$$

$$T(\vec{v}) = \vec{b}.$$

$$\text{So } \vec{a} + \vec{b} = T(\vec{u}) + T(\vec{v})$$

$$= T(\vec{u} + \vec{v}).$$

$$\text{Since } \vec{u} + \vec{v} \in \mathbb{R}^n,$$

$$T(\vec{u} + \vec{v}) \in \text{ran } T,$$

$$\text{so } \vec{a} + \vec{b} \in \text{ran } T.$$

c) let $\vec{a} \in \text{ran } T$.

$$k \in \mathbb{R}^{\times} \quad k \in \mathbb{R}$$

exist $\vec{u} \in \mathbb{R}^n$, such
that $T(\vec{u}) = \vec{a}$.

$$k\vec{a} = kT(\vec{u})$$

$$= T(k\vec{u}).$$

As $k\vec{u} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ also,

$$T(k\vec{u}) \in \text{ran } T,$$

$$\text{So } k\vec{a} \in \text{ran } T.$$

Therefore, as $\vec{0} \in \text{ran } T$

and it is closed under addition
and scalar multiplication, $\text{ran } T$ is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^m . \square

7. Find the radius of convergence and interval of convergence for the power series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{3x^n}{2n}$.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{u_{n+1}}{u_n} \right| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{\frac{3x^{n+1}}{2(n+1)}}{\frac{3x^n}{2n}} \right| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{nx}{n+1} \right| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{x}{1+\frac{1}{n}} \right|$$

$$= |x| \leq 1.$$

So the radius of convergence is 1;

when $x = 1$.

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{3}{2n} = \frac{3}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$, which is a multiple of the natural series, which is divergent.

when $x = -1$.

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{3(-1)^n}{2n} = \frac{3}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n}$, which is ~~the~~ a multiple of the alternating natural series, which is convergent,

Therefore, the interval of convergence is

8. Diagonalize the matrix of the ellipse $7x^2 - 8xy + 13y^2 = 150$. Hence determine the ellipse's eccentricity.

The matrix form of the ellipse is:

$$\begin{pmatrix} x & y \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 7 & -4 \\ -4 & 13 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = 150.$$

Now we want to find the eigenvalues λ_1, λ_2 then
and eigenvectors \vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2 for $\begin{pmatrix} 7 & -4 \\ -4 & 13 \end{pmatrix}$.

By solving the characteristic equation $\lambda^2 - 20\lambda + 75 = 0$.

we get

$$\lambda_1 = 5, \quad \vec{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_2 = 15, \quad \vec{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{pmatrix} 7 & -4 \\ -4 & 13 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 15 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix}^{-1}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} & -\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 15 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} & -\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 15 \end{pmatrix} \frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{let } \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} & -\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x' & y' \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 15 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix} = 150.$$

$$5x'^2 + 15y'^2 = 150.$$

So the ellipse is

$$\frac{x'^2}{30} + \frac{y'^2}{10} = 1$$

$$\text{eccentricity} = \sqrt{\frac{20}{30}} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{3}$$

Since the eccentricity remains the same after rotation, the eccentricity

of the original ellipse is also $\frac{\sqrt{6}}{3}$.

9. Show that the series $\sum (-1)^{n+1} a_n$, where $a_n = 1/n$ if n is odd and $a_n = 1/n^2$ if n is even, is divergent. Why does the alternating series test not apply?

The series is convergent if it comes to a certain value.

Let ~~$b_n = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{2k-1}$~~ , $C_n = \left(\frac{1}{2n}\right)^2$

then $\sum (-1)^{n+1} a_n = \sum b_n - \sum C_n$.

as $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{b_n}{C_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{2n-1}}{\frac{1}{4n^2}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4n^2}{2n-1} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4n}{2} = 2$

As $\sum C_n$ converges because

it is a multiple of p-series, and $p > 1$.
and b_n diverges because by comparison test with natural series, so $\sum C_n$ is bounded by β ,
So $\sum (-1)^{n+1} a_n = \sum b_n - \beta$, which is also divergent.

The alternating series test does not apply because there is no uniform formula for the whole series and the amount adding or subtracting each time (a_n) is different.

10. Suppose the group G has subgroup H . Define the relation \sim on G by $a \sim b$ if $ab^{-1} \in H$. Prove that \sim is an equivalence relation and describe the equivalence classes.

proof. a) as $H \leq G$, $e \in H$,

so $aa^{-1} = e \in H$,

so $a \sim a$, and

\sim is reflexive.

b) if $a \sim b$,

then $ab^{-1} \in H$,

as each element has an inverse in H ,

$(ab^{-1})^{-1} = ba^{-1} \in H$,

so $b \sim a$, and thus

\sim is symmetric

c) if $a \sim b, b \sim c$,

then $ab^{-1} \in H$,

$bc^{-1} \in H$

since H is closed,

$(ab^{-1})(bc^{-1})$

$= ab^{-1}bc^{-1}$

$= ac^{-1} \in H$, so $a \sim c$

and \sim is transitive.

Therefore, as \sim is reflexive, symmetric and transitive, \sim is an equivalence relation.

the equivalence relation creates a partition of H and G/H .

What are the subsets of the partition?

Solutions to FM2 Test #4

1. $(1 - \cos x)/x^2 = [1 - (1 - x^2/2 + O(x^4))]/x^2 = 1/2 + O(x^2)$. So the limit is $1/2$.
2. $M = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$. The required images are the first and second columns of the matrix.
3. We have $4a - 2b + 3 = 4$ and $9a - 3b + 3 = 6 - a + b$. Solving gives $a = b = \frac{1}{2}$.
4. If $a^2 = e$ then $a^3 = a$. So a has a cube root in G , namely itself.
5. Let the side length of the equilateral triangle be x . Using Ptolemy's theorem, we find $3x + 4x = xCP$. So $CP = 7$.
6. See assignment #24.
7. The radius of convergence is $R = 1$ and the interval of convergence is $[-1, 1[$.
8. $\begin{pmatrix} 7 & -4 \\ -4 & 13 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 15 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$. So the canonical form of the ellipse is $x^2/30 + y^2/10 = 1$. Hence $e = \sqrt{2/3}$.
9. Suppose $\sum (-1)^{n+1} a_n$ is convergent. Now we know $\sum 1/(2n)^2$ is convergent by comparison with the known convergent series $\sum 1/n^2$. Hence $\sum [(-1)^{n+1} a_n + 1/(2n)^2] = \sum 1/(2n - 1)$ must also converge. But this is a contradiction as $\sum 1/(2n - 1)$ diverges, by for example the integral test. Hence $\sum (-1)^{n+1} a_n$ must diverge.
The alternating series test does not apply as the terms do not decrease in absolute value.
10. To show that \sim is an equivalence relation, we must show that \sim is reflexive, symmetric and transitive.
 - i. Since $aa^{-1} = e$ and $e \in H$, it follows that \sim is reflexive.
 - ii. If ab^{-1} is in H then $(ab^{-1})^{-1} = ba^{-1}$ is also in H since subgroups contain their inverses. It follows that \sim is symmetric.
 - iii. Suppose ab^{-1} and bc^{-1} are in H . Then their product $ab^{-1}bc^{-1} = ac^{-1}$ is also in H since subgroups are closed under the group operation. It follows that \sim is transitive.

Now $[g] = \{x \in G \mid xg^{-1} \in H\} = \{x \in G \mid x \in Hg\} = Hg$. So the equivalence classes are the right cosets of H in G .

