

## 1 Problem

Find the distance from  $P(3, -1, 2)$  to the line  $\begin{cases} x + y - z = -1 \\ 2x - y + z = 4 \end{cases}$ .

### Solution

$$\vec{s} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (0, -3, -3) \sim (0, 1, 1)$$

$$Q(1, -2, 0), \overrightarrow{QP} = (2, 1, 2)$$

$$d = \frac{|\overrightarrow{QP} \times \vec{s}|}{|\vec{s}|} = \frac{|(-1, -2, 2)|}{\sqrt{2}} = \boxed{\frac{3\sqrt{2}}{2}}$$

## 2 Problem

$|\vec{a}| = 3, |\vec{b}| = 4, |\vec{c}| = 5, \vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c} = \vec{0}$   
Find the value of  $|\vec{a} \times \vec{b} + \vec{b} \times \vec{c} + \vec{c} \times \vec{a}|$

### Solution

$$\vec{c} = -\vec{a} - \vec{b}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{b} \times \vec{c} &= \vec{a} \times \vec{b} \\ \vec{c} \times \vec{a} &= \vec{a} \times \vec{b} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{a} \times \vec{b} + \vec{b} \times \vec{c} + \vec{c} \times \vec{a} = 3(\vec{a} \times \vec{b})$$

$$\sum \vec{a} \times \vec{b} = 3(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \quad |\vec{a} \times \vec{b}| = |\vec{a}| |\vec{b}| \sin \theta = 12 \quad (\sin \theta = 90^\circ \text{ from } \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 0)$$

$$|3(\vec{a} \times \vec{b})| = 3 \times 12 = \boxed{36}$$

## 3 Problem

Find the value of  $L = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{|\vec{a} + x\vec{b}| - |\vec{a} - x\vec{b}|}{x}$

### Solution

$$\begin{aligned} L &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{|\vec{a} + x\vec{b}| - |\vec{a} - x\vec{b}|}{x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(|\vec{a} + x\vec{b}| - |\vec{a} - x\vec{b}|)(|\vec{a} + x\vec{b}| + |\vec{a} - x\vec{b}|)}{x(|\vec{a} + x\vec{b}| + |\vec{a} - x\vec{b}|)} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{|\vec{a} + x\vec{b}|^2 - |\vec{a} - x\vec{b}|^2}{x(|\vec{a} + x\vec{b}| + |\vec{a} - x\vec{b}|)} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{4x(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b})}{x(2|\vec{a}| + O(x^2))} \\ &= \boxed{\frac{2(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b})}{|\vec{a}|}} \end{aligned}$$

## 4 Problem

Find the distance from point  $P(1, 2, -1)$  to the line  $L : \frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y+1}{-1} = \frac{z-2}{3}$ .

### Solution

Given line  $L$  passes through point  $Q(1, -1, 2)$ ,  $\vec{v} = (2, -1, 3)$ .  $\overrightarrow{QP} = (0, 3, -3)$ .

$$\text{Distance } d = \frac{\|\overrightarrow{QP} \times \vec{v}\|}{\|\vec{v}\|} = \frac{\|(-6, -6, -6)\|}{\sqrt{14}} = \frac{\sqrt{108}}{\sqrt{14}} = \boxed{\frac{3\sqrt{42}}{7}}.$$

## 5 Problem

Find and classify the critical points of the function  $f(x, y) = e^{-x}(x - y^3 + 3y)$ .

### Solution

#### Step 1: Find Critical Points

$$\begin{aligned} f_x &= e^{-x}(-x + y^3 - 3y + 1) \\ f_y &= e^{-x}(-3y^2 + 3) \end{aligned}$$

Set  $f_y = 0$ :

$$-3y^2 + 3 = 0 \Rightarrow y = \pm 1$$

Critical points:  $(-1, 1)$  and  $(3, -1)$ .

#### Step 2: Second Derivative Test

$$\begin{aligned} f_{xx} &= e^{-x}(x - y^3 + 3y - 2) \\ f_{xy} &= e^{-x}(3y^2 - 3) \\ f_{yy} &= e^{-x}(-6y) \end{aligned}$$

At  $(-1, 1)$ :

$$\begin{aligned} A &= f_{xx}(-1, 1) = e^1(-1 - 1 + 3 - 2) = -e \\ B &= f_{xy}(-1, 1) = e^1(3 - 3) = 0 \\ C &= f_{yy}(-1, 1) = e^1(-6) = -6e \\ AC - B^2 &= (-e)(-6e) - 0 = 6e^2 > 0 \text{ and } A < 0 \\ \Rightarrow &\text{ Local maximum at } (-1, 1) \end{aligned}$$

At  $(3, -1)$ :

$$\begin{aligned} A &= f_{xx}(3, -1) = e^{-3}(3 + 1 - 3 - 2) = -e^{-3} \\ B &= f_{xy}(3, -1) = e^{-3}(3 - 3) = 0 \\ C &= f_{yy}(3, -1) = e^{-3}(6) = 6e^{-3} \\ AC - B^2 &= (-e^{-3})(6e^{-3}) - 0 = -6e^{-6} < 0 \\ \Rightarrow &\text{ Saddle point at } (3, -1) \end{aligned}$$

## 6 Problem

Find points on  $C : \begin{cases} x^2 + y^2 = 2z^2 \\ x + y + 3z = 5 \end{cases}$  with extremal distances to the  $xOy$  plane.

### Solution

#### Method 1: Lagrangian

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L} &= z^2 + \lambda(x^2 + y^2 - 2z^2) + \mu(x + y + 3z - 5) \\ \mathcal{L}_x &= 2\lambda x + \mu = 0 \\ \mathcal{L}_y &= 2\lambda y + \mu = 0 \\ \mathcal{L}_z &= 2z(1 - 2\lambda) + 3\mu = 0\end{aligned}$$

From  $\mathcal{L}_x = \mathcal{L}_y$ :

$$\begin{aligned}x &= y \\ 2x^2 &= 2z^2 \Rightarrow x = \pm z \\ \begin{cases} x = z \Rightarrow 2z + 3z = 5 \Rightarrow (1, 1, 1) \\ x = -z \Rightarrow -2z + 3z = 5 \Rightarrow (-5, -5, 5) \end{cases} \\ \boxed{\begin{cases} \text{Closest: } (1, 1, 1) (|z| = 1) \\ \text{Farthest: } (-5, -5, 5) (|z| = 5) \end{cases}}\end{aligned}$$

#### Method 2: Parametric Optimization

From the plane equation:  $y = 5 - x - 3z$ . Substitute into the cone:

$$\begin{aligned}x^2 + (5 - x - 3z)^2 &= 2z^2 \\ 2x^2 + 2x(3z - 5) + (25 + 9z^2 - 30z - 2z^2) &= 0 \\ 2x^2 + (6z - 10)x + (7z^2 - 30z + 25) &= 0\end{aligned}$$

For real solutions, discriminant  $D \geq 0$ :

$$\begin{aligned}(6z - 10)^2 - 8(7z^2 - 30z + 25) &\geq 0 \\ -20z^2 + 120z - 100 &\geq 0 \\ z^2 - 6z + 5 &\leq 0 \\ (z - 1)(z - 5) &\leq 0 \\ \Rightarrow z &\in [1, 5]\end{aligned}$$

Extrema occur at endpoints and critical points:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dz} \left( \frac{10 - 6z \pm \sqrt{-20z^2 + 120z - 100}}{4} \right) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow z &= 1 \text{ or } 5\end{aligned}$$

Corresponding points:

- $z = 1 \Rightarrow x = y = 1 \Rightarrow \boxed{(1, 1, 1)}$
- $z = 5 \Rightarrow x = y = -5 \Rightarrow \boxed{(-5, -5, -5)}$

## 7 Problem

$A(1, 3, 4)$ ,  $B(3, 5, 6)$ ,  $C(2, 5, 8)$ ,  $D(4, 2, 10)$  , Find the value of:  $V_{ABCD}$ .

### Solution

$$V = \frac{1}{6} \left| \det \begin{pmatrix} \overrightarrow{AB} \\ \overrightarrow{AC} \\ \overrightarrow{AD} \end{pmatrix} \right|, \quad \begin{aligned} \overrightarrow{AB} &= (2, 2, 2) \\ \overrightarrow{AC} &= (1, 2, 4) \\ \overrightarrow{AD} &= (3, -1, 6) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 3 & -1 & 6 \end{vmatrix} = 2(16) - 2(-6) + 2(-7) = 30$$

$$V = \frac{1}{6} \times 30 = \boxed{5}$$

## 8 Problem

A plane passes through the z-axis and forms an angle of  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  with the plane  $2x + y - \sqrt{5}z = 0$ . Find the equation of the plane.

### Solution

$$ax + by = 0$$

$$\vec{n}_1 = (2, 1, -\sqrt{5}), \vec{n}_2 = (a, b, 0)$$

$$\cos \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{|\vec{n}_1 \cdot \vec{n}_2|}{\|\vec{n}_1\| \|\vec{n}_2\|} = \frac{|2a + b|}{\sqrt{10} \cdot \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$2|2a + b| = \sqrt{10(a^2 + b^2)}$$

$$4(4a^2 + 4ab + b^2) = 10(a^2 + b^2) \Rightarrow 6a^2 + 16ab - 6b^2 = 0$$

$$3\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)^2 + 8\left(\frac{a}{b}\right) - 3 = 0$$

Let  $k = \frac{a}{b}$ :

$$3k^2 + 8k - 3 = 0 \Rightarrow k = -3 \text{ or } \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\frac{a}{b} = -3 \Rightarrow x + 3y = 0$$

$$\frac{a}{b} = \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow -3x + y = 0$$

The plane equations are  $x + 3y = 0$  or  $-3x + y = 0$ .

## 9 Problem

Prove that the lines  $L_1 : \frac{x}{1} = \frac{y}{2} = \frac{z}{3}$  and  $L_2 : \frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y+1}{1} = \frac{z-2}{1}$  are skew lines, find their common perpendicular, and calculate the distance between them.

### Solution

#### Part 1: Prove Skew Lines

Direction vectors and points:

- For  $L_1$ :  $\vec{v}_1 = (1, 2, 3)$ , passing through  $P_1(0, 0, 0)$
- For  $L_2$ :  $\vec{v}_2 = (1, 1, 1)$ , passing through  $P_2(1, -1, 2)$

Verify skew condition:

$$(\overrightarrow{P_1P_2} \times \vec{v}_1) \cdot \vec{v}_2 = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 5 \neq 0$$

#### Part 2: Common Perpendicular

Direction vector of perpendicular:

$$\vec{n} = \vec{v}_1 \times \vec{v}_2 = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1, 2, -1)$$

Plane  $\Pi_1$  containing  $L_1$  parallel to  $\vec{n}$ :

$$\begin{vmatrix} x & y & z \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow 4x + y - 2z = 0$$

Plane  $\Pi_2$  containing  $L_2$  parallel to  $\vec{n}$ :

$$\begin{vmatrix} x-1 & y+1 & z-2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow x - z + 1 = 0$$

Common perpendicular line:

$$\begin{cases} 4x + y - 2z = 0 \\ x - z + 1 = 0 \end{cases}$$

Parametric form: 
$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{x}{1} = \frac{y+2}{2} = \frac{z-1}{1} \end{bmatrix}$$

#### Part 3: Distance Calculation

Distance between skew lines:

$$d = \frac{|(\overrightarrow{P_1P_2} \times \vec{v}_1) \cdot \vec{v}_2|}{|\vec{v}_1 \times \vec{v}_2|} = \frac{5}{\sqrt{6}} = \boxed{\frac{5\sqrt{6}}{6}}$$

## 10 Problem

$$x^2 - 6xy + 10y^2 - 2yz - z^2 + 18 = 0$$

Find the extreme points and extreme values of  $z = z(x, y)$

### Solution

$$\begin{aligned} 2x - 6y - 2y \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} - 2z \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} &= 0 \\ (2y + 2z) \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} &= 2x - 6y \\ \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} &= \frac{x - 3y}{y + z} \\ -6x + 20y - 2z - 2y \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} - 2z \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} &= 0 \\ (2y + 2z) \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} &= -6x + 20y - 2z \\ \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} &= \frac{-3x + 10y - z}{y + z} \end{aligned}$$

Set  $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = 0$  and  $\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = 0$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{x - 3y}{y + z} &= 0 \Rightarrow x = 3y \\ \frac{-3x + 10y - z}{y + z} &= 0 \Rightarrow -3x + 10y - z = 0 \\ -9y + 10y - z &= 0 \Rightarrow y - z = 0 \Rightarrow z = y \\ (9, 3, 3), (-9, -3, -3) & \\ \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} &= \frac{(1)(y+z) - (x-3y)\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}}{(y+z)^2} = \frac{1}{y+z} \\ \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} &= \frac{(-3)(y+z) - (x-3y)(1+\frac{\partial z}{\partial y})}{(y+z)^2} = \frac{-3}{y+z} \\ \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} &= \frac{(10 - \frac{\partial z}{\partial y})(y+z) - (-3x+10y-z)(1+\frac{\partial z}{\partial y})}{(y+z)^2} = \frac{10}{y+z} \end{aligned}$$

For  $(9, 3, 3)$ :

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} = \frac{1}{6}, \quad B = \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{-3}{6} = -\frac{1}{2}, \quad C = \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = \frac{10}{6} = \frac{5}{3} \\ AC - B^2 &= \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)\left(\frac{5}{3}\right) - \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{5}{18} - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{10}{36} - \frac{9}{36} = \frac{1}{36} > 0 \end{aligned}$$

Since  $A > 0$ , this is a local minimum. For  $(-9, -3, -3)$ :

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \frac{1}{-6} = -\frac{1}{6}, \quad B = \frac{-3}{-6} = \frac{1}{2}, \quad C = \frac{10}{-6} = -\frac{5}{3} \\ AC - B^2 &= \left(-\frac{1}{6}\right)\left(-\frac{5}{3}\right) - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{5}{18} - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{36} > 0 \end{aligned}$$

Since  $A < 0$ , this is a local maximum.

- A local minimum at  $(9, 3)$  with value  $z = 3$
- A local maximum at  $(-9, -3)$  with value  $z = -3$

## 11 Problem

$$\begin{cases} u = x^2 + y^2 + z^2, \\ z = x^2 + y^2, \\ x + y + z = 4. \end{cases}$$

Find the minimum and maximum values of  $u$ .

### Solution

#### Method 1: Substitution

Substitute the second equation into the third equation:

$$x^2 + x + y^2 + y = 4$$

Complete the squares:

$$\left(x + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \left(y + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{9}{2}$$

This represents a circle in the  $xy$ -plane with radius  $\frac{3\sqrt{2}}{2}$ . Now express  $u$  in terms of  $x$  and  $y$ :

$$u = x^2 + y^2 + (x^2 + y^2)^2$$

Let  $r = x^2 + y^2$ :

$$u = r + r^2$$

The maximum and minimum occur at the extreme values of  $r$ . From the circle equation:

$$r_{\max} = \left(\frac{3\sqrt{2}}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)^2 = 8$$

$$r_{\min} = \left(\frac{3\sqrt{2}}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)^2 = 2$$

Thus:

$$u_{\min} = 6$$

$$u_{\max} = 72$$

## Method 2: Lagrange Multipliers

Substitute the second equation into the third:

$$x + y + x^2 + y^2 = 4$$

Define the Lagrangian:

$$\mathcal{L} = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + \lambda_1(z - x^2 - y^2) + \lambda_2(x + y + z - 4)$$

Take partial derivatives and set them to zero:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial x} &= 2x - 2\lambda_1 x + \lambda_2 = 0 \\ \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial y} &= 2y - 2\lambda_1 y + \lambda_2 = 0 \\ \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial z} &= 2z + \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = 0 \\ \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \lambda_1} &= z - x^2 - y^2 = 0 \\ \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \lambda_2} &= x + y + z - 4 = 0\end{aligned}$$

From the first two equations:

$$\begin{aligned}2x(1 - \lambda_1) &= -\lambda_2 \\ 2y(1 - \lambda_1) &= -\lambda_2\end{aligned}$$

Thus:

$$x = y \quad \text{or} \quad \lambda_1 = 1$$

Case 1:  $x = y$  Substitute  $y = x$  into the constraints:

$$\begin{aligned}z &= 2x^2 \\ 2x + 2x^2 &= 4 \\ x^2 + x - 2 &= 0\end{aligned}$$

Solutions:

$$\begin{aligned}x = 1 \Rightarrow y &= 1, z = 2 \\ x = -2 \Rightarrow y &= -2, z = 8\end{aligned}$$

Calculate  $u$  for these points:

$$\begin{aligned}u(1, 1, 2) &= 1 + 1 + 4 = 6 \\ u(-2, -2, 8) &= 4 + 4 + 64 = 72\end{aligned}$$

Case 2:  $\lambda_1 = 1$  From the third equation:

$$2z + 1 + \lambda_2 = 0$$

From the first equation with  $\lambda_1 = 1$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda_2 &= 0 \\ z &= -\frac{1}{2}\end{aligned}$$

But from  $z = x^2 + y^2$ ,  $z \geq 0$ , so no solution in this case. Therefore, the extreme values are:

$$\begin{aligned}u_{\min} &= 6 \quad \text{at} \quad (1, 1, 2) \\ u_{\max} &= 72 \quad \text{at} \quad (-2, -2, 8)\end{aligned}$$

Both methods yield the same results:

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| $u_{\min} = 6$  |
| $u_{\max} = 72$ |

## 12 Problem

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1$$

Find the maximum value of the product  $xyz$ .

### Solution

#### Method 1: Trigonometric Substitution

We can parameterize the variables using spherical coordinates: Let:

$$x = a \sin \alpha \cos \beta$$

$$y = b \sin \alpha \sin \beta$$

$$z = c \cos \alpha$$

where  $0 \leq \alpha \leq \pi$  and  $0 \leq \beta \leq 2\pi$ . The product becomes:

$$xyz = (a \sin \alpha \cos \beta)(b \sin \alpha \sin \beta)(c \cos \alpha) = abc \sin^2 \alpha \cos \alpha \sin \beta \cos \beta$$

Using the double-angle identity:

$$\sin \beta \cos \beta = \frac{1}{2} \sin 2\beta$$

This reaches its maximum when  $\sin 2\beta = 1$ ,  $\beta = \frac{\pi}{4}$ . Now we need to maximize:

$$f(\alpha) = \sin^2 \alpha \cos \alpha$$

Take the derivative:

$$f'(\alpha) = 2 \sin \alpha \cos^2 \alpha - \sin^3 \alpha = \sin \alpha (2 \cos^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \alpha)$$

Set  $f'(\alpha) = 0$ :

$$\sin \alpha = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad 2 \cos^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \alpha = 0$$

The non-trivial solution is:

$$2 \cos^2 \alpha = \sin^2 \alpha$$

$$\tan^2 \alpha = 2$$

$$\alpha = \arctan \sqrt{2}$$

Substituting back:

$$\sin \alpha = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}, \quad \cos \alpha = \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$f(\alpha) = \left(\frac{2}{3}\right) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = \frac{2}{3\sqrt{3}}$$

Thus the maximum product is:

$$\boxed{\frac{abc}{3\sqrt{3}}}$$

## Method 2: Lagrange Multipliers

We want to maximize  $f(x, y, z) = xyz$  subject to the constraint  $g(x, y, z) = \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} - 1 = 0$ .  
The Lagrange condition is:

$$\nabla f = \lambda \nabla g$$

Which gives:

$$(yz, xz, xy) = \lambda \left( \frac{2x}{a^2}, \frac{2y}{b^2}, \frac{2z}{c^2} \right)$$

This leads to the system:

$$yz = \frac{2\lambda x}{a^2} \quad (1)$$

$$xz = \frac{2\lambda y}{b^2} \quad (2)$$

$$xy = \frac{2\lambda z}{c^2} \quad (3)$$

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1 \quad (4)$$

Multiply equation (1) by  $x$ , equation (2) by  $y$ , and equation (3) by  $z$ :

$$xyz = \frac{2\lambda x^2}{a^2} = \frac{2\lambda y^2}{b^2} = \frac{2\lambda z^2}{c^2}$$

This implies:

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} = \frac{y^2}{b^2} = \frac{z^2}{c^2}$$

Let  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} = \frac{y^2}{b^2} = \frac{z^2}{c^2} = k$ . From the constraint (4):

$$3k = 1 \Rightarrow k = \frac{1}{3}$$

Thus:

$$x = \frac{a}{\sqrt{3}}, \quad y = \frac{b}{\sqrt{3}}, \quad z = \frac{c}{\sqrt{3}}$$

The maximum product is:

$$xyz = \frac{a}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{b}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{c}{\sqrt{3}} = \boxed{\frac{abc}{3\sqrt{3}}}$$

## 13 Problem

Continuity, Partial Derivatives, Differentiability, Continuity of Partial Derivatives

$$z = f(x, y) = \begin{cases} 0, & x^2 + y^2 = 0 \\ (x^2 + y^2) \sin\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}\right), & x^2 + y^2 \neq 0 \end{cases}$$

### Solution

#### (i) Continuity at (0,0)

To check continuity at (0,0), we examine:

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x, y) = \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} (x^2 + y^2) \sin\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}\right)$$

Since  $0 \leq |(x^2 + y^2) \sin\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}\right)| \leq x^2 + y^2$  and  $x^2 + y^2 \rightarrow 0$ , by the squeeze theorem:

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x, y) = 0 = f(0, 0)$$



#### (ii) Partial Derivatives at (0,0)

Using the definition:

$$f_x(0, 0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h, 0) - f(0, 0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h \sin\left(\frac{1}{|h|}\right) = 0$$

$$f_y(0, 0) = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0, k) - f(0, 0)}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} k \sin\left(\frac{1}{|k|}\right) = 0$$



#### (iii) Differentiability at (0,0)

Check:

$$\lim_{(h,k) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{f(h, k) - f(0, 0) - f_x(0, 0)h - f_y(0, 0)k}{\sqrt{h^2 + k^2}} = \lim_{(h,k) \rightarrow (0,0)} \sqrt{h^2 + k^2} \sin\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{h^2 + k^2}}\right) = 0$$



#### (iv) Continuity of Partial Derivatives

For  $(x, y) \neq (0, 0)$ :

$$f_x(x, y) = 2x \sin\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}\right) - \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \cos\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}\right)$$

Along  $y = 0$  as  $x \rightarrow 0$ :

$$f_x(x, 0) = 2x \sin\left(\frac{1}{|x|}\right) - \operatorname{sgn}(x) \cos\left(\frac{1}{|x|}\right)$$



## 14 Problem

Calculate the double integral:  $\iint_D (x^2 - |x| \arctan y + x^3 e^y) dx dy$ ,  $D = \{(x, y) \mid x^2 + y^2 < 1\}$

### Solution

#### Symmetry Analysis

First, we simplify the integral using symmetry properties:

- The term  $x^3 e^y$  is odd in  $x$  over the symmetric domain  $D$ , so its integral vanishes:

$$\iint_D x^3 e^y dx dy = 0$$

- The term  $-|x| \arctan y$  is odd in  $y$  over the symmetric domain  $D$ , so its integral also vanishes:

$$\iint_D -|x| \arctan y dx dy = 0$$

Thus, the original integral simplifies to:

$$\iint_D x^2 dx dy$$

#### Method 1: Polar Coordinates with Wallis' Formula

Convert to polar coordinates where  $x = r \cos \theta$ ,  $y = r \sin \theta$ ,  $dx dy = r dr d\theta$ , and  $r \in [0, 1]$ ,  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_D x^2 dx dy &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 (r \cos \theta)^2 r dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \cos^2 \theta d\theta \int_0^1 r^3 dr \\ &= \left[ \frac{\theta}{2} + \frac{\sin 2\theta}{4} \right]_0^{2\pi} \cdot \left[ \frac{r^4}{4} \right]_0^1 \\ &= \boxed{\frac{\pi}{4}} \end{aligned}$$

#### Method 2: Using Rotation Symmetry

By the rotation symmetry of the unit disk, we have:

$$\iint_D x^2 dx dy = \iint_D y^2 dx dy$$

Therefore:

$$\begin{aligned} 2 \iint_D x^2 dx dy &= \iint_D x^2 dx dy + \iint_D y^2 dx dy \\ &= \iint_D (x^2 + y^2) dx dy \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 r^2 \cdot r dr d\theta \\ &= 2\pi \int_0^1 r^3 dr \\ &= \frac{\pi}{2} \end{aligned}$$

Thus:

$$\boxed{\iint_D (x^2 - |x| \arctan y + x^3 e^y) dx dy = \frac{\pi}{4}}$$

## 15 Problem

A thin plate occupies the closed region D bounded by the parabola  $y = x^2$  and the line  $y = x$ . The surface density at point  $(x, y)$  is  $\mu(x, y) = x^2y$ . Find the centroid of the thin plate.

### Solution

Solve  $x^2 = x$  to get  $(0, 0)$  and  $(1, 1)$ .

$$m = \iint_D x^2y \, dA = \int_0^1 \int_{x^2}^x x^2y \, dy \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 (x^4 - x^6) \, dx = \frac{1}{35}$$

$$M_y = \iint_D x \cdot x^2y \, dA = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 (x^5 - x^7) \, dx = \frac{1}{48}$$

$$M_x = \iint_D y \cdot x^2y \, dA = \frac{1}{3} \int_0^1 (x^5 - x^8) \, dx = \frac{1}{54}$$

$$\bar{x} = \frac{M_y}{m} = \frac{35}{48}, \quad \bar{y} = \frac{M_x}{m} = \frac{35}{54}$$

Thus the centroid is at  $\boxed{\left(\frac{35}{48}, \frac{35}{54}\right)}$ .

## 16 Problem

$D = \{(x, y) \mid 0 \leq y \leq \sin x, 0 \leq x \leq \pi\}$ . Compute:  $\iint_D (x^2 + y^2) \, d\sigma$ .

### Solution

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_D (x^2 + y^2) \, d\sigma &= \int_0^\pi \left( \int_0^{\sin x} (x^2 + y^2) \, dy \right) dx \\ \int_0^{\sin x} (x^2 + y^2) \, dy &= \left[ x^2y + \frac{y^3}{3} \right]_0^{\sin x} = x^2 \sin x + \frac{\sin^3 x}{3} \\ \int_0^\pi \left( x^2 \sin x + \frac{\sin^3 x}{3} \right) dx &= \int_0^\pi x^2 \sin x \, dx + \frac{1}{3} \int_0^\pi \sin^3 x \, dx \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^\pi x^2 \sin x \, dx &= [-x^2 \cos x]_0^\pi + \int_0^\pi 2x \cos x \, dx \\ &= \pi^2 + 2 \left( [x \sin x]_0^\pi - \int_0^\pi \sin x \, dx \right) \\ &= \pi^2 - 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{3} \int_0^\pi \sin^3 x \, dx &= \frac{1}{3} \int_0^\pi \frac{3 \sin x - \sin 3x}{4} \, dx \\ &= \frac{1}{12} \left[ -3 \cos x + \frac{\cos 3x}{3} \right]_0^\pi \\ &= \frac{4}{9} \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{\iint_D (x^2 + y^2) \, d\sigma = \pi^2 - \frac{32}{9}}$$

## 17 Problem

$D = \{(x, y) | -a \leq x \leq a, -b \leq y \leq b\}$ . Compute:  $\iint_D e^{\max\{b^2x^2, a^2y^2\}} d\sigma$ .

### Solution

Divide  $D$  into two regions:

1.  $D_1 = \{(x, y) \in D | b|x| \geq a|y|\}$
2.  $D_2 = \{(x, y) \in D | b|x| < a|y|\}$

In  $D_1$ :  $\max\{b^2x^2, a^2y^2\} = b^2x^2$

$$\iint_{D_1} e^{b^2x^2} d\sigma = 4 \int_0^a \int_0^{\frac{bx}{a}} e^{b^2x^2} dy dx = \frac{4b}{a} \int_0^a x e^{b^2x^2} dx$$

Let  $u = b^2x^2$ , then  $du = 2b^2x dx$ :

$$= \frac{2}{ab} \int_0^{a^2b^2} e^u du = \frac{2}{ab} (e^{a^2b^2} - 1)$$

Similarly for  $D_2$ :

$$\iint_{D_2} e^{a^2y^2} d\sigma = \frac{2}{ab} (e^{a^2b^2} - 1)$$

Adding both results:

$$\boxed{\iint_D e^{\max\{b^2x^2, a^2y^2\}} d\sigma = \frac{4}{ab} (e^{a^2b^2} - 1)}$$

## 18 Problem

$D = \{(x, y) | x^2 + y^2 \leq r^2\}$ . Compute:  $\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{\iint_D e^{x^2-y^2} \cos(x+y) d\sigma}{\pi r^2}$

### Solution

Using Taylor expansion near  $(0, 0)$ :

$$\begin{aligned} e^{x^2-y^2} &\approx 1 + (x^2 - y^2) \\ \cos(x+y) &\approx 1 - \frac{(x+y)^2}{2} \end{aligned}$$

The integrand becomes approximately  $1 + O(x^2 + y^2)$ . Thus:

$$\iint_D e^{x^2-y^2} \cos(x+y) d\sigma \approx \text{Area}(D) = \pi r^2$$

Therefore:

$$\boxed{\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{\iint_D e^{x^2-y^2} \cos(x+y) d\sigma}{\pi r^2} = 1}$$

## 19 Problem

Compute:  $I = \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} \int_{x+y}^1 \frac{\sin z}{z} dz dy dx$

### Solution

#### Method 1: Projection on $yOz$ Plane

Change integration order:

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int_0^1 \int_0^z \int_0^{z-y} \frac{\sin z}{z} dx dy dz \\ &= \int_0^1 \frac{\sin z}{z} \left( \int_0^z (z-y) dy \right) dz \\ &= \int_0^1 \frac{\sin z}{z} \cdot \frac{z^2}{2} dz \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 z \sin z dz \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left[ -z \cos z + \sin z \right]_0^1 \\ &= \boxed{\frac{1}{2}(\sin 1 - \cos 1)} \end{aligned}$$

#### Method 2: Sequential Reduction

Original integral with changed approach:

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int_0^1 (1-x) \left( \int_x^1 \frac{\sin z}{z} dz \right) dx \\ &= \int_0^1 \sin x \left( 1 - \frac{x}{2} \right) dx \\ &= \int_0^1 \sin x dx - \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 x \sin x dx \\ &= \left[ -\cos x \right]_0^1 - \frac{1}{2} \left[ -x \cos x + \sin x \right]_0^1 \\ &= (1 - \cos 1) - \frac{1}{2}(\sin 1 - \cos 1) \\ &= \boxed{\frac{1}{2}(\sin 1 - \cos 1)} \end{aligned}$$

## 20 Problem

Prove that:  $\int_0^1 dx \int_x^1 dy \int_x^y f(x)f(y)f(z) dz = \frac{1}{6} \left( \int_0^1 f(t) dt \right)^3$

### Solution

Let  $u = F(x) = \int_0^x f(t) dt$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_0^1 f(x)dx \int_x^1 f(y)dy \int_x^y f(z)dz \\
&= \int_0^1 f(x)dx \int_x^1 f(y)[F(y) - F(x)]dy \\
&= \int_0^1 f(x) \left[ \frac{1}{2}F(y)^2 \Big|_x^1 - F(x)(F(1) - F(x)) \right] dx \\
&= \int_0^1 f(x) \left[ \frac{1}{2}F(1)^2 - \frac{1}{2}F(x)^2 - F(x)F(1) + F(x)^2 \right] dx \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 f(x)[F(1)^2 - 2F(x)F(1) + F(x)^2] dx \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{F(1)} [F(1)^2 - 2uF(1) + u^2] du \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \left[ F(1)^2 u - F(1)u^2 + \frac{1}{3}u^3 \right]_0^{F(1)} \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \left( F(1)^3 - F(1)^3 + \frac{1}{3}F(1)^3 \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{6}F(1)^3 \\
&= \boxed{\frac{1}{6} \left( \int_0^1 f(t)dt \right)^3}
\end{aligned}$$

## 21 Problem

Let the surface  $\Sigma$  be the finite part of  $z = \frac{1}{2}(x^2 + y^2)$  cut by the plane  $z = 2$ . Evaluate the surface integral  $\iint_{\Sigma} z dS$ .

### Solution

The surface is  $z = \frac{1}{2}(x^2 + y^2)$  with  $z \leq 2$ . In polar coordinates:

$$z = \frac{1}{2}r^2, \quad r \leq 2$$

The surface element is:

$$dS = \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}\right)^2} dx dy = \sqrt{1 + x^2 + y^2} dx dy = \sqrt{1 + r^2} r dr d\theta$$

The integral becomes:

$$\iint_{\Sigma} z dS = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 \frac{1}{2} r^2 \sqrt{1 + r^2} r dr d\theta$$

Let  $u = 1 + r^2$ ,  $du = 2rdr$ :

$$= \frac{\pi}{2} \int_1^5 (u - 1) \sqrt{u} du = \frac{\pi}{2} \left[ \frac{2}{5} u^{5/2} - \frac{2}{3} u^{3/2} \right]_1^5 = \boxed{\frac{2\pi(25\sqrt{5} + 1)}{15}}$$

## 22 Problem

Let  $\Sigma$  be the outer surface of the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 9$ . Evaluate the surface integral  $\iint_{\Sigma} z dx dy$ .

### Solution

#### Method 1: Divergence Theorem

$$\iint_{\Sigma} z dx dy = \iiint_V \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial z}\right) dV = \iiint_V 1 dV = \frac{4}{3}\pi(3)^3 = \boxed{36\pi}$$

#### Method 2: Projection Method

$$\begin{aligned} x &= \beta \cos \alpha \\ y &= \beta \sin \alpha \\ dx dy &= \beta d\beta d\alpha \\ \alpha &\in [0, 2\pi], \beta \in [0, 3] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_{\Sigma} z dx dy &= \iint_{\text{upper}} z dx dy + \iint_{\text{lower}} z dx dy \\ &= \iint_D \sqrt{9 - x^2 - y^2} dx dy + \iint_D (-\sqrt{9 - x^2 - y^2}) dx dy \\ &= 2 \iint_D \sqrt{9 - x^2 - y^2} dx dy \\ &= 2 \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^3 \sqrt{9 - \beta^2} \beta d\beta d\alpha \\ &= 2 \int_0^{2\pi} d\alpha \int_0^3 \beta(9 - \beta^2)^{1/2} d\beta \\ &= 2 \cdot 2\pi \cdot \left[-\frac{1}{3}(9 - \beta^2)^{3/2}\right]_0^3 = \boxed{36\pi} \end{aligned}$$

## 23 Problem

Compute the line integral  $I = \oint_D xy \, dx + z^2 \, dy + zx \, dz$ , where  $D$  is the intersection curve of  $z = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$  and  $x^2 + y^2 = 2ax$  ( $a > 0$ ), oriented counterclockwise when viewed from the positive  $z$ -axis.

### Solution

By Stokes' theorem:

$$I = \iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot d\vec{S}$$

where  $\vec{F} = (xy, z^2, zx)$ .

Compute the curl:

$$\nabla \times \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ xy & z^2 & zx \end{vmatrix} = (-z, -z, -x)$$

The surface  $S$  is the cone  $z = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$  within the cylinder  $x^2 + y^2 = 2ax$ . Using cylindrical coordinates:

$$\begin{aligned} x &= r \cos \theta, \quad y = r \sin \theta, \quad z = r \\ d\vec{S} &= (-z_x, -z_y, 1) \, dx \, dy = \left( -\frac{x}{z}, -\frac{y}{z}, 1 \right) \, dx \, dy \end{aligned}$$

The dot product:

$$(\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot d\vec{S} = (-z) \left( -\frac{x}{z} \right) + (-z) \left( -\frac{y}{z} \right) + (-x)(1) = y$$

Thus:

$$I = \iint_S y \, dx \, dy$$

The projection on  $xy$ -plane is the circle  $x^2 + y^2 \leq 2ax$ :

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \int_0^{2a \cos \theta} r \sin \theta \cdot r \, dr \, d\theta \\ &= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \sin \theta \left[ \frac{r^3}{3} \right]_0^{2a \cos \theta} \, d\theta \\ &= \frac{8a^3}{3} \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \sin \theta \cos^3 \theta \, d\theta \\ &= \boxed{\pi a^3} \end{aligned}$$

## 24 Problem

Let  $\Sigma$  be the lower side of the surface  $z = x^2 + y^2$  where  $0 \leq z \leq a^2$ .

Evaluate the surface integral:  $\iint_{\Sigma} (y - x^2 + z^2) dy dz + (x - z^2 + y^2) dz dx + (z - y^2 + x^2) dx dy$

### Solution

Using Gauss's divergence theorem, we convert the surface integral to a volume integral:

$$\iiint_V \left( \frac{\partial P}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial Q}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial R}{\partial z} \right) dx dy dz$$

where  $P = y - x^2 + z^2$ ,  $Q = x - z^2 + y^2$ ,  $R = z - y^2 + x^2$ . Compute the divergence:

$$\frac{\partial P}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial Q}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial R}{\partial z} = -2x + 2y + 1$$

By symmetry, the  $-2x + 2y$  terms integrate to zero over the circular region. Thus:

$$\iiint_V 1 dx dy dz = \text{Volume} = \int_0^{a^2} \pi z dz = \boxed{\frac{\pi}{2} a^4}$$

## 25 Problem

Let  $\Sigma$  be the oriented surface  $z = x^2 + y^2$  ( $0 \leq z \leq 1$ ), with its normal vector forming an acute angle with the positive z-axis. Evaluate the surface integral:  $\iint_{\Sigma} (2x + z) dy dz + z dx dy$

### Solution

Project  $\Sigma$  onto the  $xy$ -plane ( $D : x^2 + y^2 \leq 1$ ). The normal vector is  $(-2x, -2y, 1)$ , and since the z-component is positive, it satisfies the acute angle condition. Convert the integral:

$$\iint_{\Sigma} = \iint_D \left[ -(2x + z) \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} - z \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} + z \right] dx dy$$

Substitute  $z = x^2 + y^2$  and simplify:

$$\iint_D [-(2x + x^2 + y^2)(2x) + (x^2 + y^2)] dx dy = \iint_D (-4x^2 - 2x^3 - 2xy^2 + x^2 + y^2) dx dy$$

Using polar coordinates:

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 (-3r^2 \cos^2 \theta - 2r^3 \cos^3 \theta - 2r^3 \cos \theta \sin^2 \theta + r^2 \sin^2 \theta) r dr d\theta$$

Simplify and evaluate:

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 (-3r^3 \cos^2 \theta + r^3 \sin^2 \theta) dr d\theta = \boxed{-\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

## 26 Problem

Given  $f(0) = 0$ ,  $f'(0) = 1$ , and the equation  $[xy(x+y) - f(x)y]dx + [f'(x) + x^2y]dy = 0$  is an exact differential equation. Find its general solution.

### Solution

For exactness, require  $\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x}$  where:

$$\begin{aligned} P &= xy(x+y) - f(x)y \\ Q &= f'(x) + x^2y \end{aligned}$$

Compute partial derivatives:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} &= x^2 + 2xy - f(x) \\ \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} &= f''(x) + 2xy \end{aligned}$$

Set them equal:

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + 2xy - f(x) &= f''(x) + 2xy \\ f''(x) + f(x) &= x^2 \end{aligned}$$

Solve the ODE:

$$f(x) = A \cos x + B \sin x + x^2 - 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Using } f(0) = 0 \Rightarrow A &= 2 \\ f'(0) = 1 \Rightarrow B &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow f(x) &= 2 \cos x + \sin x + x^2 - 2 \end{aligned}$$

Now integrate the exact equation:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} &= xy^2 + (2 \cos x + \sin x - 2)y \\ \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} &= -\sin x + 2 \cos x + x^2y + x^2 - 2 \end{aligned}$$

Integrate to find  $F(x, y)$ :

$$F(x, y) = \frac{x^2y^2}{2} + 2y \sin x - y \cos x - 2xy + g(y) = \boxed{2y \sin x - y \cos x + \frac{x^2y^2}{2} - 2xy + C}$$

## 27 Problem

Given  $f(0) = \frac{1}{2}$  and the integral  $\int_L [e^x + f(x)]y \, dx - f(x) \, dy$  is path-independent. Find the value from  $(0, 0)$  to  $(1, 1)$ .

### Solution

Since the integral is path-independent, we have:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial y} [e^x + f(x)]y = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} [-f(x)] \Rightarrow e^x + f(x) = -f'(x)$$

Solve the ODE  $f'(x) + f(x) = -e^x$  with  $f(0) = \frac{1}{2}$ :

$$f(x) = -\frac{1}{2}e^x + \frac{1}{e^x}$$

Choose path  $(0, 0) \rightarrow (1, 0) \rightarrow (1, 1)$ :

$$\int_0^1 0 \, dx + \int_0^1 -f(1) \, dy = -f(1) = \boxed{\frac{1}{2}e - \frac{1}{e}}$$

## 28 Problem

For all smooth oriented closed surfaces  $\Sigma$  in the half-space  $x > 0$ , the surface integral satisfies:  $\iint_{\Sigma} xf(x)dydz - xyf(x)dzdx - e^{2x}zdx dy = 0$ , Given  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = 1$ , find  $f(x)$ .

### Solution

By Gauss's divergence theorem, for any closed surface  $\Sigma$ :

$$\iiint_V \left( \frac{\partial P}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial Q}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial R}{\partial z} \right) dxdydz = 0$$

where  $P = xf(x)$ ,  $Q = -xyf(x)$ ,  $R = -e^{2x}z$ . This gives:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x}(xf(x)) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(-xyf(x)) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(-e^{2x}z) = 0$$

Simplifying:

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) + xf'(x) - xf(x) - e^{2x} &= 0 \\ f'(x) + \left(\frac{1}{x} - 1\right)f(x) &= \frac{e^{2x}}{x} \end{aligned}$$

Using the standard solution formula  $y' + p(x)y = q(x)$ :

Integrating factor:  $\mu(x) = e^{\int p(x)dx} = e^{\int (\frac{1}{x}-1)dx} = e^{\ln x - x} = xe^{-x}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Solution: } f(x) &= \frac{1}{\mu(x)} \left( \int \mu(x)q(x)dx + C \right) \\ &= \frac{e^x}{x} \left( \int xe^{-x} \cdot \frac{e^{2x}}{x} dx + C \right) \\ &= \frac{e^x}{x} \left( \int e^x dx + C \right) \\ &= \frac{e^x}{x} (e^x + C) \end{aligned}$$

Applying the initial condition  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = 1$ :  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{e^x(e^x+C)}{x} = 1 \Rightarrow C = -1$

Thus the solution is:

$$f(x) = \boxed{\frac{e^x(e^x-1)}{x}}$$

## 29 Problem

Compute the surface integral  $I = \iint_{\Sigma} x^2 dS$ ,  
where  $\Sigma$  is the part of the cylinder  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  between  $z = 0$  and  $z = h$  ( $h > 0$ ).

### Solution

#### Method 1: Using Symmetry

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \iint_{\Sigma} x^2 dS \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \iint_{\Sigma} (x^2 + y^2) dS \quad (\text{by symmetry}) \\ &= \frac{a^2}{2} \iint_{\Sigma} dS \\ &= \frac{a^2}{2} \times 2\pi ah \\ &= \boxed{\pi a^3 h} \end{aligned}$$

#### Method 2: Projection onto yOz-plane

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \iint_{\Sigma} x^2 dS \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^h a^2 \cos^2 \theta \cdot \frac{a}{|\sin \theta|} dz d\theta \quad (\text{parameterizing } x = a \cos \theta) \\ &= a^3 h \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{|\sin \theta|} d\theta \\ &= 4a^3 h \int_0^{\pi/2} \cot \theta \cos \theta d\theta \quad (\text{by symmetry}) \\ &= \boxed{\pi a^3 h} \end{aligned}$$

#### Method 3: Cylindrical Coordinates Parameterization

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \iint_{\Sigma} x^2 dS \\ &= \int_0^h \int_0^{2\pi} (a \cos \theta)^2 \cdot a d\theta dz \quad (dS = ad\theta dz \text{ on cylinder}) \\ &= a^3 \int_0^h dz \int_0^{2\pi} \cos^2 \theta d\theta \\ &= a^3 h \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1 + \cos 2\theta}{2} d\theta \\ &= \frac{a^3 h}{2} \left[ \theta + \frac{\sin 2\theta}{2} \right]_0^{2\pi} \\ &= \frac{a^3 h}{2} \cdot 2\pi \\ &= \boxed{\pi a^3 h} \end{aligned}$$

## 30 Problem

Let  $\Sigma$  be the part of  $z = x^2 + y^2$  below  $z = 1$ . Compute the surface integral  $I = \iint_{\Sigma} |xyz| dS$ .

### Solution

Using polar coordinates:

$$\begin{aligned}
 z &= x^2 + y^2 = r^2 \\
 dS &= \sqrt{1 + 4r^2} r dr d\theta \\
 I &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 |r^3 \cos \theta \sin \theta| \cdot r^2 \sqrt{1 + 4r^2} dr d\theta \\
 &= \left( \int_0^{2\pi} |\cos \theta \sin \theta| d\theta \right) \left( \int_0^1 r^5 \sqrt{1 + 4r^2} dr \right) \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} \int_0^1 u^2 \sqrt{1 + 4u} du \quad (u = r^2) \\
 &= \boxed{\frac{1}{4} \left( \frac{25\sqrt{5}}{21} - \frac{1}{105} \right)}
 \end{aligned}$$

## 31 Problem

Prove that  $(yze^{xyz} + 2x)dx + (zxe^{xyz} + 3y^2)dy + (xye^{xyz} + 4z^3)dz$  is an exact differential, and find its potential function.

### Solution

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} &= e^{xyz}(1 + xyz) = \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} \\
 \frac{\partial P}{\partial z} &= e^{xyz}(1 + xyz) = \frac{\partial R}{\partial x} \\
 \frac{\partial Q}{\partial z} &= e^{xyz}(1 + xyz) = \frac{\partial R}{\partial y}
 \end{aligned}$$

Find the potential function  $U$ :

$$\begin{aligned}
 U &= \int P dx \\
 &= \int (yze^{xyz} + 2x) dx \\
 &= e^{xyz} + x^2 + f(y, z) \\
 \frac{\partial U}{\partial y} &= zxe^{xyz} + f_y = Q \\
 \Rightarrow f_y &= 3y^2 \\
 \Rightarrow f(y, z) &= y^3 + g(z) \\
 \frac{\partial U}{\partial z} &= xye^{xyz} + g'(z) = R \\
 \Rightarrow g'(z) &= 4z^3 \\
 \Rightarrow g(z) &= z^4 + C
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the potential function is:

$$\boxed{x^2 + y^3 + z^4 + e^{xyz} + C}$$

## 32 Problem

Find the limit:  $\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\pi t^4} \iiint_{x^2+y^2+z^2 \leq t^2} f(\sqrt{x^2+y^2+z^2}) dv$

### Solution

Using spherical coordinates ( $r = \sqrt{x^2+y^2+z^2}$ ):

$$\text{Integral} = 4\pi \int_0^t f(r)r^2 dr$$

For  $f(0) \neq 0$ , the limit becomes  $\infty$ . For  $f(0) = 0$ :

$$\text{Limit} = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{4\pi \int_0^t f(r)r^2 dr}{\pi t^4} = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(t)t^2}{t^3} = f'(0)$$

Final answer: 
$$\begin{cases} f'(0), & f(0) = 0 \\ \infty, & f(0) \neq 0 \end{cases}$$

## 33 Problem

Evaluate:  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{n}{(n+i)(n^2+j^2)}$

### Solution

We can rewrite the expression as a double Riemann sum:

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{n}{(n+i)(n^2+j^2)} \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{1 + \frac{i}{n}} \cdot \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{1}{1 + (\frac{j}{n})^2} \quad (\text{Factoring the expression}) \\ &= \left( \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{1 + \frac{i}{n}} \right) \left( \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{1}{1 + (\frac{j}{n})^2} \right) \quad (\text{Separating the limits}) \\ &= \left( \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{1+x} \right) \left( \int_0^1 \frac{dy}{1+y^2} \right) \quad (\text{Recognizing Riemann sums}) \\ &= [\ln(1+x)]_0^1 \cdot [\arctan y]_0^1 \quad (\text{Evaluating integrals}) \\ &= (\ln 2 - \ln 1) \cdot \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - 0 \right) \\ &= \boxed{\frac{\pi \ln 2}{4}} \end{aligned}$$

## 34 Problem

Given  $r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$ ,  $\Sigma$  is the outer surface of the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = a^2$ .  
 Evaluate:  $\iint_{\Sigma} \frac{x dy dz + y dz dx + z dx dy}{r^3}$

### Solution

#### Method 1: Gauss's Divergence Theorem

Let  $\vec{F} = \left( \frac{x}{r^3}, \frac{y}{r^3}, \frac{z}{r^3} \right)$ . The divergence is:

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{F} = \frac{3}{r^3} - \frac{3(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)}{r^5} = 0 \quad (r \neq 0)$$

Since  $\vec{F}$  is singular at the origin, we consider a small sphere  $\Sigma_\epsilon$  of radius  $\epsilon$  around the origin. By the divergence theorem:

$$\iint_{\Sigma} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} = \iiint_V (\nabla \cdot \vec{F}) dV + \iint_{\Sigma_\epsilon} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} = [4\pi]$$

#### Method 2: Symmetry and Rotation

By symmetry, the three terms contribute equally:

$$\iint_{\Sigma} \frac{x dy dz}{r^3} = \iint_{\Sigma} \frac{y dz dx}{r^3} = \iint_{\Sigma} \frac{z dx dy}{r^3}$$

On  $\Sigma$ ,  $r = a$ , so we evaluate one component:

$$\iint_{\Sigma} \frac{z dx dy}{a^3} = \frac{1}{a^3} \iint_D 2a dx dy = \frac{2}{a^2} \cdot \pi a^2 = 2\pi$$

where  $D$  is the projection. Total integral is  $3 \times \frac{4\pi}{3}$ :  $[4\pi]$

#### Method 3: Surface Area Integral

Parameterize using spherical coordinates (with  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ ):

$$\vec{r}(\alpha, \beta) = a(\sin \alpha \cos \beta, \sin \alpha \sin \beta, \cos \alpha)$$

The normal vector is  $\vec{n} = a^2 \sin \alpha (\sin \alpha \cos \beta, \sin \alpha \sin \beta, \cos \alpha)$ . Then:

$$\vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} = \frac{a^3 \sin \alpha}{a^3} = \sin \alpha$$

Integrating over  $0 \leq \alpha \leq \pi$ ,  $0 \leq \beta \leq 2\pi$ :

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^\pi \sin \alpha d\alpha d\beta = [4\pi]$$

## 35 Problem

Compute the triple integral  $\iiint_{\Omega} z \, dx \, dy \, dz$ , where  $\Omega$  is the region bounded by the cone  $z = (h/R)\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$  and the plane  $z = h$  ( $R > 0, h > 0$ ).

### Solution

#### Method 1: Eliminating z

The region  $\Omega$  can be described as:

$$\frac{h}{R}\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \leq z \leq h$$

Projection on  $xy$ -plane is  $x^2 + y^2 \leq R^2$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-R}^R \int_{-\sqrt{R^2-x^2}}^{\sqrt{R^2-x^2}} \int_{(h/R)\sqrt{x^2+y^2}}^h z \, dz \, dy \, dx &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-R}^R \int_{-\sqrt{R^2-x^2}}^{\sqrt{R^2-x^2}} \left[ h^2 - \frac{h^2}{R^2}(x^2 + y^2) \right] dy \, dx \\ &= \frac{h^2}{2R^2} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^R (R^2 - r^2)r \, dr \, d\theta \\ &= \frac{h^2}{2R^2} \cdot 2\pi \cdot \frac{R^4}{4} = \boxed{\frac{1}{4}\pi R^2 h^2} \end{aligned}$$

#### Method 2: Cross-section at height z

At height  $z$ , the cross-section is a disk with radius  $r = (R/h)z$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^h z \left[ \iint_{x^2+y^2 \leq (Rz/h)^2} dx \, dy \right] dz &= \int_0^h z \left[ \pi \left( \frac{Rz}{h} \right)^2 \right] dz \\ &= \frac{\pi R^2}{h^2} \int_0^h z^3 dz = \boxed{\frac{1}{4}\pi R^2 h^2} \end{aligned}$$

#### Method 3: Spherical Coordinates

$$\alpha \in [0, 2\pi], \quad \beta \in \left[ 0, \arctan \left( \frac{R}{h} \right) \right], \quad \rho \in \left[ 0, \frac{h}{\cos \beta} \right],$$

$$\begin{aligned} \iiint_{\Omega} z \, dx \, dy \, dz &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\arctan(R/h)} \int_0^{h \sec \beta} (\rho \cos \beta) \cdot \rho^2 \sin \beta \, d\rho \, d\beta \, d\alpha \\ &= 2\pi \int_0^{\arctan(R/h)} \cos \beta \sin \beta \left( \int_0^{h \sec \beta} \rho^3 \, d\rho \right) d\beta \\ &= 2\pi \int_0^{\arctan(R/h)} \cos \beta \sin \beta \left( \frac{h^4 \sec^4 \beta}{4} \right) d\beta \\ &= \frac{\pi h^4}{2} \int_0^{\arctan(R/h)} \tan \beta \sec^2 \beta \, d\beta \\ &= \frac{\pi h^4}{2} \left[ \frac{\tan^2 \beta}{2} \right]_0^{\arctan(R/h)} \\ &= \frac{\pi h^4}{4} \left( \frac{R^2}{h^2} \right) \\ &= \boxed{\frac{1}{4}\pi R^2 h^2} \end{aligned}$$

## 36 Problem

Find the sum:  $S = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n(n^2 - n + 1)}{2^n}$

### Solution

Decompose the general term:

$$\frac{(-1)^n(n^2 - n + 1)}{2^n} = (-1)^n \frac{n^2}{2^n} - (-1)^n \frac{n}{2^n} + \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^n$$

Compute each series separately:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^n &= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{2}} = \frac{2}{3} \\ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{n}{2^n} &= \frac{-\frac{1}{2}}{(1 + \frac{1}{2})^2} = -\frac{2}{9} \\ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{n^2}{2^n} &= \frac{-\frac{1}{2}(1 - \frac{1}{2})}{(1 + \frac{1}{2})^3} = -\frac{2}{27} \\ S &= -\frac{2}{27} - \left(-\frac{2}{9}\right) + \frac{2}{3} = \boxed{\frac{22}{27}} \end{aligned}$$

## 37 Problem

Expansion of  $f(x) = \cos x$  as a Sine Series on  $[0, \pi]$

### Solution

We perform an odd extension of  $f(x)$  to  $[-\pi, \pi]$ :

$$f_{\text{odd}}(x) = \begin{cases} \cos x, & 0 \leq x \leq \pi \\ -\cos(-x), & -\pi \leq x < 0 \end{cases}$$

The sine series coefficients are:

$$b_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\pi \cos x \sin(nx) dx$$

Using the identity  $\cos x \sin(nx) = \frac{1}{2}[\sin(n+1)x + \sin(n-1)x]$ :

$$b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \left[ \int_0^\pi \sin(n+1)x dx + \int_0^\pi \sin(n-1)x dx \right]$$

Evaluating the integrals:

$$b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \left[ \frac{1 - (-1)^{n+1}}{n+1} + \frac{1 - (-1)^{n-1}}{n-1} \right]$$

For  $n = 1$ :

$$b_1 = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\pi \cos x \sin x dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^\pi \sin(2x) dx = 0$$

For  $n \geq 2$ :

$$b_n = \frac{2n[1 + (-1)^n]}{\pi(n^2 - 1)}$$

Only even  $n$  terms remain ( $n = 2, 4, 6, \dots$ ). The final expansion is:

$$\boxed{\cos x = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{4k}{\pi(4k^2 - 1)} \sin(2kx)}$$

## 38 Problem

If the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$  converges,  
provide counterexamples showing that the following series may not converge:

$$(i) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_n|$$

$$(ii) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n a_n$$

$$(iii) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n a_{n+1}$$

## Solution

$$1. \text{ For } a_n = \frac{(-1)^n}{n} : \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_n| = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \text{ diverges.}$$

$$2. \text{ For } a_n = \frac{(-1)^n}{n} : \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n a_n = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \text{ diverges.}$$

$$3. \text{ For } a_n = \frac{(-1)^n}{\sqrt{n}} : \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n a_{n+1} = - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{n(n+1)}} \text{ diverges since } \frac{1}{\sqrt{n(n+1)}} \geq \frac{1}{2n}.$$

## 39 Problem

Evaluate the limit:  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{3^k} \left(1 + \frac{1}{k}\right)^{k^2}$

## Solution

We have:

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{3^k} \left(1 + \frac{1}{k}\right)^{k^2} \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n \left(\frac{e}{3}\right)^k = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{C}{n} = \boxed{0}$$

where we used  $\left(1 + \frac{1}{k}\right)^{k^2} \leq e^k$  and  $C = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{e}{3}\right)^k < \infty$  since  $\frac{e}{3} < 1$ .

## 40 Problem

Given the function  $f(x) = \frac{2x^2}{1+x^2}$ , find the value of the 6th derivative at zero:  $f^{(6)}(0)$

## Solution

First, expand  $f(x)$  as a power series:

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

Thus,

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

The coefficient of  $x^6$  is  $2(-1)^2 = 2$ . Therefore:

$$\frac{f^{(6)}(0)}{6!} = 2 \implies f^{(6)}(0) = \boxed{2 \cdot 6!}$$

## 41 Problem

Find the sum function of the power series:  $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n^2 - 1}$

### Solution

$$\begin{aligned}
S(x) &= \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n^2 - 1} \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left( \frac{x^n}{n-1} - \frac{x^n}{n+1} \right) \quad (\text{Partial fractions}) \\
&= \frac{x}{2} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^k}{k} - \frac{1}{2x} \sum_{m=3}^{\infty} \frac{x^m}{m} \quad (\text{Index shift}) \\
&= -\frac{x}{2} \ln(1-x) + \frac{1}{2x} \left( \ln(1-x) + x + \frac{x^2}{2} \right) \quad (\text{Series for } \ln(1-x)) \\
&= \frac{x+2}{4} + \frac{\ln(1-x)}{2x} (1-x^2) \quad (\text{Simplified form})
\end{aligned}$$

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n^2 - 1} = \begin{cases} \frac{x+2}{4} + \frac{1-x^2}{2x} \ln(1-x) & \text{otherwise} \\ 0, & x=0 \end{cases}$$

## 42 Problem

Expand the function  $f(x) = \frac{1}{4} \ln \left( \frac{1+x}{1-x} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \arctan x - x$  into a power series of  $x$ :

### Solution

$$\begin{aligned}
\ln(1+x) &= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{k+1} \frac{x^k}{k}, \quad \text{for } |x| < 1 \\
\ln(1-x) &= -\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^k}{k}, \quad \text{for } |x| < 1 \\
\ln \left( \frac{1+x}{1-x} \right) &= \ln(1+x) - \ln(1-x) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} [(-1)^{k+1} + 1] \frac{x^k}{k} = 2 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{2n+1}}{2n+1} \\
\arctan x &= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (-1)^m \frac{x^{2m+1}}{2m+1}, \quad \text{for } |x| \leq 1 \\
f(x) &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{2n+1}}{2n+1} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (-1)^m \frac{x^{2m+1}}{2m+1} - x
\end{aligned}$$

Notice that the  $-x$  term cancels with the  $n = 0$  and  $m = 0$  terms from the series.

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} [1 + (-1)^k] \frac{x^{2k+1}}{2k+1}$$

The term  $1 + (-1)^k$  is non-zero only when  $k$  is even. Let  $k = 2n$ :

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2 \cdot \frac{x^{4n+1}}{4n+1} = \boxed{\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^{4n+1}}{4n+1}}$$

## 43 Problem

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^{n+1}}{n(n+1)}$$

### Solution

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{n+2} = 1 \Rightarrow R = 1 \quad (1)$$

$$x = 1 : \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(n+1)} \text{ converges} \quad (2)$$

$$x = -1 : \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n(n+1)} \text{ converges} \quad (3)$$

$$\text{Thus } x \in [-1, 1] \quad (4)$$

$$S(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^{n+1}}{n(n+1)} = x \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n(n+1)} \quad (5)$$

$$\text{Let } f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n(n+1)} \quad (6)$$

$$f'(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^{n-1}}{n+1} = \frac{1}{x^2} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n} = \frac{1}{x^2} (-\ln(1-x) - x) \quad (7)$$

$$f(x) = \int \frac{-\ln(1-x) - x}{x^2} dx = (1-x) \ln(1-x) + x \quad (8)$$

$$\Rightarrow S(x) = x[(1-x) \ln(1-x) + x] \quad \text{for } x \in [-1, 1] \quad (9)$$

$$\text{At } x = 1 : \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} S(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(n+1)} = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{N+1} \right) = 1 \quad (10)$$

$$S(x) = \begin{cases} x + x(1-x) \ln(1-x), & x \in [-1, 1) \\ 1, & x = 1 \end{cases} \quad (11)$$

## 44 Problem

Prove convergence of  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \int_{n\pi}^{(n+1)\pi} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx$ .

### Solution

#### Method 1: Alternating Series Test

Let  $I_n = \int_{n\pi}^{(n+1)\pi} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx$ . Since  $\frac{1}{(n+1)\pi} \leq \frac{1}{x} \leq \frac{1}{n\pi}$  on  $[n\pi, (n+1)\pi]$ , we have:

- For even  $n$ ,  $\sin x \leq 0 \Rightarrow I_n \leq 0$
- For odd  $n$ ,  $\sin x \geq 0 \Rightarrow I_n \geq 0$

The series alternates in sign. We estimate  $|I_n| \leq \frac{1}{n\pi} \int_{n\pi}^{(n+1)\pi} |\sin x| dx = \frac{2}{n\pi}$ . Since  $\frac{2}{n\pi}$  decreases to 0, by the Alternating Series Test.

$$\boxed{\sum I_n \text{ converges}}$$

#### Method 2: Absolute Convergence via Comparison

We show  $\sum |I_n|$  converges. Note that:

$$|I_n| \leq \int_{n\pi}^{(n+1)\pi} \frac{|\sin x|}{x} dx \leq \frac{1}{n\pi} \int_{n\pi}^{(n+1)\pi} |\sin x| dx = \frac{2}{n\pi}$$

Since  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{n\pi} = \frac{2}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$  diverges, this approach fails. Instead, consider:

$$|I_n| \leq \int_{n\pi}^{(n+1)\pi} \frac{|\sin x|}{x} dx \leq \frac{1}{n\pi} \int_0^{\pi} |\sin u| du = \frac{2}{n\pi}$$

While this gives the same bound, we can improve the estimate by integration by parts:

$$I_n = -\left. \frac{\cos x}{x} \right|_{n\pi}^{(n+1)\pi} - \int_{n\pi}^{(n+1)\pi} \frac{\cos x}{x^2} dx$$

The boundary terms telescope and the remaining integral is absolutely convergent since  $\left| \frac{\cos x}{x^2} \right| \leq \frac{1}{x^2}$ .

$$\boxed{\sum I_n \text{ converges}}$$

#### Method 3: Taylor Expansion

Let  $I_n = \int_{n\pi}^{(n+1)\pi} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx$ . Substitute  $x = n\pi + t$ :

$$I_n = (-1)^n \int_0^{\pi} \frac{\sin t}{n\pi + t} dt$$

Expand  $\sin t$  and  $(n\pi + t)^{-1}$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\sin t}{n\pi + t} &= \frac{t - \frac{t^3}{6} + \dots}{n\pi} \left( 1 - \frac{t}{n\pi} + \frac{t^2}{(n\pi)^2} - \dots \right) \\ I_n &\approx (-1)^n \left[ \frac{\pi}{2n} - \frac{\pi}{3n^2} + O\left(\frac{1}{n^3}\right) \right] \end{aligned}$$

The series  $\sum I_n$  converges as:

- $\sum (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{2n}$  converges (alternating series)
- $\sum \frac{1}{n^2}$  and higher order terms converge absolutely

$$\boxed{\sum I_n \text{ converges}}$$