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Formula Sheets

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Information

Formulae:

Scalar and vector projections:

The scalar projection, v_w , of \mathbf{v} in the direction of \mathbf{w} is given by

$$v_w = \frac{\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{w}}{|\mathbf{w}|}$$

The vector projection, \mathbf{v}_w , of \mathbf{v} in the direction of \mathbf{w} is given by

$$\mathbf{v}_w = \left(\frac{\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{w}}{|\mathbf{w}|^2} \right) \mathbf{w}$$

Vector cross product:

The vector cross product of vectors $\mathbf{v} = (v_x, v_y, v_z)$ and $\mathbf{w} = (w_x, w_y, w_z)$ is

$$\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{w} = (v_y w_z - v_z w_y, v_z w_x - v_x w_z, v_x w_y - v_y w_x)$$

Vector equation of a plane:

$$\mathbf{n} \cdot (\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{d}) = 0$$

Matrix inverse (2×2):

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{ad - bc} \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix}$$

for $ad - bc \neq 0$.

Schematic of Gauss-Jordan algorithm:

$$[A|I] \xrightarrow{\text{GJ}} [U|*] \xrightarrow{JA} [I|B] \quad \text{where } B = A^{-1}.$$

Derivative definition:

The derivative of $f(x)$ at the point x is defined as

$$\frac{df}{dx} = f'(x) = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{\Delta f}{\Delta x} \right) = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{f(x + \Delta x) - f(x)}{\Delta x} \right).$$

Information

Some rules for finding derivatives:

Description	Function	Derivative
Sum (or difference) of functions	$f(x) \pm g(x)$	$f'(x) \pm g'(x)$
Product of functions	$f(x)g(x)$	$f(x)g'(x) + g(x)f'(x)$
Quotient of functions	$\frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$	$\frac{g(x)f'(x) - f(x)g'(x)}{(g(x))^2}$

Chain rule for composite functions

If $u = g(x)$ and $y = f(u)$ so that $y = f(g(x))$ then

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du} \frac{du}{dx} = f'(u)g'(x)$$

Derivative rule for inverse functions

$$\text{If } y = f^{-1}(x) \Leftrightarrow x = f(y), \text{ then } \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{dx/dy} = \frac{1}{f'(y)}$$

Parametric differentiation:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dt} / \frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{g'(t)}{f'(t)} \quad \text{where } f'(t) = \frac{df}{dt} \text{ and } g'(t) = \frac{dg}{dt}.$$

Taylor series at $x = 0$:

$$T_n(x) = f(0) + \frac{f'(0)}{1!}x + \frac{f''(0)}{2!}x^2 + \frac{f^{(3)}(0)}{3!}x^3 + \dots + \frac{f^{(n)}(0)}{n!}x^n.$$

Integration by substitution:

$$I = \int f(x)dx = \int f(x(u)) \frac{dx}{du} du$$

Integration by parts:

$$\int f \frac{dg}{dx} dx = fg - \int g \frac{df}{dx} dx$$

Fundamental Theorem of Calculus:

If $f(x)$ is a continuous function on the interval $[a, b]$ and there is a function $F(x)$ such that $F'(x) = f(x)$, then

$$\int_a^b f(x)dx = F(b) - F(a)$$

Area between two curves. Given two continuous functions $f(x)$ and $g(x)$ where $f(x) \geq g(x)$ for all x in the interval $[a, b]$, the area of the region bounded by the curves $y = f(x)$ and $y = g(x)$, and the lines $x = a$ and $x = b$ is given by the definite integral

$$\int_a^b [f(x) - g(x)] dx$$

Trapezoidal rule:

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx \approx \frac{b-a}{2n} \left(f(a) + f(b) + 2 \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} f(x_i) \right)$$

Tangent plane to surface:

$$z = f(a, b) + f_x(a, b) \cdot (x - a) + f_y(a, b) \cdot (y - b)$$

Multivariate chain-rule:

$$\frac{df}{ds} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{dx}{ds} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{dy}{ds}$$

Directional derivative:

The *directional derivative* df/ds of a function f in the direction \underline{t} is given by

$$\frac{df}{ds} = \underline{t} \cdot \nabla f = \nabla_{\underline{t}} f$$

where the *gradient* ∇f is defined by

$$\nabla f = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \underline{i} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \underline{j}$$

and \underline{t} is a unit vector, $\underline{t} \cdot \underline{t} = 1$.

Quadratic approximation to surface:

$$T_2(x, y) = f(a, b) + f_x(a, b) \cdot (x - a) + f_y(a, b) \cdot (y - b) + \frac{1}{2!} [f_{xx}(a, b)(x - a)^2 + 2f_{xy}(a, b)(x - a)(y - b) + f_{yy}(a, b)(y - b)^2]$$

Information

Table of the derivatives of the basic functions of calculus	
Original function f	Derivative function f'
$\sin x$	$\cos x$
$\cos x$	$-\sin x$
$\tan x$	$\sec^2 x \equiv 1 + \tan^2 x$
$\operatorname{cosec} x \equiv 1/\sin x$	$-\operatorname{cosec} x \cdot \cot x$
$\sec x \equiv 1/\cos x$	$\sec x \cdot \tan x$
$\cot x \equiv 1/\tan x$	$-\operatorname{cosec}^2 x$
$\sin^{-1} x$ domain: $-1 \leq x \leq 1$ (ie $ x \leq 1$)	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$
$\cos^{-1} x$ domain: $-1 \leq x \leq 1$ (ie $ x \leq 1$)	$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$
$\tan^{-1} x$ domain: $-\infty < x < \infty$	$\frac{1}{1+x^2}$
e^x	e^x
$\ln x$ domain: $x > 0$	$\frac{1}{x}$

Table of Useful Power Series

Series	Domain
$\frac{1}{1-x} = 1 + x + x^2 + x^3 + \dots + x^n + \dots$	$-1 < x < 1$
$\frac{1}{1+x} = 1 - x + x^2 - x^3 + \dots + (-1)^n x^n + \dots$	$-1 < x < 1$
$e^x = 1 + x + \frac{1}{2!}x^2 + \frac{1}{3!}x^3 + \dots + \frac{1}{n!}x^n + \dots$	$-\infty < x < \infty$
$\ln(1+x) \equiv \log_e(1+x) = x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{3}x^3 - \frac{1}{4}x^4 + \dots + (-1)^n \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} + \dots$	$-1 < x \leq 1$
$\sin x = x - \frac{1}{3!}x^3 + \frac{1}{5!}x^5 - \frac{1}{7!}x^7 + \dots + (-1)^n \frac{x^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!} + \dots$	$-\infty < x < \infty$
$\cos x = 1 - \frac{1}{2!}x^2 + \frac{1}{4!}x^4 - \frac{1}{6!}x^6 + \dots + (-1)^n \frac{x^{2n}}{(2n)!} + \dots$	$-\infty < x < \infty$

Vectors, Lines and Planes

Question 1

What is the first component of the cross product of the vectors $(5, -2, 0)$ and $(2, 1, 2)$?

[Note: the first component of the vector $(5, -2, 0)$ is 5.]

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Question 3

The plane through the points $(1, 5, 2)$, $(5, 0, -4)$ and $(-3, -2, 0)$ can be written in the form $ax + by + cz = d$,

where $a =$, $b =$, $c =$, $d =$.

[This equation must be reduced to the lowest possible integer values.]

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Question 5

The line $(-5, -8, 10) + t(2, 2, -3)$ intersects the plane $3x - y - 4z = 1$ when the parametric variable $t =$.

The x coordinate (i.e. the first component) of this point of intersection is $x =$.

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Question 7

What is the minimum distance between the following two lines?

$$\begin{aligned} (x(t), y(t), z(t)) &= (-1, 4, 1) + t(1, 1, 0) \text{ and} \\ (x(s), y(s), z(s)) &= (2, -1, -1) + s(0, 1, -2)? \end{aligned}$$

Select one:

- ☐ a. 6
- ☐ b. 1
- ☐ c. 3
- ☐ d. $2\sqrt{8}$

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Question 9

What is first entry (1st row, 1st column) of the matrix $(BA)^{-1}$ for the following matrices?

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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Select one:

- ☐ a. -1/13
- ☐ b. 1/13
- ☐ c. -6/13
- ☐ d. -7/13

Question 11

Consider a linear system of m equations and n variables such that the coefficients form an $m \times n$ matrix, A . Let A have rank r . Which of the following statements is FALSE?

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Select one:

- ☐ a.
 r must be less than or equal to n .
- ☐ b.
The number of free variables is equal to $n - r$.
- ☐ c.
 m must be less than or equal to r .
- ☐ d.
The number of pivot variables is equal to r .

Question 13

Consider the system of 4 equations and 3 unknowns:

$$x - 2y + 2z = -4$$

$$2x + y - 3z = 7$$

$$-x + y + z = 1$$

$$2x + 2y - z = c$$

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The rank of the system is

The system will have one unique solution if the constant c is

For this value of c , the resulting solution has a value of for z .

Question 15

Which of the following is an expression for the tangent line to the curve defined by the parameterisation

$$x(t) = t^3 - 4t^2 \text{ and}$$

$$y(t) = 2t^3 - 4$$

at the value $t = 1$?

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Select one:

- ☐ a.
 $y = -3x/5 - 19/5$
- ☐ b.
 $y = -3x/5 + 1/5$
- ☐ c.
 $y = -6x/5 - 28/5$
- ☐ d.
 $y = -3x/5 + 2$

Question 17

The power series $1 - x + \frac{x^2}{2!} - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \dots$ is the Maclaurin series of which function?

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Select one:

- ☐ a. $\sin(-x)$
- ☐ b. $\cos(x)$
- ☐ c. e^{-x}
- ☐ d. $\ln(x)$
- ☐ e. $\arctan(-x)$

Question 19

Given the data set

x_1	x_2	x_3	x_4
y_1	y_2	y_3	y_4

and the polynomials $p_1(x), p_2(x), p_3(x)$

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comprising the natural cubic spline interpolating the data set. Which of the following is/are true?

I) $p_i(x_i) = y_{i-1}$ for all $i = 1, 2, 3$.

II) $p_i(x_i) = y_i$ for all $i = 1, 2, 3$.

III) $p_{i-1}(x_i) = p_i(x_{i-1})$ for all $i = 2, 3$.

IV) $p_{i-1}(x_i) = p_i(x_i)$ for all $i = 2, 3$.

V) $p'_{i-1}(x_i) = p'_i(x_{i-1})$ for all $i = 2, 3$.

VI) $p'_{i-1}(x_i) = p'_i(x_i)$ for all $i = 2, 3$.

VII) The fourth derivative of $p_i(x)$ is positive for all i .

VIII) The fourth derivative of $p_i(x)$ is negative for all i .

Select one:

- ☐ a. I), III), and V).
- ☐ b. I), V), and VII).
- ☐ c. II), IV), and VI).
- ☐ d. III), V), and VIII).
- ☐ e. All of the above
- ☐ f. None of the above

Integration

Question 21

Which one of the following is a valid expression of the integral

$$\int x\sqrt{x+3} \, dx \, ?$$

Select one:

☐ a.

$$\frac{2}{5}(x+3)^{\frac{5}{2}} - 2(x+3)^{\frac{3}{2}} + c$$

☐ b.

$$\frac{2}{3}(x+3)^{\frac{3}{2}} - 2(x+3)^{\frac{5}{2}} + c$$

☐ c.

$$\frac{2}{5}(x+3)^{\frac{5}{2}} - 2(x+3)^{\frac{3}{2}} + c$$

☐ d.

$$\frac{2}{5}(x+3)^{\frac{5}{2}} - 2(x+3)^{\frac{3}{2}} + c$$

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Question 23

Given the functions $f(x) = 3 - x^2$ and $g(x) = 1 - x$, use the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus to calculate the area bounded by the two curves over the interval $0 \leq x \leq 2$. Please write the answer as either an integer or a simple, reduced fraction.

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Multivariable Calculus

Question 25

The equation of the tangent plane to the ellipsoid $f(x, y, z) = x^2/9 + y^2/25 + z^2 = 1$ at the point $(0, 4, 3/5)$ is:

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Select one:

- ☐ a.
 $4y + 15z = 25$
- ☐ b.
 $4x + 4y + 15z = 25$
- ☐ c.
 $4x - 10z = 25$
- ☐ d.
 $4y - 15z = -2$

Question 27

Working in R^3 , what is the shape of the surface defined by the equation $\frac{z^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{4} = (x-1)^2$?

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Select one:

- ☐ a.
a paraboloid
- ☐ b.
a hyperboloid of one sheet
- ☐ c.
an elliptic cone
- ☐ d.
an ellipsoid

Question 29

A rectangular box of dimensions x , y and z is required to have a fixed volume of 20 cm^3 . The volume of the box is defined as $V(x, y, z) = xyz$. Let the cost of constructing the box be defined as $C(x, y, z) = 6xz + 6yz + 4xy$.

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The *constrained* cost of constructing the box may be represented as which one of the following?

Select one:

- ☐ a.
 $C(x, y, z) = \frac{120}{y} + \frac{120}{x} + 4xy$
- ☐ b.
 $C(x, y, z) = 120x^2z^2y + 120y^2z^2x + 80x^2yz$
- ☐ c.
 $C(x, y, z) = \frac{6}{20y} + \frac{6}{20x} + \frac{1}{5z}$
- ☐ d.
 $C(x, y, z) = \frac{6}{x} + \frac{6}{y} + \frac{4}{yz}$

