

# ES202 - Assignment Solutions

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# 1 Introduction

These are my solutions to the assignment given in the course ES202. It literally took me full 2 days (48 hours) to actually finish this. If I had done this via hand, it would take me at the very least around 10 days. It looks neater, it is actually legible, and I can use snippets in the  $\text{\LaTeX}$  Language-Server-Protocol to speed things up. Also, I have GPG/SSH-signed commits proving that *I* did every question in this paper by myself. It is not possible to prove that when it's done by hand.

## 1.1 My View on AI and Usage of LLMs in this Paper

I believe that Large-Language-Models (LLMs) can become a good tool in programming at some point, but that's about it. I don't believe it can actually replace most of the professions already in existence.

Putting my view aside, LLMs were only used in the formatting of this file. At no point, LLMs were used to solve the questions in the assignment, unlike other students taking the course who like to ask the help of LLMs even during the examinations. The reason this is written in  $\text{\LaTeX}$  rather than by hand, is only because I had no time to do it by hand, and wanted to improve my  $\text{\LaTeX}$  skills, and saw an opportunity to do so. The GPG/SSH-signed git commit history can be found in the GitHub repository

[jayshozie/es202-assignment](https://github.com/jayshozie/es202-assignment)

which also presents proof of the fact that this entire document was written by hand. You can check that on the same site by going into the *Commits* section above the files in the repository, and verify that they are all digitally signed, and were actually committed at the time that it's claiming it was.

The only reason I didn't make an LLM solve these, unlike other students, is the fact that I actually care about this course. I love linear algebra, that's why I was able to solve some questions that weren't even covered in the notes provided. I've been studying it for the past 5 years, basically non-stop, and that's because I was working with Machine Learning myself. I've written 8 different models myself, which were obviously done via matrices and matrix manipulations. I would rather not do this assignment, and accept 2 letter grades below, than make an AI do it for me. It wasn't fun either, because at the time I'm writing this, I have 4 different finals, including this course's, in 6 days. I would rather not do the assignment, than shout at an LLM for hours, just to make it correctly solve one of these questions.

Note: If you, for some reason, cannot click the hyperlink above, copy and paste this link to your browser to check my progress throughout this assignment to see the rock-solid proof of me writing this entire document line by line: <https://github.com/jayshozie/es202-assignment>

## 1.2 Explanation of Proof

The reason those commits cannot be forged is that, if you check the individual commits, they have both a commit-time, which can be altered, and a sign-time, which is both mathematically and logically impossible to correctly alter, since all commits were signed by the GPG protocol, which you know that is basically impossible to forge.

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## 2 Question 1

**Problem** An airplane is monitored at coordinates  $(5, 7, 4)$  relative to the airport (South, East, Up). Find the directional angles of the plane.

**Solution** Let the position vector of the plane be  $\vec{r}$ . We define the axes such that  $x = \text{South}$ ,  $y = \text{East}$ , and  $z = \text{Up}$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{r} &= 5\hat{i} + 7\hat{j} + 4\hat{k} \\ \|\vec{r}\| &= \sqrt{5^2 + 7^2 + 4^2} \\ &= \sqrt{25 + 49 + 16} \\ &= \sqrt{90} \\ &\approx 9.4868\end{aligned}$$

The directional angles  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  are given by the direction cosines:

$$\begin{aligned}\alpha &= \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{r_x}{\|\vec{r}\|} \right) & \beta &= \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{r_y}{\|\vec{r}\|} \right) & \gamma &= \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{r_z}{\|\vec{r}\|} \right) \\ &= \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{5}{\sqrt{90}} \right) & &= \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{7}{\sqrt{90}} \right) & &= \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{4}{\sqrt{90}} \right) \\ &\approx 58.19^\circ & &\approx 42.45^\circ & &\approx 64.06^\circ\end{aligned}$$

### 3 Question 2

**Problem** Prove that  $\|\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}\| \leq \|\vec{a}\| \cdot \|\vec{b}\|$

**Solution** By the geometric definition of the dot product, the angle  $\theta$  between the vectors  $\|\vec{a}\|$  and  $\|\vec{b}\|$  is given by:

$$\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = \|\vec{a}\| \|\vec{b}\| \cos \theta$$

We know that for any real angle  $\theta$ , the cosine function is bounded:

$$-1 \leq \cos \theta \leq 1 \implies \|\cos \theta\| \leq 1$$

Substituting this inequality back into our original equation:

$$\|\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}\| = \|\vec{a}\| \cdot \|\vec{b}\| \underbrace{\|\cos \theta\|}_{\leq 1}$$

Therefore proving:

$$\|\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}\| \leq \|\vec{a}\| \cdot \|\vec{b}\| \tag{1}$$

## 4 Question 3

**Problem** Prove  $\|\vec{a} + \vec{b}\| \leq \|\vec{a}\| + \|\vec{b}\|$

**Solution** Since magnitudes are non-negative by definition, proving the inequality is equivalent to proving it for the squares of the magnitudes. Consider the square of the sum:

$$\begin{aligned}\|\vec{a} + \vec{b}\|^2 &= (\vec{a} + \vec{b}) \cdot (\vec{a} + \vec{b}) \\ &= \vec{a} \cdot \vec{a} + 2(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}) + \vec{b} \cdot \vec{b} \\ &= \|\vec{a}\|^2 + 2(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}) + \|\vec{b}\|^2\end{aligned}$$

From (1) ([Cauchy-Schwartz Inequality](#)), we established that

$$\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} \leq \|\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}\| \leq \|\vec{a}\| \|\vec{b}\|$$

We substitute this upper bound into the equation:

$$\|\vec{a} + \vec{b}\|^2 \leq \|\vec{a}\|^2 + 2\|\vec{a}\| \|\vec{b}\| + \|\vec{b}\|^2$$

Recognizing the right-hand side as a perfect expansion  $(x + y)^2 = x^2 + 2xy + y^2$ :

$$\|\vec{a} + \vec{b}\|^2 \leq \left(\|\vec{a}\| + \|\vec{b}\|\right)^2$$

Taking the square root of both sides, which is valid since magnitudes are non-negative:

$$\|\vec{a} + \vec{b}\| \leq \|\vec{a}\| + \|\vec{b}\| \tag{2}$$



## 5 Question 4

**Problem** Prove  $\|\vec{a} \times \vec{b}\|^2 = \|\vec{a}\|^2 \|\vec{b}\|^2 - (\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b})^2$

**Solution** Magnitude of the vector-product of two vectors  $\vec{a}$  and  $\vec{b}$ , separated by an angle  $\theta$ , is defined as:

$$\|\vec{a} \times \vec{b}\| = \|\vec{a}\| \|\vec{b}\| \sin \theta \quad (3)$$

Square both sides:

$$\begin{aligned} \|\vec{a} \times \vec{b}\|^2 &= (\|\vec{a}\| \|\vec{b}\| \sin \theta)^2 \\ &= \|\vec{a}\|^2 \|\vec{b}\|^2 \sin^2 \theta \end{aligned}$$

Since,

$$\begin{aligned} \cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta &= 1 \\ \sin^2 \theta &= 1 - \cos^2 \theta \end{aligned}$$

By substituting that to our original equality's right-hand side, we get:

$$\|\vec{a} \times \vec{b}\|^2 = \|\vec{a}\|^2 \|\vec{b}\|^2 (1 - \cos^2 \theta)$$

Then, by distributing  $\|\vec{a}\|^2 \|\vec{b}\|^2$ , we get:

$$= \|\vec{a}\|^2 \|\vec{b}\|^2 - \|\vec{a}\|^2 \|\vec{b}\|^2 \cos^2 \theta$$

Observe that,

$$\|\vec{a}\|^2 \|\vec{b}\|^2 \cos^2 \theta = (\|\vec{a}\| \|\vec{b}\| \cos \theta)^2 = (\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b})^2$$

Thus, by substituting that, we complete our proof:

$$\|\vec{a} \times \vec{b}\|^2 = \|\vec{a}\|^2 \|\vec{b}\|^2 - (\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b})^2 \quad (4)$$

## 6 Question 5

**Problem** Let vectors  $\vec{u}_1 = (1, 0, 0)$ ,  $\vec{u}_2 = (1, 1, 0)$ , and  $\vec{u}_3 = (1, 1, 1)$  form a basis for the vector space  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Show that these vectors are linearly independent and express vector  $\vec{a} = (3, -4, 8)$  as a linear combination of them.

**Solution** We will divide our solution to two parts. In the first part, we'll prove that the given vectors  $\vec{u}_1$ ,  $\vec{u}_2$ , and  $\vec{u}_3$  are linearly independent, thus forming a basis for  $\mathbb{R}^3$ ; then we'll find a linear combination for the vector  $\vec{a}$ .

**Part 1. Linear Independence** We form a matrix  $A$  with the vectors  $\vec{u}_1$ ,  $\vec{u}_2$ , and  $\vec{u}_3$  as columns. The vectors are linearly independent if  $\det(A) \neq 0$ .

$$\det(A) = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

Since this is an upper-triangular matrix, the determinant is the product of the diagonal entries:

$$\det(A) = 1 \cdot 1 \cdot 1 = 1 \neq 0$$

Therefore, the vectors are linearly independent and form a basis for  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

**Part 2. Linear Combination** We wish to find coefficients  $c_1$ ,  $c_2$ , and  $c_3$  such that:

$$c_1 \cdot \vec{u}_1 + c_2 \cdot \vec{u}_2 + c_3 \cdot \vec{u}_3 = \vec{a}$$

This corresponds to the linear system:

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 8 \end{array} \right]$$

Using back-substitution:

1.  $c_3 = 8$
2.  $c_2 + 8 = -4 \implies c_2 = -12$
3.  $c_1 + (-12) + 8 = 3 \implies c_1 - 4 = 3 \implies c_1 = 7$

Using those coefficients, we can say that:

$$\vec{a} = 7\vec{u}_1 - 12\vec{u}_2 + 8\vec{u}_3$$

## 7 Question 6

**Problem** Obtain an orthonormal set from the given set of vectors using Gram-Schmidt Orthogonalization Process:

$$\vec{B} = \left\{ \left( \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 1 \right), \left( -1, 1, -\frac{1}{2} \right), \left( -1, \frac{1}{2}, 1 \right) \right\}$$

**Solution** Let the given vectors be  $\vec{v}_1$ ,  $\vec{v}_2$ , and  $\vec{v}_3$ . We will generate an orthogonal set  $\{\vec{u}_1, \vec{u}_2, \vec{u}_3\}$  and then normalize them to get the orthonormal set  $\{\vec{e}_1, \vec{e}_2, \vec{e}_3\}$ .

**Step 1. Process the first vector** To use the Gram-Schmidt Orthogonalization Process, we need to pick a vector. For convention, we'll pick  $\vec{v}_1$  as our first vector.

$$\vec{u}_1 = \vec{v}_1 = \left( \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 1 \right)$$

Calculating the magnitude of  $\vec{u}_1$  gives us:

$$\begin{aligned} \|\vec{u}_1\| &= \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 1^2} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

So, our first orthonormal vector  $\vec{e}_1$  is:

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{e}_1 &= \frac{\vec{u}_1}{\|\vec{u}_1\|} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \left( \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 1 \right) \end{aligned}$$

**Step 2. Orthogonalize the second vector** We calculate the projection of  $\vec{u}_2$  onto  $\vec{u}_1$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{v}_2 \cdot \vec{u}_1 &= (-1) \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) + (1) \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) + \left( -\frac{1}{2} \right) (1) = -\frac{1}{2} \\ \vec{u}_2 &= \vec{v}_2 - \frac{\vec{v}_2 \cdot \vec{u}_1}{\|\vec{u}_1\|^2} \vec{u}_1 = \left( -1, 1, -\frac{1}{2} \right) - \frac{-1/2}{3/2} \left( \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 1 \right) \\ &= \left( -1, 1, -\frac{1}{2} \right) + \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 1 \right) = \left( -\frac{5}{6}, \frac{7}{6}, -\frac{1}{6} \right) \end{aligned}$$

We, then, normalize  $\vec{u}_2$  by:

$$\begin{aligned}\|\vec{u}_2\|^2 &= \frac{25}{36} + \frac{49}{36} + \frac{1}{36} = \frac{75}{36} = \frac{25}{12} \implies \|\vec{u}_2\| = \frac{5}{2\sqrt{3}} \\ \vec{e}_2 &= \frac{\vec{u}_2}{\|\vec{u}_2\|} = \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{5} \left( -\frac{5}{6}, \frac{7}{6}, -\frac{1}{6} \right) = \left( -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}, \frac{7\sqrt{3}}{15}, -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{15} \right)\end{aligned}$$

**Step 3. Orthogonalize the third vector** Formula:  $\vec{u}_3 = \vec{v}_3 - \text{proj}_{\vec{u}_1}(\vec{v}_3) - \text{proj}_{\vec{u}_2}(\vec{v}_3)$ . First, we compute the projection coefficients:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\vec{v}_3 \cdot \vec{u}_1}{\|\vec{u}_1\|^2} &= \frac{(-1)(\frac{1}{2}) + (\frac{1}{2})(\frac{1}{2}) + (1)(1)}{3/2} = \frac{3/4}{3/2} = \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{\vec{v}_3 \cdot \vec{u}_2}{\|\vec{u}_2\|^2} &= \frac{(-1)(-\frac{5}{6}) + (\frac{1}{2})(\frac{7}{6}) + (1)(-\frac{1}{6})}{25/12} = \frac{\frac{5}{6} + \frac{7}{12} - \frac{2}{12}}{25/12} = \frac{15/12}{25/12} = \frac{3}{5}\end{aligned}$$

Now substitute back to find  $\vec{u}_3$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{u}_3 &= \vec{v}_3 - \frac{1}{2}\vec{u}_1 - \frac{3}{5}\vec{u}_2 \\ &= \left( -1, \frac{1}{2}, 1 \right) - \left( \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{2} \right) - \left( -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{7}{10}, -\frac{1}{10} \right) \\ &= (-1 - 0.25 + 0.5, \quad 0.5 - 0.25 - 0.7, \quad 1 - 0.5 + 0.1) \\ &= (-0.75, -0.45, 0.6) = \left( -\frac{3}{4}, -\frac{9}{20}, \frac{3}{5} \right)\end{aligned}$$

Normalize  $\vec{u}_3$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\|\vec{u}_3\|^2 &= \frac{9}{16} + \frac{81}{400} + \frac{9}{25} = \frac{225 + 81 + 144}{400} = \frac{450}{400} = \frac{9}{8} \\ \vec{e}_3 &= \frac{\vec{u}_3}{\sqrt{9/8}} = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3} \left( -\frac{3}{4}, -\frac{9}{20}, \frac{3}{5} \right) = \left( -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, -\frac{3\sqrt{2}}{10}, \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{5} \right)\end{aligned}$$

**Final Answer** The orthonormal set is  $\{\vec{e}_1, \vec{e}_2, \vec{e}_3\}$ , where:

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{e}_1 &= \left( \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2\sqrt{3}}, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2\sqrt{3}}, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}} \right) \\ \vec{e}_2 &= \left( -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}, \frac{7\sqrt{3}}{15}, -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{15} \right) \\ \vec{e}_3 &= \left( -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, -\frac{3\sqrt{2}}{10}, \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{5} \right)\end{aligned}$$

## 8 Question 7

**Problem** Verify that the matrix  $A$  satisfies its own characteristic equation

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Solution**

**Step 1. Find the Characteristic Equation** The characteristic equation of a matrix is given by  $\det(A - \lambda I) = 0$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \det(A - \lambda I) &= \begin{vmatrix} 1 - \lambda & -2 \\ 4 & 5 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} \\ &= (1 - \lambda)(5 - \lambda) - (-2)(4) \\ &= (5 - \lambda - 5\lambda + \lambda^2) - (-8) \\ &= \lambda^2 - 6\lambda + 5 + 8 \\ &= \lambda^2 - 6\lambda + 13 \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the characteristic equation is  $\lambda^2 - 6\lambda + 13 = 0$ .

**Step 2. Verify for Matrix A** According to the Cayley-Hamilton theorem, the matrix  $A$  should satisfy:

$$A^2 - 6A + 13I = 0$$

First, we calculate  $A^2$ :

$$\begin{aligned} A^2 &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} (1)(1) + (-2)(4) & (1)(-2) + (-2)(5) \\ (4)(1) + (5)(4) & (4)(-2) + (5)(5) \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 - 8 & -2 - 10 \\ 4 + 20 & -8 + 25 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -7 & -12 \\ 24 & 17 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Now, we substitute  $A^2$  and  $A$  into the equation:

$$\begin{aligned} A^2 - 6A + 13I &= \begin{bmatrix} -7 & -12 \\ 24 & 17 \end{bmatrix} - 6 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix} + 13 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -7 & -12 \\ 24 & 17 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -12 \\ 24 & 30 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 13 & 0 \\ 0 & 13 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -7 - 6 + 13 & -12 - (-12) + 0 \\ 24 - 24 + 0 & 17 - 30 + 13 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

The result is the zero matrix, verifying that  $A$  satisfies its own characteristic equation.

## 9 Question 8

**Problem** Compute  $A^m : A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $m = 6$ .

**Solution** We will compute  $A^6$  by diagonalizing the matrix. We find matrices  $P$  and  $D$  such that  $A = PDP^{-1}$ , which implies  $A^6 = PD^6P^{-1}$ .

**Step 1. Find Eigenvalues** Since  $A$  is an upper triangular matrix, its eigenvalues are the diagonal entries:

$$\lambda_1 = -1, \quad \lambda_2 = -3$$

### Step 2. Find Eigenvectors

For  $\lambda_1 = -1$ :

$$(A - (-1)I)\vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

From row 1:

$$2y = 0 \implies y = 0$$

$x$  is a free variable, so we choose

$$\vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

For  $\lambda_2 = -3$ :

$$(A - (-3)I)\vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

From row 1:

$$2x + 2y = 0 \implies x = -y$$

Let  $y = 1$ , then  $x = -1$ . We choose

$$\vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Step 3. Construct Matrices  $P$  and  $D$**  The matrix  $P$  consists of the eigenvectors, and  $D$  contains the eigenvalues:

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad D = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

We need to find to have the final diagonalization formula  $P^{-1}$ . Observe that the determinant of  $P$  is  $(1)(1) - (-1)(0) = 1$ .

$$P^{-1} = \frac{1}{1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Step 4. Compute  $A^6$**  Using the diagonalization formula:

$$\begin{aligned} A^6 &= PD^6P^{-1} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} (-1)^6 & 0 \\ 0 & (-3)^6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 729 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -729 \\ 0 & 729 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1(1) + (-729)(0) & 1(1) + (-729)(1) \\ 0(1) + 729(0) & 0(1) + 729(1) \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -728 \\ 0 & 729 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

## 10 Question 9

**Problem** Determine whether the given matrix  $A$  is diagonalizable. If so, find the matrix  $P$  that diagonalizes  $A$ , and the diagonal matrix  $D$  such that  $D = P^{-1}AP$ .

**Solution**

**Step 1. Find Eigenvalues** We solve the characteristic equation  $\det(A - \lambda I) = 0$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & 5 \\ 1 & -\lambda \end{vmatrix} &= 0 \\ (-\lambda)(-\lambda) - (5)(1) &= 0 \\ \lambda^2 - 5 &= 0 \implies \lambda = \pm\sqrt{5} \end{aligned}$$

Since there are two distinct real eigenvalues, the matrix is diagonalizable. Let  $\lambda_1 = \sqrt{5}$  and  $\lambda_2 = -\sqrt{5}$ .

**Step 2. Find Eigenvectors**

For  $\lambda_1 = \sqrt{5}$ :

$$(A - \sqrt{5}I)\vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -\sqrt{5} & 5 \\ 1 & -\sqrt{5} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

From the second row:

$$1x - \sqrt{5}y = 0 \implies x = \sqrt{5}y$$

Let  $y = 1$ , then  $x = \sqrt{5}$ . We choose the eigenvector  $\vec{v}_1$  corresponding to the eigenvalue  $\lambda_1$  as:

$$\vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{5} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

For  $\lambda_2 = -\sqrt{5}$ :

$$(A - (-\sqrt{5})I)\vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{5} & 5 \\ 1 & \sqrt{5} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

From the second row:

$$1x + \sqrt{5}y = 0 \implies x = -\sqrt{5}y$$

Let  $y = 1$ , then  $x = -\sqrt{5}$ . We choose the eigenvector  $\vec{v}_2$  corresponding to the eigenvalue  $\lambda_2$  as:

$$\vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -\sqrt{5} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



**Step 3. Construct Matrices  $P$  and  $D$**  The diagonal matrix  $D$  contains the eigenvalues, and  $P$  contains the corresponding eigenvectors as columns.

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{5} & 0 \\ 0 & -\sqrt{5} \end{bmatrix}, \quad P = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{5} & -\sqrt{5} \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

So, the matrix  $A$  is diagonalizable with the matrices  $P$  and  $D$  given above.

## 11 Question 10

**Problem** Find a basis for i) column space, ii) row space, iii) null space of matrix  $A$ :

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 6 & 6 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & 4 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Solution** To find the bases, we perform Gaussian Elimination to reduce matrix  $A$  to Row Echelon Form (REF).

**Step 1. Row Reduction** Swap  $R_1$  and  $R_2$  to get a pivot in the first column:

$$\xrightarrow{R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 6 & 6 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & 4 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eliminate the entry in  $R_4$  using  $R_1$  ( $R_4 \rightarrow R_4 - R_1$ ):

$$\xrightarrow{R_4 - R_1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 6 & 6 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & 4 \\ 0 & -2 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Simplify  $R_2$  by dividing by 6 ( $R_2 \rightarrow \frac{1}{6}R_2$ ):

$$\xrightarrow{\frac{1}{6}R_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & 4 \\ 0 & -2 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eliminate entries below the second pivot ( $R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_2$  and  $R_4 \rightarrow R_4 + 2R_2$ ):

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -4 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Simplify  $R_3$  ( $R_3 \rightarrow -\frac{1}{4}R_3$ ) to get pivot 1:

$$\xrightarrow{-\frac{1}{4}R_3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eliminate the entry in  $R_4$  ( $R_4 \rightarrow R_4 - 3R_3$ ):

$$\xrightarrow{R_4-3R_3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} : \text{REF}$$

Now that the matrix is in **Row Echelon Form**, we have pivots in columns 1, 2, 3, and 4. Since there are 4 pivots for a  $4 \times 4$  matrix, the matrix has Full Rank (Rank = 4).

**i) Basis for Column Space** The basis for the column space consists of the pivot columns from the **original** matrix  $A$ . Since all columns have pivots:

$$\text{Basis}_{Col} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 1 \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

**ii) Basis for Row Space** The basis for the row space consists of the non-zero rows of the **Row Echelon Form**:

$$\text{Basis}_{Row} = \{(1, 2, 1, 1), (0, 1, 1, 0), (0, 0, 1, -1), (0, 0, 0, 1)\}$$

**iii) Basis for Null Space** The null space is found by solving  $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$ . Since the matrix is full rank, there are no free variables. The only solution is the trivial solution  $\vec{x} = \vec{0}$ .

$$\text{Null Space} = \{\vec{0}\}$$

The dimension of the null space is 0, so the basis is the empty set  $\emptyset$ .

## 12 Question 11

**Problem** Obtain an orthonormal set from the given set of vectors using Gram-Schmidt Orthogonalization Process.

$$\vec{V}_1 = (1, 0, 1), \quad \vec{V}_2 = (1, 1, 0), \quad \vec{V}_3 = (1, -2, -3)$$

**Solution** We generate an orthogonal set  $\{\vec{u}_1, \vec{u}_2, \vec{u}_3\}$  and then normalize to get  $\{\vec{e}_1, \vec{e}_2, \vec{e}_3\}$ .

**Step 1. Process first vector**

Set  $\vec{u}_1 = \vec{V}_1 = (1, 0, 1)$ .

$$\|\vec{u}_1\|^2 = 1^2 + 0^2 + 1^2 = 2 \implies \|\vec{u}_1\| = \sqrt{2}$$

The first orthonormal vector is:

$$\vec{e}_1 = \frac{\vec{u}_1}{\sqrt{2}} = \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, 0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

**Step 2. Orthogonalize second vector**

Calculate projection of  $\vec{V}_2$  onto  $\vec{u}_1$ :

$$\vec{V}_2 \cdot \vec{u}_1 = (1)(1) + (1)(0) + (0)(1) = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{u}_2 &= \vec{V}_2 - \frac{\vec{V}_2 \cdot \vec{u}_1}{\|\vec{u}_1\|^2} \vec{u}_1 \\ &= (1, 1, 0) - \frac{1}{2} (1, 0, 1) \\ &= (1, 1, 0) - (0.5, 0, 0.5) \\ &= (0.5, 1, -0.5) = \left( \frac{1}{2}, 1, -\frac{1}{2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Normalize  $\vec{u}_2$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \|\vec{u}_2\|^2 &= \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^2 + 1^2 + \left( -\frac{1}{2} \right)^2 = \frac{1}{4} + 1 + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{3}{2} \\ \|\vec{u}_2\| &= \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \\ \vec{e}_2 &= \frac{\vec{u}_2}{\sqrt{3/2}} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \left( \frac{1}{2}, 1, -\frac{1}{2} \right) = \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \right) \end{aligned}$$

**Step 3. Orthogonalize third vector**

Formula:  $\vec{u}_3 = \vec{V}_3 - \text{proj}_{\vec{u}_1}(\vec{V}_3) - \text{proj}_{\vec{u}_2}(\vec{V}_3)$ . First, compute the dot products:

$$\vec{V}_3 \cdot \vec{u}_1 = (1)(1) + (-2)(0) + (-3)(1) = 1 - 3 = -2$$

$$\vec{V}_3 \cdot \vec{u}_2 = (1)(0.5) + (-2)(1) + (-3)(-0.5) = 0.5 - 2 + 1.5 = 0$$

Since  $\vec{V}_3 \cdot \vec{u}_2 = 0$ , the vector  $\vec{V}_3$  is already orthogonal to  $\vec{u}_2$ , so the second projection term is zero.

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{u}_3 &= \vec{V}_3 - \frac{-2}{2}\vec{u}_1 - 0 \\ &= (1, -2, -3) - (-1)(1, 0, 1) \\ &= (1, -2, -3) + (1, 0, 1) \\ &= (2, -2, -2)\end{aligned}$$

Normalize  $\vec{u}_3$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\|\vec{u}_3\| &= \sqrt{2^2 + (-2)^2 + (-2)^2} = \sqrt{4 + 4 + 4} = \sqrt{12} = 2\sqrt{3} \\ \vec{e}_3 &= \frac{(2, -2, -2)}{2\sqrt{3}} = \frac{(1, -1, -1)}{\sqrt{3}} = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)\end{aligned}$$

The orthonormal set is  $\{\vec{e}_1, \vec{e}_2, \vec{e}_3\}$ , where

$$\vec{e}_1 = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, 0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right), \quad \vec{e}_2 = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}\right), \quad \vec{e}_3 = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$$

## 13 Question 12

### Problem

- i) Given the force field  $\vec{f} = (y + z)\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + 4x^2y\hat{k}$ , is the field conservative?
- ii) For  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ , find the values of the real numbers "a and c" for which the following system of equations has;
- a) No Solution
  - b) Unique Solution
  - c) Parametric Solution
  - d) Write the ranks of matrices  $[A]$  and  $[A|\vec{b}]$  for parts a, b, and c.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & a \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ and } \vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} c \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

### Solution

#### i) Is the force field conservative?

A vector field  $\vec{f}$  is conservative if  $\nabla \times \vec{f} = \vec{0}$ . So, let us calculate the curl of that field:

$$\nabla \times \vec{f} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ (y + z) & y & 4x^2y \end{vmatrix}$$

Expanding the determinant, we get:

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{i}\text{-Component: } & \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(4x^2y) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(y) = 4x^2 - 0 = 4x^2 \\ \hat{j}\text{-Component: } & \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(y + z) - \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(4x^2y) = 1 - 8xy \\ \hat{k}\text{-Component: } & \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(y) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(y + z) = 0 - 1 = -1 \end{aligned}$$

The result is:

$$\nabla \times \vec{f} = (4x^2)\hat{i} + (1 - 8xy)\hat{j} - \hat{k} \neq \vec{0}$$

Since the curl of  $\vec{f}$  is not the zero vector, the force field is **not conservative**.

#### ii) System of Equations Analysis

We perform Gaussian Elimination on the augmented matrix  $[A|\vec{b}]$  to find the **Row Echelon Form**.

### Step 1. Row Reduction

$$[A|\vec{b}] = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & 1 & 1 & c \\ 1 & 0 & a & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 & 2 \end{array} \right]$$

Swap  $R_1$  and  $R_2$  to get a pivot in the first column:

$$\xrightarrow{R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & a & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & c \\ 1 & 1 & 2 & 2 \end{array} \right]$$

Eliminate the pivot in  $R_3$  ( $R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1$ ):

$$\xrightarrow{R_3 - R_1} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & a & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & c \\ 0 & 1 & 2 - a & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

Eliminate the entry in  $R_3$  in column 2 ( $R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_2$ ):

$$\xrightarrow{R_3 - R_2} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & a & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & c \\ 0 & 0 & 1 - a & 1 - c \end{array} \right]$$

The behavior of the system depends entirely on the pivot term  $(1 - a)$  and the result term  $(1 - c)$ .

### Analysis of Cases

**a) No Solution** For this system to be inconsistent, we need a row of the form  $[0 \ 0 \ 0 \ | \ k]$  where  $k \neq 0$ .

$$1 - a = 0 \implies a = 1, \quad \text{and} \quad 1 - c \neq 0 \implies c \neq 1$$

**Ranks:**  $r[A] = 2$ ,  $r[A|\vec{b}] = 3$ .

**b) Unique Solution** For a unique solution, we need full rank (3 pivots), meaning the term  $(1 - a)$  cannot be zero.

$$1 - a \neq 0 \implies a \neq 1, \quad c \in \mathbb{R} \text{ (} c \text{ can be any real number)}$$

**Ranks:**  $r[A] = 3$ ,  $r[A|\vec{b}] = 3$ .

**c) Parametric Solution** For infinite solutions, we need a free variable, meaning the last row must be entirely zero  $[0 \ 0 \ 0 \ | \ 0]$ .

$$1 - a = 0 \implies a = 1, \quad \text{and} \quad 1 - c = 0 \implies c = 1$$

**Ranks:**  $r[A] = 2$ ,  $r[A|\vec{b}] = 2$ .

## 14 Question 13

**Problem** Compute  $A^m$  and use this result to compute the indicated power of the matrix  $A$ .

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 2 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \\ -3 & -6 & 0 \end{bmatrix} : m = 5$$

**Solution** We diagonalize the matrix as  $A = PDP^{-1}$ , which implies  $A^5 = PD^5P^{-1}$ .

### Step 1. Find the Eigenvalues

The characteristic equation is:

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} -2 - \lambda & 2 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 - \lambda & -2 \\ -3 & -6 & -\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

Expanding along the first row:

$$\begin{aligned} &= (-2 - \lambda) [(1 - \lambda)(-\lambda) - (-2)(-6)] - 2 [2(-\lambda) - (-2)(-3)] + (-1) [2(-6) - (1 - \lambda)(-3)] \\ &= -(2 + \lambda) [-\lambda + \lambda^2 - 12] - 2 [-2\lambda - 6] - 1 [-12 + 3 - 3\lambda] \\ &= -(2 + \lambda)(\lambda^2 - \lambda - 12) + 4\lambda + 12 + 9 + 3\lambda \\ &= -(2\lambda^2 - 2\lambda - 24 + \lambda^3 - \lambda^2 - 12\lambda) + 7\lambda + 21 \\ &= -(\lambda^3 + \lambda^2 - 14\lambda - 24) + 7\lambda + 21 \\ &= -\lambda^3 - \lambda^2 + 14\lambda + 24 + 7\lambda + 21 \\ &= -\lambda^3 - \lambda^2 + 21\lambda + 45 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Multiplying by  $-1$ , we solve  $\lambda^3 + \lambda^2 - 21\lambda - 45 = 0$ . Testing integer roots (factors of 45), we find  $\lambda = 5$ :

$$(5)^3 + (5)^2 - 21(5) - 45 = 125 + 25 - 105 - 45 = 150 - 150 = 0$$

Thus  $(\lambda - 5)$  is a factor. Performing polynomial division gives  $(\lambda - 5)(\lambda + 3)^2 = 0$ . The eigenvalues are  $\lambda_1 = 5$  and  $\lambda_{2,3} = -3$ .

### Step 2. Find Eigenvectors

**Case 1.**  $\lambda = 5$

Solve  $(A - 5I)\vec{v} = \vec{0}$ :

$$\begin{bmatrix} -7 & 2 & -1 \\ 2 & -4 & -2 \\ -3 & -6 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_2 \leftrightarrow R_1} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -4 & -2 \\ -7 & 2 & -1 \\ -3 & -6 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1/2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & -1 \\ -7 & 2 & -1 \\ -3 & -6 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$$



Eliminate  $R_2$  ( $R_2 + 7R_1$ ) and  $R_3$  ( $R_3 + 3R_1$ ):

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & -1 \\ 0 & -12 & -8 \\ 0 & -12 & -8 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-R_2/4} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

From  $R_2$ :  $3y + 2z = 0 \implies y = -\frac{2}{3}z$ . Let  $z = -3$ , then  $y = 2$ . From  $R_1$ :  $x - 2y - z = 0 \implies x = 2(2) + (-3) = 1$ .

$$\vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Case 2.**  $\lambda = -3$  Solve  $(A + 3I)\vec{v} = \vec{0}$ :

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 2 & 4 & -2 \\ -3 & -6 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_2 - 2R_1, R_3 + 3R_1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Equation:  $x + 2y - z = 0 \implies x = -2y + z$ . Two free variables  $(y, z)$ .

1. Let  $y = 1, z = 0 \implies x = -2$ .

$$\implies \vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

2. Let  $y = 0, z = 1 \implies x = 1$ .

$$\implies \vec{v}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Step 3. Construct  $P$ ,  $D$ , and  $P^{-1}$**

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ -3 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad D = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

First, calculate  $\det(P)$ :

$$\det(P) = 1(1 - 0) - (-2)(2 - 0) + 1(0 - (-3)) = 1 + 4 + 3 = 8$$

Now, find the Cofactor Matrix  $C$ :

$$\begin{array}{lll} C_{11} = +(1) & C_{12} = -(2) & C_{13} = +(3) \\ C_{21} = -(-2) = 2 & C_{22} = +(1 - (-3)) = 4 & C_{23} = -(0 - 6) = 6 \\ C_{31} = +(-1) & C_{32} = -(0 - 2) = 2 & C_{33} = +(1 - (-4)) = 5 \end{array}$$

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 \\ -1 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \implies \text{adj}(P) = C^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ -2 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 6 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P^{-1} = \frac{1}{8} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ -2 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 6 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Step 4. Compute  $A^5$**  We calculate  $A^5$  using the formula  $A^5 = PD^5P^{-1}$ . First, compute the diagonal power matrix  $D^5$ :

$$D^5 = \begin{bmatrix} 5^5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & (-3)^5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & (-3)^5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3125 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -243 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -243 \end{bmatrix}$$

Next, we calculate:

$$\begin{aligned} PD^5P^{-1} &= \\ &= \frac{1}{8} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ -3 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3125 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -243 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -243 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ -2 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 6 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{8} \begin{bmatrix} (3125) & ((-2)(-243)) & (-243) \\ ((2)(3125)) & (-243) & (0) \\ ((-3)(3125)) & (0) & (-243) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ -2 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 6 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{8} \begin{bmatrix} 3125 & 486 & -243 \\ 6250 & -243 & 0 \\ -9375 & 0 & -243 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ -2 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 6 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

### Calculation of the Final Matrix

$$\begin{aligned} c_{11} &= (3125)(1) + (486)(-2) + (-243)(3) = 3125 - 972 - 729 = 1424 \\ c_{12} &= (3125)(2) + (486)(4) + (-243)(6) = 6250 + 1944 - 1458 = 6736 \\ c_{13} &= (3125)(-1) + (486)(2) + (-243)(5) = -3125 + 972 - 1215 = -3368 \\ c_{21} &= (6250)(1) + (-243)(-2) + (0)(3) = 6250 + 486 + 0 = 6736 \\ c_{22} &= (6250)(2) + (-243)(4) + (0)(6) = 12500 - 972 + 0 = 11528 \\ c_{23} &= (6250)(-1) + (-243)(2) + (0)(5) = -6250 - 486 + 0 = -6736 \\ c_{31} &= (-9375)(1) + (0)(-2) + (-243)(3) = -9375 - 729 = -10104 \\ c_{32} &= (-9375)(2) + (0)(4) + (-243)(6) = -18750 - 1458 = -20208 \\ c_{33} &= (-9375)(-1) + (0)(2) + (-243)(5) = 9375 - 1215 = 8160 \end{aligned}$$

Substituting these values into the matrix, and dividing by 8 gives us the final matrix:

$$A^5 = \frac{1}{8} \begin{bmatrix} c_{11} & c_{12} & c_{13} \\ c_{21} & c_{22} & c_{23} \\ c_{31} & c_{32} & c_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 178 & 842 & -421 \\ 842 & 1441 & -842 \\ -1263 & -2526 & 1020 \end{bmatrix}$$

## 15 Question 14

**Problem** Use the properties of diagonalization of matrices to identify the given conic section:

$$16x^2 + 24xy + 9y^2 - 3x + 4y = 0$$

**Solution** The quadratic equation can be written in the matrix form

$$\vec{x}^T A \vec{x} + K \vec{x} = 0$$

where the matrix  $A$  represents the quadratic coefficients:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 16 & 12 \\ 12 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Step 1. Find Eigenvalues of A** We determine the type of conic section by inspecting the eigenvalues of  $A$ .

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} 16 - \lambda & 12 \\ 12 & 9 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$(16 - \lambda)(9 - \lambda) - (12)(12) = 0$$

$$(144 - 16\lambda - 9\lambda + \lambda^2) - 144 = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - 25\lambda = 0$$

$$\lambda(\lambda - 25) = 0$$

The eigenvalues are  $\lambda_1 = 25$  and  $\lambda_2 = 0$ .

**Conclusion** Since one of the eigenvalues is zero ( $\lambda_2 = 0$ ), the determinant of the quadratic form matrix is zero. This indicates that the conic section is a *Parabola*.

**Step 2. Verification via Rotation** To confirm the standard form, we diagonalize the quadratic part. The eigenvectors are found as follows:

For  $\lambda_1 = 25$ :

$$\begin{bmatrix} -9 & 12 \\ 12 & -16 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \vec{0} \implies -3x + 4y = 0 \implies \vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Normalized:  $\vec{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 4/5 \\ 3/5 \end{bmatrix}$ .

For  $\lambda_2 = 0$ :

$$\begin{bmatrix} 16 & 12 \\ 12 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \vec{0} \implies 4x + 3y = 0 \implies \vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

Normalized:  $\vec{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -3/5 \\ 4/5 \end{bmatrix}$ .

The rotation matrix  $P = \begin{bmatrix} 4/5 & -3/5 \\ 3/5 & 4/5 \end{bmatrix}$ . Substituting coordinates  $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = P \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix}$  into the linear term  $-3x + 4y$ :

$$\begin{aligned} -3x + 4y &= \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} P \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.8 & -0.6 \\ 0.6 & 0.8 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} \\ &= (-2.4 + 2.4)x' + (1.8 + 3.2)y' \\ &= 0x' + 5y' \end{aligned}$$

The rotated equation is:

$$25(x')^2 + 0(y')^2 + 5y' = 0 \implies 25(x')^2 = -5y' \implies (x')^2 = -\frac{1}{5}y'$$

This confirms the shape is a *Parabola*.

## 16 Question 15

**Problem** A quadratic form is given by

$$5x^2 - 2xy + 5y^2 = 24$$

Identify the conic section and illustrate the graph for the orthogonal form.

**Solution** The equation can be written in matrix form  $\vec{x}^T A \vec{x} = 24$ , where:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -1 \\ -1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Step 1. Find Eigenvalues** We solve the characteristic equation:

$$\begin{aligned} \det(A - \lambda I) &= \begin{vmatrix} 5 - \lambda & -1 \\ -1 & 5 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0 \\ (5 - \lambda)^2 - (-1)(-1) &= 0 \\ (5 - \lambda)^2 - 1 &= 0 \\ (5 - \lambda)^2 = 1 &\implies 5 - \lambda = \pm 1 \end{aligned}$$

The eigenvalues are:

$$\lambda_1 = 5 - 1 = 4, \quad \lambda_2 = 5 + 1 = 6$$

**Step 2. Identification** Since both eigenvalues ( $\lambda_1 = 4, \lambda_2 = 6$ ) are positive, the conic section is an *Ellipse*.

**Step 3. Orthonormal Form** The equation in the new coordinate system  $(x', y')$  defined by the eigenvectors is:

$$\lambda_1(x')^2 + \lambda_2(y')^2 = 24$$

$$4(x')^2 + 6(y')^2 = 24$$

Dividing by 24 to reach the standard form of an ellipse:

$$\frac{(x')^2}{6} + \frac{(y')^2}{4} = 1$$

Here, the semi-major axis is  $a = \sqrt{6} \approx 2.45$  (along the  $x'$  axis) and the semi-minor axis is  $b = 2$  (along the  $y'$  axis).

**Step 4. Illustration** To find the orientation of the axes, we find the eigenvector for  $\lambda_1 = 4$ :

$$(A - 4I)\vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \vec{0} \implies x - y = 0 \implies x = y$$

The principal axis  $x'$  is along the vector  $(1, 1)$ , which is a  $45^\circ$  rotation from the standard  $x$ -axis.

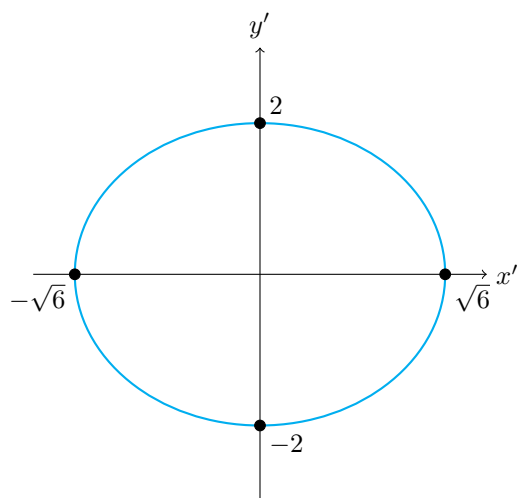


Figure: Graph of the orthonormal form  $\frac{(x')^2}{6} + \frac{(y')^2}{4} = 1$

## 17 Question 16

**Problem** Determine whether the given matrix  $A$  is diagonalizable. If so, find the matrix  $P$  that diagonalizes  $A$  and the diagonal matrix  $D$  such that  $D = P^{-1}AP$ .

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -\frac{1}{2} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Solution Step 1. Find Eigenvalues** We find the eigenvalues by solving the characteristic equation  $\det(A - \lambda I) = 0$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{vmatrix} 1 - \lambda & 2 \\ -1/2 & 1 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} &= 0 \\ (1 - \lambda)(1 - \lambda) - (2)\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) &= 0 \\ (1 - \lambda)^2 - (-1) &= 0 \\ (1 - \lambda)^2 + 1 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Solving for  $\lambda$ :

$$\begin{aligned} (1 - \lambda)^2 &= -1 \\ 1 - \lambda &= \pm\sqrt{-1} \\ 1 - \lambda &= \pm i \\ \lambda &= 1 \pm i \end{aligned}$$

The eigenvalues are  $\lambda_1 = 1 + i$  and  $\lambda_2 = 1 - i$ .

**Conclusion** Since the eigenvalues are complex (not real numbers), there are no corresponding eigenvectors with real components. Therefore, the matrix  $A$  is *not diagonalizable* over the field of real numbers  $\mathbb{R}$ .



## 18 Question 17

**Problem** If  $\rho(x, y)$  is the density of a wire (mass per unit length), then  $m = \int_C \rho(x, y) ds$  is the mass of the wire.

- i) Find the mass of a wire having the shape of the semicircle  $x = 1 + \cos t$ ,  $y = \sin t$ ,  $0 \leq t \leq \pi$ , if the density at a point P is directly proportional to its distance from the y-axis.
- ii) Find the coordinates of the center of mass  $(\bar{x}, \bar{y})$ .

**Solution**

**i) Find the Mass** The mass is given by the line integral  $m = \int_C \rho(x, y) ds$ .

### 1. Parameterization

$$\vec{r}(t) = (1 + \cos t)\hat{i} + (\sin t)\hat{j}, \quad 0 \leq t \leq \pi$$

**2. Differential Element**  $ds$  Calculate the derivatives:

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -\sin t, \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = \cos t$$

Calculate the magnitude:

$$ds = \sqrt{(-\sin t)^2 + (\cos t)^2} dt = \sqrt{\sin^2 t + \cos^2 t} dt = 1 dt$$

**3. Density Function** The density is proportional to the distance from the y-axis ( $|x|$ ). Since  $x = 1 + \cos t \geq 0$  for the given domain:

$$\rho(x, y) = kx = k(1 + \cos t)$$

where  $k$  is a constant of proportionality.

### 4. Integral for Mass

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \int_0^\pi k(1 + \cos t)(1) dt \\ &= k[t + \sin t]_0^\pi \\ &= k[(\pi + 0) - (0 + 0)] \\ &= k\pi \end{aligned}$$

**ii) Find Center of Mass** The coordinates are given by  $\bar{x} = M_y/m$  and  $\bar{y} = M_x/m$ .

**Calculate  $M_y$  (Moment about y-axis):**

$$M_y = \int_C x\rho(x, y)ds = \int_0^\pi (1 + \cos t)k(1 + \cos t)dt$$

$$M_y = k \int_0^\pi (1 + \cos t)^2 dt = k \int_0^\pi (1 + 2\cos t + \cos^2 t)dt$$

Using the identity  $\cos^2 t = (1 + \cos 2t)/2$  :

$$\begin{aligned} M_y &= k \int_0^\pi \left( 1 + 2\cos t + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}\cos 2t \right) dt \\ &= k \int_0^\pi \left( \frac{3}{2} + 2\cos t + \frac{1}{2}\cos 2t \right) dt \\ &= k \left[ \frac{3}{2}t + 2\sin t + \frac{1}{4}\sin 2t \right]_0^\pi \\ &= k \left[ \left( \frac{3\pi}{2} + 0 + 0 \right) - 0 \right] = \frac{3\pi k}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\bar{x} = \frac{M_y}{m} = \frac{3\pi k/2}{k\pi} = \frac{3}{2}$$

**Calculate  $M_x$  (Moment about x-axis):**

$$M_x = \int_C y\rho(x, y)ds = \int_0^\pi (\sin t)k(1 + \cos t)dt$$

$$M_x = k \int_0^\pi (\sin t + \sin t \cos t)dt$$

Using simple integration for  $\sin t$  and  $u$ -substitution (or identity  $\sin 2t$ ) for  $\sin t \cos t$ :

$$\begin{aligned} M_x &= k \left[ -\cos t + \frac{1}{2}\sin^2 t \right]_0^\pi \\ &= k [(-\cos \pi + 0) - (-\cos 0 + 0)] \\ &= k [ -(-1) - (-1) ] = k(1 + 1) = 2k \end{aligned}$$

$$\bar{y} = \frac{M_x}{m} = \frac{2k}{k\pi} = \frac{2}{\pi}$$

**Answer** The mass is  $m = k\pi$ , and the center of mass is located at  $(3/2, 2/\pi)$ .

## 19 Question 18

**Problem** If  $u = f(x, y)$  and  $x = r \cos \theta, y = r \sin \theta$ , show that Laplace's Equation

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial r^2} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial \theta^2} = 0$$

**Solution** We perform the change of variables using the Chain Rule. Given:

$$x = r \cos \theta, \quad y = r \sin \theta \implies r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}, \quad \theta = \arctan\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)$$

**Step 1. First Partial Derivatives of Coordinates** We calculate the derivatives of  $r$  and  $\theta$  with respect to  $x$  and  $y$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} &= \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} = \frac{r \cos \theta}{r} = \cos \theta & \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} &= \sin \theta \\ \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} &= \frac{1}{1 + (y/x)^2} \left(-\frac{y}{x^2}\right) = -\frac{y}{r^2} = -\frac{\sin \theta}{r} & \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y} &= \frac{\cos \theta}{r} \end{aligned}$$

**Step 2. First Partial Derivative of  $u$**  Using the chain rule:  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x}$ .

$$u_x = (\cos \theta) u_r - \left(\frac{\sin \theta}{r}\right) u_\theta \quad (5)$$

Similarly for  $y$ :

$$u_y = (\sin \theta) u_r + \left(\frac{\cos \theta}{r}\right) u_\theta \quad (6)$$

**Step 3. Second Partial Derivative  $u_{xx}$**  We apply the operator  $\frac{\partial}{\partial x} = \cos \theta \frac{\partial}{\partial r} - \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta}$  to equation (5). (Note: We must use the product rule because the coefficients depend on  $r$  and  $\theta$ )

$$\begin{aligned} u_{xx} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \cos \theta \cdot u_r - \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \cdot u_\theta \right) \\ &= \cos \theta \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (u_r) + u_r \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (\cos \theta) - \left[ \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (u_\theta) + u_\theta \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \right) \right] \end{aligned}$$

Expanding terms individually is tedious. A cleaner way is to apply the full operator to the full expression:

$$\begin{aligned} u_{xx} &= \left( \cos \theta \frac{\partial}{\partial r} - \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \right) \left( \cos \theta u_r - \frac{\sin \theta}{r} u_\theta \right) \\ &= \cos^2 \theta u_{rr} - \frac{2 \sin \theta \cos \theta}{r} u_{r\theta} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{r^2} u_{\theta\theta} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{r} u_r + \frac{2 \sin \theta \cos \theta}{r^2} u_\theta \end{aligned}$$

**Step 4. Second Partial Derivative  $u_{yy}$**  We apply  $\frac{\partial}{\partial y} = \sin \theta \frac{\partial}{\partial r} + \frac{\cos \theta}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta}$  to equation (6):

$$\begin{aligned} u_{yy} &= \left( \sin \theta \frac{\partial}{\partial r} + \frac{\cos \theta}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \right) \left( \sin \theta u_r + \frac{\cos \theta}{r} u_\theta \right) \\ &= \sin^2 \theta u_{rr} + \frac{2 \sin \theta \cos \theta}{r} u_{r\theta} + \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{r^2} u_{\theta\theta} + \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{r} u_r - \frac{2 \sin \theta \cos \theta}{r^2} u_\theta \end{aligned}$$

**Step 5. Summation  $u_{xx} + u_{yy}$**  Adding the two expanded expressions:

$$\begin{aligned} u_{xx} + u_{yy} &= (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta) u_{rr} \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{r} (\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta) u_r \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{r^2} (\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta) u_{\theta\theta} \\ &\quad + (\text{Terms with } u_{r\theta} \text{ and } u_\theta \text{ cancel out}) \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta = 1$ , we arrive at the final form:

$$\nabla^2 u = u_{rr} + \frac{1}{r} u_r + \frac{1}{r^2} u_{\theta\theta} = 0$$

This completes the derivation.

## 20 Question 19

**Problem** The temperature  $T$  at a point  $(x, y, z)$  is inversely proportional to the square of the distance from the origin. Given  $T(0, 0, 1) = 500$ :

1. Find the rate of change of  $T$  at  $(2, 3, 3)$  in the direction of  $(3, 1, 1)$ .
2. In which direction does  $T$  increase most rapidly?
3. What is the maximum rate of change?

### Solution

**Step 1. Define the Temperature Function** Let  $r$  be the distance from the origin,  $r^2 = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$ . The problem states  $T = \frac{k}{r^2} = \frac{k}{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$ . Using the condition  $T(0, 0, 1) = 500$ :

$$500 = \frac{k}{0^2 + 0^2 + 1^2} \implies k = 500$$

So,  $T(x, y, z) = 500(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{-1}$ .

**Step 2. Calculate the Gradient  $\nabla T$**  We compute the partial derivatives:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial T}{\partial x} &= -500(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{-2}(2x) = -\frac{1000x}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^2} \\ \frac{\partial T}{\partial y} &= -\frac{1000y}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^2} \\ \frac{\partial T}{\partial z} &= -\frac{1000z}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^2}\end{aligned}$$

$$\nabla T = -\frac{1000}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^2} \langle x, y, z \rangle$$

**Step 3. Evaluate Gradient at  $P(2, 3, 3)$**  First, calculate the squared distance at  $P$ :

$$r^2 = 2^2 + 3^2 + 3^2 = 4 + 9 + 9 = 22$$

Now substitute into the gradient expression:

$$\nabla T(2, 3, 3) = -\frac{1000}{(22)^2} \langle 2, 3, 3 \rangle = -\frac{1000}{484} \langle 2, 3, 3 \rangle = -\frac{250}{121} \langle 2, 3, 3 \rangle$$

$$\nabla T = \left\langle -\frac{500}{121}, -\frac{750}{121}, -\frac{750}{121} \right\rangle$$

**Part 1. Rate of Change in Direction**  $\vec{v} = (3, 1, 1)$  We need the unit vector  $\vec{u}$  in the direction of  $\vec{v}$ :

$$|\vec{v}| = \sqrt{3^2 + 1^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{9 + 1 + 1} = \sqrt{11}$$

$$\vec{u} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{11}} \langle 3, 1, 1 \rangle$$

The directional derivative is  $D_{\vec{u}}T = \nabla T \cdot \vec{u}$ :

$$\begin{aligned} D_{\vec{u}}T &= \left( -\frac{250}{121} \langle 2, 3, 3 \rangle \right) \cdot \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{11}} \langle 3, 1, 1 \rangle \right) \\ &= -\frac{250}{121\sqrt{11}} ((2)(3) + (3)(1) + (3)(1)) \\ &= -\frac{250}{121\sqrt{11}} (6 + 3 + 3) = -\frac{250(12)}{121\sqrt{11}} \\ &= -\frac{3000}{121\sqrt{11}} \approx -7.47 \end{aligned}$$

**Part 2. Direction of Most Rapid Increase** Temperature increases most rapidly in the direction of the gradient vector  $\nabla T$ .

$$\text{Direction} = \nabla T = -\frac{250}{121} \langle 2, 3, 3 \rangle$$

Since the scalar is negative, this vector points towards the origin (opposite to the position vector). Normalized direction:  $\vec{u}_{max} = \frac{\langle -2, -3, -3 \rangle}{\sqrt{22}}$ .

**Part 3. Maximum Rate of Change** The maximum rate is the magnitude of the gradient vector  $|\nabla T|$ :

$$\begin{aligned} |\nabla T| &= \left| -\frac{250}{121} \langle 2, 3, 3 \rangle \right| \\ &= \frac{250}{121} \sqrt{2^2 + 3^2 + 3^2} \\ &= \frac{250}{121} \sqrt{22} \approx 9.69 \end{aligned}$$

## 21 Question 20

**Problem** Any scalar function  $f$  for which  $\nabla^2 f = 0$  (Laplace's Equation) is said to be harmonic. Verify that  $f(x, y, z) = (x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{-1/2}$  is harmonic except at the origin.

**Solution** Let  $r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$ . The function can be written as  $f = r^{-1} = (x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{-1/2}$ . We need to show that  $\nabla^2 f = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial z^2} = 0$ .

**Step 1. Partial Derivatives with respect to  $x$**  First derivative:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} &= -\frac{1}{2}(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{-3/2} \cdot (2x) \\ &= -x(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{-3/2}\end{aligned}$$

Second derivative (using Product Rule):

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left[ -x(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{-3/2} \right] \\ &= (-1)(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{-3/2} + (-x) \left[ -\frac{3}{2}(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{-5/2} \cdot (2x) \right] \\ &= -(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{-3/2} + 3x^2(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{-5/2}\end{aligned}$$

To combine terms, multiply the first term by  $\frac{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$ :

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = \frac{-(x^2 + y^2 + z^2) + 3x^2}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{5/2}} = \frac{2x^2 - y^2 - z^2}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{5/2}}$$

**Step 2. Partial Derivatives with respect to  $y$  and  $z$**  By symmetry, the derivatives for  $y$  and  $z$  follow the exact same pattern:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} &= \frac{2y^2 - x^2 - z^2}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{5/2}} \\ \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial z^2} &= \frac{2z^2 - x^2 - y^2}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{5/2}}\end{aligned}$$

**Step 3. Summation** Summing the numerators:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Numerator} &= (2x^2 - y^2 - z^2) + (2y^2 - x^2 - z^2) + (2z^2 - x^2 - y^2) \\ &= (2x^2 - x^2 - x^2) + (2y^2 - y^2 - y^2) + (2z^2 - z^2 - z^2) \\ &= 0 + 0 + 0 = 0\end{aligned}$$

Thus:

$$\nabla^2 f = \frac{0}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{5/2}} = 0$$

Since the Laplacian is zero for all points where  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \neq 0$ , the function is harmonic everywhere except at the origin.



## 22 Question 21

**Problem** Evaluate  $\oint_C \vec{f} \cdot d\vec{r}$  for the path  $C = C_1 + C_2 + C_3 + C_4$  shown in the figure, where  $\vec{f}(x, y, z) = (y - x^2)\hat{i} + (x - y^2z)\hat{j} - yz^2\hat{k}$ . The vertices are  $A(2, 1, 0)$ ,  $B(0, 1, 0)$ ,  $C(0, 1, 2)$ , and  $D(2, 0, 0)$ .

**Solution**

**1. Segment  $C_1$ : From  $D(2, 0, 0)$  to  $B(0, 1, 0)$**

Parameterization:  $x$  goes from 2 to 0,  $y$  goes from 0 to 1,  $z = 0$ . Let  $x = 2 - 2t$ ,  $y = t$ ,  $z = 0$  for  $t \in [0, 1]$ .

Differentials:  $dx = -2dt$ ,  $dy = dt$ ,  $dz = 0$ . Substitute into the integral:

$$\begin{aligned} I_1 &= \int_0^1 [(t - (2 - 2t)^2)(-2) + ((2 - 2t) - t^2(0))(1) + 0] dt \\ &= \int_0^1 [-2(t - (4 - 8t + 4t^2)) + 2 - 2t] dt \\ &= \int_0^1 [-2t + 8 - 16t + 8t^2 + 2 - 2t] dt \\ &= \int_0^1 [8t^2 - 20t + 10] dt \\ &= \left[ \frac{8}{3}t^3 - 10t^2 + 10t \right]_0^1 = \frac{8}{3} - 10 + 10 = \frac{8}{3} \end{aligned}$$

**2. Segment  $C_2$ : From  $B(0, 1, 0)$  to  $C(0, 1, 2)$**

Parameterization:  $x = 0, y = 1, z = t$  for  $t \in [0, 2]$ .

Differentials:  $dx = 0, dy = 0, dz = dt$ .

$$\begin{aligned} I_2 &= \int_0^2 [-yz^2] dt = \int_0^2 -(1)(t^2) dt \\ &= \left[ -\frac{t^3}{3} \right]_0^2 = -\frac{8}{3} \end{aligned}$$

**3. Segment  $C_3$ : From  $C(0, 1, 2)$  to  $A(2, 1, 0)$**

Parameterization:  $x = 2t, y = 1, z = 2 - 2t$  for  $t \in [0, 1]$ .

Differentials:  $dx = 2dt, dy = 0, dz = -2dt$ .

$$\begin{aligned} I_3 &= \int_0^1 [(1 - (2t)^2)(2) + 0 - (1)(2 - 2t)^2(-2)] dt \\ &= \int_0^1 [2(1 - 4t^2) + 2(2 - 2t)^2] dt \\ &= \int_0^1 [2 - 8t^2 + 2(4 - 8t + 4t^2)] dt \\ &= \int_0^1 [2 - 8t^2 + 8 - 16t + 8t^2] dt \\ &= \int_0^1 (10 - 16t) dt \\ &= [10t - 8t^2]_0^1 = 10 - 8 = 2 \end{aligned}$$

**4. Segment  $C_4$ : From  $A(2, 1, 0)$  to  $D(2, 0, 0)$**

Parameterization:  $x = 2, z = 0, y$  goes from 1 to 0. Let  $y = t$  from 1 to 0.

Differentials:  $dx = 0, dz = 0, dy = dt$ .

$$\begin{aligned} I_4 &= \int_1^0 [(x - y^2 z)] dy = \int_1^0 (2 - y^2(0)) dy \\ &= \int_1^0 2 dy = [2y]_1^0 = 0 - 2 = -2 \end{aligned}$$

**Total Integral**

$$\oint_C \vec{f} \cdot d\vec{r} = I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4 = \frac{8}{3} - \frac{8}{3} + 2 - 2 = 0$$

**Final Answer** The value of the line integral is 0.

## 23 Question 22

**Problem** If  $\vec{f} = (2xy - x^2)\hat{i} + (x + y^2)\hat{j}$ , verify Green's Theorem in the plane where  $S$  is the closed region bounded by  $y = x^2$  and  $x = y^2$ . The path  $C = C_1 + C_2$  is shown in the figure.

**Solution** Green's Theorem states:

$$\oint_C \vec{f} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_S \left( \frac{\partial M}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial L}{\partial y} \right) dA$$

where  $\vec{f} = L\hat{i} + M\hat{j}$ .

Given:  $L = 2xy - x^2$  and  $M = x + y^2$ .

**Part 1. The Double Integral** We compute the partial derivatives:

$$\frac{\partial M}{\partial x} = 1, \quad \frac{\partial L}{\partial y} = 2x$$

$$\text{Integrand} = \frac{\partial M}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial L}{\partial y} = 1 - 2x$$

The region  $S$  is bounded by  $y = x^2$  (lower curve) and  $y = \sqrt{x}$  (upper curve) from  $x = 0$  to  $x = 1$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_S (1 - 2x) dy dx &= \int_0^1 \int_{x^2}^{\sqrt{x}} (1 - 2x) dy dx \\ &= \int_0^1 (1 - 2x)[y]_{x^2}^{\sqrt{x}} dx \\ &= \int_0^1 (1 - 2x)(\sqrt{x} - x^2) dx \\ &= \int_0^1 (x^{1/2} - x^2 - 2x^{3/2} + 2x^3) dx \\ &= \left[ \frac{2}{3}x^{3/2} - \frac{x^3}{3} - 2\left(\frac{2}{5}x^{5/2}\right) + \frac{2x^4}{4} \right]_0^1 \\ &= \left( \frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{3} - \frac{4}{5} + \frac{1}{2} \right) - 0 \\ &= \frac{1}{3} - \frac{4}{5} + \frac{1}{2} \\ &= \frac{10}{30} - \frac{24}{30} + \frac{15}{30} \\ &= \frac{1}{30} \end{aligned}$$

**Part 2. The Line Integral** The line integral is  $\oint_C (2xy - x^2)dx + (x + y^2)dy$ .

**Segment  $C_1$ :** Along  $y = x^2$  from  $(0, 0)$  to  $(1, 1)$  Let  $x = t, y = t^2$  for  $t \in [0, 1]$ . Then  $dx = dt, dy = 2tdt$ .

$$\begin{aligned} I_1 &= \int_0^1 [(2(t)(t^2) - t^2)(1) + (t + (t^2)^2)(2t)] dt \\ &= \int_0^1 [(2t^3 - t^2) + (2t^2 + 2t^5)] dt \\ &= \int_0^1 (2t^5 + 2t^3 + t^2) dt \\ &= \left[ \frac{2t^6}{6} + \frac{2t^4}{4} + \frac{t^3}{3} \right]_0^1 \\ &= \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{2}{3} + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{7}{6} \end{aligned}$$

**Segment  $C_2$ :** Along  $x = y^2$  from  $(1, 1)$  to  $(0, 0)$  Let  $y = t$  from  $t = 1$  to 0. Then  $x = t^2, dx = 2tdt$ .

$$\begin{aligned} I_2 &= \int_1^0 [(2(t^2)(t) - (t^2)^2)(2t) + (t^2 + t^2)(1)] dt \\ &= \int_1^0 [(2t^3 - t^4)(2t) + 2t^2] dt \\ &= \int_1^0 (4t^4 - 2t^5 + 2t^2) dt \\ &= \left[ \frac{4t^5}{5} - \frac{2t^6}{6} + \frac{2t^3}{3} \right]_1^0 \\ &= 0 - \left( \frac{4}{5} - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{3} \right) \\ &= - \left( \frac{4}{5} + \frac{1}{3} \right) = - \left( \frac{12}{15} + \frac{5}{15} \right) = - \frac{17}{15} \end{aligned}$$

**Total Line Integral**

$$\oint_C \vec{f} \cdot d\vec{r} = I_1 + I_2 = \frac{7}{6} - \frac{17}{15}$$

Find common denominator (30):

$$\frac{35}{30} - \frac{34}{30} = \frac{1}{30}$$

**Conclusion** Since the double integral  $\left(\frac{1}{30}\right)$  equals the line integral  $\left(\frac{1}{30}\right)$ , Green's Theorem is verified.

## 24 Question 23

**Problem** Verify Stokes' Theorem  $\iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{f}) \cdot d\vec{s} = \oint_C \vec{f} \cdot d\vec{r}$  for the vector field  $\vec{f} = xz^2\hat{i} - yx\hat{j} + zy^2\hat{k}$ , where  $S$  is the upper hemisphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 9$  ( $0 \leq z \leq 3$ ) and  $C$  is its circular boundary on the  $xy$ -plane.

**Solution**

**Part 1. The Line Integral** The boundary  $C$  is the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  on the plane  $z = 0$ . Since  $z = 0$  everywhere on  $C$ , we have  $dz = 0$ . Substituting  $z = 0$  into the vector field  $\vec{f}$ :

$$\vec{f}(x, y, 0) = x(0)^2\hat{i} - yx\hat{j} + (0)y^2\hat{k} = -yx\hat{j}$$

The line integral simplifies to:

$$\oint_C \vec{f} \cdot d\vec{r} = \oint_C (0dx - yxdy + 0dz) = \oint_C -xy dy$$

We parameterize the circle  $C$  (counter-clockwise, radius 3):

$$x = 3 \cos t, \quad y = 3 \sin t, \quad dy = 3 \cos t dt, \quad t \in [0, 2\pi]$$

Substitute into the integral:

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int_0^{2\pi} -(3 \cos t)(3 \sin t)(3 \cos t) dt \\ &= -27 \int_0^{2\pi} \cos^2 t \sin t dt \end{aligned}$$

Let  $u = \cos t$ , then  $du = -\sin t dt$ . Limits:  $t = 0 \implies u = 1$ ,  $t = 2\pi \implies u = 1$ .

$$I = -27 \int_1^1 u^2 (-du) = 0$$

**Result** The line integral is **0**.

**Part 2. The Surface Integral** First, we compute the Curl of  $\vec{f}$ :

$$\nabla \times \vec{f} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \partial_x & \partial_y & \partial_z \\ xz^2 & -yx & zy^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\hat{i}\text{-component: } \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(zy^2) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(-yx) = 2zy - 0 = 2yz$$

$$\hat{j}\text{-component: } -\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x}(zy^2) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(xz^2)\right) = -(0 - 2xz) = 2xz$$

$$\hat{k}\text{-component: } \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(-yx) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(xz^2) = -y - 0 = -y$$

$$\nabla \times \vec{f} = \langle 2yz, 2xz, -y \rangle$$

The outward unit normal for the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 9$  is  $\hat{n} = \frac{1}{3}\langle x, y, z \rangle$ . We calculate the dot product  $(\nabla \times \vec{f}) \cdot \hat{n}$ :

$$\begin{aligned} (\nabla \times \vec{f}) \cdot \hat{n} &= \frac{1}{3} [(2yz)(x) + (2xz)(y) + (-y)(z)] \\ &= \frac{1}{3} [2xyz + 2xyz - yz] \\ &= \frac{1}{3} [4xyz - yz] \end{aligned}$$

We now integrate this scalar field over the hemisphere using spherical coordinates:

$$x = 3 \sin \phi \cos \theta, \quad y = 3 \sin \phi \sin \theta, \quad z = 3 \cos \phi$$

The area element is  $dS = 9 \sin \phi d\phi d\theta$ . The integral splits into two terms:

$$I_S = \iint_S \frac{4}{3} xyz dS - \iint_S \frac{1}{3} yz dS$$

**Term 1 analysis ( $4xyz$ ):** The term involves the product  $xy \propto \cos \theta \sin \theta = \frac{1}{2} \sin(2\theta)$ . Integration with respect to  $\theta$  from 0 to  $2\pi$ :

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \sin(2\theta) d\theta = 0 \implies \text{The first term vanishes.}$$

**Term 2 analysis ( $-yz$ ):** The term involves  $y \propto \sin \theta$ . Integration with respect to  $\theta$  from 0 to  $2\pi$ :

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \sin \theta d\theta = 0 \implies \text{The second term vanishes.}$$

### Conclusion

Since both terms integrate to zero due to symmetry:

$$\iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{f}) \cdot d\vec{s} = 0$$

Both the line integral and surface integral yield 0, verifying Stokes' Theorem.

## 25 Question 24

**Problem** Verify Stokes' Theorem  $\iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{f}) \cdot d\vec{s} = \oint_C \vec{f} \cdot d\vec{r}$  for the vector field  $\vec{f} = y\hat{i} + z\hat{j} + x\hat{k}$ . The surface  $S$  is the paraboloid  $z = 1 - (x^2 + y^2)$  for  $z \geq 0$ , bounded by the circle  $C$  in the  $xy$ -plane.

### Solution

**Part 1. The Line Integral** The boundary curve  $C$  is the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$  lying in the plane  $z = 0$ . Orientation is counter-clockwise (standard positive orientation).

**Parameterization** Let  $x = \cos t$ ,  $y = \sin t$ ,  $z = 0$  for  $t \in [0, 2\pi]$ . The differential vector  $d\vec{r}$  is:

$$d\vec{r} = \langle -\sin t, \cos t, 0 \rangle dt$$

Substitute the coordinates into the vector field  $\vec{f} = \langle y, z, x \rangle$ :

$$\vec{f}(t) = \langle \sin t, 0, \cos t \rangle$$

(Note:  $y = \sin t$ ,  $z = 0$ ,  $x = \cos t$ )

### Calculate Dot Product

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{f} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \langle \sin t, 0, \cos t \rangle \cdot \langle -\sin t, \cos t, 0 \rangle \\ &= (\sin t)(-\sin t) + (0)(\cos t) + (\cos t)(0) \\ &= -\sin^2 t\end{aligned}$$

### Evaluate Integral

$$\begin{aligned}\oint_C \vec{f} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \int_0^{2\pi} -\sin^2 t \, dt \\ &= -\int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1 - \cos(2t)}{2} \, dt \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} \left[ t - \frac{\sin(2t)}{2} \right]_0^{2\pi} \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} [(2\pi - 0) - (0 - 0)] \\ &= -\pi\end{aligned}$$

**Part 2. The Surface Integral** First, calculate the Curl of  $\vec{f} = \langle y, z, x \rangle$ :

$$\nabla \times \vec{f} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \partial_x & \partial_y & \partial_z \\ y & z & x \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\hat{i}\text{-component: } \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(x) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(z) = 0 - 1 = -1$$

$$\hat{j}\text{-component: } \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(y) - \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(x) = 0 - 1 = -1$$

$$\hat{k}\text{-component: } \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(z) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(y) = 0 - 1 = -1$$

$$\nabla \times \vec{f} = \langle -1, -1, -1 \rangle$$

**Surface Parameterization** The surface is given explicitly by  $z = g(x, y) = 1 - x^2 - y^2$ . For a graph  $z = g(x, y)$  with upward orientation, the normal vector  $d\vec{s}$  is given by:

$$d\vec{s} = \langle -g_x, -g_y, 1 \rangle dA$$

Calculating partial derivatives of  $z$ :

$$g_x = -2x \implies -g_x = 2x$$

$$g_y = -2y \implies -g_y = 2y$$

$$d\vec{s} = \langle 2x, 2y, 1 \rangle dA$$

**Calculate Flux Integrand**

$$(\nabla \times \vec{f}) \cdot d\vec{s} = \langle -1, -1, -1 \rangle \cdot \langle 2x, 2y, 1 \rangle = -2x - 2y - 1$$

**Evaluate Surface Integral** The domain  $D$  is the projection of the paraboloid onto the  $xy$ -plane, which is the unit disk  $x^2 + y^2 \leq 1$ . Using polar coordinates:  $x = r \cos \theta$ ,  $y = r \sin \theta$ ,  $dA = r dr d\theta$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{f}) \cdot d\vec{s} &= \iint_D (-2x - 2y - 1) dA \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 (-2r \cos \theta - 2r \sin \theta - 1) r dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 (-2r^2 \cos \theta - 2r^2 \sin \theta - r) dr d\theta \end{aligned}$$

We can split this into three terms.



1.  $\int_0^{2\pi} \cos \theta \, d\theta = 0 \implies$  The  $x$  term vanishes.
2.  $\int_0^{2\pi} \sin \theta \, d\theta = 0 \implies$  The  $y$  term vanishes.
3. The remaining term is the constant  $-1$ :

$$\begin{aligned}
 I &= \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta \int_0^1 -r \, dr \\
 &= (2\pi) \left[ -\frac{r^2}{2} \right]_0^1 \\
 &= 2\pi \left( -\frac{1}{2} \right) = -\pi
 \end{aligned}$$

### Conclusion

Since  $\oint_C \vec{f} \cdot d\vec{r} = -\pi$  and  $\iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{f}) \cdot d\vec{s} = -\pi$ , Stokes' Theorem is verified.

## 26 Question 25

**Problem** Verify the Divergence Theorem of Gauss  $\iiint_V (\nabla \cdot \vec{f}) dV = \oint_S \vec{f} \cdot d\vec{s}$  for the vector field  $\vec{f} = 2x^2y\hat{i} - y^2\hat{j} + 4xz^2\hat{k}$ . The volume  $V$  is bounded by  $x = 0, x = 2, y = 0, z = 0$  and the cylinder  $y^2 + z^2 = 9$ .

**Solution**

**Part 1. The Volume Integral** First, calculate the divergence of  $\vec{f}$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla \cdot \vec{f} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(2x^2y) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(-y^2) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(4xz^2) \\ &= 4xy - 2y + 8xz\end{aligned}$$

We integrate this over the volume  $V$ . The region is a quarter-cylinder along the  $x$ -axis. It is best described using polar coordinates for  $y$  and  $z$ :

$$y = r \cos \theta, \quad z = r \sin \theta, \quad x = x$$

Limits:  $0 \leq x \leq 2, 0 \leq r \leq 3, 0 \leq \theta \leq \pi/2$  (First quadrant).

The volume element is  $dV = r dr d\theta dx$ .

Substituting variables into the divergence:

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{f} = 4x(r \cos \theta) - 2(r \cos \theta) + 8x(r \sin \theta)$$

The integral is:

$$I_V = \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^3 \int_0^2 (4xr \cos \theta - 2r \cos \theta + 8xr \sin \theta) r dx dr d\theta$$

Integrating with respect to  $x$  first (0 to 2):

$$\begin{aligned}\int_0^2 (\dots) dx &= [2x^2r \cos \theta - 2xr \cos \theta + 4x^2r \sin \theta]_0^2 \\ &= (8r \cos \theta - 4r \cos \theta + 16r \sin \theta) - 0 \\ &= 4r \cos \theta + 16r \sin \theta\end{aligned}$$

Now integrate with respect to  $r$  (0 to 3), remembering the extra  $r$  from  $dV$ :

$$\begin{aligned}I_V &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^3 (4r \cos \theta + 16r \sin \theta) r dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} (4 \cos \theta + 16 \sin \theta) d\theta \int_0^3 r^2 dr \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} (4 \cos \theta + 16 \sin \theta) d\theta \left[ \frac{r^3}{3} \right]_0^3 \\ &= 9 \int_0^{\pi/2} (4 \cos \theta + 16 \sin \theta) d\theta\end{aligned}$$

Finally, integrate with respect to  $\theta$ :

$$\begin{aligned} I_V &= 9 [4 \sin \theta - 16 \cos \theta]_0^{\pi/2} \\ &= 9[(4(1) - 0) - (0 - 16(1))] \\ &= 9[4 + 16] = 9(20) = 180 \end{aligned}$$

*Volume Integral Result:* 180.

**Part 2. The Surface Integral** We compute the flux through the 5 boundary surfaces.

**1. Surface  $S_1$ :**  $x = 0$

Normal  $\hat{n} = -\hat{i}$ .  $\vec{f}(0, y, z) = 0\hat{i} - y^2\hat{j} + 0\hat{k}$ .

Flux:  $\vec{f} \cdot \hat{n} = 0$ .

$$\Phi_1 = 0$$

**2. Surface  $S_2$ :**  $x = 2$

Normal  $\hat{n} = \hat{i}$ .  $\vec{f}(2, y, z) = 8y\hat{i} - y^2\hat{j} + 8z^2\hat{k}$ .

Flux integrand:  $\vec{f} \cdot \hat{i} = 8y$ .

Region is the quarter circle ( $r = 3$ ) in  $yz$ -plane.

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi_2 &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^3 (8r \cos \theta) r \, dr \, d\theta = 8 \left( \int \cos \theta \, d\theta \right) \left( \int r^2 \, dr \right) \\ &= 8[\sin \theta]_0^{\pi/2} \left[ \frac{r^3}{3} \right]_0^3 = 8(1)(9) = 72 \end{aligned}$$

**3. Surface  $S_3$ :**  $y = 0$

Normal  $\hat{n} = -\hat{j}$ .  $\vec{f}(x, 0, z) = 0\hat{i} - 0\hat{j} + 4xz^2\hat{k}$ .

Flux integrand:  $\vec{f} \cdot (-\hat{j}) = -(-0) = 0$ .

$$\Phi_3 = 0$$

**4. Surface  $S_4$ :**  $z = 0$

Normal  $\hat{n} = -\hat{k}$ .  $\vec{f}(x, y, 0) = 2x^2y\hat{i} - y^2\hat{j} + 0\hat{k}$ .

Flux integrand:  $\vec{f} \cdot (-\hat{k}) = 0$ .

$$\Phi_4 = 0$$

**5. Surface  $S_5$ :**  $y^2 + z^2 = 9$  The normal vector to the cylinder is in the  $yz$ -plane.

Gradient  $\nabla(y^2 + z^2) = 2y\hat{j} + 2z\hat{k}$ .

Unit Normal  $\hat{n} = \frac{y}{3}\hat{j} + \frac{z}{3}\hat{k}$  (since radius is 3).

Flux integrand:

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{f} \cdot \hat{n} &= (2x^2y\hat{i} - y^2\hat{j} + 4xz^2\hat{k}) \cdot \left(0\hat{i} + \frac{y}{3}\hat{j} + \frac{z}{3}\hat{k}\right) \\ &= -\frac{y^3}{3} + \frac{4xz^3}{3}\end{aligned}$$

We integrate this over the surface.  $dS = R d\theta dx = 3 d\theta dx$ . Substitute  $y = 3 \cos \theta$ ,  $z = 3 \sin \theta$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Integrand} &= -\frac{(3 \cos \theta)^3}{3} + \frac{4x(3 \sin \theta)^3}{3} \\ &= -9 \cos^3 \theta + 36x \sin^3 \theta\end{aligned}$$

Now integrate over  $x \in [0, 2]$  and  $\theta \in [0, \pi/2]$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\Phi_5 &= \int_0^2 \int_0^{\pi/2} (-9 \cos^3 \theta + 36x \sin^3 \theta)(3 d\theta dx) \\ \Phi_5 &= 3 \left[ \int_0^2 dx \int_0^{\pi/2} -9 \cos^3 \theta d\theta + \int_0^2 36x dx \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^3 \theta d\theta \right]\end{aligned}$$

Using  $\int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^3 \theta d\theta = \frac{2}{3}$  and  $\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^3 \theta d\theta = \frac{2}{3}$ :

$$\text{Term 1} = 3(2)(-9) \left(\frac{2}{3}\right) = -36$$

$$\text{Term 2} = 3 \left[ \frac{36x^2}{2} \right]_0^2 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right) = 3(72) \left(\frac{2}{3}\right) = 144$$

$$\Phi_5 = 144 - 36 = 108$$

### Total Flux

$$\begin{aligned}\Phi_{total} &= \Phi_1 + \Phi_2 + \Phi_3 + \Phi_4 + \Phi_5 \\ &= 0 + 72 + 0 + 0 + 108 \\ &= 180\end{aligned}$$

### Conclusion

Since the Volume Integral (180) equals the Surface Integral (180), the Divergence Theorem is verified.

## 27 Question 26

**Problem** Find the shaded area shown in the figure by Green's Theorem in the  $xy$ -plane:

$$\text{Area} = \frac{1}{2} \oint_C (x dy - y dx)$$

The region is bounded by  $y = 0$ ,  $y = 2 - x^2$ , and  $y = x$ . The intersection of  $y = x$  and  $y = 2 - x^2$  is at  $(1, 1)$ . The parabola intersects the  $x$ -axis at  $(\sqrt{2}, 0)$ .

**Solution** To find the area using Green's Theorem, we use the vector field  $\vec{F} = (-y/2, x/2)$  or simply the formula:

$$A = \frac{1}{2} \oint_C (x dy - y dx)$$

We break the path  $C$  into three segments  $C_1 + C_2 + C_3$ .

**1. Segment  $C_1$ : Along the  $x$ -axis**

Path: From  $(0, 0)$  to  $(\sqrt{2}, 0)$ .

Equation:  $y = 0 \implies dy = 0$ .

Integral:

$$I_1 = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\sqrt{2}} (x(0) - (0)dx) = 0$$

**2. Segment  $C_2$ : Along the parabola**

Path: From  $(\sqrt{2}, 0)$  to  $A(1, 1)$ .

Equation:  $y = 2 - x^2$ .

Differentials:  $dy = -2x dx$ .

Substitute into the integral formula:

$$\begin{aligned} x dy - y dx &= x(-2x dx) - (2 - x^2) dx \\ &= (-2x^2 - 2 + x^2) dx \\ &= (-x^2 - 2) dx \end{aligned}$$

Integrate from  $x = \sqrt{2}$  to  $x = 1$ :

$$\begin{aligned}
 I_2 &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{\sqrt{2}}^1 (-x^2 - 2) dx \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \left[ -\frac{x^3}{3} - 2x \right]_{\sqrt{2}}^1 \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \left( -\frac{1}{3} - 2 \right) - \left( -\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3} - 2\sqrt{2} \right) \right) \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \left( -\frac{7}{3} - \left( -\frac{8\sqrt{2}}{3} \right) \right) \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{8\sqrt{2} - 7}{3} \right) = \frac{8\sqrt{2} - 7}{6}
 \end{aligned}$$

**3. Segment  $C_3$ : Along the line  $y = x$**

Path: From  $A(1, 1)$  to  $(0, 0)$ .

Equation:  $y = x \implies dy = dx$ .

Substitute into the integral:

$$x dy - y dx = x(dx) - x(dx) = 0$$

$$I_3 = 0$$

**Total Area** Summing the integrals:

$$\text{Area} = I_1 + I_2 + I_3 = 0 + \frac{8\sqrt{2} - 7}{6} + 0$$

$$\text{Area} = \frac{8\sqrt{2} - 7}{6} \approx 0.719$$

## 28 Question 27

### Problem

- i) Find the angle between surfaces  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 9$  and  $z = x^2 + y^2 - 3$  at the point  $P(2, -1, 2)$ .
- ii) Test if any of these scalar functions is a harmonic function. Why?

### Solution

**i) Angle Between the Surfaces** The angle  $\theta$  between two surfaces is defined as the angle between their normal vectors at the point of intersection. The normal vector to a surface defined by  $f(x, y, z) = c$  is the gradient  $\nabla f$ . Let the scalar functions defining the surfaces be:

$$f(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 9$$

$$g(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 - z - 3$$

#### 1. Compute Gradients

$$\nabla f = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \hat{i} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \hat{j} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \hat{k} = 2x\hat{i} + 2y\hat{j} + 2z\hat{k}$$

$$\nabla g = \frac{\partial g}{\partial x} \hat{i} + \frac{\partial g}{\partial y} \hat{j} + \frac{\partial g}{\partial z} \hat{k} = 2x\hat{i} + 2y\hat{j} - 1\hat{k}$$

#### 2. Evaluate at Point $P(2, -1, 2)$

Substitute  $x = 2, y = -1, z = 2$ :

$$\vec{n}_1 = \nabla f(2, -1, 2) = 2(2)\hat{i} + 2(-1)\hat{j} + 2(2)\hat{k} = \langle 4, -2, 4 \rangle$$

$$\vec{n}_2 = \nabla g(2, -1, 2) = 2(2)\hat{i} + 2(-1)\hat{j} - 1\hat{k} = \langle 4, -2, -1 \rangle$$

#### 3. Calculate the Angle

The cosine of the angle is given by:

$$\cos \theta = \frac{|\vec{n}_1 \cdot \vec{n}_2|}{|\vec{n}_1||\vec{n}_2|}$$

Dot Product:

$$\vec{n}_1 \cdot \vec{n}_2 = (4)(4) + (-2)(-2) + (4)(-1) = 16 + 4 - 4 = 16$$

Magnitudes:

$$|\vec{n}_1| = \sqrt{4^2 + (-2)^2 + 4^2} = \sqrt{16 + 4 + 16} = \sqrt{36} = 6$$

$$|\vec{n}_2| = \sqrt{4^2 + (-2)^2 + (-1)^2} = \sqrt{16 + 4 + 1} = \sqrt{21}$$

Substitute into the formula:

$$\cos \theta = \frac{16}{6\sqrt{21}} = \frac{8}{3\sqrt{21}}$$

$$\theta = \arccos\left(\frac{8}{3\sqrt{21}}\right) \approx \arccos(0.5819) \approx 54.41^\circ$$

**ii) Harmonic Function Test** A function  $\phi$  is harmonic if it satisfies Laplace's Equation:  $\nabla^2 \phi = \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial z^2} = 0$ .

**Test for**  $f(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 9$ :

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = 2, \quad \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} = 2, \quad \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial z^2} = 2$$

$$\nabla^2 f = 2 + 2 + 2 = 6 \neq 0$$

So,  $f$  is **not** harmonic.

**Test for**  $g(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 - z - 3$ :

$$\frac{\partial^2 g}{\partial x^2} = 2, \quad \frac{\partial^2 g}{\partial y^2} = 2, \quad \frac{\partial^2 g}{\partial z^2} = 0$$

$$\nabla^2 g = 2 + 2 + 0 = 4 \neq 0$$

So,  $g$  is **not** harmonic.

**Conclusion** Neither of the scalar functions defining the surfaces is harmonic because their Laplacians are non-zero constants.



## 29 Question 28

**Problem** Verify the Divergence Theorem of Gauss (DTG):  $\iiint_V (\nabla \cdot \vec{f}) dV = \oiint_S \vec{f} \cdot d\vec{s}$  for the vector field:

$$\vec{f} = (x^2)\hat{i} + (xz^3(y+1))\hat{j}$$

The volume  $V$  is the pentahedron shown in the figure, bounded by  $x = 0$ ,  $x = 2$ ,  $y = 0$ ,  $z = 0$  and the plane  $y + z = 1$ .

**Solution**

**Part 1. The Volume Integral** First, calculate the divergence  $\nabla \cdot \vec{f}$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla \cdot \vec{f} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(x^2) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(xz^3(y+1)) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(0) \\ &= 2x + x(1)z^3 + 0 = 2x + xz^3\end{aligned}$$

The volume  $V$  is defined by the limits:  $0 \leq x \leq 2$ ,  $0 \leq y \leq 1$ , and  $0 \leq z \leq 1 - y$ .

$$\begin{aligned}I_V &= \int_0^2 \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-y} (2x + xz^3) dz dy dx \\ &= \int_0^2 x dx \int_0^1 \left[ 2z + \frac{z^4}{4} \right]_0^{1-y} dy \\ &= \left[ \frac{x^2}{2} \right]_0^2 \int_0^1 \left( 2(1-y) + \frac{(1-y)^4}{4} \right) dy \\ &= (2) \int_0^1 \left( 2(1-y) + \frac{1}{4}(1-y)^4 \right) dy\end{aligned}$$

Let  $u = 1 - y$ , then  $du = -dy$ . Limits change from  $1 \rightarrow 0$ .

$$\begin{aligned}I_V &= 2 \int_1^0 \left( 2u + \frac{u^4}{4} \right) (-du) = 2 \int_0^1 \left( 2u + \frac{u^4}{4} \right) du \\ &= 2 \left[ u^2 + \frac{u^5}{20} \right]_0^1 \\ &= 2 \left( 1 + \frac{1}{20} \right) = 2(1.05) = 2.1\end{aligned}$$

*Volume Integral Result: 2.1*

**Part 2. The Surface Integral** We compute the flux  $\Phi$  through each of the 5 surfaces.

**1. Surface  $S_1$ :**  $x = 0$

Normal  $\hat{n} = -\hat{i}$ . Field  $\vec{f}(0, y, z) = 0\hat{i} + 0\hat{j}$ .

Flux:  $\vec{f} \cdot \hat{n} = 0$ .

$$\Phi_1 = 0$$

**2. Surface  $S_2$ :**  $x = 2$

Normal  $\hat{n} = \hat{i}$ . Field  $\vec{f}(2, y, z) = 4\hat{i} + 2(y+1)z^3\hat{j}$ .

Flux integrand:  $\vec{f} \cdot \hat{i} = 4$ .

Area of the triangle (base 1, height 1):  $A = \frac{1}{2}(1)(1) = 0.5$ .

$$\Phi_2 = \iint_{S_2} 4 dA = 4(0.5) = 2$$

**3. Surface  $S_3$ :**  $y = 0$  This is the rectangle in the  $xz$ -plane

$(0 \leq x \leq 2, 0 \leq z \leq 1)$

Normal  $\hat{n} = -\hat{j}$ . Field  $\vec{f}(x, 0, z) = x^2\hat{i} + x(1)z^3\hat{j}$ .

Flux integrand:  $\vec{f} \cdot (-\hat{j}) = -xz^3$ .

$$\Phi_3 = \int_0^2 \int_0^1 -xz^3 dz dx = - \left( \int_0^2 x dx \right) \left( \int_0^1 z^3 dz \right)$$

$$\Phi_3 = - \left[ \frac{x^2}{2} \right]_0^2 \left[ \frac{z^4}{4} \right]_0^1 = -(2) \left( \frac{1}{4} \right) = -0.5$$

**4. Surface  $S_4$ :**  $z = 0$

Normal  $\hat{n} = -\hat{k}$ . Since  $\vec{f}$  has no  $k$ -component ( $\vec{f} \cdot \hat{k} = 0$ ).

$$\Phi_4 = 0$$

**5. Surface  $S_5$ :**  $y + z = 1$

This surface projects onto the  $xy$ -plane as the rectangle  $R : 0 \leq x \leq 2, 0 \leq y \leq 1$ . The surface is given by  $z = 1 - y$ . The normal vector  $d\vec{s}$  for a surface  $z = g(x, y)$  oriented upwards is  $\langle -z_x, -z_y, 1 \rangle dA$ . Here,  $z_x = 0$  and  $z_y = -1$ .

$$d\vec{s} = \langle 0, -(-1), 1 \rangle dA = \langle 0, 1, 1 \rangle dy dx$$

Compute the dot product  $\vec{f} \cdot d\vec{s}$ :

$$\vec{f} \cdot d\vec{s} = (x^2\hat{i} + x(y+1)z^3\hat{j}) \cdot (0\hat{i} + 1\hat{j} + 1\hat{k}) = x(y+1)z^3$$

Substituting  $z = 1 - y$  into the integrand:

$$\text{Integrand} = x(y+1)(1-y)^3$$

$$\Phi_5 = \int_0^2 \int_0^1 x(y+1)(1-y)^3 dy dx$$

Let  $u = 1 - y \implies y = 1 - u, dy = -du$ . Limits  $1 \rightarrow 0$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 (y+1)(1-y)^3 dy &= \int_1^0 ((1-u)+1)u^3(-du) \\ &= \int_0^1 (2-u)u^3 du = \int_0^1 (2u^3 - u^4) du \\ &= \left[ \frac{2u^4}{4} - \frac{u^5}{5} \right]_0^1 = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{5} = 0.3 \end{aligned}$$

Now integrate with respect to  $x$ :

$$\Phi_5 = \int_0^2 x(0.3) dx = 0.3 \left[ \frac{x^2}{2} \right]_0^2 = 0.3(2) = 0.6$$

**Total Flux**

$$\Phi_{total} = \Phi_1 + \Phi_2 + \Phi_3 + \Phi_4 + \Phi_5 = 0 + 2 - 0.5 + 0 + 0.6 = 2.1$$

**Conclusion** Since the Volume Integral (2.1) equals the Surface Integral (2.1), the Divergence Theorem is verified.

## 30 Question 29

**Problem** For the vector function  $\vec{f} = x^2 z \hat{i} - yx^2 \hat{j} + zxy \hat{k}$  and  $S$  the hemisphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 9$  where  $0 \leq z \leq 3$ , verify Stokes' Theorem:

$$\iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{f}) \cdot d\vec{s} = \oint_C \vec{f} \cdot d\vec{r}$$

The boundary  $C$  is the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  in the  $z = 0$  plane, oriented counter-clockwise.

### Solution

**Part 1. The Line Integral** The path  $C$  lies on the plane  $z = 0$ , so  $dz = 0$ . Substitute  $z = 0$  into the vector field  $\vec{f}$ :

$$\vec{f}(x, y, 0) = x^2(0)\hat{i} - yx^2\hat{j} + (0)xy\hat{k} = -yx^2\hat{j}$$

The line integral becomes:

$$\oint_C \vec{f} \cdot d\vec{r} = \oint_C (0dx - yx^2 dy + 0dz) = \oint_C -yx^2 dy$$

Parameterize the circle  $C$  ( $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ ):

$$x = 3 \cos t, \quad y = 3 \sin t, \quad dy = 3 \cos t dt, \quad t \in [0, 2\pi]$$

Substitute into the integral:

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int_0^{2\pi} -(3 \sin t)(3 \cos t)^2(3 \cos t) dt \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} -3 \sin t(9 \cos^2 t)(3 \cos t) dt \\ &= -81 \int_0^{2\pi} \cos^3 t \sin t dt \end{aligned}$$

Let  $u = \cos t$ , then  $du = -\sin t dt$ . Limits:  $t = 0 \implies u = 1$ ,  $t = 2\pi \implies u = 1$ .

$$I = -81 \int_1^1 u^3 (-du) = 0$$

**Result** The line integral is **0**.

**Part 2. The Surface Integral** First, compute the Curl of  $\vec{f}$ :

$$\nabla \times \vec{f} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \partial_x & \partial_y & \partial_z \\ x^2 z & -yx^2 & zxy \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\hat{i}\text{-component: } & \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(zxy) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(-yx^2) = zx - 0 = zx \\
\hat{j}\text{-component: } & \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(x^2z) - \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(zxy) = x^2 - zy \\
\hat{k}\text{-component: } & \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(-yx^2) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(x^2z) = -2xy - 0 = -2xy
\end{aligned}$$

$$\nabla \times \vec{f} = \langle zx, x^2 - zy, -2xy \rangle$$

The outward unit normal for the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 9$  is  $\hat{n} = \frac{1}{3}\langle x, y, z \rangle$ .  
Calculate the dot product  $(\nabla \times \vec{f}) \cdot \hat{n}$ :

$$\begin{aligned}
(\nabla \times \vec{f}) \cdot \hat{n} &= \frac{1}{3} [(zx)(x) + (x^2 - zy)(y) + (-2xy)(z)] \\
&= \frac{1}{3} [zx^2 + x^2y - zy^2 - 2xyz]
\end{aligned}$$

We integrate this over the hemisphere. Using spherical coordinates ( $x = 3 \sin \phi \cos \theta$ ,  $y = 3 \sin \phi \sin \theta$ ,  $z = 3 \cos \phi$ ) is possible but tedious due to the many terms. Instead, let's analyze the symmetry of the terms over the domain  $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$ . The area element is  $dS = 9 \sin \phi \, d\phi \, d\theta$ . The integral of any term with an odd power of  $x$  or  $y$  (like  $\cos \theta$  or  $\sin \theta$ ) over a full circle (0 to  $2\pi$ ) is zero. Let's check the terms in the numerator:  $zx^2 + x^2y - zy^2 - 2xyz$ .

1.  $zx^2 \propto (\cos \phi)(\sin^2 \phi \cos^2 \theta)$ . Contains  $\cos^2 \theta$ . Integral  $\int_0^{2\pi} \cos^2 \theta \, d\theta = \pi$ . This term might be non-zero.
2.  $x^2y \propto (\sin^2 \phi \cos^2 \theta)(\sin \phi \sin \theta)$ . Contains  $\cos^2 \theta \sin \theta$ . Let  $u = \cos \theta$ ,  $du = -\sin \theta \, d\theta$ . Integral from 1 to 1 is 0.
3.  $zy^2 \propto (\cos \phi)(\sin^2 \phi \sin^2 \theta)$ . Contains  $\sin^2 \theta$ . Integral  $\int_0^{2\pi} \sin^2 \theta \, d\theta = \pi$ . This term might be non-zero.
4.  $2xyz \propto (\sin \phi \cos \theta)(\sin \phi \sin \theta)(\cos \phi)$ . Contains  $\sin \theta \cos \theta = \frac{1}{2} \sin 2\theta$ . Integral over period is 0.

So we only need to integrate the first and third terms:  $\frac{1}{3}(zx^2 - zy^2)$ .

$$\text{Integrand} = \frac{1}{3}z(x^2 - y^2)$$

Substitute spherical coordinates ( $x^2 - y^2 = \rho^2 \sin^2 \phi (\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta) = \rho^2 \sin^2 \phi \cos(2\theta)$ ).

$$\iint \frac{1}{3}(3 \cos \phi)[9 \sin^2 \phi \cos(2\theta)](9 \sin \phi) \, d\phi \, d\theta$$

The  $\theta$  integral is  $\int_0^{2\pi} \cos(2\theta) \, d\theta$ . Since we are integrating  $\cos(2\theta)$  over two full periods (0 to  $4\pi$  effectively in the argument), the result is *zero*.

### Conclusion

$$\iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{f}) \cdot d\vec{s} = 0$$

Both integrals are 0, verifying Stokes' Theorem.

## 31 Question 30

**Problem** Find the shaded area shown in the figure by Green's Theorem in the  $xy$ -plane:

$$\text{Area} = \frac{1}{2} \oint_C (x dy - y dx)$$

The region is bounded by the  $x$ -axis ( $C_1$ ), the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{9} + y^2 = 1$  ( $C_2$ ), and the line  $y = \frac{1}{3}x$  ( $C_3$ ).

**Solution** We compute the line integral  $A = \frac{1}{2} \oint_C (x dy - y dx)$  along the three segments shown in the figure.

**1. Segment  $C_1$ : From  $(0, 0)$  to  $(3, 0)$  (along  $x$ -axis)** On this path,  $y = 0$ , which implies  $dy = 0$ . Substituting into the integrand:

$$x dy - y dx = x(0) - 0(dx) = 0$$

$$I_1 = 0$$

**2. Segment  $C_2$ : Elliptical Arc from  $A(3, 0)$  to  $B(3/\sqrt{2}, 1/\sqrt{2})$**  We parameterize the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{9} + y^2 = 1$ :

$$x = 3 \cos t, \quad y = \sin t \quad \implies \quad dx = -3 \sin t dt, \quad dy = \cos t dt$$

**Finding the limits for  $t$ :**

- Start point  $A(3, 0)$ :  $3 \cos t = 3 \implies \cos t = 1 \implies t = 0$ .
- End point  $B(3/\sqrt{2}, 1/\sqrt{2})$ :  $3 \cos t = 3/\sqrt{2} \implies \cos t = 1/\sqrt{2}$ . Also  $\sin t = 1/\sqrt{2}$ . This corresponds to  $t = \pi/4$ .

So  $t$  varies from 0 to  $\pi/4$ .

**Calculating the integrand  $(x dy - y dx)$ :**

$$\begin{aligned} x dy - y dx &= (3 \cos t)(\cos t dt) - (\sin t)(-3 \sin t dt) \\ &= (3 \cos^2 t + 3 \sin^2 t) dt \\ &= 3(\cos^2 t + \sin^2 t) dt = 3 dt \end{aligned}$$

**Integration**

$$I_2 = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\pi/4} 3 dt = \frac{3}{2} [t]_0^{\pi/4} = \frac{3}{2} \left( \frac{\pi}{4} \right) = \frac{3\pi}{8}$$

**3. Segment  $C_3$ : Line from  $B$  to  $O(0, 0)$**  The equation of the line passing through the origin and  $B$  is  $y = \frac{1}{3}x$ .

Differentials:  $dy = \frac{1}{3}dx$ .

Substituting into the integrand:

$$xdy - ydx = x \left( \frac{1}{3}dx \right) - \left( \frac{1}{3}x \right) dx = 0$$

(Note: For any straight line segment passing through the origin,  $xdy - ydx$  is always zero).

$$I_3 = 0$$

**Total Area** Summing the contributions from all segments:

$$\text{Area} = I_1 + I_2 + I_3 = 0 + \frac{3\pi}{8} + 0 = \frac{3\pi}{8}$$

## 32 Question 31

**Problem** Verify the Divergence Theorem of Gauss  $\iiint_V (\nabla \cdot \vec{f}) dV = \oiint_S \vec{f} \cdot d\vec{s}$  for the vector field  $\vec{f} = y\hat{i} + x\hat{j} + z^2\hat{k}$ . The region  $S$  is the closed surface of the cylinder  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  bounded by  $z = 0$  and  $z = a$ . The surfaces are labeled in the figure as:

- $S_1$ : Bottom surface ( $z = 0$ )
- $S_2$ : Top surface ( $z = a$ )
- $S_3$ : Lateral curved surface ( $r = a$ )

### Solution

**Part 1. The Volume Integral** First, calculate the divergence of the vector field:

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{f} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(y) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(x) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(z^2) = 0 + 0 + 2z = 2z$$

We integrate this scalar over the volume of the cylinder using cylindrical coordinates:

$$x = r \cos \theta, \quad y = r \sin \theta, \quad z = z$$

The limits are:  $0 \leq r \leq a$ ,  $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$ ,  $0 \leq z \leq a$ . The volume element is  $dV = r dr d\theta dz$ .

$$\begin{aligned} I_V &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^a \int_0^a (2z) r dz dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta \int_0^a r dr \int_0^a 2z dz \end{aligned}$$

Evaluate the  $z$  integral:

$$\int_0^a 2z dz = [z^2]_0^a = a^2$$

Evaluate the  $r$  integral:

$$\int_0^a r dr = \left[ \frac{r^2}{2} \right]_0^a = \frac{a^2}{2}$$

Evaluate the  $\theta$  integral:

$$\int_0^{2\pi} d\theta = 2\pi$$

Multiply the results:

$$I_V = (2\pi) \left( \frac{a^2}{2} \right) (a^2) = \pi a^4$$

**Volume Integral Result**  $\pi a^4$

**Part 2. The Surface Integral** We compute the flux  $\Phi$  through each of



the three labeled surfaces.

**1. Surface  $S_1$ :**  $z = 0$  The outward normal is  $\hat{n} = -\hat{k}$ . At  $z = 0$ , the field is  $\vec{f} = y\hat{i} + x\hat{j} + 0^2\hat{k}$ . The dot product is:

$$\vec{f} \cdot \hat{n} = (y\hat{i} + x\hat{j}) \cdot (-\hat{k}) = 0$$

$$\Phi_1 = 0$$

**2. Surface  $S_2$ :**  $z = a$  The outward normal is  $\hat{n} = \hat{k}$ . At  $z = a$ , the field is  $\vec{f} = y\hat{i} + x\hat{j} + a^2\hat{k}$ . The dot product is:

$$\vec{f} \cdot \hat{n} = a^2$$

Since the integrand is constant, the flux is simply (Integrand)  $\times$  (Area). The area of the top circle is  $\pi a^2$ .

$$\Phi_2 = a^2(\pi a^2) = \pi a^4$$

**3. Surface  $S_3$ :**  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  The outward unit normal for a cylinder is radial in the  $xy$ -plane:

$$\hat{n} = \frac{x}{a}\hat{i} + \frac{y}{a}\hat{j} = \cos\theta\hat{i} + \sin\theta\hat{j}$$

The surface area element is  $dS = a dz d\theta$ . Compute the dot product on the surface:

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{f} \cdot \hat{n} &= (y\hat{i} + x\hat{j} + z^2\hat{k}) \cdot \left(\frac{x}{a}\hat{i} + \frac{y}{a}\hat{j}\right) \\ &= \frac{yx}{a} + \frac{xy}{a} = \frac{2xy}{a}\end{aligned}$$

Substitute polar coordinates ( $x = a \cos \theta$ ,  $y = a \sin \theta$ ):

$$\vec{f} \cdot \hat{n} = \frac{2(a \cos \theta)(a \sin \theta)}{a} = 2a \sin \theta \cos \theta = a \sin(2\theta)$$

Now integrate over the surface ( $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$ ,  $0 \leq z \leq a$ ):

$$\begin{aligned}\Phi_3 &= \int_0^a \int_0^{2\pi} a \sin(2\theta) (a d\theta dz) \\ \Phi_3 &= a^2 \left( \int_0^a dz \right) \left( \int_0^{2\pi} \sin(2\theta) d\theta \right)\end{aligned}$$

The integral of  $\sin(2\theta)$  over a full period (0 to  $2\pi$ ) is 0.

$$\Phi_3 = a^2(a)(0) = 0$$

**Total Flux**

$$\Phi_{total} = \Phi_1 + \Phi_2 + \Phi_3 = 0 + \pi a^4 + 0 = \pi a^4$$

**Conclusion** Since the Volume Integral ( $\pi a^4$ ) equals the Total Surface Integral ( $\pi a^4$ ), the Divergence Theorem is verified.

### 33 Question 32

**Problem** i) Find the mass of a wire having the shape of the semicircle  $x = 1 + \cos t, y = \sin t, 0 \leq t \leq \pi$ , if the density at point  $P$  is directly proportional to distance from the y-axis. ii) Find the coordinates of the center of mass.

**Solution** *Note: This problem is a verbatim duplicate of Question 17 found earlier in the assignment.*

Please refer to the detailed solution provided in [Question 17](#) on page 33.

**Summary of Results from Question 17:**

- **Mass**  $m = k\pi$
- **Center of Mass**  $(\bar{x}, \bar{y}) = (\frac{3}{2}, \frac{2}{\pi})$

## 34 Question 33

**Problem** Consider the solid bounded by the shapes described by  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  and  $y^2 + z^2 = 4$ . An eighth of the solid is shown in the figure. Evaluate the volume  $V$  of the solid.

**Solution** The solid is the intersection of two cylinders:

- $x^2 + y^2 \leq 4$ : A cylinder of radius 2 centered on the z-axis.
- $y^2 + z^2 \leq 4$ : A cylinder of radius 2 centered on the x-axis.

**Step 1. Symmetry Analysis** The problem states that one-eighth of the solid is shown. This corresponds to the portion in the first octant ( $x \geq 0, y \geq 0, z \geq 0$ ). We can calculate the volume of this first-octant portion ( $V_{oct}$ ) and then multiply by 8 to get the total volume.

$$V = 8 \times V_{oct}$$

**Step 2. Set up the Integral** In the first octant, the bounds are determined by the cylinder equations:

- From  $x^2 + y^2 = 4 \implies x = \sqrt{4 - y^2}$
- From  $y^2 + z^2 = 4 \implies z = \sqrt{4 - y^2}$

The variable  $y$  is common to both. The intersection of the cylinders extends to the maximum radius, so  $0 \leq y \leq 2$ . We can slice the solid perpendicular to the y-axis. For a fixed value of  $y$ , the cross-section is a square bounded by:

$$0 \leq x \leq \sqrt{4 - y^2}$$

$$0 \leq z \leq \sqrt{4 - y^2}$$

The area of this cross-sectional square is:

$$A(y) = (\text{width})(\text{height}) = (\sqrt{4 - y^2})(\sqrt{4 - y^2}) = 4 - y^2$$

**Step 3. Evaluate the Integral** We integrate the cross-sectional area  $A(y)$  from  $y = 0$  to  $y = 2$ :

$$\begin{aligned} V_{oct} &= \int_0^2 A(y) dy \\ &= \int_0^2 (4 - y^2) dy \\ &= \left[ 4y - \frac{y^3}{3} \right]_0^2 \\ &= \left( 4(2) - \frac{2^3}{3} \right) - 0 \\ &= 8 - \frac{8}{3} \\ &= \frac{24}{3} - \frac{8}{3} = \frac{16}{3} \end{aligned}$$

**Step 4. Total Volume** Multiply by 8 to find the volume of the entire solid:

$$V = 8 \times V_{oct} = 8 \left( \frac{16}{3} \right) = \frac{128}{3}$$

**Final Answer** The volume of the solid is  $\frac{128}{3}$  cubic units.

## 35 Question 33 (a.k.a. Question 34)

*This question is labeled Question 33 in the pdf, but the previous question is also numbered 33.*

**Problem** Find the flux of  $\vec{F} = -y\hat{i} + x\hat{j} + 6z^2\hat{k}$  out of the closed surface  $S$  bounded by the paraboloids  $z = 4 - x^2 - y^2$  and  $z = x^2 + y^2$ .

**Solution** We use the Divergence Theorem of Gauss, which states:

$$\text{Flux} = \oint_S \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{s} = \iiint_V (\nabla \cdot \vec{F}) dV$$

where  $V$  is the volume enclosed by the surface  $S$ .

### Step 1. Calculate Divergence

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{F} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(-y) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(x) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(6z^2)$$

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{F} = 0 + 0 + 12z = 12z$$

**Step 2. Determine Volume Boundaries** The region is bounded above by  $z = 4 - r^2$  and below by  $z = r^2$  (using polar coordinates  $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$ ). To find the intersection (the "shadow" on the  $xy$ -plane), we equate the  $z$  values:

$$4 - r^2 = r^2 \implies 2r^2 = 4 \implies r^2 = 2 \implies r = \sqrt{2}$$

So the region  $V$  is defined in cylindrical coordinates by:

$$0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi, \quad 0 \leq r \leq \sqrt{2}, \quad r^2 \leq z \leq 4 - r^2$$

### Step 3. Set up the Triple Integral

$$I = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\sqrt{2}} \int_{r^2}^{4-r^2} (12z) r dz dr d\theta$$

The  $\theta$  integral is independent and yields  $2\pi$ .

$$I = 2\pi \int_0^{\sqrt{2}} r \left[ \int_{r^2}^{4-r^2} 12z dz \right] dr$$

Evaluate the inner integral with respect to  $z$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{r^2}^{4-r^2} 12z dz &= [6z^2]_{r^2}^{4-r^2} \\ &= 6[(4-r^2)^2 - (r^2)^2] \\ &= 6[(16 - 8r^2 + r^4) - r^4] \\ &= 6(16 - 8r^2) = 96 - 48r^2 \end{aligned}$$

**Step 4. Evaluate the Radial Integral** Substitute back into the expression for  $I$ :

$$I = 2\pi \int_0^{\sqrt{2}} r(96 - 48r^2) dr$$

$$I = 2\pi \int_0^{\sqrt{2}} (96r - 48r^3) dr$$

$$I = 2\pi \left[ \frac{96r^2}{2} - \frac{48r^4}{4} \right]_0^{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$I = 2\pi [48r^2 - 12r^4]_0^{\sqrt{2}}$$

Substitute  $r = \sqrt{2}$  (so  $r^2 = 2$ ,  $r^4 = 4$ ):

$$I = 2\pi[48(2) - 12(4)] = 2\pi[96 - 48]$$

$$I = 2\pi(48) = 96\pi$$

**Final Answer** The flux out of the closed surface is  $96\pi$ .

## 36 Question 34 (a.k.a. Question 35)

*This question is labeled Question 34 in the pdf, although it is the 35th question in the pdf.*

**Problem** Find the work done by an ideal Carnot Engine by calculating the area defined by the region  $R$  within a thermodynamic cycle. The region is bounded by:

- Isothermals:  $xy = a$ ,  $xy = b$  ( $0 < a < b$ )
- Adiabatics:  $xy^{1.4} = c$ ,  $xy^{1.4} = d$  ( $0 < c < d$ )

*Hint: Use  $A = \iint_R dA$  and an appropriate substitution.*

**Solution** To find the area  $A = \iint_R dx dy$ , we use a change of variables to simplify the region of integration into a rectangle.

**Step 1. Define the Substitution** Let us define new variables  $u$  and  $v$  based on the equations of the boundary curves:

$$u = xy$$

$$v = xy^{1.4}$$

With these definitions, the curved boundaries in the  $xy$ -plane become straight lines in the  $uv$ -plane:

- The isothermals map to  $u = a$  and  $u = b$ .
- The adiabatics map to  $v = c$  and  $v = d$ .

The new region of integration  $R'$  is a rectangle:  $a \leq u \leq b$  and  $c \leq v \leq d$ .

**Step 2. Calculate the Jacobian** We need the Jacobian  $J = \frac{\partial(x,y)}{\partial(u,v)}$  for the area element transformation  $dx dy = |J| du dv$ . It is often easier to calculate the inverse Jacobian  $J^{-1} = \frac{\partial(u,v)}{\partial(x,y)}$  first and then invert it.

$$J^{-1} = \det \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \end{pmatrix}$$

Compute partial derivatives:

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = y, \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = x$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = y^{1.4}, \quad \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = 1.4xy^{0.4}$$



Substitute into the determinant:

$$\begin{aligned} J^{-1} &= y(1.4xy^{0.4}) - x(y^{1.4}) \\ &= 1.4xy^{1.4} - xy^{1.4} \\ &= 0.4xy^{1.4} \end{aligned}$$

Notice that  $v = xy^{1.4}$ , so we can substitute  $v$  back into the expression:

$$J^{-1} = 0.4v$$

The Jacobian we need is the reciprocal:

$$J = \frac{1}{J^{-1}} = \frac{1}{0.4v} = \frac{2.5}{v}$$

**Step 3. Evaluate the Integral** The area is given by:

$$A = \int_c^d \int_a^b |J| \, du \, dv$$

Substitute  $J = \frac{2.5}{v}$ :

$$A = \int_c^d \int_a^b \frac{2.5}{v} \, du \, dv$$

Since the integrand separates variables, we can integrate independently:

$$A = 2.5 \left( \int_a^b du \right) \left( \int_c^d \frac{1}{v} dv \right)$$

Calculate the integrals:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_a^b du &= b - a \\ \int_c^d \frac{1}{v} dv &= [\ln v]_c^d = \ln d - \ln c = \ln \left( \frac{d}{c} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Combine the results:

$$A = 2.5(b - a) \ln \left( \frac{d}{c} \right)$$

**Final Answer** The work done (area of the region) is  $\frac{5}{2}(b - a) \ln \left( \frac{d}{c} \right)$ .

## 37 Question 35 (a.k.a. Question 36)

*This question is labeled Question 35 in the pdf, although it is the 36th question in the pdf.*

**Problem** A sphere of radius 1 (smaller one) has its center on the surface of another sphere of radius  $a > 1$ . Find the surface area of that portion of the bigger sphere cut out by the smaller sphere.

**Solution**

**Step 1. Define the Geometry** Let the large sphere ( $S_1$ ) with radius  $a$  be centered at the origin. Its equation in Cartesian coordinates is:

$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = a^2$$

Let the small sphere ( $S_2$ ) with radius 1 have its center on the north pole of the large sphere, at point  $(0, 0, a)$ . Its equation is:

$$x^2 + y^2 + (z - a)^2 = 1^2 = 1$$

**Step 2. Find the Intersection Plane** We need to find the  $z$ -coordinate where the surfaces intersect. Expand the equation for  $S_2$ :

$$x^2 + y^2 + (z^2 - 2az + a^2) = 1$$

Rearrange terms:

$$(x^2 + y^2 + z^2) - 2az + a^2 = 1$$

Since the intersection points lie on the large sphere, we substitute  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = a^2$  into this equation:

$$a^2 - 2az + a^2 = 1$$

$$2a^2 - 1 = 2az$$

Solving for  $z$ :

$$z = \frac{2a^2 - 1}{2a} = a - \frac{1}{2a}$$

This describes a horizontal plane cutting through the top of the large sphere. The "portion cut out" is the spherical cap above this plane (where  $z \geq a - \frac{1}{2a}$ ).

**Step 3. Calculate the Surface Area** The surface area of a spherical cap on a sphere of radius  $R$  cut by a plane  $z = h$  is given by simple integration. Using spherical coordinates for the large sphere:

$$\rho = a, \quad z = a \cos \phi$$

We find the maximum angle  $\phi_{max}$  corresponding to the intersection plane:

$$a \cos \phi_{max} = a - \frac{1}{2a} \implies \cos \phi_{max} = 1 - \frac{1}{2a^2}$$

The surface area integral is:

$$A = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\phi_{max}} (a^2 \sin \phi) d\phi d\theta$$

Compute the integral:

$$\begin{aligned} A &= a^2 \left( \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta \right) \left( \int_0^{\phi_{max}} \sin \phi d\phi \right) \\ &= a^2 (2\pi) [-\cos \phi]_0^{\phi_{max}} \\ &= 2\pi a^2 (1 - \cos \phi_{max}) \end{aligned}$$

Substitute the value of  $\cos \phi_{max} = 1 - \frac{1}{2a^2}$ :

$$\begin{aligned} A &= 2\pi a^2 \left( 1 - \left( 1 - \frac{1}{2a^2} \right) \right) \\ &= 2\pi a^2 \left( \frac{1}{2a^2} \right) \\ &= \pi \end{aligned}$$

**Final Answer** The surface area of the cut-out portion is exactly  $\pi$ .