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1.  $r = a \sin 2\theta, \quad 0 \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2}, \quad a > 0$

$$\text{Area} = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{r^2}{2} d\theta$$

$$= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{a^2 \sin^2 2\theta}{2} d\theta$$

$$= \frac{a^2}{2} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{1 - \cos 4\theta}{2} d\theta$$

$$= \frac{a^2}{2} \left[ \frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{\sin 4\theta}{8} \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{a^2}{2} \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - 0 \right)$$

$$= \frac{\pi a^2}{8}$$



$$2. \sum_{n=1}^N \frac{n+2}{n(n+1)2^n} = 1 - \frac{1}{(N+1)2^N}, \quad N \geq 1$$

When  $n=1$ :

$$\sum_{n=1}^1 \frac{n+2}{n(n+1)2^n}$$

$$= \frac{1+2}{1(1+1)2^1}$$

$$= \frac{3}{1 \cdot 2 \cdot 2}$$

$$= \frac{3}{4}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{4}$$

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

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

Assume the statement is true when  $N=k$ .

$$\sum_{n=1}^k \frac{n+2}{n(n+1)2^n} = 1 - \frac{1}{(k+1)2^k}$$

When  $N = k+1$ :

$$\sum_{n=1}^{k+1} \frac{n+2}{n(n+1)2^n} = 1 - \frac{1}{(k+2)2^{k+1}}$$

(what needs to be proved).

$$\begin{aligned}
\sum_{n=1}^{k+1} \frac{n+2}{n(n+1)2^n} &= \frac{k+1+2}{(k+1)(k+1+1)2^{k+1}} \\
&\quad + \sum_{n=1}^k \frac{n+2}{n(n+1)2^n} \\
&= \frac{k+3}{(k+1)(k+2)2^{k+1}} + 1 - \frac{1}{(k+1)2^k} \\
&= 1 + \frac{k+3}{(k+1)(k+2)2^{k+1}} - \frac{1}{(k+1)2^k} \\
&= 1 + \frac{1}{(k+1)2^k} \left( \frac{k+3}{2(k+2)} - 1 \right) \\
&= 1 + \frac{1}{(k+1)2^k} \left( \frac{k+3-2k-4}{2(k+2)} \right) \\
&= 1 + \frac{(-k-1)}{2^k 2(k+1)(k+2)} \\
&= 1 - \frac{1}{(k+2)2^{k+1}}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^N \frac{n+2}{n(n+1)2^n} = 1 - \frac{1}{(N+1)2^N}$$

for every positive integer  $N$ .

3.  $v_1, v_2, v_3, \dots$

$$u_n = nv_n - (n+1)v_{n+1}, \quad n=1, 2, 3, \dots$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^N u_n = \sum_{n=1}^N nv_n - (n+1)v_{n+1}$$

$$= v_1 - 2v_2$$

$$+ 2v_2 - 3v_3$$

$$+ 3v_3 - 4v_4$$

$$+ (N-2)v_{N-2} - (N-1)v_{N-1}$$

$$+ (N-1)v_{N-1} - Nv_N$$

$$+ Nv_N - (N+1)v_{N+1}$$

$$= v_1 - (N+1)v_{N+1}$$

i)  $v_n = n^{-\frac{1}{2}}$

$$\sum_{n=1}^N u_n = v_1 - (N+1)v_{N+1}$$

$$= 1 - (N+1)(N+1)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= 1 - (N+1)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

Since  $(N+1)^{\frac{1}{2}} \rightarrow \infty$  as  $N \rightarrow \infty$ ,

the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$  is not convergent.

$$ii) \quad v_n = n^{-\frac{3}{2}}$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^N u_n = v_1 - (N+1)v_{N+1}$$

$$= 1 - (N+1)(N+1)^{-\frac{3}{2}}$$

$$= 1 - (N+1)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\text{Since } (N+1)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } N \rightarrow \infty,$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \left( 1 - (N+1)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \right)$$

$$= 1$$

$$4. \quad C: y = \frac{x^2 - 4}{x - 3}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \text{i)} \quad x-3 \overline{) \begin{array}{r} x+3 \\ x^2-4 \\ x^2-3x \\ \hline 3x-4 \\ 3x-9 \\ \hline 5 \end{array}} \end{array}$$

$$y = x + 3 + \frac{5}{x-3}$$

$$\text{As } x \rightarrow \pm\infty \quad y \rightarrow x + 3$$

$$\text{As } x \rightarrow 3 \quad y \rightarrow \pm\infty$$

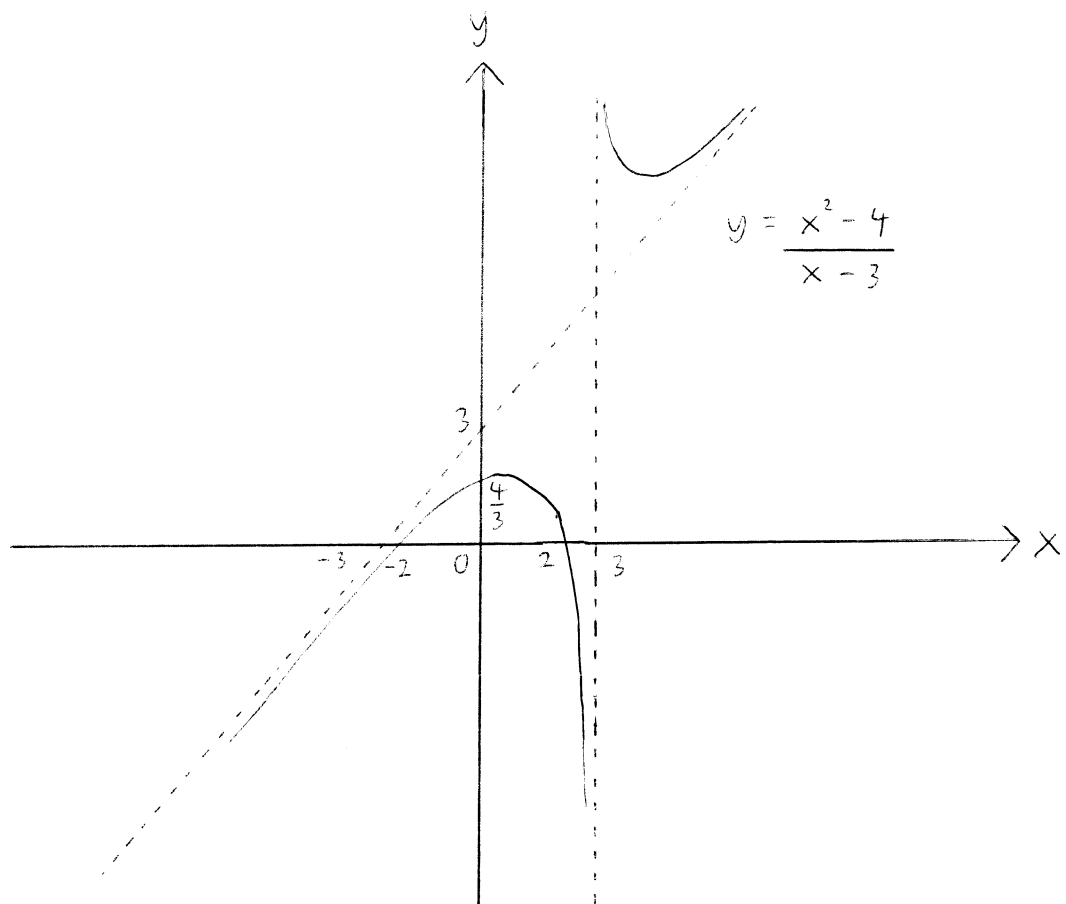
The equations of the asymptotes of C are  $y = x + 3$  and  $x = 3$ .

$$\text{ii)} \quad \text{When } x = 0 \quad y = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\text{When } y = 0: \frac{x^2 - 4}{x - 3} = 0$$

$$x^2 - 4 = 0$$

$$x = \pm 2$$





5.  $8x^3 + 12x^2 + 4x - 1 = 0$

$\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  are the roots.

$2\alpha + 1, 2\beta + 1, 2\gamma + 1$

Let  $y = 2\alpha + 1$

$$\alpha = \frac{y-1}{2}$$

$\alpha$  is a root

$$8\alpha^3 + 12\alpha^2 + 4\alpha - 1 = 0$$

$$8\left(\frac{y-1}{2}\right)^3 + 12\left(\frac{y-1}{2}\right)^2 + 4\left(\frac{y-1}{2}\right) - 1 = 0$$

$$\frac{8(y^3 - 3y^2 + 3y - 1)}{8} + 12\left(\frac{y^2 - 2y + 1}{4}\right)$$

$$+ 2y - 2 - 1 = 0$$

$$y^3 - 3y^2 + 3y - 1 + 3y^2 - 6y + 3 + 2y - 3 = 0$$

$$y^3 - y - 1 = 0$$

$\therefore$  The equation with roots,  $2\alpha + 1, 2\beta + 1, 2\gamma + 1$

is  $y^3 - y - 1 = 0$ .

$$S_n = (2\alpha + 1)^n + (2\beta + 1)^n + (2\gamma + 1)^n$$

$$2\alpha + 1 + 2\beta + 1 + 2\gamma + 1 = 0$$

$$(2\alpha + 1)(2\beta + 1) + (2\alpha + 1)(2\gamma + 1) + (2\beta + 1)(2\gamma + 1) = -1$$

$$(2\alpha + 1)(2\beta + 1)(2\gamma + 1) = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_0 &= (2\alpha + 1)^0 + (2\beta + 1)^0 + (2\gamma + 1)^0 \\
 &= 1 + 1 + 1 \\
 &= 3
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_1 &= (2\alpha + 1)^1 + (2\beta + 1)^1 + (2\gamma + 1)^1 \\
 &= 2\alpha + 1 + 2\beta + 1 + 2\gamma + 1 \\
 &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_2 &= (2\alpha + 1)^2 + (2\beta + 1)^2 + (2\gamma + 1)^2 \\
 &= (2\alpha + 1 + 2\beta + 1 + 2\gamma + 1)^2 \\
 &\quad - 2[(2\alpha + 1)(2\beta + 1) + (2\alpha + 1)(2\gamma + 1) + (2\beta + 1)(2\gamma + 1)] \\
 &= 0^2 - 2(-1) \\
 &= 2
 \end{aligned}$$

Since  $2\alpha + 1$ ,  $2\beta + 1$ ,  $2\gamma + 1$  are the roots of the equation  $y^3 - y - 1 = 0$ ,

$$S_{3+r} - S_{1+r} - S_r = 0$$

$$r=0: S_3 - S_1 - S_0 = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_3 &= S_1 + S_0 \\
 &= 3
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_{-1} &= (2\alpha + 1)^{-1} + (2\beta + 1)^{-1} + (2\gamma + 1)^{-1} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2\alpha + 1} + \frac{1}{2\beta + 1} + \frac{1}{2\gamma + 1}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{(2\alpha + 1)(2\beta + 1) + (2\alpha + 1)(2\gamma + 1) + (2\beta + 1)(2\gamma + 1)}{(2\alpha + 1)(2\beta + 1)(2\gamma + 1)}$$

$$= \frac{-1}{1}$$

$$= -1$$

$$r = -2 : S_1 - S_{-1} - S_{-2} = 0$$

$$S_{-2} = S_1 - S_{-1}$$

$$= 0 - (-1)$$

$$= 1$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 6. \quad (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^6 &= \cos^6 \theta + 6 \cos^5 \theta (i \sin \theta) \\
 &\quad + 15 \cos^4 \theta (-\sin^2 \theta) + 20 \cos^3 \theta (-i \sin^3 \theta) \\
 &\quad + 15 \cos^2 \theta (\sin^4 \theta) + 6 \cos \theta (i \sin^5 \theta) \\
 &\quad - \sin^6 \theta
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \cos 6\theta + i \sin 6\theta &= \cos^6 \theta - 15 \cos^4 \theta \sin^2 \theta \\
 &\quad + 15 \cos^2 \theta \sin^4 \theta - \sin^6 \theta \\
 &\quad + i(6 \cos^5 \theta \sin \theta - 20 \cos^3 \theta \sin^3 \theta \\
 &\quad + 6 \cos \theta \sin^5 \theta)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \cos 6\theta &= \cos^6 \theta - 15 \cos^4 \theta \sin^2 \theta + 15 \cos^2 \theta \sin^4 \theta - \sin^6 \theta \\
 &= \cos^6 \theta - 15 \cos^4 \theta (1 - \cos^2 \theta) \\
 &\quad + 15 \cos^2 \theta (1 - \cos^2 \theta)^2 - (1 - \cos^2 \theta)^3 \\
 &= \cos^6 \theta - 15 \cos^4 \theta + 15 \cos^6 \theta \\
 &\quad + 15 \cos^2 \theta (1 - 2 \cos^2 \theta + \cos^4 \theta) \\
 &\quad - (1 - 3 \cos^2 \theta + 3 \cos^4 \theta - \cos^6 \theta) \\
 &= \cos^6 \theta - 15 \cos^4 \theta + 15 \cos^6 \theta \\
 &\quad + 15 \cos^2 \theta - 30 \cos^4 \theta + 15 \cos^6 \theta \\
 &\quad - 1 + 3 \cos^2 \theta - 3 \cos^4 \theta + \cos^6 \theta \\
 &= 32 \cos^6 \theta - 48 \cos^4 \theta + 18 \cos^2 \theta - 1
 \end{aligned}$$

$$64x^6 - 96x^4 + 36x^2 - 1 = 0$$

$$64x^6 - 96x^4 + 36x^2 - 2 = -1$$

$$32x^6 - 48x^4 + 18x^2 - 1 = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Let } x = \cos \theta$$

$$\therefore 32\cos^6\theta - 48\cos^4\theta + 18\cos^2\theta - 1 = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\cos 6\theta = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$6\theta = \frac{2\pi}{3} + 2k\pi, \frac{4\pi}{3} + 2k\pi, k \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\theta = \left(\frac{k}{3} + \frac{1}{9}\right)\pi, \left(\frac{k}{3} + \frac{2}{9}\right)\pi, k \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{9}, \frac{2\pi}{9}, \frac{4\pi}{9}, \frac{5\pi}{9}, \frac{7\pi}{9}, \frac{8\pi}{9}$$

$$\therefore x = \cos \frac{\pi}{9}, \cos \frac{2\pi}{9}, \cos \frac{4\pi}{9}, \cos \frac{5\pi}{9}, \cos \frac{7\pi}{9}, \cos \frac{8\pi}{9}$$

$$= \pm \cos \frac{\pi}{9}, \pm \cos \frac{2\pi}{9}, \pm \cos \frac{4\pi}{9}$$

$$7 \quad x^4 + y^4 = 1, \quad 0 < x < 1, \quad 0 < y < 1.$$

$$i) \quad \frac{d}{dx}(x^4 + y^4) = \frac{d}{dx}(1)$$

$$4x^3 + 4y^3 \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$x^3 + y^3 \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{x^3}{y^3}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left(x^3 + y^3 \frac{dy}{dx}\right) = 0$$

$$3x^2 + 3y^2 \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right) \frac{dy}{dx} + y^3 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 0$$

$$3x^2 + 3y^2 \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2 + y^3 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 0$$

$$3x^2 + 3y^2 \left(\frac{-x^3}{y^3}\right)^2 + y^3 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 0$$

$$3x^2 + \frac{3x^6}{y^6} + y^3 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 0$$

$$y^3 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -3x^2 - \frac{3x^6}{y^4}$$

$$= \frac{-3x^2 y^4 - 3x^6}{y^4}$$

$$= \frac{-3x^2(x^4 + y^4)}{y^4}$$

$$= \frac{-3x^2}{y^4}$$

$$\therefore \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = -\frac{3x^2}{y^7}$$

ii) The mean value of  $\frac{d^3 y}{dx^3}$  over the interval

$a_1 \leq x \leq a_2$  is

$$\frac{1}{a_2 - a_1} \int_{a_1}^{a_2} \frac{d^3 y}{dx^3} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{a_2 - a_1} \int_{a_1}^{a_2} \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} \right) dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{a_2 - a_1} \left[ \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} \right]_{a_1}^{a_2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{a_2 - a_1} \left[ \frac{-3x^2}{y^7} \right]_{(a_1, b_1)}^{(a_2, b_2)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{a_2 - a_1} \left( \frac{-3a_2^2}{b_2^7} - \left( \frac{-3a_1^2}{b_1^7} \right) \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{a_2 - a_1} \left( \frac{3a_1^2}{b_1^7} - \frac{3a_2^2}{b_2^7} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{a_2 - a_1} \left( \frac{3a_1^2 b_2^7 - 3a_2^2 b_1^7}{b_1^7 b_2^7} \right)$$

$$= \frac{3(a_1^2 b_2^7 - a_2^2 b_1^7)}{b_1^7 b_2^7 (a_2 - a_1)}$$



8  $T: \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & -2 & 3 \\ 2 & -1 & -1 & 11 \\ 3 & -2 & -3 & 14 \\ 4 & -3 & -5 & 17 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} -2r_1 + r_2 \\ -3r_1 + r_3 \\ -4r_1 + r_4 \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & -2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} -r_2 + r_3 \\ -r_2 + r_4 \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & -2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{rank}(A) = 2$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & -2 & 3 \\ 2 & -1 & -1 & 11 \\ 3 & -2 & -3 & 14 \\ 4 & -3 & -5 & 17 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & -1 & -2 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & -1 & 11 & 0 \\ 3 & -2 & -3 & 14 & 0 \\ 4 & -3 & -5 & 17 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & -1 & -2 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

Let  $x_4 = s$  and  $x_3 = t$ ,  $s, t \in \mathbb{R}$

$$x_2 = -3t - 5s$$

$$x_1 - (-3t - 5s) - 2t + 3s = 0$$

$$x_1 + 3t + 5s - 2t + 3s = 0$$

$$x_1 = -8s - t$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -8s - t \\ -3t - 5s \\ t \\ s \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= s \begin{pmatrix} -8 \\ -5 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -3 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

A basis for the null space of  $T$  is

$$\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} -8 \\ -5 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -3 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

$$\underline{e} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Since  $\underline{e}$  is a solution of the equation  $A\underline{x} = A\underline{e}$

and  $\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} -8 \\ -5 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -3 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$  is a basis for the

null space of  $T$ , the general solution of the

equation  $A\underline{x} = A\underline{e}$  is  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + s \begin{pmatrix} -8 \\ -5 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -3 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ .

$$\text{if } \begin{pmatrix} p \\ q \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + s \begin{pmatrix} -8 \\ -5 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -3 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 - 8s - t \\ -2 - 5s - 3t \\ -1 + t \\ -1 + s \end{pmatrix}$$

$$p = 1 - 8s - t$$

$$q = -2 - 5s - 3t$$

$$l = -1 + t$$

$$l = -1 + s$$

$$s = t = 2, \quad p = -17, \quad q = -18$$



9.

$$x \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} + \left( \frac{dx}{dt} \right)^2 + 5x \frac{dx}{dt} + 3x^2 = 3 \sin 2t + 15 \cos 2t,$$

$$x > 0,$$

$$0 \leq t \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$y = x^2$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} \frac{dt}{dx} = 2x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 2x \frac{dx}{dt}$$

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dt^2} = \frac{d}{dt} \left( 2x \frac{dx}{dt} \right)$$

$$= 2x \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} + 2 \left( \frac{dx}{dt} \right)^2$$

$$2x \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} + 2 \left( \frac{dx}{dt} \right)^2 + 10x \frac{dx}{dt} + 6x^2 = 6 \sin 2t + 30 \cos 2t$$

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dt^2} + 5 \frac{dy}{dt} + 6y = 6 \sin 2t + 30 \cos 2t$$

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dt^2} + 5 \frac{dy}{dt} + 6y = 0$$

$$m^2 + 5m + 6 = 0$$

$$(m + 2)(m + 3) = 0$$

$$m = -2, -3$$

The complementary function,  $y_c$ , is

$$y_c = Ae^{-2t} + Be^{-3t}$$

The particular integral,  $y_p$ , is given by

$$y_p = C \cos 2t + D \sin 2t$$

$$\frac{dy_p}{dt} = -2C \sin 2t + 2D \cos 2t$$

$$\frac{d^2 y_p}{dt^2} = -4C \cos 2t - 4D \sin 2t$$

$$\frac{d^2 y_p}{dt^2} + \frac{5 dy_p}{dt} + 6 y_p = -4C \cos 2t - 4D \sin 2t$$

$$+ 5(-2C \sin 2t + 2D \cos 2t)$$

$$+ 6(C \cos 2t + D \sin 2t)$$

$$= -4C \cos 2t - 4D \sin 2t$$

$$- 10C \sin 2t + 10D \cos 2t$$

$$+ 6C \cos 2t + 6D \sin 2t$$

$$= (2C + 10D) \cos 2t$$

$$+ (-10C + 2D) \sin 2t$$

$$= 6 \sin 2t + 30 \cos 2t$$

$$2C + 10D = 30$$

$$-10C + 2D = 6$$

$$C + 5D = 15$$

$$-5C + D = 3$$

$$-5(15 - 50) + 0 = 3$$

$$-75 + 250 + 0 = 3$$

$$260 = 78$$

$$0 = 3$$

$$C = 0$$

$$y_p = 3\sin 2t$$

$$y = y_c + y_p$$

$$= Ae^{-2t} + Be^{-3t} + 3\sin 2t$$

$$x^2 = Ae^{-2t} + Be^{-3t} + 3\sin 2t$$

$$x = 2 \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{dx}{dt} = -\frac{3}{2} \quad \text{when} \quad t = 0$$

$$2x \frac{dx}{dt} = -2Ae^{-2t} - 3Be^{-3t} + 6\cos 2t$$

$$t = 0 \quad x = 2 : \quad 4 = A + B$$

$$t = 0 \quad x = 2 \quad \frac{dx}{dt} = -\frac{3}{2} : \quad -6 = -2A - 3B + 6$$

$$A + B = 4$$

$$2A + 3B = 12$$

$$B = 4$$

$$A = 0$$

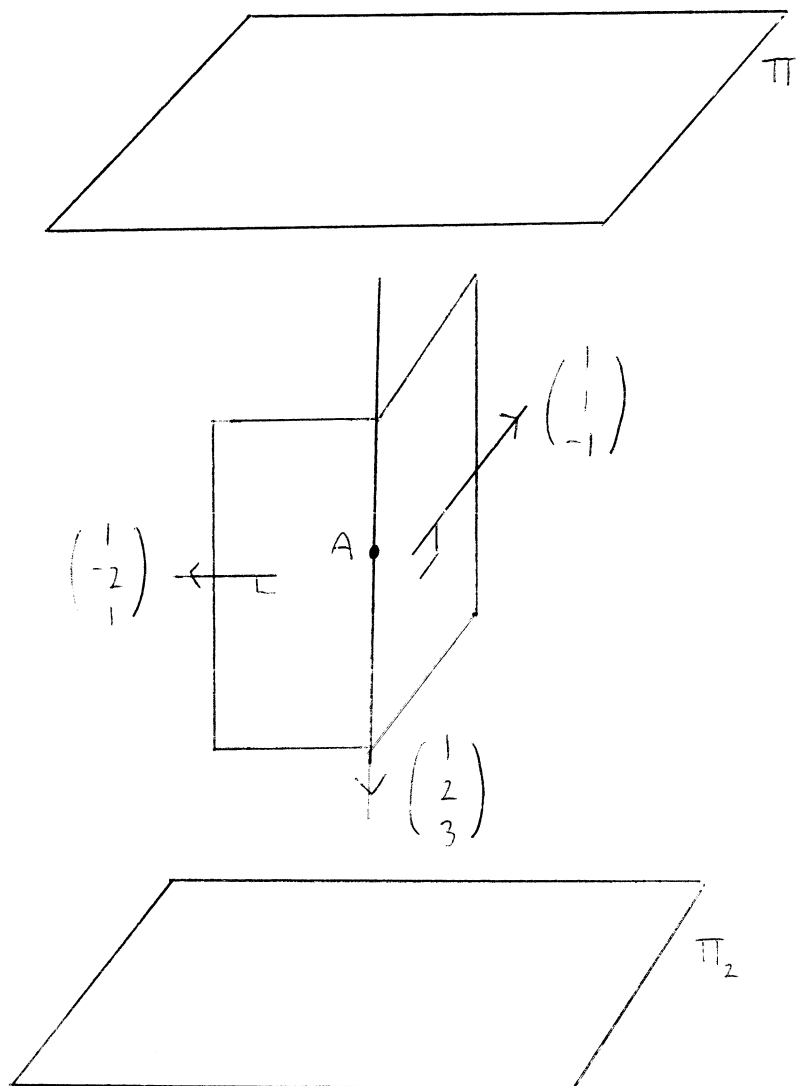
$$\therefore x^2 = 4e^{-3t} + 3\sin 2t$$

$$x = \sqrt{4e^{-3t} + 3\sin 2t}$$





10.  $x - 2y + z = 9$      $x + y - z = -2$      $\vec{OA} = p\vec{i} + q\vec{j} + k$



$$x - 2y + z = 9 \quad x + y - z = -2$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 9 \quad \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = -2$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \left| \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right| \left| \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right| \cos \theta$$

$$1 - 2 - 1 = \sqrt{6} \sqrt{3} \cos \theta$$

$$-2 = 3\sqrt{2} \cos \theta$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{-\sqrt{2}}{3}$$

$$\theta = 118.1$$

∴ The acute angle between the planes

$$x - 2y + z = 9 \text{ and } x + y - z = -2 \text{ is } 61.9^\circ.$$

i) Since  $\ell$  lies in both the planes and  $A$  is a point on  $\ell$ ,

$$p - 2q + 1 = 9$$

$$p + q - 1 = -2$$

$$p - 2q = 8$$

$$p + q = -1$$

$$3q = -9$$

$$q = -3$$

$$p = 2$$

ii) Since  $\ell$  is perpendicular to both the normals

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \text{ it is parallel to } \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Since  $\ell$  has direction  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $A$  is a point

on  $\ell$ , a vector equation for  $\ell$  is

$$\underline{r} = 2\underline{i} - 3\underline{j} + \underline{k} + s(\underline{i} + 2\underline{j} + 3\underline{k})$$

Since  $\ell$  is perpendicular to both the planes

$\Pi_1$  and  $\Pi_2$ ,  $\Pi_1$  and  $\Pi_2$  have the form

$$\Pi_1: x + 2y + 3z = d_1$$

$$\Pi_2: x + 2y + 3z = d_2$$

when  $\ell$  meets the plane  $\Pi_1$ ,

$$2 + s + 2(-3 + 2s) + 3(1 + 3s) = d_1$$

$$2 + s - 6 + 4s + 3 + 9s = d_1$$

$$14s = d_1 + 1$$

$$s = \frac{d_1 + 1}{14}$$

$\ell$  meets  $\Pi_1$  at the point

$$\left( \frac{d_1 + 29}{14}, \frac{2d_1 - 40}{14}, \frac{3d_1 + 17}{14} \right).$$

Also, when  $\ell$  meets the plane  $\Pi_2$ ,

$$2 + s + 2(-3 + 2s) + 3(1 + 3s) = d_2$$

$$2 + s - 6 + 4s + 3 + 9s = d_2$$

$$14s = d_2 + 1$$

$$s = \frac{d_2 + 1}{14}$$

$\ell$  meets  $\Pi_2$  at the point

$$\left( \frac{d_2 + 29}{14}, \frac{2d_2 - 40}{14}, \frac{3d_2 + 17}{14} \right).$$

Since the perpendicular distance from  $A$  to both  $\Pi_1$  and  $\Pi_2$  is  $\sqrt{14}$ ,

$$\sqrt{\left( \frac{d_1 + 29}{14} - 2 \right)^2 + \left( \frac{2d_1 - 40}{14} + 3 \right)^2 + \left( \frac{3d_1 + 17}{14} - 1 \right)^2} = \sqrt{14}$$

and

$$\sqrt{\left( \frac{d_1 + 29}{14} - 2 \right)^2 + \left( \frac{2d_1 - 40}{14} + 3 \right)^2 + \left( \frac{3d_1 + 17}{14} - 1 \right)^2} = \sqrt{14}$$

$$\left(\frac{d_1 + 1}{14}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{2d_2 + 2}{14}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{3d_1 + 3}{14}\right)^2 = 14$$

$$\left(\frac{d_1 + 1}{14}\right)^2 + 4\left(\frac{d_2 + 1}{14}\right)^2 + 9\left(\frac{d_1 + 1}{14}\right)^2 = 14$$

$$14\left(\frac{d_1 + 1}{14}\right)^2 = 14$$

$$\left(\frac{d_1 + 1}{14}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$\frac{d_1 + 1}{14} = \pm 1$$

$$d_1 + 1 = \pm 14$$

$$d_1 = 13, -15$$

$$d_2 = -15, 13$$

∴ The equations of the planes  $\Pi_1$  and  $\Pi_2$  are  $x + 2y + 3z = 13$  and  $x + 2y + 3z = -15$

## II. EITHER

$$I_n = \int_0^1 x^n e^{-\alpha x} dx, \quad \alpha > 0, \quad n \geq 0$$

$$u = x^n \quad dv = e^{-\alpha x} dx$$

$$du = nx^{n-1} \quad v = \frac{e^{-\alpha x}}{-\alpha}$$

$$= \left[ \frac{x^n e^{-\alpha x}}{-\alpha} \right]_0^1 - \int_0^1 \frac{nx^{n-1} e^{-\alpha x}}{-\alpha} dx$$

$$= \frac{e^{-\alpha}}{-\alpha} - 0 + \frac{n}{\alpha} \int_0^1 x^{n-1} e^{-\alpha x} dx$$

$$= \frac{e^{-\alpha}}{-\alpha} + \frac{n}{\alpha} I_{n-1}$$

$$\therefore \alpha I_n = n I_{n-1} - e^{-\alpha}, \quad n \geq 1.$$

The area,  $A$ , of the finite region bounded by the  $x$ -axis, the line  $x=1$  and the curve  $y = xe^{-x}$  is

$$\int_0^1 xe^{-x} dx, \quad \alpha=1$$

$$= I_1$$

$$= I_0 - e^{-1}$$

$$= \int_0^1 e^{-x} dx - e^{-1}$$

$$= \left[ -e^{-x} \right]_0^1 - e^{-1}$$

$$= -e^{-1} - (-1) - e^{-1}$$

$$= 1 - 2e^{-1}$$

If the centroid has coordinates  $(\bar{x}, \bar{y})$ ,

$$\bar{x} = \frac{\int_0^1 xy \, dx}{A}$$

$$= \frac{\int_0^1 x^2 e^{-x} \, dx}{1 - \frac{2}{e}}, \quad \alpha = 1$$

$$= \frac{I_2}{1 - \frac{2}{e}}$$

$$= \frac{2I_1 - e^{-1}}{1 - \frac{2}{e}}$$

$$= \frac{2(I_0 - e^{-1}) - e^{-1}}{1 - \frac{2}{e}}$$

$$= \frac{2\left(\int_0^1 e^{-x} \, dx - e^{-1}\right) - e^{-1}}{1 - \frac{2}{e}}$$

$$= \frac{2\left([-e^{-x}]_0^1 - e^{-1}\right) - e^{-1}}{1 - \frac{2}{e}}$$

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

$$= \frac{2 \left( 1 - \frac{2}{e} \right) - \frac{1}{e}}{1 - \frac{2}{e}}$$

$$= \frac{2 - \frac{4}{e} - \frac{1}{e}}{1 - \frac{2}{e}}$$

$$= \frac{2 - \frac{5}{e}}{1 - \frac{2}{e}}$$

$$= \frac{2e - 5}{e - 2}$$

$$\bar{y} = \frac{\int_0^1 \frac{y^2}{2} dx}{A}$$

$$= \frac{\int_0^1 \frac{x^2 e^{-2x}}{2} dx}{1 - \frac{2}{e}}, \quad \alpha = 2$$

$$= \frac{I_2}{2}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{2} (2I_1 - e^{-2})}{1 - \frac{2}{e}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{I_1}{2} - \frac{e^{-2}}{4}}{1 - \frac{2}{e}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{4}(I_0 - e^{-2}) - \frac{e^{-2}}{4}}{1 - \frac{2}{e}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{I_0}{4} - \frac{e^{-2}}{4} - \frac{e^{-2}}{4}}{1 - \frac{2}{e}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{\int_0^1 e^{-2x} dx}{4} - \frac{e^{-2}}{2}}{1 - \frac{2}{e}}$$

$$= \frac{\left[ \frac{e^{-2x}}{-8} \right]_0^1 - \frac{1}{2e^2}}{1 - \frac{2}{e}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{e^{-2}}{-8} - \left(-\frac{1}{8}\right) - \frac{1}{2e^2}}{1 - \frac{2}{e}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{8} - \frac{1}{8e^2} - \frac{1}{2e^2}}{1 - \frac{2}{e}}$$



$$= \frac{\frac{1}{8} - \frac{5}{8e^2}}{1 - \frac{2}{e}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{e^2 - 5}{8e^2}}{\frac{e - 2}{e}}$$

$$= \frac{e^2 - 5}{8e(e - 2)}$$

∴ The centroid of the region bounded by the x-axis, the line  $x=1$  and the curve  $y = xe^{-x}$

$$\text{is } \left( \frac{2e - 5}{e(e - 2)}, \frac{e^2 - 5}{8e(e - 2)} \right).$$



OR

$$A\mathbf{e}_{\sim} = \lambda\mathbf{e}_{\sim}, \quad B\mathbf{e}_{\sim} = m\mathbf{e}_{\sim}$$

$$AB\mathbf{e}_{\sim} = A(B\mathbf{e}_{\sim})$$

$$= A(m\mathbf{e}_{\sim})$$

$$= m(A\mathbf{e}_{\sim})$$

$$= m(\lambda\mathbf{e}_{\sim})$$

$$= (\lambda m)\mathbf{e}_{\sim}$$

∴ If  $\mathbf{e}_{\sim}$  is an eigenvector of the  $n \times n$  matrices  $A$  and  $B$  with corresponding eigenvalues  $\lambda$  and  $m$  respectively,  $\mathbf{e}_{\sim}$  is an eigenvector of the matrix  $AB$ .

$$C = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$C - \lambda I = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} - \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -\lambda & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & 2-\lambda & -1 \\ 2 & 1 & 2-\lambda \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|C - \lambda I| = -\lambda[(2-\lambda)^2 + 1] - (2-\lambda + 2) + 4(1 - 2(2-\lambda))$$

$$= -\lambda(\lambda^2 - 4\lambda + 4 + 1) + \lambda - 4 + 4(2\lambda - 3)$$

$$= -\lambda^3 + 4\lambda^2 - 5\lambda + \lambda - 4 + 8\lambda - 12$$

$$= -\lambda^3 + 4\lambda^2 + 4\lambda - 16$$

$$= -\lambda^2(\lambda - 4) + 4(\lambda - 4)$$

$$= (\lambda - 4)(4 - \lambda^2)$$

$$= (\lambda - 4)(\lambda + 2)(2 - \lambda)$$

$$\text{when } |C - \lambda I| = 0,$$

$$(\lambda - 4)(\lambda + 2)(2 - \lambda) = 0$$

$$\lambda = 2, 4, -2$$

$$\text{when } \lambda = 2: \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} -2 & 1 & 4 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\xrightarrow{r_1 \leftrightarrow r_2} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 4 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\xrightarrow{\begin{array}{l} 2r_1 + r_2 \\ -2r_1 + r_3 \end{array}} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\xrightarrow{-r_2 + r_3} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\text{let } z = s, s \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$y = -2s$$

$$x = s$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} s \\ -2s \\ s \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= s \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

when  $\lambda = 4$ .

$$\begin{pmatrix} -4 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & -2 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} -4 & 1 & 4 & 0 \\ 1 & -2 & -1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\xrightarrow{r_1 \leftrightarrow r_2} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -2 & -1 & 0 \\ -4 & 1 & 4 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\xrightarrow{\begin{array}{l} 4r_1 + r_2 \\ -2r_1 + r_3 \end{array}} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -7 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\xrightarrow{\begin{array}{l} \frac{r_2}{-7}, \frac{r_3}{5} \end{array}} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\xrightarrow{-r_2 + r_3} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$y = 0$$

$$\text{Let } z = s, s \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$x = s$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} s \\ 0 \\ s \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= s \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

When  $\lambda = -2$ :

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & 4 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

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

$$\xrightarrow{r_1 \leftrightarrow r_2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & -1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 4 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 4 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\xrightarrow{\begin{matrix} -2r_1 + r_2 \\ -2r_1 + r_3 \end{matrix}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -7 & 6 & 0 \\ 0 & -7 & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\xrightarrow{-r_2 + r_3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -7 & 6 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Let  $z = 7s, s \in \mathbb{R}$

$$y = 6s$$

$$x + 24s - 7s = 0$$

$$x = -17s$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -17s \\ 6s \\ 7s \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= s \begin{pmatrix} -17 \\ 6 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\therefore$  The eigenvalues of  $C$  are  $2, 4, -2$  with corresponding eigenvectors  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -17 \\ 6 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}$

$$D = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$D \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 8 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} = -4 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$D \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$D \begin{pmatrix} -17 \\ 6 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -17 \\ 6 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 64 \\ 16 \\ -28 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\therefore \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  is an eigenvector of  $D$  with eigenvalue  $-4$ .

Since  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  is an eigenvector of  $C$  and  $D$

with eigenvalues  $2$  and  $-4$  respectively, the matrix  $CD$  has an eigenvector  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  with

eigenvalue  $-8$ .

