

1. First, I generated a vector of the temperatures in Fahrenheit from 32 to 93.2 in increments of 3.6. Then, I applied the scalar conversion of Fahrenheit to Celsius to that vector since Matlab does that for each element of the vector. I then generated a new vector for the densities for each temperature by passing in each element of the Celsius temperatures to the density formula by using arrayfun. Finally, I plotted it versus the Celsius temperatures.

```
% Vector of temperatures in fahrenheit
tempFahrenheit = 32:3.6:93.2;

% Vector of temperatures in celsius
tempCelsius = 5/9*(tempFahrenheit - 32);

% Densities for each temperature in celsius
densities = arrayfun(@(x) 5.5289*10^(-8)*x^3 ...
    - 8.5016*10^(-6)*x^2 ...
    + 6.5622*10^(-5)*x ...
    + 0.99987, tempCelsius);

% Plot of density versus temperature in celsius
plot(tempCelsius, densities)
title('Density of freshwater for temperature(C)')
```

2. First, I generated a vector of the potential values of x from 0 to $3\pi/2$. I arbitrarily made x increment by $\pi/100$ since it was probably sufficiently accurate. I then generated a vector of the approximations of cosine by using the Maclaurin series expansion by passing each element of the vector of x to the series by using arrayfun. Finally, I plotted x versus y with a dashed black line.

```
% Define x from 0 to 3pi/2 with arbitrary steps of pi/100
x = 0:pi/100:3*pi/2;

% Define y as the Maclaurin series for cosine up to x^8
y = arrayfun(@(x) 1 - x^2/factorial(2) ...
    + x^4/factorial(4) ...
    - x^6/factorial(6) ...
    + x^8/factorial(8), x);

% plot y versus x
plot(x, y, '--k')
title('Approximation of cosine using the Maclaurin series')
```

3. In the function that I used to convert (x, y) to (r, θ) , I calculated r right away since it would be the same regardless of what x and y were. Then, in the first branch of an if statement, I checked to see if $x \geq 0$ since θ was calculated the same way. Then, in the next branch, I checked if $x < 0$. From there, I checked further if $y \geq 0$, $y < 0$, or $y ==$

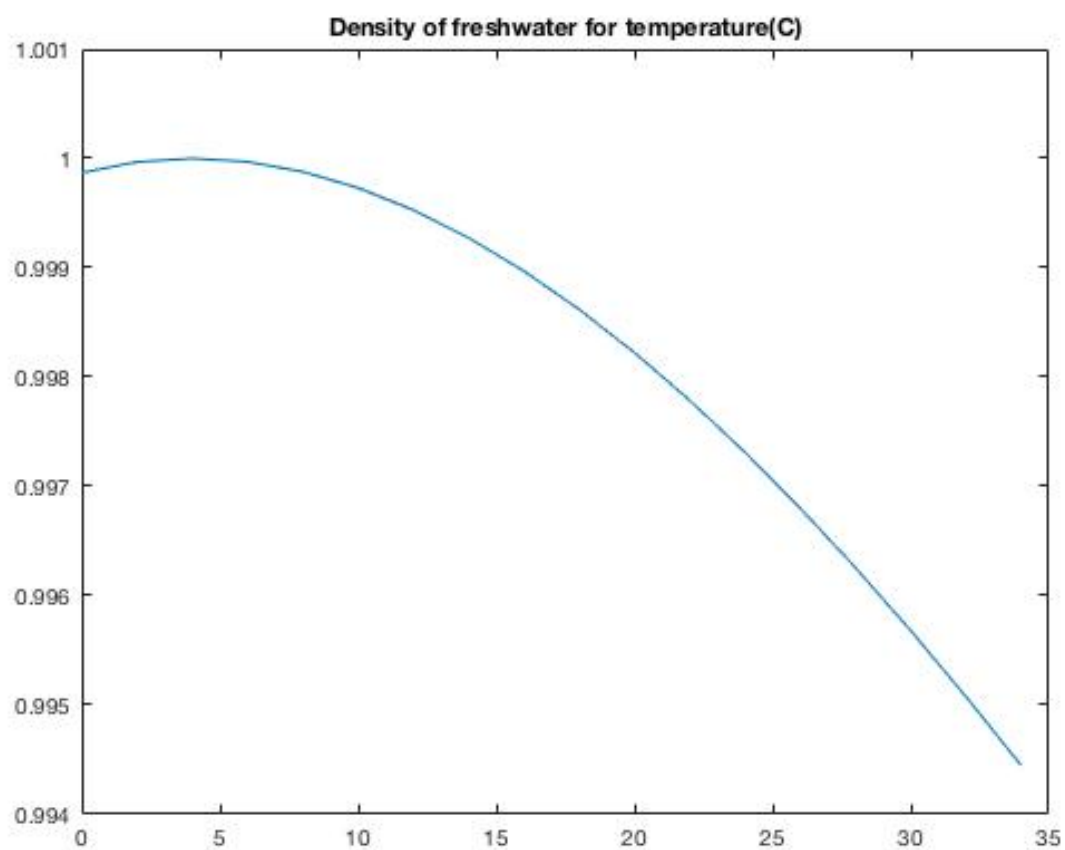


Figure 1: Problem 1

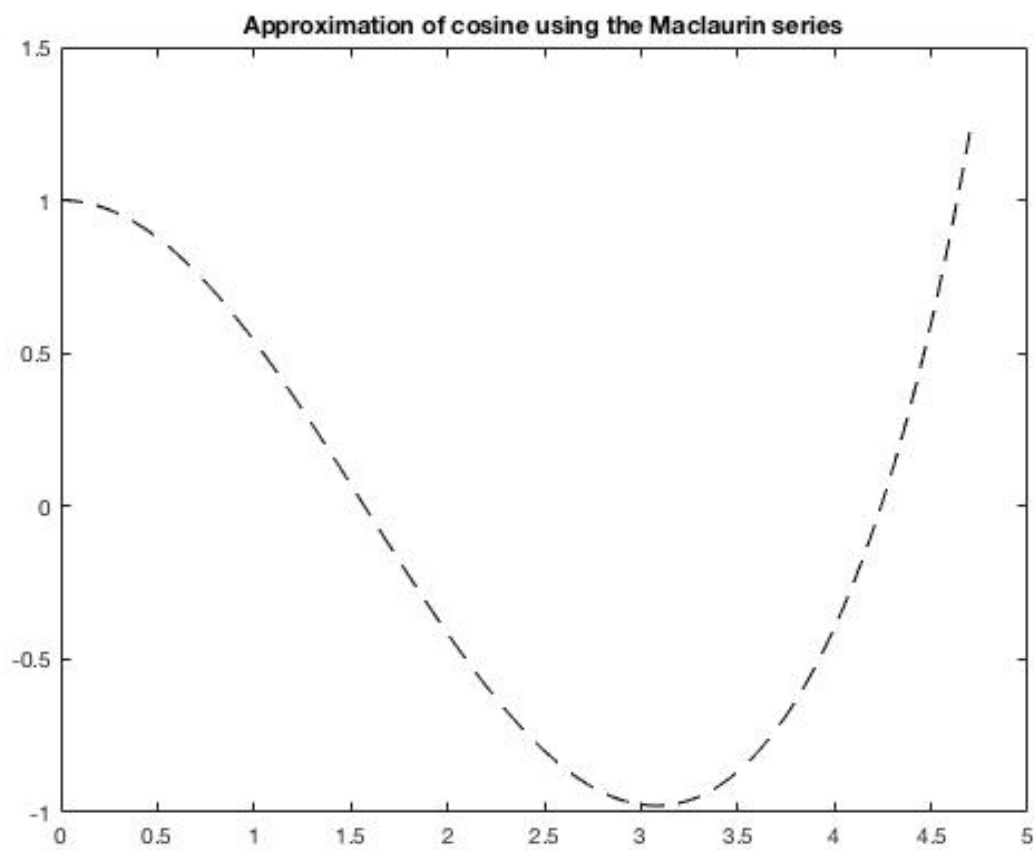


Figure 2: Problem 2

0, and I calculated θ accordingly. I checked for y in the same way in the last branch of the if statement where $x == 0$.

```
function [r, theta] = calcPolar(x, y)
    r = sqrt(x^2 + y^2);
    if (x > 0)
        rad_theta = atan(y/x);
    elseif (x < 0)
        if (y > 0)
            rad_theta = atan(y/x) + pi;
        elseif (y < 0)
            rad_theta = atan(y/x) - pi;
        else
            rad_theta = pi;
        end
    else
        if (y > 0)
            rad_theta = pi/2;
        elseif (y < 0)
            rad_theta = -pi/2;
        else
            rad_theta = 0;
        end
    end
    theta = radtodeg(rad_theta);
end
```

4. In the function that I used to find the cross product between a and b , I first plotted both a and b with a helper function, which also set them both at the origin, which I did by appending a row of zeroes to the top of the matrix representing each vector. This let me also plot vector c easily later on. I calculated c by using the built-in cross function, I calculated the magnitude with the norm function, and I calculated the angle between a and b with `atan2d`. The plot for $a = [-1 \ 0 \ 0]$ and $b = [0 \ -1 \ 0]$ is shown below.

```
function [theta, c, magC] = crossProd(a, b)
    hold on
    view(3);
    displayVector(a, '--');
    displayVector(b, '--');
    c = cross(a, b);
    displayVector(c, '-');
    magC = norm(c);
    theta = atan2d(magC, dot(a, b));
end

function displayVector(vector, option)
    origin = [0 0 0];
```

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originVector = [origin;vector];  
plot3(originVector(:,1)...  
      , originVector(:,2)...  
      , originVector(:,3), option);  
end
```

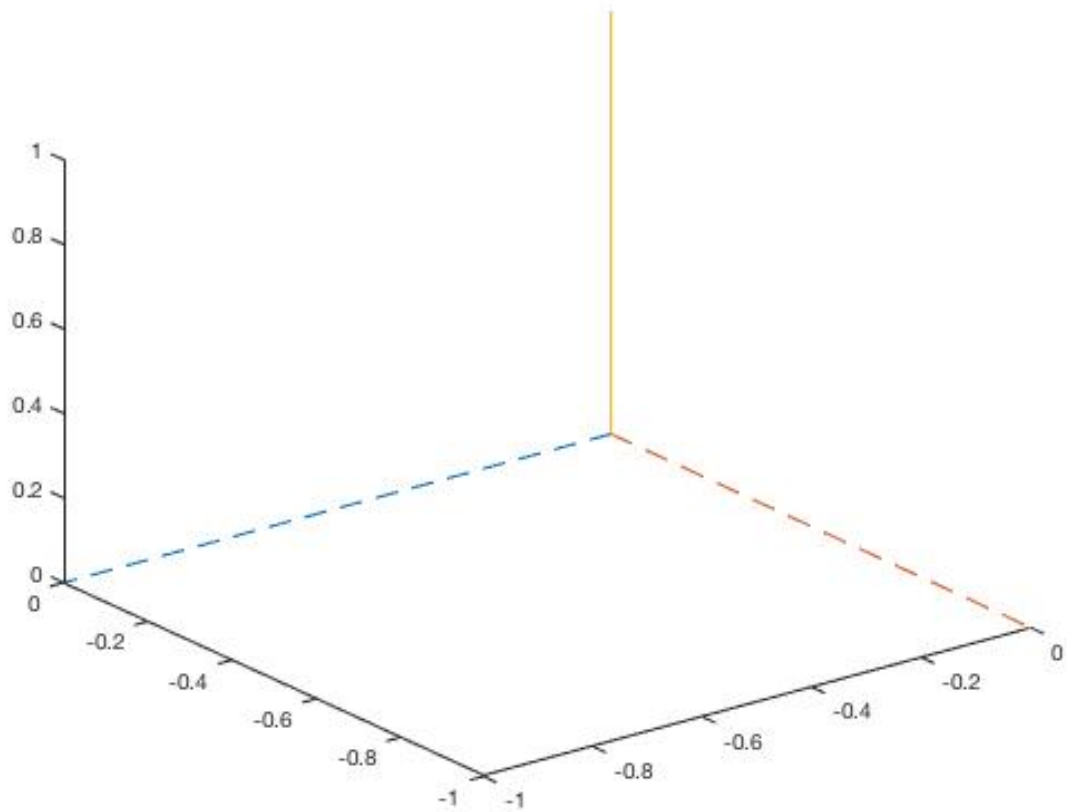


Figure 3: Problem 4