

1. The line  $l$  passes through the point  $P(2, 1, 3)$  and is perpendicular to the plane  $\Pi$  whose vector equation is

$$r \cdot (i - 2j - k) = 3$$

Find

(a) a vector equation of the line  $l$ , (2)

(b) the position vector of the point where  $l$  meets  $\Pi$ . (4)

(c) Hence find the perpendicular distance of  $P$  from  $\Pi$ . (2)

a)  $(\underline{i} - 2\underline{j} - \underline{k})$  IS NORMAL TO  $\Pi$ , HENCE A VECTOR EQUATION OF  $l$  IS

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

b) SINCE THE POINT LIES ON  $l$ ,  $\underline{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 + \lambda \\ 1 - 2\lambda \\ 3 - \lambda \end{pmatrix}$

SINCE THE POINT ALSO LIES ON  $\Pi$ , THEN

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 + \lambda \\ 1 - 2\lambda \\ 3 - \lambda \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow (2 + \lambda) - 2(1 - 2\lambda) - (3 - \lambda) = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow -3 + 6\lambda = 3 \Rightarrow 6\lambda = 6 \Rightarrow \lambda = 1$$

HENCE POSITION VECTOR OF INTERSECTION IS  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 + 1 \\ 1 - 2 \\ 3 - 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

c) DISTANCE BETWEEN  $(2, 1, 3)$  AND  $(3, -1, 2)$  IS

$$\sqrt{(2-3)^2 + (1-(-1))^2 + (3-2)^2} = \sqrt{1 + 4 + 1}$$

$$= \sqrt{6}$$



2.

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

(a) Show that matrix  $M$  is not orthogonal. (2)

(b) Using algebra, show that 1 is an eigenvalue of  $M$  and find the other two eigenvalues of  $M$ . (5)

(c) Find an eigenvector of  $M$  which corresponds to the eigenvalue 1 (2)

The transformation  $M: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  is represented by the matrix  $M$ .

(d) Find a cartesian equation of the image, under this transformation, of the line

$$x = \frac{y}{2} = \frac{z}{-1} \quad (4)$$

a) CONSIDER SECOND AND THIRD COLUMNS (FOR EXAMPLE),  
TAKING THE SCALAR PRODUCT GIVES

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = 0 + 4 + 0 = 4$$

SINCE THIS IS NOT ZERO, M IS NOT ORTHOGONAL.

b) ~~FOR~~ WE MUST SOLVE  $\begin{vmatrix} 1-\lambda & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 4-\lambda & 1 \\ 0 & 5 & -\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$ .

EXPAND DOWN FIRST COLUMN,

$$(1-\lambda) \left( (4-\lambda)(-\lambda) - 5 \right) + 0 + 0 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (1-\lambda)(\lambda^2 - 4\lambda - 5) = 0 \Rightarrow (1-\lambda)(\lambda-5)(\lambda+1) = 0$$

HENCE EIGENVALUES ARE  $\lambda=1$ ,  $\lambda=5$  AND  $\lambda=-1$

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c) WE MUST FIND A VECTOR  $\underline{v}$  SUCH THAT  $\underline{M} \underline{v} = \underline{v}$ .

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \left. \begin{array}{l} x + 2z = x \\ 4y + z = y \\ 5y = z \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left. \begin{array}{l} 2z = 0 \\ z = -3y \\ z = 5y \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow y = z = 0$$

HENCE A SUITABLE EIGENVECTOR WOULD BE  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ .

d) SETTING  $\mu = x = \frac{y}{2} = \frac{z}{-1}$  GIVES

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} x = \mu \\ y = 2\mu \\ z = -\mu \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\text{SO } \underline{M} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mu \\ 2\mu \\ -\mu \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \mu - 2\mu \\ 8\mu - \mu \\ 10\mu \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -\mu \\ 7\mu \\ 10\mu \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{GIVING } \mu = \frac{x}{-1} = \frac{y}{7} = \frac{z}{10}$$

HENCE AN EQUATION OF THE IMAGE IS

$$\frac{x}{-1} = \frac{y}{7} = \frac{z}{10}$$

3. Using calculus, find the exact value of

$$(a) \int_1^2 \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 - 2x + 3}} dx \quad (4)$$

$$(b) \int_0^1 e^{2x} \sinh x dx \quad (4)$$

$$a) \int_1^2 \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 - 2x + 3}} dx = \int_1^2 \frac{1}{\sqrt{(x-1)^2 + 2}} dx$$

$$= \left[ \text{ARSINH} \left( \frac{x-1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \right]_1^2 = \text{ARSINH} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) - \text{ARSINH} 0$$

$$= \text{LN} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \right) - 0$$

$$= \text{LN} \left( \frac{1 + \sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = \text{LN} \left( \frac{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{6}}{2} \right)$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 (e^{3x} - e^x) dx = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{1}{3} e^{3x} - e^x \right]_0^1$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left( \left( \frac{1}{3} e^3 - e \right) - \left( \frac{1}{3} - 1 \right) \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{3} e^3 - e + \frac{2}{3} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} (e^3 - 3e + 2)$$

4. Using the definitions of hyperbolic functions in terms of exponentials,

(a) show that

$$\operatorname{sech}^2 x = 1 - \tanh^2 x \tag{3}$$

(b) solve the equation

$$4 \sinh x - 3 \cosh x = 3 \tag{4}$$

$$a) \text{ LHS} = \operatorname{SECH}^2 x = \frac{1}{\operatorname{COSH}^2 x} = \left( \frac{2}{e^x + e^{-x}} \right)^2$$

$$\text{RHS} = 1 - \operatorname{TANH}^2 x = 1 - \frac{\operatorname{SINH}^2 x}{\operatorname{COSH}^2 x} = 1 - \frac{\left( \frac{1}{2}(e^x - e^{-x}) \right)^2}{\left( \frac{1}{2}(e^x + e^{-x}) \right)^2}$$

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

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

$$= \frac{4}{(e^x + e^{-x})^2} = \left( \frac{2}{e^x + e^{-x}} \right)^2$$

HENCE LHS = RHS, AND SO  $\operatorname{SECH}^2 x \equiv 1 - \operatorname{TANH}^2 x$ ,

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$$b) \quad 4 \sinh x - 3 \cosh x = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow 4\left(\frac{1}{2}(e^x - e^{-x})\right) - 3\left(\frac{1}{2}(e^x + e^{-x})\right) = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow (2e^x - 2e^{-x}) - \left(\frac{3}{2}e^x + \frac{3}{2}e^{-x}\right) = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}e^x - \frac{7}{2}e^{-x} = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow e^x - 6 - 7e^{-x} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{2x} - 6e^x - 7 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (e^x - 7)(e^x + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow e^x = 7 \quad (\text{SINCE } e^x \text{ IS ALWAYS POSITIVE, } e^x \text{ CANNOT EQUAL } -1)$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \ln 7$$

5. Given that  $y = \operatorname{arctanh} \frac{x}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$

show that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$

(4)

Let  $u = \frac{x}{\sqrt{1+x^2}} \longrightarrow \frac{du}{dx}$  ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~

So  $y = \operatorname{ARTANH} u$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{du} = \frac{1}{1-u^2}$$

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

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

$$= 1+x^2$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = \frac{\sqrt{1+x^2} - x \left(\frac{1}{2}(1+x^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}}\right)(2x)}{1+x^2}$$

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

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

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

$$\text{So } \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du} \times \frac{du}{dx} = (1+x^2) \times \frac{1}{(1+x^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$$

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6. [In this question you may use the appropriate trigonometric identities on page 6 of the pink Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables.]

The points  $P(3 \cos \alpha, 2 \sin \alpha)$  and  $Q(3 \cos \beta, 2 \sin \beta)$ , where  $\alpha \neq \beta$ , lie on the ellipse with equation

$$\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$$

(a) Show the equation of the chord  $PQ$  is

$$\frac{x}{3} \cos \frac{(\alpha + \beta)}{2} + \frac{y}{2} \sin \frac{(\alpha + \beta)}{2} = \cos \frac{(\alpha - \beta)}{2} \tag{4}$$

(b) Write down the coordinates of the mid-point of  $PQ$ .

(1)

Given that the gradient,  $m$ , of the chord  $PQ$  is a constant,

(c) show that the centre of the chord lies on a line

$$y = -kx$$

expressing  $k$  in terms of  $m$ .

(5)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{a) GRADIENT OF } PQ &= \frac{2 \sin \alpha - 2 \sin \beta}{3 \cos \alpha - 3 \cos \beta} = \frac{4 \left( \cos \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \sin \frac{\alpha - \beta}{2} \right)}{-6 \left( \sin \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \sin \frac{\alpha - \beta}{2} \right)} \\
 &= \frac{-2 \cos \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}}{3 \sin \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}}
 \end{aligned}$$

SO AN EQUATION OF CHORD  $PQ$  IS

$$y - 2 \sin \alpha = \left( \frac{-2 \cos \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}}{3 \sin \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}} \right) (x - 3 \cos \alpha)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3y \sin \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} - 6 \sin \alpha \sin \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} = -2x \cos \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} + 6 \cos \alpha \cos \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x \cos \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} + 3y \sin \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} = 6 \left( \cos \alpha \cos \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} + \sin \alpha \sin \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{3} \cos \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} + \frac{y}{2} \sin \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} = \cos \left( \alpha - \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \right) \right)$$



$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{3} \cos \frac{\alpha+\beta}{2} + \frac{y}{2} \sin \frac{\alpha+\beta}{2} = \cos \left( \frac{\alpha-\beta}{2} \right)$$

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b) MIDPOINT OF PQ HAS COORDINATES

$$\left( \frac{3}{2} (\cos \alpha + \cos \beta), (\sin \alpha + \sin \beta) \right)$$

$$c) \text{ GRADIENT OF PQ} = \frac{-2 \cos \frac{\alpha+\beta}{2}}{3 \sin \frac{\alpha+\beta}{2}} = m$$

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$$-2 \cos \frac{\alpha+\beta}{2} = 3m \sin \frac{\alpha+\beta}{2}$$

USING TRIGONOMETRIC IDENTITIES, THE  
CENTRE OF CHORD'S COORDINATES CAN BE WRITTEN AS

$$\left( 3 \cos \frac{\alpha+\beta}{2} \cos \frac{\alpha-\beta}{2}, 2 \sin \frac{\alpha+\beta}{2} \cos \frac{\alpha-\beta}{2} \right)$$

ELIMINATING THE  $\sin \frac{\alpha+\beta}{2}$  TERM,  
THE y-COORDINATE CAN NOW BE WRITTEN AS

$$2 \left( \frac{-2}{3m} \cos \frac{\alpha+\beta}{2} \right) \left( \cos \frac{\alpha-\beta}{2} \right) = \frac{-4}{3m} \cos \frac{\alpha+\beta}{2} \cos \frac{\alpha-\beta}{2}$$

$$\text{SO } y = \frac{-4}{9m} \left( 3 \cos \frac{\alpha+\beta}{2} \cos \frac{\alpha-\beta}{2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{-4}{9m} x$$

7. A circle  $C$  with centre  $O$  and radius  $r$  has cartesian equation  $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$  where  $r$  is a constant.

(a) Show that  $1 + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2 = \frac{r^2}{r^2 - x^2}$  (3)

(b) Show that the surface area of the sphere generated by rotating  $C$  through  $\pi$  radians about the  $x$ -axis is  $4\pi r^2$ . (5)

(c) Write down the length of the arc of the curve  $y = \sqrt{1 - x^2}$  from  $x = 0$  to  $x = 1$  (1)

a) DIFFERENTIATING IMPLICITLY,

$$2x + 2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-x}{y}$$

SQUARING GIVES  $\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2 = \frac{x^2}{y^2}$

$$\text{SO } 1 + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2 = \frac{y^2}{y^2} + \frac{x^2}{y^2} = \frac{x^2 + y^2}{y^2} = \frac{r^2}{r^2 - x^2}$$

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b) SURFACE AREA OF REVOLUTION =  $2\pi \int y \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2} dx$

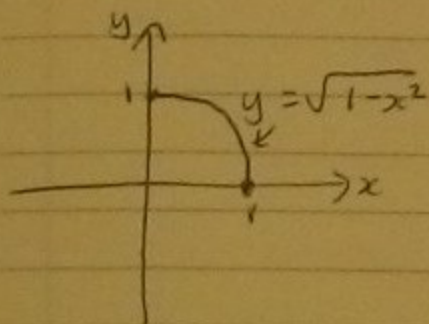
$$= 2\pi \int_{-r}^r \sqrt{r^2 - x^2} \sqrt{\frac{r^2}{r^2 - x^2}} dx$$

$$= 2\pi \int_{-r}^r r dx = 2\pi [rx]_{-r}^r$$

$$= 2\pi (r^2 - (-r^2)) = 4\pi r^2, \text{ AS REQUIRED}$$

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c) THIS CURVE IS AN ARC OF A CIRCLE, CENTRE  $(0,0)$   
RADIUS 1.



HENCE THE ARC LENGTH IS  $\frac{1}{4}\pi$

8. The position vectors of the points  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$  from a fixed origin  $O$  are

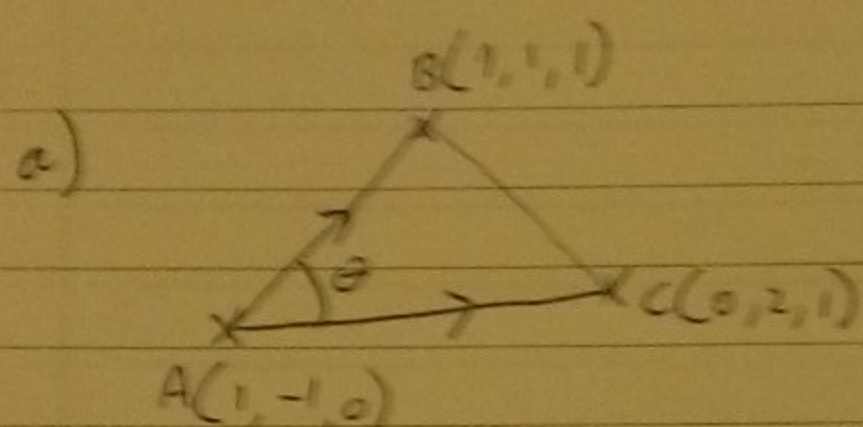
$$\mathbf{a} = \mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j}, \quad \mathbf{b} = \mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}, \quad \mathbf{c} = 2\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$$

respectively.

(a) Using vector products, find the area of the triangle  $ABC$ . (4)

(b) Show that  $\frac{1}{6} \mathbf{a} \cdot (\mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{c}) = 0$  (3)

(c) Hence or otherwise, state what can be deduced about the vectors  $\mathbf{a}$ ,  $\mathbf{b}$  and  $\mathbf{c}$ . (1)



$$\text{AREA OF } \triangle ABC = \frac{1}{2} \left| \overrightarrow{AB} \times \overrightarrow{AC} \right|$$

$$\overrightarrow{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \overrightarrow{AC} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{HENCE AREA OF } \triangle ABC = \frac{1}{2} \left| \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right|$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left| \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \right| = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{(-1)^2 + (-1)^2 + 2^2} = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{6}$$

$$\text{b) } \frac{1}{6} \mathbf{a} \cdot (\mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{c}) = \frac{1}{6} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{1}{6} \left( (1-2) - (-1-0) + 0 \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} (-1 - (-1) + 0) = 0$$

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c) VOLUME OF TETRAHEDRON OABC IS ZERO, HENCE VECTORS  $\mathbf{a}$ ,  $\mathbf{b}$  AND  $\mathbf{c}$  ALL LIE IN (OR ARE PARALLEL TO) A SINGLE PLANE.

9.

$$I_n = \int (x^2 + 1)^{-n} dx, \quad n > 0$$

(a) Show that, for  $n > 0$

$$I_{n+1} = \frac{x(x^2 + 1)^{-n}}{2n} + \frac{2n-1}{2n} I_n \tag{5}$$

(b) Find  $I_2$

(3)

$$a) I_n = \int (x^2 + 1)^{-n} dx = \int (x^2 + 1)(x^2 + 1)^{-n-1} dx$$

$$\Rightarrow I_n = \int x^2(x^2 + 1)^{-n-1} dx + \int (x^2 + 1)^{-(n+1)} dx$$

$$\Rightarrow I_n = \int x^2(x^2 + 1)^{-n-1} dx + I_{n+1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} u &= x & v &= \frac{-1}{2n} (x^2 + 1)^{-n} \\ \frac{du}{dx} &= 1 & \frac{dv}{dx} &= x(x^2 + 1)^{-n-1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow I_n = \left( \frac{-1}{2n} x(x^2 + 1)^{-n} + \frac{1}{2n} \int (x^2 + 1)^{-n} dx \right) + I_{n+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow I_n = \frac{-1}{2n} x(x^2 + 1)^{-n} + \frac{1}{2n} I_n + I_{n+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow I_{n+1} = \frac{x(x^2 + 1)^{-n}}{2n} + I_n - \frac{1}{2n} I_n$$

$$\Rightarrow I_{n+1} = \frac{x(x^2 + 1)^{-n}}{2n} + \frac{2n-1}{2n} I_n$$

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$$b) I_1 = \int \frac{1}{x^2+1} dx = \text{ARCTAN } x \quad (+C)$$

USING THE REDUCTION FORMULA,

$$I_2 = \frac{x(x^2+1)^{-1}}{2(1)} + \frac{2(1)-1}{2(1)} I_1$$

$$= \frac{x}{2(x^2+1)} + \frac{1}{2} \text{ARCTAN } x + C$$