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Section 200                Solutions                    P. Yasskin

1. (10 points) Let  $P_2^0$  be the subset of  $P_2$  consisting of those polynomials of degree 2 or less whose constant term is zero. In particular

$$P_2^0 = \{p = ax + bx^2\}$$

- a. (8) Show  $P_2^0$  is a subspace of  $P_2$ .

Let  $p, q \in P_2^0$ . Then  $p = ax + bx^2$  and  $q = cx + dx^2$ . So  $p + q = (a + c)x + (b + d)x^2 \in P_2^0$ . Further  $kp = (ka)x + (kb)x^2 \in P_2^0$ . So  $P_2^0$  is closed under addition and scalar multiplication and so is a subspace.

- b. (2) What is the dimension of  $P_2^0$ ? Why?

$\dim P_2^0 = 2$  because a basis is  $\{x, x^2\}$  which has 2 vectors.

2. (20 points) Again let  $P_2^0$  be the subset of  $P_2$  consisting of those polynomials of degree 2 or less whose constant term is zero. Consider the function  $\langle *, * \rangle$  of two polynomials given by

$$\langle p, q \rangle = \int_0^1 \frac{4pq}{x^2} dx.$$

- a. (5) Show the function  $\langle *, * \rangle$  is an inner product on  $P_2^0$ .

i. symmetric:  $\langle q, p \rangle = \int_0^1 \frac{4qp}{x^2} dx = \int_0^1 \frac{4pq}{x^2} dx = \langle p, q \rangle$

ii. bilinear:  $\langle p, aq + br \rangle = \int_0^1 \frac{4p(aq + br)}{x^2} dx = a \int_0^1 \frac{4pq}{x^2} dx + b \int_0^1 \frac{4pr}{x^2} dx = a\langle p, q \rangle + b\langle p, r \rangle$

iii. positive definite:  $\langle p, p \rangle = \int_0^1 \frac{4p^2}{x^2} dx \geq 0$  because the integral of a non-negative quantity is non-negative.

If  $\langle p, p \rangle = \int_0^1 \frac{4p^2}{x^2} dx = 0$ , then  $\frac{4p^2}{x^2} = 0$ , or  $p = 0$ .

- b. (10) Apply the Gram Schmidt procedure to the basis  $p_1 = x$ ,  $p_2 = x^2$  to produce an orthogonal basis  $q_1, q_2$  and an orthonormal basis  $r_1, r_2$ .

$$q_1 = p_1 = x$$

$$\langle q_1, q_1 \rangle = \int_0^1 \frac{4q_1^2}{x^2} dx = \int_0^1 \frac{4x^2}{x^2} dx = \int_0^1 4 dx = 4x \Big|_0^1 = 4$$

$$|q_1| = 2$$

$$r_1 = \frac{q_1}{|q_1|} = \frac{x}{2}$$

$$\langle p_2, q_1 \rangle = \int_0^1 \frac{4p_2q_1}{x^2} dx = \int_0^1 \frac{4x^2x}{x^2} dx = \int_0^1 4x dx = 2x^2 \Big|_0^1 = 2$$

$$q_2 = p_2 - \frac{\langle p_2, q_1 \rangle}{\langle q_1, q_1 \rangle} q_1 = x^2 - \frac{2}{4}x = x^2 - \frac{x}{2}$$

$$\langle q_2, q_2 \rangle = \int_0^1 \frac{4q_2^2}{x^2} dx = \int_0^1 \frac{4\left(x^2 - \frac{x}{2}\right)^2}{x^2} dx = \int_0^1 4\left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 dx = \frac{4\left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right)^3}{3} \Big|_0^1 = \frac{1}{6} - \frac{-1}{6} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$|q_2| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$r_2 = \frac{q_2}{|q_2|} = \sqrt{3}\left(x^2 - \frac{x}{2}\right)$$

Summary:

$$q_1 = x, \quad q_2 = x^2 - \frac{x}{2}, \quad r_1 = \frac{x}{2}, \quad r_2 = \sqrt{3}\left(x^2 - \frac{x}{2}\right)$$

- c. (5) Find the change of basis matrices  $C_{r \leftarrow p}$  and  $C_{p \leftarrow r}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} r_1 &= \frac{x}{2} = \frac{1}{2}p_1 + 0p_2 \\ r_2 &= \sqrt{3}\left(x^2 - \frac{x}{2}\right) = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}p_1 + \sqrt{3}p_2 \end{aligned} \quad C_{p \leftarrow r} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ 0 & \sqrt{3} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$C_{r \leftarrow p} = C_{p \leftarrow r}^{-1} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{3} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \end{pmatrix}$$

3. (20 points) Again let  $P_2^0$  be the subset of  $P_2$  consisting of those polynomials of degree 2 or less whose constant term is zero. Consider the function  $L : P_2^0 \rightarrow P_2$  given by

$$L(p) = p - \frac{dp}{dx}.$$

- a. (4) Show the function  $L$  is linear.

$$L(ap + bq) = (ap + bq) - \frac{d(ap + bq)}{dx} = a\left(p - \frac{dp}{dx}\right) + b\left(q - \frac{dq}{dx}\right) = aL(p) + bL(q)$$

- b. (6) Find the kernel of  $L$ . Give a basis.

Let  $p = ax + bx^2$ . Then  $L(p) = 0$  says

$$(ax + bx^2) - \frac{d(ax + bx^2)}{dx} = (ax + bx^2) - (a + 2bx) = (-a) + (a - 2b)x + bx^2 = 0.$$

This implies  $a = b = 0$ , and so  $p = 0$ .

Therefore  $\text{Ker}(L) = \{0\}$ . There is no basis.

- c. (6) Find the image of  $L$ . Give a basis.

$$L(p) = (ax + bx^2) - \frac{d(ax + bx^2)}{dx} = (ax + bx^2) - (a + 2bx) = a(x - 1) + b(x^2 - 2x)$$

Therefore  $\text{Im}(L) = \{a(x - 1) + b(x^2 - 2x)\} = \text{Span}(x - 1, x^2 - 2x)$

Basis is  $\{x - 1, x^2 - 2x\}$ .

- d. (2) Is  $L$  onto? Why?

$L$  is not onto because  $\text{Codom}(L) = P_2$  while  $\text{Im}(L) = \text{Span}(x - 1, x^2 - 2x) \neq P_2$

- e. (2) Is  $L$  one-to-one? Why?

$L$  is one-to-one because  $\text{Ker}(L) = \{0\}$ .

4. (20 points) Again let  $P_2^0$  be the subset of  $P_2$  consisting of those polynomials of degree 2 or less whose constant term is zero. Again consider the function  $L : P_2^0 \rightarrow P_2$  given by

$$L(p) = p - \frac{dp}{dx}.$$

- a. (10) Find the matrix of  $L$  relative to the bases

$$p_1 = x, \quad p_2 = x^2 \quad \text{for } P_2^0 \quad \text{and} \quad e_1 = 1, \quad e_2 = x, \quad e_3 = x^2 \quad \text{for } P_2.$$

Call it  $A$ .

$$\begin{aligned} L(p_1) &= L(x) = x - \frac{dx}{dx} = x - 1 = -e_1 + e_2 \\ L(p_2) &= L(x^2) = x^2 - \frac{dx^2}{dx} = x^2 - 2x = -2e_2 + e_3 \end{aligned} \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- b. (5) Find the matrix of  $L$  relative to the bases

$$r_1, r_2 \quad \text{for } P_2^0 \quad \text{and} \quad e_1 = 1, \quad e_2 = x, \quad e_3 = x^2 \quad \text{for } P_2$$

where  $r_1, r_2$  is the orthonormal basis you found in problem 2. Call it  $B$ .

$$B = \begin{matrix} e \leftarrow r \\ A \\ e \leftarrow p \\ C \\ p \leftarrow r \end{matrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ 0 & \sqrt{3} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{5\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ 0 & \sqrt{3} \end{pmatrix}$$

- c. (5) Recompute  $B$  by another method.

$$\begin{aligned} L(r_1) &= L\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) = \frac{x}{2} - \frac{d\frac{x}{2}}{dx} = \frac{x}{2} - \frac{1}{2} = -\frac{1}{2}e_1 + \frac{1}{2}e_2 \\ L(r_2) &= L\left(\sqrt{3}\left(x^2 - \frac{x}{2}\right)\right) = \sqrt{3}\left(x^2 - \frac{x}{2}\right) - \frac{d\sqrt{3}\left(x^2 - \frac{x}{2}\right)}{dx} \\ &= \sqrt{3}\left(x^2 - \frac{x}{2}\right) - \sqrt{3}\left(2x - \frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}e_1 - \frac{5\sqrt{3}}{2}e_2 + \sqrt{3}e_3 \end{aligned} \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{5\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ 0 & \sqrt{3} \end{pmatrix}$$

5. (30 points) Do this problem, if you did the Volume of Desserts or Planet X Project.

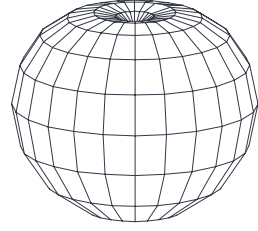
Find the  $z$ -component of the center of mass of the apple whose surface is given in spherical coordinates by

$$\rho = 1 - \cos \varphi$$

and whose density is 1.

HINT: The  $\varphi$ -integrals can be done using the substitution

$$u = 1 - \cos \varphi.$$



$$x = \rho \sin \varphi \cos \theta$$

$$y = \rho \sin \varphi \sin \theta$$

$$z = \rho \cos \varphi$$

$$dV = \rho^2 \sin \varphi d\rho d\varphi d\theta$$

$$u = 1 - \cos \varphi$$

$$du = \sin \varphi d\varphi$$

$$\begin{aligned} M &= \iiint 1 dV = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^\pi \int_0^{1-\cos \varphi} \rho^2 \sin \varphi d\rho d\varphi d\theta = 2\pi \int_0^\pi \left[ \frac{\rho^3}{3} \right]_0^{1-\cos \varphi} \sin \varphi d\varphi \\ &= \frac{2\pi}{3} \int_0^\pi (1 - \cos \varphi)^3 \sin \varphi d\varphi = \frac{2\pi}{3} \frac{(1 - \cos \varphi)^4}{4} \Big|_0^\pi = \frac{2\pi}{3} \frac{(2)^4}{4} = \frac{8\pi}{3} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} z - \text{mom} &= \iiint z dV = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^\pi \int_0^{1-\cos \varphi} \rho \cos \varphi \rho^2 \sin \varphi d\rho d\varphi d\theta = 2\pi \int_0^\pi \left[ \frac{\rho^4}{4} \right]_0^{1-\cos \varphi} \cos \varphi \sin \varphi d\varphi \\ &= \frac{\pi}{2} \int_0^\pi (1 - \cos \varphi)^4 \cos \varphi \sin \varphi d\varphi = \frac{\pi}{2} \int_0^2 u^4 (1 - u) du = \frac{\pi}{2} \left[ \frac{u^5}{5} - \frac{u^6}{6} \right]_0^2 = \frac{\pi}{2} \left[ \frac{2^5}{5} - \frac{2^6}{6} \right] \\ &= \frac{2^5 \pi}{2} \left[ \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{3} \right] = 2^4 \pi \frac{3-5}{15} = -\frac{32\pi}{15} \end{aligned}$$

$$\bar{z} = \frac{z - \text{mom}}{M} = -\frac{32\pi}{15} \frac{3}{8\pi} = -\frac{4}{5}$$

6. (30 points) Do this problem, if you did the Interpretation of Div and Curl Project.

Find the divergence of the vector field  $\vec{F} = (xz^2, yz^2, 0)$  at the point  $(x, y, z) = (0, 0, c)$ .

a. by using the derivative definition:

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{F} = z^2 + z^2 = 2z^2 \quad \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{F} \Big|_{(0,0,c)} = 2c^2$$

b. by using the integral definition:

HINTS: For a sphere of radius  $\rho$  centered at  $(a, b, c)$ , if you use standard spherical coordinates, the normal vector is

$$\vec{N} = (\rho^2 \sin^2 \varphi \cos \theta, \rho^2 \sin^2 \varphi \sin \theta, \rho^2 \cos \varphi \sin \varphi)$$

The  $\varphi$ -integral can be done using the substitution  $u = \cos \varphi$ .

You can ignore terms in the integral proportional to  $\rho^n$  with  $n > 3$  since they drop out of the limit.

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{F} \Big|_{(0,0,c)} = \lim_{\rho \rightarrow 0} \frac{3}{4\pi\rho^3} \iint \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S}$$

where the integral is over the sphere of radius  $\rho$  centered at  $(0, 0, c)$ .

$$\vec{R}(\varphi, \theta) = (\rho \sin \varphi \cos \theta, \rho \sin \varphi \sin \theta, c + \rho \cos \varphi)$$

$$\vec{N} = (\rho^2 \sin^2 \varphi \cos \theta, \rho^2 \sin^2 \varphi \sin \theta, \rho^2 \cos \varphi \sin \varphi) \quad (\text{Given})$$

$$\vec{F} = (xz^2, yz^2, 0) = (\rho \sin \varphi \cos \theta (c + \rho \cos \varphi)^2, \rho \sin \varphi \sin \theta (c + \rho \cos \varphi)^2, 0)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{N} &= \rho^2 \sin^2 \varphi \cos \theta \rho \sin \varphi \cos \theta (c + \rho \cos \varphi)^2 + \rho^2 \sin^2 \varphi \sin \theta \rho \sin \varphi \sin \theta (c + \rho \cos \varphi)^2 \\ &= \rho^3 \sin^3 \varphi (c + \rho \cos \varphi)^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\iint \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} = \int_0^\pi \int_0^{2\pi} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{N} d\theta d\varphi = \int_0^\pi \int_0^{2\pi} \rho^3 \sin^3 \varphi (c + \rho \cos \varphi)^2 d\theta d\varphi = 2\pi \rho^3 \int_0^\pi \sin^3 \varphi (c + \rho \cos \varphi)^2 d\varphi$$

Drop terms of order greater than  $\rho^3$  :

$$\iint \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} \approx 2\pi \rho^3 \int_0^\pi c^2 \sin^3 \varphi d\varphi = 2\pi \rho^3 c^2 \int_0^\pi (1 - \cos^2 \varphi) \sin \varphi d\varphi \quad u = \cos \varphi \quad du = -\sin \varphi d\varphi$$

$$\iint \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} \approx -2\pi \rho^3 c^2 \int_1^{-1} (1 - u^2) du = -2\pi \rho^3 c^2 \left[ u - \frac{u^3}{3} \right]_1^{-1} = -2\pi \rho^3 c^2 \left[ -\frac{2}{3} \right] + 2\pi \rho^3 c^2 \left[ \frac{2}{3} \right] = \frac{8\pi \rho^3 c^2}{3}$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{F} \Big|_{(0,0,c)} = \lim_{\rho \rightarrow 0} \frac{3}{4\pi\rho^3} \left( \frac{8\pi \rho^3 c^2}{3} \right) = 2c^2$$

7. (30 points) Do this problem, if you did the Gauss' and Ampere's Laws Project.

Find the total charge in the cylinder  $x^2 + y^2 \leq a^2$ ,  $0 \leq z \leq 1$  if the electric field is

$$\vec{E} = \frac{\hat{r}}{r} = \frac{\vec{r}}{r^2} = \left( \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2}, \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2}, 0 \right)$$

where  $\vec{r} = (x, y, 0)$  and  $r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$ .

a. using the derivative form of Gauss' Law.

$$\begin{aligned} \rho &= \frac{1}{4\pi} \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{E} = \frac{1}{4\pi} \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2} \right) \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{4\pi} \left[ \frac{(x^2 + y^2) - x(2x)}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} + \frac{(x^2 + y^2) - y(2y)}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{4\pi} \left[ \frac{2(x^2 + y^2) - 2x^2 - 2y^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \right] = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$Q = \iiint_C \rho dV = 0$$

b. using the integral form of Gauss' Law.

$$4\pi Q = \iint_{\partial C} \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{S} = \iint_{top} \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{S} + \iint_{bottom} \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{S} + \iint_{sides} \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{S}$$

On the ends of the cylinder, the normal is  $\vec{N} = \pm \hat{k}$  while  $\vec{E}$  is horizontal. So  $\vec{E} \cdot \vec{N} = 0$  and

$$\iint_{top} \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{S} = \iint_{bottom} \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{S} = 0$$

The sides are parametrized by  $R(\theta, z) = (a \cos \theta, a \sin \theta, z)$ .

$$\vec{R}_\theta = (-a \sin \theta, a \cos \theta, 0) \quad \vec{N} = \vec{R}_\theta \times \vec{R}_z = (a \cos \theta, a \sin \theta, 0)$$

$$\vec{R}_z = (0, 0, 1)$$

$$\vec{E} = \left( \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2}, \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2}, 0 \right) = \left( \frac{a \cos \theta}{a^2}, \frac{a \sin \theta}{a^2}, 0 \right) = \left( \frac{\cos \theta}{a}, \frac{\sin \theta}{a}, 0 \right)$$

$$\vec{E} \cdot \vec{N} = \cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta = 1$$

$$4\pi Q = \iint_{sides} \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{S} = \iint \vec{E} \cdot \vec{N} d\theta dz = \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} 1 d\theta dz = 2\pi \quad Q = \frac{1}{2}$$

c. What do these results tell you about the location of the electric charge? Why?

Part (a) says  $\rho = 0$ . So there is no charge wherever  $\vec{E}$  and  $\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{E}$  are defined which is everywhere but  $r = 0$  which is the  $z$ -axis. However, part (b) says  $Q = \frac{1}{2}$ . So there must be charge along the  $z$ -axis.