

Math 241 Fall 2018 Final Exam Solution

1. Parts (a) and (b) are independent.

- (a) Use the dot product to show that the three points $A = (-2, 3, -4)$, $B = (0, 11, -1)$, and $C = (1, 10, -5)$ form a right triangle. Then find the length of the hypotenuse. [10 pts]

Solution: We have:

$$\overline{AB} = 2\mathbf{i} + 8\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$$

$$\overline{AC} = 3\mathbf{i} + 7\mathbf{j} - 1\mathbf{k}$$

$$\overline{BC} = 1\mathbf{i} - 1\mathbf{j} - 4\mathbf{k}$$

And so:

$$\overline{AB} \cdot \overline{AC} \neq 0$$

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So we have a right triangle. The length of the hypotenuse is then

$$|AB| = \sqrt{2^2 + 8^2 + 3^2}$$

- (b) Find the distance between the point $Q = (-2, 1, 3)$ and the line $x = 2$, $\frac{y+3}{-2} = z - 4$. [10 pts]

Solution: The point $P = (2, -3, 4)$ is on the line and $\mathbf{L} = 0\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + 1\mathbf{k}$. We have $\overline{PQ} = -4\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - 1\mathbf{k}$ so that

$$\begin{aligned} \text{dist} &= \frac{\|\overline{PQ} \times \mathbf{L}\|}{\|\mathbf{L}\|} \\ &= \frac{\|2\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} + 8\mathbf{k}\|}{\|0\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + 1\mathbf{k}\|} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{4 + 16 + 64}}{\sqrt{0 + 4 + 1}} \end{aligned}$$

2. Parts (a) and (b) are independent.

- (a) An 80 pound force and a 50 pound force are applied to an object at the same point with an angle of $\frac{\pi}{6}$ between them. Find the magnitude of the resultant force on the object. [10 pts]

Solution: If we put the object at the origin and the 50lb force on the positive x axis and the 80lb force in the first quadrant then $\mathbf{F}_1 = 50\mathbf{i} + 0\mathbf{j}$ and $\mathbf{F}_2 = 80\cos(\pi/6)\mathbf{i} + 80\sin(\pi/6)\mathbf{j} = 40\sqrt{3}\mathbf{i} + 40\mathbf{j}$ and so

$$\|\mathbf{F}_1 + \mathbf{F}_2\| = \sqrt{(50 + 40\sqrt{3})^2 + (40)^2}$$

- (b) Show that the two lines $\mathbf{r}_1(t) = (t + 1)\mathbf{i} + 2t\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$ and $\mathbf{r}_2(s) = s\mathbf{i} + (4 - s)\mathbf{j} + (s + 1)\mathbf{k}$ intersect and are not parallel, then find the equation of the plane containing them. [10 pts]

Solution: The lines meet when $t + 1 = s$, $2t = 4 - s$ and $3 = s + 1$. The last gives $s = 2$ and so $t = 1$.

Noting $\mathbf{r}_1(1) = 2\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$ they meet at $(2, 2, 3)$.

The vectors are $\mathbf{L}_1 = 1\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + 0\mathbf{k}$ and $\mathbf{L}_2 = 1\mathbf{i} - 1\mathbf{j} + 1\mathbf{k}$ and these are not multiples so the lines are not parallel.

We use $\mathbf{n} = \mathbf{L}_1 \times \mathbf{L}_2 = 2\mathbf{i} - 1\mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k}$ and so the plane equation is

$$2(x - 2) - 1(y - 2) - 3(z - 3) = 0$$

3. Consider the curve C parametrized by $\mathbf{r}(t) = e^t \cos t \mathbf{i} + e^t \sin t \mathbf{j}$.

(a) Find the tangent vector $\mathbf{T}(t)$. Simplify.

[10 pts]

Solution: We have:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{r}'(t) &= (e^t \cos t - e^t \sin t) \mathbf{i} + (e^t \sin t + e^t \cos t) \mathbf{j} \\ \|\mathbf{r}'(t)\| &= \sqrt{e^{2t} \cos^2 t - 2e^{2t} \sin t \cos t + e^{2t} \sin^2 t + e^{2t} \cos^2 t + 2e^{2t} \sin t \cos t + e^{2t} \sin^2 t} \\ &= \sqrt{2e^{2t}} \\ &= e^t \sqrt{2}\end{aligned}$$

and so

$$\mathbf{T}(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\cos t - \sin t) \mathbf{i} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\sin t + \cos t) \mathbf{j}$$

(b) Find the normal vector $\mathbf{N}(t)$.

[10 pts]

Solution: We have:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{T}'(t) &= -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(-\sin t - \cos t) \mathbf{i} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\cos t - \sin t) \mathbf{j} \\ \|\mathbf{T}'(t)\| &= \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}(\sin^2 t + 2 \sin t \cos t + \cos^2 t) + \frac{1}{2}(\cos^2 t - 2 \sin t \cos t + \sin^2 t)} \\ &= 1\end{aligned}$$

and so

$$\mathbf{N}(t) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(-\sin t - \cos t) \mathbf{i} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\cos t - \sin t) \mathbf{j}$$

4. Let C be the curve defined as the portion of the parabola $y = x^2$ in the plane $z = -2$ between the points $(2, 4, -2)$ and $(3, 9, -2)$.

(a) Find a parametrization of C . [10 pts]

Solution: We have $\mathbf{r}(t) = t \mathbf{i} + t^2 \mathbf{j} - 2 \mathbf{k}$ for $2 \leq t \leq 3$.

(b) Set up the iterated integral that computes the length of C . **Do not evaluate the integral!** [10 pts]

Solution: We have

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{r}'(t) &= 1 \mathbf{i} + 2t \mathbf{j} + 0 \mathbf{k} \\ \|\mathbf{r}'(t)\| &= \sqrt{1 + 4t^2} \\ \text{Length} &= \int_2^3 \sqrt{1 + 4t^2} dt\end{aligned}$$

5. Use Lagrange Multipliers to find the extreme values of $f(x, y) = 3x - y$ subject to the constraint $x^2 + 2y^2 = 1$. You may assume these values exist. [20 pts]

Solution: We set $g(x, y) = x^2 + 2y^2$ and then solve the system

$$\begin{aligned}3 &= \lambda 2x \\ -1 &= \lambda 4y \\ x^2 + 2y^2 &= 1\end{aligned}$$

We can't have $x = 0$ or $y = 0$ since these would contradict the first and second, therefore the first tells us $\lambda = \frac{3}{2x}$ and the second tells us $\lambda = -\frac{1}{4y}$. Thus

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{3}{2x} &= -\frac{1}{4y} \\ 12y &= -2x \\ x &= -6y\end{aligned}$$

Plugging this into the third tells us

$$\begin{aligned}36y^2 + 2y^2 &= 1 \\ y &= \pm 1/\sqrt{38}\end{aligned}$$

This yields the points $(-6/\sqrt{38}, 1/\sqrt{38})$ and $(6/\sqrt{38}, -1/\sqrt{38})$. Then:

$$\begin{aligned}f(-6/\sqrt{38}, 1/\sqrt{38}) &= -19/\sqrt{38} \text{ Min} \\ f(6/\sqrt{38}, -1/\sqrt{38}) &= 19/\sqrt{38} \text{ Max}\end{aligned}$$

6. If $f(x, y) = x^2y + xy + y^3$ use tangent plane approximation at $(1, 2)$ to approximate $f(0.95, 2.1)$. [20 pts]
Solution: We have

$$f_x = 2xy + y$$
$$f_y = x^2 + x + 3y^2$$

and so

$$f(1, 2) = 12$$
$$f_x(1, 2) = 6$$
$$f_y(1, 2) = 14$$

Therefore

$$f(0.95, 2.1) \approx f(1, 2) + f_x(1, 2)(0.95 - 1) + f_y(1, 2)(2.1 - 2)$$
$$\approx 12 + 6(0.95 - 1) + 14(2.1 - 2)$$

7. Let D be the solid that lies inside the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 2$ and outside the cylinder $x^2 + y^2 = 1$.

- (a) Set up an iterated triple integral in spherical coordinates that evaluates the volume of D . [10 pts]

Do not evaluate the integral!

Solution: In spherical the equations are $\rho = \sqrt{2}$ and $\rho^2 \sin^2 \phi = 1$ (or $\rho \sin \phi = 1$ or $\rho = \csc \phi$) respectively. These meet when $\sqrt{2} \sin \phi = 1$ or $\phi = \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4}$. Therefore the volume is given by

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \int_{\pi/4}^{3\pi/4} \int_{\csc \phi}^{\sqrt{2}} \rho^2 \sin \phi \, d\rho \, d\phi \, d\theta$$

- (b) Set up an iterated triple integral in cylindrical coordinates that evaluates $\iiint_D x^2 \, dV$. [10 pts]

Do not evaluate the integral!

Solution: In cylindrical the equations of the sphere yields $z = \pm\sqrt{2-r^2}$ and so:

$$\iiint_D x^2 \, dV = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_1^{\sqrt{2}} \int_{-\sqrt{2-r^2}}^{+\sqrt{2-r^2}} (r \cos \theta)^2 r \, dz \, dr \, d\theta$$

8. Let R be the region enclosed by the ellipse given by $9x^2 + y^2 = 9$. Using an appropriate change of variables, evaluate $\iint_R x^2 dA$. Make sure you specify the change of variables, and draw the new region. **Evaluate the integral!** [20 pts]

Solution: Set $u = 3x$ and $v = y$ and then the ellipse becomes $u^2 + v^2 = 9$. We have $x = \frac{1}{3}u$ and $y = v$ and so the Jacobian of the change of variables is

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1/3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1/3$$

and so:

$$\iint_R x^2 dA = \iint_S \frac{1}{9}u^2 |1/3| dA$$

We rewrite this in polar:

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_S \frac{1}{9}u^2 |1/3| dA &= \frac{1}{27} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^3 r^2 \cos^2 \theta r dr d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{27} \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1}{4} r^4 \cos^2 \theta \Big|_0^3 d\theta \\ &= \frac{3}{4} \int_0^{2\pi} \cos^2 \theta d\theta \\ &= \frac{3}{4} \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1}{2} (1 + \cos(2\theta)) d\theta \\ &= \frac{3}{8} (\theta + \frac{1}{2} \sin(2\theta)) \Big|_0^{2\pi} \\ &= \frac{3}{8} (2\pi) \end{aligned}$$

9. Let Σ be the portion of the plane $z = 9 - x$ inside the cylinder $r = 2 \cos \theta$. Let R be the edge of Σ with counterclockwise orientation when viewed from above. Use Stokes' Theorem to rewrite the integral $\int_C 2x dx + yz dy + x^2 z^2 dz$ as a surface integral, parametrize the surface and then proceed until you have an iterated double integral. **Do not evaluate the integral!** [20 pts]

Solution: Stokes' Theorem tells us that

$$\int_C 2x dx + yz dy + x^2 z^2 dz = \iint_{\Sigma} [(0 - y) \mathbf{i} - (2xz^2 - 0) \mathbf{j} + (0 - 0) \mathbf{k}] \cdot \mathbf{n} dS$$

where Σ is the part of the plane inside the cylinder with upwards orientation. We parametrize Σ as:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}(r, \theta) &= r \cos \theta \mathbf{i} + r \sin \theta \mathbf{j} + (9 - r \cos \theta) \mathbf{k} \\ &\quad -\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2} \\ &\quad 0 \leq r \leq 2 \cos \theta \end{aligned}$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}_r &= \cos \theta \mathbf{i} + \sin \theta \mathbf{j} - \cos \theta \mathbf{k} \\ \mathbf{r}_\theta &= -r \sin \theta \mathbf{i} + r \cos \theta \mathbf{j} + r \sin \theta \mathbf{k} \\ \mathbf{r}_r \times \mathbf{r}_\theta &= r \mathbf{i} - 0 \mathbf{j} + r \mathbf{k} \end{aligned}$$

Since this matches Σ 's orientation the integral becomes

$$\begin{aligned} &\iint_{\Sigma} [(0 - y) \mathbf{i} - (2xz^2 - 0) \mathbf{j} + (0 - 0) \mathbf{k}] \cdot \mathbf{n} dS \\ &= + \iint_R [-r \sin \theta \mathbf{i} - 2(r \cos \theta)(9 - r \cos \theta)^2 \mathbf{j} + 0 \mathbf{k}] \cdot [r \mathbf{i} - 0 \mathbf{j} + r \mathbf{k}] dA \\ &= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \int_0^{2 \cos \theta} -r^2 \sin \theta dr d\theta \end{aligned}$$

10. Parts (a) and (b) are independent.

- (a) Use Green's Theorem to evaluate $\int_C xy \, dx + x \, dy$ where C is the triangle with vertices $(0, 0)$, $(3, 0)$, and $(3, 6)$, oriented clockwise. [10 pts] **Evaluate the integral!**

Solution: If R is the region inside the triangle then because of the orientation we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_c xy \, dx + x \, dy &= - \iint_R 1 - x \, dA \\ &= - \int_0^3 \int_0^{2x} 1 - x \, dy \, dx \\ &= - \int_0^3 y - xy \Big|_0^{2x} \, dx \\ &= - \int_0^3 2x - x(2x) \, dx \\ &= - \int_0^3 x^2 - \frac{2}{3}x^3 \Big|_0^3 \\ &= -(3^2 - \frac{2}{3}(3)^3) \end{aligned}$$

- (b) Let Σ be the portion of the paraboloid $z = 16 - x^2 - y^2$ restricted by $0 \leq x \leq 2$ and $0 \leq y \leq 3$. Write down an iterated double integral for the surface area of Σ . [10 pts] **Do not evaluate the integral!**

Solution: The surface is parametrized by

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}(x, y) &= x \mathbf{i} + y \mathbf{j} + (16 - x^2 - y^2) \mathbf{k} \\ &0 \leq x \leq 2 \\ &0 \leq y \leq 3 \end{aligned}$$

So we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}_x &= 1 \mathbf{i} + 0 \mathbf{j} - 2x \mathbf{k} \\ \mathbf{r}_y &= 0 \mathbf{i} + 1 \mathbf{j} - 2y \mathbf{k} \\ \mathbf{r}_x \times \mathbf{r}_y &= 2x \mathbf{i} + 2y \mathbf{j} + 1 \mathbf{k} \\ \|\mathbf{r}_x \times \mathbf{r}_y\| &= \sqrt{4x^2 + 4y^2 + 1} \end{aligned}$$

and so the surface area is

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_{\Sigma} 1 \, dS &= \iint_R \sqrt{4x^2 + 4y^2 + 1} \, dA \\ &= \int_0^2 \int_0^3 \sqrt{4x^2 + 4y^2 + 1} \, dy \, dx \end{aligned}$$