注意:未寫明演算過程者不予計分

1. Let
$$F(x, y, z) = 3xy - y^2 + z^2$$
. Let $P = (1, 0, 3)$ and $Q = (7, 2, 6)$. (10%)

- (a) Find a unit vector \mathbf{u}_1 such that F(x, y, z) increases most rapidly as on leaves from P in the direction \mathbf{u}_1 . Why?
- (b) Let $\mathbf{u_2}$ be a unit vector in the direction from P to Q. Find the directional derivative $D_{\mathbf{u_2}}F(P)$. Is F increasing or decreasing the instant one leaves from P going toward Q?
- 2. Find the surface area and the volume of the ellipsoid(橢球) obtained by revolving an ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ about the } x\text{-axis.}$ (10%)
- 3. Find the following values, if exist. (20%) $(a) \int_0^\infty y^2 e^{-\sqrt{y}} dy$ (b) $\lim_{x\to 0} (1-4x^2)^{3/x}$
 - (c) $\int_0^1 x^5 (1-x^2)^{\frac{10}{3}} dx$ (d) $\int \sqrt{9-4x^2} dx$
- 4. For the given power series $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\ln k}{e^k} (x-e)^k$, find the interval of convergence. (5%)
- 5. Determine whether the following statements are true or false. (5%)
 - (a) A conditionally convergent series may diverges.
 - (b) If $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (a_k + b_k)$ converges, then $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (a_k + b_k) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_k$.
 - (c) Let $\rho_k = \left| \frac{a_{k+1}}{a_k} \right|$. If $\lim_{k \to \infty} \rho_k = 0$, then $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k$ converges.
 - (d) If $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k$ converges absolutely, then $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k^2$ converges.
 - (e) If Taylor's series of f(x) converges, then it converges to f(x).

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6. Let

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$$A = \left[\begin{array}{cccccc} 0 & 1 & 1 & - & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & - & 1 & & 1 \\ 1 & - & 1 & & 0 & & 1 \\ - & 1 & & 1 & & 1 & & 0 \end{array} \right].$$

Determine an orthogonal matrix T and a diagonal matrix B such that $B = T^{-1}AT$.

- 7. Let A be a square matrix. If a matrix X such that AXA = A, then this X is called a generalized inverse of A. If A satisfies $(A I)^3 = A I$. Find a generalized inverse of A. (5%)
- 8. Let S be the set of all real 2×2 symmetric matrices.

(15%)

- (a) Is S a vector space? If yes, find a basis for S.
- (b) Show that tr is a linear transformation from S to the real numbers, where tr(A) = trace of A. And find the null space of tr.
- (c) For $A, B \in S$, does $\langle A, B \rangle = tr(AB)$ define an inner product on S? Justify your answer.
- 9. Let f be the bilinear form on \mathbb{R}^2 defined by

(10%)

$$f((x_1, x_2), (y_1, y_2)) = 2x_1y_1 - 3x_1y_2 + x_2y_2.$$

- (a) Find the matrix A of f in the basis $\{u_1 = (1,0), u_2 = (1,1)\}$.
- (b) Find the matrix B of f in the basis $\{v_1 = (2,1), v_2 = (1,-1)\}$.
- (c) Find the transition matrix P from the basis $\{u_i\}$ to the basis $\{v_i\}$, and verify the equation which states the relation between A, B and P.
- 10. Let A be a symmetric positive definite matrix and let x, y denote $n \times 1$ vectors. (10%)
 - (a) Show that

$$x^t A^{-1} x = \sup_{y} \frac{(x^t y)^2}{y^t A y}.$$

(b) Use part (a) to show that if A_1 and A_2 are symmetric positive definite matrices and $0 < \alpha < 1$ then

$$(\alpha A_1 + (1-\alpha)A_2)^{-1} \le \alpha A_1^{-1} + (1-\alpha)A_2^{-1},$$

where $A \leq B$ means A - B is positive semi-definite.