

1. Vector D is a linear combination of three noncoplanar (and nonorthogonal) vector :

$$D = aA + bB + cC$$

Show that the coefficients are given by a ratio of triple scalar products

$$a = \frac{D \cdot B \times C}{A \cdot B \times C} \quad \text{and so on.} \quad (8\%)$$

2. Find the eigenvalues and an orthonormal (orthogonal and normalized) set of eigenvectors for the matrices:

$$M_x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad M_y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -i & 0 \\ i & 0 & -i \\ 0 & i & 0 \end{bmatrix},$$

and

$$M_z = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}. \quad (15\%)$$

3. In stationary directional solidification, the general differential equation describing linear heat flow in the static system is given by

$$\alpha \frac{d^2 T}{dx^2} = \frac{dT}{dt}$$

where  $\alpha = K/\rho c$ ,  $\rho = \text{density}$ ,  $c = \text{specific heat}$  and  $K = \text{thermal conductivity}$ . Solve the equation, using the boundary conditions as:

1.  $T = T_0$  at  $x = 0$  for all  $t$ .
2.  $T = T_m$  at  $x = X$ ,  $x$  is the length of solidified ingot.
3.  $K_s \left( \frac{dT}{dx} \right)_{x=X} = \rho L_f V_I$ ,  $L_f$  is the latent heat of fusion,  $V_I$  is the rate of solidification.

(20%)

4. Show that

$$x^{-1} \left( \frac{f(s)}{s^2} \right) = \int_0^t \int_0^v F(u) \, du \, dv. \quad (7\%)$$

5. Consider a solid cylinder of mass  $M$  and radius  $R$  rolling down an inclined plane without slipping. See fig. 1. Find the speed of its center of mass when the cylinder reaches the bottom?

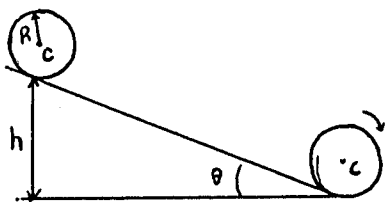


fig. 1.

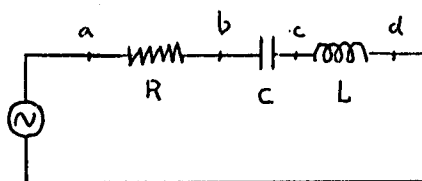


fig. 2.

6. In fig. 2.  $R = 15 \Omega$ ,  $C = 4.7 \mu F$ , and  $L = 25 mH$ . The generator provides a sinusoidal voltage of amplitude  $\mathcal{E} = 75 V$  (r.m.s) and frequency  $\nu = 550 Hz$ . (a.) Calculate the r.m.s current amplitude? (b.) Find the r.m.s voltages  $V_{ab}$ ,  $V_{bc}$ ,  $V_{cd}$ ,  $V_{bd}$ ,  $V_{ad}$ ? (c.) What average power is dissipated by each of the three circuit elements?

7. An ideal diatomic gas ( $\gamma = 1.40$ ) is caused to pass through the cycle shown on the  $p-v$  diagram in fig. 3., where  $V_2 = 3V_1$ . Determine, in terms of  $p_1$ ,  $V_1$ ,  $T_1$ , and  $R$ : (a.)  $p_2$ ,  $p_3$ , and  $T_3$ ? (b.)  $W$ ,  $Q$ ,  $\Delta U$ , and  $\Delta S$ , per mole, for all three processes?

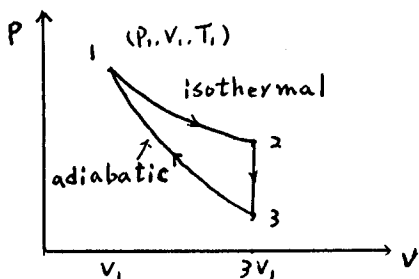


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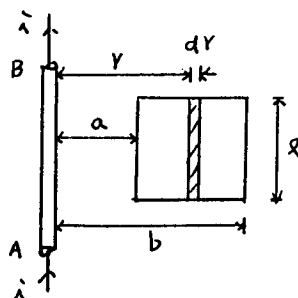


fig. 4.

8. The current in the wire AB of fig. 4. is upward and increasing steadily at a rate  $d\hat{i}/dt$ .

(a.) At an instant when the current is  $\hat{i}$ , what are the magnitude and direction of the field  $\vec{B}$  at a distance  $r$  from the wire?

(b.) What is the flux  $d\Phi$  through the narrow shaped strip?

(c.) What is the total flux through the loop?

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