

1. (12 points) Let $\vec{a} = \langle 3, -1, 2 \rangle$ and $\vec{b} = 5\vec{i} - 7\vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$.

- (a) (4 points) The equation for a sphere is given by $x^2 + (y - 3)^2 + z^2 = 12 + 12x - 4z$. Find the distance from the origin to the center of the sphere.

$$x^2 - 12x + 36 + (y - 3)^2 + z^2 + 4z + 4 = 12 + 36 + 4$$

$$(x - 6)^2 + (y - 3)^2 + (z + 2)^2 = 52$$

$$\text{center} = (6, 3, -2)$$

$$\text{distance} = \sqrt{6^2 + 3^2 + (-2)^2} = \sqrt{36 + 9 + 4} = \sqrt{49} = 7$$

- (b) (4 points) Find $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}$.

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} &= (3)(5) + (-1)(-7) + (2)(2) \\ &= 15 + 7 + 4 = 26\end{aligned}$$

- (c) (4 points) Find the angle, θ , between the vectors \vec{a} and \vec{b} . Give your answer in radians such that $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$. (Round your answer to 3 digits after the decimal point.)

$$\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = |\vec{a}| |\vec{b}| \cos(\theta)$$

$$26 = \sqrt{3^2 + (-1)^2 + 2^2} \sqrt{5^2 + (-7)^2 + 2^2} \cos(\theta)$$

$$26 = \sqrt{14} \sqrt{78} \cos(\theta)$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{26}{\sqrt{14} \sqrt{78}} \right) \approx 0.665 \text{ radians}$$

2. (10 points)

(a) (5 points) Find all values of x so that $\vec{a} = \langle 1, x, -4 \rangle$ and $\vec{b} = \langle x, 3, 5 \rangle$ are orthogonal.

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} &= 0 \Rightarrow \langle 1, x, -4 \rangle \cdot \langle x, 3, 5 \rangle = 0 \\ &\Rightarrow x + 3x - 20 = 0 \\ &\Rightarrow 4x = 20 \\ &\Rightarrow \boxed{x = 5}\end{aligned}$$

(b) (5 points) Find a **unit vector** that is orthogonal to both $\vec{a} = \langle 1, 4, 5 \rangle$ and $\vec{b} = \langle -1, 3, 0 \rangle$.

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{a} \times \vec{b} &= (0-15)\vec{i} + (-5-0)\vec{j} + (3-4)\vec{k} \\ &= -15\vec{i} - 5\vec{j} + 7\vec{k} \\ &= \langle -15, -5, 7 \rangle = \vec{v}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{cccccc} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} & \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 0 & -1 & 3 & 1 & 4 & 5 \\ 1 & 4 & 5 & 1 & 4 & 5 \\ -1 & 3 & 0 & -1 & 3 & 0 \end{array}$$

$$\text{unit vector} = \frac{1}{|\vec{v}|} \vec{v} \quad |\vec{v}| = \sqrt{15^2 + 5^2 + 7^2} = \sqrt{299}$$

$$\begin{aligned}&= \frac{1}{\sqrt{299}} \langle -15, -5, 7 \rangle \\ &= \left\langle \frac{-15}{\sqrt{299}}, \frac{-5}{\sqrt{299}}, \frac{7}{\sqrt{299}} \right\rangle\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{ALSO CORRECT} \Rightarrow \left\langle \frac{15}{\sqrt{299}}, \frac{5}{\sqrt{299}}, \frac{-7}{\sqrt{299}} \right\rangle$$

3. (12 points) Give the Taylor series for $g(x) = \int_0^x \cos(t^3) dt$ based at $b = 0$.

Write your answer using sigma notation, write out the first 3 nonzero terms, and give the open interval of convergence.

$$\cos(u) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{(2k)!} u^{2k} \quad \text{for } I = (-\infty, \infty)$$

$$\text{So } \cos(t^3) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{(2k)!} (t^3)^{2k} \quad \text{for } I = (-\infty, \infty)$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^x \cos(t^3) dt = \int_0^x \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{(2k)!} t^{6k} dt$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{(2k)!} \int_0^x t^{6k} dt$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{(2k)!} \frac{1}{6k+1} t^{6k+1} \Big|_0^x$$

$$= \boxed{\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{(2k)!} \frac{1}{6k+1} x^{6k+1}}$$

$$I = (-\infty, \infty)$$

$$= x - \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{7} x^7 + \frac{1}{24} \frac{1}{13} x^{13} - \dots$$

$$\boxed{x - \frac{1}{14} x^7 + \frac{1}{312} x^{13} -}$$

4. (12 points) Give the Taylor series for $f(x) = \frac{4x}{5x+1} - xe^{3x}$ based at $b = 0$.

Write your answer using sigma notation, write out the first 3 nonzero terms, and give the open interval of convergence.

$$\frac{1}{1-u} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} u^k \quad I = (-1, 1)$$

$$e^u = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} u^k \quad I = (-\infty, \infty)$$

$$\text{So } \frac{4x}{5x+1} = 4x \left(\frac{1}{1-(-5x)} \right) = 4x \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-5x)^k \quad -1 < -5x < 1$$

$$= 4 \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-5)^k x^{k+1} \quad -\frac{1}{5} < x < \frac{1}{5}$$

$$xe^{3x} = x \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} (3x)^k = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} 3^k x^{k+1} \quad I = (-\infty, \infty)$$

$$\frac{4x}{5x+1} + xe^{3x} = \boxed{4 \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-5)^k x^{k+1} - \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} 3^k x^{k+1}} \quad \boxed{-\frac{1}{5} < x < \frac{1}{5}}$$

$$= \boxed{\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left[4(-5)^k - \frac{1}{k!} 3^k \right] x^{k+1}}$$

$$= (4-1)x + (4(-5)-3)x^2 + (4(-5)^2 - \frac{1}{2}3^2)x^3 + \dots$$

$$= \boxed{3x - 23x^2 + 95.5x^3 + \dots}$$

5. (14 points) Let $g(x) = e^{x/2}$ and let $I = [0, 2]$.

(a) (5 points) Find the second Taylor polynomial, $T_2(x)$, for $g(x)$ based at $b = 1$.

$$g(x) = e^{x/2}, \quad g(1) = e^{1/2}$$

$$g'(x) = \frac{1}{2}e^{x/2}, \quad g'(1) = \frac{1}{2}e^{1/2}$$

$$g''(x) = \frac{1}{4}e^{x/2}, \quad g''(1) = \frac{1}{4}e^{1/2}$$

$$T_2(x) = g(1) + g'(1)(x-1) + \frac{1}{2}g''(1)(x-1)^2$$

$$= e^{1/2} + \frac{1}{2}e^{1/2}(x-1) + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{4}e^{1/2}(x-1)^2$$

$$T_2(x) = e^{1/2} + \frac{1}{2}e^{1/2}(x-1) + \frac{1}{8}e^{1/2}(x-1)^2$$

$$= e^{1/2} \left[1 + \frac{1}{2}(x-1) + \frac{1}{8}(x-1)^2 \right]$$

(b) (5 points) Use Taylor's inequality to find a bound on the error for $T_2(x)$ in the interval $I = [0, 2]$.

$$|g'''(x)| = \left| \underbrace{\frac{1}{8}e^{x/2}}_{\text{increasing}} \right| \leq \frac{1}{8}e = M \quad \text{on } I = [0, 2]$$

$$M \approx 0.33978$$

$$|g(x) - T_2(x)| \leq \frac{M}{3!} |x-1|^3 = \frac{e/8}{6} |x-1|^3 \leq \frac{e}{48} = 0.05663$$

(c) (4 points) Find the first value of n for which the error bound given by Taylor's inequality for $T_n(x)$ in the interval $I = [0, 2]$ is less than 0.001.

$$n=3 \Rightarrow |g^{(4)}(x)| = \left| \frac{1}{16}e^{x/2} \right| \leq \frac{1}{16}e = M$$

$$\Rightarrow |g(x) - T_3(x)| \leq \frac{M}{4!} |x-1|^4 = \frac{e/16}{24} |x-1|^4 \leq \frac{e}{384} \approx 0.00707$$

$$n=4 \Rightarrow |g^{(5)}(x)| = \left| \frac{1}{32}e^{x/2} \right| \leq \frac{e}{32} = M$$

$$\Rightarrow |g(x) - T_4(x)| \leq \frac{e/32}{5!} |x-1|^5 = \frac{e/32}{120} |x-1|^5$$

$$\leq \frac{e}{3840} = 0.000707886$$

$$n=4$$