

Problem Set VII Solutions

1. § 16.4 2.

(a) The expression for the moment of inertia of the solid R is

$$\iint\int_R \delta(x^2 + y^2) dV = M \frac{\iint\int_R (x^2 + y^2) dV}{\iint\int_R dV}.$$

(b) We use $r^2 = x^2 + y^2$ and we multiply the function that we integrate by r , since we switch to cylindrical coordinates:

$$M \frac{\iint\int_R (x^2 + y^2) dV}{\iint\int_R dV} = M \frac{\int_0^2 \int_0^{2\pi} \int_z^2 r^3 dr d\theta dz}{\int_0^2 \int_0^{2\pi} \int_z^2 r dr d\theta dz}$$

(c)

$$\begin{aligned} M \frac{\iint\int_R (x^2 + y^2) dV}{\iint\int_R dV} &= M \frac{\int_0^2 \int_0^{2\pi} \int_z^2 r^3 dr d\theta dz}{\int_0^2 \int_0^{2\pi} \int_z^2 r dr d\theta dz} = \\ &= \frac{M \int_0^2 \int_0^{2\pi} (16 - z^4) d\theta dz}{2 \int_0^2 \int_0^{2\pi} (4 - z^2) d\theta dz} = \frac{M \int_0^2 (16 - z^4) dz}{2 \int_0^2 (4 - z^2) dz} = \\ &= \frac{M \frac{32\frac{4}{5}}{2}}{8\frac{2}{3}} = \frac{12}{5} M. \end{aligned}$$

2. § 16.4 4.

Clearly r goes from 0 to 2, θ goes from 0 to π , since for $\theta > \pi$, y is negative, so $z = y$ is negative. Also, z goes from 0 to $y = r \sin \theta$. Hence the mass is:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^2 \int_0^\pi \int_0^{r \sin \theta} \delta(r, \theta, z) r dz d\theta dr &= \int_0^2 \int_0^\pi \int_0^{r \sin \theta} \frac{z}{\sin \theta} dz d\theta dr = \\ &= \int_0^2 \int_0^\pi \frac{r^2 \sin \theta}{2} d\theta dr = \int_0^2 r^2 dr = \frac{8}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

3. § 16.6 2.

(a) The corresponding equation is

$$r(\cos \theta + \sin \theta) = 1.$$

(b) The integral is equal to the volume of the cone with basis of radius 1 in the xy plane and altitude 1 intersected with the first octant. Hence in spherical coordinates, θ goes from 0 to $\frac{\pi}{2}$, φ goes from 0 to $\frac{\pi}{2}$, and ρ goes from 0 to $\frac{1}{\cos \varphi + \sin \varphi}$. Hence the integral is

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^{\frac{1}{\cos \varphi + \sin \varphi}} \rho^3 \sin \varphi \cos \varphi d\rho d\varphi d\theta.$$

4. §16.6 4.

Since $z \geq \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$, $\sin \varphi = \frac{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}{\sqrt{z^2 + x^2 + y^2}} \leq \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$. Hence $0 \leq \varphi \leq \frac{\pi}{4}$. The moment of inertia is given by the integral:

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \int_0^1 \delta(r^2 \sin^2 \varphi) r^2 \sin \varphi dr d\varphi d\theta = \\ &= M \frac{\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \int_0^1 r^4 \sin^3 \varphi dr d\varphi d\theta}{\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \int_0^1 r^2 \sin \varphi dr d\varphi d\theta} = \\ &= \frac{3M}{5} \frac{\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \sin^3 \varphi d\varphi d\theta}{\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \sin \varphi d\varphi d\theta} = \\ &= \frac{3M}{5} \frac{2\pi \frac{8-5\sqrt{2}}{12}}{2\pi \frac{2-\sqrt{2}}{2}} = \frac{(3-\sqrt{2})M}{10}. \end{aligned}$$

5. §17.2 1b,d.

(b)

$$\vec{R}(u, v) = x(u, v)\hat{i} + y(u, v)\hat{j} = 3u \cos v \hat{i} + 2u \sin v \hat{j}.$$

Hence the partial derivatives of R are:

$$\left. \frac{\partial R}{\partial u} \right|_P = 3 \cos v_0 \hat{i} + 2 \sin v_0 \hat{j}, \quad \left. \frac{\partial R}{\partial v} \right|_P = -3u_0 \sin v_0 \hat{i} + 2u_0 \cos v_0 \hat{j},$$

and so the unit coordinate vectors are:

$$\hat{u}_P = \frac{3 \cos v_0 \hat{i} + 2 \sin v_0 \hat{j}}{\sqrt{5 \cos^2 v_0 + 4}}, \quad \hat{v}_P = \frac{-3u_0 \sin v_0 \hat{i} + 2u_0 \cos v_0 \hat{j}}{\sqrt{u_0^2(4 + 5 \sin^2 v_0)}}.$$

Since $\hat{u}_P \cdot \hat{v}_P \neq 0$, the system is not orthogonal.

(d) We easily get that $y = \frac{v}{u}$ and $x = \frac{u^2}{v}$.

$$\vec{R}(u, v) = x(u, v)\hat{i} + y(u, v)\hat{j} = \frac{u^2}{v}\hat{i} + \frac{v}{u}\hat{j}.$$

Hence the partial derivatives of R are:

$$\left. \frac{\partial R}{\partial u} \right|_P = \frac{2u_0}{v_0}\hat{i} - \frac{v_0}{u_0^2}\hat{j}, \quad \left. \frac{\partial R}{\partial v} \right|_P = -\frac{u_0^2}{v_0^2}\hat{i} + \frac{1}{u_0}\hat{j},$$

so the unit coordinate vectors are:

$$\hat{u}|_P = \frac{|v_0|}{v_0} \frac{2u_0^3\hat{i} - v_0^2\hat{j}}{\sqrt{4u_0^6 + v_0^4}}, \quad \hat{v}|_P = \frac{|u_0|}{u_0} \frac{-u_0^3\hat{i} + v_0^2\hat{j}}{\sqrt{u_0^6 + v_0^4}}.$$

Since, $\hat{u}|_P \cdot \hat{v}|_P \neq 0$, the system is not orthogonal.

6. §17.5 2.

We easily get that $x = \frac{u+v}{2}$ and $y = \frac{u-v}{2}$. Hence

$$\left| \frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)} \right| = \left\| \begin{array}{cc} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right\| = \frac{1}{2}.$$

Hence the integral is

$$\iint R(x+y)^2 dA = \int_{-1}^1 \int_{-1}^1 \frac{u^2}{2} dudv = \int_{-1}^1 \frac{1}{3} dv = \frac{2}{3}.$$

7. §17.5 4.

As we saw in problem 6,

$$u = x + y, \quad v = x - y, \quad \left| \frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)} \right| = \frac{1}{2}.$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} & \iint_R (x-y)^2 (x+y)^4 dx dy = \\ & = \int_{-1}^1 \int_{-1}^1 \frac{v^2 u^4}{2} dudv = \int_{-1}^1 \frac{v^2}{5} dv = \frac{2}{15}. \end{aligned}$$

8. §17.5 5.

We take $u = x + y$ and $v = x - y$. As we saw in the problem 7,

$$u = x + y, \quad v = x - y, \quad \left| \frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)} \right| = \frac{1}{2}.$$

The curves $y = x$, $y = -x$, and $x + y = \cos(x - y)$ in the xy plane correspond to the curves $v = 0$, $u = 0$, and $u = \cos v$ in the uv plane. The area of the region will be

$$\int \int_R dx dy = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^{\cos v} \frac{1}{2} du dv = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\cos v}{2} dv = \frac{1}{2}.$$

9. §18.5 5,6.

(5)

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{F}(x, y, z) &= L(x, y, z)\hat{i} + M(x, y, z)\hat{j} + N(x, y, z)\hat{k} = \\ &= 2xyz\hat{i} + (x^2z + 2yz)\hat{j} + (x^2y + y^2)\hat{k}. \end{aligned}$$

We have that

$$L_y = M_x = 2xz, \quad L_z = N_x = 2xy, \quad M_z = N_y = x^2 + 2y,$$

so \vec{F} passes the derivative test. If we take $f(x, y, z) = x^2yz + y^2z$, then $f_x = 2xyz = L$, $f_y = x^2z + 2yz = M$, $f_z = x^2y + y^2 = N$, so $\vec{F} = \vec{\nabla}f$, i.e. f is a scalar potential for \vec{F} .

(6)

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{F}(x, y, z) &= L(x, y, z)\hat{i} + M(x, y, z)\hat{j} + N(x, y, z)\hat{k} = \\ &= 4xy\hat{i} - x^2\hat{j} + 4z\hat{k}. \end{aligned}$$

Then $L_y = 4x$ and $M_x = -2x$, so $L_y \neq M_x$, has \vec{F} isn't a gradient field.

10. §18.6 1a,2b.

(1a)

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{\nabla}f &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial r}\hat{r} + \frac{1}{r}\frac{\partial f}{\partial \theta}\hat{\theta} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z}\hat{z} = \\ &= (\theta^2 + z^2)\hat{r} + 2\theta\hat{\theta} + 2rz\hat{z}. \end{aligned}$$

(2b)

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{\nabla}f &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial \rho}\hat{\rho} + \frac{1}{\rho}\frac{\partial f}{\partial \varphi}\hat{\varphi} + \frac{1}{\rho \sin \varphi}\frac{\partial f}{\partial \theta}\hat{\theta} = \\ &= 2\rho\varphi \sin \theta\hat{\rho} + \rho \sin \theta\hat{\varphi} + \rho\varphi \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \varphi}\hat{\theta}. \end{aligned}$$

11. §18.7 2.

Since $r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$ and $\hat{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j}$, the expression for \vec{F} in Cartesian coordinates is:

$$\vec{F} = \left(r + \frac{1}{r}\right)\hat{r} = \frac{x^2 + y^2 + 1}{x^2 + y^2}(x\hat{i} + y\hat{j}).$$

The vector $\vec{F}(P)$ will always point in the same direction as \vec{OP} , i.e. opposite from O . The magnitude of $\vec{F}(P)$ increases as OP goes to infinity and as OP goes to 0. The minimal magnitude is obtained on the circle of radius 1 and center O . If P and P' are on the same circle of center O , then $\vec{F}(P)$ and $\vec{F}(P')$ have equal magnitudes. Every ray starting at O is an integral curve. The general equation for integral curves is $\theta = a$ constant. If we take $f = \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{y^2}{2} + \frac{\ln(x^2+y^2)}{2}$, then $f_x = x + \frac{x}{x^2+y^2} = \frac{x^2+y^2+1}{x^2+y^2}x$ and $f_y = \frac{x^2+y^2+1}{x^2+y^2}y$. Hence $\vec{F} = \vec{\nabla}f$, i.e. \vec{F} is a gradient field, and f is a scalar potential for \vec{F} . The equipotential curves are the circles of center O . A general equation for equipotential curves is $x^2 + y^2 + \ln(x^2 + y^2) = c$ constant, which is equivalent to the equation $x^2 + y^2 = c$ constant.