

MAC 2313 Exam I, Part II Free Response

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1. (12 points) Let S be the surface consisting of all the points $P(x, y, z)$ for which the distance from P to the x -axis is two times the distance from P to the yz -plane.

(a) Find an equation of S . (Express your answer without radicals)

distance from (x, y, z) to x axis: $\sqrt{y^2 + z^2} = D$

distance from (x, y, z) to yz -plane: $|x| = d$

$$D = 2d$$

$$\sqrt{y^2 + z^2} = 2|x|$$

$$y^2 + z^2 = 4x^2$$

$$\frac{y^2 + z^2 = 4x^2}{\text{(or } -4x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 0\text{)}}$$

(b) Discuss traces and identify the surface S .

• Traces parallel to the xy -plane ($z = k$) are lines if $k = 0$ and hyperbolas if $k \neq 0$

$$-4x^2 + y^2 = -k^2$$

$$\begin{cases} y^2 = 4x^2 \\ y = \pm 2x \end{cases}$$

• Traces parallel to the yz -plane ($x = k$) are a point if $k = 0$ and circles if $k \neq 0$

$$y^2 + z^2 = 4k^2$$

$$\begin{cases} y^2 + z^2 = 0 \\ (y = 0 = z) \end{cases}$$

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Therefore, S is a cone.

2. (16 points) Let C be a smooth curve parameterized by $\vec{r}(t) = \langle \cos(2t^2), \sin(2t^2), t^2 \rangle$ for $t \geq 0$, find (simplify your final answers including radicals)

(a) $|\vec{r}'(t)| = \underline{2\sqrt{5}t}$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{r}'(t) &= \langle -4t\sin(2t^2), 4t\cos(2t^2), 2t \rangle \\ |\vec{r}'(t)| &= \sqrt{16t^2\sin^2(2t^2) + 16t^2\cos^2(2t^2) + 4t^2} \\ &= \sqrt{16t^2 + 4t^2} = \sqrt{20t^2} = 2\sqrt{5}t \end{aligned}$$

(b) the arc length of C from $t = 0$ to $t = 2$

$$\begin{aligned} L &= \int_0^2 2\sqrt{5}t \, dt \\ &= \sqrt{5}t^2 \Big|_0^2 \\ &= 4\sqrt{5} \end{aligned} \quad \underline{4\sqrt{5}}$$

(c) the curvature of the curve C for any $t \neq 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \kappa &= \frac{|\hat{T}'(t)|}{|\vec{r}'(t)|} = \left(\frac{8t}{\sqrt{5}} \right) \left(\frac{1}{2\sqrt{5}t} \right) = \frac{4}{5} \\ \hat{T}(t) &= \frac{\vec{r}'(t)}{|\vec{r}'(t)|} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{5}t} \langle -4t\sin(2t^2), 4t\cos(2t^2), 2t \rangle \\ &= \left\langle \frac{-2}{\sqrt{5}}\sin(2t^2), \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}\cos(2t^2), \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \right\rangle \\ \hat{T}'(t) &= \left\langle \frac{-8t}{\sqrt{5}}\cos(2t^2), \frac{-8t}{\sqrt{5}}\sin(2t^2), 0 \right\rangle \\ |\hat{T}'(t)| &= \sqrt{\frac{64t^2}{5}\cos^2(2t^2) + \frac{64t^2}{5}\sin^2(2t^2)} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{64t^2}{5}} = \frac{8t}{\sqrt{5}} \end{aligned}$$

$\kappa(t) = \underline{\frac{4}{5}}$

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