

MVC Revision Checklist (and references to problem sheet questions)

- 1) • Defn of a map. Linearity: defn and examples; ps1q1

$$\begin{matrix} \mathbb{R}^m \\ \omega \\ \underline{x} \end{matrix} \rightarrow \underline{F}(\underline{x}) \text{ (vector)}$$

$$\underline{x} \rightarrow F(\underline{x}) \text{ (scalar)}$$

$$\text{linear: } \underline{F}(\mu \underline{x} + \lambda \underline{y}) = \mu \underline{F}(\underline{x}) + \lambda \underline{F}(\underline{y})$$

$$\text{or } \exists A \text{ s.t. } \underline{F} = A \underline{x}$$

↑
constant.

- 2) • Derivative of a map (Jacobian matrix); ps1q3, ps1q3, ps1q8

$$\underline{F}'(\underline{x}) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial x_1} & \dots & \frac{\partial F_n}{\partial x_m} \\ \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial x_m} & & \frac{\partial F_n}{\partial x_m} \end{pmatrix}$$

- 3) • Directional derivatives: both ways of defining; ps1q3

$$\begin{aligned} D_{\underline{v}} \underline{F}(\underline{x}_0) &= \underline{F}'(\underline{x}_0) \underline{v} \quad \text{or} \\ &= \frac{d}{dt} (\underline{F}(\underline{x}_0 + t \underline{v})) \Big|_{t=0} \end{aligned}$$

Note $|\underline{v}| = 1$
(normalise)

- 4) • Chain rule applied to "functions of functions"; ps1q2, ps1q4

$$\text{if } \underline{H}(\underline{x}) = (\underline{G} \circ \underline{F})(\underline{x}) = \underline{G}(\underline{F}(\underline{x})) \text{ then}$$

$$\underline{H}'(\underline{x}_0) = \underline{G}'(\underline{F}(\underline{x}_0)) \underline{F}'(\underline{x}_0)$$

- 5) • Defn of inverse map & its derivation (derivative of inverse = inverse of derivative); ps3q1

$$(\underline{F}^{-1} \circ \underline{F}) = \underline{I} \quad \text{where } \underline{x} = \underline{I} \underline{x}.$$

$$\Rightarrow (\underline{F}^{-1})' = (\underline{F}')^{-1} \quad \text{from (4)}$$

- 6) • Inverse function theorem and application to existence solutions of systems of equations; p1q5, p1q8

$$\text{if } \underline{y}_0 = \underline{F}(\underline{x}_0) \text{ \& } \underline{F}'(\underline{x}_0)^* \text{ (is invertible)} \text{ then}$$

$$\underline{y} = \underline{F}(\underline{x}) \text{ has sol}^n \text{ (i.e. } \underline{x} = \underline{F}^{-1}(\underline{y}) \text{) for } \underline{y} \text{ in nhd of } \underline{y}_0$$

- 7) • Implicit function theorem and application to existence of solutions of systems of equations; ps1q7

$$\textcircled{*} \underline{J}_{\underline{F}}(\underline{x}_0) = \frac{\partial (F_1, \dots, F_n)}{\partial (x_1, \dots, x_n)} \Big|_{\underline{x}=\underline{x}_0} \neq 0. \quad \text{Jacobian determinant}$$

$$\text{if } \underline{F}(\underline{x}_0, \underline{y}_0) = \underline{0} \text{ \& } \frac{\partial (F_1, \dots, F_n)}{\partial (y_1, \dots, y_n)} \Big|_{\underline{x}=\underline{x}_0, \underline{y}=\underline{y}_0} \neq 0 \text{ then } \exists \text{ sol}^n$$

of $\underline{f}(x, y) = 0$ in which $\underline{x}_0, \underline{y}_0$.

i.e. $y = y(x)$ for some $\underline{x}$

- Higher order derivatives; Taylor's theorem; ps1q6

scalar: $f(x) = f(x_0) + (x - x_0) \cdot \nabla f + \frac{1}{2} (x - x_0)^T \left(\underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{Hessian}}}{H}} \right) (x - x_0) + \dots$

vector: $\underline{F}(x) = \underline{f}(x_0) + \underline{F}'(x_0)(x - x_0) + \dots$

- Summation convention (pairs of suffices imply summation); ps2q1

$$u_i v_i = \sum_{i=1}^3 u_i v_i = \underline{u} \cdot \underline{v}$$

- Kronecker delta defn and rule of application; ps2q1, ps2q4, ps2q5, ps2q6, ps2q7, ps2q8

$$\delta_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i=j \\ 0 & \text{not} \end{cases} \quad x_j \delta_{ij} = x_i$$

- Levi-civita tensor defn and rule of application to cross products; ps2q4, ps2q5, ps2q6, ps2q7, ps2q8

$[\underline{u} \times \underline{v}]_i = \epsilon_{ijk} u_j v_k$

$\uparrow$
i-th component.

$\boxed{\epsilon_{123} = 1}$

- $\epsilon_{ijk} = 0$ if two suffices the same
- $\epsilon_{ijk} = -\epsilon_{jik}$ (interchange)
- $\epsilon_{jki} = \epsilon_{ijk}$ (rotation)

- Connection between products of $\epsilon_{\{ijk\}}$ and products of $\delta_{\{ij\}}$; ps2q5, ps2q7, ps2q8

$$\epsilon_{ijk} \epsilon_{ilm} = \delta_{jl} \delta_{km} - \delta_{jm} \delta_{kl}$$

- Defn of gradient and interpretations; ps2q3, ps2q4, ps2q6

for f scalar ∇f is gradient $= \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \right)$

or $[\nabla f]_i = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i}$

• ∇f point in dirn of steepest ascent

• ∇f is perpendicular to level curves ($f = \text{constant}$) of f .

- Defn of divergence and its application; ps2q3, ps2q4, ps2q5, ps2q6, ps2q7, ps2q8

$$\nabla \cdot \underline{v} = \frac{\partial v_1}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial v_2}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v_3}{\partial z} = \frac{\partial v_i}{\partial x_i} \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} \text{Note} \\ \underline{v} \cdot \nabla = v_i \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \end{array} \right.$$

- Defn of curl and its application; ps2q3, ps2q4, ps2q5, ps2q6, ps2q7, ps2q8

$$\neq \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} v_i$$

$$[\nabla \times \underline{v}]_i = \epsilon_{ijk} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} v_k = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{x} & \hat{y} & \hat{z} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ v_1 & v_2 & v_3 \end{vmatrix}$$

- The two Null identities; ps2q3, ps2q10

$$\begin{aligned} \bullet \nabla \times \nabla f &= 0 \quad \text{for all scalar } f \\ \bullet \nabla \cdot \nabla \times \underline{v} &= 0 \quad \text{for all vector } \underline{v} \end{aligned} \quad + \text{proofs}$$

- Defn of the Laplacian; ps2q4, ps2q6, ps2q10, ps3q3, ps3q5

$$\nabla^2 f \equiv \Delta f = \nabla \cdot \nabla f$$

also applies to vector fields $\underline{v}$ so $\nabla^2 \underline{v}$ is a thing

- Coordinate transformations, the defn of a curvilinear basis, scale factors, the right-hand rule for ordering of basis, invertibility of the map; ps3q2, ps3p4

if $\underline{r} = \underline{r}(\underline{q})$ is a map from $\underline{q} = (q_1, q_2, q_3)$ system

to $\underline{r} = (x, y, z)$ then $\hat{q}_\alpha = \frac{1}{h_\alpha} \frac{\partial \underline{r}}{\partial q_\alpha}$ & $h_\alpha = \left| \frac{\partial \underline{r}}{\partial q_\alpha} \right|$ is scale factor

- Transformation of the gradient: method and result; ps3q2, ps3p4

$$\nabla = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) = \hat{x} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{y} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{z} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} = \sum_{\alpha=1}^3 \frac{1}{h_\alpha} \hat{q}_\alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial q_\alpha} = \frac{\hat{q}_1}{h_1} \frac{\partial}{\partial q_1} + \frac{\hat{q}_2}{h_2} \frac{\partial}{\partial q_2} + \frac{\hat{q}_3}{h_3} \frac{\partial}{\partial q_3}$$

are basis vectors in new system.

- Transformation of the divergence (awareness of how this is done, not to remember derivation or formulae); ps3q2, ps3p4

- key points are product rules: $\nabla \cdot (f \underline{v}) = f \nabla \cdot \underline{v} + \nabla f \cdot \underline{v}$

& $\nabla \times (f \underline{v}) = f \nabla \times \underline{v} + \nabla f \times \underline{v}$

- Also $\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} (\phi \underline{\hat{\theta}}) = \underline{\hat{\theta}} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial \theta} + \phi \frac{\partial \underline{\hat{\theta}}}{\partial \theta}$
e.g.

- Line integrals of scalar and vector fields in 3D space: definitions, parametrisation of curves; ps4q1, ps4q2, ps4q4, ps4q5, ps4q6

• scalar line integral: $\int_C f(\underline{r}) d\underline{s} = \int_{t_1}^{t_2} f(\underline{r}(t)) |\underline{r}'(t)| dt$
 where C is parametrised by $\underline{r}(t)$, $t_1 < t < t_2$ & $d\underline{s} = |d\underline{r}|$

- vector line integral: $\int_C \underline{v}(\underline{r}) \cdot d\underline{r} = \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \underline{v}(\underline{r}(t)) \cdot \underline{r}'(t) dt$
- Fundamental theorem of Calculus for line integrals: proof and consequences; ps4q7, ps4q8, ps5q2

$$\int_C \nabla f \cdot d\underline{r} = f(\underline{r}(t_2)) - f(\underline{r}(t_1)) \leftarrow \text{proof by chain rule}$$

$$= 0 \text{ if } C \text{ is closed}$$

- Surface integrals of scalar and vector fields: definitions, how to parametrise surfaces, notion of surface direction; ps4q3, ps4q5, ps4q6

• scalar surface integral: $\int_S f(\underline{r}) dS = \iint_D f(\underline{r}(u,v)) |\underline{N}| du dv$

where $\underline{r}(u,v)$ parametrises S over $(u,v) \in D$ & $dS = |d\underline{S}|$

$\Rightarrow$ • vector surface integral: $\int_S \underline{v}(\underline{r}) \cdot d\underline{S} = \iint_D \underline{v}(\underline{r}(u,v)) \cdot \underline{N} du dv$ (*)

- Stokes' theorem: definition, the RH-thumb rule for consistent orientation of surfaces and curves (awareness of method of proof, but not details); ps4q5, ps4q6, ps5q1

$$\int_S \nabla \times \underline{A} \cdot d\underline{S} = \int_{\partial S} \underline{A} \cdot d\underline{r}$$

for $\underline{A}$ a vector field & ∂S is bdy of S

- Green's theorem in the plane: defn and application; ps4q7, ps5q2, ps5q3.

if $\underline{A} = (A_1, A_2, 0)$ & $A_i = A_i(x, y)$

then

$$\int_S \left(\frac{\partial A_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial A_1}{\partial y} \right) dS = \int_{\partial S} \underline{A} \cdot d\underline{r} = \int_S A_1 dx + A_2 dy.$$

- Volume integrals and change of coordinates; ps5q4, ps5q5, ps5q6, ps5q8

$$\int_V f(\underline{r}) dx dy dz = \int_{V'} f(\underline{r}(\underline{q})) |J_{\underline{r}}| dq_1 dq_2 dq_3$$

where V' is mapped to V by $\underline{r}(\underline{q})$

④ dirⁿ of $d\underline{S} = \underline{N}$ important

④ $\underline{N} = \underline{S}_u \times \underline{S}_v$ points normal to S

dirⁿ of S and orientation of path integral ∂S must adhere to RH Thumb rule.

- Divergence theorem: defn (awareness of proof, but not details) and application; ps5q4, ps5q5, ps5q6, ps5q8

$$\int_V \nabla \cdot \underline{F} \, dV = \int_{\partial V} \underline{F} \cdot d\underline{S} \rightarrow \text{dirn of } d\underline{S} \text{ must be } \underline{\text{out}} \text{ of } V$$

- Green's Identities: defn and derivation from the divergence theorem; ps5q10.

$$- \int_V \Delta f \, dV = \int_{\partial V} \hat{n} \cdot \nabla f \, dS$$

$$- \int_V (g \Delta f - f \Delta g) \, dV = \int_{\partial V} (g \hat{n} \cdot \nabla f - f \hat{n} \cdot \nabla g) \, dS$$