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$$1) \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} x+y+2z=3 \\ x+2y+z=2 \end{array} \right\} \quad \begin{vmatrix} \underline{i} & \underline{j} & \underline{k} \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \underline{i}(-3) - \underline{j}(-1) + \underline{k} \cdot 1$$

$$\text{put } x=0 : \left. \begin{array}{l} y+2z=3 \\ 2y+z=2 \end{array} \right\} \quad y = 1/3, z = 4/3 \quad \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1/3 \\ 4/3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{put } y=0 : \left. \begin{array}{l} x+2z=3 \\ x+z=2 \end{array} \right\} \quad x=1, z=1 \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{put } z=0 : \left. \begin{array}{l} x+y=3 \\ x+2y=2 \end{array} \right\} \quad x=4, y=-1 \quad \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore \underline{c} = \underline{a} + \lambda \underline{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1/3 \\ 4/3 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$2) \quad \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 3\frac{dy}{dx} - 4y = 5e^x$$

$$\text{CF: } \lambda^2 + 3\lambda - 4 = 0 ; (\lambda + 4)(\lambda - 1) = 0$$

$$\lambda = -4 \text{ or } \lambda = 1$$

$$\text{CF is } y = Ae^{-4x} + Be^x$$

$$\text{PI try } y = axe^x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = axe^x + ae^x$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = axe^x + 2ae^x$$

$$\text{Substitute: } \cancel{axe^x} + 2ae^x + 3\cancel{axe^x} + 3ae^x - 4\cancel{axe^x} = 5e^x$$

$$5ae^x = 5e^x \Rightarrow a = 1$$

$$\therefore \text{ general solution is } \underline{y = Ae^x + Be^{-4x} + xe^x}$$

$$3) (a) \quad x_n = \frac{x_{n-1} + x_{n+1}}{2}$$

$$\text{Set } x_n = n \quad : \quad x_{n-1} = n-1 \quad \text{and} \quad x_{n+1} = n+1$$

$$\text{Substitute:} \quad \frac{n-1 + n+1}{2} = 2n/2 = n \quad \underline{\text{QED}}$$

$$(b) \quad \text{Rearrange:} \quad x_{n+1} = 2x_n - x_{n-1}$$

$$\text{If } x_0 = 0 \quad \text{have} \quad x_2 = 2x_1$$

$$x_3 = 2x_2 - x_1 = 3x_1$$

$$x_4 = 2x_3 - x_2 = 4x_1$$

$$\vdots$$

$$x_{10} = 10x_1$$

$$\text{But } x_{10} = 21 \quad \therefore x_1 = 21/10$$

$$\therefore \underline{x_n = n \cdot 21/10} \quad \therefore \underline{x_{10} = 21}$$

$$4) (a) \quad |z-5| = 6 \quad \Rightarrow \quad |x+iy-5| = 6$$

$$[(x-5) + iy][(x-5) - iy] = 6^2$$

$$(x-5)^2 + y^2 = 6^2 \quad \text{cf.} \quad x^2 + y^2 = r^2$$

Circle centered at (5,0) with radius 6.

4) (b) (i)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1/4} \frac{\cos^3 2\pi x}{1-16x^2}$  now  $\cos^3 2\pi/4 = \cos^2 \pi/2 = 0$   
and  $1-16x^2 = 0$  for  $x=1/4$ .

$\therefore$  by L'Hôpital's rule:  $\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{\text{numerator}} = -3 \cos^2 2\pi x \sin 2\pi x \cdot 2\pi$

$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{\text{denominator}} = -32x$

$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 1/4} \frac{-6\pi \cos^2 2\pi x \sin 2\pi x}{-32x} \rightarrow 0$

(ii)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x - x}{\tan x - x}$ ; Taylor series

$\sin x \sim x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} + \dots$

$\tan x \sim x + \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{2}{15}x^5 + \dots$

$\therefore$  have  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-x^3/3! + x^5/5! + \dots}{x^3/3 + 2/15 x^5 + \dots} = \underline{\underline{-\frac{1}{2}}}$

(c)  $z^4 - 2z^3 - 18z^2 + 70z - 75 = 0$

$z = 2-i$  is a root  $\therefore$  so is  $z = 2+i$

$\therefore [z - (2-i)][z + (2-i)] = z^2 - 4z + 5$  is a divisor

Divide:

$$\begin{array}{r} z^2 + 2z - 15 \\ \hline z^2 - 4z + 5 \overline{) z^4 - 2z^3 - 18z^2 + 70z - 75} \\ \underline{z^4 - 4z^3 + 5z^2} \phantom{- 75} \\ 2z^3 - 23z^2 \phantom{+ 70z - 75} \\ \underline{2z^3 - 8z^2 + 10z} \phantom{- 75} \\ 15z^2 + 60z \phantom{- 75} \\ \underline{15z^2 + 60z - 75} \\ \hline \hline \end{array}$$

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$\therefore (z^2 + 2z - 15)(z^2 - 4z + 5)$  is the product.

$\therefore$  here  $z = -5$  or  $3$  as extra roots

5)  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = \det \begin{pmatrix} 1-\lambda & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1-\lambda & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 1-\lambda \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

$$(1-\lambda)(1-\lambda)^2 - 0 + 2(-1-\lambda) \cdot 2 = 0$$

$$(1-\lambda)[(1-\lambda)^2 - 4] = 0$$

$$\therefore \lambda = 1 \text{ or } \lambda^2 - 2\lambda - 3 = 0$$

$$\lambda = 1 \text{ or } \lambda = 3 \text{ or } \lambda = -1$$

$$\text{Set } \lambda = 1: \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}; \quad \begin{matrix} 2x_3 = 0 \\ 2x_1 = 0 \end{matrix}; \quad \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ x_2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = 3: \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}; \quad \begin{matrix} -2x_1 + 2x_3 = 0 \\ -2x_2 = 0 \\ 2x_1 - 2x_3 = 0 \end{matrix}; \quad \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ 0 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = -1: \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}; \quad \begin{matrix} 2x_1 + 2x_3 = 0 \\ 2x_2 = 0 \\ 2x_1 + 2x_3 = 0 \end{matrix}; \quad \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ 0 \\ -x_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\therefore$  normalised eigenvectors are  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 0 \\ -1/\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix}$ .

Matrix of normalised eigenvectors as columns

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} ; \det U = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = 1$$

$$UU^T = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & 0 & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = I$$

$\therefore$  matrix is orthogonal.

Rotation matrix: e.g.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix}$$

represents a rotation about the y-axis through an angle of  $-\pi/4$ .

$$A = U \Delta U^T ; \Delta \text{ is matrix of eigenvalues :}$$

$$\text{Then } A^{10} = U \Delta^{10} U^T$$

$$\Delta = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} ; \Delta^n = \begin{pmatrix} 1^n & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3^n & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & (-1)^n \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Delta^{10} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3^{10} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore A^{10} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1/\sqrt{2} & 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/\sqrt{2} & -1/\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3^{10} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{2} & 0 & 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 1/\sqrt{2} & 0 & -1/\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \frac{3^{10}}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{3^{10}}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{2} & 0 & 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 1/\sqrt{2} & 0 & -1/\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2}(3^{10}+1) & 0 & \frac{1}{2}(3^{10}-1) \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2}(3^{10}-1) & 0 & \frac{1}{2}(3^{10}+1) \end{pmatrix}$$



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Final ans

6)

$$x'' + 6x' + 5x = 0 ; x(0) = 2 ; \dot{x}(0) = 3$$

Laplace transforms  $L(x) = Y(s)$

$$L(x') = sY - x(0) = sY - 2$$

$$L(x'') = s^2Y - sx(0) - x'(0)$$

$$= s^2Y - 2s - 3$$

substitute in ode:

$$[s^2Y - 2s - 3] + 6[(sY - 2)] + 5Y = 0$$

$$s^2Y + 6sY + 5Y = 2s + 15$$

$$(s+5)(s+1)Y = 2s + 15$$

$$Y(s) = \frac{2s+15}{(s+5)(s+1)} = \frac{a}{s+5} + \frac{b}{s+1} \quad \text{partial fractions}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} a(s+1) + b(s+5) &= 2s+15 \\ a+b &= 2 \\ a+5b &= 15 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{aligned} a &= -5/4 \\ b &= 13/4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore Y(s) = \frac{-5/4}{s+5} + \frac{13/4}{s+1} ; \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Tables} \\ \text{Data Book p20} \\ \text{inverse transforms} \end{array}$$

$$x(t) = -5/4 e^{-5t} + 13/4 e^{-t}$$

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$$\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} + 9\frac{dy}{dt} + 14y = f(t)$$

$$\text{step at } t=0 : \begin{cases} f(t) = 1 & t > 0 \\ 0 & t \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

solve the equation.

$$\text{CF: arbitrary equation } \lambda^2 + 9\lambda + 14 = 0$$

$$\lambda = -7 \text{ or } \lambda = -2$$

$$\text{CF is } Ae^{-7t} + Be^{-2t}$$

$$\text{PI: try } y = x : 14x = 1 \text{ for } t > 0$$

$$x = 1/14$$

$$\text{General solution is } y = \frac{1}{14} + Ae^{-7t} + Be^{-2t}$$

$$\text{at } t=0 \quad y = y' = 0 \quad \text{for continuous function and first derivative}$$

$$\therefore \begin{cases} 0 = \frac{1}{14} + A + B \\ 0 = -7A - 2B \end{cases} \Rightarrow A = \frac{1}{35} ; B = -\frac{1}{10}$$

$$\therefore \text{Step response is } y = \frac{1}{14} + \frac{1}{35}e^{-7t} - \frac{1}{10}e^{-2t} \text{ for } t > 0$$

Impulse response is  $\frac{d}{dt}$  (step response)

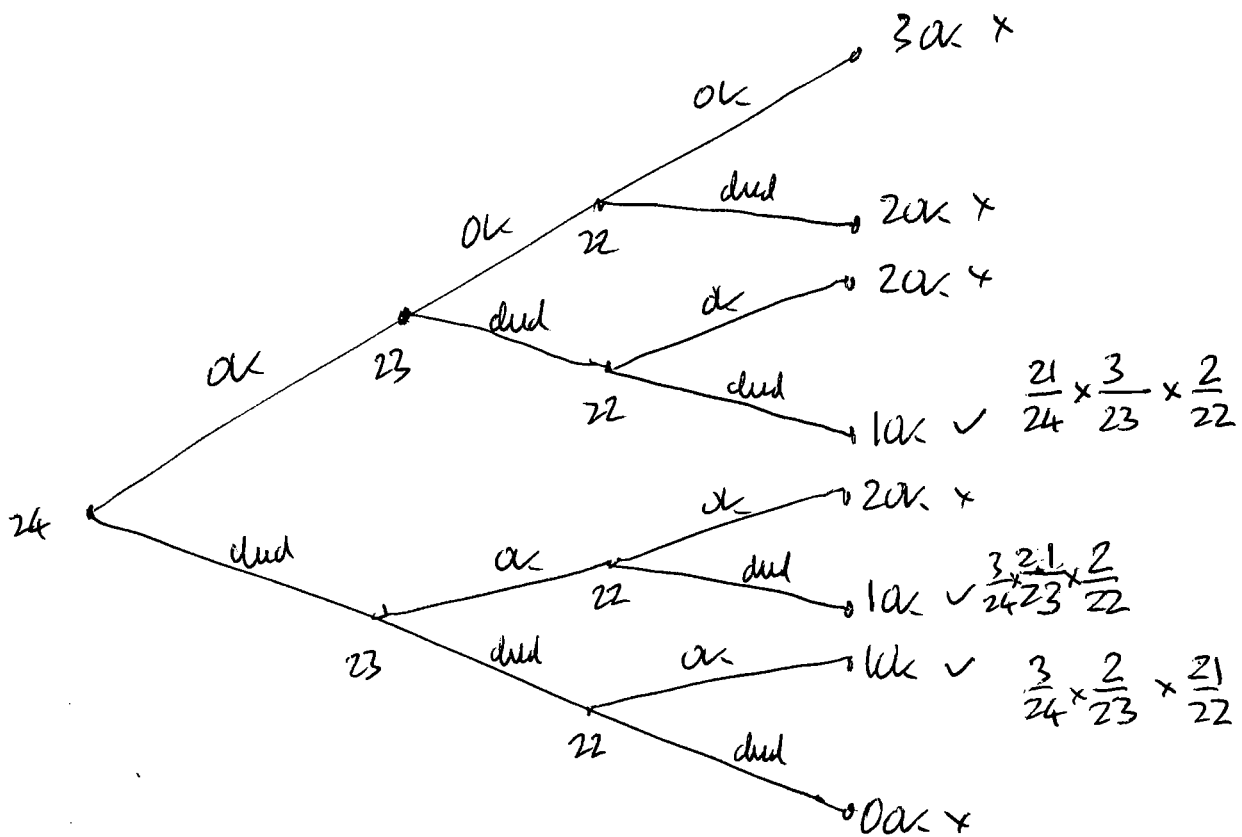
$$= -\frac{1}{5}e^{-7t} + \frac{1}{5}e^{-2t} \text{ for } t > 0$$

8) 24 chips, 3 are defective.

a) Sampling with replacement: probability of picking a dud =  $\frac{3}{24} = \frac{1}{8}$

$$\therefore \text{prob. of picking 2 dud out of 3} = 3 \left(\frac{1}{8}\right)^2 \cdot \frac{7}{8} = \underline{0.0410}$$

b) Sampling without replacement: need a tree diagram

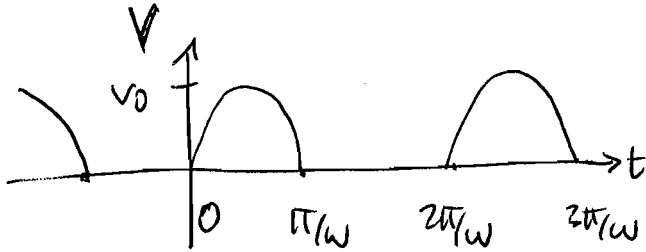


$\therefore$  prob. of picking 2 dud out of 3

$$= \frac{21}{24} \times \frac{3}{23} \times \frac{2}{22} + \frac{3}{24} \times \frac{21}{23} \times \frac{2}{22} + \frac{3}{24} \times \frac{2}{23} \times \frac{21}{22}$$

$$= 3 \times \frac{126}{12144} = \underline{0.0311}$$

$$q) \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} V = V_0 \sin \omega t \\ 0 \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} 0 < t < T/2 \\ -T/2 < t < 0 \end{array} \quad T = 2\pi/\omega$$



Note: neither odd nor even.

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$$V(t) = \frac{1}{2}a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( a_n \cos \frac{2\pi n t}{T} + b_n \sin \frac{2\pi n t}{T} \right)$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{with } a_n = \frac{2}{T} \int_0^T f(t) \cos \frac{2\pi n t}{T} dt \\ b_n = \frac{2}{T} \int_0^T f(t) \sin \frac{2\pi n t}{T} dt \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{First find } a_0: \quad a_0 &= \frac{2}{T} \int_0^{T/2} V_0 \sin \omega t dt = \frac{2}{T} \left[ -\frac{V_0}{\omega} \cos \omega t \right]_0^{T/2} \\ &= \frac{V_0}{\pi} \quad \text{since } T/2 = \pi/\omega \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Then } a_n = \frac{\omega}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi/\omega} V_0 \sin \omega t \cos n \omega t dt$$

$$\text{i.e. } a_n = \frac{\omega}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi/\omega} \frac{V_0}{2} [\sin \omega(n+1)t - \sin \omega(n-1)t] dt$$

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$$\text{For } n=1; \int_0^{\pi/\omega} \sin \omega t \cos \omega t dt = \int_0^{\pi/\omega} \frac{1}{2} \sin 2\omega t dt = -\frac{1}{4\omega} [\cos 2\omega t]_0^{\pi/\omega} \\ = 0$$

$$\text{For } n > 1; a_n = \frac{\omega V_0}{2\pi} \left[ \frac{-\cos \omega(n+1)t}{\omega(n+1)} + \frac{\cos \omega(n-1)t}{\omega(n-1)} \right]_0^{\pi/\omega} \\ = \frac{\omega V_0}{2\pi} \left[ \frac{-\cos(n+1)\pi}{\omega(n+1)} + \frac{\cos(n-1)\pi}{\omega(n-1)} + \frac{1}{\omega(n+1)} - \frac{1}{\omega(n-1)} \right]$$

$$\text{For } n \text{ odd } \cos(n+1)\pi = \cos(n-1)\pi = 1$$

$$n \text{ even } \cos(n+1)\pi = \cos(n-1)\pi = -1$$

$$\therefore a_n = \frac{\omega V_0}{2\pi} \left[ \frac{1 - \cos(n+1)\pi}{\omega(n+1)} - \frac{1 - \cos(n-1)\pi}{\omega(n-1)} \right] = 0 \text{ for } n \text{ odd}$$

$$a_n = \frac{\omega V_0}{2\pi} \left[ \frac{2}{\omega(n+1)} - \frac{2}{\omega(n-1)} \right] = -\frac{V_0}{\pi} \frac{2}{(n+1)(n-1)} \text{ for } n \text{ even}$$

Now evaluate  $b_n = \frac{\omega}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi/\omega} V_0 \sin \omega t \sin n \omega t dt$

$$= \frac{\omega V_0}{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi/\omega} [\cos \omega(n-1)t - \cos \omega(n+1)t] dt$$

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For  $n=1$  have  $b_1 = \frac{\omega V_0}{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi/\omega} (1 - \cos 2\omega t) dt$

$$= \frac{\omega V_0}{2\pi} \left[ t + \frac{\sin 2\omega t}{2\omega} \right]_0^{\pi/\omega}$$

$$= \frac{\omega V_0}{2\pi} \left[ \frac{\pi}{\omega} + 0 \right] = \frac{V_0}{2}$$

for  $n > 1$  have  $b_n = \frac{\omega V_0}{2\pi} \left[ -\frac{\sin \omega(n-1)t}{\omega(n-1)} + \frac{\sin \omega(n+1)t}{\omega(n+1)} \right]_0^{\pi/\omega}$

= 0 for all  $n$ .

∴ Fourier series is

$$V(t) = \frac{V_0}{\pi} + \frac{V_0}{2} \sin \omega t - \frac{V_0}{\pi} \cdot \frac{2}{3 \cdot 1} \cos 2\omega t - \frac{V_0}{\pi} \cdot \frac{2}{5 \cdot 3} \cos 4\omega t$$

+ ...

$$= \frac{V_0}{\pi} + \frac{V_0}{2} \sin \omega t - \frac{V_0}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{(2n+1)(2n-1)} \cos 2n\omega t$$

$$10) \quad (a) \quad f(x, y) = x^4 + y^4 + 4xy = z, \text{ say}$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = 4x^3 + 4y \quad ; \quad \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = 4y^3 + 4x$$

$$\text{solve simultaneously : } \left. \begin{array}{l} x^3 + y = 0 \\ y^3 + x = 0 \end{array} \right\} \text{ for stationary points}$$

$$\text{Hwe } -x^4 + x = 0 \quad ; \quad x(1 - x^3) = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0 \text{ or } x = \pm 1$$

$$\text{Similarly } -y^4 + y = 0 \quad ; \quad y(1 - y^3) = 0 \Rightarrow y = 0 \text{ or } y = \pm 1$$

check:  $(0, 0)$  is a pair satisfying the equations

$$\text{set } x = 1 : \left. \begin{array}{l} 1 + y = 0 \Rightarrow y = -1 \\ y^3 + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow y = -1 \end{array} \right\} \text{ consistent}$$

$$\text{set } x = -1 : \left. \begin{array}{l} -1 + y = 0 \Rightarrow y = +1 \\ y^3 - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow y = +1 \end{array} \right\} \text{ consistent}$$

$\therefore$  Stationary points are  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(1, -1)$ ,  $(-1, 1)$

$$\text{Second derivatives : } \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} = 12x^2 \quad ; \quad \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = 12y^2$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y \partial x} = 4 \quad ; \quad \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} = 4 \quad (\text{check}).$$

Maths Data Book p5:  $\Delta = \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} - \left( \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} \right)^2$

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$$= 16x^2y^2 - 4^2$$

point	$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2}$	$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2}$	$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y}$	$\Delta$	type
(0,0)	0	0	4	-16	<u>Saddle</u>
(1,-1)	12	12	4	128	<u>minimum</u>
(-1,1)	12	12	4	128	<u>minimum</u>

(b) Some values of  $z=f(x,y)$ :

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

- For small  $x,y$ :  $z \sim 4xy$   
hyperplane.

- Stationary points lie on the  
line  $y = -x$

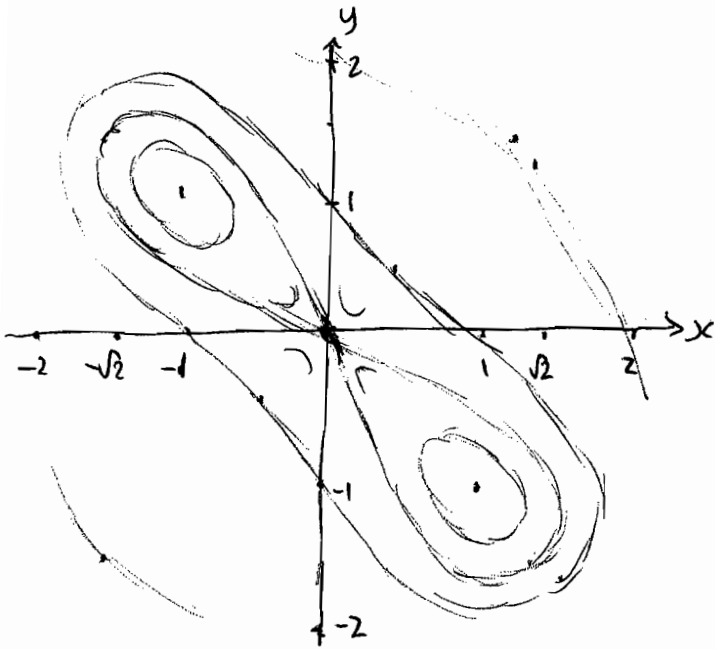
• set  $x^4 + y^4 + 4xy = 0$  for  $z=0$

set  $x = -y$ :

$$2x^4 - 4x^2 = 0 = x^2(x^2 - 2) = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0 \text{ or } x = \pm\sqrt{2}$$

x	y	z
0	0	0
1	0	1
2	0	16
0	1	1
0	2	16
1	1	6
1	-1	-2
-1	1	-2





$$\text{set } z = -1, x = -y$$

$$2x^4 - 4x^2 = -1$$

$$2x^4 - 4x^2 + 1 = 0$$

$$x^2 = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 8}}{4}$$

$$\therefore x^2 = 1 \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \quad \text{four roots} \\ \text{or } y = -x$$

$$\text{Now look at } x = y : z = 1 = 2x^4 + 4x^2$$

$$x^2 = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16 + 8}}{4} = -1 \pm \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{6}$$

-ve root leads to imaginary  $x$

$$\text{+ve root } x = \pm \sqrt{\sqrt{6}/2 - 1}$$

$$\sim \pm 0.47$$

$$\text{Also } x = -y ; z = 1 = 2x^4 - 4x^2$$

$$x^2 = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{16 + 8}}{4} = 1 \pm \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{6}$$

-ve root  $\Rightarrow$  imag  $x$

$$\text{+ve root } x = \pm \sqrt{1 + \sqrt{6}/2}$$

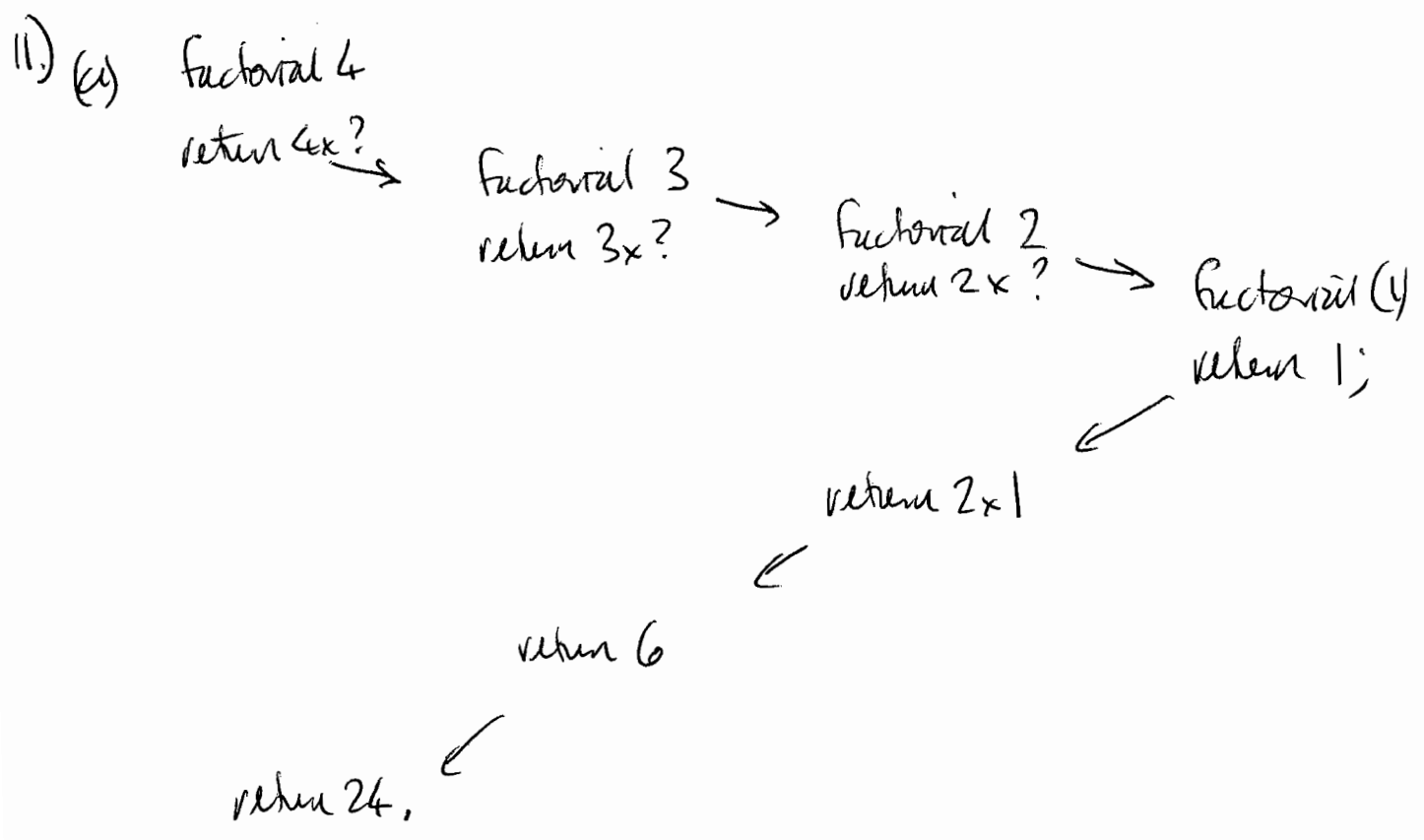
$$\sim \pm 1.49$$

$$\text{Finally } x = y ; z = 16 = 2x^4 + 4x^2$$

$$\text{roots are } x = y = \sqrt{2}$$

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Final crib



(b) Factorial (0) causes an infinite loop and a seg. fault.

12) (a) As lecture notes. Note algorithmic complexity.

(b) Quicksort scales as  $k_n \log_2 n$

Exchange sort scales as  $k_e n^2$

Quicksort requires more operations per iteration  $\therefore k_q > k_e$

Thus Exchange sort might be faster for 100 items.

For large numbers of items,  $n \log_2 n \ll n^2$

∴ Quicksort will be faster for 100000 items.