

# EKSAMEN

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## Oppgave 1

- a) Regn ut trippelintegralet

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^3 \rho^2 \sin \phi \, d\rho \, d\phi \, d\theta$$

Vis alle mellomregninger. Integralet gir volumet til et objekt i rommet. Hva slags objekt?

- b)  $R$  er området i planet avgrenset av linjene  $y = x$ ,  
 $y = 6 - 2x$  og  $y$ -aksen. Tegn en skisse av  $R$  og regn ut dobbeltintegralet

$$\iint_R 3xy \, dA$$

- c)  $D$  er området i første oktant (der  $x \geq 0$ ,  $y \geq 0$ ,  $z \geq 0$ ) som er avgrenset av planet  $x + 2y + z = 4$  og koordinatplanene.

- Tegn en skisse av området  $D$ . Bestem volumet til  $D$  på valgfri måte (det er ok å bruke kjente volumformler).
- Et legeme som okkuperer området  $D$  har innvendig temperatur gitt ved funksjonen  $T(x, y, z) = 20 + z$ . Skriv ned et beregningsklart trippelintegral som gir gjennomsnittstemperaturen  $\bar{T}$  til legemet. Du trenger ikke regne ut integralet, men det skal kunne tastes direkte inn på en kalkulator og gi svaret  $\bar{T} = 21$ .

## Oppgave 2

- a) En ellipse er bestemt av ligningen

$$x^2 + 4y^2 = 16.$$

Skriv ligningen på standardform og bestem store og lille halvaksene. Bestem koordinatene til brennpunktene.

- b) En kurve  $C$  har følgende parametrisering:

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = 4 \cos \pi t \mathbf{i} + 2 \sin \pi t \mathbf{j}, \quad 0 \leq t \leq 2.$$

- i) Vis ved innsetting i ligningen for ellipsen at kurven  $C$  er ellipsen i oppg. a).
- ii) La  $A$  være punktet på ellipsen som tilsvarer parameterverdien  $t = 1/6$ . Skriv ned de kartesiske koordinatene  $(x, y)$  til punktet  $A$ .
- c) i) La  $\mathbf{v}(t) = \frac{d\mathbf{r}}{dt}$  være tangentvektor til kurven  $C$  definert over. Regn ut enhets-tangentvektor  $\mathbf{T}(t) = \frac{\mathbf{v}}{|\mathbf{v}|}$  i punktet  $A$ , altså  $\mathbf{T}(1/6)$ .  
ii) Tegn en skisse av kurven  $C$  (ellipsen). Marker punktet  $A$  og tegn inn enhets-tangentvektoren i dette punktet. Marker også brennpunktene til ellipsen.
- d) Et vektorfelt i rommet er definert ved

$$\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = -ye^{2z} \mathbf{i} + (x + yz) \mathbf{j} + z \mathbf{k}$$

Regn ut divergensen og virvlingen til  $\mathbf{F}$ . Er vektorfeltet konservativt?

- e) Flaten  $S$  er øvre halvdel ( $z \geq 0$ ) av ellipsoiden

$$\frac{x^2}{4^2} + \frac{y^2}{2^2} + \frac{z^2}{3^2} = 1$$

Bruk Stokes' teorem til å regne ut flateintegralet

$$\iint_S \nabla \times \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} d\sigma$$

hvor  $\mathbf{F}$  er vektorfeltet definert over og  $\mathbf{n}$  er enhets-normalvektor til  $S$  og peker "oppover" ( $\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{k} \geq 0$ ).

**Oppgave 3** En nyttårsrakett med masse  $m$  går tom for krutt mens den er på vei rett oppover. Kreftene som virker på raketten er da tyngdekraften og luftmotstand som begge virker i retning rett nedover. Tyngdekraften har størrelse  $mg$ , hvor  $g$  er tyngdeakselerasjonen. Vi antar en kvadratisk modell for luftmotstanden med størrelse  $bv^2$ , hvor  $v = \frac{dy}{dt}$  er raketts hastighet og  $b$  er en positiv koeffisient.

- a) i) Skriv ned en andre-ordens differensielligning for posisjonen  $y(t)$  ved å bruke Newtons andre lov.
- ii) Vi innfører dimensjonsløse variable  $\tilde{t}$  og  $\tilde{y}$  definert

$$t = \tau \cdot \tilde{t}, \quad y = L \cdot \tilde{y},$$

hvor  $\tau$  er en tidsskala med SI-enhet s (sekund) og  $L$  er en lengdeskala med SI-enhet m (meter). Vis at differensielligningen kan skrives på dimensjonsløs form som

$$\frac{d^2\tilde{y}}{d\tilde{t}^2} + \left(\frac{d\tilde{y}}{d\tilde{t}}\right)^2 + 1 = 0.$$

Bestem  $\tau$  og  $L$  uttrykt ved  $b$ ,  $m$  og  $g$ .

- b) Ved tidspunktet  $\tilde{t} = 0$  er posisjonen  $\tilde{y}_0 = 1$  og hastigheten  $\tilde{v}_0 = 1$ . Bruk midtpunktmetoden til å finne en tilnærmet verdi for posisjonen  $\tilde{y}$  ved tidspunktet  $\tilde{t} = 0.1$ . Bruk kun ett tidssteg, dvs. regn ut  $\tilde{y}_1$  ved å bruke tidssteget  $\Delta\tilde{t} = 0.1$ .  
Tips: merk at vi i denne og den neste deloppgaven jobber utelukkende med de dimensjonsløse størrelsene. Ta derfor utgangspunkt i den dimensjonsløse differensielligningen skrevet ned i oppg. a). Begynn som vanlig med å skrive differensielligningen om til to koblede første-ordens ligninger for variablene  $\tilde{y}$  og  $\tilde{v}$ .
- c) Differensielligningen i oppg a) har følgende eksakte løsning:

$$\tilde{y}(\tilde{t}) = A + \ln[\cos(\tilde{t} - B)]$$

hvor  $A$  og  $B$  er konstanter. Bestem  $A$  og  $B$  ved å bruke initialbetingelsene i oppg. b). Regn ut feilen  $|\tilde{y}(0.1) - \tilde{y}_1|$  til tilnærmingen i oppg. b). Stemmer feilens størrelse med at midtpunktmetoden er en andre-ordens numerisk metode?

# Collection of formulas – Matematikk 3 (IRF30017)

## Conic sections

Conic sections on standard form with foci on the  $x$ -axis:

$$\text{Ellipse: } \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1, \quad a > b, \quad \text{foci: } (\pm c, 0), \quad c = \sqrt{a^2 - b^2}.$$

$$\text{Hyperbola: } \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1, \quad \text{foci: } (\pm c, 0), \quad c = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}, \quad \text{asymptotes: } y = \pm(b/a)x.$$

$$\text{Parabola: } y = \frac{x^2}{4p}, \quad \text{focus: } (0, p), \quad \text{directrix: } y = -p.$$

In the case of the ellipse,  $a$  is called the *semimajor axis* and  $b$  the *semiminor axis*.

English – norwegian: conic section – kjeglesnitt, directrix – styrelinje, semimajor axis – store halvakse, semiminor axis – lille halvakse.

## The method of Lagrange multipliers

Assume that  $f(x_1, \dots, x_n)$  and  $g(x_1, \dots, x_n)$  are differentiable functions and that  $\nabla g \neq 0$  when  $g = 0$ . The stationary points of  $f$  subject to the constraint  $g = 0$  are found by solving the  $n + 1$  scalar equations

$$\nabla f = \lambda \nabla g, \quad g = 0$$

for the  $n + 1$  unknowns  $\lambda, x_1, \dots, x_n$ . The stationary points are *candidates* for local maxima and minima of  $f$  subject to  $g = 0$ .

## Double and triple integrals

**Cartesian**  $(x, y, z)$ , **cylindrical**  $(r, \theta, z)$  and **spherical**  $(\rho, \phi, \theta)$  coordinates of a point  $P$ :

$$\text{From cylindrical to Cartesian: } x = r \cos \theta, \quad y = r \sin \theta, \quad z = z.$$

$$\text{From spherical to cylindrical: } r = \rho \sin \phi, \quad \theta = \theta, \quad z = \rho \cos \phi.$$

$$\text{From spherical to Cartesian: } x = \rho \sin \phi \cos \theta, \quad y = \rho \sin \phi \sin \theta, \quad z = \rho \cos \phi.$$

$r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$  is the distance to the  $z$  axis and  $\rho = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$  is the distance to the origin ( $|\overrightarrow{OP}|$ ).  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$  is the polar angular coordinate of the projection of  $P$  on the  $xy$ -plane and  $\phi \in [0, \pi]$  is the angle between the  $z$ -axis and  $\overrightarrow{OP}$ .

### Area and volume elements:

$$dA = dx dy = r dr d\theta = |J(u, v)| du dv,$$

$$dV = dx dy dz = r dz dr d\theta = \rho^2 \sin \phi d\rho d\phi d\theta = |J(u, v, w)| du dv dw,$$

$$J(u, v) = \frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial v} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial v} \end{vmatrix}, \quad J(u, v, w) = \frac{\partial(x, y, z)}{\partial(u, v, w)}$$

### Applications of double and triple integrals:

$$\text{Area of } R : A = \iint_R dA,$$

$$\text{Volume of } D : V = \iiint_D dV$$

$$\text{Average of } f \text{ over } R : \bar{f} = \frac{1}{A} \iint_R f(x, y) dA, \quad \text{Average of } f \text{ over } D : \bar{f} = \frac{1}{V} \iiint_D f(x, y, z) dV$$

Object with mass density  $\delta(x, y, z)$  occupying a region  $D$  in space:

$$\text{Mass: } M = \iiint_D \delta(x, y, z) dV, \quad \text{Center of mass: } \bar{x} = \frac{M_{yz}}{M}, \quad \bar{y} = \frac{M_{xz}}{M}, \quad \bar{z} = \frac{M_{xy}}{M},$$

$$M_{yz} = \iiint_D x \delta(x, y, z) dV, \quad M_{xz} = \iiint_D y \delta(x, y, z) dV, \quad M_{xy} = \iiint_D z \delta(x, y, z) dV$$

## Parametric curves and line integrals

Below the following parametrization of a curve  $C$  in space is assumed:

$$C : \quad \mathbf{r}(t) = g(t)\mathbf{i} + h(t)\mathbf{j} + k(t)\mathbf{k}, \quad a \leq t \leq b$$

Tangent vector:  $\mathbf{v}(t) = \frac{d\mathbf{r}}{dt} = g'(t)\mathbf{i} + h'(t)\mathbf{j} + k'(t)\mathbf{k}$ , Unit tangent vector:  $\mathbf{T} = \frac{\mathbf{v}}{|\mathbf{v}|}$ ,  $|\mathbf{v}| = \sqrt{\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{v}}$ ,

Arc length:  $L = \int_a^b |\mathbf{v}| dt$ , Arc length parameter:  $s(t) = \int_a^t |\mathbf{v}(t')| dt'$

Relations between differentials:

$$d\mathbf{r} = dx\mathbf{i} + dy\mathbf{j} + dz\mathbf{k}, \quad d\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{T}ds, \quad ds = |\mathbf{v}|dt$$

Line integral of scalar  $f(x, y, z)$  along  $C$ :

$$\int_C f(x, y, z) ds = \int_a^b f(\mathbf{r}(t)) |\mathbf{v}(t)| dt, \quad f(\mathbf{r}(t)) = f(g(t), h(t), k(t))$$

Line integral of vector field  $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = M(x, y, z)\mathbf{i} + N(x, y, z)\mathbf{j} + P(x, y, z)\mathbf{k}$  along  $C$ :

$$\overbrace{\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{T} ds = \int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_C M dx + N dy + P dz}^{\text{definitions}} = \overbrace{\int_a^b \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{r}(t)) \cdot \mathbf{v} dt}^{\text{how to calculate}}$$

The line integral of the  $x$ -component of  $\mathbf{F}$  along  $C$ :

$$\int_C M(x, y, z) dx = \int_a^b M(\mathbf{r}(t)) \frac{dx}{dt} dt = \int_a^b M(g(t), h(t), k(t)) g'(t) dt$$

English – norwegian: line integral – linjeintegral, unit tangent vektor – enhets-tangentvektor, arc length – buelengde.

## Names on line integrals: work, flow, circulation and flux

Let  $\mathbf{F}$  be a vector field in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  and  $C$  a parametrized curve in the same space. The line integral

$$\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$$

is called the

- *work* done by  $\mathbf{F}$  on an object moving along the curve  $C$  if  $\mathbf{F}$  is a force field
- *flow* of  $\mathbf{F}$  along  $C$  if  $\mathbf{F}$  is a velocity field
- *circulation* of  $\mathbf{F}$  along  $C$  if  $\mathbf{F}$  is a velocity field and  $C$  is a closed curve  
(for a closed curve the line integral is often written  $\oint_C$ )

Flux integral in two dimensions: Let  $\mathbf{F} = M\mathbf{i} + N\mathbf{j}$  be a vector field and  $C$  a simple closed curve in the plane ( $\mathbb{R}^2$ ) with unit normal  $\mathbf{n}$  oriented outwards. The following line integral is the flux of  $\mathbf{F}$  across the curve  $C$ :

$$\text{flux} = \oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} ds = \oint_C M dy - N dx$$

Flux integral in three dimensions: see surface integrals below.

English – norwegian: work – arbeid, flow – strøm, circulation – sirkulasjon, flux – fluks.

## del, divergence and curl

Del operator:

$$\mathbb{R}^3 : \quad \nabla = \mathbf{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \mathbf{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \mathbf{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z}, \quad \mathbb{R}^n : \quad \nabla = \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbf{e}_i \frac{\partial}{\partial x^i}$$

The following definitions assume that  $\mathbf{F} = M\mathbf{i} + N\mathbf{j} + P\mathbf{k}$  is a vector field in space ( $\mathbb{R}^3$ ), but the divergence generalizes naturally to a space of arbitrary dimensions ( $\mathbb{R}^n$ ):

$$\text{Divergence of } \mathbf{F} : \quad \text{div } \mathbf{F} = \nabla \cdot \mathbf{F} = \frac{\partial M}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial N}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial P}{\partial z}, \quad \text{Curl of } \mathbf{F} : \quad \text{curl } \mathbf{F} = \nabla \times \mathbf{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ M & N & P \end{vmatrix}$$

Identities:  $\nabla \times (\nabla f) = 0$ ,  $\nabla \cdot (\nabla \times \mathbf{F}) = 0$

English – norwegian: del – nabla, divergence – divergens, curl – virvling.

## Conservative fields and path independence

The following statements are equivalent if  $\mathbf{F}$  is a vector field in space whose components have continuous partial derivatives in a connected and simply connected domain  $D$  and  $C$  is a curve in the same domain:

1.  $\mathbf{F}$  is conservative  
(this is another way to say that the integral  $\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$  is path independent)
2.  $\mathbf{F}$  is curl-free,  $\nabla \times \mathbf{F} = \mathbf{0}$   
(this provides a component test for conservative fields, in the plane write  $\mathbf{F} = M\mathbf{i} + N\mathbf{j} + 0\mathbf{k}$ )
3.  $\mathbf{F}$  is a gradient field:  $\mathbf{F} = \nabla f$   
(the function  $f(x, y, z)$  is called a *potential function* for  $\mathbf{F}$ )
4.  $\int_A^B \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = f(B) - f(A)$  for all curves  $C$  from  $A$  to  $B$
5.  $\oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = 0$  for all closed curves  $C$

English – norwegian: conservative – konservativ, path independent – veiuavhengig, curl-free – virvelfri.

## Green's theorem

Let  $R$  be a region in the plane bounded by the piecewise smooth, simple closed curve  $C$  and let  $\mathbf{F} = M(x, y)\mathbf{i} + N(x, y)\mathbf{j} + 0\mathbf{k}$  be a vector field with components  $M$  and  $N$  that have continuous partial derivatives.

Circulation-curl form:

$$\oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \iint_R \nabla \times \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{k} dA$$

or

$$\oint_C M dx + N dy = \iint_R \left( \frac{\partial N}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial M}{\partial y} \right) dx dy$$

Flux-divergence form:

$$\oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} ds = \iint_R \nabla \cdot \mathbf{F} dA$$

or

$$\oint_C M dy - N dx = \iint_R \left( \frac{\partial M}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial N}{\partial y} \right) dx dy$$

English – norwegian: piecewise smooth – stykkevis glatt, simple curve – enkel kurve.

## Surface integrals

Let  $S$  be a smooth surface in space ( $\mathbb{R}^3$ ). The area element  $d\sigma$  depends on the description of  $S$ :

- 1)  $d\sigma = |\mathbf{r}_u \times \mathbf{r}_v| du dv$  if  $S$  is given **parametrically** as  $\mathbf{r}(u, v) = f_1(u, v)\mathbf{i} + f_2(u, v)\mathbf{j} + f_3(u, v)\mathbf{k}$
- 2)  $d\sigma = \frac{|\nabla G|}{|\nabla G \cdot \mathbf{k}|} dx dy$  if  $S$  is given **implicitly** by the equation  $G(x, y, z) = 0$
- 3)  $d\sigma = \sqrt{g_x^2 + g_y^2 + 1} dx dy$  if  $S$  is given **explicitly** as the graph  $z = g(x, y)$

Below the case 3) of an explicitly defined surface is assumed. Let  $R$  be the shadow of  $S$  on the  $xy$ -plane. The area of  $S$  is:

$$A = \iint_S d\sigma = \iint_R \sqrt{g_x^2 + g_y^2 + 1} dx dy$$

The integral of a scalar  $f(x, y, z)$  over  $S$ :

$$\iint_S f(x, y, z) d\sigma = \iint_R f(x, y, g(x, y)) \sqrt{g_x^2 + g_y^2 + 1} dx dy$$

A surface has two unit normal fields:

$$\mathbf{n} = \pm \frac{\nabla G}{|\nabla G|} = \pm \frac{-g_x \mathbf{i} - g_y \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{g_x^2 + g_y^2 + 1}}$$

For a given choice of  $\mathbf{n}$  the *flux* of  $\mathbf{F} = M\mathbf{i} + N\mathbf{j} + P\mathbf{k}$  across  $S$  is:

$$\text{Flux} = \iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} d\sigma = \text{sgn}(\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{k}) \iint_R -Mg_x - Ng_y + P dx dy$$

English – norwegian: surface integral – flateintegral, unit normal – enhetsnormal.

## Stoke's theorem and the divergence theorem

Let  $S$  be an oriented piecewise smooth surface in space having a piecewise smooth boundary curve  $C$  that is directed counterclockwise relative to the unit normal field  $\mathbf{n}$  of  $S$ . Stokes theorem:

$$\oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \iint_S \nabla \times \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} d\sigma$$

Let  $D$  be a region in space with a piecewise smooth boundary surface  $S$  having an outward unit normal field  $\mathbf{n}$ . Divergence theorem:

$$\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} d\sigma = \iiint_D \nabla \cdot \mathbf{F} dV$$

In both theorems the components of  $\mathbf{F} = M\mathbf{i} + N\mathbf{j} + P\mathbf{k}$  have continuous partial derivatives.

English – norwegian: boundary – rand, boundary curve – randkurve, boundary surface – randflate, outward unit normal – utoverrettet enhetsnormal.

## Modeling in physics

### Numerical methods

Consider the first-order differential equation:

$$\frac{du}{dt} = f(u, t)$$

Let  $u_n$  be a numerical approximation to  $u(t_n)$ , where  $t_n = t_0 + n\Delta t$ .

**Euler method:** Use the tangent at the previous point to estimate the next:

$$u_{n+1} = u_n + \left( \frac{du}{dt} \right)_n \Delta t = u_n + f(u_n, t_n) \Delta t$$

Or more compactly:

$$u_{n+1} = u_n + f_n \Delta t$$

First order method (local error:  $\sim \Delta t^2$ , global error:  $\sim \Delta t$ ).

**Midpoint method:** Use Euler's method with a half time step to estimate the slope at the midpoint (trial step), then apply this to estimate the next point:

$$\begin{aligned} u_{n+\frac{1}{2}} &= u_n + \left( \frac{du}{dt} \right)_n \frac{\Delta t}{2} = u_n + \frac{1}{2} f(u_n, t_n) \Delta t, \quad (\text{trial step}), \\ u_{n+1} &= u_n + \left( \frac{du}{dt} \right)_{n+\frac{1}{2}} \Delta t = u_n + f(u_{n+\frac{1}{2}}, t_n + \frac{\Delta t}{2}) \Delta t \end{aligned}$$

Or more compactly:

$$\begin{aligned} u_{n+\frac{1}{2}} &= u_n + \frac{1}{2} f_n \Delta t, \quad (\text{trial step}), \\ u_{n+1} &= u_n + f_{n+\frac{1}{2}} \Delta t \end{aligned}$$

Second order method (local error:  $\sim \Delta t^3$ , global error:  $\sim \Delta t^2$ ).

### Higher order differential equations

A second order differential equation can be rewritten as a system of two coupled first order equations:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d^2u}{dt^2} = f \left( u, \frac{du}{dt}, t \right) &\iff \text{I. } \frac{du}{dt} = v, \\ &\quad \text{II. } \frac{dv}{dt} = f(u, v, t) \end{aligned}$$

The numerical schemes above can then be applied to find  $u_{n+1}$  and  $v_{n+1}$  from  $u_n$  and  $v_n$ .

### Dimensionless variables

An ordinary differential equation for  $x(t)$  can be written on dimensionless form by introducing a length scale  $L$  and time scale  $\tau$ :

$$x = L\tilde{x}, \quad t = \tau\tilde{t} \quad \rightarrow \quad \frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{L}{\tau} \frac{d\tilde{x}}{d\tilde{t}}, \quad \frac{d^2x}{dt^2} = \frac{L}{\tau^2} \frac{d^2\tilde{x}}{d\tilde{t}^2},$$

where in SI units  $\text{Dim}(x) = \text{Dim}(L) = \text{m}$ ,  $\text{Dim}(t) = \text{Dim}(\tau) = \text{s}$  and  $\text{Dim}(\tilde{x}) = \text{Dim}(\tilde{t}) = 1$ .

SI base units: m, s, kg. SI derived units: N=kg·ms<sup>-2</sup> (Newton's 2nd law), J=N·m (work-energy theorem).

## Some solutions of selected differential equations

**Harmonic oscillator equation** (ordinary, linear, homogeneous):

$$\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + w^2 x = 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad x(t) = A \cos(wt + \phi)$$

Amplitude:  $A$  [m], angular frequency:  $w$  [rad/s], frequency:  $f = \frac{w}{2\pi}$  [Hz], period:  $T = \frac{1}{f} = \frac{2\pi}{w}$ , phase:  $\phi$  [rad].

**One-dimensional wave equation** (partial, linear, homogeneous):

$$\frac{1}{v^2} \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial t^2} = \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial x^2}$$

Mechanical waves on a string:

- Harmonic wave travelling to the right:  $y(x, t) = A \cos(kx - wt + \phi)$ ,  $w = v \cdot k$ .  
Wave number:  $k$  [ $\text{m}^{-1}$ ], wave length:  $\lambda = \frac{2\pi}{k}$  [m].
- Standing waves with boundary conditions  $y(0, t) = y(L, t) = 0$ :  
 $y(x, t) = A \sin(kx) \cdot \cos(wt)$ ,  $w = v \cdot k$ ,  $k = \frac{n\pi}{L}$ ,  $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$

**One-dimensional heat equation / diffusion equation** (partial, linear, homogeneous):

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = c^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} \quad \rightarrow \quad u(x, t) = A \sin(kx) \cdot e^{-(ck)^2 t}, \quad k = \frac{n\pi}{L}, \quad n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

The solutions above satisfy the boundary conditions  $u(0, t) = u(L, t) = 0$ .

## From previous courses

### Scalar product and vector product

When  $\mathbf{a} = a_1\mathbf{i} + a_2\mathbf{j} + a_3\mathbf{k}$  and  $\mathbf{b} = b_1\mathbf{i} + b_2\mathbf{j} + b_3\mathbf{k}$ :

$$\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = |\mathbf{a}| \cdot |\mathbf{b}| \cos \alpha = a_1b_1 + a_2b_2 + a_3b_3, \quad \mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ b_1 & b_2 & b_3 \end{vmatrix}, \quad |\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}| = |\mathbf{a}| \cdot |\mathbf{b}| \sin \alpha$$

### Straight line in space

Parametrization of a line through the point  $P_0(x_0, y_0, z_0)$  parallel to  $\vec{v} = [a, b, c]$ :

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = \mathbf{r}_0 + t\mathbf{v} = (x_0 + at)\mathbf{i} + (y_0 + bt)\mathbf{j} + (z_0 + ct)\mathbf{k}, \quad -\infty \leq t \leq \infty$$

A possible parametrization of a straight line from  $\mathbf{r}_1$  to  $\mathbf{r}_2$ :

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = \mathbf{r}_1 + (\mathbf{r}_2 - \mathbf{r}_1)t, \quad 0 \leq t \leq 1$$

### Plane in space

Equation for a plane through the point  $P_0(x_0, y_0, z_0)$  normal to  $\vec{n} = [a, b, c]$ :

$$\overrightarrow{P_0P} \cdot \vec{n} = 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad (x - x_0)a + (y - y_0)b + (z - z_0)c = 0$$

### Circle in the plane

Equation for a circle with radius  $a$  and center in  $(x_0, y_0)$ :  $(x - x_0)^2 + (y - y_0)^2 = a^2$

### Taylor expansion

Taylor series of a function  $f(x)$  about the point  $x = a$ :

$$f(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{f^{(k)}(a)}{k!} (x - a)^k = f(a) + f'(a)(x - a) + \frac{1}{2!} f''(a)(x - a)^2 + \dots$$

Taylor polynom of degree  $n$ :

$$P_n(x) = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{f^{(k)}(a)}{k!} (x - a)^k = f(a) + f'(a)(x - a) + \frac{1}{2!} f''(a)(x - a)^2 + \dots + \frac{f^{(n)}(a)}{n!} (x - a)^n$$

Linear approximation to  $f(x)$  around  $x = a$ :

$$f(x) \simeq f(a) + f'(a)(x - a) \quad \text{if} \quad \left| \frac{1}{2} f''(a)(x - a)^2 \right| \ll |f'(a)(x - a)|$$

### Some trigonometric identities

$$\begin{aligned} \sin^2 u + \cos^2 u &= 1, & \sin(u + v) &= \sin u \cos v + \cos u \sin v, & \cos(u + v) &= \cos u \cos v - \sin u \sin v, \\ \sin(2u) &= 2 \sin u \cos u, & \cos(2u) &= \cos^2 u - \sin^2 u, & \cos^2 u &= (1 + \cos(2u))/2, & \sin^2 u &= (1 - \cos(2u))/2 \end{aligned}$$