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請寫下計算過程或思考步驟

- 1 (8%+8%) Consider an attractive force field, given by  $\vec{F} = -k\vec{r}$ , observing the Hooke's law. Find the work done against the force, i.e., evaluating

$$-\int_{(1,2,3)}^{(2,1,3)} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}, \text{ when going from } (1,2,3) \text{ to } (2,1,3) \text{ via the following paths:}$$

- (a) along the straight line connecting  $(1,2,3)$  and  $(2,1,3)$ .  
(b) along a circle of radius  $\sqrt{5}$  and centered at  $(0,0,3)$ .
- 2 (8%+8%) Consider an ordinary differential equation (ODE) given by

$$x \frac{dy}{dx} - y + x = 0.$$

- (a) Find the integration factor  $\mu(x,y)$  to turn this ODE into an exact differential equation. [Hint: Try  $\mu(x,y) = x^\alpha y^\beta$ .]  
(b) Solve this differential equation.
- 3 (10%+10%+10%)  
(a) Obtain the general solution of the homogeneous ODE  $y'' - 2y' + y = 0$ .  
(b) Find a particular solution of the inhomogeneous ODE  $y'' - 2y' + y = xe^x$ .  
(c) Find the solution of  $y'' - 2y' + y = xe^x$  satisfying the initial conditions:  $y(x=0) = 0$  and  $y'(x=0) = 1$ .
- 4 (4%+12%+6%+16%) Consider a periodic function of period 2, defined as  $f(x) = |x|$  in the range  $-1 \leq x \leq 1$ .  
(a) Sketch the function  $f(x)$ .  
(b) Find the sine/cosine Fourier series for the function  $f(x)$ .  
(c) Using the Fourier expansion obtained for  $f(x)$  in (b), find the sine/cosine Fourier series for the function  $g(x)$  with the period of 2 defined as 0 for  $-1 \leq x < 0$  and 1 for  $0 \leq x < 1$ .  
(d) Use the Fourier series in (b) and (c) to show that

$$S_1 = 1 + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{5^2} + \frac{1}{7^2} + \dots = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2n-1)^2} = \frac{\pi^2}{8} \text{ and}$$

$$S_2 = 1 - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{7} + \dots = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{2n-1} = \frac{\pi}{4}.$$