

Q1. Use Spherical Polar Coordinates to write the position vector $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{r}(\phi, \theta)$ on the surface of a sphere with centre $\mathbf{0}$ and radius R . Find the partial derivatives \mathbf{r}_ϕ and \mathbf{r}_θ . Also find a UNIT normal vector out from the surface $\mathbf{n} = \mathbf{n}(\phi, \theta)$ and its partial derivatives \mathbf{n}_ϕ and \mathbf{n}_θ .

Q2. Note that each \mathbf{n}_ϕ , \mathbf{n}_θ are on the plane containing \mathbf{r}_ϕ and \mathbf{r}_θ . So write each \mathbf{n}_ϕ , \mathbf{n}_θ as linear combinations of \mathbf{r}_ϕ and \mathbf{r}_θ and find the 2X2 Shape Matrix S such that $\begin{pmatrix} -\mathbf{n}_\phi \\ -\mathbf{n}_\theta \end{pmatrix} = S \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{r}_\phi \\ \mathbf{r}_\theta \end{pmatrix}$. Also find the Gaussian Curvature of the surface $K = \det S$.

Q3. Consider the Electric Field \mathbf{E} at the position vector \mathbf{r} due to a positive charge Q placed at the origin ($\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{0}$) in a medium of permittivity ϵ given by $\mathbf{E} = \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon\|\mathbf{r}\|^3}\mathbf{r}$ when $\mathbf{r} \neq \mathbf{0}$. Show that $\text{div } \mathbf{E} = 0$.

Q4. It can be shown that the Electric Flux $\Phi = \iint_S \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \frac{Q}{\epsilon}$ through any sphere centred at the origin. Prove that the same result holds for any closed orientable surface S that contains the origin. Also show that the Electric Flux $\Phi = \iint_S \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = 0$ through any closed orientable surface that does not contain the origin.

Q5. Prove the Archimedes principle (upthrust = weight of the liquid displaced).

Q6. Assume that the upthrust mentioned in Q5 is the resultant force in the Z direction. Now show that the resultant forces in the X and Y directions are 0 each.