

Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore

ME 243: Endsemester Exam

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Maximum Marks: 100

1. Let (25)

$$V_\lambda = \{\mathbf{v} : \mathbf{S}\mathbf{v} = \lambda\mathbf{v}\}$$

be the characteristic space of $\mathbf{S} \in \text{Sym}$ corresponding to the eigenvalue λ . Show that $\mathbf{T} \in \text{Lin}$ commutes with \mathbf{S} if and only if \mathbf{T} maps every characteristic space of \mathbf{S} into itself (i.e., if \mathbf{e}_i^* is an eigenvector of \mathbf{S} corresponding to the eigenvalue λ , then $\mathbf{T}\mathbf{e}_i^*$ is also an eigenvector of \mathbf{S} corresponding to the same eigenvalue). (Hint: Orthonormal eigenvectors $\mathbf{e}_1^*, \mathbf{e}_2^*, \mathbf{e}_3^*$ constitute a basis for \mathfrak{R}^3 .)

2. Using the relation $\partial J / \partial \mathbf{F} = \text{cof } \mathbf{F}$, show that (25)

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_{\mathbf{X}} J &= J \nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \cdot \mathbf{F}^t, \\ \nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \cdot (J^{-1} \mathbf{F}^t) &= \mathbf{0}, \\ \frac{DJ}{Dt} &= J \nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \cdot \mathbf{v}. \end{aligned}$$

(Hint: Use the first relation to prove the second.)

3. Let $\hat{\boldsymbol{\tau}}^*$ and $\hat{\boldsymbol{\tau}}$ represent the constitutive relations for $\boldsymbol{\tau}^*$ and $\boldsymbol{\tau}$, respectively, (20)
i.e., $\boldsymbol{\tau}^* = \hat{\boldsymbol{\tau}}^*(\mathbf{l}^*)$, and $\boldsymbol{\tau} = \hat{\boldsymbol{\tau}}(\mathbf{l})$, where \mathbf{l} is a list of kinematical parameters on which $\boldsymbol{\tau}$ is assumed to depend.

- (a) State *mathematically* the conditions of form invariance and invariance under superposed rigid-body motions for the above constitutive relation. Show that these conditions taken together imply observer-invariance.
- (b) For each of the constitutive relations

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\boldsymbol{\tau}}(\mathbf{F}) &= \beta_0 \mathbf{I} + \beta_1 \mathbf{B} + \beta_2 (\mathbf{F}\mathbf{n}) \otimes (\mathbf{F}\mathbf{n}), \\ \hat{\boldsymbol{\tau}}(\mathbf{F}) &= \beta_0 \mathbf{I} + \beta_1 \mathbf{B} + \beta_2 (\mathbf{B}\mathbf{e}) \otimes (\mathbf{B}\mathbf{e}), \end{aligned}$$

where $\beta_0, \beta_1, \beta_2$ are objective scalar parameters, $\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{F}\mathbf{F}^t$, \mathbf{n} is a fixed vector in the reference configuration ($\mathbf{n}^* = \mathbf{n}$), and \mathbf{e} is a fixed vector in the unstarred frame ($\mathbf{e}^* = \mathbf{Q}\mathbf{e}$), deduce which of the three conditions (observer-invariance, form invariance and invariance under a superposed rigid-body motion) are satisfied, and hence deduce which of them satisfies the principle of material frame-indifference.

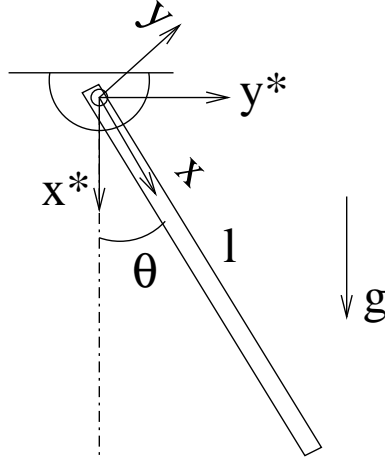


Figure 1:

4. A rod of length l and mass per unit length m , which is pinned at one end, (30)
oscillates about the x^* axis as shown in Fig. 1. Using the transformation law
for the body force field given by

$$\mathbf{b} = \mathbf{Q}^t [\mathbf{b}^* - \ddot{\mathbf{c}}] - \dot{\boldsymbol{\Omega}} \times \mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\Omega} \times \boldsymbol{\Omega} \times \mathbf{x} - 2\boldsymbol{\Omega} \times \mathbf{v},$$

where $\boldsymbol{\Omega}$ is the axial vector of $\mathbf{Q}^t \dot{\mathbf{Q}}$ with $Q_{ij} = \mathbf{e}_i^* \cdot \mathbf{e}_j$, find the body force field in the x - y - z frame. Then apply the principles of linear and angular momenta in integral form in the x - y - z frame, and find the governing equation for the angle θ , and the reactions exerted on the rod at the pinned-support with respect to the x - y - z axes. You may approximate the rod as a one-dimensional rigid body ($\rho dV \equiv m dx$), and neglect the effects of atmospheric pressure. Linearize the governing equation for θ , and present an explicit solution to this linearized equation.