

MAT 300/500

Quiz 3

Fall 2021

1. A nonzero polynomial $p(t)$ of degree d has the properties: $p(1) = p'(1) = 0$, $p(2) = p'(2) = p''(2) = 0$. Which of the following must be true?

i) $(t-1)^2$ is factor of $p(t)$ ii) $(t-2)^2$ is factor of $p(t)$ iii) $d \geq 5$
 a) i) only b) ii) only c) all of them d) i) and ii) only e) i) and iii) only

Correct Answer: all of them

2. Let $F_5[u_1, u_2, u_3, u_4, u_5]$ be the polar form of the polynomial t^5 in P_5 . Find $F_5[0, 1, 1, 1, 1]$.

a) 0 b) 1 c) $\frac{3}{5}$ d) $\frac{1}{2}$ e) $\frac{1}{5}$

Correct Answer: 0

3. Let $F_2[u_1, u_2, u_3, u_4, u_5]$ be the polar form of the polynomial t^2 in P_5 . Find $F_2[0, 1, 1, 1, 1]$.

a) 0 b) 1 c) $\frac{3}{5}$ d) $\frac{1}{2}$ e) $\frac{1}{5}$

Correct Answer: $\frac{3}{5}$

4. Let $\gamma(t) = (t^2 - t^5, t^2 + t^5)$. Use the polar form of $\gamma(t)$ with respect to the standard basis to find the control point P_4 .

a) $(\frac{3}{5}, \frac{3}{5})$ b) $(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2})$ c) $(\frac{1}{5}, \frac{1}{5})$ d) (1, 1) e) (2, 2)

Correct Answer: $(\frac{3}{5}, \frac{3}{5})$

5. Let $g(t) = (1-t)^2 t^2$, and let $G[u_1, u_2, u_3, u_4] = \frac{1}{2}[(1-u_1)(1-u_2)u_3u_4 + (1-u_3)(1-u_4)u_1u_2]$. For G to be the polar form of g it would need to satisfy the three defining properties of polar forms: i) symmetry, ii) substitution, and iii) affine. Determine if it is True or False that G satisfies each of these properties. Answers are in order i), ii), iii).

a) TFFT b) FTT c) FTF d) FFF e) TTF

Correct Answer: FTT

6. Let $F[u_1, u_2]$ be the polar form of a quadratic Bezier curve $\gamma(t)$ with control points $P_0 = (0, 1)$, $P_1 = (1, 2)$, and $P_2 = (-1, 5)$. Use Nested Linear Interpolation to find $F[1, 2]$:

a) (-3, 8) b) (3, 4) c) (8, 3) d) (4, -3) e) (5, -4)

Correct Answer: (-3, 8)

7. Suppose f , g , and h are functions with $f = gh$. Suppose also that p_f , p_g , and p_h are interpolating polynomials in P_2 for the data $t_0 = -1$, $t_1 = 2$, $t_2 = 3$ and for each data function, so that $p_f(t_i) = f(t_i)$, $p_g(t_i) = g(t_i)$, and $p_h(t_i) = h(t_i)$, for $i = 0, 1, 2$. Let $q(t) = p_g(t)p_h(t)$. True or False:

i) $q(t_i) = f(t_i)$, $i = 0, 1, 2$ ii) $q(t) \in P_2$ iii) $q(t) = p_f(t)$
 a) TFFT b) FFT c) FTT d) TFF e) TTT

Correct Answer: TFF

8. Same functions as in previous question. Now also suppose that $q(t) = F(t) + G(t)$ where $G(t)$ consists of terms from the product $p_g(t)p_h(t)$ which contain each of the factors $t - t_i$, for $i = 0, 1, 2$. With this assumption, determine if the statements are True or False:

i) $G(t_i) = 0$, $i = 0, 1, 2$ ii) $F(t) \in P_2$ iii) $F(t) = p_f(t)$
 a) TFFT b) FFT c) FTT d) TFF e) TTT

Correct Answer: TTT