

MATH 563 First Mock Mid-Term Exam

1. Consider the curve

$$c(t) = (\cos t, \sin t, \sin t)$$

in the Euclidean space \mathbb{R}^3 .

- (a) Compute its Frenet frame.
 - (b) Compute its curvature and torsion.
2. Consider the paraboloid $z = x^2 + y^2$.
- (a) Find a parametrization of the paraboloid.
 - (b) Compute the first fundamental form as a matrix in the coordinate frame of your parametrization.
 - (c) Compute the second fundamental form as a matrix in the coordinate frame of your parametrization.
 - (d) Find the Gauss curvature at $(x, y, z) = (0, 0, 0)$.