

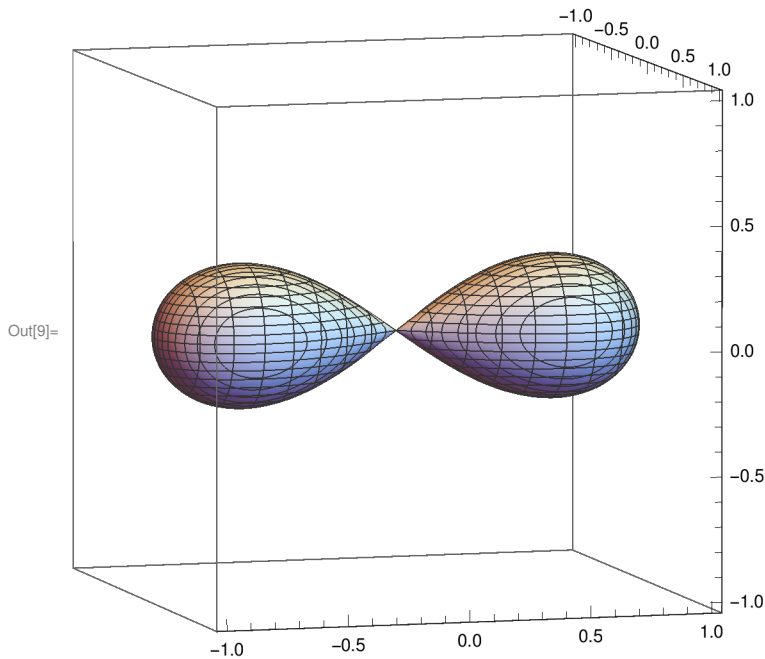
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In[1]:= (*Scaling sigma_x and sigma_z of the Pauli Spin matrices with n=
1/2 give us the lemniscate. This image is used to produce
Lemniscate1.eps.*)
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In[2]:= n = 1/2;
sigma1 = {{0, 1}, {1, 0}};
sigma2 = {{0, -I}, {I, 0}};
sigma3 = {{1, 0}, {0, -1}};
loclzr = KroneckerProduct[sigma1, n * sigma1 - x * IdentityMatrix[2]] +
KroneckerProduct[sigma2, sigma2 - y * IdentityMatrix[2]] +
KroneckerProduct[sigma3, n * sigma3 - z * IdentityMatrix[2]];
MatrixForm[loclzr]
charpoly = FullSimplify[Det[loclzr]]
pl = ContourPlot3D[charpoly == 0, {x, -1, 1}, {y, -1, 1}, {z, -1, 1},
Contours -> {{1, LightBlue}}, PlotPoints -> 100, ViewPoint -> {72, -21, 9}]
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Out[7]//MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} - z & 0 & -x + i y & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{2} - z & \frac{3}{2} & -x + i y \\ -x - i y & \frac{3}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} + z & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{2} & -x - i y & 0 & \frac{1}{2} + z \end{pmatrix}$$

Out[8]= $x^4 - y^2 + 2 z^2 + (y^2 + z^2)^2 + 2 x^2 (1 + y^2 + z^2)$



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In[10]:= Export["Lemniscate1.eps", pl, ImageSize -> 3.2 * 72]
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Out[10]= Lemniscate1.eps

In[11]:= **A = ReplaceAll[loclzr, {x → 0, y → 1/2, z → 0}]**

Out[11]= $\left\{ \left\{ \frac{1}{2}, 0, \frac{i}{2}, -\frac{1}{2} \right\}, \left\{ 0, -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}, \frac{i}{2} \right\}, \left\{ -\frac{i}{2}, \frac{3}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}, 0 \right\}, \left\{ -\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{i}{2}, 0, \frac{1}{2} \right\} \right\}$

In[12]:= **MatrixForm[A]**

Out[12]/MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 0 & \frac{i}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{3}{2} & \frac{i}{2} \\ -\frac{i}{2} & \frac{3}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{i}{2} & 0 & \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

In[13]:= **Eigenvalues[A]**

Out[13]= $\left\{ \frac{1}{2} (-2 - \sqrt{5}), \frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} (-2 + \sqrt{5}) \right\}$

In[14]:= **B = ReplaceAll[loclzr, {x → 0, y → -1/2, z → 0}]**

Out[14]= $\left\{ \left\{ \frac{1}{2}, 0, -\frac{i}{2}, -\frac{1}{2} \right\}, \left\{ 0, -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}, -\frac{i}{2} \right\}, \left\{ \frac{i}{2}, \frac{3}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}, 0 \right\}, \left\{ -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{i}{2}, 0, \frac{1}{2} \right\} \right\}$

In[15]:= **MatrixForm[B]**

Out[15]/MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 0 & -\frac{i}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{3}{2} & -\frac{i}{2} \\ \frac{i}{2} & \frac{3}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{i}{2} & 0 & \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

In[16]:= **Factor[CharacteristicPolynomial[A, x]]**

Out[16]= $\frac{1}{16} (-3 + 2x) (-1 + 2x) (-1 + 8x + 4x^2)$

In[17]:= **Eigenvalues[B]**

Out[17]= $\left\{ \frac{1}{2} (-2 - \sqrt{5}), \frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} (-2 + \sqrt{5}) \right\}$

In[18]:= **Factor[CharacteristicPolynomial[B, x]]**

Out[18]= $\frac{1}{16} (-3 + 2x) (-1 + 2x) (-1 + 8x + 4x^2)$