

EXAM 1

Math 212, 2013 Summer Term 2, Clark Bray.

You have 75 minutes.

No notes, no books, no calculators.

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TO RECEIVE CREDIT. CLARITY WILL BE CONSIDERED IN GRADING.

All answers must be simplified. All of the policies and guidelines
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Good luck!

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1. (10 pts) Suppose that \vec{v} and \vec{w} are nonzero vectors that are not parallel. Use the determinant to show that $\vec{v} \times \vec{w}, \vec{v}, \vec{w}$ is in right-hand order.

Explain why this argument relies on \vec{v} and \vec{w} being nonzero vectors that are not parallel.

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} \vec{v} \times \vec{w} \\ \vec{v} \\ \vec{w} \end{pmatrix} = (\vec{v} \times \vec{w}) \cdot ((\vec{v}) \times (\vec{w})) = \|\vec{v} \times \vec{w}\|^2$$

It is because of the assumptions that we know $\vec{v} \times \vec{w} \neq \vec{0}$, so the above determinant is positive.

Thus the listing is in R.H.O.

2. (15 pts) Find the symmetric equations for the line that is the intersection of the planes $3x - 2y + 6z = 7$ and $2x + y + z = 4$. (Hint: $(1, 1, 1)$ might be useful in some way.)

$\vec{n}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\vec{n}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ are both \perp to the direction vector for the line, so we use

$$\vec{v} = \vec{n}_1 \times \vec{n}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -8 \\ 9 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}$$

By inspection $\vec{x}_0 = (1, 1, 1)$ is on both planes, and thus the line.

$$\text{Then } \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} -8 \\ 9 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}$$

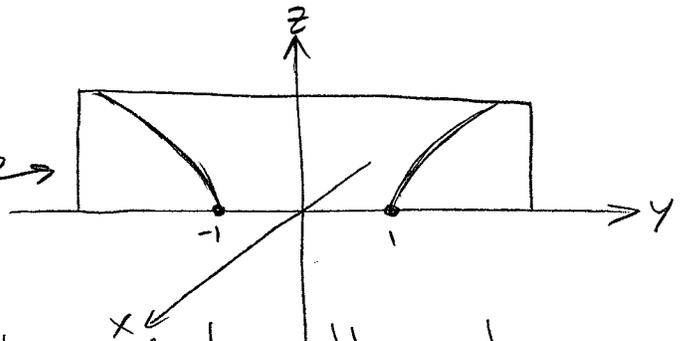
and the symmetric equations are

$$\boxed{\frac{x-1}{-8} = \frac{y-1}{9} = \frac{z-1}{7}}$$

3. (15 pts) Find the equation of the surface S that is the unique (right circular) hyperboloid of two sheets such that:

- (a) the vertices of S are at the points $(0, 3, 0)$ and $(0, 5, 0)$
- (b) the cross section of S in the plane $y = 1$ is a circle of radius 1

$y^2 - (x^2 + z^2) = 1$ is the rotation of this curve around the y -axis.



This makes a hyperboloid of two sheets with vertices at $(0, -1, 0)$ and $(0, 1, 0)$.

We can place those vertices at the desired points by shifting in the (pos.) y -dir. by 4, making the equation

$$(y-4)^2 - (x^2 + z^2) = 1$$

As is then, the cross-section in $y=1$ is

$$x^2 + z^2 = 8$$

To make this circle have radius 1 instead of $\sqrt{8} = 2\sqrt{2}$, we "squish" in both x and z directions by $\sqrt{8}$, making the final equation

$$(y-4)^2 - \left((\sqrt{8}x)^2 + (\sqrt{8}z)^2 \right) = 1$$

or

$$(y-4)^2 - 8x^2 - 8z^2 = 1$$

4. (15 pts) The surface S has equation $x^2y - ze^{2xy} = 3y^2$.

(a) Find a function f whose graph is S .

$$\Leftrightarrow z = e^{-2xy} (x^2y - 3y^2)$$

This is the graph of $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^1$ defined by

$$f(x, y) = e^{-2xy} (x^2y - 3y^2)$$

(b) Find a function g such that S is a level set of g .

$$\Leftrightarrow x^2y - ze^{2xy} - 3y^2 = 0$$

This is the $g=0$ level set of $g: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^1$ def. by

$$g(x, y, z) = x^2y - ze^{2xy} - 3y^2$$

(c) Find a function h that parametrizes S .

Using the graph param. with (a), we parametrize S

by $h: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$

$$h(u, v) = \begin{pmatrix} u \\ v \\ e^{-2uv} (u^2v - 3v^2) \end{pmatrix}$$

5. (15 pts) Compute the following limit.

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \left(\frac{x^2 + y^2}{\sec(xy)} \right)$$

This is a combination of continuous functions (note that $\sec(0) = 1 \neq 0$), so the function is continuous.

$$\text{So } \lim = \frac{0^2 + 0^2}{\sec(0)} = \frac{0}{1} = \boxed{0}$$

6. (15 pts) Suppose that $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^7$ is a linear transformation represented by a matrix A , and you are given

$$T(3, 2, 4) = \vec{v} \quad \text{and} \quad T(0, 1, 2) = \vec{w}$$

Find the first column of A .

$$\text{1st col of } A = T(1, 0, 0)$$

$$= T\left(\frac{(3, 2, 4) - 2(0, 1, 2)}{3}\right)$$

$$= \frac{T(3, 2, 4) - 2T(0, 1, 2)}{3}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{\vec{v} - 2\vec{w}}{3}}$$

7. (15 pts) Suppose that at the moment when $t = 3$, the parametric curve \vec{x} has position $(3, 2, 5)$ and velocity $(1, 2, 0)$, and the parametric curve \vec{y} has position $(1, 3, 1)$ and velocity $(0, 1, 1)$. Compute the rate of change of $f(t) = \vec{x}(t) \cdot \vec{y}(t)$, and the velocity of the parametric curve $\vec{z}(t) = \vec{x}(t) \times \vec{y}(t)$.

$$f' = (\vec{x} \cdot \vec{y})' = \vec{x}' \cdot \vec{y} + \vec{x} \cdot \vec{y}'$$

$$f'(3) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \boxed{14}$$

$$\vec{z}' = (\vec{x} \times \vec{y})' = \vec{x}' \times \vec{y} + \vec{x} \times \vec{y}'$$

$$\vec{z}'(3) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -3 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \boxed{\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -4 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}}$$