

Math 233 - Test 1B
February 10, 2022

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Show all work to receive full credit. Supply explanations where necessary. This test is due February 15. The other portion of the test is in Canvas. **You must work individually on this test.**

1. (5 points) The addition of vectors is often described by the phrase "triangle method" or "parallelogram method." Sketch the vectors $\vec{u} = \langle 2, 3 \rangle$ and $\vec{w} = \langle -3, 1 \rangle$. Then illustrate $\vec{u} + \vec{w}$ by using either method.

SEE ATTACHED SHEETS.

2. (8 points) Find an equation the plane that passes through the points $A(4, 0, -5)$, $B(8, -3, -6)$, and $C(1, 2, -1)$. Write your final answer in standard form.

$$\vec{AB} = 4\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} - \hat{k}$$
$$\vec{AC} = -3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}$$

$$\vec{n} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 4 & -3 & -1 \\ -3 & 2 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = \hat{i}(-10) - \hat{j}(13) + \hat{k}(-1)$$
$$= -10\hat{i} - 13\hat{j} - \hat{k}$$

we use $\vec{n} = 10\hat{i} + 13\hat{j} + \hat{k}$

PLANE IS $10(x-4) + 13(y-0) + 1(z+5) = 0$

OR

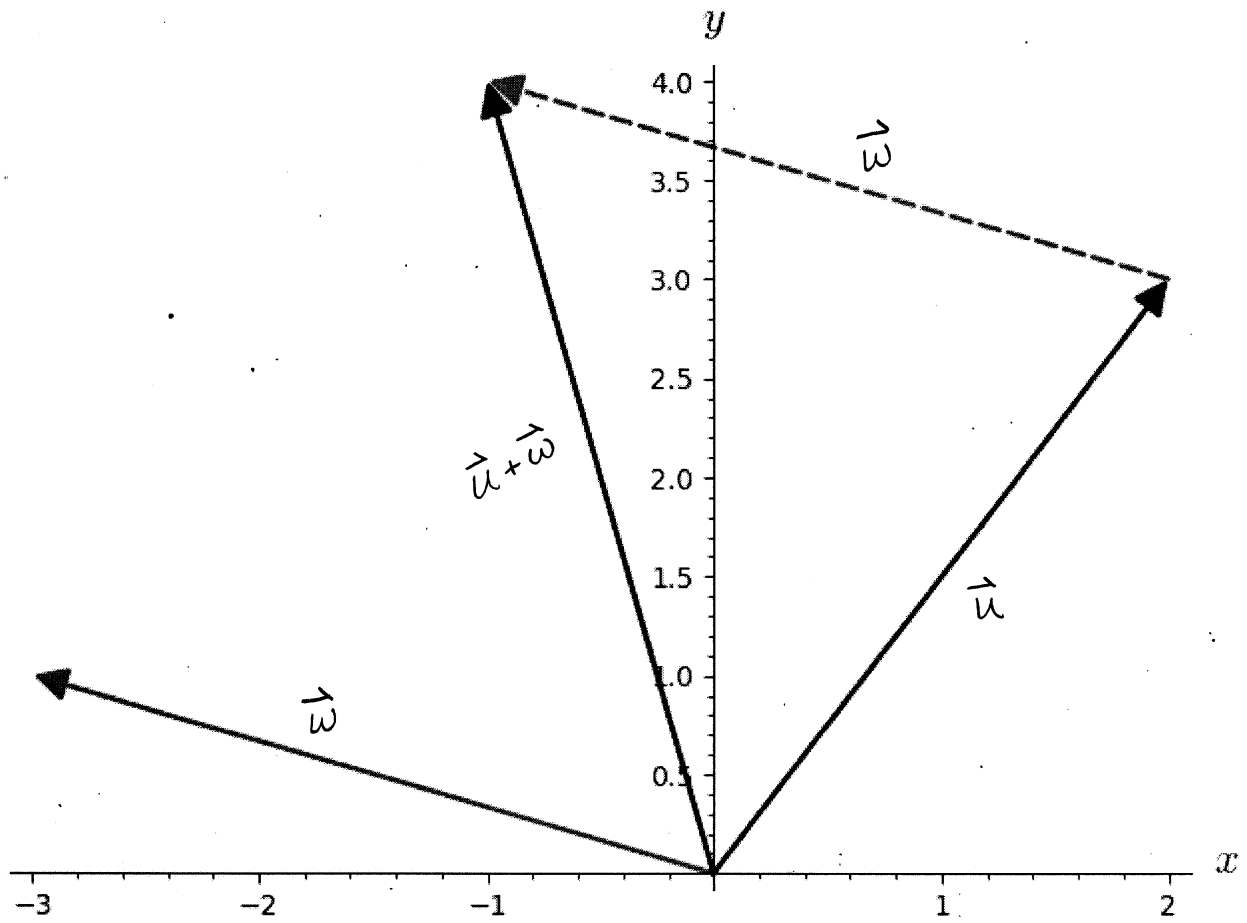
$$10x + 13y + z - 35 = 0$$

OR

$$10x + 13y + z = 35$$

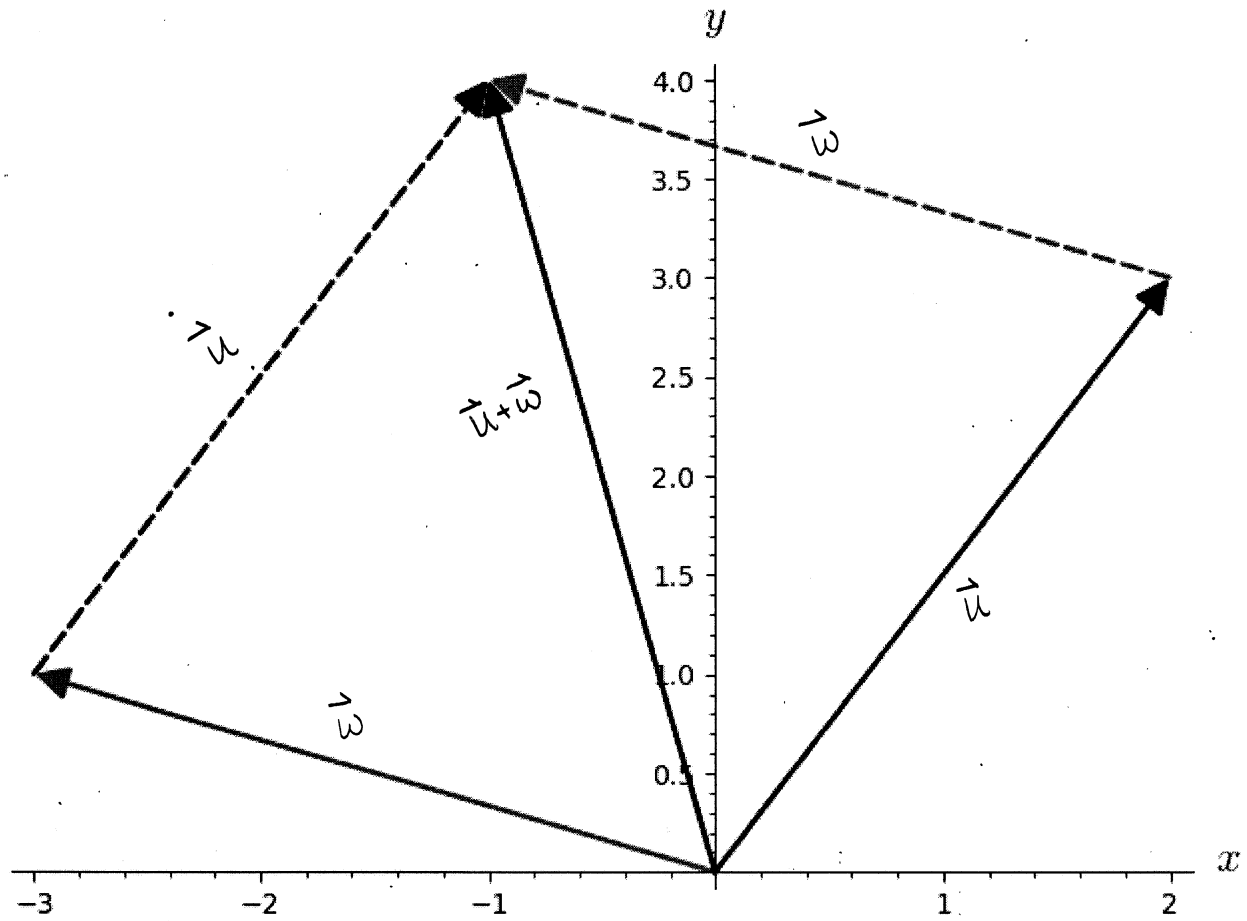
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TRIANGLE METHOD...



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PARALLELOGRAM METHOD ...



3. (4 points) Determine the vector of magnitude 7 that has the opposite direction of $\vec{v} = -4\hat{i} + 13\hat{j} - 16\hat{k}$.

$$\|\vec{v}\| = \sqrt{16 + 169 + 256} = 21$$

$$\frac{-7\vec{v}}{\|\vec{v}\|} = \frac{-7}{21} \langle -4, 13, -16 \rangle = \frac{4}{3}\hat{i} - \frac{13}{3}\hat{j} + \frac{16}{3}\hat{k}$$

4. (8 points) Let $\vec{u} = -4\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$ and $\vec{v} = \hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$.

(a) Let $\vec{w} = \text{proj}_{\vec{v}} \vec{u}$. Compute \vec{w} .

$$\text{proj}_{\vec{v}} \vec{u} = \frac{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}}{\vec{v} \cdot \vec{v}} \vec{v} = \frac{-4 - 8 - 6}{1 + 4 + 4} \vec{v} = \frac{-18}{9} \vec{v} = -2\vec{v}$$

$$\vec{w} = -2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 4\hat{k}$$

(b) Compute $\vec{u} - \vec{w}$ and show that $\vec{u} - \vec{w}$ is orthogonal to \vec{w} .

$$\vec{u} - \vec{w} = -2\hat{i} + 0\hat{j} + \hat{k} = -2\hat{i} + \hat{k}$$

$$(\vec{u} - \vec{w}) \cdot \vec{w} = \langle -2, 0, 1 \rangle \cdot \langle -2, 4, -4 \rangle = 4 + 0 - 4 = 0$$

DOT PROD. ZERO \Rightarrow VECTORS

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5. (8 points) Determine the measure of the acute angle between the planes whose equations are shown below. Write your answer in degrees, rounded to the nearest hundredth.

$$2x - y - 2z = 12$$

$$3x + 2y + 4z = -9$$

$$\vec{n}_1 = 2\hat{i} - \hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$$

$$\vec{n}_2 = 3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}$$

$\theta =$ ACUTE ANGLE BETWEEN PLANES

$$\cos \theta = \frac{|\vec{n}_1 \cdot \vec{n}_2|}{\|\vec{n}_1\| \|\vec{n}_2\|} = \frac{|6 - 2 - 8|}{\sqrt{9} \sqrt{29}} = \frac{|-4|}{\sqrt{261}} = \frac{4}{\sqrt{261}}$$

$$\theta \approx 75.66^\circ$$

6. (8 points) The line L_1 has parametric equations $x = 6t - 7$, $y = -2t - 3$, $z = t - 3$.
The line L_2 has symmetric equations $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y}{4} = z$.

(a) Show that L_1 and L_2 are not parallel.

$$\vec{v}_1 = 6\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k} = \text{DIRECTION OF } L_1$$

$$\vec{v}_2 = 3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + \hat{k} = \text{DIRECTION OF } L_2$$

$$\vec{v}_1 \neq k\vec{v}_2$$

\vec{v}_1 IS NOT A SCALAR MULTIPLE OF \vec{v}_2 .

(b) Show that L_1 and L_2 do not intersect.

PARAMETRIC EQUATIONS FOR L_2 :

$$x = 3s + 2$$

$$y = 4s$$

$$z = s$$

AT A POINT OF INTERSECTION, WE MUST HAVE

$$3s + 2 = 6t - 7$$

$$4s = -2t - 3$$

$$s = t - 3$$

$s = -1.5$ AND $t = 1.5$ DO NOT SOLVE

THESE ARE SOLVED WHEN $s = -1.5$ AND $t = 1.5$

NO SUCH s & t !

7. (9 points) Let $\vec{r}(t) = \left(\frac{2t-2}{t^2-1}\right)\hat{i} - \tan^{-1}(t)\hat{j} + \ln(2t)\hat{k}$.

(a) Determine the domain of \vec{r} .

$$x(t) = \frac{2t-2}{t^2-1}$$

$$y(t) = -\tan^{-1} t$$

$$z(t) = \ln(2t)$$

Domain: $t \neq \pm 1$

Domain: \mathbb{R}

Domain: $2t > 0$ or $t > 0$

DOMAIN OF $\vec{r}(t)$:

$t > 0$ & $t \neq 1$

(b) Compute $\lim_{t \rightarrow 1} \vec{r}(t)$.

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 1} \vec{r}(t) = \left(\lim_{t \rightarrow 1} \frac{2(t-1)}{(t-1)(t+1)} \right) \hat{i} - \left(\lim_{t \rightarrow 1} \tan^{-1} t \right) \hat{j} + \left(\lim_{t \rightarrow 1} \ln 2t \right) \hat{k}$$

$$= \frac{2}{2} \hat{i} - \tan^{-1}(1) \hat{j} + \ln 2 \hat{k} = \hat{i} - \frac{\pi}{4} \hat{j} + (\ln 2) \hat{k}$$

(c) Compute $\frac{d\vec{r}}{dt}$.

$$\vec{r}(t) = \frac{2}{t+1} \hat{i} - \tan^{-1}(t) \hat{j} + \ln(2t) \hat{k}, \quad t \neq 1$$

$$\vec{r}'(t) = -\frac{2}{(t+1)^2} \hat{i} - \frac{1}{1+t^2} \hat{j} + \frac{1}{t} \hat{k}, \quad t \neq 1$$

8. (5 points) Sketch the graph of the vector-valued function $\vec{r}(t) = (2t-1)^2 \hat{i} + (2t+2) \hat{j}$. Draw arrows on your graph to indicate the orientation.

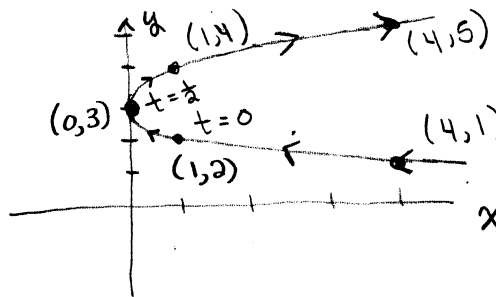
$$x = (2t-1)^2$$

$$y = 2t+2$$

$$t = \frac{y-2}{2}$$

$$x = (y-3)^2$$

GRAPH IS A PARABOLA, OPENING TOWARD THE RIGHT, WITH VERTEX AT $(0,3)$.



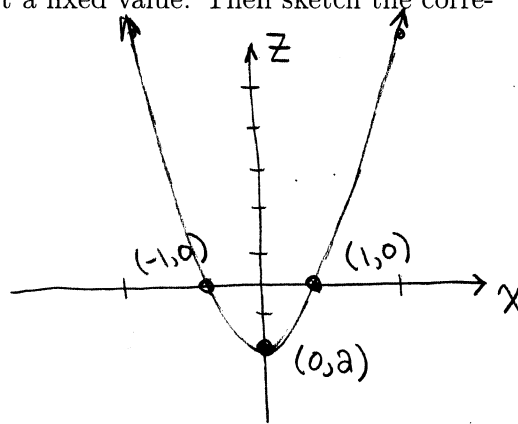
SEE ATTACHED SHEET FOR BETTER GRAPH.

9. (5 points) Consider the surface defined by the equation $2x^2 - 2y^2 - z = 0$.

- (a) Choose any one of the variables and give it a fixed value. Then sketch the corresponding trace.

$$y=1 \Rightarrow z = 2x^2 - 2$$

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PARABOLA,
VERTEX AT
 $(0,2)$,
OPENING UPWARD.



- (b) Identify the surface. Very briefly explain how you know.

THE SURFACE IS A HYPERBOLIC PARABOLOID.

Fix x

TRACES ARE
PARABOLAS.

Fix y

TRACES ARE
PARABOLAS.

Fix z ≠ 0

TRACES ARE
HYPERBOLAS.

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