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Problem 1) (20 points) No justifications are needed.

- 1)  T  F The integral  $\int_a^b |\vec{T}'(t)| dt$  measures the arc length of a curve.

**Solution:**

It is  $\vec{r}'(t)$  not  $\vec{T}'(t)$ .

- 2)  T  F The length of the vector projection  $P_{\vec{v}}(\vec{w})$  is the absolute value of the scalar projection  $\text{comp}_{\vec{v}}(\vec{w})$ .

**Solution:**

Yes according to the definition.

- 3)  T  F The velocity vector of  $\vec{r}(t) = [t^5, t^3, t^7]^T$  at time  $t = 1$  is  $[1, 1, 1]^T$ .

**Solution:**

It is  $[5, 3, 7]^T$ .

- 4)  T  F If  $\vec{v} \times \vec{w} = \vec{v} \times \vec{w}$  then  $\vec{v}, \vec{w}$  are parallel.

**Solution:**

This is a logic riddle. The first statement is always true but the second not.

- 5)  T  F The vector  $[1, 2, 3]^T$  is perpendicular to the line  $[t, 2t, 3t]^T$ .

**Solution:**

No, it is parallel.

- 6)  T  F The point given in spherical coordinates as  $(\rho, \phi, \theta) = (1, \pi, \pi)$  is the same point than the point  $(\rho, \phi, \theta) = (1, \pi, 0)$ .

**Solution:**

Yes, it is the south pole.

- 7)  T  F The parametrized curve  $\vec{r}(t) = [3 \cos(t), 0, 5 \sin(t)]^T$  is an ellipse.

**Solution:**

Indeed, it is part of the  $xz$ -plane.

- 8)  T  F The curvature of a line is 1 at every point of the line.

**Solution:**

No, it is 0.

- 9)  T  F If  $|\vec{v} \times \vec{w}| = \vec{v} \cdot \vec{w}$  then either  $\vec{v}$  is parallel to  $\vec{w}$  or perpendicular to  $\vec{w}$ .

**Solution:**

They can be unit vectors of angle 45 degrees for example

- 10)  T  F If the dot product between two unit vectors is 1, then the two vectors are the same.

**Solution:**

Yes,  $\vec{v} \cdot \vec{w} = |\vec{v}||\vec{w}| \cos(\alpha) = \cos(\alpha) = 1$ .

- 11)  T  F We have  $|(\vec{u} \times \vec{v}) \times \vec{w}| \leq |\vec{u}||\vec{v}||\vec{w}|$  for all vectors  $\vec{v}, \vec{w}, \vec{u}$ .

**Solution:**

Use the identity for the length of the cross product

- 12)  T  F The curvature of a curve  $\vec{r}(t)$  is given by  $\kappa(t) = |\vec{T}'(t)|/|\vec{r}''(t)|$ .

**Solution:**

It is  $\vec{r}''(t)$ .

- 13)  T  F The arc length of the curve  $[\sin(t^2), \cos(t^2)]^T$  from  $t = 0$  to  $t = 1$  is equal to 1.

**Solution:**

After a parametrization, the speed is equal to 1 so that the integral is 1.

- 14)  T  F Given three planes in space, there is a point which is on two planes at least.

**Solution:**

No, can all be parallel.

- 15)  T  F The curve  $\vec{r}(t) = [t^2, t, t^4]^T$  is the intersection curve of the two cylindrical paraboloids  $x = y^2$  and  $z = x^2$ .

**Solution:**

Just plug in

- 16)  T  F The lines  $\vec{r}_1(t) = [5 + t, 3 - t, 2 + t]^T$  and  $\vec{r}_2(t) = [5 - t, 3 + t, 2t]^T$  intersect perpendicularly.

**Solution:**

They have perpendicular velocity vectors but they do not appear to intersect. ) there is an intersection point  $r_1(-2/3) = r_2(2/3)$ . Wow this is a tricky one!

- 17)  T  F You can intersect a two sheeted hyperboloid with a plane to get a parabola.

**Solution:**

Also this is trickier than anticipated. Its actually possible to get a parabola. Take a plane parallel to a line in that cone and tangent to the cone. It does not intersect the hyperboloid. Now move it up. It will intersect the hyperboloid only on one side and therefore not be a hyperbola. It will be a parabola. You can make it explicit by taking  $z=x+2$  for example and intersect it with  $x^2 + y^2 - z^2 + 1 = 0$ . This gives  $-3 - 4x + y^2 = 0$  and  $z = x + 2$  which is a parabola in space.

- 18)  T  F The vector  $[12/13, 3/13, 4/13]^T$  is a direction.

**Solution:**

Yes, its length is equal to 1.

- 19)  T  F  $\vec{v} \times (\vec{u} \times \vec{v}) = \vec{0}$  for all vectors  $\vec{u}, \vec{v}$ .

**Solution:**

Take  $u = i, v = j$ .

- 20)  T  F If  $f(x, y) = x^2y^2$ , then  $f_{xx} = f_{yy}$ .

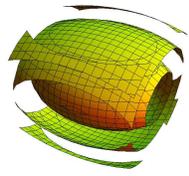
**Solution:**

Just differentiate. The equation  $2y^2 = 2x^2$  is not true.

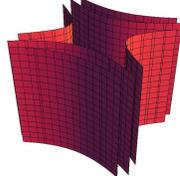
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Problem 2) (10 points) No justifications are needed in this problem.

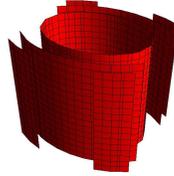
a) (2 points) Match the contour plots. Enter O, if there is no match.



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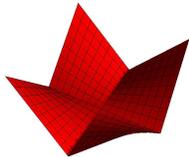
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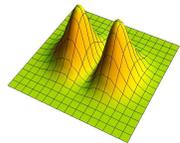
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Function $g(x, y, z) =$	Enter O,I,II or III
$x + 2y$	
$x^2 + 2y^2 + 3z^2$	
$x^2 - 2y^2$	
$x^2 + 2y^2$	
$x^2 + 2y$	

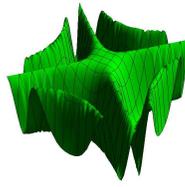
b) (2 points) Match the graphs of the functions  $f(x, y)$ . Enter O, if there is no match.



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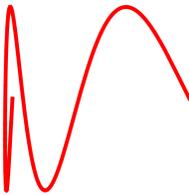
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Function $f(x, y) =$	Enter O,I,II or III
$\cos(x^2 - y^2)$	
$ xy $	
$x^2 \exp(-x^2 - y^2)$	
$x^4$	
$\exp(-x)$	

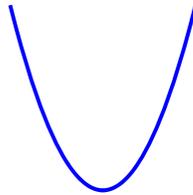
c) (2 points) Match the plane curves with their parametrizations  $\vec{r}(t)$ . Enter O, if there is no match.



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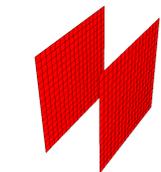
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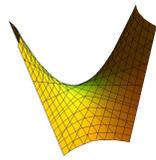
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Parametrization $\vec{r}(t) =$	Enter O, I,II or III
$\vec{r}(t) = [t^2, 2t^2]^T$	
$\vec{r}(t) = [t^2, t^4 + 1]^T$	
$\vec{r}(t) = [\cos(\sqrt{t}), \sin(t)]^T$	
$\vec{r}(t) = [t, t^3]^T$	
$\vec{r}(t) = [\exp( t ), t]^T$	

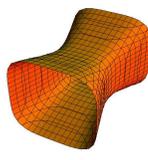
d) (2 points) Match functions  $g$  with level surface  $g(x, y, z) = 1$ . Enter O, if no match.



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Function $g(x, y, z) = 1$	Enter O, I,II or III
$x^2 + y^4 = 1$	
$x^4 - y^4 + z^4 = 1$	
$y^4 = 1$	
$x^2 + y^2 + z^4 = 1$	
$xy - z = 1$	

e) (2 points) Match the parametrization. Enter O, where no match.



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$\vec{r}(u, v) =$	Enter O,I,II or III
$[u, v, u^2v]^T$	
$[\cos v, uv, v]^T$	
$[u \cos(v), u \sin(v), u]^T$	
$[u \cos(v), u \sin(v), v]^T$	
$[\cos v, u \sin(v), v]^T$	

**Solution:**

- a) O,I,II,III,O
- b) III,I,II,O,O
- c) O,III,I,O,II
- d) O III,I,0,II
- e) II,O,I,III,O

Problem 3) (10 points)

Routine "toy" problems:

- a) (2 points)  $([1, 1, 1]^T \cdot [2, 1, 2]^T) + |[4, 3, 2]^T|^2$ .
- b) (2 points)  $|([2, 3, 4]^T \times [2, 3, 5]^T) + [0, 6, 0]^T|$ .
- c) (2 points)  $[4, 2, 3]^T \cdot ([3, 2, 1]^T \times [1, 1, 1]^T)$ .
- d) (2 points)  $\vec{P}_{\vec{w}}(\vec{v})$  with  $\vec{v} = [1, 4, 1]^T$  and  $\vec{w} = [9, 18, 9]^T$ .
- e) (2 points) The angle  $\alpha$  between  $[0, 3, 3]^T, [2, 0, 2]^T$ .

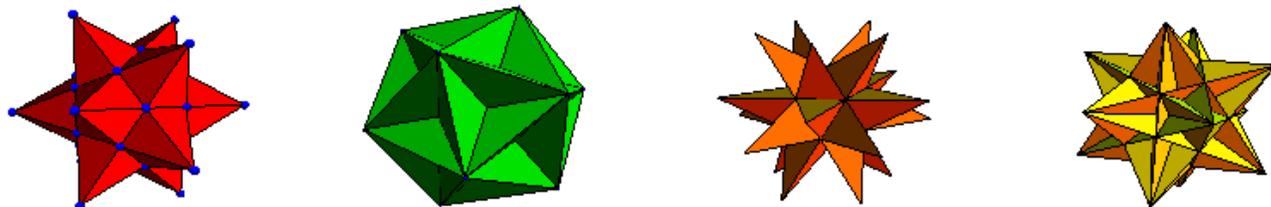


**Solution:**

- a) 34
- b) 5
- c) 3
- d)  $[5/3, 10/3, 5/3]^T$ .
- e)  $\pi/3$ .

Problem 4) (10 points)

There are four **Kepler-Poinsot solids**. They are non-convex platonic solids. The first is centered at  $A = (1, -1, 1)$ , the second at  $B = (2, 2, 0)$ , the third at  $C = (4, 5, 6)$  the fourth at  $P = (3, 3, 3)$ . Find the distance from  $P$  to the plane through  $A, B, C$ .



**Solution:**

This is a standard distance problem with  $\vec{PA} = [2, 4, 2]^T$  and  $\vec{n} = [21, -8, -3]^T$ . The answer  $\vec{PA} \cdot \vec{n} / |\vec{n}|$  is  $4/\sqrt{514}$ .

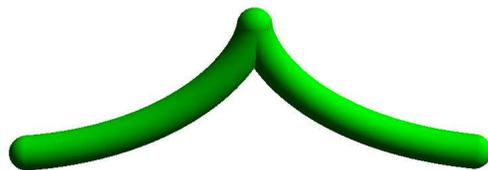
Problem 5) (10 points)

a) (7 points) A **cloth hanger** is padded around a curve which has the form

$$\vec{r}(t) = [t^2 \cos(t), t^2 \sin(t), t^3/3]^T$$

with  $-1 \leq t \leq 1$ . Find the arc length from  $t = -1$  to  $t = 1$ .

b) (3 points) As the picture indicates, the curvature appears problematic at  $t = 0$ . Verify, that the curvature does not exist there by writing down a formula for the curvature and indicating that it can not be evaluated at  $t = 0$ .



**Solution:**

Find  $\int_{-1}^1 |\vec{r}'(t)| dt = \int_{-1}^1 \sqrt{4t^2 + 2t^4} dt$ . Take  $t^2$  outside the square root and use substitution to solve the problem. Since the function  $u = 4 + 2t^2$  is not one to one on  $[-1, 1]$  one had to split up the integral and get  $2 \int_0^1 t\sqrt{4 + 2t^2} dt = 2 \int_4^6 \sqrt{u}/4 du = (1/3)u^{3/2}|_4^6 = 2\sqrt{6} - 8/3$ .

Problem 6) (10 points)

No justifications are needed in this problem. You can assume that  $\vec{r}(t)$  is a space curve, and that the vectors  $\vec{v}, \vec{w}, \vec{r}', \vec{r}'', \vec{T}, \vec{T}'$  are non-zero, where  $\vec{N}$  is the normal vector and  $\vec{B}$  the bi-normal vector. All these vectors  $\vec{r}, \vec{T}, \vec{B}, \vec{N}$  and its derivatives are evaluated at a fixed time, like  $t = 0$ .

First vector	Second vector	always parallel	always perpendicular	depends
$\vec{v} \times \vec{v}$	$\vec{v}$			
$\vec{w} + \vec{v}$	$\vec{v} - \vec{w}$			
$\vec{v} \times \vec{w}$	$\vec{w} \times \vec{v}$			
$(\vec{v} + \vec{w}) \times \vec{w}$	$\vec{v} \times \vec{w}$			
$\text{Proj}_{\vec{v}}(\vec{w})$	$\vec{v}$			
$\text{Proj}_{\vec{v}}(\vec{w})$	$\vec{w}$			
$\vec{T}$	$\vec{r}'$			
$\vec{T}$	$\vec{T}'$			
$\vec{T}'$	$\vec{r}''$			
$\vec{B}$	$\vec{N}$			

**Solution:**

First vector	Second vector	always parallel	always perpendicular	depends
$\vec{v} \times \vec{v}$	$\vec{v}$	x	x	
$\vec{w} + \vec{v}$	$\vec{v} - \vec{w}$			x
$\vec{v} \times \vec{w}$	$\vec{w} \times \vec{v}$	x		
$(\vec{v} + \vec{w}) \times \vec{w}$	$\vec{v} \times \vec{w}$	x		
$\text{Proj}_{\vec{v}}(\vec{w})$	$\vec{v}$	x		
$\text{Proj}_{\vec{v}}(\vec{w})$	$\vec{w}$			x
$\vec{T}$	$\vec{r}'$	x		
$\vec{T}$	$\vec{T}'$		x	
$\vec{T}'$	$\vec{r}''$			x
$\vec{B}$	$\vec{N}$		x	

Problem 7) (10 points)

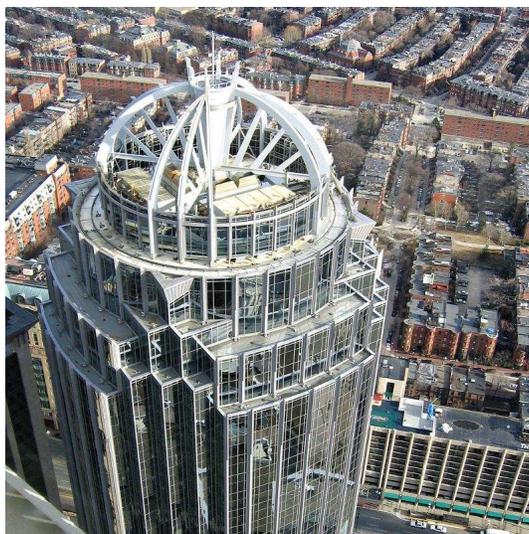
**111 Huntington** is a tall building in Boston which is in the shadow of the Prudential and Hancock tower. But its probably the most interesting building mathematically. It is only 169 meters high (compared with Hancock with 241) but look at the beauty of the dome! Inside this structure there are two metal connection lines

$$\vec{r}_1(t) = [t, 3t, -t]^T$$

and

$$\vec{r}_2(t) = [1 + 2t, t, t]^T .$$

Find their distance.



**Solution:**

The point  $P = (0, 0, 0)$  is on the first line. The point  $Q = (1, 0, 0)$  on the second line. The vector  $\vec{v} = [1, 3, -1]^T$  in the first line and  $\vec{w} = [2, 1, 1]^T$  in the second line. We have  $\vec{n} = [4, -3, -5]^T$ . Now, the distance is  $\sqrt{8}/5 = 4/\sqrt{50}$ .  $(Q - P) \cdot \vec{n}/|\vec{n}|$ .

Problem 8) (10 points)

Very soon, Apple is expected to come out with an **iWatch**. Lets build one ourselves. Simplicity is the rule: it consists only of a band, and a "home button". And because Apple is known for fancy packaging, we strapped around a one sheeted hyperboloid. For each of the following surfaces, find a parametrization of the form

$$\vec{r}(u, v) = [x(u, v), y(u, v), z(u, v)]^T .$$

a) (3 points) "Band" cylinder

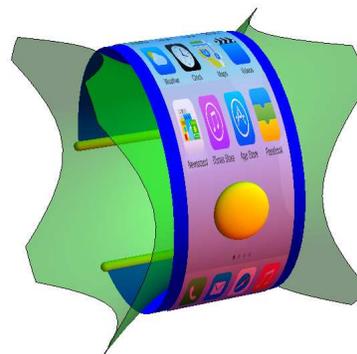
$$x^2 + y^2 = 9 .$$

b) (4 points) "Button" ellipsoid

$$10(x - 3)^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1/4 .$$

c) (3 points) "Package" 1-sheeted hyperboloid

$$x^2 + y^2 - z^2 - 1/2 = 0 .$$



**Solution:**

a)  $\vec{r}(u, v) = [3 \cos(u), 3 \sin(u), v]^T$ .

b)  $\vec{r}(u, v) = [3 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{40}} \cos(u) \sin(v), \frac{1}{2} \sin(u) \sin(v), \frac{1}{2} \cos(v)]^T$ .

c)  $\vec{r}(u, v) = [\sqrt{v^2 + 1/2} \cos(u), \sqrt{v^2 + 1/2} \sin(u), v]^T$ .

Problem 9) (10 points)

This June 2014, the Swiss extreme sports women **Géraldine Fasnacht** jumped with a wing-suit from the Matterhorn (a mountain in Switzerland). When flying with a wingsuit, there is the gravitational force, the force from the wind and a force from the wing. Assume

$$\vec{r}''(t) = [1, t, \exp(-t) - 10]^T$$

and  $\vec{r}(0) = [0, 0, 4500]^T$  and  $\vec{r}'(0) = [0, 2, 0]^T$ . Find the path  $\vec{r}(t)$ .



**Solution:**

Integrate twice and compare initial conditions:  $\vec{r}(t) = [t^2/2, t^3/6 + 2t, e^{-t} - 5t^2 + t + 4499]^T$ .