

Math 2400, Midterm 1

September 24, 2018

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Question	Points	Score
1	10	
2	12	
3	12	
4	4	
5	8	
6	6	
7	8	
8	10	
9	10	
10	10	
11	10	
Total:	100	

Honor Code

On my honor, as a University of Colorado at Boulder student, I have neither given nor received unauthorized assistance on this work.

- No calculators or cell phones or other electronic devices allowed at any time.
- Show all your reasoning and work for full credit, except where otherwise indicated. Use full mathematical or English sentences.
- You have 90 minutes and the exam is 100 points.
- You do not need to simplify numerical expressions. For example leave fractions like $\mathbf{100/7}$ or expressions like $\mathbf{\ln(3)/2}$ as is.
- When done, give your exam to your instructor, who will mark your name off on a photo roster.
- We hope you show us your best work!

1. (10 points) **Note: No partial credit for this problem.**

Let $\vec{a} = \langle 1, 2, 1 \rangle$, $\vec{b} = \langle -2, 1, -3 \rangle$. Compute

(a) $|\vec{a}| =$ _____.

(b) $3\vec{a} - \vec{b} =$ _____.

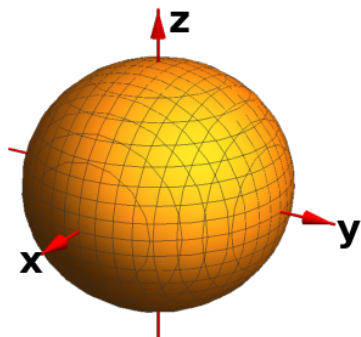
(c) $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} =$ _____.

(d) $\vec{a} \times \vec{b} =$ _____.

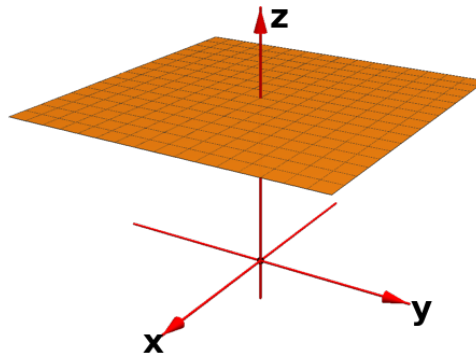
(e) $\text{proj}_{\vec{a}} \vec{b} =$ _____.

2. (12 points) Match each 3D surface with one of the equations. Not all equations will be matched.

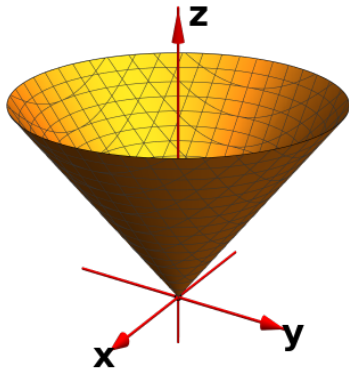
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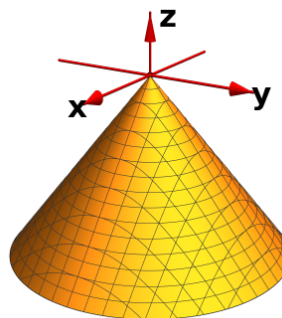
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(c) _____



(d) _____



Let (ρ, θ, ϕ) be spherical coordinates.

(1) $\rho = 3$

(3) $\phi = \frac{2\pi}{3}$

(5) $\phi = \frac{\pi}{3}$

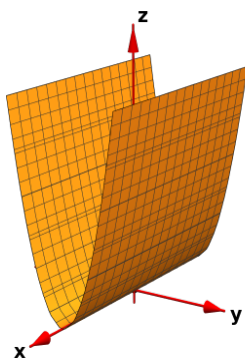
(2) $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$

(4) $\rho = \sec \theta$

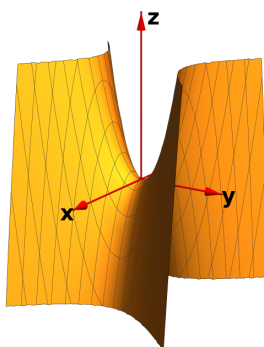
(6) $\rho = \sec \phi$

3. (12 points) Match each 3D surface with one of the equations on the right side.
 Not all equations will be matched.

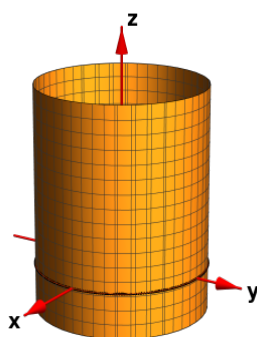
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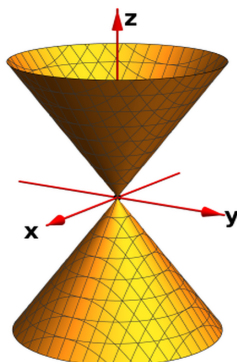
(b) _____



(c) _____



(d) _____



(1) $x^2 + y^2 - z^2 = 0$

(2) $x^2 - y^2 + z^2 = 0$

(3) $x^2 + y^2 - 4 = 0$

(4) $x^2 - y^2 - 4 = 0$

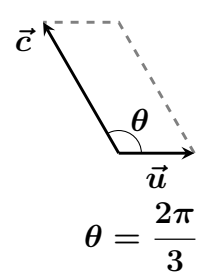
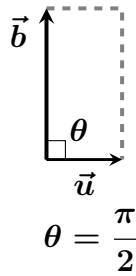
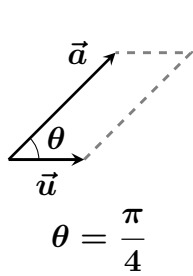
(5) $z = y^2 - x^2$

(6) $z = x^2 - y^2$

(7) $z = x^2$

(8) $z = y^2$

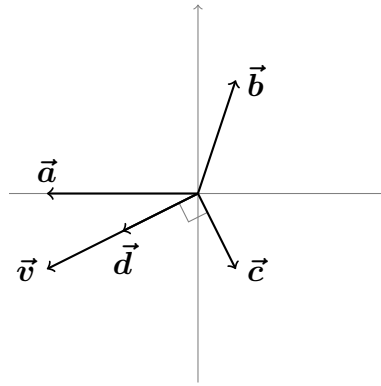
4. (4 points) In the pictures below assume that $|\vec{a}| = |\vec{b}| = |\vec{c}|$ and that \vec{u} is a unit vector. Use the parallelograms below to rank $|\vec{a} \times \vec{u}|$, $|\vec{b} \times \vec{u}|$, and $|\vec{c} \times \vec{u}|$ from smallest to largest.



Circle one of the following.

- (a) $|\vec{a} \times \vec{u}| \leq |\vec{b} \times \vec{u}| \leq |\vec{c} \times \vec{u}|$
- (b) $|\vec{a} \times \vec{u}| \leq |\vec{c} \times \vec{u}| \leq |\vec{b} \times \vec{u}|$
- (c) $|\vec{b} \times \vec{u}| \leq |\vec{a} \times \vec{u}| \leq |\vec{c} \times \vec{u}|$
- (d) $|\vec{b} \times \vec{u}| \leq |\vec{c} \times \vec{u}| \leq |\vec{a} \times \vec{u}|$
- (e) $|\vec{c} \times \vec{u}| \leq |\vec{a} \times \vec{u}| \leq |\vec{b} \times \vec{u}|$
- (f) $|\vec{c} \times \vec{u}| \leq |\vec{b} \times \vec{u}| \leq |\vec{a} \times \vec{u}|$

5. (8 points) Consider the following vectors \vec{v} , \vec{a} , \vec{b} , \vec{c} , and \vec{d} in the xy -plane.



Circle whether each of the following is true or false.

- (a) **TRUE** or **FALSE**: $\vec{v} \cdot \vec{a} \geq \vec{v} \cdot \vec{d}$
- (b) **TRUE** or **FALSE**: $\vec{v} \cdot \vec{c} = \vec{0}$
- (c) **TRUE** or **FALSE**: $\vec{v} \cdot \vec{a} = \vec{v} \cdot \vec{b}$
- (d) **TRUE** or **FALSE**: $\vec{v} \cdot \vec{d} = |\vec{v}|^2$

6. (6 points) Let $C: \vec{r}(t) = \langle x(t), y(t), z(t) \rangle$ be any space curve such that $|\vec{r}'(t)| = 1$. If $3 \leq t \leq 5$ then what is the length of C from $\vec{r}(3)$ to $\vec{r}(5)$?

7. (8 points) Find a parametric representation of the part of the plane $z = x + 2$ that lies inside the cylinder $x^2 + y^2 = 1$.

8. (10 points) Consider the space curve $C: \vec{r}(t) = \langle t \ln t, 2t, t^2 \rangle$, where $t > 0$.

(a) Calculate $\frac{d}{dt} [\vec{r}(t)]$.

(b) Find the parametric equations of the line tangent to C at the point $(0, 2, 1)$.

9. (10 points) The positions of two particles at time t , for $t \geq 0$, are given by $\vec{r}_1(t) = \langle t, t^2 + 2t, 1 \rangle$ and $\vec{r}_2(t) = \langle 2t - 1, 4t^2 - 1, \cos(\pi t) \rangle$, respectively. Do the two particles collide? If so, then at what time(s) do they collide? If not, justify why not.

10. (10 points) Find an equation for the plane through the point $P(2, 3, 0)$ and parallel to a plane determined by vectors $\vec{u} = \langle 1, 2, 3 \rangle$ and $\vec{v} = \langle 3, 4, 5 \rangle$.

11. (10 points) Given $P(1, 2, 3)$ and a line $L : \frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y+2}{1} = \frac{z-3}{2}$, find the shortest distance between the point P and the line L .