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Math 251, Multivariate Calculus – Crawford

Exam 1
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- Calculators, books, notes (in any form), cell phones, and any unauthorized sources are **not** allowed.
- You may use the given formula sheet.
- Evaluate trigonometric, exponential, logarithmic, etc., functions at standard values.
- **Show all your work.** Partial credit may be given for written work.
- Good Luck!

1. (12 pts). Given $\mathbf{a} = \langle 2, -2, 1 \rangle$ and $\mathbf{b} = \langle 4, -3, 0 \rangle$,

(a). Find $|\mathbf{b} - 3\mathbf{a}|$.

(b). Find a vector of length 4 in the opposite direction of \mathbf{b} .

2. (12 pts). Given the line $x = t - 1$, $y = 1 + 2t$ and $z = 3 - t$ and the plane $3x - y + 2z = 5$

(a). Find the point at which the line intersects the plane.

(b). Find the symmetric equations of a line through the point found in part (a) and parallel to the line given by $\frac{x - 3}{4} = y$, $z = 6$.

3. (12 pts). Find the equation of the plane through the points $(0, -1, 3)$ and $(-1, -1, 0)$ and is perpendicular to the plane $2x + 4y - 5z = 2$.

[Do not simplify.]

4. (12 pts). Evaluate the limit. If the limit does not exist, clearly explain why.

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \left\langle \sqrt{3-t}, \ln(3t+1), \frac{e^{5t}-1}{3t} \right\rangle$$

5. (28 pts). Given the curve $\mathbf{r}_1(t) = \langle \sin(3t), 2e^{2t}, 1 \rangle$

(a). Find a parametric equation for the tangent line to the curve $\mathbf{r}_1(t)$ at the point $(0, 2, 1)$.

(b). The curve $\mathbf{r}_1(t)$ intersects with $\mathbf{r}_2(s) = \langle \ln s^3, s^2 + 1, s \rangle$ at the point $(0, 2, 1)$. Find the angle of intersection of the two curves at that point. *[Leave your answer in terms of an inverse trigonometric function.]*

(c). Find the curvature of $r_1(t)$ at the point $(0, 2, 1)$ using $\kappa = \frac{|\mathbf{r}' \times \mathbf{r}''|}{|\mathbf{r}'|^3}$.

[Do not simplify.]

6. (12 pts). Given $\mathbf{r}'(t) = \sqrt{t}\mathbf{i} + 2t\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$ and $\mathbf{r}(1) = 2\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j}$, find $\mathbf{r}(t)$. [Write your final answer as a single vector $\mathbf{r}(t)$.]

7. (6 pts). *True or False.* Clearly indicate whether the following statements are true or false.

T F $\text{proj}_{\mathbf{a}}\mathbf{b} = \mathbf{0}$ only if $\mathbf{a} = \mathbf{0}$ or $\mathbf{b} = \mathbf{0}$.

T F The space curve given by $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle e^t, e^{2t}, \cos t \rangle$ lies on the surface of a parabolic cylinder.

T F The arc length function is given by $\int_a^b |\mathbf{r}'(t)| dt$.

8. (10 pts). Match each of the following graphs with its equation. Also, state the name of each graph.

(a). $y = x^2 - z^2$ (b). $z^2 - y^2 + 2x^2 = 3$ (c). $-z^2 + y^2 - 2x^2 = 3$

(d). $z = x^2 + y^2$ (e). $x^2 + z^2 = y^2$

