

1. Find equations of the spheres with center (2, 3, 6) that touch

(a) the xy-plane; DISTANCE TO XY-PLANE = ABS VAL OF z COORD.

$$(x-2)^2 + (y-3)^2 + (z-6)^2 = 6^2$$

(b) the yz-plane; DISTANCE TO yz PLANE = ABS VAL OF x COORD.

$$(x-2)^2 + (y-3)^2 + (z-6)^2 = 2^2$$

(c) the xz-plane. DISTANCE TO xz-PLANE = ABS VAL OF y COORD

$$(x-2)^2 + (y-3)^2 + (z-6)^2 = 3^2$$

2. (a) Find the acute angle between the two vectors  $\mathbf{a} = \langle 4, 0, 2 \rangle$  and  $\mathbf{b} = \langle 2, -1, 0 \rangle$ .

$$\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = |\vec{a}| |\vec{b}| \cos \theta$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}}{|\vec{a}| |\vec{b}|} = \frac{4 \cdot 2 + 0(-1) + 2(0)}{\sqrt{4^2 + 0^2 + 2^2} \sqrt{2^2 + (-1)^2 + 0^2}} = \frac{8}{\sqrt{20} \sqrt{5}} = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{4}{5}\right)$$

(b) Find the acute angle between the following lines.

$$2x - y = 3 \quad 3x + y = 7$$

$$y = 2x - 3$$

SLOPE 2

$$y = -3x + 7$$

SLOPE -3

2 VECTORS PARALLEL TO THESE LINES, RESPECTIVELY:

SLOPE 2 :  $\langle 1, 2 \rangle$

SLOPE -3 :  $\langle 1, -3 \rangle$

(NOW IT'S JUST LIKE  
QUESTIONS 2 WITH  
THESE VECTORS)

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\langle 1, 2 \rangle \cdot \langle 1, -3 \rangle}{|\langle 1, 2 \rangle| |\langle 1, -3 \rangle|} = \frac{1 - 6}{\sqrt{5} \sqrt{10}} = \frac{-5}{\sqrt{50}} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1}\left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) = 135^\circ$$



$$\therefore \text{ACUTE ANGLE} = 45^\circ$$

3. Find the scalar and vector projections of  $\mathbf{b} = \mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$  onto  $\mathbf{a} = 3\mathbf{i} + 6\mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k}$ , i.e.  $\text{comp}_{\mathbf{a}} \mathbf{b}$  and  $\text{proj}_{\mathbf{a}} \mathbf{b}$ .

$$\text{comp}_{\mathbf{a}} \vec{b} = \vec{b} \cdot \frac{\vec{a}}{|\vec{a}|} = \frac{\langle 1, 2, 3 \rangle \cdot \langle 3, 6, -2 \rangle}{\sqrt{3^2 + 6^2 + (-2)^2}} = \boxed{\frac{9}{7}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{proj}_{\mathbf{a}} \vec{b} &= \text{comp}_{\mathbf{a}} \vec{b} \left( \frac{\vec{a}}{|\vec{a}|} \right) = \frac{9}{7} \left( \frac{\langle 3, 6, -2 \rangle}{7} \right) \\ &= \boxed{\frac{9}{49} \langle 3, 6, -2 \rangle} \end{aligned}$$

4. Find two unit vectors orthogonal to both  $\mathbf{u} = \langle 3, 2, 1 \rangle$  and  $\mathbf{v} = \langle 1, 1, 0 \rangle$ .

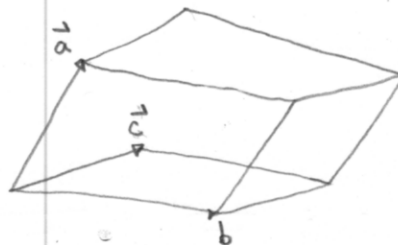
$$\perp: \pm \vec{u} \times \vec{v} = \pm \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = \pm \langle -1, 1, 1 \rangle$$

Now make them unit vectors:  $\pm \frac{\langle -1, 1, 1 \rangle}{|\langle -1, 1, 1 \rangle|} = \boxed{\pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \langle -1, 1, 1 \rangle}$

5. Find the volume of the parallelepiped ("parallelo-box") determined by the vectors  $\mathbf{a} = \langle 1, 2, 3 \rangle$ ,  $\mathbf{b} = \langle 1, 1, 2 \rangle$ ,  $\mathbf{c} = \langle 2, 1, 4 \rangle$ .

$$V_{\text{vol}} = \left| \vec{a} \cdot (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) \right| = \left| \vec{a} \cdot \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 4 \end{vmatrix} \right| = \left| \langle 1, 2, 3 \rangle \cdot \langle 2, 0, -1 \rangle \right|$$

$$= |2 - 3| = \boxed{1}$$



6. Use the scalar triple product to determine whether the points  $A(1, 3, 2)$ ,  $B(3, -1, 6)$ ,  $C(5, 2, 0)$ , and  $D(3, 6, -4)$  lie in the same plane.

3 VECTORS:  $\vec{AB} = \langle 2, -4, 4 \rangle$ ,  $\vec{AC} = \langle 4, -1, -2 \rangle$ ,  $\vec{AD} = \langle 2, 3, -6 \rangle$

THE 4 PTS ARE COLINEAR IF THESE 3 VECTORS DESCRIBE A PARALLELOPIPED WITH 0 VOLUME.

$$\text{Vol} = |\vec{AB} \cdot (\vec{AC} \times \vec{AD})| = \left| \vec{AB} \cdot \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 4 & -1 & -2 \\ 2 & 3 & -6 \end{vmatrix} \right| = \langle 2, -4, 4 \rangle \cdot \langle 12, 20, 14 \rangle$$

$$= 24 - 80 + 56 = 0$$

YES,  
COPLANAR

7. Find a vector equation and parametric equations for the line through the point  $(3, -4, 6)$  and (a) perpendicular to the plane  $x + 3y - z = 11$ .

i.e. PARALLEL TO NORMAL VECTOR  $\langle 1, 3, -1 \rangle$ .

$$\therefore \vec{r}(t) = \langle 3, -4, 6 \rangle + t \langle 1, 3, -1 \rangle$$

$$\begin{cases} x = 3 + t \\ y = -4 + 3t \\ z = 6 - t \end{cases}$$

- (b) parallel to the vector  $\mathbf{v} = \langle 1, 3, -1 \rangle$ .

SAME AS PART (a)

- (c) Briefly explain why the same answer works for both parts (a) and (b).

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8. Find a vector equation and parametric equations for the line segment from  $(7, 3, -1)$  to  $(-2, 4, 5)$ .

$$\vec{r}(t) = (1-t)\langle 7, 3, -1 \rangle + t\langle -2, 4, 5 \rangle, \quad 0 \leq t \leq 1$$

OR

$$\begin{cases} x = 7 - 9t \\ y = 3 + t \\ z = -1 + 6t \end{cases}, \quad 0 \leq t \leq 1$$

IMPORTANT! OTHERWISE IT IS NOT A LINE SEGMENT

9. Find parametric equations for the line through the point  $(0, 1, 2)$  that is parallel to the plane  $x + y + z = 2$  and perpendicular to the line

$$x = 1 + t, \quad y = 1 - t, \quad z = 2t.$$

$$\vec{r}(t) = \langle 0, 1, 2 \rangle + t\vec{v}, \quad \text{WHERE } \vec{v} \text{ IS PERPENDICULAR TO } \langle 1, -1, 2 \rangle$$

DIRECTION VECTOR

$$\text{AND PERPENDICULAR TO } \langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle$$

NORMAL VECTOR

$$\text{TAKE } \vec{v} = \langle 1, -1, 2 \rangle \times \langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \langle -3, 1, 2 \rangle$$

$$\therefore \vec{r}(t) = \langle 0, 1, 2 \rangle + t\langle -3, 1, 2 \rangle \quad \text{OR}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x &= -3t \\ y &= 1 + t \\ z &= 2 + 2t \end{aligned}$$

10. Find parametric equations for the tangent line to the curve  $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle t^3 + 3t, t^2 + 1, 3t + 4 \rangle$  at the point  $(4, 2, 7)$ .

$$\uparrow \text{NOTE: } \vec{r}(1) = \langle 4, 2, 7 \rangle$$

$$\therefore \text{TANGENT LINE } \mathbf{l}(t) = \vec{r}(1) + t\vec{r}'(1)$$

$$\vec{r}'(t) = \langle 3t^2 + 3, 2t, 3 \rangle$$

$$\vec{r}'(1) = \langle 6, 2, 3 \rangle$$

$$\therefore \mathbf{l}(t) = \langle 4, 2, 7 \rangle + t\langle 6, 2, 3 \rangle$$

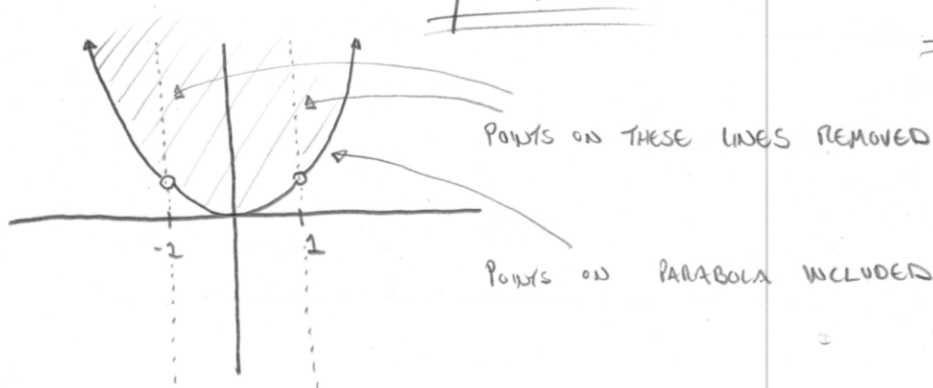
$$\text{i.e. } \begin{cases} x = 4 + 6t \\ y = 2 + 2t \\ z = 7 + 3t \end{cases}$$

11. Sketch the domain of the function  $f(x, y) = \frac{\sqrt{y - x^2}}{1 - x^2}$ .

WE MUST HAVE ①  $y - x^2 \geq 0$  AND ②  $1 - x^2 \neq 0$

$$\underline{y \geq x^2}$$

$$\underline{x \neq \pm 1}$$



POINTS ON THESE LINES REMOVED

POINTS ON PARABOLA INCLUDED (EXCEPT  $(\pm 1, 1)$ )

12. (a) Show that the following limit does not exist.

$$\lim_{(x,y,z) \rightarrow (0,0,0)} \frac{xy + yz^2 + xz^2}{x^2 + y^2 + z^4}$$

ALONG THE X-AXIS ( $y=z=0$ ):  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{x^2} = 0$

IN THE XY-PLANE ( $z=0$ ):  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2}{2x^2} = \frac{1}{2}$   
 ALONG THE LINE  $y=x$

SINCE THESE 2 LIMITS ARE DIFFERENT,  
 THE LIMIT DOES NOT EXIST.

(b) Show that the following limit does exist, and find the limit.

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2 + y^2}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + 1} - 1}$$

USING POLAR COORD., WE HAVE  $x = r \cos \theta$  AND  $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$   
 $y = r \sin \theta$

AS  $(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)$ ,  $r \rightarrow 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{r^2}{\sqrt{r^2 + 1} - 1} &= \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{r^2}{\sqrt{r^2 + 1} - 1} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{r^2 + 1} + 1}{\sqrt{r^2 + 1} + 1} \\ &= \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cancel{r^2} (\sqrt{r^2 + 1} + 1)}{\cancel{r^2}} = \boxed{2} \end{aligned}$$