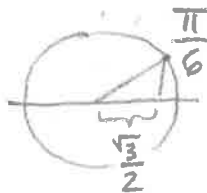


6. (14 pts.) Find the radian measure of the angle formed by the vectors $\langle 2, 1, 1 \rangle$ and $\langle \sqrt{3}, 0, \sqrt{3} \rangle$.

$$\begin{aligned} \theta &= \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}}{|\vec{u}| |\vec{v}|} \right) \\ &= \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{\langle 2, 1, 1 \rangle \cdot \langle \sqrt{3}, 0, \sqrt{3} \rangle}{\sqrt{2^2+1^2+1^2} \sqrt{\sqrt{3}^2+0^2+\sqrt{3}^2}} \right) \\ &= \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{6} \sqrt{6}} \right) \\ &= \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{6} \right) \\ &= \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) \\ &= \boxed{\frac{\pi}{6}} \end{aligned}$$



Good Luck!

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TEST 1



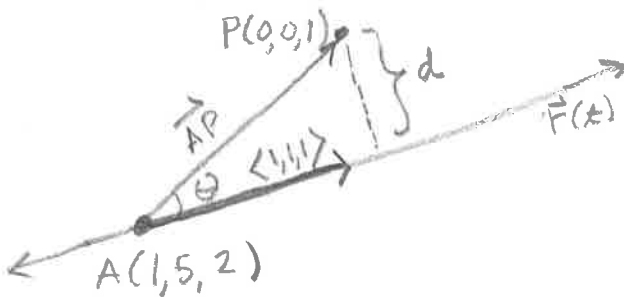
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Directions. Solve the following questions in the space provided. Unless noted otherwise, you must show your work to receive full credit. This is a closed-book, closed-notes test. Calculators, computers, etc., are not used. Put a your final answer in a box, where appropriate.

1. (14 pts.) Find the distance between the point $P(0, 0, 1)$ and the line $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle 1, 5, 2 \rangle + t\langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle$.



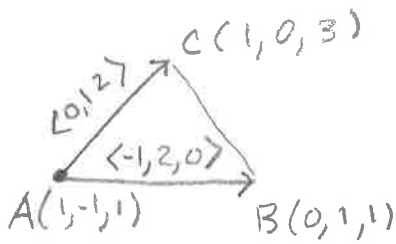
$$\begin{aligned} \vec{AP} &= \langle -1, -5, -1 \rangle \\ \vec{AP} \times \langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle &= \begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ -1 & -5 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \\ &= \langle -4, 0, 4 \rangle \end{aligned}$$

From the above picture, $d = |\vec{AP}| \sin \theta$

$$= \frac{|\vec{AP}| |\langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle| \cos \theta}{|\langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle|} = \frac{|\vec{AP} \times \langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle|}{\sqrt{1^2+1^2+1^2}}$$

$$= \frac{|\langle -4, 0, 4 \rangle|}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{4^2+4^2}}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{32}}{\sqrt{3}} = \boxed{\frac{4\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}} \text{ units}}$$

2. (14 pts.) Find the area of the triangle with vertices $A(1, -1, 1)$, $B(0, 1, 1)$, $C(1, 0, 3)$.



$$\vec{AB} \times \vec{AC} = \begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 2 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = \langle -4, -2, 1 \rangle$$

$$\text{Area} = \frac{1}{2} |\vec{AB} \times \vec{AC}| = \frac{1}{2} |\langle -4, -2, 1 \rangle|$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{4^2 + 2^2 + 1^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{21} = \boxed{\frac{\sqrt{21}}{2} \text{ square units}}$$

3. This page concerns the line $x = 2t + 1$, $y = 3t + 2$, $z = 4t + 3$, as well as the line $x = s + 2$, $y = 2s + 4$, $z = -4s - 1$.

- (a) (10 pts.) These lines intersect at a point. Find it. Say they cross at $\langle x, y, z \rangle$. Then:

$$\begin{aligned} x = 2t + 1 &= s + 2 \\ y = 3t + 2 &= 2s + 4 \\ z = 4t + 3 &= -4s - 1 \end{aligned}$$

Get System

$$2t - s = 1$$

$$3t - 2s = 2$$

$$4t + 4s = -4$$

$$2t - s = 1$$

$$3t - 2s = 2$$

$$t + s = -1$$

Add 3rd equation to 1st and get $2t = 0 \Rightarrow t = 0$

Therefore point of intersection is $\langle 2 \cdot 0 + 1, 3 \cdot 0 + 2, 4 \cdot 0 + 3 \rangle = \boxed{\langle 1, 2, 3 \rangle}$

- (b) (10 pts.) Note that the vector $\langle -20, 12, 1 \rangle$ is orthogonal to both lines. Use this information to find an equation of the plane containing the two lines.

$$-20x + 12y + z = -20(1) + 12(2) + 3$$

$$\boxed{-20x + 12y + z = 7}$$

- (c) (10 pts.) Find the point where the line $\vec{r}(t) = \langle t, 2t, 3t \rangle$ intersects the plane from part (b), above.

At intersection we have $-20t + 12(2t) + 3t = 7$

so $7t = 7$ or $t = 1$. Thus intersection point is

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

4. (14 pts.) Find the length of the following curve:

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle e^t \cos t, e^t, e^t \sin t \rangle, \text{ where } -\ln(4) \leq t \leq 0.$$

$$\begin{aligned} L &= \int_{-\ln 4}^0 \sqrt{(s'(t))^2 + (g'(t))^2 + (h'(t))^2} dt \\ &= \int_{-\ln 4}^0 \sqrt{(e^t \cos t - e^t \sin t)^2 + (e^t)^2 + (e^t \sin t + e^t \cos t)^2} dt \\ &= \int_{-\ln 4}^0 \sqrt{e^{2t} \cos^2 t - 2e^{2t} \cos t \sin t + e^{2t} \sin^2 t + e^{2t} + e^{2t} \sin^2 t + 2e^{2t} \sin t \cos t + e^{2t} \cos^2 t} dt \\ &= \int_{-\ln 4}^0 \sqrt{2e^{2t} \cos^2 t + 2e^{2t} \sin^2 t + e^{2t}} dt \\ &= \int_{-\ln 4}^0 e^t \sqrt{2 \cos^2 t + 2 \sin^2 t + 1} dt = \int_{-\ln 4}^0 e^t \sqrt{2(\cos^2 t + \sin^2 t) + 1} dt \\ &= \int_{-\ln 4}^0 e^t \sqrt{3} dt = \left[\sqrt{3} e^t \right]_{-\ln 4}^0 = \sqrt{3} e^0 - \sqrt{3} e^{-\ln 4} \\ &= \sqrt{3} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{e^{\ln 4}} = \sqrt{3} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} = \boxed{\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{4} \text{ units}} \end{aligned}$$

5. (14 pts.) Find $\mathbf{r}(t)$ if $\frac{d\mathbf{r}}{dt} = \left\langle \frac{2}{3}\sqrt{t+1}, e^{-t}, \frac{1}{t+1} \right\rangle = \left\langle \frac{2}{3}(t+1)^{\frac{1}{2}}, e^{-t}, \frac{1}{t+1} \right\rangle$
and $\mathbf{r}(0) = (0, 0, 1)$.

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{r}(t) &= \int \frac{d\mathbf{r}}{dt} dt = \left\langle \int \frac{2}{3}(t+1)^{\frac{1}{2}} dt, \int e^{-t} dt, \int \frac{1}{t+1} dt \right\rangle \\ &= \left\langle \frac{4}{9}(t+1)^{\frac{3}{2}} + c_1, -e^{-t} + c_2, \ln|t+1| + c_3 \right\rangle \end{aligned}$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} \langle 0, 0, 1 \rangle &= \vec{r}(0) = \left\langle \frac{4}{9}\sqrt{0+1}^3 + c_1, -e^0 + c_2, \ln|0+1| + c_3 \right\rangle \\ &= \left\langle \frac{4}{9} + c_1, -1 + c_2, 0 + c_3 \right\rangle \end{aligned}$$

Therefore $c_1 = -\frac{4}{9}$, $c_2 = 1$, $c_3 = 1$

$$\text{Thus } \vec{r}(t) = \left\langle \frac{4}{9}\sqrt{t+1}^3 - \frac{4}{9}, -e^{-t} + 1, \ln|t+1| + 1 \right\rangle$$