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Quiz #1

45 minutes

Fully answer the following questions in the space provided. The points for each problem are indicated in the right margin.

Permitted resources: None. Closed book. No calculators.

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Question 1. Find an equation describing all points equidistant from the points $(-3, 0, 4)$ and $(2, 1, 5)$. What does this equation describe geometrically? 5

~~a straight line~~

$(-3, 0, 4) - (2, 1, 5) = (-5, -1, -1)$ ~~$\frac{1}{2}(-2.5, -0.5, -0.5)$~~

$\begin{matrix} 2.5 \\ 4.5 \\ \hline 2.5 \end{matrix}$

$(2, 1, 5) - (-3, 0, 4) = (5, 1, 1) \quad || = \sqrt{27}$

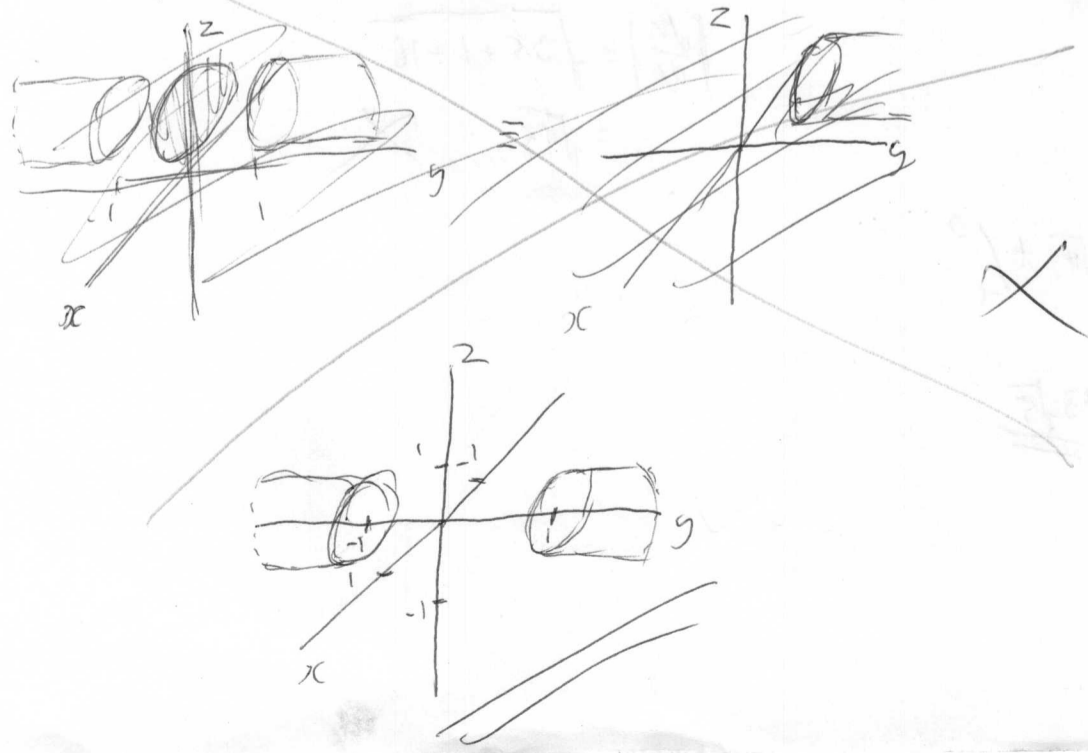
$(-3, 0, 4) - (2, 1, 5) = (-5, -1, -1) \quad || = \sqrt{27}$

$(-3, 0, 4) + (2, 1, 5) = (-1, 1, 9)$

$(5, 1, 1) \times (-5, -1, -1) = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 5 & 1 & 1 \\ -5 & -1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 4\hat{i} + 23\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$

$f(x) = 4\hat{i} - 23\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$ ~~a plane~~ a straight line

Question 2. Draw the surface defined by the equation $x^2 + z^2 = y^2 + 1$. 5



Question 3. Prove that if a differentiable function $\mathbf{v}(t)$ has constant length, then at any t for which $d\mathbf{v}/dt \neq 0$, the vector $d\mathbf{v}/dt$ is perpendicular to \mathbf{v} .

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$$\mathbf{v}(t) = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$$

$$|\mathbf{v}| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2} = C$$

$$C^2 = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$$

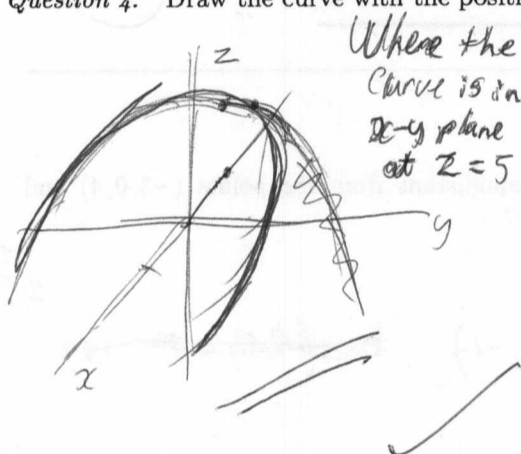
$$0 = x \frac{dx}{dt} + y \frac{dy}{dt} + z \frac{dz}{dt}$$

$$\frac{d\mathbf{v}}{dt} = \frac{dx}{dt}\hat{i} + \frac{dy}{dt}\hat{j} + \frac{dz}{dt}\hat{k}$$

$$\mathbf{v} \cdot \frac{d\mathbf{v}}{dt} = x \frac{dx}{dt} + y \frac{dy}{dt} + z \frac{dz}{dt} = 0$$

Question 4. Draw the curve with the position vector $\mathbf{r}(t) = (t^2 - 1)\hat{i} + t\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$

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$$\mathbf{r}(t) = (t^2 - 1)\hat{i} + t\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$$

$$\frac{d\mathbf{r}}{dt} = 2t\hat{i} + \hat{j}$$

$$|\frac{d\mathbf{r}}{dt}| = \sqrt{4t^2 + 1}$$

Question 5. Find the length of the curve $x = 2 - 5t, y = 1 + t, z = 6 + 4t, -1 \leq t \leq 0$. Draw the curve.

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~~$$\int_{-1}^0 (2-5t, 1+t, 6+4t)$$~~

$$S = \int_{-1}^0 \left| \frac{d\mathbf{r}}{dt} \right| dt$$

$$S = \int_{-1}^0 \sqrt{45} dt$$

~~$$S = \sqrt{45} t \Big|_{-1}^0$$~~

$$S = \sqrt{45} = 3\sqrt{5}$$

$$\mathbf{v}(t) = (2-5t)\hat{i} + (1+t)\hat{j} + (6+4t)\hat{k}$$

$$\frac{d\mathbf{v}}{dt} = (-5)\hat{i} + \hat{j} + (4)\hat{k}$$

$$\left| \frac{d\mathbf{v}}{dt} \right| = \sqrt{25 + 1 + 16}$$

$$= \sqrt{45} \quad \times$$