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Major Exam II

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Note:

FOR ALL PROBLEMS, SHOW WORK. NO CREDIT FOR ANSWERS NOT SUPPORTED BY WORK.

1. (a) Let L_1, L_2 be lines whose parametric equations are

$$L_1 : \quad x = 4t, y = 1 - 2t, z = 2 + 2t$$

$$L_2 : \quad x = 1 + t, y = 1 - t, z = -1 + 4t$$

Show that these lines intersect.

- (b) Find parametric equations of the line perpendicular to L_1, L_2 which passes through their point of intersection.

2. Find equation of the plane through the point $(-1, 4, 2)$ that contains the line of intersection of the planes $4x - y + z - 2 = 0$ and $2x + y - 2z - 3 = 0$.

3. Show that the set of points equidistant from the planes $x + y = 0$ and $y + z = 0$ is a union of two perpendicular planes.

4. identify the surfaces

(a) $4z^2 = x^2 + 4y^2$.

(b) $9x^2 + y^2 + 4z^2 - 18x + 2y + 16z = 0$.

(c) Draw a rough sketch of the surfaces in parts (a) and (b).

5. Express the following equations in rectangular coordinates and identify them:

(a) $\rho \sin \phi = 1$.

(b) $\rho - 2 \sin \phi \cos \theta = 0$.

6. Evaluate the limit, if it exists, by converting to spherical coordinates

$$(a) \quad \lim_{(x,y,z) \rightarrow (0,0,0)} \frac{e^{\sqrt{x^2+y^2+z^2}}}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2+z^2}}.$$

$$(b) \quad \lim_{(x,y,z) \rightarrow (0,0,0)} \tan^{-1} \left[\frac{1}{x^2+y^2+z^2} \right].$$

7. (a) Define differentiability of a function of 2 variables at a point.
- (b) Verify, using the definition, that $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2$ is differentiable at any point (x, y) .

8. (a) Use a chain rule to find the values $\left. \frac{\partial z}{\partial r} \right|_{r=2, \theta=\pi/6}$ and $\left. \frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta} \right|_{r=2, \theta=\pi/6}$ if

$$z = xy e^{x/y}, x = r \cos \theta, y = r \sin \theta.$$

- (b) Let f be a differentiable function of one variable and let $w = f(u)$, where $u = x + 2y + 3z$. Show that $\frac{\partial w}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial z} = 6 \frac{dw}{du}$.