MATH 2130 Sample Test

60 minutes

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Values

9 1. Find the equation of the plane that contains the lines

$$\frac{x-2}{2} = \frac{y+4}{3} = \frac{2-z}{5} \quad \text{and} \quad \begin{array}{l} x = 3+4t, \\ y = -4+6t, \\ z = 5-10t. \end{array}$$

Simplify your answer as much as possible.

Answer: 9x - 11y - 3z = 56

9 2. Find the distance between the line x - z = 3, x + 2y + 4z = 6 and the plane 3x + 2y + 2z = 5.

Answer:
$$7/\sqrt{17}$$

5 3. Find parametric equations for the curve

$$x^2 + 2z^2 = 4, \qquad x + y + 2z = 10$$

directed clockwise as viewed from a point far out the positive y-axis.

Answer: $x = 2\cos t, \ y = 10 - 2\cos t - 2\sqrt{2}\sin t, \ z = \sqrt{2}\sin t, \ 0 \le t \le 2\pi$

8 4. Find a unit tangent vector to the curve

$$x = t^2 + 1$$
, $y = \frac{t-4}{t}$ $z = 3 - 2t^2$

at the point (17, 2, -29).

Answer:
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{64 + 1/16 + 256}} \left(-8\hat{\mathbf{i}} + \frac{1}{4}\hat{\mathbf{j}} + 16\hat{\mathbf{k}} \right)$$

5 5. Find equations for the projection of the curve

$$x + 2z = 1,$$
 $x^2 + y^2 + z = 4$

in the yz-plane. Is the projection a straight line, a parabola, a circle, an ellipse, a hyperbola, or none of these?

Answer: $4z^2 - 3z + y^2 = 3$, x = 0 Ellipse

4 6. If $\mathbf{v}(t) = t^2 \hat{\mathbf{i}} + \frac{1}{2t-1}\hat{\mathbf{j}} + e^{4t}\hat{\mathbf{k}}$, evaluate $\int \mathbf{v}(t) dt.$

Answer:
$$\frac{t^3}{3}\hat{\mathbf{i}} + \frac{1}{2}\ln|2t-1|\hat{\mathbf{j}} + \frac{1}{4}e^{4t}\hat{\mathbf{k}} + \mathbf{C}$$