Quiz 1 – MA 225 B2 – Spring 2011

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$$\mathbf{a} = \langle 2, 1, 0 \rangle$$
 $\mathbf{b} = -\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}.$

Compute the following quantities:

(i) $\mathbf{a} + 7\mathbf{b}$ (ii) $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}$ (iii) $\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}$

Finally,

(iv) Are the vectors **a** and **b** orthogonal, parallel, both or neither? Please justify your answer.

Question 2. [14 points] Find all the unit vectors that are orthogonal to both $\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{j}$ and $-2\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$.

Question 3. [42 points] Consider the two planes defined by

$$3x + y - z = 4$$
, $-2x + y + z = 1$.

- (i) Find the angle between the planes.
- (ii) Find the parametric equations of the line that lies in the intersection of the planes.
- (iii) Find a scalar equation of the plane containing the point P(1, 0, -1) that is perpendicular to the two given planes.

Question 4 [20 points] Use traces to sketch the graph of the function defined by

$$x^2 - \frac{y^2}{4} + \frac{z^2}{9} = 1.$$

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$$\mathbf{a} = \langle 1, 3, 0 \rangle$$
 $\mathbf{b} = 2\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}.$

Compute the following quantities:

(i) $\mathbf{a} + 7\mathbf{b}$ (ii) $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}$ (iii) $\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}$

Finally,

(iv) Are the vectors **a** and **b** orthogonal, parallel, both or neither? Please justify your answer.

Question 2. [14 points] Find all the unit vectors that are orthogonal to both 2i + j and 3j + k.

Question 3. [42 points] Consider the two planes defined by

$$x + 3y - z = 4,$$
 $x - 2y + z = 1.$

- (i) Find the angle between the planes.
- (ii) Find the vector equation of the line that lies in the intersection of the planes.
- (iii) Find a scalar equation of the plane containing the point P(2, 1, -1) and the line of intersection of the given planes.

Question 4 [20 points] Use traces to sketch the graph of the function defined by

$$\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} - z = 0.$$

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$$\mathbf{a} = \langle 1, 3, 0 \rangle$$
 $\mathbf{b} = 2\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + 4\mathbf{k}.$

Compute the following quantities:

(i) $\mathbf{a} + 7\mathbf{b}$ (ii) $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}$ (iii) $\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}$

Finally,

(iv) Are the vectors **a** and **b** orthogonal, parallel, both or neither? Please justify your answer.

Question 2. [14 points] Find all the unit vectors that are orthogonal to both -2i + j and j + k.

Question 3. [42 points] Consider the two planes defined by

$$x + 3y - 2z = 4,$$
 $x - y + 2z = 1.$

- (i) Find the angle between the planes.
- (ii) Find the vector equation of the line that lies in the intersection of the planes.
- (iii) Find a scalar equation of the plane containing the point P(1, 0, -2) and the line of intersection of the given planes.

Question 4 [20 points] Use traces to sketch the graph of the function defined by

$$\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} - z = 0.$$