Calculus III Spring 2009

**Problem 1.** If **a**, **b** and **c** are nonzero vectors and  $\mathbf{c} = |\mathbf{a}|\mathbf{b} + |\mathbf{b}|\mathbf{a}$ , show that **c** bisects the angle between **a** and **b**.

**Problem 2.** Find the volume of the tetrahedron with vertices (-4, -5, 2), (-2, 1, 3), (0, 3, -4) and (0, -2, 2).

**Problem 3.** Find the line of intersection of the two planes x+3y+z = 4 and 2x+4y+z = -1.

## Problem 4.

**a.** Find the point where the lines

$$\mathbf{r}_{1}(t) = \langle -4t, -5 + 3t, -3 - 2t \rangle$$
  
$$\mathbf{r}_{2}(t) = \langle 6 - 5t, -t, -5 \rangle$$

intersect.

**b.** Find an equation for the plane containing these lines. Write your answer in the form ax + by + cz + d = 0.

**Problem 5.** Find parametric equations for the line through the point (0, 1, 2) that is perpendicular to the line x = 1 + t, y = 1 - t, z = 2t and intersects this line.

**Problem 6.** Find a vector function that represents the intersection of the surfaces  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  and z = xy.

**Problem 7.** Find the length of the curve  $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle 2t^{3/2}, \cos 2t, \sin 2t \rangle, 0 \le t \le 1$ .

**Problem 8.** Draw a contour map of the function  $f(x, y) = (y - 2x)^2$  and use this to sketch the graph of z = f(x, y).

**Problem 9.** Evaluate the following limits, or show that they do not exist.

**a.** 
$$\lim_{(x,y)\to(0,0)} \frac{xy}{\sqrt{2x^2+3y^2}}$$

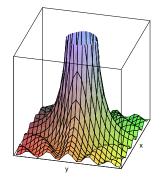
**b.** 
$$\lim_{(x,y)\to(0,0)} \frac{xy}{\sqrt{2x^3 + 3y^6}}$$
  
**c.** 
$$\lim_{(x,y,z)\to(1,1,1)} \frac{2xyz^2}{1 - x - y - z}$$

**Problem 10.** Verify that the function  $z = \ln(e^x + e^y)$  satisfies the partial differential equation

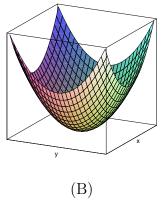
$$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} - \left(\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y}\right)^2 = 0.$$

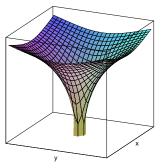
**Problem 11.** Match the following functions with their graphs and contour maps (shown on the following page).

- **a.**  $\ln(x^2 + y^2)$  **b.**  $2(x^2 + y^2) 5$
- c.  $\frac{1 + \cos(xy)}{x^2 + y^2}$  d.  $y^2 x^3$

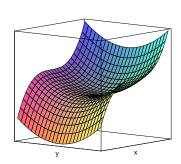








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