

**2021-22 First Semester**  
**MATH1083 Calculus II (1002)**

Assignment 5

Due Date: 11:30am 22/Mar/2021(Wed).

- Write down your **Chinese name** and **student number**. Write neatly on **A4-sized** paper and **show your steps**.
- **Late submissions or answers without details will not be graded.**

1. For two vectors  $\vec{a}$  and  $\vec{b}$ , with angle  $\theta$  in between:

- (a) Prove **Cauchy-Schwartz Inequality**

$$|\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}| \leq |\vec{a}| |\vec{b}|$$

- (b) Use Cauchy-Schwartz Inequality to prove the **Triangle Inequality**

$$|\vec{a} + \vec{b}| \leq |\vec{a}| + |\vec{b}|$$

*Hint: use the fact that*

$$|\vec{a} + \vec{b}|^2 = (\vec{a} + \vec{b}) \cdot (\vec{a} + \vec{b})$$

- (c) Prove the **Parallelogram Identity**:

$$|\vec{a} + \vec{b}|^2 + |\vec{a} - \vec{b}|^2 = 2|\vec{a}|^2 + 2|\vec{b}|^2$$

and give a geometric interpretation of the Parallelogram Identity.

2. Find the **area of the parallelogram** with vertices  $A(-3, 0)$ ,  $B(-1, 3)$ ,  $C(5, 2)$  and  $D(3, -1)$ . [*Hint: Parallelogram in 2D space,  $A = |\vec{a}| |\vec{b}| \sin \theta$* ]

3. Find the **area of the parallelepiped** with vertices  $P(1, 0, 2)$ ,  $Q(3, 3, 3)$ ,  $R(7, 5, 8)$  and  $S(5, 2, 7)$ . [*Hint: Parallelepiped in 3D space,  $A = |(\vec{a} \times \vec{b})|$* ]

4. Find the volume of the **parallelepiped** determined by the vectors  $\vec{a} = (1, 2, 3)$ ,  $\vec{b} = (-1, 1, 2)$  and  $\vec{c} = (2, 1, 4)$

5. If  $\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = (1, 2, 2)$  and  $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = \sqrt{3}$ , find the **angle** between  $\vec{a}$  and  $\vec{b}$ .

6. Show that

$$|\vec{a} \times \vec{b}|^2 = |\vec{a}|^2 |\vec{b}|^2 - (\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b})^2$$

7. Find the **vector equation** and **parametric equations** for the line:

- (a) The line through the point  $(4, 2, -3)$  and parallel to the vector  $2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 6\vec{k}$
- (b) The line through the point  $(8, -1, 3)$  and  $(1, 2, 3)$
- (c) The line through  $(-6, 2, 3)$  and parallel to line  $x = y = \frac{z-1}{6}$
- (d) The line through  $(2, 1, 0)$  and perpendicular to both  $\vec{i} + \vec{j}$  and  $\vec{j} + \vec{k}$

8. Find an **equation of the plane**:

- (a) The plane through the point  $(3, 2, 1)$  with normal vector  $\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$
- (b) The plane through the point  $(5, -2, 4)$  and perpendicular to the vector  $-\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$

9. Find the **plane** that passes through the point  $(6, -1, 3)$  and contains the **line** with symmetric equations

$$\frac{x}{3} = y + 4 = \frac{z}{2}$$

10. Find the distance

- (a) from the point to the given **line**:  $(4, 1, -2)$ ;  $x = 1 + t$ ,  $y = 3 - 2t$ ,  $z = 4 - 3t$
- (b) from the point to the given **plane**:  $(1, 2, 4)$ ,  $3x + 2y + 6z = 5$
- (c) between two parallel planes:  $2x - 3y + z = 4$ ,  $4x - 6y + 2z = 3$