

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES
2012/2013 RAIN SEMESTER
MAT104 TEST,1

Instruction: Answer All

Time Allowed: 30minutes

1.(a) Given the vectors $\underline{A}=2\underline{i}+3\underline{j}-5\underline{k}$, $\underline{B}=3\underline{i}+\underline{j}+2\underline{k}$ and $\underline{C}=\underline{i}-\underline{j}+3\underline{k}$

Compute:

- (i) the scalar triple product $\underline{A} \cdot (\underline{B} \times \underline{C})$
- (ii) the vector triple product $\underline{A} \times (\underline{B} \times \underline{C})$

(b) If the vectors $\underline{A}=2\underline{i}+3\underline{j}-\underline{k}$, $\underline{B}=\underline{i}-2\underline{j}+2\underline{k}$, $\underline{C}=q\underline{i}+\underline{j}+3\underline{k}$ are coplanar. Find the value of q .

(c). find the angle between $\underline{A}=2\underline{i}+2\underline{j}-\underline{k}$ and $\underline{B}=6\underline{i}-3\underline{j}+2\underline{k}$

2.(a). Classify each of the following as scalars or vectors.

- (i) Distance (ii) Speed (iii) Displacement (iv) Upthrust (v) Acceleration (vi) Time (vii) Mass (viii) Momentum (ix) Temperature (x) Velocity (xi) Current (xii) Weight.

(b). If $\underline{a}=2\underline{i}+3\underline{j}+4\underline{k}$, $\underline{b}=\underline{i}-\underline{j}+3\underline{k}$, $\underline{c}=3\underline{i}-2\underline{j}-\underline{k}$. find the component of:

- (i) $\underline{a}+\underline{b}$ (ii) $2\underline{a}+\underline{b}$ (iii) $2\underline{a}+\underline{c}$

(c). If $|\underline{A}+\underline{B}|=60$, $|\underline{A}-\underline{B}|=40$ and $|\underline{B}|=46$. Find $|\underline{A}|$.

3. (a). If $\underline{A}=(u^2+5)\underline{i}-(u^3+3)\underline{j}+2u^3\underline{k}$ compute.

- (v) the velocity. (ii) Acceleration at $u=2$

(b). Find the equation of a circle with centre $(-1,2)$ and radius 6

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