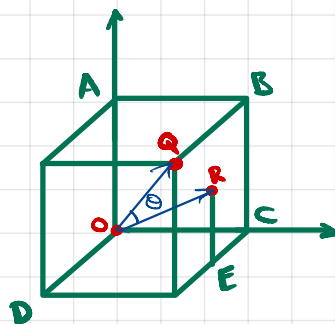


## Practice Exam 1

P1

a)  $\vec{OA} = \langle 0, 0, r \rangle$   
 $\vec{AB} = \vec{OC} = \langle 0, r, 0 \rangle$   
 $\vec{BQ} = \vec{OD} = \langle r, 0, 0 \rangle$



$$\vec{OQ} = \vec{OA} + \vec{AB} + \vec{BQ} = \langle r, r, r \rangle$$

$$\vec{OE} = \langle r/2, r, 0 \rangle$$

$$\vec{ER} = \langle 0, 0, r/2 \rangle$$

$$\vec{OE} + \vec{ER} = \langle r/2, r, r/2 \rangle = \vec{OR}$$

b)  $\vec{OQ} \cdot \vec{OR} = \langle r, r, r \rangle \cdot \langle r/2, r, r/2 \rangle = \frac{r^2}{2} + r^2 + \frac{r^2}{2} = 2r^2 = r\sqrt{3} \cdot \frac{r}{2}\sqrt{6} \cos \theta$

$$|\vec{OQ}| = \sqrt{3r^2} = r\sqrt{3}$$

$$|\vec{OR}| = \sqrt{r^2/4 + \frac{4r^2}{4} + \frac{r^2}{4}} = \sqrt{\frac{6r^2}{4}} = \frac{r}{2}\sqrt{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow 4r^2 = r^2 \sqrt{18} \cos \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{4}{\sqrt{18}} = \frac{4 \cdot \sqrt{18}}{18} = \frac{2\sqrt{18}}{9}$$

P2  $\vec{r}(t) = \langle 3\cos t, 3\sin t, t \rangle$

$$\vec{v}(t) = \langle -3\sin t, 3\cos t, 1 \rangle$$

$$\text{speed} = |\vec{v}(t)| = \sqrt{9(\sin^2 t + \cos^2 t) + 1} = \sqrt{10}$$

P3 a)  $A^{-1} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ 2 & \cdot & \cdot \\ -3 & \cdot & \cdot \end{bmatrix}^T \Rightarrow a = 2, b = -3$

b)  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

c)  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & c \\ 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$   $\det A = 1(1) - 3(1) + c(2) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 1 - 3 + 2c = 0 \Rightarrow 2c = 2 \Rightarrow c = 1$

$\Rightarrow c = 1 \Leftrightarrow$  no sol. or  $\infty$  sol.

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad MX = 0 \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\Rightarrow \langle x, y, z \rangle$  such that  $\perp$  to the three row vectors

$$\begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = \hat{i}(-3) - \hat{j}(-1-2) + \hat{k}(-6) = \langle -3, 3, -6 \rangle$$

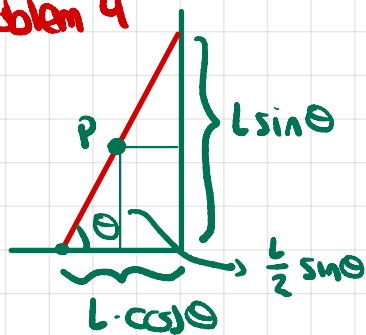
$\langle -3, 3, 6 \rangle \cdot \langle 1, 1, 0 \rangle = 0$  as well  $\Rightarrow \langle -3, 3, 6 \rangle$  is a solution.

$$\det A = 2 \neq 0$$

$\Rightarrow$  unique solution  $A^{-1}B$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ -1 & -2 & 5 \\ 2 & 2 & -6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

#### Problem 4



$$\vec{OP} = \left\langle -\frac{L}{2} \cos \theta, \frac{L}{2} \sin \theta \right\rangle$$

#### Problem 5

a)  $P_0 (2, 1, 0)$   
 $P_1 (1, 0, 1)$   
 $P_2 (2, -1, 1)$

$$A = \frac{1}{2} |\vec{P}_0 P_1 \times \vec{P}_0 P_2| = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{1+1+4} = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{2}$$

$$\vec{P}_0 P_1 \times \vec{P}_0 P_2 = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ -1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \hat{i}(-1+2) - \hat{j}(-1) + \hat{k}(2) = \langle 1, 1, 2 \rangle$$

b)  $\vec{n} = \langle 1, 1, 2 \rangle$   $x + y + 2z = 3$

c) line parallel to  $\vec{v} = \langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle$  passing through  $(-1, 0, 0)$

parametric eq:  $\langle -1, 0, 0 \rangle + t \langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle = \langle -1+t, t, t \rangle$

intersection with plane from b):  $-1+t+t+2t=3 \Rightarrow 4t=4 \Rightarrow t=1$

$\langle 0, 1, 1 \rangle$  intersection

#### Problem 6

a)  $\frac{d\vec{R} \cdot \vec{R}}{dt} = \frac{d|\vec{R}|^2}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt} (x(t)^2 + y(t)^2 + z(t)^2) = 2xx' + 2yy' + 2zz'$   
 $= 2\vec{R} \cdot \vec{R}'$

Alt. n.:  $\frac{d\vec{R} \cdot \vec{R}}{dt} = \vec{R}' \cdot \vec{R} + \vec{R} \cdot \vec{R}' = 2\vec{R} \cdot \vec{R}'$

b)  $|\vec{R}| = h \Rightarrow \frac{d\vec{R} \cdot \vec{R}}{dt} = \frac{d|\vec{R}|^2}{dt} = \frac{d(h^2)}{dt} = 0 \Rightarrow \vec{R} \cdot \vec{R}' = 0 \Rightarrow \vec{R} \cdot \vec{v} = 0$

c)  $|\vec{R}| = h, \vec{R} \cdot \vec{v} = 0$

$$\vec{R}' \cdot \vec{v} + \vec{R} \cdot \vec{a} = 0$$

$$|\vec{v}|^2 + \vec{R} \cdot \vec{a} = 0 \Rightarrow \vec{R} \cdot \vec{a} = -|\vec{v}|^2$$