

不可使用手機、計算器，禁止作弊!

1. Determinant whether the given 4 points lie in a plane in \mathbb{R}^3 . If so, find its area. If not, find its volume (四點所圍成的體積或面積).

$$A(2, 0, 0), B(3, 2, 5), C(1, 2, -1), D(1, 6, 1)$$

Answer: ☒ $ABCD$ are coplanar(共平面), and the area is ____ .

☐ $ABCD$ are NOT coplanar(共平面), and the volume is 4/3 .

Solution :

Similar with 111-1 quiz 12 and 4-1 problem 59. The volume is not 0, thus they are NOT coplanar.

Note that the volume of a tetrahedron (四面體) $ABCD$ formed by coterminal (相鄰邊) edges $\vec{AB}, \vec{AC}, \vec{AD}$ is

$$\frac{\text{volume of the Parallelepiped}}{6}$$

2. Find the determinant of the given matrix.

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 & 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 & 0 & 4 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 4 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 6 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 5 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 7 \end{pmatrix}$$

Answer: $\det(A) =$ 3686 .

Solution :

Similar with section 4-2 example 3.