

CMPE 360 Hands-On Activity 2

Name(s):

1. Mark either True or False:

True/False:: ____	If you want a rotation of 270 degrees around the z-axis, the value in the first (top) row, second column should be $\sin(270)$.
True/False:: ____	The cross product of two parallel 3D vectors is the zero vector (0, 0, 0).
True/False:: ____	Rigid transformations include the scaling and shear transformation.
True/False:: ____	Any affine transformation in a 3D space can be described by a 3x3 matrix
True/False:: ____	For any two transformations, A and B, we get the same result if we apply A before B as if we apply B before A.

2. Find an *implicit equation* for the plane containing the triangle (\mathbf{v}_1 , \mathbf{v}_2 , \mathbf{v}_3). The equation should have the form:

$$f(\mathbf{p}) = \mathbf{N} \cdot (\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{q}) = 0$$

where \mathbf{N} is a normal to the plane and \mathbf{q} is a point in the plane.

Find \mathbf{N} and \mathbf{q} in terms of the triangle vertices. Show your steps.

3. (10 points) What are the ray parameters of the intersection points between ray $(2, 2, 2) + t(-1, -1, -1)$ and the sphere centered at the origin with radius 1? Outline your approach, show the steps, but you do not need to compute final t value.