Steven Rosendahl Homework 6

1. Find the Cartesian coordinates of the point whose polar coordinates are given.

$$(\sqrt{2}, \frac{\pi}{4}) = (\sqrt{2}\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right), \sqrt{2}\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right))$$
$$= (1, 1)$$

2. Give a set of polar coordinates for the point whose Cartesian coordinates are given.

$$(-2,2) = (\sqrt{(-2)^2 + 2^2}, \arctan(-1))$$

= $(\sqrt{4}, -\frac{\pi}{4})$
= $(2, -\frac{\pi}{4})$

3. Find the Cartesian coordinates of the point whose cylindrical coordinates are given.

$$(1, \frac{2\pi}{3}, -2) = (\cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right), \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right), -2)$$
$$= (-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, -2)$$

4. Find the rectangular coordinates of the point whose spherical coordinates are given.

$$(1, \frac{3\pi}{4}, \frac{2\pi}{3}) = (\cos \frac{3\pi}{4} \sin \frac{2\pi}{3}, \sin \frac{3\pi}{4} \sin \frac{2\pi}{3}, \cos \frac{3\pi}{4})$$
$$= (\frac{-\sqrt{3}/2}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{3}/2}{2}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}})$$

5. Find a set of cylindrical coordinates of the point whose Cartesian coordinate is given.

$$(-1, \sqrt{3}, 13) = (\sqrt{(-1)^2 + (\sqrt{3})^2}, \arctan -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, 13)$$

= $(2, -\frac{\pi}{6}, 13)$