

1. Let $L_1$ and $L_2$ be the lines $L_1: x = 5 + 2t, y = -2 + 6t, z = 3 - 2t$ $L_2: x = -2 + t, y = 4 + t, z = 3 + 2t$	[10]
i) Are the lines parallel? ii) Do the lines intersect? iii) Find the distance between lines? iv) Find the intersection point of the line $L_1$ and the plane $x - y + 2z = 0$ .	

i) parallel vector of  $L_1$ ,  $\vec{v}_1 = \langle 2, 6, -2 \rangle$

parallel vector of  $L_2$ ,  $\vec{v}_2 = \langle 1, 1, 2 \rangle$

there is no scalar multiple  $k$  such that  $\vec{v}_1 = k\vec{v}_2$

therefore the lines are not parallel.

ii) let  $(x_0, y_0, z_0)$  be the point of intersection

$$\therefore x_0 = 5 + 2t_1 = -2 + t_2, y_0 = -2 + 6t_1 = 4 + t_2, z_0 = 3 - 2t_1 = 3 + 2t_2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2t_1 - t_2 = -7 \quad \Rightarrow 6t_1 - t_2 = 6 \quad \Rightarrow 2t_1 + 2t_2 = 0$$

$$t_1 = \frac{13}{4} \quad t_2 = \frac{27}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow t_1 + t_2 = 0$$

$$\text{but } \frac{13}{4} + \frac{27}{2} \neq 0$$

therefore the lines don't intersect.

iii) Since the lines are not parallel and also do not intersect, they are skew.

now let  $\vec{n}$  be the common normal at the two parallel planes that contain  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  respectively.

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \vec{n} &= \vec{v}_1 \times \vec{v}_2 = \langle 2, 6, -2 \rangle \times \langle 1, 1, 2 \rangle \\ &= \langle 12+2, -(4+2), 2-6 \rangle \\ &= \langle 14, -6, -4 \rangle \end{aligned}$$

so the plane containing  $L_2$  is

$$14(x+2) - 6(y-4) - 4(z-3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 14x + 28 - 6y + 24 - 4z + 12 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 14x - 6y - 4z + 64 = 0$$

and  $(5, -2, 3)$  is a point on  $L_1$

∴ the distance between the lines

$$= \frac{|14 \cdot 5 - 6(-2) - 4 \cdot 3 + 64|}{\sqrt{14^2 + 6^2 + 4^2}}$$

$$= 8.509$$

a) Find the vector component (orthogonal projection) of $\vec{u} = \langle 4, -1, 0 \rangle$ along $\vec{w} = \langle 2, 0, -1 \rangle$ and orthogonal to $\vec{u}$ .	[4]
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$$\vec{w} = \langle 2, 0, -1 \rangle$$

$$\hat{a} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^2 + 1^2}} \langle 2, 0, -1 \rangle$$

$$= \left\langle \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}, 0, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \right\rangle$$

$$\vec{w} \cdot \hat{a} = \frac{8}{\sqrt{5}} - 0 + 0 = \frac{8}{\sqrt{5}}$$

orthogonal projection of  $\vec{u}$  along  $\vec{w}$

$$\vec{v}_1 = \frac{8}{\sqrt{5}} \left\langle \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}, 0, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \right\rangle$$

$$= \left\langle \frac{16}{5}, 0, -\frac{8}{5} \right\rangle$$

projection of  $\vec{u}$  in the direction orthogonal to  $\vec{w}$

$$|\vec{v}_1| = |\vec{u}| \cos 90^\circ = 0$$

therefore it's a null vector

b) Find the area of the triangle with vertices  $A(0, 6, -3)$ ,  $B(1, 0, 2)$  and  $C(1, -4, 1)$ .

$$\vec{AB} = \langle 1, -6, 5 \rangle$$

$$\vec{AC} = \langle 1, -10, 4 \rangle$$

$$\vec{AB} \times \vec{AC} = \langle -24 + 50, -(4-5), -10+6 \rangle$$

$$= \langle 26, 1, -4 \rangle$$

$$\text{area of the triangle} = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{26^2 + 1^2 + 4^2}$$

$$= \frac{3}{2} \sqrt{77}$$

c) Evaluate the double integral  $\int_0^{\ln 3} \int_0^1 xy e^{x^2 y} dx dy$

$$\int_0^{\ln 3} \int_0^1 xy e^{x^2 y} dx dy$$

$$= \int_0^{\ln 3} \int_0^y \frac{1}{2} e^u du dy$$

$$u = x^2 y$$

$$du = 2xy dx$$

$$= \int_0^{\ln 3} \frac{1}{2} (e^y - 1) dy$$

$$x=0 \quad u=0$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left( e^y \Big|_0^{\ln 3} - y \Big|_0^{\ln 3} \right)$$

$$x=1 \quad u=y$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ (3-1) - (\ln 3 - 0) \right] = \frac{1}{2} (2 - \ln 3) = 1 - \frac{1}{2} \ln 3$$

$$\text{iv) } x - y + 2z = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 5 + 2t - (-2 + 6t) + 2(3 - 2t) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 5 + 2t + 2 - 6t + 6 - 4t = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 8t = 13$$

$$\Rightarrow t = \frac{13}{8}$$

$$x = 5 + \frac{13}{4} = \frac{33}{4}$$

$$y = -2 + 6 \times \frac{13}{8} = \frac{31}{4}$$

$$z = 3 - 2 \times \frac{13}{8} = -\frac{1}{4}$$

3. a) Evaluate  $\int_1^5 \int_x^{x^2} \int_0^{\ln z} xe^y dy dz dx$

$$\int_0^{\ln z} xe^y dy = x(e^{\ln z} - e^0) = x(z-1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_x^{x^2} x(z-1) dz &= x \left[ \frac{1}{2}z^2 - z \right]_x^{x^2} = x \left[ \frac{1}{2}x^4 - x^2 - \left( \frac{1}{2}x^2 - x \right) \right] \\ &= x \left( \frac{1}{2}x^4 - \frac{3}{2}x^2 + x \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}x^5 - \frac{3}{2}x^3 + x^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_1^5 \frac{1}{2}x^5 - \frac{3}{2}x^3 + x^2 dx$$

$$= \left[ \frac{1}{12}x^6 - \frac{3}{8}x^4 + \frac{1}{3}x^3 \right]_1^5$$

$$= \left( \frac{1}{12}5^6 - \frac{3}{8}5^4 + \frac{1}{3}5^3 \right) - \left( \frac{1}{12} - \frac{3}{8} + \frac{1}{3} \right)$$

$$= \frac{3328}{3}$$

b) Use a double integral to find the area of region bounded by the lines  $x+y=3$ ,  $y=x+3$  and  $y=5$ .

$$\int_3^5 \int_{3-y}^{y-3} dx dy$$

$$= \int_3^5 y-3 - 3+y dy$$

$$= \int_3^5 2y-6 dy$$

$$= [y^2 - 6y]_3^5$$

$$= 5^2 - 30 - (3^2 - 18)$$

$$= -5 + 9$$

$$= 4$$

