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Math 2401; Sections D1, D2, D3.  
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Exam 1

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| Problem | Possible Score | Earned Score |
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| 1       | 20             |              |
| 2       | 20             |              |
| 3       | 10             |              |
| 4       | 20             |              |
| 5       | 20             |              |
| 6       | 10             |              |
| Total   | 100            |              |

Remember that you must SHOW YOUR WORK to receive credit!

**Good luck!**

[6pts.]

1. [20 pts.] Given the vectors  $\vec{v}_1 = \langle 1, 0, 2 \rangle$  and  $\vec{v}_2 = \langle -1, 2, 3 \rangle$ :
- a). Find  $\vec{v}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_2$ .

$$\vec{v}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_2 = 1(-1) + 0 \cdot 2 + 2 \cdot 3 = -1 + 6 = \boxed{5}$$

6pts.

[6pts.]

- b). Find  $\vec{v}_1 \times \vec{v}_2$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{v}_1 \times \vec{v}_2 &= \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 1 & 0 & 2 \\ -1 & 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = \vec{i} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} - \vec{j} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} + \vec{k} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \vec{i}(0-4) - \vec{j}(3+2) + \vec{k}(2-0) \\ &= \boxed{-4\vec{i} - 5\vec{j} + 2\vec{k}} \quad \text{or} \quad \boxed{\langle -4, -5, 2 \rangle} \end{aligned}$$

3pts. - Setting up determinant

1pt. - each component

[5pts.]

- c). Find the angle between  $\vec{v}_1$  and  $\vec{v}_2$ . Give an exact answer.

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{\vec{v}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_2}{|\vec{v}_1| |\vec{v}_2|} \right) = \boxed{\cos^{-1} \left( \frac{5}{\sqrt{5} \sqrt{14}} \right)} \quad \text{or} \quad \boxed{\cos^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{14}} \right)} \quad \text{or} \quad \boxed{\cos^{-1} \left( \frac{5}{\sqrt{70}} \right)}$$

$$|\vec{v}_1| = \sqrt{1+4} = \sqrt{5} \quad \text{1pt.}$$

$$|\vec{v}_2| = \sqrt{1+4+9} = \sqrt{14} \quad \text{1pt.}$$

2pts. - formula

1pt. - final answer

[3pts.]

- d). Find a (simplified) component equation for the plane determined by the points  $(0, 0, 0)$ ,  $(1, 0, 2)$  and  $(-1, 2, 3)$ .

$\vec{v}_1 = \langle 1, 0, 2 \rangle$  and  $\vec{v}_2 = \langle -1, 2, 3 \rangle$  are vectors on the plane

Normal vector:  $\vec{v}_1 \times \vec{v}_2 = \langle -4, -5, 2 \rangle$  1pt.

Point :  $(0, 0, 0)$  1pt.

Component Equation:  
(simplified)

$$-4x - 5y + 2z = 0$$

$$4x + 5y - 2z = 0$$

1pt.

2. [20 pts.] Find parametric equations for the line that is tangent to the curve:

$$\vec{r}(t) = \left( \ln \frac{t}{3} \right) \vec{i} + \left( \frac{t-3}{t+6} \right) \vec{j} + \left( t \ln \frac{t}{3} \right) \vec{k},$$

at the point on the curve where  $t = 3$ .

$$\vec{v}(t) = \left\langle \frac{1}{t/3} \cdot \frac{1}{3}, \frac{t+6-(t-3)}{(t+6)^2}, \ln\left(\frac{t}{3}\right) + t \cdot \frac{1}{t/3} \cdot \frac{1}{3} \right\rangle$$

$$= \boxed{\left\langle \frac{1}{t}, \frac{9}{(t+6)^2}, \ln\left(\frac{t}{3}\right) + 1 \right\rangle}$$
9 pts. - 3 pts./component

$$\vec{v}(3) = \left\langle \frac{1}{3}, \frac{9}{9^2}, \ln(1) + 1 \right\rangle = \boxed{\left\langle \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{9}, 1 \right\rangle}$$
4 pts. - 4/3 pts./comp.

$$\vec{r}(3) = \left\langle \ln(1), \frac{3-3}{9}, 3\ln(1) \right\rangle = \boxed{\langle 0, 0, 0 \rangle}$$
4 pts. - 4/3 pts./comp.

Tangent line at  $t=3$ :

Parallel vector:  $\vec{v}(3) = \langle \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{9}, 1 \rangle$

Point:  $(0, 0, 0)$

Equations:

|   |
|---|
| $x = \frac{1}{3}t$<br>$y = \frac{1}{9}t$<br>$z = t$ |
|---|

3 pts. - 1 pt./eqn.

3. [10 pts.] Express the vector  $\overrightarrow{P_1 P_2}$  in the form  $a\vec{i} + b\vec{j} + c\vec{k}$ , where  $P_1$  is the point  $(4, -3, 8)$  and  $P_2$  is the point  $(-9, -9, 6)$ .

$$\overrightarrow{P_1 P_2} = \langle -9-4, -9+3, 6-8 \rangle = \boxed{\langle -13, -6, -2 \rangle}$$

Correct order of subtraction: 1 pt.

Each component - 3 pts.

4. [20 pts.] Evaluate the integral:

$$\int_0^1 \left[ (6te^{3t^2}) \vec{i} + (6e^{-6t}) \vec{j} + 5\pi \vec{k} \right] dt.$$

Give exact answers.

$$\int_0^1 6te^{3t^2} dt = \int_0^1 3e^{3u} du = e^{3u} \Big|_0^1 = \boxed{e^3 - 1}$$

$u = t^2$        $t=0 \Rightarrow u=0$   
 $du = 2t dt$        $t=1 \Rightarrow u=1$

6 pts.

$$\int_0^1 6e^{-6t} dt = -e^{-6t} \Big|_0^1 = \boxed{-e^{-6} + 1}$$

6 pts.

$$\int_0^1 5\pi dt = 5\pi t \Big|_0^1 = \boxed{5\pi}$$

6 pts.

Final answer:  $\boxed{\langle e^3 - 1, -e^{-6} + 1, 5\pi \rangle}$  or  $\boxed{(e^3 - 1)\vec{i} - (e^{-6} - 1)\vec{j} + (5\pi)\vec{k}}$

2 pts.

5. [20 pts.] Given the curve:

$$\vec{r}(t) = \langle -\sqrt{2}e^t \cos(t), -\sqrt{2}e^t \sin(t), 2 \rangle,$$

find:

a). The unit tangent vector  $\vec{T}(t)$ .

[8pts.]

$$\vec{v}(t) = \left\langle -\sqrt{2}e^t \cos(t) + \sqrt{2}e^t \sin(t), -\sqrt{2}e^t \sin(t) - \sqrt{2}e^t \cos(t), 0 \right\rangle$$

3pts.

1pt./comp.

$$\begin{aligned} |\vec{v}(t)|^2 &= 2e^{2t} \cos^2(t) + 2e^{2t} \sin^2(t) - 4e^{2t} \sin(t) \cos(t) + \\ &\quad + 2e^{2t} \sin^2(t) + 2e^{2t} \cos^2(t) + 4e^{2t} \sin(t) \cos(t) \\ &= 2e^{2t} + 2e^{2t} = 4e^{2t} \end{aligned}$$

$$|\vec{v}(t)| = \boxed{2e^t}$$

3pts.

$$\vec{T}(t) = \frac{\vec{v}(t)}{|\vec{v}(t)|} = \left\langle -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos(t) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin(t), -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin(t) - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos(t), 0 \right\rangle$$

2pts.

1/2pt.  
formula

1/2pt./  
comp.

[8pts.]

b). The unit normal vector  $\vec{N}(t)$ .

$$\frac{d\vec{T}}{dt} = \left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin(t) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos(t), -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos(t) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin(t), 0 \right\rangle$$

3pts.

1pt./comp.

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{d\vec{T}}{dt} \right|^2 &= \frac{1}{2} \sin^2(t) + \frac{1}{2} \cos^2(t) + \cancel{\sin(t) \cos(t)} + \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2} \cos^2(t) + \frac{1}{2} \sin^2(t) - \cancel{\sin(t) \cos(t)} \\ &= 1/2 + 1/2 = \boxed{1} \end{aligned}$$

3pts.

$$\vec{N} = \frac{\frac{d\vec{T}}{dt}}{|\frac{d\vec{T}}{dt}|} = \left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\sin(t) + \cos(t)), -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\cos(t) - \sin(t)), 0 \right\rangle$$

2pts.

1pt.  
formula

1/3pt.  
comp.

[4pts.]

c). The curvature  $\kappa$ .

$$\kappa = \frac{|\frac{d\vec{T}}{dt}|}{|\vec{v}|} = \boxed{\frac{1}{2e^t}}$$

2pts. - formula

2pts. - answer

6. [10 pts.] Consider the curve:

$$\vec{r}(t) = \langle 0, \cos^3(t), \sin^3(t) \rangle, -\frac{\pi}{2} \leq t \leq 0.$$

Find the length of the curve on the given parameter domain.

$$\vec{v}(t) = \langle 0, -3\cos^2(t)\sin(t), 3\sin^2(t)\cos(t) \rangle$$

(3pts.) - 1 pt./component

$$|\vec{v}(t)|^2 = 9\cos^4(t)\sin^2(t) + 9\sin^4(t)\cos^2(t)$$

(1pt.)

$$= 9\cos^2(t)\sin^2(t)(\cos^2(t) + \sin^2(t))$$

(1pt.)

$$= 9\cos^2(t)\sin^2(t).$$

(1pt.)

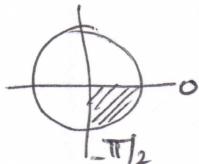
$$|\vec{v}(t)| = \sqrt{9\cos^2(t)\sin^2(t)} = \boxed{-3\cos(t)\sin(t)}$$

(2pts.)

"-" sign

-  $\cos(t)\sin(t)$

because the angle  $t$  is in the fourth quadrant  
where  $\sin(t) \leq 0$  and  $\cos(t) \geq 0$ , so



$$|3\cos(t)\sin(t)| = -3\cos(t)\sin(t).$$

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$$L = \int_{-\pi/2}^0 |\vec{v}(t)| dt = \int_{-\pi/2}^0 -3\cos(t)\sin(t) dt =$$

$$= -\frac{3}{2}\sin^2(t) \Big|_{-\pi/2}^0 = -\frac{3}{2}\sin^2(0) + \frac{3}{2}\sin^2(-\pi/2)$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{3}{2}}$$

(2pts.)

1 pt. set up integral  
1 pt. answer

$$\text{or } = +\frac{3}{2}\cos^2(t) \Big|_{-\pi/2}^0 = \frac{3}{2}\cos^2(0) - \frac{3}{2}\cos^2(-\pi/2)$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{3}{2}}$$