

Exam 1 v. 1	F 2005 M20E : Vector Calculus		
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Sec: A02 (9am)	A03 (10am)	A04 (11am)	A06 (1pm)

Instructions: Read all instructions carefully. Write your name, student number, and section *on your answer sheet*. Clearly indicate your answers & show all your work on your answer sheet. For many problems partial credit is available. For those questions with multiple parts, please circle or box your answers. 7 Problems worth 100 Points.

Hints: ∇ abbreviates $i \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + j \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + k \frac{\partial}{\partial z}$

Multiple Choice; Write answer on your answer sheets; No partial credit.

- P1 (5 pts) Which of these is the equation of a plane with normal vector $\langle 1, -2, 3 \rangle$?
 (a) $\ell(t) = \langle 1 + t, -2t, 4 + 3t \rangle$ (b) $x - 2y + 3z + 5 = 0$
 (c) $\mathbf{R}(x, y, z) = \langle x, -2y, 3z \rangle$ (d) none of the above.
- P2 (5 pts) Which of the following is the first order (*i.e.*, linear) Taylor approximation to $f(\mathbf{x}_0 + \mathbf{h})$?
 (a) $f(\mathbf{x}_0 + \mathbf{h}) \approx f(\mathbf{x}_0) + \nabla f(\mathbf{x}_0) \cdot \mathbf{h}$ (b) $f(\mathbf{x}_0 + \mathbf{h}) \approx f(\mathbf{x}_0) + \mathbf{x}_0 \cdot \mathbf{h}$
 (c) $f(\mathbf{x}_0 + \mathbf{h}) \approx f(\mathbf{h}) + \nabla f(\mathbf{x}_0) \cdot \mathbf{h}$ (d) none of the above.
- P3 (6 pts) Which of the following is the Cartesian representation of the point whose Cylindrical coordinates are $r = 2, \theta = \pi/6, z = 2$?
 (a) $(2, \pi/6, 2)$ (b) $(2\sqrt{2}, \pi/6, \pi/4)$
 (c) $(1, \sqrt{3}, 2)$ (d) $(\sqrt{3}, 1, 2)$ (e) none of the above.
- P4 (6 pts) Which of the following is a level set of $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2$?
 (a) a straight line (b) a cone in space (c) a paraboloid
 (d) a circle centered at the origin (e) none of the above

Problems. Show all work on your answer sheets. Partial credit is available.

- P5 (24 pts) Let $f(x, y, z) = xyz + x^2e^z$.
 (a) Find ∇f .
 (b) Evaluate ∇f at $(1, 1, 0)$.
 (c) Find the directional derivative of f at $(1, 1, 0)$ along $\mathbf{v} = \langle -1, 2, 3 \rangle$.
 (d) Find the direction (*i.e.*, unit length vector) of maximal increase of f at the point $(1, 1, 0)$.
- P6 (24 pts) Let $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = \langle 2xy, 2xy, x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \rangle$.
 (a) Find the divergence of \mathbf{F} .
 (b) Find the curl of \mathbf{F} .
 (c) Could $\mathbf{F} = \nabla \phi$ for some scalar field ϕ with continuous second derivatives?
- P7 (30 pts) Let $\mathbf{c}(t) = \langle 2t^{3/2}, t, 4t^{3/2} \rangle$.
 (a) Find the velocity vector (as a function of t) of this path.
 (b) Find the speed (as a function of t) of this path.
 (c) Set up, *but do not attempt to solve*, a definite integral whose value is the arc length of this path for $1 \leq t \leq 4$.
 (d) Find a path $\ell(\tau)$ which parameterizes the line tangent to $\mathbf{c}(t)$ at $t = 1$.
 (e) Let $F(x, y, z) = x^3 + y^2 - z$. Find $\frac{d}{dt}[F \circ \mathbf{c}(t)]$