

**Practice Problems for Exam 1**

1  $(-10, -7, 3)$ .

2(a)  $(1, 0, 4); t = 1, s = 2$ .

(b)  $x = 1 + u, y = -u, z = 4 + 2u$  and  $x = 1 - v, y = v, z = 4 + 4v$ .

3  $(4, 6, -6)$ .

4(a)  $\langle -1/2, -1/2, 1 \rangle$

(b)  $3\sqrt{3}/2$ .

(c)  $9/2$

5  $x = -3t, y = t, z = 5t + 1$ .

6  $L_1, L_2$  intersect at  $(0, 2, 1)$ .

7(a) 13.

(b)  $-7x + 6y - 8z = 1$ .

(c)  $\cos^{-1}(0.53)$ .

8(a)  $\mathbf{r}(4) = \langle 15, \frac{47}{3}, 8 \rangle$ .

(b)  $\langle 15, \frac{47}{3}, 8 \rangle + s\langle 8, 4, 1 \rangle$ .

(c) Yes,  $\mathbf{r}(9) = P$ .

(d) 4.

9 The  $x$  traces and  $y$  traces are hyperbolas, the  $z$  traces are ellipses.

10  $z = 4(x - 1)$ .

11  $\frac{5\sqrt{6}}{12}$ .

12 It is a hyperboloid of one sheet,  $x^2 + y^2 - \frac{z^2}{2} = 1$ .

13a)  $\langle 0, -9.8 \rangle$ .

b)  $50 \langle \sqrt{3}, 1 \rangle$

c)  $\langle 0, 5 \rangle$

d)  $t = 10.303$ .

e) 892.266 m.

14 If  $(x, y)$  approaches  $(0, 0)$  along  $y$ -axis, the limit of  $f(x, y)$  is 0, while if  $(x, y)$  approaches  $(0, 0)$  along the line  $y = x$ , the limit of  $f(x, y)$  is 1, which is different from 0. Hence the limit of  $f(x, y)$  does not exist as  $(x, y)$  approaches  $(0, 0)$ .

15  $2x + 4y - z = 6$ .

16(a)  $f_x = 3x^2 - y^2, f_y = -2xy + 1, f_{xx} = 6x, f_{yy} = -2x, f_{xy} = -2y$ .

(b)  $f_x = \frac{1}{x + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \left( 1 + \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \right)$

$f_y = \frac{1}{x + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}$

$f_{xx} = -\frac{1}{(x + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2})^2} \left( 1 + \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \right)^2 + \frac{1}{x + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \frac{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} - \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}}{x^2 + y^2}$

$f_{yy} = -\frac{1}{(x + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2})^2} \left( \frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \right)^2 + \frac{1}{x + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \frac{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} - \frac{y^2}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}}{x^2 + y^2}$

$$f_{xy} = -\frac{\frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}}}{(x+\sqrt{x^2+y^2})^2} \left(1 + \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}}\right) + \frac{1}{x+\sqrt{x^2+y^2}} \left(-\frac{xy}{(\sqrt{x^2+y^2})^3}\right).$$

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**18**  $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle t, t^2, 2t^2 + t^4 \rangle$ .