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(1) Describe and sketch the surfaces in space defined by the following equations:

(15pts)

- (i) $z = -1$
- (ii) $x^2 + z^2 = 3$
- (iii) $z = y^2$
- (iv) $yz = 1$
- (v) $z = -y + 1$

(2) Let $\vec{a} = \langle \sqrt{2}, 1, 1 \rangle$ and $\vec{b} = \langle -\sqrt{2}, 4, -1 \rangle$ be two vectors in \mathbb{R}^3 . (10pts)

- i) Find the scalar projection and vector projection of \vec{b} onto \vec{a} .
- ii) Find the angle between the vectors \vec{a} and $\vec{a} + \vec{b}$.
- iii) If $\vec{r} = \langle x, y, z \rangle$, show that the vector equation $(\vec{r} - \vec{a}) \cdot (\vec{r} - \vec{b}) = 0$ represents a sphere.

(3) (a) Find the angle that the vector $\mathbf{v} = -\sqrt{3}\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$ makes with the positive y -axis. (2pts)

(b) Find all unit vectors parallel to the xz -plane that are perpendicular to the vector $2\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}$. (5pts)

(c) If a vector has direction angles $\alpha = \pi/4$ and $\beta = \pi/3$, find the third direction angle γ . (3pts)

(4) (a) Let $\vec{a} = \vec{OP}$, where P is the point $(2, 2, \sqrt{2})$. Compute the vectors \vec{b} and \vec{c} .
(3pts)

(b) Let \vec{a} , \vec{b} and \vec{c} be three vectors in the plane $3x - 5y + 6z = 7$. Compute

$$(-\vec{a} + 4\vec{b} - 7\vec{c}) \cdot (-3i + 5j - 6k). \quad (7\text{pts})$$

(5) Given the points $A(1, 0, 1)$, $B(2, 3, 0)$, $C(-1, 1, 4)$, and $D(0, 3, 2)$, find the volume of the parallelepiped with adjacent edges AB , AC , and AD . (10pts)

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