

1. (6 points) Find the equation of the plane in standard form that contains the points  $P = (1, 1, -2)$ ,  $Q = (2, 3, 1)$ , and  $R = (4, -1, 1)$ .

$$\begin{array}{r} \vec{PQ} = \langle 1, 2, 3 \rangle \\ \times \vec{PR} = \langle 3, -2, 3 \rangle \\ \hline \langle 12, 6, -8 \rangle \end{array}$$

Then  $\vec{X} \cdot \vec{n} = \vec{P} \cdot \vec{n}$

$$\Rightarrow 6x + 3y - 4z = \langle 1, 1, -2 \rangle \cdot \langle 6, 3, -4 \rangle$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{6x + 3y - 4z = 17}$$

Use  $\vec{n} = \langle 6, 3, -4 \rangle$

and  $\vec{P} = \langle 1, 1, -2 \rangle$ .

Let  $\vec{X} = (x, y, z)$  be any point in the plane.

2. Let  $\vec{u} = 2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} - \hat{k}$  and  $\vec{p} = \langle 3, 0, 4 \rangle$ . You may use work from one part in other parts.

- (a) (4 points) Find the area of the rectangle spanned by  $\vec{p}$  and  $\vec{u}$ .

$$\begin{array}{r} \langle 2, -3, -1 \rangle \\ \times \langle 3, 0, 4 \rangle \\ \hline \langle -12, -11, 9 \rangle \end{array}$$

$$\therefore \text{area} = \| \langle -12, -11, 9 \rangle \|$$

$$= \sqrt{144 + 121 + 81}$$

$$= \boxed{\sqrt{346}}$$

- (b) (2 points) Find the flux of the constant vector field  $\vec{F} = \langle -2, 1, 1 \rangle$  through the parallelogram spanned by  $\vec{u}$  and  $\vec{p}$  and oriented from  $\vec{u}$  to  $\vec{p}$ .

$$\text{Flux} = \vec{F} \cdot (\vec{u} \times \vec{p}) = \langle -2, 1, 1 \rangle \cdot \langle -12, -11, 9 \rangle = 24 - 11 + 9 = \boxed{22}$$

- (c) (1 point) Find the volume of the box spanned by  $\vec{F}$ ,  $\vec{p}$ , and  $\vec{u}$ .

$$\text{Vol} = | \text{Flux} | = \boxed{22}$$

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3. Let  $\vec{v} = \hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$  and  $\vec{w} = \langle 3, -1, 2 \rangle$ . You may use work from one part in other parts.

(a) (3 points) Find the cosine of the angle between  $\vec{v}$  and  $\vec{w}$ .

$$\vec{v} \cdot \vec{w} = \|\vec{v}\| \|\vec{w}\| \cos \theta$$

$$\text{So } \boxed{\cos \theta = \frac{3}{\sqrt{14}}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{3+2+4}{\sqrt{9} \sqrt{14}}$$

(b) (4 points) Find  $\vec{w}_{\parallel \vec{v}}$  and  $\vec{w}_{\perp \vec{v}}$ .

$$\vec{w}_{\parallel \vec{v}} = \frac{\vec{w} \cdot \vec{v}}{\vec{v} \cdot \vec{v}} \vec{v}$$

$$\vec{w}_{\perp \vec{v}} = \vec{w} - \vec{w}_{\parallel \vec{v}}$$

$$= \langle 3, -1, 2 \rangle - \langle 1, -2, 2 \rangle$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{w}_{\parallel \vec{v}} = \left| \frac{9}{9} \langle 1, -2, 2 \rangle \right|$$

$$= \boxed{\langle 1, -2, 2 \rangle} = \vec{v}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{w}_{\perp \vec{v}} = \boxed{\langle 2, 1, 0 \rangle}$$

(c) (1 point) Find the work done by a force  $\vec{w}$  <sup>Newtons</sup> applied to a particle with displacement  $\vec{v}$  <sup>meters</sup>.

$$W = \vec{w} \cdot \vec{v} = \boxed{9 \text{ joule}}$$

(d) (4 points) Find a position function ~~or~~ <sup>And</sup> the coordinate equations of a line that passes through the point  $(0, 3, -1)$  that is parallel to  $\vec{w}$ .

$$\vec{r}(t) = \langle 0, 3, -1 \rangle + t \langle 3, -1, 2 \rangle$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\vec{r}(t) = \langle 3t, 3-t, -1+2t \rangle}$$

and

$$\begin{cases} x = 3t \\ y = 3-t \\ z = -1+2t \end{cases}$$