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MATH 251 Dr. Z. , Third Make-Up Practice Exam I

1. Find an equation for the plane that is parallel to the line joining (2, 2, 0) and (2, 0, 2) as well as to the line joining (0, 0, 0) and (1, 1, 1).

2. Find parametric equations for the *line segment* joining (1, 1, 1) and (2, 3, 4).

3. Find the curvature of the curve

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle t, e^t, e^{2t} \rangle \quad .$$

4. What is the velocity and acceleration of a particle at time t = 1 if its position function is

 $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle \sin 2t, \cos 2t, e^{2t} \rangle$.

5. Find the following limit, if it exists, or show that it does not exist:

$$\lim_{(x,y)\to(0,0)}\frac{1}{(x^2+y^2)}$$

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6. Find the linear approximation to the function

$$f(x, y, z) = (\sqrt{x + 2y + 4z})^3$$

at the point (3, 1, 1).

7. Use the chain rule to find $\frac{\partial w}{\partial s}$ and $\frac{\partial w}{\partial t}$, if

$$w=\sin(x+y+z) \quad , \quad x=st \quad , \quad y=s^2t^2 \quad , \quad z=s^3t^3 \quad ,$$
 at $s=0,t=2.$

8. Find the maximum rate of change of $f(x, y, z) = e^{x^3 + y^3 + z^3}$ at the point (1, 1, 1), and the direction in which it occurs.

9. Use implicit differentiation to find $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}$ and $\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$ if

$$\sin(x+y+z) = 3 + \cos(x+y+z)$$

10. Find an equation of the tangent plane to the surface

 $z = \cos(x+y)$

at the point $(\pi/4, \pi/4, 0)$.