## Math 2415

## Homework on 15.7 and 15.8 (Coordinate systems only)

- 1. The following points are given in cylindrical coordinates,  $(r, \theta, z)$ . Express each in rectangular and in spherical coordinates.
  - (a)  $(1, 45^{\circ}, 1)$
  - (b)  $(2, \pi/2, -4)$
- 2. The following points are given in rectangular coordinates, (x, y, z). Express each in cylindrical and in spherical coordinates.
  - (a) (0,3,4)
  - (b)  $(\sqrt{2}, 1, 1)$
- 3. Express the plane z = x in (a) cylindrical and (b) spherical coordinates
- 4. A tank in the shape of a circular cylinder of radius 5 m and height 12 m is half filled with water and lying on its side. Describe the air space inside the tank using a suitably chosen cylindrical coordinate system. Justify your answer with the aid of a sketch.
- 5. Sketch the surfaces whose equations are given as follows
  - (a) r = 2 (cylindrical coordinates)
  - (b) r = 3z (cylindrical coordinates)
  - (c)  $r^2 + 4z^2 = 1$  (cylindrical coordinates)
- 6. Convert the equations to (a) cylindrical and (b) spherical coordinates
  - (a)  $z = x^2 + y^2$
  - (b)  $x^2 + y^2 3z^2 = 0$
  - (c)  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$
- 7. Sketch the solid described by the following inequalities
  - (a)  $0 \le \rho \le 4, \pi/2 \le \phi \le \pi, 0 \le \theta \le \pi/4$
  - (b)  $r \le z \le 1 r^2$ . Hint: First sketch the curves z = r and  $z = 1 r^2$  in (r, z)-space.