Math 2415

Paper Homework #3

- 1. **[12.5B: Planes]** Let A = (2, 0, 1), B = (3, 1, 0) and C = (4, 3, 5).
 - (a) Find the level set equation of the plane, \mathcal{P} , containing the points A, B, and C.
 - (b) Check that A, B, and C each satisfy the equation you derived in (a).
 - (c) Find a parametrization, $(x, y, z) = \mathbf{r}(s, t)$, of the plane, \mathcal{P} , containing A, B, and C.
 - (d) For each of the three points, *A*, *B*, and *C*, find values of the parameters (*s*, *t*) in the parameterization you found in (c).
 - (e) Let \mathcal{L} be the line passing through the point (-1, 0, 2) that is parallel to the vector (1, 2, 3). Find the point of intersection of this line with the plane, \mathcal{P} .
 - (f) Let Q be the plane that contains the point (3, 1, 2) and that is perpendicular to the line \mathcal{L} in (e). Find the level set equation of the plane that passes through the point D = (1, 2, 1) and contains the line of intersection of the planes \mathcal{P} and Q.
- [15.7A: Cylindrical Coordinates] Sketch the following solids, surfaces, curves, and points, altogether in one plot, with labels. For each surface, convert the equation to rectangular and to spherical coordinates. For each point, find the rectangular and spherical coordinates of that point.
 - (a) The surface r = 2.
 - (b) The curve where r = 2 and z = 3.
 - (c) The curve where r = 2 and $\theta = \pi/4$.
 - (d) The point $(r, \theta, z) = (2, \pi/4, 3)$.
 - (e) The solid where $r \leq 2, 0 \leq \theta \leq \pi/4$ and $0 \leq z \leq 3$.
- 3. **[15.8A: Spherical Coordinates]** Sketch the following solids, surfaces, curves, and points, *altogether in one plot, with labels.* For each surface, convert the equation to rectangular and to cylindrical coordinates. For each point, find the cylindrical and rectangular coordinates of that point.
 - (a) The surface $\rho = 4$.
 - (b) The curve where $\rho = 4$ and $\theta = \pi/2$.
 - (c) The curve where $\rho = 4$ and $\phi = \pi/3$.
 - (d) The point $(\rho, \theta, \phi) = (4, \pi/2, \pi/3)$.
 - (e) The solid where $\rho \leq 4$, $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi/2$ and $\pi/3 \leq \phi \leq 2\pi/3$.