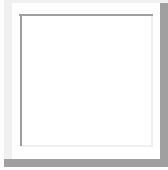


# Quiz 1



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## CAD/CAM/CAE Summer 08

Yokohama National University

### QUIZ 1

**Date:** 7/23/2008  
**Time:** 11:15 – 12:00 (45 min.)  
**Format:** Closed book, closed notes  
**Weight:** 10% of total grade

Note: You have 45 min. Be careful about the time allocation.

Try not to leave any problems totally blank so that  
you can receive partial credit. Good luck!

Q1-1 (25 pts)	Q1-2 (25 pts)	Q1-3 (25 pts)	Q1-4 (25 pts)	Total (100 pts)

**Q1-1** What is the definition of a cross product of two vectors?

(25 pts)

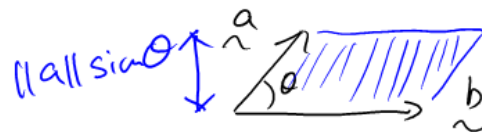
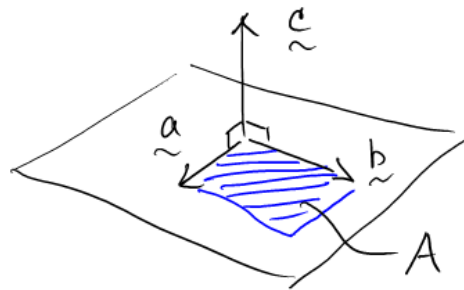
② outer/vector/cross product

$$\underline{a} \times \underline{b} = \underline{c}$$

$$\underline{a} \perp \underline{c} \quad \& \quad \underline{b} \perp \underline{c}$$

$$\|\underline{c}\| = \|\underline{a}\| \|\underline{b}\| \sin \theta$$

measures the signed area of



$$\underline{c} = \underline{a} \times \underline{b} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ a_x & a_y & a_z \\ b_x & b_y & b_z \end{vmatrix}$$

$\hat{i}$ : the unit vector in the x-axis  
 $\hat{j}$ : y-axis  
 $\hat{k}$ : z-axis

$$= \hat{i} \begin{vmatrix} a_y & a_z \\ b_y & b_z \end{vmatrix} + \hat{j} \begin{vmatrix} a_z & a_x \\ b_z & b_x \end{vmatrix} + \hat{k} \begin{vmatrix} a_x & a_y \\ b_x & b_y \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} (a_y \cdot b_z - a_z \cdot b_y) + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} ( \quad ) + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} ( \quad )$$

- Q1-2** Find the distance from the origin to plane  $x+y+z=13$ . Show all the derivation steps for full credit.  
(25 pts)

The given equation is in implicit form:

$$ax + by + cz = d$$

From this equation, we know 2 things:

- ① unit normal vector of the plane  $\hat{n}$

$$\hat{n} = \left[ \frac{a}{\sqrt{a^2+b^2+c^2}}, \frac{b}{\sqrt{a^2+b^2+c^2}}, \frac{c}{\sqrt{a^2+b^2+c^2}} \right]$$

- ② shortest distance from the origin to plane  $l$

$$l = \frac{d}{\sqrt{a^2+b^2+c^2}}$$

Rewrite the given equation:

$$\frac{x}{\sqrt{3}} + \frac{y}{\sqrt{3}} + \frac{z}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{13}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\therefore \text{shortest distance } l \text{ from origin to plane} = \boxed{\frac{13}{\sqrt{3}}}$$

**Q1-3** Given two planes,  $n_1 \cdot p = d_1$  and  $n_2 \cdot p = d_2$ , find the intersection of the two planes. Show all the derivation steps for full credit. (25 pts)

**Case 1** If They are the same plane.  
All points on plane 1 are also on plane 2

**Case 2** Two planes are parallel  
They will never intersect

**Case 3** Two planes are not parallel  
 $\Rightarrow$  intersection line equation:  $\underline{p} = \underline{p}_0 + \underline{v}t$   
 $\Rightarrow \underline{v} = \underline{\hat{n}}_1 \times \underline{\hat{n}}_2$   
 $\Rightarrow$  Find  $\underline{p}_0$

Method 1

Since  $\underline{\hat{n}}_1$  and  $\underline{\hat{n}}_2$  are not parallel, position of  $\underline{p}_0$  can be found using combination of  $\underline{\hat{n}}_1$  and  $\underline{\hat{n}}_2$

$$\underline{p}_0 = c_1 \underline{\hat{n}}_1 + c_2 \underline{\hat{n}}_2 \quad \text{where } c_1 \text{ and } c_2 \text{ are constants}$$

$\Rightarrow$  substitute  $\underline{p}$  in plane equations

$$\underline{\hat{n}}_1 \cdot (c_1 \underline{\hat{n}}_1 + c_2 \underline{\hat{n}}_2 + (\underline{\hat{n}}_1 \times \underline{\hat{n}}_2)t) = d_1 \quad \Rightarrow \quad c_1 \underline{\hat{n}}_1 \cdot \underline{\hat{n}}_1 + c_2 \underline{\hat{n}}_1 \cdot \underline{\hat{n}}_2 = d_1 \quad \text{--- ①}$$

$$\underline{\hat{n}}_2 \cdot (c_1 \underline{\hat{n}}_1 + c_2 \underline{\hat{n}}_2 + (\underline{\hat{n}}_1 \times \underline{\hat{n}}_2)t) = d_2 \quad \Rightarrow \quad c_1 \underline{\hat{n}}_1 \cdot \underline{\hat{n}}_2 + c_2 \underline{\hat{n}}_2 \cdot \underline{\hat{n}}_2 = d_2 \quad \text{--- ②}$$

$\Rightarrow$  solve for  $c_1$  and  $c_2$

$$[\text{①} \times (\underline{\hat{n}}_2 \cdot \underline{\hat{n}}_2)] - [\text{②} \times (\underline{\hat{n}}_1 \cdot \underline{\hat{n}}_2)]$$

$$c_1 = \frac{d_1 (\underline{\hat{n}}_2 \cdot \underline{\hat{n}}_2) - d_2 (\underline{\hat{n}}_1 \cdot \underline{\hat{n}}_2)}{(\underline{\hat{n}}_1 \cdot \underline{\hat{n}}_1)(\underline{\hat{n}}_2 \cdot \underline{\hat{n}}_2) - (\underline{\hat{n}}_1 \cdot \underline{\hat{n}}_2)^2}$$

$$[\text{①} \times (\underline{\hat{n}}_1 \cdot \underline{\hat{n}}_2)] - [\text{②} \times (\underline{\hat{n}}_1 \cdot \underline{\hat{n}}_1)]$$

$$c_2 = \frac{d_1 (\underline{\hat{n}}_1 \cdot \underline{\hat{n}}_2) - d_2 (\underline{\hat{n}}_1 \cdot \underline{\hat{n}}_1)}{(\underline{\hat{n}}_1 \cdot \underline{\hat{n}}_2)^2 - (\underline{\hat{n}}_1 \cdot \underline{\hat{n}}_1)(\underline{\hat{n}}_2 \cdot \underline{\hat{n}}_2)}$$

## # Method 2

Select a point  $P$ , in 3D space

Project to plane 2 with  $\hat{n}_2$  :  $P_2 = S\hat{n}_2$

Project  $P_2$  to intersection line :  $P_0 = P_2 + t(\hat{n}_2 \times \hat{v})$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{n}_2 \cdot P_2 = d_2 \Rightarrow \hat{n}_2 \cdot (S\hat{n}_2) = d_2$$

$$S = \frac{d_2}{\hat{n}_2 \cdot \hat{n}_2} = d_2 \Rightarrow P_2 = d_2 \hat{n}_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{n}_1 \cdot P_0 = d_1$$

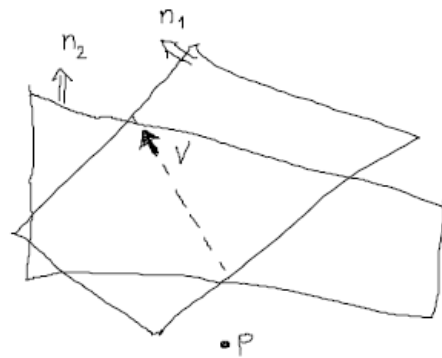
$$\hat{n}_1 \cdot (P_2 + t(\hat{n}_2 \times \hat{v})) = d_1$$

$$\hat{n}_1 \cdot (d_2 \hat{n}_2 + t(\hat{n}_2 \times \hat{v})) = d_1$$

$$d_2(\hat{n}_1 \cdot \hat{n}_2) + t(\hat{n}_1 \cdot (\hat{n}_2 \times \hat{v})) = d_1$$

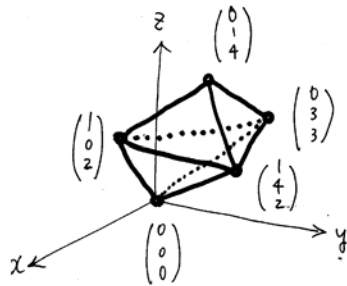
$$t = \frac{d_1 - d_2(\hat{n}_1 \cdot \hat{n}_2)}{\hat{n}_1 \cdot (\hat{n}_2 \times \hat{v})}$$

$$P_0 = d_2 \hat{n}_2 + \left[ \frac{d_1 - d_2(\hat{n}_1 \cdot \hat{n}_2)}{\hat{n}_1 \cdot (\hat{n}_2 \times \hat{v})} \right] (\hat{n}_2 \times \hat{v})$$



**Q1-4** Find the volume of the polyhedron. Show all the derivation steps for full credit.

(25 pts)



# Method 1 Divide polyhedron into 2 tets

① Tet ABCE

$$V_1 = \frac{1}{6} (\vec{AC} \cdot (\vec{AE} \times \vec{AB}))$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 3 & 3 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{18-6}{6} = 2$$

② Tet BCDE

$$V_2 = \frac{1}{6} (\vec{BD} \cdot (\vec{BC} \times \vec{BE}))$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \begin{vmatrix} -1 & -3 & 2 \\ -1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & -4 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{8-4}{6} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\therefore \text{total volume} = 2 + \frac{2}{3} = \frac{8}{3}$$

# Method 2

$$\text{Volume} = \frac{1}{3} \left| \sum_k A_k d_k \right|$$

$A_k$  = area of the  $k^{\text{th}}$  face and

$d_k$  = the signed distance from origin to  $k^{\text{th}}$  face

There are 6 faces

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \textcircled{1} \text{ ACB} \Rightarrow V_{\text{ACB}} = 0 \quad (d_1 = 0) \\ \textcircled{2} \text{ ABE} \Rightarrow V_{\text{ABE}} = 0 \quad (d_2 = 0) \\ \textcircled{3} \text{ AEC} \Rightarrow V_{\text{AEC}} = 0 \quad (d_3 = 0) \end{array} \right\} \text{point through origin}$$

$$\textcircled{4} \text{ DEB} \Rightarrow V_{\text{DEB}} = \frac{1}{3} |A_4 d_4|$$

$$A_4 = \frac{1}{2} |DE \times DB| = \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & -1 & -2 \\ 1 & 3 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} |8\hat{i} + 4\hat{j}| = \frac{1}{2} (\sqrt{8^2 + 4^2}) = \frac{\sqrt{80}}{2}$$

$$\hat{n}_4 = \frac{8}{\sqrt{80}} \hat{i} + \frac{4}{\sqrt{80}} \hat{k}$$

$$d_4 = D \cdot \hat{n}_4 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 8/\sqrt{80} \\ 0 \\ 4/\sqrt{80} \end{pmatrix} = \frac{16}{\sqrt{80}}$$

$$V_{\text{DEB}} = \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{\sqrt{80}}{2} \right) \left( \frac{16}{\sqrt{80}} \right) = \frac{8}{3}$$

$$\textcircled{5} \text{ DBC} \Rightarrow V_{\text{DBC}} = \frac{1}{3} |A_5 d_5|$$

$$A_5 = \frac{1}{2} |DB \times DC| = \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & 3 & -2 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} |\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}| = \frac{1}{2} (\sqrt{1+1+2^2}) = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{2}$$

$$\hat{n}_5 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \hat{i} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \hat{j} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}} \hat{k}$$

$$d_5 = D \cdot \hat{n}_5 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1/\sqrt{6} \\ 1/\sqrt{6} \\ 2/\sqrt{6} \end{pmatrix} = \frac{9}{\sqrt{6}}$$

$$V_{\text{DBC}} = \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{\sqrt{6}}{2} \right) \left( \frac{9}{\sqrt{6}} \right) = \frac{9}{6}$$

$$\textcircled{6} \text{ DCE} \Rightarrow V_{\text{DCE}} = \frac{1}{3} |A_6 d_6|$$

$$A_6 = \frac{1}{2} |DC \times DE| = \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} |-5\hat{i} - \hat{j} - 2\hat{k}| = \frac{1}{2} (\sqrt{25+1+4}) = \frac{\sqrt{30}}{2}$$

$$\hat{n}_6 = \frac{-5\hat{i}}{\sqrt{30}} - \frac{\hat{j}}{\sqrt{30}} - \frac{2\hat{k}}{\sqrt{30}}$$

$$d_6 = D \cdot \hat{n}_6 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -5/\sqrt{30} \\ -1/\sqrt{30} \\ -2/\sqrt{30} \end{pmatrix} = \frac{-9}{\sqrt{30}}$$

$$V_{\text{DCE}} = \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{\sqrt{30}}{2} \right) \left( \frac{-9}{\sqrt{30}} \right) = \frac{-9}{6}$$

$$V_{\text{total}} = \frac{8}{3} + \frac{9}{6} - \frac{9}{6} = \frac{8}{3}$$