



NOTE #2: EXAM 01 REVIEW

Problem 1. (a) What is the radius of the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 2x + 4y - 6z - 2 = 0$?

$$x^2 + 2ax = (x+a)^2 - a^2$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (x^2 - 2x) + (y^2 + 4y) + (z^2 - 6z) - 2 = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (x-1)^2 - 1 + (y+2)^2 - 4 + (z-3)^2 - 9 - 2 = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (x-1)^2 + (y+2)^2 + (z-3)^2 = 16$$

$$\text{center: } (1, -2, 3)$$

$$\text{radius: } \sqrt{16} = 4$$

(b) What is the intersection of the sphere with the xz -plane?

$$(x-1)^2 + (0+2)^2 + (z-3)^2 = 16$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (x-1)^2 + (z-3)^2 = 12$$

\Rightarrow circle with the center at $(1, 0, 3)$ and radius $\sqrt{12}$ on the xz plane

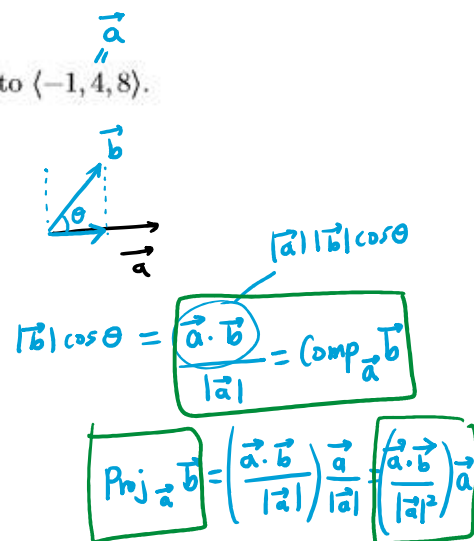
Problem 2. Find the scalar and vector projection of $\langle 12, 1, 2 \rangle$ onto $\langle -1, 4, 8 \rangle$.

$$\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = (12)(-1) + (1)(4) + (2)(8) = -12 + 4 + 16 = 8$$

$$|\vec{a}| = \sqrt{1^2 + 4^2 + 8^2} = \sqrt{1 + 16 + 64} = \sqrt{81} = 9$$

$$\text{Comp}_{\vec{a}} \vec{b} = \frac{8}{9}$$

$$\text{Proj}_{\vec{a}} \vec{b} = \frac{8}{9^2} \vec{a} = \frac{8}{81} \langle -1, 4, 8 \rangle$$



2 $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$ are three dimensional vectors

Problem 3. Which of the following expressions are meaningful? Select all.

- (a) $(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}) \cdot \vec{c}$ (b) $\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} \cdot \vec{c})$ (c) $|\vec{a}|(\vec{b} \cdot \vec{c})$ (d) $\vec{a} \cdot (\vec{b} + \vec{c})$ (e) $(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}) \times (\vec{c} \cdot \vec{d})$
- $\underbrace{3d \cdot 3d}_{1d \cdot 3d}$ \times not meaningful
 $\underbrace{3d \times 1d}_{\times}$ not meaningful
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 $\underbrace{3d \cdot 3d}_{\text{meaningful}}$
 $\underbrace{1d \times 1d}_{\text{not meaningful}}$

$|\vec{a}|(\vec{b} \times \vec{c})$ meaningful
 $(1d)(3d)$

Problem 4. Which of the following statements is correct?

- (a) $\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$ and $\vec{i} - \vec{j} + \vec{k}$ are parallel
 (b) $2\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$ and $-2\vec{i} + \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$ are orthogonal
 (c) None of the above

$\langle a_1, a_2, a_3 \rangle = c \langle b_1, b_2, b_3 \rangle$
 $= \langle cb_1, cb_2, cb_3 \rangle$
 \Rightarrow parallel

$\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 0 \Rightarrow$ orthogonal
 (perpendicular)

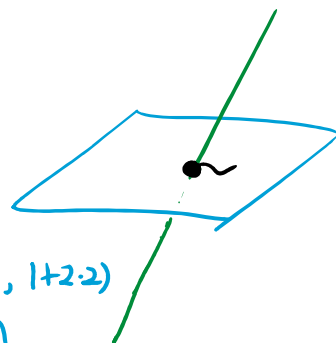
(a) $\langle 1, 2, 1 \rangle$ \times not parallel
 $\langle 1, -1, 1 \rangle$

(b) $\langle 2, 2, 1 \rangle \cdot \langle -2, 1, 2 \rangle = (2)(-2) + (2)(1) + (1)(2) = -4 + 2 + 2 = 0$
 \Rightarrow orthogonal

Problem 5. Find the point at which the line $x = 2 - t$, $y = 3t$, $z = 1 + 2t$ intersects the plane $2x + 3y - z = 13$.

$2(2-t) + 3(3t) - (1+2t) = 13$
 $\Leftrightarrow 4 - 2t + 9t - 1 - 2t = 13$
 $\Leftrightarrow 5t = 10$
 $\Leftrightarrow t = 2$

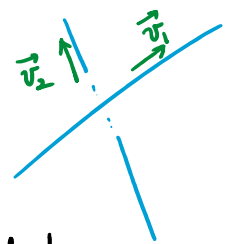
$(x, y, z) = (2-2, 3 \cdot 2, 1+2 \cdot 2)$
 $= (0, 6, 5)$



Problem 6. Are these skew lines (do not intersect and are not parallel)?

$$L_1: x = 1 + 2t, \quad y = -2 - t, \quad z = 3 + 4t$$

$$L_2: x = s, \quad y = 2 - s, \quad z = -3 - s$$



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direction vectors $\begin{cases} \vec{v}_1 = \langle 2, -1, 4 \rangle \\ \vec{v}_2 = \langle 1, -1, -1 \rangle \end{cases}$

$\begin{matrix} \times 2 \uparrow \\ \times 1 \uparrow \end{matrix} \rightarrow$ not parallel!

By Ⓐ & Ⓑ, L_1 and L_2 are skew!

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$$x: 1 + 2t = s \Leftrightarrow 2t - s = -1 \dots \textcircled{1}$$

$$y: -2 - t = 2 - s \Leftrightarrow -t + s = 4 \dots \textcircled{2}$$

$$z: 3 + 4t = -3 - s \Leftrightarrow 4t + s = -6 \dots \textcircled{3}$$

$$\textcircled{1} + \textcircled{2}: t = 3 \quad \textcircled{2}: s = 7$$

$$\textcircled{3}: (4)(3) + 7 = 19 \neq -6 \Rightarrow \text{no solution!}$$

\Rightarrow no intersecting pt!

Problem 7. a) Find a (scalar) equation of the plane that passes through the points $P(2, 1, 3)$, $Q(3, -1, 2)$, and $R(4, 2, 4)$.

$$\vec{PQ} = Q - P = \langle 3 - 2, -1 - 1, 2 - 3 \rangle = \langle 1, -2, -1 \rangle$$

$$\vec{PR} = R - P = \langle 4 - 2, 2 - 1, 4 - 3 \rangle = \langle 2, 1, 1 \rangle$$

$$\vec{n} = \vec{PQ} \times \vec{PR} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & -2 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = ((-2)(1) - (-1)(1))\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$$

$$= -\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$$

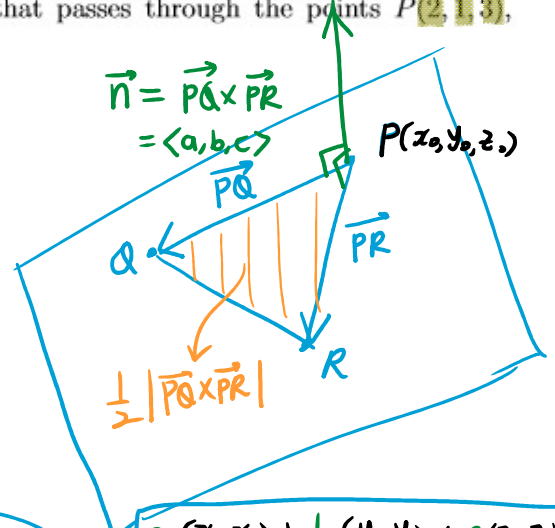
$$-(x - 2) - 3(y - 1) + 5(z - 3) = 0$$

b) Find the area of the triangle determined by P, Q, R .

$$|\vec{n}| = \sqrt{1^2 + 3^2 + 5^2} = \sqrt{35}$$

$$\text{Area} = \frac{\sqrt{35}}{2}$$

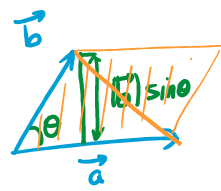
$$\vec{n} = \vec{PQ} \times \vec{PR} = \langle a, b, c \rangle$$



$$a(x - x_0) + b(y - y_0) + c(z - z_0) = 0$$

$$-x + 2 - 3y + 3 + 5z - 15 = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow -x - 3y + 5z - 10 = 0$$

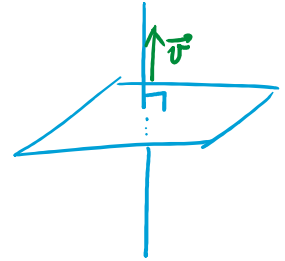
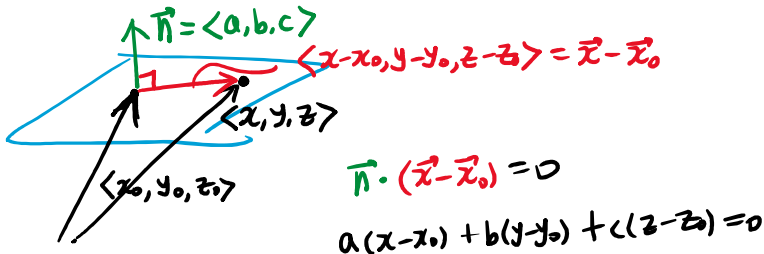


$$|\vec{a} \times \vec{b}| = |\vec{a}| |\vec{b}| \sin \theta$$

Problem 8. Find the equation of the following planes.

- a) The plane passes through the point $(2, 1, -9)$ and is perpendicular to the line $x = 1 + 2t, y = -1 + 3t, z = 5t$.

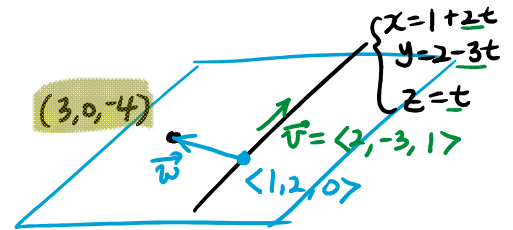
$$-2(x-2) + 3(y-1) + 5(z+9) = 0$$



- b) The plane passes through the point $(3, 0, -4)$ and contains line $x = 1 + 2t, y = 2 - 3t, z = t$.

$$\vec{w} = \langle 3, 0, -4 \rangle - \langle 1, 2, 0 \rangle = \langle 2, -2, -4 \rangle$$

$$\vec{v} \times \vec{w} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 2 & -3 & 1 \\ 2 & -2 & -4 \end{vmatrix} = 14\hat{i} + 10\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$$



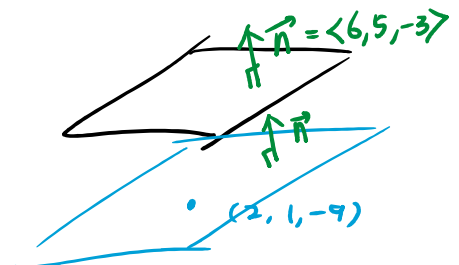
$$14(x-3) + 10(y-0) + 2(z+4) = 0$$

$$ax + by + cz + d = 0$$

- c) The plane passes through the point $(2, 1, -9)$ and is parallel to $6x + 5y = 3z + 5$.

$$\Leftrightarrow 6x + 5y - 3z - 5 = 0$$

$$6(x-2) + 5(y-1) - 3(z+9) = 0$$



Problem 9. Consider the planes $x + y + z = 2$ and $x + 2y + 2z = 1$.

a) Find the angle between the planes.

$\vec{n}_1 = \langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle$ $\vec{n}_1 \cdot \vec{n}_2 = |\vec{n}_1| |\vec{n}_2| \cos \theta$

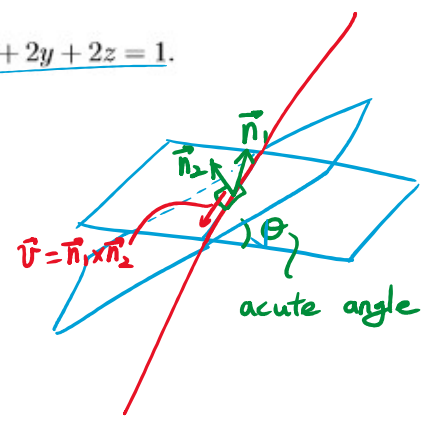
$\vec{n}_2 = \langle 1, 2, 2 \rangle$

$\vec{n}_1 \cdot \vec{n}_2 = 1 \cdot 1 + 1 \cdot 2 + 1 \cdot 2 = 5 > 0$

$|\vec{n}_1| = \sqrt{1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{3}$

$|\vec{n}_2| = \sqrt{1^2 + 2^2 + 2^2} = \sqrt{9} = 3$

$\cos \theta = \frac{\vec{n}_1 \cdot \vec{n}_2}{|\vec{n}_1| |\vec{n}_2|} = \frac{5}{3\sqrt{3}}$ $\theta = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{5}{3\sqrt{3}}\right)$



b) Find the line of intersection of these two planes.

$\vec{v} = \vec{n}_1 \times \vec{n}_2 = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = -\hat{j} + \hat{k}$

$x=0: \begin{cases} y+z=2 \\ 2y+2z=1 \end{cases} \times \text{no solution}$

$y=0: \begin{cases} x+z=2 \dots ① \\ x+2z=1 \dots ② \end{cases} \begin{matrix} ② - ①: z = -1 \\ ①: x = 3 \end{matrix}$
 $\boxed{(3, 0, -1)}$... a pt on the line

$\langle x, y, z \rangle = \langle x_0, y_0, z_0 \rangle + t \langle a, b, c \rangle$
 $\vec{r} = \vec{r}_0 + t \vec{v}$
 $\langle x, y, z \rangle = \langle 3, 0, -1 \rangle + t \langle 0, -1, 1 \rangle$

Vector equation
 $x=3, y=-t, z=-1+t$

Parametric eqns
 $x=3 \quad t = \frac{y}{-1} = z+1$

Symmetric eqn.

Problem 10. Find the domain of the vector function $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle \frac{t-3}{t-2}, \sin(\sqrt{t+3}), \ln(16-t^2) \rangle$.

$\frac{t-3}{t-2}: t-2 \neq 0 \Leftrightarrow t \neq 2 \dots ①$

$\sin(\sqrt{t+3}): t+3 \geq 0 \Leftrightarrow t \geq -3 \dots ②$

$\ln(16-t^2): 16-t^2 > 0 \Leftrightarrow 16 > t^2 \Leftrightarrow -4 < t < 4 \dots ③$

$\begin{cases} ②+③: -3 \leq t < 4 \\ ①: \Rightarrow -3 \leq t < 2, 2 < t < 4 \end{cases}$

$\boxed{[-3, 2) \cup (2, 4)}$

Problem 11. Find $\lim_{t \rightarrow 1} \mathbf{r}(t)$ where $\mathbf{r}(t) = \left\langle \frac{\sin(\pi t)}{\ln t}, \frac{t-1}{t^2+3t-4}, te^{-2t} \right\rangle$.

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 1} \frac{\sin(\pi t)}{\ln t} \stackrel{L}{=} \lim_{t \rightarrow 1} \frac{\cos(\pi t) \cdot \pi}{\frac{1}{t}} = \frac{\cos(\pi) \cdot \pi}{\frac{1}{1}} = -\pi$$

$$\lim \frac{f}{g} = \lim \frac{f'}{g'}$$

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 1} \frac{t-1}{t^2+3t-4} \stackrel{L}{=} \lim_{t \rightarrow 1} \frac{1}{2t+3} = \frac{1}{2+3} = \frac{1}{5}$$

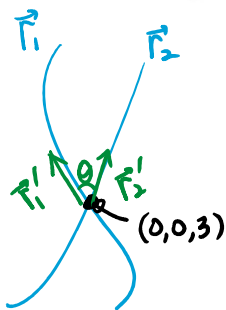
$$\text{if } \lim \frac{f}{g} = \frac{\infty}{\infty} \text{ or } \frac{0}{0}$$

L'Hopital.

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 1} te^{-2t} = e^{-2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\langle -\pi, \frac{1}{5}, e^{-2} \rangle}$$

Problem 12. Given the curves $\mathbf{r}_1(t) = \langle 1 - \cos t, t, 3 - t \rangle$ and $\mathbf{r}_2(s) = \langle s^2, \sin(s), 3 + s \rangle$ intersect at the point $(0, 0, 3)$, find the angle of intersection of the two curves.



$$\mathbf{r}_1: t=0 \quad \mathbf{r}_2: s^2=0 \Leftrightarrow s=0$$

$$\mathbf{r}_1' = \langle \sin t, 1, -1 \rangle \quad \mathbf{r}_2' = \langle 2s, \cos(s), 1 \rangle$$

$$\mathbf{r}_1'(0) = \langle 0, 1, -1 \rangle \quad \mathbf{r}_2'(0) = \langle 0, 1, 1 \rangle$$

$$|\mathbf{r}_1'| = \sqrt{1^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{2}$$

$$|\mathbf{r}_2'| = \sqrt{1^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\mathbf{r}_1' \cdot \mathbf{r}_2' = (0)(0) + (1)(1) + (-1)(1) = 0 \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

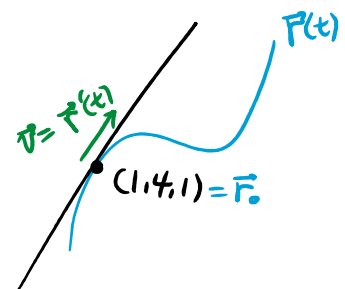
Problem 13. Find parametric equations for the tangent line to the space curve

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle 2t^2 + t + 1, \sqrt{9t + 16}, e^{t^2-t} \rangle \text{ at the point } (1, 4, 1).$$

$$\mathbf{r}'(t) = \langle 4t + 1, \frac{1}{2}(9t + 16)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot 9, e^{t^2-t} \cdot (2t - 1) \rangle$$

$$\sqrt{9t + 16} = 4 \Leftrightarrow 9t + 16 = 16 \Leftrightarrow t = 0$$

$$\mathbf{r}'(0) = \langle 1, \frac{9}{8}, -1 \rangle$$

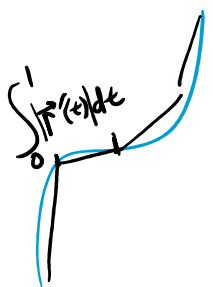


$$\begin{cases} x = 1 + t \\ y = 4 + \frac{9}{8}t \\ z = 1 - t \end{cases}$$

Problem 14. Find the unit tangent vector $\mathbf{T}(t)$ to the curve $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle \sin(2t), -\cos(2t), 4t \rangle$ at the point $(0, 1, 2\pi)$.

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{T}(t) &= \frac{\mathbf{r}'(t)}{|\mathbf{r}'(t)|} \\ \mathbf{r}'(t) &= \langle \cos(2t) \cdot 2, \sin(2t) \cdot 2, 4 \rangle \\ 4t = 2\pi &\Leftrightarrow t = \frac{\pi}{2} \\ \mathbf{r}'\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) &= \langle \cos(\pi) \cdot 2, \sin(\pi) \cdot 2, 4 \rangle = \langle -2, 0, 4 \rangle \\ \mathbf{T} &= \frac{\langle -2, 0, 4 \rangle}{\sqrt{2^2 + 4^2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{20}} \langle -2, 0, 4 \rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \langle -1, 0, 2 \rangle\end{aligned}$$

Problem 15. Find the length of the curve $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle 6t, t^2, \frac{1}{9}t^3 \rangle, 0 \leq t \leq 1$.



$$\begin{aligned}\int_0^1 |\mathbf{r}'(t)| dt &= \int_0^1 \left(6 + \frac{t^2}{3} \right) dt \\ &= \left[6t + \frac{t^3}{9} \right]_0^1 \\ &= 6 + \frac{1}{9} = \frac{55}{9}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}|\mathbf{r}'(t)| &= \left| \langle 6, 2t, \frac{1}{3}t^2 \rangle \right| \\ &= \sqrt{6^2 + (2t)^2 + \left(\frac{t^2}{3}\right)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{36 + 4t^2 + \frac{t^4}{9}} \\ &= \sqrt{\left(6 + \frac{t^2}{3}\right)^2} \\ &= 6 + \frac{t^2}{3}\end{aligned}$$

Problem 16. Find the curvature, κ , of $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle \cos t, \sin t, 0 \rangle$.

$$\begin{aligned}K &= \frac{|\mathbf{r}' \times \mathbf{r}''|}{|\mathbf{r}'|^3} \\ \mathbf{r}' &= \langle -\sin t, \cos t, 0 \rangle \\ \mathbf{r}'' &= \langle -\cos t, -\sin t, 0 \rangle \\ \mathbf{r}' \times \mathbf{r}'' &= \begin{vmatrix} +\hat{i} & -\hat{j} & +\hat{k} \\ -\sin t & \cos t & 0 \\ -\cos t & -\sin t & 0 \end{vmatrix} = \hat{k} \\ |\mathbf{r}'(t)| &= \sqrt{\sin^2 t + \cos^2 t + 0^2} = \sqrt{1} = 1 \\ K &= \frac{|\hat{k}|}{1^3} = \frac{1}{1} = 1\end{aligned}$$

Problem 17. Given the velocity vector $\mathbf{v}(t) = \langle te^{-t}, \sin(2t), 3t^2 \rangle$ and $\mathbf{r}(0) = 2\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}$, find the position vector, $\mathbf{r}(t)$, at time t .

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = \mathbf{r}(0) + \int_0^t \mathbf{v}(s) ds$$

$$\int_0^t \underbrace{s}_{f'} \underbrace{e^{-s}}_g ds = \underbrace{[s(-e^{-s})]_0^t}_{fg} - \int_0^t \underbrace{1}_{f'} \underbrace{(-e^{-s})}_g ds = -te^{-t} + \int_0^t e^{-s} ds = -te^{-t} - [e^{-s}]_0^t$$

$$= -te^{-t} - e^{-t} + 1$$

$$\int_0^t \sin(2s) ds = \left[-\frac{\cos(2s)}{2} \right]_0^t = -\frac{1}{2}(\cos(2t) - 1)$$

$$\int_0^t 3s^2 ds = [s^3]_0^t = t^3$$

$$= \langle 2, 1, -1 \rangle + \langle -te^{-t} - e^{-t} + 1, -\frac{1}{2}\cos(2t) + \frac{1}{2}, t^3 \rangle$$

$$= \langle -te^{-t} - e^{-t} + 3, -\frac{1}{2}\cos(2t) + \frac{3}{2}, t^3 - 1 \rangle$$