

This exam contains 7 pages (including this cover page) and 9 problems. Check to see if any pages are missing. Enter all requested information on the top of this page, and **put your initials** on the top of every page, in case the pages become separated.

You may *not* use your books, notes, or any calculator on this exam.

You are required to show your work on each problem on this exam. The following rules apply:

- **If you are applying a theorem, you should indicate this fact**, and explain why the theorem may be applied.
- **Do not trivialize a problem.** If you are asked to prove a theorem, you cannot just cite that theorem.
- **Organize your work** in a reasonable, tidy, and coherent way. Work that is disorganized and jumbled that lacks clear reasoning will receive little or no credit.
- **Unsupported answers will not receive full credit.** An answer must be supported by calculations, explanation, and/or algebraic work to receive full credit. Partial credit may be given to well-argued incorrect answers as well.
- If you need more space, use the back of the pages. **Clearly indicate when you have done this.**

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You may use the following matrices and computations on the exam without defining or proving them.

$$R_\theta = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}, \quad F_\theta = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(2\theta) & \sin(2\theta) \\ \sin(2\theta) & -\cos(2\theta) \end{bmatrix}, \quad R_\varphi R_\theta = R_{\varphi+\theta}, \quad F_\varphi F_\theta = R_{2(\varphi-\theta)}$$

$$\cos(2\theta) = \cos^2(\theta) - \sin^2(\theta), \quad \sin(2\theta) = 2\sin(\theta)\cos(\theta)$$

1. Let  $\ell$  be the line  $(5, 12) \cdot X = 17$ .

(a) (4 points) Find a parametric representation of  $\ell$ .

$$(5, 12) \cdot (1, 1) = 17, \text{ so } (1, 1) \text{ is on line.}$$

$$(5, 12) \perp \ell, \text{ so } (-12, 5) \parallel \ell$$

$$\ell = \{ (1, 1) + s(-12, 5) : s \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

(other answers possible)

Other pts / slopes:

$$u = \pm (-12/s, 1)$$

$$p = (17/s, 0), (0, 17/12)$$

(b) (4 points) Find a special normal form of  $\ell$ .

$$\text{Need a unit length normal vector: } \frac{(5, 12)}{\sqrt{25+144}} = \frac{(5, 12)}{\sqrt{169}} = \left( \frac{5}{13}, \frac{12}{13} \right)$$

So take eqn for  $\ell$ , divide both sides by 13:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{13} (5, 12) \cdot X &= 17 \\ \left( \frac{5}{13}, \frac{12}{13} \right) \cdot X &= \frac{17}{13} \end{aligned}$$

Other answers possible, e.g.

$$\left( \frac{5}{13}, \frac{12}{13} \right) \cdot (X - (1, 1)) = 0.$$

2. (6 points) Prove that  $\overline{PQ} = \{aP + bQ \mid a + b = 1, a, b \geq 0\}$ .

$$\text{We know } \overline{PQ} = \{P + s(Q - P) \mid 0 \leq s \leq 1\}$$

$$= \{(1-s)P + sQ \mid 0 \leq s \leq 1\}$$

$$= \{aP + bQ \mid a = 1-b, 0 \leq b \leq 1\} \quad b=s, a=1-s$$

$$= \{aP + bQ \mid a+b=1, a, b \geq 0\} \quad \text{if } a=1-b \text{ and } 0 \leq b \leq 1, a \in [0, 1] \text{ too.}$$

3. Recall that  $\arccos z = \int_z^1 \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-t^2}} dt$  and we define  $\pi = \int_{-1}^1 \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-t^2}} dt$ .

- (a) (6 points) Let rays  $p$  and  $q$  emanate from a common vertex, with direction indicators  $(1, 3)$  and  $(2, -1)$ . Find  $|\angle(p, q)|$ . An answer with an integral is fine.

$$u \cdot v = \frac{(1, 3)}{\sqrt{10}} \cdot \frac{(2, -1)}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{50}} = \frac{-1}{2\sqrt{5}}$$

$$|\angle(p, q)| = \int_{-1/(2\sqrt{5})}^1 \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-t^2}} dt$$

- (b) (6 points) Use calculus to prove that  $\arccos 0 = \pi/2$ .

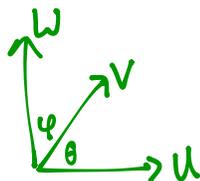
$$\arccos 0 = \int_0^1 \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-t^2}} dt = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-1}^1 \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-t^2}} dt = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

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- (c) (6 points) Prove  $\arccos \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \pi/4$  using the methods of this course.

Let  $u = (1, 0)$ ,  $v = (1/\sqrt{2}, 1/\sqrt{2})$ ,  $w = (0, 1)$  be unit DIs for angles with measure  $\theta, \varphi$

as shown. Then  $\theta = \varphi$ , since



$$\begin{aligned} \theta &= \arccos(u \cdot v) = \arccos(1/\sqrt{2}) \\ \varphi &= \arccos(v \cdot w) = \arccos(1/\sqrt{2}) \end{aligned} \quad \left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} \theta &= \arccos(u \cdot v) = \arccos(1/\sqrt{2}) \\ \varphi &= \arccos(v \cdot w) = \arccos(1/\sqrt{2}) \end{aligned}} \right\} \text{same}$$

We also see  $\theta + \varphi = \arccos(u \cdot w) = \arccos(0) = \pi/2$

Thus  $\theta + \varphi = 2\theta = \pi/2$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \arccos(1/\sqrt{2}) = \pi/4.$$

4. (8 points) Prove  $|\angle ABC| = |\angle DBE|$  using the definitions and methods of this course.

Let  $U = \frac{A-B}{\|A-B\|}$ ,  $V = \frac{C-B}{\|C-B\|}$ . Then  $U, V$  are

unit DI's for  $|\angle ABC|$ , and  $-U, -V$  are unit

DI's for  $|\angle DBE|$ . Thus

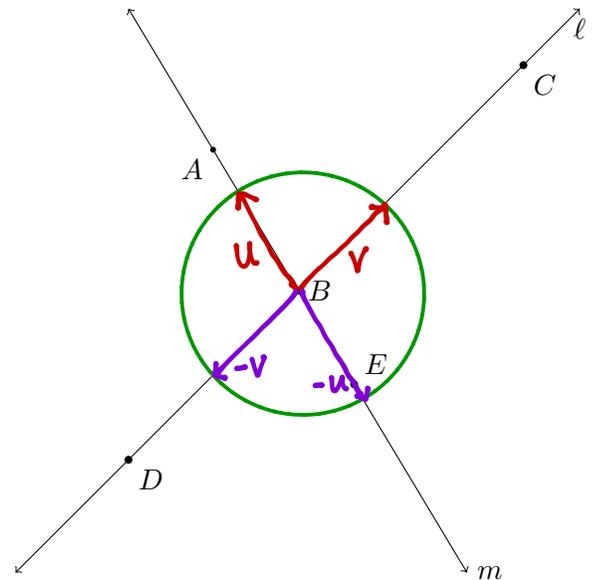
$$|\angle ABC| = \arccos(U \cdot V)$$

$$|\angle DBE| = \arccos((-U) \cdot (-V))$$

$$= \arccos(U \cdot V)$$

$$= |\angle ABC|,$$

as desired.



5. (5 points) Given two vectors  $U$  and  $V$ , prove  $\|U + V\|^2 = \|U\|^2 + \|V\|^2 + 2U \cdot V$  using methods from class.

$$\|u+v\|^2 = (u+v) \cdot (u+v)$$

$$= u \cdot u + u \cdot v + v \cdot u + v \cdot v$$

$$= \|u\|^2 + \|v\|^2 + 2u \cdot v$$

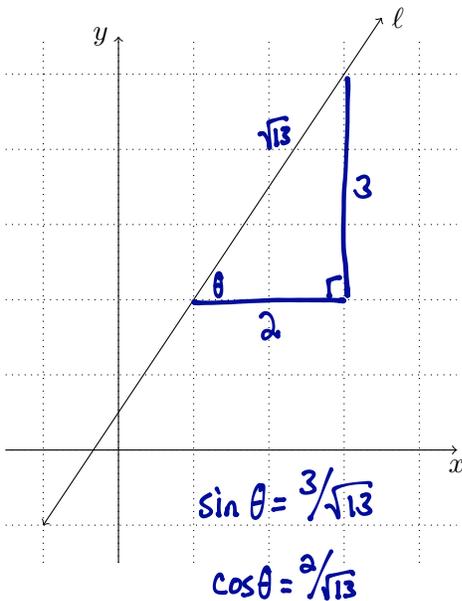
6. (a) (4 points) Complete the definition:  $\mathcal{U}(X)$  is an isometry of  $\mathbb{R}^2$  if...

$$\|\mathcal{U}(P) - \mathcal{U}(Q)\| = \|P - Q\| \quad \forall P, Q \in \mathbb{R}^2$$

(b) (6 points) Let  $\mathcal{U}$  and  $\mathcal{V}$  be isometries of  $\mathbb{R}^2$ . Prove that the composition  $\mathcal{U} \circ \mathcal{V}$  is an isometry.

$$\begin{aligned} \|\mathcal{U}(\mathcal{V}(P)) - \mathcal{U}(\mathcal{V}(Q))\| &= \|\mathcal{V}(P) - \mathcal{V}(Q)\| && \text{b/c } \mathcal{U} \text{ is an isometry} \\ &= \|P - Q\| && \text{b/c } \mathcal{V} \text{ is an isometry} \end{aligned}$$

(c) (12 points) Let  $\ell = \{(1, 2) + t(2, 3)\}$ , where  $t \in \mathbb{R}$ . Find the matrix formula  $\mathcal{M}_\ell(X)$  for the reflection across the line  $\ell$ . Your answer should include exact values in the matrix, not trig functions, but you do not need to multiply out your entire formula.



$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{M}_\ell(X) &= F_\theta(X - P) + P \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -5/13 & 12/13 \\ 12/13 & 5/13 \end{bmatrix} \left( X - \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right) + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\cos 2\theta = \frac{4}{13} - \frac{9}{13} = -\frac{5}{13}$$

$$\sin 2\theta = 2 \cdot \frac{3 \cdot 2}{13} = \frac{12}{13}$$

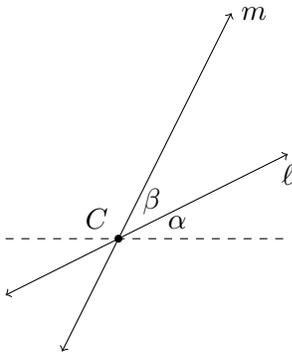
7. (10 points) Find the matrix formula  $\mathcal{R}(X)$  for the rotation by  $2\pi/3 = 120^\circ$  centered at the point  $(-3, 4)$ . Your answer should include exact values in the matrix, not trig functions, but you do not need to multiply out your entire formula.

$$\mathcal{R}(X) = R_\theta(X-C) + C = \begin{bmatrix} -1/2 & -\sqrt{3}/2 \\ \sqrt{3}/2 & -1/2 \end{bmatrix} \left( X - \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} \right) + \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_{2\pi/3} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos 2\pi/3 & -\sin 2\pi/3 \\ \sin 2\pi/3 & \cos 2\pi/3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1/2 & -\sqrt{3}/2 \\ \sqrt{3}/2 & -1/2 \end{bmatrix}$$

8. Suppose lines  $\ell$  and  $m$  intersect at  $C$ , with angles  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  as shown below.

- (a) (4 points) Write down matrix formulas for  $\mathcal{M}_\ell(X)$  and  $\mathcal{M}_m(X)$ , the reflections across these lines. Make sure to define and label (on the diagram) any new letters or notation you introduce, such as  $\theta$ .



$$\mathcal{M}_\ell(X) = F_\alpha(X-C) + C$$

$$\mathcal{M}_m(X) = F_{\alpha+\beta}(X-C) + C$$

- (b) (7 points) Now consider the composition  $\mathcal{M}_m \circ \mathcal{M}_\ell(X) = \mathcal{M}_m(\mathcal{M}_\ell(X))$ . Use the methods of this course (and your answers to the previous part) to identify the resulting isometry. If it is a translation, what is the translation vector? If it is a rotation, by how much, and centered at which point? If it is a reflection, what is the mirror? Citing the answer from memory will result in a few points; for full credit you must justify your answer.

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{M}_m \circ \mathcal{M}_\ell(X) &= \mathcal{M}_m(F_\alpha(X-C) + C) \\ &= F_{\alpha+\beta}([F_\alpha(X-C) + C] - C) + C \\ &\quad \text{cancel} \\ &= R_{2(\alpha+\beta-\alpha)}(X-C) + C \\ &\quad \text{by given info on cover page} \\ &= R_{2\beta}(X-C) + C \end{aligned}$$

i.e. rotation by  $2\beta$ , centered at  $C$ .

9. (12 points) Indicate whether each statement is **True** or **False** by circling the appropriate answer. Justify your answer with definitions, theorems and methods from this course. (If false, **be specific** with your explanation; e.g. tell me what part of a definition is not satisfied, or give an example to show the statement is false, etc.)

(a) For any  $A, B$  and  $C$ , the barycentric coordinates of the origin  $(0,0)$  are always  $(0,0,0)^{\triangle ABC}$ .

True

**False**

$(0,0,0)^{\triangle}$  not valid BC's, because  $0+0+0 \neq 1$ .

(b) If  $\mathcal{U}(X)$  is an isometry, then  $\mathcal{U}(aP + bQ) = a\mathcal{U}(P) + b\mathcal{U}(Q)$  for all  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $P, Q \in \mathbb{R}^2$ .

True

**False**

Only valid in general if  $a+b=1$ .

Counter-example:  $P=(0,0), Q=(0,1), \mathcal{U}(X)=X+(1,0), a=b=1$

$$\mathcal{U}(aP+bQ) = \mathcal{U}((0,1)) = (1,1)$$

$$1 \cdot \mathcal{U}(0,0) + 1 \cdot \mathcal{U}(0,1) = (1,0) + (1,1) = (2,1)$$

(c) In a glide reflection, the "glide" is always perpendicular to the mirror line.

True

**False**

The glide is  $\parallel$  mirror, not  $\perp$ .