

# MTH241 Fall 2024: Quiz 01

Name: One piece

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Closed book, no calculator, show your work clearly.

1. (5pt) Show that  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 2x - 4y + 6z - 8 = 0$  is the equation of a sphere. Find the center and radius of this sphere. (Grading: **1pt**: working; **2pt**: proof; **2pt**: center and radius)

$$(x^2 + 2x + 1) - 1 + (y^2 - 4y + 4) - 4 + (z^2 + 6z + 9) - 9 - 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x+1)^2 + (y-2)^2 + (z+3)^2 = 22$$

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

$$\text{radius} = \sqrt{22}$$

2. (5pt) Let  $\vec{a} = \vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$ , and  $\vec{b} = 4\vec{i} + 5\vec{j} + 6\vec{k}$ . Find the projection of  $\vec{a}$  onto  $\vec{b}$  and the projection of  $\vec{b}$  onto  $\vec{a}$ . (Grading: **1pt**: working; **2pt**: first projection; **2pt**: second projection)

$$\bullet \vec{a} = (1, 2, 3) \rightsquigarrow \|\vec{a}\| = \sqrt{1+4+9} = \sqrt{14}$$

$$\vec{b} = (4, 5, 6) \rightsquigarrow \|\vec{b}\| = \sqrt{16+25+36} = \sqrt{77}$$

$$\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 4 + 10 + 18 = 32$$

$$\bullet \text{pr}_{\vec{b}} \vec{a} = \frac{\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}}{\|\vec{b}\|^2} \vec{b} = \frac{32}{77} \vec{b}$$

$$\bullet \text{pr}_{\vec{a}} \vec{b} = \frac{\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}}{\|\vec{a}\|^2} \vec{a} = \frac{32}{14} \vec{a} = \frac{16}{7} \vec{a}$$