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## M20550 Calculus III Tutorial Worksheet 3

- 1. Find an equation of the tangent line to the space curve  $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle e^t, 3t, \sin t \rangle$  at the point  $(e^{\pi}, 3\pi, 0)$ .
- 2. Find the distance from the point (1,0,0) to the space curve given by  $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle e^t, \sin t, \cos t \rangle$ .
- 3. Find  $\mathbf{r}(t)$  if  $\mathbf{r}''(t) = 2\sec^2 t \tan t \mathbf{i}$ ,  $\mathbf{r}(0) = 2\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}$ , and  $\mathbf{r}'(0) = \mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$ .
- 4. Find the unit tangent vector, the principal unit normal vector, and the unit binormal vectors to the curve  $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle \cos 3t, \sin 2t, t^3 \rangle$  at  $t = \pi$ .
- 5. Find the equation for the normal and osculating planes to the curve  $\mathbf{r}(t) = \arctan t\mathbf{i} + \sin t\mathbf{j} + \cos t\mathbf{k}$  at the point (0,0,1). Challenge: Without graphin' software, sketch the curve. Can you describe the limit as  $t \to \pm \infty$ ?
- 6. Find the length of the curve  $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle \sin t, \cos t, 2t \rangle$  from (0, 1, 0) to  $(0, 1, 4\pi)$ .
- 7. A particle moves with position function  $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle \sin t, \cos t, \sin^2 t \rangle$ . Find the tangential and normal components of acceleration when  $t = \pi/4$ .