

**Math 54**  
Review

1. Have you taken Math 53 (or a multivariable calculus course)?
2. Have you taken a linear algebra course before?
3. Graph the lines  $x + y = 1$  and  $2x - y = 5$  and find their point of intersection.

4. Give an example of a line orthogonal to  $x + 3y = 2$ .

5. In the same picture, graph the lines  $x+2y = n$  for  $n$  in the set  $\{-2, -1, 0, 1, 2\}$ .

6. Sketch the region of the plane given by

$$x + y \geq 0$$

$$x - y \geq 0$$

7. What point on the line  $x + 2y = 2$  is closest to the origin?

8. Graph the plane  $x + 2y + 3z = 1$ .

9. Let  $L$  be the line given by

$$\begin{aligned}x &= 0 \\y + z &= 2\end{aligned}$$

Let  $P$  be the plane given by

$$x + y + z = 0$$

Find the point(s) where they intersect.

10. Sketch the region of 3-dimensional space given by

$$\begin{aligned}x &\geq 0 \\y &\geq 0 \\z &\geq 0\end{aligned}$$

11. Let  $R$  be the region of the previous problem. Find the point on  $R$  closest to the point  $(1, -1, 3)$ . Find the point on  $R$  closest to the point  $(-1, -2, -1)$ . Which one is closer to  $R$ ?

12. Multiply the matrices

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

13. What sort of shape does

$$f(t) = (t, 1 - t, 0)$$

describe?

14. Let  $1 + i$  and  $1 + 2i$  be complex numbers. What is their product?

15. Plot  $e^{\pi i/3}$  in the complex plane.

16. Let  $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$ . How does multiplication by  $e^{i\theta}$  transform the complex plane?

17. Sketch a graph of the functions

$$f(x) = \frac{\sin(x)}{x}, \quad g(x) = xe^{-x}$$

18. Solve the following differential equation for  $u$ :

$$u' = u$$

19. Solve the following differential equation for  $u$ :

$$u'' = u$$

20. Solve the following differential equation for  $u$ :

$$u'' - 3u' + 2u = \cos(\pi t)$$

(here  $u$  is a function of  $t$ ).