## Worksheet, Feb 3

### 0.1. Cross Product of vectors.

(1) Find the area of the triangle with edges given by vectors

$$
\langle 1,1,1\rangle,\langle 2,-1,0\rangle
$$

(2) For which value of $a$ is the following cross product the zero vector?

$$
\langle 2,-2,3\rangle \times\langle 1,-1, a\rangle
$$

(3) For what vectors $\vec{v}, \vec{u}$ is

$$
|\vec{u} \times \vec{v}|=\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}=0
$$

### 0.2. Lines and Planes.

(1) Find a unit vector perpendicular to the plane $3 x+y-z=2$.
(2) Find a plane $P$ that contains the origin and the line $\ell$ defined by

$$
\begin{aligned}
& x=t+1 \\
& y=-1 \\
& z=-t
\end{aligned}
$$

