Worksheet, Feb 3

0.1. Cross Product of vectors.

(1) Find 2 vectors perpendicular to both \vec{v} and \vec{u} :

$$\vec{u} = \langle 1, 3, 2 \rangle$$
 $\vec{v} = \langle -1, 0, 3 \rangle$

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

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

(3) For which value of a is the following cross product the zero vector? $\langle 2,-2,3\rangle\times\langle 1,-1,a\rangle$

(4) What condition must \vec{u} and \vec{v} satisfie so that

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

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

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