

Math 1151, Lecture 010, Evaluative Exercise 6

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You have twenty-five minutes to complete the following seven problems, without using your notes or your book. You may use a scientific a calculator.

1. For the vector $v = -3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j}$, find its magnitude $|v|$ and its unit vector \hat{v} .

2. For the vectors $v = 2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j}$, and $w = 3\hat{i} + \hat{j}$,

- (a) Find $v + w$. Graph v , w , and $v + w$ on the same set of axes.
- (b) Write v as the sum of two vectors v_1 and v_2 , where v_1 is in the direction of w and v_2 is orthogonal to w . Graph v , v_1 , v_2 , and w on the same set of axes.

3. Write the first five elements of the following sequences:

(a) $\{a_n\} = \left\{ \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n} \right\}$

(b) $a_1 = 5, a_n = 2 a_{n-1}, \text{ for } n > 1$

4. Find a general formula for the n^{th} element of the sequence:

(a) $1, 3, 5, 7, 9, \dots$

(b) $-3, 9, -27, 81, \dots$

5. Find the value of the sum

$$\sum_{k=1}^8 3k + 1$$

6. Find the first element and the common difference for the arithmetic sequence $\{4 - 3n\}$.

7. **Challenge:** Find the value of the sum $7 + 11 + 15 + 19 + \cdots + 403$.