

Math 220 Quiz 1

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Name: _____

1. Consider the parametric curve $\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{f}(t) = t \mathbf{i} + \sin 2t \mathbf{j} + \cos 2t \mathbf{k}$, $t \in [0, 2\pi]$.

(a) (5 points) Find formulas for the velocity, speed and acceleration at any time t .

(b) (8 points) Determine the unit tangent vector and the tangential and normal components of acceleration at $t = \pi/4$.

(c) (7 points) Find the unit normal vector \mathbf{N} and the curvature K at $t = \pi/4$.