

**EE331 — Homework #6 / Due Wednesday, Feb. 26, 2020 at the beginning of class**

1. Given vectors  $\mathbf{A} = 4\hat{\mathbf{a}}_x - 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_y + 6\hat{\mathbf{a}}_z$  and  $\mathbf{B} = 12\hat{\mathbf{a}}_x + 18\hat{\mathbf{a}}_y - 8\hat{\mathbf{a}}_z$ , find (a) the dot product  $\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B}$ , (b) the cross product  $\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}$ , and (c) the unit vector for  $\mathbf{A}$ .
2. Given vectors  $\mathbf{A} = 4\hat{\mathbf{a}}_x - 2\hat{\mathbf{a}}_y + 6\hat{\mathbf{a}}_z$  and  $\mathbf{B} = 12\hat{\mathbf{a}}_x + 18\hat{\mathbf{a}}_y - 8\hat{\mathbf{a}}_z$ , find (a) the smaller angle between the two vectors, (b) the scalar projection of  $\mathbf{A}$  along  $\mathbf{B}$ , and (c) the vector projection of  $\mathbf{B}$  along  $\mathbf{A}$ .
3. Points 1 and 2 are given by  $P_1(3, -2, 1)$  and  $P_2(4, 6, 2)$ , respectively. Determine (a) their position vectors  $\mathbf{r}_1$  and  $\mathbf{r}_2$ , (b) the distance vector from point 1 to point 2, and (c) the distance between point 1 and point 2.