

## NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY, ISLAMABAD Assignment I (Calculus II), Spring 2019 Due Date: April 15, 2019

Q.1 A kite string exerts a 12 lb pull ( $|\mathbf{F}| = 12$ ) on a kite and makes a 45° angle with the horizontal. Find the horizontal and vertical components of  $\mathbf{F}$ .



Figure 1: Configuration of force exerted by the string.

- Q.2 A bird flies from its nest 5km in the direction  $60^{\circ}$  north of east, where it stops to rest on a tree. It then flies 10km in the direction due southeast and lands atop a telephone pole. Place an *xy*-coordinate system so that the origin is the bird's nest, the *x*-axis points east, and the *y*-axis points north. At what point is the tree located and at what point is the telephone pole?
- Q.3 Suppose that a box is being towed up an inclined plane (see, Figure 2). Find the force  $\mathbf{w}$  needed to make the component of the force parallel to the inclined plane equal to 2.5 lb.



Figure 2: Torque Exerted by **F**.

- Q.4 How much work does it take to slide a crate 20m along a loading dock by pulling on it with a 200N force at an angle of  $30^{\circ}$  from the horizontal?
- Q.5 Let P(2, -2, 1), Q(3, -1, 2), and R(3, -1, 1) be three non-colinear points. Find the area of the triangle  $\Delta PQR$ . Also find a unit vector perpendicular to the plane PQR.



Figure 3: Torque Exerted by **F**.

Q.6 Find the magnitude of the torque exerted by the force **F** on the bolt at P if  $|\vec{PQ}| = 8$  in. and  $|\mathbf{F}| = 30$  lb (see, Figure 3). Answer in foot-pounds.

"Everything looks impossible to the people who never try anything."