

Books, watches, notes or cell phones are **not** allowed. The **only** calculators allowed are the Sharp EL-531\*\*\*. You **must** show all your work, the correct answer is worth 1 mark the remaining marks are given for the work.

**Question 1.** Given  $A(1, 2, 3)$ ,  $B(0, 1, -2)$  and  $C(-1, 0, 5)$

a. (4 marks) Find the area of the triangle  $ABC$ .

b. (3 marks) Find the general and parametric equation of the plane that contains the points  $A, B$  and  $C$ .

**Question 2.** (4 marks) Simplify  $(\vec{u} + \vec{v}) \times (\vec{u} - \vec{v})$  and write as a single term.

**Questions 3.** (5 marks) Find the equation of the plane through the point  $P(1, 3, 1)$  that is parallel to the line  $(x, y, z) = (4, 0, 4) + t(-2, 1, 2) \quad t \in \mathbb{R}$  and perpendicular to the plane  $3x - 5y + 2z = 13$ .