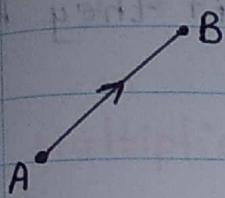


Vector

Vector quantities are those quantities that have magnitude and direction. It is generally represented by directed line segment.

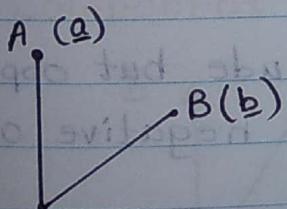


We represent a vector as \vec{AB} , where initial point of vector is denoted by A and the terminal point by B. magnitude of $\vec{AB} = |\vec{AB}|$. But scalar has only magnitude.

Position Vector

Let us denote by origin as 'O' such that this is a direct point. There is a point, say P at a distance from O have the position vector of point P is given by the vector \vec{OP} .

\underline{a} , \vec{a} , \vec{AB} , a



\underline{a} and \underline{b} which represent the position vectors of two points A and B.

Then we can write $\vec{AB} = (\underline{b} - \underline{a})$

Type of vectors

1. zero vectors

It has zero magnitude. This means that vector has the same initial and terminal point. It is denoted by \vec{O} or $\underline{0}$. The direction zero vector is indeterminate.

2. Unit vector

It has a unit magnitude and unit vector in direction of a vector \underline{a} is denoted by \hat{a} and symbolically as, $\hat{a} = \frac{\underline{a}}{|\underline{a}|}$

3. Co-initial vector

Two or more vectors are said to be co-initial if they have the same initial point.

4. Equal vector

Two vectors are said to be equal if they have the same magnitude and direction.

5. Collinear vectors

Two or more vectors are said to be collinear if they are parallel to the same line irrespective of their direction. They are also called parallel vectors.

6. Coplanar vectors

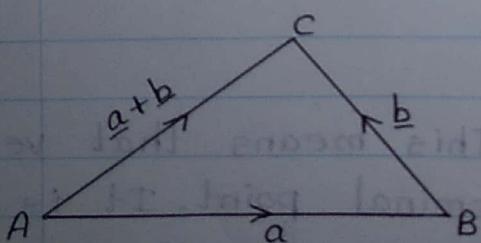
Those vectors which lie on the same plane and they are all parallel to the same plane.

7. Negative vectors

$$\vec{AB} \rightarrow -\vec{AB}$$

A vector which has same magnitude but opposite direction to another vector is called negative of that vector.

Triangle Law



$$\vec{AC} = \vec{a} + \vec{b}$$

$$\vec{AB} = \vec{a}$$

$$\vec{BC} = \vec{b}$$

Consider a triangle ABC. Let the sum of two vectors \vec{a} and \vec{b} be represented by \vec{c} .

The position vectors are represented by \vec{AB} , \vec{BC} &

$$\vec{AC} = \vec{AB} + \vec{BC}$$

Properties of vector addition

- Commutative property $\underline{a} + \underline{b} = \underline{b} + \underline{a}$
- Associative property $(\underline{a} + \underline{b}) + \underline{c} = \underline{a} + (\underline{b} + \underline{c})$
- zero is the additive identity $\underline{a} + \underline{0} = \underline{0} + \underline{a} = \underline{a}$
- $\underline{a} + (-\underline{a}) = \underline{0}$

Multiplication of a vector by scalar

If \underline{a} is a vector and m is a scalar. Then the product is $m\underline{a}$.

If \underline{a} and \underline{b} are vectors and m and n are scalars, then

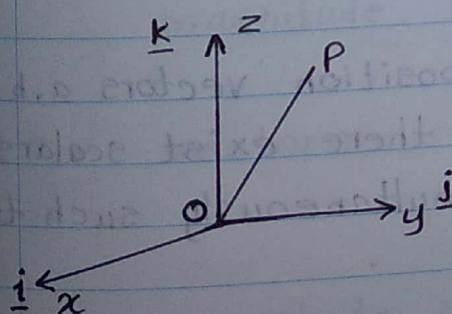
$$\text{I } m(\underline{a}) = (\underline{a})m = m\underline{a}$$

$$\text{II } m(n\underline{a}) = n(m\underline{a}) = mn\underline{a}$$

$$\text{III } m(\underline{a} + \underline{b}) = m\underline{a} + m\underline{b}$$

$$\text{IV } (m+n)\underline{a} = m\underline{a} + n\underline{a}$$

Component form of Vectors



We have considered the axis x, y, z and a point in the coordinate axis so, the position vector for such a point would be written as,

$$\overrightarrow{OP} = x\underline{i} + y\underline{j} + z\underline{k}$$

This is called components are x, y, z .

Vector components are $x\underline{i}, y\underline{j}, z\underline{k}$

Consider the two vectors.

$$\underline{A} = a\underline{i} + b\underline{j} + c\underline{k} \quad \text{and} \quad \underline{B} = p\underline{i} + q\underline{j} + r\underline{k}$$

I Sum is given by,
 $\underline{A} + \underline{B} = (a+p)\underline{i} + (b+q)\underline{j} + (c+r)\underline{k}$

II Difference is given by,
 $\underline{A} - \underline{B} = (a-p)\underline{i} + (b-q)\underline{j} + (c-r)\underline{k}$

III Multiplication by a scalar m is given by,
 $m\underline{A} = m\underline{a}\underline{i} + m\underline{b}\underline{j} + m\underline{c}\underline{k}$

IV The vectors are equal if $a=p$, $b=q$, and $c=r$.

Test for collinearity

Three points A, B and C with position vectors $\underline{a}, \underline{b}$ and \underline{c} are respectively collinear, if and only if (iff) there exist scalars x, y, z not all zero simultaneously such that,

$$x\underline{a} + y\underline{b} + z\underline{c} = \underline{0}$$

$$\text{where } x + y + z = 0$$

Test for coplanar points.

For points A, B, C, D with position vectors $\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c}, \underline{d}$ respectively are coplanar iff there exist scalars x, y, z, w as not all zero simultaneously such that,

$$x\underline{a} + y\underline{b} + z\underline{c} + w\underline{d} = \underline{0}$$

$$\text{such that } x + y + z + w = 0$$

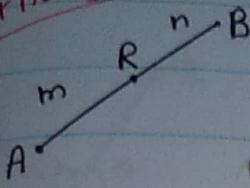
coplanar \iff if and only if

$$x\underline{a} + y\underline{b} + z\underline{c} + w\underline{d} = \underline{0}$$

$$x + y + z + w = 0$$

Section formula

Internally



Let \underline{a} and \underline{b} be position vectors of two points A and B. A point R divides AB such that,

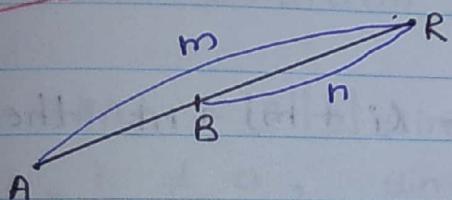
$$\frac{\underline{AR}}{\underline{RB}} = \frac{m}{n} \quad \text{and this denotes that}$$

AB is divided internally in the ratio $m:n$.

Then position vector of R ,

$$\underline{r} = \frac{n\underline{a} + m\underline{b}}{m+n}$$

Externally



$$\underline{r} = \frac{m\underline{b} - n\underline{a}}{m-n}$$

Magnitude of vectors.

a) For a vector $\underline{A} = ai + bj + ck$, magnitude $|\underline{A}| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}$

b) For vectors $\underline{A} = ai + bj + ck$ and $\underline{B} = li + mj + nk$

The magnitude is,

$$|\underline{AB}| = \sqrt{(l-a)^2 + (m-b)^2 + (n-c)^2}$$

Product of vectors

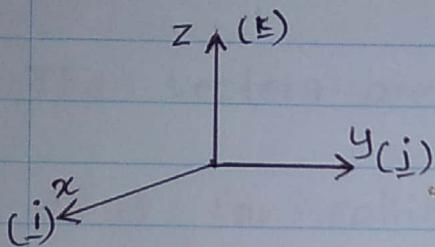
1) Scalar product

For two vectors \underline{a} and \underline{b} the dot product can be represented as $\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b}$.

It is defined, $\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} = |\underline{a}||\underline{b}| \cos \theta \quad (0 \leq \theta \leq \pi)$

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we have the below possibilities.

- a) if θ is acute, then $\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} > 0$
- b) if θ is obtuse then $\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} < 0$
- c) if θ is zero then $\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} = |\underline{a}| |\underline{b}|$
- d) if θ is π then $\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} = -|\underline{a}| |\underline{b}|$
- e) if $\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} = 0$ then \underline{a} and \underline{b} are perpendiculars.
- f) Consider the unit vectors $\underline{i}, \underline{j}$ and \underline{k}



$$\underline{i} \cdot \underline{i} = \underline{j} \cdot \underline{j} = \underline{k} \cdot \underline{k} = 1$$

$$\underline{i} \cdot \underline{j} = \underline{j} \cdot \underline{k} = \underline{k} \cdot \underline{i} = 0$$

- g) If $\underline{A} = a\underline{i} + b\underline{j} + c\underline{k}$ and $\underline{B} = l\underline{i} + m\underline{j} + n\underline{k}$ then,
 $\underline{A} \cdot \underline{B} = al + bm + cn$.

Properties of scalar product

I) $\underline{a} \cdot \underline{a} = |\underline{a}| |\underline{a}| \cos 0 = |\underline{a}|^2$

$$\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} = \underline{b} \cdot \underline{a} \quad (\text{commutative})$$

II) $\underline{a} \cdot (\underline{b} + \underline{c}) = \underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} + \underline{a} \cdot \underline{c} \quad (\text{distributive})$

III) $(m\underline{a}) \cdot \underline{b} = \underline{a} \cdot (m\underline{b}) = m(\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b}) \quad (\text{associative})$

Projection of vectors \underline{a} on \underline{b}

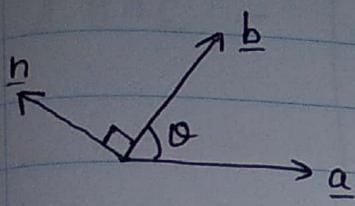
$$= \frac{\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b}}{|\underline{b}|}$$

Maximum value of $\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} = |\underline{a}| |\underline{b}|$

Minimum value of $\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} = -|\underline{a}| |\underline{b}|$

2) Vector product

It is called cross product.



\underline{a} and \underline{b} are two vectors

$$\underline{a} \wedge \underline{b} = |\underline{a}| |\underline{b}| \sin \theta \underline{n}$$

where θ is the angle between them and n is the unit vector perpendicular to both a and b . such that (s.t) a, b, n form a right handed screw system.

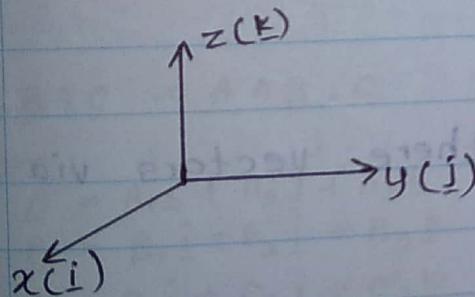
If vectors a and b are non zero and $a \wedge b = 0$ then it is the condition for them to be parallel vectors.

$$a \wedge b = |\underline{a}| |\underline{b}| \sin \theta \underline{n} = 0$$

$$a, b \neq 0, \sin \theta = 0$$

$$\theta = 2\pi$$

$$\underline{a} \parallel \underline{b}$$



$$\text{I) } i \wedge i = j \wedge j = k \wedge k = 0$$

$$\text{II) } i \wedge j = k$$

$$j \wedge k = i$$

$$k \wedge i = j$$

III If $\underline{a} = a_1 \underline{i} + a_2 \underline{j} + a_3 \underline{k}$ and $\underline{b} = b_1 \underline{i} + b_2 \underline{j} + b_3 \underline{k}$

then,

$$\underline{a} \wedge \underline{b} = \underline{k} \begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ b_1 & b_2 & b_3 \end{vmatrix} = i [a_2 b_3 - a_3 b_2] - j [a_1 b_3 - a_3 b_1] + k [a_1 b_2 - a_2 b_1]$$

$$\underline{a} \wedge \underline{b} = \begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ \bar{a}_1 & \bar{a}_2 & \bar{a}_3 \\ \bar{b}_1 & \bar{b}_2 & \bar{b}_3 \end{vmatrix} = i [a_2 b_3 - a_3 b_2] - a_1 [j b_3 - k b_2] - b_1 [j a_3 - k a_2] + k [a_1 b_2 - a_2 b_1] = i [a_2 b_3 - a_3 b_2] - j [a_1 b_3 - b_1 a_3] + k [a_1 b_2 - b_1 a_2]$$

No:

Projection and component vector

$$\text{Projection of } \underline{a} \text{ on } \underline{b} = \frac{\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b}}{|\underline{b}|}$$

$$\text{Projection of } \underline{b} \text{ on } \underline{a} = \frac{\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b}}{|\underline{a}|}$$

work done by a force

F.S = d of product of force and displacement

suppose $\underline{F}_1, \underline{F}_2, \dots, \underline{F}_n$ are n forces acted on a particle during the displacement \underline{s} of the particle, then separate forces do quantities of work or Total work done is

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \underline{F}_i \cdot \underline{s}$$

Triple product

1. The scalar Triple product

It is a means of combining three vectors via cross product and a dot product.

Given the vectors

$$\underline{A} = A_1 \underline{i} + A_2 \underline{j} + A_3 \underline{k}$$

scalar triple product

$$\underline{B} = B_1 \underline{i} + B_2 \underline{j} + B_3 \underline{k}$$

$$\underline{A} \cdot (\underline{B} \wedge \underline{C})$$

$$\underline{C} = C_1 \underline{i} + C_2 \underline{j} + C_3 \underline{k}$$

$$\underline{B} \wedge \underline{C} = \begin{vmatrix} \underline{i} & \underline{j} & \underline{k} \\ B_1 & B_2 & B_3 \\ C_1 & C_2 & C_3 \end{vmatrix} = \underline{i} \begin{vmatrix} B_2 & B_3 \\ C_2 & C_3 \end{vmatrix} - \underline{j} \begin{vmatrix} B_1 & B_3 \\ C_1 & C_3 \end{vmatrix} + \underline{k} \begin{vmatrix} B_1 & B_2 \\ C_1 & C_2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\underline{A} \cdot \underline{B} \wedge \underline{C} = [A_1 \underline{i} + A_2 \underline{j} + A_3 \underline{k}]$$

$$\underline{i} \begin{vmatrix} B_2 & B_3 \\ C_2 & C_3 \end{vmatrix} - \underline{j} \begin{vmatrix} B_1 & B_3 \\ C_1 & C_3 \end{vmatrix} + \underline{k} \begin{vmatrix} B_1 & B_2 \\ C_1 & C_2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= A_1 \begin{vmatrix} B_2 & B_3 \\ C_2 & C_3 \end{vmatrix} - A_2 \begin{vmatrix} B_1 & B_3 \\ C_1 & C_3 \end{vmatrix} + A_3 \begin{vmatrix} B_1 & B_2 \\ C_1 & C_2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$A \cdot B \wedge C = \begin{vmatrix} A_1 & A_2 & A_3 \\ B_1 & B_2 & B_3 \\ C_1 & C_2 & C_3 \end{vmatrix} = i(A_1 A) - i(A_2 A) + i(A_3 A)$$

$$A \cdot B \wedge C = A \wedge B \cdot C$$

$$i = C \cdot A \wedge B$$

$$i = i C \wedge A \cdot B$$

$$= B \cdot C \wedge A$$

$$A \cdot B \wedge C = -A \cdot C \wedge B$$

$$= -B \cdot A \wedge B$$

$$(2 \wedge B) \wedge A = -B \cdot H \wedge C$$

$$= B \cdot C \wedge A$$

Ex :

$$\underline{A} = 2\underline{i} + 3\underline{j} - \underline{k}$$

$$\underline{B} = -\underline{i} + \underline{j} - \underline{k}$$

$$\underline{C} = 2\underline{i} + 2\underline{j}$$

$$\text{Find } A \cdot B \wedge C = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 2 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

~~$$A \cdot B \wedge C = A \wedge B \cdot C$$~~

where

$$\underline{A} = A_1 \underline{i} + A_2 \underline{j} + A_3 \underline{k}$$

$$\underline{B} = B_1 \underline{i} + B_2 \underline{j} + B_3 \underline{k}$$

$$\underline{C} = C_1 \underline{i} + C_2 \underline{j} + C_3 \underline{k}$$

$$A \cdot B \wedge C = \begin{vmatrix} A_1 & A_2 & A_3 \\ B_1 & B_2 & B_3 \\ C_1 & C_2 & C_3 \end{vmatrix} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} C_1 & C_2 & C_3 \\ B_1 & B_2 & B_3 \\ A_1 & A_2 & A_3 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(-1) \begin{vmatrix} C_1 & C_2 & C_3 \\ A_1 & A_2 & A_3 \\ B_1 & B_2 & B_3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$C \cdot A \wedge B = \begin{vmatrix} C_1 & C_2 & C_3 \\ A_1 & A_2 & A_3 \\ B_1 & B_2 & B_3 \end{vmatrix} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} C_1 & C_2 & C_3 \\ A_1 & A_2 & A_3 \\ B_1 & B_2 & B_3 \end{vmatrix} = C \cdot A \wedge B = A \wedge B \cdot C$$

2. The vector triple product.

$$\underline{A} \wedge (\underline{B} \wedge \underline{C}) = (\underline{A} \cdot \underline{C}) \underline{B} - (\underline{A} \cdot \underline{B}) \underline{C}$$

$$\underline{A} = A_1 \underline{i} + A_2 \underline{j} + A_3 \underline{k}$$

$$\underline{B} = B_1 \underline{i} + B_2 \underline{j} + B_3 \underline{k}$$

$$\underline{C} = C_1 \underline{i} + C_2 \underline{j} + C_3 \underline{k}$$

$$\text{L.H.S.} = \underline{A} \wedge (\underline{B} \wedge \underline{C})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{i} \wedge \underline{j} &= \underline{j} \wedge \underline{j} = \underline{k} \wedge \underline{k} = 0 \\ \underline{i} \wedge \underline{j} &= \underline{k} \\ \underline{j} \wedge \underline{k} &= \underline{i} \\ \underline{k} \wedge \underline{i} &= \underline{j} \end{aligned}$$

$$\underline{B} \wedge \underline{C} = \begin{vmatrix} \underline{i} & \underline{j} & \underline{k} \\ B_1 & B_2 & B_3 \\ C_1 & C_2 & C_3 \end{vmatrix} = \underline{i}(B_2 C_3 - B_3 C_2) - \underline{j}(B_1 C_3 - B_3 C_1) + \underline{k}(B_1 C_2 - B_2 C_1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{A} \wedge (\underline{B} \wedge \underline{C}) &= (A_1 \underline{i} + A_2 \underline{j} + A_3 \underline{k}) \wedge [\underline{i}(B_2 C_3 - B_3 C_2) - \underline{j}(B_1 C_3 - B_3 C_1) + \underline{k}(B_1 C_2 - B_2 C_1)] \\ &= -A_1 \underline{k}(B_1 C_3 - B_3 C_1) + A_1 \underline{j}(B_1 C_2 - B_2 C_1) + \underline{k} A_2(B_2 C_3 - B_3 C_2) \\ &\quad + A_2 \underline{i}(B_1 C_3 - B_3 C_1) + A_3 \underline{j}(B_1 C_2 - B_2 C_1) - \underline{i} A_3(B_1 C_3 - B_3 C_1) \\ &= \underline{i}[A_2 B_1 C_2 - A_2 B_2 C_1 - A_3 B_1 C_3 + A_3 B_3 C_1] + \\ &= [(s) - (s)] \underline{i}[-A_1 B_1 C_2 + A_1 B_2 C_1 + A_3 B_2 C_3 - A_3 B_3 C_2] + \\ &\quad \underline{k}[-A_1 B_1 C_3 + A_1 B_3 C_1 + A_2 B_2 C_3 - A_2 B_3 C_2] \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{R.H.S.} = (\underline{A} \cdot \underline{C}) \underline{B} - (\underline{A} \cdot \underline{B}) \cdot \underline{C}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{A} \cdot \underline{C} &= (A_1 \underline{i} + A_2 \underline{j} + A_3 \underline{k}) \cdot (C_1 \underline{i} + C_2 \underline{j} + C_3 \underline{k}) \\ &= A_1 C_1 + A_2 C_2 + A_3 C_3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{A} \cdot \underline{B} &= (A_1 \underline{i} + A_2 \underline{j} + A_3 \underline{k}) \cdot (B_1 \underline{i} + B_2 \underline{j} + B_3 \underline{k}) \\ &= A_1 B_1 + A_2 B_2 + A_3 B_3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 R.H.S. &= (A \cdot C) \underline{B} - (A \cdot B) \underline{C} \\
 &= [A_1 C_1 + A_2 C_2 + A_3 C_3] (B_1 \underline{i} + B_2 \underline{j} + B_3 \underline{k}) - (A_1 B_1 + A_2 B_2 + A_3 B_3) \\
 &= (A_1 C_1 + A_2 C_2 + A_3 C_3) (B_1 \underline{i} + B_2 \underline{j} + B_3 \underline{k}) - (A_1 B_1 + A_2 B_2 + A_3 B_3) \\
 &= (A_1 C_1 + A_2 C_2 + A_3 C_3) (B_1 \underline{i} + B_2 \underline{j} + B_3 \underline{k}) - (A_1 B_1 + A_2 B_2 + A_3 B_3) \\
 &= (A_1 C_1 + A_2 C_2 + A_3 C_3) (B_1 \underline{i} + B_2 \underline{j} + B_3 \underline{k}) - (A_1 B_1 + A_2 B_2 + A_3 B_3)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$(A \wedge B \cdot A) \underline{C} = (A \wedge B \cdot A) \underline{C} = (A \wedge B) A (B \wedge A)$$

$$(A \wedge B) A \underline{C} = (A \wedge B) A (B \wedge A)$$

$$\underline{C} (A \wedge B) - 2(A \cdot B) =$$

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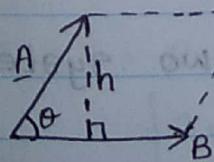
$$(A \wedge B \cdot A) \underline{C} = (A \wedge B \cdot A) \underline{C} = (A \wedge B) A (B \wedge A)$$

$$A \wedge C \wedge D = 0$$

Area and Volume using cross product

$$B \wedge (A \cdot B) = A (B \wedge A)$$

The area of a parallelogram



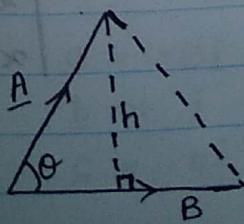
$$\text{Area of a parallelogram} = |\underline{B}| h$$

$$= |\underline{B} \sin \theta| |\underline{B}|$$

$$= |\underline{B} \underline{A} \sin \theta|$$

$$= |\underline{A} \wedge \underline{B}|$$

The area of triangle



$$\text{area of triangle} = \frac{1}{2} h |\underline{B}|$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} |\underline{A} \underline{B} \sin \theta|$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} |\underline{A} \wedge \underline{B}|$$

* Prove that

$$\text{I} \quad (\underline{A} \wedge \underline{B}) \wedge (\underline{C} \wedge \underline{D}) = \underline{C}(\underline{A} \cdot \underline{B} \wedge \underline{D}) - \underline{D}(\underline{A} \cdot \underline{B} \wedge \underline{C})$$

$$\text{II} \quad (\underline{A} \wedge \underline{B}) \wedge (\underline{C} \wedge \underline{D}) = \underline{B}(\underline{A} \cdot \underline{C} \wedge \underline{D}) - \underline{A}(\underline{B} \cdot \underline{C} \wedge \underline{D})$$

$$(\underline{A} \wedge \underline{B}) \wedge (\underline{C} \wedge \underline{D}) = \underline{C}(\underline{A} \cdot \underline{B} \wedge \underline{D}) - \underline{D}(\underline{A} \cdot \underline{B} \wedge \underline{C})$$

$$\underline{u} = \underline{A} \wedge \underline{B}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\underline{A} \wedge \underline{B}) \wedge (\underline{C} \wedge \underline{D}) &= \underline{u} \wedge (\underline{C} \wedge \underline{D}) \\ &= (\underline{u} \cdot \underline{D}) \underline{C} - (\underline{u} \cdot \underline{C}) \underline{D} \\ &= (\underline{A} \wedge \underline{B} \cdot \underline{D}) \underline{C} - (\underline{A} \wedge \underline{B} \cdot \underline{C}) \underline{D} \\ &= (\underline{A} \cdot \underline{B} \wedge \underline{D}) \underline{C} - (\underline{A} \cdot \underline{B} \wedge \underline{C}) \underline{D} \end{aligned}$$

$$(\underline{A} \wedge \underline{B}) \wedge (\underline{C} \wedge \underline{D}) = \underline{B}(\underline{A} \cdot \underline{C} \wedge \underline{D}) - \underline{A}(\underline{B} \cdot \underline{C} \wedge \underline{D})$$

$$\underline{v} = \underline{C} \wedge \underline{D}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\underline{A} \wedge \underline{B}) \wedge (\underline{C} \wedge \underline{D}) &= (\underline{A} \wedge \underline{B}) \wedge \underline{v} \\ &= (\underline{A} \cdot \underline{v}) \underline{B} - (\underline{B} \cdot \underline{v}) \underline{A} \\ &= (\underline{A} \cdot \underline{C} \wedge \underline{D}) \underline{B} - (\underline{B} \cdot \underline{C} \wedge \underline{D}) \underline{A} \end{aligned}$$

e.g.: If $\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c}$ and $\underline{p}, \underline{q}, \underline{r}$ are any two systems of three vectors, and if

$$\underline{P} = x_1 \underline{a} + y_1 \underline{b} + z_1 \underline{c}$$

$$\underline{Q} = x_2 \underline{a} + y_2 \underline{b} + z_2 \underline{c}$$

$$\underline{R} = x_3 \underline{a} + y_3 \underline{b} + z_3 \underline{c} \text{ then } [\underline{P}, \underline{Q}, \underline{R}] = \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & y_1 & z_1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & z_2 \\ x_3 & y_3 & z_3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$[\underline{P}, \underline{Q}, \underline{R}] = [\underline{P} \wedge \underline{Q} \cdot \underline{R}]$$

$$[\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c}] = \frac{\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} \wedge \underline{c}}{\underline{a} \wedge \underline{b} \cdot \underline{c}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \underline{P} \wedge \underline{Q} &= [x_1 \underline{a} + y_1 \underline{b} + z_1 \underline{c}] \wedge [x_2 \underline{a} + y_2 \underline{b} + z_2 \underline{c}] \\
 &= x_1 y_2 \underline{a} \wedge \underline{b} + x_1 z_2 \underline{a} \wedge \underline{c} + y_1 x_2 \underline{b} \wedge \underline{a} + y_1 z_2 \underline{b} \wedge \underline{c} + \\
 &\quad z_1 x_2 \underline{c} \wedge \underline{a} + z_1 y_2 \underline{c} \wedge \underline{b} \\
 &= (x_1 y_2 - y_1 x_2) \underline{a} \wedge \underline{b} + (y_1 z_2 - z_1 y_2) \underline{b} \wedge \underline{c} + (z_1 x_2 - x_1 z_2) \underline{c} \wedge \underline{a} \\
 &= \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \\ y_1 & y_2 \end{vmatrix} \underline{a} \wedge \underline{b} + \begin{vmatrix} y_1 & y_2 \\ z_1 & z_2 \end{vmatrix} \underline{b} \wedge \underline{c} + \begin{vmatrix} z_1 & z_2 \\ x_1 & x_2 \end{vmatrix} \underline{c} \wedge \underline{a}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \underline{P} \wedge \underline{Q} \cdot \underline{R} &= \left[\begin{vmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \\ y_1 & y_2 \end{vmatrix} \underline{a} \wedge \underline{b} + \begin{vmatrix} y_1 & y_2 \\ z_1 & z_2 \end{vmatrix} \underline{b} \wedge \underline{c} + \begin{vmatrix} z_1 & z_2 \\ x_1 & x_2 \end{vmatrix} \underline{c} \wedge \underline{a} \right] \cdot \\
 &\quad (x_3 \underline{a} + y_3 \underline{b} + z_3 \underline{c})
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\text{a.b} \wedge \underline{c} \\
 &\underline{b} \wedge \underline{c} \wedge \underline{a} \\
 &\underline{c} \wedge \underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} \\
 &\underline{c} \cdot \underline{a} \wedge \underline{b} \\
 &= x_3 \begin{vmatrix} y_1 & y_2 \\ z_1 & z_2 \end{vmatrix} \underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} \wedge \underline{c} + y_3 \begin{vmatrix} z_1 & z_2 \\ x_1 & x_2 \end{vmatrix} \underline{b} \cdot \underline{c} \wedge \underline{a} + z_3 \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \\ y_1 & y_2 \end{vmatrix} \underline{c} \cdot \underline{a} \wedge \underline{b} \\
 &= \left[x_3 \begin{vmatrix} y_1 & y_2 \\ z_1 & z_2 \end{vmatrix} + y_3 \begin{vmatrix} z_1 & z_2 \\ x_1 & x_2 \end{vmatrix} + z_3 \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \\ y_1 & y_2 \end{vmatrix} \right] \underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} \wedge \underline{c} \\
 &= \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & y_1 & z_1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & z_2 \\ x_3 & y_3 & z_3 \end{vmatrix} (s - m\ell) \underline{s} + (1 - s) \underline{i} + (m - 1) \underline{c}
 \end{aligned}$$

Note: $\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c}$ are non-coplanar and

$$\begin{vmatrix} x_1 & y_1 & z_1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & z_2 \\ x_3 & y_3 & z_3 \end{vmatrix} \neq 0 \quad \text{then the three vectors } (\underline{P}, \underline{Q}, \underline{R}) \text{ also non-coplanar.}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 1) \text{ If } \underline{a} &= -3\underline{i} - \underline{j} + 5\underline{k} \\
 \underline{b} &= (\underline{i} - 2\underline{j} + \underline{k}) + i(s - \ell) \\
 \underline{c} &= 4\underline{j} - 5\underline{k} \quad \text{Find } \underline{a} \cdot (\underline{b} \wedge \underline{c})
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\underline{a} \cdot (\underline{b} \wedge \underline{c}) = \begin{vmatrix} -3 & -1 & 5 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 4 & -5 \end{vmatrix} (i, j, k) \quad \begin{matrix} \underline{i} \cdot \underline{j} \wedge \underline{k} \\ \underline{i} \cdot \underline{j} = 1 \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= -3 \begin{vmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 4 & -5 \end{vmatrix} + 1 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -5 \end{vmatrix} + 5 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 4 \end{vmatrix} \\
 &= -3(10 - 4) + 1(-5 - 0) + 5(4 - 0) \\
 &= -18 + 5 + 20 \\
 &= 2
 \end{aligned}$$

2) If $2\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$, $3\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$, and $\mathbf{i} + m\mathbf{j} + 4\mathbf{k}$ are coplanar find the value m ?

$$\begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & m & 4 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$2 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ m & 4 \end{vmatrix} + 1 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 \end{vmatrix} + 3 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 1 & m \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$2(8 - m) + 1(12 - 1) + 3(3m - 2) = 0$$

$$16 - 2m + 11 + 9m - 6 = 0$$

$$7m = -21$$

$$m = -3$$

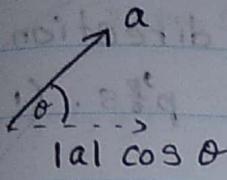
Vector joining two parts.

If $P_1 = (x_1, y_1, z_1)$

$P_2 = (x_2, y_2, z_2)$ are any two pts.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Then } \overrightarrow{P_1 P_2} &= \overrightarrow{P_1 O} + \overrightarrow{OP_2} \\
 &= -(x_1 \mathbf{i} + y_1 \mathbf{j} + z_1 \mathbf{k}) + x_2 \mathbf{i} + y_2 \mathbf{j} + z_2 \mathbf{k} \\
 &= (x_2 - x_1) \mathbf{i} + (y_2 - y_1) \mathbf{j} + (z_2 - z_1) \mathbf{k}
 \end{aligned}$$

Projection of \underline{a} along \underline{b} is $\frac{\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b}}{|\underline{b}|}$ and the projection of \underline{a} along \underline{b} is $\left(\frac{\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b}}{|\underline{b}|}\right) \cdot \underline{b}$



$$\begin{aligned} &= |\underline{a}| \cos \theta = \frac{|\underline{a}| |\underline{b}|}{|\underline{b}|} \cos \theta = \frac{\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b}}{|\underline{b}|} \\ &= \frac{\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b}}{|\underline{b}|} = \frac{|\underline{a}| |\underline{b}| \cos \theta}{|\underline{b}|} = |\underline{a}| \cos \theta \end{aligned}$$

If $\underline{a} = a_1 \underline{i} + a_2 \underline{j} + a_3 \underline{k}$ and $\underline{b} = b_1 \underline{i} + b_2 \underline{j} + b_3 \underline{k}$ are two vectors and λ is any scalar, then,

$$\underline{a} + \underline{b} = (a_1 + b_1) \underline{i} + (a_2 + b_2) \underline{j} + (a_3 + b_3) \underline{k}$$

$$\lambda \underline{a} = \lambda (a_1 \underline{i} + a_2 \underline{j} + a_3 \underline{k})$$

$$= (\lambda a_1) \underline{i} + (\lambda a_2) \underline{j} + (\lambda a_3) \underline{k}$$

$$\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} = (a_1 \underline{i} + a_2 \underline{j} + a_3 \underline{k}) \cdot (b_1 \underline{i} + b_2 \underline{j} + b_3 \underline{k})$$

$$= a_1 b_1 + a_2 b_2 + a_3 b_3$$

$$\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} = \begin{vmatrix} \underline{i} & \underline{j} & \underline{k} \\ a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ b_1 & b_2 & b_3 \end{vmatrix} = \underline{i}(a_2 b_3 - a_3 b_2) - \underline{j}(a_1 b_3 - a_3 b_1) + \underline{k}(a_1 b_2 - a_2 b_1)$$

angle between two vectors.

$$\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} = |\underline{a}| |\underline{b}| \cos \theta$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b}}{|\underline{a}| |\underline{b}|} = \frac{a_1 b_1 + a_2 b_2 + a_3 b_3}{\sqrt{a_1^2 + a_2^2 + a_3^2} \cdot \sqrt{b_1^2 + b_2^2 + b_3^2}}$$

1) Find the unit vector in the direction of the vectors.

$$\underline{a} = 2\underline{i} - \underline{j} + 2\underline{k} \quad \text{and} \quad \underline{b} = -\underline{i} + \underline{j} + 3\underline{k}$$

$$\underline{c} = \underline{a} + \underline{b} = (2\underline{i} - \underline{j} + 2\underline{k}) + (-\underline{i} + \underline{j} + 3\underline{k}) = \underline{i} + 5\underline{k}$$

$$|\underline{c}| = |\underline{a} + \underline{b}| = \sqrt{1^2 + 5^2} = \sqrt{26}$$

Unit vector of \underline{c} , $= \frac{\underline{c}}{|\underline{c}|} = \frac{i + 5k}{\sqrt{26}}$

- 2) Find a vector of magnitude 11 in the direction opposite to that of \overrightarrow{PQ} , where P and Q are the pts. $(1, 3, 2)$ and $(-1, 0, 8)$ respectively.

$$\overrightarrow{QP} = \underline{P} - \underline{Q}$$

$$= i + 3j + 2k - (-i + 0j + 8k) = i + 3j - 6k$$

Unit vector of $\overrightarrow{QP} = \frac{2i + 3j - 6k}{\sqrt{2^2 + 3^2 + 6^2}}$

$$= \frac{2i + 3j - 6k}{\sqrt{49}}$$

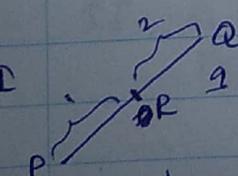
Vector of magnitude 11 in the \overrightarrow{QP} direction

$$= \frac{11}{7}(2i + 3j - 6k)$$

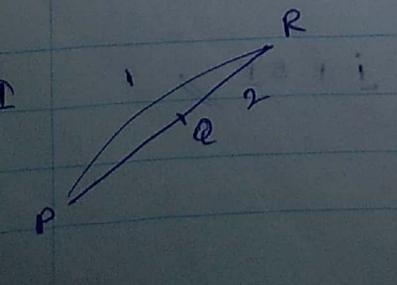
- 3) Find the position vector of a point R which divides the line joining the two pts P and Q with position vectors $\overrightarrow{OP} = 2\underline{a} + \underline{b}$ and $\overrightarrow{OQ} = \underline{a} - 2\underline{b}$ respectively, in the ratio $1 : 2$,

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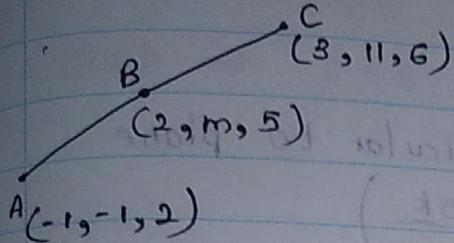
II externally

I  $\underline{q} = \underline{a} - 2\underline{b}$ $\underline{r} = \frac{2(2\underline{a} + \underline{b}) + 1(\underline{a} - 2\underline{b})}{2 + 1}$

$\underline{p} = 2\underline{a} + \underline{b}$ $\underline{r} = \frac{1(\underline{a} - 2\underline{b}) - 2(2\underline{a} + \underline{b})}{1 - 2}$

II  $\underline{r} = \frac{-2\underline{a} - 4\underline{b}}{1 - 2}$

4) If the points $(-1, -1, 2)$, $(2, m, 5)$ and $(3, 11, 6)$ are collinear find the value of m .



$$\vec{AB} = (-\mathbf{i}, -\mathbf{j}, 2\mathbf{k}) + (2, m, 5)$$

$$\vec{AB} = 3\mathbf{i} + (m+1)\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$$

$$\vec{AC} = 4\mathbf{i} + 12\mathbf{j} + 4\mathbf{k}$$

$$\vec{AB} = 2\vec{AC}$$

$$3\mathbf{i} + (m+1)\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k} = \lambda(4\mathbf{i} + 12\mathbf{j} + 4\mathbf{k})$$

$$(3-4\lambda)\mathbf{i} + (m+1-12\lambda)\mathbf{j} + (3-4\lambda)\mathbf{k} = 0$$

$$3-4\lambda = 0 \quad \Rightarrow 1+m-12\lambda = 0 \quad 3-4\lambda = 0$$

$$\lambda = \frac{3}{4} // \quad 1+m-12 \times \frac{3}{4} = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad (3-4\lambda) = 0$$

$$m = 8$$

5) If $\underline{a} = 2\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$, $\underline{b} = \mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k}$ and $\underline{c} = \mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}$, find λ such that (s.t.) \underline{a} is perpendicular to $\underline{b} + \underline{c}$.

$$\underline{a} \cdot (\underline{b} + \underline{c}) = 0 \quad \text{in } \underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} + \underline{a} \cdot \underline{c} = 0$$

$$(2\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}) \cdot [\lambda(\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k}) + \mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}] = 0$$

$$(2\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}) \cdot [(\lambda+1)\mathbf{i} + (\lambda+3)\mathbf{j} - (2\lambda+1)\mathbf{k}] = 0$$

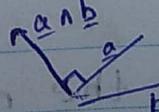
$$(2(\lambda+1) - 1)(\lambda+3) - ((2\lambda+1)) = 0$$

$$\lambda = -2 //$$

6) Find all vectors of magnitude $10\sqrt{3}$ that are perpendicular to the plane of $\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$ and $-\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} + 4\mathbf{k}$.

$$\underline{a} = \mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$$

$$\underline{b} = -\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} + 4\mathbf{k}$$



$$\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 3 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = \mathbf{i}(8-3) - \mathbf{j}(4+1) + \mathbf{k}(3+2) \\ = 5\mathbf{i} - 5\mathbf{j} + 5\mathbf{k}$$

Unit vector of direction ($a \wedge b$)

$$\underline{n} = \frac{a \wedge b}{|a \wedge b|} = \frac{5\hat{i} - 5\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}}{5\sqrt{3}}$$

magnitude $10\sqrt{3}$ that are perpendicular to plane

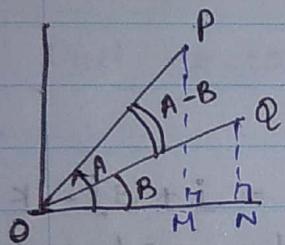
$$= 10\sqrt{3} \left(\frac{5\hat{i} - 5\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}}{5\sqrt{3}} \right)$$

$$= 2(5\hat{i} - 5\hat{j} + 5\hat{k})$$

$$O = 2(RP - R) + i(RQ - R) + j(RP - R)$$

7) Using vectors prove that,

$$\cos(A - B) = \cos A \cdot \cos B + \sin A \cdot \sin B$$



Let \overrightarrow{OP} and \overrightarrow{OQ} unit vectors making angle between A and B.

$$\text{Then } \hat{Q}\hat{O}\hat{P} = A - B + i - ie = 0$$

$$\overrightarrow{OP} = \overrightarrow{OM} + \overrightarrow{MP}$$

$$\overrightarrow{OP} \cdot \overrightarrow{OQ} = |\overrightarrow{OP}| |\overrightarrow{OQ}| \cos(A - B)$$

$$\overrightarrow{OP} = \cos A \hat{i} + \sin A \hat{j}$$

$$= (\cos A \hat{i} + \sin A \hat{j}) \quad \text{①}$$

$$\text{Hence, } \overrightarrow{OQ} = \cos B \hat{i} + \sin B \hat{j} + (ie - i + i)\hat{r} \quad (i + i - ie)$$

$$= [i(R + R\hat{r}) - i(S + R\hat{r}) + i(I + R\hat{r})] \cdot (i + i - ie)$$

$$\overrightarrow{OP} \cdot \overrightarrow{OQ} = (\cos A \hat{i} + \sin A \hat{j}) \cdot (\cos B \hat{i} + \sin B \hat{j})$$

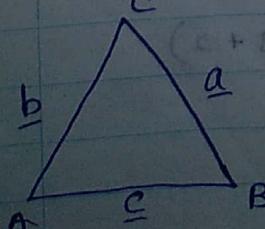
$$= \cos A \cdot \cos B + \sin A \cdot \sin B \quad \text{②}$$

$$\text{①} = \text{②} \quad \cos A \cdot \cos B + \sin A \cdot \sin B = \cos(A - B)$$

8) Prove that in a $\triangle ABC$, $\frac{\sin A}{a} = \frac{\sin B}{b} = \frac{\sin C}{c}$ where

a, b, c represent the magnitude of the sides opposite to vertices A, B, C respectively.

Let the three side of triangular BC, CA, AB be represented by $\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c}$ respectively.



$$\overrightarrow{AB} = \overrightarrow{AC} + \overrightarrow{CB}$$

$$\underline{c} = -\underline{b} - \underline{a}$$

$$\underline{a} + \underline{b} = -\underline{c} \quad \text{①}$$

$$\textcircled{1} \underline{a} \cdot \underline{c} \Rightarrow \underline{a} \cdot \underline{a} + \underline{b} \cdot \underline{c} = -\underline{c} \cdot \underline{a} = |\underline{d}|, \quad a = 10, \quad \underline{d} \cdot \underline{a} = \underline{a} \cdot \underline{c} - \textcircled{2}$$

$$\textcircled{1} \underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} \Rightarrow \underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} + \underline{b} \cdot \underline{c} = -\underline{c} \cdot \underline{b}$$

$$\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} = \underline{b} \cdot \underline{c} - \textcircled{3}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \& \textcircled{3} \quad \underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} = \underline{b} \cdot \underline{c} = \underline{c} \cdot \underline{a}$$

$$|\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b}| = |\underline{b} \cdot \underline{c}| = |\underline{c} \cdot \underline{a}|$$

$$|\underline{a}| |\underline{b}| \sin(x-c) = |\underline{b}| |\underline{c}| \sin(x-A) = |\underline{c}| |\underline{a}| \sin(x-B)$$

$$ab \sin c = bc \sin A = ca \sin B$$

$$\frac{\sin C}{c} = \frac{\sin A}{a} = \frac{\sin B}{b}$$

$$\frac{\sin A}{a} = \frac{\sin B}{b} = \frac{\sin C}{c}$$

1. The magnitude of the vector $6\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$ is

- a) 5 b) 7 c) 12 d) 13

2. The position vector of the point which devide the join points with position vector $\underline{a} + \underline{b}$ and $2\underline{a} - \underline{b}$ in the ratio $1:2$ is

$$\text{a) } \frac{3\underline{a} + 2\underline{b}}{3} \quad \text{b) } \underline{a}$$

$$\text{c) } \frac{5\underline{a} - \underline{b}}{3} \quad \text{d) } \frac{4\underline{a} + \underline{b}}{3}$$

3. The angle between vectors $(\hat{i} - \hat{j})$ & $\hat{j} \perp \hat{k}$ is,

$$\text{a) } \frac{\pi}{3} \quad \text{b) } \frac{2\pi}{3} \quad \text{c) } -\frac{\pi}{3} \quad \text{d) } \frac{5\pi}{6}$$

4. The value of λ for with the two vectors $2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$ & $3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$ are perpendicular is,

$$\text{a) } 2 \quad \text{b) } 4 \quad \text{c) } 6 \quad \text{d) } 8$$

1. If $|\underline{a}| = 8$, $|\underline{b}| = 3$ and $|\underline{a} \wedge \underline{b}| = 12$ then value of $\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b}$

- a) $6\sqrt{3}$ b) $8\sqrt{3}$ c) $12\sqrt{3}$ d) None of these.

$$|\underline{a} \wedge \underline{b}| = 12$$

$$|\underline{a} \wedge \underline{b}| = |\underline{a}| |\underline{b}| \sin \theta$$

$$12 = 8 \cdot 3 \sin \theta$$

$$\sin \theta = \frac{12}{24} = \frac{1}{2}$$

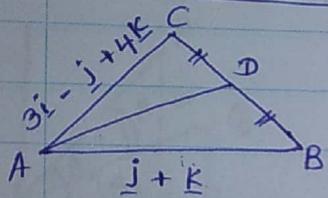
$$\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} = \frac{1}{4} |\underline{a}| |\underline{b}| \cos \theta$$

$$= 8 \cdot 3 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$= 12\sqrt{3}/2$$

2. The 2 vectors $\underline{j} + \underline{k}$ and $3\underline{i} - \underline{j} + 4\underline{k}$ represents the two sides AB and AC , respectively of a $\triangle ABC$. The length of the median through A is

- a) $\frac{\sqrt{34}}{2}$ b) $\frac{\sqrt{48}}{2}$ c) $\sqrt{18}$ d) None of these.



$$\overrightarrow{AD} = \frac{(\underline{j} + \underline{k}) + (3\underline{i} - \underline{j} + 4\underline{k})}{2} = \frac{3\underline{i} + 5\underline{k}}{2}$$

$$\overrightarrow{AD} = \sqrt{\frac{9}{4} + \frac{25}{4}} = \sqrt{\frac{34}{4}} = \frac{\sqrt{34}}{2}$$

3. The projection of vector $\underline{a} = 2\underline{i} - \underline{j} + \underline{k}$ along $\underline{b} = \underline{i} + 2\underline{j} + \underline{k}$ is,

- a) $\frac{2}{3}$ b) $\frac{1}{3}$ c) 2 d) $\sqrt{6}$

$$\frac{\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b}}{|\underline{b}|} = \frac{(2\underline{i} - \underline{j} + \underline{k})(\underline{i} + 2\underline{j} + 2\underline{k})}{\sqrt{1^2 + 2^2 + 2^2}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{9}} = \frac{2}{3}$$

4. The unit vector perpendicular to the vectors $\underline{i} - \underline{j}$ and $\underline{i} + \underline{j}$ forming a right handed system is,

- a) \underline{k} b) $-\underline{k}$ c) $\frac{\underline{i} - \underline{j}}{\sqrt{2}}$ d) $\frac{\underline{i} + \underline{j}}{\sqrt{2}}$

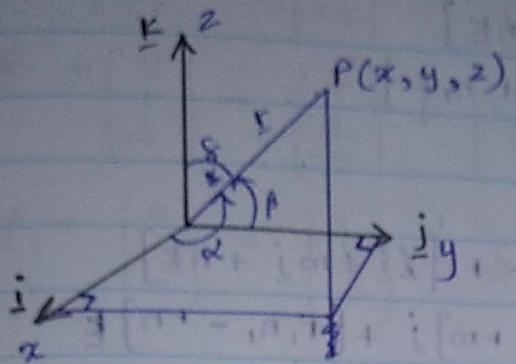
$$\frac{(\underline{i} - \underline{j}) \wedge (\underline{i} + \underline{j})}{|(\underline{i} - \underline{j}) \wedge (\underline{i} + \underline{j})|} =$$

5. If $|\underline{a}| = 3$ and $-1 \leq k \leq 2$, then $|k\underline{a}|$ lies in the interval

- a) $\{0, 6\}$ b) $\{-3, 6\}$ c) $\{3, 6\}$ d) $\{1, 2\}$

$$|k\underline{a}| = \{0, 6\}$$

Direction cosines of vectors.



Suppose that vector $r = xi + yj + zk$

makes angles α, β and γ with i, j, k respectively.

$$\cos \alpha = x/r$$

$$\cos \beta = y/r$$

$$\cos \gamma = z/r$$

The unit vector of the direction of r can be written as.

$$\begin{aligned} r &= xi + yj + zk \\ &= r \cos \alpha i + r \cos \beta j + r \cos \gamma k \\ &= r [\cos \alpha i + \cos \beta j + \cos \gamma k] \end{aligned}$$

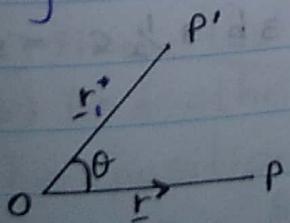
$\cos \alpha, \cos \beta$ and $\cos \gamma$ are called the direction cosines of the vector r .

Further $r = r [\cos \alpha i + \cos \beta j + \cos \gamma k]$ and

$$\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \gamma = 1.$$

The direction cosines of a vector are usually denoted by l, m, n .
Thus $l^2 + m^2 + n^2 = 1$, $l = \cos \alpha / r$, $m = \cos \beta / r$, $n = \cos \gamma / r$

Angle between two vectors.



Position vectors of the points P and P' relative to O are r and r' and direction cosines of OP and OP' are (l, m, n) and (l', m', n') .

Find $|PP'|$.

If θ is the angle between \vec{OP} and \vec{OP}' then using cosine rule for a triangle show that.

$$\cos \theta = ll_1 + mm_1 + nn_1$$

Note:

Further $\underline{r} = r[\cos\alpha \underline{i} + \cos\beta \underline{j} + \cos\gamma \underline{k}]$

$$\overrightarrow{OP} = \underline{r} = r[\alpha \underline{i} + m \underline{j} + n \underline{k}]$$

$$\overrightarrow{OP'} = \underline{r}_1 = r_1[\lambda \underline{i} + m_1 \underline{j} + n_1 \underline{k}]$$

$$\overrightarrow{PP'} = \underline{r}_1 - \underline{r}$$

$$= r_1[\lambda \underline{i} + m_1 \underline{j} + n_1 \underline{k}] - r[\lambda \underline{i} + m \underline{j} + n \underline{k}]$$

$$= [r_1 \lambda_1 - r \lambda] \underline{i} + [r_1 m_1 - r m] \underline{j} + [r_1 n_1 - r n] \underline{k}$$

$$c^2 = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos \theta$$

$$|\overrightarrow{PP'}|^2 = |\overrightarrow{OP'}|^2 + |\overrightarrow{OP}|^2 - 2|\overrightarrow{OP'}||\overrightarrow{OP}| \cos \theta$$

$$[r_1 \lambda_1 - r \lambda]^2 + [r_1 m_1 - r m]^2 + [r_1 n_1 - r n]^2 = (r_1 \lambda)^2 + (r_1 m)^2 + (r_1 n)^2 + (r \lambda)^2 + (r m)^2 + (r n)^2 - 2\sqrt{(r_1 \lambda)^2 + (r_1 m)^2 + (r_1 n)^2} \cdot \sqrt{(r \lambda)^2 + (r m)^2 + (r n)^2} \cos \theta$$

$$r_1^2 \lambda^2 + r^2 \lambda^2 - 2rr_1 \lambda \lambda_1 + r_1^2 m^2 + r^2 m^2 - 2rr_1 m m_1 + r_1^2 n^2 + r^2 n^2 - 2rr_1 n n_1 = r_1^2 [\lambda_1^2 + m_1^2 + n_1^2] + r^2 [\lambda^2 + m^2 + n^2] - 2\sqrt{r_1^2 [\lambda_1^2 + m_1^2 + n_1^2]} \cdot \sqrt{r^2 (\lambda^2 + m^2 + n^2)} \cos \theta$$

$$r_1^2 [\lambda_1^2 + m_1^2 + n_1^2] + r^2 [\lambda^2 + m^2 + n^2] - 2[r_1 \lambda \lambda_1 + r_1 m m_1 + r_1 n n_1] = r_1^2 + r^2 - 2r_1 r \cos \theta$$

$$r_1^2 + r^2 - 2r_1 [\lambda \lambda_1 + m m_1 + n n_1] = r_1^2 + r^2 - 2r_1 r \cos \theta$$

vector eq's

1. Make \underline{a} the subject of the eqⁿ $6\underline{a} + 3\underline{b} + \frac{1}{2}\underline{c} = \underline{d}$

$$6\underline{a} + 3\underline{b} + \frac{1}{2}\underline{c} = \underline{d}$$

$$6\underline{a} = \underline{d} + 3\underline{b} - \frac{1}{2}\underline{c}$$

$$\underline{a} = \frac{1}{6}\underline{d} + \frac{1}{2}\underline{b} - \frac{1}{12}\underline{c}$$

2. solve the vector eqⁿ

$$\underline{P} + [6\underline{i} + \underline{j} - \underline{k}] = [4\underline{i} + 2\underline{j} - 3\underline{k}] + 3[-\underline{i} + \underline{k}]$$

$$\underline{P} = \underline{i} + 2\underline{j} - [6\underline{i} + \underline{j} - \underline{k}]$$

$$\underline{P} = -5\underline{i} + \underline{j} + \underline{k}$$

$$\underline{P} + \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} + 3 \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

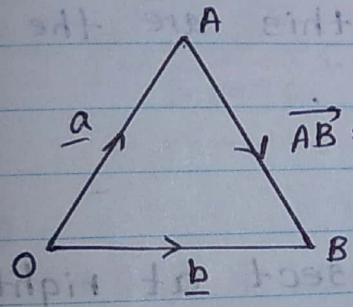
$$\underline{P} + \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\underline{P} + \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \underline{P} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$18 - 1c + i + j = (18 - 1i) \underline{P} = (-5\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}) \parallel$$

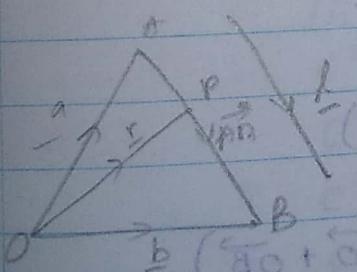
Vector eq's the straight line.

suppose $\underline{a} = \overrightarrow{OA}$ is the vector joining the origin O to the point A and $\underline{b} = \overrightarrow{OB}$ the vector joining O to B.



Thus $\overrightarrow{AB} = \underline{b} - \underline{a}$ is the vector from A to B.

$$\overrightarrow{AB} = \underline{b} - \underline{a}$$



$$\overrightarrow{AP} = \lambda \overrightarrow{AB}$$

$$\underline{r} - \underline{a} = \lambda (\underline{b} - \underline{a})$$

$$\underline{r} = \underline{a} + \lambda (\underline{b} - \underline{a})$$

$$\overrightarrow{AP} = \underline{a} + \lambda \underline{b}$$

$$(\underline{r} - \underline{a}) = \lambda \underline{b}$$

$$\underline{r} = \underline{a} + \lambda \underline{b}$$

a) find the vector \overrightarrow{AB}

b) Find the vector

The position vector of the points A and B are given by

$$\underline{a} = 5\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}$$

$$\underline{b} = -3\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$$

a) Find the vector \overrightarrow{AB}

b) Find the vector \overrightarrow{BA}

c) Find the vector $\underline{r} = \underline{b} + 2(\underline{BA})$

d) Describe in terms of geometry the vector \underline{s} is any $\underline{r} = \underline{b} + s(\underline{BA})$ where

$$a) \overrightarrow{AB} = \underline{b} - \underline{a} = (-3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}) - (6\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - \hat{k}) \\ = -9\hat{i} + 2\hat{k}$$

$$b) \overrightarrow{BA} = \underline{a} - \underline{b} = (6\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - \hat{k}) - (-3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}) \\ = 9\hat{i} - 2\hat{k}$$

$$c) \underline{P} = \underline{b} + 2(\overrightarrow{BA}) \\ \underline{P} = (-3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}) + 2(9\hat{i} - 2\hat{k}) = 15\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$$

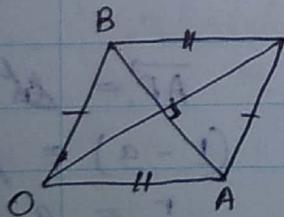
$$d) \underline{r} = \underline{b} + s(\overrightarrow{BA}) \quad s > 0, s = 0, s < 0$$

s is a various or this position various. There are for which is the vector eq's of the straight line.

s can take negative value we get the vector eq's of the line joining A to B. Geometrically, this are the same line ^{but} what travelling in opposite way.

H.W.

1) The diagonal of a rhombus intersect at right angles



$$\overrightarrow{OC} \cdot \overrightarrow{AB} = 0$$

$$|\overrightarrow{OA}| = |\overrightarrow{BC}| = |\overrightarrow{OB}| = |\overrightarrow{AC}|$$

$$\overrightarrow{OA} = \overrightarrow{BC}, \overrightarrow{OB} = \overrightarrow{AC} (\because \text{if})$$

2) The angle subtended by $\overrightarrow{OC} + \overrightarrow{AB}$ at O is $(\overrightarrow{OA} + \overrightarrow{AC}) \cdot (\overrightarrow{AO} + \overrightarrow{OB})$

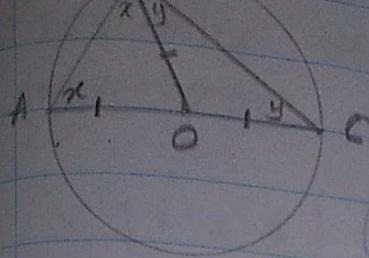
$$= (\overrightarrow{OA} + \overrightarrow{AC}) \cdot (-\overrightarrow{OA} + \overrightarrow{AC})$$

$$= -\overrightarrow{OA} \cdot \overrightarrow{OA} + \overrightarrow{OA} \cdot \overrightarrow{AC} - \overrightarrow{AC} \cdot \overrightarrow{OA} + \overrightarrow{AC} \cdot \overrightarrow{AC}$$

$$= |\overrightarrow{AC}|^2 - |\overrightarrow{OA}|^2$$

$$= |\overrightarrow{AC}|^2 - |\overrightarrow{OA}|^2 = 0$$

2) The angle subtended by a diameter at the circumference of a semi-circle is a right angle.



$$\begin{aligned} \overrightarrow{OA} &= \overrightarrow{OB} = \overrightarrow{OC} \\ \triangle OAB ; \quad \hat{OAB} &= \hat{ABO} \\ \triangle OBC ; \quad \hat{OBC} &= \hat{OCB} \end{aligned}$$

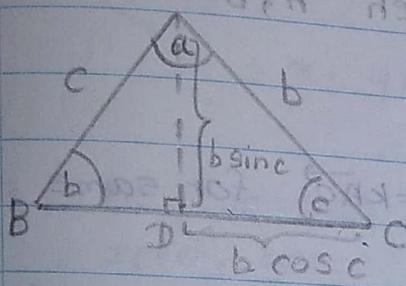
$$x + y + x + y = 180^\circ$$

$$2x + 2y = 180^\circ$$

$$2(x + y) = 180^\circ$$

$$x + y = 90^\circ \Rightarrow \hat{ABC} = 90^\circ //$$

3) show that $c^2 = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos C$



$$\triangle ACD ; \quad \sin C = \frac{AD}{b}$$

$$AD = b \sin C$$

$$CD = b \cos C$$

$$\therefore BD = a - b \cos C$$

$\triangle ABD ;$ Using pythagora's theorem,

$$(AB)^2 = (AD)^2 + (BD)^2$$

$$c^2 = (b \sin C)^2 + (a - b \cos C)^2$$

$$c^2 = b^2 \sin^2 C + a^2 - 2ab \cos C + b^2 \cos^2 C$$

$$c^2 = a^2 + b^2 (\sin^2 C + \cos^2 C) - 2ab \cos C$$

$$c^2 = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos C //$$

ex:

- The position vectors of points A and B relative to the origin O are $4\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - 7\mathbf{k}$ and $5\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + 6\mathbf{k}$ respectively, find the direction cosines of \overrightarrow{OA} , \overrightarrow{OB} and \overrightarrow{AB} and determine the angle between \overrightarrow{OA} and \overrightarrow{AB} .

$$\overrightarrow{OA} = 4\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - 7\mathbf{k}$$

$$\overrightarrow{OB} = 5\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + 6\mathbf{k}$$

$$\overrightarrow{AB} = \overrightarrow{AO} + \overrightarrow{OB}$$

$$= -4\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j} + 7\mathbf{k} + 5\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + 6\mathbf{k}$$

$$= \mathbf{i} - 6\mathbf{j} + 13\mathbf{k} //$$

$$|\overrightarrow{OA}| = \sqrt{4^2 + 4^2 + (-7)^2} = \sqrt{81} = 9$$

$$|\overrightarrow{OB}| = \sqrt{5^2 + (-2)^2 + 6^2} = \sqrt{65}$$

$$\text{Area } |\overrightarrow{AB}| = \sqrt{1^2 + (-6)^2 + 13^2} \\ = \sqrt{205}$$

$$\frac{\overrightarrow{OA}}{|\overrightarrow{OA}|} = \frac{4\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - 7\mathbf{k}}{9}$$

Direction cosine of $\overrightarrow{OA} = \left(-\frac{4}{9}, \frac{4}{9}, -\frac{7}{9} \right)$

$$\overrightarrow{OB} = \left(\frac{5}{\sqrt{165}}, -\frac{2}{\sqrt{165}}, \frac{6}{\sqrt{165}} \right)$$

$$\overrightarrow{AB} = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{206}}, -\frac{6}{\sqrt{206}}, \frac{13}{\sqrt{206}} \right)$$

2. Given points $A(5, -1, 3)$ and B with position vectors $\overrightarrow{OB} = \mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} - 4\mathbf{k}$, find the vector \overrightarrow{AB} . It is given further that C has coordinate $(13, y, 17)$. Given A, B and C are collinear, find y .

A, B and C are collinear $\Leftrightarrow \overrightarrow{AB} = k\overrightarrow{AC}$ for some

$$\overrightarrow{OA} = 5\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k} \quad \overrightarrow{AB} = -4\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} - 7\mathbf{k}$$

$$\overrightarrow{OB} = \mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} - 4\mathbf{k} \quad \overrightarrow{OC} = 13\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j} + 17\mathbf{k}$$

$$\overrightarrow{AC} = 8\mathbf{i} + (y+1)\mathbf{j} + 14\mathbf{k}$$

$$\overrightarrow{AB} = k\overrightarrow{AC}$$

$$(-4\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} - 7\mathbf{k}) = k(8\mathbf{i} + (y+1)\mathbf{j} + 14\mathbf{k})$$

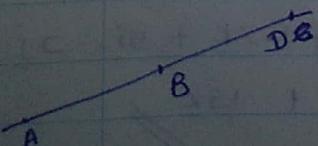
$$\mathbf{i}(-4 - 8k) + \mathbf{j}(3 - (y+1)) + \mathbf{k}(-7 - 14k) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -4 - 8k = 0 \Rightarrow k = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$3 - (y+1)k = 0 \Rightarrow 3(y+1) \times -\frac{1}{2} = 3$$

$$-7 - 14k = 0 \Rightarrow k = -\frac{1}{2} \quad y+1 = -6$$

3. If D has coordinate $(-3, 5, -1)$ show that $A(5, -1, 3)$, $B(1, 2, -4)$ and D lie on the same line.



$$\overrightarrow{AD} = -8\mathbf{i} + 6\mathbf{j} - 4\mathbf{k}$$

$$\overrightarrow{AB} = -4\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} - 7\mathbf{k}$$

$$\overrightarrow{AD} = 2\overrightarrow{AB}$$

$$(-8, 6, -4) = 2(-4, 3, -1)$$

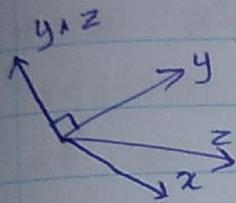
$$2 = 2$$

4. Determine whether $x = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$, $y = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ and $z = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ are coplanar vectors.

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1(1-2) - 2(1-1) + 3(2-1) = 2 \neq 0$$

$\therefore x, y, z$ are non-coplanar.

We have to calculate scalar triple product.

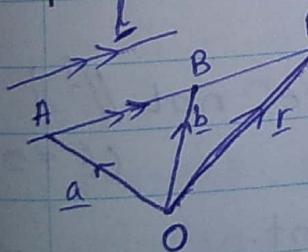


$$y \wedge z = \begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = i(1-2) - j(1-1) + k(2-1) = -i + k$$

$$x \cdot y \wedge z = (\underline{i} + 2\underline{j} + 3\underline{k}) \cdot (-\underline{i} + \underline{k}) = 2 \neq 0$$

We can see, scalar triple product is not equal to zero, hence vector x, y and z are not coplanar.

5. Write down the eq^b of the line that passes through the points $(2, -1, 3)$ and $(1, 4, -3)$.



$$\overrightarrow{AP} = \lambda \overrightarrow{AB}$$

$$\underline{r} - \underline{a} = \lambda(\underline{b} - \underline{a})$$

$$\underline{r} = \underline{a} + \lambda(\underline{b} - \underline{a})$$

$$\overrightarrow{AP} = \mu \underline{l}$$

$$\underline{r} - \underline{a} = \mu \underline{l}$$

$$\underline{r} = \underline{a} + \mu \underline{l}$$

$$\overrightarrow{OA} = \underline{a} = (2, -1, 3)$$

$$\overrightarrow{OB} = \underline{b} = (1, 4, -3)$$

$$\underline{r} = (2, -1, 3) + \lambda[(1, 4, -3) - (2, -1, 3)]$$

$$(x, y, z) = (2, -1, 3) + \lambda(-1, 5, -6)$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2 - \lambda \Rightarrow \lambda = 2 - x$$

$$y = -1 + 5\lambda \Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{y+1}{5}$$

$$z = 3 - 6\lambda \Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{3-z}{6}$$

$$\frac{2-x}{1} = \frac{y+1}{5} = \frac{3-z}{6}$$

6. Determine if the line that passes through the point $(0, -3, 8)$ and is parallel to the line given by $x = 10 + 3t$, $y = 12t$ and $z = -3 - t$ passes through the $x-z$ plane. If so, give the coordinates of the point.

$$\begin{aligned} x &= 10 + 3t \\ y &= 12t \\ z &= -3 - t \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{x-10}{3} = t, \quad \frac{y-0}{12} = t, \quad \frac{z+3}{-1} = t$$

$$(0, -3, 8) \Rightarrow \frac{x-10}{3} = \frac{y-0}{12} = \frac{z+3}{-1}$$

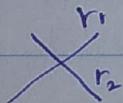
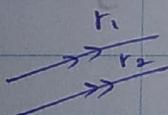
$$\underline{r} = \underline{a} + \mu \underline{d}$$

$$= (0, -3, 8) + \mu (3, 12, -1)$$

7. Let $\underline{a}, \underline{b}$ and \underline{c} be three non-coplanar vectors, show that the lines.

$$\underline{r} = 8\underline{a} - 9\underline{b} + 10\underline{c} + \lambda(3\underline{a} - 16\underline{b} + 7\underline{c})$$

$$\underline{r} = 15\underline{a} + 29\underline{b} + 5\underline{c} + \mu(3\underline{a} + 8\underline{b} - 5\underline{c})$$



$$\underline{r} = \underline{a} + \lambda \underline{d}$$

$$\underline{r} = \underline{b} + \mu \underline{d} \quad (\text{Both lines are not } \parallel)$$

Assume that the lines have a common point.

$$8\underline{a} - 9\underline{b} + 10\underline{c} + \lambda(3\underline{a} - 16\underline{b} + 7\underline{c}) = 15\underline{a} + 29\underline{b} + 5\underline{c} + \mu(3\underline{a} + 8\underline{b} - 5\underline{c})$$

$$(-7 + 3\lambda - 3\mu)\underline{a} + (-38 - 16\lambda - 8\mu)\underline{b} + (5 + 7\lambda + 5\mu)\underline{c} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -7 + 3\lambda - 3\mu = 0$$

$$-38 - 16\lambda - 8\mu = 0$$

$$5 + 7\lambda + 5\mu = 0$$

$$3(\lambda - \mu) = 7$$

$$\lambda - \mu = \frac{7}{3}$$

$$\boxed{\lambda = \frac{7}{3} + \mu}$$

$$7\left(\frac{7}{3} + \mu\right) + 5\mu = -5$$

$$\frac{49}{3} + 7\mu + 5\mu = -5$$

$$12\mu = -5 - \frac{49}{3}$$

$$12\mu = -\frac{64}{3}$$

$$\mu = -\frac{64}{36}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{7}{3} - \frac{64}{36}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{20}{36} = \frac{5}{9}$$

$$\textcircled{1} ; \underline{8a} - 9\underline{b} + 10\underline{c} + \frac{5}{9}(\underline{3a} - 16\underline{b} + 7\underline{c}) = 15\underline{a} + 29\underline{b} + 5\underline{c} + \frac{16}{9}(\underline{3a} + 8\underline{b} - 5\underline{c})$$

$$\underline{8a} - 9\underline{b} + 10\underline{c} + \frac{5}{9}\underline{3a} - \frac{80}{9}\underline{b} + \frac{35}{9}\underline{c} = 15\underline{a} + 29\underline{b} + 5\underline{c} - \frac{16a}{3} - \frac{128b}{9} + \frac{80}{9}\underline{c}$$

$$\frac{29}{3}\underline{a} - \frac{161}{9}\underline{b} + \frac{125}{9}\underline{c} \neq \frac{29}{3}\underline{a} + \frac{133}{9}\underline{b} + \frac{125}{9}\underline{c}$$

8. Air traffic control is tracking two planes in vicinity of their airport. At a given moment, one plane is at a location 45 km east and 120 km north of the airport at an altitude of 7.5 km. The second plane is located 63 km ^(height) east and 96 km south of the airport at an altitude of 6.0 km. The ^{1st} plane is flying directly toward the airport while the ^{2nd} plane is continuing at a constant altitude with a heading defined by the vector $\vec{h}_2 = (3, 4, 0)$ to land eventually at another airport to the northwest of our air traffic controllers. Do the paths of these two aircraft cross?

The ^{1st}

 thing we need to do is to determine the position vectors of the two planes. Define our airport as the origin of cardinals and define $+x$ = east
 $+y$ = north
 $-z$ = upwest

Position vector of plane ^①
 $\underline{P} = (45, 120, 7.5)$

Position vector of plane ^②
 $\underline{Q} = (63, -96, 6)$

Plane ¹ is heading directly toward the airport. The vector from the position of plane ¹ to the origin is given by
 $\vec{V} = \underline{O} - \underline{P} = (0-45, 0-120, 0-7.5) = (-45, -120, -7.5)$

The \vec{r} of the line representing plane 1 motion then becomes,

$$\vec{r}_1 = (45, 120, 7.5) + k_1(-45, -120, -7.5) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Plane 2 continues at a constant altitude with heading
 $\vec{h}_2 = (3, 4, 0)$.

The \vec{r} of the line representing plane 2 motion then becomes.

~~$$\vec{r}_2 = (-63, 96, 6.6) + k_2(3, 4, 0) \quad \text{--- (2)}$$~~

- (11) In physics, the motion of an object traveling at a constant speed is described by the eq: $\vec{s}_t = \vec{s}_i + \vec{v}_t t$, where s_i is the initial position, s is the position at some later time t , and r is the object. write the vector eq² which returns the set of position vectors \vec{s}_t for an object having an initial position $\vec{s}_i = (2, 3, 4)$ and a velocity of $\vec{v} = (1, 1, -2)$ and determine the objects location at $t = 10s$

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{s}_t &= \vec{s}_i + \vec{v}_t \\ &= (2, 3, 4) + (1, 1, -2)t\end{aligned}$$

$$At t = 10s$$

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{s}_{10} &= (2, 3, 4) + (1, 1, -2)10 \\ &= (2, 3, 4) + (10, 10, -20) \\ &= (12, 13, -16)\end{aligned}$$

An direct has a position of $\vec{s}_i = (3, 3, 6)$ at $t = 0$ a velocity of $\vec{v} = (10, 7, 3)$. use the vector eq² $\vec{s}_t = \vec{s}_i + \vec{v}_t t$ to determine the distance traveled by the object between $t = 3s$ and $t = 5s$. Distance measured in meters

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{s} &= \vec{s}_1 + \vec{s}_2 \\ &= (8, 3, 6) + (10, 7, 3) \\ s_3 &= (8, 3, 6) + (10, 7, 3) \\ s_4 &= (8, 3, 6) + (10, 7, 3)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}s_5 - s_3 &= (10, 7, 3) \\ &= (20, 14, 6)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}|s_5 - s_3| &= \sqrt{(20)^2 + (14)^2 + 6^2} \\ &= \sqrt{400 + 196 + 36}\end{aligned}$$

$$200 + 140 = (2+1) = \sqrt{632}$$

$$200 + 140 = 20(10+2)$$

2) Write the eqⁿ of $y = -\frac{5}{3}x + 5$ as a vector eqⁿ

$$\underline{r} = \underline{a} + \lambda \underline{b} \quad x=3, y=0$$

start by choosing two pts on the line,

$$x=3, y=0$$

$$(6, -5) \quad x=6, y = -\frac{5}{3} \times 6 + 5 = -5$$

$$\begin{aligned}(3, 0) = \underline{P} \quad \overrightarrow{PQ} &= \overrightarrow{q} - \overrightarrow{p} \\ &= (6, -5) - (3, 0) = (3, -5)\end{aligned}$$

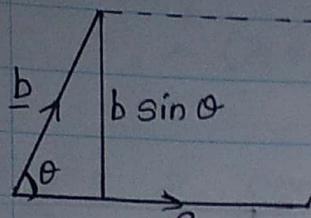
Finally vector eqⁿ of the line,

$$\begin{aligned}\underline{r} &= \underline{a} + \lambda \underline{b} \\ &= (3, 0) + \lambda (3, -5) = (3 + 3\lambda, -5\lambda)\end{aligned}$$

3) Determine the eqⁿ for the line define by the points $P \equiv (6, 7, 5)$ and $Q \equiv (3, 2, 11)$. Then find the position vector for a point R , half-way between these two pts.

$$\begin{aligned}\overrightarrow{PQ} &= \overrightarrow{Q} - \overrightarrow{P} \\ &= (3, 2, 11) - (6, 7, 5) \\ &= (-3, -5, 6) \\ \underline{r} &= (6, 7, 5) + \lambda(-3, -5, 6) \\ &= (6, 7, 5) + \frac{1}{2}(-3, -5, 6) \\ \overrightarrow{R} &= \left(6 - \frac{3}{2}, 7 - \frac{5}{2}, 5 + 3\right) \\ \overrightarrow{R} &= \left(\frac{9}{2}, \frac{9}{2}, 8\right)\end{aligned}$$

Geometrical interpretation of vector product.



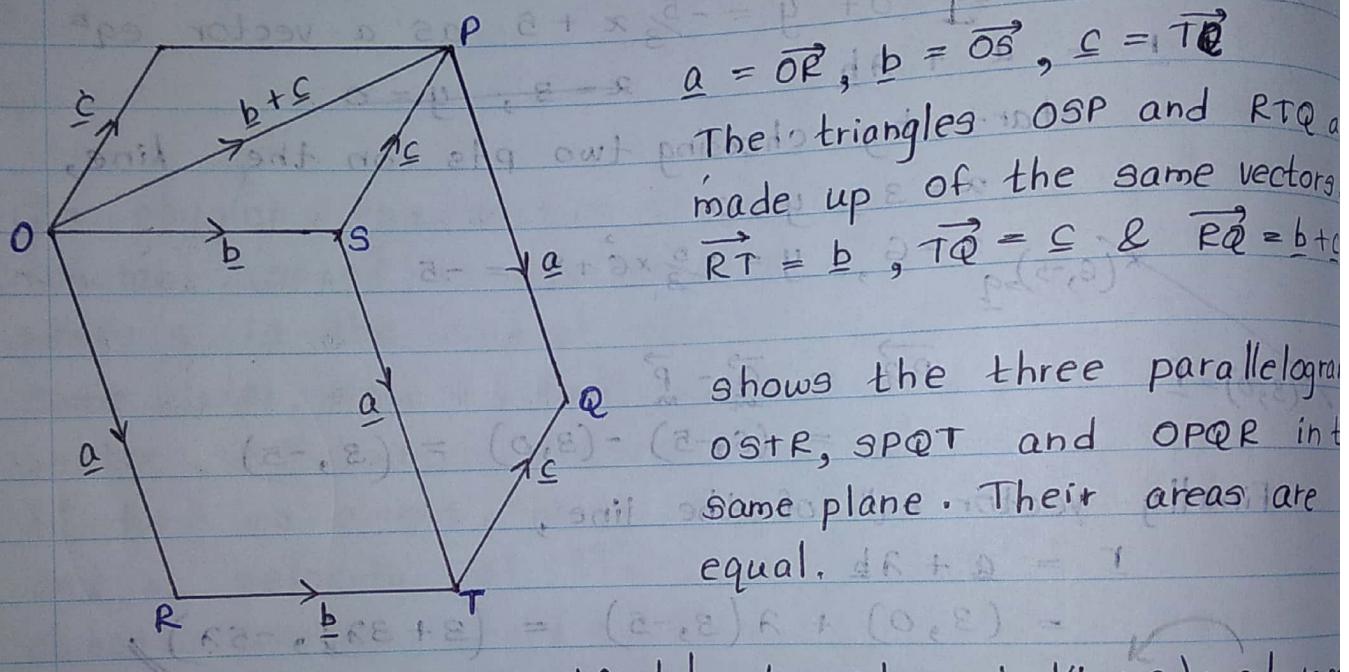
$$A = |\underline{a} \wedge \underline{b}| = |\underline{a}| |\underline{b}| \sin \theta n$$

$|\underline{a}| = |\underline{a} \wedge \underline{b}| = |\underline{a}| |\underline{b}| \sin \theta = \text{area of parallelogram}$

Distributive law

$$\text{I } \underline{a} \wedge (\underline{b} + \underline{c}) = \underline{a} \wedge \underline{b} + \underline{a} \wedge \underline{c}$$

$$\text{II } (\underline{a} + \underline{b}) \wedge \underline{c} = \underline{a} \wedge \underline{c} + \underline{b} \wedge \underline{c}$$



$$\underline{a} = \overrightarrow{OP}, \underline{b} = \overrightarrow{OS}, \underline{c} = \overrightarrow{OT}$$

The triangles OSP and RTQ are made up of the same vectors $\overrightarrow{RT} = \underline{b}$, $\overrightarrow{TQ} = \underline{c}$ & $\overrightarrow{RQ} = \underline{b} + \underline{c}$

shows the three parallellograms OSTR, SPQT and OPQR in the same plane. Their areas are equal.

$$|\underline{a} \wedge (\underline{b} + \underline{c})| = |(\underline{b} + \underline{c}) \wedge \underline{a}|$$

$$\begin{aligned} |\underline{a} \wedge (\underline{b} + \underline{c})| &= \text{area of } OPQR \\ &= \text{area of polygon OSPQTR} \\ &= \text{area of OSTR} + \text{area of STQP} \end{aligned}$$

$$|\underline{a} \wedge (\underline{b} + \underline{c})| = |\underline{a} \wedge \underline{b}| + |\underline{a} \wedge \underline{c}| - \textcircled{+}$$

Next, consider the directions.

The direction of each of the three vectors, $|\underline{a} \wedge \underline{b}|$ and $|\underline{a} \wedge \underline{c}|$ is the same and let n be the unit vector in that direction.

$$\text{From } \textcircled{+} \text{ since } |\underline{a} \wedge (\underline{b} + \underline{c})| n = |\underline{a} \wedge \underline{b}| n + (\underline{a} \wedge \underline{c}) n$$

$$\text{Hence, } \underline{a} \wedge (\underline{b} + \underline{c}) = \underline{a} \wedge \underline{b} + \underline{a} \wedge \underline{c}$$

1) Prove that

$$(\underline{a} + \underline{b}) \wedge (\underline{a} - \underline{b}) = -2\underline{a} \wedge \underline{b}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{L.H.S.} &= (\underline{a} + \underline{b}) \wedge \underline{a} - (\underline{a} + \underline{b}) \wedge \underline{b} \\ &= \underbrace{\underline{a} \wedge \underline{a}}_0 + \underline{b} \wedge \underline{a} - \underline{a} \wedge \underline{b} - \underbrace{\underline{b} \wedge \underline{b}}_0 \\ &= \underline{b} \wedge \underline{a} - \underline{a} \wedge \underline{b} = -\underline{a} \wedge \underline{b} - \underline{a} \wedge \underline{b} = -2\underline{a} \wedge \underline{b} \end{aligned}$$

2) Simplify

$$\text{I } (\underline{a} + \underline{b} + \underline{c}) \wedge (\underline{b} - \underline{c})$$

$$\text{III } \underline{x} \wedge \underline{y} \text{ where } \underline{x} = \underline{u} - \underline{v}$$

$\underline{y} = \underline{u} + 2\underline{v}$ and \underline{u} & \underline{v} being any two vectors.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{I } (\underline{a} + \underline{b} + \underline{c}) \wedge (\underline{b} - \underline{c}) &= (\underline{a} + \underline{b} + \underline{c}) \wedge \underline{b} - (\underline{a} + \underline{b} + \underline{c}) \wedge \underline{c} \\ &= \underline{a} \wedge \underline{b} + \underline{c} \wedge \underline{b} - \underline{a} \wedge \underline{c} - \underline{b} \wedge \underline{c} \\ &= \underline{a} \wedge \underline{b} - \underline{a} \wedge \underline{c} + 2\underline{c} \wedge \underline{b} \end{aligned}$$

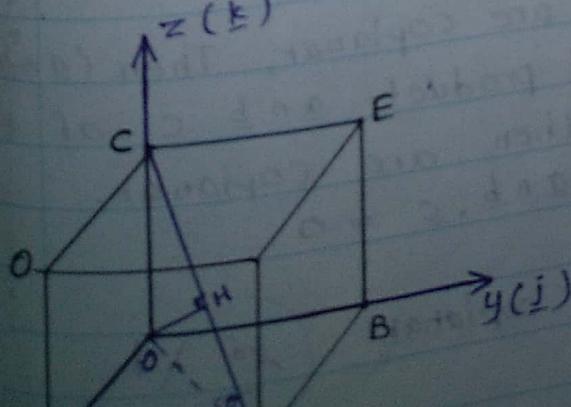
$$\text{I } \underline{x} \wedge \underline{y} = (\underline{u} - \underline{v}) \wedge (\underline{u} + 2\underline{v})$$

$$= (\underline{u} - \underline{v}) \wedge \underline{u} + (\underline{u} - \underline{v}) \wedge 2\underline{v}$$

$$= 2\underline{u} \wedge \underline{u} - \underline{v} \wedge \underline{u} + 2\underline{u} \wedge \underline{v} - 2\underline{v} \wedge \underline{v}$$

$$= -\underline{v} \wedge \underline{u} + 4\underline{u} \wedge \underline{v} = 5\underline{u} \wedge \underline{v}$$

3) Find the perpendicular distance of a corner of a unit cube from a diagonal which does not pass through it.

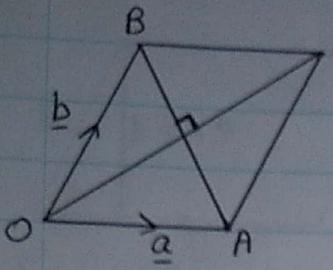


$$OH = OF \sin \theta \quad \text{Now } |\overrightarrow{OF} \wedge \overrightarrow{FC}|$$

$$= |\overrightarrow{OF}| |\overrightarrow{FC}| \sin \theta$$

$$\sin \theta = \frac{|\overrightarrow{OF} \wedge \overrightarrow{FC}|}{|\overrightarrow{OF}| |\overrightarrow{FC}|}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{From } \textcircled{1} \Rightarrow OH &= \frac{|\overrightarrow{OF}| |\overrightarrow{OF} \wedge \overrightarrow{FC}|}{|\overrightarrow{OF}| |\overrightarrow{FC}|} \\ &= \frac{|\overrightarrow{OF} \wedge \overrightarrow{FC}|}{|\overrightarrow{FC}|} \end{aligned}$$

- 4) The diagonals of a rhombus intersect at right angle (90°)
- 
- $\vec{OC} \cdot \vec{AB} = 0$
- suppose that $\vec{OA} = \underline{a}$ and $\vec{OB} = \underline{b}$
- $$\begin{aligned}\vec{OC} &= \vec{OA} + \vec{AC} \\ &= \underline{a} + \underline{b}\end{aligned}$$
- $$\begin{aligned}\vec{AB} &= \vec{AO} + \vec{OB} \\ &= -\underline{a} + \underline{b}\end{aligned}$$

Since $OACB$ is a rhombus then $|\underline{a}| = |\underline{b}|$

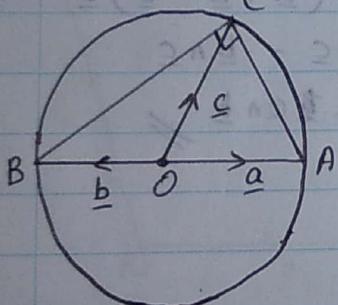
Now prove that

$$\vec{OC} \cdot \vec{AB} = (\underline{a} + \underline{b}) \cdot (\underline{b} - \underline{a})$$

$$= \underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} - \underline{a} \cdot \underline{a} + \underline{b} \cdot \underline{b} - \underline{b} \cdot \underline{a}$$

$$= \underline{b} \cdot \underline{b} - \underline{a} \cdot \underline{a} (= |\underline{b}|^2 - |\underline{a}|^2) = 0 \quad (\because |\underline{a}| = |\underline{b}|)$$

- 5) The angle subtended by a diameter at the circumference of a semi-circle is a right angle.



Taking O as the origin, let the position vectors of A, B, C be $\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c}$ respectively. The $|\underline{c}| = |\underline{b}| = |\underline{a}|$ = the radius.

To prove BC is perpendicular to CA consider the dot product $\vec{CA} \cdot \vec{CB}$.

$$\vec{CA} \cdot \vec{CB} = (\underline{a} - \underline{c}) \cdot (\underline{b} - \underline{c})$$

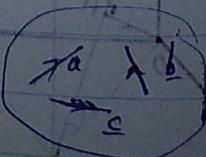
$$= \underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} - \underline{a} \cdot \underline{c} - \underline{b} \cdot \underline{c} + \underline{c} \cdot \underline{c}$$

- 6) If three non-zero $\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c}$ are coplanar, Then $(\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b}) \cdot \underline{c}$ & conversely, if the scalar product $\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} \cdot \underline{c}$ of three non-zero vectors is zero, then they are coplanar.

$$\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c} \text{ are coplanar} \Leftrightarrow \underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} \cdot \underline{c} = 0$$

Proof

Assume that the vectors are coplanar.



The \underline{c} can be expressed as a linear combination $\Rightarrow \underline{c} = \lambda \underline{a} + \mu \underline{b}$

$$\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} \cdot \underline{c} = \underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} \cdot (\lambda \underline{a} + \mu \underline{b}) = \lambda \underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} \cdot \underline{a} + \mu \underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} \cdot \underline{b} = 0.$$

Let assume that $\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} \cdot \underline{c} = 0$

$$\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} \cdot \underline{c} = 0 \Rightarrow$$

(implies)

that the value of the parallelepiped formed by the vector vanishes.

Thus three vector are coplanar.

Some properties of the scalar triple product.

1. Scalar triple product $\{\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c}\}$, where the vectors are given in terms of three non coplanar vectors

$$\underline{l}, \underline{m}, \underline{n}$$

$$\text{Let } \underline{a} = a_1 \underline{l} + a_2 \underline{m} + a_3 \underline{n}$$

$$\underline{b} = b_1 \underline{l} + b_2 \underline{m} + b_3 \underline{n}$$

$$\underline{c} = c_1 \underline{l} + c_2 \underline{m} + c_3 \underline{n}$$

$$\text{show that, } \underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} \cdot \underline{c} = \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ b_1 & b_2 & b_3 \\ c_1 & c_2 & c_3 \end{vmatrix}$$

2. If $\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c}$ are three vectors then,

$$\underline{a} \cdot (\underline{b} \cdot \underline{c}) = (\underline{a} \cdot \underline{c}) \underline{b} - (\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b}) \underline{c}$$

Proof let $\underline{a} = a_1 \underline{i} + a_2 \underline{j} + a_3 \underline{k}$ and $\underline{a} \cdot (\underline{b} \cdot \underline{c}) =$

$$\underline{b} = b_1 \underline{i} + b_2 \underline{j} + b_3 \underline{k}$$

$$\underline{c} = c_1 \underline{i} + c_2 \underline{j} + c_3 \underline{k}$$

$$= [a_1 \underline{i} + a_2 \underline{j} + a_3 \underline{k}] \cdot [i(b_1 c_3 - b_3 c_1) + j(b_2 c_3 - b_3 c_2) + k(b_1 c_2 - b_2 c_1)]$$

$$= [a_1 \underline{i} + a_2 \underline{j} + a_3 \underline{k}] \cdot [i(b_1 c_3 - b_3 c_1) + j(b_2 c_3 - b_3 c_2) + k(b_1 c_2 - b_2 c_1)]$$

$$= a_1 \underline{i}$$

(8)

Vector triple product.

$(\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c})$ is defined as the cross product of \underline{a} with the cross product of vectors \underline{b} and \underline{c} .
i.e. $\underline{a} \times (\underline{b} \times \underline{c})$

Here $\underline{a} \times (\underline{b} \times \underline{c})$ is coplanar with the vectors \underline{b} & \underline{c} and perpendicular to \underline{a} .

Hence we can write.

$\underline{a} \times (\underline{b} \times \underline{c})$ as linear combination of vector \underline{b} and \underline{c} .

That is,

$$\underline{a} \times (\underline{b} \times \underline{c}) = x\underline{b} + y\underline{c}$$

Vector triple product formula,

$$(\underline{a} \times \underline{b}) \times \underline{c} = (\underline{a} \cdot \underline{c})\underline{b} - (\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b})\underline{c} \quad \text{and}$$

$$(\underline{a} \times \underline{b}) \times \underline{c} = (\underline{a} \cdot \underline{c})\underline{b} - (\underline{b} \cdot \underline{c})\underline{a}$$

vector triple product proof:

$$(\underline{a} \times \underline{b}) \times \underline{c} = (\underline{a} \cdot \underline{c})\underline{b} - (\underline{b} \cdot \underline{c})\underline{a}$$

$(\underline{a} \times \underline{b}) \times \underline{c}$ as a linear combination of \underline{a} & \underline{b} .

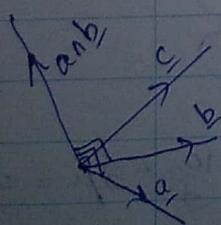
$$(\underline{a} \times \underline{b}) \times \underline{c} = x\underline{a} + y\underline{b} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\underline{c} \cdot (\underline{a} \times \underline{b}) \times \underline{c} = \underline{c} \cdot (x\underline{a} + y\underline{b})$$

$$\underline{c} \cdot (\underline{a} \times \underline{b}) \cdot \underline{c} = x\underline{c} \cdot \underline{a} + y\underline{c} \cdot \underline{b}$$

$$x\underline{c} \cdot \underline{a} = -y \cdot \underline{c} \cdot \underline{b}$$

$$\frac{x}{\underline{c} \cdot \underline{b}} = \frac{-y}{\underline{c} \cdot \underline{a}} = \lambda$$



From ① ;

$$(\underline{a} \wedge b) \wedge c = \underline{a}(c \cdot b) \underline{a} - \underline{a}(c \cdot \underline{a}) \underline{b}$$

It is valid for every value of a, b and c because it is an identity.

Ex: $a = i, b = j, c = i$

$$(i \wedge j) \wedge i = \underline{a}(i \cdot j)i - \underline{a}(i \cdot \underline{i})j$$

$$\underline{k} \wedge i = 0 - \underline{a}j$$

$$\underline{j} = d - \underline{a}j - b(i, d, 0) = (b \wedge j) \wedge (d \wedge 0)$$

$$\underline{a} = d //$$

$$(\underline{a} \wedge b) \wedge c = -(c \cdot b)\underline{a} + (\underline{a} \cdot \underline{a}) \cdot b = (c \cdot \underline{a}) \underline{b} - (\underline{c} \cdot b)\underline{a} //$$

Properties

$$1. \underline{a} \wedge b \cdot c \wedge d = \begin{vmatrix} \underline{a} \cdot c & \underline{a} \cdot \underline{d} \\ \underline{b} \cdot c & \underline{b} \cdot \underline{d} \end{vmatrix} \quad g = \underline{a} \wedge \underline{b}$$

$$\underline{a} \wedge b \cdot c \wedge d = g \cdot c \wedge d$$

$$g(p, q) - g(p) = g \wedge c \cdot d$$

$$g(b, d) - d(b, q) = (\underline{a} \wedge b) \wedge c \cdot \underline{d}$$

$$= [(\underline{a} \cdot c)b - (\underline{b} \cdot \underline{c})\underline{a}] \cdot \underline{d} - g(b, d \wedge 0)$$

$$= (\underline{a} \cdot c)(\underline{b} \cdot \underline{d}) - (\underline{b} \cdot \underline{c})(\underline{a} \cdot \underline{d})$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} \underline{a} \cdot c & \underline{a} \cdot \underline{d} \\ \underline{b} \cdot c & \underline{b} \cdot \underline{d} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$b(i, d, 0) \quad \underline{b} \cdot \underline{c} \quad (\underline{b} \cdot \underline{d}) // = (b \wedge c) \wedge (d \wedge 0)$$

$$g(b, d) - d(b, 0) =$$

$$2. \underline{a} \wedge b \cdot (\underline{b} \wedge c) \wedge (\underline{c} \wedge \underline{a}) = [\underline{a} \wedge b \cdot c]^2$$

$$\underline{a} \wedge b \cdot [(\underline{b} \wedge c) \wedge (\underline{c} \wedge \underline{a})] = b \cdot \underline{c} \wedge \underline{a}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{a} \wedge b \cdot [(\underline{b} \cdot \underline{c}) \underline{c} - (\underline{c} \cdot \underline{c}) \underline{b}] = b \cdot \underline{c} \wedge \underline{a}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{a} \wedge b \cdot [(\underline{b} \cdot \underline{c} \wedge \underline{a}) \underline{c} - (\underline{c} \cdot \underline{c} \wedge \underline{a}) \underline{b}] = \underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} \wedge \underline{c}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{a} \wedge b \cdot [(\underline{b} \cdot \underline{c} \wedge \underline{a}) \underline{c}] = [b \cdot \underline{c} \wedge \underline{a}] [\underline{a} \wedge b \cdot \underline{c}]$$

$$\underline{b} \wedge \underline{d} = \begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = i(3-2) - j(2+3) + k(4-9)$$

$$8 = \frac{(\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} \wedge \underline{d})}{(\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} \wedge \underline{c})} = \frac{(1,2,3)(1,1,-5)}{-18} = \frac{-12}{-18} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\underline{d} &= \alpha \underline{a} + \beta \underline{b} + \gamma \underline{c} \\ &= -\frac{1}{3} \underline{a} - \frac{2}{3} \underline{b} + \frac{2}{3} \underline{c} = -\frac{1}{3} (\underline{a} + 2\underline{b} + 2\underline{c})\end{aligned}$$

Product of two scalar triple product

Prove that,

$$[\underline{P}, \underline{q}, \underline{r}] [\underline{P}', \underline{q}', \underline{r}'] = \begin{vmatrix} \underline{P} \cdot \underline{P}' & \underline{P} \cdot \underline{q}' & \underline{P} \cdot \underline{r}' \\ \underline{q} \cdot \underline{P}' & \underline{q} \cdot \underline{q}' & \underline{q} \cdot \underline{r}' \\ \underline{r} \cdot \underline{P}' & \underline{r} \cdot \underline{q}' & \underline{r} \cdot \underline{r}' \end{vmatrix}$$

$$[\underline{P}, \underline{q}, \underline{r}] [\underline{P}', \underline{q}', \underline{r}'] = [\underline{P} \cdot \underline{q} \wedge \underline{r}] [\underline{P}' \cdot \underline{q}' \wedge \underline{r}']$$

$$(\underline{a} \wedge \underline{b}) \wedge (\underline{c} \wedge \underline{d}) = [\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{d}] \underline{c} - [\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c}] \underline{d}$$

$$([\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{d}] \underline{c} - [\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c}] \underline{d}) = ([\underline{a}, \underline{c}, \underline{d}] \underline{b} - [\underline{b}, \underline{c}, \underline{d}] \underline{a})$$

$$[\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{d}] \underline{c} - [\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c}] \underline{d} - [\underline{a}, \underline{c}, \underline{d}] \underline{b} + [\underline{b}, \underline{c}, \underline{d}] \underline{a} = 0$$

$$([\underline{b}, \underline{c}, \underline{d}] \underline{a} - [\underline{a}, \underline{c}, \underline{d}] \underline{b} + [\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{d}] \underline{c} - [\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c}] \underline{d}) = 0$$

Considering the four vectors $\underline{P}, \underline{q}, \underline{r}$ and \underline{s} . we obtain linear relation.

$$[\underline{q}, \underline{r}, \underline{s}] \underline{P} - [\underline{P}, \underline{r}, \underline{s}] \underline{q} + [\underline{P}, \underline{q}, \underline{s}] \underline{r} - [\underline{P}, \underline{q}, \underline{r}] \underline{s} = 0$$

$$\text{Let consider } \underline{s} = \underline{P}' \wedge \underline{q}'$$

$$[\underline{q}, \underline{r}, \underline{P}' \wedge \underline{q}'] \underline{P} - [\underline{P}, \underline{r}, \underline{P}' \wedge \underline{q}'] \underline{q} + [\underline{P}, \underline{q}, \underline{P}' \wedge \underline{q}'] \underline{r} - [\underline{P}, \underline{q}, \underline{r}] \underline{P}' \wedge \underline{q}'$$

*. \underline{r} ;

$$[\underline{q}, \underline{r}, \underline{P}' \wedge \underline{q}'] \underline{P} \cdot \underline{r}' - [\underline{P}, \underline{r}, \underline{P}' \wedge \underline{q}'] \underline{q} \cdot \underline{r}' + [\underline{P}, \underline{q}, \underline{P}' \wedge \underline{q}'] \underline{r} \cdot \underline{r}' - [\underline{P}, \underline{q}, \underline{r}] \underline{P}' \wedge \underline{q}' = 0$$

$$[\underline{P}, \underline{q}, \underline{r}] [\underline{P}', \underline{q}', \underline{r}'] = [\underline{q}, \underline{r}, \underline{P}' \wedge \underline{q}'] \underline{P} \cdot \underline{r}' - [\underline{P}, \underline{r}, \underline{P}' \wedge \underline{q}'] \underline{q} \cdot \underline{r}' + [\underline{P}, \underline{q}, \underline{P}'] \frac{\underline{q} \cdot \underline{r}'}{\underline{r} \cdot \underline{r}'}$$

$$[\underline{q}, \underline{r}, \underline{P}' \wedge \underline{q}'] \underline{P} \cdot \underline{r}' = [\underline{q} \cdot \underline{r} \wedge (\underline{P}' \wedge \underline{q}')] (\underline{P} \cdot \underline{r}')$$

$$= [\underline{q} \cdot (\underline{r} \cdot \underline{q}') \underline{P}' - (\underline{r} \cdot \underline{P}') \underline{q}'] (\underline{P} \cdot \underline{r}')$$

$$= [(\underline{q} \cdot \underline{P}') (\underline{r} \cdot \underline{q}') - (\underline{r} \cdot \underline{P}') (\underline{q} \cdot \underline{q}')] (\underline{P} \cdot \underline{r}')$$

$$[\underline{P}, \underline{r}, \underline{P}' \wedge \underline{q}'] (\underline{q} \cdot \underline{r}') = [\underline{P} \cdot \underline{r} \wedge (\underline{P}' \wedge \underline{q}')] (\underline{q} \cdot \underline{r}')$$

$$= [\underline{P} \cdot (\underline{r} \cdot \underline{q}') \underline{P}' - (\underline{r} \cdot \underline{P}') \underline{q}'] (\underline{q} \cdot \underline{r}')$$

$$= [(\underline{P} \cdot \underline{P}') (\underline{r} \cdot \underline{q}') - (\underline{r} \cdot \underline{P}') (\underline{q} \cdot \underline{q}')] (\underline{q} \cdot \underline{r}')$$

$$[\underline{P}, \underline{q}, \underline{P}' \wedge \underline{q}'] (\underline{r} \cdot \underline{r}') = [\underline{P} \cdot \underline{q} \wedge (\underline{P}' \wedge \underline{q}')] (\underline{r} \cdot \underline{r}')$$

$$= [\underline{P} \cdot (\underline{q} \cdot \underline{q}') \underline{P}' - (\underline{q} \cdot \underline{P}') \underline{q}'] (\underline{r} \cdot \underline{r}')$$

$$= [(\underline{P} \cdot \underline{P}') (\underline{q} \cdot \underline{q}') - (\underline{q} \cdot \underline{P}') (\underline{q} \cdot \underline{q}')] (\underline{r} \cdot \underline{r}')$$

$$[\underline{P}, \underline{q}, \underline{r}] [\underline{P}', \underline{q}', \underline{r}'] = [(\underline{q} \cdot \underline{P}') (\underline{r} \cdot \underline{q}') - (\underline{r} \cdot \underline{P}') (\underline{q} \cdot \underline{q}')] (\underline{P} \cdot \underline{r}')$$

$$- [(\underline{P} \cdot \underline{P}') (\underline{r} \cdot \underline{q}') - (\underline{r} \cdot \underline{P}') (\underline{q} \cdot \underline{q}')] (\underline{q} \cdot \underline{r}')$$

$$+ [(\underline{P} \cdot \underline{P}') (\underline{q} \cdot \underline{q}') - (\underline{q} \cdot \underline{P}') (\underline{q} \cdot \underline{q}')] (\underline{r} \cdot \underline{r}')$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} \underline{P} \cdot \underline{P}' & \underline{P} \cdot \underline{q}' & \underline{P} \cdot \underline{r}' \\ \underline{q} \cdot \underline{q}' & \underline{q} \cdot \underline{q}' & \underline{q} \cdot \underline{r}' \\ \underline{r} \cdot \underline{q}' & \underline{r} \cdot \underline{q}' & \underline{r} \cdot \underline{r}' \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (\underline{P} \cdot \underline{P}') [(\underline{q} \cdot \underline{q}') (\underline{r} \cdot \underline{r}')$$

Thⁿ If $\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c}$ are three non coplanar vectors then prove that $\underline{b} \wedge \underline{c}$, $\underline{c} \wedge \underline{a}$, $\underline{a} \wedge \underline{b}$ are also non-coplanar and express $\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c}$ in terms of $\underline{b} \wedge \underline{c}$, $\underline{c} \wedge \underline{a}$, $\underline{a} \wedge \underline{b}$.

II) If $\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c}$ are three non coplanar vectors then express $\underline{b} \wedge \underline{c}$, $\underline{c} \wedge \underline{a}$, $\underline{a} \wedge \underline{b}$ in terms of $\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c}$.

Since a, b, c are non coplanar $a \cdot b \wedge c \neq 0$,
 $(b \wedge c) \cdot (c \wedge a) \wedge (a \wedge b) \neq 0$

$$(b \wedge c) \cdot [(c \wedge a) \wedge (a \wedge b)] = |b \wedge c \cdot a|^2 - (c \cdot a)(b \wedge c \cdot a)$$

$$= (b \wedge c \cdot a)(c \cdot a) - (c \cdot a)(b \wedge c \cdot a)$$

$$= |b \wedge c \cdot a|^2 - (c \cdot a)(b \cdot c \wedge a \wedge b)$$

The vector $b \wedge c, c \wedge a, a \wedge b$ being non coplanar every vector and in particular a, b, c can be expressible as linear combination of the same.

Let $a = l \cdot b \wedge c + m \cdot c \wedge a + n \cdot a \wedge b \quad \dots \text{①}$

The setting scalar product with a, b, c we have,

$$a \cdot a = (l \cdot b \wedge c \cdot a + m \cdot c \wedge a \cdot a + n \cdot a \wedge b \cdot a)$$

$$|a|^2 = l \cdot b \wedge c \cdot a$$

$$l = \frac{b \wedge c \cdot a}{|a|^2}$$

$$a \cdot b = m \cdot c \wedge a \cdot b$$

$$m = \frac{a \cdot b}{c \wedge a \cdot b}$$

$$a \cdot c = n \cdot a \wedge b \cdot c$$

$$n = \frac{a \cdot c}{a \wedge b \cdot c}$$

$$a \wedge b \cdot c = a \cdot b \wedge c \text{ also } a = \frac{|a|^2}{|a|^2} b \wedge c + \frac{a \cdot b \cdot c}{c \wedge a \cdot b} c \wedge a + \frac{a \cdot b \cdot c}{a \wedge b \cdot c} a$$

$$= b \wedge c \cdot a + \frac{b \wedge c \cdot a}{c \wedge a \cdot b} c \wedge a + \frac{a \cdot b \cdot c}{a \wedge b \cdot c} a$$

$$= b \cdot c \wedge a$$

$$= c \wedge a \cdot b$$

$$= \frac{1}{[b, c, a]} (|a|^2 b \wedge c + a \cdot b \cdot c \wedge a + a \cdot c \wedge b)$$

$b \wedge c$ & $c \wedge a$ can be expressed terms of $b \wedge c, c \wedge a$, & $a \wedge b$.

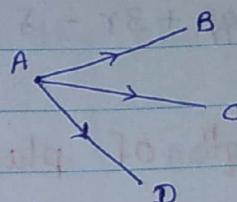
A necessary and sufficient condition for four points A, B, C, D with position vectors $\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c} \& \underline{d}$ to be coplanar is that there exist four scalars $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$ not all zero such that,

$$\alpha \underline{a} + \beta \underline{b} + \gamma \underline{c} + \delta \underline{d} = \underline{0}$$

$$\alpha + \beta + \gamma + \delta = 0$$

necessary condition

Assume that A, B, C, D are coplanar. Then the vector $\overrightarrow{AB}, \overrightarrow{AC}, \overrightarrow{AD}$ are coplanar.



Thus there exists scalar λ and

μ such that,

$$\overrightarrow{AD} = \lambda \overrightarrow{AB} + \mu \overrightarrow{AC} \quad (\text{expressed as linear combinations})$$

$$\underline{d} - \underline{a} = \lambda(\underline{b} - \underline{a}) + \mu(\underline{c} - \underline{a})$$

$$\underline{d} - \underline{a} \Rightarrow \lambda(\underline{b} - \underline{a}) + \mu(\underline{c} - \underline{a}) = \underline{0}$$

$$(\lambda + \mu - 1)\underline{a} - \lambda \underline{b} - \mu \underline{c} + \underline{d} = \underline{0}$$

$$\alpha = \lambda + \mu - 1, \quad \beta = -\lambda, \quad \gamma = -\mu, \quad \delta = 1$$

$$\alpha \underline{a} + \beta \underline{b} + \gamma \underline{c} + \delta \underline{d} = \underline{0}$$

$$\alpha + \beta + \gamma + \delta = \lambda + \mu - 1 - \lambda - \mu + 1 = 0$$

sufficient condⁿ

$$\alpha \underline{a} + \beta \underline{b} + \gamma \underline{c} + \delta \underline{d} = \underline{0}$$

$$\alpha + \beta + \gamma + \delta = 0 \quad (\text{assume that } \alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta \neq 0)$$

$$\alpha \underline{a} + \beta \underline{b} = -(\gamma \underline{c} + \delta \underline{d})$$

$$\alpha + \beta = -(\gamma + \delta)$$

$$\frac{\alpha \underline{a} + \beta \underline{b}}{\alpha + \beta} = \frac{\gamma \underline{c} + \delta \underline{d}}{\gamma + \delta}$$

1. Show that the points A, B, C, D with position vectors $-6\alpha + 3\beta + 2\gamma$, $3\alpha - 2\beta + 4\gamma$, $5\alpha + 7\beta + 3\gamma$ and $-13\alpha + 17\beta - \gamma$ are coplanar.

$$\alpha[-6\alpha + 3\beta + 2\gamma] + \beta[3\alpha - 2\beta + 4\gamma] + \gamma[5\alpha + 7\beta + 3\gamma] + \delta[-13\alpha + 17\beta - \gamma] = 0$$

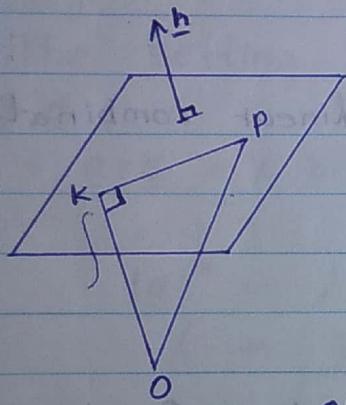
$$\alpha[-6\alpha + 3\beta + 2\gamma] + \beta[3\alpha - 2\beta + 4\gamma] + \gamma[5\alpha + 7\beta + 3\gamma] + \delta[-13\alpha + 17\beta - \gamma] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -6\alpha + 3\beta + 2\gamma - 13\delta = 0$$

$$3\alpha - 2\beta + 4\gamma + 17\delta = 0$$

$$2\alpha + 4\beta + 3\gamma - \delta = 0$$

Vector eqⁿ of plane.



Let \underline{n} be the unit vector normal to given plane and p the length of the perpendicular from the origin O , to the plane.

$$\overrightarrow{OK} = p \cdot \underline{n}$$

Ok perpendicular to the plane, we have $\overrightarrow{OK} = \underline{n}$. Let P be any point on the plane with position vector \underline{r} then $\overrightarrow{OP} = \underline{r}$.

$$\overrightarrow{KP} = \overrightarrow{KO} + \overrightarrow{OP} - \underline{r} = -\underline{n} + \underline{r}$$

$$= -P\underline{n} + \underline{r} = \underline{r} - P\underline{n}$$

KP lies on the plane

$$\overrightarrow{OK} \cdot \overrightarrow{KP} = 0$$

$$P\underline{n} \cdot (\underline{r} - P\underline{n}) = 0$$

$$\underline{n} \cdot \underline{r} = P\underline{n} \cdot \underline{n}$$

$$\underline{n} \cdot \underline{r} = P = 0$$

$$(\underline{r} \cdot \underline{n}) = P$$

$$(3+4+5) = 12 = 12$$

1. Find the distance from the origin to the plane. $2x + 3y - 4z = 9$

$$(x_i + y_j + z_k) \cdot (2i + 3j - 4k) = 5$$
$$(x, y, z) \cdot (2, 3, -4) = 5$$
$$(x, y, z) \cdot \frac{(2, 3, -4)}{\sqrt{2^2 + 3^2 + (-4)^2}} = \frac{5}{\sqrt{2^2 + 3^2 + (-4)^2}}$$

$$\frac{(x, y, z) \cdot (2, 3, -4)}{\sqrt{29}} = \frac{5}{\sqrt{29}}$$

Distance from the origin to the plane is $\frac{5}{\sqrt{29}}$

2. Find the plane through $A(1, 1, 1)$ normal to $2i - j + 5k$.

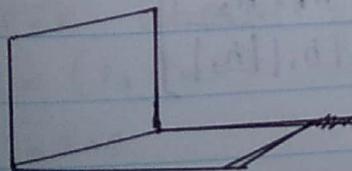
$$\begin{array}{c} \uparrow 2i - j + 5k \\ \text{P}(z) = (x, y, z) \\ A(1, 1, 1) \end{array}$$

cancel out resulted slope

$$\overrightarrow{AP} \cdot (2i - j + 5k) = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \overrightarrow{AP} &= \underline{r} - \underline{a} \\ &= (x, y, z) - (1, 1, 1) \\ &= (x-1, y-1, z-1) \end{aligned} \quad \begin{aligned} (x-1, y-1, z-1) \cdot (2i - j + 5k) &= 0 \\ 2x-2-y+1+5z-5 &= 0 \\ 2x-y+5z &= 6 \end{aligned}$$

* Vector eqⁿ of the plane passing a given point and co-axial with two given planes.



given two planes

$$\underline{r} \cdot \underline{n}_1 = \underline{\epsilon}_1$$

$\underline{r} \cdot \underline{n}_2 = \underline{\epsilon}_2$ and which passes through the point A with position vector \underline{a}

$$\begin{aligned} \text{The } q^{\underline{n}} \quad \underline{r} \cdot \underline{n}_1 - \underline{q}_1 + k(\underline{r} \cdot \underline{n}_2 - \underline{q}_2) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \underline{r} \cdot (\underline{n}_1 + k\underline{n}_2) &= \underline{q}_1 + k\underline{q}_2 \end{aligned}$$

represents a plane through the line of intersection of the two given planes for all values of k .

Scalar & vector field

what is scalar field

$\sin xyz$, $\cos x$, $x^2 + y^2 + z^2$, $ax + by + cz + d$
where a, b, c, d all are constant.

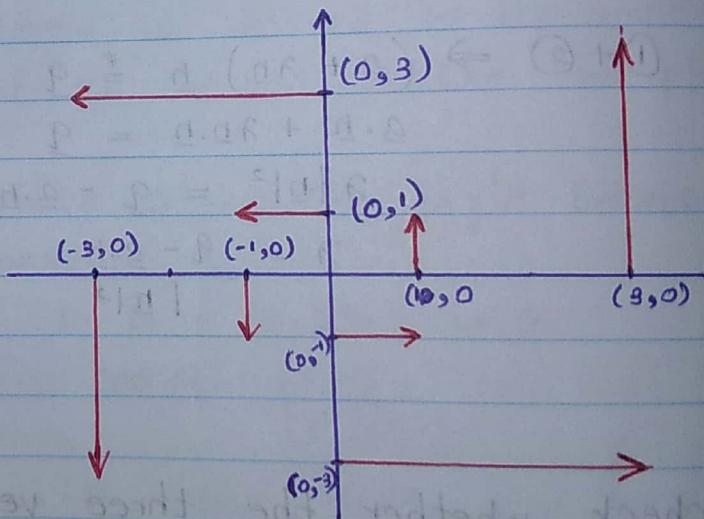
Definition:

Let D be a subset of $\mathbb{R}^2 / \mathbb{R}^3$. A vector field on $\mathbb{R} / \mathbb{R}^3$ is a function.

\vec{F} = assign to each point (x, y) , (x, y, z)
 $\vec{F} \cdot (x, y) / \vec{F} \cdot (x, y, z)$

Let's see how can we sketch.

x, y	$\vec{F}(x, y)$
$(1, 0)$	$-oi + j / \langle 0, 1 \rangle$
$(0, 1)$	$\langle -1, 0 \rangle$
$(-1, 0)$	$\langle 0, -1 \rangle$
$(0, -1)$	$\langle 1, 0 \rangle$
$(3, 0)$	$\langle 0, 3 \rangle$
$(0, 3)$	$\langle -3, 0 \rangle$
$(-3, 0)$	$\langle 0, -3 \rangle$
$(0, -3)$	$\langle 3, 0 \rangle$



Gradient

It is a vector field.

$\nabla \rightarrow$ gradient

$$\nabla = \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z}$$

$$\nabla f = \hat{i} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial f}{\partial z}$$

for any scalar function $f(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$ find it's gradient (∇f)?

$$f(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$$
$$\nabla f = \hat{i} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial f}{\partial z}$$

$$\nabla f = \hat{i}(2x) + \hat{j}(2y) + \hat{k}(2z) //$$

If a scalar field $\Phi = 3(x^2y - y^2x)$ calculate gradient at the point $(1, -2, -1)$.

$$\text{gradient } \Phi = \nabla \Phi = \left[\hat{i} \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial z} \right] (3(x^2y - y^2x))$$
$$= 3 \left[\hat{i}(2xy - y^2) + \hat{j}(x^2 - 2xy) \right]$$
$$= 3i(2xy + y^2) + 3j(x^2 - 2xy)$$
$$= 3i(2 \cdot 1 \cdot -2 + 4) + 3j(1 - 2 \cdot 1 \cdot -2)$$
$$= -24i + 15j //$$

Divergence and curl operator

$$\nabla = \langle \frac{\partial}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \rangle \quad \nabla = \langle \frac{\partial}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \rangle$$

$\nabla \cdot \vec{F} \leftarrow$ Divergence of the vector field.

Ex: for any vector function,

$$V = xy\hat{i} + yz\hat{j} + zx\hat{k}$$

$$\text{divergence } \nabla \cdot \vec{V} = \left(\hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \cdot (xy\hat{i} + yz\hat{j} + zx\hat{k})$$
$$= \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(xy) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(yz) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(zx)$$
$$(\because i.i = j.j = k.k = 1)$$
$$= x + y + z //$$

Find the divergent of vector.

$$\vec{F} = x^2y\hat{i} - (z^3 - 3x)\hat{j} + 4y^2\hat{k}$$

$$\text{diverge } \nabla \vec{F} = \left(i \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + j \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + k \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) (x^2y\hat{i} - (z^3 - 3x)\hat{j} + 4y^2\hat{k})$$
$$= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} x^2y (-\frac{\partial}{\partial y} (z^3 - 3x)) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (4y^2)$$
$$= 2xy + 0 + 0 = 2xy //$$

Curl ($\nabla \vec{F}$)

$$\vec{F} = P(x, y, z), Q(x, y, z), R(x, y, z)$$

P, Q, R (ordinary scalar function).

$$\vec{V} = xy\hat{i} + yz\hat{j} + xz\hat{k}$$

Find the curl.

$$\nabla \times \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ xy & yz & xz \end{vmatrix} = \nabla$$

$$= \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial y}(xz) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(yz) \right] \hat{i} - \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial x}(xz) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(xy) \right] \hat{j} + \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial x}(yz) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(xy) \right] \hat{k}$$

$$= (0 - y)\hat{i} - (z - 0)\hat{j} + (0 - x)\hat{k}$$
$$= -y\hat{i} - z\hat{j} - x\hat{k} = -(y\hat{i} + z\hat{j} + x\hat{k}) //$$

Determine the divergent of a vector field,

$$\vec{F} = \langle x^2y, xy, xyz \rangle$$

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{F} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(x^2y) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(xy) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(xyz)$$

$$= 2xy - \frac{x}{y^2} + xy = 3xy - \frac{x}{y^2} //$$

Determine the curl of a vector field, $\langle x^2y, -\frac{y}{x}, xyz \rangle$

$$\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ x^2y & -\frac{y}{x} & xyz \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y}(xyz) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z}\left(-\frac{y}{x}\right) \right) \mathbf{i} - \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x}(xyz) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(x^2y) \right) \mathbf{j} \\
 &\quad + \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x}\left(-\frac{y}{x}\right) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(x^2y) \right) \mathbf{k} \\
 &= (xz - 0) \mathbf{i} - (yz - 0) \mathbf{j} + \left(\frac{y}{x^2} - x^2\right) \mathbf{k} \\
 &= xz \mathbf{i} - yz \mathbf{j} + \left(\frac{y}{x^2} - x^2\right) \mathbf{k} //
 \end{aligned}$$

Interesting properties of Diverges and curl.

1. $\nabla \times (\nabla F) = 0 \rightarrow$ The curl of its gradient is the zero vector.
2. $\nabla \times \vec{F} = 0 \rightarrow$ The curl of any conservative vector field is zero.

What is directional derivative?

Ex: find the directional derivation (d.d.) of A,
 $A = x^2yz + 4xz^2$ at $(1, -2, -1)$ in the direction
 $2\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k}$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Direction derivative} &= \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{A} \\
 &= \left(\mathbf{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \mathbf{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \mathbf{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) (x^2yz + 4xz^2) \\
 &= \mathbf{i}(2xyz + 4z^2) + \mathbf{j}(x^2y + 0) + \mathbf{k}(x^2y + 8xz) \\
 &= \mathbf{i}(2 \cdot 1 \cdot (-2) \cdot (-1) + 4(-1)^2) + \mathbf{j}(1 \cdot (-2)) + \\
 &\quad \mathbf{k}(1 \cdot (-2) + 8 \cdot 1 \cdot (-1)) \\
 &= \mathbf{i}(4 + 4) + \mathbf{j}(-2) + \mathbf{k}(-10) \\
 &= 8\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} - 10\mathbf{k} //
 \end{aligned}$$