

VECTORS

Vector = (Magnitude) (Dirxⁿ)

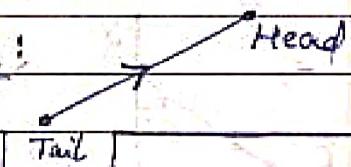
Dirxⁿ given by unit vector in the dirxⁿ of vector (magnitude=1).

Representation —

Vector : \vec{A}

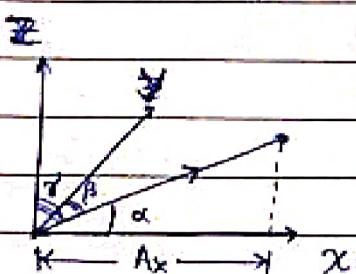
Magnitude: $|\vec{A}|$ or A .

Dirxⁿ is $\hat{A} = \left(\frac{\vec{A}}{A} \right)$ Geometric:



Rectangular Components of Vector —

$$\vec{A} = A_x \hat{i} + A_y \hat{j} + A_z \hat{k}$$



$$A_x = A \cos(\alpha)$$

$$A_y = A \cos(\beta)$$

$$A_z = A \cos(\gamma)$$

$$A = \sqrt{A_x^2 + A_y^2 + A_z^2}$$

$$\cos^2(\alpha) + \cos^2(\beta) + \cos^2(\gamma) = 1$$

$\cos(\alpha), \cos(\beta), \cos(\gamma)$ are called dirxⁿ cosines.

Q) If $\vec{A} = 3\hat{i} - 4\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$. Find angle b/w \vec{A} and X axis.

A) $\cos(\alpha) = \frac{A_x}{A} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{9+16+25}} \Rightarrow \cos(\alpha) = \frac{3}{5\sqrt{2}}$

Q) If $\vec{F}_1 = 10\sqrt{2}\text{N}$ and \angle b/w \vec{F}_1 and X axis is $\pi/4$. Find \vec{F}_1 .

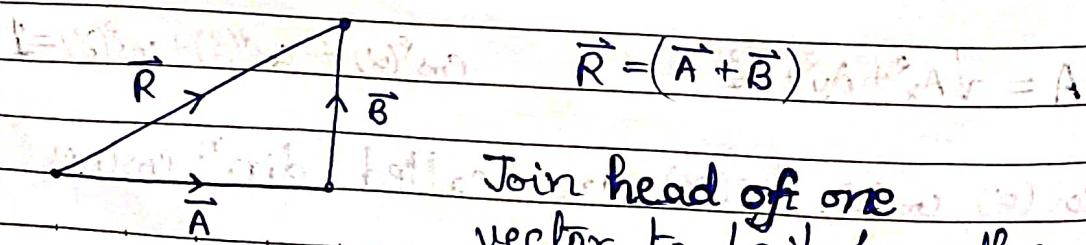
A) $\vec{F}_1 = F_x \hat{i} + F_y \hat{j} = (F) (\cos(\pi/4) \hat{i} + \sin(\pi/4) \hat{j})$
 $\Rightarrow \boxed{\vec{F}_1 = 10\hat{i} + 10\hat{j}}$

Q) If $F = 20\text{N}$ and \angle b/w \vec{F} and (-ve) y axis is 60° . find \vec{F} .

A) $\vec{F} = (20) (\cos(60^\circ) \hat{j} - \sin(60^\circ) \hat{i}) \Rightarrow \boxed{\vec{F} = (10\hat{j} + 10\sqrt{3}\hat{i})\text{N}}$

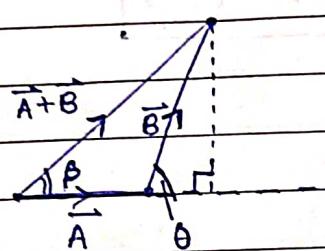
Addition of Vectors —

1. Triangle Law —



Join head of one vector to tail of another.

★ If two vectors to be calc. only if they have same initial pt.
(Co-initial vectors)



$$|\vec{A} + \vec{B}| = \sqrt{A^2 + B^2 + 2AB \cos(\theta)}$$

$$\tan(\beta) = \frac{B \sin(\theta)}{A + B \cos(\theta)}$$



$$|\vec{A} + \vec{B}| \in [|\vec{A} - \vec{B}|, |\vec{A} + \vec{B}|]$$

If $\cos(\theta) = 1 \Rightarrow$ vectors ||, then

$$|\vec{A} + \vec{B}|_{\max} = A + B$$

If $\cos(\theta) = -1 \Rightarrow$ vectors anti||, then

$$|\vec{A} + \vec{B}|_{\min} = |A - B|$$

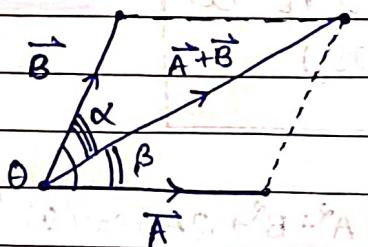
Q) Let $F_1 = 3N$, $F_2 = 5N$, $F_3 = 6N$. Can $\vec{F}_1 + \vec{F}_2 + \vec{F}_3$ be equal to $\vec{0}$?

A) $2 \leq |\vec{F}_1 + \vec{F}_2| \leq 8 \Rightarrow |\vec{F}_1 + \vec{F}_2|$ can be equal to $|\vec{F}_3| = 6$.

In such a case, if b/w $(\vec{F}_1 + \vec{F}_2)$ and (\vec{F}_3) is π , we get:-

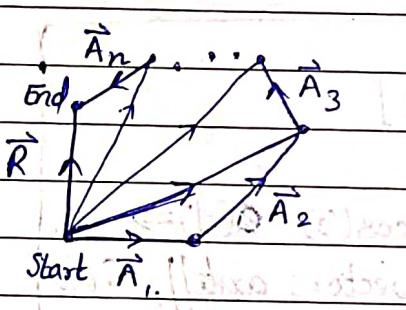
$$\boxed{\vec{F}_1 + \vec{F}_2 + \vec{F}_3 = \vec{0}}$$

2. ||gm Law — This is for co-initial vectors



If $A = B \Rightarrow \alpha = \beta$
If $A > B \Rightarrow \alpha > \beta$
If $A < B \Rightarrow \alpha < \beta$

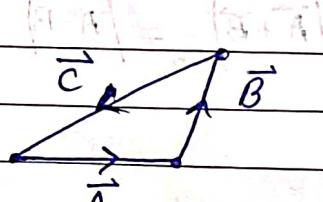
3. Polyⁿ Law —



$$\vec{R} = (\vec{A}_1 + \dots + \vec{A}_n)$$

Join head to

tail of successive vectors.

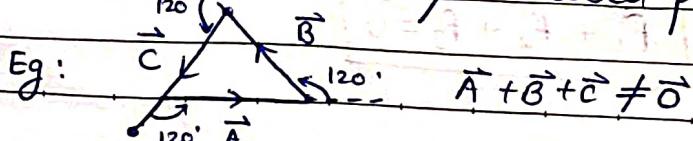


$$\vec{A} + \vec{B} + \vec{C} = \vec{0}$$

(Magnitude = 0)
Dirxⁿ = Unspecified

★ If closed polyⁿ formed \Rightarrow Sum of 4 b/w consecutive vectors is 360°.

Note: Sum of 4 b/w consecutive vectors is 360° \Rightarrow closed polyⁿ formed



$$\text{St } (\vec{A}_1 \wedge \vec{A}_2) = (\vec{A}_2 \wedge \vec{A}_3) = \dots = (\vec{A}_n \wedge \vec{A}_1)$$

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$$\text{If } |\vec{A}_1| = |\vec{A}_2| = \dots = |\vec{A}_n| \text{ St } \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (\vec{A}_i \wedge \vec{A}_{i+1}) + (\vec{A}_n \wedge \vec{A}_1) = 360^\circ,$$

then a closed poly^n is formed.

- Q) 'N' forces of mag. 'F' are acting on a body. Angle b/w any 2 consecutive vectors is $(2\pi/N)$. find resultant force.

A) Mag. of all forces equal? $\Rightarrow \checkmark$

$$\text{Sum of angles} = N \left(\frac{2\pi}{N} \right) = 2\pi = 360^\circ \Rightarrow \checkmark$$

All angles equal? $\Rightarrow \checkmark$

Therefore, resultant is $\vec{0}$

- Q) 'N-1' forces of mag. 'F' are acting on a body. Angle b/w any 2 consecutive vectors is $(2\pi/N)$. find magnitude of result.

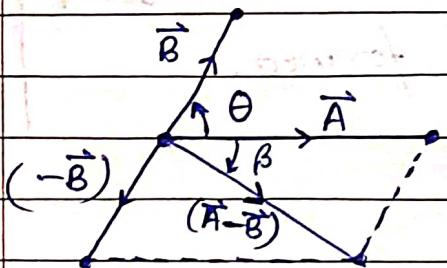
A) Let F_i be the i th force. If there were 'N' forces as in above Q, we would have.

$$\vec{F}_1 + \dots + \vec{F}_N = \vec{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{F}_1 + \dots + \vec{F}_{N-1} = -\vec{F}_N$$

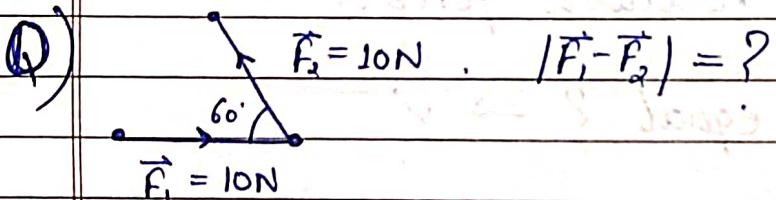
$$\Rightarrow |\vec{F}_1 + \dots + \vec{F}_{N-1}| = |-\vec{F}_N| = F$$

Subtraction of Vectors



$$|(A - B)| = \sqrt{A^2 + B^2 - 2AB \cos(\theta)}$$

$$\tan(\beta) = \frac{B \sin(\theta)}{A - B \cos(\theta)}$$



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$$|\vec{F}_1 - \vec{F}_2| = \sqrt{10^2 + 10^2 - 2 \cdot 10 \cdot 10 \cos(120^\circ)} = 10\sqrt{3}$$

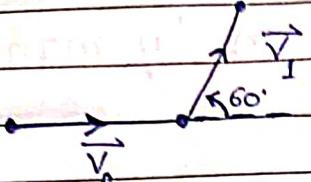
(Q) Car moving towards East turns to the North w/o changing speed. If its speed is 10 ms^{-1} , find change in velocity.

(A)

$$\Delta \vec{v} = \vec{v}_1 - \vec{v}_0 = (10 \text{ ms}^{-1})(-\hat{i} + \hat{j})$$

Q) A body is moving East 10 ms^{-1} . It turns by 60° to North. Find $\Delta \vec{v}$ (w/o changing speed)

A)



$$\vec{v}_0 = 10\hat{i}$$

$$\vec{v}_1 = 5\hat{i} + 5\sqrt{3}\hat{j}$$

$$(\vec{v}_1 - \vec{v}_0) = [-5\hat{i} + 5\sqrt{3}\hat{j}] = \Delta \vec{v}$$

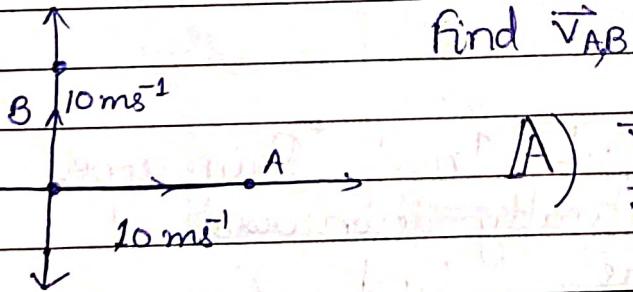
$$|\vec{v}_1 - \vec{v}_0| = 10 \text{ ms}^{-1}; \theta = 60^\circ \text{ North of East.}$$

1) Relative Velocity:

\vec{v}_{AB} = Velocity of A w.r.t B
(observer is at B)

$$\vec{v}_{AB} = \vec{v}_A - \vec{v}_B$$

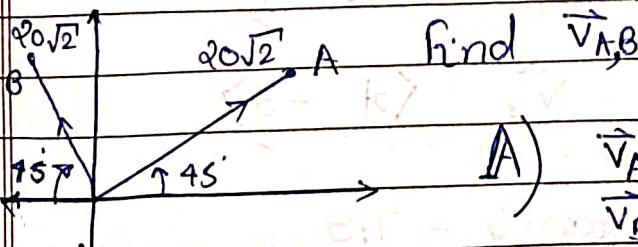
Q)

find \vec{v}_{AB}

$$\text{A)} \quad \vec{v}_A = 10\hat{i} \quad \vec{v}_{AB} = (10\hat{i} - 10\hat{j})$$

$$\vec{v}_B = 10\hat{j}$$

Q)

find \vec{v}_{AB}

$$\text{A)} \quad \vec{v}_A = 20\langle 1, 1 \rangle$$

$$\vec{v}_B = 20\langle -1, 1 \rangle$$

$$\vec{v}_{AB} = 20(\langle 1, 1 \rangle - \langle -1, 1 \rangle) = 20\langle 2, 0 \rangle$$

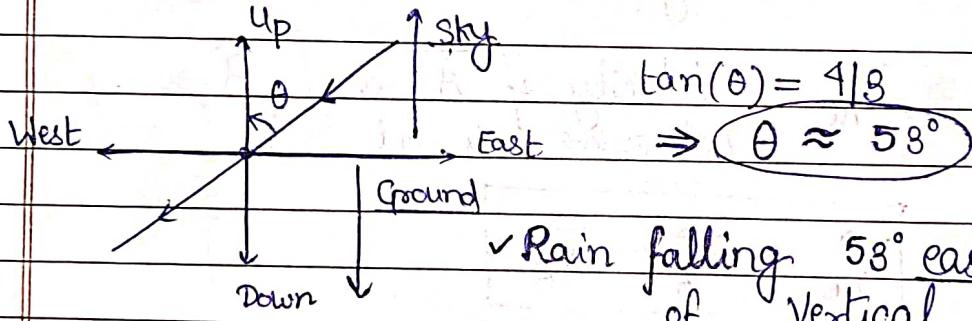
i) Rain-Man Problem:

We need (\vec{v}_{rm}), how rain appears to fall as seen by man.

(Q) Person moving East 4 ms^{-1} . Rain falling vertically down, 3 ms^{-1} speed. Find \vec{v}_{rm}

$$(A) \vec{v}_r = \langle 0, -3 \rangle \quad \vec{v}_M = \langle 4, 0 \rangle$$

$$\vec{v}_{rm} = \vec{v}_r - \vec{v}_M = \langle -4, -3 \rangle$$



(Q) Person moving East 4 ms^{-1} . Rain appears to fall in vertically downward direction with 3 ms^{-1} . Find \vec{v}_r .

$$(A) \vec{v}_M = \langle 4, 0 \rangle \quad \vec{v}_{rm} = \langle 0, -3 \rangle$$

$$\vec{v}_r = \vec{v}_{rm} + \vec{v}_M \Rightarrow \vec{v}_r = \langle 4, -3 \rangle$$

Diagram illustrating the vector addition of velocities. A horizontal line represents the ground, and a vertical line represents the sky. An angle θ is shown between the horizontal ground line and the resultant velocity vector \vec{v}_r . The text indicates $\tan(\theta) = 4/3$ and $\theta \approx 53^\circ$. A note below the diagram states "West of Vertical".

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(Q) Person moving East 4 ms^{-1} . Rain appears to fall in vertically down dirx n . When he doubles his speed, rain appears to come at 45° with vertical. Find velocity of rain.

$$A) \quad \vec{v}_{M_1} = \langle 9, 0 \rangle \quad \vec{v}_{rM_1} = \vec{v}_r - \vec{v}_{M_1} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \vec{v}_r = \vec{v}_{rM_1} + \langle 9, 0 \rangle$$

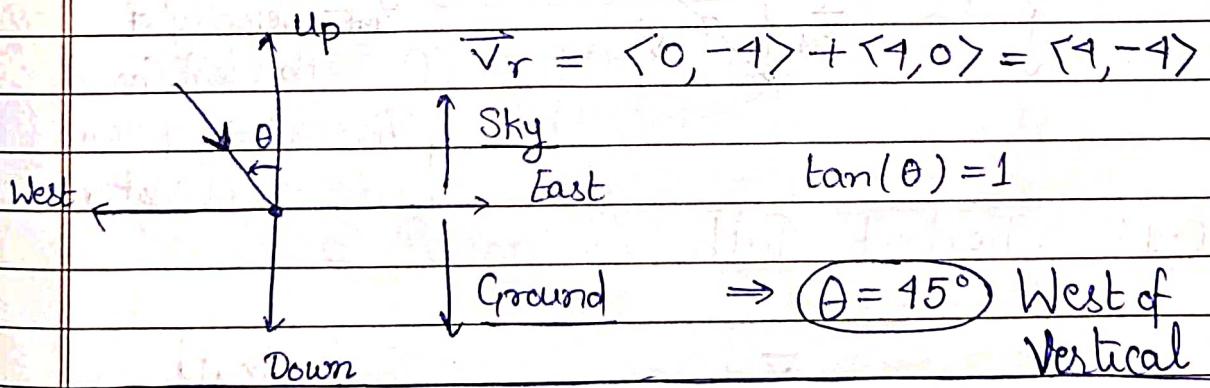
$$\vec{v}_{N_2} = \langle 8, 0 \rangle \quad \textcircled{2} \quad \vec{v}_{rM_2} = \vec{v}_r - \vec{v}_{M_2}$$

⇒ $\vec{v}_r = \vec{v}_{rM_2} + \langle 8, 0 \rangle$

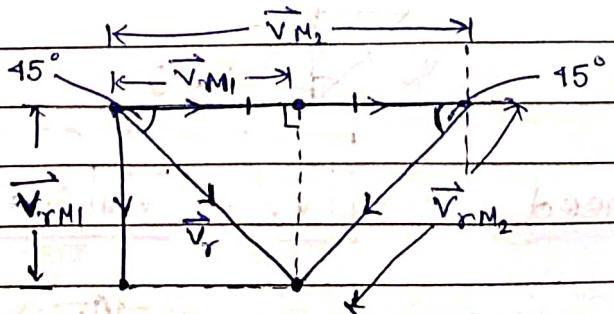
$$\overrightarrow{v_{rM_1}} = \overrightarrow{v_{rM_2}} + \langle 1, 0 \rangle \Rightarrow \langle 0, -a \rangle = \langle -b, -b \rangle + \langle 1, 0 \rangle$$

$$\Rightarrow \langle 0, -a \rangle = \langle 1-b, -b \rangle$$

$$\Rightarrow a = b \quad \text{and} \quad b = 4$$



Sir's Solⁿ:

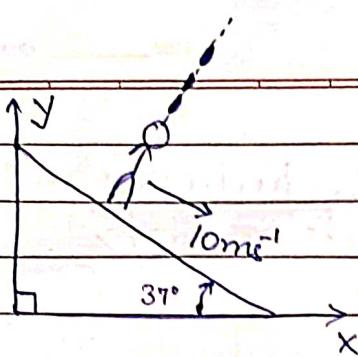


$$|\vec{v}_{M1}| = |\vec{v}_r| \cos(15^\circ) \Rightarrow |\vec{v}_r| = 4\sqrt{2} \quad \text{dor x}^n: \langle 1, -1 \rangle$$

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(Q)



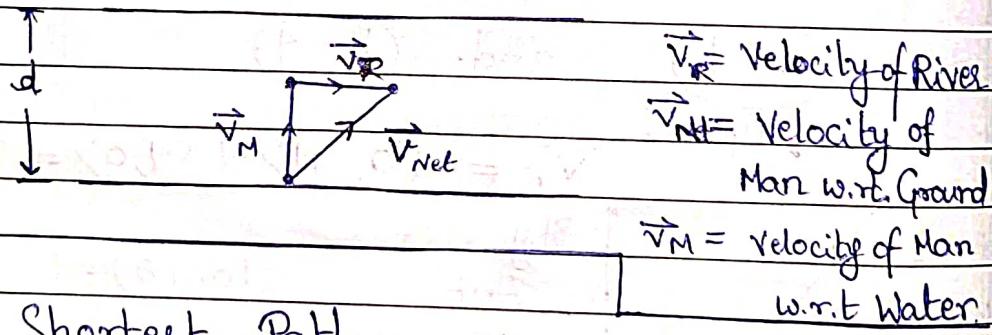
Rain appears to fall 5 m/s^{-1}
in vertical dirⁿ to person.
Find \vec{v}_r .

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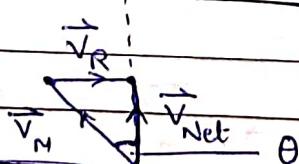
Diagram showing the velocity vectors. The person's velocity is $\vec{v}_M = 10 \langle \cos(37^\circ), -\sin(37^\circ) \rangle$. The rain's velocity relative to the ground is $\vec{v}_{rM} = 5 \langle -\cos(53^\circ), -\sin(53^\circ) \rangle$. The rain's velocity relative to the person is $\vec{v}_r = \vec{v}_M + \vec{v}_{rM}$.

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{v}_M &= 10 \langle \cos(37^\circ), -\sin(37^\circ) \rangle \\ \vec{v}_{rM} &= 5 \langle -\cos(53^\circ), -\sin(53^\circ) \rangle \\ \vec{v}_r &= \vec{v}_M + \vec{v}_{rM} \\ &= \langle 8, -6 \rangle + \langle -8, -4 \rangle \\ \Rightarrow \vec{v}_r &= \langle 5, -10 \rangle\end{aligned}$$

ii) River-Boat Problems:



C-1: Shortest Path.



' \vec{v}_{net} ' should be straight.

We need

$$|\vec{v}_r| = |\vec{v}_M| \sin(\theta)$$

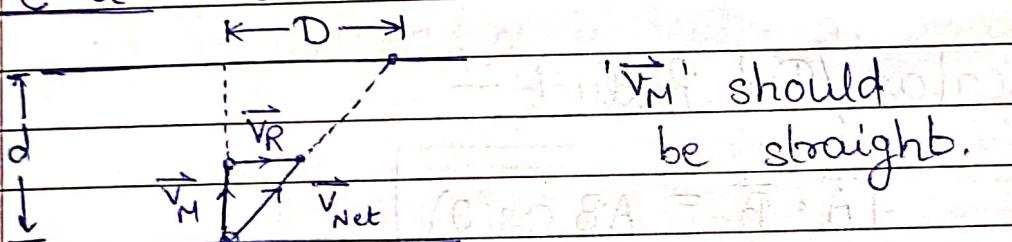
$$\Rightarrow \theta = \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{|\vec{v}_r|}{|\vec{v}_M|} \right) \text{ with normal along upstream}$$

$$\text{Time to Cross River} = \left(\frac{d}{|v_M| \cos(\theta)} \right)$$

$$= \left[\frac{d}{\sqrt{v_M^2 - v_R^2}} \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Velocity of Person w.r.t. Ground} &= (v_M \cos(\theta)) \\ &= \boxed{\sqrt{v_M^2 - v_R^2}} \end{aligned}$$

C-2: Shortest Time.



$$\text{Time to Cross River} = \left(\frac{d}{v_M} \right)$$

$$\text{Drift} = D = \left(\frac{(v_R)(d)}{v_M} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Velocity of Person w.r.t. Ground} &= \boxed{\sqrt{v_M^2 + v_R^2}} \end{aligned}$$

If $(v_R > v_M)$, then min. drift when

$$\theta = \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{v_M}{v_R} \right) \quad (\text{Using diff.})$$

Multiplication of Vectors —

1. With Scalar :

$$\vec{B} = \lambda \vec{A}$$

$$\lambda > 0$$

$$\vec{B} \parallel \vec{A}$$

$$\lambda < 0$$

$$\vec{B} \text{ anti} \parallel \vec{A}$$

2. With Vector :

i) Scalar/Dot Product —

$$\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B} = AB \cos(\theta)$$

\angle b/w \vec{A} & \vec{B}

$$\theta = \pi/2$$

$$\vec{A} \perp \vec{B}$$

$$\theta = 0$$

$$\vec{A} \parallel \vec{B}$$

$$\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B} = 0$$

$$\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B} = AB$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{A} \cdot \vec{A} = A^2$$

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$$\vec{A} = \langle 3, -4, 5 \rangle$$

$$\vec{B} = \langle 1, 2, -1 \rangle$$

$$\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B} = ?$$

A)

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{A} \cdot \vec{B} &= 3 \cdot 1 + (-4) \cdot 2 + 5 \cdot (-1) \\ &= 3 - 8 - 5 = -10 \end{aligned}$$

Usage -

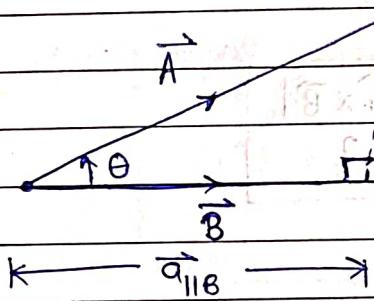
i) To find & b/w vectors:

$$\cos(\theta) = \frac{\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B}}{AB}$$

Q) $\vec{A} = \langle 3, 4, 0 \rangle$; $\theta = ?$
 $\vec{B} = \langle 1, -1, 0 \rangle$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{A) } \cos(\theta) &= \frac{(3 \cdot 1) + (4 \cdot -1)}{5\sqrt{2}} = \frac{-1}{5\sqrt{2}} \\ &= \left(-\frac{1}{5\sqrt{2}} \right) \end{aligned}$$

ii) Projection of a vector on another:

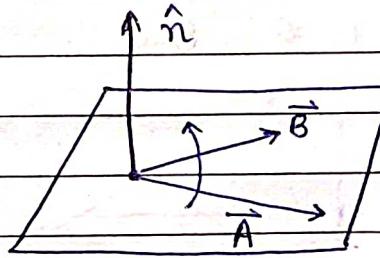


$$\vec{A} = \vec{a}_{\parallel B} + \vec{a}_{\perp B}$$

$$\vec{a}_{\parallel B} = \frac{(\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B})}{B} \hat{B}$$

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ii) Cross Product -



$$\vec{A} \times \vec{B} = AB \sin(\theta) \hat{n}$$

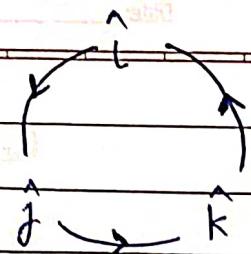
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'n' is normal to plane containing \vec{A} & \vec{B} .

$$\Rightarrow (\vec{A} \times \vec{B}) \perp \vec{A} \quad \text{and} \quad (\vec{A} \times \vec{B}) \perp \vec{B}$$

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$$\begin{array}{l} \hat{i} \times \hat{j} = \hat{k} \\ \hat{j} \times \hat{k} = \hat{i} \\ \hat{k} \times \hat{i} = \hat{j} \end{array}$$

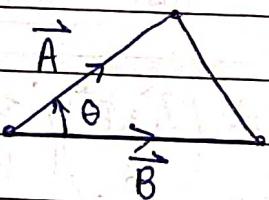
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$$\vec{A} = \langle 3, 4, 1 \rangle$$

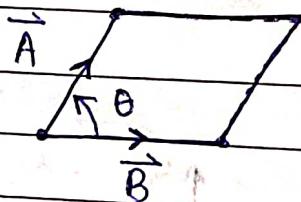
$$\vec{B} = \langle 1, -3, 4 \rangle$$

$$\vec{A} \times \vec{B} = ?$$

$$\text{A) } \begin{vmatrix} (+) & (-) & (+) \\ \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 3 & 4 & 1 \\ 1 & -3 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = \langle 19, -11, -13 \rangle$$

Usage -i) To find area of Δ & ||gm:

$$\text{(Area)}_{\text{(of } \Delta)} = \frac{|\vec{A} \times \vec{B}|}{2}$$



$$\text{(Area)}_{\text{(of ||gm)}} = |\vec{A} \times \vec{B}|$$