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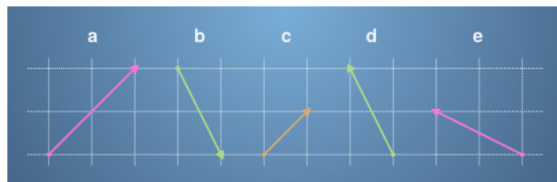
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1. This aim of this quiz is to familiarise yourself with vectors and some basic vector operations.

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For the following questions, the vectors **a**, **b**, **c**, **d** and **e** refer to those in this diagram:

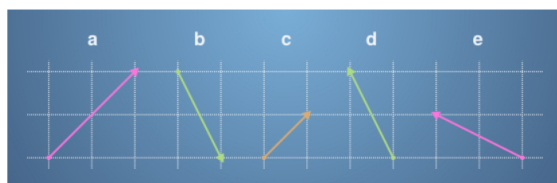


The sides of each square on the grid are of length 1. What is the numerical representation of the vector **a**?

- ☐ $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$
- ☒ $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$
- ☐ $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$
- ☐ $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$

✓ Correct

You can get the numerical representation by following the arrow along the grid.



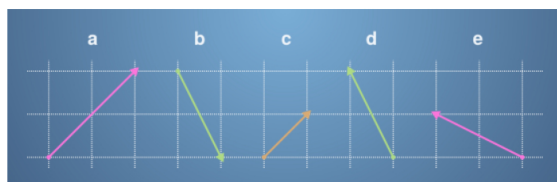
2. Which vector in the diagram corresponds to $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$?

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- ☐ Vector **a**
- ☐ Vector **b**
- ☐ Vector **c**
- ☒ Vector **d**

✓ Correct

You can get the numerical representation by following the arrow along the grid.



3. What vector is **2c**?

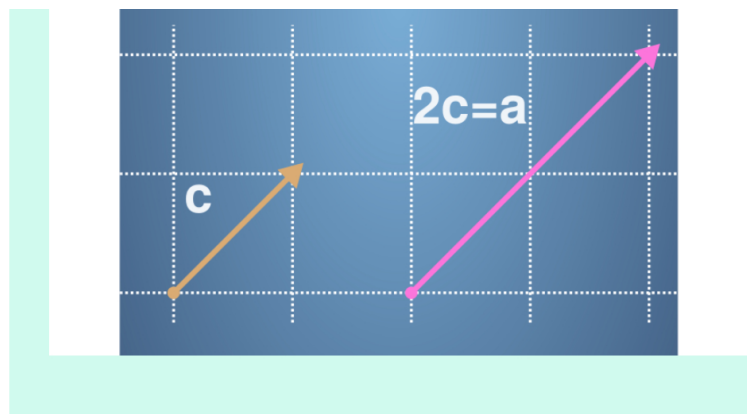
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Please select all correct answers.

- ☒ **a**

✓ Correct

Multiplying by a positive scalar is like stretching out a vector in the same direction.



☒ $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$

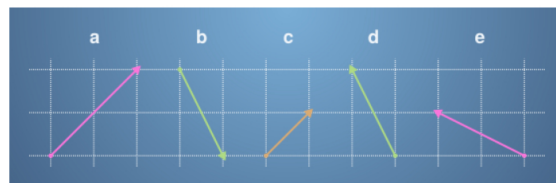


Correct

A scalar multiple of a vector can be calculated by multiplying each component.

☐ e

☐ $\begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$



4. What vector is $-\mathbf{b}$?

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Please select all correct answers.

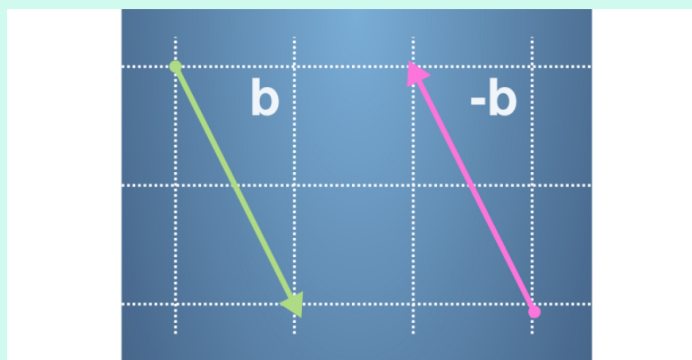
☐ e

☒ d



Correct

Multiplying by a negative number points the vector in the opposite direction.



☐ $\begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

☒ $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$



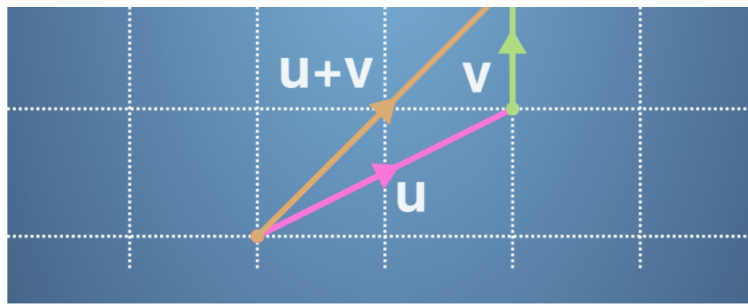
Correct

A scalar multiple of a vector can be calculated by multiplying each component.

5. In the previous videos you saw that vectors can be added by placing them start-to-end. For example, the following diagram represents the sum of two new vectors, $\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}$:

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The sides of each square on the grid are still of length 1. Which of the following equations does the diagram represent?

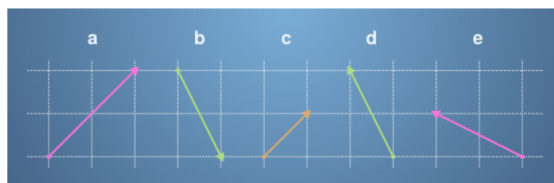
- ☐ $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$
- ☐ $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$
- ☒ $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$
- ☐ $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$

✓ Correct

We can see that summing the vectors by adding them start-to-end and adding up the individual components gives us the same answer.

6. Let's return to our vectors defined by the diagram below:

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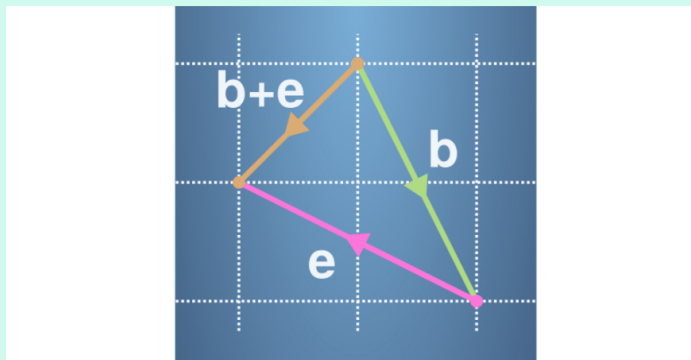


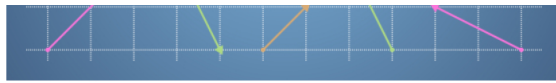
What is the vector $\mathbf{b} + \mathbf{e}$?

- ☐ $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$
- ☐ $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$
- ☐ $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$
- ☒ $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$

✓ Correct

Vectors are added together entry by entry. They can also be thought of as adding start to end, like in the following diagram:





7. What is the vector $\mathbf{d} - \mathbf{b}$?

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- ☐ $\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$
- ☐ $\begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$
- ☐ $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$
- ☒ $\begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$

✓ Correct

Remember that vectors add by attaching the end of one to the start of the other, and that multiplying by a negative number points the vector in the opposite direction.

