

# Unit-3 Vectors - 14 Marks

\* Vector  $\rightarrow$  Direction + Value (Displacement, flow of fluid)

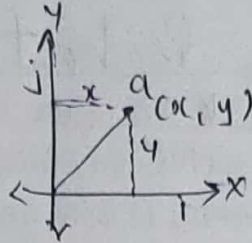
Scalar  $\rightarrow$  only value. (Mass, work, Energy, Frequency, Electric charge)

\* Co-ordinate form

$$a(x, y)$$

vector form

$$\vec{a} = xi + yj$$



$$* a(x, y, z) \Rightarrow \vec{a} = xi + yj + zk$$

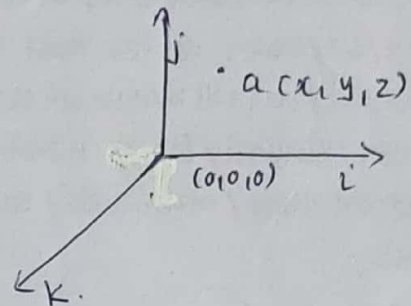
$$* a(1, -1, 3) \Rightarrow \vec{a} = i - j + 3k$$

$$b(5, 2, -3) \Rightarrow \vec{b} = 5i + 2j - 3k$$

$$* \vec{a} = 3i - j + 5k \Rightarrow a(3, -1, 5)$$

$$* \vec{b} = 4i - k \Rightarrow b(4, 0, -1)$$

$$* \vec{c} = 3i - 2k + j \Rightarrow c(3, 1, -2)$$



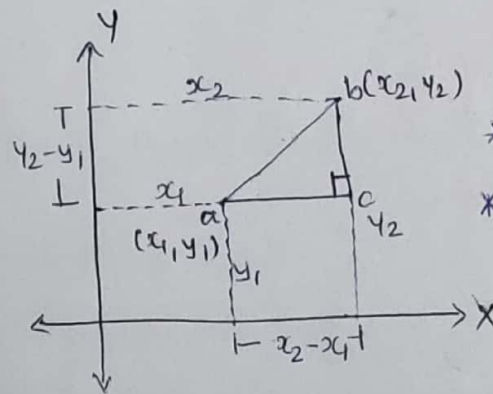
\* Modulus

$$| -3 | = 3$$

$$| -4 | = 4$$

$$ab^2 = ae^2 + be^2$$

$$= (x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2$$



$$* |\vec{x}| \geq 0$$

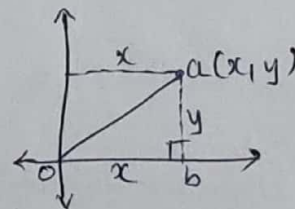
$$* |\vec{x}| = 0 \Leftrightarrow \vec{x} = \vec{0}$$

$$\rightarrow oa^2 = ab^2 + ob^2$$

$$= x^2 + y^2$$

$$\therefore oa = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$\rightarrow a(x, y, z) \Rightarrow |\vec{a}| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$$



$$* \text{ If } \vec{a} = i - 2j + k \text{ then } |\vec{a}| = \text{---} \quad * |3i - 4j + 5k| = \text{---}$$

$$* \text{ If } \vec{a} = 2i - j + 4k \text{ then } |\vec{a}| = \text{---} \quad * |2i + 4j + 4k| = \text{---}$$

$$* \text{ If } \vec{b} = i - 3k + j \text{ then } |\vec{b}| = \text{---}$$

$$* \text{ If } \vec{c} = (1, 0, 0) \text{ then } |\vec{c}| = \text{---}$$

$$* \text{ If } \vec{a} (\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}) \text{ then } |\vec{a}| = \text{---}$$

\* If  $\vec{x} = (\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}})$  then  $|\vec{x}| = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

\* If  $\vec{c} = (\sin\theta, \cos\theta)$  then  $|\vec{c}| = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

\* Unit Vector:- If Modulus of vector is unit then given vector is called Unit Vector.  $|\vec{a}| = 1$ .

\* Unit vector of  $\vec{a}$  :-  $\hat{a} = \frac{\vec{a}}{|\vec{a}|}$

\* If  $\vec{a} = i - 3j + k$  then find unit vector of  $\vec{a}$ .

$$\hat{a} = \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{11}}, \frac{-3}{\sqrt{11}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{11}} \right)$$

→ For verification :-  $\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2} = 1$ .

\* If  $\vec{x} = 3i - j + 4k$  then find Unit Vector of  $\vec{x}$ .

$$\hat{x} = \left( \frac{3}{\sqrt{26}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{26}}, \frac{4}{\sqrt{26}} \right)$$

\* Addition & subtraction of vector

$$\vec{a} = (x_1, y_1, z_1) \quad \vec{b} = (x_2, y_2, z_2)$$

$$\vec{a} \pm \vec{b} = (x_1, y_1, z_1) \pm (x_2, y_2, z_2) \\ = (x_1 \pm x_2, y_1 \pm y_2, z_1 \pm z_2)$$

\* If  $\vec{a} = i - 3j + 5k$  and  $\vec{b} = 4i + j - 2k$  then find (i)  $\vec{a} + \vec{b}$  (ii)  $\vec{a} - \vec{b}$   
(iii)  $2\vec{a} + 3\vec{b}$  (iv)  $3\vec{a} - 2\vec{b}$ .

$$\rightarrow \text{(i) } \vec{a} + \vec{b} = (5, -2, 3) \quad \text{(ii) } 2\vec{a} + 3\vec{b} = (14, -3, 4)$$

$$\text{(iii) } \vec{a} - \vec{b} = (-3, -4, 7) \quad \text{(iv) } 3\vec{a} - 2\vec{b} = (-5, -11, 19)$$

\* If  $\vec{a} = j + k - i$  and  $\vec{b} = 2i + j - 3k$  then find the value of  $|2\vec{a} + 3\vec{b}| = 3\sqrt{10}$

\* If  $\vec{a} = (3, -1, -4)$ ,  $\vec{b} = (-2, 4, -3)$  and  $\vec{c} = (-1, 2, -5)$  then find  $|\vec{a} + 2\vec{b} - \vec{c}|$ .  
 $= \sqrt{50}$

\* If  $\vec{a} = i - 2j + k$ ,  $\vec{b} = 2i + j + 3k$  and  $\vec{c} = -i + 2j - 3k$  then find  $|2\vec{a} - 3\vec{b} + \vec{c}|$ .  
 $= 5\sqrt{6} = \sqrt{150}$

\* If  $\vec{a} = (3, -1, -4)$ ,  $\vec{b} = (-2, 4, -3)$  and  $\vec{c} = (-1, 2, -1)$  then find  $|3\vec{a} - 2\vec{b} + 4\vec{c}|$ .  
 $= \sqrt{190}$

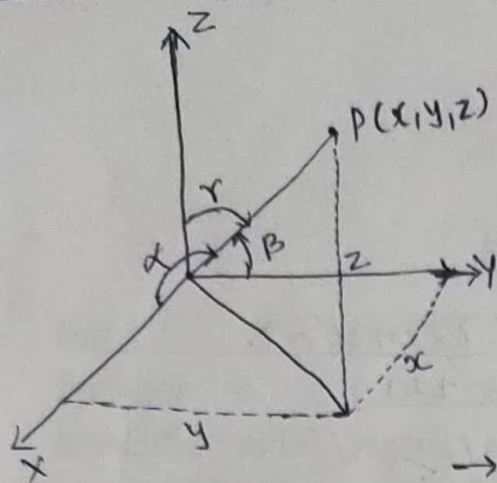
\* If  $\vec{a} = i - 2j + 4k$ ,  $\vec{b} = -3i + j - 4k$  and  $\vec{c} = i + 2j - 4k$  then find  $|5\vec{a} + 3\vec{b} + 2\vec{c}|$ .  
 $= \sqrt{30}$

\* If  $\vec{a} = i + 2j + k$ ,  $\vec{b} = 2i - 3j + k$  and  $\vec{c} = -2i - j + 5k$  then find  $|2\vec{a} + 3\vec{b} - \vec{c}|$ .

\* If  $\vec{a} = 3i - 2j + k$ ,  $\vec{b} = 2i - 4j - 3k$  and  $\vec{c} = -i + 2j + 2k$  then find  $|2\vec{a} - 3\vec{b} - 5\vec{c}| = \sqrt{30}$



\* Direction cosine of vector :-



$$l = \cos \alpha = \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}}$$

$$m = \cos \beta = \frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}}$$

$$n = \cos \gamma = \frac{z}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}}$$

$$\rightarrow \boxed{l^2 + m^2 + n^2 = 1}$$

\* If  $\vec{a} = 3\vec{i} - \vec{j} - 4\vec{k}$ ,  $\vec{b} = -2\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} - 3\vec{k}$  and  $\vec{c} = \vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - \vec{k}$  then find the direction cosine of vector  $3\vec{a} - 2\vec{b} + 4\vec{c}$ .

\* If  $\vec{a} = 3\vec{i} - \vec{j} - 4\vec{k}$ ,  $\vec{b} = -2\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} - 3\vec{k}$  and  $\vec{c} = -\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 5\vec{k}$  then find the direction cosine of  $\vec{a} + 2\vec{b} - \vec{c}$ .

\* Multiplication of vectors

\* Dot product ( $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}$ ) scalar product

\* Cross product ( $\vec{a} \times \vec{b}$ ) vector product

\* Dot product  $\vec{a} = (x_1, y_1, z_1)$ ,  $\vec{b} = (x_2, y_2, z_2)$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} &= (x_1, y_1, z_1) \cdot (x_2, y_2, z_2) \\ &= x_1x_2 + y_1y_2 + z_1z_2. \end{aligned}$$

\* If  $\vec{a} = \vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$  and  $\vec{b} = 3\vec{i} + \vec{j} + 4\vec{k}$  then find (i)  $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}$  (ii)  $\vec{a} \cdot (\vec{a} + \vec{b})$ , (iii)  $\vec{a} \cdot (\vec{a} - \vec{b})$ .

\* If  $\vec{x} = (1, -2, 3)$  and  $\vec{y} = (-2, 3, 1)$  then find  $(\vec{x} + \vec{y}) \cdot (\vec{x} - \vec{y})$ .

\* If  $\vec{x} = (1, -2, 3)$  and  $\vec{y} = (1, 2, -2)$  then find  $(\vec{x} + \vec{y}) \cdot (\vec{x} - \vec{y})$ .

\* If  $\vec{a} = (-4, 9, 6)$ ,  $\vec{b} = (0, 7, 10)$  and  $\vec{c} = (-1, 6, 6)$  then p.t.  $(\vec{a} - \vec{c}) \cdot (\vec{b} - \vec{c}) = 0$ .

\*  $\vec{x} \cdot \vec{x} \geq 0$

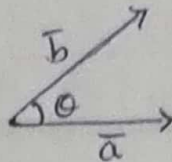
$$* \vec{x} \cdot (\vec{y} + \vec{z}) = \vec{x} \cdot \vec{y} + \vec{x} \cdot \vec{z}$$

\*  $\vec{x} \cdot \vec{x} = 0 \Leftrightarrow \vec{x} = \vec{0}$

\*  $\vec{x} \cdot \vec{y} = \vec{y} \cdot \vec{x}$

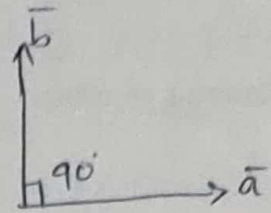
# \* Angle between two Vectors

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}}{|\vec{a}| \cdot |\vec{b}|}$$



$$\therefore \theta = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}}{|\vec{a}| \cdot |\vec{b}|} \right)$$

→ If  $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 0$  then  $\cos \theta = 0$   
 $\theta = \cos^{-1} 0 = 90^\circ$



\* If  $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 0$  then  $\vec{a}$  and  $\vec{b}$  are perpendicular to each other.

\* If  $\vec{a}$  &  $\vec{b}$  are perpendicular to each other then  $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 0$ .

$$\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$$

\* If  $\vec{x} = (1, 1, 1)$  and  $\vec{y} = (1, -1, -1)$  then p.t.  $\vec{x}$  and  $\vec{y}$  are perpendicular to each other.

\* If  $\vec{x} = (1, -2, -3)$  and  $\vec{y} = (2, p, 4)$  then For what value of 'p'  $\vec{x}$  and  $\vec{y}$  are perpendicular to each other. (p = -5).

\* Find x, If  $\vec{a} = (2, -3, 5)$  and  $\vec{b} = (x, -6, -8)$  are perpendicular to each other. (x = 11).

\* If  $2\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + \vec{k}$  and  $p\vec{i} - \vec{j} - 3\vec{k}$  are perpendicular to each other then find 'p'. (p = 3).

\* If  $(m, 2m, 4)$  and  $(m, -3, 2)$  are perpendicular to each other then find m. (m = 4 or m = 2)

\* Find the angle between two Vectors  $(1, 2, 3)$  and  $(-2, 3, 1)$ .

\* Find the angle between vectors  $(1, 2, 4)$  and  $(3, 1, 2)$ .

\* Prove that the angle between two vectors  $\vec{i} + \vec{j} - \vec{k}$  and  $2\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$  is  $\sin^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{26}{27}}$ .

\* Show that the angle between two vectors  $\vec{i} + 2\vec{j}$  and  $\vec{i} + \vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$  is  $\sin^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{46}{55}}$ .

\* Prove that the angle between two vectors  $\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 3\vec{k}$  and  $2\vec{i} + \vec{j} - \vec{k}$  is  $\sin^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{35}{84}}$ .

\* P.T. the angle between two vectors  $3\vec{i} + \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$  and  $2\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + 4\vec{k}$  is  $\sin^{-1} \frac{2}{\sqrt{7}}$ .



## \* Cross product ( $\vec{a} \times \vec{b}$ )

$$\vec{a} = (x_1, y_1, z_1), \quad \vec{b} = (x_2, y_2, z_2)$$

$$\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ x_1 & y_1 & z_1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & z_2 \end{vmatrix} = \hat{i} \begin{vmatrix} y_1 & z_1 \\ y_2 & z_2 \end{vmatrix} - \hat{j} \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & z_1 \\ x_2 & z_2 \end{vmatrix} + \hat{k} \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & y_1 \\ x_2 & y_2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$* \vec{x} \times \vec{y} = -(\vec{y} \times \vec{x})$$

$$* \vec{x} \times \vec{x} = \vec{0}$$

$$* \vec{x} \times (\vec{y} + \vec{z}) = \vec{x} \times \vec{y} + \vec{x} \times \vec{z}$$

$$* |\hat{i}| = |\hat{j}| = |\hat{k}| = 1$$

$$* \hat{i} \cdot \hat{i} = \hat{j} \cdot \hat{j} = \hat{k} \cdot \hat{k} = 1$$

$$* \hat{i} \cdot \hat{j} = \hat{j} \cdot \hat{k} = \hat{k} \cdot \hat{i} = 0$$

$$* \hat{i} \times \hat{j} = \hat{k} \quad * \hat{j} \times \hat{k} = \hat{i} \quad * \hat{k} \times \hat{i} = \hat{j}$$

$$* \hat{j} \times \hat{i} = -\hat{k} \quad * \hat{k} \times \hat{j} = -\hat{i} \quad * \hat{i} \times \hat{k} = -\hat{j}$$

$$* \hat{k} \times \hat{k} = \vec{0}$$

\* If  $\vec{a} = \hat{i} - \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$  and  $\vec{b} = 3\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}$  then find (i)  $\vec{a} \times \vec{b}$  (ii)  $\vec{b} \times \vec{a}$ .

\* If  $\vec{a} = 2\hat{i} - \hat{j}$  and  $\vec{b} = \hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$  then find (i)  $|\vec{a} \times \vec{b}|$  (ii)  $|(\vec{a} + \vec{b}) \times (\vec{a} - \vec{b})|$ .

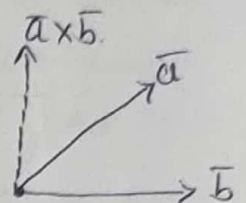
\* If  $\vec{a} = (2, -3, -1)$  and  $\vec{b} = (1, 4, -3)$  then find  $|(\vec{a} + \vec{b}) \times (\vec{a} - \vec{b})|$ .

\* Simplify.  $(30\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) \cdot [(\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) \times (3\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} - 2\hat{k})]$

Box product  $\vec{a} \cdot (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) = [\vec{a} \ \vec{b} \ \vec{c}] = \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & y_1 & z_1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & z_2 \\ x_3 & y_3 & z_3 \end{vmatrix}$

\* Unit vector perpendicular to both vectors :-

U.V.P. to both  $\vec{a}$  &  $\vec{b} = \pm \frac{\vec{a} \times \vec{b}}{|\vec{a} \times \vec{b}|}$   $\begin{cases} \vec{a} \perp (\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \\ \vec{b} \perp (\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \end{cases}$



\* If  $\vec{x} = 3\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$  and  $\vec{y} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}$  then find unit vector perpendicular to both vectors  $\vec{x}$  and  $\vec{y}$ .  $\frac{(-1, 7, 5)}{\sqrt{75}}$

\* Find the unit vector perpendicular to both vectors  $\vec{a} = (5, 7, -2)$  and  $\vec{b} = (3, 1, -2)$ .  $\frac{(-12, 4, -16)}{\sqrt{416}}$

\* Find the unit vector perpendicular to both vectors  $\vec{a} = (1, 2, 3)$  and  $\vec{b} = (-2, 1, -2)$ .  $\frac{(-7, -4, 5)}{\sqrt{90}}$

\* Find the unit vector perpendicular to both vectors  $\vec{a} = (3, 1, 2)$  and  $\vec{b} = (2, -2, 4)$

\* If  $\vec{a} = 2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}$  and  $\vec{b} = \hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}$  then find unit vector perpendicular to  $\vec{a} + \vec{b}$  and  $\vec{a} - \vec{b}$ .  $\frac{(-2, -4, -2)}{\sqrt{24}}$

\* If  $\vec{x} = (1, 1, 1)$  and  $\vec{y} = (2, -1, -1)$  then P.T.  $\vec{x}$  is perpendicular to  $\vec{y}$ . Also find unit vector perpendicular to both  $\vec{x}$  and  $\vec{y}$ .

\* work done by force :- (W)

$$W = \vec{F} \cdot \vec{d}, \text{ where } F = \text{Total force } F_1 + F_2 + F_3 + \dots$$

$$d = \text{Displacement } d_2 - d_1$$

\* The forces  $3\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$  and  $-\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$  act on a particle and particle moves from the point  $(2, 2, -3)$  to the point  $(-1, 2, 4)$  under the effect of these forces. Find the work done. (W = 15 units)

\* The constant forces  $(1, 2, 3)$  and  $(3, 1, 2)$  act on a particle and particle moves from the point  $(0, 1, -2)$  to the point  $(5, 1, 2)$ . Find the work done. ( $w = 40$  units)

\* A particle moves from  $(-1, 2, 1)$  to  $(2, 3, -1)$  under the effect of the forces  $(1, 2, 1)$  and  $(2, -1, 0)$ . Find work done. ( $w = 8$  units)

\* The constant forces  $(1, 2, 3)$ ,  $(-1, 2, 3)$  and  $(-1, 2, -3)$  act on a particle and under the effect of these forces particle move to the point  $(-1, 3, 2)$  from the point  $(0, 1, -2)$ . Find work done. ( $w = 25$  units).

\* The constant forces  $(1, 2, 3)$  and  $(3, 1, 1)$  act on a particle and particle moves from the point  $(0, 1, -2)$  to the point  $(5, 1, 2)$ . Find the work done.  $w = 36$  unit.

\* The constant forces  $(1, -1, 1)$ ,  $(1, 1, -3)$  and  $(4, 5, -6)$  act on a particle and particle moves from the point  $(3, -2, 1)$  to the point  $(1, 3, -4)$ . Find work done. ( $w = 53$  units)

### \* Moment of force:-

→ The moment of a force  $\vec{F}$  about a point  $A(\vec{a})$  is a vector which is given by  $\vec{AP} \times \vec{F}$ , where  $P(\vec{p})$  is a point on the line of force  $\vec{F}$ .

→ Magnitude of the moment of a force  $\vec{F}$  about a point  $A(\vec{a})$  on a particle  $P(\vec{p}) = |\vec{AP} \times \vec{F}|$ .

passing through the point }  $P$  about the point }  $A$   
acting at the point

$$\rightarrow \vec{AP} = \vec{OP} - \vec{OA} \xrightarrow{(\vec{p} - \vec{a})} \vec{AP} \times \vec{F}$$

\* A force  $\vec{F} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}$  is acting at the point  $C(-3, 2, 1)$ . Find the magnitude of the moment of force about the point  $(2, 1, 2)$ .  
[ $\vec{AP} \times \vec{F} = (2, 3, -7)$ ,  $|\vec{AP} \times \vec{F}| = \sqrt{62}$ ]

\* A force  $3\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$  is acting at the point  $(1, 2, -1)$ . Find the moment of force about the point  $(3, 0, 1)$ .  
[ $\vec{AP} \times \vec{F} = (2, -2, -4)$ ]