

11.1 Cartesian Coordinates in Space

- Know how to sketch xy-plane, xz-plane, yz-plane
- 3 axes divide 3D space into 8 octants, the first octant is where $x, y, z > 0$
- Know how to plot a point in 3D space (First locate x, y on xy-plane, then go up/down)
- Distance formula: $P = (x_0, y_0, z_0), Q = (x_1, y_1, z_1)$

$$\text{dist} = |PQ| = \sqrt{(x_0 - x_1)^2 + (y_0 - y_1)^2 + (z_0 - z_1)^2}$$
- Circle/Disk vs. Sphere/Closed. Distinguish equations for them and sketch
- Sphere: Supposed $P = (x_0, y_0, z_0)$ is the center of a sphere and R is the radius

$$(x - x_0)^2 + (y - y_0)^2 + (z - z_0)^2 = R^2$$

11.2 Vectors in Space

- Notation: $\bar{u} = 8\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$ where $\hat{i} = (1, 0, 0), \hat{j} = (0, 1, 0), \hat{k} = (0, 0, 1)$
- Note: Write $\bar{v} = 4\hat{i} + 0\hat{j} - 1\hat{k}$ instead of $\bar{v} = 4\hat{i} - 1\hat{k}$
- Must know to compute 2D vectors with trigonometry (Memorize values of sin/cos from $0-\pi$)
- Associated Definitions:
 - (A) Zero-vector is all 0's, denoted by $\bar{0}$
 - (B) Supposed $P = (x_0, y_0, z_0)$ and $Q = (x_1, y_1, z_1)$

$$\overrightarrow{PQ} = "Q - P" = (x_1 - x_0)\hat{i} + (y_1 - y_0)\hat{j} + (z_1 - z_0)\hat{k}$$
 - (C) Given $\bar{v} = a\hat{i} + b\hat{j} + c\hat{k}$, we define the length (aka magnitude/norm):

$$||\bar{v}|| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}$$
 - (D) A unit vector is a vector with length 1
 - (E) Supposed we have a vector \bar{v} and we want the unit vector which points in the same direction as \bar{v} :

$$\frac{\bar{v}}{||\bar{v}||}$$

- (F) Two nonzero vectors are parallel if one is a scalar multiple of the other

11.3 The Dot Product (Scalar Product)

- Definition: Let $\bar{a} = a_1\hat{i} + a_2\hat{j} + a_3\hat{k}$
 $\bar{b} = b_1\hat{i} + b_2\hat{j} + b_3\hat{k}$

$$\bar{a} \cdot \bar{b} = a_1b_1 + a_2b_2 + a_3b_3$$
- Product Properties:
 - (A) $\bar{a} \cdot \bar{b} = \bar{b} \cdot \bar{a}$
 - (B) $\bar{a} \cdot (\bar{b} \pm \bar{c}) = \bar{a} \cdot \bar{b} \pm \bar{a} \cdot \bar{c}$
 - (C) $\bar{a} \cdot \bar{a} = ||\bar{a}||^2 = a_1^2 + a_2^2 + a_3^2$
- Additional Properties:
 - (A) $\bar{a} \cdot \bar{b} = ||\bar{a}|| \cdot ||\bar{b}|| \cdot \cos \theta$, where θ = angle between \bar{a}, \bar{b}
 - (B) $\bar{a} \cdot \bar{b} = 0$ iff $\bar{a} \perp \bar{b}$
 - (C) $\cos \theta = \frac{\bar{a} \cdot \bar{b}}{||\bar{a}|| \cdot ||\bar{b}||}$
- Vector Projection:

$$\text{Proj}_{\bar{b}} \bar{a} = \frac{\bar{a} \cdot \bar{b}}{\bar{b} \cdot \bar{b}} \cdot \bar{b}$$

11.4 The Cross Product

- Pre-definition: Define $\begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{vmatrix} = ad - bc$
- Definition: Given $\bar{a} = a_1\hat{i} + a_2\hat{j} + a_3\hat{k}$
 $\bar{b} = b_1\hat{i} + b_2\hat{j} + b_3\hat{k}$

$$\bar{a} \times \bar{b} = \begin{vmatrix} a_2 & a_3 \\ b_2 & b_3 \end{vmatrix} \hat{i} + \begin{vmatrix} a_3 & a_1 \\ b_3 & b_1 \end{vmatrix} \hat{j} + \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & a_2 \\ b_1 & b_2 \end{vmatrix} \hat{k} \quad (\text{Trick } \begin{vmatrix} a_2 & a_3 & a_1 & a_2 \\ b_2 & b_3 & b_1 & b_2 \end{vmatrix})$$
- Product Properties:
 - (A) $\bar{a} \times (\bar{b} \pm \bar{c}) = \bar{a} \times \bar{b} \pm \bar{a} \times \bar{c}$
 - (B) $\bar{a} \times \bar{b} = -\bar{b} \times \bar{a}$ /anticommutativity/
- Additional Properties:
 - (A) $||\bar{a} \times \bar{b}|| = ||\bar{a}|| \cdot ||\bar{b}|| \sin \theta$
 - (B) $\bar{a} \times \bar{b} = \bar{0}$ iff \bar{a} and \bar{b} are parallel
 - (C) $\bar{a} \times \bar{b}$ is \perp to both \bar{a} and \bar{b} via right-hand rule!

11.5 Lines in Space

- Idea: Start with a single point $P = (x_0, y_0, z_0)$ and a direction vector $\vec{L} = a\hat{i} + b\hat{j} + c\hat{k}$. If we attached \vec{L} to P , we see a line that goes forever!
- Parametric form: Suppose we have $P = (x_0, y_0, z_0)$ and $\vec{L} = a\hat{i} + b\hat{j} + c\hat{k}$, the parametric equations of the corresponding line are:

$$\begin{aligned}x &= x_0 + at \\ y &= y_0 + bt \\ z &= z_0 + ct\end{aligned} \quad \text{where } t = \text{any number}$$

- Vector equation of a line: All we do is put x, y, z from above into a vector:

$$\vec{r}(t) = (x_0 + at)\hat{i} + (y_0 + bt)\hat{j} + (z_0 + ct)\hat{k}$$

- Symmetric Equation:

- + Normal case ($a, b, c \neq 0$)

$$\frac{x-x_0}{a} = \frac{y-y_0}{b} = \frac{z-z_0}{c}$$

- + Special case A: (either one of $a, b, c = 0$)

Ex: $P = (1, 2, 3)$ and $\vec{L} = 0\hat{i} + 8\hat{j} + 7\hat{k}$

Here's the parametric form:

$$\begin{aligned}x &= 1 + 0t \\ y &= 2 + 8t \\ z &= 3 + 7t\end{aligned}$$

=> Symmetric form: $\frac{y-2}{8} = \frac{z-3}{7}, x = 1$

- + Special case B: (2 of $a, b, c = 0$)

Ex: $P = (1, 2, 3)$ and $\vec{L} = 42\hat{i} + 0\hat{j} + 0\hat{k}$

Here's the parametric form:

$$\begin{aligned}x &= 1 + 42t \\ y &= 2 \\ z &= 3\end{aligned}$$

=> Symmetric form: $y = 2, z = 3$ (No need to mention x)

- Distance between a point and line: Suppose we have a line with point P and direction \vec{L} and suppose Q is some other point, then the perpendicular distance from Q to the line:

$$\text{dist} = \frac{|\vec{PQ} \times \vec{L}|}{|\vec{L}|} \quad (\text{Note: We can extract } P \text{ and } \vec{L} \text{ from a line given its form})$$

11.6 Planes in Space

- Definition: A plane is a flat surface extending forever in two directions
- What sort of info could give us a plane?

- + a point + a perpendicular line
- + 3 points
- + 2 agreeable lines

- Equation: Start with a point $P = (x_0, y_0, z_0)$ and a normal vector $\vec{n} = a\hat{i} + b\hat{j} + c\hat{k}$ we get a plane containing P and \perp to \vec{n}

$$a.(x - x_0) + b.(y - y_0) + c.(z - z_0) = 0$$

- Notes:

- (A) This can be rewritten: $2x + 5y - 3z = 18$ (Lost point but still get normal vector)
- (B) In this form, we've lost the "original point"
- (C) We still see $\vec{n} = 2\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$ from the coefficients
- (D) We can still find points on the plane - any point satisfying the equation
Example: $(9, 0, 0)$ or $(0, 0, -6)$ or ...
- (E) This equation is equivalent to $4x + 10y - 6z = 36$
This changes \vec{n} but that's fine - the plane is unchanged!
- (F) **If you're not given a point and a vector, you must obtain them**

Example: Suppose you're given 3 points $P, Q, R \Rightarrow$ **Normal vector** $\vec{n} = \vec{PQ} \times \vec{PR}$

- Pictures: Suppose our plane is $ax + by - cz = d$

- (A) Two of $(a, b, c) = 0$

Ex: $2z = 10 \Rightarrow z = 5$ (xy-plane but up at $z = 5$)

- (B) One of $(a, b, c) = 0$

Ex: $2x + 4y = 8$ (first draw the line as if $z = 0$, then extend up/down)

- (C) None of $(a, b, c) = 0$

Ex: $x + 2y + 4z = 0$ (int: $x = 8, y = 4, z = 2$, then connect them)

- Distance: Suppose a plane has point P and normal vector \vec{n} and Q is another point

$$\text{dist} = \frac{|\vec{PQ} \cdot \vec{n}|}{|\vec{n}|}$$