1.3x-Julia

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1 Angle between body diagonals of a rectangular solid

You are handed a rectangular solid with sides of length 1, 2, and 3 cm as pictured below:

Find the angles in degrees between the **body diagonals** of the rectangular solid by following the following steps.

1.1 Step 0:

Put all needed import statements in the cell below:

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1.2 Step 1

Define four vectors, v1, v2, v3, v4, one for each of the four body diagonals. Then print out each of the four body diagonal vectors. Define your vectors such that the x-component of each is +3.

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1.3 Step 2

Now write a function called *angles* which takes as input, two vectors, and returns the smallest angle between the vectors. Return this as an angle in degrees rounded to **three** decimal places.

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Test this function by using a = [3, 1, 2] and b = [3, 1, -2], and print out the result (you should find that it is equal 64.623°).

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1.4 Step 3

Now define an array x which is an array whose elements are the vectors v1, v2, v3, v4. Then write a function called $find_angles$ which takes as input x and computes all the possible angles and returns only the unique values (i.e. it doesn't return duplicate values).

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Call this function to see the list of unique body diagonal angles.