

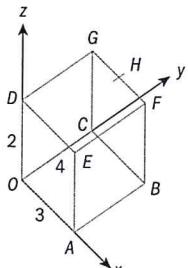
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Vectors

Skills check

- 1** **a** $A = (3, 0, 0)$
b $B = (3, 4, 0)$
c $E = (3, 0, 2)$
d $F = (3, 4, 2)$
e $H = \left(\frac{3}{2}, 4, 2\right)$

2 $x^2 = 3^2 + 6^2$
 $= 9 + 36$
 $= 45$
 $x = \sqrt{45} \approx 6.71$

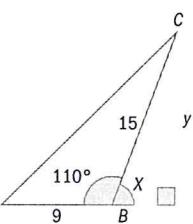


3 **a** $X = 180 - 110 = 70$
 $\cos X = \frac{z}{15} \Rightarrow z = 15 \cos 70$

$$\begin{aligned}\sin X &= \frac{y}{15} \Rightarrow y = 15 \sin 70 \\ &\approx 14.1\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}(AC)^2 &= y^2 + (9+z)^2 \\ &= (14.1)^2 + (9+5.13)^2\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}AC &= \sqrt{432.5} \\ &= 20.8 \\ &= 21\text{ cm (to the nearest centimetre)}$$



b Using the Cosine Rule

$$\begin{aligned}(AC)^2 &= (AB)^2 + (BC)^2 - 2(AB)(BC) \cos(\hat{ABC}) \\ (9.7)^2 &= (8.6)^2 + (3.1)^2 - 2(8.6)(3.1) \cos(\hat{ABC}) \\ \hat{ABC} &= \cos^{-1} \left[\frac{(8.6)^2 + (3.1)^2 - (9.7)^2}{2(8.6)(3.1)} \right] \\ &\approx 101.4^\circ\end{aligned}$$

Exercise 12A

1 **a** $\mathbf{x} = -2\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j}$

b $\mathbf{y} = 7\mathbf{j}$

c $\mathbf{z} = \mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}$

2 **a** $\overrightarrow{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

b $\overrightarrow{CD} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 6 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$

c $\overrightarrow{EF} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

3 **a** $\mathbf{a} = -3\mathbf{i} - 5\mathbf{j} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}$

b $\mathbf{b} = -2\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$

c $\mathbf{c} = 3\mathbf{i} + 8\mathbf{j} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$

d $6\mathbf{j} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$

e $-3\mathbf{i} - 6\mathbf{j} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix}$

4 **a** $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \sqrt{3^2 + 4^2} = \sqrt{25} = 5$

b $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = \sqrt{1^2 + (-3)^2} = \sqrt{10} \approx 3.16$

c $|2\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j}| = \sqrt{2^2 + 5^2} = \sqrt{29} \approx 5.39$

d $\begin{pmatrix} 2.8 \\ 4.5 \end{pmatrix} = \sqrt{(2.8)^2 + (4.5)^2} = 5.3$

e $|2\mathbf{i} - 5\mathbf{j}| = \sqrt{2^2 + (-5)^2} = \sqrt{29} \approx 5.39$

5 **a** $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} = \sqrt{3^2 + 2^2 + 5^2} = \sqrt{38} \approx 6.16$

b $\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = \sqrt{4^2 + (-1)^2 + (-3)^2} = \sqrt{26} \approx 5.10$

c $|2\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}| = \sqrt{2^2 + 2^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{9} = 3$

d $\begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 2 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} = \sqrt{(-3)^2 + 2^2 + 6^2} = \sqrt{49} = 7$

e $|\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}| = \sqrt{1^2 + (-1)^2} = \sqrt{2} \approx 1.41$

Exercise 12B

1 **a** $\mathbf{a} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$, **b** $= \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$

c $= \begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = -3 \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = -3\mathbf{b}$

d $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a}$

$$\mathbf{e} = \begin{pmatrix} -10 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} = -5 \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = -5\mathbf{b}$$

$$\mathbf{f} = \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ -8 \end{pmatrix} = -2 \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = -2\mathbf{a}$$

We must have s & t so that

$$-5 = 2s + 2t \quad (1)$$

$$-8 = 4s - t \quad (2)$$

$$2 \times (2) - 16 = 8s - 2t \quad (3)$$

$$(1) + (3): -21 = 10s$$

$$s = \frac{-21}{10}$$

$$\text{from (2): } -8 = \frac{-84}{10} - t$$

$$t = 8 - \frac{84}{10}$$

$$= \frac{-2}{5}$$

$$\text{so } \mathbf{f} = -2 \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = -2\mathbf{a}$$

$$2 \quad \mathbf{a} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.1 \\ 0.7 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{10} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{10}(\mathbf{i} + 7\mathbf{j})$$

\mathbf{a} is parallel to $\mathbf{i} + 7\mathbf{j}$ with $\frac{1}{10}$ the magnitude.

$$\mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -7 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= -1(\mathbf{i} + 7\mathbf{j})$$

\mathbf{b} is parallel to $(\mathbf{i} + 7\mathbf{j})$ with opposite direction.

$$\mathbf{c} = \begin{pmatrix} -0.05 \\ -0.03 \end{pmatrix} \text{ is not parallel to } (\mathbf{i} + 7\mathbf{j})$$

$$\mathbf{d} = \begin{pmatrix} -10 \\ 70 \end{pmatrix} \text{ is not parallel to } (\mathbf{i} + 7\mathbf{j})$$

$$\mathbf{e} = 60\mathbf{i} + 420\mathbf{j}$$

$$= 60(\mathbf{i} + 7\mathbf{j})$$

\mathbf{e} is parallel to $(\mathbf{i} + 7\mathbf{j})$ with 60 times the magnitude

$$\mathbf{f} = (6\mathbf{i} - 42\mathbf{j}) \text{ is not parallel to } (\mathbf{i} + 7\mathbf{j})$$

$$\mathbf{g} = (-\mathbf{i} + 7\mathbf{j}) \text{ is not parallel to } (\mathbf{i} + 7\mathbf{j})$$

3 a For parallel vectors, $\mathbf{r} = k \mathbf{s}$ for some k

$$(4\mathbf{i} + t\mathbf{j}) = k(14\mathbf{i} - 12\mathbf{j})$$

$$4 = 14k$$

$$k = \frac{4}{14}$$

$$= \frac{2}{7}$$

$$t = -12k$$

$$= -12 \times \frac{2}{7}$$

$$= \frac{-24}{7}$$

b For parallel vectors, $\mathbf{a} = k \mathbf{b}$ for some k

$$\begin{pmatrix} t \\ -8 \end{pmatrix} = k \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ -10 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$-8 = -10k$$

$$k = \frac{-8}{-10}$$

$$= \frac{4}{5}$$

$$\text{so } t = 7k$$

$$= 7 \left(\frac{4}{5} \right)$$

$$= \frac{28}{5}$$

4 For parallel vectors, $\mathbf{v} = k \mathbf{w}$ for some k

$$t\mathbf{i} - 5\mathbf{j} + 8\mathbf{k} = k(5\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + s\mathbf{k})$$

$$-5 = k$$

$$\text{so } t = 5k$$

$$t = 5(-5)$$

$$= -25$$

$$8 = sk = (-5)s$$

$$s = \frac{-8}{5}$$

$$5 \quad \mathbf{a} \quad \overrightarrow{OG} = \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$$

$$\mathbf{b} \quad \overrightarrow{BD} = -\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$$

$$\mathbf{c} \quad \overrightarrow{AD} = -\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{k}$$

$$\mathbf{d} \quad \overrightarrow{OM} = \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$$

$$6 \quad \mathbf{a} \quad \overrightarrow{OG} = 4\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$$

$$\mathbf{b} \quad \overrightarrow{BD} = -5\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$$

$$\mathbf{c} \quad \overrightarrow{AD} = -5\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{k}$$

$$\mathbf{d} \quad \overrightarrow{OM} = \frac{5}{2}\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$$

Exercise 12C

1 $\overrightarrow{OP} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$ $\overrightarrow{OQ} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\begin{aligned}\overrightarrow{PQ} &= \overrightarrow{OQ} - \overrightarrow{OP} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}\end{aligned}$$

$$\overrightarrow{QP} = -\overrightarrow{PQ} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

2 $A = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ $B = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$ $C = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$

a $\overrightarrow{AB} = B - A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$

b $\overrightarrow{BA} = -\overrightarrow{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$

c $\overrightarrow{AC} = C - A = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -7 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$

d $\overrightarrow{CB} = B - C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -7 \end{pmatrix}$

3 a $\overrightarrow{OP} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} = 2\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{j} + 5\mathbf{k}$

b vector is $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -5 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} = -\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j} - 6\mathbf{k}$

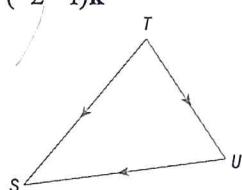
c vector is $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 5 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix} = -\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j} - 6\mathbf{k}$

d vector is $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -5 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{i} - 5\mathbf{j} + 6\mathbf{k}$

4 $\overrightarrow{LM} = \overrightarrow{LN} + \overrightarrow{NM} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -4 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$

5 From the diagram, we see

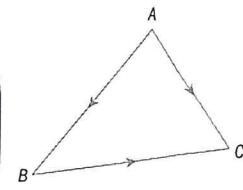
$$\begin{aligned}\overrightarrow{US} &= -\overrightarrow{TU} + \overrightarrow{TS} \\ &= -(\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}) + (3\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}) \\ &= (-1 + 3)\mathbf{i} + (4 + 4)\mathbf{j} + (-2 - 1)\mathbf{k} \\ &= 2\mathbf{i} + 8\mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k}\end{aligned}$$



6 From the diagram,

$$\overrightarrow{AB} + \overrightarrow{BC} - \overrightarrow{AC} = \mathbf{0}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ y \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 2x \\ -3 \\ z \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ x+y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$



$$1 + 2x - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow 0 + 2x = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$y - 3 - 4 = 0 \Rightarrow y - 7 = 0 \quad (2)$$

$$-2 + z - (x + y) \Rightarrow -x - y + z - 2 = 0 \quad (3)$$

$$(1) \Rightarrow x = 0$$

$$(2) \Rightarrow y = 7$$

$$(3) \Rightarrow -2 + z - 7 = 0$$

$$z = 9$$

Exercise 12D

1 $\overrightarrow{AB} = \overrightarrow{OB} - \overrightarrow{OA} = (-2\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}) - (\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k})$
 $= (-2 - 1)\mathbf{i} + (3 - (-2))\mathbf{j} + (-1 - 3)\mathbf{k}$
 $= -3\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j} - 4\mathbf{k}$

$$\begin{aligned}\overrightarrow{AC} &= \overrightarrow{OC} - \overrightarrow{OA} = (4\mathbf{i} - 7\mathbf{j} + 7\mathbf{k}) - (\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}) \\ &= (4 - 1)\mathbf{i} + (-7 - (-2))\mathbf{j} + (7 - 3)\mathbf{k} \\ &= 3\mathbf{i} - 5\mathbf{j} + 4\mathbf{k}\end{aligned}$$

we see $\overrightarrow{AB} = -\overrightarrow{AC}$, so \overrightarrow{AB} and \overrightarrow{AC} are parallel.
Since they contain a common point A, they must lie on the same line.

2 a $\overrightarrow{AB} = \overrightarrow{OB} - \overrightarrow{OA} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$

b $\overrightarrow{AC} = \overrightarrow{OC} - \overrightarrow{OA} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ -1 \\ 13 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ -4 \\ 16 \end{pmatrix}$

we see $\overrightarrow{AC} = 2\overrightarrow{AB}$, so \overrightarrow{AC} and \overrightarrow{AB} are parallel.
Since they contain a common point A, then A, B, & C are collinear.

3 $\overrightarrow{P_1P_2} = \overrightarrow{OP_2} - \overrightarrow{OP_1} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\overrightarrow{P_1P_3} = \overrightarrow{OP_3} - \overrightarrow{OP_1} = \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

we see $\overrightarrow{P_1P_3} = 2\overrightarrow{P_1P_2}$. Since they contain a common point, they are collinear.

Since P_4 collinear with P_1, P_2, P_3 , we have

$$\overrightarrow{P_1P_4} = k\overrightarrow{P_1P_2}$$
 for some $k \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\overrightarrow{P_1P_4} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ s \\ t \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ s-2 \\ t-4 \end{pmatrix}$$
 for some s & t

$$\text{Now } \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ s-2 \\ t-4 \end{pmatrix} = k \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$1 = -3k \Rightarrow k = \frac{-1}{3}$$

$$s-2 = -k \Rightarrow s = 2 - k = 2 + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{7}{3}$$

$$t-4 = 0 \Rightarrow t = 4$$

$$\therefore P_4 = \left(2, \frac{7}{3}, 4\right)$$

4 $\overrightarrow{OA} = 3\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j}$, $\overrightarrow{OB} = x\mathbf{i}$, $\overrightarrow{OC} = \mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j}$

$$\overrightarrow{AB} = \overrightarrow{OB} - \overrightarrow{OA} = (x-3)\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j}$$

$$\overrightarrow{AC} = \overrightarrow{OC} - \overrightarrow{OA} = (1-3)\mathbf{i} + (-2-4)\mathbf{j}$$

$$= -2\mathbf{i} - 6\mathbf{j}$$

If A, B, C are collinear, $\overrightarrow{AB} = k\overrightarrow{AC}$ for some $k \in R$

$$\therefore (x-3)\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j} = k(-2\mathbf{i} - 6\mathbf{j})$$

$$\mathbf{j} \text{ components} \Rightarrow -4 = -6k \Rightarrow k = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\text{so } x-3 = -2k = \frac{-4}{3}$$

$$x = \frac{9}{3} - \frac{4}{3} = \frac{5}{3}$$

$$\text{so } \overrightarrow{AB} = \frac{-4}{3}\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j}$$

$$\overrightarrow{BC} = \overrightarrow{OC} - \overrightarrow{OB}$$

$$= (\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j}) - \frac{5}{3}\mathbf{i} = \frac{-2}{3}\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j}$$

$$\overrightarrow{AB} : \overrightarrow{BC} = \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ \frac{5}{3} \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} : \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ \frac{5}{3} \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= 2:1$$

Exercise 12E

1 $\overrightarrow{AB} = \overrightarrow{OB} - \overrightarrow{OA} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\text{Distance } AB = \sqrt{5^2 + (-2)^2} = \sqrt{29}$$

$$\approx 5.39$$

2 $\overrightarrow{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 0 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 11 \\ -2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\text{Distance } AB = \sqrt{11^2 + 2^2 + 2^2} = \sqrt{129}$$

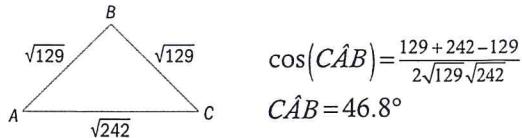
$$\overrightarrow{AC} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ 10 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 13 \\ 8 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Distance } AC = \sqrt{13^2 + 8^2 + (-3)^2} = \sqrt{242}$$

$$\overrightarrow{BC} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ 10 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 0 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 10 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Distance } BC = \sqrt{2^2 + 10^2 + 5^2} = \sqrt{129}$$

Distance AB = Distance BC , so ABC is isosceles.



$$\cos(C\hat{A}B) = \frac{129 + 242 - 129}{2\sqrt{129}\sqrt{242}}$$

$$C\hat{A}B = 46.8^\circ$$

3 $|\mathbf{a}| = 7$, so $\sqrt{2^2 + (-3)^2 + t^2} = 7$

$$4 + 9 + t^2 = 49$$

$$t^2 = 36$$

$$t = \pm 6$$

4 $\mathbf{a} = x\mathbf{i} + 6\mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k}$

$$|\mathbf{a}| = \sqrt{x^2 + 6^2 + (-2)^2} = 3x$$

$$x^2 + 36 + 4 = 9x^2$$

$$8x^2 = 40$$

$$x^2 = \pm\sqrt{5}$$

5 $|\mathbf{u}| = |\mathbf{v}|$, so

$$a^2 + (-a)^2 + (2a)^2 = 2^2 + (-4)^2 + (-2)^2$$

$$a^2 + a^2 + 4a^2 = 4 + 16 + 4$$

$$6a^2 = 24$$

$$a^2 = 4$$

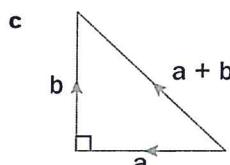
$$a = \pm 2$$

6 a b = 2a

Then $|\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}| = |3\mathbf{a}| = 3|\mathbf{a}| = 15$

b $\mathbf{b} = -3\mathbf{a}$

Then $|\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}| = |-2\mathbf{a}| = 2|\mathbf{a}| = 10$



Using Pythagoras

$$|\mathbf{a}|^2 + |\mathbf{b}|^2 = |\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}|^2$$

$$\text{Hence } |\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}| = \sqrt{5^2 + 12^2} = 13$$

Exercise 12F

1 $\left| \frac{3}{5}\mathbf{i} + \frac{4}{5}\mathbf{j} \right| = \sqrt{\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)^2} = \sqrt{\frac{9}{25} + \frac{16}{25}} = \sqrt{1} = 1$

2 $\left| \frac{1}{3}\mathbf{i} + \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{j} + \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{k} \right| = \sqrt{\frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{2^2}{3^2} + \frac{2^2}{3^2}} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{9} + \frac{4}{9} + \frac{4}{9}} = \sqrt{1} = 1$

3 $|4\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{j}| = \sqrt{4^2 + (-3)^2} = \sqrt{25} = 5$

So unit vector is $\frac{1}{5}(4\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{j}) = \frac{4}{5}\mathbf{i} - \frac{3}{5}\mathbf{j}$

4 $\begin{vmatrix} -1 \\ -5 \\ 4 \end{vmatrix} = \sqrt{(-1)^2 + (-5)^2 + 4^2} = \sqrt{42}$

So unit vector is $\frac{1}{\sqrt{42}} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -5 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$

5 $\overrightarrow{P_1 P_2} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$
 $|\overrightarrow{P_1 P_2}| = \sqrt{2^2 + 2^2 + (-1)^2} = \sqrt{9} = 3$

So unit vector is $\frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$

6 $|ai + 2aj| = \sqrt{a^2 + (2a)^2} = \sqrt{5a^2} = \sqrt{5}a$

Now $\sqrt{5}a = 1$, so $a = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \times \frac{\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{5}$

7 $|2i - j| = \sqrt{2^2 + (-1)^2} = \sqrt{5}$

So unit vector is $\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}(2i - j)$

Vector of magnitude 5 is $\frac{5}{\sqrt{5}}(2i - j) = \sqrt{5}(2i - j)$

8 $\begin{vmatrix} -1 \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{vmatrix} = \sqrt{(-1)^2(-3)^2 + 2^2} = \sqrt{14}$

unit vector is $\frac{1}{\sqrt{14}} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

and vector magnitude 7 is $\frac{7}{\sqrt{14}} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{\sqrt{14}}{2} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

9 a $\begin{vmatrix} 2\cos\theta \\ 2\sin\theta \end{vmatrix} = \sqrt{2^2\cos^2\theta + 2^2\sin^2\theta} = \sqrt{4(\cos^2\theta + \sin^2\theta)} = 2\sqrt{(1)} = 2$

So unit vector is $\frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 2\cos\theta \\ 2\sin\theta \end{pmatrix}$ or $\begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta \\ \sin\theta \end{pmatrix}$

b $\begin{vmatrix} 1 \\ \tan\alpha \end{vmatrix} = \sqrt{1^2 + \tan^2\alpha} = \sqrt{\sec^2\alpha}$

$= \sec\alpha = \frac{1}{\cos\alpha}$

So unit vector is $\frac{1}{\sec\alpha} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \tan\alpha \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\alpha \\ \sin\alpha \end{pmatrix}$

Exercise 12Q

1 a $\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b} = (2\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j}) + (3\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j}) = (2+3)\mathbf{i} + (-1+2)\mathbf{j} = 5\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j}$

b $\mathbf{b} + \mathbf{c} = (3\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j}) + (-\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j}) = (3-1)\mathbf{i} + (2+1)\mathbf{j} = 2\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j}$

c $\mathbf{c} + \mathbf{d} = (-\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j}) + (3\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j}) = (-1+3)\mathbf{i} + (1+3)\mathbf{j} = 2\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j}$

d $\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b} + \mathbf{d} = (2\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j}) + (3\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j}) + (3\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j}) = (2+3+3)\mathbf{i} + (-1+2+3)\mathbf{j} = 8\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j}$

e $\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b} = (2\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j}) - (3\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j}) = (2-3)\mathbf{i} + (-1-2)\mathbf{j} = -\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{j}$

f $\mathbf{d} - \mathbf{b} + \mathbf{a} = (3\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j}) - (3\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j}) + (2\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j}) = (3-3+2)\mathbf{i} + (3-2-1)\mathbf{j} = 2\mathbf{i} + 0\mathbf{j} = 2\mathbf{i}$

2 a $\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -4 \\ -3 & 5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

b $\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{c} = \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -4 & -(-5) \\ 5 & -(-3) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$

c $\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{c}) = \frac{1}{2} \left[\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} \right] = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -5 \\ -3 & -3 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix}$

d $\mathbf{a} + 3\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{c} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} + 3 \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2+3(-4)-(-5) \\ -3+3(5)-(-3) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ 15 \end{pmatrix}$

e $3\mathbf{c} - 2\mathbf{b} + 5\mathbf{a} = 3\begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} - 2\begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} + 5\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$
 $= \begin{pmatrix} 3(-5) & -2(-4) & +5(2) \\ 3(-3) & -2(5) & +5(-3) \end{pmatrix}$
 $= \begin{pmatrix} -15 & +8+10 \\ -9 & -10-15 \end{pmatrix}$
 $= \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -34 \end{pmatrix}$

3 a $\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b} = (3\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k}) + (5\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{k})$
 $= (3+5)\mathbf{i} + (-1)\mathbf{j} + (-2-1)\mathbf{k}$
 $= 8\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k}$

b $\mathbf{b} - 2\mathbf{a} = (5\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{k}) - 2(3\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k})$
 $= (5-6)\mathbf{i} - 2(-1)\mathbf{j} + (-1-2(-2))\mathbf{k}$
 $= -\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$

c $2\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b} = 2(3\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k}) - (5\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{k})$
 $= (6-5)\mathbf{i} + (-2)\mathbf{j} + (-4+1)\mathbf{k}$
 $= \mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k}$

d $4(\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b}) + 2(\mathbf{b} + \mathbf{a}) = 4((3-5)\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + (-2+1)\mathbf{k}) + 2(8\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k})$ from Q3a
 $= -8\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j} - 4\mathbf{k} + 16\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} - 6\mathbf{k}$
 $= (-8+16)\mathbf{i} - (4+2)\mathbf{j} + (-4-6)\mathbf{k}$
 $= 8\mathbf{i} - 6\mathbf{j} - 10\mathbf{k}$

4 a $2\mathbf{x} - 3\mathbf{p} = \mathbf{q}$
 $2\mathbf{x} - 3\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$
 $2\mathbf{x} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & +9 \\ 4 & -15 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ -11 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\mathbf{x} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -5.5 \end{pmatrix}$

b $4\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix} - 3(\mathbf{y}) = 7\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\begin{pmatrix} 12 \\ -20 \end{pmatrix} - 3\mathbf{y} = \begin{pmatrix} -7 \\ 28 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\begin{pmatrix} 12 \\ -20 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -7 \\ 28 \end{pmatrix} = 3\mathbf{y}$
 $\begin{pmatrix} 19 \\ -48 \end{pmatrix} = 3\mathbf{y}$

So $\mathbf{y} = \frac{1}{3}(19\mathbf{i} - 48\mathbf{j})$

c $2\mathbf{p} + \mathbf{z} = 0$
 $2\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{z}_1 \\ \mathbf{z}_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$
 $6 + \mathbf{z}_1 = 0 \Rightarrow \mathbf{z}_1 = -6$
 $-10 + \mathbf{z}_2 = 0 \Rightarrow \mathbf{z}_2 = 10$
 $\mathbf{z} = -6\mathbf{i} + 10\mathbf{j}$

5 $\mathbf{a} = \mathbf{b} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} x \\ x+y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 6-y \\ -2x-3 \end{pmatrix}$

$x = 6 - y \quad (1)$

$x + y = -2x - 3$

$y = -3x - 3 \quad (2)$

Sub (1) into (2)

$y = -3(6 - y) - 3$

$y = -18 + 3y - 3$

$-2y = -21$

$y = \frac{21}{2}$

$x = 6 - y = 6 - \left(\frac{21}{2}\right) = \frac{-9}{2}$

6 $3\mathbf{a} = 2\mathbf{b} \Rightarrow 3\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ t \\ u \end{pmatrix} = 2\begin{pmatrix} t-s \\ 3s \\ t+s \end{pmatrix}$

(1) $9 = 2(t-s)$

(2) $3t = 6s$

(3) $3u = 2(t+s)$

(2) $\Rightarrow t = 2s$

(1) $\Rightarrow 9 = 2(2s-s)$
 $= 2s$

$s = \frac{9}{2}$

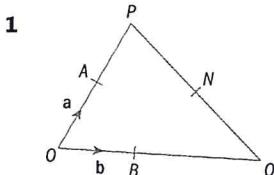
(2) $\Rightarrow t = 9$

(3) $\Rightarrow 3u = 2\left(9 + \frac{9}{2}\right)$

$u = \frac{27}{3} = 9$

$t = 9, s = \frac{9}{2}, u = 9$

Exercise 12H



a $\overrightarrow{AP} = \overrightarrow{OA} = \mathbf{a}$

b $\overrightarrow{AB} = -\overrightarrow{OA} + \overrightarrow{OB}$
 $= -\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}$
 $= \mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a}$

c $\overline{PQ} = -\overline{AP} - \overline{OA} + \overline{OB} + \overline{BQ}$
 $= -\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b} + 3\mathbf{b}$
 $= 4\mathbf{b} - 2\mathbf{a}$

d $\overline{PN} = \frac{1}{2}\overline{PQ} = \frac{1}{2}(4\mathbf{b} - 2\mathbf{a})$
 $= 2\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a}$

e $\overline{ON} = \overline{OA} + \overline{AP} + \overline{PN}$
 $= \mathbf{a} + \mathbf{a} + (2\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a})$
 $= \mathbf{a} + 2\mathbf{b}$

f $\overline{AN} = \overline{AP} + \overline{PN}$
 $= \mathbf{a} + (2\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a})$
 $= 2\mathbf{b}$

2 a $\mathbf{a} = \overline{OA}, \mathbf{b} = \overline{OB}, \overline{AC} : \overline{CB} = 3:1$

a $\overline{AB} = -\overline{OA} + \overline{OB}$
 $= -\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}$
 $= \mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a}$

b $\overline{AC} = \frac{3}{4}\overline{AB}$
 $= \frac{3}{4}(\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a})$

c $\overline{CB} = \frac{1}{4}\overline{AB}$
 $= \frac{1}{4}(\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a})$

d $\overline{OC} = \overline{OA} + \overline{AC}$
 $= \mathbf{a} + \frac{3}{4}(\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a})$
 $= \mathbf{a} \left(1 - \frac{3}{4}\right) + \mathbf{b} \frac{3}{4}$
 $= \frac{1}{4}\mathbf{a} + \frac{3}{4}\mathbf{b}$

3 $\overline{OA} = \mathbf{a}, \overline{OC} = \mathbf{c}, \overline{CB} = 3\mathbf{a}$

a $\overline{OB} = \overline{OC} + \overline{CB}$
 $= \mathbf{c} + 3\mathbf{a}$

b $\overline{AB} = -\overline{OA} + \overline{OC} + \overline{CB}$
 $= -\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{c} + 3\mathbf{a}$
 $= \mathbf{c} + 2\mathbf{a}$

c $\overline{OD} = \overline{OA} + \frac{1}{2}\overline{AB}$
 $= \mathbf{a} + \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{c} + 2\mathbf{a})$
 $= 2\mathbf{a} + \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{c}$

d $\overline{CD} = \overline{CB} - \frac{1}{2}\overline{AB}$
 $= 3\mathbf{a} - \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{c} + 2\mathbf{a})$
 $= 2\mathbf{a} - \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{c}$

4 a $\overline{FA} = \mathbf{a}, \overline{FB} = \mathbf{b}$

i $\overline{AB} = -\overline{FA} + \overline{FB}$
 $= -\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}$

ii $\overline{FO} = \overline{FB} + \overline{BO}$
By symmetry, $\overline{OB} = \overline{FA} = \mathbf{a}$
so $\overline{FO} = \overline{FB} - \overline{OB}$
 $= \mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a}$

iii $\overline{FC} = \overline{FO} + \overline{OE} + \overline{EC}$
By symmetry, $\overline{OE} = \overline{BO} = -\mathbf{a}$
and $\overline{EC} = \overline{FB} = \mathbf{b}$
so $\overline{FC} = (\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a}) - \mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}$
 $= 2(\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a})$

iv $\overline{BC} = \overline{BE} + \overline{EC}$
 $= \overline{BO} + \overline{OC} + \overline{EC}$
 $= -\overline{OB} + \overline{OC} + \overline{EC}$
 $= -\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}$
 $= \mathbf{b} - 2\mathbf{a}$

v $\overline{FD} = \overline{FC} + \overline{CD}$
By symmetry, $\overline{CD} = -\overline{FA} = -\mathbf{a}$
so $\overline{FD} = 2(\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a}) - \mathbf{a} = 2\mathbf{b} - 3\mathbf{a}$

b AB is parallel to and half the length of FC

c $\overline{FD} = 2\mathbf{b} - 3\mathbf{a}$
 $\overline{AC} = \overline{AF} + \overline{FC}$ (see iii)
 $= -\mathbf{a} + 2(\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a})$
 $= -3\mathbf{a} + 2\mathbf{b}$
 $\overline{FD} = \overline{AC} \therefore FD$ and AC are parallel

5 $\overline{OA} = \mathbf{a}, \overline{OB} = \mathbf{b}$

a $\overline{AB} = -\overline{OA} + \overline{OB}$
 $= -\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}$
 $= \mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a}$
since $\overline{AP} = \frac{2}{3}\overline{AB}$
 $\overline{AP} = \frac{2}{3}(\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a})$

b M is mid point of OA , so
 $\overline{MA} = \frac{1}{2}\overline{OA} = \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a}$
 $\overline{MP} = \overline{MA} + \overline{AP}$
 $= \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a} + \frac{2}{3}(\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a})$
 $= \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{2}{3}\right)\mathbf{a} + \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{b}$
 $= \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{b} - \frac{1}{6}\mathbf{a}$

c $\overline{MX} = \overline{MP} + \overline{PB} + \overline{BX}$
 $\overline{PB} = \frac{1}{3}\overline{AB} = \frac{1}{3}(\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a})$
 $\overline{BX} = \overline{OB} = \mathbf{b}$
so $\overline{MX} = \left(\frac{2}{3}\mathbf{b} - \frac{1}{6}\mathbf{a}\right) + \frac{1}{3}(\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a}) + \mathbf{b}$
 $= 2\mathbf{b} - \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a}$

d $\overline{MP} = \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{b} - \frac{1}{6}\mathbf{a}$

$$\overline{MX} = 2\mathbf{b} - \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a}$$

$\overline{MX} = 3\overline{MP}$ $\therefore MX$ is parallel to MP

Since MX and MP share the common point M , MPX is a straight line

Exercise 12I

1 a $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = (2\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j}) \cdot (\mathbf{i} - 5\mathbf{j})$
 $= (2 \times 1) + (4 \times -5)$
 $= 2 - 20$
 $= -18$

b $\mathbf{b} \cdot \mathbf{c} = (\mathbf{i} - 5\mathbf{j}) \cdot (-5\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j})$
 $= (1 \times -5) + (-5 \times -2)$
 $= -5 + 10$
 $= 5$

c $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{a} = (2\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j}) \cdot (2\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j})$
 $= (2 \times 2) + (4 \times 4)$
 $= 4 + 16$
 $= 20$

d $\mathbf{c} \cdot (\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}) = (-5\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j}) \cdot [(2\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j}) + (\mathbf{i} - 5\mathbf{j})]$
 $= (-5\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j}) \cdot [3\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j}]$
 $= (-5 \times 3) + (-2 \times -1)$
 $= 15 + 2$
 $= -13$

e $(\mathbf{c} + \mathbf{a}) \cdot \mathbf{b} = [(-5\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j}) + (2\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j})] \cdot (\mathbf{i} - 5\mathbf{j})$
 $= [-3\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j}] \cdot (\mathbf{i} - 5\mathbf{j})$
 $= (-3 \times 1) + (2 \times -5)$
 $= -3 - 10 = -13$

2 a $\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = (-1 \times 4) + (0 \times -3) + (5 \times -1)$
 $= -4 + 0 - 5$
 $= -9$

b $\mathbf{u} \cdot (\mathbf{v} - \mathbf{w}) = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -(-1) \\ -3 & -(3) \\ -1 & -(-6) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -6 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$
 $= (-1 \times 5) + (0 \times -6) + (5 \times 5)$
 $= -5 + 0 + 25$
 $= 20$

c $\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v} - \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{w} = -9 - \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix}$
 $= -9 - [(-1) \times (-1) + 0 \times 3 + 5 \times (-6)]$
 $= -9 - [1 + 0 - 30]$
 $= -9 + 29 = 20$

d $2\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{w} = 2(-29)$

$$= -58$$

e $(\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}) \cdot (\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{w}) = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -4 \\ 0 & -(-3) \\ 5 & -(-1) \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -1 + (-1) \\ 0 + 3 \\ 5 + (-6) \end{pmatrix}$
 $= \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ 3 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$
 $= 10 + 9 - 6 = 13$

3 a $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = (2 \times 4) + (4 \times -2)$
 $= 8 - 8$
 $= 0 \Rightarrow \text{perpendicular.}$

b $\mathbf{c} \cdot \mathbf{d} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = (2 \times 1) + (1 \times 2) = 4$
 $|\mathbf{c}| = \sqrt{2^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{5}$ $|\mathbf{d}| = \sqrt{5}$
 $|\mathbf{c}| |\mathbf{d}| = (\sqrt{5})^2 = 5 \neq \mathbf{c} \cdot \mathbf{d}$

So neither parallel, nor perpendicular.

c $\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v} = \begin{pmatrix} -8 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = (-8 \times 4) + (2 \times -1) + (2 \times -1)$
 $= -32 - 2 - 2 = -36$

$$|\mathbf{u}| = \sqrt{8^2 + 2^2 + 2^2} = \sqrt{64 + 4 + 4} = \sqrt{72}$$

$$|\mathbf{v}| = \sqrt{4^2 + 1^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{16 + 1 + 1} = \sqrt{18}$$

$$|\mathbf{u}| |\mathbf{v}| = \sqrt{18 \times 72} = 36 = -\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}$$

\Rightarrow parallel.

d $\mathbf{a} = 3\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$ $\mathbf{b} = 3\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}$

$$\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = (3 \times 3) + (-2 \times -2) + (1 \times -1)$$

 $= 9 + 4 - 1$
 $= 12$

$$|\mathbf{a}| = \sqrt{3^2 + 2^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{9 + 4 + 1} = \sqrt{14}$$

$$|\mathbf{b}| = \sqrt{3^2 + 2^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{9 + 4 + 1} = \sqrt{14}$$

$$|\mathbf{a}| |\mathbf{b}| = (\sqrt{14})^2 = 14 \neq \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}$$

\Rightarrow neither parallel, nor perpendicular

e $\overline{OX} \cdot \overline{OZ} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = (1 \times 0) + (0 \times 0) + (0 \times 1) = 0$

\Rightarrow perpendicular

f $\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{m} = (2\mathbf{i} - 8\mathbf{j})(-\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j})$
 $= (2 \times -1) + (-8 \times 4) = -2 - 32 = -34$

$$|\mathbf{n}| = \sqrt{2^2 + 8^2} = \sqrt{4 + 64} = \sqrt{68}$$

$$|\mathbf{m}| = \sqrt{1^2 + 4^2} = \sqrt{1 + 16} = \sqrt{17}$$

$|\mathbf{n}||\mathbf{m}| = \sqrt{17 \times 68} = 34 = -\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{m}$
 \Rightarrow parallel.

g $\overrightarrow{AB} \cdot \overrightarrow{CD} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = (2 \times -1) + (2 \times -1)$
 $= -2 - 2$
 $= -4$

$$\begin{aligned} |\overrightarrow{AB}| &= \sqrt{2^2 + 2^2} = \sqrt{8} \\ |\overrightarrow{CD}| &= \sqrt{1^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{2} \\ |\overrightarrow{AB}| \cdot |\overrightarrow{CD}| &= \sqrt{2 \times 8} = \sqrt{16} = 4 = -\overrightarrow{AB} \cdot \overrightarrow{CD} \\ \Rightarrow \text{parallel vectors} \end{aligned}$$

4 $\mathbf{a} + 3\mathbf{b} = (\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}) + 3(3\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k})$
 $= (1 + 3 \times 3)\mathbf{i} + (1 + 3 \times 2)\mathbf{j} + (2 + 3 \times -1)\mathbf{k}$
 $= 10\mathbf{i} + 7\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}$

$$\begin{aligned} 2\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b} &= 2(\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}) - (3\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}) \\ &= (2(1) - 3)\mathbf{i} + (2(1) - 2)\mathbf{j} + (2(2) - (-1))\mathbf{k} \\ &= -\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{k} \\ (\mathbf{a} + 3\mathbf{b}) \cdot (2\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b}) &= (10\mathbf{i} + 7\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}) \cdot (-\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{k}) \\ &= (10 \times -1) + (-1 \times 5) \\ &= -10 - 5 = -15 \end{aligned}$$

5 Let $\mathbf{d} = d_1\mathbf{i} + d_2\mathbf{j} + d_3\mathbf{k}$
 $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{d} = 3d_1 + (-5)d_3 = -9$
 $\mathbf{b} \cdot \mathbf{d} = 2d_1 + 7d_2 = 11$
 $\mathbf{c} \cdot \mathbf{d} = d_1 + d_2 + d_3 = 6$
using GDC, $d_1 = 2$, $d_2 = 1$, $d_3 = 3$

$$\text{So, } \mathbf{d} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

6 $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = |\mathbf{a}| \cdot |\mathbf{b}| \cos \theta$
 $\sqrt{6} = 2\sqrt{3} \cos \theta$
 $\cos \theta = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{2\sqrt{3}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \Rightarrow \theta = 45^\circ$

7 **a** $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} = 2 \times 2 + -1 \times 5 = 4 - 5 = -1$
 $\left| \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right| = \sqrt{2^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{5}$
 $\left| \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} \right| = \sqrt{2^2 + 5^2} = \sqrt{4 + 25} = \sqrt{29}$

$$\begin{aligned} -1 &= \sqrt{5}\sqrt{29} \cos \theta \\ \theta &= \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{145}} \right) = 94.8^\circ \end{aligned}$$

b $\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 4 \times -3 + 0 \times 1 = -12$

$$\left| \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right| = \sqrt{4^2} = 4$$

$$\left| \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right| = \sqrt{3^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{10}$$

$$-12 = 4\sqrt{10} \cos \theta$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{-3}{\sqrt{10}} \right) = 161.6^\circ$$

c $(2\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j}) \cdot (2\mathbf{i} - 5\mathbf{j}) = (2 \times 2) + (5 \times -5)$
 $= 4 - 25$
 $= -21$

$$\left| (2\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j}) \right| = \sqrt{2^2 + 5^2} = \sqrt{29} = \left| (2\mathbf{i} - 5\mathbf{j}) \right|$$

 $\therefore -21 = 29 \cos \theta$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{-21}{29} \right) = 136.4^\circ$$

8 **a** $\overrightarrow{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\overrightarrow{AC} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$

b $\overrightarrow{AB} \cdot \overrightarrow{AC} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = (-1 \times 1) + (5 \times -2)$
 $= -1 - 10 = -11$

c $|\overrightarrow{AB}| = \sqrt{1^2 + 5^2} = \sqrt{26}$
 $|\overrightarrow{AC}| = \sqrt{1^2 + 2^2} = \sqrt{5}$

$$\overrightarrow{AB} \cdot \overrightarrow{AC} = |\overrightarrow{AB}| |\overrightarrow{AC}| \cos \theta$$

$$-11 = \sqrt{5 \times 26} \cos \theta$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{-11}{\sqrt{130}}$$

9 **a** $\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} = -2 - 6 + 12 = 4$

$$\left| \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \right| = \sqrt{1^2 + 2^2 + 2^2} = \sqrt{9} = 3$$

$$\left| \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} \right| = \sqrt{2^2 + (-3)^2 + 6^2} = \sqrt{4 + 9 + 36} = 7$$

$$\text{so } 4 = 3 \times 7 \cos \theta$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{4}{21}, \theta = 79^\circ$$

b $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = 8 - 6 - 2 = 0 \Rightarrow$ perpendicular vectors

c $(2\mathbf{i} - 7\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}) \cdot (\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k})^{\theta = 90^\circ}$
 $= (2 \times 1) + (-7 \times 1) + (1 \times -1) = -6$

$$\|(2\mathbf{i} - 7\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k})\| = \sqrt{2^2 + 7^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{54}$$

$$\|(\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k})\| = \sqrt{1+1+1} = \sqrt{3}$$

so $-6 = \sqrt{162} \cos \theta$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{-6}{\sqrt{162}}\right) = 118.1^\circ$$

10 a $\overrightarrow{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\|\overrightarrow{AB}\| = \sqrt{1^2 + 4^2} = \sqrt{17}$$

$$\overrightarrow{AC} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\|\overrightarrow{AC}\| = \sqrt{1^2 + (-5)^2} = \sqrt{26}$$

so $AB = \sqrt{17}, AC = \sqrt{26}$

b $\overrightarrow{AB} \cdot \overrightarrow{AC} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix} = 1$

$$\overrightarrow{AB} \cdot \overrightarrow{AC} = |\overrightarrow{AB}| |\overrightarrow{AC}| \cos \theta$$

$$1 = \sqrt{17} \sqrt{26} \cos \theta$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{442}} = \cos \theta$$

c Area $ABC = \frac{1}{2} |\overrightarrow{AB}| |\overrightarrow{AC}| \sin B\hat{A}C$
 $= \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{442} \sin\left(\cos^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{442}}\right) = 10.5 \text{ cm}^2$

11 The x -axis has unit direction vector $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$
so $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = 1$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \sqrt{1^2} = 1 \text{ and } \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \sqrt{1+1+1} = \sqrt{3}$$

so $1 = \sqrt{3} \cos \theta$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = 54.7^\circ$$

12 a $\overrightarrow{OA} = 4\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - 4\mathbf{k}, \overrightarrow{OB} = \mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$
 $(\overrightarrow{OA}) \cdot (\overrightarrow{OB}) = (4 \times 1) + (4 \times 2) + (-4 \times 3)$
 $= 4 + 8 - 12 = 0$

\overrightarrow{OA} and \overrightarrow{OB} are perpendicular

b $\overrightarrow{AB} = \overrightarrow{OB} - \overrightarrow{OA}$
 $= (1 - 4)\mathbf{i} + (2 - 4)\mathbf{j} + (3 - (-4))\mathbf{k}$
 $= -3\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + 7\mathbf{k}$
 $\|\overrightarrow{AB}\| = \sqrt{(-3)^2 + (-2)^2 + 7^2} = \sqrt{62} \approx 7.87$

13 $(2\mathbf{i} + \lambda\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}) \cdot (\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}) = (2 \times 1) + (\lambda \times -2) + (3 \times 1)$
 $= 2 - 2\lambda + 3 = 0$
for perpendicular
vectors.

$$5 = 2\lambda$$

$$\lambda = \frac{5}{2}$$

14 a + b $= (5 + 1)\mathbf{i} + (-3 + 1)\mathbf{j} + (7 + \lambda)\mathbf{k}$
 $= 6\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + (7 + \lambda)\mathbf{k}$
 $\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b} = (5 - 1)\mathbf{i} + (-3 - 1)\mathbf{j} + (7 - \lambda)\mathbf{k}$
 $= 4\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j} + (7 - \lambda)\mathbf{k}$

Now $(\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}) \cdot (\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b}) = (6 \times 4) + (-2 \times -4) + (\lambda + 7)(7 - \lambda)$
 $= 24 + 8 + 49 - \lambda^2 = 0$
 $\lambda^2 = 81$
 $\lambda = \pm 9$

15 a + b $= \begin{pmatrix} p \\ 2 \\ -p \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -p \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} p+2 \\ 2-p \\ -p-3 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} p-2 \\ 2+p \\ -p+3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}) \cdot (\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b}) = \begin{pmatrix} p+2 \\ 2-p \\ -p-3 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} p-2 \\ 2+p \\ -p+3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= (p^2 - 4) + (4 - p^2) - (9 - p^2)$$

$= p^2 - 9 = 0$ for perpendicular vectors.

$$\Rightarrow p^2 = 9, p = \pm 3$$

Exercise 1.2J

1 a $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, t \in \mathbb{R}.$

b $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}, t \in \mathbb{R}.$

(25)

c $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}, t \in \mathbb{R}$.

d $\mathbf{r} = 2\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k} + t(3\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}), t \in \mathbb{R}$.

- 2 a Position vectors are $\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$

Line joining the 2 points has direction

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & -4 \\ -2 & -5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -7 \end{pmatrix}$$

Line is $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 7 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}, t \in \mathbb{R}$.

- b Position vectors $\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$

Line joining 2 points has direction

$$\begin{pmatrix} 5 & -4 \\ -2 & (+2) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Line is $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, t \in \mathbb{R}$.

- c Position vectors $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$

Line joining 2 points has direction

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 5 & -(-4) \\ 2 & -5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 9 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Line is $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 9 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}, t \in \mathbb{R}$.

- d Position vectors $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

Line joining 2 points has direction

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 0 & -(-1) \\ 1 & -0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Line is $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

- 3 a We need a vector $\mathbf{p} = \begin{pmatrix} p_1 \\ p_2 \end{pmatrix}$ which is perpendicular to \mathbf{a}

$$\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{p} = 0 \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} p_1 \\ p_2 \end{pmatrix} = 3p_1 + 2p_2 = 0$$

Take $p_1 = 2, p_2 = -3$

Then $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{p} = 0$, and line is

$$\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}, t \in \mathbb{R}$$

- b Using the same technique as in part a, we see

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} \text{ is perpendicular to } \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Line is $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}, t \in \mathbb{R}$.

- c $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$ is perpendicular to $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$

line is $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, t \in \mathbb{R}$.

- d We require $\mathbf{p} = \begin{pmatrix} p_1 \\ p_2 \\ p_3 \end{pmatrix}$ so that $\mathbf{p} \cdot \mathbf{a} = 0$

$$\mathbf{p} \cdot \mathbf{a} = p_1 - 3p_2 + 4p_3 = 0$$

Take $p_1 = 0, p_2 = 4, p_3 = 3$ for example

Then line is $\mathbf{r} = 5\mathbf{k} + t(4\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}), t \in \mathbb{R}$.

- 4 a We need to know if there is a value of t for which

$$\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

Take $t = 2$ Then $\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + 2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

so (4, 5) lies on the line.

- b Is there t so that $\begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$?

$$5 + t(4) = 5 \text{ and } 1 - 3t = -2$$

$$t = 0 \text{ and } t = 1 \Rightarrow \text{no such } t.$$

so (5, -2) does not lie on the line.

- c Is there t so that $\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 5 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$?

$$-1 + t = -3 \Rightarrow t = -2$$

$$5 + 0(t) = 5 \Rightarrow t = \text{anything}$$

$$-3 - 2t = 1 \Rightarrow t = -2$$

$$\text{so } \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 5 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} - 2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \text{ i.e. } (-3, 5, 1) \text{ lies on line.}$$

- d Is there t so that

$$(2\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}) = (2\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k}) + t(-2\mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k})$$

$$1 = -1 - 2t \text{ and } 1 = -3 - 3t$$

$$-2 = 2t \quad 4 = -3t$$

$t = -1$ and $t = \frac{-4}{3} \Rightarrow$ no such t .
so $(2, 1, 1)$ does not lie on line.

5 $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}, t \in \mathbb{R}$

$$10 = 4 + 3t \Rightarrow 6 = 3t, t = 2$$

$$p = 2 - 2t = 2 - 2(2) = -2$$

$$q = 5 + 8t = 5 + 8(2) = 21$$

6 A vertical line will have direction $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

so $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, t \in \mathbb{R}$

7 a (1) Are the 2 lines parallel?

Is there t such that $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = t \begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$

Take $t = \frac{-1}{3}$. Then $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{-1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$ so
lines parallel.

(2) Are 2 lines co-incident?

Does $\begin{pmatrix} -9 \\ 10 \end{pmatrix}$ lie on \mathbf{r}_1 ?

$$\begin{pmatrix} -9 \\ 10 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} + s \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}. \text{ Take } s = -6.$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -9 \\ 10 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} - 6 \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

so $\begin{pmatrix} -9 \\ 10 \end{pmatrix}$ lies on $\mathbf{r}_1 \Rightarrow$ lines co-incident

b (1) Are lines parallel?

Is there t so that $\begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow$ No such t , so NOT parallel.

(2) Are lines perpendicular?

Take dot product of direction vectors:

$$\begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = -4 + 4 = 0 \Rightarrow \text{perpendicular.}$$

c (1) Are the lines parallel?

Is there t so that $\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = t \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix}$
 $t = 2$ gives

$$\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = 2 \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \text{lines parallel.}$$

(2) Are lines co-incident?

Does $\begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$ lie on \mathbf{r}_1 ?

$$\begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + s \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} \text{ No such } s \Rightarrow$$

lines NOT co-incident.

d (1) Are lines parallel?

Is there t so that $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ No such } t \Rightarrow$
NOT parallel.

(2) Are lines perpendicular?

Take dot product of direction vectors:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 1 + 2 = 3 \Rightarrow \text{NOT perpendicular.}$$

e (1) Are lines parallel?

Is there t so that
 $\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = t \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \text{ No such } t \Rightarrow$

lines not parallel.

(2) Are lines perpendicular?

Take dot product of direction vectors:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = 16 - 9 = 7 \Rightarrow$$

NOT perpendicular.

8 a $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \left| \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right| \left\| \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\| \cos A$

$$2 + 4 = \sqrt{1^2 + 4^2} \sqrt{2^2 + 1^2 + 1^2} \cos A$$

$$6 = \sqrt{17} \sqrt{6} \cos A$$

$$A = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{6}{\sqrt{17} \sqrt{6}} \right) = 53.6^\circ$$

b $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \left| \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \right| \left\| \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\| \cos A$

$$-2 - 2 = \sqrt{2^2 + (-2)^2} \sqrt{(-1)^2 + 3^2 + 1^2} \cos A$$

$$-4 = \sqrt{8} \sqrt{11} \cos A$$

$$A = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{-4}{\sqrt{8} \sqrt{11}} \right) = 115.2^\circ$$

9 a A has position vector $\begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -3 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$. We require t so that

$$\begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -3 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$-2 = -1 + (-1)1$$

$$-3 = -1 + (-1)2$$

$$-4 = 2 + (-1)6$$

b
$$\overrightarrow{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ -7 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -3 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ -4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Taking dot product,

$$\begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ -4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} = -4 - 8 + 12 = 0$$

$\Rightarrow \overrightarrow{AB}$ perpendicular to L₁

10 a i $\overrightarrow{OF} = 2\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$

ii $\overrightarrow{AG} = -2\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$

i $|\overrightarrow{OF}| = \sqrt{2^2 + 5^2 + 3^2} = \sqrt{38}$

ii $|\overrightarrow{AG}| = \sqrt{2^2 + 5^2 + 3^2} = \sqrt{38}$

iii $\overrightarrow{OF} \cdot \overrightarrow{AG} = (2\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}) \cdot (-2\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}) = 30$

c $\overrightarrow{OF} \cdot \overrightarrow{AG} = |\overrightarrow{OF}| |\overrightarrow{AG}| \cos \theta$

$30 = \sqrt{38} \sqrt{38} \cos \theta$

$\theta = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{30}{38} \right) = 7.9^\circ$

11 a $\overrightarrow{AB} = \overrightarrow{OB} - \overrightarrow{OA} = 7\mathbf{i} - 8\mathbf{j} + 8\mathbf{k}$

b $\cos OAB = \frac{\overrightarrow{AO} \cdot \overrightarrow{AB}}{|AO| |AB|}$
 $= \frac{-1 \times 7 + (-5) \times (-8) + 2 \times 8}{\sqrt{30} \sqrt{177}}$
 $= \frac{49}{\sqrt{30} \sqrt{177}}$

c Let \mathbf{r} be the position vector for the point P.

$\text{Then } \mathbf{r} = (1 + 7\mu)\mathbf{i} + (5 - 8\mu)\mathbf{j} + (-2 + 8\mu)\mathbf{k}$

$= (\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k}) + \mu(7\mathbf{i} - 8\mathbf{j} - 8\mathbf{k})$

$= \overrightarrow{OA} + \mu \overrightarrow{AB}$

which is the position vector of a point on the line that passes through A with direction vector \overrightarrow{AB} , and hence also passes through B.

d $\overrightarrow{OP} \cdot \overrightarrow{AB} = 0$

$\therefore \begin{pmatrix} 1 + 7\mu \\ 5 - 8\mu \\ -2 + 8\mu \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ -8 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix} = 0$

$7 + 49\mu - 40 + 64\mu - 16 + 64\mu = 0$

$\mu = \frac{49}{177}$

e Use the value of μ from part d to get:

$P = \frac{1}{177} \begin{pmatrix} 520 \\ 493 \\ 38 \end{pmatrix}$

Exercise 12K

1 Equating components of \mathbf{r}_1 & \mathbf{r}_2 :

$4 + 2\lambda = 11 + \mu \quad (1)$

$2 - 4\lambda = 16 + 2\mu \quad (2)$

$(1) \Rightarrow \mu = -7 + 2\lambda$

$(2) \Rightarrow 2 - 4\lambda = 16 + 2(-7 + 2\lambda)$

$2 - 4\lambda = 2 + 4\lambda$

$\lambda = 0$

$(1) \Rightarrow \mu = -7$

so intercept at (4, 2)

plug in or λ back
in to get
(4, 2)

2 Equating components:

$4 + 8s = 6 + 9t \quad (1)$

$-2 + 2s = -3 + 6t \quad (2)$

$(1) \Rightarrow 8s = 2 + 9t$

$s = \frac{1}{8}(2 + 9t)$

$(2) \Rightarrow -2 + \frac{1}{4}(2 + 9t) = -3 + 6t$

$-8 + 2 + 9t = -12 + 24t$

$6 = 15t$

$t = \frac{6}{15}$

$(1) \Rightarrow s = \frac{1}{8} \left(2 + \frac{54}{15} \right) = \frac{7}{10}$

$\text{intersec at } \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{7}{10} \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{48}{5} \\ \frac{-3}{5} \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} 48 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$

3 $5 + 2t = 3 + 2s \quad (1)$

$-1 + t = -2 + s \quad (2)$

$2 - t = -4 + 2s \quad (3)$

$(2) \Rightarrow s = 1 + t$

$(1) \Rightarrow 5 + 2t = 3 + 2(1 + t)$

5 + 2t = 5 + 2t (so (1) & (2) are consistent)

$(3) 2 - t = -4 + 2(1 + t)$

$2 - t = -2 + 2t$

$4 = 3t$

$t = \frac{4}{3}$

$(2) \Rightarrow s = 1 + \frac{4}{3} = \frac{7}{3}$

Thus l_1 & l_2 intersect.

$$\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{7}{3} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} 23 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \text{ at } \left(\frac{23}{3}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3} \right)$$

4 $1 + 3t = -1 \quad (1)$
 $1 - t = s \quad (2)$

$(1) \Rightarrow 3t = -2$

$t = \frac{-2}{3}$

$(2) \Rightarrow s = 1 - \left(\frac{-2}{3} \right) = \frac{5}{3}$

Intersect at $\mathbf{i} + \frac{5}{3}\mathbf{j}$, i.e. at $\left(-1, \frac{5}{3} \right)$

5 If lines intersect then there are s & t so that

$3 - t = 1 + s \quad (1)$

$t = 4 + s \quad (2)$

$5 + 2t = s \quad (3)$

$\text{sub (2) into (3): } s = 5 + 2(4 + s), s = 13 + 2s$

$s = -13$

$\text{in (2)} \Rightarrow t = 4 - 13 = -9$

$\text{check in (1): } 3 - (-9) \neq 1 - 13$

$12 \neq -12$

so there are no such s & $t \Rightarrow$ skew

6 a $3 - s = 14 + 3t \quad (1)$

$-2 + 3s = -20 - 4t \quad (2)$

$5 - 5s = 6 - 3t \quad (3)$

$(1) \Rightarrow s = -11 - 3t$

$(2) \Rightarrow -2 - 3(11 + 3t) = -20 - 4t$

$-35 - 9t = -20 - 4t$

$-15 = 5t$

$t = -3$

$(1) \Rightarrow s = -11 - 3(-3) = -2$

$\text{check in (3): } 5 - 5(-2) = 6 - 3(-3)$

15 = 15 so lines intersect.

Point of intersection = $14\mathbf{i} - 20\mathbf{j} + 6\mathbf{k}$

$-3(3\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k})$
 when $t = -3$

$= 5\mathbf{i} - 8\mathbf{j} + 15\mathbf{k}$

b Take dot product of direction vectors:

$$\begin{aligned} & (-\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} - 5\mathbf{k}) \cdot (3\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k}) \\ &= (-1 \times 3) + (3 \times -4) + (-5 \times -3) \\ &= -3 - 12 + 15 \\ &= 0 \\ &\Rightarrow \text{perpendicular.} \end{aligned}$$

7 a $\begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 9 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 7 \\ a \end{pmatrix}$

$6 + t = 5 \Rightarrow t = -1$

$3 - 2(-1) = a \Rightarrow a = 5.$

$\begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 9 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} b \\ 13 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$

$9 + 2t = 13 \Rightarrow t = 2.$

$6 + 2 = b \Rightarrow b = 8.$

b OP has position vector $\begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 9 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$ for some t

$\overrightarrow{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ 13 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 7 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 6 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix}$

$(\overrightarrow{OP}) \cdot (\overrightarrow{AB}) = 0 \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 6+t \\ 9+2t \\ 3-2t \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 6 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix} = 0$

$3(6+t) + 6(9+2t) - 6(3-2t) = 0$

$18 + 3t + 54 + 12t - 18 + 12t = 0$

$27t + 54 = 0$

$t = -2$

$\text{so } \overrightarrow{OP} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 9 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} - 2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}, P \text{ is } (4, 5, 7)$

c $|\overrightarrow{OP}| = \sqrt{4^2 + 5^2 + 7^2} = 3\sqrt{10}$

8 a

$$\begin{aligned} \overrightarrow{AB} &= \mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a} = (3-2)\mathbf{i} + (-2-(-1))\mathbf{j} + (-1-2)\mathbf{k} \\ &= \mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k} \end{aligned}$$

line is $(2\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}) + \lambda(\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k})$ for $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$

b $2 + \lambda = 7 + 2s \quad (1)$

$-1 - \lambda = s \quad (2)$

$2 - 3\lambda = 3 + 2s \quad (3)$

$\text{sub (2) in (1)} \Rightarrow 2 + \lambda = 7 + 2(-1 - \lambda)$

$2 + \lambda = 5 - 2\lambda$

$3\lambda = 3 \Rightarrow \lambda = 1$

$(2) \Rightarrow s = -1 - 1 = -2$

$(3) \Rightarrow 2 = -3(1) - 1 = 3 + 2(-2)$

lines intersect.

$$\text{point is } (2+1)\mathbf{i} + (-1-1)\mathbf{j} + (2-3)\mathbf{k}$$

$$3\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k} \text{ ie } (3, -2, -1)$$

c $\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{c} = (2-3)\mathbf{i} + (-1-(-2))\mathbf{j} + (2-(-1))\mathbf{k}$
 $= -\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$

$$|AC| = \sqrt{1+1+3^2} = \sqrt{11}$$

d Take dot product of direction vectors:

$$(\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k}) \cdot (2\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}) = 2 - 1 - 6 = -5$$

$$\text{Then } -5 = \sqrt{11} \sqrt{9} \cos \theta$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{-5}{3\sqrt{11}} \right) = -120^\circ \text{ (nearest degree)}$$

negative?

Exercise 12L

1 a Position of ship relative to buoy is

$$\begin{pmatrix} 60 \\ 30 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 45 \\ 20 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 15 \\ 10 \end{pmatrix} \text{ ie } 10 \text{ Km North, } 15 \text{ Km East}$$

b $\left| \begin{pmatrix} 15 \\ 10 \end{pmatrix} \right| = \sqrt{15^2 + 10^2} = 5\sqrt{13} \text{ km}$

2 a velocity = $\frac{\text{displacement}}{\text{time}} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{20}{4} \\ \frac{-8}{4} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \text{ ms}^{-1}$

b $s(t) = \begin{pmatrix} 20 \\ -8 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 20 \\ -8 \end{pmatrix} + 6 \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 50 \\ -20 \end{pmatrix} \text{ m}$

c speed = $|v(t)| = \sqrt{12^2 + 5^2} = 13 \text{ ms}^{-1}$

d $s(t) = (4\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j}) + t(12\mathbf{i} - 5\mathbf{j})$

$$s(3) = (4\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j}) + 3(12\mathbf{i} - 5\mathbf{j}) = 40\mathbf{i} - 16\mathbf{j}$$

$$\text{distance} = \sqrt{40^2 + 16^2} = 8\sqrt{29} \text{ m}$$

e want $\begin{pmatrix} 20 \\ -8 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + s \begin{pmatrix} 12 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}$

for collision

$$20 + 5t = 4 + 12s \quad (1)$$

$$-8 - 2t = -1 - 5s \quad (2)$$

$$(2) \Rightarrow -7 + 5s = 2t \Rightarrow t = \frac{1}{2}(5s - 7)$$

$$(1) \Rightarrow 20 + \frac{5}{2}(5s - 7) = 4 + 12s$$

$$40 + 25s - 35 = 8 + 24s$$

$$s = 3$$

$$(2) \Rightarrow t = \frac{1}{2}(5 \times 3 - 7) = 4$$

tFS

$$\text{When } t = 4, \text{ LS} = \begin{pmatrix} 20 \\ -8 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 20 \\ -8 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 40 \\ -16 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{When } s = 3, \text{ RS} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -8 \end{pmatrix} + 3 \begin{pmatrix} 12 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 40 \\ -16 \end{pmatrix}$$

Hence particles will collide.

3 a Let A's position be given by

$$\mathbf{a} = (3\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j}) + t(4\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j})$$

Let B's position be given by

$$\mathbf{b} = (4\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j}) + s(3\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j})$$

want to find when $\mathbf{a} = \mathbf{b}$.

$$3 + 4t = 4 + 3s \quad (1)$$

$$3 + 3t = 3 + 3s \quad (2)$$

$$(2) \Rightarrow t = s$$

$$(1) \Rightarrow s = t = 1$$

They collide 1 hour after 3 pm, ie at 4 pm.

b Collide at $(3\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j}) + 1(4\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j}) = 7\mathbf{i} + 6\mathbf{j}$

4 a $\mathbf{r}_x = \begin{pmatrix} 11 \\ 3 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathbf{r}_y = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -7 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix}$

$$|\mathbf{V}_x| = \sqrt{1^2 + (-1)^2 + 4^2} = \sqrt{18} = 3\sqrt{2} \text{ ms}^{-1}$$

$$|\mathbf{V}_y| = \sqrt{2^2 + 1^2 + 9^2} = \sqrt{86} \text{ ms}^{-1}$$

b Meet if $\mathbf{r}_x = \mathbf{r}_y$ at the same time

$$\begin{pmatrix} 11 \\ 3 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -7 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} + s \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$11 + t = 1 + 2s \quad (1)$$

$$3 - t = -7 + s \quad (2)$$

$$-3 + 4t = -2 + 9s \quad (3)$$

$$(1) \Rightarrow t = 2s - 10$$

$$(2) \Rightarrow 3 - (2s - 10) = -7 + s$$

$$13 - 2s = -7 + s$$

$$20 = 3s, s = \frac{20}{3}$$

$$(1) \Rightarrow t = 2 \left(\frac{20}{3} \right) - 10 = \frac{10}{3} \neq s$$

so ships do not collide.

c $\mathbf{r}_x(10) = \begin{pmatrix} 11 \\ 3 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} + 10 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 21 \\ -7 \\ 37 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\mathbf{r}_y(10) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -7 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} + 10 \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 21 \\ 3 \\ 88 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{r}_y - \mathbf{r}_x = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 10 \\ 51 \end{pmatrix},$$

$$|\mathbf{r}_y - \mathbf{r}_x|$$

$$= \sqrt{10^2 + 51^2} = \sqrt{2701} \approx 51.97\text{m}$$



Review exercise

1 $\overrightarrow{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\overrightarrow{BC} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ -3 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix}$$

Now $\overrightarrow{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = -\frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ -3 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{-1}{3} \overrightarrow{BC}$

Since they contain a common point (B), A, B, C are collinear.

- 2 The sides of the triangle are given by the vectors $\overrightarrow{AB}, \overrightarrow{AC}$, and \overrightarrow{BC}

$$\begin{aligned} \overrightarrow{AB} &= (2\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j}) - (5\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + 6\mathbf{k}) \\ &= -3\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} - 6\mathbf{k} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \overrightarrow{AC} &= (-3\mathbf{i} - 5\mathbf{j} + 8\mathbf{k}) - (5\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + 6\mathbf{k}) \\ &= -8\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k} \end{aligned}$$

Now $\overrightarrow{AB} \cdot \overrightarrow{AC} = (-3\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} - 6\mathbf{k}) \cdot (-8\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k})$
 $= (-3 \times -8) + (3 \times -4) + (-6 \times 2)$
 $= +24 - 12 - 12$
 $= 0$

Since $\overrightarrow{AB} \cdot \overrightarrow{AC} = 0$, the vectors are perpendicular.
Hence, A, B , and C form a right-angled triangle.

3 $\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 5+1 \\ -1+3 \\ -3+(-5) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 2 \\ -8 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 5-1 \\ -1-3 \\ -3-(-5) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b}) \cdot (\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}) = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 2 \\ -8 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = 24 - 8 - 16 = 0$$

$\Rightarrow \mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b}$ and $\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}$ are perpendicular.

- 4 We need s & t so that

$$7s = 3 + 2t \quad (1)$$

$$6 + 3s = 1 + 4t \quad (2)$$

$$-1 + s = 2 - t \quad (3)$$

$$(3) \Rightarrow s = 3 - t$$

$$(1) \Rightarrow 7(3-t) = 3 + 2t$$

$$21 - 7t = 3 + 2t$$

$$18 = 9t$$

$$t = 2$$

$$(3) \Rightarrow s = 3 - 2 = 1$$

check in (2) $\Rightarrow 6 + 3(1) = 1 + 4(2)$

LS = RS = 9 so s and t exist.

so P has position vector $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 6 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 9 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

Point $(7, 9, 0)$

5 a $\overrightarrow{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\overrightarrow{AC} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

b $\overrightarrow{AB} \cdot \overrightarrow{AC} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = -3 - 6 = -9$

c $\overrightarrow{AB} \cdot \overrightarrow{AC} = |\overrightarrow{AB}| |\overrightarrow{AC}| \cos B\hat{A}C$

$$-9 = \sqrt{3^2 + 3^2} \sqrt{(-1)^2 + (-2)^2} \cos B\hat{A}C$$

$$-9 = \sqrt{18} \sqrt{5} \cos B\hat{A}C$$

$$-9 = 3\sqrt{2} \sqrt{5} \cos B\hat{A}C$$

$$\cos B\hat{A}C = \frac{-3}{\sqrt{2}\sqrt{5}}$$

- 6 a P has position vector

$$\begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} + 4 \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 6-8 \\ 2+8 \\ -3+4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 10 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

P is $(-2, 10, 1)$

b Suppose $\begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 10 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -12 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 11 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$ for some t

$$-2 = -t \quad (1)$$

$$10 = -12 + 11t \quad (2)$$

$$1 = 7 - 3t \quad (3)$$

$$(1) \Rightarrow t = 2$$

$$(2) \Rightarrow 10 = -12 + 11(2) = 10$$

$$(3) \Rightarrow 1 = 7 - 3(2) = 7 - 6 = 1$$

so equations are consistent.

so $t = 2$ gives $\begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 10 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \therefore P$ lies on L_2

7 a $L_2: \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} + s \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

b $0 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 7 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ x \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 4 + 7x + 3 = 7 + 7x \Rightarrow x = -1$

c $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 7 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + q \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$2 + t = 7 + 4q \quad (1)$$

$$-3 + 7t = 5 - q \quad (2)$$

$$-3 + 3t = 1 + q \quad (3)$$

8 Suppose $\mathbf{r}_1 = \mathbf{r}_2$

(@) Then $\begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 3 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 17 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 9 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} -12 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$

$$-4 + 4\lambda = 4 - 12\mu \quad (1)$$

$$3 + 17\lambda = 9 + 5\mu \quad (2)$$

$$(1) \Rightarrow 4\lambda = 8 - 12\mu$$

$$\lambda = 2 - 3\mu$$

$$(2) \Rightarrow 17(2 - 3\mu) = 6 + 5\mu$$

$$34 - 51\mu = 6 + 5\mu$$

$$28 = 56\mu$$

$$\mu = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$(1) \Rightarrow \lambda = 2 - \frac{3}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

So ships collide after $\frac{1}{2}$ hour, ie 12.30 pm.

collide at $\begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 3 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 17 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ \frac{23}{2} \\ \frac{23}{2} \end{pmatrix}$

b At 12.15, A has position $\begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 3 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 17 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ \frac{29}{4} \\ \frac{29}{4} \end{pmatrix}$

so after 12:15, A 's position given by

$$\mathbf{r}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ \frac{29}{4} \\ \frac{29}{4} \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 16 \\ 17 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ where } t \text{ is time after 12:15}$$

At 12.30, A 's position is

$$\mathbf{r}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ \frac{29}{4} \\ \frac{29}{4} \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} 16 \\ 17 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \frac{23}{2} \\ \frac{23}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Distance is } \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ \frac{23}{2} \\ \frac{23}{2} \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \frac{23}{2} \\ \frac{23}{2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

so ships are 3km apart.



Review exercise – GDC

1 $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \left| \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} \right| \left| \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right| \cos A$

$$6 - 20 = \sqrt{3^2 + 5^2} \sqrt{2^2 + (-4)^2} \cos A$$

$$\frac{-14}{\sqrt{34}\sqrt{20}} = \cos A$$

$$A = 122.4 \approx 122^\circ$$

2 a $\overrightarrow{QR} = \overrightarrow{OR} - \overrightarrow{OQ}$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\overrightarrow{QP} = \overrightarrow{OP} - \overrightarrow{OQ}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

b $\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \left| \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} \right| \left| \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right| \cos P\hat{Q}R$

$$0 + 0 + 5 = \sqrt{(-1)^2 + 0^2 + 5^2}$$

$$\sqrt{0^2 + (-1)^2 + 1^2} \cos P\hat{Q}R$$

$$\frac{5}{\sqrt{26}\sqrt{2}} = \cos P\hat{Q}R$$

$$= 46.1 \approx 46^\circ$$

c $\frac{1}{2} |\overrightarrow{QR}| |\overrightarrow{QP}| \sin 46 = \text{Area}$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{52} \sin 46$$

$$= 2.60 \text{ units}^2$$

- 3 a i $\overline{OC} = 4\mathbf{j}$
ii $\overline{OB} = \mathbf{i} + \sqrt{2^2 - 1^2} \mathbf{k} = \mathbf{i} + \sqrt{3} \mathbf{k}$
iii $\overline{OD} = 2\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j}$

- b i $\overline{BC} = \overline{BO} + \overline{OC}$
 $= -\mathbf{i} - \sqrt{3}\mathbf{k} + 4\mathbf{j} = -\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - \sqrt{3}\mathbf{k}$
ii $\overline{BD} = \mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - \sqrt{3}\mathbf{k}$
c i $|\overline{BC}| = \sqrt{1^2 + 16 + 3} = \sqrt{20} = 2\sqrt{5}$
ii $|\overline{BD}| = \sqrt{1^2 + 16 + 3} = \sqrt{20} = 2\sqrt{5}$
iii $(-\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - \sqrt{3}\mathbf{k}) \cdot (\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - \sqrt{3}\mathbf{k}) =$
 $-1 + 16 + 3 = 18$

d. $18 = 2\sqrt{5} \times 2\sqrt{5} \cos D\hat{B}C$

$$\frac{18}{20} = \frac{9}{10} \cos D\hat{B}C$$

$$25.8^\circ = D\hat{B}C$$

- 4 a If perpendicular, $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = 0$

$$(x\mathbf{i} + (x-2)\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}) \cdot (x^2\mathbf{i} - 2x\mathbf{j} - 12x\mathbf{k}) = 0$$

$$x^3 - 2x(x-2) - 12x = 0$$

$$x^3 - 2x^2 + 4x - 12x = 0$$

$$x(x^2 - 2x - 8) = 0$$

$$x(x-4)(x+2) = 0$$

$$x = 0, x = 4, \text{ or } x = -2$$

- b Let $x = -1$. $\mathbf{a} = -1\mathbf{i} + -3\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$, $\mathbf{b} = \mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + 12\mathbf{k}$

$$\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = |\mathbf{a}| |\mathbf{b}| \cos C$$

$$-1 + -6 + 12 = \sqrt{(-1)^2 + (-3)^2 + 1^2}$$

$$\sqrt{1^2 + 2^2 + 12^2} \cos C$$

$$5 = \sqrt{11} \sqrt{149} \cos C$$

$$\frac{5}{\sqrt{11} \sqrt{149}} = \cos C$$

$$82.9^\circ = C$$

- 5 a $\overline{PQ} = \overline{OQ} - \overline{OP}$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 6 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\overline{OP} \cdot \overline{PQ} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 6 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = 0 - 6 + 6 = 0$$

$\therefore \overline{OP}$ is perpendicular to \overline{PQ}

b $\mathbf{r}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 6 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

c If intersect, $r_1 = r_2$
 $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 6 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$

$$1 = 2 + \mu \quad \mu = -1$$

$$-1 + 6\lambda = -1 - 3\mu \quad 6\lambda = -3\mu = 3 \quad \lambda = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$3 + 2\lambda = 2 - 2\mu \quad \text{LHS } 3 + 2 \times \frac{1}{2} = 4$$

$$\text{RHS } 2 - 2 \times -1 = 2 + 2 = 4$$

consistent values for λ and μ in all 3 equations

lines intersect

Let $\lambda = \frac{1}{2}$ in r_1

Position vector = $\begin{pmatrix} 1+0 \\ -1+3 \\ 3+1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$

d

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 6 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \left| \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 6 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \right| \left| \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \right| \cos A$$

$$-18 + -4 = \sqrt{0^2 + 6^2 + 2^2} \sqrt{1^2 + (-3)^2 + (-2)^2} \cos A$$

$$-22 = \sqrt{40} \sqrt{14} \cos A$$

$$\frac{-22}{\sqrt{40} \sqrt{14}} = \cos A$$

$$A = 158^\circ$$

~~22~~ ~~158~~ ~~22~~

acute angle between lines is 22°

6 a $t = 0 \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$

$$t = 2 \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ -2 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{AB} &= \overline{OB} - \overline{OA} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ -2 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

- b Position vector = initial position + t
(directional vector of \overline{AB})

$$= \text{initial position} + t \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

c $(36, 18, 0)$

d $v = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$, speed $= |v| = \sqrt{(-3)^2 + (-4)^2 + 1^2}$
 $= \sqrt{9 + 16 + 1} = \sqrt{26}$
 $= 5.10 \text{ ms}^{-1}$

e $\begin{pmatrix} 36 \\ 18 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} + s \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$
 $36 - 3t = 3s \quad 36 - 18 = 18 \quad s = 6$
 $18 - 4t = -s \quad 18 - 24 = -s \quad s = 6 \text{ consistent}$
 $t = 6$
 $t = 6 \text{ seconds}$
f $c = (36 - 18, 18 - 24, 0 + 6)$
 $= (18, -6, 6)$