

Year 12 Mathematics Specialist
Test 2 2019

Section 1 Calculator Free
 2D and 3D Vectors

STUDENT'S NAME _____

Solutions

DATE: Friday 5 April

TIME: 25 minutes

MARKS: 25

INSTRUCTIONS:

Standard Items: Pens, pencils, drawing templates, eraser, formula page

Questions or parts of questions worth more than 2 marks require working to be shown to receive full marks.

1. (3 marks)

Given $\underline{a} = \begin{pmatrix} -8 \\ 4 \\ 16 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\underline{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 3 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$, determine a vector in the direction of \underline{a} with magnitude $|\underline{b}|$

$$\underline{u} = \frac{\sqrt{27}}{\sqrt{21}} \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{21}} \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

note: $\underline{a} = \begin{pmatrix} -8 \\ 4 \\ 16 \end{pmatrix}$ is parallel to $\begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\left| \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \right| = \sqrt{4+1+16}$$

$$\left| \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 3 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \right| = \sqrt{9+9+9}$$

✓ direction

✓ $|\underline{a}|$ or $\sqrt{21}$

✓ $|\underline{b}|$

2. (7 marks)

A plane contains the point $(1, 2, 3)$ and the vectors $\underline{a} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -8 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\underline{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -5 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

(a) Determine a normal to the plane.

[2]

$$\underline{n} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -8 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -5 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -16 - -15 \\ 3 - -2 \\ 5 - -8 \end{pmatrix} \\ = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 5 \\ 13 \end{pmatrix}$$

✓✓ -1 per error

(b) Determine the vector equation of the plane in scalar form.

[2]

$$\underline{r} \cdot \underline{n} = \underline{a} \cdot \underline{n} \\ \underline{r} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 5 \\ 13 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 5 \\ 13 \end{pmatrix} \\ = -1 + 10 + 39$$

✓ form

$$\underline{r} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 5 \\ 13 \end{pmatrix} = 48$$

✓ final eqn

(c) The line $\underline{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 10 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$ intersects the plane. Determine the point of intersection. [3]

\Rightarrow line also satisfies eqn of plane

$$\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 10+2\lambda \\ 3+\lambda \\ 1-\lambda \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 5 \\ 13 \end{pmatrix} = 48$$

✓ substitution

$$\Rightarrow -10 - 2\lambda + 15 + 5\lambda + 13 - 13\lambda = 48$$

$$\Rightarrow -10\lambda + 18 = 48$$

$$\Rightarrow -10\lambda = 30$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = -3$$

✓ λ value

$$\therefore \text{pt is } \underline{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 10 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} - 3 \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \\ = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

✓ point

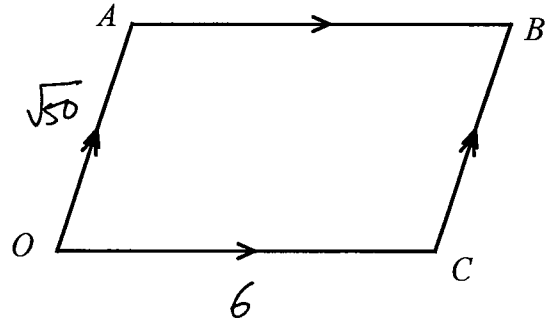
3. (6 marks)

A parallelogram has the following information:

$$\vec{OA} = 5\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j}$$

$$\vec{OC} = 6\mathbf{i}$$

Where O is the origin.



(a) Determine the position vector of B

[2]

$$\vec{OB} = \vec{OA} + \vec{AB}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

as $\vec{AB} \parallel \vec{OC}$

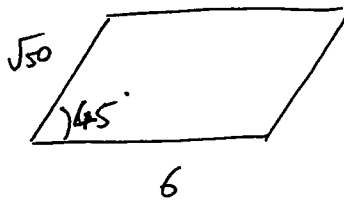
$$= \begin{pmatrix} 11 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

✓ eqn

✓ vector

(b) Determine the area of the parallelogram

[4]



$$|\vec{OA}| = \sqrt{50}$$

makes an angle of 45° to x-axis

$$\therefore A = 2 \times \Delta s$$

$$= 2 \times \frac{1}{2} \times 6 \times \sqrt{50} \times \sin 45^\circ$$

$$= 6 \sqrt{50} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$= 3 \sqrt{100}$$

$$= 30 \text{ units}^2$$

OR

use cross product

→ introduce 30

$$\vec{OA} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 5 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

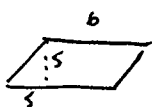
$$\vec{OC} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore \text{Area} = \left| \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 5 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right|$$

$$= \left| \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ -30 \end{pmatrix} \right| //$$

$$= 30 \text{ units}^2 //$$

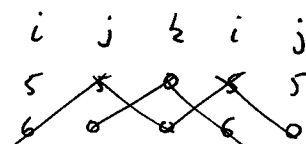
OR



$$A = b \times h$$

$$= 6 \times 5$$

$$= 30 \text{ units}^2$$



4. (9 marks)

- (a) Consider A , B and C with position vectors $\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$, $\begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 7 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 2 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$ respectively. Show that these points form the vertices of an isosceles triangle. [6]

Isosceles \rightarrow two equal lengths

$$|\vec{AB}| = \sqrt{\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 10 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}}$$

$$= \sqrt{120} \checkmark$$

$$|\vec{AC}| = \sqrt{\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \\ +1 \end{pmatrix}}$$

$$= \sqrt{35} \checkmark$$

$$|\vec{BC}| = \sqrt{\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -5 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}}$$

$$= \sqrt{35} \checkmark$$

As $|\vec{AC}| = |\vec{BC}|$ it is an isosceles triangle

- (b) Determine the Cartesian equation of the plane that contains the isosceles triangle. [3]

use scalar product form

$$\begin{matrix} i & j & k & i & j \\ 3 & -5 & 3 & -5 & 3 \\ \swarrow & \searrow & \swarrow & \searrow & \swarrow \\ & -5 & 3 & -5 & 3 \end{matrix}$$

$$\mathbf{n} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -5 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 15 - 5 \\ -1 - 9 \\ -15 - 5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 10 \\ -10 \\ -20 \end{pmatrix} \checkmark$$

This is \parallel to $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\hat{r} \cdot \hat{n} = \hat{a} \cdot \hat{n} \checkmark$$

$$\hat{r} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \checkmark$$

$$= 17$$

$$\therefore x - y + 2z = 17$$

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5. (5 marks)

Two particles A and B have initial position vectors of $-73\mathbf{i} + 242\mathbf{j} - 476\mathbf{k}$ and $199\mathbf{i} - 30\mathbf{j} + 170\mathbf{k}$ respectively and their velocity vectors are $4\mathbf{i} - 13\mathbf{j} + 29\mathbf{k}$ and $-12\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} - 9\mathbf{k}$ respectively. All units are S.I. units (meters and seconds).

(a) Determine the position vector where the two paths intersect. [3]

$$\begin{pmatrix} -73 \\ 242 \\ -476 \end{pmatrix} + t_1 \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -13 \\ 29 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 199 \\ -30 \\ 170 \end{pmatrix} + t_2 \begin{pmatrix} -12 \\ 3 \\ -9 \end{pmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{matrix} t_1 = 17 \\ t_2 = 17 \end{matrix} \quad \checkmark \quad \therefore \text{intersect at } \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ 21 \\ 17 \end{pmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

(b) Do the two particles collide? Explain. [2]

Yes, at the same spot at the same time ✓

6. (8 marks)

A and B have position vectors of $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}$ respectively. A line passes through the two points.

(a) Determine the vector equation of the line. [2]

$$\vec{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\therefore \vec{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

(b) Determine the parametric equations of the line. [2]

$$x = 2 - 5\lambda \quad \checkmark$$

$$y = -6 + \lambda \quad \checkmark$$

(c) Determine the Cartesian equation of the line. [2]

$$\frac{x-2}{-5} = y+6 \quad \checkmark\checkmark$$

(d) Determine the angle the line makes with the y-axis. [2]

line has direction $\begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

y-axis has direction $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\text{angle} \left(\begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right) = 78.7^\circ \quad \checkmark \quad \checkmark$$

7. (7 marks)

A sphere has the vector equation $\left| \vec{r} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \right| = 5$

(a) Determine where the line $\vec{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -26 \\ 24 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$ intersects the sphere. [4]

$$\Rightarrow \left| \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -26 + 4\lambda \\ 24 - 3\lambda \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \right| = 5 \quad \checkmark$$

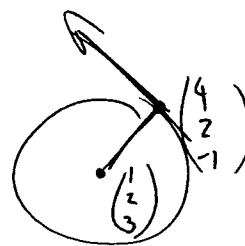
$$\text{Solving } \lambda = 6, 8 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\therefore \text{pts } \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 6 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

(b) The point $\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$ lies on the surface of the sphere. Determine the equation of a line that is tangent to the sphere at this point. [3]

Need a \perp direction to radius

$$\text{rad} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$



$$\therefore \perp \text{ dir} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\therefore \text{line } \vec{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

8. (5 marks)

The points $A(1, -1, 3)$, $B(4, 1, -2)$, $C(-1, -1, 1)$ and $D(1, 1, 1)$ all lie on the surface of a sphere.

(a) Determine the centre and radius of the sphere. [3]

All points must satisfy Cartesian eqn $(x+a)^2 + (y+b)^2 + (z+c)^2 = d$

$$\Rightarrow (1+a)^2 + (-1+b)^2 + (3+c)^2 = d$$

$$(4+a)^2 + (1+b)^2 + (-2+c)^2 = d$$

$$(-1+a)^2 + (-1+b)^2 + (1+c)^2 = d$$

$$(1+a)^2 + (1+b)^2 + (1+c)^2 = d$$

Solving we get

$$(x-2.5)^2 + (y+2.5)^2 + (z+0.5)^2 = 16.75$$

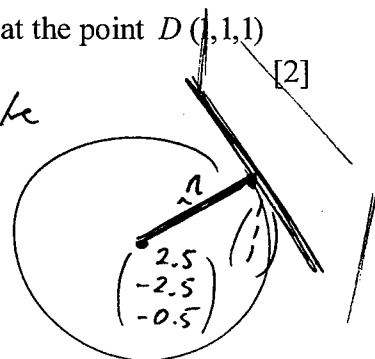
\therefore Centre $(2.5, -2.5, -0.5)$ ✓

radius $\sqrt{16.75} \approx 4.09$ ✓

(b) Determine the equation of the plane that is tangent to the sphere at the point $D(1, 1, 1)$ [2]

normal to plane will go through centre

$$\Rightarrow \vec{n} = \begin{pmatrix} -1.5 \\ +3.5 \\ 1.5 \end{pmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$



$$\therefore \text{Plane } \vec{r} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -1.5 \\ 3.5 \\ 1.5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -1.5 \\ 3.5 \\ 1.5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\vec{r} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -1.5 \\ 3.5 \\ 1.5 \end{pmatrix} = 3.5 \quad \checkmark$$