

Determine whether each expression below is valid. If it is valid, state whether the result is a scalar or a vector.

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[a]  $(\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v})(\vec{u} \times \vec{v})$  VALID VECTOR

[b]  $\vec{u} \times (\vec{v} \cdot \vec{w})$  INVALID

[c]  $(\vec{u} \times \vec{v}) \cdot (\vec{w} \cdot \vec{s})$  INVALID

(2 1/2) EACH

Let  $P$  be the point  $(-1, -5, 1)$ ,  $R$  be the point  $(0, -7, -2)$ , and  $\vec{PQ}$  be the vector  $3\vec{i} + \vec{j} - 2\vec{k}$  in the diagram on the right. NOTE:  $\angle RSQ$  is a right angle.

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**NOTE: The diagram is NOT drawn to scale.**

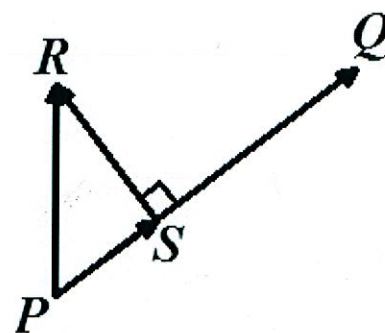
**Diagram not drawn to scale**

[a] Write "I UNDERSTAND THAT THE DIAGRAM IS NOT DRAWN TO SCALE" to indicate that you understand that the diagram is NOT drawn to scale.

[b] Find symmetric equations for the line passing through  $P$  and  $R$ .

$\vec{PR} = \langle 0 - (-1), -7 - (-5), -2 - 1 \rangle = \langle 1, -2, -3 \rangle$

$\frac{x+1}{1} = \frac{y+5}{-2} = \frac{z-1}{-3}$  OR  $x = -\frac{y+5}{2} = -\frac{z-1}{3}$



[c] Find  $\angle QPR$ . NOTE: The diagram is NOT drawn to scale.

$\cos^{-1} \frac{\vec{PQ} \cdot \vec{PR}}{\|\vec{PQ}\| \|\vec{PR}\|} = \cos^{-1} \frac{3-2+6}{\sqrt{14} \sqrt{14}} = \cos^{-1} \frac{7}{14} = 60^\circ \text{ or } \frac{\pi}{3}$

[d] Find  $\vec{SR}$ .

$\vec{PS} = \text{proj}_{\vec{PQ}} \vec{PR} = \frac{\vec{PR} \cdot \vec{PQ}}{\vec{PQ} \cdot \vec{PQ}} \vec{PQ} = \frac{7}{14} \langle 3, 1, -2 \rangle = \langle \frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, -1 \rangle$

$\vec{SR} = \vec{PR} - \vec{PS} = \langle 1, -2, -3 \rangle - \langle \frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, -1 \rangle = \langle -\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{5}{2}, -2 \rangle$

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- [e] Find symmetric equations of the line passing through  $P$  that is perpendicular to both  $\overrightarrow{PR}$  and  $\overrightarrow{PQ}$ .

$$\vec{d} = \overrightarrow{PR} \times \overrightarrow{PQ} = \langle 1, -2, -3 \rangle = \langle 4-3, -9-2, 1-6 \rangle \\ \times \langle 3, 1, -2 \rangle = \langle 7, -7, 7 \rangle \text{ (9)}$$

$$\text{(6)} \quad x+1 = -(y+5) = z-1$$

USE  $\langle 1, -1, 1 \rangle$  INSTEAD  
SINCE PARALLEL + SIMPLER

SANITY CHECK:  $\begin{cases} 1+2-3=0 \checkmark \\ 3-1-2=0 \checkmark \end{cases}$

- [f] Find parametric equations of the line passing through  $R$  that is perpendicular to the plane  $3y - 2z + 7 = 0$ .

$$\vec{d} = \langle 0, 3, -2 \rangle \text{ (4)}$$

$$\begin{cases} x = 0 \\ y = -7 + 3t \\ z = -2 - 2t \end{cases} \text{ (2) (2) (2)}$$

- [g] Find the general form ( $Ax + By + Cz + D = 0$ ) of the equation of the plane passing through  $P$ ,  $Q$  and  $R$ .

$$\vec{n} = \overrightarrow{PR} \times \overrightarrow{PQ} = \langle 7, -7, 7 \rangle \text{ (4)} \text{ USE } \langle 1, -1, 1 \rangle \text{ INSTEAD}$$

$$\text{(6)} \quad 1(x-0) - 1(y+7) + 1(z+2) = 0 \\ x - y + z - 5 = 0 \text{ (4)}$$

- [h] If  $T$  (not shown) is a point such that  $PQTR$  is a parallelogram, find the area of  $PQTR$ .

$$\| \overrightarrow{PQ} \times \overrightarrow{PR} \| = \sqrt{7^2 + (-7)^2 + 7^2} = 7\sqrt{3} \text{ (4) (4)}$$

- [i] If  $M$  (not shown) is a point such that  $\overrightarrow{PM}$  is a unit vector and the angle between  $\overrightarrow{PQ}$  and  $\overrightarrow{PM}$  is  $\frac{5\pi}{6}$ , find  $\| \overrightarrow{PQ} \times \overrightarrow{PM} \|$ .

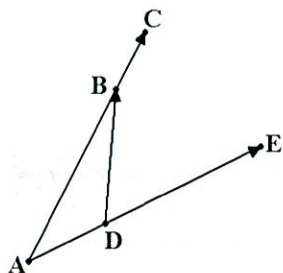
$$\| \overrightarrow{PQ} \| \| \overrightarrow{PM} \| \sin \frac{5\pi}{6} = \sqrt{14} (1) \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{14} \text{ (4) (4)}$$



In the diagram below,  $AE$  is three times the length of  $AD$ , and  $AC$  is four times the length of  $BC$ .

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If  $\vec{u} = \vec{AE}$  and  $\vec{w} = \vec{AC}$ , find an expression for  $\vec{DB}$  in terms of  $\vec{u}$  and  $\vec{w}$ .



$$\vec{BC} = \frac{1}{4} \vec{AC} \rightarrow \vec{AB} = \frac{3}{4} \vec{AC} = \frac{3}{4} \vec{w}$$

$$\vec{AD} = \frac{1}{3} \vec{AE} = \frac{1}{3} \vec{u}$$

$$\vec{DB} = \vec{AB} - \vec{AD} = \frac{3}{4} \vec{w} - \frac{1}{3} \vec{u}$$

② ORDER OF SUBTRACTION

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FILL IN THE BLANKS.

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- [a] If a plane and a line are perpendicular, then the NORMAL vector of the plane is PARALLEL to the DIRECTION vector of the line.

- [b] If plane 1 and plane 2 are parallel, then the NORMAL vector of plane 1 is PARALLEL to the NORMAL vector of plane 2.

NOTE: ALL 3 BLANKS MUST BE CORRECT TO EARN ANY CREDIT.

- [c] The equation of the  $xz$ -plane is  $y=0$ .

- [d] If  $\vec{u} \cdot \vec{u} = 8$ , then  $\|\vec{u}\| = \underline{2\sqrt{2}}$ .

Let  $\vec{p}$  be the vector  $\langle -4\sqrt{3}, -4 \rangle$ , and  $\vec{q}$  be the vector with magnitude 12 and direction angle  $\frac{5\pi}{3}$ .

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- [a] Find the direction angle of  $\vec{p}$ .

$$\pi + \tan^{-1} \frac{-4}{-4\sqrt{3}} = \pi + \tan^{-1} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$$

$$= \pi + \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$= \frac{7\pi}{6} \text{ or } 210^\circ$$

② EACH

- [b] Write  $\vec{q}$  as a linear combination of  $\vec{i}$  and  $\vec{j}$ .

$$\langle 12 \cos \frac{5\pi}{3}, 12 \sin \frac{5\pi}{3} \rangle = \langle 12(\frac{1}{2}), 12(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}) \rangle$$

$$= 6\vec{i} - 6\sqrt{3}\vec{j}$$