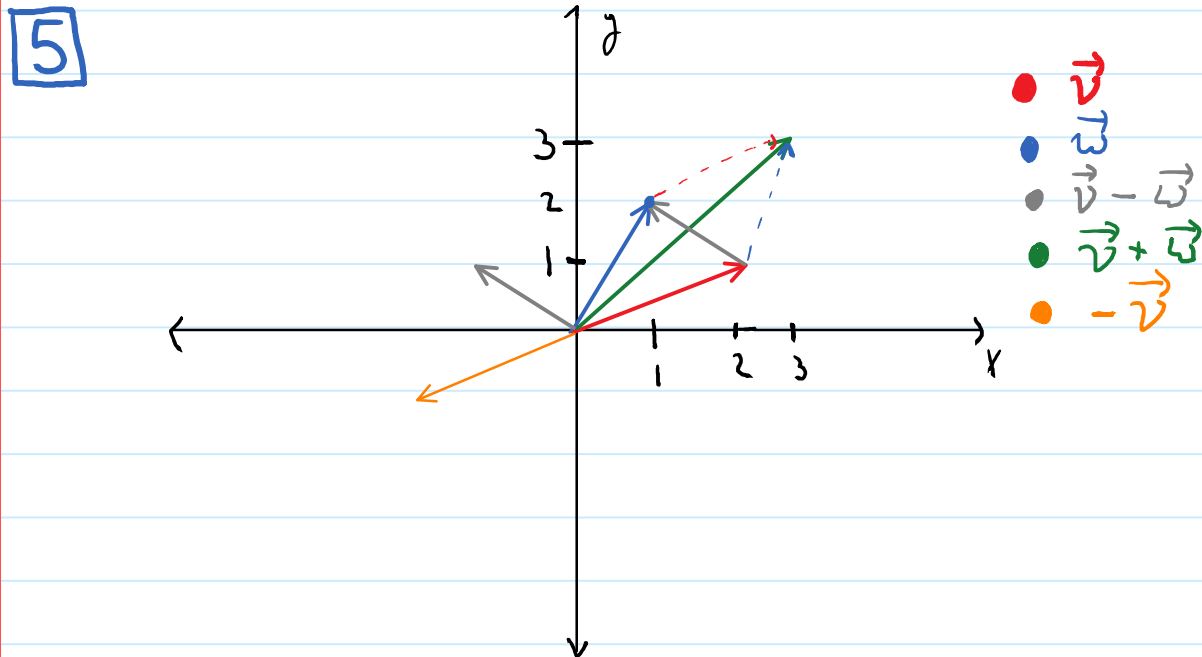


§1.1: 2, 5, 8, 16, 18, 23, 24, 26, 28.

$$\begin{aligned} \boxed{2} \quad & 3(133, -0.33, 0) + (-399, 0.99, 0) = \\ & (3 \cdot 133, 3 \cdot (-0.33), 0) + (-399, 0.99, 0) = \\ & (399, -0.99, 0) + (-399, 0.99, 0) = \\ & (399 - 399, -0.99 + 0.99, 0) = \\ & \boxed{(0, 0, 0)} \end{aligned}$$



**8** Similar to 5, but in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

**16** To describe the line, we just need:

- ① A point,  $P_0$ , on the line, and
- ② A "direction vector",  $\vec{d}$ , for the line.

$$\text{Here, } P_0 = (0, 2, 1), \quad \vec{d} = 2\vec{i} - \vec{k} = (2, 0, -1).$$

Therefore, the line can be described by:

(vector form):  $\vec{r}(t) = \vec{OP}_0 + t\vec{d}$   
 $\vec{r}(t) = (0, 2, 1) + t(2, 0, -1)$

(parametric eqn form):

$$\begin{aligned}x &= 2t \\y &= 2 \\z &= 1-t\end{aligned}$$

**18** This time  $P_0 = (-5, 0, 4)$  (or  $P_0 = (6, -3, 2)$ ).

For the direction vector, we can use the vector from  $(-5, 0, 4)$  to  $(6, -3, 2)$ :

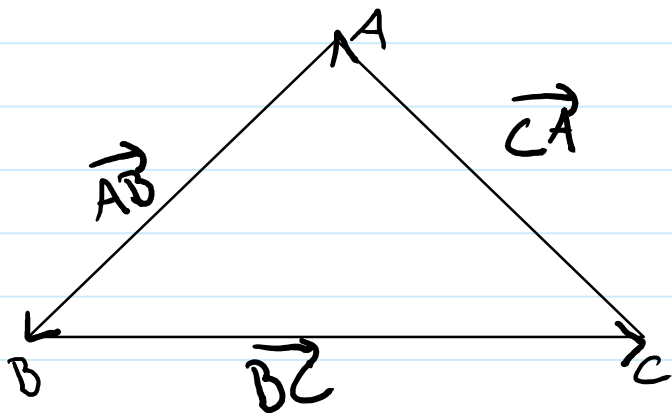
$$\begin{aligned}\vec{d} &= (6, -3, 2) - (-5, 0, 4) \\&= (11, -3, -2)\end{aligned}$$

Then the line is given in vector form by

$$\vec{r}(t) = \vec{r}_0 + t\vec{d}$$

$$\vec{r}(t) = (-5, 0, 4) + t(11, -3, -2).$$

**23** Let's draw the picture in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  since it is easier to visualize.



Use the "head to tail" geometric description of vector addition:

We see that the vector  $\vec{AB} + \vec{BC} + \vec{CA}$  starts and ends at the point A. Since the

head and tail of this vector are the same, we have  $\vec{AB} + \vec{BC} + \vec{CA} = \vec{0}$ .

**24**  $\vec{l}(t)$  intersects the  $xy$ -plane when the  $z$ -component is 0. This happens when

$$-2+t=0 \Rightarrow t=2.$$

So The line intersects the  $xy$ -plane at

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{l}(2) &= (3+2(2), 7+8(2), -2+2) \\ &= (7, 23, 0)\end{aligned}$$

To find the intersection with the  $xz$ -plane (resp.  $yz$ -plane), set  $y=0$  (resp.  $x=0$ ) and do a similar thing as above.

**26** Every point on the line satisfies:

$$\left. \begin{aligned}x &= 1+2t \\ y &= -1+3t \\ z &= 2+t\end{aligned} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{(switch to parametric)} \\ \text{eqns.} \end{array}$$

Substitute these into the expression:

$$5x - 3y - z - 6 = 0, \text{ and see what happens.}$$

$$5(1+2t) - 3(-1+3t) - (2+t) - 6 = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow 5 + 10t + 3 - 9t - 2 + t - 6 = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (5+3-2-6) + (10-9+1)t = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow 0 = 0$$

Since this is true for all real  $s, t$ , we are done.

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If the lines intersect, then we can find a  $t$ -value and an  $s$ -value s.t.:

$$\left( \underbrace{t+4}_x, \underbrace{4t+5}_y, \underbrace{t-2}_z \right) = \left( \underbrace{2s+3}_x, \underbrace{s+1}_y, \underbrace{2s-3}_z \right).$$

This implies:

- ①  $t+4 = 2s+3$
- ②  $4t+5 = s+1$
- ③  $t-2 = 2s-3$

Using ③:  $t-2 = 2s-3 \Rightarrow t = 2s-1$

plug into ②:  $4t+5 = s+1 \Rightarrow$   
 $4(2s-1)+5 = s+1 \Rightarrow$   
 $8s-4+5 = s+1 \Rightarrow$   
 $7s+1 = 1 \Rightarrow$   
 $s = 0$

plug back into  $t = 2s-1$ , we get  $t = -1$

This shows that the  $y$ -coords and the  $z$ -coords match when  $s=0, t=-1$ .

We plug into ① to see if the  $x$ -coords also match when  $s=0, t=-1$ .

$$t+4 = 2s+3 \Rightarrow$$
$$-1+4 = 2(0)+3 \Rightarrow$$
$$3 = 3 \quad \checkmark$$

Therefore, the lines intersect when  $s=0, t=-1$ .  
The point of intersection is then:

$t=-1$ :

$$(t+4, 4t+5, t-2) = (-1+4, 4(-1)+5, -1-2)$$
$$= (3, 1, -3)$$

§1.2: 4, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 20, 23, 29

Hint: the identities  $\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = \|\vec{u}\| \|\vec{v}\| \cos \theta$

$$\vec{u} \cdot \vec{u} = \|\vec{u}\|^2$$

are crucial!

4 If  $\vec{v} = \frac{\vec{u}}{\|\vec{u}\|}$ , we have:

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} &= \vec{u} \cdot \left( \frac{\vec{u}}{\|\vec{u}\|} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{\|\vec{u}\|} (\vec{u} \cdot \vec{u}) \\ &= \frac{\|\vec{u}\|^2}{\|\vec{u}\|} \\ &= \|\vec{u}\|\end{aligned}$$

Now since  $\vec{u} = \sqrt{3}\vec{i} - 315\vec{j} + 22\vec{k}$   
 $= (\sqrt{3}, -315, 22)$ ,

we have:  $\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = \|\vec{u}\| = \left( (\sqrt{3})^2 + (-315)^2 + (22)^2 \right)^{1/2}$   
 $= \sqrt{9972}$

9  $\vec{u} = (-1, 3, 1)$ ,  $\vec{v} = (-2, -3, -7)$ .

•  $\|\vec{u}\| = \sqrt{(-1)^2 + 3^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{11}$

•  $\|\vec{v}\| = \sqrt{(-2)^2 + (-3)^2 + (-7)^2} = \sqrt{62}$

•  $\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = (-1)(-2) + (3)(-3) + (1)(-7)$   
 $= 2 - 9 - 7$

$= -14$

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$\|\vec{u}\| = \sqrt{14}$

$\|\vec{v}\| = \sqrt{26}$

$\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = -17$

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Recall:  $\vec{u} \perp \vec{v}$  iff  $\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = 0$

We want to find  $b, c$  values for which

$$\begin{cases} \textcircled{1} & (5, b, c) \cdot (1, 2, 3) = 0 \text{ and} \\ \textcircled{2} & (5, b, c) \cdot (1, -2, 1) = 0 \end{cases}$$

From  $\textcircled{1}$ , we get:  $5 + 2b + 3c = 0 \Rightarrow$   
 $2b + 3c = -5$

From  $\textcircled{2}$ :  $5 - 2b + c = 0 \Rightarrow$   
 $-2b + c = -5$

Solve this system of eqns:

Add the equations to get  $4c = -10 \Rightarrow$   
 $c = -\frac{5}{2}$

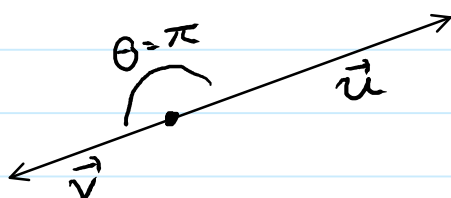
plug back into either eqn to get

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

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Since  $\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = \|\vec{u}\| \|\vec{v}\| \cos(\theta)$  where  $\theta$  is the angle between  $\vec{u}$  and  $\vec{v}$ , and since  $\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = -\|\vec{u}\| \|\vec{v}\|$ , we have:

$$\cos \theta = -1 \Rightarrow \theta = \pi$$



$\vec{u}$  and  $\vec{v}$  point in opposite directions

17 Let's just find the angle between the vectors in #9.

We have (from before)

$$\begin{aligned} \|\vec{u}\| &= \sqrt{11} \\ \|\vec{v}\| &= \sqrt{62} \\ \vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} &= -14 \end{aligned}$$

Using  $\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = \|\vec{u}\| \|\vec{v}\| \cos \theta$ , we see,

$$-14 = (\sqrt{11})(\sqrt{62}) \cos \theta \Rightarrow$$

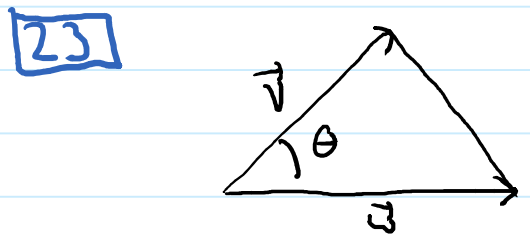
$$\theta = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{-14}{(\sqrt{11})(\sqrt{62})}\right).$$

20 Recall:  $\text{proj}_{\vec{v}}(\vec{u}) = \left(\frac{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}}{\vec{v} \cdot \vec{v}}\right) \vec{v}$ .

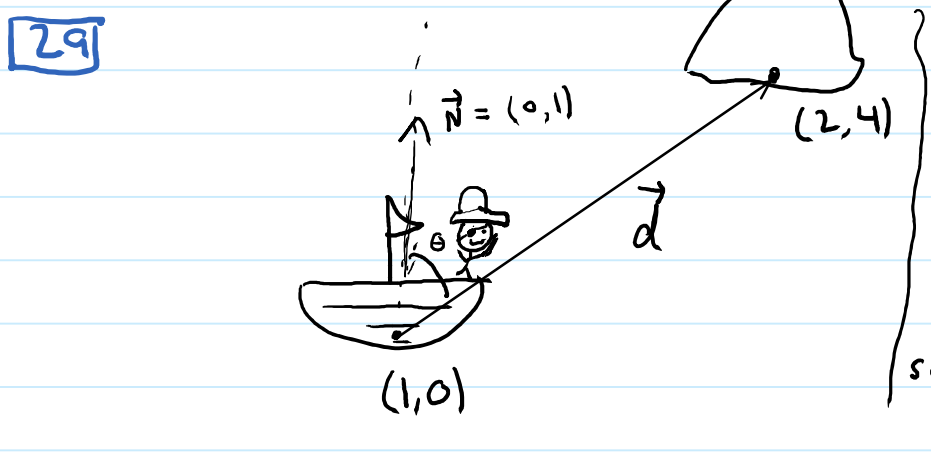
We have:  $\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = -4$   
 $\vec{v} \cdot \vec{v} = 14$ .

$$\Rightarrow \text{proj}_{\vec{v}}(\vec{u}) = \left(\frac{-4}{14}\right) (2, 1, -3)$$

$$= \left(\frac{-4}{7}, \frac{-2}{7}, \frac{6}{7}\right)$$



If the  $\Delta$  is equilateral,  $\theta = 60^\circ$ . Since  $\|\vec{v}\| = \|\vec{u}\| = 1$ , we have  $\vec{v} \cdot \vec{u} = \|\vec{v}\| \|\vec{u}\| \cos \theta = (1)(1) \cos(60^\circ) = \frac{1}{2}$ .



Here,  $\vec{N}$  is a vector pointing north. So let  $\vec{N} = (0,1)$ .  $\vec{d}$  is the vector from  $(1,0)$  to  $(2,4)$ . So  $\vec{d} = (2,4) - (1,0) = (1,4)$ .

To find  $\theta$ , use

$$\vec{n} \cdot \vec{d} = \|\vec{n}\| \|\vec{d}\| \cos \theta \Rightarrow$$

$$4 = (1)(\sqrt{17}) \cos \theta \Rightarrow$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{4}{\sqrt{17}}\right)$$