

Unit 5 Vectors Pretest

① a) $[-3, -6] = -3\hat{i} - 6\hat{j}$

b) $[0, -8] = -8\hat{j}$

c) $[-6, 0] = -6\hat{i}$

② a) $-4\hat{i} = [-4, 0]$

b) $7\hat{i} - 4\hat{j} = [7, -4]$

c) $2\hat{j} = [0, 2]$

③ $\vec{AB} = [4-2, 1-6] = [2, -5]$; $|\vec{AB}| = \sqrt{(2)^2 + (-5)^2} = \sqrt{29}$ units

$\vec{CD} = [0-(-5), 3-2] = [5, 1]$; $|\vec{CD}| = \sqrt{(5)^2 + (1)^2} = \sqrt{26}$ units

$\vec{EF} = [6-6, 2-(-5)] = [0, 7]$; $|\vec{EF}| = \sqrt{(0)^2 + (7)^2} = 7$ units

$\vec{GH} = [-4-(-2), 6-(-3)] = [-2, 9]$; $|\vec{GH}| = \sqrt{(-2)^2 + (9)^2} = \sqrt{85}$ units

④ $x - (-2) = 5$
 $x = 3$

$y - (-7) = -1$
 $y = -8$

$Q(3, -8)$

⑤ a) $\vec{QP} = [-6-(-2), 1-(-1)]$
 $= [-4, 2]$

b) $\vec{RP} = [-6-(-3), 1-4]$

$\vec{RP} = [-3, -3]$

$|\vec{RP}| = \sqrt{(-3)^2 + (-3)^2}$

$|\vec{RP}| = \sqrt{18}$

$|\vec{RP}| = 3\sqrt{2}$ units

c) $|\vec{QP}| = \sqrt{(-4)^2 + (2)^2}$

$= \sqrt{20}$

$= 2\sqrt{5}$

$\vec{RQ} = [-2-(-3), -1-4]$

$= [1, -5]$

$|\vec{RQ}| = \sqrt{(1)^2 + (-5)^2}$

$= \sqrt{26}$

Perimeter = $2\sqrt{5} + \sqrt{26} + 3\sqrt{2}$

≈ 13.8 units

$$\textcircled{6} \quad \vec{u} = [4, -1] \quad \vec{v} = [2, 7]$$

$$\begin{array}{lll} \text{a) } 8\vec{u} = 8[4, -1] & \text{b) } -8\vec{u} = -8[4, -1] & \text{c) } \vec{u} + \vec{v} = [4+2, -1+7] \\ = [32, -8] & = [-32, 8] & = [6, 6] \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{d) } \vec{v} - \vec{u} = [2-4, 7-(-1)] & \text{e) } 5\vec{u} - 3\vec{v} = 5[4, -1] - 3[2, 7] \\ = [-2, 8] & = [20, -5] - [6, 21] \\ & = [20-6, -5-21] \\ & = [14, -26] \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{f) } -4\vec{u} + 7\vec{v} &= -4[4, -1] + 7[2, 7] \\ &= [-16, 4] + [14, 49] \\ &= [-16+14, 4+49] \\ &= [-2, 53] \end{aligned}$$

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Does $\vec{a} = k\vec{b}$?

$$\begin{array}{ll} 6 = k(-9) & -4 = k(6) \\ k = -\frac{2}{3} & k = -\frac{2}{3} \end{array}$$

$$\vec{a} = -\frac{2}{3}\vec{b}$$

$\infty \vec{a}$ and \vec{b} are collinear

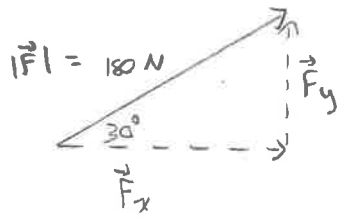
Does $\vec{a} = k\vec{c}$?

$$\begin{array}{ll} 6 = k(-6) & -4 = k(-4) \\ k = -1 & k = 1 \end{array}$$

$$\infty \vec{a} \neq k\vec{c}$$

$\infty \vec{a}$ and \vec{c} are not collinear

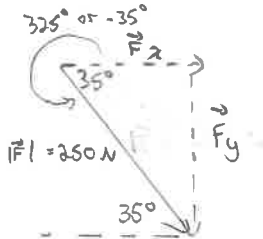
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$$\vec{F} = [180 \cos(30^\circ), 180 \sin(30^\circ)]$$

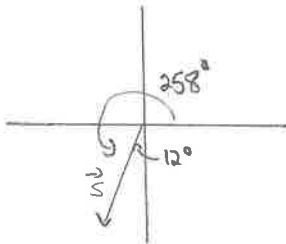
$$= [90\sqrt{3}, 90]$$

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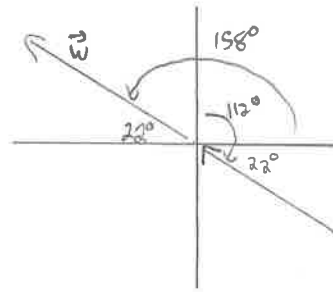
$$\vec{F} = [250 \cos(325^\circ), 250 \sin(325^\circ)]$$

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$$|\vec{s}| = 30$$

$$\vec{s} = [30 \cos(258^\circ), 30 \sin(258^\circ)]$$



$$|\vec{w}| = 14$$

$$\vec{w} = [14 \cos(158^\circ), 14 \sin(158^\circ)]$$

$$\vec{r} = \vec{s} + \vec{w}$$

$$\vec{r} = [30 \cos(258^\circ) + 14 \cos(158^\circ), 30 \sin(258^\circ) + 14 \sin(158^\circ)]$$

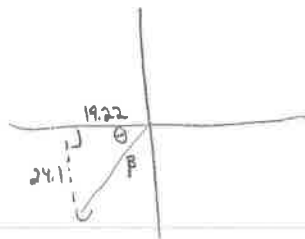
$$\vec{r} \approx [-19.22, -24.01]$$

$$|\vec{r}| \approx 30.8 \text{ km/h}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{-24.01}{-19.22}$$

$$\theta \approx 51.4^\circ$$

$$\beta \approx 38.6^\circ$$



30.8 km/h on a true bearing of 218.6°

$$\textcircled{11} \text{ a) } \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 70(115) \cos(70^\circ) \\ \approx 2753.26$$

$$\text{b) } \vec{c} \cdot \vec{d} = 8(17) \cos(150^\circ) \\ \approx -83.14$$

$$\text{c) } \vec{e} \cdot \vec{f} = 0$$

$$\text{d) } \vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = [2, 4] \cdot [3, -1] \\ = 2(3) + 4(-1) \\ = 2$$

$$\text{e) } \vec{g} \cdot \vec{h} = [9, -3] \cdot [3, -3] \\ = 9(3) + (-3)(-3) \\ = 36$$

$$\text{f) } \vec{x} \cdot \vec{b} = [2, 3] \cdot [9, -7] \\ = 2(9) + 3(-7) \\ = -3$$

$$\textcircled{12} \quad \vec{u} = [3, -5] \quad \vec{v} = [-6, 1] \quad \vec{w} = [4, 7]$$

$$\text{a) } \vec{u} \cdot (\vec{v} + \vec{w}) = [3, -5] \cdot [-6+4, 1+7] \\ = [3, -5] \cdot [-2, 8] \\ = 3(-2) + (-5)(8) \\ = -46$$

$$\text{b) } (\vec{u} + \vec{v}) \cdot (\vec{u} - \vec{v}) \\ = [3+(-6), -5+1] \cdot [3-(-6), -5-1] \\ = [-3, -4] \cdot [9, -6] \\ = -3(9) + (-4)(-6) \\ = -3$$

$$\text{c) } \vec{u} + \vec{v} \cdot \vec{w}$$

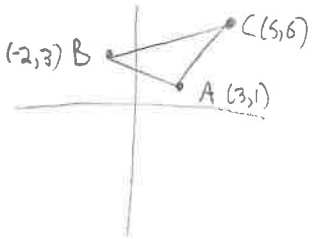
vector + scalar
is not possible
to do.

$$\text{d) } -3\vec{v} \cdot (2\vec{w}) \\ = -3[-6, 1] \cdot 2[4, 7] \\ = [18, -3] \cdot [8, 14] \\ = 18(8) + (-3)(14) \\ = 102$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 e) & (\vec{u} + 2\vec{v}) \cdot (3\vec{w} - \vec{u}) \\
 & = ([3, -5] + 2[-6, 1]) \cdot (3[4, 7] - [3, -5]) \\
 & = [-9, -3] \cdot [9, 26] \\
 & = -9(9) + (-3)(26) \\
 & = -159
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 f) & \vec{v} \cdot \vec{v} + \vec{w} \cdot \vec{w} \\
 & = [-6, 1] \cdot [-6, 1] + [4, 7] \cdot [4, 7] \\
 & = -6(-6) + 1(1) + 4(4) + 7(7) \\
 & = 102
 \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 \vec{AB} & = [-2-3, 3-1] = [-5, 2] \\
 \vec{AC} & = [5-3, 6-1] = [2, 5]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \vec{AB} \cdot \vec{AC} & = [-5, 2] \cdot [2, 5] \\
 & = -5(2) + 2(5) \\
 & = 0
 \end{aligned}$$

- ∴ \vec{AB} and \vec{AC} are perpendicular. ✓
- ∴ $\triangle ABC$ is a RIGHT triangle.
- $\angle A$ is the right angle.

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$$\vec{u} = [9, 2]$$

Let \vec{v} be a perpendicular vector:

$$\vec{v} = [-2, 9]$$

Verify they are perpendicular by checking if $\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = 0$

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} &= [9, 2] \cdot [-2, 9] \\ &= 9(-2) + 2(9) \\ &= 0\end{aligned}$$

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$$\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = 0$$

$$[2, 5] \cdot [k, 4] = 0$$

$$2k + 5(4) = 0$$

$$k = -10$$

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$$\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = 0$$

$$[k, 3] \cdot [k, 2k] = 0$$

$$k(k) + 3(2k) = 0$$

$$k^2 + 6k = 0$$

$$k(k+6) = 0$$

$$k_1 = 0 \quad k_2 = -6$$

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a) $W = \vec{F} \cdot \vec{s}$

$$= [5, 2] \cdot [7, 4]$$

$$= 5(7) + 2(4)$$

$$= 43 \text{ J}$$

b) $W = [100, 400] \cdot [12, 27]$

$$= 100(12) + 400(27)$$

$$= 12000 \text{ J}$$

c) $W = 241 (45.2) \cos(80)$

$$\approx 1891.6 \text{ J}$$

$$(18) a) \cos \theta = \frac{\vec{p} \cdot \vec{q}}{|\vec{p}| |\vec{q}|}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{7(4) + 8(3)}{(\sqrt{7^2 + 8^2})(\sqrt{4^2 + 3^2})}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{52}{(\sqrt{113})(5)}$$

$$\theta \approx 11.94^\circ$$

$$b) \cos \theta = \frac{\vec{t} \cdot \vec{u}}{|\vec{t}| |\vec{u}|}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{-7(6) + 2(11)}{(\sqrt{(-7)^2 + (2)^2})(\sqrt{6^2 + 11^2})}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{-20}{(\sqrt{53})(\sqrt{157})}$$

$$\theta \approx 102.67^\circ$$

$$(19) a) \text{proj}_{\vec{v}} \vec{u} = |\vec{u}| \cos \theta (\hat{v})$$
$$= [56 \cos(125)] (\hat{v})$$
$$\approx -32.12 \hat{v}$$

$$b) \text{proj}_{\vec{v}} \vec{u} = \frac{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}}{\vec{v} \cdot \vec{v}} (\vec{v})$$
$$= \frac{7(9) + 1(-3)}{(9^2 + (-3)^2)} [9, -3]$$
$$= \frac{60}{90} [9, -3]$$
$$= \frac{2}{3} [9, -3]$$
$$= [6, -2]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (20) \quad |\text{proj}_{\vec{b}} \vec{a}| &= \frac{\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}}{|\vec{b}|} \\
 &= \frac{6(11) + (-1)(5)}{\sqrt{11^2 + 5^2}} \\
 &= \frac{61}{\sqrt{146}}
 \end{aligned}$$

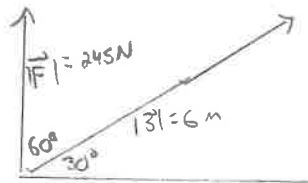
$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{proj}_{\vec{b}} \vec{a} &= |\text{proj}_{\vec{b}} \vec{a}| \left(\frac{\hat{b}}{|\hat{b}|} \right) \\
 &= \frac{61}{\sqrt{146}} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{146}} \right) [11, 5] \\
 &= \frac{61}{146} [11, 5] \\
 &= \left[\frac{671}{146}, \frac{305}{146} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 \vec{W} &= 15(500) \cos(12) \\
 &\approx 7336.11 \text{ J}
 \end{aligned}$$

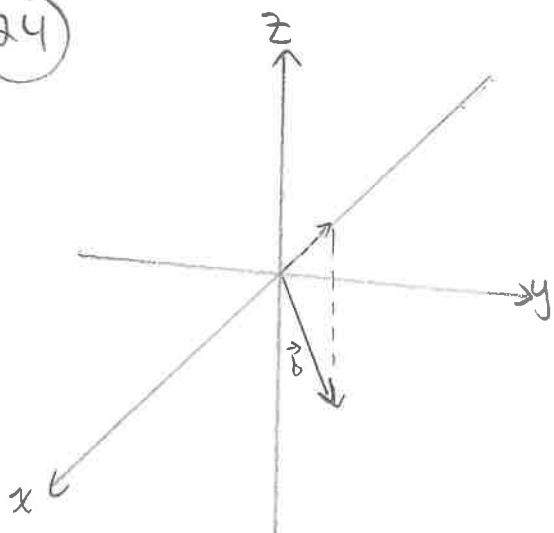
(22)

$$\begin{aligned}
 W &= 3(30) \cos(25^\circ) + 4(30) \cos(5^\circ) + 5(30) \cos(25^\circ) \\
 W &\approx 337.06 \text{ J}
 \end{aligned}$$

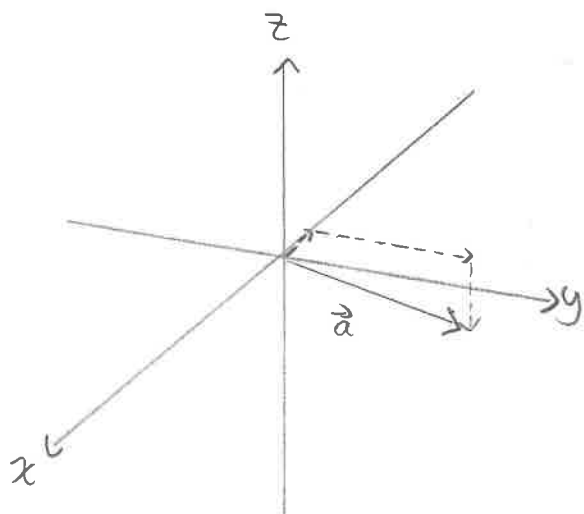


$$\begin{aligned}
 W &= \vec{F} \cdot \vec{S} \\
 &= 245(6) \cos(60^\circ) \\
 &= 735 \text{ J}
 \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} |\vec{b}| &= \sqrt{(-2)^2 + (-4)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{20} \\ &= 2\sqrt{5} \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned} |\vec{a}| &= \sqrt{(-1)^2 + (5)^2 + (-2)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{30} \end{aligned}$$

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check if $\vec{u} = k\vec{v}$

$$x: 6 = k(-12)$$

$$k = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$y: -2 = k(4)$$

$$k = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$z: -5 = k(10)$$

$$k = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$\vec{u} = -\frac{1}{2}\vec{v}$; $\therefore \vec{u}$ and \vec{v} are collinear.

26) Let $\vec{u} = k\vec{v}$; $[a, 3, 6] = k[-8, 12, b]$

$x:$ $a = k(-8)$

$a = \frac{1}{4}(-8)$

$a = -2$

$y:$

$3 = k(12)$

$k = \frac{1}{4}$

$z:$

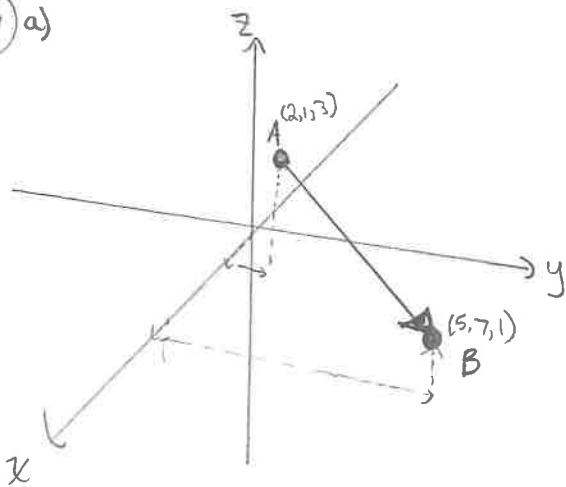
$6 = k(b)$

$6 = \frac{1}{4}(b)$

$24 = b$

$\vec{u} = \frac{1}{4}\vec{v}$. $\therefore [-2, 3, 6]$ is collinear with $[-8, 12, 24]$

27) a)



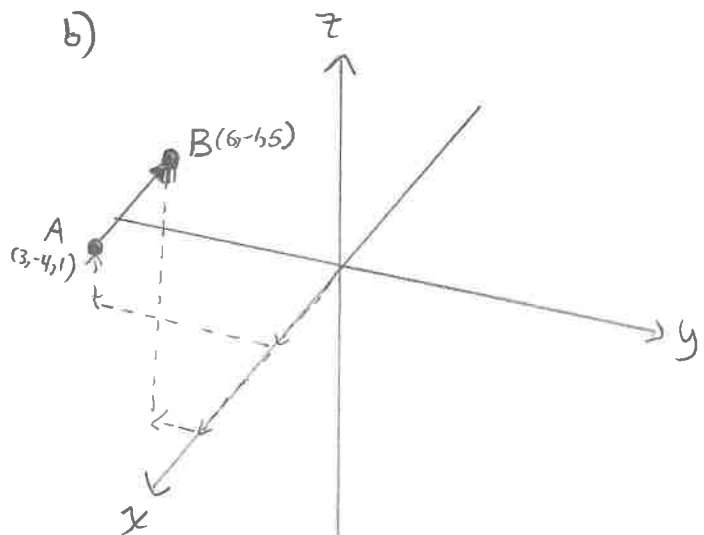
$\vec{AB} = [5-2, 7-1, 1-3]$

$\vec{AB} = [3, 6, -2]$

$|\vec{AB}| = \sqrt{(3)^2 + (6)^2 + (-2)^2}$

$|\vec{AB}| = 7$

b)



$\vec{AB} = [6-3, -1-(-4), 5-1]$

$\vec{AB} = [3, 3, 4]$

$|\vec{AB}| = \sqrt{(3)^2 + (3)^2 + (4)^2}$

$|\vec{AB}| = \sqrt{34}$

$$\textcircled{28} \quad \vec{a} = [-4, 1, 7], \quad \vec{b} = [2, 0, -3], \quad \vec{c} = [1, -1, 5]$$

$$\text{a) } 7\vec{a} = 7[-4, 1, 7] \\ = [-28, 7, 49]$$

$$\text{b) } 3\vec{a} - 2\vec{b} + 4\vec{c} = 3[-4, 1, 7] - 2[2, 0, -3] + 4[1, -1, 5] \\ = [-12, 3, 21] - [4, 0, -6] + [4, -4, 20] \\ = [-12, -1, 47]$$

$$\text{c) } \vec{a} \cdot \vec{c} = [-4, 1, 7] \cdot [1, -1, 5] \\ = -4(1) + 1(-1) + 7(5) \\ = 30$$

$$\text{d) } (\vec{a} + \vec{b}) \cdot (\vec{a} - \vec{b}) \\ = ([-4, 1, 7] + [2, 0, -3]) \cdot ([-4, 1, 7] - [2, 0, -3]) \\ = [-2, 1, 4] \cdot [-6, 1, 10] \\ = -2(-6) + 1(1) + 4(10) \\ = 53$$

$$\textcircled{29} \quad \cos \theta = \frac{\vec{g} \cdot \vec{h}}{|\vec{g}| |\vec{h}|} = \frac{6(-5) + 1(3) + 2(6)}{(\sqrt{6^2 + 1^2 + 2^2})(\sqrt{(-5)^2 + (3)^2 + (6)^2})}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{-15}{(\sqrt{41})(\sqrt{70})}$$

$$\theta \approx 106.26^\circ$$

$\textcircled{30}$ Let \vec{F} be the orthogonal vector.

$$\vec{F} = [0, 4, 1]$$

verify $\vec{e} \cdot \vec{F} = 0$

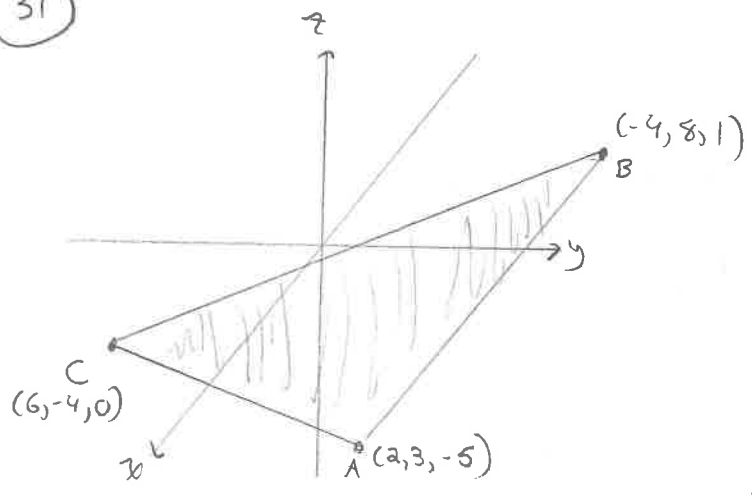
$$[3, -1, 4] \cdot [0, 4, 1] = 0$$

$$3(0) + (-1)(4) + (4)(1) = 0$$

$$0 = 0$$

$\therefore \vec{e}$ and \vec{F} are orthogonal.

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$$\vec{AB} = [-6, 5, 6]$$

$$|\vec{AB}| = \sqrt{97}$$

$$\vec{AC} = [4, -7, 5]$$

$$|\vec{AC}| = \sqrt{90}$$

$$\vec{BC} = [10, -12, -1]$$

$$|\vec{BC}| = \sqrt{245}$$

∴ scalene

check if $a^2 + b^2 = c^2$

$$(\sqrt{97})^2 + (\sqrt{90})^2 = (\sqrt{245})^2$$

$$187 \neq 245$$

∴ not a right angle triangle.

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$$\vec{u} \times \vec{v} = |\vec{u}| |\vec{v}| \sin \theta (\hat{n})$$

$$= (60)(80) \sin(55) (\hat{n})$$

$$\approx 3931.93 \hat{n}$$

OR 3931.93 out of the page.

$$\textcircled{33} \text{ a) } \vec{a} \times \vec{b} = [-2(6) - 9(1), 9(1) - 3(6), 3(1) - (-2)(1)]$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 9 & 3 \\ 6 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= [-21, -9, 5]$$

$$\text{b) } \vec{a} \times \vec{b} = [10(5) - 3(0), 3(2) - (-8)(5), -8(0) - 10(2)]$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 3 & -8 \\ 0 & 5 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= [50, 46, -20]$$

$$\textcircled{34} \text{ a) } \vec{p} \times \vec{q} = [3(5) - 8(3), 8(3) - 6(5), 6(3) - 3(3)]$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 8 & 6 \\ 3 & 5 & 3 \\ 3 & 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= [-9, -6, 9]$$

$$\text{Area} = |\vec{p} \times \vec{q}|$$

$$= \sqrt{(-9)^2 + (-6)^2 + (9)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{198} \text{ units}^2$$

$$= 3\sqrt{22} \text{ units}^2$$

$$\text{b) } \text{Area} = |\vec{u}| |\vec{v}| \sin \theta$$

$$= 43(27) \sin(32)$$

$$\approx 615.2 \text{ units}^2$$

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a)

$$\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} + \vec{c})$$

$$= [2, -6, 3] \times [-1+(-4), 5+5, 8+6]$$

$$= [2, -6, 3] \times [-5, 10, 14]$$

$$= [-6(14) - 3(10), 3(-5) - 2(14), 2(10) - (-6)(-5)]$$

$$= [-114, -43, -10]$$

$$\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} + \vec{c})$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -6 \quad 10 \\ 3 \quad 14 \\ 2 \quad -5 \\ -6 \quad 10 \end{array}$$

b) $\vec{a} \times \vec{b} - \vec{a} \times \vec{c}$

$$= [-6(8) - 3(5), 3(-1) - 2(8), 2(5) - (-6)(-1)]$$

$$- [-6(6) - 3(5), 3(-4) - 2(6), 2(5) - (-6)(-4)]$$

$$= [-63, -19, 4] - [-51, -24, -14]$$

$$= [-12, 5, 18]$$

$$\vec{a} \times \vec{b}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -6 \quad 5 \\ 3 \quad 8 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2 \quad -1 \\ -6 \quad 5 \end{array}$$

$$\vec{a} \times \vec{c}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -6 \quad 5 \\ 3 \quad 6 \end{array}$$

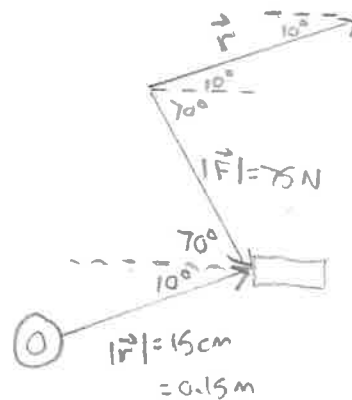
$$\begin{array}{r} 2 \quad -4 \\ -6 \quad 5 \end{array}$$

36 $\tau = \vec{r} \times \vec{F}$

$$|\tau| = |\vec{r}| |\vec{F}| \sin \theta$$

$$= (0.15)(75) \sin(80^\circ)$$

$$\approx 11.08 \text{ J}$$



37) work against gravity:

$$W = [3, 5, 12] \cdot [0, 0, 6]$$

$$W = 3(0) + 5(0) + 12(6)$$

$$W = 72 \text{ J}$$

work in direction of travel:

$$W = [3, 5, 12] \cdot [2, 1, 6]$$

$$= 3(2) + 5(1) + 12(6)$$

$$= 83 \text{ J}$$

38)

$$\begin{aligned} |\text{proj}_{\vec{v}} \vec{u}| &= \frac{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}}{|\vec{v}|} \\ &= \frac{3(6) + 1(2) + 4(7)}{\sqrt{6^2 + 2^2 + 7^2}} \\ &= \frac{48}{\sqrt{89}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{proj}_{\vec{v}} \vec{u} &= |\text{proj}_{\vec{v}} \vec{u}| (\hat{v}) \\ &= \frac{48}{\sqrt{89}} \left(\frac{[6, 2, 7]}{\sqrt{89}} \right) \\ &= \frac{48}{89} [6, 2, 7] \\ &= \left[\frac{288}{89}, \frac{96}{89}, \frac{336}{89} \right] \end{aligned}$$

39)

$$\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} \times \vec{c}$$

$$= [-2, 3, 5] \cdot [0(3) - (-1)(-2), -1(2) - 4(3), 4(-2) - 0(2)]$$

$$= [-2, 3, 5] \cdot [-2, -14, -8]$$

$$= -2(-2) + 3(-14) + 5(-8)$$

$$= -78$$

$$\vec{b} \times \vec{c}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 0 & -2 \\ -1 & \times 3 \\ 4 & \times 2 \\ 0 & \times -2 \end{array}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 V &= | \vec{u} \times \vec{v} \cdot \vec{w} | \\
 &= | [4(6) - 3(5), 3(2) - 1(6), 1(5) - 4(2)] \cdot [1, 2, 7] | \\
 &= | [9, 0, -3] \cdot [1, 2, 7] | \\
 &= | 9(1) + 0(2) + (-3)(7) | \\
 &= | -12 | \\
 &= 12 \text{ units}^3
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \vec{u} & \times & \vec{v} \\
 4 & \times & 5 \\
 3 & \times & 6 \\
 1 & \times & 2 \\
 4 & \times & 5
 \end{array}$$

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$$A = \frac{1}{2} | \vec{AB} \times \vec{AC} |$$

$$\vec{AB} \times \vec{AC} = [7(-1) - (-7)(-1), -7(7) - 9(4), 9(-1) - 7(7)]$$

$$\vec{AB} \times \vec{AC} = [-14, -40, -58]$$

$$A = \frac{1}{2} \left(\sqrt{(-14)^2 + (-40)^2 + (-58)^2} \right)$$

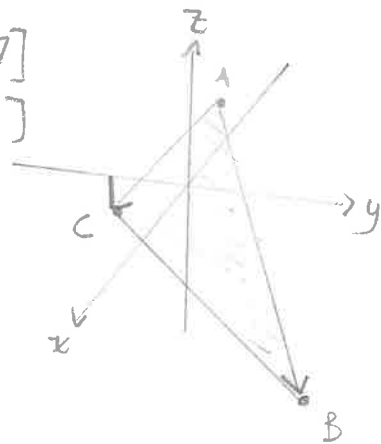
$$A = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{5160}$$

$$A = \frac{1}{2} (2) \sqrt{1290}$$

$$A = \sqrt{1290} \text{ units}^2$$

$$\text{OR } \approx 35.92 \text{ units}^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \vec{AB} &= [9, 7, -7] \\
 \vec{AC} &= [7, -1, -1]
 \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \vec{AB} & \times & \vec{AC} \\
 7 & & -1 \\
 -7 & & -1 \\
 9 & & 7 \\
 7 & & -1
 \end{array}$$