

Q1

MAGNITUDE

$$(k-5)^2 + (2)^2 + (3k+1)^2 = (6\sqrt{k})^2$$

$$k^2 - 10k + 25 + 4 + 9k^2 + 6k + 1 = 36k$$

$$10k^2 - 40k + 30 = 0$$

$$k^2 - 4k + 3 = 0$$

$$(k-1)(k-3)$$

$$k=1 \quad k=3$$

$$B_1 = (1, -2, 3) \quad \text{OR} \quad B_2 = (3, -2, 9)$$

DISTANCE FROM ORIGIN = $\sqrt{14}$

$$|B_1| = \sqrt{1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2} = \sqrt{14} \quad \checkmark$$

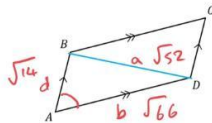
OR

$$|B_2| = \sqrt{3^2 + 2^2 + 9^2} = \sqrt{94} \quad \times$$

$$k=1$$

Q2

In the parallelogram ABCD, AB is parallel to CD, and BC is parallel to AD.

Given that $\vec{AB} = 3\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k}$ and $\vec{AD} = 7\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + 4\mathbf{k}$, find the area of the parallelogram. Give your answer correct to 3 s.f.

$$\text{AREA} = 2 \times \text{ABD} = 2 \times \frac{1}{2} bd \sin A$$

$$A = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{b^2 + d^2 - a^2}{2bd} \right)$$

$$\vec{BD} = 7\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + 4\mathbf{k} - (3\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k})$$

$$4\mathbf{i} + 6\mathbf{k}$$

MAGNITUDE

$$d = |AB| = \sqrt{3^2 + 1^2 + 2^2} = \sqrt{14}$$

$$b = |AD| = \sqrt{7^2 + 1^2 + 4^2} = \sqrt{66}$$

$$a = |BD| = \sqrt{4^2 + 6^2} = \sqrt{52}$$

ANGLE A

$$A = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{14 + 66 - 52}{2\sqrt{14}\sqrt{66}} \right) = 62.576\dots$$

AREA

$$\sqrt{14} \sqrt{66} \sin(62.576\dots)$$

$$= 26.981475\dots$$

$$\text{AREA} = 27.0 \text{ UNITS}^2 \text{ (3sf)}$$

Q3a

The vector $\vec{RS} = x\mathbf{i} - 9\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$ makes an angle θ with the positive x-axis.

(a) Show that $x^2 = \frac{90}{\tan^2 \theta}$.

(b) Given that θ is acute and that $\cos \theta = \frac{4}{5}$, find a unit vector in the direction of \vec{RS} .

$$\cos \theta = \frac{x}{|\vec{RS}|}$$

$$1 - \cos^2 \theta = \sin^2 \theta$$

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a) $|\vec{RS}| = \sqrt{x^2 + 9^2 + 3^2} = \sqrt{x^2 + 90}$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + 90}}$$

$$\cos^2 \theta = \frac{x^2}{x^2 + 90}$$

$$x^2 \cos^2 \theta + 90 \cos^2 \theta = x^2$$

$$90 \cos^2 \theta = x^2 - x^2 \cos^2 \theta$$

$$90 \cos^2 \theta = x^2 (1 - \cos^2 \theta)$$

$$90 \cos^2 \theta = x^2 \sin^2 \theta$$

$$\frac{90 \cos^2 \theta}{\sin^2 \theta} = x^2$$

$$x^2 = \frac{90}{\tan^2 \theta}$$

Q3b

The vector $\vec{RS} = x\mathbf{i} - 9\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$ makes an angle θ with the positive x-axis.

(a) Show that $x^2 = \frac{90}{\tan^2 \theta}$.

(b) Given that θ is acute and that $\cos \theta = \frac{4}{5}$, find a unit vector in the direction of \vec{RS} .

IF θ IS ACUTE, x MUST BE POSITIVE

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

USE TRIG IDENTITIES OR SIMPLE RATIOS TO FIND $\tan \theta$



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b) $\tan \theta = \frac{3}{4}$

From (a) $x^2 = \frac{90}{(\frac{3}{4})^2}$

$$x = \frac{4}{3} \sqrt{90} = 4\sqrt{10}$$

UNIT VECTOR $\frac{\vec{RS}}{|\vec{RS}|}$

$$|\vec{RS}| = \sqrt{(4\sqrt{10})^2 + 9^2 + 3^2} = \sqrt{250} = 5\sqrt{10}$$

$$\frac{1}{5\sqrt{10}} (4\sqrt{10}\mathbf{i} - 9\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k})$$

Q4

ALL EDGES EQUAL $|AB|=|AC|=|BC|=162$

$$\sqrt{9^2+9^2}=\sqrt{162} \text{ OR } \sqrt{4^2+5^2+11^2}=\sqrt{162}$$

$$\vec{AD}=(-2k-1)\underline{i} + 12\underline{j} + (k-1)\underline{k}$$

$$\vec{BD}=(-2k+8)\underline{i} + 3\underline{j} + (k-1)\underline{k}$$

$$\vec{CD}=(-2k+3)\underline{i} + 7\underline{j} + (k+10)\underline{k}$$

$$|AD|^2=(-2k-1)^2 + 12^2 + (k-1)^2 = 162$$

$$4k^2 + 4k + 1 + 144 + k^2 - 2k + 1 = 162$$

$$5k^2 + 2k - 16 = 0$$

$$k = 1.6 \text{ OR } k = -2$$

$$|BD|^2=(-2k+8)^2 + 3^2 + (k-1)^2 = 162$$

$$4k^2 - 32k + 64 + 9 + k^2 - 2k + 1 = 162$$

$$5k^2 - 34k - 88 = 0$$

$$k = 8.8 \text{ OR } k = -2$$

$$|CD|^2=(-2k+3)^2 + 7^2 + (k+10)^2 = 162$$

$$4k^2 - 12k + 9 + 49 + k^2 + 20k + 100 = 162$$

$$5k^2 + 8k - 4 = 0$$

$$k = 0.4 \text{ OR } k = -2$$

$$D = (4, 13, -2)$$

Vectors \mathbf{a} and \mathbf{b} are defined by
 $\mathbf{a} = p\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + 9\mathbf{k}$
 $\mathbf{b} = 6\mathbf{i} + (p-r)\mathbf{j} + (p-3q)\mathbf{k}$
 Given that $\mathbf{a} = 3\mathbf{b}$, and that $r > 0$, find the values of p , q and r .

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$$pq\mathbf{i} = 18\mathbf{i} \quad pq = 18 \quad p = \frac{18}{q} \quad (1)$$

$$-24\mathbf{j} = 3(p-r)\mathbf{j} \quad -8 = p-r$$

$$r = p+8 \quad (2)$$

$$9r\mathbf{k} = 3(p-3q)\mathbf{k} \quad 3r = p-3q \quad (3)$$

SUB (2) INTO (3)

$$3(p+8) = p-3q$$

$$3p+24 = p-3q$$

$$2p+3q = -24$$

SUB INTO (1)

$$\frac{36}{q} + 3q = -24$$

$$36 + 3q^2 = -24q$$

$$3q^2 + 24q + 36 = 0 \quad q = -2 \text{ or } q = -6$$

$$q = -2 \quad p = \frac{18}{-2} = -9 \quad r = -9 + 8 = -1$$

OR

$$q = -6 \quad p = \frac{18}{-6} = -3 \quad r = -3 + 8 = 5$$

$$r > 0 \quad p = -3 \quad q = -6 \quad r = 5$$

Q6a

$$a) \quad F = ma \quad a = \frac{F}{m}$$

$$a = \frac{-3\mathbf{i} + p\mathbf{j} + 4\mathbf{k}}{0.2}$$

$$-15\mathbf{i} + 5p\mathbf{j} + 20\mathbf{k}$$

$$|a|^2 = 15^2 + (5p)^2 + 20^2 = 65^2$$

$$(5p)^2 = 3600$$

$$5p = \pm\sqrt{3600} = \pm 60$$

$$p = \pm\frac{60}{5} = \pm 12$$

$$p = \pm 12$$

Q6b

$$b) \quad 65 \text{ ms}^{-2} > \frac{5\sqrt{221}}{2} \text{ ms}^{-2}$$

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NEW FORCE HAS REDUCED SIZE OF TOTAL FORCE, SO AS $q > 0$ P MUST BE NEGATIVE

$$P = -12$$

RESULTANT VECTOR

$$a = \frac{-3\mathbf{i} + (q-12)\mathbf{j} + 4\mathbf{k}}{0.2}$$

$$a = -15\mathbf{i} + 5(q-12)\mathbf{j} + 20\mathbf{k}$$

$$|a|^2 = 15^2 + (5(q-12))^2 + 20^2 = \left(\frac{5\sqrt{221}}{2}\right)^2$$

$$5(q-12) = \pm \frac{55}{2}$$

$$q-12 = \pm \frac{11}{2}$$

$$q = \pm \frac{11}{2} + 12$$

$$q = 6.5 \quad q = 17.5$$

Q7a

a)

$$F=ma$$

$$F_g = -(750 \times 9.8)k = -7350k$$

$$F_g + T + B + W = \text{RESULTANT FORCE}$$

$$100i - 150j - 60k$$

$$|a| = \frac{\sqrt{100^2 + 150^2 + 60^2}}{750} = \frac{19}{75}$$

$$= 0.2533\bar{3}$$

$$0.253 \text{ m s}^{-2} \text{ (3sf)}$$

Q7b

b) $100\mathbf{i} - 150\mathbf{j} - 60\mathbf{k}$

K IS NEGATIVE SO SUBMARINE IS SINKING

$$\cos \theta_2 = \frac{z_f}{|F|} \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{WILL BE SAME} \\ \text{AS } \frac{z_a}{|a|} \end{array} \right)$$

$$\theta_2 = \cos^{-1} \left(-\frac{60}{\sqrt{100^2 + 150^2 + 60^2}} \right)$$

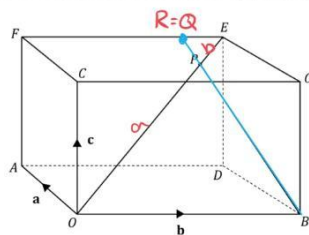
$$= 108.4084\dots$$

$$= 108.4^\circ \text{ 1dp.}$$

SUBMARINE IS SINKING
AT AN ANGLE OF 108.4°

Q8

The diagram below shows a cuboid whose vertices are O, A, B, C, D, E, F and G.



P is a point on the diagonal OE that divides OE in the ratio a : b, where a > b.

Show that if line segment BP is extended it will intersect FE, and show that FE is divided in the ratio (a - b) : b by the point of intersection.

$$\vec{OE} = \underline{a} + \underline{b} + \underline{c} \quad \vec{OP} = \lambda \vec{OE} \quad [11]$$

$$= \lambda \underline{a} + \lambda \underline{b} + \lambda \underline{c}$$

LET Q BE THE POINT ON THE EXTENSION OF \vec{BP}

LET R BE A POINT ON FE

$$\vec{BP} = -\underline{b} + \lambda \vec{OE} = \lambda \underline{a} + (\lambda - 1)\underline{b} + \lambda \underline{c}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{a}{a+b} \quad \frac{1}{2} < \lambda < 1$$

$$\vec{BQ} = m \vec{BP} \quad m > 1$$

$$\vec{OQ} = \underline{b} + m \vec{BP}$$

$$= m\lambda \underline{a} + (m\lambda - m + 1)\underline{b} + m\lambda \underline{c}$$

$$\vec{OR} = \underline{a} + \mu \underline{b} + \underline{c} \quad 0 < \mu < 1$$

IF BP EXTENDS TO INTERSECT FE

$$\vec{OQ} = \vec{OR}$$

$$m\lambda = 1 \quad m\lambda - m + 1 = \mu$$

$$m = \frac{1}{\lambda} \quad 1 - \frac{1}{\lambda} + 1 = \mu$$

$$2 - \frac{a+b}{a} = \mu$$

$$\frac{2a}{a} - \frac{(a+b)}{a} = \mu$$

$$\mu = \frac{a-b}{a}$$

$$\text{IF } m = \frac{a-b}{a} \text{ AND } 0 < \frac{a-b}{a} < 1$$

R IS A POINT ON FE MEANING

BP EXTENDS TO INTERSECT FE

m FRACTION ALONG FE OF POINT R

R DIVIDES FE IN RATIO $m : (1-m)$

$$\frac{a-b}{a} : 1 - \frac{a-b}{a}$$

$$\frac{a-b}{a} : \frac{a}{a} - \frac{a-b}{a}$$

$$\frac{a-b}{a} : \frac{b}{a} \Rightarrow a-b : b$$

BP EXTENDS TO INTERSECT FE IN
THE RATIO $a-b : b$