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$P_1(1, 2, 4)$ and $P_2(-2, 1, 4)$ and $P_3(-5, 0, 4)$
are colinear

$$\overline{P_1P_2} = \overrightarrow{OP_2} - \overrightarrow{OP_1} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \left. \vphantom{\begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}} \right\} \times 2$$

$$\overline{P_1P_3} = \overrightarrow{OP_3} - \overrightarrow{OP_1} = \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\overline{P_1P_4}$ is colinear

Since $\overline{P_1P_2} = \frac{1}{2} \overline{P_1P_3}$ or $\overline{P_1P_3} = 2 \overline{P_1P_2}$
then they are colinear

$\overline{P_1P_4} = K \overline{P_1P_2}$, for some $K \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\overline{P_1P_4} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \\ \overrightarrow{OP_4} - \overrightarrow{OP_1}$$

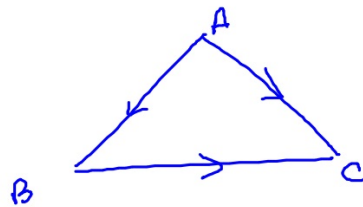
$$\text{now } \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2-4 \end{pmatrix} = K \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{X-comp. } 1 = -3K \Rightarrow K = -\frac{1}{3} \\ 2-4 = -\frac{1}{3}(-1) = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$6. \vec{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ y \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}, \vec{BC} = \begin{pmatrix} 2x \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } \vec{AC} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ x+y \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} x = \\ y = \\ z = \end{array}$$

$$\vec{AB} + \vec{BC} - \vec{AC} = \vec{0}$$

$$\vec{AB} + \vec{BC} = \vec{AC}$$



$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ y \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 2x \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ x+y \end{pmatrix} = \vec{0}$$

$$1 + 2x - 1 = 0$$

$$2x = 0$$

$$x = 0$$

$$1 + 2x = 1$$

$$2x = 0$$

$$x = 0$$

$$y - 3 - 4 = 0$$

$$y = 7$$

$$-2 + 2 - (0 + 7) = 0$$

$$-2 + z - 7 = 0$$

$$z = 9$$

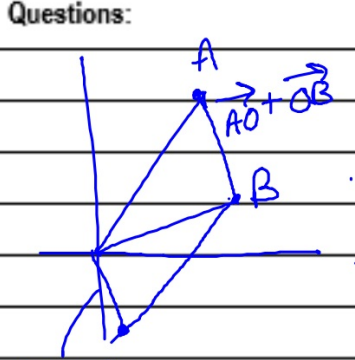
Cornell Notes



Topic/Objective: Distance between points in space - and unit vectors

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Essential Question: How do we find distance using vectors?
 How do we describe vectors using the unit vector?



Notes: DISTANCE BETWEEN TWO POINTS IN SPACE?
 TO FIND THE DISTANCE BETWEEN
 $A = (x_1, y_1, z_1)$ and $B = (x_2, y_2, z_2)$
 $\vec{AB} = \vec{AO} + \vec{OB} = \vec{OB} - \vec{OA} = b - a$
 $= (x_2 - x_1)\mathbf{i} + (y_2 - y_1)\mathbf{j} + (z_2 - z_1)\mathbf{k}$
 and the Distance

$\vec{OB} - \vec{OA}$

$$AB = |\vec{AB}| = \sqrt{(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2 + (z_2 - z_1)^2}$$

Ex. Find the vector \vec{AB} from $A(-1, 5, 1)$ and $B(4, 5, -1)$ and hence determine the distance between A and B

$$\vec{AB} = (4 - (-1))\mathbf{i} + (5 - 5)\mathbf{j} + (-1 - 1)\mathbf{k} = 5\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{k} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|\vec{AB}| = \sqrt{(5)^2 + (0)^2 + (-2)^2} = \sqrt{29}$$

Questions:

Notes: Ex) Given that $a = xi + 6j - 2k$ and $|a| = 3x$
find the two possible values of x

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ 4 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|a| = \sqrt{(x)^2 + (6)^2 + (-2)^2}$$
$$(3x)^2 = \sqrt{(x)^2 + (6)^2 + (-2)^2}$$

$$9x^2 = x^2 + 36 + 4$$

$$9x^2 = x^2 + 40$$

$$9x^2 - x^2 - 40 = 0$$

$$8x^2 - 40 = 0$$

$$8(x^2 - 5) = 0$$

$$8 \neq 0 \quad x^2 - 5 = 0$$

$$x^2 = 5$$

$$x = \pm\sqrt{5}$$

$$\frac{8x^2}{8} = \frac{40}{8}$$

$$x^2 = 5$$

$$x = \pm\sqrt{5}$$

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