

Resultant It is the result of adding two or more vectors together.

Example: Find the **Resultant** for the vector force where $\vec{F}_1 = 100\mathbf{i} + 150\mathbf{j} + 200\mathbf{k}$ and $\vec{F}_2 = 50\mathbf{i} - 30\mathbf{j} + 50\mathbf{k}$

$$\vec{F}_1 + \vec{F}_2 = (100\mathbf{i} + 150\mathbf{j} + 200\mathbf{k}) + (\vec{F}_2 = 50\mathbf{i} - 30\mathbf{j} + 50\mathbf{k}) \Rightarrow \vec{F}_1 + \vec{F}_2 = 150\mathbf{i} + 120\mathbf{j} + 250\mathbf{k}$$

Dot Product: it is symbolized as ($\text{dot} \xrightarrow{\text{or}} \bullet$)

The dot product of any two vectors $\vec{A} = x_1\mathbf{i} + y_1\mathbf{j} + z_1\mathbf{k}$ and $\vec{B} = x_2\mathbf{i} + y_2\mathbf{j} + z_2\mathbf{k}$ is scalar quantity:

$$\vec{A}(\text{dot})\vec{B} \xrightarrow{\text{or}} \vec{A} \cdot \vec{B} \xrightarrow{\text{Scalar}} C = x_1x_2 + y_1y_2 + z_1z_2$$

Example: if $\vec{A} = 2\mathbf{i} + 7\mathbf{j} + 4\mathbf{k}$ and $\vec{B} = 3\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + 5\mathbf{k}$ find $A(\text{dot}) B$:

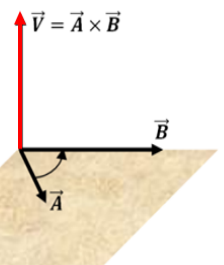
$$\begin{aligned} \vec{A} &= 2\mathbf{i} + 7\mathbf{j} + 4\mathbf{k} \\ \vec{B} &= 3\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + 5\mathbf{k} \end{aligned} \quad A(\text{dot}) B \xrightarrow{\text{or}} A \cdot B = (2)(3) + (7)(-1) + (4)(5) \Rightarrow A \cdot B = 6 - 7 + 20 \Rightarrow A \cdot B = 19$$

Cross Product: it is symbolized as ($\text{cross} \xrightarrow{\text{or}} \times$)

The cross product of any two vectors $\vec{A} = x_1\mathbf{i} + y_1\mathbf{j} + z_1\mathbf{k}$ and $\vec{B} = x_2\mathbf{i} + y_2\mathbf{j} + z_2\mathbf{k}$ is vector quantity:

$$\vec{A} \text{ cross } \vec{B} \xrightarrow{\text{or}} \vec{A} \times \vec{B} \xrightarrow{\text{Vector}} \vec{V} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ x_1 & y_1 & z_1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & z_2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{V} = (y_1z_2 - y_2z_1)\mathbf{i} - (x_1z_2 - x_2z_1)\mathbf{j} + (x_1y_2 - x_2y_1)\mathbf{k} \quad \xrightarrow{\text{This Result that Vector}} \vec{V} \perp \vec{A} \text{ \& } \vec{V} \perp \vec{B}$$



Example: if $\vec{A} = 2\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + 4\mathbf{k}$ and $\vec{B} = 3\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + 5\mathbf{k}$ find $\vec{A} \times \vec{B}$ and $\vec{B} \times \vec{A}$:

$$\vec{A} \times \vec{B} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 3 & -1 & 5 \end{vmatrix} \Rightarrow \vec{A} \times \vec{B} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} & \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} \\ 2 & 1 & 4 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & -1 & 5 & 3 & -1 \end{vmatrix} \Rightarrow \vec{A} \times \vec{B} = (5\mathbf{i} + 12\mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k}) - (3\mathbf{k} - 4\mathbf{i} + 10\mathbf{j})$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{A} \times \vec{B} = 9\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} - 5\mathbf{k}$$

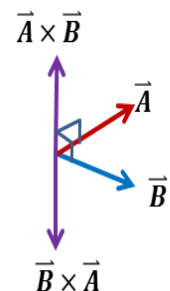
$$\vec{B} \times \vec{A} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ 3 & -1 & 5 \\ 2 & 1 & 4 \end{vmatrix} \Rightarrow \vec{B} \times \vec{A} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} & \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} \\ 3 & -1 & 5 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 & 4 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \Rightarrow \vec{B} \times \vec{A} = (-4\mathbf{i} + 10\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}) - (-2\mathbf{k} + 5\mathbf{i} + 12\mathbf{j})$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{B} \times \vec{A} = -9\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + 5\mathbf{k}$$

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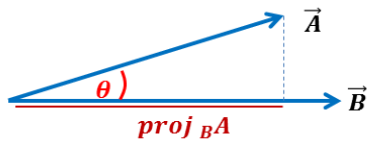
Note that $\vec{B} \times \vec{A} = -(\vec{A} \times \vec{B})$



Angle between two vectors: The angle between any two vectors such as \vec{A} and \vec{B} can be finding by using the following formulas:

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B}}{|\vec{A}| |\vec{B}|} \Rightarrow \theta = \cos^{-1} \frac{\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B}}{|\vec{A}| |\vec{B}|} \quad \text{or by} \quad \sin \theta = \frac{|\vec{A} \times \vec{B}|}{|\vec{A}| |\vec{B}|} \Rightarrow \theta = \sin^{-1} \frac{|\vec{A} \times \vec{B}|}{|\vec{A}| |\vec{B}|}$$

Projection: the vector projection of \vec{A} onto \vec{B} is: $\text{proj}_{\vec{B}} \vec{A} = \left(\frac{\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B}}{|\vec{B}|} \right) \frac{\vec{B}}{|\vec{B}|}$ is vector projection of \vec{A} onto \vec{B}



$\text{proj}_{\vec{B}} \vec{A} = \frac{\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B}}{|\vec{B}|}$ is scalar component of \vec{A} in the direction of \vec{B}

Example: if $\vec{A} = 3\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$ and $\vec{B} = 2\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$ find The angle between \vec{A} and \vec{B} and projection of \vec{A} onto \vec{B}

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \frac{\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B}}{|\vec{A}| |\vec{B}|} \Rightarrow \cos^{-1} \frac{6 + 2 + 2}{\sqrt{9 + 1 + 4} \sqrt{4 + 4 + 1}} \Rightarrow \theta = \cos^{-1} \frac{10}{\sqrt{126}} \Rightarrow \theta = 27.02^\circ$$

$$\text{proj}_{\vec{B}} \vec{A} = \left(\frac{\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B}}{|\vec{B}|} \right) \frac{\vec{B}}{|\vec{B}|} \Rightarrow \left(\frac{6 + 2 + 2}{\sqrt{4 + 4 + 1}} \right) \frac{2\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}}{\sqrt{4 + 4 + 1}} \Rightarrow \frac{10}{9} (2\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k})$$

Note: at Dot Product $\vec{i} \cdot \vec{i} = 1$, $\vec{j} \cdot \vec{j} = 1$, $\vec{k} \cdot \vec{k} = 1$ while $\vec{i} \cdot \vec{j} = 0$, $\vec{j} \cdot \vec{k} = 0$, $\vec{k} \cdot \vec{i} = 0$

Note: at cross Product $\vec{i} \times \vec{j} = \vec{k}$, $\vec{j} \times \vec{k} = \vec{i}$, $\vec{k} \times \vec{i} = \vec{j}$ while $\vec{i} \times \vec{i} = 0$, $\vec{j} \times \vec{j} = 0$, $\vec{k} \times \vec{k} = 0$

Note: the cross product of any two vector result in a vector perpendicular to them such as:

$$\text{if } \vec{V}_1 \times \vec{V}_2 = \vec{V} \Rightarrow \vec{V} \perp \vec{V}_1 \text{ and } \vec{V} \perp \vec{V}_2$$

Note: if $\vec{V}_1 \cdot \vec{V}_2 = 0$ this means that $\vec{V}_1 \perp \vec{V}_2$ (the two vectors are orthogonal)

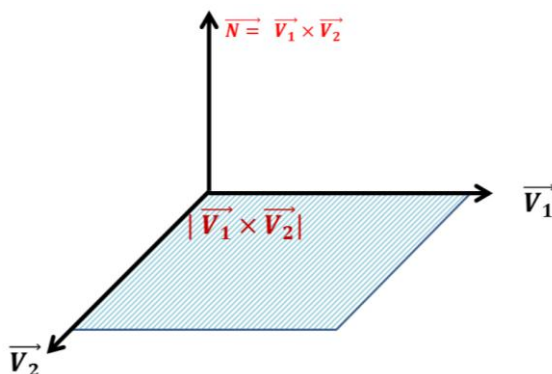
Note: if $\vec{V}_1 \times \vec{V}_2 = 0$ this means that $\vec{V}_1 \parallel \vec{V}_2$ (the two vectors are parallel)

Note: Area of a Parallelogram between any two vectors \vec{V}_1 and \vec{V}_2 is $|\vec{V}_1 \times \vec{V}_2|$

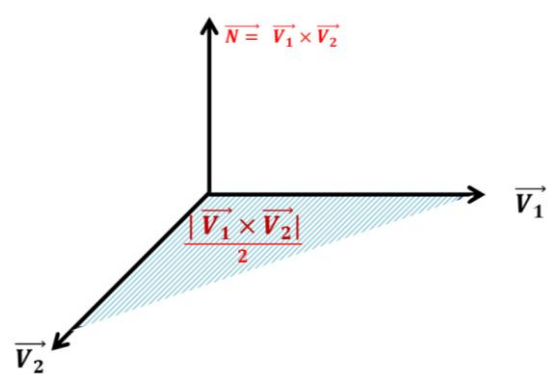
Note: Area of triangle between any two vectors \vec{V}_1 and \vec{V}_2 is $|\vec{V}_1 \times \vec{V}_2|/2$

Note: The angle between any two vectors \vec{V}_1 and \vec{V}_2 is $\cos \theta = \frac{\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B}}{|\vec{A}| |\vec{B}|} \Rightarrow \theta = \cos^{-1} \frac{\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B}}{|\vec{A}| |\vec{B}|}$

Note: projection of \vec{A} onto \vec{B} is $\text{proj}_{\vec{B}} \vec{A} = \left(\frac{\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B}}{|\vec{B}|} \right) \frac{\vec{B}}{|\vec{B}|}$ is vector projection



Area of parallelogram between two vectors



Area of Triangle between two vectors

Let $q(1, 4, 3), p(5, 2, 1)$. Find	
Vector between two points \overrightarrow{qp}	$\overrightarrow{qp} = (5-1)i + (2-4)j + (1-3)k \Rightarrow \overrightarrow{qp} = 4i - 2j - 2k$
Length (magnitude) distance	$\Rightarrow \overrightarrow{qp} = \sqrt{4^2 + 2^2 + 2^2} \Rightarrow \overrightarrow{qp} = \sqrt{32} \text{ unit length}$
Let $\vec{A} = 4i - 2j + k$ and $\vec{B} = 3i + j + 2k$. Find	
Unit vectors of \vec{A} & \vec{B}	$\Rightarrow u_A = \frac{\vec{A}}{ \vec{A} } = \frac{4i - 2j + k}{\sqrt{4^2 + 2^2 + 1^2}}, u_B = \frac{\vec{B}}{ \vec{B} } = \frac{3i + j + 2k}{\sqrt{3^2 + 1^2 + 2^2}}$
Dot product $(\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B})$	$\Rightarrow \vec{A} \text{ dot } \vec{B} = (4i - 2j + k) \cdot (3i + j + 2k) \Rightarrow \vec{A} \cdot \vec{B} = 12 - 2 + 2 \Rightarrow \vec{A} \cdot \vec{B} = 12$
Cross product $(\vec{A} \times \vec{B})$	$\Rightarrow \vec{A} \times \vec{B} = \begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ 4 & -2 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} i & j \\ 4 & -2 \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} i & j \\ 3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \Rightarrow \vec{A} \times \vec{B} = (-4i + 3j + 4k) - (-6k + i + 8j) \Rightarrow \vec{A} \times \vec{B} = -5i - 5j + 10k$
Perpendicular Vectors on \vec{A} & \vec{B} (Normal Vector \vec{N})	$\vec{N} = \vec{A} \times \vec{B} = \dots \dots \dots \Rightarrow \vec{N} = \vec{A} \times \vec{B} = -5i - 5j + 10k$
Test the Vectors \vec{A} & \vec{B} is Parallel or orthogonal or not	$\Rightarrow \vec{A} \cdot \vec{B} = \dots \dots \dots \Rightarrow \vec{A} \times \vec{B} = \dots \dots \dots$
Angle between two vectors	$\cos \theta = \frac{\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B}}{ \vec{A} \vec{B} }$
Area of parallelogram & Area of triangle	$\Rightarrow \vec{A} \times \vec{B} = -5i - 5j + 10k$
Projection $\text{proj}_{\vec{B}} \vec{A}$	$\text{proj}_{\vec{B}} \vec{A} = \left(\frac{\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B}}{ \vec{B} ^2} \right) \vec{B}$

H.W:1 $A(6, -7, -1), B(2, -3, 1), C(4, -5, 0)$ are three point: Find

- 1) The vectors $\overrightarrow{AB}, \overrightarrow{BC}, \overrightarrow{CA}$.
- 2) The unit vectors of $\overrightarrow{AB}, \overrightarrow{BC}, \overrightarrow{CA}$
- 3) $\overrightarrow{AB} \text{ dot } \overrightarrow{BC}$, and $\overrightarrow{CA} \times \overrightarrow{BC}$
- 4) The angles between \overrightarrow{AB} and \overrightarrow{BC} , \overrightarrow{CA} and \overrightarrow{BC}
- 5) The projection \overrightarrow{AB} on to \overrightarrow{BC} as a scalar
- 6) The projection \overrightarrow{CA} on to \overrightarrow{BC} as a Vector

H.W:2 $\vec{A} = 3i - j - 2k, \vec{B} = -6i + 2j + 4k, \vec{C} = -4i + 2j$: Find

- 1) The unit vectors of $\vec{A}, \vec{B}, \vec{C}$
- 2) $\vec{A} \times \vec{B}, \vec{A} \times \vec{C}, \vec{B} \times \vec{C}$
- 3) $\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B}, \vec{A} \cdot \vec{C}, \vec{B} \cdot \vec{C}$
- 4) The angles between \vec{A} and \vec{B} , \vec{B} and \vec{C}
- 5) The projection \vec{A} on to \vec{B} as a scalar
- 6) Find the area of Parallelogram and area of triangle between \vec{A} and \vec{B} . ,

Examples:

Ex. (1): Find the angle between $\mathbf{A} = 2\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}$ and $\mathbf{B} = 6\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}$?

Solution:

$$\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B} = AB \cos \theta, \quad A = |\mathbf{A}| = \sqrt{(2)^2 + (2)^2 + (-1)^2} = 3$$

$$B = |\mathbf{B}| = \sqrt{(6)^2 + (-3)^2 + (2)^2} = 7$$

$$\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B} = (2)(6) + (2)(-3) + (-1)(2) = 4,$$

$$\text{Then } \cos \theta = \frac{\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B}}{AB} = \frac{4}{(3)(7)} = 0.1905, \quad \therefore \theta \approx 79^\circ$$

Example 1: Find the angle between the two vectors $2\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$, and $5\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$.

Solution:

The two given vectors are:

$$\vec{a} = 2\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}, \text{ and } \vec{b} = 5\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$$

$$|\mathbf{a}| = \sqrt{2^2 + 3^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{4 + 9 + 1} = \sqrt{14}$$

$$|\mathbf{b}| = \sqrt{5^2 + (-2)^2 + 3^2} = \sqrt{25 + 4 + 9} = \sqrt{38}$$

Using the dot product we have $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 2.(5) + 3.(-2) + 1.(3) = 10 - 6 + 3 = 7$

$$\cos\theta = \frac{\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}}{|\mathbf{a}| \cdot |\mathbf{b}|}$$

$$= \frac{7}{\sqrt{14} \cdot \sqrt{38}}$$

$$= \frac{7}{2 \cdot \sqrt{7 \times 19}}$$

$$= \frac{7}{2\sqrt{133}}$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \frac{7}{2\sqrt{133}}$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} 0.304 = 72.3^\circ$$

Answer: Therefore the angle between the vectors is 72.3°

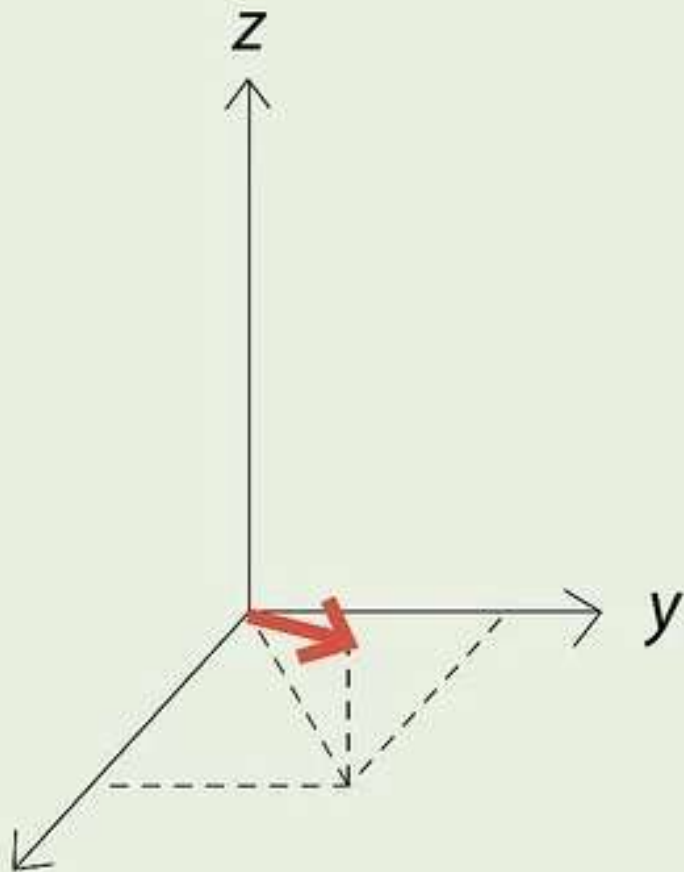
Example 2: Find the cross product of two vectors $\vec{a} = (3,4,5)$ and $\vec{b} = (7,8,9)$

Solution:

The cross product is given as,

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{a} \times \vec{b} &= \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= [(4 \times 9) - (5 \times 8)] \hat{i} - [(3 \times 9) - (5 \times 7)] \hat{j} + [(3 \times 8) - (4 \times 7)] \hat{k} \\ &= (36 - 40) \hat{i} - (27 - 35) \hat{j} + (24 - 28) \hat{k} = -4 \hat{i} + 8 \hat{j} - 4 \hat{k} \end{aligned}$$

Answer: Therefore, $\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = -4 \hat{i} + 8 \hat{j} - 4 \hat{k}$



$$\mathbf{a} = 2\hat{\mathbf{i}} + 2\hat{\mathbf{j}} + 1\hat{\mathbf{k}}$$
$$\hat{\mathbf{a}} = ?$$

$$|\mathbf{a}| = \sqrt{2^2 + 2^2 + 1^2}$$
$$= \sqrt{9} = 3$$

$$\hat{\mathbf{a}} = \frac{2\hat{\mathbf{i}}}{3} + \frac{2\hat{\mathbf{j}}}{3} + \frac{1\hat{\mathbf{k}}}{3}$$