

EXERCISES [MAI 3.9-3.11]
VECTORS – DOT PRODUCT
SOLUTIONS
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A. Paper 1 questions (SHORT)

1. (a)

$\overline{AC} = b$	true
$\overline{DE} = b$	false
$\overline{ED} = a$	false

$\overline{BC} = a$	true
$\overline{BC} = b$	false
$ \overline{BC} = b $	true

$\overline{BD} = 3a$	true
$\overline{CD} = 2b$	false
$\overline{CD} = 2a$	true

(b)

$\overline{OC} = a + b$
$\overline{OD} = 3a + b$
$\overline{AD} = 2a + b$
$\overline{BA} = a - b$

$\overline{AB} = b - a$
$\overline{CE} = 2a - b$
$\overline{BE} = 3a - b$
$\overline{EC} = -2a + b$

2. (a) $\overline{CD} = \overline{OD} - \overline{OC}$

(b) $\overline{OA} = \frac{1}{2}\overline{CD} = \frac{1}{2}(\overline{OD} - \overline{OC})$

(c) $\overline{AD} = \overline{OD} - \overline{OA} = \overline{OD} - \frac{1}{2}(\overline{OD} - \overline{OC}) = \frac{1}{2}\overline{OD} + \frac{1}{2}\overline{OC}$

3. (a) $\overline{OG} = 5i + 5j + 5k$

(b) $\overline{BD} = -5i + 5k$

(c) $\overline{EB} = 5i + 5j - 5k$

4.

magnitude of a	$ a = \sqrt{5^2 + 12^2} = 13$
magnitude of b	$ b = \sqrt{1^2 + 2^2} = \sqrt{5}$
unit vector corresponding to a	$\hat{a} = \frac{1}{13} \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 12 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5/13 \\ 12/13 \end{pmatrix}$
unit vector corresponding to b	$\hat{b} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1/\sqrt{5} \\ 2/\sqrt{5} \end{pmatrix}$
$a + b$	$\begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 14 \end{pmatrix}$
$a - b$	$\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 10 \end{pmatrix}$
$2a$	$\begin{pmatrix} 10 \\ 24 \end{pmatrix}$
$a - 2b$	$\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$
$ a - 2b $	$\sqrt{73}$
a vector c parallel to a of magnitude 39	$c = 3a = \begin{pmatrix} 15 \\ 36 \end{pmatrix}$

5.

magnitude of \mathbf{a}	$ \mathbf{a} = \sqrt{2^2 + 1^2 + 2^2} = 3$
magnitude of \mathbf{b}	$ \mathbf{b} = \sqrt{1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{3}$
unit vector corresponding to \mathbf{a}	$\hat{\mathbf{a}} = \frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2/3 \\ 1/3 \\ 2/3 \end{pmatrix}$
unit vector corresponding to \mathbf{b}	$\hat{\mathbf{b}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \end{pmatrix}$
$\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$
$\mathbf{a} + 2\mathbf{b}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$
$ \mathbf{a} + 2\mathbf{b} $	$\sqrt{4^2 + 3^2 + 4^2} = \sqrt{41}$
a vector \mathbf{c} parallel to \mathbf{a} of magnitude 6	$\mathbf{c} = 2\mathbf{a} = 2 \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$

6. $\mathbf{u} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$ $\mathbf{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$

Then $a \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ b-2 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow 4a=8$ and $3a=b-2$

Whence $a=2$ $b=8$

7. (a) $\vec{u} = -\vec{i} + 2\vec{j}$ $\vec{v} = 3\vec{i} + 5\vec{j}$ $\vec{u} + 2\vec{v} = 5\vec{i} + 12\vec{j}$

(b) $|\vec{u} + 2\vec{v}| = \sqrt{5^2 + 12^2} = 13$

Vector $\vec{w} = \frac{26}{13}(5\vec{i} + 12\vec{j}) = 10\vec{i} + 24\vec{j}$

8. (a) (i) $\mathbf{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ (ii) $\mathbf{AC} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 6 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ (iii) $\mathbf{AB} + \mathbf{AC} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

(b) $\mathbf{OC} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 7 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$

(c) (i) $|\mathbf{AB}| = \sqrt{11}$ (ii) the same i.e. $\sqrt{11}$

(d) D(1,8,2)

9.

$\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = 0$
$\mathbf{a}^2 = (5)(5) = 25$
$\mathbf{b}^2 = (5)(5) = 25$
$\overrightarrow{OE} \cdot \overrightarrow{AC} = 0$
$\overrightarrow{OA} \cdot \overrightarrow{AE} = (5)(10)(\cos 0^\circ) = 50$
$\overrightarrow{OA} \cdot \overrightarrow{OC} = (5)(5\sqrt{2})(\cos 45^\circ) = 25$

10.

$\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}$	$= 5 + 24 = 29$
\mathbf{a}^2	$= 25 + 144 = 169$
\mathbf{b}^2	$= 1 + 4 = 5$
cosine of angle θ between \mathbf{a} and \mathbf{b}	$\cos \theta = \frac{29}{13\sqrt{5}}$

11. (a) $\mathbf{c} \cdot \mathbf{d} = 3 \times 5 + 4 \times (-12) = -33$

(b) $\mathbf{c} + \mathbf{d} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ -8 \end{pmatrix}$

(c) $|\mathbf{c}| + |\mathbf{d}| = 5 + 13 = 18$

12. $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = (3 \times -2) + (4 \times 1) = -2$

magnitudes $\left| \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \right| = \sqrt{25} (= 5)$, $\left| \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right| = \sqrt{5}$

$\cos \theta = \frac{-2}{\sqrt{125}}$

13. $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ -8 \end{pmatrix} = 6 - 16 = -10$

$\left| \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \right| = \sqrt{1^2 + 2^2} = \sqrt{5}$, $\left| \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ -8 \end{pmatrix} \right| = \sqrt{6^2 + 8^2} = \sqrt{100} = 10$

$\cos \theta = \frac{-10}{10\sqrt{5}} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$

$\theta \approx 117^\circ$

14. $\cos \theta = \frac{\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}}{|\mathbf{a}||\mathbf{b}|} = \frac{-4 + 14}{\sqrt{20}\sqrt{50}} = \frac{10}{10\sqrt{10}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} (= 0.3162)$

$\theta = 72^\circ$ (to the nearest degree)

15. (a) $\begin{pmatrix} 60 \\ 25 \end{pmatrix} \bullet \begin{pmatrix} -30 \\ 40 \end{pmatrix} = 60 \times (-30) + 25 \times 40 = -800$
- (b) (i) $d = \sqrt{90^2 + 15^2} = \sqrt{8325} = 15\sqrt{37} \quad (\cong 91.2)$
- (ii) $\cos \theta = \frac{-800}{\sqrt{60^2 + 25^2} \sqrt{(-30)^2 + 40^2}} = -0.246\dots$
- $\theta = 104.25\dots^\circ$ (or $255.75\dots^\circ$)
She turns through 104° (or 256°)
- Note:** Accept answers in radians ie 1.82 or 4.46.

16. $\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{w} = 2 + 3 + 2 = 7$
 $|\mathbf{v}| = \sqrt{6} \quad |\mathbf{w}| = \sqrt{14}$
- $\cos \theta = \frac{\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{w}}{|\mathbf{v}| |\mathbf{w}|} = \frac{7}{\sqrt{6} \sqrt{14}} \Rightarrow \theta = 0.702$ radians.

17. (a) $\cos \hat{P}OQ = \frac{\vec{OP} \cdot \vec{OQ}}{|\vec{OP}| |\vec{OQ}|} = \frac{-6}{\sqrt{14} \sqrt{24}} \left(= -\frac{6}{\sqrt{336}} \right)$
- $\hat{P}OQ = 109^\circ$ (1.90 radians)
- (b) **METHOD 1**
area $\Delta POQ = \frac{1}{2} |\vec{PO}| |\vec{OQ}| \sin \hat{P}OQ = 8.66$
- METHOD 2 (using the cross product)**
area $\Delta POQ = \frac{1}{2} |\vec{OP} \times \vec{OQ}| = \frac{1}{2} |10\mathbf{i} + 10\mathbf{j} + 10\mathbf{k}| = \sqrt{75} \quad (= 5\sqrt{3})$

18. (a) $\vec{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \quad \vec{AC} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$
- $\vec{AB} \cdot \vec{AC} = 4(-3) + 3(1) = -9$
- (b) $|\vec{AB}| = 5 \quad |\vec{AC}| = \sqrt{10}$
- $\cos \hat{B}AC = \frac{-9}{5\sqrt{10}} = -0.569$ (3 s.f)

19. (a) $\vec{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \vec{AC} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$
- $\vec{AB} \cdot \vec{AC} = 4(-3) + 3(1) - 1(1) = -10$
- (b) $|\vec{AB}| = \sqrt{26} \quad |\vec{AC}| = \sqrt{11}$
- $\cos \hat{B}AC = \frac{-10}{\sqrt{26} \sqrt{11}} = -0.591$ (to 3 s.f)

20. (a) (i) $\vec{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$ (ii) $\vec{AC} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$
- (b) (i) $\vec{AB} \bullet \vec{AC} = (-2)(3) + (-3)(-2) = 0$
- (ii) scalar product 0 \Rightarrow perpendicular, $\theta = 90^\circ$

21. (a) $\overrightarrow{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\overrightarrow{AC} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 6 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$, $\overrightarrow{AB} \cdot \overrightarrow{AC} = 0$

(b) $\angle BAC = 90^\circ$

(c) $|\overrightarrow{AB}| = \sqrt{11}$ $|\overrightarrow{AC}| = \sqrt{40} = 2\sqrt{10}$

area of ABC $\sqrt{110}$

22. (a) $\overrightarrow{OB} = \begin{pmatrix} 10 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$ $\overrightarrow{AC} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$

(b) $\overrightarrow{OB} \cdot \overrightarrow{AC} = (10 \times (-3)) + (5 \times 6) = 0$ hence Angle $= 90^\circ$

23. (a) $\begin{pmatrix} 2x \\ x-3 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} x+1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow 2x(x+1) + (x-3)(5) = 0 \Rightarrow 2x^2 + 7x - 15 = 0$

(b) $x = \frac{3}{2}$ or $x = -5$

24. (a) $\begin{pmatrix} 6-3a \\ -10 \\ 2b-24 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -10 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow a = 1, b = 10$

(b) \mathbf{u} is a multiple of \mathbf{v} $\frac{a}{3} = \frac{4}{1} = \frac{8}{b} \Rightarrow a = 12, b = 2$

(c) $\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v} = 0 \Rightarrow 3a + 4 + 8b = 0$

$|\mathbf{u}| = \sqrt{9+1+b^2} = \sqrt{14} \Rightarrow b^2 = 4$

If $b = 2, a = -20/3$ [rejected]

If $b = -2, a = 4$

Hence $a = 4$ and $b = -2$

25. (a) $\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v} = 8 + 3 + p$

$8 + 3 + p = 0 \Rightarrow p = -11$

(b) $|\mathbf{u}| = \sqrt{2^2 + 3^2 + (-1)^2} = \sqrt{14}, 3.74$

$q\sqrt{14} = 14 \Rightarrow q = \sqrt{14} (=3.74)$

26. $\mathbf{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{w} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{v} + p\mathbf{w} = \begin{pmatrix} 3+p \\ 4+2p \\ 1-3p \end{pmatrix}$

$\begin{pmatrix} 3+p \\ 4+2p \\ 1-3p \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow 1(3+p) + 2(4+2p) - 3(1-3p) = 0$

$3+p+8+4p-3+9p=0 \Rightarrow 14p+8=0 \Rightarrow p = \left(-\frac{8}{14}\right)$

$$27. \quad 2\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b} = 2 \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -1 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -1 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ y \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow 10 - y - 12 = 0 \Rightarrow y = -2$$

$$28. \quad \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = 3$$

$$\mathbf{s} = 3 \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ \lambda \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \mu \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 9 + \mu \\ 1 \\ 3\lambda + 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{s} \cdot \mathbf{a} = 0 \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 9 + \mu \\ 1 \\ 3\lambda + 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

$$18 + 2\mu + 3 - 3\lambda - 1 = 0 \Leftrightarrow 20 + 2\mu = 3\lambda \Leftrightarrow \lambda = \frac{20 + 2\mu}{3}$$

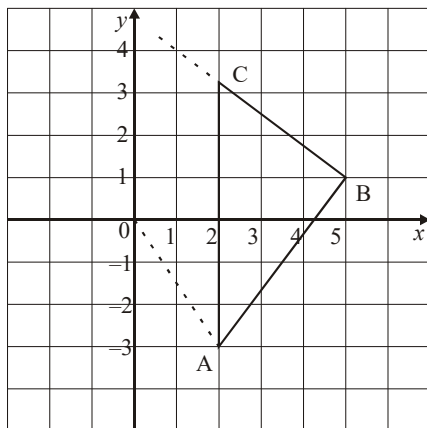
$$29. \quad \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \\ m \end{pmatrix} = 7 + 3m$$

$$|\mathbf{a}| = \sqrt{14} \quad |\mathbf{b}| = \sqrt{13 + m^2}$$

$$\cos 30^\circ = \frac{7 + 3m}{\sqrt{14}\sqrt{13 + m^2}}$$

$$m = 2.27, m = 25.7$$

30. (a)



(b) $\overrightarrow{OC} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3.25 \end{pmatrix}$

31. $\mathbf{a} = \begin{pmatrix} 12 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$

(a) $|\mathbf{a}| = \sqrt{12^2 + 5^2} = 13$

(b) $|\mathbf{b}| = \sqrt{6^2 + 8^2} = 10$

\Rightarrow unit vector in direction of $\mathbf{b} = \frac{1}{10} \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.6 \\ 0.8 \end{pmatrix}$

(c) $\cos \theta = \frac{12(6) + 5(8)}{13(10)} = \frac{112}{130} = \frac{56}{65}$

(d) **METHOD A**

$$\cos \theta = \frac{|OC|}{|OA|} = \frac{|OC|}{|\mathbf{a}|} \Rightarrow |OC| = |\mathbf{a}| \cos \theta$$

$$\text{Hence } \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = |\mathbf{a}||\mathbf{b}| \cos \theta = |\mathbf{b}||OC|$$

METHOD B

$$\cos \theta = \frac{|OC|}{|OA|} = \frac{|OC|}{13} \Rightarrow \frac{56}{65} = \frac{|OC|}{13} \Rightarrow |OC| = 11.2$$

$$\mathbf{LHS} = \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = 12 \times 6 + 5 \times 8 = 112$$

$$\mathbf{RHS} = |\mathbf{b}||OC| = 10 \times 11.2 = 112$$

B. Paper 2 questions (LONG)

32. (a) (i) $\vec{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$ (ii) $\vec{AD} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ k-5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$

(b) scalar product = 0 $\Rightarrow 4 - 4(k-5) + 4 = 0 \Rightarrow -4k + 28 = 0 \Rightarrow k = 7$

(c) $\vec{AD} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$ $\vec{BC} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$

$\vec{OC} - \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \vec{OC} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

(d) **METHOD 1**

$\vec{BA} \cdot \vec{BC} = -2(1) + 4(1) + 2(-1) = 0$

$\cos \hat{ABC} = 0$

METHOD 2

\vec{BC} parallel to \vec{AD} (may show this on a diagram with points labelled)

$\vec{BC} \perp \vec{AB}$ (may show this on a diagram with points labelled)

$\hat{ABC} = 90^\circ$

$\cos \hat{ABC} = 0$

33. (a) (i) $\vec{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 4 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \vec{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ (ii) $\vec{AD} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

(iii) $\vec{AC} = \vec{AB} + \vec{AD} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 5 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$

(b) There are several ways: e.g. $\vec{OC} = \vec{OA} + \vec{AC}$, $\vec{OC} = \vec{OB} + \vec{AD}$, or using $AB = DC$

coordinates of C are (7, 7, 6)

(c) (i) $\vec{AB} \cdot \vec{AD} = 5(1) + 2(3) + 1(2) = 13$

(ii) $\cos A = \frac{\vec{AB} \cdot \vec{AD}}{|\vec{AB}| |\vec{AD}|} = \frac{13}{20.493...} \Rightarrow \hat{A} = 0.884 (50.6^\circ)$

(d) **METHOD 1**

area = $2 \left(\frac{1}{2} |\vec{AD}| |\vec{AB}| \sin \hat{DAB} \right)$ area = $2 \left(\frac{1}{2} (3.741...) (5.477...) \sin 0.883... \right)$

area = 15.8

METHOD 2

Using cross product $\vec{AB} \times \vec{AD} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -9 \\ 13 \end{pmatrix}$,

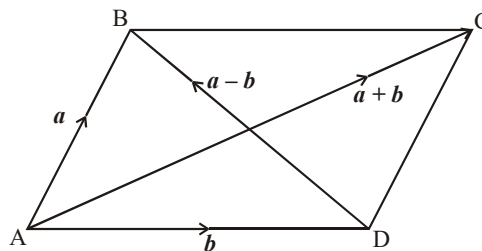
Area = $|\vec{AB} \times \vec{AD}| = \sqrt{1^2 + 9^2 + 13^2} = \sqrt{251} \cong 15.8$

34. (a) $\overrightarrow{OR} = \overrightarrow{PQ} = \begin{pmatrix} 10 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$
- (b) $|\overrightarrow{PO}| = \sqrt{(-7)^2 + (-3)^2} = \sqrt{58}$, $|\overrightarrow{PQ}| = \sqrt{3^2 + (-2)^2} = \sqrt{13}$
 $\overrightarrow{PO} \cdot \overrightarrow{PQ} = -21 + 6 = -15$
 $\cos \hat{OPQ} = \frac{-15}{\sqrt{58}\sqrt{13}} = \frac{-15}{\sqrt{754}}$
- (c) (i) Since $\hat{OPQ} + \hat{PQR} = 180^\circ$
- (ii) $\sin \hat{PQR} = \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{15}{\sqrt{754}}\right)^2} = \sqrt{\frac{529}{754}} = \frac{23}{\sqrt{754}}$
- (iii) Area of OPQR = 2 (area of triangle PQR)
 $= 2 \times \frac{1}{2} |\overrightarrow{PQ}| \times |\overrightarrow{QR}| \times \sin \hat{PQR}$
 $= 2 \times \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{13} \sqrt{58} \frac{23}{\sqrt{754}} = 23 \text{ sq units.}$
35. (a) (i) $\overrightarrow{AB} = \overrightarrow{OB} - \overrightarrow{OA} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$
- (ii) $|\overrightarrow{AB}| = \sqrt{25 + 1} = \sqrt{26}$ (= 5.10 to 3 sf)
- (b) $\overrightarrow{AD} = \overrightarrow{OD} - \overrightarrow{OA} = \begin{pmatrix} d \\ 23 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} d-2 \\ 25 \end{pmatrix}$
- (c) (i) $\hat{BAD} = 90^\circ \Rightarrow \overrightarrow{AB} \cdot \overrightarrow{AD} = 0 \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} d-2 \\ 25 \end{pmatrix} = 0$
 $-5d + 10 + 25 = 0 \Rightarrow d = 7$
- (ii) $\overrightarrow{OD} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 23 \end{pmatrix}$
- (d) $\overrightarrow{AD} = \overrightarrow{BC}$
 $\overrightarrow{BC} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 25 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \overrightarrow{OC} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 24 \end{pmatrix}$
- (e) $|\overrightarrow{AD}|$ (or $|\overrightarrow{BC}|$) = $\sqrt{5^2 + 25^2} = \sqrt{650}$
Area = $\sqrt{26} \times \sqrt{650} = 130$
36. (a) $|\overrightarrow{OA}| = 6$, $|\overrightarrow{OB}| = 6$, $|\overrightarrow{OC}| = \left| \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ \sqrt{11} \end{pmatrix} \right| = \sqrt{25 + 11} = 6 \Rightarrow$
A, B, C are on the circle.
- (b) $\overrightarrow{AC} = \overrightarrow{OC} - \overrightarrow{OA} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ \sqrt{11} \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ \sqrt{11} \end{pmatrix}$
- (c) $\cos \hat{OAC} = \frac{\overrightarrow{AO} \cdot \overrightarrow{AC}}{|\overrightarrow{AO}| |\overrightarrow{AC}|} = \frac{\begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ \sqrt{11} \end{pmatrix}}{6\sqrt{1+11}} = \frac{6}{6\sqrt{12}} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}$
- (d) A number of possible methods here. The quickest method is:
 $\triangle ABC$ has base $AB = 12$ and height = $\sqrt{11}$
 $\Rightarrow \text{area} = \frac{1}{2} \times 12 \times \sqrt{11} = 6\sqrt{11}$

37. (a) $|a| = |b| \Leftrightarrow |a|^2 = |b|^2$
 $\Leftrightarrow a^2 = b^2$
 $\Leftrightarrow a^2 - b^2 = 0$
 $\Leftrightarrow (a+b) \cdot (a-b) = 0$
 $\Leftrightarrow a+b \perp a-b$

(b) $|a+b| = |a-b| \Leftrightarrow |a+b|^2 = |a-b|^2$
 $\Leftrightarrow (a+b)^2 = (a-b)^2$
 $\Leftrightarrow a^2 + 2a \cdot b + b^2 = a^2 - 2a \cdot b + b^2$
 $\Leftrightarrow 4a \cdot b = 0 \Leftrightarrow a \cdot b = 0$
 $\Leftrightarrow a \perp b$

(c)



- (i) a parallelogram is a rhombus if and only if the diagonals are equal
(ii) a parallelogram is a rectangle if and only if the diagonals bisect each other
(iii) a parallelogram is a square if and only if the diagonals are equal and bisect each other

38. (a) $AH = 5$ cm, $HC = 3\sqrt{5}$ cm, $AC = 2\sqrt{13}$ cm

$$\cos \hat{AHC} = \frac{AH^2 + CH^2 - AC^2}{2(AH)(CH)} = \frac{25 + 45 - 52}{30\sqrt{5}}$$

i.e. $\hat{AHC} = 74.4^\circ$ (to the nearest one-tenth of a degree)

(b) $A(0,0,0)$, $H(0,4,3)$, $C(6,4,0)$

$$\overrightarrow{HA} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -4 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}, \overrightarrow{HC} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 0 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\cos \hat{AHC} = \frac{9}{5\sqrt{45}} \Rightarrow \hat{AHC} = 74.4^\circ$$

39. (a) $\overrightarrow{AB} = b - a$, $\overrightarrow{BC} = c - b$, $\overrightarrow{CA} = a - c$

(b) $\overrightarrow{OA} \perp \overrightarrow{BC} \Rightarrow a \cdot (c - b) = 0 \Rightarrow a \cdot c - a \cdot b = 0 \Rightarrow a \cdot c = a \cdot b$

$$\overrightarrow{OB} \perp \overrightarrow{CA} \Rightarrow b \cdot (a - c) = 0 \Rightarrow b \cdot a - b \cdot c = 0 \Rightarrow b \cdot a = b \cdot c$$

Therefore,

$$b \cdot c = a \cdot c \Rightarrow b \cdot c - a \cdot c = 0 \Rightarrow (b - a) \cdot c = 0$$

$\Rightarrow \overrightarrow{OC}$ is perpendicular to \overrightarrow{AB}