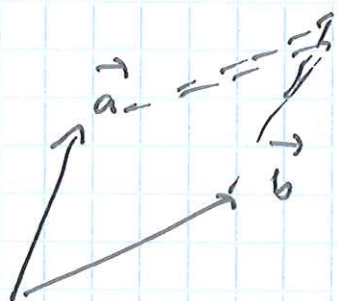


Cross Product / Lines and Planes 8/31/2018

(1)



$|\vec{a} \times \vec{b}| = \text{Area of parallelogram spanned by } \vec{a}, \vec{b}$

$$\vec{PQ} = \langle 2, 3, 1 \rangle$$

$$\vec{PS} = \langle 4, 2, 5 \rangle$$

$$\vec{PQ} \times \vec{PS} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 4 & 2 & 5 \end{vmatrix}$$

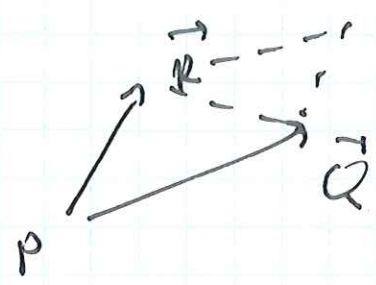
$$= \hat{i} \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 5 \end{vmatrix} - \hat{j} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 5 \end{vmatrix} + \hat{k} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 13\hat{i} - 6\hat{j} + 8\hat{k}$$

$$|\vec{PQ} \times \vec{PS}| = \sqrt{13^2 + 6^2 + 8^2}$$

$$\vec{PR} = \langle 3, 2, 4 \rangle$$

$$\vec{PQ} = \langle -3, 1, 2 \rangle$$



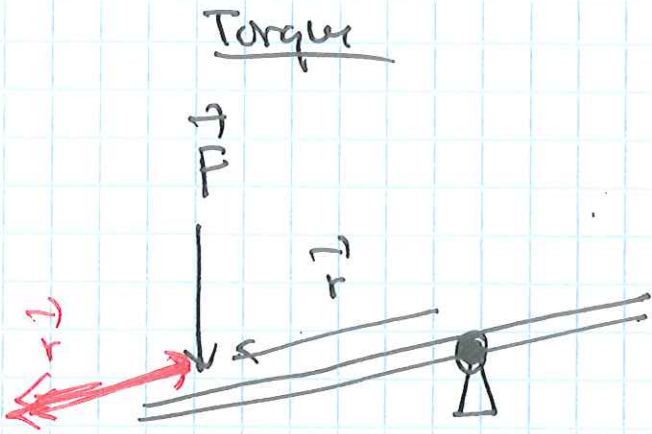
$$a \cdot (b \times c) = \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ b_1 & b_2 & b_3 \\ c_1 & c_2 & c_3 \end{vmatrix}$$

For parallelepiped:

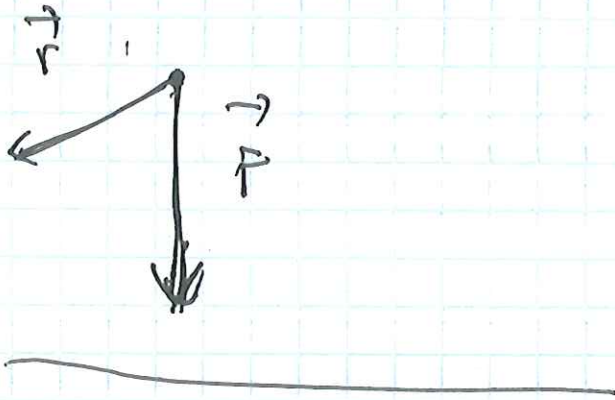
$$\vec{PQ} \cdot (\vec{PR} \times \vec{PS}) = \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 2 & 2 \\ 3 & 3 & -1 \\ 5 & 5 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 4 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 5 & 1 \end{vmatrix} - 2 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 5 & 1 \end{vmatrix} + 2 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 3 \\ 5 & 5 \end{vmatrix}$$

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



$$P_0 = (x_0, y_0, z_0)$$

$$\vec{r}_0 = \langle x_0, y_0, z_0 \rangle$$

$$\vec{v} = \langle a, b, c \rangle$$

$$\vec{r}(t) = \langle \cancel{a}, \cancel{b}, \cancel{c} \rangle \langle x_0, y_0, z_0 \rangle + t \langle a, b, c \rangle$$

$$\langle x(t), y(t), z(t) \rangle = \langle x_0 + ta, y_0 + tb, z_0 + tc \rangle$$

$$1) \quad (x_0, y_0, z_0) = (\underline{1}, \underline{2}, \underline{-1})$$

$$\vec{v} = \vec{PQ} = \langle \underline{1}, \underline{1}, \underline{5} \rangle$$

$$x(t) = \underline{1} + \underline{1}t$$

$$y(t) = \underline{2} + \underline{1}t$$

$$z(t) = \underline{-1} + \underline{5}t$$

so e.g. at $t=1$

$$x(1) = 2$$

$$y(1) = 3$$

$$z(1) = 4$$

$$t=2: \quad x(t) = 3$$

$$y(t) = 4$$

$$z(t) = 9$$

2) Point on the line $(1, 2, 3)$

Vector along the line: $\langle 2, -3, 4 \rangle$

$$x(t) = 1 + 2t$$

$$y(t) = 2 - 3t$$

$$z(t) = 3 + 4t$$

~~$$x(t) = x_0 + at$$~~

$$x(t) = x_0 + at$$

$$y(t) = y_0 + bt$$

$$z(t) = z_0 + ct$$

$$x - x_0 = at$$

$$y - y_0 = bt$$

$$z - z_0 = ct$$

$$\frac{x - x_0}{a} = t$$

$$\frac{y - y_0}{b} = t$$

$$\frac{z - z_0}{c} = t$$

1) Point on the line: $(0, 0, 0)$

Vector along the line: $\langle 4, 3, -1 \rangle$
a b c

Parametric Eqns:

$$x(t) = 0 + 4t$$

$$y(t) = 0 + 3t$$

$$z(t) = 0 + -1t$$

Symmetric Eqns:

$$\frac{x-0}{4} = \frac{y-0}{3} = \frac{z-\cancel{0}}{-1}$$

$$\frac{x}{4} = \frac{y}{3} = -(z)$$

2) Point: $(2, 1, 0)$

Vector: $\begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \hat{i} - \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \hat{j} + \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \hat{k}$

$$= \hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}$$

$$= \langle 1, -1, 1 \rangle$$

to x_0, y_0, z_0
Point $(2, 1, 0)$

vector $\langle 1, -1, 1 \rangle$
a b c

Parametric:

$$x(t) = 2 + 1t$$

$$y(t) = 1 + -1t$$

$$z(t) = 0 + 1t$$

Symmetric:

$$\frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y-1}{-1} = \frac{z-0}{1}$$

$\begin{matrix} \leftarrow x_0 & & \leftarrow y_0 & & \leftarrow z_0 \\ \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \uparrow \\ c & & b & & c \end{matrix}$

Plane thru $(0, 0, 0) = (x_0, y_0, z_0)$

$$\vec{n} = \langle -1, 2, 5 \rangle$$
$$(a, b, c)$$

$$-1(x-0) + 2(y-0) + 5(z-0) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -x + 2y + 5z = 0$$