

MCV4U, Unit 3, Test 6, (5 pages)

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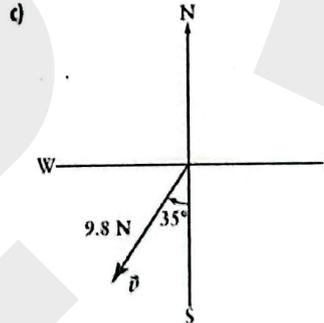
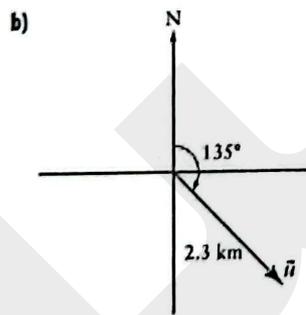
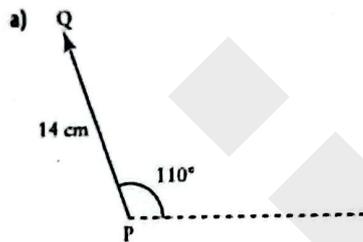
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Knowledge & understanding	Communication	Thinking	Application
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Knowledge & Understanding

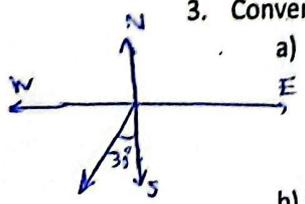
1. For which of the following situations would a vector or scalar be a suitable mathematical model? (3)
- A boy is walking at 5 km/h. *Scalar*
 - A man's height is 180. *Scalar*
 - a parachutist falling at 20 km/h downward. *Vector*
 - acceleration due to gravity on Earth of 9.8 m/s² downward. *Vector*
 - the number 5. *Scalar*
 - a child pulling a wagon with a force of 100 N at 30° to the horizontal. *Vector*

2. Describe each vector in words. (3)



the horizontal
a 14 cm at 110° from
direction)
b 2.3 km at 135° (Northwest
c 9.8 N at 35° south of
vertical.

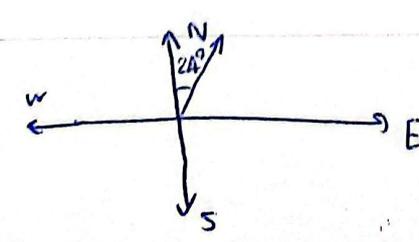
3. Convert each true bearing to its equivalent quadrant bearing. (3)



a) 210 degrees *S 30° W*

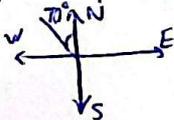
b) 024 degrees *N 24° E*

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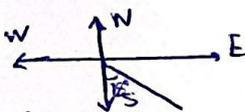


4. Convert each quadrant bearing to its equivalent true bearing. (2)

a) N 70° W
bearing of 290°

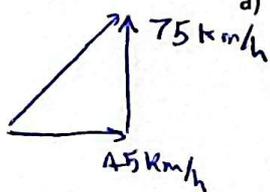


b) S 18° E
bearing of 162°



5. Determine the resultant of each vector sum. (4)

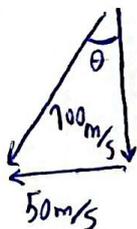
a) 45 km/h vertically and then 75 km/h horizontally



$$\sqrt{45^2 + 75^2} = \sqrt{7650} = 15\sqrt{34}$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{75}{45}\right) = \tan^{-1}(1.66) = 30.96 \text{ above the horizontal}$$

b) 100 m/s south and then 50 m/s west



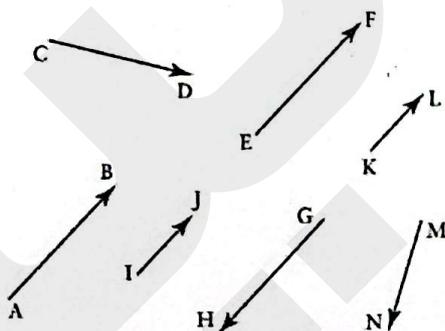
$$\sqrt{100^2 + 50^2} = \sqrt{12500} = 50\sqrt{5}$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{50}{100}\right) = 26.57^\circ \text{ from the negative y-axis,}$$

Communication

1. Identify

(4)



a) Which vectors are parallel to vector AB?

$\vec{IJ}, \vec{EF}, \vec{GH}$

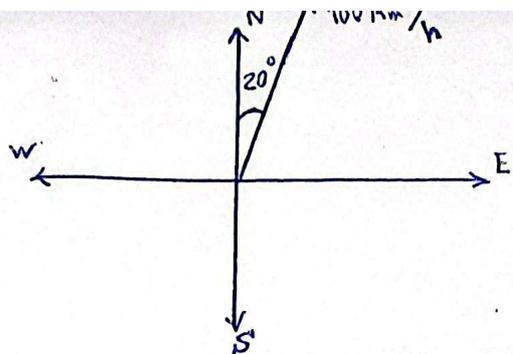
b) Which vectors are equivalent to vector AB?

\vec{EF}

c) Which vectors are opposite to vector AB?

\vec{GH}

a)

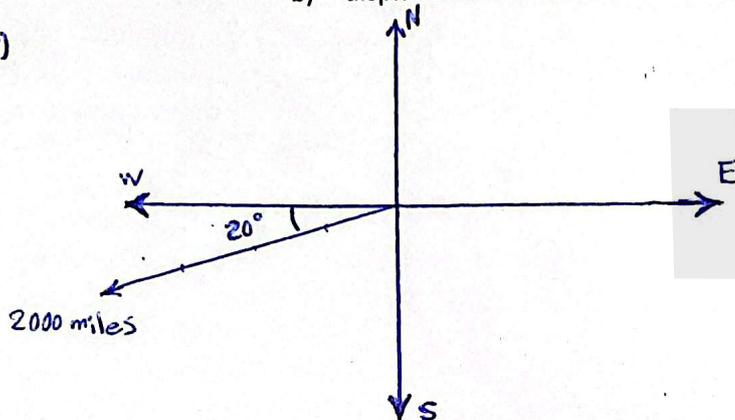


Scale: 1cm = 40 km/h

2. Use an appropriate scale to draw each vector. Label the magnitude, direction, and scale. (4)

- a) velocity of 100 km/h at a quadrant bearing of S20°E
- b) displacement of 2000 miles on a bearing of 250°

b)



Scale: 1cm = 500 miles

3. In hexagon ABCDEF, opposite sides are parallel and equal, and $\vec{FC} = 2\vec{AB}$ (4)

Let $\vec{AB} = \vec{u}$ and $\vec{FA} = \vec{v}$ Express the given vectors in terms of Vectors \vec{u} and \vec{v}



- a) \vec{CF}
- b) \vec{FB}
- c) \vec{FD}
- d) \vec{CA}

a) $\vec{CF} = -\vec{FC} = -2\vec{AB} = -2\vec{u}$

b) $\vec{FB} = \vec{FA} + \vec{AB} = \vec{v} + \vec{u}$

c) $\vec{FD} = \vec{FC} - \vec{DC} = \vec{FC} - (\vec{FA}) = 2\vec{AB} - \vec{FA} = 2\vec{u} - \vec{v}$

d) $\vec{CA} = \vec{CF} + \vec{FA} = (-\vec{FC}) + \vec{FA} = -2\vec{AB} + \vec{FA} = -2\vec{u} + \vec{v}$

4. The tread on a car's tires is worn down. Which is the most likely cause: distance, speed, displacement, or velocity? Explain. (3)

Distance is the main cause of tire wear because it represents the total motion of the tires over time. Other factors are not the main factor.

$$a) F_{total} = \frac{F_{horizontal}}{\cos(30)} = \frac{85}{\cos(30)} = \frac{85}{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}} = 98.15 \text{ N}$$

Thinking & Application (Questions 1-3 are of 6 marks each, question 4 is of 12 marks.)

1. Anna-Maria is pulling a wagon loaded with paving stones with a total mass of 100 kg. She is applying a force on the handle at an angle of 30° with the ground. The horizontal force on the handle is 85 N.

- a) Find the total force on the handle *Answer is in above*
 b) Find the vertical component of the force on the handle

$$b) F_{vertical} = F_{total} \cdot \sin(30) = 98.15 \times \sin(30) = 49.07 \text{ N}$$

2. An airplane is climbing at an angle of 10° from the horizontal at an airspeed of 300 Km/h. Determine the rate of climb and horizontal groundspeed.

$$V_{vertical} = V_{airspeed} \times \sin(10) = 300 \times \sin(10) = 52.09 \text{ km/h}$$

$$V_{horizontal} = V_{airspeed} \times \cos(10) = 300 \times \cos(10) = 295.44 \text{ km/h}$$

3. A jet is 125 km from Sudbury airport at quadrant bearing $N24.3^\circ E$, measured from the airport. What are the rectangular components of the jet's displacement?

y-axis: The northward component is: $y = 125 \times \cos(24.3) \approx 113.93 \text{ km}$

x-axis: The eastward component is: $x = 125 \times \sin(24.3) \approx 51.44 \text{ km}$

4. Find the resultant of the following vectors

- a) 12m $W 35^\circ S$ and then 15m $S 20^\circ E$
 b) 250N west and 400N in the direction $W40^\circ N$

$$a) x_1 = -12 \cos(35) = -9.829 \quad y_1 = -12 \sin(35) = -6.882$$

$$x_2 = 15 \sin(20) = 5.13 \quad y_2 = -15 \cos(20) = -14.095$$

$$x_{total} = x_1 + x_2 = -9.829 + 5.13 = -4.699$$

$$y_{total} = y_1 + y_2 = -6.882 - 14.095 = -20.977$$

$$R = \sqrt{x_{total}^2 + y_{total}^2} = \sqrt{(-4.699)^2 + (-20.977)^2} = 21.4968 \text{ m}$$

$$4 | \text{Page } \theta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{-20.977}{-4.699} \right) = 77.44$$

Since x_{total} is negative and y_{total} is negative, the resultant vector is in Quadrant

III (south-west direction). Thus, the final direction is: $\theta = 77.44^\circ$ west of south

$$b) \quad x_1 = 250 \cos(180) = -250 \quad y_1 = 250 \sin(180) = 0$$

$$x_2 = -400 \cos(40) = -306.417 \quad y_2 = +400 \sin(40) = +257.115$$

$$x_{total} = x_1 + x_2 = -250 - 306.417 = -556.417$$

$$y_{total} = y_1 + y_2 = 257.115$$

$$R = \sqrt{x_{total}^2 + y_{total}^2} = \sqrt{(-556.417)^2 + (257.115)^2} = 613 \text{ N}$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{|y_{total}|}{|x_{total}|} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{257.115}{556.4} \right) = \tan^{-1}(0.4623) = 24.81^\circ$$

Since x_{total} is negative and y_{total} is positive, the resultant force is in Quadrant II (west-North direction). Thus the final direction is:

$$\theta = 24.81^\circ \text{ North of west}$$