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A-6 Vectors

Content Standards

N.VM.5a Represent scalar multiplication graphically by scaling vectors . . . perform scalar multiplication component-wise.

N.VM.11 Multiply a vector . . . by a matrix of suitable dimension to produce another vector.

Also N.VM.1-4, N.VM.5b, N.VM.12

Objective To use basic vector operations and the dot product

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Essential Understanding A vector is a mathematical object that has both magnitude (size) and direction.

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Take note

Key Concept Vectors in Two Dimensions

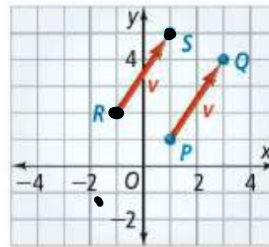
A vector has magnitude and direction. You can describe a vector as a directed line segment with initial and terminal points. Two such segments with the same magnitude and direction represent the same vector.

$\mathbf{v} = \overrightarrow{PQ}$ where $P = (1, 1)$ and $Q = (3, 4)$ and

$\mathbf{v} = \overrightarrow{RS}$ where $R = (-1, 2)$ and $S = (1, 5)$

represent the same vector.

$\|\mathbf{v}\|$

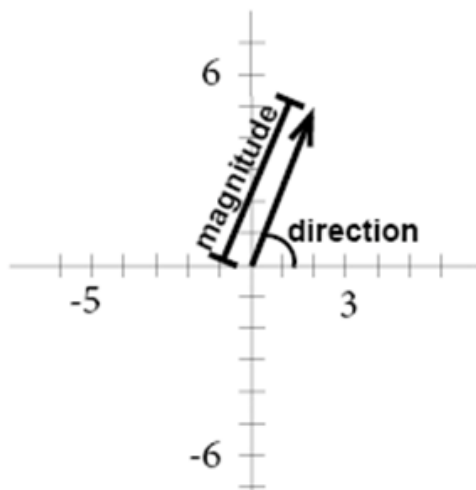
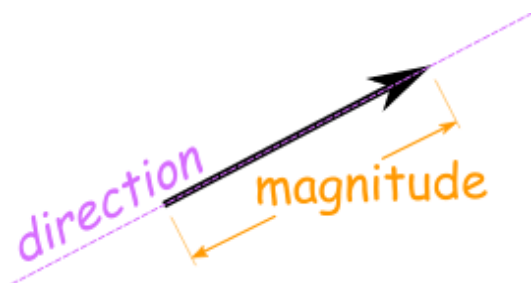


A **vector** has both magnitude and direction. You often use an arrow to represent a vector. The **magnitude** of a vector \mathbf{v} is the length of the arrow. You can denote it as $|\mathbf{v}|$. You show the direction of the vector by the **initial point** and the **terminal point** of the arrow.

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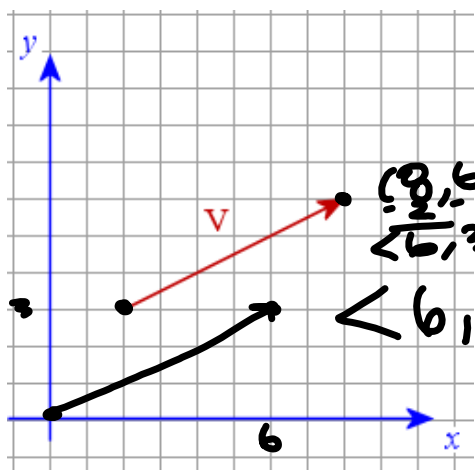
The magnitude is the le n g t h

Vectors



Component Form
 From origin (Initial Point)
 Terminal Point written as $\langle x,y \rangle$

left + 2
 down 3



$(8,6)$
 $\langle 6,3 \rangle$
 $\langle 6,3 \rangle$

$v \langle 6,3 \rangle$



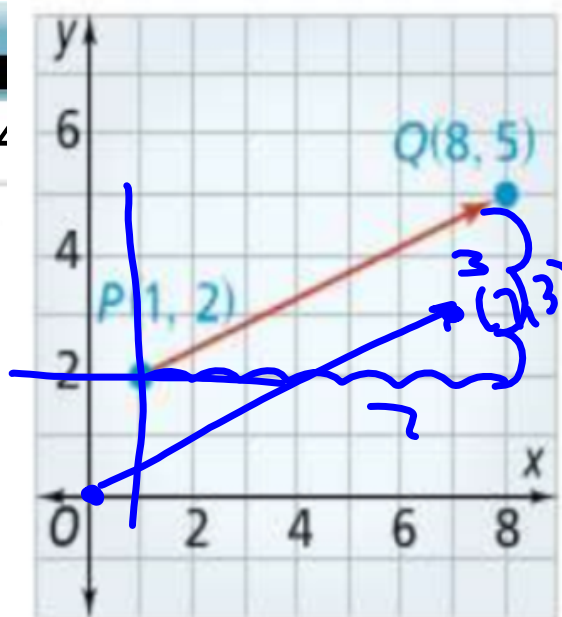
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Problem 1 Representing a Vector pg H4

What is the component form of the vector $v = \overrightarrow{PQ}$ shown here?

$\langle 7, 3 \rangle$



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**Problem 1** Representing a Vector

What is the component form of the vector $\mathbf{v} = \overrightarrow{PQ}$ shown here?

Think

For component form, the initial point must be at the origin. You need to move it 1 unit left and 2 units down.

You must move the terminal point in the same way.

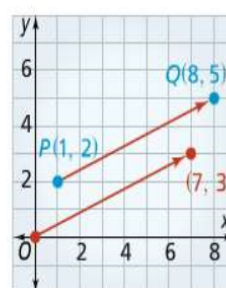
The new terminal point is the component form.

Write

$$(1 - 1, 2 - 2) = (0, 0)$$

$$(8 - 1, 5 - 2) = (7, 3)$$

$$\mathbf{v} = \langle 7, 3 \rangle$$



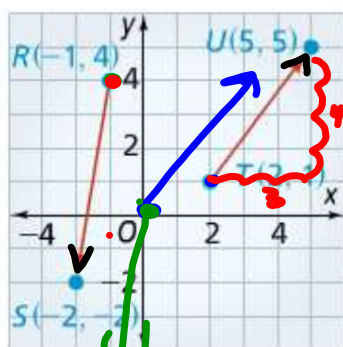
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What are the component forms of the two vectors shown here?



$\langle 3, 4 \rangle$

$\langle -1, -6 \rangle$

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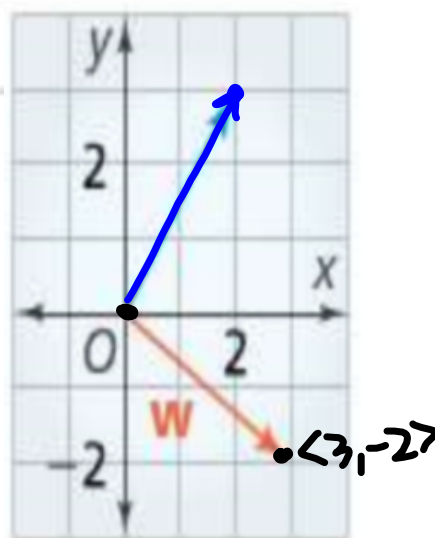


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Rotating a Vector

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Rotate the vector $w = \langle 3, -2 \rangle$ by 90° . What is the component form of the resulting vector?

 $\langle 2, 3 \rangle$ 

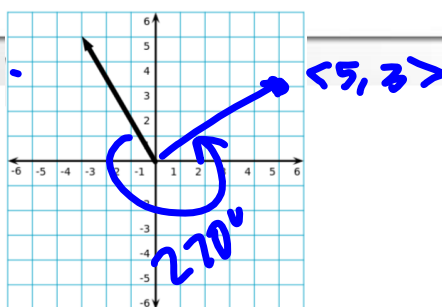
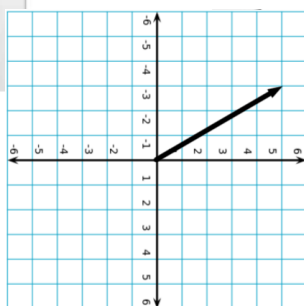
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Rotate the vector $v = \langle -3, 5 \rangle$ by 270° . What is the component form of the resulting vector?



b. Reasoning What other matrix transformations can you apply to vectors in matrix form?

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You can use real number operations to define operations involving vectors. **pg H49**

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Properties Operations With Vectors

Given $\mathbf{v} = \langle v_1, v_2 \rangle$, $\mathbf{w} = \langle w_1, w_2 \rangle$,
and any real number k :

$\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w} = \langle v_1 + w_1, v_2 + w_2 \rangle$
 $\mathbf{v} - \mathbf{w} = \langle v_1 - w_1, v_2 - w_2 \rangle$
 $k\mathbf{v} = \langle kv_1, kv_2 \rangle$

Note that
 $\mathbf{w} + (\mathbf{v} - \mathbf{w}) = \mathbf{v}$
 and $(\mathbf{v} - \mathbf{w}) + \mathbf{w} = \mathbf{v}$.

To find magnitude: Put in component form and use Pythagorean Theorem to find length.

The position of a vector is not important. For this reason, a vector \mathbf{v} in standard position has initial point $(0, 0)$ and is completely determined by its terminal point (a, b) . You can represent \mathbf{v} in component form as $\langle a, b \rangle$. Use the Pythagorean theorem to find the magnitude of \mathbf{v} , $|\mathbf{v}| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$.

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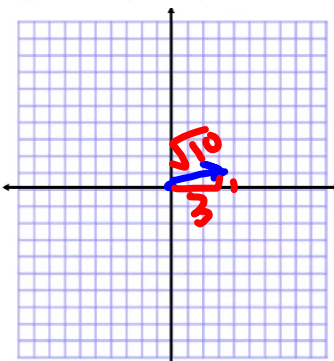
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Problem 3 Adding and Subtracting Vectors

GRIDDED RESPONSE Let $u = \langle -2, 3 \rangle$ and $v = \langle 5, -2 \rangle$. What is $|u + v|$, rounded to the nearest hundredth?

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$\langle -2 + 5, 3 + (-2) \rangle$
 $\langle 3, 1 \rangle$



$3^2 + 1^2 = c^2$
 $9 + 1 = c^2$
 $\sqrt{10} = \sqrt{c^2}$

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Problem 3

Adding and Subtracting Vectors



GRIDDED RESPONSE Let $\mathbf{u} = \langle -2, 3 \rangle$ and $\mathbf{v} = \langle 5, -2 \rangle$. What is $|\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}|$, rounded to the nearest hundredth?

To find $\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}$, use the tip-to-tail method.



Given $\mathbf{v} = \langle v_1, v_2 \rangle$ and $\mathbf{w} = \langle w_1, w_2 \rangle$, the vector sum $\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w} = \langle v_1 + w_1, v_2 + w_2 \rangle$. Graphically, this is the same as placing the tail of \mathbf{w} at the tip of \mathbf{v} . The resultant vector $\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w}$, drawn from the tail of \mathbf{v} to the tip of \mathbf{w} , has the component form $\langle v_1 + w_1, v_2 + w_2 \rangle$.

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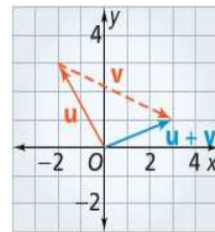
Step 1 Draw $\mathbf{u} = \langle -2, 3 \rangle$ in standard position.

Step 2 At the tip of \mathbf{u} , draw $\mathbf{v} = \langle 5, -2 \rangle$ from $(-2, 3)$ to $(3, 1)$.

Step 3 Draw $\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}$ to have the initial point of \mathbf{u} and the terminal point of \mathbf{v} .

Step 4 Express $\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}$ in component form. $\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v} = \langle 3, 1 \rangle$

Step 5 Find $|\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}|$. $|\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}| = \sqrt{3^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{10} \approx 3.16$



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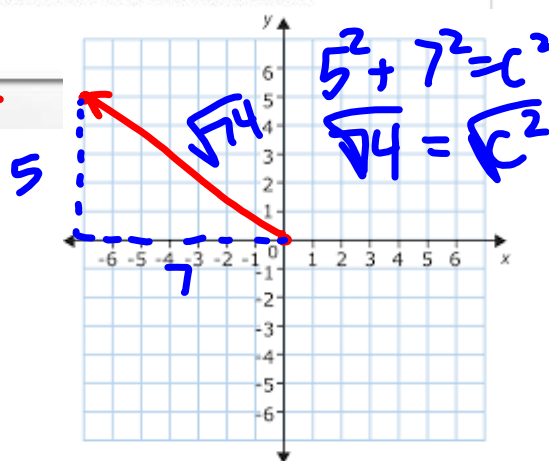
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Let $u = \langle -2, 3 \rangle$ and $v = \langle 5, -2 \rangle$. What is $|u - v|$, rounded to the nearest hundredth?

$$u - v = \langle -2 - 5, 3 - (-2) \rangle$$

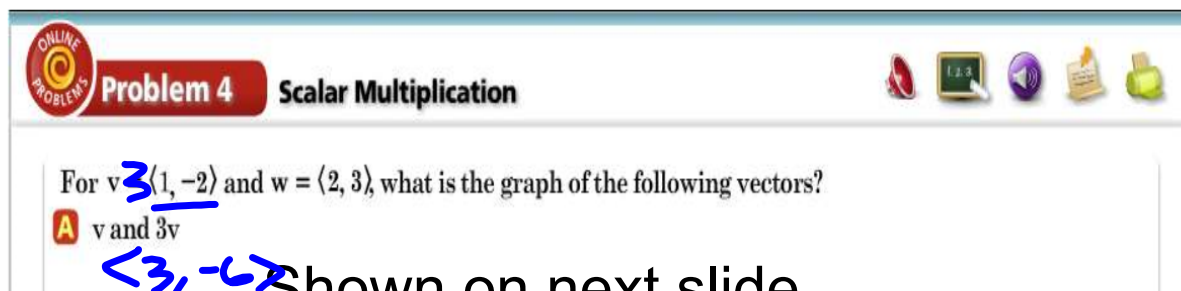
$$= \langle -7, 5 \rangle$$



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Scalar multiplication of a vector by a positive number (other than 1) changes only the magnitude. Multiplication by a negative number (other than -1) changes the magnitude and reverses the direction of the vector.

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ONLINE PROBLEMS **Problem 4** Scalar Multiplication

For $v = \langle 1, -2 \rangle$ and $w = \langle 2, 3 \rangle$, what is the graph of the following vectors?

A v and $3v$

$\langle 3, -6 \rangle$ Shown on next slide...



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Scalar Multiplication

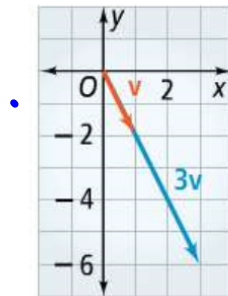
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For $v = \langle 1, -2 \rangle$ and $w = \langle 2, 3 \rangle$, what is the graph of the following vectors?

A v and $3v$

$$\begin{aligned} 3v &= 3\langle 1, -2 \rangle \\ &= \langle 3(1), 3(-2) \rangle \\ &= \langle 3, -6 \rangle \end{aligned}$$



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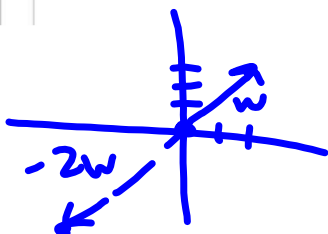


For $v = \langle 1, -2 \rangle$ and $w = \langle 2, 3 \rangle$, what is the graph of the following vectors?

B w and $-2w$

$\langle -4, -6 \rangle$

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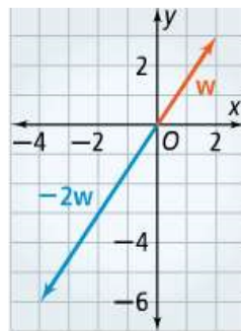
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For $v = \langle 1, -2 \rangle$ and $w = \langle 2, 3 \rangle$, what is the graph of the following vectors?

B w and $-2w$

$$\begin{aligned} -2\mathbf{w} &= -2\langle 2, 3 \rangle \\ &= \langle -2(2), -2(3) \rangle \\ &= \langle -4, -6 \rangle \end{aligned}$$



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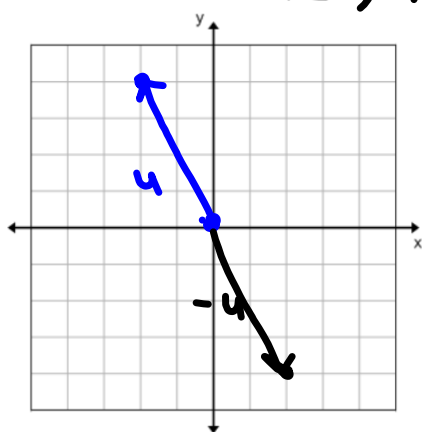
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Got It? 4. Given $u = \langle -2, 4 \rangle$, what are the graphs of the following vectors?

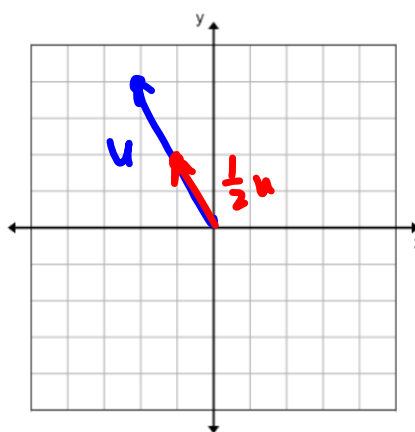
a. $-u$

$\langle 2, -4 \rangle$




b. $\frac{1}{2}u$

$\langle -1, 2 \rangle$



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If $\mathbf{v} = \langle v_1, v_2 \rangle$ and $\mathbf{w} = \langle w_1, w_2 \rangle$, the **dot product** $\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{w}$ is $v_1w_1 + v_2w_2$.
If $\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{w} = 0$, the two vectors are **normal**, or perpendicular, to each other.



Problem 5

Finding Dot Products

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Are the following vectors normal?

A $\mathbf{t} = \langle 2, -5 \rangle, \mathbf{u} = \langle 7, 3 \rangle$

$$2 \cdot 7 + -5 \cdot 3$$

$$14 + (-15)$$

$$= -1$$

B $\mathbf{v} = \langle 10, -4 \rangle, \mathbf{w} = \langle 2, 5 \rangle$

$$10 \cdot 2 + -20$$

$$20 + (-20)$$

$$= 0$$

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Got It? 5. Are the following vectors normal?

a. $\langle -2, 6 \rangle, \langle -9, -18 \rangle$

$$-90$$

b. $\langle 3, \frac{5}{6} \rangle, \langle -\frac{10}{9}, 4 \rangle$

$$\begin{aligned} & 3\left(-\frac{10}{9}\right) + \frac{5}{6}(4)^2 \\ & -\frac{10}{3} + \frac{10}{3} \\ & = 0 \end{aligned}$$

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