

Statics - TAM 210 & TAM 211

Lecture 4

January 24, 2018

Announcements

❑ MATLAB training sessions

❑ Wed 24, Thu 25, Fri 26, and Mon 29

❑ DCL ~~1440~~, Tutorial: 6:30-7:30 pm, Q&A: 7:30-8:00 pm
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❑ DRES accommodations

❑ Send a private post with DRES letter on Piazza to Instructors, if you have not already directly contacted Prof. H-W

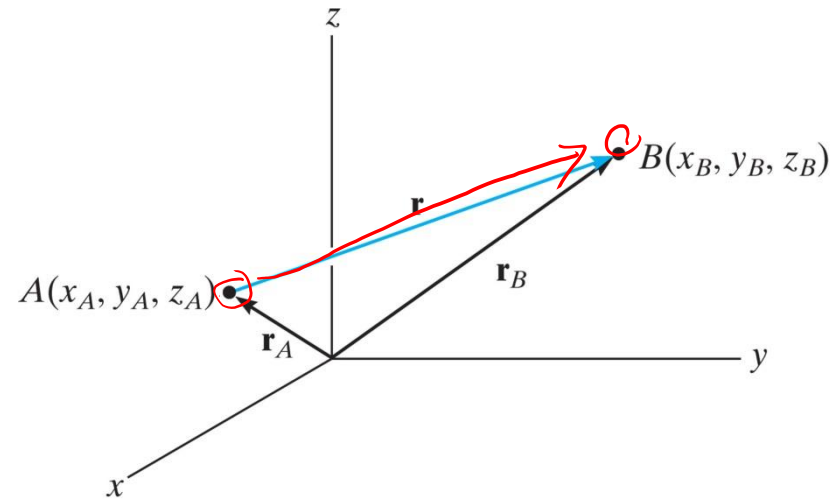
❑ Upcoming deadlines:

- Thursday (1/25)
 - Written Assignment 1
- Friday (1/26)
 - Mastering Engineering Tutorial3
- Tuesday (1/30)
 - Prairie Learn HW2



Recap from Lecture 3

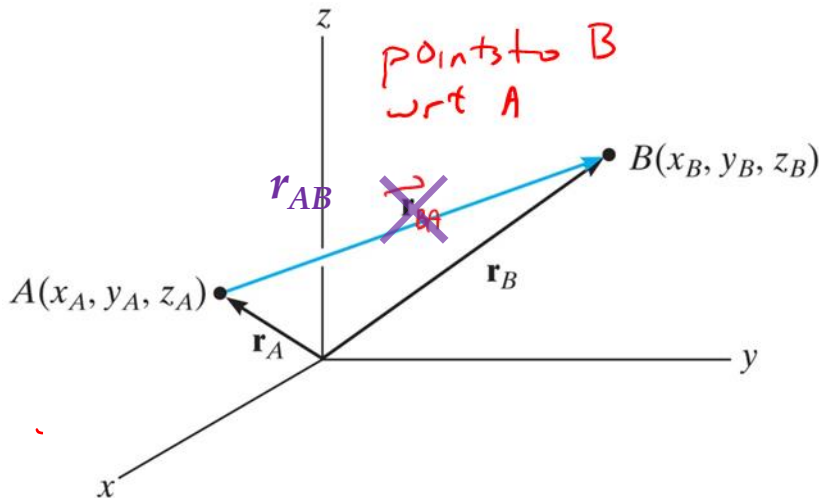
- Position vector



Head *Tail*

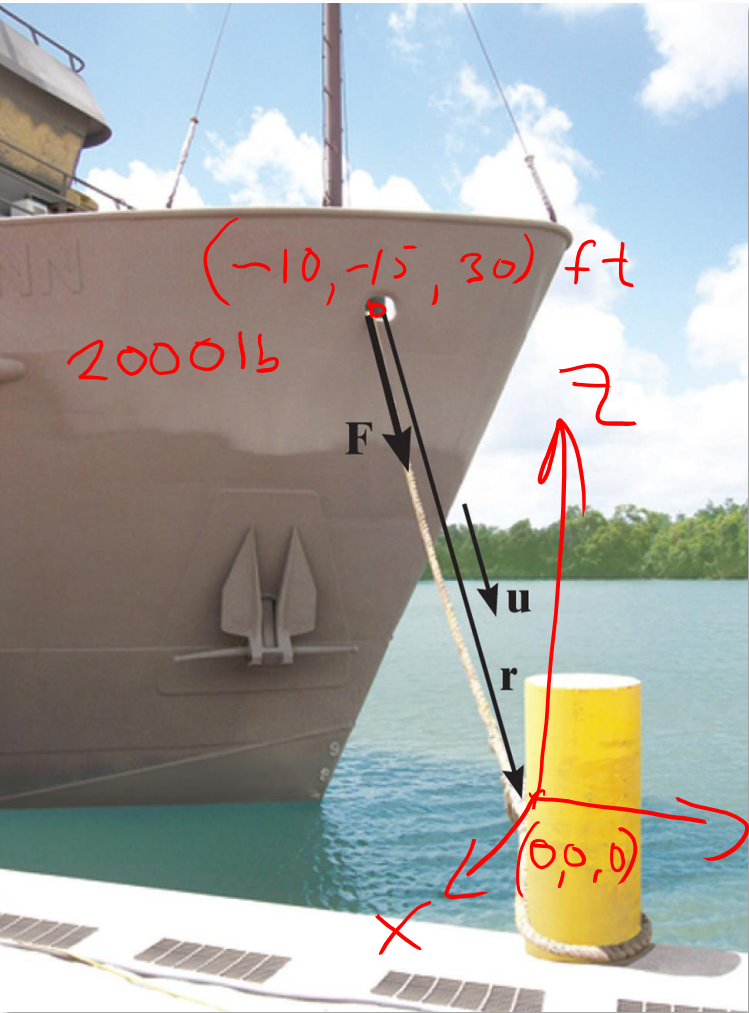
$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{r} &= \mathbf{r}_B - \mathbf{r}_A \\ &= (x_B \mathbf{i} + y_B \mathbf{j} + z_B \mathbf{k}) - (x_A \mathbf{i} + y_A \mathbf{j} + z_A \mathbf{k}) \\ \mathbf{r} &= (x_B - x_A) \mathbf{i} + (y_B - y_A) \mathbf{j} + (z_B - z_A) \mathbf{k}\end{aligned}$$

Thus, the (i, j, k) components of the position vector \mathbf{r} may be formed by taking the coordinates of the tail (point A) and subtracting them from the corresponding coordinates of the head (point B).



Modification to notation introduced in lecture 3:
Use \mathbf{r}_{AB} (not \mathbf{r}_{BA}) to be consistent with PL and book

Force vector directed along a line



The force vector \mathbf{F} acting along the rope can be defined by the unit vector \mathbf{u} (defined the direction of the rope) and the magnitude F of the force.

$$\vec{\mathbf{F}} = F\vec{\mathbf{u}}$$

The unit vector \mathbf{u} is specified by the position vector \mathbf{r} :

Such that $\vec{\mathbf{u}} = \frac{\vec{\mathbf{r}}}{|\vec{\mathbf{r}}|}$ ft / ft Note that $\vec{\mathbf{u}}$ is unitless and points in the direction of $\vec{\mathbf{r}}$.

where

$$\vec{\mathbf{r}} = (x_B - x_A)\hat{\mathbf{i}} + (y_B - y_A)\hat{\mathbf{j}} + (z_B - z_A)\hat{\mathbf{k}}$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{r}} = (10\hat{\mathbf{i}} + 15\hat{\mathbf{j}} + (-30)\hat{\mathbf{k}}) \text{ ft} \quad \text{Wrong units}$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{F}} = 2000 \text{ (lb)} \left[\frac{10\hat{\mathbf{i}} - 15\hat{\mathbf{j}} - 30\hat{\mathbf{k}}}{\sqrt{10^2 + 15^2 + 30^2}} \right] = \frac{16 \cdot \cancel{\text{ft}}}{\cancel{\text{ft}}} = 16$$

Force vector directed along a line

The man pulls on the cord with a force of 70 lb.
Represent the force \mathbf{F} as a Cartesian vector.

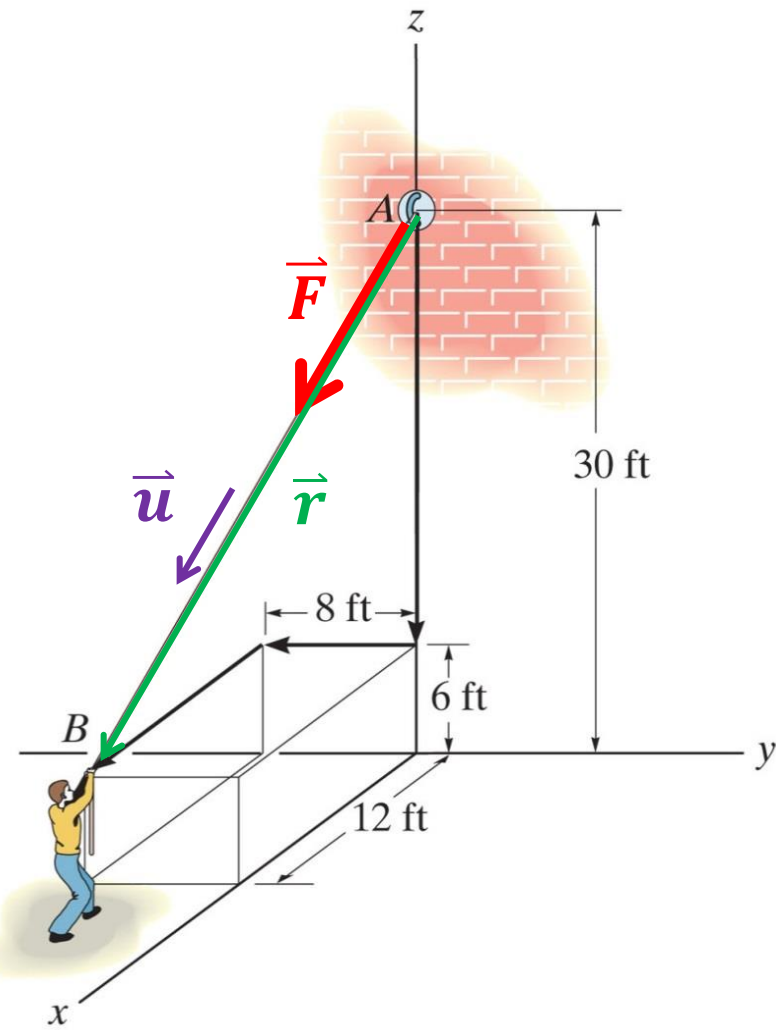
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What is the “correct” (as per PrairieLearn and textbook) notation for the position vector \mathbf{r} shown in green?

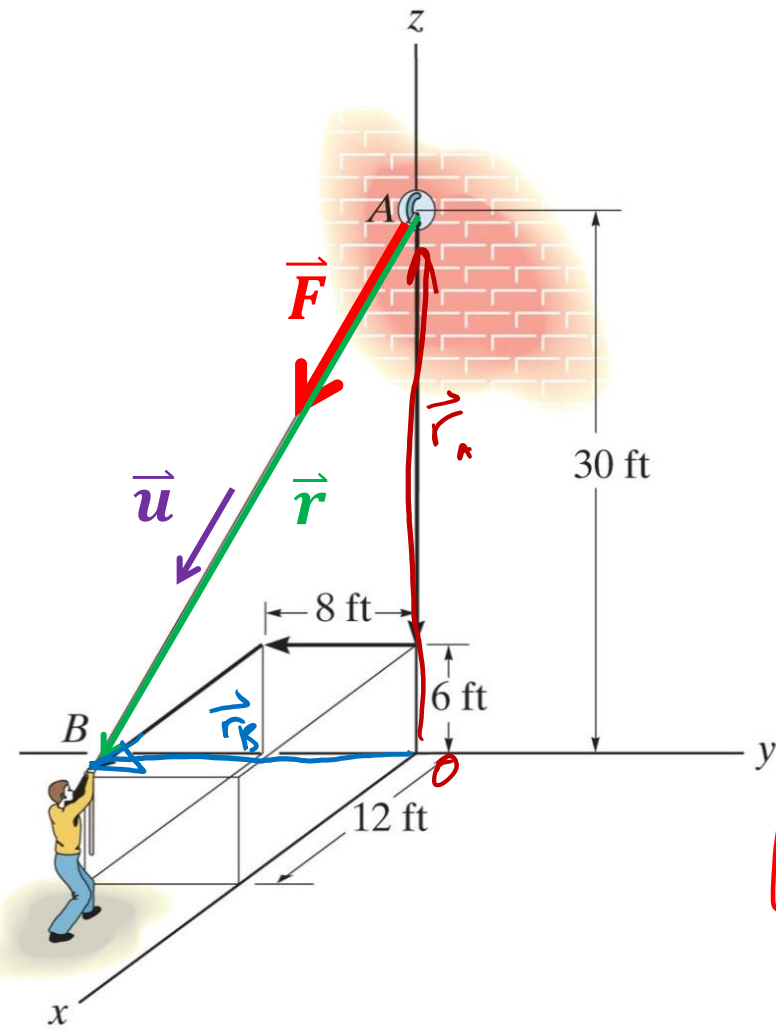
- A) \mathbf{r}_{AB} $= \vec{r}_B - \vec{r}_A$
B) \mathbf{r}_{BA}

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$$\vec{F} = F \vec{u}_{AB}$$
$$F = 70 \text{ lb} \quad \vec{u} = \frac{\vec{r}}{|\vec{r}|}$$

$$\vec{r}_{AB} = \vec{r}_B - \vec{r}_A$$

$$\vec{r}_A = 30 \hat{k} \quad \vec{r}_B = 12 \hat{i} - 8 \hat{j} + 6 \hat{k}$$

$$\vec{r}_{AB} = 12 \hat{i} - 8 \hat{j} + (6 - 30) \hat{k} \text{ ft}$$

$$|\vec{r}| = \sqrt{12^2 + 8^2 + 24^2} = 28 \text{ ft}$$

$$\vec{F} = (70 \text{ lb}) \left(\frac{12}{28} \hat{i} - \frac{8}{28} \hat{j} - \frac{24}{28} \hat{k} \right)$$

Dot (or scalar) product

The dot product of vectors **A** and **B** is defined as such

$$\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B} = |\vec{A}| |\vec{B}| \cos \theta$$

Use of dot product:

- Find angle btw 2 vectors $\cos \theta = \frac{\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B}}{|\vec{A}| |\vec{B}|}$
- Find projections \parallel or \perp to a line

Laws of operation:

$$\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{A}$$

$$\alpha(\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B}) = \alpha\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{A} \cdot \alpha\mathbf{B}$$

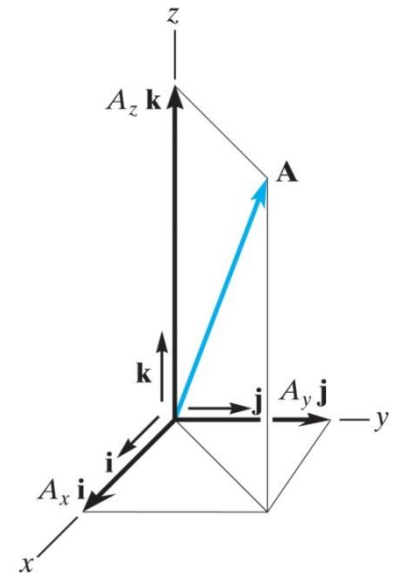
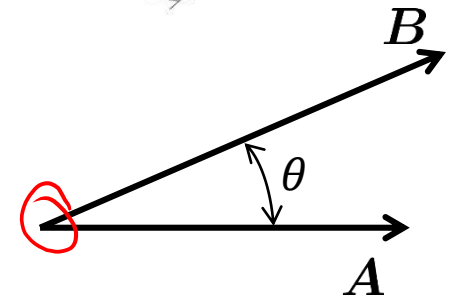
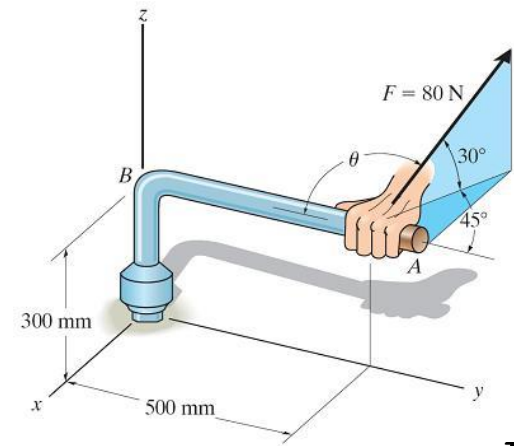
$$\mathbf{A} \cdot (\mathbf{B} + \mathbf{C}) = \mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B} + \mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{C}$$

Cartesian vector formulation:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B} &= (A_x \mathbf{i} + A_y \mathbf{j} + A_z \mathbf{k}) \cdot (B_x \mathbf{i} + B_y \mathbf{j} + B_z \mathbf{k}) \\ &= A_x B_x + A_y B_y + A_z B_z \end{aligned}$$

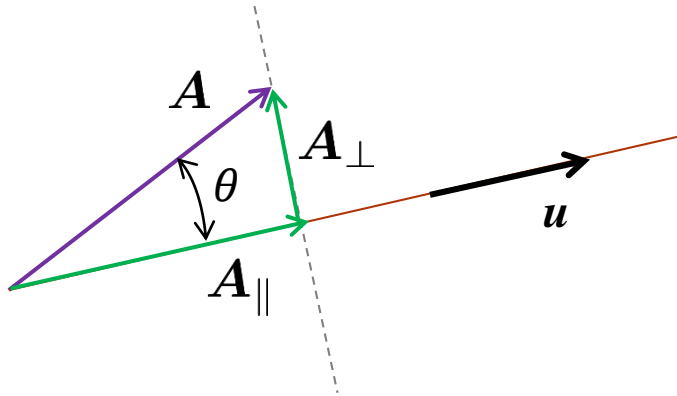
Note that:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \begin{array}{c} \mathbf{j} \\ \uparrow \\ \mathbf{i} \end{array} & \mathbf{i} \cdot \mathbf{j} = 0 & \begin{array}{c} \mathbf{i} \cdot \mathbf{i} = 1 \\ \longrightarrow \mathbf{i} \end{array} \end{array}$$



Projection of vector onto parallel and perpendicular lines

The scalar component A_{\parallel} of a vector \mathbf{A} along (parallel to) a line with unit vector \mathbf{u} is given by:



$$A_{\parallel} = \mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{u} = |\mathbf{A}| \cos(\theta)$$

And thus the vector components \mathbf{A}_{\parallel} and \mathbf{A}_{\perp} are given by:

$$\vec{\mathbf{A}}_{\parallel} = A_{\parallel} \vec{\mathbf{u}} = (\vec{\mathbf{A}} \cdot \vec{\mathbf{u}}) \vec{\mathbf{u}}$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{A}}_{\perp} = \vec{\mathbf{A}} - \vec{\mathbf{A}}_{\parallel}$$

Cross (or vector) product

The cross product of vectors \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{B} yields the vector \mathbf{C} , which is written

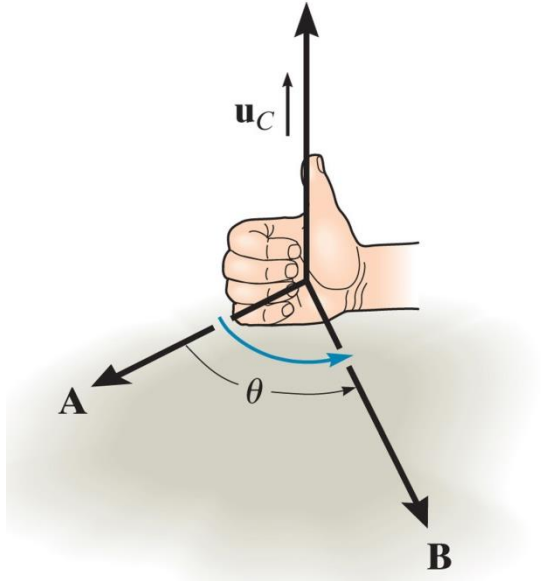
$$\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}$$

The magnitude of vector \mathbf{C} is given by:

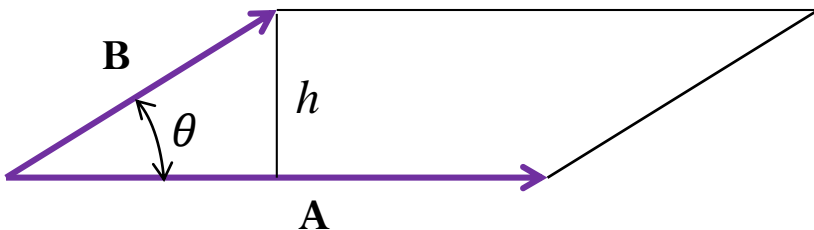
$$C = |\mathbf{C}| = |\mathbf{A}| |\mathbf{B}| \sin(\theta)$$

The vector \mathbf{C} is perpendicular to the plane containing \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{B} (specified by the **right-hand rule**). Hence,

$$\vec{\mathbf{C}} = A B \sin(\theta) \vec{\mathbf{u}}_c$$

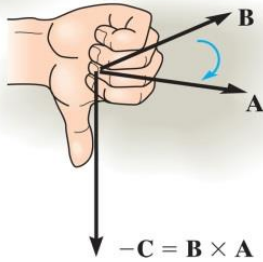
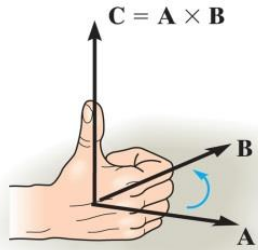


Geometric definition of the cross product: the magnitude of the cross product is given by the area of a parallelogram



$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area} &= |\mathbf{A}| h = |\mathbf{A}| |\mathbf{B}| \sin(\theta) \\ &= |\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}| \end{aligned}$$

Cross (or vector) product



Laws of operation:

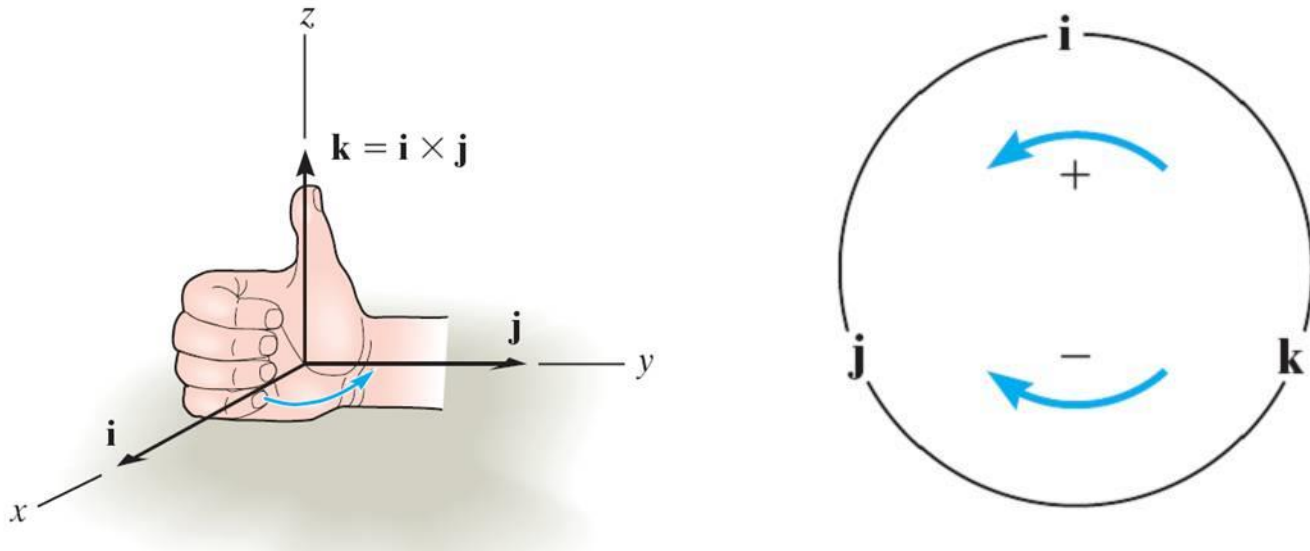
$$\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B} = -\mathbf{B} \times \mathbf{A}$$

$$\alpha(\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}) = (\alpha\mathbf{A}) \times \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{A} \times (\alpha\mathbf{B}) = (\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B})\alpha$$

$$\mathbf{A} \times (\mathbf{B} + \mathbf{D}) = \mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B} + \mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{D}$$

Cross (or vector) product

The right-hand rule is a useful tool for determining the direction of the vector resulting from a cross product. Note that a vector crossed into itself is zero, e.g., $\mathbf{i} \times \mathbf{i} = \mathbf{0}$



Considering the cross product in Cartesian coordinates

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B} &= (A_x \mathbf{i} + A_y \mathbf{j} + A_z \mathbf{k}) \times (B_x \mathbf{i} + B_y \mathbf{j} + B_z \mathbf{k}) \\ &= +A_x B_x (\mathbf{i} \times \mathbf{i}) + A_x B_y (\mathbf{i} \times \mathbf{j}) + A_x B_z (\mathbf{i} \times \mathbf{k}) \\ &\quad + A_y B_x (\mathbf{j} \times \mathbf{i}) + A_y B_y (\mathbf{j} \times \mathbf{j}) + A_y B_z (\mathbf{j} \times \mathbf{k}) \\ &\quad + A_z B_x (\mathbf{k} \times \mathbf{i}) + A_z B_y (\mathbf{k} \times \mathbf{j}) + A_z B_z (\mathbf{k} \times \mathbf{k}) \\ &= (A_y B_z - A_z B_y) \mathbf{i} - (A_x B_z - A_z B_x) \mathbf{j} + (A_x B_y - A_y B_x) \mathbf{k}\end{aligned}$$

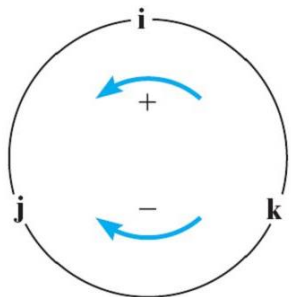
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Also, the cross product can be written as a determinant.

$$\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ A_x & A_y & A_z \\ B_x & B_y & B_z \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{vmatrix} = ad - bc$$

Each component can be determined using 2×2 determinants.



For element i :	$\begin{vmatrix} \textcircled{\mathbf{i}} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ A_x & A_y & A_z \\ B_x & B_y & B_z \end{vmatrix} = \mathbf{i}(A_y B_z - A_z B_y)$	Remember the negative sign
For element j :	$\begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \textcircled{\mathbf{j}} & \mathbf{k} \\ A_x & A_y & A_z \\ B_x & B_y & B_z \end{vmatrix} = -\mathbf{j}(A_x B_z - A_z B_x)$	
For element k :	$\begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \textcircled{\mathbf{k}} \\ A_x & A_y & A_z \\ B_x & B_y & B_z \end{vmatrix} = \mathbf{k}(A_x B_y - A_y B_x)$	