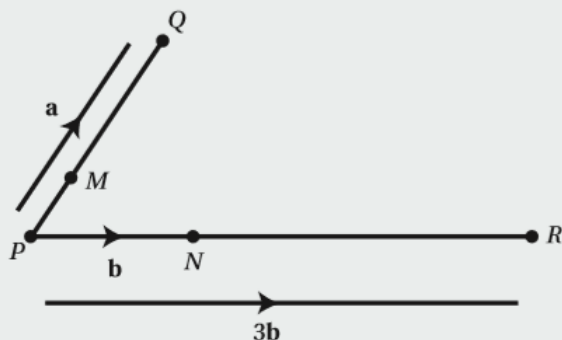


Mixed practice 12

- 1 Points A and B have position vectors $\mathbf{a} = 3\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j}$ and $\mathbf{b} = 2\mathbf{j}$. Find the exact distance between A and B .
- 2 a Given the points $P(-5, 2)$ and $Q(1, -3)$, write vector \overline{PQ} in the form $a\mathbf{i} + b\mathbf{j}$.
b Point R is such that $\overline{RQ} = \mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j}$. Find the coordinates of R .
- 3 Points A and B have position vectors $\mathbf{a} = \begin{pmatrix} 12 \\ -7 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$.
 M is the midpoint of AB .
a Find the position vector of M .
b Find the exact distance BM .
- 4 Points A , B and C have position vectors $\mathbf{a} = 3\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j}$, $\mathbf{b} = \mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j}$ and $\mathbf{c} = 4\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j}$. Point D is such that $ABCD$ is a parallelogram. Find the position vector of D .
- 5 The diagram shows points P , Q and R such that $\overline{PQ} = \mathbf{a}$ and $\overline{PR} = 3\mathbf{b}$.
Points M and N are on PQ and PR such that $PM = \frac{1}{3}PQ$ and $\overline{PN} = \mathbf{b}$.

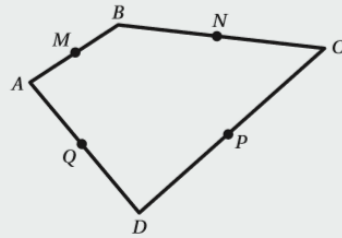


Express \overline{MN} in terms of \mathbf{a} and \mathbf{b} and hence prove that MN is parallel to QR .

- 6 OAB is a triangle with $\overline{OA} = \mathbf{a}$ and $\overline{OB} = \mathbf{b}$. M is the midpoint of AB and G is a point on OM such that $OG : GM = 2 : 1$. N is the midpoint of OA . Use vectors to prove that the points B , G and N are collinear.
- 7 Find the magnitude of the vector $(3 \sin \theta)\mathbf{i} + (5 \cos \theta)\mathbf{j}$ in terms of θ .
- 8 Points M and N have coordinates $M(-6, 1)$ and $N(3, 5)$. Find a unit vector parallel to \overline{MN} .
- 9 Points P and Q have coordinates $(1, -8)$ and $(10, -2)$. N is a point on PQ such that $PN : NQ = 1 : 2$.
a Find the coordinates of N .
b Calculate the magnitudes of \overline{OP} , \overline{ON} and \overline{PN} . Hence show that ONP is a right angle.

- 10 Points A, B, C and D have position vectors $\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{c}$ and \mathbf{d} . M, N, P and Q are midpoints of AB, BC, CD and DA .

- a Express vectors \overline{MN} and \overline{PQ} in terms of $\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{c}$ and \mathbf{d} .
b What type of quadrilateral is $MNPQ$?

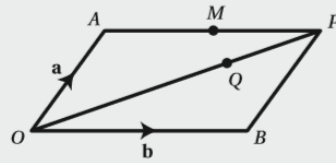


- 11 Points A and B have position vectors \mathbf{a} and \mathbf{b} . O is the origin and point P is such that $OAPB$ is a parallelogram.

- a Write down the position vector of P in terms of \mathbf{a} and \mathbf{b} .
b Find the position vector of M , the midpoint of AP .

Point Q lies on OP . Let $\overline{OQ} = t\overline{OP}$.

- c Express \overline{BQ} in terms of t, \mathbf{a} and \mathbf{b} . Hence find the value of t for which BQM is a straight line.



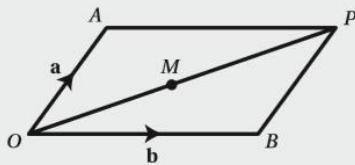
- 12 Points P and Q have position vectors $\mathbf{p} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\mathbf{q} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$.

Point H lies on PQ and $\overline{PH} = t\overline{PQ}$, with $0 < t < 1$.

Let O be the origin.

- a Express the vector \overline{OH} and its length in terms of t .
b Hence find the minimum possible distance of H from the origin, giving your answer in exact form.

- 13 Points A and B have position vectors \mathbf{a} and \mathbf{b} . O is the origin and point P is such that $OAPB$ is a parallelogram.



M is the midpoint of OP .

- a Show that M lies on AB and determine the ratio $AM : MB$.
b What conclusion can you make about the diagonals of a parallelogram?

Mixed practice 12

1 $3\sqrt{2}$

2 a $6\mathbf{i} - 5\mathbf{j}$

b $(0, 1)$

3 a $\begin{pmatrix} 4.5 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$

b $\frac{3}{2}\sqrt{41}$

4 $6\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j}$

5 $\overline{MN} = \mathbf{b} - \frac{1}{3}\mathbf{a}$

6 Proof

7 $\sqrt{9+16\cos^2\theta}$

8 $\pm \left(\frac{9}{\sqrt{97}}\mathbf{i} + \frac{4}{\sqrt{97}}\mathbf{j} \right)$

9 a $(4, -6)$

b $\overline{OP} = \sqrt{65}, \overline{ON} = 2\sqrt{13}, \overline{PN} = \sqrt{13}$

10 a $\overline{MN} = \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{c} - \mathbf{a}), \overline{PQ} = \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{c})$

b Parallelogram

11 a $\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}$

b $\mathbf{a} + \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{b}$

c $t\mathbf{a} + (t-1)\mathbf{b}; t = \frac{2}{3}$

12 a $\begin{pmatrix} 5-3t \\ 2+t \end{pmatrix}; \sqrt{10t^2 - 26t + 29}$ b $\frac{11\sqrt{10}}{10}$

13 a $1:1$

b Diagonals bisect each other