

Solve

$$a) \cos \theta = \frac{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}}{\|\vec{u}\| \|\vec{v}\|} = \frac{-11}{(3)(7)} = \frac{-11}{21}$$

$$\text{Thus } \theta = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{-11}{21}\right) \approx 2.12 \pi$$

$$b) \cos \theta = \frac{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{w}}{\|\vec{u}\| \|\vec{w}\|} = \frac{0}{\|\vec{u}\| \|\vec{w}\|} \approx 121.6 \rightarrow \theta$$

$$\therefore \theta = \cos^{-1}(0) = \frac{\pi}{2} = 90^\circ$$

$\therefore \vec{u}$ & \vec{w} are perpendicular vectors.

$$c) \cos \theta = \frac{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{z}}{\|\vec{u}\| \|\vec{z}\|} = \frac{-27}{(3)(9)} = -1$$

$$\therefore \theta = \pi = 180^\circ$$

Note: We call $\vec{i} = (1, 0, 0)$, $\vec{j} = (0, 1, 0)$ and $\vec{k} = (0, 0, 1)$ the unit perpendicular vectors of \mathbb{R}^3 (Standard Base for \mathbb{R}^3)

Which means that each vector $\vec{v} \in \mathbb{R}^3$ can be written as:

$$\vec{v} = (v_1, v_2, v_3) = v_1(1, 0, 0) + v_2(0, 1, 0) + v_3(0, 0, 1)$$