# PHYS 1441 – Section 001 Lecture #5

Tuesday, June 16, 2015 Dr. Jaehoon Yu

- Trigonometry Refresher
- Properties and operations of vectors
- Components of the 2D Vector
- Understanding the 2 Dimensional Motion
- 2D Kinematic Equations of Motion
- Projectile Motion

Today's homework is homework #3, due 11pm, Friday, June 19!!

### **Announcements**

- Reading Assignment
  - CH3.7
- Quiz #2
  - Beginning of the class this Thursday, June, 18
  - Covers CH3.1 to what we finish tomorrow, Wednesday, June 17
  - Bring your calculator but DO NOT input formula into it!
  - You can prepare a one 8.5x11.5 sheet (front and back) of
     <u>handwritten</u> formulae and values of constants for the exam → no solutions, derivations or word definitions!
    - No additional formulae or values of constants will be provided!
- Term exam results
  - Class average: 63.9/99
    - Equivalent to 64.5/100
  - Top score: 101/99

### Special Project #2 for Extra Credit

- Show that the trajectory of a projectile motion is a parabola and explain your answer.
  - -20 points
  - Due: Monday, June 22
  - You MUST show full details of your OWN computations to obtain any credit
    - Beyond what was covered in this lecture note and in the book!

# Trigonometry Refresher

Definitions of  $sin\theta$ ,  $cos\theta$  and  $tan\theta$ 

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$$\sin\theta$$
,  $\cos\theta$  and  $\tan\theta$ 

$$\sin\theta = \frac{\text{Length of the opposite side to }\theta}{\text{Length of the hypotenuse of the right triangle}} = \frac{h_o}{h}$$

$$\cos\theta = \frac{\text{Length of the adjacent side to }\theta}{\text{Length of the hypotenuse of the right triangle}} = \frac{h_o}{h}$$

$$= \frac{h_a}{h}$$
Solve for  $\theta$ 

$$\theta = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{h_a}{h}\right)$$

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$$\tan \theta = \frac{\text{Length of the opposite side to } \theta}{\text{Length of the adjacent side to } \theta} = \frac{h_o}{h_a}$$
Solve for  $\theta$ 

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{h_o}{h_a} \right)$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = \frac{h_o}{h_a} = \frac{h_o}{h_a}$$
 Pythagorian theorem: For right angle triangle  $h^2 = h^2 + h^2 + h^2 = h^2 + h^2 + h^2 = h^2 + h^2 = h^2 + h^2 +$ 

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$$h^2 = h_o^2 + h_a^2$$
  $h = \sqrt{h_o^2 + h_a^2}$ 

### Vector and Scalar

Vector quantities have both magnitudes (sizes) and directions

Velocity, acceleration, force, momentum, etc

Normally denoted in **BOLD** letters,  $\mathcal{F}$ , or a letter with arrow on top  $\mathcal{F}$ Their sizes or magnitudes are denoted with normal letters,  $\mathcal{F}$ , or absolute values:  $|\vec{F}|$ or  $|\mathcal{F}|$ 

Scalar quantities have magnitudes only Can be completely specified with a value and its unit Normally denoted in normal letters, *E* 

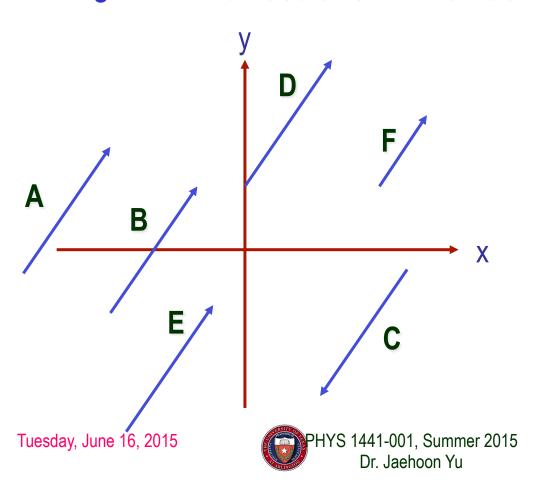
Speed, energy, heat, mass, time, etc

Both have units!!!



### Properties of Vectors

Two vectors are the same if their sizes and the directions are the same, no matter where they are on a coordinate system!! → You can move them around as you wish as long as their directions and sizes are kept the same.



Which ones are the same vectors?

A=B=E=D

Why aren't the others?

**C:** The same magnitude but opposite direction: **C=-A:**A negative vector

**F:** The same direction but different magnitude

## **Vector Operations**

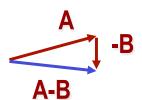
#### Addition:

- Triangular Method: One can add vectors by connecting the head of one vector to the tail of the other (head-to-tail)
- Parallelogram method: Connect the tails of the two vectors and extend
- Addition is commutative: Changing order of operation does not affect the results A
   +B=B+A, A+B+C+D+E=E+C+A+B+D



#### Subtraction:

The same as adding a negative vector: A - B = A + (-B)



Since subtraction is the equivalent to adding a negative vector, subtraction is also commutative!!!

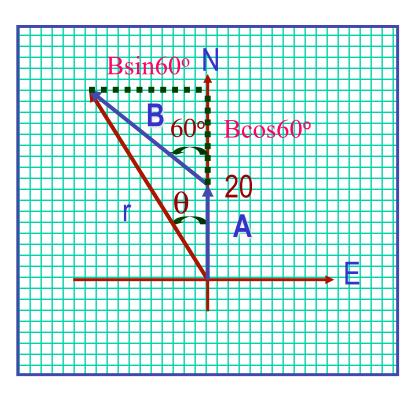
Multiplication by a scalar is increasing the magnitude A, B=2A



Tues 
$$|\mathcal{B}| = 2|\mathcal{A}|$$

## **Example for Vector Addition**

A car travels 20.0km due north followed by 35.0km in a direction 60.0° West of North. Find the magnitude and direction of resultant displacement.



$$r = \sqrt{(A + B\cos 60)^2 + (B\sin 60)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{A^2 + B^2 (\cos^2 60 + \sin^2 60) + 2AB\cos 60}$$

$$= \sqrt{A^2 + B^2 + 2AB\cos 60}$$

$$= \sqrt{(20.0)^2 + (35.0)^2 + 2 \times 20.0 \times 35.0\cos 60}$$

$$= \sqrt{2325} = 48.2(km)$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{|\vec{B}| \sin 60}{|\vec{A}| + |\vec{B}| \cos 60}$$

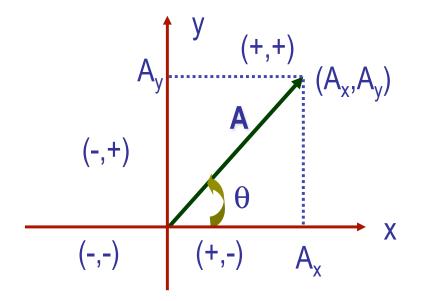
$$= \tan^{-1} \frac{35.0 \sin 60}{20.0 + 35.0 \cos 60}$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \frac{30.3}{37.5} = 38.9^{\circ} \text{ to W wrt N}$$

Do this using components!!

## Components and Unit Vectors

Coordinate systems are useful in expressing vectors in their components



$$\begin{vmatrix}
A_x = |\overrightarrow{A}| \cos \theta \\
A_y = |\overrightarrow{A}| \sin \theta
\end{vmatrix}$$
Components

$$|\overrightarrow{A}| = \sqrt{A_x^2 + A_y^2}$$
 } Magnitude

$$\left| \overrightarrow{A} \right| = \sqrt{\left| \overrightarrow{A} \right| \cos \theta} + \left( \left| \overrightarrow{A} \right| \sin \theta \right)^{2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\left| \overrightarrow{A} \right|^{2} \left( \cos^{2} \theta + \sin^{2} \theta \right)} = \left| \overrightarrow{A} \right|$$

### **Unit Vectors**

- Unit vectors are the ones that tells us the directions (and only directions) of the components
  - Very powerful and makes vector notation and operations much easier!
- Dimensionless
- Magnitudes these vectors are exactly 1
- Unit vectors are usually expressed in **i**, **j**, **k** or  $\vec{i}$ ,  $\vec{j}$ ,  $\vec{k}$

So a vector **A** can be expressed as

$$\vec{A} = A_x \vec{i} + A_y \vec{j} = |\vec{A}| \cos \theta \vec{i} + |\vec{A}| \sin \theta \vec{j}$$

## **Examples of Vector Operations**

Find the resultant vector which is the sum of  $\mathbf{A}=(2.0\mathbf{i}+2.0\mathbf{j})$  and  $\mathbf{B}=(2.0\mathbf{i}-4.0\mathbf{j})$ 

$$\vec{C} = \vec{A} + \vec{B} = (2.0\vec{i} + 2.0\vec{j}) + (2.0\vec{i} - 4.0\vec{j})$$

$$= (2.0 + 2.0)\vec{i} + (2.0 - 4.0)\vec{j} = 4.0\vec{i} - 2.0\vec{j}(m)$$

$$|\vec{C}| = \sqrt{(4.0)^2 + (-2.0)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{16 + 4.0} = \sqrt{20} = 4.5(m)$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{C_y}{C_x} = \tan^{-1} \frac{-2.0}{4.0} = -27^\circ$$

Find the resultant displacement of three consecutive displacements:  $\mathbf{d_1} = (15\mathbf{i} + 30\mathbf{j} + 12\mathbf{k})$ cm,  $\mathbf{d_2} = (23\mathbf{i} + 14\mathbf{j} - 5.0\mathbf{k})$ cm, and  $\mathbf{d_3} = (-13\mathbf{i} + 15\mathbf{j})$ cm

$$\overrightarrow{D} = \overrightarrow{d_1} + \overrightarrow{d_2} + \overrightarrow{d_3} = \left(15\overrightarrow{i} + 30\overrightarrow{j} + 12\overrightarrow{k}\right) + \left(23\overrightarrow{i} + 14\overrightarrow{j} - 5.0\overrightarrow{k}\right) + \left(-13\overrightarrow{i} + 15\overrightarrow{j}\right)$$

$$= \left(15 + 23 - 13\right)\overrightarrow{i} + \left(30 + 14 + 15\right)\overrightarrow{j} + \left(12 - 5.0\right)\overrightarrow{k} = 25\overrightarrow{i} + 59\overrightarrow{j} + 7.0\overrightarrow{k}(cm)$$

$$|\overrightarrow{D}| = \sqrt{\left(25\right)^2 + \left(59\right)^2 + \left(7.0\right)^2} = 65(cm)$$