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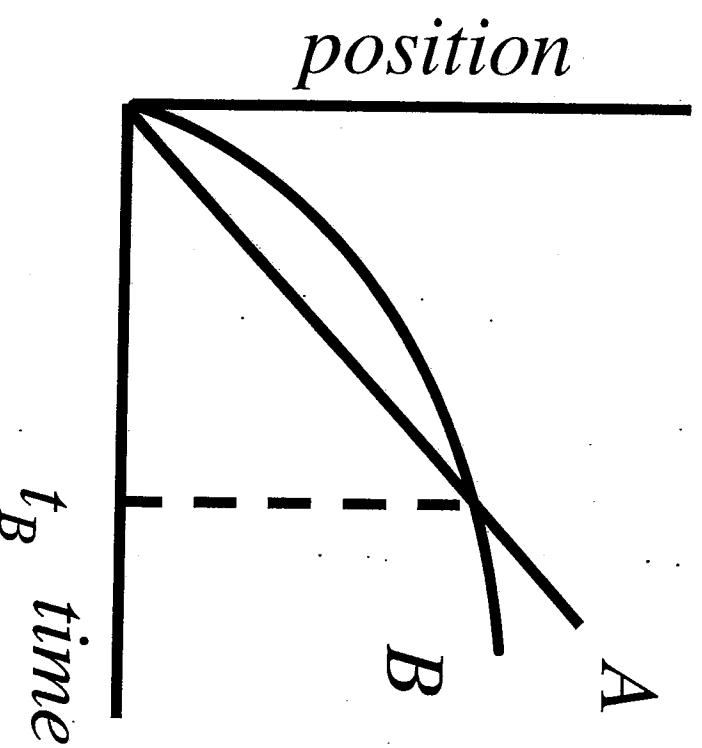
Exam will cover material up to and including Friday's lecture

Equation sheet and practice problems on web soon  
(tomorrow)

## Interactive Question

The graph shows position as a function of time for two trains running on parallel tracks. Which is true:

- A) At time  $t_B$  both trains have the same velocity.
- B) Both trains speed up all the time.
- C) Both trains have the same velocity at some time before  $t_B$ .
- D) Somewhere on the graph, both trains have the same acceleration.



- E) More than one of the above is true.

# Chapter 3

Already seen speed which is described by a single number or magnitude

and velocity which must be described by a magnitude and direction

Scalar: magnitude only ex speed  
horses  
cars  
⋮

Vector: magnitude and direction ex velocity  
acceleration  
⋮

written as letter with arrow over it.  $\vec{v}$ ,  $\vec{a}$

magnitude of a vector is a scalar

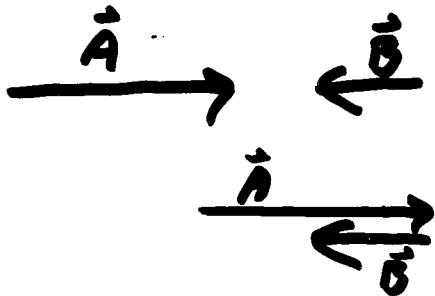
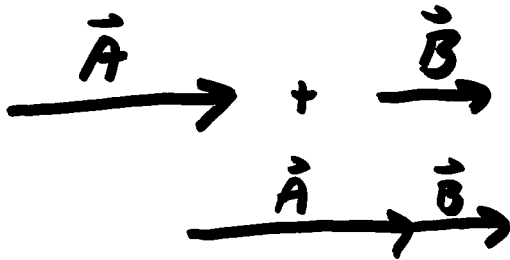
## Interactive Question

Which of the following is a vector quantity?

- A) The age of the earth.
- B) The mass of a football.
- C) The earth's pull on your body.
- D) The temperature of an iron bar.
- E) The number of people attending an OU football game.

# ADDING Vectors

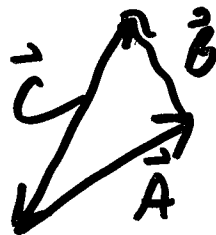
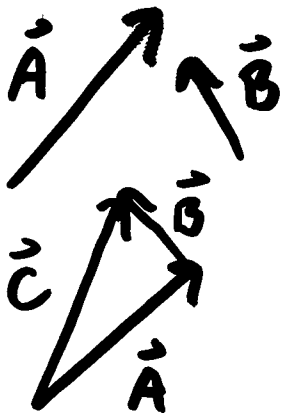
You have already added 1-D  
vectors



To add put tail of one vector to  
head of the other

**2-D**

$$\vec{C} = \vec{A} + \vec{B}$$



$$\vec{A} + \vec{B} + \vec{C} = 0$$

$$\vec{A} + \vec{B} = \underline{\underline{-\vec{C}}}$$

## Interactive Question

The vectors **A** is shown.



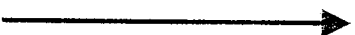
Which vector(s) below is equal to  $-2\mathbf{A}$ ?



(A)



(B)



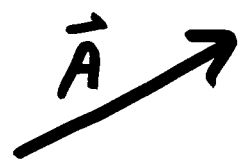
(C)



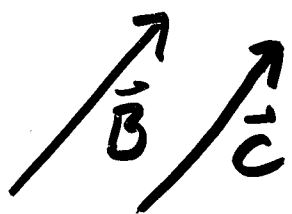
(D)

(E) More than one of the above is equal to  $-2\mathbf{A}$

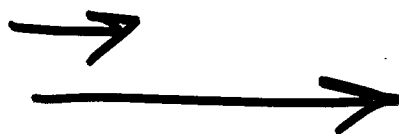
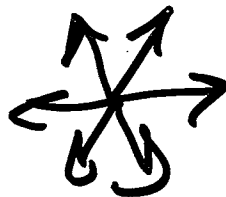
Vectors are drawn as an arrow where the length of the arrow is proportional to the magnitude and the direction of the arrow gives the direction of the vector

 vector  $\vec{A}$

Do not have a specific location

  $\vec{B}$  and  $\vec{C}$  are the same

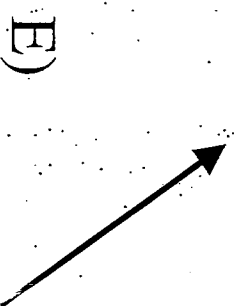
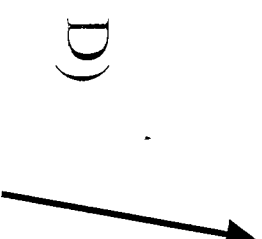
  $\vec{D}$  not same



## Interactive Question:

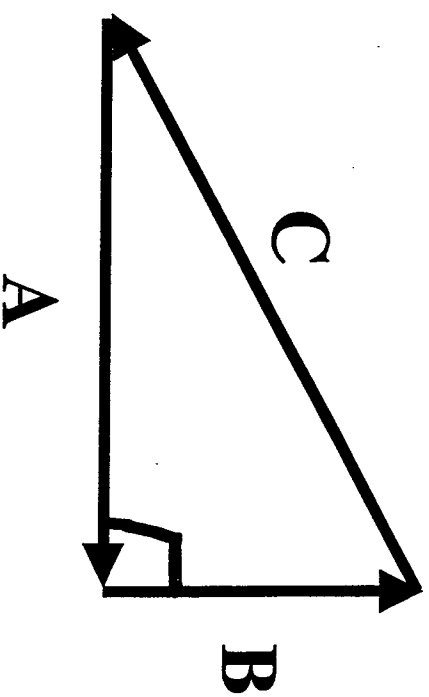
Consider 2 vectors  $\vec{R}$  and  $\vec{S}$

What is  $\vec{R} + \vec{S}$  ?



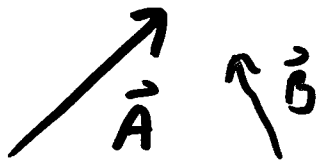
## Interactive Question

Which expression is not true concerning the vectors show in the sketch at the right?



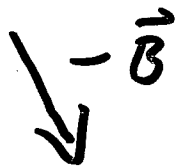
- A)  $\vec{C} = \vec{A} + \vec{B}$
- B)  $\vec{C} + \vec{A} = -\vec{B}$
- C)  $\vec{A} + \vec{B} + \vec{C} = 0$
- D)  $C < A + B$
- E)  $A^2 + B^2 = C^2$

# subtraction of vectors



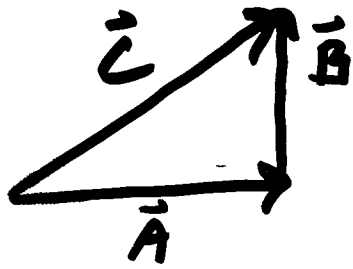
$$\vec{C} = \vec{A} - \vec{B}$$

add negative of vector  $\vec{B}$  to  $\vec{A}$



$$\vec{C} = \vec{A} - \vec{B} = \vec{A} + (-\vec{B})$$

If  $\vec{A}$  and  $\vec{B}$  at right angles to each other



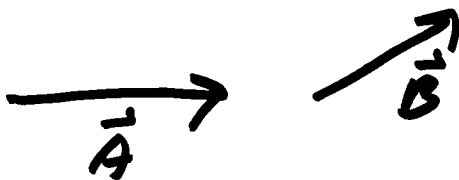
$$\vec{C} = \vec{A} + \vec{B}$$

What is length (magnitude) of  $\vec{C}$

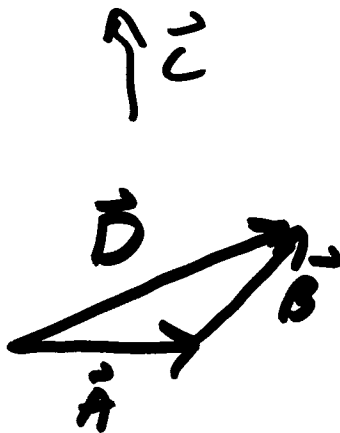
$$C^2 = A^2 + B^2$$

$$|\vec{C}| = \sqrt{A^2 + B^2}$$

↑  
magnitude

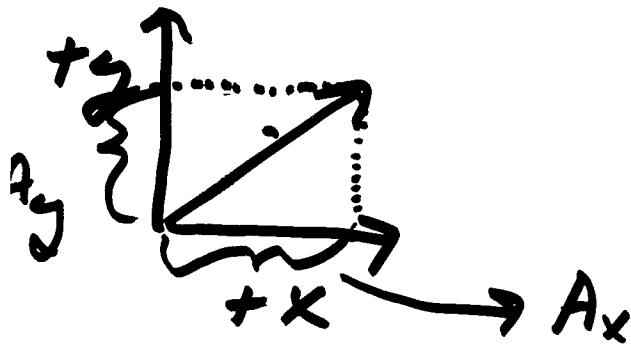


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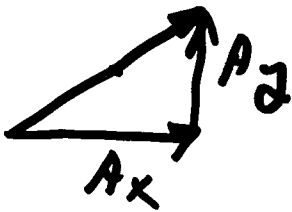


~~$$|\vec{C}| = \sqrt{A^2 + B^2}$$~~

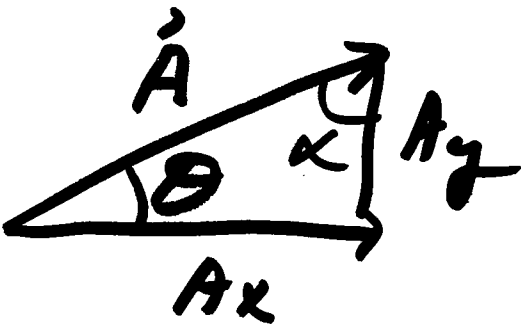
# Components



How much of  $\vec{A}$  is pointing in x-direction?



$$\vec{A} = A_x + A_y$$



$$A_x = A \cos \theta$$
$$A_y = A \sin \theta$$

$$A_x = A \sin \theta$$

$$A_y = A \cos \theta$$

Know

Trig





$$\vec{D} = \vec{A} + \vec{B}$$

$$\vec{A} = A_x + A_y$$

$$\vec{B} = B_x + B_y$$

$$\vec{D} = D_x + D_y$$

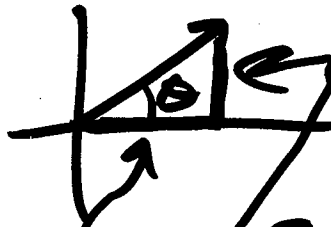
$$\vec{D}_x = \vec{A}_x + \vec{B}_x$$

$$\vec{D}_y = \vec{A}_y + \vec{B}_y$$



$$A_x = |A|$$

$$A_y = 0$$



$$B_x = B \cos \theta$$

$$B_y = B \sin \theta$$

$$A_x \longrightarrow$$

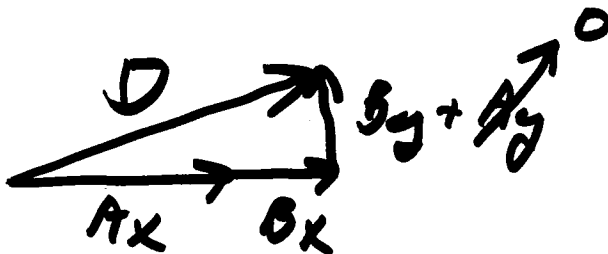
$$A_y$$

$$B_x \longrightarrow$$

$$\uparrow B_y$$

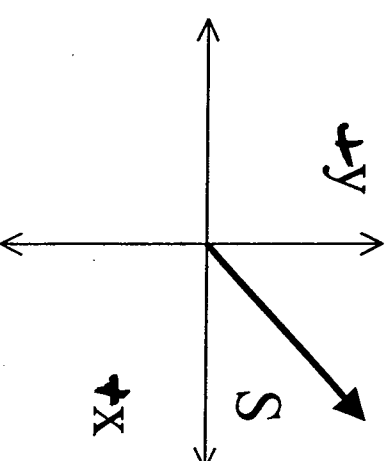
~~$$|D| = \sqrt{A^2 + B^2}$$~~

$$|D| = \sqrt{D_x^2 + D_y^2}$$



## Interactive Question

Vector  $\vec{S}$  has a magnitude of 5 m.

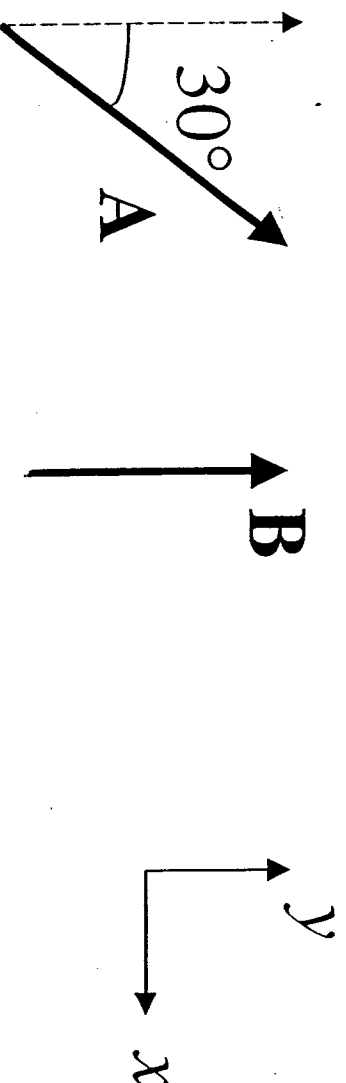


What are the possible components of  $\vec{S}$  ?

- A)  $S_x = 3$        $S_y = 4$
- B)  $S_x = -3$        $S_y = 4$
- C)  $S_x = -3$        $S_y = -4$
- D)  $S_x = 3$        $S_y = -4$
- E)  $S_x = 6$        $S_y = 4$

## Interactive Question

Two vectors, **A** and **B** are shown below. Which expressions gives the correct value for the  $x$  component of **A** and **B**?



$x$  component of **A**

$x$  component of **B**

- A)  $A \cos 30^\circ$
- B)  $A \cos 30^\circ$
- C)  $A \cos 30^\circ$
- D)  $A \sin 30^\circ$
- E)  $A \sin 30^\circ$

- $B \cos 0^\circ$
- $B$
- 0
- $B \cos 0^\circ$
- 0

## 2-D Vectors

1) DRAW & Label the direction on  $x-y$  axis

2) Determine components of each vector

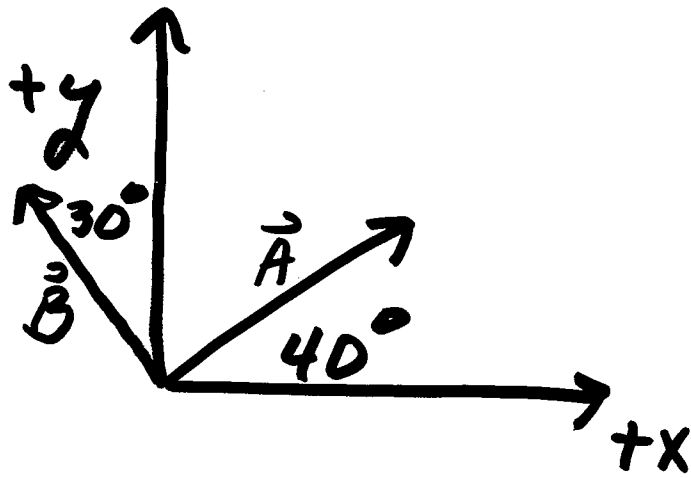
- use Trig to find length of components

- sign given by direction of arrow

3) Do calculations separately using  $x$  &  $y$  components

4) combine results from  $x$  &  $y$  to get final vector

ex) length of  $A = 5.00 \text{ m}$   
length of  $B = 7.00 \text{ m}$



- Find components of  $\vec{A} + \vec{B}$
- Find  $\vec{C} = \vec{A} + \vec{B}$