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4. $(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b})\vec{a} = (0(-3) + 2(5) + 1(4))(2\vec{j} + \vec{k}) = 28\vec{j} + 14\vec{k}$

5. $(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{y})(\vec{c} \cdot \vec{z}) = (0(4) + 2(-7) + 1(0))(1(1) + 6(-3) + 0(-1)) = (-14)(-17) = 238$

6. $((\vec{c} \cdot \vec{c})\vec{a}) \cdot \vec{a} = (\vec{c} \cdot \vec{c})(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{a}) = \|\vec{c}\|^2 \|\vec{a}\|^2 = (1^2 + 6^2 + 0^2)(0^2 + 2^2 + 1^2) = (37)(5) = 185$

11. $3x + 4y - z = 7$ has normal vector $3\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} - \vec{k}$.

12. $2x - 2z = 3x + 3y$, or $x + 3y + 2z = 0$, has normal vector $\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$.

14. $5(x - 0) + 1(y - 1) - 2(z + 1) = 0$, or $5x + y - 2z = 3$.

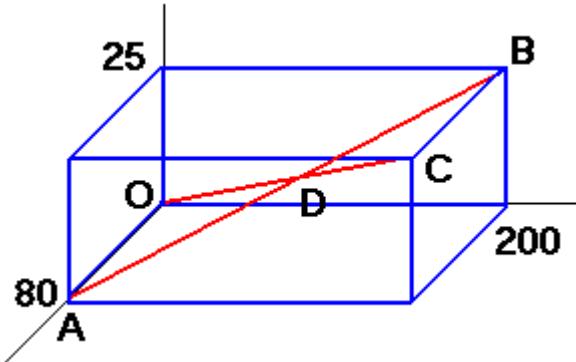
15. $2(x - 1) - 3(y + 1) + 7(z - 2) = 0$, or $2x - 3y + 7z = 19$.

16. $2(x - 1) + 4(y - 0) - 3(z + 1) = 0$, or $2x + 4y - 3z = 5$.

18. (a) $AB = \sqrt{(4-2)^2 + (2-2)^2 + (1-2)^2} = \sqrt{5}$, $AC = \sqrt{(2-2)^2 + (3-2)^2 + (1-2)^2} = \sqrt{2}$, and $BC = \sqrt{(4-2)^2 + (2-3)^2 + (1-1)^2} = \sqrt{5}$, so AC is shortest.

(b) $\cos \angle BAC = (\vec{AB} \cdot \vec{AC}) / (\|\vec{AB}\| \|\vec{AC}\|) = ((4-2)(2-2) + (2-2)(3-2) + (1-2)(1-2)) / (\sqrt{5}\sqrt{2}) = 1/\sqrt{10}$.

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$$\begin{aligned} \cos \angle BDC &= \frac{\vec{DB} \cdot \vec{DC}}{\|\vec{DB}\| \|\vec{DC}\|} = \frac{(\frac{1}{2}\vec{AB}) \cdot (\frac{1}{2}\vec{OC})}{\|\frac{1}{2}\vec{AB}\| \|\frac{1}{2}\vec{OC}\|} = \frac{\vec{AB} \cdot \vec{OC}}{\|\vec{AB}\| \|\vec{OC}\|} \\ &= \frac{(80\vec{i} + 200\vec{j} + 25\vec{k}) \cdot (-80\vec{i} + 200\vec{j} + 25\vec{k})}{80^2 + 200^2 + 25^2} = \frac{34225}{47025} \approx 0.7278 \end{aligned}$$

24. The component of \vec{w} in the direction of \vec{v} has length $(\vec{v} \cdot \vec{w}) / \|\vec{v}\| = (2(5) + 6(1)) / \sqrt{2^2 + 6^2} \approx 2.5 < 5$ km/hr, so the results will not be disqualified.

28. $((\vec{b} \cdot \vec{c})\vec{a} - (\vec{a} \cdot \vec{c})\vec{b}) \cdot \vec{c} = (\vec{b} \cdot \vec{c})(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{c}) - (\vec{a} \cdot \vec{c})(\vec{b} \cdot \vec{c}) = 0$