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Three Dimensional Vector Basics

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2) $\overrightarrow{AB}$ where $A = (0, -2, -1)$ $B = (-2, -3, 7)$

Write each vector as a linear combination.

3) $\overrightarrow{RS}$ where $R = (9-, 9, 4-)$ $S = (8, 9, 7)$

4) $\overrightarrow{CD}$ where $C = (1, -8, -7)$ $D = (1, 1, 0)$

Find the magnitude of each vector.

5) $\vec{v}2 = \vec{i}\,7 + \vec{j}\,5 + \vec{k}$

6) $\overrightarrow{RS}$ where $R = (6, 5, -8)$ $S = (1, 3, -9)$

7) $\vec{u} = \langle -4, -6, 9 \rangle$

8) $\vec{u} = -7\vec{i} - \vec{j} - \vec{k}$

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$11\vec{i} + 17\vec{k}$

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5) $\vec{v} = 2\vec{i} + 7\vec{j} + 5\vec{k}$

$\sqrt{78} \approx 8.832$

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$\sqrt{30} \approx 5.477$

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$\sqrt{133} \approx 11.533$

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$\sqrt{51} \approx 7.141$

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Multiple Answers:
$A = (-7, 6, -4)$ $B = (1, 5, -2)$

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$x = \pm 4, y = \pm 4, z = \pm 2$
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