

# More Vector Practice!

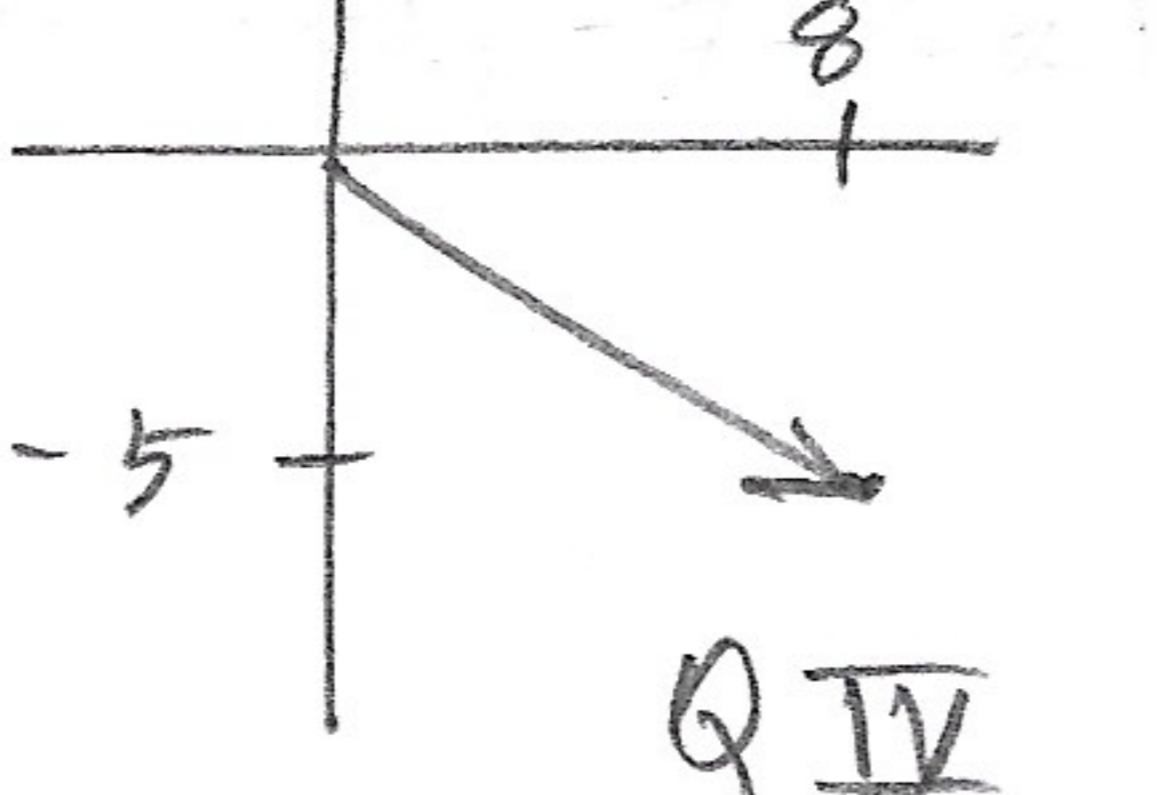
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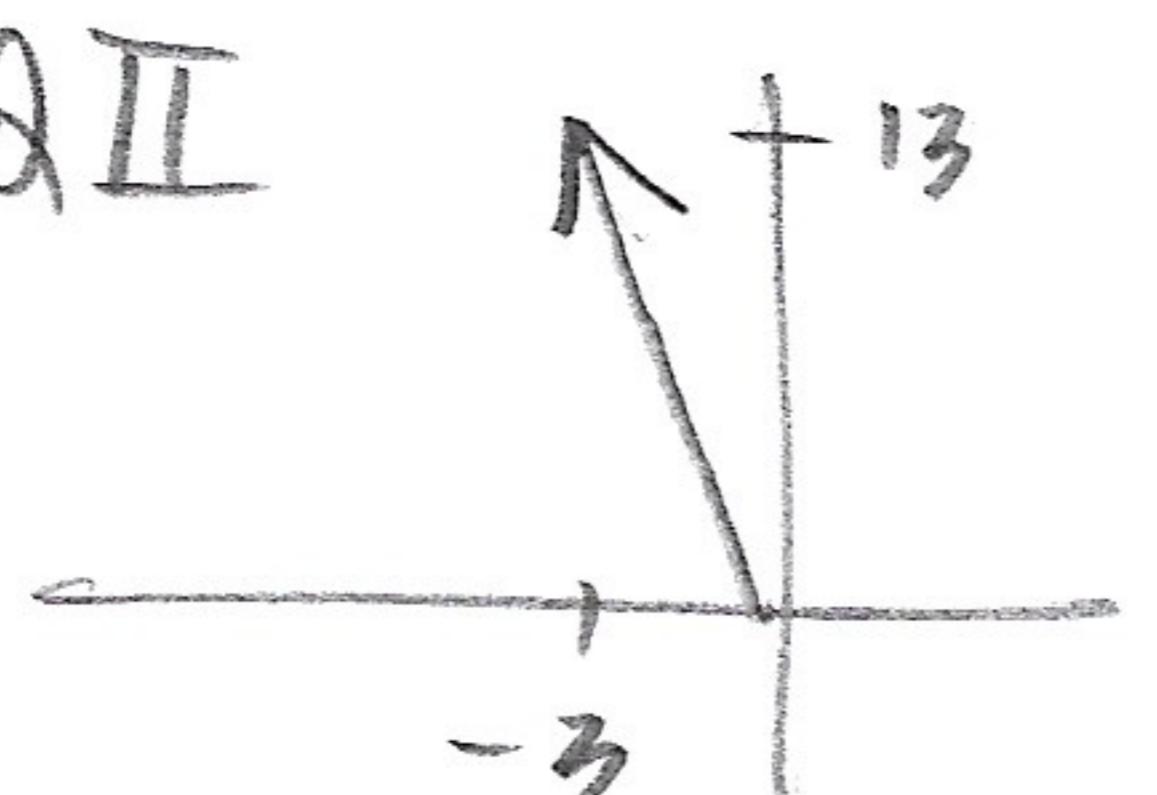
For each of the following vectors, find ...

... component form, sum of unit vectors form, sketch in standard position, magnitude, and direction.

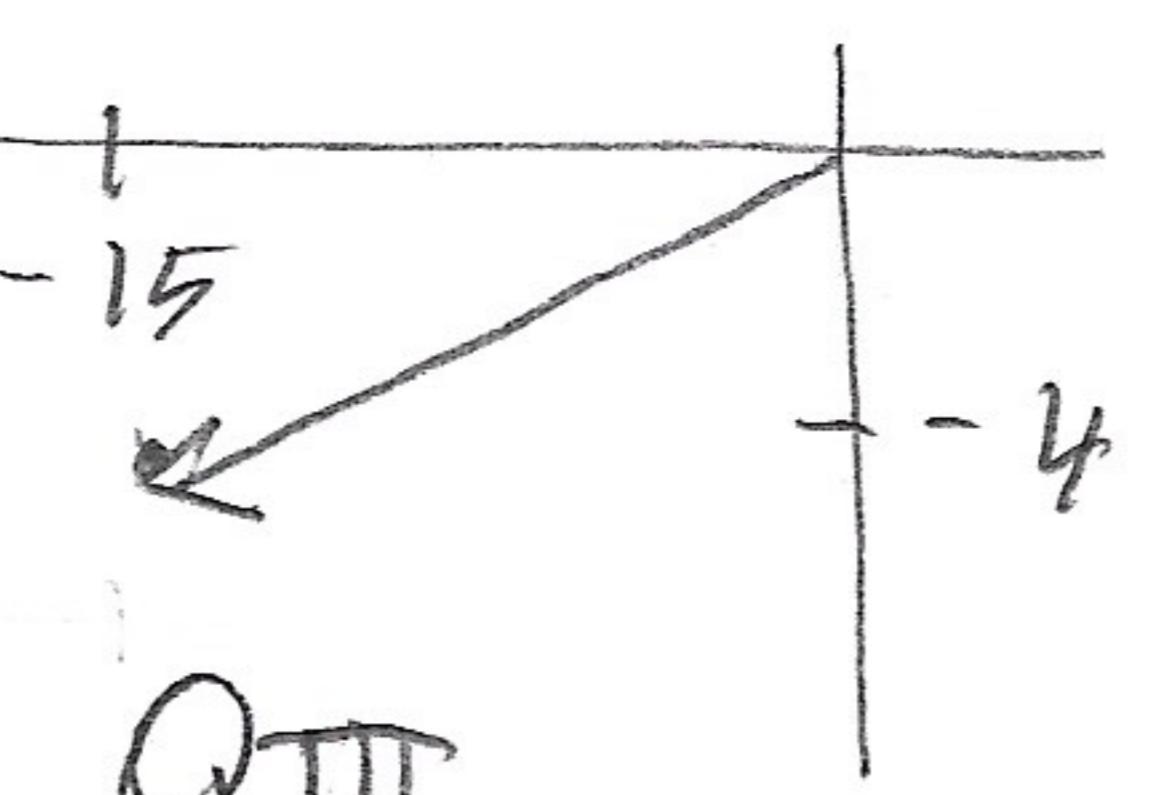
1. Point S is at  $(-3, -2)$  and T is at  $(5, -7)$ . Find  $\overrightarrow{ST}$ .  $\langle 5 - (-3), -7 - (-2) \rangle$

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| a. component form<br>$\langle 8, -5 \rangle$    | c. sketch in standard position<br> | d. magnitude (nearest hundredth)<br>$\sqrt{64 + 25} = \sqrt{89} = 9.43$ | e. direction (nearest hundredth)<br>$\theta' = \tan^{-1}(-\frac{5}{8}) = 32.01^\circ$<br>$\theta = 360^\circ - 32.01^\circ = 327.99^\circ$ |
| b. sum of unit vectors<br>$8\vec{i} - 5\vec{j}$ |   |   |  |

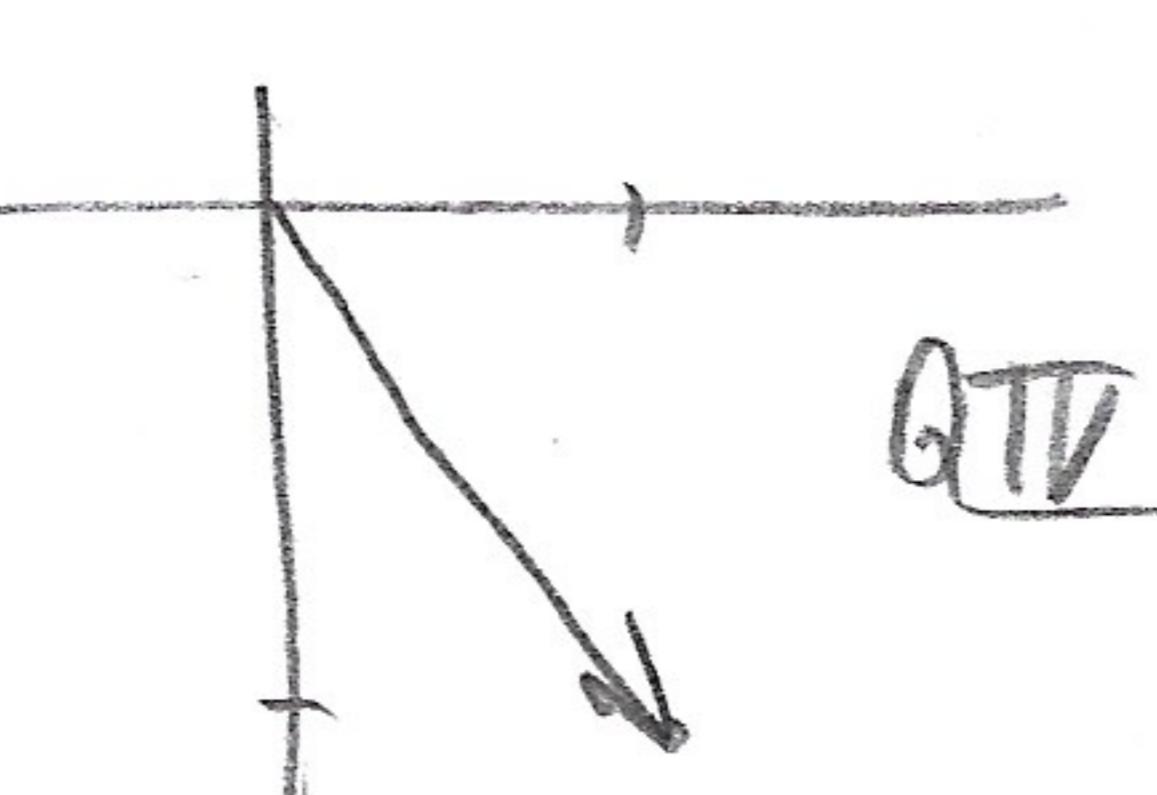
2. Point F is at  $(-5, 2)$  and G is at  $(-8, 15)$ . Find  $\overrightarrow{FG}$ .  $\langle -8 - (-5), 15 - 2 \rangle$

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| a. component form<br>$\langle -3, 13 \rangle$     | c. sketch in standard position<br> | d. magnitude (nearest hundredth)<br>$\sqrt{9 + 169} = \sqrt{178} = 13.34$ | e. direction (nearest hundredth)<br>$\theta' = \tan^{-1}(-\frac{13}{3}) = 77.01^\circ$<br>$\theta = 180^\circ - 77.01^\circ = 102.99^\circ$ |
| b. sum of unit vectors<br>$-3\vec{i} + 13\vec{j}$ |   |   |   |

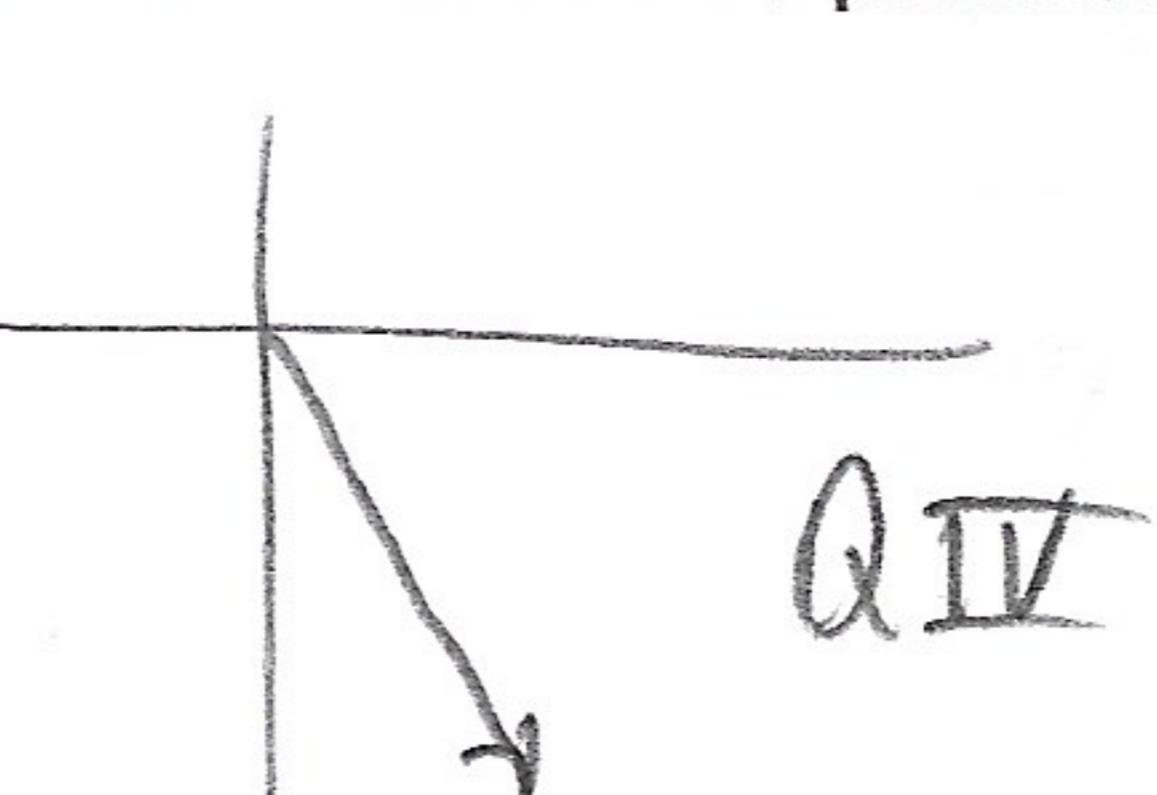
3. Point J is at  $(6, -7)$  and K is at  $(-9, -11)$ . Find  $\overrightarrow{JK}$ .  $\langle -9 - 6, -11 - (-7) \rangle$

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| a. component form<br>$\langle -15, -4 \rangle$    | c. sketch in standard position<br> | d. magnitude (nearest hundredth)<br>$\sqrt{225 + 16} = \sqrt{241} = 15.52$ | e. direction (nearest hundredth)<br>$\theta' = \tan^{-1}(\frac{4}{15}) = 14.93^\circ$<br>$\theta = 180^\circ + 14.93^\circ = 194.93^\circ$ |
| b. sum of unit vectors<br>$-15\vec{i} - 4\vec{j}$ |   |  |  |

4. Point L is at  $(0, 6)$  and M is at  $(2, 2)$ . Find  $\overrightarrow{LM}$ .  $\langle 2 - 0, 2 - 6 \rangle$

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| a. component form<br>$\langle 2, -4 \rangle$    | c. sketch in standard position<br> | d. magnitude (nearest hundredth)<br>$\sqrt{4 + 16} = \sqrt{20} = 4.47$ | e. direction (nearest hundredth)<br>$\theta' = \tan^{-1}(-2) = 63.43^\circ$<br>$\theta = 360^\circ - 63.43^\circ = 296.57^\circ$ |
| b. sum of unit vectors<br>$2\vec{i} - 4\vec{j}$ |   |  |  |

5. Point Q is at  $(1.9, -4.7)$  and R is at  $(6.8, -12.3)$ . Find  $\overrightarrow{QR}$ .  $\langle 6.8 - 1.9, -12.3 - (-4.7) \rangle$

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| a. component form<br>$\langle 4.9, -7.6 \rangle$    | c. sketch in standard position<br> | d. magnitude (nearest hundredth)<br>$\sqrt{4.9^2 + (-7.6)^2} = \sqrt{81.77} = 9.04$ | e. direction (nearest hundredth)<br>$\theta' = \tan^{-1}(-\frac{7.6}{4.9}) = 57.19^\circ$<br>$\theta = 360^\circ - 57.19^\circ = 302.81^\circ$ |
| b. sum of unit vectors<br>$4.9\vec{i} - 7.6\vec{j}$ |   |   |  |

Find: a)  $-\frac{1}{2}\vec{u} - 5\vec{v}$  and b)  $-3\vec{u} + 6\vec{v}$  for each of the following.

Write your answer in the form of the given vectors.

6.  $\vec{u} = \langle 4, -4 \rangle$  and  $\vec{v} = \langle 6, 9 \rangle$

a)  $-\frac{1}{2}\langle 4, -4 \rangle - 5\langle 6, 9 \rangle$

$$= \langle -2, 2 \rangle + \langle -30, -45 \rangle = \boxed{\langle -32, -43 \rangle}$$

b)  $-3\langle 4, -4 \rangle + 6\langle 6, 9 \rangle$

$$= \langle -12, 12 \rangle + \langle 36, 54 \rangle = \boxed{\langle 24, 66 \rangle}$$

7.  $\vec{u} = 2\vec{i} - 3\vec{j}$  and  $\vec{v} = -\vec{i} + 5\vec{j}$

a)  $-\frac{1}{2}\langle 2, -3 \rangle - 5\langle -1, 5 \rangle$

$$= \left\langle -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2} \right\rangle + \langle 5, -25 \rangle$$

$$= \left\langle -1, \frac{3}{2} \right\rangle + \left\langle 5, -\frac{50}{2} \right\rangle = \boxed{4\vec{i} - \frac{47}{2}\vec{j}}$$

b)  $-3\langle 2, -3 \rangle + 6\langle -1, 5 \rangle$

$$= \langle -6, 9 \rangle + \langle -6, 30 \rangle$$

$$= \boxed{-12\vec{i} + 39\vec{j}}$$

For the following find the unit vector in the direction of the given vector.

Use simplified radicals, not decimals.

8.  $\vec{v} = \langle -3, 9 \rangle$

9.  $\vec{v} = \langle 8, 2 \rangle$

$$\|\vec{v}\| = \sqrt{9+81} = \sqrt{90} = 3\sqrt{10}$$

$$\|\vec{v}\| = \sqrt{64+4} = \sqrt{68} = 2\sqrt{17}$$

$$\vec{u} = \frac{\langle -3, 9 \rangle}{3\sqrt{10}} = \left\langle \frac{-3}{3\sqrt{10}}, \frac{9}{3\sqrt{10}} \right\rangle$$

$$\vec{u} = \frac{\langle 8, 2 \rangle}{2\sqrt{17}} = \left\langle \frac{8}{2\sqrt{17}}, \frac{2}{2\sqrt{17}} \right\rangle$$

$$= \left\langle -\frac{1}{\sqrt{10}}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} \right\rangle = \boxed{\left\langle -\frac{\sqrt{10}}{10}, \frac{3\sqrt{10}}{10} \right\rangle}$$

$$= \boxed{\left\langle \frac{4\sqrt{17}}{17}, \frac{\sqrt{17}}{17} \right\rangle}$$

10.  $\vec{w} = \langle -5, 5 \rangle$

11.  $\vec{w} = 3\vec{i} + 3\vec{j}$

$$\|\vec{w}\| = \sqrt{25+25} = \sqrt{50} = 5\sqrt{2}$$

$$\|\vec{w}\| = \sqrt{9+9} = \sqrt{18} = 3\sqrt{2}$$

$$\vec{u} = \frac{\langle -5, 5 \rangle}{5\sqrt{2}} = \left\langle \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right\rangle$$

$$\vec{u} = \frac{\langle 3, 3 \rangle}{3\sqrt{2}} = \left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right\rangle = \boxed{\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\vec{i} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\vec{j}}$$

$$= \boxed{\left\langle -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right\rangle}$$

12.  $\vec{v} = -\frac{1}{2}\vec{i} + \frac{3}{2}\vec{j}$

13.  $\vec{w} = -7\vec{j}$

$$\|\vec{v}\| = \sqrt{\frac{1}{4} + \frac{9}{4}} = \sqrt{\frac{10}{4}} = \frac{\sqrt{10}}{2}$$

$$\|\vec{w}\| = \sqrt{0+49} = \sqrt{49} = 7$$

$$\vec{u} = \frac{\langle -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2} \rangle}{\frac{\sqrt{10}}{2}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{10}} \langle -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2} \rangle = \left\langle \frac{-1}{\sqrt{10}}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} \right\rangle$$

$$\vec{u} = \frac{\langle 0, -7 \rangle}{7} = \langle 0, -1 \rangle = \boxed{-\vec{j}}$$

1)  $\langle 8, -5 \rangle$ ; 9.43;  $327.99^\circ$

2)  $\langle -3, 13 \rangle$ ; 13.34;  $102.99^\circ$

3)  $\langle -15, -4 \rangle$ ; 15.52;  $194.93^\circ$

4)  $\langle 2, -4 \rangle$ ; 4.47;  $296.57^\circ$

5)  $\langle 4.9, -7.6 \rangle$ ; 9.04;  $302.81^\circ$

6)  $\langle -32, -43 \rangle$ ;  $\langle 24, 66 \rangle$

7)  $4\vec{i} - \frac{47}{2}\vec{j}$ ;  $-12\vec{i} + 39\vec{j}$

8)  $\left\langle \frac{-\sqrt{10}}{10}, \frac{3\sqrt{10}}{10} \right\rangle$

9)  $\left\langle \frac{4\sqrt{17}}{17}, \frac{\sqrt{17}}{17} \right\rangle$

10)  $\left\langle \frac{-\sqrt{2}}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right\rangle$

11)  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\vec{i} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\vec{j}$

12)  $-\frac{\sqrt{10}}{10}\vec{i} + \frac{3\sqrt{10}}{10}\vec{j}$

13)  $-\vec{j}$