

5. The square-based pyramid  $P$  has vertices  $A, B, C, D$  and  $E$ . The position vectors of  $A, B, C$  and  $D$  are  $\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{c}$  and  $\mathbf{d}$  respectively where

$$\mathbf{a} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 8 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{c} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{d} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- (a) Find the vectors  $\overrightarrow{AB}, \overrightarrow{AC}, \overrightarrow{AD}, \overrightarrow{BC}, \overrightarrow{BD}$  and  $\overrightarrow{CD}$ .

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- (b) Find

- (i) the length of a side of the square base of  $P$ ,
- (ii) the cosine of the angle between one of the slanting edges of  $P$  and its base,
- (iii) the height of  $P$ ,
- (iv) the position vector of  $E$ .

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A second pyramid, identical to  $P$ , is attached by its square base to the base of  $P$  to form an octahedron.

- (c) Find the position vector of the other vertex of this octahedron.

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