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PLANE

Classical Thinking

1. The vector equation of a plane which is at a unit form the origin and which is normal to the vector $\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$ is

A. $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) = 1$

B. $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) = \sqrt{14}$

C. $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) = 1$

D. $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) = \sqrt{14}$

Answer: B



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2. The normal from of the vector equation $\bar{r} \cdot (3\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) = 14$ is

A. $\bar{r} \cdot \left(\frac{3}{\sqrt{17}}\hat{i} - \frac{2}{\sqrt{17}}\hat{j} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{17}}\hat{k} \right) = 12$

B. $\bar{r} \cdot (3\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) = \frac{12}{\sqrt{17}}$

C. $\bar{r} \cdot \left(\frac{3}{\sqrt{17}}\hat{i} - \frac{2}{\sqrt{17}}\hat{j} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{17}}\hat{k} \right) = \frac{12}{\sqrt{17}}$

D. $\bar{r} \cdot (3\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) = 12$

Answer: C



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3. The direction cosines of normal to the plane

$$\bar{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + \hat{k}) + 9 = 0$$

A. 2, -3, 1

B. $\frac{2}{9\sqrt{14}}, \frac{-3}{9\sqrt{14}}, \frac{1}{9\sqrt{14}}$

C. $\frac{2}{9}, \frac{-3}{9}, \frac{1}{9}$

D. $\frac{2}{\sqrt{14}}, \frac{-3}{\sqrt{14}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{14}}$

Answer: D



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4. If $lx+my+nz=p$ is equation of a plane in normal form, then

A. $l^2 + m^2 + n^2 = 1$

B. l, m, n are direction cosines of normal to the plane

C. $p > 0$

D. All above

Answer: D



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5. Equation of XY-plane is

A. $z=0$

B. $x=0$

C. $y=0$

D. $ax + by + d = 0$

Answer: A



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6. The direction cosines of any normal to the plane XY-plane are

A. 0,0,1

B. 1,0,0

C. 1,1,0

D. 0,1,0

Answer: A



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7. If plane $ax + y + z = 7$ has equal intercepts on axes, then a is equal to

A. 7

B. $\frac{1}{7}$

C. 1

D. $\frac{1}{5}$

Answer: C



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8. Equation of plane passing through point (1,-1,2) and making equal intercepts on co-ordinate axes is

A. $x+y+z=1$

B. $x-y+2z=6$

C. $x+y+z=2$

D. $x+y+2z=6$

Answer: C



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9. The vector equation of the plane perpendicular to the vector $3\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$ and passing through a point having position vector $\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$ is

A. $\bar{r} \cdot (3\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) - 7 = 0$

B. $\bar{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) - 7 = 0$

$$C. \vec{r} \cdot (3\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) + 7 = 0$$

$$D. \vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) + 7 = 0$$

Answer: A

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10. The equation of a plane passing through (0,1,-3) and having 1,2,4 as direction ratios of normal to the plane is

$$A. \vec{r} \cdot (\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) = -10$$

$$B. \vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}) = -10$$

$$C. \vec{r} \cdot (\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) = 10$$

$$D. \vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}) = 10$$

Answer: B

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11. The equation of a plane passing through $(2,-1,1)$ and perpendicular to the line joining $(2,3,-1)$ and $(1,2,1)$ is

A. $x+y+2z-3=0$

B. $x-y+2z+3=0$

C. $x-y+2z+1=0$

D. $x+y-2z+1=0$

Answer: D



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12. The equation of the plane passing through $(3,2,-1)$ and normal to the line joining the points $(2,1,2)$ and $(4,3,-1)$ is

A. $2x+2y+3z=13$

B. $2x+2y+z=13$

C. $2x+2y-3z=13$

D. $4x+4y-6z=14$

Answer: C



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13. The line drawn from points $(4,-1,2)$ to the points $(-3,2,3)$ meets a plane at right angle at the points $(-10,5,4)$, then the equation of plane is

A. $7x - 3y + z + 89 = 0$

B. $7x - 3y - z + 89 = 0$

C. $7x + 3y + z + 89 = 0$

D. $7x - y + 3z = 89$

Answer: B



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14. If $(1,2,-3)$ is the foot of the perpendicular drawn from origin on a plane, then equation of that plane is

A. $x + 2y - 3z = 14$

B. $x - 2y + 3z = 14$

C. $x - 2y - 3z = 14$

D. $x - 3y - 2z = 7$

Answer: A



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15. The coordinate of the foot of perpendicular drawn from origin to a plane is $(2,4,-3)$. The equation of the plane is

A. $2x - 4y - 3z = 29$

B. $2x - 4y + 3z = 29$

C. $2x + 4y - 3z = 29$

$$D. 2x + 4y + 3z = 29$$

Answer: C



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16. The vector equation of the plane passing through a point having position vector $\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}$ and parallel to the vectors $2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}$ and $\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$ is

A. $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} - 4\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}) = 7$

B. $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) = 7$

C. $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} - 4\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}) = -7$

D. $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} - 4\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) = 7$

Answer: D



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17. The equation of plane passing through $(0,1,2)$ and parallel to the vectors $3\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}$ and $-\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 5\hat{k}$ is

A. $x+2y+z+4=0$

B. $x-2y-z-4=0$

C. $x-2y-z+4=0$

D. $x+2y-z+4=0$

Answer: C



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18. The equation of plane passing through $(1,2,-1)$ and containing the lines whose direction ratios are $2,1,3$ and $4,1,2$

A. $x-5y+z+10=0$

B. $x-5y-z+10=0$

C. $x+5y+z+10=0$

D. $x+5y-z-10=0$

Answer: A



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19. The equation of the plane passing through the point $(1, -3, -2)$ and perpendicular to the planes $x + 2y + 2z = 5$ and $3x + 3y + 2z = 8$ is -

A. $2x+4y+3z+16=0$

B. $2x-4y-3z+8=0$

C. $2x-4y+3z-8=0$

D. $2x+4y-3z+16=0$

Answer: C



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20. The vector equation of the plane $\bar{r} = (3\hat{i} + \hat{j}) + \lambda(-\hat{j} + \hat{k}) + \mu(\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k})$ in scalar product form is

A. $\bar{r} \cdot (-5\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}) = -14$

B. $\bar{r} \cdot (3\hat{i} + \hat{j}) = 14$

C. $\bar{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) = 14$

D. $\bar{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 14$

Answer: A



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21. The equation of plane passing through the points (1,2,-3),(3,1,0) and (0,1,1) is

A. $\bar{r} \cdot (\hat{i} - 11\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) = 14$

B. $\bar{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 11\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) = 14$

$$C. \bar{r} \cdot (\hat{i} - 11\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) = -14$$

$$D. \bar{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 11\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) = -14$$

Answer: B

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22. vector equation of the plane passing through the points $(1, -2, 5)$, $(0, -5, -1)$ and $(-3, 5, 0)$ is

$$A. \bar{r} \cdot (3\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 4$$

$$B. \bar{r} \cdot (3\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}) + 4 = 0$$

$$C. \bar{r} \cdot (3\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}) + 4 = 0$$

$$D. \bar{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 4$$

Answer: B

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23. The vector equation of a plane passing through three points

$\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$, $2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}$ and $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$ is

A. $\vec{r} \cdot (9\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 14$

B. $\vec{r} \cdot (9\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 14$

C. $\vec{r} \cdot (9\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 14$

D. $\vec{r} \cdot (9\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 7$

Answer: B



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24. The equation of plane passing through $(4,1,2)$, $(1,-1,0)$ and origin is

A. $2x+2y+5z+10=0$

B. $2x+2y-5z-10=0$

C. $2x+2y+5z=0$

D. $2x+2y-5z=0$

Answer: D



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25. Find the cartesian equation of plane passing through the points $(1, 1, 1)$, $(1, -1, 1)$ and $(-7, -3, -5)$.

A. $3x-4y+1=0$

B. $3x+4y+1=0$

C. $3x-4z+1=0$

D. $3x-4y-1=0$

Answer: C



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26. The vector of the plane passing through the intersection of the planes $\bar{r} \cdot (\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) = 3$ and $\bar{r} \cdot (3\hat{i} - \hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 4$ is

A. $\bar{r} \cdot (\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) = 3 + 4\lambda$

B. $\bar{r} \cdot (3\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) = 3 + 4\lambda$

C. $\bar{r} \cdot [(1 + 3\lambda)\hat{i} - (1 + \lambda)\hat{j} + (2 - \lambda)\hat{k}] = 3 + 4\lambda$

D. $\bar{r} \cdot [(1 + 3\lambda)\hat{i} - (1 + \lambda)\hat{j} + (2 - \lambda)\hat{k}] = 3 - 4\lambda$

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27. The equation of the plane through the intersection of the planes $\bar{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) = -3$, $\bar{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 4$ and the point (1,1,1) is

A. $\bar{r} \cdot (10\hat{i} + 11\hat{j} + 12\hat{k}) = 39$

B. $\bar{r} \cdot (10\hat{i} + 11\hat{j} + 12\hat{k}) = 33$

C. $\bar{r} \cdot (11\hat{i} + 10\hat{j} - 12\hat{k}) = 46$

$$D. \bar{r} \cdot (10\hat{i} + 11\hat{j} + 12\hat{k}) = 23$$

Answer: B

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28. The vector equation of the plane passing through the intersection of the planes $\bar{r} \cdot (3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j}) = 1$ and $\bar{r} \cdot (\hat{i} - \hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 4$ and the point (1,2,-1) is

A. $\bar{r} \cdot (11\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}) = 11$

B. $\bar{r} \cdot (11\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} - 5\hat{k}) = 11$

C. $\bar{r} \cdot (11\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}) = 22$

D. $\bar{r} \cdot (11\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - 5\hat{k}) = 22$

Answer: D

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29. The equation of the plane through the intersection of the planes

$x + y + z = 1$ and $2x + 3y - z + 4 = 0$ and parallel to x-axis is

A. $y - 3z - 6 = 0$

B. $y - 3z + 6 = 0$

C. $y - z - 1 = 0$

D. $y - z + 1 = 0$

Answer: B



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30. Equation of plane parallel to plane $2x + 4y + 2z = 5$ and passing through the point $(1, 2, 3)$ is

A. $2x + 4y + 2z = 1$

B. $x + 2y + z = 8$

C. $x + 2y + z = 4$

D. $x+y+z=16$

Answer: B



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31. The equation of the plane through the origin and parallel to the plane $3x - 4y + 5z - 6 = 0$ is (A) $3x - 4y - 5z - 6 = 0$ (B) $3x - 4y + 5z + 6 = 0$ (C) $3x - 4y_5z = 0$ (D) $3x + 4y - 5z + 6 = 0$

A. $3x-4y+5z=0$

B. $3x+4y-5z+6=0$

C. $3x-4y+5z+6=0$

D. $3x-4y-5z=6$

Answer: A



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32. Equation of plane parallel to ZX-plane and passing through the point (0,2,0) is

A. $x=2$

B. $y=2$

C. $z=2$

D. $x+y=1$

Answer: B



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33. Equation of the plane passing through (-1,3,4) and parallel to YZ-plane is

A. $y=3$

B. $z=4$

C. $x+1=0$

D. $y+z=3$

Answer: C

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34. The equation of a plane parallel to x-axis is

A. $ax+by+cz+d=0$

B. $ax+by+d=0$

C. $by+cz+d=0$

D. $ax+cz+d=0$

Answer: C

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35. The equation of the plane passing through (α, β, γ) and parallel to $ax+by+cz=0$ is

A. $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} + \frac{z}{c} = \frac{a}{\alpha} + \frac{b}{\beta} + \frac{c}{\gamma}$

B. $ax + by + cz - \alpha x - \beta y + \gamma z = 0$

C. $ax + by + cz = a\alpha - b\beta + c\gamma$

D. $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} + \frac{z}{c} = a\alpha + b\beta + c\gamma$

Answer: C



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36. The equation of the plane passing through the origin and containing

the line $\frac{x-1}{5} = \frac{y-2}{4} = \frac{z-3}{5}$ is (A) $x + 5y - 3z = 0$ (B)

$x - 5y + 3z = 0$ (C) $x - 5y - 3z = 0$ (D) $3x - 10y + 5z = 0$

A. $x+y-z=0$

B. $x-5y+3z=0$

C. $x+5y-5z=0$

D. $2x+5y-6z=0$

Answer: B

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37. The equation to the perpendicular from the point (α, β, γ) to the plane $ax + by + cz + d = 0$ is

A. $a(x - \alpha) + b(y - \beta) + c(z - \gamma) = 0$

B. $\frac{x - \alpha}{a} = \frac{y - \beta}{b} = \frac{z - \gamma}{c}$

C. $a(x - \alpha) + b(y - \beta) + c(z - \gamma) = abc$

D. $\frac{x - a}{\alpha} = \frac{y - b}{\beta} = \frac{z - c}{\gamma}$

Answer: B

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38. Equation of the line passing through (1,1,1) and perpendicular to $2x - 3y + z = 5$ is

A. $\frac{x - 1}{-1} = \frac{y - 1}{1} = \frac{z - 1}{1}$

B. $\frac{x - 1}{1} = \frac{y - 1}{3} = \frac{z - 1}{2}$

C. $\frac{x - 1}{3} = \frac{y - 1}{3} = \frac{z - 1}{1}$

D. $\frac{x - 1}{-1} = \frac{y - 1}{1} = \frac{z - 1}{1}$

Answer: D



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39. The equation of the line passing through the point (1, 1, -1) and perpendicular to the plane $x - 2y - 3z = 7$ is :

A. $\frac{x - 1}{-1} = \frac{y + 1}{2} = \frac{z + 1}{3}$

B. $\frac{x - 1}{-1} = \frac{y - 1}{-2} = \frac{z + 1}{3}$

C. $\frac{x - 1}{1} = \frac{y - 1}{-2} = \frac{z + 1}{-3}$

$$D. \frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y+2}{-1} = \frac{z-3}{-1}$$

Answer: C



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40. Equation of a line passing through point (1,2,3) and perpendicular to YZ-plane is

$$A. \frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y-1}{1} = \frac{z-3}{0}$$

$$B. \frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y-2}{0} = \frac{z-3}{0}$$

$$C. \frac{x-1}{0} = \frac{y-2}{1} = \frac{z-3}{1}$$

$$D. \frac{x-1}{0} = \frac{y-2}{0} = \frac{z-3}{1}$$

Answer: B



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41. Equation of a line passing through point (1,2,3) and parallel to XZ-plane is

A. $\frac{x - 1}{a} = \frac{y - 2}{0} = \frac{z - 3}{0}$

B. $\frac{x - 1}{0} = \frac{y - 2}{b} = \frac{z - 3}{c}$

C. $\frac{x - 1}{a} = \frac{y - 2}{b} = \frac{z - 3}{0}$

D. $\frac{x - 1}{a} = \frac{y - 2}{0} = \frac{z - 3}{c}$

Answer: D



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42. Equation of the line passing through (1, 1, 1) and parallel to the plane $2x + 3y + z + 5 = 0$ is

A. $\frac{x - 1}{-1} = \frac{y - 1}{1} = \frac{z - 1}{-1}$

B. $\frac{x - 1}{1} = \frac{y - 1}{3} = \frac{z - 1}{2}$

C. $\frac{x - 1}{3} = \frac{y - 1}{2} = \frac{z - 1}{1}$

D. $\frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y-1}{2} = \frac{z-1}{1}$

Answer: A



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43. The value of k such that $\frac{x-4}{1} = \frac{y-2}{1} = \frac{z-k}{2}$ lies in the plane $2x - 4y = z = 7$ is a. 7 b. -7 c. no real value d. 4

A. 7

B. -7

C. no real value

D. 4

Answer: A



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44. The angle between the planes

$$\vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 6 \text{ and } \vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) = 5 \text{ is}$$

A. $\frac{\pi}{6}$

B. $\frac{\pi}{4}$

C. $\frac{\pi}{3}$

D. $\frac{\pi}{2}$

Answer: C



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45. The angle between the planes $x+2y-3z+5=0$ and $4x+y+2z+3=0$ is

A. 0

B. $\frac{\pi}{4}$

C. $\frac{\pi}{3}$

D. $\frac{\pi}{2}$

Answer: D

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46. Two planes $\bar{r}_1 \cdot \bar{n}_1 = p_1$ and $\bar{r}_2 \cdot \bar{n}_2 = p_2$ are parallel if

A. $\bar{n}_1 \cdot \bar{n}_2 = 1$

B. $\bar{n}_1 \cdot \bar{n}_2 = 0$

C. $\bar{n}_1 = \lambda \bar{n}_2$

D. $\bar{n}_1 - \bar{n}_2 = 0$

Answer: C

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47. If the angle between the normal to the planes is $\frac{\pi}{2}$, then

A. $\bar{n}_1 \cdot \bar{n}_2 = 1$

B. $\bar{n}_1 \cdot \bar{n}_2 = 0$

C. $\bar{n}_1 = \lambda \bar{n}_2$

D. $\bar{n}_1 - \bar{n}_2 = 0$

Answer: B



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48. If planes $ax + by + cz + d = 0$ and $a'x + b'y + c'z + d' = 0$ are perpendicular, then

A. $aa' + b + b' + dd' = 0$

B. $aa' + b + b' = 0$

C. $\frac{a}{a'} = \frac{b}{b'} = \frac{c}{c'}$

D. $\frac{a}{a'} + \frac{b}{b'} + \frac{c}{c'} = 0$

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49. In space $2y+3z=0$ represents

- A. a plane passing through X-axis
- B. a plane passing through Y-axis
- C. a plane passing through Z-axis
- D. none of these

Answer: A



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50. The angle between the line $\vec{r} = (2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + \hat{k}) + \lambda(\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - \hat{k})$ and the plane $\vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 4$ is

- A. $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)$
- B. $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{6}\right)$

C. $\frac{\pi}{3}$

D. $\frac{\pi}{4}$

Answer: B



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51. The acute angle between the line

$\vec{r} = (3\hat{i} - \hat{j} - \hat{k}) + \lambda(\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k})$ and the plane $\vec{r} \cdot (3\hat{i} - 4\hat{k}) = 4$ is

A. $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{5\sqrt{3}}\right)$

B. $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{-1}{5\sqrt{3}}\right)$

C. $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{5\sqrt{3}}\right)$

D. $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{-1}{5\sqrt{3}}\right)$

Answer: A



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52. The angle between the line $\frac{x}{2} = \frac{y}{3} = \frac{z}{4}$ and the plane $3x+2y-3z=4$ is

A. 45°

B. 0°

C. $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{24}{\sqrt{29}\sqrt{22}}\right)$

D. 90°

Answer: B



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53. Find the angle between the line $\frac{x+1}{3} = \frac{y-1}{2} = \frac{z-1}{4}$ and the plane $2x + y - 3z + 4 = 0$.

A. 30°

B. $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{4}{\sqrt{406}}\right)$

C. $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{-4}{\sqrt{406}}\right)$

D. 60°

Answer: C

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54. The angle between the plane $ax+by+cz+d=0$ and the line

$$\frac{x-1}{a} = \frac{y-2}{b} = \frac{z-3}{c} \text{ is}$$

A. 45°

B. 60°

C. 90°

D. $\cos^{-1} \frac{c}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}}$

Answer: C

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55. The angle between the line $6x=4y=3z$ and the plane $3x+2y-3z=4$ is

A. 45°

B. 0°

C. 90°

D. $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{24}{\sqrt{27}\sqrt{22}}\right)$

Answer: B



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56. The line $\frac{x - x_1}{a_1} = \frac{y - y_1}{b_1} = \frac{z - z_1}{c_1}$ is parallel to the plane $ax+by+cz+d=0$ if

A. $\frac{a_1}{a} = \frac{b_1}{b} = \frac{c_1}{c}$

B. $aa_1 + b_1 + c_1 = 1$

C. $aa_1 + b_1 + c_1 = 0$

$$D. a_1b_1c_1 = a_2b_2c_2$$

Answer: C

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57. If the line $\vec{r} = \hat{i} + \lambda(2\hat{i} - m\hat{j} - 3\hat{k})$ is parallel to the plane $\vec{r} \cdot (m\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 0$, then m is equal to

A. 3

B. -3

C. 1

D. -1

Answer: B

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58. IF the line $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y+1}{3} = \frac{z}{4}$ and origin lie on the plane $4x+4y-kz=0$, then $k=$

A. 1

B. 3

C. 5

D. 7

Answer: C



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59. The distance of the point $(2,3,4)$ from the plane

$$\vec{r} \cdot (3\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 6\hat{k}) = 5 \text{ is}$$

A. $\frac{18}{7}$

B. $\frac{19}{7}$

C. $\frac{17}{7}$

D. $\frac{16}{7}$

Answer: B



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60. Distance of plane $x+y+z=3$ from origin is

A. 3

B. $\sqrt{3}$

C. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

D. $\frac{1}{3}$

Answer: B



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61. What is the distance of the point (2,3,4) from the plane $3x - 6y + 2z + 11 = ?$

A. 9

B. 10

C. 2

D. 1

Answer: D



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62. A plane makes 2,1,-2 intercepts on co-ordinate axes. Its distance from the origin is

A. 3

B. $\frac{1}{3}$

C. $\frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}$

D. $\sqrt{6}$

Answer: C



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63. If a plane cuts intercepts -6,3,4 on the co-ordinate axes, then the length of the perpendicular from the origin to the plane is

A. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{61}}$

B. $\frac{13}{\sqrt{61}}$

C. $\frac{12}{\sqrt{29}}$

D. $\frac{5}{\sqrt{41}}$

Answer: C



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64. If the distance of the point $(1,1,1)$ from the origin is half its distance from the plane $x + y + z + k = 0$, then k is equal to

A. ± 3

B. ± 6

C. $-3, 6$

D. $3, -9$

Answer: D



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65. If the points $(1, 1, \lambda)$ and $(-3, 0, 1)$ are equidistant from the plane, $3x + 4y - 12z + 13 = 0$, then λ satisfies the equation

A. 0

B. 1

C. 2

D. 3

Answer: B



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66. The distance between the line $\frac{x-1}{3} = \frac{y+2}{-2} = \frac{z-1}{2}$ and the plane $2x+2y-z=6$ is

A. 9

B. 1

C. 2

D. 3

Answer: D



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67. Show that the distance between planes

$$2x - 2y + z + 3 = 0 \text{ and } 4x - 4y + 2z + 5 = 0 \text{ is } \frac{1}{6}$$

A. $\frac{1}{11}$

B. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}$

C. $\frac{1}{12}$

D. $\frac{1}{6}$

Answer: D



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68. Find the distance between the planes $x + 2y + 3z + 7 = 0$ and

$$2x + 4y + 6z + 7 = 0.$$

A. $\frac{\sqrt{7}}{2\sqrt{2}}$

B. $\frac{7}{2}$

C. $\frac{\sqrt{7}}{2}$

D. $\frac{7}{2\sqrt{2}}$

Answer: A



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69. The equation of the planes which contains lines

$$\frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y+2}{2} = \frac{z-3}{1} \text{ and } \frac{x-4}{1} = \frac{y}{2} = \frac{z+1}{1} \text{ is}$$

A. $10x - 7y + 4z - 36 = 0$

B. $10x + 7y - 4z + 36 = 0$

C. $10x - 7y - 4z - 36 = 0$

D. $10x - 7y - 4z + 36 = 0$

Answer: A



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70. The equation of the plane containing lines

$$\bar{r} = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - \hat{k} + \lambda(\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - \hat{k}) \quad \text{and} \quad \bar{r} = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - \hat{k} + \mu(\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 3\hat{k})$$

is

A. $\bar{r} \cdot (7\hat{i} - 4\hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 0$

B. $7(x - 1) - 4(y - 1) - (z + 3) = 0$

C. $\bar{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) = 0$

D. $\bar{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 0$

Answer: A



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Critical Thinking

1. A variable plane passes through a fixed point (α, β, γ) and meets the axes at A , B , and C . show that the locus of the point of intersection of

the planes through A, B and C parallel to the coordinate planes is

$$\alpha x^{-1} + \beta y^{-1} + \gamma z^{-1} = 1.$$

A. $\frac{a}{x} + \frac{b}{y} + \frac{c}{z} = 2$

B. $\frac{a}{x} + \frac{b}{y} + \frac{c}{z} = 1$

C. $\frac{a}{x} + \frac{b}{y} + \frac{c}{z} = -2$

D. $\frac{a}{x} + \frac{b}{y} + \frac{c}{z} = -1$

Answer: B



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2. Equation of a plane passing through $(1,1,1)$ and containing X-axis is

A. $x-y=0$

B. $x-z=0$

C. $y-z=0$

D. $x+y+z=3$

Answer: C



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3. Equation of the plane passing through points (1,-1,3) and (2,3,-4) and parallel to X-axis is

A. $7y+4z+5=0$

B. $7y+4z-5=0$

C. $7y-4z-5=0$

D. $7y-4z+5=0$

Answer: B



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4. The equation of plane passing through mid-point of the joining $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}$ and $-\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 6\hat{k}$ and perpendicular to it is

A. $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} - 5\hat{k}) - 10 = 0$

B. $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} - 5\hat{k}) + 10 = 0$

C. $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 5\hat{k}) - 10 = 0$

D. $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 5\hat{k}) + 10 = 0$

Answer: D



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5. Equation of the plane passing through point $P(a,b,c)$ and perpendicular to OP is

A. $ax + by + cz = a + b + c$

B. $ax + by + cz = a^2 + b^2 + c^2$

C. $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} + \frac{z}{c} = 3$

D. $ax + by + cz = (a + b + c)^2$

Answer: B



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6. Equation of the plane which bisects the line segment joining $(-1, 2, 3)$ and $(3, -5, 6)$ perpendicularly, is

A. $4x + 2y - 3z = 28$

B. $4x - 7y - 3z = 28$

C. $4x - 7y + 3z = 28$

D. $4x - 7y - 3z = 8$

Answer: C



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7. The intercepts made on the axes by the plane the which bisects the line joining the points $(1, 2, 3)$ and $(-3, 4, 5)$ at right angles are a.

$\left(-\frac{9}{2}, 9, 9\right)$ b. $\left(\frac{9}{2}, 9, 9\right)$ c. $\left(9, -\frac{9}{2}, 9\right)$ d. $\left(9, \frac{9}{2}, 9\right)$

A. $\left(-\frac{9}{2}, 9, 9\right)$

B. $\left(\frac{9}{2}, 9, 9\right)$

C. $\left(9, -\frac{9}{2}, 9\right)$

D. $\left(9, -\frac{9}{2}, 9\right)$

Answer: A



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8. The equation of the plane through the points $(2,-1,0)$, $(3,-4,5)$ parallel to a line with direction cosines proportional to $2,3,4$ is $9x-2y-3z=k$, where k is

A. 20

B. -20

C. 10

D. -10

Answer: A



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9. If the vector equation of a plane passing through three points $(1, 0, z_1)$, $(1, -1, 1)$, and $(4, -3, 2)$ is $\bar{r} \cdot (-\hat{i} + 3\hat{k}) = 2$, then the value of z_1 is

A. 0

B. 1

C. -1

D. 3

Answer: B



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10. The equation of the plane passing through the points $(3, 2, -1)$, $(3, 4, 2)$ and $(7, 0, 6)$ is $5x + 3y - 2z = \lambda$, where λ is :

A. 23

B. 21

C. 19

D. 27

Answer: A



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11. The equation of the plane which contains the origin and the line of intersection of the plane $\vec{r} \cdot \vec{a} = d_1$ and $\vec{r} \cdot \vec{b} = d_2$ is

A. $\vec{r} \cdot (p\vec{a} - q\vec{b}) = 0$

B. $\vec{r} \cdot (q\vec{a} - p\vec{b}) = 0$

C. $\vec{r} \cdot (p\vec{a} + q\vec{b}) = 0$

$$D. \bar{r} \cdot (q\bar{a} + p\bar{b}) = 0$$

Answer: B

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12. The line of intersection of the planes $\bar{r} \cdot (3\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 1$ and $\bar{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}) = 2$ is parallel to the vector

A. $-2\hat{i} - 7\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$

B. $2\hat{i} + 7\hat{j} - 13\hat{k}$

C. $2\hat{i} + 7\hat{j} + 13\hat{k}$

D. $-2\hat{i} + 7\hat{j} + 13\hat{k}$

Answer: D

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13. The equation of the plane through the intersection of plane $x+2y+3z-4=0$ and $2x+y-z+5=0$ and perpendicular to plane $5x+3y-6z+8=0$ is

A. $33x + 45y + 50z - 41 = 0$

B. $33x + 50y + 45z - 41 = 0$

C. $33x + 45y + 50z + 41 = 0$

D. $45x + 33y + 50z - 41 = 0$

Answer: A



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14. The equation of a plane passing through origin and perpendicular to the line $x=2y=3z$ is

A. $x+2y+3z=0$

B. $3x+2y+z=0$

C. $6x+3y+2z=0$

D. $6x-3y+2z=0$

Answer: C



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15. The equation of the plane passing through Z-axis and perpendicular to line $\frac{x-1}{\cos \theta} = \frac{y+2}{\sin \theta} = \frac{z-3}{0}$ is

A. $y + x \tan \theta = 0$

B. $x + y \tan \theta = 0$

C. $y + z \tan \theta = 0$

D. $x + z \tan \theta = 0$

Answer: B



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16. Equation of plane which contains the line $\frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y-2}{3} = \frac{z-3}{2}$ and which is perpendicular to the plane $2x+7y+5z=2$, is

A. $x + y + z = 6$

B. $-x + y + z = 2$

C. $2x - y + z = 3$

D. $x - y + z = 2$

Answer: D



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17. The equation of the plane passing through $A(x_1, y_1, z_1)$ and containing the line $\frac{x-x_2}{d_1} = \frac{y-y_2}{d_2} = \frac{z-z_2}{d_3}$ is

A.
$$\begin{vmatrix} x + x_1 & y + y_1 & z + z_1 \\ x_2 + x_1 & y_2 + y_1 & z_2 + z_1 \\ d_1 & d_2 & d_3 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

B.
$$\begin{vmatrix} x - x_1 & y - y_1 & z - z_1 \\ x_2 - x_1 & y_2 - y_1 & z_2 - z_1 \\ d_1 & d_2 & d_3 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\text{C. } \begin{vmatrix} x - d_1 & y - d_2 & z - d_3 \\ x_1 & y_1 & z_1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & z_2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\text{D. } \begin{vmatrix} x & y & z \\ x_1 - x_2 & y_1 - y_2 & z_1 - z_2 \\ d_1 & d_2 & d_2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

Answer: B

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18. Find the equation of a line passing through the point $(2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} - 5\hat{k})$ and perpendicular to the plane $\vec{r} \cdot (6\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}) + 2 = 0$. Also find the point of intersection of this line and the plane.

$$\text{A. } \vec{r} = 6\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 5\hat{k} + \lambda(2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - 5\hat{k})$$

$$\text{B. } \vec{r} = (6\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}) + \lambda(2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} - 5\hat{k})$$

$$\text{C. } \vec{r} = (2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} - 5\hat{k}) + \lambda(6\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - 5\hat{k})$$

$$\text{D. } \vec{r} = (2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} - 5\hat{k}) + \lambda(6\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 5\hat{k})$$

Answer: D



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19. Find the vector equation of a line passing through $3\hat{i} - 5\hat{j} + 7\hat{k}$ and perpendicular to the plane $3x - 4y + 5z = 8$.

A. $\bar{r} = 3\hat{i} - 5\hat{j} + 7\hat{k} + \lambda(3\hat{i} - 4\hat{j} + 5\hat{k})$

B. $\bar{r} = 3\hat{i} - 4\hat{j} + 5\hat{k} + \lambda(3\hat{i} - 5\hat{j} + 7\hat{k})$

C. $\bar{r} = 3\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} - 7\hat{k} + \lambda(3\hat{i} - 4\hat{j} - 5\hat{k})$

D. $\bar{r} = 3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 5\hat{k} + \mu(3\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} + 7\hat{k})$

Answer: A



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20. The equation of a line passing through point (1,2,3) and perpendicular to the plane $x+2y-5z+9=0$ are

$$\text{A. } \frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y-2}{2} = \frac{z-3}{-5}$$

$$\text{B. } \frac{x+1}{1} = \frac{y+2}{2} = \frac{z+3}{-5}$$

$$\text{C. } \frac{x+1}{1} = \frac{y+2}{2} = \frac{z+3}{3}$$

$$\text{D. } \frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y-2}{-2} = \frac{z-3}{5}$$

Answer: A



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21. The equation of the line passing through $(1, 2, 3)$ and parallel to the planes $x - y + 2z = 5$ and $3x + y + z = 6$ is.

$$\text{A. } \frac{x-1}{-3} = \frac{y-2}{5} = \frac{z-3}{4}$$

$$\text{B. } \frac{x+3}{1} = \frac{y-5}{2} = \frac{z-4}{4}$$

$$\text{C. } \frac{x-3}{1} = \frac{y-5}{2} = \frac{z-4}{3}$$

$$\text{D. } \frac{x-1}{3} = \frac{y-2}{5} = \frac{z-3}{4}$$

Answer: A



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22. If the angle between the planes $\bar{r} \cdot (x\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 4$ and $\bar{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + x\hat{j} + \hat{k}) = -1$ is $\frac{\pi}{3}$, then the value of x is

A. 2

B. 0

C. -2

D. 4

Answer: A



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23. For any four points $O(0,0,0), P(1,2,1), Q(2,3,0), R(0,1,-1)$, the angle between the planes OPQ and PQR is

A. $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{5}{\sqrt{28}}\right)$

B. $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{5}{\sqrt{28}}\right)$

C. $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{5}{\sqrt{14}}\right)$

D. $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{5}{\sqrt{14}}\right)$

Answer: A



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24. The active angle between the plane $2x+3y-z+7=0$ and X-axis is

A. $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{14}}\right)$

B. $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{-2}{\sqrt{14}}\right)$

C. $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{14}}\right)$

D. $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{-2}{\sqrt{14}}\right)$

Answer: C



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25. If the angle between the line $\frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y-2}{k} = \frac{z+3}{4}$ and the plane $x-3y+2z+5=0$ is $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{7\sqrt{6}}\right)$, the value of k is

A. 2

B. -2

C. 1

D. -1

Answer: A



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26. Equation of a line and plane are respectively $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y}{3} = \frac{z-3}{2}$ and $4x-2y-z=1$. Then

A. line is parallel to the plane

B. line is perpendicular to the plane

C. line lies in the plane

D. none of these

Answer: C



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27. Equation of a line and a plane are respectively

$$\frac{x+3}{2} = \frac{y-4}{3} = \frac{z+5}{1} \text{ and } 2x-3y+5z=1. \text{ Then}$$

A. line lies in the plane

B. line is parallel to the plane

C. line is perpendicular to the plane

D. none of these

Answer: B



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28. If line $\frac{x-3}{2} = \frac{y-4}{3} = \frac{z-5}{4}$ lies in the plane $4x+4y-cz-d=0$, then values of c,d are

- A. 5,3
- B. 4,8
- C. -4, -8
- D. -5, -3

Answer: A

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29. If the line $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-1}{3} = \frac{z+2}{2}$ lies in the plane $x+By-3z+D=0$, then the values of B and D are

- A. $\frac{4}{3}, \frac{-25}{3}$
- B. $\frac{-4}{3}, \frac{-25}{3}$

C. $\frac{3}{4}, \frac{25}{4}$

D. $\frac{-3}{4}, \frac{-25}{4}$

Answer: A

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30. Find the vector equation of the plane in which the lines

$$\vec{r} = \hat{i} + \hat{j} + \lambda(\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - \hat{k}) \text{ and } \vec{r} = (\hat{i} + \hat{j}) + \mu(-\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 2\hat{k})$$

lie.

A. $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 0$

B. $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 0$

C. $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 0$

D. $\vec{r} \cdot (-\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 0$

Answer: D

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31. The equation of the plane containing lines

$$\frac{x}{1} = \frac{y-2}{2} = \frac{z+3}{3} \text{ and } \frac{x-2}{2} = \frac{y-6}{3} = \frac{z-3}{4} \text{ is}$$

A. $x-2y+z+7=0$

B. $x-2y+z=7$

C. $x+2y-z=7$

D. $x-2y+z=0$

Answer: A



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32. Find the equation of the plane containing the lines

$$\frac{x-5}{4} = \frac{y-7}{4} = \frac{z+3}{-5} \text{ and } \frac{x-8}{7} = \frac{y-4}{1} = \frac{z-5}{3}.$$

A. $17x-47y-24z+172=0$

B. $17x+47y-24z+172=0$

C. $17x+47y+24z+172=0$

D. $17x-47y+24z+172=0$

Answer: A

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33. The plane containing lines $\frac{x+1}{3} = \frac{y+3}{5} = \frac{z+5}{7}$ and $\frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y-4}{4} = \frac{z-6}{7}$ passes through

A. (0,0,0)

B. (1,0,1)

C. (1,-1,1)

D. (-1,1,0)

Answer: A

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34. If lines $\frac{x+l}{3} = \frac{y+3}{5} = \frac{z+5}{7}$ and $\frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y-4}{3} = \frac{z-6}{5}$ are coplanar, then l is equal to

- A. 0
- B. 1
- C. 2
- D. 3

Answer: B



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35. If the lines $\frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y-4}{4} = \frac{z-6}{k}$ and $\frac{x+1}{3} = \frac{y+3}{5} = \frac{z+5}{7}$ are coplanar, then the value of k is

- A. 7
- B. 3

C. -3

D. -7

Answer: A



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36. The lines $\frac{x-3}{1} = \frac{y-1}{2} = \frac{z-3}{-\lambda}$ and $\frac{x-1}{\lambda} = \frac{y-2}{3} = \frac{z-1}{4}$

are coplanar, if value of λ is

A. 2

B. 13

C. -13

D. no real value exists

Answer: D



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37. Lines $\frac{x}{1} = \frac{y-2}{2} = \frac{z+3}{3}$ and $\frac{x-2}{2} = \frac{y-6}{3} = \frac{z-3}{4}$ are

- A. parallel
- B. perpendicular
- C. coplanar
- D. non-coplanar

Answer: C



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38. If product of distance of point (1,2,-1) from planes $2x-3y+z+k=0$ and $x+2y+3z=0$ is 1, then k is equal to

- A. 12
- B. 14
- C. 10

D. 8

Answer: A



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39. If P_1 and P_2 are the lengths of the perpendicular from the points $(2,3,4)$ and $(1,1,4)$ respectively from the plane $3x-6y+2z+11=0$, then P_1 and P_2 are the roots of the equation

A. $P^2 - 23P + 7 = 0$

B. $7P^2 - 23P + 16 = 0$

C. $P^2 - 17P + 16 = 0$

D. $P^2 - 16P + 7 = 0$

Answer: B



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40. Find the equation of a plane which is parallel to the plane $x - 2y + 2z = 5$ and whose distance from the point $(1, 2, 3)$ is 1.

A. $x - 2y + 2z = 3$

B. $x - 2y + 2z + 3 = 0$

C. $x - 2y + 2z = 6$

D. $x - 2y + 2z + 6 = 0$

Answer: C



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41. Find the locus of a point, the sum of squares of whose distances from the planes $x - z = 0$, $x - 2y + z = 0$ and $x + y + z = 0$ is 36.

A. $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 6$

B. $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 36$

C. $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 216$

$$D. x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = \frac{1}{36}$$

Answer: B



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42. If p_1, p_2, p_3 denote the distance of the plane $2x-3y+4z+2=0$ from the planes $2x-3y+4z+6=0, 4x-6y+8z+3=0$ and $2x-3y+4z-6=0$ respectively, then

A. $p_1 + 8p_2 - p_3 = 0$

B. $p_2^3 = 16p_1^2$

C. $8p_2^2 = p_1^2$

D. $p_1 + 2p_2 + 3p_3 = \sqrt{29}$

Answer: A



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43. A plane meets the co-ordinate axes at A,B,C such that the centroid of the triangle is (3,3,3). The equation of the plane is

A. $9x + 9y + 9z = 1$

B. $x + y + z = 3$

C. $3x + 3y + 3z = 1$

D. $x + y + z = 9$

Answer: D



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44. A plane meets the co-ordinate axes at A,B,C and (α, β, γ) is the centroid of the triangle ABC. Then the equation of the plane is

A. $\alpha x + \beta y + \gamma z = 1$

B. $\frac{x}{\alpha} + \frac{y}{\beta} + \frac{z}{\gamma} = 1$

C. $\frac{x}{\alpha} + \frac{y}{\beta} + \frac{z}{\gamma} = 3$

$$D. \frac{3x}{\alpha} + \frac{3y}{\beta} + \frac{3z}{\gamma} = 1$$

Answer: C



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45. If plane $6x-3y+2z-18$ meets co-ordinate axes at points A,B,C, then centroid of $\triangle ABC$ is

A. (1,2,3)

B. (-1,2,3)

C. (1,-2,3)

D. (1,2,1)

Answer: C



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46. The plane $ax + by + cz = 1$ meets the coordinate axes in A, B, C .

The centroid of ΔABC is

A. $\left(\frac{a}{3}, \frac{b}{3}, \frac{c}{3}\right)$

B. $\left(\frac{3}{a}, \frac{3}{b}, \frac{3}{c}\right)$

C. $\left(\frac{1}{3a}, \frac{1}{3b}, \frac{1}{3c}\right)$

D. $(3a, 3b, 3c)$

Answer: C



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47. A plane a constant distance p from the origin meets the coordinate axes in A, B, C . Locus of the centroid of the triangle ABC is

A. $\frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{y^2} + \frac{1}{z^2} = \frac{1}{p^2}$

B. $\frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{y^2} + \frac{1}{z^2} = \frac{9}{p^2}$

C. $\frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{y^2} + \frac{1}{z^2} = \frac{2}{p^2}$

$$D. \frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{y^2} + \frac{1}{z^2} = \frac{4}{p^2}$$

Answer: B



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48. Foot of perpendicular of point (2,2,2) in the plane $x+y+z=9$ is

A. (1,1,1)

B. (3,3,3)

C. (9,0,0)

D. (2,6,1)

Answer: B



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49. The plane passing through the point $(5, 1, 2)$ perpendicular to the line $2(x - 2) = y - 4 = z - 5$ will meet the line in the point :

A. $(1, 2, 3)$

B. $(2, 3, 1)$

C. $(1, 3, 2)$

D. $(3, 2, 1)$

Answer: A



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50. The equation of the plane passing through the intersection of the planes $2x - 5y + z = 3$ and $x + y + 4z = 5$ and parallel to the plane $x + 3y + 6z = 1$ is $x + 3y + 6z = k$, where k is

A. 5

B. 3

C. 7

D. 2

Answer: C



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51. The plane $4x + 7y + 4z + 81 = 0$ is rotated through a right angle about its line of intersection with the plane $5x + 3y + 10z = 25$. If the equation of the plane in its new position is $x - 4y + 6z = K$, then the value of K is

A. 106

B. -89

C. 73

D. 37

Answer: A



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52. Equation of a plane bisecting the angle between the planes $2x - y + 2z + 3 = 0$ and $3x - 2y + 6z + 8 = 0$ is

A. $5x - y - 4z - 45 = 0$

B. $5x - y - 4z - 3 = 0$

C. $23x + 13y + 32z - 45 = 0$

D. $23x - 13y + 32z + 5 = 0$

Answer: B



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53. The line $\frac{x + 3}{3} = \frac{y - 2}{-2} = \frac{z + 1}{1}$ and the plane $4x + 5y + 3z - 5 = 0$ intersect at a point

A. (3,1,-2)

B. (3,-2,1)

C. (2,-1,3)

D. (-1,-2,-3)

Answer: B



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54. The point at which the line joining the points $(2, -3, 1)$ and $(3, -4, -5)$ intersects the plane $2x + y + z = 7$ is

A. (1,2,7)

B. (1,-2,7)

C. (-1,2,7)

D. (1,-2,-7)

Answer: B



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55. Find the distance of the point of intersection of the line $\frac{x-3}{1} = \frac{y-4}{2} = \frac{z-5}{2}$ and the plane $x + y + z = 17$ from the point $(3, 4, 5)$.

A. 3

B. $\frac{3}{2}$

C. $\sqrt{3}$

D. None of these

Answer: A



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56. The distance of the point $(1, -2, 3)$ from the plane $x - y + z = 5$ measured parallel to the line $\frac{x}{2} = \frac{y}{3} = \frac{z}{-6}$, is

A. $\frac{7}{6}$

B. $\frac{6}{7}$

C. 1

D. 2

Answer: C

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57. Equation of the plane parallel to the planes

$x + 2y + 3z - 5 = 0$, $x + 2y + 3z - 7 = 0$ and equidistant from them is

A. $x + 2y + 3z = 6$

B. $x + 2y + 3z = 1$

C. $x + 2y + 3z + 6 = 0$

D. $x + 2y + 3z + 1 = 0$

Answer: A

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58. Equation of plane equidistant from planes $3x+4y+5z-6=0$ and $3x+4y+5z+6=0$ is

A. $3x+4y+5z=0$

B. $3x+4y+5z=3$

C. $3x+4y+5z=12$

D. $4x+5y+3z=0$

Answer: A

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1. The vector equation of the plane which is at distance of $\frac{3}{\sqrt{14}}$ from the origin and the normal from the origin is $2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + \hat{k}$ is

A. $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 9$

B. $\vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} + \hat{k}) = 3$

C. $\vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 3$

D. $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 2\hat{j}) = 3$

Answer: C



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2. The equation of the plane through $(-1,1,2)$, whose normal makes equal acute angles with coordinate axes is

A. $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 2$

B. $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 6$

$$C. \bar{r} \cdot (3\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) = 2$$

$$D. \bar{r} \cdot (\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 3$$

Answer: A

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3. The direction cosines of the normal to the plane

$x + 2y - 3z + 4 = 0$ are

$$A. -\frac{1}{\sqrt{14}}, -\frac{2}{\sqrt{14}}, -\frac{-3}{\sqrt{14}}$$

$$B. \frac{1}{\sqrt{14}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{14}}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{14}}$$

$$C. -\frac{1}{\sqrt{14}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{14}}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{14}}$$

$$D. \frac{1}{\sqrt{14}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{14}}, -\frac{3}{\sqrt{14}}$$

Answer: D

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4. If the normal of the plane makes angles $\frac{\pi}{4}$, $\frac{\pi}{4}$ and $\frac{\pi}{2}$ with positive X-axis, Y-axis and Z-axis respectively and the length of the perpendicular line segment from origin to the plane is $\sqrt{2}$, then the equation of the plane is

A. $x + y + z = \sqrt{2}$

B. $x + y = 2$

C. $x + y + z = 1$

D. $x = \sqrt{2}$

Answer: C



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5. The equation of the plane through $(1, 2, -3)$ and $(2, -2, 1)$ and parallel to X-axis is

A. $y-z+1=0$

B. $y-z-1=0$

C. $y+z-1=0$

D. $y+z+1=0$

Answer: D



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6. The equation of the plane through $(2, 3, 4)$ and parallel to the plane

$x + 2y + 4z = 25$ is :

A. $x+2y+4z=10$

B. $x+2y+4z=3$

C. $x+y+2z=2$

D. $x+2y+4z=24$

Answer: D



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7. The equation of the plane passing through (2,3,4) and parallel to the plane $5x-6y+7z=3$ is

A. $5x-6y+7z+20=0$

B. $5x-6y+7z-20=0$

C. $-5x + 6y - 7z - 3 = 0$

D. $5x+6y+7z+3=0$

Answer: B



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8. The equation of plane passing through the point (1 ,2 ,3) and parallel to the plane $2x + 3y - 4z = 0$ is

A. $2x + 3y + 4z = 4$

B. $2x + 3y + 4z + 4 = 0$

C. $2x - 3y + 4z + 4 = 0$

D. $2x + 3y - 4z + 4 = 0$

Answer: D



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9. The intercepts of the plane $5x - 3y + 6z - 60 = 0$ on the coordinate axes are

A. (10,20,-10)

B. (10,-20,12)

C. (12,-20,10)

D. (12,20,-10)

Answer: C



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10. If the plane $x - 3y + 5z = d$ passes through the point $(1, 2, 4)$, then the intercepts cut by it on the axes of x, y, z are respectively-

- A. $(15, -5, 3)$
- B. $(1, -5, 3)$
- C. $(-15, 5, -3)$
- D. $(1, -6, 20)$

Answer: A



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11. A plane π makes intercepts 3 and 4 respectively on z -axis and x -axis. If π is parallel to y -axis, then its equation is (A) $3x - 4z = 12$ (B) $3z + 4z = 12$ (C) $3y + 4z = 12$ (D) $3z + 4y = 12$

A. $3x+4z=12$

B. $3z+4x=12$

C. $3y+4z=12$

D. $3z+4y=12$

Answer: A



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12. The equation of a plane which cuts equal intercepts of unit length on the axes is

A. $x+y+z=0$

B. $x+y+z=1$

C. $x+y-z=1$

D. $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{a} + \frac{z}{a} = 1$

Answer: B



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13. If a plane has x-intercept l , y-intercept m and z-intercept n , and perpendicular distance of plane from origin is k , then

A. $\frac{1}{l^2} + \frac{1}{m^2} + \frac{1}{n^2} = k^2$

B. $\frac{1}{l^2} + \frac{1}{m^2} + \frac{1}{n^2} = \frac{1}{k^2}$

C. $l^2 + m^2 + n^2 = \frac{1}{k^2}$

D. $l^2 + m^2 + n^2 = k^2$

Answer: B



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14. The equation of the plane which bisects the line joining $(2, 3, 4)$ and $(6, 7, 8)$

A. $x+y+z+15=0$

B. $x-y-z-15=0$

C. $x-y+z-15=0$

D. $x+y+z-15=0$

Answer: D



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15. If the foot of the perpendicular from $O(0, 0, 0)$ to a plane is $P(1, 2, 2)$. Then the equation of the plane is

A. $-x + 2y + 8z - 9 = 0$

B. $x+2y+2z-9=0$

C. $x+y+z-5=0$

D. $x+2y-3z+1=0$

Answer: B



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16. If the foot of the perpendicular drawn from the origin to a plane is $(1,2,3)$, then a point on the plane is

- A. $(3,2,1)$
- B. $(7,2,1)$
- C. $(7,3,-1)$
- D. $(6,-3,4)$

Answer: B



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17. Find the co-ordinate of the foot of the perpendicular drawn from the origin to the plane $5y+8z=0$

- A. $\left(0, \frac{8}{5}, 0\right)$
- B. $\left(0, -\frac{8}{5}, 0\right)$
- C. $\left(0, -\frac{18}{5}, 2\right)$

D. $\left(\frac{8}{25}, 0, 0\right)$

Answer: B



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18. If P be the point (2, 6, 3) then the equation of the plane through P, at right angles to OP, where 'O' is the origin is

A. $2x+6y+3z=7$

B. $2x-6y+3z=7$

C. $2x+6y-3z=49$

D. $2x+6y+3z=49$

Answer: D



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19. The equation of the plane passing through $(1,1,1)$ and $(1,-1,-1)$ and perpendicular to $2x - y + z + 5 = 0$ is (A) $2x + 5y + z - 8 = 0$ (B) $x + y - z - 1 = 0$ (C) $2x + 5y + z + 4 = 0$ (D) $x - y + z - 1 = 0$

A. $2x+5y+z-8=0$

B. $x+y-z-1=0$

C. $2x+5y+z+4=0$

D. $x-y+z-1=0$

Answer: B



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20. Equation of the plane through $(-2, 2, 2)$ and $(2, -2, -2)$ and perpendicular to the plane $x+2y-3z=7$ is

A. $5x+2y+3z=0$

B. $5x-2y+3z+8=0$

C. $5x-2y+3z-7=0$

D. $5x-2y-3z=0$

Answer: A



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21. The equation of the plane passing through the points $(0,1,2)$ and $(-1,0,3)$ and perpendicular to the plane $2x + 3y + z = 5$ is

A. $3x-4y+18z+32=0$

B. $3x+4y-18z+32=0$

C. $4x+3y-17z+31=0$

D. $4x-3y+z+1=0$

Answer: D



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22. The equation of the plane which passes through $(2,-3,1)$ and is normal to the line joining the points $(3,4,-1)$ and $(2,-1,5)$ is given by

A. $x+5y-6z+19=0$

B. $x-5y+6z-19=0$

C. $x+5y+6z+19=0$

D. $x-5y-6z-19=0$

Answer: A



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23. The equation of the plane passing through the point $(-10,5,4)$ and perpendicular to the line joining the points $(4,-1,2)$ and $(-3,2,3)$ is

A. $7x-3y-z+89=0$

B. $7x-3y-z-89=0$

C. $7x+3y-z+89=0$

D. $7x-3y+z-89=0$

Answer: A



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24. A plane Π passes through the point $(1,1,1)$. If b, c, a are the direction ratios of a normal to the plane where a, b, c ($a < b < c$) are the prime factors of 2001, then the equation of the plane Π is

A. $29x+31y+3z=63$

B. $23x+29y-29z=23$

C. $23x+29y+3z=55$

D. $31x+37y+3z=71$

Answer: C



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25. If \vec{a} , \vec{b} and \vec{c} are three non-coplanar vectors, then the vector equation $\vec{r} - (1 - p - q)\vec{a} + p\vec{b} + q\vec{c}$ represents a

- A. straight line
- B. plane
- C. plane passing through the origin
- D. sphere

Answer: B



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26. The equation of the plane that passes through the points (1,0,2), (1,1,2), (5,0,3) is

- A. $x+2y-4z+7=0$
- B. $x+2y-3z+7=0$
- C. $x-2y+4z+7=0$

D. $2y-4z-7+x=0$

Answer: A



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27. The equation of the plane passing through the points $(1,2,3)$, $(-1,4,2)$ and $(3,1,1)$ is

A. $5x+y+12z-23=0$

B. $5x+6y+2z=23$

C. $2x+6y+5z=7$

D. $x+y+z=13$

Answer: B



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28. If the plane passing through the points $(1,2,3)$, $(2,3,1)$ and $(3,1,2)$ is $ax+by+cz=1$ then $a+2b+3c=$

A. 0

B. 1

C. 6

D. 18

Answer: B



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29. The equation of the plane passing through the intersection of the planes $x + 2y + 3z + 4 = 0$ and $4x + 3y + 2z + 1 = 0$ and the origin is (A) $3x + 2y + z + 1 = 0$ (B) $3x + 2y + z = 0$ (C) $2x + 3y + z = 0$ (D) $x + y + z = 0$

A. $3x+2y+z+1=0$

B. $3x+2y+z=0$

C. $2x+3y+z=0$

D. $x+y+z=0$

Answer: B



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30. The equation of plane passing through $(2,1,0)$ and line of intersection of planes $x-2y+3z=4$ and $x-y+z=3$ is

A. $x+y-z+4=0$

B. $2x+y+z+1=0$

C. $x-z=2$

D. $x+y+z+1=0$

Answer: C



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31. Equation of the plane perpendicular to the line $\frac{x}{1} = \frac{y}{2} = \frac{z}{3}$ and passing through the point (2,3,4) is

A. $2x+3y+z=17$

B. $x+2y+3z=9$

C. $3x+2y+z=16$

D. $x+2y+3z=20$

Answer: D

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32. A plane which passes through the point (3,2,0) and the line

$\frac{x-4}{1} = \frac{y-7}{5} = \frac{z-4}{4}$ is (A) $x-y+z=1$ (B) $x+y+z=5$ (C) $x+2y-z=1$

(D) $2x-y+z=5$

A. $x-y+z=1$

B. $x+y+z=5$

C. $x+2y-z=0$

D. $2x-y+z=5$

Answer: A



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33. The equation of the plane through the point $(2,-1,-3)$ and parallel to the lines $\frac{x-1}{3} = \frac{y+2}{2} = \frac{z}{-4}$ and $\frac{x}{2} = \frac{y-1}{-3} = \frac{z-2}{2}$ is

A. $8x+14y+13z+37=0$

B. $8x-14y+13z+37=0$

C. $8x+14y-13z+37=0$

D. $8x+14y+13z-37=0$

Answer: A



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34. Let the line $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y-1}{-5} = \frac{z+2}{2}$ lies in the plane $x + 3y - \alpha z + \beta = 0$. Then, (α, β) equals

A. $(6, -17)$

B. $(-6, 7)$

C. $(5, -15)$

D. $(-5, 5)$

Answer: B

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35. The angular between two planes $x + 2y + 2z = 3$ and $-5x + 3y + 4z = 9$ is

A. $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{3\sqrt{2}}{10}\right)$

B. $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{19\sqrt{2}}{30}\right)$

C. $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{9\sqrt{2}}{20}\right)$

D. $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{3\sqrt{2}}{5}\right)$

Answer: A



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36. The angle between the planes $3x-4y+5z=0$ and $2x-y-cz=5$ is

A. $\frac{\pi}{3}$

B. $\frac{\pi}{2}$

C. $\frac{\pi}{6}$

D. $\frac{\pi}{4}$

Answer: B



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37. The locus represented by $xy + yz = 0$ is

- A. a pair of perpendicular lines
- B. a pair of parallel lines
- C. a pair of parallel planes
- D. a pair of perpendicular planes

Answer: D



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38. If the angle between the planes

$$\bar{r} \cdot (m\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) + 3 = 0 \text{ and } \bar{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} - m\hat{j} - \hat{k}) - 5 = 0 \text{ is } \frac{\pi}{3},$$

then $m =$

- A. 2
- B. ± 3
- C. 3

D. -2

Answer: C



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39. IF planes $\vec{r} \cdot (p\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) + 3 = 0$ and $\vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} - p\hat{j} - \hat{k}) - 5 = 0$ include angle $\frac{\pi}{3}$ then the value of p is

A. 1, -3

B. $-1, 3$

C. -3

D. 3

Answer: D



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40. The d,r,s of normal to the plane through (1,0,0),(0,1,0) which makes an angle $\frac{\pi}{4}$ with plane $x+y=3$, are

A. $1, \sqrt{2}, 1$

B. $1, 1, \sqrt{2}$

C. $1,1,2$

D. $\sqrt{2}, 1, 1$

Answer: B



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41. If the planes $x + 2y + kz = 0$ and $2x + y - 2z = 0$, are at right angles, then the value of k is

A. $-\frac{1}{2}$

B. $\frac{1}{2}$

C. -2

D. 2

Answer: D



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42. The value of k for which the planes $3x - 6y - 2z = 7$ and $2x + y - kz = 5$ are perpendicular to each other is

A. 0

B. 1

C. 2

D. 3

Answer: A



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43. If the planes $3x - 2y + 2z + 17 = 0$ and $4x + 3y - kz = 25$ are mutually perpendicular, then $k =$

A. 3

B. -3

C. 9

D. -6

Answer: A



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44. The equation of the plane through $(4,4,0)$ and perpendicular to the planes $2x+y+2z+3=0$ and $3x+3y+2z-8=0$ is

A. $4x+3y+3z=28$

B. $4x-2y-3z=8$

C. $4x+2y+3z=24$

$$D. 4x+2y-3z=24$$

Answer: B



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45. Angle between the line $\vec{r} = (2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}) + \lambda(-\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k})$ and the plane $\vec{r} \cdot (3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 4$ is

A. $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{84}}\right)$

B. $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{-2}{\sqrt{84}}\right)$

C. $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{-2}{\sqrt{42}}\right)$

D. $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{-2}{\sqrt{14}}\right)$

Answer: C



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46. The sine of the angle between the straight line

$$\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y-3}{4} = \frac{z-4}{5} \text{ and the plane } 2x - 2y + z = 5 \text{ is}$$

A. $\frac{10}{6\sqrt{5}}$

B. $\frac{4}{5\sqrt{2}}$

C. $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{10}$

D. $\frac{2\sqrt{3}}{5}$

Answer: C



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47. If the angle θ between the line $\frac{x+1}{1} = \frac{y-1}{2} = \frac{z-2}{2}$ and the plane $2x - y + \sqrt{\lambda}z + 4 = 0$ is such that $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{3}$. The value of λ is

A. $\frac{-4}{3}$

B. $\frac{3}{4}$

C. $\frac{-3}{5}$

D. $\frac{5}{3}$

Answer: D



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48. The plane $2x - 3y + 6z - 11 = 0$ makes an angle $\sin^{-1}(\alpha)$ with X-axis. The value of *alphah* is

A. $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

B. $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}$

C. $\frac{2}{7}$

D. $\frac{3}{7}$

Answer: C



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49. If the angle between the line $x = \frac{y-1}{2} = \frac{z-3}{\lambda}$ and the plane $x + 2y + 3z = 4$ is $\cos^{-1}\left(\sqrt{\frac{5}{14}}\right)$, then λ equals

A. $\frac{2}{3}$

B. $\frac{3}{2}$

C. $\frac{2}{5}$

D. $\frac{5}{3}$

Answer: A



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50. The value of λ for which the straight line $\frac{x-\lambda}{3} = \frac{y-1}{2+\lambda} = \frac{z-3}{-1}$ may lie on the plane $x-2y=0$ is

A. 1

B. 0

C. $-\frac{1}{2}$

D. there is no such λ

Answer: C

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51. The line $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y-3}{4} = \frac{z-4}{5}$ is parallel to the plane

A. $3x+4y+5z=7$

B. $2x+y-2z=0$

C. $x+y-z=2$

D. $2x+3y+4z=0$

Answer: B

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52. The condition that the line $\frac{x - x_1}{l} = \frac{y - y_1}{m} = \frac{z - z_1}{n}$ lies in the plane $ax + by + cz + d = 0$ is

A. $\frac{a}{l} = \frac{b}{m} = \frac{c}{n}$

B. $al + bm + cn = 0$

C. $\frac{a}{l} = \frac{b}{m} = \frac{c}{n} = 0$

D. None of these

Answer: B



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53. Value of k such that the line

$\frac{x - 4}{1} = \frac{y - 2}{1} = \frac{z - k}{2}$ lies in the plane $2x - 4y + z = 7$ is

A. -7

B. 4

C. -4

D. 7

Answer: D



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54. If the line, $\frac{x-3}{2} = \frac{y+2}{-1} = \frac{z+4}{3}$ lies in the plane, $lx + my - z = 9$, then $l^2 + m^2$ is equal to: (1) 26 (2) 18 (3) 5 (4) 2

A. 18

B. 5

C. 2

D. 26

Answer: C



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55. The condition that the line $\frac{x - x_1}{l} = \frac{y - y_1}{m} = \frac{z - z_1}{n}$ lies in the plane $ax + by + cz + d = 0$ is

- A. $l=0$
- B. $m=0$
- C. $n=0$
- D. $l=0, m=0$

Answer: C

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56. If $P(3, 2, 6)$ is a point in space and Q be a point on the line $\vec{r} = (\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) + \mu(-3\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 5\hat{k})$. Then the value of μ for which the vector PQ is parallel to the plane $x - 4y + 3z = 1$, is :

- A. $\frac{1}{4}$
- B. $-\frac{1}{4}$

C. $\frac{1}{8}$

D. $-\frac{1}{8}$

Answer: A



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57. The equation of plane containing intersecting lines

$$\frac{x+3}{3} = \frac{y}{1} = \frac{z-2}{2} \text{ and } \frac{x-3}{4} = \frac{y-2}{2} = \frac{z-6}{3} \text{ is.....}$$

A. $x+2y-2z+9=0$

B. $2x-y+z+9=0$

C. $x+y+z+5=0$

D. $x+y-2z+7=0$

Answer: D



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58.

The

lines

$$\frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y-3}{1} = \frac{z-4}{-k} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{x-1}{k} = \frac{y-4}{2} = \frac{z-5}{1}$$

are

coplanar, if

A. $k=3$ or -3

B. $k=0$ or -1

C. $k=1$ or -1

D. $k=0$ or -3

Answer: D


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59. If planes $x - cy - bz = 0$, $cx - y + az = 0$ and $bx + ay - z = 0$ pass through a straight line then $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 =$

A. $1 - abc$

B. $abc - 1$

C. $1 - 2abc$

D. $2abc - 1$

Answer: C



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60. IF for a plane the intercepts on the coordinate axes are 8,4,4 then

the length of the perpendicular from the origin on to the plane is (A) $\frac{8}{3}$

(B) $\frac{3}{8}$ (C) 3 (D) $\frac{4}{3}$

A. $\frac{8}{3}$

B. $\frac{3}{8}$

C. 3

D. $\frac{4}{3}$

Answer: A



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61. Two system of rectangular axes have the same origin. If a plane cuts them at distance a, b, c and a', b', c' from the origin, then:

A. $\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} + \frac{1}{c^2} - \frac{1}{a'^2} - \frac{1}{b'^2} - \frac{1}{c'^2} = 0$

B. $\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} + \frac{1}{c^2} + \frac{1}{a'^2} + \frac{1}{b'^2} + \frac{1}{c'^2} = 0$

C. $\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} - \frac{1}{c^2} + \frac{1}{a'^2} + \frac{1}{b'^2} - \frac{1}{c'^2} = 0$

D. $\frac{1}{a^2} - \frac{1}{b^2} - \frac{1}{c^2} + \frac{1}{a'^2} - \frac{1}{b'^2} - \frac{1}{c'^2} = 0$

Answer: A



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62. The perpendicular distance of the point $P(6, 7, 8)$ from xy-plane is a.

8 b. 7 c. 6 d. 10

A. 8

B. 7

C. 6

D. 5

Answer: A



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63. Length of the perpendicular from the point $(-6, 2, 3)$ on the plane $3x - 6y + 2z + 10 = 0$ is

A. 2

B. $\frac{13}{7}$

C. $\frac{10}{7}$

D. $\frac{8}{7}$

Answer: A



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64. If the distance of points $2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + \lambda\hat{k}$ from the plane $r \cdot (3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 6\hat{k}) = 13$ is 5 units, then $\lambda =$

A. $6, -\frac{17}{3}$

B. $6, \frac{17}{3}$

C. $-6, -\frac{17}{3}$

D. $-6, \frac{17}{3}$

Answer: A



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65. The distance between $(2,1,0)$ and $2x+y+2z+5=0$ is

A. 10

B. $\frac{10}{3}$

C. $\frac{10}{9}$

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66. The distance of the point $(1, 3, -7)$ from the plane passing through the point $(1, -1, -1)$, having normal perpendicular to both the lines $\frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y+2}{-2} = \frac{z-4}{3}$ and $\frac{x-2}{2} = \frac{y+1}{-1} = \frac{z+7}{-1}$ is:

(1) $\frac{5}{\sqrt{83}}$ (2) $\frac{10}{\sqrt{74}}$ (3) $\frac{20}{\sqrt{74}}$ (4) $\frac{10}{\sqrt{83}}$

A. $\frac{10}{\sqrt{74}}$

B. $\frac{20}{\sqrt{74}}$

C. $\frac{10}{\sqrt{83}}$

D. $\frac{5}{\sqrt{83}}$

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67. A plane is at a distance of 5 units from the origin and perpendicular to the vector $2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$. The equation of the plane is

A. $\vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 2\hat{k}) = 15$

B. $\vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 15$

C. $\vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) = 15$

D. $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) = 15$

Answer: C

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68. If the length of perpendicular drawn from origin on a plane is 7 units and its direction ratios are $-3, 2, 6$, then that plane is

A. $-3x + 2y + 6z - 7 = 0$

B. $-3x + 2y + 6z - 49 = 0$

C. $3x - 2y + 6z + 7 = 0$

D. $-3x + 2y - 6z - 49 = 0$

Answer: B



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69. A plane passes through $(1,2,1)$ and is perpendicular to two planes $2x - 2y + z = 0$ and $x - y + 2z = 4$. The distance of the plane from the point $(1,2,2)$ is

A. 0

B. 1

C. $\sqrt{2}$

D. $2\sqrt{2}$

Answer: D



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70. If L_1 is the line of intersection of the planes $2x - 2y + 3z - 2 = 0$
 $x - y + z + 1 = 0$ and L_2 is the line of the intersection of the planes
 $x + 2y - z - 3 = 0$ $3x - y + 2z - 1 = 0$ then the distance of the
origin from the plane containing the lines L_1 and L_2 is

A. $\frac{1}{3\sqrt{2}}$

B. $\frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}$

C. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

D. $\frac{1}{4\sqrt{2}}$

Answer: A



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71. The equation of a plane passing through the line of intersection of
the planes $x+2y+3z = 2$ and $x - y + z = 3$ and at a distance $2\sqrt{3}$ from the
point $(3, 1, 1)$ is (A) $5x - 11y + z = 17$ (B) $2x - y - 3z + 2 = 1$ (C) $x + y + z = 3$ (D) $x - 2y + 1 = 2$

A. $5x-11y+z=17$

B. $\sqrt{2} + y = 3\sqrt{2} - 1$

C. $x + y + z = \sqrt{3}$

D. $x - \sqrt{2}y = 1 - \sqrt{2}$

Answer: A



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72. The point A(-1,3,0), B(2,2,1) and C(1,1,3) determine a plane. The distance from the plane to the point D(5,7,8) is

A. $\sqrt{66}$

B. $\sqrt{71}$

C. $(\sqrt{73})$

D. $\sqrt{76}$

Answer: A



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73. Distance between two parallel planes

$2x + y + 2z = 8$ and $4x + 2y + 4z + 5 = 0$ is

A. $\frac{9}{2}$

B. $\frac{5}{2}$

C. $\frac{7}{2}$

D. $\frac{3}{2}$

Answer: C



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74. In a three-dimensional xyz space , the equation $x^2 - 5x + 6 = 0$ represents a. Points b. planes c. curves d. pair of straight lines

A. points

B. plane

C. curves

D. pair of straight lines

Answer: B



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75. The plane $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} + \frac{z}{c} = 3$ meets the co-ordinate axes in A,B,C. The centroid of the triangle ABC is

A. $\left(\frac{a}{3}, \frac{b}{3}, \frac{c}{3}\right)$

B. $\left(\frac{3}{a}, \frac{3}{b}, \frac{3}{c}\right)$

C. $\left(\frac{1}{a}, \frac{1}{b}, \frac{1}{c}\right)$

D. (a, b, c)

Answer: D



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76. A plane cuts the coordinate axes X,Y,Z at A,B,C respectively such that the centroid of the $\triangle ABC$ is (6,6,3). Then the equation of that plane is

A. $x+y+z-6=0$

B. $x+2y+z-18=0$

C. $2x+y+z-18=0$

D. $x+y+2z-18=0$

Answer: D



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77. Plane $ax+by+cz=1$ intersect axes in A,B,C respectively. If

$G\left(\frac{1}{6}, -\frac{1}{3}, 1\right)$ is the centroid of $\triangle ABC$, then $a + b + 3c = \dots\dots\dots$

A. $\frac{4}{3}$

B. 4

C. 2

D. $\frac{5}{6}$

Answer: C



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78. Let $a, b,$ and c be three real numbers satisfying

$[a, b, c] \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 9 & 7 \\ 8 & 2 & 7 \\ 7 & 3 & 7 \end{bmatrix} = [0, 0, 0]$ If the point $P(a, b, c)$ with reference to

(E), lies on the plane $2x + y + z = 1$, the the value of $7a + b + c$ is (A) 0

(B) 12 (C) 7 (D) 6

A. 0

B. 12

C. 7

D. 6

Answer: D



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79. The equation of the plane containing the line $2x - 5y + z = 3$, $x + y + 4z = 5$ and parallel to the plane $x + 3y + 6z = 1$, is

A. $2x+6y+12z=13$

B. $x+3y+6z= -7$

C. $x+3y+6z=7$

D. $2x+6y+12z= -13$

Answer: C



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80. The point of intersection of the line $\frac{x}{1} = \frac{y - 1}{2} = \frac{z + 2}{3}$ and the plane $2x+3y+z=0$ is

A. $(0, 1, -2)$

B. $(1, 2, 3)$

C. $(-1, 9, -25)$

D. $\left(\frac{-1}{11}, \frac{9}{11}, \frac{-25}{11}\right)$

Answer: D



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81. The co-ordinate of the point where the line

$\frac{x - 6}{-1} = \frac{y + 1}{0} = \frac{z + 3}{4}$ meets the plane $x+y+z=3$ are

A. $(2,1,0)$

B. $(7, -1, -7)$

C. $(1, 2, -6)$

D. $(5, -1, 1)$

Answer: D



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82. The point of intersection of the line $\frac{x-1}{3} = \frac{y+2}{4} = \frac{z-3}{-2}$ and the plane $2x - y + 3z - 1 = 0$, is

- A. (10, -10, 3)
- B. (10, 10, 3)
- C. (-10, 10, 3)
- D. (-10, -10, -3)

Answer: B



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83. which of the following points is on the line of intersection of planes $x = 3z - 4$, $y = 2z - 3$? (A) (4, 3, 0) (B) (-3, -4, 0) (C) (3, 2, 1) (D) (-4, -3, 0)

A. (4,3,0)

B. (- 3, - 4, 0)

C. (3, 2, 1)

D. (- 4, - 3, 0)

Answer: D



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84. The distance of the point (1, 0, 2) from the point of intersection of the line $\frac{x - 2}{3} = \frac{y + 1}{4} = \frac{z - 2}{12}$ and the plane $x + y + z = 16$, is : (1)

$2\sqrt{14}$ (2) 8 (3) $3\sqrt{21}$ (4) 27

A. $2\sqrt{14}$

B. 8

C. $3\sqrt{21}$

D. 13

Answer: D



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85. If the distance of the point $P(1, -2, 1)$ from the plane $x + 2y - 2z = \alpha$, where $\alpha > 0$, is 5, then the foot of the perpendicular from P to the plane is a. $\left(\frac{8}{3}, \frac{4}{3}, -\frac{7}{3}\right)$ b. $\left(\frac{4}{3}, -\frac{4}{3}, \frac{1}{3}\right)$ c. $\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{10}{3}\right)$ d. $\left(\frac{2}{3}, -\frac{1}{3}, -\frac{5}{3}\right)$

A. $\left(\frac{8}{3}, \frac{4}{3}, \frac{-7}{3}\right)$

B. $\left(\frac{4}{3}, \frac{-4}{3}, \frac{1}{3}\right)$

C. $\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{10}{3}\right)$

D. $\left(\frac{2}{3}, -\frac{1}{3}, \frac{5}{3}\right)$

Answer: A



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86. A point P lies on a line through Q(1,-2,3) and is parallel to the line $\frac{x}{1} = \frac{y}{4} = \frac{z}{5}$. If P lies on the plane $2x+3y-4z+22=0$, then segment PQ equal to

A. $\sqrt{42}$ units

B. $\sqrt{32}$ units

C. 4 units

D. 5 units

Answer: A

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87. If the image of the point P(1,-2,3) in the plane, $2x+3y-4z+22=0$ measured parallel to the line, $\frac{x}{1} = \frac{y}{4} = \frac{z}{5}$ is Q, then PQ is equal to

A. $6\sqrt{5}$

B. $3\sqrt{5}$

C. $2\sqrt{42}$

D. $\sqrt{42}$

Answer: C



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88. The length of the projection of the line segment joining the points (5,-1,4) and (4,-1,3) on the plane $x+y+z=7$ is

A. $\frac{2}{3}$

B. $\frac{1}{3}$

C. $\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$

D. $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$

Answer: C



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89. If the three planes $x = 5$, $2x - 5ay + 3z - 2 = 0$ and $3bx + y - 3z = 0$ contain a common line, then (a, b) is equal to

A. $\left(-\frac{1}{5}, \frac{8}{15}\right)$

B. $\left(\frac{1}{5}, -\frac{8}{15}\right)$

C. $\left(-\frac{8}{15}, \frac{1}{5}\right)$

D. $\left(\frac{8}{15}, -\frac{1}{5}\right)$

Answer: B



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Evaluation Test

1. If the planes $x - cy - bz = 0$, $cx - y + az = 0$ and $bx + ay - z = 0$ pass through a line, then the value of $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2abc$ is

A. 0

B. 1

C. -1

D. None of these

Answer: B



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2. A variable plane moves so that the sum of the reciprocals of its intercepts on the coordinate axes is $(1/2)$. Then, the plane passes through the point

A. $\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\right)$

B. $(-1, 1, 1)$

C. $(2,2,2)$

D. $(0,0,0)$

Answer: C



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3. If $\bar{r} = \hat{i} + \hat{j} + \lambda(2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 4\hat{k})$ and $\bar{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 3$ are the equations of a line and plane respectively, then which of the following is true?

- A. The line is perpendicular to the plane
- B. The line lies in the plane
- C. The line is parallel to the plane but doesn't lie in the plane.
- D. The line cuts the plane obliquely.

Answer: B



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4. The distance from the line $x = 2 + t, y = 1 + t, z = -\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}t$ to the plane $x + 2y + 6z = 10$ is $\frac{\lambda}{\sqrt{\mu}}$. Then $5\lambda - \mu =$

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

Answer: D



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5. If θ is the angle between the lines in which the planes $3x-7y-5z=1$ and $5x-13y+3z+2=0$ cuts the plane $8x-11y+2z=0$, then $\sin \theta$ is

A. $\frac{1}{2}$

B. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

C. $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

D. 1

Answer: D



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6. The plane $2x - (1 + \lambda)y + 3\lambda z = 0$ passes through the intersection of the plane

A. $2x - y = 0$ and $y + 3z = 0$

B. $2x - y = 0$ and $y - 3z = 0$

C. $2x + 3y = 0$ and $y = 0$

D. None of these

Answer: B



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7. The reflection of the point $(2, -1, 3) \in \text{the plane } 3x - 2y - z = 9$ is (A) $(28/7, 15/7, 17/7)$ (B) $(26/7, -15/7, 17/7)$ (C) $(15/7, 26/7, -17/7)$ (D) $(\frac{26}{7}, \frac{17}{7}, -\frac{15}{7})$

A. $(\frac{26}{7}, \frac{15}{7}, \frac{17}{7})$

B. $(\frac{26}{7}, -\frac{15}{7}, \frac{17}{7})$

C. $(\frac{15}{7}, \frac{26}{7}, -\frac{17}{7})$

D. $(\frac{26}{7}, \frac{17}{7}, -\frac{15}{7})$

Answer: B

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8. The vectors \vec{a} and \vec{b} determine one plane and the vectors \vec{c} and \vec{d} determine another plane. If the planes are parallel, then

A. $(\vec{a} \times \vec{c}) \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{d}) = \vec{0}$

B. $(\vec{a} \times \vec{c}) \cdot (\vec{b} \times \vec{d}) = 0$

C. $(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \times (\vec{c} \times \vec{d}) = \vec{0}$

$$D. (\bar{a} \times \bar{b}) \cdot (\bar{c} \times \bar{d}) = \bar{0}$$

Answer: C



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9. If the distance between the plane $Ax - 2y + z = d$ and the plane containing the lines $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-2}{3} = \frac{z-3}{4}$ and $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y-3}{4} = \frac{z-4}{5}$ is $\sqrt{6}$, then $|d|$ is equal to....

A. 3

B. 4

C. 5

D. 6

Answer: D



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10. A line with positive direction cosines passes through the point $P(2, -1, 2)$ and makes equal angles with the coordinate axes. The line meets the plane $2x + y + z = 9$ at point Q . The length of the line segment PQ equals

A. 1

B. $\sqrt{2}$

C. $\sqrt{3}$

D. 2

Answer: C

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11. A variable plane at a distance of 1 unit from the origin cuts the axes at A , B and C . If the centroid $D(x, y, z)$ of $\triangle ABC$ satisfies the relation

$\frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{y^2} + \frac{1}{z^2} = K$, then the value of K is

A. 9

B. 3

C. 1

D. $\frac{1}{3}$

Answer: A



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12. A tetrahedron has vertices $O(0,0,0)$, $A(1,2,1)$, $B(2,1,3)$ and $C(-1,1,2)$. Then the angle between the faces OAB and ABC is

A. $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{17}{31}\right)$

B. 30°

C. 90°

D. $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{19}{35}\right)$

Answer: D



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13. The volume of the tetrahedron included between the plane $3x + 4y - 5z - 60 = 0$ and the co-ordinate planes is

A. 60

B. 600

C. 720

D. None of these

Answer: B



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14. The lines $\frac{x - 2}{1} = \frac{y - 3}{1} = \frac{z - 4}{-k}$ and $\frac{x - 1}{k} = \frac{y - 4}{2} = \frac{z - 5}{1}$ are coplanar, if

A. $k=0$ or -1

B. $k=0$ or 1

C. $k=0$ or -3

D. $k=3$ or -3

Answer: C



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