

# MATHS

# **BOOKS - ARIHANT MATHS (HINGLISH)**

# THREE DIMENSIONAL COORDINATE SYSTEM

#### **Examples**

**1.** Planes are drawn parallel to the coordinate planes through the points (1, 2, 3) and (3, -4, -5). Find th lengths of the edges of the parallelopiped so formed.

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**2.** If the origin is shifted (1, 2, -3) without changing the directions of the axis, then find the new coordinates of the point (0, 4, 5) with respect to



**6.** If A(3, 2, -4), B(5, 4, -6) and C(9, 8, -10) are three collinear points, then the ratio in which point C divides AB.

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7. Show that the plane ax + by + cz + d = 0 divides the line joining

$$(x_1, y_1, z_1)$$
 and  $(x_2, y_2, z_2)$  in the ratio of  $\left(-\frac{ax_1 + ay_1 + cz_1 + dy_1}{ax_2 + by_2 + cz_2 + dy_2}\right)$ 

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8. The ratio in which the join of the points A(2, 1, 5) and B(3, 4, 3) is

divided by the plane 2x + 2y - 2z = 1, is

9. What are the direction cosines of a line which is equally inclined to the

axes?



**10.** If a line makes anles  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma$  with the coordinate axes, porve that  $\sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \beta + \sin^2 \gamma = 2$ 

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**11.** A line OP through is inclined at  $60^0$  and  $45^0$  to OX and OY respectivey,

where O is the origin. Find the angle at which it is inclined to OZ.



12. Find the direction cosines of a vector r which is equally inclined to OX,

OY and OZ. If  $|\mathbf{r}|$  is given, find the total number of such vectors.



**13.** If the points (0, 1, -2),  $(3, \lambda, -1)$  and  $(\mu, -3, -4)$  are collinear, verify

whether the point (12, 9, 2) is also on the same line.

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**14.** A vector r has length 21 and direction ratios 2, -3, 6. Find the direction cosines and components of r, given that r makes an obtuse angle with X-axis.

**15.** Find the angle between the lines whose direction cosines are  $\left(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}, \frac{1}{4}, -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$  and  $\left(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$ .

16. (i) Find the angle bewteen the lines whose direction ratios are 1, 2, 3

and - 3 , 2 , 1

(ii) Find the angle between two diagonals of a cube.



**18.** If the direction cosines of a variable line in two adjacent points be

l, M, n and  $l + \delta l, m + \delta m + n + \delta n$  the small angle  $\delta \theta$  as between the two

positions is given by



**19.** If  $l_1, m_1, n_1$  and  $l_2, m_2, n_2$  are the direction cosines of two mutually perpendicular lines, show that the direction cosines of the line perpendicular to both of these are  $m_1n_2 - m_2n_1, n_1l_2 - n_2l_1, l_1m_2 - l_2m_1$ .



**20.** Find the direction cosines of the line which is perpendicular to the lines with direction cosines proportional to 1, -2, -2 and 0, 2, 1

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**21.** Let A(-1, 2, 1) and B(4, 3, 5) be two given points. Find the projection

of AB on a line which makes angle 120  $^\circ$  and 135  $^\circ$  with Yand Z-axes

respectively, and an acute angle with X-axis.



**22.** Find the equation of straight line parallel to  $2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$  and passing through the point (5, - 2, 4).



23. Find the vector equation of a line passing through (2, -1, 1) and

parallel to the line whose equation is  $\frac{X-3}{2} = \frac{Y+1}{7} = \frac{Z-2}{-3}$ .

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**24.** The cartesian equation of a line are 6x - 2 = 3y + 1 = 2z - 2. Find its

direction ratios and also find the vector of the line.



**26.** Find the equation of a line which passes through the point (2, 3, 4)

and which has equal intercepts on the axes.



27. Find the angle between the pair of lines

$$r = 3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 4\hat{k} + \lambda\left(\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}\right)$$
$$r = 5\hat{i} - 4\hat{k} + \mu\left(3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 6\hat{k}\right)$$

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**29.** Find the foot of the perpendicular drawn from the point  $2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$  to the line  $\vec{r} = (11\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} - 8\hat{k}) + \lambda(10\hat{i} - 4\hat{j} - 11\hat{k})$  Also find the length of the perpendicular.



32. Find the length of the perpendicular drawn from point (2, 3, 4) to line



**36.** Find the shortest distance between the lines  

$$\vec{r} = (4\hat{i} - \hat{j}) + \lambda(\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) and \vec{r} = (\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) + \mu(2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 5\hat{k})^{'}$$
.  
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**37.** Find the shortest distance between the lines 
$$\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-2}{3} = \frac{z-3}{4} and \frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y-4}{4} = \frac{z-5}{5}.$$

**38.** Find the shortest distance and the vector equation of the line of shortest distance between the lines given by  $r = (3\hat{i} + 8\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) + \lambda(3\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k})$  and  $r = (-3\hat{i} - 7\hat{j} + 6\hat{k}) + \mu(-3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 4\hat{k})$ 

**39.** Find the shortest distance between lines  

$$\vec{r} = (\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}) + \lambda(2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k})and\vec{r} = 2\hat{i} - \hat{j} - \hat{k} + \mu(2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k})$$
  
**40.** Find the equation of a line which passes through the point (1, 1, 1)  
and intersects the lines  $\frac{x - 1}{2} = \frac{y - 2}{3} = \frac{z - 3}{4}and\frac{x + 2}{1} = \frac{y - 3}{2} = \frac{z + 1}{4}$   
**41.** If the straight lines  
 $x = -1 + s, y = 3 - \lambda s, z = 1 + \lambda sandx = \frac{t}{2}, y = 1 + t, z = 2 - t,$  with  
parameters sandt, respectivley, are coplanar, then find  $\lambda$ 

**42.** Show that the point (0, -1, -1), (4 5, 1), (3, 9, 4) and (-4, 4, 4) are coplanar

and find the equation of the common plane.



**44.** Reduce the equation  $\vec{r} \cdot 3\hat{i} - 4\hat{j} + 12\hat{k} = 5$  to normal form and hence find

the length of perpendicular from the origin to the plane.



**45.** Find the distance of the plane 2x - y - 2z = 0 from the origin.

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



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48. Find the equation of the plane passing through the point (2, 3, 1)

having (5, 3, 2) as the direction ratio is of the normal to the plane.



**49.** The coordinate of the foot of the perpendicular drawn from the origin

to a plane are (12, -4, 3). Find the equation of the plane.

**50.** A vector  $\vec{n}$  f magnitude 8 units is inclined to x-axis at  $45^0$ , y-axis at  $60^0$  and an acute angle with z-axis. If a plane passes through a point  $(\sqrt{2}, -1, 1)$  and is normal to  $\vec{n}$ , find its equation in vector form.

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**51.** Find the equation of the plane such that image of point (1, 2, 3) in it is

(-1,0,1)

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**52.** Find the equation of the plane passing through A(2, 2, -1), B(3, 4, -1)

2 andC(7, 0, 6) Also find a unit vector perpendicular to this plane.

**53.** Find equation of plane passing through the points P(1, 1, 1), Q(3, -1, 2) and R(-3, 5, -4).



54. Find the vector equation of the following planes in Cartesian form:

$$\vec{r} = \hat{i} - \hat{j} + \lambda \left( \hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k} \right) + \mu \left( \hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k} \right)^{\cdot}$$

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55. A plane meets the coordinate axes in A, B, C such that eh centroid of

triangle ABC is the point (p, q, r) Show that the equation of the plane is

 $\frac{x}{p} + \frac{y}{q} + \frac{z}{r} = 3.$ 

**56.** A variable plane moves in such a way that the sum of the reciprocals of its intercepts on the three coordinate axes is constant. Show that the plane passes through a fixed point.



**58.** Show that ax + by + r = 0, by + cz + p = 0 and cz + ax + q = 0 are

perpendicular to x - y, y - zandz - x planes, respectively.

59. Find the equation of the plane through the point (1,4,-2) and parallel

to the plane -2x + y - 3z = 7.

60. Find the equation of the plane passing through (3, 4, -1), which is

parallel to the plane  $\vec{r} 2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 5\hat{k} + 7 = 0$ .

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61. Find the equation of a plane containing the line of intersection of the

planes x + y + z - 6 = 0 and 2x + 3y + 4z + 5 = 0 passing through (1, 1, 1).

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**62.** Find the planes passing through the intersection of plane  $r \cdot (2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}) = 1$  and  $r \cdot (\hat{i} - \hat{j}) + 4 = 0$  and perpendicular to planes

$$r \cdot \left(2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}\right) = -8$$



**63.** Find the interval of  $\alpha$  for which  $(\alpha, \alpha^2, \alpha)$  and (3, 2, 1) lies on same

side of x + y - 4z + 2 = 0.

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**64.** Find the distance of the point (21, 0) from the plane 2x + y + 2z + 5 = 0.

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**65.** Find the distance between the parallel planes x + 2y - 2z + 1 = 0 and 2x + 4y - 4z + 5 = 0.

**66.** Find the equations of the bisectors of the angles between the planes 2x - y + 2z + 3 = 0 and 3x - 2y + 6z + 8 = 0 and specify the plane which bisects the acute angle and the plane which bisects the obtuse angle.

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**67.** Reduce the equation of line x - y + 2z = 5adn3x + y + z = 6 in symmetrical form. Or Find the line of intersection of planes x - y + 2z = 5and3x + y + z = 6.

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**68.** Find the angle between the line  $\vec{r} = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - \hat{k} + \lambda(\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k})$  and the plane  $\vec{r} 2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k} = 4$ .

**69.** Find the distance between the point with position vector  $\hat{i} - 5\hat{j} - 10\hat{k}$ and the point of intersection of the line  $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y+1}{4} = \frac{z-2}{12}$  with the plane x - y + z = 5.



**70.** Find ten equation of the plane passing through the point (0, 7, -7)

and containing the line 
$$\frac{x+1}{-3} = \frac{y-3}{2} = \frac{z+2}{1}$$

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**71.** Prove that the lines 
$$\frac{x+1}{3} = \frac{y+3}{5} = \frac{z+5}{7}$$
 and  $\frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y-4}{4} = \frac{z-6}{7}$  are

coplanar. Also, find the plane containing these two lines

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**72.** Find the image of the point P(3, 5, 7) in the plane 2x + y + z = 0.



vector  $\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}$  and  $\sqrt{3}$ .

76. Find the equation of sphere whose centre is (5, 2, 3) and radius is 2 in

cartesian form .



**80.** Find the equation of a sphere which passes through (1, 0, 0)(0, 1, 0)and(0, 0, 1), and has radius as small as possible.

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**81.** Find the equaiton of the sphere described on the joint of points A and B having position vectors  $2\hat{i} + 6\hat{j} - 7\hat{k}$  and  $-2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$ , respectively, as the diameter. Find the centre and the radius of the sphere.

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82. Find the radius of the circular section in which the sphere  $|\vec{r}| = 5$  is

cut by the plane  $\vec{r}\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k} = 3\sqrt{3}$ .

**83.** The centre of the circle given by  $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) = 15$  and  $|\vec{r} - (\hat{j} + 2\hat{k})| = 4$  is **Watch Video Solution** 

**84.** Show that the plane 2x - 2y + z + 12 = 0 touches the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 2x - 4 + 2z - 3 = 0$ .

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85. Find the equation of the sphere whose centre has the position vector

 $3\hat{i} + 6\hat{j} - 4\hat{k}$  and which touches the plane  $r \cdot (2\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 10$ .

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**86.** A variable plane passes through a fixed point (a, b, c) and cuts the

coordinate axes at points A, B, andC Show that eh locus of the centre of

the sphere 
$$OABCis \frac{a}{x} + \frac{b}{y} + \frac{c}{z} = 2.$$

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87. A sphere of constant radius k, passes through the origin and meets

the axes at A, BandC Prove that the centroid of triangle ABC lies on the

sphere 
$$9(x^2 + y^2 + z^2) = 4k^2$$
.

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**88.** If  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma$  be the angles which a line makes with the coordinates axes, then

A. 
$$cos(2\alpha) + cos(2\beta) + cos(2\gamma) - 1 = 0$$

$$B.\cos(2\alpha) + \cos(2\beta) + \cos(2\gamma) - 2 = 0$$

C.  $\cos(2\alpha) + \cos(2\beta) + \cos(2\gamma) + 1 = 0$ 

D. 
$$\cos(2\alpha) + \cos(2\beta) + \cos(2\gamma) + 2 = 0$$

### Answer: (c)



**89.** The points (5, -5, 2), (4, -3, 1), (7, -6, 4) and (8, -7, 5) are the vertices of

A. a rectangle

B. a square

C. a parallelogram

D. None of these

Answer: (c)

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**90.** In  $\triangle ABC$  the mid points of the sides AB, BC and CA are (l, 0, 0), (0, m, 0) and (0, 0, n) respectively. Then,  $\frac{AB^2 + BC^2 + CA^2}{l^2 + m^2 + n^2}$  is equal

<b>A.</b> 2	
B.4	
C. 8	
<b>D</b> . 16	

Answer: (c)

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**91.** The angle between a line with direction ratios proportional to 2, 2, 1 and a line joining (3, 1, 4) and (7, 2, 12) is

A.  $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)$ B.  $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{-2}{3}\right)$ C.  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)$ 

D. None of these

# Answer: (a)



**92.** The angle between the lines 2x = 3y = -z and 6x = -y = -4z is

A. 30 ° B. 45 °

C. 60 °

D. 90  $^\circ$ 

Answer: (d)



**93.** A line makes the same angle  $\theta$  with X-axis and Z-axis. If the angle  $\beta$ , which it makes with Y-axis, is such that  $\sin^2(\beta) = 3\sin^2\theta$ , then the value of  $\cos^2(\theta)$  is

A.  $\frac{1}{5}$ B.  $\frac{2}{5}$ C.  $\frac{3}{5}$ D.  $\frac{2}{3}$ 

Answer: (c)



**94.** The projection of a line segment on the axis 2, 3, 6 respectively. Then find the length of line segment.

**A.** 7

**B**. 5

**C**. 1

**D.** 11

Answer: (a)

**95.** The equation of the straight line through the origin and parallel to

the line (b + c)x + (c + a)y + (a + b)z = k = (b - c)x + (c - a)y + (a - b)z are

A. 
$$\frac{x}{b^2 - c^2} = \frac{y}{c^2 - a^2} = \frac{z}{a^2 - b^2}$$
  
B.  $\frac{x}{b} = \frac{y}{b} = \frac{z}{a}$   
C.  $\frac{x}{a^2 - bc} = \frac{y}{b^2 - ca} = \frac{z}{c^2 - ab}$ 

D. None of these

#### Answer: (c)

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**96.** The coordinates of the foot of the perpendicular drawn from the point A(1, 0, 3) to the join of the points B(4, 7, 1) and C(3, 5, 3) are

A. 
$$\left(\frac{5}{3}, \frac{7}{3}, \frac{17}{3}\right)$$

B. 
$$(5 \ 7 \ 17)$$
  
C.  $(\frac{5}{7}, \frac{-7}{3}, \frac{17}{3})$   
D.  $(\frac{-5}{3}, \frac{7}{3}, \frac{-17}{3})$ 

Answer: (a)

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**97.** A mirror and a source of light are situated at the origin O and at a point on OX, respectively. A ray of light from the source strikes the mirror and is reflected. If the direction ratios of the normal to the plane are 1, -1, 1, then find the DCs of the reflected ray.

A. 
$$\frac{1}{3}$$
,  $\frac{2}{3}$ ,  $\frac{2}{3}$   
B.  $\frac{1}{3}$ ,  $\frac{2}{3}$ ,  $\frac{2}{3}$   
C.  $-\frac{1}{3}$ ,  $-\frac{2}{3}$ ,  $-\frac{2}{3}$   
D.  $-\frac{1}{3}$ ,  $-\frac{2}{3}$ ,  $\frac{2}{3}$ 

### Answer: (d)



**98.** Equation of plane passing through the points (2, 2, 1)(9, 3, 6) and perpendicular to the plane 2x + 6y + 6z - 1 = 0 is

A. 3x + 4y + 5z = 9

B. 3x + 4y - 5z + 9 = 0

C. 3x + 4y - 5z - 9 = 0

D. None of these

Answer: (c)



**99.** If the position vectors of the point A and B are  $3\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$  and  $\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} - 4\hat{k}$  respectively. Then the eqaution of the plane

through B and perpendicular to AB is

A. 
$$2x + 3y + 6z + 28 = 0$$

**B.** 2x + 3y + 6z = 28

C. 2x - 3y + 6z + 28 = 0

D. 3x - 2y + 6z = 28

Answer: (a)

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**100.** A straight line *L* cuts the lines *AB*, *ACandAD* of a parallelogram *ABCD* at points  $B_1, C_1 and D_1$ , respectively. If  $(\vec{A}B)_1, \lambda_1 \vec{A}B, (\vec{A}D)_1 = \lambda_2 \vec{A}Dand(\vec{A}C)_1 = \lambda_3 \vec{A}C$ , then prove that  $\frac{1}{\lambda_3} = \frac{1}{\lambda_1} + \frac{1}{\lambda_2}$ . A.  $\frac{1}{\lambda_1} + \frac{1}{\lambda_2}$ B.  $\frac{1}{\lambda_1} - \frac{1}{\lambda_2}$ 

C. 
$$-(\lambda_1) + (\lambda_2)$$
  
D.  $(\lambda_1) + (\lambda_2)$ 

Answer: (a)

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**101.** the acute angle between two lines such that the direction cosines I, m, n of each of them satisfy the equations l + m + n = 0 and  $l^2 + m^2 - n^2 = 0$  is

A.  $\phi$ B.  $\frac{\phi}{3}$ C.  $\frac{\phi}{4}$ D.  $\frac{\phi}{6}$ 

Answer: (b)
**102.** The equation of the plane passing through the mid point of the line

points (1, 2, 3) and (3, 4, 5) and perpendicular to it is

A. x + y + z = 9B. x + y + z = -9C. 2x + 3y + 4z = 9D. 2x + 3y + 4z = -9

Answer: (a)

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**103.** Equation of the plane that contains the lines  $r = (\hat{i} + \hat{j}) + \lambda(\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - \hat{k}) \text{ and }, r = (\hat{i} + \hat{j}) + \mu(-\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 2\hat{k}) \text{ is}$ A.  $r \cdot (2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) = -4$ B.  $\rtimes (-\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 0$ 

$$\mathsf{C.}\,r\cdot\left(\,-\,\hat{i}+\hat{j}+\hat{k}\right)=0$$

D. None of these

Answer: (c)



104. The line 
$$\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y+1}{2} = \frac{z-1}{-1}$$
 intersects the curve  $xy = c^2$ ,  $z = 0$ , if c  
is equal to  
A.  $\pm 1$   
B.  $\pm \frac{1}{3}$   
C.  $\pm \sqrt{5}$   
D. None of these

Answer: (c)

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**105.** The distance between the line  $r = 2\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k} + \lambda(\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 4\hat{k})$  and the plane  $r \cdot (\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 5$ , is A.  $\frac{10}{9}$ B.  $\frac{10}{3\sqrt{3}}$ C.  $\frac{10}{3}$ 

D. None of these

# Answer: (b)

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**106.** If the plane  $\frac{x}{2} + \frac{y}{3} + \frac{z}{4} = 1$  cuts the coordinate axes in *A*, *B*, *C*, then the area of triangle *ABC* is A.  $\sqrt{19}$  sq. units

B.  $\sqrt{41}$  sq. units

C.  $\sqrt{61}$  sq. units

D. None of these

Answer: (c)

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**107.** Find the distance of the point (1, -2, 3) from the plane x - y + z = 5measured angled parallel to  $\frac{x}{2} = \frac{y}{3} = \frac{z}{-6}$ .

**A.** 1

**B.**2

C. 4

D. None of these

Answer: (a)

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108. The length of the perpendicular from the origin to the plane passing

through the points  $\vec{a}$  and containing the line  $\vec{r} = \vec{b} + \lambda \vec{c}$  is

A. 
$$\frac{[abc]}{|a \times b + b \times c + c \times a|}$$
  
B. 
$$\frac{[abc]}{|a \times b + b \times c|}$$
  
C. 
$$\frac{[abc]}{|a \times b + c \times a|}$$
  
D. 
$$\frac{[abc]}{|b \times c + c \times a|}$$

### Answer: (c)

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**109.** If P = (0, 1, 0) and Q = (0, 0, 1) then the projection of *PQ* on the plane x + y + z = 3 is

#### **A.** 2

**B.**3

 $C.\sqrt{2}$ 

D.  $\sqrt{3}$ 

Answer: (c)



**110.** 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. 3y - z + 6 = 0

C.y + 3z + 6 = 0

D. 3y - 2z + 6 = 0

Answer: (a)

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**111.** A plane II 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 II 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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**112.** The dr's of two lines are given by a + b + c = 0, 2ab + 2ac - bc = 0.

Then the angle between the lines is

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

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

# Answer: (b)





*OABandABC* will be a. 
$$\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{17}{31}\right)$$
 b.  $30^{0}$  c.  $90^{0}$  d.  $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{19}{35}\right)$ 

A. 90  $^\circ$ 

B. 
$$\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{19}{35}\right)$$
  
C.  $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{17}{31}\right)$   
D. 30 °

## Answer: (b)

**114.** The vector equation of the plane through the point (2, 1, -1) and passing through the line of intersection of the plane  $r \cdot (\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 0$  and  $r \cdot (\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) = 0$ , is A.  $r \cdot (\hat{i} + 9\hat{j} + 11\hat{k}) = 0$ B.  $r \cdot (\hat{i} + 9\hat{j} + 11\hat{k}) = 6$ C.  $\hat{r} \cdot (\hat{i} - 3\hat{k} - 13\hat{k}) = 0$ 

D. None of these

Answer: (a)

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**115.** The vector equation of the plane through the point  $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - \hat{k}$  and perpendicular to the line of intersection of the plane  $r \cdot (3\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 1$  and  $r \cdot (\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}) = 2$ , is

A. 
$$r \cdot \left(2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 13\hat{k}\right) = -1$$
  
B.  $r \cdot \left(2\hat{i} - 7\hat{j} - 13\hat{k}\right) = 1$   
C.  $r \cdot \left(2\hat{i} + 7\hat{j} + 13\hat{k}\right) = 0$ 

D. None of these

### Answer: (b)





Answer: (c)

**117.** A variable plane is at a distance k from the origin and meets the coordinates axes is A,B,C. Then the locus of the centroid of  $\triangle ABC$  is

A. 
$$x^{-2} + y^{-2} + z^{-2} = k^{-2}$$
  
B.  $x^{-2} + y^{-2} + z^{-2} = 4k^{-2}$ 

C. 
$$x^{-2} + y^{-2} + z^{-2} = 16k^{-2}$$

D. 
$$x^{-2} + y^{-2} + z^{-2} = 9k^{-2}$$

# Answer: (d)

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**118.** The direction ratios of the line x - y + z - 5 = 0 = x - 3y - 6 are

A. 3, 1, - 2

**B.**2, -4,1

C. 
$$\frac{3}{\sqrt{14}}$$
,  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{14}}$ ,  $\frac{-2}{\sqrt{14}}$   
D.  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{21}}$ ,  $\frac{-4}{\sqrt{21}}$ ,  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{21}}$ 

Answer: (a, c)

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**119.** The equation of the line x + y + z - 1 = 0 and 4x + y - 2z + 2 = 0 written in the symmetrical form is

A. 
$$\frac{x+1}{1} = \frac{y-2}{-2} = \frac{z-0}{1}$$
  
B.  $\frac{x}{1} = \frac{y}{-2} = \frac{z-1}{1}$   
C.  $\frac{\frac{x+1}{2}}{1} = \frac{y-1}{-2} = \frac{\frac{z-1}{2}}{1}$   
D.  $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y+2}{-1} = \frac{z-2}{2}$ 

Answer: (a, b, c, d)

**120.** The direction cosines of a line bisecting the angle between two perpendicular lines whose direction cosines are  $l_1, m_1, n_1$  and  $l_2, m_2, n_2$ 

are

$$(1)\frac{l_1+l_2}{2}, \frac{m_1+m_2}{2}, \frac{n_1+n_2}{2} \qquad (2)l_1+l_2, m_1+m_2, n_1+n_2$$

 $(3)\frac{l_1+l_2}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{m_1-m_2}{2}, \frac{n_1+n_2}{\sqrt{2}} (4)l_1-l_2, m_1-m_2, n_1-n_2 (5)n \text{ on eo ft h e s e}$ 

A. 
$$\frac{l_1 + l_2}{\cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}, \frac{m_1 + m_2}{\cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}, \frac{n_1 + n_2}{\cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}$$
B. 
$$\frac{l_1 + l_2}{2\cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}, \frac{m_1 + m_2}{2\cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}, \frac{n_1 + n_2}{2\cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}$$
C. 
$$\frac{l_1 + l_2}{\sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}, \frac{m_1 + m_2}{\sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}, \frac{n_1 + n_2}{\sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}$$
D. 
$$\frac{l_1 + l_2}{2\sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}, \frac{m_1 + m_2}{2\sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}, \frac{n_1 + n_2}{2\sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}$$

# Answer: (b, d)



**121.** Consider the planes 3x - 6y + 2z + 5 = 0 and 4x - 12 + 3z = 3. The plane 67x - 162y + 47z + 44 = 0 bisects the angel between the given planes which a contains origin b. is acute c. is obtuse d. none of these

A. contains origin

B. is acute

C. is obtuse

D. None of these

Answer: (a, b)

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**122.** Consider the equation of line AB is  $\frac{x}{2} = \frac{y}{-3} = \frac{z}{6}$ . Through a point P(1, 2, 5) line PN is drawn perendicular to AB and line PQ is drawn parallel to

the plane 3x + 4y + 5z = 0 to meet AB is Q. Then,

A. coordinate of N are 
$$\left(\frac{52}{49}, -\frac{78}{49}, \frac{156}{49}\right)$$

B. the coordinate of Q are  $\left(3, -\frac{9}{2}, 9\right)$ C. the equation of PN is  $\frac{x-1}{3} = \frac{y-2}{-176} = \frac{z-5}{-89}$ D. coordinate of N are  $\left(\frac{156}{49}, \frac{52}{49}, -\frac{78}{49}\right)$ 

### Answer: (a, b, c)

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**123.** the equation of a plane is 2x - y - 3z = 5 and A(1, 1, 1), B(2, 1, -3), C(1, -2, -2) and D(-3, 1, 2) are four points. Which of the following line segments are intersects by the plane? (A) AD (B) AB (C) AC (D) BC

A. AD

B. AB

C. AC

D. BC

# Answer: (b, c)



**124.** The coordinates of a point on the line  $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y+1}{-3} = z$  at a distance

 $4\sqrt{14}$  from the point (1, -1, 0) are

A. (9, -13, 4)  
B. 
$$(8\sqrt{14} + 1, -12\sqrt{14} - 1, 4\sqrt{14})$$
  
C. (-7, 11, -4)  
D.  $(-8\sqrt{14} + 1, 12\sqrt{14} - 1, -4\sqrt{14})$ 

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#### Answer: (a, c)



perpendicular for all values of  $\lambda$  and  $\mu$  if p eqauls to

**A.** - 1

**B.**2

**C**. 5

D. 6

Answer: (a, d)

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**126.** Equation of a plane passing through the lines 2x - y + z = 3 and 3x + y + z = 5 and which is at a distance of  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}$  from the point(2, 1, -1) is A. 2x - y + z - 3 = 0B. 3x + y + z - 5 = 0C. 62x + 29y + 19z - 105 = 0 D. x + 2y - 2 = 0

Answer: ((a, c))



**127.** The plane passing through the point (-2, -2, 2) and containing the line joining the points (1, 1, 1) and (1, -1, 2) makes intercepts of length a, b, c respectively the axes of x, y and z respectively, then

A. a = 3b

**B**. b = 2c

C. a + b + c = 12

D. a + 2b + 2c = 0

Answer: (a, b, c)

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**128.** Statement-1 A line L is perpendicular to the plane 3x - 4y + 5z = 10. Statement-2 Direction cosines of L be  $<\frac{3}{5\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{4}{5\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} >$ 

A. Statement 1 is true, Statement 2 is also true, Statement-2 is the

correct explanation of Statement-1.

B. Statement 1 is true, Statement 2 is also true, Statement-2 is not the

correct explanation of Statement-1.

C. Statement 1 is true, Statement 2 is false.

D. Statement 1 is false, Statement 2 is true

#### Answer: (a)

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**129.** The equation of two straight lines are  $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y+3}{1} = \frac{z-2}{-3} and \frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y-1}{-3} = \frac{z+3}{2}$ Statement 1: the given lines are coplanar. Statement 2: The equations  $2x_1 - y_1 = 1, x_1 + 3y_1 = 4and 3x - 1 + 2y_1 = 5$  are consistent. A. Statement 1 is true, Statement 2 is also true, Statement-2 is the

correct explanation of Statement-1.

B. Statement 1 is true, Statement 2 is also true, Statement-2 is not the

correct explanation of Statement-1.

C. Statement 1 is true, Statement 2 is false.

D. Statement 1 is false, Statement 2 is true

#### Answer: (a)

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**130.** Statement-1 The distance between the planes  

$$4x - 5y + 3z = 5$$
 and  $4x - 5y + 3z + 2 = 0$  is  $\frac{3}{5\sqrt{2}}$ .  
Statement-2 The distance between  
 $ax + by + cz + d_1 = 0$  and  $ax + by + cz + d_2 = 0$  is  $\left| \frac{d_1 - d_2}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}} \right|$ .

A. Statement 1 is true, Statement 2 is also true, Statement-2 is the

correct explanation of Statement-1.

B. Statement 1 is true, Statement 2 is also true, Statement-2 is not the

correct explanation of Statement-1.

C. Statement 1 is true, Statement 2 is false.

D. Statement 1 is false, Statement 2 is true

Answer: (d)

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**131.** Given the line L:  $\frac{x-1}{3} = \frac{y+1}{2} = \frac{z-3}{-1}$  and the plane  $\phi: x - 2y - z = 0$ . Statement-1 lies in  $\phi$ .

Statement-2 L is parallel to  $\phi$ .

A. Statement 1 is true, Statement 2 is also true, Statement-2 is the

correct explanation of Statement-1.

B. Statement 1 is true, Statement 2 is also true, Statement-2 is not the

correct explanation of Statement-1.

C. Statement 1 is true, Statement 2 is false.

D. Statement 1 is false, Statement 2 is true

Answer: (c)

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**132.** Statement-1 line  $\frac{x-1}{3} = \frac{y-2}{11} = \frac{z+1}{11}$  lies in the plane 11x - 3z - 14 = 0.

Statement-2 A straight line lies in a plane, if the line is parallel to plane and a point of the line in the plane.

A. Statement 1 is true, Statement 2 is also true, Statement-2 is the

correct explanation of Statement-1.

B. Statement 1 is true, Statement 2 is also true, Statement-2 is not the

correct explanation of Statement-1.

C. Statement 1 is true, Statement 2 is false.

D. Statement 1 is false, Statement 2 is true

Answer: (a)

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**133.** Two line whose are 
$$\frac{x-3}{2} = \frac{y-2}{3} = \frac{z-1}{\lambda}$$
 and  $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y-3}{2} = \frac{z-2}{3}$  lie

in the same plane, then,

Q. The value of  $\sin^{-1}\sin\lambda$  is equal to

**A.** 3

B. *ф* - 3

**C**. 4

D. *\phi* - 4

Answer: (d)



**134.** Two line whose are  $\frac{x-3}{2} = \frac{y-2}{3} = \frac{z-1}{\lambda}$  and  $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y-3}{2} = \frac{z-2}{3}$  lie

in the same plane, then,

Q. Point of intersection of the lines lies on

A. 3x + y + z = 20B. 2x + y + z = 25

C. 3x + 2y + z = 24

D. x = y = z

# Answer: (d)

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**135.** Two line whose are 
$$\frac{x-3}{2} = \frac{y-2}{3} = \frac{z-1}{\lambda}$$
 and  $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y-3}{2} = \frac{z-2}{3}$  lie

in the same plane, then,

Q. Angle between the plane containing both the lines and the plane 4x + y + 2z = 0 is equal to

A. 
$$\frac{\varphi}{3}$$
  
B.  $\frac{\varphi}{2}$   
C.  $\frac{\varphi}{6}$ 

D. 
$$\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{186}}\right)$$

Answer: (b)

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**136.** Let  $a_1x + b_1y + c_1z + d_1 = 0$  and  $a_2x + b_2y + c_2z + d_2 = 0$  be two planes, where  $d_1, d_2 > 0$ . Then, origin lies in acute angle, If  $a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 + c_1c_2 < 0$  and origin lies in obtuse angle if  $a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 + c_1c_2 > 0$ . Further point  $(x_1, y_1, z_1)$  and origin both lie either in acute angle or in obtuse angle. If  $(a_1x_1 + b_1y_1 + c_1z_1 + d_1)(a_2x_1 + b_2y_1 + c_2z_1 + d_2) > 0$ . one of  $(x_1, y_1, z_1)$  and origin in lie in acute and the other in obtuse angle, If  $(a_1x_1 + b_1y_1 + c_1z_1 + d_1)(a_2x_1 + b_2y_1 + c_2z_1 + d_2) < 0$  Q. Given that planes 2x + 3y - 4z + 7 = 0 and x - 2y + 3z - 5 = 0. If a point

P(1, -2, 3), then

A. O and P both lie in acute angle between the planes

B. O and P both lies in obtuse angle

C. O lies in acute angle, P lies in obtuse angle

D. O lies in obtuse angle, P lies in acute angle

#### Answer: B

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**137.** Let  $a_1x + b_1y + c_1z + d_1 = 0$  and  $a_2x + b_2y + c_2z + d_2 = 0$  be two planes, where  $d_1, d_2 > 0$ . Then, origin lies in acute angle, If  $a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 + c_1c_2 < 0$  and origin lies in obtuse angle if  $a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 + c_1c_2 > 0$ . Further point  $(x_1, y_1, z_1)$  and origin both lie either in acute angle or in obtuse angle. If  $(a_1x_1 + b_1y_1 + c_1z_1 + d_1)(a_2x_1 + b_2y_1 + c_2z_1 + d_2) > 0$ . one of  $(x_1, y_1, z_1)$  and origin in lie in acute and the other in obtuse angle, If  $(a_1x_1 + b_1y_1 + c_1z_1 + d_1)(a_2x_1 + b_2y_1 + c_2z_1 + d_2) < 0$ Q. Given the planes x + 2y - 3z + 5 = 0 and 2x + y + 3z + 1 = 0. If a point P(2, -1, 2). Then

A. O and P both lie in acute angle between the planes

B. O and P both lies in obtuse angle

C. O lies in acute angle, P lies in obtuse angle

D. O lies in obtuse angle, P lies in acute angle

#### Answer: (c)

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**138.** Let  $a_1x + b_1y + c_1z + d_1 = 0$  and  $a_2x + b_2y + c_2z + d_2 = 0$  be two planes, where  $d_1, d_2 > 0$ . Then, origin lies in acute angle, If  $a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 + c_1c_2 < 0$  and origin lies in obtuse angle if  $a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 + c_1c_2 > 0$ . Further point  $(x_1, y_1, z_1)$  and origin both lie either in acute angle or in obtuse angle. If  $(a_1x_1 + b_1y_1 + c_1z_1 + d_1)(a_2x_1 + b_2y_1 + c_2z_1 + d_2) > 0$ . one of  $(x_1, y_1, z_1)$  and origin in lie in acute and the other in obtuse angle, If  $(a_1x_1 + b_1y_1 + c_1z_1 + d_1)(a_2x_1 + b_2y_1 + c_2z_1 + d_2) < 0$ Q. Given the planes x + 2y - 3z + 2 = 0 and x - 2y + 3z + 7 = 0. If a point P(1, 2, 2), then

A. O and P both lie in acute angle between the planes

B. O and P both lies in obtuse angle

C. O lies in acute angle, P lies in obtuse angle

D. O lies in obtuse angle, P lies in acute angle

#### Answer: A

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**139.** In a parallelogram OABC with position vectors of A is  $3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j}$  and  $Cis4\hat{i} + 3\hat{j}$  with reference to O as origin. A point E is taken on the side BC which divides it in the the ratio of 2:1. Also, the line segment AE intersects the line bisecting the  $\angle AOC$  internally at P. CP when

extended meets AB at F.

Q. The position vector of P is

A.  $\hat{i} + \hat{j}$ B.  $\frac{2}{3}(\hat{i} + \hat{j})$ C.  $\frac{13}{3}(\hat{i} + \hat{j})$ D.  $\frac{21}{5}(\hat{i} + \hat{j})$ 

#### Answer: (d)



**140.** In a parallelogram OABC with position vectors of A is  $3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j}$  and  $Cis4\hat{i} + 3\hat{j}$  with reference to O as origin. A point E is taken on the side BC which divides it in the the ratio of 2:1. Also, the line segment AE intersects the line bisecting the  $\angle AOC$  internally at P. CP when extended meets AB at F.

Q. The equation of line parallel of CP and passing through (2, 3, 4) is

A. 
$$\frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y-3}{5}, z = 4$$
  
B.  $\frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y-3}{6}, z = 4$   
C.  $\frac{x-2}{2} = \frac{y-2}{5}, z = 3$   
D.  $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y-3}{5}, z = 3$ 

#### Answer: (b)



**141.** In a parallelogram OABC with position vectors of A is  $3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j}$  and  $Cis4\hat{i} + 3\hat{j}$  with reference to O as origin. A point E is taken on the side BC which divides it in the the ratio of 2:1. Also, the line segment AE intersects the line bisecting the  $\angle AOC$  internally at P. CP when extended meets AB at F.

Q. The equation of plane containing line AC and at a macimum distance from B is

$$\mathbf{A.} \, \mathbf{r} \cdot \left(\hat{i} + \hat{j}\right) = 7$$

B. 
$$r \cdot (\hat{i} - \hat{j}) = 7$$
  
C.  $r \cdot (2\hat{i} - \hat{j}) = 7$   
D.  $r \cdot (3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j}) = 7$ 

Answer: (a)

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**142.** The ray of light comes along the lines L=0 and strikes the plane mirror kept along the plane P=0 at B. A(2, 1, 6) is a point on the line L=0 whose image about P=0 is A'. It is given that L=0 is  $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y-1}{4} = \frac{z-6}{5}$  and P = 0isx + y - 2z = 3.

Q. The coordinates of A' are

A. (6, 5, 2)

B. (6, 5, -2)

C. (6, - 5, 2)

D. None of these

# Answer: (b)



**143.** The ray of light comes along the lines L=0 and strikes the plane mirror kept along the plane P=0 at B. A(2, 1, 6) is a point on the line L=0 whose image about P=0 is A'. It is given that L=0 is  $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y-1}{4} = \frac{z-6}{5}$  and P = 0isx + y - 2z = 3.

Q. The coordinates of B are

A. (5, 10, 6)

B. (10, 15, 11)

C. (-10, -15, -14)

D. None of these

Answer: (c)

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**144.** The ray of light comes along the lines L=O and strikes the plane mirror kept along the plane P=O at B. A(2, 1, 6) is a point on the line L=O whose image about P=O is A'. It is given that L=O is  $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y-1}{4} = \frac{z-6}{5}$  and P = 0isx + y - 2z = 3. Q.

A. 
$$\frac{x+10}{4} = \frac{y-5}{4} = \frac{z+2}{3}$$
  
B.  $\frac{x+10}{3} = \frac{y+15}{5} = \frac{z+14}{5}$   
C.  $\frac{x+10}{4} = \frac{y+15}{5} = \frac{z+14}{3}$ 

D. None of these

#### Answer: (c)



**145.** The line of greatest slope on an inclined plane  $P_1$  is that line in the plane which is perpendicular to the line of intersection of plane  $P_1$  and a horiontal plane  $P_2$ .

Q. Assuming the plane 4x - 3y + 7z = 0 to be horizontal, the direction cosines of line greatest slope in the plane 2x + y - 5z = 0 are

A. 
$$\frac{3}{\sqrt{11}}$$
,  $-\frac{1}{\sqrt{11}}$ ,  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{11}}$   
B.  $\frac{3}{\sqrt{11}}$ ,  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{11}}$ ,  $-\frac{1}{\sqrt{11}}$   
C.  $-\frac{3}{\sqrt{11}}$ ,  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{11}}$ ,  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{11}}$ 

D. None of these

#### Answer: (a)

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**146.** The line of greatest slope on an inclined plane  $P_1$  is the line in the plane  $P_1$  which is perpendicular to the line of intersection of the plane  $P_1$  and a horizontal plane  $P_2$ .

Q. The coordinate of a point on the plane 2x + y - 5z = 0,  $2\sqrt{11}$  unit away from the line of intersection of 2x + y - 5z = 0 and 4x - 3y + 7z = 0 are

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

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

#### Answer: (b)

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**147.** The line of greatest slope on an inclined plane  $P_1$  is the line in the plane  $P_1$  which is perpendicular to the line of intersection of the plane  $P_1$  and a horizontal plane  $P_2$ .

Q. The coordinate of a point on the plane 2x + y - 5z = 0,  $2\sqrt{11}$  unit away from the line of intersection of 2x + y - 5z = 0 and 4x - 3y + 7z = 0 are

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



**149.** A parallelopied is formed by planes drawn through the points (2, 4, 5) and (5, 9, 7) parallel to the coordinate planes. The length of the diagonal of parallelopiped is

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**150.** If the shortest distance between the lines  $\frac{x-3}{3} = \frac{y-8}{-1} = \frac{z-3}{1}$  and  $\frac{x+3}{-3} = \frac{y+7}{2} = \frac{z-6}{4}is\lambda\sqrt{30}$  unit, then the value of  $\lambda$  is
**151.** 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

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**152.** If the line  $\frac{x-4}{1} = \frac{y-2}{1} = \frac{z-k}{2}$  lies exactly on the plane 2x - 4y + z = 7, the value of k is

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**153.** The equation of motion of rockets are x = 2t, y = -4t, z = 4t where the time 't' is given in second and the coordinate of a moving point in kilometres. What is the path of the rockets? At what distance will the rocket be from the starting point O(0, 0, 0) in 10s.

**154.** Write the equation of a tangent to the curve x = t,  $y = t^2$  and  $z = t^3$  at its point M(1, 1, 1): (t = 1).



155. 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.

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**156.** The plane ax + by = 0 is rotated through an angle  $\alpha$  about its line of

intersection with the plane z = 0. Show that the equation to the plane in

new position is  $ax + by \pm z\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \tan \alpha = 0$ .

**157.** A horizontal plane 4x - 3y + 7z = 0 is given. Find a line of greatest

slope passes through the point (2, 1, 1) in the plane 2x + y - 5z = 0.



**159.** If the straight line  $\frac{x-\alpha}{l} = \frac{y-\beta}{m} = \frac{z-\gamma}{n}$  intersect the curve  $ax^2 + by^2 = 1, z = 0$ , then prove that  $a(\alpha n - \gamma l)^2 + b(\beta n - \gamma m)^2 = n^2$ 

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**160.** Prove that the three lines from O with direction cosines  $l_1, m_1, n_1: l_2, m_2, n_2: l_3, m_3, n_3$  are coplanar, if  $l_1(m_2n_3 - n_2m_3) + m_1(n_2l_3 - l_2n_3) + n_1(l_2m_3 - l_3m_2) = 0$  161. एक रेखा, एक घन के विकर्णों के साथ α, β, γ, δ, कोण बनती है तो सिद्ध कीजिए कि

$$\cos^2\alpha + \cos^2\beta + \cos^2\gamma + \cos^2\delta = \frac{4}{3}$$

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**162.** Let PM be the perpendicular from the point P(1, 2, 3) to XY-plane. If OP makes an angle  $\theta$  with the positive direction of the Z-axies and OM makes an angle  $\Phi$  with the positive direction of X-axis, where O is the origin, then find  $\theta$  and  $\Phi$ .

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**163.** Find the distance of the point(1, 0, -3) from the plane x - y - z = 9

measured parallel to the line, 
$$\frac{x-2}{2} = \frac{y+2}{3} = \frac{z-6}{-6}$$

**164.** Find the equation of the plane which passes through the line  $a_1x + b_1y + c_1y + c_1z + d_1 = 0a_2x + b_2y + c_2z + d_2 = 0$  and which is parallel to the line  $\frac{x - \alpha}{l} = \frac{y - \beta}{m} = \frac{z - \gamma}{n}$ 

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**165.** The perpendicular distance of a corner of uni cube from a diagonal not passing through it is

**166.** A variable plane forms a tetrahedron of constant volume  $64k^3$  with the coordinate planes and the origin, then locus of the centroid of the tetrahedron is

**167.** Show that the line segments joining the points (4, 7, 8), (-1, -2, 1) and (2, 3, 4), (1, 2, 5) intersect. Verify whether the four points concyclic.



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**169.** Find the reflection of the plane ax + by + cz + d = 0 in the plane

a' x + b' y + c' z + d' = 0

**170.** A point P moves on a plane  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} + \frac{z}{c} = 1$ . A plane through P and perpendicular to OP meets the coordinate axes in A, B and C. If the planes throught A, B and C parallel to the planes x = 0, y = 0 and z = 0 intersect in Q, then find the locus of Q.



171. Prove that the shortest distance between any two opposite edges of

a tetrahedron formed by the planes  $y + z = 0, x + z = 0, x + y = 0, x + y + z = \sqrt{3}ais\sqrt{2}a.$ 

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**Exercise For Session 1** 

**1.** The Three coordiantes planes divide the space into ...... Parts.







**6.** If A = (1, 2, 3), B = (4, 5, 6), C = (7, 8, 9) and D, E, F are the mid points of

the triangle ABC, then find the centroid of the triangle DEF.

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**7.** A line marks angles  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  with the coordinate axes. If  $(\alpha + \beta) = 90^{\circ}$ ,

then findy.

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**8.** If  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  are angles made by the line with positive direction direction of X-axis, Y-axis and Z-axis respectively, then find the value of  $\cos 2\alpha + \cos 2\beta + \cos 2\gamma$ .

**9.** If  $\cos\alpha$ ,  $\cos\beta$  and  $\cos\gamma$  are the direction cosine of a line, then find the value of  $\cos^2\alpha + (\cos\beta + \sin\gamma)(\cos\beta - \sin\gamma)$ .



**10.** A line makes angles  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma$  and  $\delta$  with the diagonals of a cube. Show that

 $\cos^2\alpha + \cos^2\beta + \cos^2\gamma + \cos^2\delta = 4/3.$ 

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**11.** Find the direction cosine of line which is perpendicular to the lines with direction ratio [1, -2, -2] and [0, 2, 1].



12. The projection of a line segment on the axis 1, 2, 3 respectively. Then

find the length of line segment.



Exercise For Session 2

**1.** The cartesian equation of a line is  $\frac{x-3}{2} = \frac{y+1}{-2} = \frac{z-3}{5}$ . Find the vector

equation of the line.

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**2.** A line passes through the point with position vector  $2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}$  and is in the diretion of  $3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 5\hat{k}$ . Find the equation of the line is vector and cartesian forms.



**3.** Find the coordinates of the point where the line through (3, 4, 1) and (5, 1, 6) crosses XY-plane.



**4.** Find the angle between the pairs of line  $r = 3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 4\hat{k} + \lambda(\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k})$  and  $\hat{r} = 5\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \mu(3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 6\hat{k})$ . Watch Video Solution

5. Show that the two 
$$line \frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-2}{3} = \frac{z-3}{4}$$
 and  $\frac{x-4}{5} = \frac{y-1}{2} = z$ 

intersect. Find also the point of intersection of these lines.

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6. Find the magnitude of the shortest distance between the lines  $\frac{x}{2} = \frac{y}{-3} = \frac{z}{1}$  and  $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y-1}{-5} = \frac{z+2}{2}$ . Watch Video Solution 7. Find the perpendicular distance of the point (1, 1, 1) from the line

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

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8. Find the equation of the line drawn through the point (1, 0, 2) to meet

at right angles the line  $\frac{x+1}{3} = \frac{y-2}{-2} = \frac{z+1}{-1}$ .

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**9.** Find the equation of line through (1, 2, -1) and perpendicular to each

of the lines 
$$\frac{x}{1} = \frac{y}{0} = \frac{z}{-1}$$
 and  $\frac{x}{3} = \frac{y}{4} = \frac{z}{5}$ .

**10.** Find the image of the point (1, 2, 3) in the line  $\frac{x-6}{3} = \frac{y-7}{2} = \frac{z-7}{-2}$ .

**1.** Find the equation of plane passing through the point (1, 2, 3) and having the vector  $r = 2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$  normal to it.

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**2.** Find a unit vector normal to the plane through the points (1, 1, 1), (-1, 2, 3) and (2, -1, 3).

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**3.** Show that the four points S(0,-1,0), B(2,1,01), C(1,1,1) and D(3,3,0) are coplanar. Find the equation of the plane containing them.

4. Find the equation of plane passing through the line of intersection of

planes 3x + 4y - 4 = 0 and x + 7y + 3z = 0 and also through origin.



**8.** Find the equation of plane which passes through the point (1, 2, 0) and which is perpendicular to the plane x - y + z = 3 and 2x + y - z + 4 = 0.



11. Find the equation of the plane which passes through the point

(3, 4, -5) and contains the lines 
$$\frac{x+1}{2} = \frac{y-1}{3} = \frac{z+2}{-1}$$

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**12.** Find the equation of the planes parallel to the planes x - 2y + 2z = 3 which is at a unit distance from the point(1, 2, 3).

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**13.** Find the equation of the bisector planes of the angles between the planes 2x - y + 2z - 19 = 0 and 4x - 3y + 12z + 3 = 0 and specify the plane which bisects the acute angle and the planes which bisects the obtuse angle.



2. Obtain the equation of the sphere with the points (1, -1, 1) and (3, -3, 3) as the extremities of a diametre and find the coordinate of its centre.



**3.** Find the equation of sphere which passes through (1, 0, 0) and has its centre on the positive direction of Y-axis and has radius 2.

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**4.** Find the equation of sphere if it touches the plane  $r \cdot (2\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 0$ 

and the position vector of its centre is  $3\hat{i} + 6\hat{j} - \hat{k}$ .



**5.** Find the value of  $\lambda$  for which the plane  $x + y + z = \sqrt{3}\lambda$  touches the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 2x - 2y - 2z = 6$ .

**6.** Find the equation the equation of sphere cocentric with sphere  $2x^2 + 2y^2 + 2z^2 - 6x + 2y - 4z = 1$  and double its radius.

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7. A sphere has the equation  
$$|r - a|^2 + |r - b|^2 = 72$$
, where  $a = \hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - 6\hat{k}$  and  $b = 2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$ 

Find

- (i) The centre of sphere
- (ii) The radius of sphere

(iii) Perpendicular distance from the centre of the sphere to the plane

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

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Exercise (Single Option Correct Type Questions)

**1.** The xy-plane divides the line joining the points(-1, 3, 4) and (2, -5, 6).

A. Internally in the ratio 2:3

B. externally in the ratio 2:3

C. internally in the ratio 3:2

D. externally in the ratio 3:2

Answer: (b)

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**2.** Ratio in which the zx-plane divides the join of (1, 2, 3) and (4, 2, 1).

A. 1:1 internally

B. 1:1 externally

C. 2:1 internally

D. 2:1 externally

Answer: (b)

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**3.** If *P*(3, 2, -4), *Q*(5, 4, -6) and *R*(9, 8, -10) are collinear, then R divides

PQ in the ratio

A. 3:2 internally

B. 3:1 externally

C. 2:1 internally

D. 2:1 externally

Answer: (b)

**4.** A(3, 2, 0), B(5, 3, 2) and C(-9, 8, -10) are the vertices of a triangle ABC. If the bisector of  $\angle ABC$  meets BC atD, then coordinates of D are

A. 
$$\left(\frac{19}{8}, \frac{57}{16}, \frac{17}{16}\right)$$
  
B.  $\left(\frac{-19}{8}, \frac{57}{16}, \frac{17}{16}\right)$   
C.  $\left(\frac{19}{8}, -\frac{57}{16}, \frac{17}{16}\right)$ 

D. None of these

## Answer: (a)

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**5.** A line passes through the point (6, -7, -1) and (2, -3, 1). The direction cosines of the line so directed that the angle made by it with the positive direction of x-axis is acute, are

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

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

## Answer: (a)

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6. If P is a point in space such that OP is inclined to OX at 45  $^\circ\,$  and OY to

 $60\ensuremath{\,^\circ}$  then OP inclined to ZO at

**A.** 75 °

B.60  $^\circ\,$  and 120  $^\circ\,$ 

C. 75  $^\circ\,$  and 105  $^\circ\,$ 

D. 255 °

Answer: (b)

7. The direction cosines of the lines bisecting the angle between the line whose direction cosines are  $l_1, m_1, n_1$  and  $l_2, m_2, n_2$  and the angle between these lines is  $\theta$ , are

A. 
$$\frac{l_1 + l_2}{2\sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}, \frac{m_1 + m_2}{2\sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}, \frac{n_1 + n_2}{2\sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}$$
B. 
$$\frac{l_1 + l_2}{2\cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}, \frac{m_1 + m_2}{2\cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}, \frac{n_1 + n_2}{2\cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}$$
C. 
$$\frac{l_1 - l_2}{2\sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}, \frac{m_1 - m_2}{2\sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}, \frac{n_1 - n_2}{2\sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}$$
D. 
$$\frac{l_1 - l_2}{2\cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}, \frac{m_1 - m_2}{2\cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}, \frac{n_1 - n_2}{2\cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}$$

## Answer: (b)

**8.** The equation of the plane perpendicular to the line  $\frac{x-1}{1}$ ,  $\frac{y-2}{-1}$ ,  $\frac{z+1}{2}$  and passing through the point (2, 3, 1). Is

A. 
$$r \cdot \left(\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}\right) = 1$$
  
B.  $r \cdot \left(\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}\right) = 1$   
C.  $r \cdot \left(\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}\right) = 7$ 

D. None of these

#### Answer: (b)



9. The locus of a point which moves so that the difference of the squares

of its distance from two given points is constant, is a

A. straight line

B. plane

C. sphere

D. None of these

Answer: (b)



**10.** The position vectors of points a and b are  $\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$  and  $3\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$ respectively. The equation of plane is  $r \cdot (5\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 7\hat{k}) + 9 = 0$ . The points a and b

A. lie on the plane

B. are on the same side of the plane

C. are on the opposite side of the plane

D. None of these

Answer: (c)

**11.** The vector equation of the plane through the point  $2\hat{i} - \hat{j} - 4\hat{k}$  and parallel to the plane  $r \cdot (4\hat{i} - 12\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) - 7 = 0$  is

A. 
$$r \cdot (4\hat{i} - 12\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) = 0$$
  
B.  $r \cdot (4\hat{i} - 12\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) = 32$   
C.  $r \cdot (4\hat{i} - 12\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) = 12$ 

D. None of these

#### Answer: (b)

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**12.** Let  $L_1$  be the line  $r_1 = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k} + \lambda(\hat{i} + 2\hat{k})$  and let  $L_2$  be the another line  $r_2 = 3\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \mu(\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k})$ . Let  $\phi$  be the plane which contains the line  $L_1$ and is parallel to the  $L_2$ . The distance of the plane  $\phi$  from the origin is

A. 
$$\sqrt{\frac{2}{7}}$$
  
B.  $\frac{1}{7}$ 

 $C.\sqrt{6}$ 

D. None of these

Answer: (a)

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**13.** For the line 
$$\frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y-2}{2} = \frac{z-3}{3}$$
, which one of the following is incorrect?

A. it lie in the plane x - y + z = 0

- B. it is same as line  $\frac{x}{1} = \frac{y}{2} = \frac{z}{3}$
- C. it passes through (2, 3, 5)
- D. it is parallel to the plane x 2y + z 6 = 0

## Answer: (c)

14.	The	value	of	m	for	which	str	aight	line
3 <i>x</i> - 2	y + z + 3	= 0 = 4x -	3y + 4z	z + 1	is	parallel	to	the	plane
2x - y + mz - 2 = 0 is									
A.	-2								
B.	8								
C.	-18								
П	11								
D.	11								

Answer: (a)



**15.** The length of projection of the line segmet joining the points (1, 0, -1) and (-1, 2, 2) on the plane x + 3y - 5z = 6 is equal to

$$\mathsf{B}.\sqrt{\frac{271}{53}}$$

C. 
$$\sqrt{\frac{472}{31}}$$
  
D.  $\sqrt{\frac{474}{35}}$ 

Answer: (d)

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**16.** The number of planes that are equidistant from four non-coplanar points is a. 3 b. 4 c. 7 d. 9

**A.** 3

**B.**4

**C**. 9

**D**. 7

Answer: (c)

**17.** In a three dimensional co-odinate , P, Q and R are images of a point A(a, b, c) in the xy, yz and zx planes, respectively. If G is the centroid of triangle PQR, then area of triangle AOG is (O is origin)

A. 0

B. 
$$a^2 + b^2 + c^2$$
  
C.  $\frac{2}{3}(a^2 + b^2 + c^2)$ 

D. None of these

Answer: (a)

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**18.** A plane passing through (1, 1, 1) cuts positive direction of coordinates axes at *A*, *BandC*, then the volume of tetrahedron *OABC* satisfies a.  $V \le \frac{9}{2}$  b.  $V \ge \frac{9}{2}$  c.  $V = \frac{9}{2}$  d. none of these A.  $V \le \frac{9}{2}$ 

B. 
$$V \ge \frac{9}{2}$$
  
C.  $V = \frac{9}{2}$ 

D. None of these

### Answer: (b)

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**19.** If lines  $x = y = zandx = \frac{y}{2} = \frac{z}{3}$  and third line passing through (1, 1, 1) form a triangle of area  $\sqrt{6}$  units, then the point of intersection of third line with the second line will be a. (1, 2, 3) b. 2, 4, 6 c.  $\frac{4}{3}$ ,  $\frac{6}{3}$ ,  $\frac{12}{3}$  d. none of these

A. (1, 2, 3)

B. (2, 4, 6)

$$\mathsf{C}.\left(\frac{4}{3},\frac{8}{3},\frac{12}{3}\right)$$

D. None of these

# Answer: (b)



**20.** The point of intersecting of the line passing through (0, 0, 1) and

intersecting the lines x + 2y + z = 1, -x + y - 2z = 2 and x + y = 2, x + z = 2 with xy-plane is A.  $\left(\frac{5}{3}, -\frac{1}{3}, 0\right)$ B. (1, 1, 0)C.  $\left(\frac{2}{3}, -\frac{1}{3}, 0\right)$ D.  $\left(-\frac{5}{3}, \frac{1}{3}, 0\right)$ 

Answer: (a)

**21.** 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: (c)

22. The line 
$$\frac{x+6}{5} = \frac{y+10}{3} = \frac{z+14}{8}$$
 is the hypotenuse of an isosceles  
right-angled triangle whose opposite vertex is (7, 2, 4) Then which of the  
following in not the side of the triangle? a.  $\frac{x-7}{2} = \frac{y-2}{-3} = \frac{z-4}{6}$  b.  
 $\frac{x-7}{3} = \frac{y-2}{6} = \frac{z-4}{2}$  c.  $\frac{x-7}{3} = \frac{y-2}{5} = \frac{z-4}{-1}$  d. none of these  
A.  $\frac{x-7}{2} = \frac{y-2}{-3} = \frac{z-4}{6}$ 

B. 
$$\frac{x-7}{3} = \frac{y-2}{6} = \frac{z-4}{2}$$
  
C.  $\frac{x-7}{3} = \frac{y-2}{5} = \frac{z-4}{-1}$ 

D. None of these

### Answer: (c)

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23. Consider the following 3lines in space

$$L_{1}: r = 3\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k} + \lambda \left(2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - \hat{k}\right)$$
$$L_{2}: r = \hat{i} + \hat{j} - 3\hat{k} + \mu \left(4\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}\right)$$
$$L_{3}:= 3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 2\hat{k} + t \left(2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}\right)$$

Then, which one of the following part(s) is/ are in the same plane?

A. Only  $L_1L_2$ B. Only  $L_2L_3$ C. Only  $L_1L_3$ D.  $L_1L_2$  and  $L_2L_3$
# Answer: (d)



**24.** Let  $r = a + \lambda l$  and  $r = b + \mu m$  br be two lines in space, where  $a = 5\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}, b = -\hat{i} + 7\hat{j} + 8\hat{k}, l = -4\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}$ , and  $m = 2\hat{i} - 5\hat{j} - 7\hat{k}$ , then the position vector of a point which lies on both of these lines, is

A.  $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$ B.  $2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}$ C.  $\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$ 

D. None of these

Answer: (a)

**25.**  $L_1 and L_2$  and two lines whose vector equations are  $L_1: \vec{r} = \lambda \left( \left( \cos\theta + \sqrt{3} \right) \hat{i} \left( \sqrt{2} \sin\theta \right) \hat{j} + \left( \cos\theta - \sqrt{3} \right) \hat{k} \right) L_2: \vec{r} = \mu \left( a\hat{i} + b\hat{j} + c\hat{k} \right)$ 

, where  $\lambda and\mu$  are scalars and  $\alpha$  is the acute angel between  $L_1andL_2~$  If the

angel  $\alpha$  is independent of  $\theta$ , then the value of  $\alpha$  is a.  $\frac{\pi}{6}$  b.  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  c.  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  d.  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ 



#### Answer: (a)

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**26.** The vector equations of two lines  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  are respectively  $\vec{r} = 17\hat{i} - 9\hat{j} + 9\hat{k} + \lambda(3\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 5\hat{k})$  and  $\vec{r} = 15\hat{-}8\hat{j} - \hat{k} + \mu(4\hat{i} + 3\hat{j})$  I  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  are skew lines II (11, -11, -1) is the point of intersection of  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  III (-11, 11, 1) is the point of intersection of  $L_1$  and  $L_2$ . IV  $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{\sqrt{35}}\right)$  is the acute angle between -1 and  $L_2$  then , which of the

following is true?

A. II abd IV

B. I and IV

C. Only IV

D. III and IV

Answer: (b)

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**27.** Consider three vectors p = i + j + k, q = 2i + 4j - k and r = i + j + 3k. If p, q and r denotes the position vector of three non-collinear points, then the equation of the plane containing these points is

A. 2x - 3y + 1 = 0

B. x - 3y + 2z = 0

C. 3x - y + z - 3 = 0

D. 3x - y - 2 = 0

Answer: (d)

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**28.** Intercept made by the circle  $z\overline{z} + \overline{a} + a\overline{z} + r = 0$  on the real axis on complex plane is

A. 
$$\frac{q}{r \cdot n}$$
  
B.  $\frac{i \cdot n}{q}$   
C.  $(r \cdot n)q$   
D.  $\frac{q}{|n|}$ 

Answer: (a)

**29.** Ifthedistancebetweentheplanes8x + 12y - 14z = 2 and 4x + 6y - 7z = 2 can be expressed in the form  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{N}}$ ,where N is natural, then the value of  $\frac{N(N+1)}{2}$  isA. 4950B. 5050

**C.** 5150

**D.** 5151

Answer: (d)

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**30.** A plane passes through the points P(4, 0, 0) and Q(0, 0, 4) and is parallel to the Y-axis. The distance of the plane from the origin is

**A.** 2

**B**.4

 $C.\sqrt{2}$ 

D.  $2\sqrt{2}$ 

Answer: (d)

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**31.** If from the point P(f, g, h) perpendicular PL and PM be drawn to yz and

zx-planes, then the equation to the plane OLM is

A. 
$$\frac{x}{f} + \frac{y}{g} - \frac{z}{h} = 0$$
  
B.  $\frac{x}{f} + \frac{y}{g} + \frac{z}{h} = 0$   
C.  $\frac{x}{f} - \frac{y}{g} + \frac{z}{h} = 0$   
D.  $-\frac{x}{f} + \frac{y}{g} + \frac{z}{h} = 0$ 

#### Answer: (a)

**32.** The plane XOZ divides the join of (1, -1, 5) and (2, 3, 4)in the ratio of

#### $\lambda$ : 1, then $\lambda$ is

A. -3 B.  $-\frac{1}{3}$ C. 3 D.  $\frac{1}{3}$ 

#### Answer: (d)

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**33.** A variable plane forms a tetrahedron of constant volume  $64k^3$  with the coordinate planes and the origin, then locus of the centroid of the tetrahedron is

A. 
$$x^3 + y^3 + z^3 = 6k^3$$

 $\mathbf{B.} xyz = 6k^3$ 

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

D. 
$$x^{-2} + y^{-2} + z^{-2} = 4k^{-2}$$

Answer: (d)

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**34.** Let ABCD be a tetrahedron such that the edges AB, AC and AD are mutually perpendicular. Let the area of  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $\triangle ACD$  and  $\triangle ABD$  be 3, 4 and 5 sq. units, respectively. Then, the area of the  $\triangle BCD$ . Is



**B.** 5

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

Answer: (a)

**35.** Equations of the line which passe through the point with position vector (2, 1, 0) and perpendicular to the plane containing the vectors i + j and j + k is

A. 
$$r = (2, 1, 0) + t(1, -1, 1)$$
  
B.  $r = (2, 1, 0) + t(-1, 1, 1)$   
C.  $r = (2, 1, 0) + t(1, 1, -1)$   
D.  $r = (2, 1, 0) + t(1, 1, 1)$ 

#### Answer: (a)

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36. Which of the following planes are parallel but not identical?

 $P_1: 4x - 2y + 6z = 3$ 

 $P_2: 4x - 2y - 2z = 6$ 

 $P_3: - 6x + 3y - 9z = 5$   $P_4: 2x - y - z = 3$ A.  $P_2$  and  $P_3$ B.  $P_2$  and  $P_4$ C.  $P_1$  and  $P_3$ D.  $P_1$  and  $P_4$ 

Answer: (c)

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**37.** A parallelopied is formed by planes drawn through the points (1, 2, 3) and (9, 8, 5) parallel to the coordinate planes, then which of the following Is not length of an edge of this rectangular parallelopiped?

**A.** 2

**B.**4

**C**. 6

Answer: (b)

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**38.** Vector equation of the plane  $r = \hat{i} - \hat{j} + \lambda \left(\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}\right) + \mu \left(\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}\right)$  in the scalar dot product form is

A.  $r \cdot (5i - 2j + 3k) = 7$ 

B.  $r \cdot (5i2j - 3k) = 7$ 

$$C.r \cdot (5i - 2j - 3k) = 7$$

D.  $r \cdot (5i + 2j + 3k) = 7$ 

Answer: (c)

**39.** The vector equations of two lines  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  are respectively,  $L_1: r = 2i + 9j + 13k + \lambda(i + 2j + 3k)$  and  $L_2: r = -3i + 7j + pk + \mu(-i + 2j - 3k)$ Then, the lines  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  are

A. skew lines all  $p \in R$ 

B. intersecting for all  $p \in R$  and the point of intersection is (-1, 3, 4)

C. intersecting lines for p = -2

D. intersecting for all real  $p \in R$ 

### Answer: (c)

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**40.** Consider the plane  $(x, y, z) = (0, 1, 1) + \lambda(1, -1, 1) + \mu(2, -1, 0)$  The

distance of this plane from the origin is

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

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

### Answer: (c)



**41.** The value of a for which the lines  $\frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y-9}{2} = \frac{z-13}{3}$  and  $\frac{x-a}{-1} = \frac{y-7}{2} = \frac{z+2}{-3}$  intersect, is A. -5 B. -2 C. 5 D. -3

Answer: (d)

**42.** For the line  $\frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y-2}{2} = \frac{z-3}{3}$ , which one of the following is

incorrect?

A. It lie in the plane x - 2y + z = 0.

- B. it is same as line  $\frac{x}{1} = \frac{y}{2} = \frac{z}{3}$ .
- C. it passes through (2, 3, 5).

D. It is parallel to the plane x - 2y + z - 6 = 0.

## Answer: (c)

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**43.** Given planes 
$$P_1: cy + bz = x$$

$$P_2: az + cx = y$$

 $P_3: bx + ay = z$ 

 $P_1, P_2$  and  $P_3$  pass through one line, if

A.  $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = ab + bc + ca$ 

B. 
$$a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2abc = 1$$
  
C.  $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = 1$   
D.  $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2ab + 2bc + 2ca + 2abc = 1$ 

### Answer: (c)

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**44.** 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.  $k = 0$  and  $k = -1$   
B.  $k = 1$  or  $-1$   
C.  $k = 0$  or  $-3$   
D.  $k = 3$  or  $-3$ 

Answer: (c)

**45.** The line  $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y+1}{2} = \frac{z-1}{-1}$  intersects the curve  $xy = c^2$ , z = 0, if c is equal to A.  $\pm 1$ B.  $\pm \frac{1}{3}$ 

$$C. \pm \sqrt{5}$$

D. None of these

#### Answer: (c)

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**46.** The line which contains all points (x, y, z) which are of the form  $(x, y, z) = (2, -2, 5) + \lambda(1, -3, 2)$  intersects the plane 2x - 3y + 4z = 163 at P and intersects the YZ-plane at Q. If the distance PQ is  $a\sqrt{b}$ , where  $a, b \in N$  and a > 3, then (a + b) is equalto

**B**.95

**C.** 27

D. None of these

Answer: (a)

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47. If the three planes  $r \cdot n_1 = p_1, r \cdot n_2 = p_2$  and  $r \cdot n_3 = p_3$  have a common line of intersection, then  $p_1(n_2 \times n_3) + p_2(n_3 \times n_1) + p_3(n_1 \times n_2)$  is equal to A. 1 B. 2 C. 0 D. -1

Answer: (b)



**48.** The equation of the plane which passes through the line of intersection of the planes  $r \cdot n_1 = q_1, r \cdot n_2 = q_2$  and is parallel to the line of intersection of the planes  $r \cdot n_3 = q_3, r \cdot n_4 = q_4$  is

A. 
$$[n_2n_3n_4](r \cdot n_1 - q_1) = [n_1n_3n_4](r \cdot n_2 - q_2)$$
  
B.  $[n_1n_2n_3](r \cdot n_4 - q_4) = [n_4n_3n_1](r \cdot n_2 - q_2)$   
C.  $[n_4n_3n_1](r \cdot n_4 - q_4) = [n_1n_2n_3](r \cdot n_2 - q_2)$ 

D. None of these

#### Answer: (a)

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**49.** A straight line is given by r = (1 + t)i + 3tj + (1 - t)k, where  $t \in R$ . If this

line lies in th plane x + y + cz = d, then the value of (c + d) is

**A.** - 1

**B.** 1

**C**. 7

D. 9

Answer: (d)

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**50.** The distance of the point (-1, -5, -10) from the point of intersection of the line  $\frac{x-2}{2} = \frac{y+1}{4} = \frac{z-2}{12}$  and the plane x - y + z = 5 is

A.  $2\sqrt{11}$ 

B.  $\sqrt{126}$ 

**C**. 13

**D**. 14

Answer: (c)

**51.**  $P(\vec{p})$  and  $Q(\vec{q})$  are the position vectors of two fixed points and  $R(\vec{r})$ is the position vectorvariable point. If R moves such that  $(\vec{r} - \vec{p}) \times (\vec{r} - \vec{q}) = 0$  then the locus of R is

A. A plane containing the origin O and parallel to two non- collinear

vector vector OP and OQ.

B. the surface of a sphere described on PQ as its diameter.

C. a line passing through the points P and Q.

D. a set of lines parallel to the line PQ.

Answer: (c)



**52.** The three vectors  $\hat{i} + \hat{j}, \hat{j} + \hat{k}, \hat{k} + \hat{i}$  taken two at a time form three

planes, The three unit vectors drawn perpendicular to these planes form

a parallelopiped of volume:

A. 
$$\frac{1}{3}$$
  
B. 4  
C.  $3\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$   
D.  $\frac{4}{3\sqrt{3}}$ 

### Answer: (d)

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53. The orthogonal projection A' of the point A with position vector

(1, 2, 3) on the plane 3x - y + 4z = 0 is

A. 
$$(-1, 3, -1)$$
  
B.  $\left(-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{2}, 1\right)$   
C.  $\left(\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{5}{2}, -1\right)$   
D.  $(6, -7, -5)$ 

# Answer: (b)



**54.** The equation of the line passing through (1, 1, 1) and perpendicular to the line of intersection of the planes x + 2y - 4z = 0 and 2x - y + 2z = 0 is

A. 
$$\frac{x-1}{5} = \frac{1-y}{1} = \frac{z-1}{2}$$
  
B.  $\frac{x-1}{-5} = \frac{1-y}{1} = \frac{z-1}{2}$   
C.  $\frac{x-1}{0} = \frac{1-y}{-10} = \frac{z-1}{-5}$   
D.  $\frac{x-1}{-10} = \frac{y+2}{0} = \frac{z-2}{-5}$ 

### Answer: (a)

**55.** 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. 3 B. 1 C.  $\frac{1}{3}$ 

D. 9

Answer: (d)

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**56.** The angle between the lines AB and CD, where A(0, 0, 0), B(1, 1, 1), C(-1, -1, -1) and D(0, 1, 0) is given by

A. 
$$\cos(\theta) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$
  
B.  $\cos(\theta) = \frac{4}{3\sqrt{2}}$ 

$$C. \cos(\theta) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$$
$$D. \cos(\theta) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

Answer: (b)

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**57.** The shortest distance of a point (1, 2, - 3) from a plane making intercepts 1, 2 and 3 units on position X, Y and Z-axes respectively, is

**A.** 2

**B**. 0

C.  $\frac{13}{12}$ D.  $\frac{12}{7}$ 

Answer: (b)

O(0, 0, 0), A(1, 2, 1), B(2, 1, 3), and C(-1, 1, 2), then angle between face

has

vertices

tetrahedron

*OABandABC* will be a. 
$$\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{17}{31}\right)$$
 b.  $30^{0}$  c.  $90^{0}$  d.  $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{19}{35}\right)$ 

A. 
$$\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{19}{35}\right)$$
  
B.  $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{17}{31}\right)$   
C. 30°

А

D. 90°

58.

### Answer: (a)

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**59.** The direction ratios of the line  $I_1$  passing through P(1, 3, 4) and perpendicular to line  $I_2 \frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-2}{3} = \frac{z-3}{4}$  (where  $I_1$  and  $I_2$  are coplanar) is

A. 14, 8, 1

**B**. - 14, 8, - 1

C. 14, -8, -1

D.-14, -8,1

Answer: (c)

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60. Equation of the plane through three points A, B and C with position

vectors -6i + 3j + 2k, 3i - 2j + 4k and 5i + 7j + 3k is equal to

A. 
$$r \cdot (i - j + 7k) + 23 = 0$$

B.  $r \cdot (i + j + 7k) = 23$ 

C. 
$$r \cdot (i + j - 7k) + 23 = 0$$

D.  $r \cdot (i - j - 7k) = 23$ 

Answer: (a)

**61.** OABC is a tetrahedron. The position vectors of A, B and C are I, i + j and j + k, respectively. O is origin. The height of the tetrahedron (taking ABC as base) is



D. None of these

#### Answer: (b)

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**62.** The plane x - y - z = 4 is rotated through an angle 90 ° about its line of intersection with the plane x + y + 2z = 4. Then the equation of the plane in its new position is

A. x + y + 4z = 20

B. x + 5y + 4z = 20

C. x + y - 4z = 20

D. 5x + y + 4z = 20

Answer: (d)

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**63.**  $A_{xy'yz}$ ,  $A_{zx}$  be the area of projections oif as area a o the xy,yz and zx and planes resepctively, then  $A^2 = A^2 (xy) + A^2 (yz) + a^2 (zx)$ 

A.  $A_{xy}^{2} + A_{yz}^{2} + A_{zx}^{2}$ B.  $\sqrt{A_{xy}^{2} + A_{yz}^{2} + A_{zx}^{2}}$ C.  $A_{xy} + A_{yz} + A_{zx}$ D.  $\sqrt{A_{xy} + A_{yz} + A_{zx}}$ 

Answer: (a)

**64.** Through a point P(h, k, l) a plane is drawn at righat angle to OP to meet the coordinaste axes in A,B and C. If OP =p show that the area of  $\triangle ABisp^5/(2hkl)$ 

A. 
$$\frac{p^3}{2hkl}$$
  
B. 
$$\frac{p^3}{hkl}$$
  
C. 
$$\frac{p^3}{2hkl}$$
  
D. 
$$\frac{p^3}{hkl}$$

### Answer: (a)



**65.** The volume of the tetrahedron included between the plane 3x + 4y - 5z - 60 = 0 and the co-odinate planes is

A. 60

B. 600

**C**. 720

D. 400

Answer: (b)

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**66.** The angle between the lines whose direction cosines are given by the equatios  $l^2 + m^2 - n^2 = 0$ , m + n + l = 0 is

A.  $\cos^{-1}(2\sqrt{3})$ B.  $\cos^{-1}\sqrt{3}$ C.  $\frac{\phi}{3}$ D.  $\frac{\phi}{2}$ 

Answer: (c)

**67.** The distance between the line  $r = 2\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k} + \lambda(\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 4\hat{k})$  and the

plane 
$$r \cdot \left(\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} + \hat{k}\right) = 5$$
, is

A. 
$$\frac{10}{3\sqrt{3}}$$
  
B.  $\frac{10}{3}$   
C.  $\frac{10}{9}$   
D.  $\frac{10}{\sqrt{3}}$ 

Answer: (a)

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**68.** The cartesian equations of the plane perpendicular to the line  $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-3}{-1} = \frac{z-4}{2}$ and passing through the origin is A. 2x - y + 2z - 7 = 0 B. 2x + y + 2x = 0

C. 2x - y + 2z = 0

D. 2x - y - z = 0

Answer: (c)

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**69.** Let P(3, 2, 6) be a point in space and Q be a point on line  $\vec{r} = (\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) + \mu(-3\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 5\hat{k})$ . Then the value of  $\mu$  for which the vector  $\vec{P}Q$  is parallel to the plane x - 4y + 3z = 1 is a. 1/4 b. -1/4 c. 1/8 d. -1/8

A.  $\frac{1}{4}$ B.  $-\frac{1}{4}$ C.  $\frac{1}{8}$ D.  $-\frac{1}{8}$ 

Answer: (a)

**70.** A plane makes interceptsOA, OB and OC whose measurements are a, b and c on the OX, OY and OZ axes. The area of triangle ABC is

A. 
$$\frac{1}{2}(ab + bc + ac)$$
  
B.  $\frac{1}{2}abc(a + b + c)$   
C.  $\frac{1}{2}\frac{(a^2b^2 + b^2c^2 + c^2a^2)^1}{2}$   
D.  $\frac{1}{2}(a + b + c)^2$ 

Answer: (c)



**71.** The radius of the circle in which the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 2x - 2y - 4z - 19 = 0$  is cut by the plane x + 2y + 2z + 7 = 0 is

**B**. 3

**C**. 4

**D**. 1

Answer: (b)

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**72.** Let  $\vec{a} = \hat{i} + \hat{j}$  and  $\vec{b} = 2\hat{i} - \hat{k}$ . The point of intersection of the lines  $\vec{r} \times \vec{a} = \vec{b} \times \vec{a}$  and  $\vec{r} \times \vec{b} = \vec{a} \times \vec{b}$  is A. (3, -1, 1) B. (3, 1, -1)

C.(-3,1,1)

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

Answer: (b)

73. The co-ordinate of the point P on the line  $r = (\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}) + \lambda (-\hat{I} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}) \text{ which is nearest to the origin is}$ A.  $(\frac{2}{3}, \frac{4}{3}, \frac{2}{3})$ B.  $(-\frac{2}{3}, -\frac{4}{3}, \frac{2}{3})$ C.  $(\frac{2}{3}, \frac{4}{3}, -\frac{2}{3})$ 

D. None of these

#### Answer: (a)

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**74.** The 3-dimensional vectors  $v_1, v_2, v_3$  satisfying  $v_1 \cdot v_1 = 4, v_1 \cdot v_2 = -2, v_1 \cdot v_3 = 6, v_2 \cdot v_2 = 2, v_2 \cdot v_3 = -5, v_3 \cdot v_3 = 29,$ then  $v_3$  may be

A. -  $3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} \pm 4\hat{k}$ 

B.  $3\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} \pm 4\hat{k}$ C.  $-2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} \pm 4\hat{K}$ D.  $2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} \pm 4\hat{k}$ 

#### Answer: (b)

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**75.** The points  $\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$  and  $3\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$  are equidistant from the plane  $r \cdot (5\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 7\hat{k}) + 9 = 0$ , then they are

A. on the same sides of the plane

B. parallel of the plane

C. on the opposite sides of the plane

D. None of these

Answer: (c)
**76.** A, B, C and D are four points in space. Using vector methods, prove that  $AC^2 + BD^2 + AC^2 + BC^2 \ge AB^2 + CD^2$  what is the implication of the sign of equality.

- A.  $AB^2 + CD^2$ B.  $\frac{1}{AB^2} - \frac{1}{CD^2}$ C.  $\frac{1}{CD^2} - \frac{1}{AB^2}$
- D. None of these

#### Answer: (a)

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**77.** Show that  $x_1\hat{i} + y_1\hat{j} + z_1\hat{k}$ ,  $x_2\hat{i} + y_2\hat{j} + z_2\hat{k}$  and  $x_3\hat{i} + y_3\hat{j} + z_3\hat{k}$  are noncoplnar if  $|x_1| > |y_1| + |z_1|$ ,  $|y_2| > |x_2| + |z_2|$  and  $|z_3| > |x_3| + |y_3|$ .

## A. perpendicular

B. collinear

C. coplanar

D. non coplanar

Answer: (d)

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**78.** The position vectors of points of intersection of three planes  $r \cdot n_1 = q_1, r \cdot n_2 = q_2, r \cdot n_3 = q_3$ , where  $n_1, n_2$  and  $n_3$  are non coplanar vectors, is

A. 
$$\frac{1}{\left[n_{1}n_{2}n_{3}\right]}\left[q_{3}\left(n_{1}\times n_{2}\right)+q_{1}\left(n_{2}\times n_{3}\right)+q_{2}\left(n_{3}\times n_{1}\right)\right]$$
  
B. 
$$\frac{1}{\left[n_{1}n_{2}n_{3}\right]}\left[q_{1}\left(n_{1}\times n_{2}\right)+q_{1}\left(n_{2}\times n_{3}\right)+q_{3}\left(n_{3}\times n_{1}\right)\right]$$
  
C. 
$$-\frac{1}{\left[n_{1}n_{2}n_{3}\right]}\left[q_{1}\left(n_{1}\times n_{2}\right)+q_{1}\left(n_{2}\times n_{3}\right)+q_{3}\left(n_{3}\times n_{1}\right)\right]$$

D. None of these

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**79.** A pentagon is formed by cutting a triangular corner from a rectangular piece of paper. The five sides of the pentagon have length 13, 19, 20, 25 and 31 not necessarily in that order. The area of the pentagon is

A. 459 sq. units

B. 600 sq. units

C. 680 sq. units

D. 745 sq. units

Answer: (d)

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**80.** In a dimensional coodinate a system P, Q and R are image of a point A(a, b, c) in the XY they YZ and the ZX planes respectively. If G is the centroid of triangle PQR then area of Triangle AOG is (O is origin).

A. 0

B. 
$$a^{2} + b^{2} + c^{2}$$
  
C.  $\frac{2}{3}(a^{2} + b^{2} + c^{2})$ 

D. None of these

Answer: (a)

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**81.** A plane 2x + 3y + 5z = 1 has a point P which is at minimum distance from line joining A(1, 0, -3), B(1, -5, 7), then distance AP is equal to

B.  $2\sqrt{5}$ 

C.  $4\sqrt{4}$ 

D. None of these

Answer: (b)

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82. The locus of point which moves in such a way that its distance from

the line  $\frac{x}{1} = \frac{y}{1} = \frac{z}{-1}$  is twice the distance from the plane x + y + z = 0 is

0

A. 
$$x^{2} + y^{2} + z^{2} - 5x - 3y - 3z = 0$$
  
B.  $x^{2} + y^{2} + z^{2} + 5x + 3y + 3z = 0$   
C.  $x^{2} + y^{2} + z^{2} - 5xy - 3zy - 3zx = 0$   
D.  $x^{2} + y^{2} + z^{2} + 5xy + 3zy + 3zx = 0$ 

Answer: (c)

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**83.** A cube  $C = \{(x, y, z) \mid o \le x, y, z \le 1\}$  is cut by a sharp knife along the plane x = y, y = z, z = x. If no piece is moved until all three cuts are made, the number of pieces is

A. 6 B. 7 C. 8

**D.** 27

Answer: (a)

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**84.** A ray of light is sent through the point P(1, 2, 3, ) and is reflected on the XY-plane. If the reflected ray passes through the point Q(3, 2, 5), then the equation of the reflected ray is

A. 
$$\frac{x-3}{1} = \frac{y-2}{0} = \frac{z-5}{1}$$

B. 
$$\frac{x-3}{1} = \frac{y-2}{0} = \frac{z-5}{-4}$$
  
C.  $\frac{x-3}{1} = \frac{y-2}{0} = \frac{z-5}{4}$   
D.  $\frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y-2}{0} = \frac{z-5}{4}$ 

## Answer: (c)

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**85.** A plane cutting the axes in P, Q, R passes through  $(\alpha - \beta, \beta - \gamma, \gamma - \alpha)$ . If

O is the origin, then locus of centre of sphere OPQR is

A. 
$$\alpha x + \beta y + \gamma z = 4$$

B. 
$$(\alpha - \beta)x + (\beta - \gamma)y + (\gamma - \alpha)z = 0$$

$$\mathsf{C}.\ (\alpha - \beta)yz + (\beta - \gamma)zx + (\gamma - \alpha)xy = 2xyz$$

D. 
$$\left(\frac{1}{\alpha^2} + \frac{1}{\beta^2} + \frac{1}{\gamma^2}\right) \left(x^2 + y^2 + z^2\right) = xyz$$

### Answer: (c)

**86.** The shortest distance between any two opposite edges of the tetrahedron formed by planes x + y = 0, y + z = 0, z + x = 0, x + y + z = a is constant, equal to

**A.** 2*a* 

B. 
$$\frac{2a}{\sqrt{6}}$$
  
C.  $\frac{a}{\sqrt{6}}$   
D.  $\frac{2a}{\sqrt{3}}$ 

Answer: (b)

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87. The angle between the pair of planes represented by equation  $2x^2 - 2y^2 + 4z^2 + 6zx + 2yz + 3xy = 0$  is A.  $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)$ 

B. 
$$\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{4}{21}\right)$$
  
C.  $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{4}{9}\right)$   
D.  $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{7}{\sqrt{84}}\right)$ 

Answer: (c)



**88.** Let (p, q, r) be a point on the plane 2x + 2y + z = 6, then the least value of  $p^2 + q^2 + r^2$  is equal ot

**A.** 4

**B.** 5

**C**. 6

D. 8

Answer: (a)



**89.** The fout lines drawing from the vertices of any tetrahedron to the centroid to the centroid of the opposite faces meet in a point whose distance from each vertex is 'k' times the distance from each vertex to the opposite face, where k is

A.  $\frac{1}{3}$ B.  $\frac{1}{2}$ C.  $\frac{3}{4}$ D.  $\frac{5}{4}$ 

Answer: (c)

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90. The shorteast distance from (1, 1, 1) to the line of intersection of the

pair of planes  $xy + yz + zx + y^2 = 0$  is

A. 
$$\sqrt{\frac{8}{7}}$$
  
B.  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$   
C.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$   
D.  $\frac{2}{3}$ 

Answer: (a)



**91.** The shortest distance between the two lines  $L_1: x = k_1, y = k_2$  and  $L_2: x = k_3, y = k_4$  is equal to

A. 
$$\left| \sqrt{k_1^2 + k_2^2} - \sqrt{k_3^2 + k_4^2} \right|$$
  
B.  $\sqrt{k_1 k_3 + k_3 k_4}$   
C.  $\sqrt{(k_1 + k_3)^2 + (k_2 + k_4)^2}$   
D.  $\sqrt{(k_1 - k_3)^2 + (k_2 - k_4)^2}$ 

Answer: (d)

**92.** 
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} l_1 & m_1 & n_1 \\ l_2 & m_2 & n_2 \\ l_3 & m_3 & n_3 \end{bmatrix}$$
 and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} p_1 & q_1 & r_1 \\ p_2 & q_2 & r_2 \\ p_3 & q_3 & r_3 \end{bmatrix}$ 

Where  $p_i$ ,  $q_i$ ,  $r_i$  are the co-factors of the elements  $l_i$ ,  $m_i$ ,  $n_i$  for i = 1, 2, 3. If  $(l_1, m_1, n_1)$ ,  $(l_2, m_2, n_2)$  and  $(l_3, m_3, n_3)$  are the direction cosines of three mutually perpendicular lines then  $(p_1, q_1, r_1)$ ,  $(p_2, q_2, r_2)$  and  $(p_3, q, r_3)$  are

A. the direction cosines of three mutually perpendicular lines

B. the direction ratios of three mutually perpendicular lines which are

not direction cosines

C. the direction cosines of three lines which need be perpendicular

D. the direction ratios but not the direction cosines of three lines which need not be perpendicular

Answer: (a)

**93.** If ABCD is a tetrahedron such that each  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $\triangle ABD$  and  $\triangle ACD$ has a right angle at A. If  $ar(\triangle (ABC)) = k_1, ar(\triangle ABD) = k_2, ar(\triangle BCD) = k_3$ , then ar(triangleACD)` is

A. 
$$\sqrt{k_1^2 + k_2^2 + k_3^2}$$
  
B.  $\sqrt{\frac{k_1 k_2 k_3}{k_1^2 + k_2^2 + k_3^2}}$   
C.  $\sqrt{\left| \left( k_1^2 + k_2^2 - k_3^2 \right) \right|}$   
D.  $\sqrt{\left| \left( k_1^2 - k_2^2 - k_3^2 \right) \right|}$ 

Answer: (c)

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94. In a regular tetrahedron, if the distance between the mid points of

opposite edges is unity, its volume is

A. 
$$\frac{1}{3}$$
  
B.  $\frac{1}{2}$   
C.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$   
D.  $\frac{1}{6\sqrt{2}}$ 

### Answer: (a)



**95.** A variable plane makes intercepts on X, Y and Z-axes and it makes a tetrahedron of volume 64cu. Units. The locus of foot of perpendicular from origin on this plane is

$$\mathsf{A.}\left(x^2 + y^2 + z^2\right) = 384xyz$$

**B.** xyz = 681

C. 
$$(x + y + z)\left(\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{y} + \frac{1}{z}\right)^2 = 16$$

D. xyz(x + y + z) = 81

Answer: (a)

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**96.** If P, Q, R, S are four coplanar points on the sides AB, BC, CD, DA of a skew quadrilateral, then  $\frac{AB}{PB} \cdot \frac{BQ}{QC} \cdot \frac{CR}{RD} \cdot \frac{DS}{SA}$  equals

**A.** 1

**B.** - 1

**C**. 3

**D.** - 3

Answer: (a)

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Exercise (More Than One Correct Option Type Questions)

**1.** Given the equation of the line 3x - y + z + 1 = 0 and 5x - y + 3z = 0. Then, which of the following is correct?

A. Symmetrical form of the equation of line is  $\frac{x}{2} = \frac{y - \frac{1}{8}}{-1} = \frac{z + \frac{5}{8}}{1}$ . B. Symmetrical form of the equation of line is  $\frac{x + \frac{1}{8}}{1} = \frac{y - \frac{5}{8}}{-1} = \frac{z}{-2}$ 

C. Equation of the through (2, 1, 4) and perpencular to the given lines

is 2x - y + z - 7 = 0.

D. Equation of the plane through (2, 1, 4) and perpendicular to the

given lines is x + y - 2z + 5 = 0.

#### Answer: (b, d)

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**2.** Consider the family of planes x + y + z = c where c is a parameter intersecting the coordinate axes P, Q and R and  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  are the angles made by each member of this family with positive x, y and z-axes. Which of the following interpretations hold good got this family?

A. Each member of this family is equally inclined with coordinate axes.

 $\mathsf{B.}\sin^2(\alpha) + \sin^2(\gamma) + \sin^2(\beta) = 1$ 

 $C.\cos^2(\alpha) + \cos^2(\beta) + \cos^2(\gamma) = 2$ 

D. For c=3 area of the  $\triangle PQRis3\sqrt{3}$  sq. units.

#### Answer: (a, b, c)

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3. Equation of the line through the point (1, 1, 1) and intersecting the

lines 2x - y - z - 2 = 0 = x + y + z - 1 and x - y - z - 3 = 0 = 2x + 4y - z - 4.

A. x - 1 = 0, 7x + 17y - 3z - 134 = 0

B. x - 1 = 0, 9x + 15y - 5z - 19 = 0

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

D. x - 2y + 2z - 1 = 0, 9x + 15y - 5z - 19 = 0

#### Answer: (b,c)

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**4.** Through the point P(h, k, l) a plane is drawn at right angles to OP to meet co-ordinate axes at A, B and C. If OP=p,  $A_x y$  is area of projetion of  $\triangle$  (*ABC*) on xy-plane.  $A_z y$  is area of projection of  $\triangle$  (*ABC*) on yz-plane, then

A. 
$$\triangle = \left| \frac{p^5}{hkl} \right|$$
  
B.  $\triangle = \left| \frac{p^5}{2hkl} \right|$   
C.  $\frac{A_x y}{A_y z} = \left| \frac{1}{h} \right|$   
D.  $\frac{A_x y}{A_y z} = \left| \frac{h}{l} \right|$ 



B. Centroid of the a tetrahedron lies on lines joining the mid point of

the opposite faces.

C. Distance of centroid from all the vertices are equal.

D. None of these

Answer: (a, b)

**7.** A variable plane cutting coordinate axes in A, B, C is at a constant distance from the origin. Then the locus of centroid of the  $\triangle ABC$  is

A. 
$$x^{-2} + y^{-2} + z^{-2} = (16)$$

**B.** 
$$x^{-2} + y^{-2} + z^{-2} = 9$$

C. 
$$\frac{1}{9}\left(\frac{1}{x^2 + \frac{1}{y^2} + \frac{1}{z^2}}\right) = 0$$
  
D.  $X + Y = 0$ 

Answer: (b,c)



8. Equation of any plane containing the line  $\frac{x - x_1}{a} = \frac{y - y_1}{b} = \frac{z - z_1}{c}$  is  $A(x - x_1) + B(y - y_1) + C(z - z_1) = 0$  then pick correct alternatives A.  $\frac{A}{a} = \frac{B}{b} = \frac{C}{c}$  is true for the line to be perpendicular to the plane. B. A(a + 3) + B(b - 1) + C(c - 2) = 0C. 2aA + 3bB + 4cC = 0D. Aa + Bb + Cc = 0

Answer: (a, d)

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9. The line  $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y+1}{2} = \frac{z-1}{-1}$  intersects the curve  $x^2 + y^2 = r^2, z = 0$ , then

A. Equation of the following through (0, 0, 0) perpendicular to the

given line is 3x + 2y - z = 0

B. 
$$r = \sqrt{26}$$
  
C.  $r = 6$ 

D. r = 7

## Answer: (a, b)

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**10.** A vector equally inclined to the vectors  $\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}$  and  $\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}$  then the

plane containing them is

A. 
$$\frac{\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}}{\sqrt{3}}$$
  
B.  $\hat{j} - \hat{k}$   
C.  $2\hat{i}$   
D.  $\hat{i}$ 

Answer: (c, d)

- **11.** Consider the plane through (2, 3, -1) and at right angles to the vector  $3\hat{i} 4\hat{j} + 7\hat{k}$  from the origin is
  - A. The equation of the plane through the given point is 3x - 4y + 7z + 13 = 0.
  - B. perpendicular distance of plane from origin  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{74}}$ . C. perpendicular distance of plane from origin  $\frac{13}{\sqrt{74}}$ . D. perpendicular distance of plane from origin  $\frac{21}{\sqrt{74}}$ .

### Answer: (b,c)

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**12.** A plane passes through a fixed point (a, b, c) and cuts the axes in A, B,

C. The locus of a point equidistant from origin A, B, C must be

A. ayz + bzx + czy = 2xyz

B. 
$$\frac{a}{x} + \frac{b}{y} + \frac{c}{z} = 1$$
  
C.  $\frac{a}{x} + \frac{b}{y} + \frac{c}{z} = 2$   
D.  $\frac{a}{x} + \frac{b}{y} + \frac{c}{z} = 3$ 

#### Answer: (a, c)

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**13.** Let A be vector parallel to line of intersection of planes  $P_1$  and  $P_2$ . Plane  $P_1$  is parallel to the vectors  $2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$  and  $4\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$  and that  $P_2$  is parallel to  $\hat{j} - \hat{k}$  and  $3\hat{i} + 3\hat{j}$ , then the angle between vector A and a given vector  $2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$  is

A. 
$$\frac{\phi}{2}$$
  
B.  $\frac{\phi}{4}$   
C.  $\frac{\phi}{6}$   
D.  $\frac{3\phi}{4}$ 

## Answer: (b, d)



**14.** Consider the lines x = y = z and line 2x + y + z - 1 = 0 = 3x + y + 2z - 2, then

A. the shortest distance between the two lines is  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ 

B. The shortest distance between the two lines is  $\sqrt{2}$ 

C. plane containing 2nd line parallel to 1st line is y - z + 1 = 0

D. the shortest distance between the two lines  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ 

## Answer: (a, c)



**15.** If  $p_1, p_2, p_3$  denote the perpendicular distance of the plane 2x - 3y + 4z + 2 = 0 from the parallel planes.

A. 
$$p_1 + 8p_2 - p_3 = 0$$
  
B.  $p_3 = 16p_2$   
C.  $8p_2 = p_1$   
D.  $p_1 + 2p_2 + 3p_3 = \sqrt{29}$ 

Answer: (a, b, c, d)

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**16.** A line segment has length 63 and direction ratios are 3, -26. The components of the line vectors are

A.-27, 18, 54

**B**. 27, -18, -54

C.27, -18,54

D.-27, 18, -54

Answer: (c, d)

**17.** 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.  $k = 0$   
B.  $k = -1$   
C.  $k = 2$   
D.  $k = -3$   
Answer: (a, d)  
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**18.** The points A(4, 5, 10), B(2, 3, 4) and C(1, 2, -1) are three vertices of a parallelogram ABCD, then

A. Vector equation of AB is  $2i + 3j + 4k + \lambda(i + j + 3k)$ 

B. Cartesian equation of BC is 
$$\frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y-3}{1} = \frac{z-4}{-5}$$

C. Coordinate of D are (3, 4, 5)

D. ABCD is a rectangle.

Answer: (a,b, c)

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**19.** The lines x = y = z meets the plane x + y + z = 1 at the point P and the

sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$  at the point R and S, then

A. PR + PS = 2B.  $PR \times PS = \frac{2}{3}$ C. PR = PS

 $\mathsf{D}.\,PR + PS = RS$ 

Answer: (a, b, d)

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**20.** A rod of length 2units whose one end is (1, 0, -1) and other end touches the plane x - 2y + 2z + 4 = 0, then

A. The rod sweeps the figure whose volume is  $\phi$  cubic units.

B. The area of the region which the rod traces on the plane is  $2\phi$ .

C. The length of projection of the rod on the plane is  $\sqrt{3}$  units.

D. The centre of the region which the rod traces on the plane is

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

### Answer: (a, c, d)

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**21.** Consider the planes  $p_1: 2x + y + z + 4 = 0, p_2: y - z + 4 = 0$  and  $p_3: 3x + 2y + z + 8 = 0$ Let  $L_1, L_2, L_3$  be the lines of intersection of the planes  $p_2$  and  $p_3, p_3$  and  $p_1, p_1$  and  $p_2$  respectively. Then. A. at least two of the line  $L_1, L_2$  and  $L_3$  are non parallel.

B. at least two of the lines  $L_1, L_2$  and  $L_3$  are parallel

C. the three planes intersect in the line.

D. the three planes form a triangular prism.

Answer: (b, c)

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**22.** The volume of a tetrahedron prism  $ABCA_1B_1C_1$  is equal to 3. Find the coordinates of the vertex  $A_1$ , if the coordinate of the base vertices of the prism are A(1, 0, 1), B(2, 0, 0) and C(0, 1, 0).

A. (-2, 0, 2)

B. (0, - 2, 0)

C. (0, 2, 0)

D. (2, 2, 2)

# Answer: (b, d)



**23.** If the plane passing through the origin and parallel to the line  $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y+3}{-1} = \frac{z+1}{-2}$  such that the distance between them is  $\frac{5}{3}$  then the equation of the plane is

A. x - 2y + 2z = 0

B. x - 2y - 2z = 0

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

D. x + y + z = 0

Answer: (a, c)

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**24.** Let OABC be a regular tetrahedron with side length unity, then its volume (in cubic units) is

A. the length of perpendicular from one vertex to opposite face is  $\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$ 

B. the perpendicular distance from mid-point OA to the plane ABC is



### Answer: (a, b, c, d)



**25.** The OABC is a tetrahedron such that  $OA^2 + BC^2 = OB^2 + CA^2 = OC^2 + AB^2$ , then

A.  $OA \perp BC$ 

 $\mathsf{B}.\mathit{OB}\perp\mathit{AC}$ 

 $\mathsf{C}. OC \perp AB$ 

 $D.AB \perp AC$ 

Answer: (a, b, c)

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26. If the line 
$$\frac{x}{1} = \frac{y}{2} = \frac{z}{3}$$
 intersects the line  $3\beta^2 x + 3(1-2\alpha)y + z = 3 = -\frac{1}{2}\left\{\left(6\alpha^2 x + 3(1-2\beta)y + 2z\right)\right\}$  then point

 $(\alpha, \beta, 1)$  lie on the plane

A. 2x - y + z = 4

B. x + y - z = 2

C.x - 2y = 0

D. 2x - y = 0

Answer: (a, b, c)

**27.** Let PM be the perpendicular from the point P(1, 2, 3) to XY-plane. If OP makes an angle  $\theta$  with the positive direction of the Z-axies and OM makes an angle  $\Phi$  with the positive direction of X-axis, where O is the origin,  $\theta$  and  $\Phi$  are acute angles, then

A. 
$$\tan(\theta) = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{3}$$
  
B.  $\sin(\theta)\sin(\phi) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{14}}$   
C.  $\tan(\theta) = 2$   
D.  $\cos(\theta)\cos(\phi) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{14}}$ 

Answer: (a, b, c)

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**28.** A variable plane which remains at a constant distance P from the origin (0) cuts the coordinate axes in A, B and C

A. Locus of centroid of tetrahedron OABC is  

$$x^{2}y^{2} + z^{2}y^{2} + z^{2}x^{2} = \frac{16}{p^{2}} \left( x^{2}y^{2}z^{2} \right).$$
B. Locus of centroid of tetrahedron OABC is  

$$x^{2}y^{2} + z^{2}y^{2} + z^{2}x^{2} = \frac{4}{p^{2}} \left( x^{2}y^{2}z^{2} \right).$$

C. Parametric equation of the centroid of the the tetrahedron is of the

form

$$\left(\frac{p}{4}\sec(\alpha)\sec(\beta), \frac{p}{4}\sec(\alpha)\csc(\beta), \frac{p}{4}\csc(\alpha)\right)\alpha, \beta \in (0, 2\pi) - \left\{\frac{\pi}{2}, \pi, \frac{3\pi}{2}\right\}$$

D. None of these

Answer: (a, b)

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Exercise (Statement I And Ii Type Questions)

**1.** Statement 1: let  $A(\vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k}) and B(\vec{i} - \vec{j} + \vec{k})$  be two points. Then point  $P(2\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + \vec{k})$  lies exterior to the sphere with AB as its diameter. Statement 2: If AandB are any two points and P is a point in space such . that  $\vec{P}A\vec{P}B > 0$ , then point P lies exterior to the sphere with AB as its diameter.

A. Statement I is true, Statement II is also true, Statement-II is the

correct explanation of Statement-I.

B. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is also true, Statement-II is not the

correct explanation of Statement-I.

C. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is false.

D. Statement-I is false, Statement -II is true.

Answer: (d)

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**2.** Statement-I If  $r = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$ , then equation  $\rtimes (2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) = 3\hat{i} + \hat{k}$  repesents a straight line.

Statement-II If  $r = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$ , then equation  $\rtimes (\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) = 3\hat{i} - \hat{j}$ repesents a straight line.

A. Statement I is true, Statement II is also true, Statement-II is the correct explanation of Statement-I.

B. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is also true, Statement-II is not the

correct explanation of Statement-I.

C. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is false.

D. Statement-I is false, Statement -II is true.

# Answer: (d)



**3.** Statement 1: Let  $\theta$  be the angle between the line  $\frac{x-2}{2} = \frac{y-1}{-3} = \frac{z+2}{-2}$ and the plane x + y - z = 5. Then  $\theta = \sin^{-1}(1/\sqrt{51})^{\cdot}$  Statement 2: The angle between a straight line and a plane is the complement of the angle between the line and the normal to the plane.

- A. Statement I is true, Statement II is also true, Statement-II is the correct explanation of Statement-I.
- B. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is also true, Statement-II is not the

correct explanation of Statement-I.

C. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is false.

D. Statement-I is false, Statement -II is true.

# Answer: (a)



Statement-I A straight point on line 4. the 2x + 3y - 4z = 5 and 3x - 2y + 4z = 7 can be determined by taking x=k and then solving the two for equation for y and z, where k is any real number.  $c' \neq kc$ , then straight If Statement-II the line ax + by + cz + d = 0, Kax + Kby + c'z + d' = o does not intersect the plane  $z = \alpha$ , where  $\alpha$  is any real number.

A. Statement I is true, Statement II is also true, Statement-II is the correct explanation of Statement-I.

B. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is also true, Statement-II is not the

correct explanation of Statement-I.

C. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is false.

D. Statement-I is false, Statement -II is true.

Answer: (b)

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**5.** Let the line L having equation  $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-3}{5} = \frac{z-1}{3}$  intersects the plane P, having equation x - y + z = 5 at the point A.

Statement-I Equation of the line L' thorugh the point A, lying in the plane P and having minimum inclination with line L is 8x + y - 72 - 4 = 0 = x - y + z - 5

Statement-II Line L' must be projection of the line L in the plane P.

A. Statement I is true, Statement II is also true, Statement-II is the correct explanation of Statement-I.

B. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is also true, Statement-II is not the

correct explanation of Statement-I.

C. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is false.

D. Statement-I is false, Statement -II is true.

Answer: (b)

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**6.** Given lines  $\frac{x-4}{2} = \frac{y+5}{4} = \frac{z-1}{-3}$  and  $\frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y+1}{3} = \frac{z}{2}$ Statement-I The lines intersect.

Statement-II They are not parallel.

A. Statement I is true, Statement II is also true, Statement-II is the

correct explanation of Statement-I.

B. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is also true, Statement-II is not the

correct explanation of Statement-I.

C. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is false.

D. Statement-I is false, Statement -II is true.

Answer: (d)

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**7.** Consider the lines  $L_1: r = a + \lambda b$  and  $L_2: r = b + \mu a$ , where a and b are

non zero and non collinear vectors.

Statement-I  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  are coplanar and the plane containing these lines passes through origin.

Statement-II  $(a - b) \cdot (a \times b) = 0$  and the plane containing  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  is [r a b]=0 which passe through origin.

A. Statement-I is true, Statement II is also true, Statement-II is the

correct explanation of Statement-I.

B. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is also true, Statement-II is not the

correct explanation of Statement-I.

C. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is false.

D. Statement-I is false, Statement -II is true.

Answer: (a)

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**8.** P is a point (a, b, c). Let A, B, C be images of Pin y - z, z - x and x - y

planes respectively, then the equation of the plane ABC is

correct explanation of Statement-I.

B. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is also true, Statement-II is not the

correct explanation of Statement-I.

C. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is false.

D. Statement-I is false, Statement -II is true.

Answer: (c)

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9. Statement-I If the vectors a and c are non collinear then the lines

 $r = 6a - c + \lambda(2c - a)$  and  $r = a - c + \mu(a + 3c)$  are coplanar.

Statement-II There exist  $\lambda$  and  $\mu$  such that the two values of r in Statement-I becomes same.

A. Statement-I is true, Statement II is also true, Statement-II is the

correct explanation of Statement-I.

correct explanation of Statement-I.

C. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is false.

D. Statement-I is false, Statement -II is true.

## Answer: (a)

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**10.** Statement 1: The lines  $\frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y}{-1} = \frac{z+1}{1}$  and  $\frac{x-2}{2} = \frac{y+1}{2} = \frac{z}{3}$  are coplanar and the equation of the plnae containing them is 5x + 2y - 3z - 8 = 0

Statement 2: The line  $\frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y+1}{2} = \frac{z}{3}$  is perpendicular to the plane 3x + 5y + 9z - 8 = 0 and parallel to the plane x + y - z = 0

A. Statement-I is true, Statement II is also true, Statement-II is the correct explanation of Statement-I.

correct explanation of Statement-I.

C. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is false.

D. Statement-I is false, Statement -II is true.

Answer: (a)

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**11.** The equation of two straight line are  $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y+3}{1} = \frac{z-2}{-3}$  and  $\frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y-1}{-3} = \frac{z+3}{2}$ Statement-I The given lines are coplanar.

Statement-II The equation  $2x_1 - y_1 = 1$ ,  $x_1 + 3y_1 = 4$  and  $3x_1 + 2y_1 = 5$  are consistent.

A. Statement-I is true, Statement II is also true, Statement-II is the

correct explanation of Statement-I.

correct explanation of Statement-I.

C. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is false.

D. Statement-I is false, Statement -II is true.

Answer: (b)

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12. Statement 1: A plane passes through the point A(2, 1, -3) If distance of this plane from origin is maximum, then its equation is 2x + y - 3z = 14. Statement 2: If the plane passing through the point  $A(\vec{a})$  is at maximum distance from origin, then normal to the plane is vector  $\vec{a}$ 

A. Statement-I is true, Statement II is also true, Statement-II is the correct explanation of Statement-I.

correct explanation of Statement-I.

C. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is false.

D. Statement-I is false, Statement -II is true.

Answer: (a)

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**13.** Statement-I At least two of the lines  $L_1$ ,  $l_2$  and  $L_3$  are non parallel

Statement-II The three planes do not have a common point.

A. Statement-I is true, Statement II is also true, Statement-II is the

correct explanation of Statement-I.

B. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is also true, Statement-II is not the

correct explanation of Statement-I.

C. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is false.

D. Statement-I is false, Statement -II is true.

#### Answer: (a)

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**14.** Statemen-I The locus of a point which is equidistant from the point whose position vectors are  $3\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$  and  $(\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - \hat{k}isr(\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) = 8$ . Statement-II The locus of a point which is equidistant from the points

whose position vectors are a and b is  $\left| r - \frac{a+b}{2} \right| \cdot (a-b) = 0.$ 

A. Statement-I is true, Statement II is also true, Statement-II is the correct explanation of Statement-I.

B. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is also true, Statement-II is not the

correct explanation of Statement-I.

- C. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is false.
- D. Statement-I is false, Statement -II is true.

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Exercise (Passage Based Questions)

- **1.** Let A(1, 2, 3), B(0, 0, 1) and C(-1, 1, 1) are the vertices of  $\triangle ABC$ .
- Q. The equation of internal angle bisector through A to side BC is

A. 
$$r = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k} + \mu \left(3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}\right)$$
  
B.  $r = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k} + \mu \left(3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}\right)$   
C.  $r = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k} + \mu \left(3\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}\right)$   
D.  $r = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k} + \mu \left(3\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}\right)$ 

Answer: (d)

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- **2.** Let A(1, 2, 3), B(0, 0, 1) and C(-1, 1, 1) are the vertices of  $\triangle ABC$ .
- Q. The equation of altitude through B to side AC is

A. 
$$r = k + t \left( 7\hat{i} - 10\hat{j} + 2\hat{k} \right)$$
  
B.  $r = k + t \left( -7\hat{i} + 10\hat{j} + 2\hat{k} \right)$   
C.  $r = k + t \left( 7\hat{i} - 10\hat{j} - 2\hat{k} \right)$   
D.  $r = k + t \left( 7\hat{i} + 10\hat{j} + 2\hat{k} \right)$ 

#### Answer: (b)

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**3.** Let A(1, 2, 3), B(0, 0, 1), C(-1, 1, 1) are the vertices of a  $\triangle ABC$ . The equation of median through C to side AB is

A. 
$$r = -\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k} + p(3\hat{i} - 2\hat{k})$$
  
B.  $r = -\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k} + p(3\hat{i} + 2\hat{k})$   
C.  $r = -\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k} + p(-3\hat{i} + 2\hat{k})$ 

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

Answer: (b)



**4.** Let A(1, 2, 3), B(0, 0, 1) and C(-1, 1, 1, 1) are the vertices of  $\triangle ABC$ .

Q. The area of(  $\triangle ABC$ ) is equal to

A. 
$$\frac{9}{2}$$
  
B.  $\frac{\sqrt{17}}{2}$   
C.  $\frac{17}{2}$   
D.  $\frac{7}{2}$ 

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5. Consider a plane x + y - z = 1 and point A(1, 2, -3). A line L has the equation x = 1 + 3r, y = 2 - r and z = 3 + 4r.

The coordinate of a point B of line L such that AB is parallel to the plane

is

A. (10, -1, 15) B. (-5, 4, -5) C. (4, 1, 7) D. (-8, 5, -9)

Answer: (d)

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**6.** Consider a plane x + y - z = 1 and point A(1, 2, -3). A line L has the

equation x = 1 + 3r, y = 2 - r and z = 3 + 4r.

The coordinate of a point B of line L such that AB is parallel to the plane

A. x - 3y + 5 = 0B. x + 3y - 7 = 0C. 3x - y - 1 = 0D. 3x + y - 5 = 0

Answer: (b)

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A. 
$$\left(\sqrt{17}\right)$$
  
B.  $\frac{\sqrt{51}}{3}$   
C.  $\frac{\sqrt{51}}{9}$ 

Answer: (b)

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**8.** Consider a triangulat pyramid ABCD the position vector of whose angular points are A(3, 0, 1), B(-1, 4, 1), C(5, 2, 3) and D(0, -5, 4). Let G be the point of intersection of the medians of the  $\triangle$  (*BCD*).

Q. Area of the  $\ \ \bigtriangleup (ABC)$  (in sq. units) is

**A.** 24

B.  $8\sqrt{6}$ 

C.  $4\sqrt{6}$ 

D. None of these

Answer: (c)

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**9.** Consider a triangulat pyramid ABCD the position vector of whose angular points are A(3, 0, 1), B(-1, 4, 1), C(5, 2, 3) and D(0, -5, 4). Let G be the point of intersection of the medians of the  $\triangle$  (*BCD*).

Q. The length of the perpendicular from the vertex D on the opposite face is

A. 
$$\frac{14}{\sqrt{6}}$$
  
B.  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}$   
C.  $\frac{3}{\sqrt{6}}$ 

D. None of these

## Answer: (a)



**10.** Consider a triangulat pyramid ABCD the position vector of whose angular points are A(3, 0, 1), B(-1, 4, 1), C(5, 2, 3) and D(0, -5, 4). Let G

be the point of intersection of the medians of the  $\triangle$  (*BCD*).

Q. Equation of the plane ABC is

A. x + y + 2z = 5B. x - y - 2z = 1C. 2x + y - 2z = 4D. x + y - 2z = 1

Answer: (d)

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**11.** A line  $L_1$  passing through a point with position vector p = i + 2h + 3kand parallel a = i + 2j + 3k, Another line  $L_2$  passing through a point with position vector to b = 3i + j + 2k.

Q. Equation of plane equidistant from line  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  is

A.  $\hat{r} \cdot (i - 7j - 5k) = 3$ 

 $\mathbf{B}.\,\hat{r}\cdot(i+7j+5k)=3$ 

 $C. \hat{r} \cdot (i - 7j - 5k) = 9$ 

D.  $\hat{r} \cdot (i + 7j - 5k) = 9$ 

Answer: (d)

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**12.** A line  $L_1$  passing through a point with position vector p = i + 2h + 3kand parallel a = i + 2j + 3k, Another line  $L_2$  passing through a point with position vector to b = 3i + j + 2k.

Q. Equation of a line passing through the point (2, - 3, 2) and equally inclined to the line  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  may equal to

A. 
$$\frac{x-2}{2} = \frac{y-3}{-1}, \frac{z-2}{1}$$
  
B.  $\frac{x-2}{2} = y+3 = z-2$   
C.  $\frac{x-2}{-4} = \frac{y+3}{3}, \frac{z-5}{2}$   
D.  $\frac{x+2}{4} = \frac{y+3}{3}, \frac{z-2}{-5}$ 

#### Answer: (c)

**13.** A line  $L_1$  passing through a point with position vector p = i + 2h + 3kand parallel a = i + 2j + 3k, Another line  $L_2$  passing through a point with direction vector to b = 3i + j + 2k. Q. The minimum distance of origin from the plane passing through the point with position vector p and perpendicular to the line  $L_2$ , is

A.  $\sqrt{14}$ 

B. 
$$\frac{7}{\sqrt{14}}$$
C. 
$$\frac{11}{\sqrt{14}}$$

D. None of these

Answer: (b)

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**14.** For positive I, m and n, if the points x = ny + mz, y = lz + nx, z = mx + ly

intersect in a straight line, when

Q. I, m and n satisgy the equation

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

 $\mathsf{B}.\,l^2 + m^2 + n^2 + 2m\mathrm{ln} = 1$ 

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

D. None of these

Answer: (b)

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**15.** For positive I, m and n, if the points x = ny + mz, y = lz + nx, z = mx + ly

intersect in a straight line, when

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Q. \cos e^{-1}(l) + \cos^{-1}(m) + \cos^{-1}(n) is equal to
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**B.** 50 °

C. 180 °

D. None of these

Answer: (c)

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**16.** For positive I, m and n, if the points x = ny + mz, y = lz + nx, z = mx + ly

intersect in a straight line, when

Q. The equation of the straight line is  $\frac{x}{a} = \frac{y}{b} = \frac{z}{c}$ , where the ordered traid (a, b, c) is

A. 
$$\sqrt{1 - l^2}, \sqrt{1 - m^2}, \sqrt{1 - n^2}$$

B. *l*, *m* and *n* 

C. 
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-l^2}}$$
,  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-m^2}}$  and  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-n^2}}$ 

D. None of these

# Answer: (a)



**17.** If 
$$a = 6\hat{i} + 7\hat{j} + 7\hat{k}$$
,  $b = 3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$ ,  $P(1, 2, 3)$ 

Q. The position vector of L, the foot of the perpendicular from P on the line  $r = a + \lambda b$  is

A.  $6\hat{i} + 7\hat{j} + 7\hat{k}$ B.  $3\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$ C.  $3\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} + 9\hat{k}$ D.  $9\hat{i} + 9\hat{j} + 9\hat{k}$ 

Answer: (c)

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**18.** If 
$$a = 6\hat{i} + 7\hat{j} + 7\hat{k}$$
,  $b = 3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$ ,  $P(1, 2, 3)$ 

Q. The image of the point P in the line  $r = a + \lambda b$  is

A. (11, 12, 11)

B. (5, 2, -7)

C. (5, 8, 15)

D. (17, 16, 7)

Answer: (c)

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**19.** If 
$$a = 6\hat{i} + 7\hat{j} + 7\hat{k}$$
,  $b = 3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$ ,  $P(1, 2, 3)$ 

Q. If A is the point with position vector a then area of the triangle  $\triangle$  *PLA* is sq. units is equal to

A.  $3\sqrt{6}$ B.  $\frac{7\sqrt{17}}{2}$  C.  $\sqrt{17}$ D.  $\frac{7}{2}$ 

Answer: (b)

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**20.** *A*(-2, 2, 3) and *B*(13, -3, 13) and L is a line through A.

Q. A point P moves in the space such that 3PA = 2PB, then the locus of P is

A. 
$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 28x - 12y + 10z - 247 = 0$$

B. 
$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 28x + 12y + 10z - 247 = 0$$

C. 
$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 28x - 12y - 10z - 247 = 0$$

D. 
$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 28x + 12y - 10z - 247 = 0$$

Answer: (a)

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**21.** A(-2, 2, 3) and B(13, -3, 13) and L is a line through A.

Q. Coordinate of the line point P which divides the join of A and B in the ratio 2:3 internally are

A.  $\left(\frac{33}{5}, -\frac{2}{5}, 9\right)$ B. (4, 0, 7)C.  $\left(\frac{32}{5}, -\frac{12}{5}, \frac{17}{5}\right)$ D. (20, 0, 35)

Answer: (b)

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**22.** *A*(-2, 2, 3) and *B*(13, -3, 13) and L is a line through A.

Q. Equation of a line L, perpendicular to the line AB is

A. 
$$\frac{x+2}{15} = \frac{y-2}{-5} = \frac{z-3}{10}$$

B. 
$$\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y+2}{13} = \frac{z+3}{2}$$
  
C.  $\frac{x+2}{3} = \frac{y-2}{13} = \frac{z-3}{2}$   
D.  $\frac{x-2}{15} = \frac{y+2}{-5} = \frac{z+3}{10}$ 

#### Answer: (c)

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**23.** The vector equation of a plane is a relation satisfied by position vectors of all the points on the plane. If P is a plane and  $\hat{n}$  is a unit vector through origin which is perpendicular to the plane P then vector equation of the plane must be  $r \cdot \hat{n} = d$  where d represents perpendicular distance of plane p from origin

Q. If A is a point vector a then perendicular distance of a from the plane  $r \cdot \hat{n} = d$  must be

A.  $\left| d + a\hat{n} \right|$ 

B. |*d* - *a* î

C. |a - d|

D. *d* - *â* 

Answer: (b)

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**24.** The vector equation of a plane is a relation satisfied by position vectors of all the points on the plane. If P is a plane and  $\hat{n}$  is a unit vector through origin which is perpendicular to the plane P then vector equation of the plane must be  $r \cdot \hat{n} = d$  where d represents perpendicular distance of plane p from origin

Q. If b be the foot of perpendicular from A to the plane  $r \cdot \hat{n} = d$ , then b must be

A.  $a + (d - a \cdot \hat{n})\hat{n}$ B.  $a - (d - a\hat{n})\hat{n}$ C.  $a + a \cdot \hat{n}$  D.  $a - a \cdot \hat{n}$ 

Answer: (a)

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**25.** The vector equation of a plane is a relation satisfied by position vectors of all the points on the plane. If P is a plane and  $\hat{n}$  is a unit vector through origin which is perpendicular to the plane P then vector equation of the plane must be  $r \cdot \hat{n} = d$  where d represents perpendicular distance of plane p from origin

Q. The position vector of the image of the point a in the plane  $r \cdot \hat{n} = d$ must be  $(d \neq 0)$ 

A.  $-a \cdot \hat{n}$ B.  $a - 2(d - a\hat{n})\hat{n}$ C.  $a + 2(d - a\hat{n})\hat{n}$ D.  $a + d(-a \cdot \hat{n})$ 

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**26.** A circle is the locus of a point in a plane such that its distance from a fixed point in the plane is constant. Anologously, a sphere is the locus of a point in space such that its distance from a fixed point in space in constant. The fixed point is called the centre and the constant distance is called the radius of the circle/sphere. In anology with the equation of the circle |z - c| = a, the equation of a sphere of radius is |r - c| = a, where c is the position vector of the centre and r is the position vector of any point on the surface of the sphere. In Cartesian system, the equation of the (-a, -f, -h)sphere, with centre at is  $x^{2} + y^{2} + z^{2} + 2gx + 2fy + 2hz + c = 0$  and its radius is  $\sqrt{f^{2} + g^{2} + h^{2} - c}$ . Q. Radius of the sphere, with (2, -3, 4) and (-5, 6, -7) as xtremities of a diameter, is

A. 
$$\sqrt{\frac{251}{2}}$$

$$B. \sqrt{\frac{251}{3}}$$
$$C. \sqrt{\frac{251}{4}}$$
$$D. \sqrt{\frac{251}{5}}$$

#### Answer: (c)



**27.** A circle is the locus of a point in a plane such that its distance from a fixed point in the plane is constant. Anologously, a sphere is the locus of a point in space such that its distance from a fixed point in space in constant. The fixed point is called the centre and the constant distance is called the radius of the circle/sphere. In anology with the equation of the circle |z - c| = a, the equation of a sphere of radius is |r - c| = a, where c is the position vector of the centre and r is the position vector of any point on the surface of the sphere. In Cartesian system, the equation of the sphere, with centre at (-g, -f, -h) is

 $x^{2} + y^{2} + z^{2} + 2gx + 2fy + 2hz + c = 0$  and its radius is  $\sqrt{f^{2} + g^{2} + h^{2} - c}$ . Q. The centre of the sphere  $(x - 4)(x + 4) + (y - 3)(y + 3) + z^{2} = 0$  is

A. (4, 3, 0)

B. (-4, -3, 0))

C. (0, 0, 0)

D. None of these

Answer: (c)

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**28.** A circle is the locus of a point in a plane such that its distance from a fixed point in the plane is constant. Anologously, a sphere is the locus of a point in space such that its distance from a fixed point in space in constant. The fixed point is called the centre and the constant distance is called the radius of the circle/sphere. In anology with the equation of the circle |z - c| = a, the equation of a sphere of radius is |r - c| = a, where c is the position vector of the centre and r is the position vector of any point

on the surface of the sphere. In Cartesian system, the equation of the (-a, -f, -h)sphere, with centre is at  $x^{2} + y^{2} + z^{2} + 2gx + 2fy + 2hz + c = 0$  and its radius is  $\sqrt{f^{2} + g^{2} + h^{2} - c}$ . Q. Equation of the sphere having centre at (3, 6, - 4) and touching the plane  $r \cdot (2\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 10$  is  $(x - 3)^2 + (y - 6)^2 + (z + 4)^2 = k^4$ , where k is equal to A. 3 **B**. 4 C. 6 D.  $\sqrt{17}$ Answer: (b)

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**29.** Let A(2, 3, 5), B(-1, 3, 2),  $C(\lambda, 5, \mu)$  are the vertices of a triangle and its median through A(I.e.,) AD is equally inclined to the coordinates axes. Q. On the basis of the above information answer the following Q. The value of  $2\lambda - \mu$  is equal to **A.** 13

**B.**4

**C**. 3

D. None of these

Answer: (b)

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**30.** Let A(2, 3, 5), B(-1, 3, 2),  $C(\lambda, 5, \mu)$  are the vertices of a triangle and its median through A(I.e.,) AD is equally inclined to the coordinates axes.

Q. Projection of AB onBC is

A. 
$$\frac{8\sqrt{3}}{11}$$
  
B.  $\frac{-8\sqrt{3}}{11}$   
C. -48

D. 48
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**31.** The line of greatest slope on an inclined plane  $P_1$  is that line in the plane which is perpendicular to the line of intersection of plane  $P_1$  and a horiontal plane  $P_2$ .

Q. Assuming the plane 4x - 3y + 7z = 0 to be horizontal, the direction cosines of line greatest slope in the plane 2x + y - 5z = 0 are

A. 
$$\left(\frac{3}{\sqrt{11}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{11}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{11}}\right)$$
  
B.  $\left(\frac{3}{\sqrt{11}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{11}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{11}}\right)$   
C.  $\left(-\frac{3}{\sqrt{11}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{11}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{11}}\right)$   
D.  $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{11}}, -\frac{3}{\sqrt{11}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{11}}\right)$ 

#### Answer: (a)

**32.** The line of greatest slope on an inclined plane  $P_1$  is the line in the plane  $P_1$  which is perpendicular to the line of intersection of the plane  $P_1$  and a horizontal plane  $P_2$ .

Q. The coordinate of a point on the plane 2x + y - 5z = 0,  $2\sqrt{11}$  unit away from the line of intersection of 2x + y - 5z = 0 and 4x - 3y + 7z = 0 are



#### Answer: (b)



**33.** The line of greatest slope on an inclined plane  $P_1$  is the line in the plane  $P_1$  which is perpendicular to the line of intersection of the plane  $P_1$ 

and a horizontal plane  $P_2$ .

Q. The coordinate of a point on the plane 2x + y - 5z = 0,  $2\sqrt{11}$  unit away from the line of intersection of 2x + y - 5z = 0 and 4x - 3y + 7z = 0 are

A. (3, 1, -1) B. (-3, 1, -1) C. (3, -1, 1) D. (1, 3, -1)

Answer: (c)

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**34.** Given four points A(2, 1, 0), B(1, 0, 1), C(3, 0, 1) and D(0, 0, 2). Point D lies on a line L orthogonal to the plane determined by the points A, B and C.

Q. The equation of the plane ABC is

A. x + y + z - 3 = 0

B. y + z - 1 = 0C. x + z - 1 = 0D. 2x + z - 1 = 0

#### Answer: (b)

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**35.** Given four points A(2, 1, 0), B(1, 0, 1), C(3, 0, 1) and D(0, 0, 2). Point D lies on a line L orthogonal to the plane determined by the points A, B and C.

Q.The equation of the line L is

A. 
$$r = 2\hat{k} + \lambda(\hat{i} + \hat{k})$$
  
B.  $r = 2\hat{k} + \lambda(2\hat{j} + \hat{k})$   
C.  $r = 2\hat{k} + \lambda(\hat{j} + \hat{k})$ 

D. None of these

# Answer: (c)



**36.** Given four points A(2, 1, 0), B(1, 0, 1), C(3, 0, 1) and D(0, 0, 2). Point D lies on a line L orthogonal to the plane determined by the points A, B and C.

Q. The perpendicular distance of D from the plane ABC is

A. 
$$\sqrt{2}$$
  
B.  $\frac{1}{2}$   
C. 2  
D.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ 

Answer: (d)

**1.** In a tetrahedron OABC, if  $OA = \hat{i}$ ,  $OB = \hat{i} + \hat{j}$  and  $OC = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$ , if shortest distance between egdes OA and BC is m, then  $\sqrt{2}m$  is equal to ... (where O is the origin).

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**2.** Aparallelopiped is formed by planes drawn through the points (2, 3, 5) and (5, 9, 7) parallel to the coordinate planes. The length of the diagonal of the parallelopiped is .....

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**3.** If the perpendicular distance of the point (65, 8) from the Y-axis is  $5\lambda$  units, then  $\lambda$  is equal to



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5. 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....

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6. If xz-plane divide the join of point (2, 3, 4) and (1, -1, 5) in the ratio

 $\lambda$ : 1, then the integer  $\lambda$  should be equal to



7. If the triangle ABC whose vertices are A(-1, 1, 1), B(1, -1, 1) and C(1, 1, -1) is projected on xy-plane, then the area of the projection triangles is.....



(1, 5, 7) and (-3, 1, -1) is  $x + y + 2z = \lambda$ , then  $\lambda$  must be....

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9. The shortest distance between origin and a point on the space curve

 $x = 2 \sin t$ ,  $y = 2 \cos t$ , z = 3t is....



**10.** The plane 2x - 2y + z + 12 = 0 touches the surface  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 2x - 4y + 2z - 3 = 0$  only at point ( - 1,  $\lambda$ , - 2). The value of  $\lambda$  must be

**11.** If the centroid of tetrahedron OABC where A,B,C are given by (a,2,3), (1,b,2) and (2,1,c) respectively is (1,2,-2), then distance of P(a,b,c) from origin is

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12. If the circumcentre of the triangle whose vertices are (3, 2, -5),

(-3, 8, -5) and (-3, 2, 1) is  $(-1, \lambda, -3)$  the integer  $\lambda$  must be equal to.....

**13.** If  $P_1P_2$  is perpendicular to  $P_2P_3$ , then the value of k is, where  $P_1(k, 1, -1), P_2(2k, 0, 2)$  and  $P_3(2 + 2k, k, 1)$  is ....



**14.** Let the equation of the plane containing line x - y - z - 4 = 0 = x + y + 2z - 4 and parallel to the line of intersection of the planes 2x + 3y + z = 1 and x + 3y + 2z = 2 be x + Ay + Bz + C = 0. Then the values of |A + B + C - 4| is .....

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**15.** Let P(a, b, c) be any on the plane 3x + 2y + z = 7, then find the least value of  $2(a^2 + b^2 + c^2)$ .

**16.** The plane denoted by  $P_1: 4x + 7y + 4z + 81 = 0$  is rotated through a right angle about its line of intersection with plane  $P_2: 5x + 3y + 10z = 25$ . If the plane in its new position be denoted by P, and the distance of this plane from the origin is d, then the value of  $\left[\frac{k}{2}\right]$  (where[.] represents greatest integer less than or equal to k) is....

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**17.** The distance of the point P(-2, 3, -4) from the line  $\frac{x+2}{3} = \frac{2y+3}{4} = \frac{3z+4}{5}$  measured parallel to the plane 4x + 12y - 3z + 1 = 0 is d, then find the value of (2d - 8), is.....

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**18.** The position vectors of the four angular points of a tetrahedron OABC are (0, 0, 0), (0, 0, 2), (0, 4, 0) and (6, 0, 0), respectively. A point P inside the

tetrahedron is at the same distance 'r' from the four plane faces of the tetrahedron. Then, the value of 9r is....



**21.** If the line x = y = z intersect the line  $x\sin A + y\sin B + z\sin C - 2d^2 = 0 = x\sin(2A) + y\sin(2B) + z\sin(2C) - d^2$ , where A, B, C are the internal angles of a triangle and  $\sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} = k$  then the value of 64k is equal to





**23.** Let  $G_1$ , G(2) and  $G_3$  be the centroid of the triangular faces OBC, OCA and OAB of a tetrahedron OABC. If  $V_1$  denotes the volume of tetrahedron OABC and  $V_2$  that of the parallelepiped with  $OG_1$ ,  $OG_2$  and  $OG_3$  as three concurrent edges, then the value of  $\frac{4V_1}{V_2}$  is (where O is the origin

**24.** A variable plane which remains at a constant distance p from the origin cuts the coordinate axes in A, B, C. The locus of the centroid of the tetrahedron OABC is  $x^2y^2 + y^2z^2 + z^2x^2 = \frac{k}{p^2}x^2y^2z^2$ , then  $\sqrt[5]{2k}$  is

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**25.** If 
$$(l_1, m_1, n_1)$$
,  $(l_2, m_2, n_2)$  are D.C's of two lines, then  
 $(l_1m_2 - l_2m_1)^2 + (m_1n_2 - n_1m_2)^2 + (n_1l_2 - n_2l_1)^2 + (l_1l_2 + m_1m_2 + n_1n_2)^2 =$ 

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**26.** If the coordinates (x, y, z) of the point S which is equidistant from the points  $O(0, 0, 0), A(n^5, 0, 0), B(0, n^4, 0), C(0, 0, n)$  obey the relation 2(x + y + z) + 1 = 0. If  $n \in Z$ , then  $|n| = \_\_\_(| \cdot |$  is the mudulus function).

**1.** Find the angle between the lines whose direction cosines has the relation l + m + n = 0 and  $2l^2 + 2m^2 - n^2 = 0$ .

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2. Show that the straight lines whose direction cosines are given by the equations al + bm + cn = 0 and  $(-2) + zm^2 = vn^2 + wn^2 = 0$  are parallel or perpendicular as  $\frac{a^2}{u} + \frac{b^2}{v} + \frac{c^2}{w} = 0$  or  $a^2(v + w) + b^2(w + u) + c^2(u + v) = 0$ . Watch Video Solution

**3.** Find the point on the line  $\frac{x+2}{3} = \frac{y+1}{2} = \frac{z-3}{2}$  at a distance of  $3\sqrt{2}$ 

from the point (1, 2, 3).

**4.** A line passes through (1, -1, 3) and is perpendicular to the lines  $r \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}) + \lambda (2\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k})$  and  $r = (2\hat{i} - \hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) + \mu (\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k})$  obtain its equation

its equation.

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5. Find the equations of the two lines through the origin which intersect

the line 
$$\frac{x-3}{2} = \frac{y-3}{1} = \frac{z}{1}$$
 at angle of  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  each.

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**6.** Vertices *BandC* of *ABC* lie along the line  $\frac{x+2}{2} = \frac{y-1}{1} = \frac{z-0}{4}$ . Find the area of the triangle given that *A* has coordinates (1, -1, 2) and line segment *BC* has length 5.

7. Prove that the distance of the points of intersection of the line  $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y+1}{4} = \frac{z-2}{12}$  and the plane x - y + z = 5 from the point (-1, -5. -10) is 13.

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**8.** Find the equation of the plane through the intersection of the planes x + 3y + 6 = 0 and 3x - y - 4z = 0, whose perpendicular distance from the origin is unity.

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**9.** Find the equation of the image of the plane x - 2y + 2z - 3 = 0 in plane

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

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Exercise (Questions Asked In Previous 13 Years Exam)

**1.** Consider a pyramid OPQRS located in the first octant  $(x \ge 0, y \ge 0, z \ge 0)$  with O as origin and OP and OR along the X-axis and the Y-axis , respectively. The base OPQRS of the pyramid is a square with OP=3. The point S is directly above the mid point T of diagonal OQ such that TS=3. Then,

- A. the acute angle between OQ and OS is  $\frac{\pi}{3}$
- B. the equation of the plane containing ht  $\triangle OQS$  is x-y=0
- C. the length of perpendicular from P to the plane containing the

$$\triangle OQS \text{ is } \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

D. the perpendicular distance from O to the straight line containing

RS is 
$$\sqrt{\frac{15}{2}}$$

**Answer**: (*b*, *c*, *d*)

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**2.** Let P be the image of the point (3, 1, 7) with respect to the plane x - y + z = 3. Then, the equation of the plane passing through P and containing the straight line  $\frac{x}{1} = \frac{y}{2} = \frac{z}{1}$  is

B. 3x + z = 0

A. x + y - 3z = 0

C.x - 4y + 7z = 0

D. 2x - y = 0

Answer: (c)

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**3.** From a point  $P(\lambda, \lambda, \lambda)$ , perpendicular PQ and PR are drawn respectively on the lines y = x, z = 1 and y = -x, z = -1. If P is such that  $\angle QPR$  is a right angle , then the possible value(s) of  $\lambda$  is (are)

A. 
$$\sqrt{2}$$

**B.** 1

**C**. - 1

D.  $-\sqrt{2}$ 

Answer: (c)

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**4.** Two lines  $L_1: x = 5$ ,  $\frac{y}{3-\alpha} = \frac{z}{-2}$  and  $L_2: x = \alpha$ ,  $\frac{y}{-1} = \frac{z}{2-\alpha}$  are coplanar.

Then,  $\alpha$  can take value(s)

**A.** 1

**B.**2

**C**. 3

D. 4

Answer: (a, d)

**5.** A line I passing through the origin is perpendicular to the lines  $1:(3 + t)\hat{i} + (-1 + 2t)\hat{j} + (4 + 2t)\hat{k} - \infty < t < \infty$  and  $1_{(2)}:(3 + 2s)\hat{i} + (3 + 2s)\hat{i} + 1$ Then the coordinate(s) of the point(s) on  $1_2$  at a distance of  $\sqrt{17}$  from the point of intersection of 1 and  $1_1$  is (are)

A.  $\left(\frac{7}{3}, \frac{7}{3}, \frac{5}{3}\right)$ B. (-1, -1, 0)C. (1, 1, 1)D.  $\left(\frac{7}{9}, \frac{7}{9}, \frac{8}{9}\right)$ 

Answer: (b, d)

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**6.** Perpendicular are drawn from points on the line  $\frac{x+2}{2} = \frac{y+1}{-1} = \frac{z}{3}$  to

the plane x + y + z = 3. The feet of perpendiculars lie on the line.

A. 
$$\frac{x}{5} = \frac{y-1}{8} = \frac{z}{3}$$
  
B.  $\frac{x}{3} = \frac{y-1}{3} = \frac{z-2}{8}$   
C.  $\frac{x}{4} = \frac{y-1}{3} = \frac{z-2}{-7}$   
D.  $\frac{x}{2} = \frac{y-1}{-7} = \frac{z-2}{5}$ 

#### Answer: (d)



7. If the straight lines  $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y+1}{k} = \frac{z}{2}$  and  $\frac{z+1}{5} = \frac{y+1}{2} = \frac{z}{k}$  are coplanar, then the plane(s) containing these two lines is/are

A. y + 2z = -1

B. y + z = -1

C.y - z = -1

**D**. y - 2z = -1

Answer: (b, c)

**8.** 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....

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**9.** Read the following passage and answer the questions. Consider the lines

$$L_1: \frac{x+1}{3} = \frac{y+2}{1} = \frac{z+1}{2}$$
$$L_2: \frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y+2}{2} = \frac{z-3}{3}$$

Q. The distance of the point (1, 1, 1) from the plane passing through the point (-1, -2, -1) and whose normal is perpendicular to both the lines  $L_1$  and  $L_2$ , is

A. 
$$\frac{2}{\sqrt{75}}$$
 unit  
B.  $\frac{7}{\sqrt{75}}$  units

C. 
$$\frac{13}{\sqrt{75}}$$
 unit  
D.  $\frac{23}{\sqrt{75}}$  units

Answer: (c)

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10. Read the following passage and answer the questions. Consider the

lines

$$L_1: \frac{x+1}{3} = \frac{y+2}{1} = \frac{z+1}{2}$$
$$L_2: \frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y+2}{2} = \frac{z-3}{3}$$

Q. The shortest distance between  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  is

A. 0 unit

B. 
$$\frac{17}{\sqrt{3}}$$
 units  
C.  $\frac{41}{5\sqrt{3}}$  units  
D.  $\frac{17}{5\sqrt{3}}$  units

# Answer: (d)



11. Read the following passage and answer the questions. Consider the

lines

$$L_1: \frac{x+1}{3} = \frac{y+2}{1} = \frac{z+1}{2}$$
$$L_2: \frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y+2}{2} = \frac{z-3}{3}$$

Q. The unit vector perpendicular to both L - (1) and  $L_2$  is

A. 
$$\frac{-\hat{i} + 7\hat{j} + 7\hat{k}}{\sqrt{99}}$$
  
B. 
$$\frac{-\hat{i} - 7\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}}{\sqrt{99}}$$
  
C. 
$$\frac{-\hat{i} + 7\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}}{\sqrt{99}}$$
  
D. 
$$\frac{7\hat{i} - 7\hat{j} - \hat{k}}{\sqrt{99}}$$

Answer: (b)

**12.** Consider three planes  $P_1: x - y + z = 1$ 

 $P_2: x + y - z = -1$ 

and  $P_3: x - 3y + 3z = 2$ 

Let  $L_1, L_2, L_3$  be the lines of intersection of the planes  $P_2$  and  $P_3, P_3$  and  $P_1, P_1$  and  $P_2$  respectively.

Statement I Atleast two of the lines  $L_1, L_2$  and  $L_3$  are non-parallel.

Statement II The three planes do not have a common point.

- A. Statement-I is true, Statement II is also true, Statement-II is the correct explanation of Statement-I.
- B. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is also true, Statement-II is not the

correct explanation of Statement-I.

C. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is false.

D. Statement-I is false, Statement -II is true.

#### Answer: (d)

**13.** Consider the planes 3x - 6y - 2z = 15and2x + y - 2z = 5. Statement 1:The parametric equations of the line intersection of the given planes are x = 3 + 14t, y = 2t, z = 15t. Statement 2: The vector  $14\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 15\hat{k}$  is parallel to the line of intersection of the given planes.

- A. Statement-I is true, Statement II is also true, Statement-II is the correct explanation of Statement-I.
- B. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is also true, Statement-II is not the

correct explanation of Statement-I.

C. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is false.

D. Statement-I is false, Statement -II is true.

Answer: (d)

**14.** If the image of the point P(1, -2, 3) in the plane, 2x + 3y - 4z + 22 = 0measured parallel to the line,  $\frac{x}{1} - \frac{y}{4} - \frac{z}{5}$  is Q, then PQ is equal to  $:\sqrt{42}$  (2)  $6\sqrt{5}$  (3)  $3\sqrt{5}$  (4)  $3\sqrt{42}$ A.  $3\sqrt{5}$ B.  $2\sqrt{42}$ C.  $\sqrt{42}$ 

D.  $6\sqrt{5}$ 

Answer: (b)

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**15.** 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 A.  $\frac{20}{\sqrt{74}}$  units

B. 
$$\frac{10}{\sqrt{83}}$$
 units  
C.  $\frac{5}{\sqrt{83}}$  units  
D.  $\frac{10}{\sqrt{74}}$  units

Answer: (b)

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**16.** The distance of the point (1, -5, 9) from the plane x - y + z = 5

measured along the line x = y = z is : (1)  $3\sqrt{10}$  (2)  $10\sqrt{3}$  (3)  $\frac{10}{\sqrt{3}}$  (4)  $\frac{20}{3}$ 

A.  $3\sqrt{10}$ 

B.  $10\sqrt{3}$ 

C. 
$$\frac{10}{\sqrt{3}}$$
  
D.  $\frac{20}{3}$ 

#### Answer: (b)

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

**A.** 26

**B.** 18

**C**. 5

**D**. 2

Answer: (d)

A.  $2\sqrt{14}$ 

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18. The disatance 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

**B**. 8

C.  $3\sqrt{21}$ 

**D**. 13

Answer: (d)

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**19.** 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 = -7

Answer: (c)

**20.** The angle between the lines whose direction cosines satisfy the equations l + m + n = 0 and  $l^2 = m^2 + n^2$  is (1)  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  (2)  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  (3)  $\frac{\pi}{6}$  (4)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ 



Answer: (a)

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21. The image of the line 
$$\frac{x-1}{3} = \frac{y-3}{1} = \frac{z-4}{-5}$$
 in the plane  
 $2x - y + z + 3 = 0$  is the line (1)  $\frac{x+3}{3} = \frac{y-5}{1} = \frac{z-2}{-5}$  (2)  
 $\frac{x+3}{-3} = \frac{y-5}{-1} = \frac{z+2}{5}$  (3)  $\frac{x-3}{3} = \frac{y+5}{1} = \frac{z-2}{-5}$  (3)  $\frac{x-3}{-3} = \frac{y+5}{-1} = \frac{z-2}{5}$   
A.  $\frac{x+3}{3} = \frac{y-5}{1} = \frac{z-2}{-5}$ 

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

### Answer: (a)



## Answer: (c)

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

**23.** If the lines  $\frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y-3}{1} \Big) \frac{z-4}{-k}$  and  $\frac{x-1}{k} = \frac{y-4}{2} = \frac{z-5}{1}$  are coplanar then k can have (A) exactly two values (B) exactly thre values (C) any value

(D) exactly one value

A. any value

B. exactly one value

C. exactly two value

D. exactly tree value

Answer: (c)

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**24.** An equation of a plane parallel to the plane x - 2y + 2z - 5 = 0 and at a

unit distance from the origin is

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

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

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

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

### Answer: (a)

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**25.** If the line 
$$\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y+1}{3} = \frac{z-1}{4}$$
 and  $\frac{x-3}{1} = \frac{y-k}{2} = \frac{z}{1}$  intersect, then k is equal to

7

B. 
$$\frac{2}{9}$$
  
C.  $\frac{9}{2}$ 

**A.** - 1

D. 0

## Answer: (c)

**26.** If the angle between the line  $x = \frac{y-1}{2} = (z-3)(\lambda)$  and the plane

$$x + 2y + 3z = 4is\cos^{-1}\left(\sqrt{\frac{5}{14}}\right)$$
, then  $\lambda$  equals



#### Answer: (d)

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**27.** Statement-I The point A(1, 0, 7) is the mirror image of the point B(1, 6, 3) in the line  $\frac{x}{1} = \frac{y-1}{2} = \frac{z-2}{3}$ . Statement-II The line  $\frac{x}{1} = \frac{y-1}{2} = \frac{z-2}{3}$  bisect the line segment joining A(1, 0, 7) and B(1, 6, 3).
A. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is also true, Statement-II is not the

correct explanation of Statement-I.

B. statement-I is true, Statement-II is false.

C. Statement-I is false, Statement -II is true.

D. statement-I is true, Statement II is also true, Statement-II is the

correct explanation of Statement-I.

Answer: (d)

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**28.** The length of the perpendicular drawn from the point (3, -1, 11) to

the line 
$$\frac{x}{2} = \frac{y-2}{3} = \frac{z-3}{4}$$
 is  
A.  $\sqrt{66}$   
B.  $\sqrt{29}$   
C.  $\sqrt{33}$ 

D.  $\sqrt{53}$ 

Answer: (d)



**29.** The distance of the point (1, -5, 9) from the plane x - y + z = 5measured along the line x = y = z is : (1)  $3\sqrt{10}$  (2)  $10\sqrt{3}$  (3)  $\frac{10}{\sqrt{3}}$  (4)  $\frac{20}{3}$ 

**A**.  $3\sqrt{5}$ **B**.  $10\sqrt{3}$ 

C.  $5\sqrt{3}$ 

D.  $3\sqrt{10}$ 

Answer: (b)

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**30.** A line AB in three-dimensional space makes angles 45  $^{\circ}$  and 120  $^{\circ}$  with the positive X-axis and The positive Y-axis, respectively. If AB makes an acute angle $\theta$  with the positive Z-axis, then  $\theta$  equals

**A.** 30 °

**B.** 45 °

C. 60  $^{\circ}$ 

**D.** 75 °

Answer: (c)

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**31.** Statement-I The point A(3, 1, 6) is the mirror image of the point B(1, 3, 4) in the plane x - y + z = 5.

Statement-II The plane x - y + z = 5 bisect the line segment joining A(3, 1, 6) and B(1, 3, 4).

A. Statement-I is true, Statement II is also true, Statement-II is the

correct explanation of Statement-I.

B. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is also true, Statement-II is not the

correct explanation of Statement-I.

C. Statement-I is true, Statement-II is false.

D. Statement-I is false, Statement -II is true.

Answer: (a)

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**32.** 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,  $(\alpha, \beta)$  equals

A. (6, -17)

B.(-6,7)

C. (5, -15)

D. (-5, 15)

Answer: (b)



**33.** The projection of a vector on the three coordinate axes are 6, - 3, 2, respectively. The direction cosines of the vector are

A. 6, - 3, 2  
B. 
$$\frac{6}{5}$$
, -  $\frac{3}{5}$ ,  $\frac{2}{5}$   
C.  $\frac{6}{7}$ , -  $\frac{3}{7}$ ,  $\frac{2}{7}$   
D. -  $\frac{6}{7}$ , -  $\frac{3}{7}$ ,  $\frac{2}{7}$ 

Answer: (c)

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**34.** The line passing through the points (5, 1, a) and (3, b, 1) crosses the

YZ-plane at the point 
$$\left(0, \frac{17}{2}, -\frac{13}{2}\right)$$
. Then,

A. *a* = 8, *b* = 2

B. a = 2b = 8

C.a = 4b = 6

D. a = 6b = 4

Answer: (d)

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**35.** If the straight lines  $\frac{x-1}{k} = \frac{y-2}{2} = \frac{z-3}{3}$  and  $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y-3}{k} = \frac{z-1}{2}$  intersect at a point, then the integer k is equal to

**A.** - 2

**B.** - 5

**C**. 5

**D**. 2

## Answer: (b)



**36.** Let L be the line of intersection of the planes 2x + 3y + z = 1 and x + 3y + 2z = 2. If L makes an angle  $\alpha$  with the positive

X=axis, then  $\cos\alpha$  equals



## Answer: (a)

**37.** If a line makes an angle  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  with the positive directions of each of X-axis and Y-axis, then the angle that the line makes with the positive direction of the Z-axis is

A.  $\frac{\pi}{6}$ B.  $\frac{\pi}{4}$ C.  $\frac{\pi}{3}$ D.  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ 

## Answer: (d)

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**38.** If (2, 3, 5) is one end of a diameter of the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 6x - 12y - 2z + 20 = 0$ , then the coordinates of the other end of the diameter are

A. (4, 9, - 3) B. (4, - 3, 3) C. (4, 3, 5) D. (4, 3, - 3)

Answer: (a)

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**39.** The two lines x = ay + b, z = cy + d and x = a'y + b', z = c'y + d' are perpendicular to each other, if

A. aa' + cc' = 1B.  $\frac{a}{a'} + \frac{c}{c'} = -1$ C.  $\frac{a}{a'} + \frac{c}{c'} = -1$ D. aa' + cc' = -1

Answer: (d)

**40.** The image of the point (-1, 3, 4) in the plane x - 2y = 0 is

A. (15, 11, 4)  
B. 
$$\left(-\frac{17}{3}, -\frac{19}{3}, 1\right)$$
  
C. (8, 4, 4)  
D.  $\left(\frac{9}{5}, \frac{-13}{5}, 4\right)$ 

## Answer: (d)

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**41.** If the plane 2ax - 3ay + 4az + 6 = 0 passes through the mid point of the line joining the centre of the spheres  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 6x - 8y - 2z = 13$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 10x + 4y - 2z = 8$ , then  $\alpha$ equals **A.** 2

**B.** - 2

**C**. 1

**D.** - 1

Answer: (b)

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**42.** If the angle  $\theta$  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  $\lambda$  is

A.  $-\frac{4}{3}$ B.  $\frac{3}{4}$ C.  $-\frac{3}{5}$ D.  $\frac{5}{3}$ 

Answer: (d)

**43.** The angle between the lines 2x = 3y = -z and 6x = -y = -4z is

A. 30 °

**B.** 45 °

C. 90  $^{\circ}$ 

D.0  $^\circ$ 

Answer: (c)

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**44.** The plane x + 2y - z = 4 cuts the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - x + z - 2 = 0$  in a

circle of radius

A. 
$$\sqrt{2}$$

**B**. 2

**C**. 1

**D**. 3

Answer: (c)

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