



## MATHS

### BOOKS - CENGAGE MATHS (ENGLISH)

## LINEAR COMBINATION OF VECTORS, DEPENDENT AND INDEPENDENT VECTORS

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1. The number of integral values of  $p$  for which

$$(p + 1)\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + p\hat{k}, p\hat{i} + (p + 1)\hat{j} - 3\hat{k} \quad \text{and}$$

$-3\hat{i} + p\hat{j} + (p+1)\hat{k}$  are linearly dependent  
vectors is q

A. 0

B. 1

C. 2

D. 3

**Answer: B**



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2. The base vectors  $\vec{a}_1$ ,  $\vec{a}_2$  and  $\vec{a}_3$  are given in terms of base vectors  $\vec{b}_1$ ,  $\vec{b}_2$  and  $\vec{b}_3$  as

$$\vec{a}_1 = 2\vec{b}_1 + 3\vec{b}_2 - \vec{b}_3,$$

$$\vec{a}_2 = \vec{b}_1 - 2\vec{b}_2 + 2\vec{b}_3 \quad \text{and}$$

$$\vec{a}_3 = 2\vec{b}_1 + \vec{b}_2 - 2\vec{b}_3, \quad \text{if}$$

$\vec{F} = 3\vec{b}_1 - \vec{b}_2 + 2\vec{b}_3$ , then vector  $\vec{F}$  in terms of  $\vec{a}_1$ ,  $\vec{a}_2$  and  $\vec{a}_3$  is



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3. The number of distinct real values of  $\lambda$  for which the vectors  $\vec{a} = \lambda^3 \hat{i} + \hat{k}$ ,  $\vec{b} = \hat{i} - \lambda^3 \hat{j}$  and  $\vec{c} = \hat{i} + (2\lambda - \sin \lambda) \hat{j} - \lambda \hat{k}$  are coplanar is

A. 0

B. 1

C. 2

D. 3

**Answer: A**



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4. The coplanar points  $A, B, C, D$  are  $(2 - x, 2, 2), (2, 2 - y, 2), (2, 2, 2 - z)$  and  $(1, 1, 1)$  respectively then

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

B.  $x + y + z = 1$

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

D. none of these

**Answer: A**



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5. If  $a_1$  and  $a_2$  are two values of  $a$  for which the unit vector  $a\hat{i} + b\hat{j} + \frac{1}{2}\hat{k}$  is linearly dependent with  $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j}$  and  $\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$ , then  $\frac{1}{a_1} + \frac{1}{a_2}$  is equal to

A. 1

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

C.  $-\frac{16}{11}$

D.  $-\frac{11}{16}$

**Answer: C**



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6. Let  $a, b$  and  $c$  be distinct non-negative numbers and the vectors  $a\hat{i} + a\hat{j} + c\hat{k}, \hat{i} + \hat{k}, c\hat{i} + c\hat{j} + b\hat{k}$  lie in a plane, then the quadratic equation  $ax^2 + 2cx + b = 0$  has

- A. real and equal roots
- B. real unequal roots
- C. unreal roots
- D. both roots real and positive

**Answer: A**



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7. In the  $\triangle OAB$ ,  $M$  is the mid-point of  $AB$ ,  $C$  is a point on  $OM$ , such that  $2OC=CM$ .  $X$  is a point on the side  $OB$  such that  $OX=2XB$ . The line  $XC$  is produced to meet  $OA$  in  $Y$ . then,  $\frac{OY}{YA}$  is equal to

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

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

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

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

**Answer: B**



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8. Points X and Y are taken on the sides QR and RS, respectively of a parallelogram PQRS, so that  $QX=4XR$  and  $RY=4YS$ . The line XY cuts the line PR at Z. Then, PZ is



A.  $\frac{21}{25} \overrightarrow{PR}$

B.  $\frac{16}{25} \overrightarrow{PR}$

C.  $\frac{17}{25} \overrightarrow{PR}$

D. None of these

**Answer: A**



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9. On the  $xy$  plane where  $O$  is the origin, given points,  $A(1, 0)$ ,  $B(0, 1)$  and  $C(1, 1)$ . Let  $P$ ,  $Q$ , and  $R$  be moving points on the line  $OA$ ,  $OB$ ,  $OC$  respectively such that

$$\overline{OP} = 45t(\overline{OA}), \overline{OQ} = 60t(\overline{OB}), \overline{OR} = (1 - t)(\overline{OC})$$

with  $t > 0$ . If the three points  $P, Q$  and  $R$  are collinear then the value of  $t$  is equal to

A  $\frac{1}{106}$

B  $\frac{7}{187}$

C  $\frac{1}{100}$

D none of these

A.  $\frac{1}{106}$

B.  $\frac{7}{187}$

C.  $\frac{1}{100}$

D. none of these

**Answer: B**



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**10.** Given three vectors  $\vec{a}$ ,  $\vec{b}$  and  $\vec{c}$  are non-zero and non-coplanar vectors. Then which of the following are coplanar.

A.  $\vec{a} + \vec{b}$ ,  $\vec{b} + \vec{c}$ ,  $\vec{c} + \vec{a}$

B.  $\vec{a} - \vec{b}$ ,  $\vec{b} + \vec{c}$ ,  $\vec{c} + \vec{a}$

C.  $\vec{a} + \vec{b}$ ,  $\vec{b} - \vec{c}$ ,  $\vec{c} - \vec{a}$

D.  $\vec{a} + \vec{b}$ ,  $\vec{b} + \vec{c}$ ,  $\vec{c} - \vec{a}$

**Answer: B::D**



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