

Subject: Mathematics

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1. If the vectors  $\vec{AB} = 3\hat{i} + 4\hat{k}$  and  $\vec{AC} = 5\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}$  are the sides of a triangle  $ABC$ , then the length of the median through  $A$  is :
  - A.  $\sqrt{18}$
  - B.  $\sqrt{72}$
  - C.  $\sqrt{33}$
  - D.  $\sqrt{45}$
  
2. A perpendicular is drawn from a point on the line  $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y+1}{-1} = \frac{z}{1}$  to the plane  $x + y + z = 3$  such that the foot of the perpendicular  $Q$  also lies on the plane  $x - y + z = 3$ . Then the co-ordinates of  $Q$  are :
  - A.  $(2, 0, 1)$
  - B.  $(1, 0, 2)$
  - C.  $(-1, 0, 4)$
  - D.  $(4, 0, -1)$
  
3.  $ABC$  is a triangle in a plane with vertices  $A(2, 3, 5)$ ,  $B(-1, 3, 2)$  and  $C(\lambda, 5, \mu)$ . If the median through  $A$  is equally inclined to the coordinate axes, then the value of  $(\lambda^3 + \mu^3 + 5)$  is:
  - A. 1348
  - B. 1130
  - C. 1077
  - D. 676

4. The equation of the line passing through  $(-4, 3, 1)$ , parallel to the plane  $x + 2y - z - 5 = 0$  and intersecting the line  $\frac{x+1}{-3} = \frac{y-3}{2} = \frac{z-2}{-1}$  is:

A.  $\frac{x+4}{-1} = \frac{y-3}{1} = \frac{z-1}{1}$

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

C.  $\frac{x+4}{3} = \frac{y-3}{-1} = \frac{z-1}{1}$

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

5. Volume of parallelopiped whose coterminous edges are given by  $\vec{u} = \hat{i} + \hat{j} + \lambda\hat{k}$ ,  $\vec{v} = \hat{i} + \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$  and  $\vec{w} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}$  is 1 cu. unit. If  $\theta$  be the angle between the edges  $\vec{u}$  and  $\vec{w}$ , then  $\cos \theta$  can be:

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

B.  $\frac{5}{7}$

C.  $\frac{7}{6\sqrt{3}}$

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

6. Let  $\vec{a} = \hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$  and  $\vec{b} = \hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}$  be two vectors. If  $\vec{c}$  is a vector such that  $\vec{b} \times \vec{c} = \vec{b} \times \vec{a}$  and  $\vec{c} \cdot \vec{a} = 0$ , then  $\vec{c} \cdot \vec{b}$  is equal to :

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

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

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

D.  $-1$

7. A plane which bisects the angle between the two given planes  $2x - y + 2z - 4 = 0$  and  $x + 2y + 2z - 2 = 0$ , passes through the point :

A.  $(1, -4, 1)$

B.  $(2, 4, 1)$

C.  $(2, -4, 1)$

D.  $(1, 4, -1)$

8. Let  $P$  be the plane, which contains the line of intersection of the planes,  $x + y + z - 6 = 0$  and  $2x + 3y + z + 5 = 0$  and it is perpendicular to the  $xy$ -plane. Then the distance of the point  $(0, 0, 256)$  from  $P$  is equal to :

- A.  $63\sqrt{5}$
- B.  $\frac{11}{\sqrt{5}}$
- C.  $\frac{205}{\sqrt{5}}$
- D.  $\frac{17}{\sqrt{5}}$

9. The perpendicular distance from the origin to the plane containing the two lines,  $\frac{x+2}{3} = \frac{y-2}{5} = \frac{z+5}{7}$  and  $\frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y-4}{4} = \frac{z+4}{7}$ , is:

- A. 11
- B.  $11\sqrt{6}$
- C.  $\frac{11}{\sqrt{6}}$
- D.  $6\sqrt{11}$

10. The equation of a plane containing the line of intersection of the planes  $2x - y - 4 = 0$  and  $y + 2z - 4 = 0$  and passing through the point  $(1, 1, 0)$  is:

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

11. Let a vector  $\alpha\hat{i} + \beta\hat{j}$  be obtained by rotating the vector  $\sqrt{3}\hat{i} + \hat{j}$  by an angle  $45^\circ$  about the origin in counterclockwise direction in the first quadrant. Then the area of triangle having vertices  $(\alpha, \beta)$ ,  $(0, \beta)$  and  $(0, 0)$  is equal to:

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

12. If vectors  $\vec{a}_1 = x\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}$  and  $\vec{a}_2 = \hat{i} + y\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$  are collinear, then a possible unit vector parallel to the vector  $x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$  is :

- A.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(-\hat{j} + \hat{k})$
- B.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\hat{i} - \hat{j})$
- C.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k})$
- D.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k})$

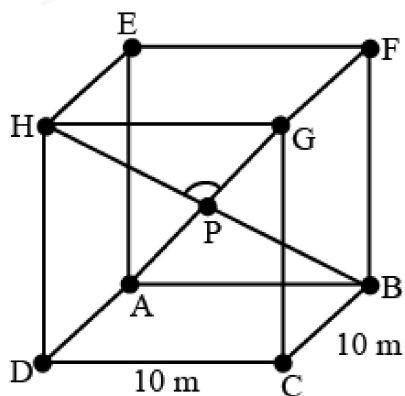
13. If  $(x, y, z)$  be an arbitrary point lying on a plane  $P$  which passes through the points  $(42, 0, 0)$ ,  $(0, 42, 0)$  and  $(0, 0, 42)$ , then the value of the expression

$$3 + \frac{x-11}{(y-19)^2(z-12)^2} + \frac{y-19}{(x-11)^2(z-12)^2} + \frac{z-12}{(x-11)^2(y-19)^2} - \frac{x+y+z}{14(x-11)(y-19)(z-12)}$$

is equal to :

- A. 3
- B. 0
- C. 39
- D. -45

14. Let  $\vec{a} = 2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}$  and  $\vec{b} = 7\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 6\hat{k}$ . If  $\vec{r} \times \vec{a} = \vec{r} \times \vec{b}$ ,  $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}) = -3$ , then  $\vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + \hat{k})$  is equal to:
- A. 10  
B. 13  
C. 12  
D. 8
15. The equation of the plane which contains the  $y$ -axis and passes through the point  $(1, 2, 3)$  is:
- A.  $3x + z = 6$   
B.  $3x - z = 0$   
C.  $x + 3z = 10$   
D.  $x + 3z = 0$
16. A hall has a square floor of dimension  $10\text{ m} \times 10\text{ m}$  (see the figure) and vertical walls. If the angle  $GPH$  between the diagonals  $AG$  and  $BH$  is  $\cos^{-1} \frac{1}{5}$ , then the height of the hall (in meters) is



- A.  $2\sqrt{10}$   
B.  $5\sqrt{2}$   
C.  $5\sqrt{3}$   
D. 5

17. If for some  $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ , the lines  $L_1 : \frac{x+1}{2} = \frac{y-2}{-1} = \frac{z-1}{1}$  and  $L_2 : \frac{x+2}{\alpha} = \frac{y+1}{5-\alpha} = \frac{z+1}{1}$  coplanar, then the line  $L_2$  passes through the point:
- $(2, -10, -2)$
  - $(10, -2, -2)$
  - $(10, 2, 2)$
  - $(-2, 10, 2)$
18. The mirror image of the point  $(1, 2, 3)$  in a plane is  $\left(-\frac{7}{3}, -\frac{4}{3}, -\frac{1}{3}\right)$ . Which of the following points lies on this plane?
- $(1, -1, 1)$
  - $(-1, -1, 1)$
  - $(1, 1, 1)$
  - $(-1, -1, -1)$
19. The angle between the straight lines, whose direction cosines are given by the equations  $2l + 2m - n = 0$  and  $mn + nl + lm = 0$ , is
- $\frac{\pi}{3}$
  - $\frac{\pi}{2}$
  - $\pi - \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{4}{9}\right)$
  - $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{8}{9}\right)$
20. Let  $\vec{a} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$  and  $\vec{b} = \hat{i} + \hat{j}$ . If  $\vec{c}$  is a vector such that  $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{c} = |\vec{c}|$ ,  $|\vec{c} - \vec{a}| = 2\sqrt{2}$  and the angle between  $\left(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}\right)$  and  $\vec{c}$  is  $\frac{\pi}{6}$ , then the value of  $\left|\left(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}\right) \times \vec{c}\right|$  is
- 4
  - $\frac{2}{3}$
  - $\frac{3}{2}$
  - 3

21. The shortest distance between the lines  $\frac{x-1}{0} = \frac{y+1}{-1} = \frac{z}{1}$  and  $x+y+z+1=0, 2x-y+z+3=0$  is:
- 1
  - $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$
  - $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$
  - $\frac{1}{2}$
22. Let the foot of perpendicular from a point  $P(1, 2, -1)$  to the straight line  $L : \frac{x}{1} = \frac{y}{0} = \frac{z}{-1}$  be  $N$ . Let a line be drawn from  $P$  parallel to the plane  $x+y+2z=0$  which meets  $L$  at point  $Q$ . If  $\alpha$  is the acute angle between the lines  $PN$  and  $PQ$ , then  $\cos \alpha$  is equal to
- $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$
  - $\frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}}$
  - $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$
  - $\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$
23. Let  $P$  be a plane passing through the points  $(2, 1, 0)$ ,  $(4, 1, 1)$  and  $(5, 0, 1)$  and  $R$  be any point  $(2, 1, 6)$ . Then the image of  $R$  in the plane  $P$  is:
- $(6, 5, 2)$
  - $(6, 5, -2)$
  - $(4, 3, 2)$
  - $(3, 4, -2)$
24. If the foot of the perpendicular drawn from the point  $(1, 0, 3)$  on a line passing through  $(\alpha, 7, 1)$  is  $\left(\frac{5}{3}, \frac{7}{3}, \frac{17}{3}\right)$ , then  $\alpha$  is equal to
25. Let  $\vec{a}$ ,  $\vec{b}$  and  $\vec{c}$  be three vectors such that  $|\vec{a}| = \sqrt{3}$ ,  $|\vec{b}| = 5$ ,  $\vec{b} \cdot \vec{c} = 10$  and the angle between  $\vec{b}$  and  $\vec{c}$  is  $\frac{\pi}{3}$ . If  $\vec{a}$  is perpendicular to vector  $\vec{b} \times \vec{c}$ , then  $|\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{c})|$  is equal to

26. If the vector  $\vec{p} = (a+1)\hat{i} + a\hat{j} + a\hat{k}$ ,  $\vec{q} = a\hat{i} + (a+1)\hat{j} + a\hat{k}$  and  $\vec{r} = a\hat{i} + a\hat{j} + (a+1)\hat{k}$ , ( $a \in R$ ) are coplanar and  $3(\vec{p} \cdot \vec{q})^2 - \lambda |\vec{r} \times \vec{q}|^2 = 0$ , then value of  $\lambda$  is
27. Let  $P$  be a plane containing the line  $\frac{x-1}{3} = \frac{y+6}{4} = \frac{z+5}{2}$  and parallel to the line  $\frac{x-3}{4} = \frac{y-2}{-3} = \frac{z+5}{7}$ . If the point  $(1, -1, \alpha)$  lies on the plane  $P$ , then the value of  $|5\alpha|$  is equal to
28. Let the plane  $ax + by + cz + d = 0$  bisect the line joining the points  $(4, -3, 1)$  and  $(2, 3, -5)$  at the right angles. If  $a, b, c, d$  are integers, then the minimum value of  $(a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + d^2)$  is
29. Let the line  $L$  be the projection of the line  $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-3}{1} = \frac{z-4}{2}$  in the plane  $x - 2y - z = 3$ . If  $d$  is the distance of the point  $(0, 0, 6)$  from  $L$ , then  $d^2$  is equal to
30. If the projection of the vector  $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$  on the sum of the two vectors  $2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 5\hat{k}$  and  $-\lambda\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$  is 1, then  $\lambda$  is equal to