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## Set I

### Section A (Question numbers 1 to 10 carry 1 mark each)

#### Question: 1

If a line makes angle  $90^\circ$ ,  $60^\circ$  and  $30^\circ$  with the positive direction of x, y and z respectively, find its direction cosines.

#### Answer:

Let the dc's of the lines be l, m, n. Then

$$l = \cos 90^\circ$$

$$= 0$$

$$m = \cos 60^\circ$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}$$

$$n = \cos 30^\circ$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

#### Question: 2

Check the continuity of the function  $f(x) = 2x + 3$  at  $x = 1$ .

#### Answer:

Since  $f(x)$  is defined at  $x = 1$

$$\therefore f(1) = 2(1) + 3$$

$$= 5$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} (2x + 3)$$

$$= 2(1) + 3 = 5$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = 5$$

$$= f(1)$$

Hence,  $f$  is continuous at  $x = 1$ .

#### Question: 3

Using differentials, find the approximate value of  $\sqrt{26}$ .

#### Answer:

$$\text{Let } f(x) = \sqrt{x} \Leftrightarrow f'(x) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}.$$

$$\text{For } \sqrt{26} = \sqrt{25 + 1},$$

$$\text{take } x_0 = 25$$

$$\text{and } h = 1.$$

$$\therefore f(x_0) = f(25) = \sqrt{25} = 5;$$



$$f'(x_0) = \frac{1}{2 \times 5}$$

$$= 0.1$$

Using the formula for approximation,

$f(x_0 + h) = f(x_0) + hf'(x_0)$ , we have

$$\Leftrightarrow \sqrt{26} = 5 + 1 \times 0.1 = 5.1.$$

#### Question: 4

Find the values of  $a$ ,  $b$ ,  $c$  and  $d$  from the following equations.  $\begin{bmatrix} 2a+b & a-2b \\ 5c-d & 4c+3d \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -3 \\ 11 & 24 \end{bmatrix}$

#### Answer:

By equality of two matrices, we have

$$2a+b=4$$

$$a-2b=-3$$

$$5c-d=11$$

$$4c+3d=24$$

on solving the above equations, we get  $a=1, b=2, c=3$  and  $d=4$ .

#### Question: 5

Evaluate:  $\int \sin^4 x \, dx$ .

#### Answer:

$$\int \sin^4 x \, dx = \int (\sin^2 x)^2 \, dx$$

$$= \int \left[ \frac{1 - \cos 2x}{2} \right]^2 \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \int (1 - 2\cos 2x + \cos^2 2x) \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \int \left[ 1 - 2\cos 2x + \frac{1 + \cos 4x}{2} \right] \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} \int [3 - 4\cos 2x + \cos 4x] \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} \left( 3x - 2\sin 2x + \frac{\sin 4x}{4} \right) + c.$$

#### Question: 6

If  $\hat{a}$  and  $\hat{b}$  are two unit vectors and  $\theta$  is angle between them, show that  $\sin \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{1}{2} |\hat{a} - \hat{b}|$ .

#### Answer:

$$|\hat{a} - \hat{b}|^2 = (\hat{a} - \hat{b}) \cdot (\hat{a} - \hat{b})$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 |a^{\wedge} - b^{\wedge}|^2 &= |a^{\wedge}|^2 + |b^{\wedge}|^2 - 2|a^{\wedge}||b^{\wedge}|\cos\theta \\
 &= 1^2 + 1^2 - 2(1)(1)\cos\theta = 2 - 2\cos\theta \\
 &= 2(1 - \cos\theta) \\
 2.2\sin^2\frac{\theta}{2} &= 4\sin^2\frac{\theta}{2} \\
 \therefore \sin^2\frac{\theta}{2} &= \frac{1}{4}|a^{\wedge} - b^{\wedge}|^2 \\
 \sin\frac{\theta}{2} &= \frac{1}{2}|a^{\wedge} - b^{\wedge}|
 \end{aligned}$$

### Question: 7

Find the values of a and b for which the following holder:  $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ -a & 2b \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$

### Answer:

Here given,  $\begin{bmatrix} a-b \\ -a-2b \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$   $\begin{bmatrix} 2a-b \\ -2a-2b \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$

By definition of equality of matrices

$$\begin{aligned}
 2a-b &= 5 & (i) \\
 -2a-2b &= 4 & (ii)
 \end{aligned}$$

On adding (i) and (ii), we get  $-3b = 9 \Rightarrow b = -3$

Putting  $b = -3$  in eq. (i), we get  $2a+3 = 5 \Rightarrow a = 1$

### Question: 8

The dot product of a vector with the vectors  $\hat{i} + \hat{j} = 3\hat{k}$ ,  $\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} = 2\hat{k}$  and  $2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 4\hat{k}$  are 0, 5 and 8 respectively. Find the vector.

### Answer:

Let the required vector be  $(x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}) \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) = 0 \Rightarrow x + y - 3z = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x + y - 3z = 0 = (x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}) \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 3y - 2z = 5 = (x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}) \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x + y + 4z = 8$$

Solving these equations, we get,  $x = 1, y = 2, z = 1$

$\therefore$  The required vector is  $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$

### Question: 9

Write the following functions in the simplest form:  $\tan^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{1-\cos x}{1+\cos x}}, x > \pi$ .



**Answer:**

$$\text{Let } y = \tan^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{1 - \cos x}{1 + \cos x}}$$

$$y = \tan^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{2 \sin^2 \frac{x}{2}}{2 \cos^2 \frac{x}{2}}}$$

$$y = \tan^{-1} \tan \frac{x}{2}$$

$$y = \frac{x}{2}$$

**Question: 10**

$$\text{Evaluate: } \int \frac{x dx}{(x+2)(3-2x)}$$

**Answer:**

$$\text{Let } I = \int \frac{x dx}{(x+2)(3-2x)}$$

$$\text{Resolve into partial fractions, } \int \left[ -\frac{2}{7(x+2)} + \frac{3}{7(3-2x)} \right] dx$$

$$\text{Integrate w.r.t } x \quad I = \frac{2}{7} \log|x+2| + \frac{3 \log|3-2x|}{-2} + c$$

$$= \frac{2}{7} \log|x+2| + \frac{3}{14} \log|3-2x| + c$$

**Section B** (Questions numbers 11 to 22 carry 4 marks each)

**Question: 11**

Verify Rolle's Theorem for the function  $f(x) = x^2 - x - 12$  in  $[-3, 4]$ .

**Answer:**

Here,  $f(x) = x^2 - x - 12$  in  $[-3, 4]$

Being a polynomial,  $f(x)$  is cont. in  $[-3, 4]$  and differentiable in  $[-3, 4]$

$$\text{Also } f(-3) = (-3)^2 - (-3) - 12 = 9 + 3 - 12 = 0 \text{ and } f(4) = 4^2 - 4 - 12 = 16 - 4 - 12 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow f(-3) = f(4) \quad (=0)$$

$\therefore$  All the conditions of Rolle's theorem are satisfied.

$$\Rightarrow \exists c \in ]-3, 4[ \text{ s.t. } f'(c) = 0$$

$$\text{Now } f'(c) = 2c - 1.$$

$$f'(c) = 0 \Rightarrow 2c - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow c = \frac{1}{2},$$



Clearly  $c = \frac{1}{2} \in [-3, 4]$

$\therefore$  Rolle's theorem is verified.

### Question: 12

Find the intervals in which the function  $f(x) = 2x^3 - 9x^2 + 12x + 30$  is (i) increasing. (ii) decreasing.

#### Answer:

Here,  $f(x) = 2x^3 - 9x^2 + 12x + 30$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = 6x^2 - 18x + 12$$

$$= 6(x^2 - 3x + 2)$$

$$= 6(x-1)(x-2)$$

For  $f$  to be increasing, we have

$$f'(x) \geq 0 \Rightarrow (x-1)(x-2) \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x-1 \geq 0 \text{ and } x-2 \geq 0$$

$$\text{or } x-1 \leq 0 \text{ and } x-2 \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x \geq 2 \text{ or } x \leq 1.$$

$\therefore f$  will be increasing in  $]-\infty, 1[ \cup ]2, \infty[$ .

Similarly  $f$  will be decreasing in  $]1, 2[$

### Question: 13

Evaluate :  $\int \log(1+x^2) dx$ .

#### Answer:

$$\text{Let } I = \int \log(1+x^2) dx$$

$$= \int 1 \cdot \log(1+x^2) dx$$

Taking  $I$  as second function and applying the rule of integration by parts, we get

$$I = x \log(1+x^2) - \int x \cdot \frac{1}{1+x^2} \cdot 2x dx$$

$$= x \log(1+x^2) - 2 \int \frac{x^2}{1+x^2} dx$$

$$= x \log(1+x^2) - 2 \int \left[ 1 - \frac{1}{1+x^2} \right] dx$$

$$= x \log(1+x^2) - 2(x - \tan^{-1}x) + c.$$

OR

$$y = x^{\sin x} + (\sin x)^x, \text{ find } \frac{dy}{dx}.$$

#### Answer:

$$\text{Given : } y = x^{\sin x} + (\sin x)^x = u + v \quad (1)$$

$$\text{where } u = x^{\sin x} \text{ and } v = (\sin x)^x$$



$$\Rightarrow \log u = \sin x \log x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{u} \cdot \frac{dx}{dx} = \cos x \log x + \frac{\sin x}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dx}{dx} = x^{\sin x} \left[ \cos x \log x + \frac{\sin x}{x} \right] \quad (2)$$

$$\text{Also } v = (\sin x)x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{v} \frac{dv}{dx} = 1 \cdot \log \sin x + x \cdot \frac{1}{\sin x} \cdot \cos x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dv}{dx} = (\sin x)^x [\log \sin x + x \cot x]$$

$$\text{From (1), } \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{du}{dx} + \frac{dv}{dx} = x^{\sin x} \left[ \cos x \log x + \frac{\sin x}{x} \right]$$

$$+ (\sin x)x [\log \sin x + x \cot x] \text{ [using (2) and (3)]}$$

#### Question: 14

Show that the function:  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sin x}{2^x} + \cos x, & x \neq 0 \\ 2, & x = 0 \end{cases}$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

**Answer:**

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{\sin x}{x} + \cos x \right) = 1 + 1 = 2$$

$$\text{Also } f(0) = 2$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = f(0)$$

Hence  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

OR

Find the value of  $K$  so that the function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} Kx^2, & \text{if } x \leq 3 \\ 3, & \text{if } x > 3 \end{cases}$  is continuous at  $x = 3$

**Answer:**

$$\therefore f(x) \text{ is continuous at } x = 3$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} f(x) = f(3)$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} Kx^2 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} 3$$

$$K(3)^2 = 3$$

$$4K = 3 \quad \Rightarrow K = \frac{3}{4}$$

#### Question: 15



Prove that  $3\sin^{-1}x = \sin^{-1}(3x - 4x^3)$ ,  $4 \in \left[-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right]$

**Answer:**

$$\text{R.H.S} = \sin^{-1}(3x - 4x^3)$$

$$\text{put } x = \sin\theta \Rightarrow \theta = \sin^{-1}x$$

$$\text{R.H.S.} = \sin^{-1}(3\sin\theta - 4\sin^3\theta)$$

$$\sin^{-1}(\sin 3\theta)$$

$$= 3\theta$$

$$= 3\sin^{-1}x$$

$$\therefore \text{R.H.S} = \text{L.H.S.}$$

### Question: 16

If the sum of the mean and variance of a binomial Distribution for 5 trials be 1.8, find the distribution.

By hypothesis,  $np + npq = 1.8$  and  $n = 5$

$$\Rightarrow 5(\pi + \pi\theta) = 1.8 \Rightarrow \pi + \pi(1 - \pi) = 0.36$$

$$\Rightarrow \pi^2 - 2\pi + 0.36 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \pi = \frac{2 + \sqrt{4 - 1.44}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{2 + 1.6}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \pi = \frac{0.4}{2} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$(P_{\epsilon} \in \chi_T : \pi = 1.8)$$

$$\text{Binomial Distribution } \theta + \pi)^n = \left(\frac{4}{5} + \frac{1}{5}\right)^5$$

### Question: 17

Find the angle between the pair of lines given by  $r = 3i\hat{u} + 2j\hat{u} - 4k\hat{u}$

$$+ k(i\hat{u} + 2j\hat{u} + 2k\hat{u}) \text{ and } r = 5i\hat{u} - 2j\hat{u} + u(3i\hat{u} + 2j\hat{u} + 6k\hat{u})$$

**Answer:**

On comparing by  $r = a\hat{u} + kb \rightarrow$

$$\text{Here, } b_1 = i\hat{u} + 2j\hat{u} + 2k\hat{u} \quad b_2 =$$





$$= 3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 6\hat{k}$$

The angle  $\theta$  between the two lines is given by

$$\cos \theta = \frac{|\vec{b}_1 \cdot \vec{b}_2|}{|\vec{b}_1| |\vec{b}_2|} = \frac{|(\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) \cdot (3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 6\hat{k})|}{\sqrt{1+4+4} \sqrt{9+4+36}}$$

$$= \frac{|3+4+12|}{3 \times 7}$$

$$= \frac{19}{21}$$

$$\therefore \theta = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{19}{21} \right)$$

OR

Differentiate the following function w.r.t.  $x$ :  $x^{\sin x} + (\sin x)^{\cos x}$ .

**Answer:**

Let  $y = x^{\sin x} + (\sin x)^{\cos x}$ . put  $u = x^{\sin x}$  and  $v = (\sin x)^{\cos x}$ .

$$\therefore y = u + v \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{du}{dx} + \frac{dv}{dx} \text{ consider } u = x^{\sin x}$$

Taking logarithms on both sides we get  $\log u = \sin x \log x$

Differentiate with respect to  $x$ , we get  $\frac{1}{u} \frac{du}{dx} = \sin x \cdot \frac{1}{x} + \log x \cdot \cos x$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = u \left( \frac{\sin x}{x} + \cos x \log x \right)$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = x^{\sin x} \left[ \frac{\sin x}{x} + \cos x \log x \right]$$

Now consider  $v = (\sin x)^{\cos x}$

Taking logarithms on both sides, we get  $\log v = \cos x \cdot \log \sin x$

Differentiate with respect to  $x$ , we get  $\frac{1}{v} \frac{dv}{dx} = \cos x \cdot \frac{1}{\sin x} \cos x + \log \sin x (-\sin x)$

$$\frac{dv}{dx} = v [\cos x \cot x - \sin x \log \sin x]$$

$$\therefore \frac{dv}{dx} = (\sin x)^{\cos x} [\cos x \cot x - \sin x \log \sin x]$$

$$\text{Hence } \frac{dy}{dx} = x^{\sin x} \left[ \frac{\sin x}{x} + \cos x \log x \right] + (\sin x)^{\cos x} [\cos x \cot x - \sin x \log \sin x]$$

**Question: 18**



A diet to contain at least 80 units of vitamin A and 100 units of minerals. Two foods  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  are available. Food  $F_1$  costs Rs. 4 per unit and  $F_2$  costs Rs 6 per unit. One unit of food  $F_1$  contain 3 unit of vitamin A and 4 units of minerals.

One units of food  $F_2$  contains 6 units of vitamin A and 3 units of minerals. Formulate this as a linear programming problem and find graphically the minimum cost for diet that consists of mixture of these two foods and also meets the minimal nutritional requirements.

**Answer:**

Let the diet contain  $x$  units of food  $F_1$  and  $y$  units of food  $F_2$ .

Now construct the following table:

Food Type	Vitamin A	Minerals	Cost
$F_1(x)$	3	4	Rs. 4
$F_2(y)$	6	3	Rs. 6
Total	$\geq 80$	$\geq 100$	

Required L.P.P is

Minimum cost  $Z = 4x + 6y$

Subject to constraints

$$3x + 6y \geq 80$$

$$4x + 3y \geq 100$$

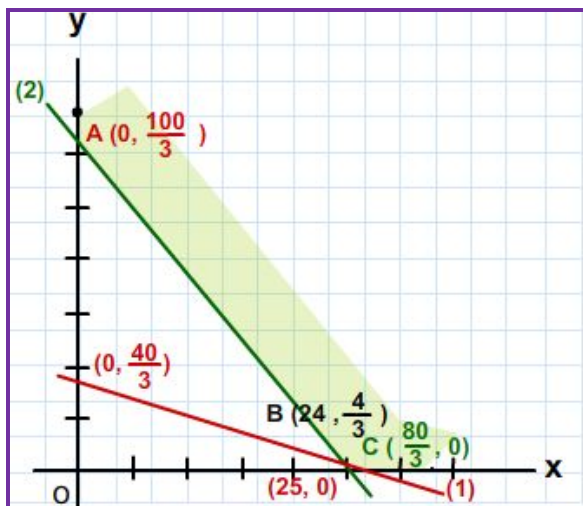
$$x, y > 0$$

Table for  $3x + 6y = 80$

X	0	$\frac{80}{3}$
Y	$\frac{40}{3}$	0

Table for  $4x + 3y = 100$

x	0	25
y	$\frac{100}{3}$	0



$$\therefore A\left(0, \frac{100}{3}\right), B\left(24, \frac{4}{3}\right) \text{ and } C\left(\frac{80}{3}, 0\right)$$

Now evaluate Z at corner points

Corner points	$Z = 4x + 6y$
$A\left(0, \frac{100}{3}\right)$	$Z = 0 + 6 \times \frac{100}{3} = 200$
$B\left(24, \frac{4}{3}\right)$	$Z = 4 \times 24 + 6 \times \frac{4}{3} = 104 \text{ (min)}$
$C\left(\frac{80}{3}, 0\right)$	$Z = 4 \times \frac{80}{3} + 0 = \frac{320}{3} = 106.6$

$\therefore$  The minimum cost is Rs. 104 when  $x = 24$  units and  $y = \frac{4}{3}$  units

### Question: 19

A family has 2 children. Find the probability that both are boys, if it is known that

- At least one of the children is a boy
- The elder child is a boy.

### Answer:

Let event A is that the family has two boys

i. event B: At least one is a boy

P(both boys, given that at least one is a boy)  $P(A/B)$

$$= \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)}$$

$$= \frac{P\{(B, B)\}}{P\{(B, G), (G, B), (B, B)\}}$$

$$\frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{3}$$

(ii) event C: the elder child is a boy

P(both boys, given that at elder child is a boy)  $= P\left(\frac{A}{C}\right)$

$$\frac{P(A \cap C)}{P(C)} = \frac{P\{(B, B)\}}{P\{(B, G), (B, B)\}}$$

$$\frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$$



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**Question: 20**

If  $\vec{a} = \hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}$ ,  $\vec{b} = 4\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$  and  $\vec{c} = \hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$ , find a vector of magnitude 6 units which is parallel to the vector  $2\vec{a} - \vec{b} + 3\vec{c}$

**Answer:**

$$2\vec{a} - \vec{b} + 3\vec{c} = (2\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) - (4\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) + (3\hat{i} - 6\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) = (\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k})$$

$$|2\vec{a} - \vec{b} + 3\vec{c}| = 3$$

$$\therefore \text{Required vector} = 2\hat{i} - 4\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}$$

OR

Let  $\vec{a} = -\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$ ,  $\vec{b} = 3\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 7\hat{k}$  and  $\vec{c} = 2\hat{i} - \hat{j} - 4\hat{k}$ . Find a vector  $\vec{d}$  which is perpendicular to both  $\vec{a}$  and  $\vec{b}$  and  $\vec{c} \cdot \vec{d} = 18$

**Answer:**

A vector perpendicular to  $\vec{a}$  and  $\vec{b}$  is  $\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = 32\hat{i} - \hat{j} - 14\hat{k}$

$$\text{Let } \vec{d} = \lambda(32\hat{i} - \hat{j} - 14\hat{k})$$

$$\therefore \vec{c} \cdot \vec{d} = 18 \Rightarrow \lambda(64 + 1 - 56) = 18 \Rightarrow \lambda = 2$$

$$\therefore \vec{d} = 64\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} - 28\hat{k}$$

**Question: 21**

Find the equation of the plane passing through the point  $(-1, 3, 2)$  and perpendicular to each of the planes  $x + 2y + 3z = 5$  and  $3x + 3y + z = 0$ .

**Answer:**

The equation of plane through  $(-1, 3, 2)$  can be expressed as

$$A(x + 1) + B(y - 3) + C(z - 2) = 0 \dots (i)$$

As the required plane is perpendicular to  $x + 2y + 3z = 5$  and  $3x + 3y + z = 0$ , we get

$$A + 2B + 3C = 0$$

$$3A + 3B + C = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{A}{2-9} = \frac{B}{9-1} = \frac{C}{3-6} \Rightarrow \frac{A}{-7} = \frac{B}{8} = \frac{C}{-3}$$

$\therefore$  Direction ratios of normal to the required plane are  $-7, 8, -3$ .

Hence equation of the plane will be

$$-7(x + 1) + 8(y - 3) - 3(z - 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -7x - 7 + 8y - 24 - 3z + 6 = 0$$

$$\text{or } 7x - 8y + 3z + 25 = 0$$

**Question: 22**

Write the following functions in the simplest form  $\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{1+x^2} + x)$



**Answer:**

$$\text{Let } y = \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{1+x^2} + x)$$

$$\text{Put } x = \tan \theta \Rightarrow \theta = \tan^{-1} x$$

$$y = \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{\tan^2 \theta + \tan \theta})$$

$$y = \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{\sec^2 \theta + \tan \theta})$$

$$y = \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{\sec \theta + \tan \theta})$$

$$y = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{\cos \theta} + \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}\right)$$

$$y = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1 + \sin \theta}{\cos \theta}\right)$$

**Section C** (Question numbers 23 to 29 carry 6 marks each)

**Question: 23**

Find the angle between the pair of lines given by  $\vec{r} = 3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 4\hat{k} + k(\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k})$  and  $\vec{r} = 5\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + u(3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 6\hat{k})$

**Answer:**

On comparing by  $\vec{r} = \vec{a} + kb \rightarrow$

$$\text{Here, } b_1 = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k} \quad b_2 =$$

$$= 3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 6\hat{k}$$

The angle  $\theta$  between the two lines is given by

$$\cos \theta = \frac{|\vec{b}_1 \cdot \vec{b}_2|}{|\vec{b}_1| |\vec{b}_2|} = \frac{|(\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) \cdot (3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 6\hat{k})|}{\sqrt{1+4+4} \sqrt{9+4+36}}$$

$$= \frac{|3+4+12|}{3 \times 7}$$

$$= \frac{19}{21}$$

$$\therefore \theta = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{19}{21}\right)$$

**Question: 24**



Show that the lines  $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-2}{3} = \frac{z-3}{4}$  and  $\frac{x-4}{5} = \frac{y-1}{2} = z$  intersect. Find the point of intersection also.

**Answer:**

Two given lines  $\frac{x-x_1}{a_1} = \frac{y-y_1}{b_1} = \frac{z-z_1}{c_1}$  and  $\frac{x-x_2}{a_2} = \frac{y-y_2}{b_2} = \frac{z-z_2}{c_2}$  are coplanar if

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} x_2 - x_1 & y_2 - y_1 & z_2 - z_1 \\ a_1 & b_1 & c_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & c_2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

Here the lines are  $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-2}{3} = \frac{z-3}{4}$

and  $\frac{x-4}{5} = \frac{y-1}{2} = \frac{z-0}{1}$

$$\therefore \Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 4-1 & 1-2 & 0-3 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -1 & -3 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -1 & -3 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

(By  $R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1 - R_2$ )

$\Rightarrow$  Lines (1) and (2) are coplanar.

Now any point on (1) is  $(1+2r, 2+3r, 3+4r)$

This will lie on (2) if

$$\frac{1+2r-4}{5} = \frac{2+3r-1}{2} = \frac{3+4r}{1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2r-3}{5} = \frac{3r+1}{2} = \frac{4r+3}{1}$$

Solving for  $r$ , we get  $r = -1$

### Question: 25

Define the line of shortest distance between two skew lines. Find the shortest distance and the vector equation of the line of shortest distance between the lines given by

$$\vec{r} = \left( 2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k} \right) + \lambda \left( 2\hat{i} - \hat{j} \right) \text{ and } \vec{r} = \left( 4\hat{i} + 3\hat{k} \right) + \mu \left( 3\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k} \right).$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \vec{r} &= \left( 2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k} \right) + \lambda \left( 2\hat{i} - \hat{j} \right), \\ \vec{r} &= \left( 4\hat{i} + 3\hat{k} \right) + \mu \left( 3\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k} \right) \end{aligned} \right\} \dots\dots\dots 1$$

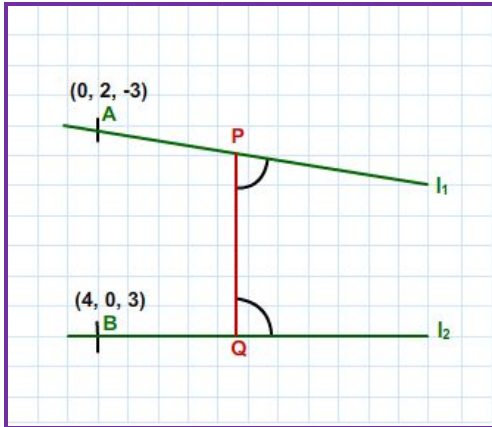


We can write this as

$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} \vec{r} = 2\lambda \hat{i} + (2 - \lambda)\hat{j} - 3\hat{k} \\ \vec{r} = (4 + 3\mu)\hat{i} + \mu\hat{j} + (3 + \mu)\hat{k} \end{array} \right] \dots\dots\dots 2$$

**Answer:**

Let the two lines be represented by  $l_1$  and  $l_2$ . Now  $l_1$  passes through  $(0, 2, -3)$  and is parallel to  $2\hat{i} - \hat{j}$ . Also  $l_2$  passes through  $(4, 0, 3)$  and is parallel to  $3\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}$ .



From (ii), we get two variable points, one on each line, say  $P(2\lambda, 2 - \lambda, -3)$  on  $l_1$  and  $Q(4 + 3\mu, \mu, 3 + \mu)$  on  $l_2$ .

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

If  $\vec{PQ}$  is the shortest distance vector, then it should be  $\perp$  to both  $2\hat{i} - \hat{j}$  and  $3\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}$ .

$$\Rightarrow (4 + 3\mu - 2\lambda) \cdot 2 + (\mu - 2 + \lambda) \cdot (-1) + (6 + 3\mu) \cdot 0 = 0 \text{ and } (4 + 3\mu - 2\lambda) \cdot 3 + (\mu - 2 + \lambda) \cdot 1 + (6 + 3\mu) \cdot 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda - \mu = 2 \text{ and } 5\lambda - 11\mu = 16$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 1, \mu = 1$$

$$\therefore \text{Points P and Q are } P(2, 1, -3) \text{ and } Q(7, 1, 4)$$

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Also the vector equation of the shortest distance PQ is

$$\vec{r} = (\text{Position vector of P}) + t\vec{PQ}$$

$$= (2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) + t(-5\hat{i} + 0\hat{j} + 7\hat{k})$$

**Question: 26**

Observe the inverse of the following matrix using elementary operations.  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$



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**Answer:**

Since  $A = IA$

$$\text{or } \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} A$$

$$\text{Applying } R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2 \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} A$$

Applying  $R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -5 & -8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} A$$

$$\text{Applying } R_1 \rightarrow R_1 - 2R_2 \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} A$$

$$\text{Applying } R_1 \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}R_3 \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{5}{2} & -\frac{3}{4} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

**Question: 27**

Find the equation of the plane passing through the point  $(1, 1, 1)$  and perpendicular to each of the following planes:  $x + 2y + 3z = 7$  and  $2x - 3y + 4z = 0$

**Answer:**

Equation of plane through  $(1, 1, 1)$  is  $lx - 1 + m(y - 1) + n(z - 1) = 0$  (1)

Now we have to find  $l, m, n$  when (1) is perpendicular to both the planes

$$x + 2y + 3z = 7$$

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

$$\therefore l \times 1 + m \times 2 + n \times 3 = 0$$

$$l \times 2 + m \times (-3) + n \times 4 = 0 \Rightarrow l + 2m + 3n = 0$$

$$2l - 3m + 4n = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{l}{8+9} = \frac{m}{6-4} = \frac{n}{-3-4} \Rightarrow \frac{l}{17} = \frac{m}{2} = \frac{n}{-7}$$

$$\therefore \text{Equation of the required plane is } 17(x-1) + 2(y-1) - 7(z-1) = 0 \Rightarrow 17x + 2y - 7z = 12$$

**Question: 28**



Using properties of determinants, prove the following

$$\begin{vmatrix} a & B^2 & y \\ a^2 & B^2 & y^2 \\ B+y & y+a & a+B \end{vmatrix} = (a-B)(B-y)(y-a)(a+B+y).$$

**Answer**

$$\text{Let } \Delta = \begin{vmatrix} a & B & y \\ a^2 & B^2 & y^2 \\ B+y & y+a & a+B \end{vmatrix}$$

Applying  $R_3 \rightarrow R_3 + R_1$

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} a & B & y \\ a^2 & B^2 & y^2 \\ a+B+y & B+y+a & y+a+B \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (a+B+y) \begin{vmatrix} a & B & y \\ a^2 & B^2 & y^2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$C_2 \rightarrow C_2 - C_1, C_3 \rightarrow C_3 - C_1$

$$= (a+B+y) \begin{vmatrix} a & B-y & y-a \\ a^2 & B^2-a^2 & y^2-a^2 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (a+B+y) \begin{vmatrix} a & B-a & y-a \\ a^2 & (B+a)(B-a) & (y-a)(y+a) \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (a+B+y)(B-a)(y-a) \begin{vmatrix} a & 1 & 1 \\ a^2 & B+a & y+a \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (a+B+y)(B-a)(y-a)[1(y+a-B-a)]$$

$$= (a+B+y)(B-y)(y-a)(y-a)$$

$$= (a-B)(B-y)(y-a)(a+B+y)$$

**Question: 29**

Find the equation of the plane passing through the point  $(-1, -1, 2)$  and perpendicular to each of the following planes:  $2x + 3y - 3z = 2$  and  $5x - 4y + z = 6$ .

**Answer:**



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Equation of plane passing through  $(-1, -1, 2)$  is  $a(x + 1) + b(y + 1) + c(z - 2) = 0$

Since plane (1) is perpendicular to the following planes

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

$$5x - 4y + z = 6$$

$$2a + 3b - 3c = 0$$

$$\left[ \therefore a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 + c_1c_2 = 0 \right]$$

$$5a - 4b + c = 0$$

Eliminating  $a, b, c$  from (1), (4) and (5), we get

$$x + 1 \quad y + 1 \quad z - 2$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & -3 \\ 5 & -4 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 5 & -4 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$(x + 1)(3 - 12) - (y + 1)(2 + 15) + (z - 2)(-8 - 15) = 0$$

$$-11(x + 1) - 17(y + 1) - 23(z - 2) = 0$$

$$-11x - 11 - 17y - 17 - 23z + 46 = 0$$

$$-11x - 17y - 23z + 18 = 0$$

$$11x + 17y + 23z - 18 = 0$$

