
CBSE MATH

Made Simple

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Introduction

This book links high school coordinate geometry to linear algebra and matrix analysis through solved problems.

Chapter 1

Intersection of Conics

1.1. Chords

1. Using integration, find the area of the region enclosed by the curve $y = x^2$, the x-axis and the ordinates $x = -2$ and $x = 1$.

OR

2. Using integration, find the area of the region enclosed by line $y = \sqrt{3}x$ semi-circle $y = \sqrt{4 - x^2}$ and x-axis in first quadrant.
3. (a) Using integration, find the area of the smaller region enclosed by the curve $4x^2 + 4y^2 = 9$ and the line $2x + 2y = 3$.

OR

- (b) If the area of the region bounded by the curve $y^2 = 4ax$ and the line $x = 4a$ is $\frac{256}{3}$ sq. units, then using integration, find the value of a , where $a > 0$.
4. Find the area of the region enclosed by the curves $y^2 = x$, $x = \frac{1}{4}$, $y = 0$ and $x = 1$, using integration.

5. If the area of the region bounded by the line $y = mx$ and the curve $x^2 = y$ is $\frac{32}{3}$ sq. units, then find the positive value of m , using integration.
6. (a) Find the area bounded by the ellipse $x^2 + 4y^2 = 16$ and the ordinates $x = 0$ and $x = 2$, using integration.

OR

- (b) Find the area of the region $\{(x, y) : x^2 \leq y \leq x\}$, using integration.
7. If the area between the curves $x = y^2$ and $x = 4$ is divided into two equal parts by the line $x = a$, then find the value of a , using integration.

1.2. Curves

Chapter 2

Tangent And Normal

1. Find the equation of tangent to the curve $y = x^2 + 4x + 1$ at the point $(3, 22)$.

2.1. Construction

Chapter 3

Vectors

3.1. Product vectors

1. \vec{a} and \vec{b} are two unit vectors such that

$$\left| 2\vec{a} + 3\vec{b} \right| = \left| 3\vec{a} - 2\vec{b} \right|. \quad (3.1)$$

Find the angle between \vec{a} and \vec{b} .

2. If \vec{a} and \vec{b} are two vectors such that

$$\vec{a} = \hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k} \quad (3.2)$$

and

$$\vec{b} = 2\hat{i} - \hat{j} - 3\hat{k} \quad (3.3)$$

then find the vector \vec{c} , given that

$$\vec{a} \times \vec{c} = \vec{b} \quad (3.4)$$

and

$$\vec{a} \cdot \vec{c} = 4. \quad (3.5)$$

3.

$$\text{If } \left| \vec{a} \times \vec{b} \right|^2 + \left| \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} \right|^2 = 400 \quad (3.6)$$

and

$$\left| \vec{b} \right| = 5 \quad (3.7)$$

find the value of $\left| \vec{a} \right|$.

4. If

$$\vec{a} = \hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}, \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 1 \quad (3.8)$$

and

$$\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \hat{j} - \hat{k} \quad (3.9)$$

, then find $\left| \vec{b} \right|$

5. If

$$\left| \vec{a} \right| = 3, \left| \vec{b} \right| = 2\sqrt{3} \quad (3.10)$$

and

$$\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 6, \quad (3.11)$$

then find the value of $\left| \vec{a} \times \vec{b} \right|$.

6. $|\vec{a}| = 8$, $|\vec{b}| = 3$ and $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 12\sqrt{3}$, then the value of $\left| \vec{a} \times \vec{b} \right|$ is

(a) 24

(b) 144

(c) 2

(d) 12

7. If

$$\vec{a} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}, \hat{b} = -\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k} \quad (3.12)$$

and

$$\vec{c} = 3\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k} \quad (3.13)$$

, then find $\vec{a} \cdot (\vec{b} \times \vec{c})$.

8. \vec{a} , \vec{b} , \vec{c} and \vec{d} are four non-zeros vectors such that $\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \vec{c} \times \vec{d}$

and

$$\vec{a} \times \vec{c} = 4\vec{b} \times \vec{d} \quad (3.14)$$

, then show that $(\vec{a} - 2\vec{d})$ is parallel to $(2\vec{b} - \vec{c})$ where

$$\vec{a} \neq 2\vec{d}, \vec{c} \neq 2\vec{b} \quad (3.15)$$

9. If

$$\vec{a} = \hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}, \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 1 \quad (3.16)$$

and

$$\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \hat{j} - \hat{k}, \quad (3.17)$$

then find $|\vec{b}|$

10. If \vec{a} and \vec{b} are two vectors such that

$$|\vec{a} + \vec{b}| = |\vec{b}|, \quad (3.18)$$

then prove that $(\vec{a} + 2\vec{b})$ is perpendicular to \vec{a} .

11. If \vec{a} and \vec{b} are unit vectors and θ is the angle between them, then prove that \sin

$$\frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{1}{2} |\vec{a} - \vec{b}| \quad (3.19)$$

12. If \vec{a} and \vec{b} are two unit vectors such that and θ is the angle between them, then prove that

$$\sin \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \left| \vec{a} - \vec{b} \right| \quad (3.20)$$

3.2. Projection vectors

13. If

$$\vec{a} = 2\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + \hat{k} \quad (3.21)$$

and

$$\vec{b} = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k} \quad (3.22)$$

are two vectors for which the vector $(\vec{a} + \vec{b})$ is perpendicular to the vector $(\vec{a} - \vec{b})$ then find all the possible values of y .

14. Write the projection of the vector $(\vec{b} + \vec{c})$ on the vector \vec{a} , where

$$\vec{a} = 2\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}, \vec{b} = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 2\hat{k} \quad (3.23)$$

and

$$\vec{c} = 2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 4\hat{k}. \quad (3.24)$$

15. If

$$\vec{a} = 2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}, \vec{b} = \hat{i} + \hat{j} - 2\hat{k} \quad (3.25)$$

and

$$\vec{c} = \hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - \hat{k} \quad (3.26)$$

and the projection of vector $\vec{c} + \lambda \vec{b}$ on vector \vec{a} is $2\sqrt{6}$, find the value of λ .

16. If $\vec{a} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$, $\hat{b} = -\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$ and

$$\vec{c} = 3\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k} \quad (3.27)$$

, then find $\vec{a} \cdot (\vec{b} \times \vec{c})$.

17. If

$$\vec{a} = 2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k} \quad (3.28)$$

and

$$\vec{b} = 5\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} - 4\hat{k} \quad (3.29)$$

, then find the ratio $\frac{\text{projection of vector } \vec{a} \text{ on vector } \vec{b}}{\text{projection of vector } \vec{b} \text{ on vector } \vec{a}}$

18. Show that the three vectors $2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}$, $\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} - 5\hat{k}$, and $3\hat{i} - 4\hat{j} - 4\hat{k}$

form the vertices of a right-angled triangle. If $\vec{a} = 2\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$, $\vec{b} = -\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$ and

$$\vec{c} = 3\hat{i} + \hat{j} \quad (3.30)$$

are such that the vector $(\vec{a} + \lambda \vec{b})$ is perpendicular to vector \vec{c} , then find the value of λ .

3.3. Position vectors

19. If \vec{a} , \vec{b} and \vec{c} are the position vectors of the points $\mathbf{A}(2, 3, -4)$, $\mathbf{B}(3, -4, -5)$ and $\mathbf{C}(3, 2, -3)$ and respectively, then $|\vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c}|$ is equal to

(a) $\sqrt{113}$

(b) $\sqrt{185}$

(c) $\sqrt{203}$

(d) $\sqrt{209}$

3.4. Section formula

20. A circle has its center at $(4, 4)$. If one end of a diameter is $(4, 0)$, then find the coordinates of the other end.

3.5. Plane vectors

21. Find the values λ , for which the distance of point $(2, 1, \lambda)$ from plane

$$3x + 5y + 4z = 11 \quad (3.31)$$

is $2\sqrt{2}$ units.

22. Find the coordinates of the point where the line through $(3, 4, 1)$ crosses the ZX-plane

3.6. Geometry vectors

23. Using vectors, find the area of the triangle with vertices $\mathbf{A}(-1, 0, -2)$, $\mathbf{B}(0, 2, 1)$ and $\mathbf{C}(-1, 4, 1)$
24. Using integration, find the area of triangle region whose vertices are $(2, 0)$, $(4, 5)$ and $(1, 4)$.

3.7. Distance formula

25. The distance between the points $(0, 0)$ and $(a - b, a + b)$ is

(a) $2\sqrt{ab}$

(b) $\sqrt{2a^2 + ab}$

(c) $2\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$

(d) $\sqrt{2a^2 + 2b^2}$

26. The value of m which makes the point $(0, 0)$, $(2m, -4)$ and $(3, 6)$ collinear, is _____

3.8. Direction vectors

27. If a line makes 60° and 45° angles with the positive directions of X-axis and z-axis respectively, then find the angle that it makes with the positive direction of y-axis. Hence, write the direction cosines of the line.
28. The Cartesian equation of a line AB is :

$$\frac{2x - 1}{12} = \frac{y + 2}{2} = \frac{z - 3}{3} \quad (3.32)$$

29. Find the direction cosines of a line parallel to line AB.
30. Find the direction cosines of a line whose cartesian equation is given as

$$3x + 1 = 6y - 2 = 1 - z. \quad (3.33)$$

31. A vector of magnitude 9 units in the direction of the vector $-2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$ is _____

3.9. Diagonal vectors

32. The two adjacent sides of a parallelogram are represented by $2\hat{i} - 4\hat{j} - 5\hat{k}$ and $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$. Find the unit vectors parallel to its diagonals. Using the diagonal vectors, find the area of the parallelogram also.
33. The two adjacent sides of a parallelogram are represented by vectors $2\hat{i} - 4\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$ and $\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$. Find the unit vector parallel to one of its diagonals. Also, find the area of the parallelogram.
34. If

$$\vec{a} = \vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k} \quad (3.34)$$

and

$$\vec{b} = 2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 5\hat{k} \quad (3.35)$$

represent two adjacent sides of a parallelogram, then find the unit vector parallel to the diagonal of the parallelogram

3.10. Area of triangle

35. Find the area of the quadrilateral ABCD whose vertices are **A**(−4, −3), **B**(3, −1), **C**(0, 5) and **D**(−4, 2)
36. If the points **A**(2, 0), **B**(6, 1), and **C**(p, q) form a triangle of area 12sq. units (positive only) and

$$2p + q = 10, \tag{3.36}$$

then find the values of p and q .

