

Linears and Conics

1 Linear

1. If the two lines

$$L_1 : x = 5, \frac{y}{3 - \alpha} = \frac{z}{-2} \quad (1)$$

$$L_2 : x = 2, \frac{y}{-1} = \frac{z}{z - \alpha} \quad (2)$$

are perpendicular, then the value of α

- (a) $\frac{2}{3}$
 - (b) 3
 - (c) 4
 - (d) $\frac{7}{3}$
2. Find the shortest distance between the following lines and hence write whether the lines are intersecting or not.

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

$$\frac{x + 1}{5} = \frac{y - 2}{1}, z = 2 \quad (4)$$

OR

Find the equation of the plane through the line of intersection of the planes $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 3\hat{j}) + 6 = 0$ and $\vec{r} \cdot (3\hat{i} - \hat{j} - 4\hat{k}) = 0$, which is at a unit distance from the origin.

3. If segment of the line intercepted between the co-ordinate-axes is bisected at the point $M(2, 3)$, then the equation of this line is

$$2x + 3y = 13 \quad (5)$$

$$x + y = 5 \quad (6)$$

$$2x + y = 7 \quad (7)$$

$$3x + 2y = 12 \quad (8)$$

4. The equation of a line through $(2, -4)$ and parallel to x-axis is _____.
5. Find the equation of the median through vertex A of the triangle ABC , having vertices $A(2, 5)$, $B(-4, 9)$ and $C(-2, -1)$.

6. Solve the system of linear equations, using matrix method :

$$7x + 2y = 11 \quad (9)$$

$$4x - y = 2 \quad (10)$$

2 Conic

1. The point at which the normal to the curve $y = x + \frac{1}{x}$, $x > 0$ is perpendicular to the line $3x - 4y - 7 = 0$ is :

a) $(2, \frac{5}{2})$

b) $(\pm 2, \frac{5}{2})$

c) $(-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{2})$

d) $(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{2})$

2. The points on the curve $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$ at which the tangents are parallel to y-axis are:

(a) a) $(0, \pm 4)$

b) $(\pm 4, 0)$

(b) c) $(\pm 3, 0)$

d) $(0, \pm 3)$

3. For which value of m is the line $y = mx + 1$ a tangent to the curve $y^2 = 4x$?

a) $\frac{1}{2}$

b) 1

c) 2

d) 3