

## Assignment-I

### MATH1201 CSE(SEC-A)

#### **TOPIC: Module-IV (Three Dimensional Geometry)**

1. Show that the straight lines whose d. cs. are given by the equations  $al + bm + cn = 0$ ,  $ul^2 + vm^2 + wn^2 = 0$  are perpendicular or parallel according as  $(v + w)a^2 + (w + ub^2 + (u + v)c^2 = 0$  or  $\frac{a^2}{u} + \frac{b^2}{v} + \frac{c^2}{w} = 0$ .
2. Prove that the angle between two diagonals of cube is  $\cos^{-1} \frac{1}{3}$ .
3. If a line makes angles,  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$  with the four diagonals of cube, prove that  $\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \gamma + \cos^2 \delta = \frac{4}{3}$ .
4. Find the point in which the perpendicular from the origin on the straight line joining the points  $A(-9,4,5)$  and  $B(11,0,-1)$  meets it.
5. Show that the angle between the straight lines whose d. cs. are given by  $l + m + n = 0$ ,  $fmn + gnl + hlm = 0$  is  $\frac{\pi}{3}$ , if  $\frac{1}{f} + \frac{1}{g} + \frac{1}{h} = 0$ .
6. A variable plane which is at a constant distance  $3p$  from the origin O cuts the axes in  $A, B, C$ . Show that the locus of the point of intersection of the planes through  $A, B, C$  drawn parallel to the co-ordinate planes is  $9(x^{-2} + y^{-2} + z^{-2}) = p^{-2}$ .
7. A variable plane has intercepts on the co-ordinate axes, the sum of whose squares is a constant  $k^2$ . Show that the locus of the foot of the perpendicular from the origin to the plane is  $(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^2 \left( \frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{y^2} + \frac{1}{z^2} \right) = k^2$ .
8. Show the line of intersection of the planes  $x + 2y - z - 3 = 0$  and  $3x - y + 2z - 1 = 0$  is coplanar with the line of intersection of the planes  $2x - 2y + 3z - 2 = 0$  and  $x - y + z + 1 = 0$ . Obtain the equation of the plane containing the lines.
9. Find the equation of the plane bisecting the angle between the planes  $x - 2y + 3z - 5 = 0$  and  $2x - y - z + 3 = 0$  which contains the origin.

10. A variable plane passes through a fixed point  $(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$  and meets the axes of reference in A, B and C. Show that the locus of the point of intersection of the planes through A, B and C parallel to the co-ordinate planes is  $\frac{\alpha}{x} + \frac{\beta}{y} + \frac{\gamma}{z} = 1$ .

11. Find the equation of the image of the point  $(1, -2, 3)$  in the plane  $2x - 3y + 2z + 3 = 0$ .

12. If the plane  $3x + 4y + 5z = 0$  be horizontal, then find the equations of the lines of greatest and least slopes on the plane  $x + 2y + 3z = 4$  through the point  $(2, -2, 2)$ .

13. Show that the equation of the plane through the line  $\frac{x}{l} = \frac{y}{m} = \frac{z}{n}$  are perpendicular to the plane containing the lines  $\frac{x}{m} = \frac{y}{n} = \frac{z}{l}$  and  $\frac{x}{n} = \frac{y}{l} = \frac{z}{m}$  is  $(m - n)x + (n - l)y + (l - m)z = 0$ .

14. Show that the equation of the plane containing the straight line  $\frac{y}{b} - \frac{z}{c} = 1, x = 0$  and parallel to the straight line  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{z}{c} = 1, y = 0$  is  $\frac{x}{a} - \frac{y}{b} + \frac{z}{c} + 1 = 0$  and if  $2d$  is the s.d., prove that  $\frac{1}{d^2} = \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} + \frac{1}{c^2}$ .

15. Find the equation of the plane through the point  $(2, -1, 3)$  and perpendicular to the line

$$x - 2y + 3z - 4 = 0 = 2x - 3y + 4z - 5.$$

16. Find the angle between the two straight lines whose direction cosines are given by  $2l + 2m - n = 0, mn + nl + lm = 0$ .

17. Show that the equations of the planes through the intersection of the planes  $x + 3y + 6 = 0$  and  $3x - y - 4z = 0$  whose perpendicular distance from the origin is unity, are  $2x + y - 2z + 3 = 0$  and  $x - 2y - 2z - 3 = 0$ .

18. Show that the equation of the plane parallel to the plane  $2x + 4y + 5z = 6$  and the sum of whose intercepts on the co-ordinate axes is 19, is  $2x + 4y + 5z = 20$ .

19. Show that the equation of the plane through the point  $(2, 3, 3)$  and parallel to the straight lines  $x - 1 = 2y - 5 = 2z$  and  $3x = 4y - 11 = 3z - 4$  is  $x - 4y + 2z + 4 = 0$ .

20. Find the equation of the image of the line  $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-3}{5} = \frac{z-4}{2}$  in the plane  $2x - y + z + 3 = 0$ .
21. Prove that the acute angle between the lines whose *d. cs.* are given by the relations  $l + m + n = 0$  and  $l^2 + m^2 - n^2 = 0$  is  $\frac{\pi}{3}$ .
22. Prove that the two lines whose direction cosines are given by the relations  $2l + 2m - n = 0$  and  $2l + 2m - n = 0$  and  $lm + mn + nl = 0$  and perpendicular to each other.
23. Find the equation of the projection of the line  $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-2}{3} = \frac{z-4}{4}$  on the plane  $x + 3y + z + 5 = 0$ .
24. A point  $P$  moves on the plane  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} + \frac{z}{c} = 1$ , which is fixed and the plane through  $P$  perpendicular to  $OP$  meets the axes in  $A, B, C$ . If the planes through  $A, B, C$  parallel to the co-ordinate planes meet in a point  $Q$  then show that the locus of  $Q$  is  $\frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{y^2} + \frac{1}{z^2} = \frac{1}{ax} + \frac{1}{by} + \frac{1}{cz}$ .
25. Show that the equations of the planes through the intersection of the planes  $x + 3y + 6 = 0$  and  $3x - y - 4z = 0$  whose perpendicular distance from the origin is unity, are  $2x + y - 2z + 3 = 0$  and  $x - 2y - 2z - 3 = 0$ .
26. Show that the angle between the straight line  $\frac{x-4}{7} = \frac{y-1}{4} = \frac{z+3}{4}$  and the plane  $x - 2y - 2z = 8$  is  $\sin^{-1} \frac{1}{3}$ .
27. Find the shortest distance and its equation between the lines:
- $$\frac{x-3}{2} = \frac{y+15}{-7} = \frac{z-9}{5}, \quad \frac{x+1}{2} = \frac{y-1}{1} = \frac{z-9}{-3}$$
28. Find the shortest distance between the two skew lines  $x + 2y + 2z - 13 = 0 = x + 4y - 2z - 5$  and  $2x - 2y + z - 1 = 0 = 2x - 4y - z - 9$ .
29. Find the equation of the line through the point  $(1, 2, 4)$  and perpendicular to the line  $3x + 2y - z - 4 = 0 = x - 2y - 2z - 5$ .
30. Show that the direction cosines  $l, m, n$  of two straight lines connected by the relations  $l + m + n = 0$ ,  $mn - 2nl - 2lm = 0$  are given by  $(l:m:n) = (1:1:-2)$  and  $(l:m:n) = (1:-2:1)$ .