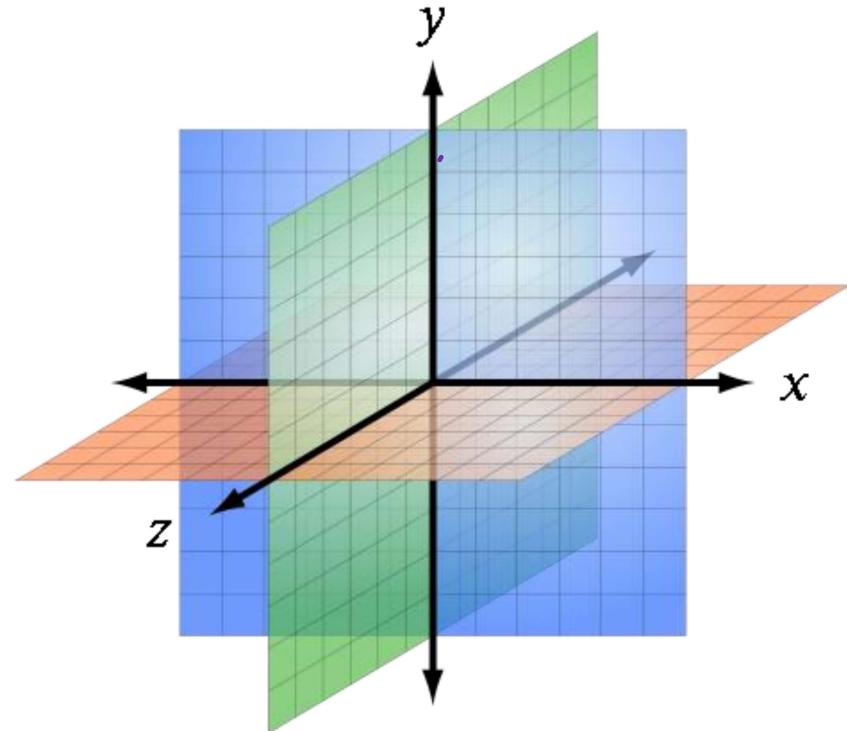


# Cartesian Coordinate System

# Cartesian Coordinate System in 3D

- 3 Coordinate Axes ✓
- 3 Coordinate Planes  $(xy, yz, zx)$
- 8 Octants



## Distance formulae

**Distance between the points  $(x_1, y_1, z_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2, z_2)$   
is equal to  $\sqrt{(x_1 - x_2)^2 + (y_1 - y_2)^2 + (z_1 - z_2)^2}$**

## Section formulae

**1**

Coordinates a point P which divides line joining  
A ( $x_1, y_1, z_1$ ) and ( $x_2, y_2, z_2$ ) in the ratio  $m : n$  internally is

given by  $\left( \frac{mx_2+nx_1}{m+n}, \frac{my_2+ny_1}{m+n}, \frac{mz_2+nz_1}{m+n} \right)$



**2**

Coordinates a point P which divides line joining  
A ( $x_1, y_1, z_1$ ) and ( $x_2, y_2, z_2$ ) in the ratio  $m : n$  externally is

given by  $\left( \frac{mx_2-nx_1}{m-n}, \frac{my_2-ny_1}{m-n}, \frac{mz_2-nz_1}{m-n} \right)$



**3**

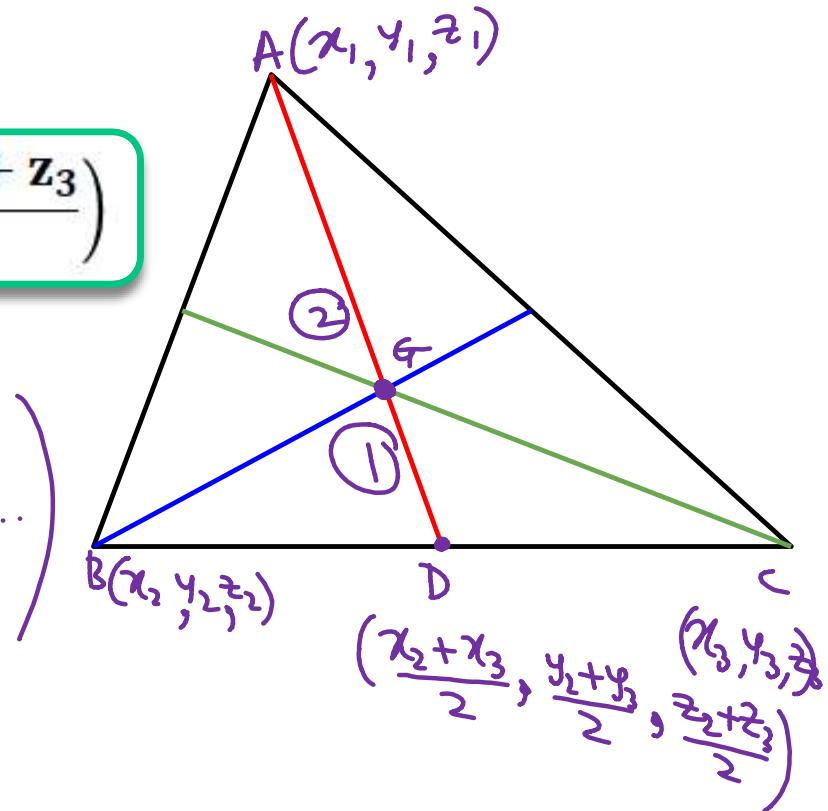
Coordinates of midpoint of line joining A ( $x_1, y_1, z_1$ ) and B

( $x_2, y_2, z_2$ ) is  $\left( \frac{x_1+x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1+y_2}{2}, \frac{z_1+z_2}{2} \right)$

## Coordinates of Centroid

$$\text{G} \equiv \left( \frac{x_1 + x_2 + x_3}{3}, \frac{y_1 + y_2 + y_3}{3}, \frac{z_1 + z_2 + z_3}{3} \right)$$

$$G = \left( \frac{2\left(\frac{x_2+x_3}{2}\right) + 1(x_1)}{2+1}, \dots, \dots \right)$$



## Distance of a point from Coordinate Planes

Distance of Point P from xy plane =  $|z|$

Distance of Point P from yz plane =  $|x|$

Distance of Point P from xz plane =  $|y|$

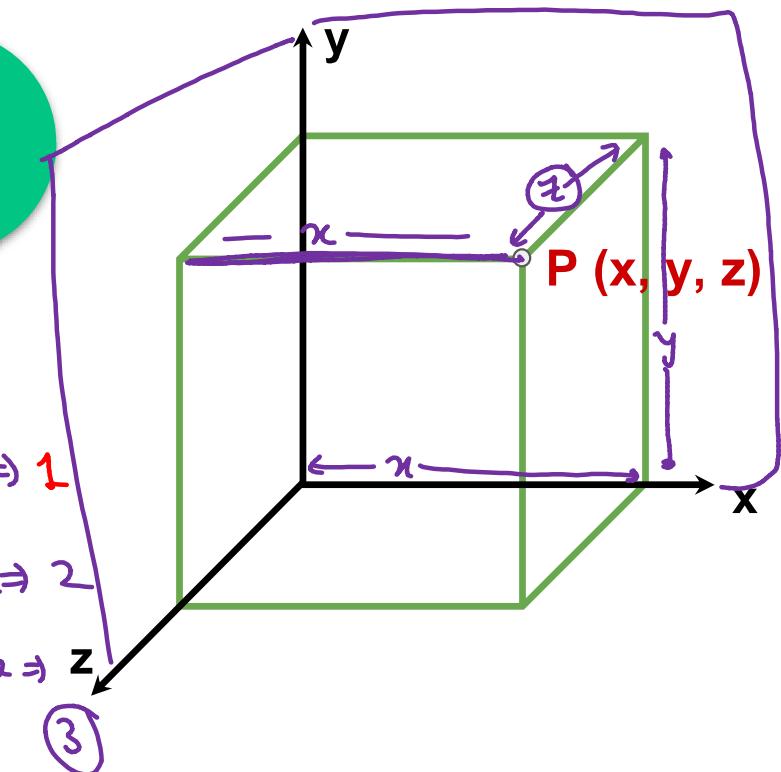
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P(2, -3, -1) dis  $\pi$  y plane  $\Rightarrow 1$

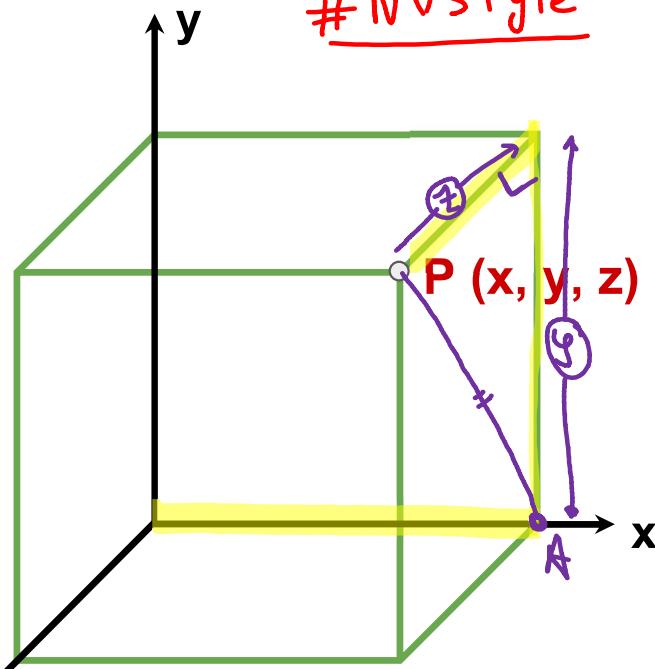
" y z plane  $\Rightarrow 2$

"  $\pi$  z plane  $\Rightarrow z$

(3)



## Distance of a point from Coordinate axes



✓

$$PA = \sqrt{y^2 + z^2}$$
$$PB = \sqrt{z^2 + x^2}$$
$$PC = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$P(1, -2, 3)$$

dis of  $P$  from  $x$  axis  $\Rightarrow \sqrt{y^2+z^2} = \sqrt{2^2+3^2}$

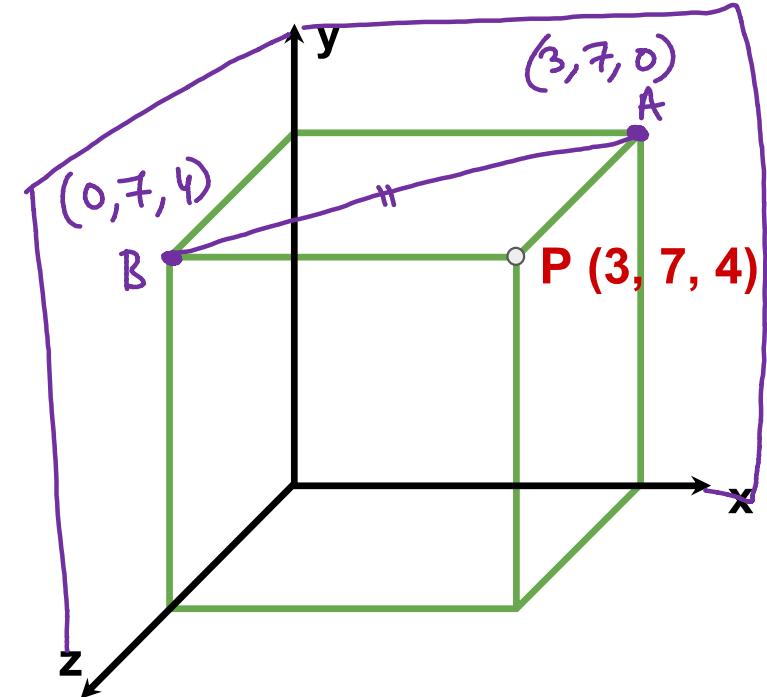
i. " " " " y axis  $\Rightarrow \sqrt{x^2+z^2} = \sqrt{10}$

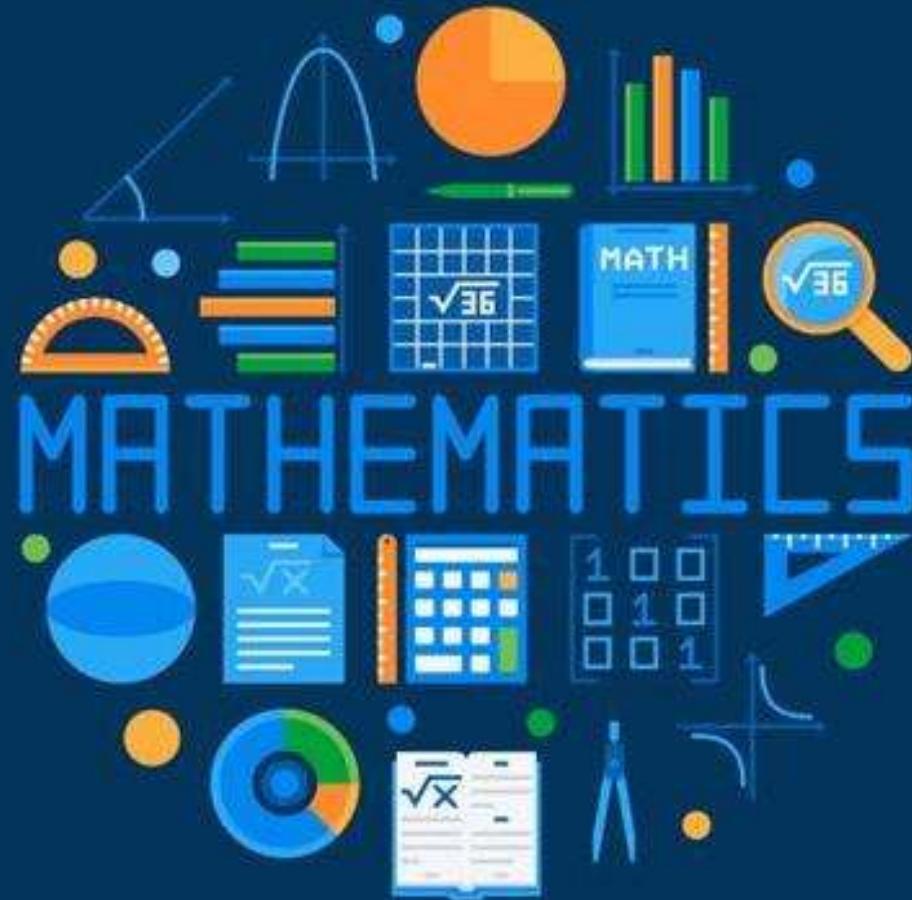
If A and B are foot of perpendicular from (3, 7, 4) on the XY plane and YZ plane respectively, then find the length of AB.

$$A (3, 7, 0)$$

$$B (0, 7, 4)$$

$$AB = \sqrt{(3-0)^2 + 0^2 + 4^2} = 5$$





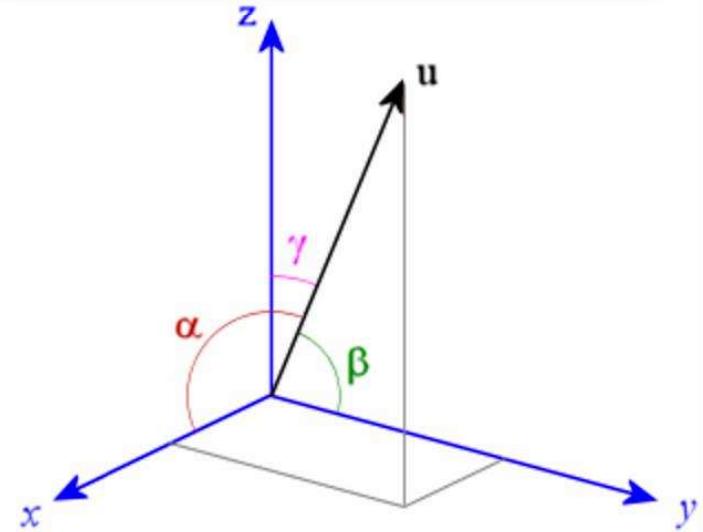
# Direction Ratios and Direction Cosines

## Direction Cosines (DCs)

If  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  are the angles which vector makes with positive direction of the x, y, z axes respectively then their cosines  $\cos\alpha, \cos\beta, \cos\gamma$  are called the direction cosines of the vector and are generally denoted by l, m, n respectively.

Thus  $\overset{\swarrow}{l} = \cos \alpha, \overset{\swarrow}{m} = \cos \beta, \overset{\swarrow}{n} = \cos \gamma$

$$\begin{gathered}\alpha, \beta, \gamma \\ \frac{\cos \alpha}{l}, \frac{\cos \beta}{m}, \frac{\cos \gamma}{n}\end{gathered}$$



## Important Results

1  $\underline{\cos^2\alpha} + \underline{\cos^2\beta} + \underline{\cos^2\gamma} = 1$

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$$\boxed{l^2 + m^2 + n^2 = 1}$$

2  $\sin^2\alpha + \sin^2\beta + \sin^2\gamma = 2$

$$\underline{\underline{l\hat{i} + m\hat{j} + n\hat{k}}} \Rightarrow \underline{\underline{\text{unit vector}}}$$

$$1 - \sin^2\alpha + 1 - \sin^2\beta + 1 - \sin^2\gamma = 1$$

$$\sin^2\alpha + \sin^2\beta + \sin^2\gamma = 2$$

## Direction Ratios (DRs)

Direction ratios are multiples of direction cosines

$$\underline{DC} = \left( \frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{3} \right) \quad l^2 + m^2 + n^2 = 1$$

$$DR = \lambda \left( \frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{3} \right) \quad \text{Direction Vector.}$$

$$= (2, 2, 1) \quad \Rightarrow \boxed{2\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}}$$

$$= (-2, -2, -1) \quad \checkmark$$

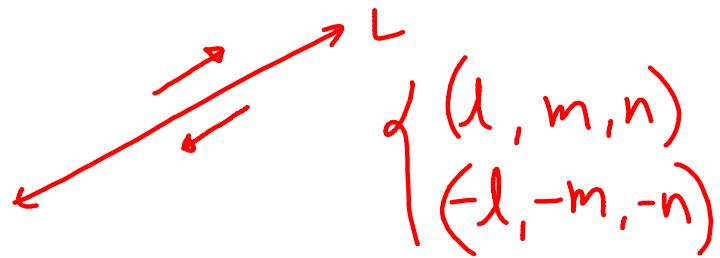
$$= (4, 4, 2) \quad \checkmark$$

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## Important Results

1

Direction ratios of a line is not unique but infinite in number but direction cosines will be for a line will be only two.  
( $l, m, n$  or  $-l, -m, -n$ )



## Important Results

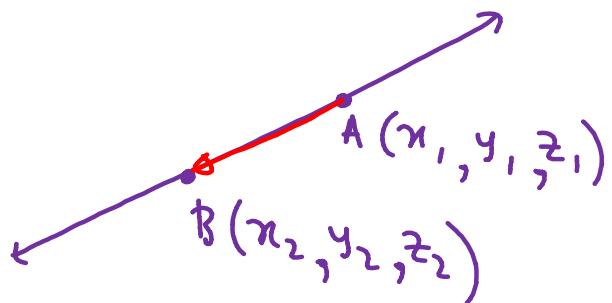
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A vector along the line with direction ratios a, b, c can be  
 $ai + bj + ck$

## Important Results

3

Direction ratios of a line joining two points A and B are proportional to  $x_2 - x_1, y_2 - y_1, z_2 - z_1$



$\vec{AB}$  OR  $\vec{BA}$

$$\vec{AB} = (x_2 - x_1)\hat{i} + (y_2 - y_1)\hat{j} + (z_2 - z_1)\hat{k}$$

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$$DR := (x_2 - x_1, y_2 - y_1, z_2 - z_1)$$

A line AB in three-dimensional space makes  $45^\circ$  and  $120^\circ$  with the positive x-axis and the positive y-axis respectively. If AB makes an acute angle  $\theta$  with the positive z-axis, then  $\theta$  equals

A.  $45^\circ$

B.  $60^\circ$

C.  $75^\circ$

D.  $30^\circ$

$$\alpha = 45^\circ \quad \beta = 120^\circ \quad \gamma = ?$$

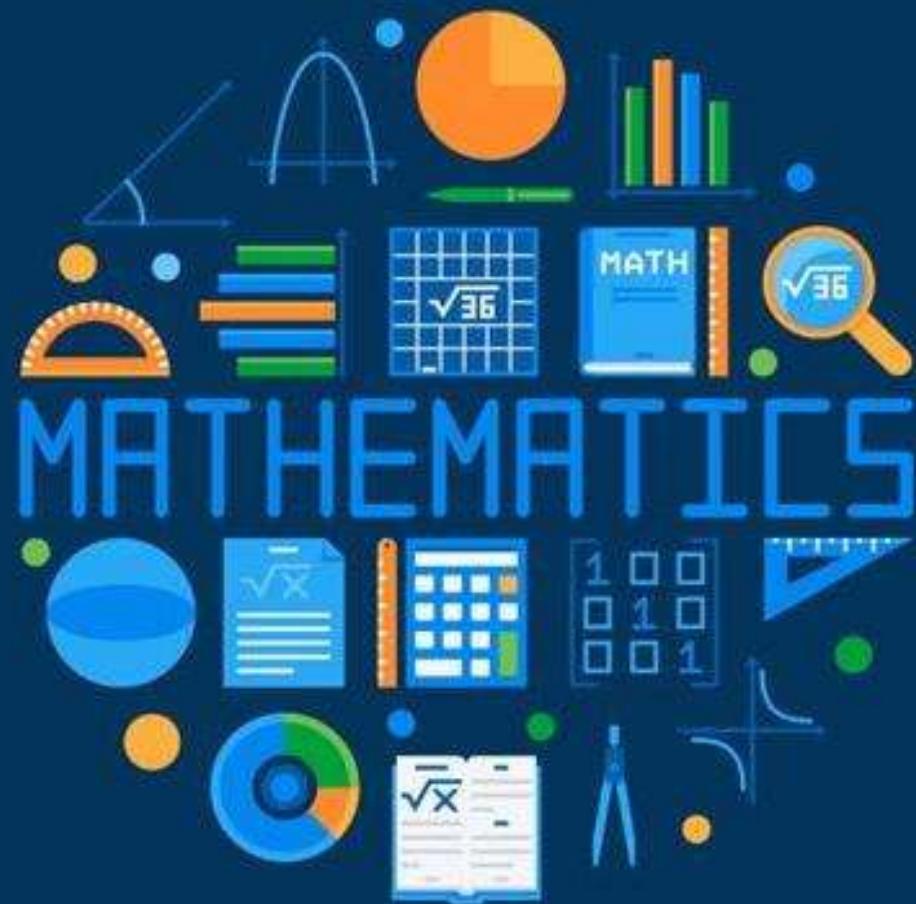
$$\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \gamma = 1$$

$$\cos^2 45 + \cos^2 120 + \cos^2 \gamma = 1$$

$$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \cos^2 \gamma = 1$$

$$\boxed{\cos \gamma = \frac{1}{2}}$$

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# Equation of Straight Line

## Equation of Line: Vector Form

1

Passing through a point and parallel to given direction

point :- ✓

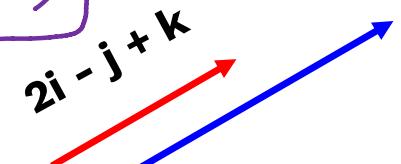
dir<sup>n</sup> :- ✓

$$\vec{r} = \vec{a} + \lambda \vec{b}$$

Point

dir<sup>n</sup>

$$\vec{r} = (\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) + \lambda(2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k})$$



## Equation of Line: Cartesian Form

1

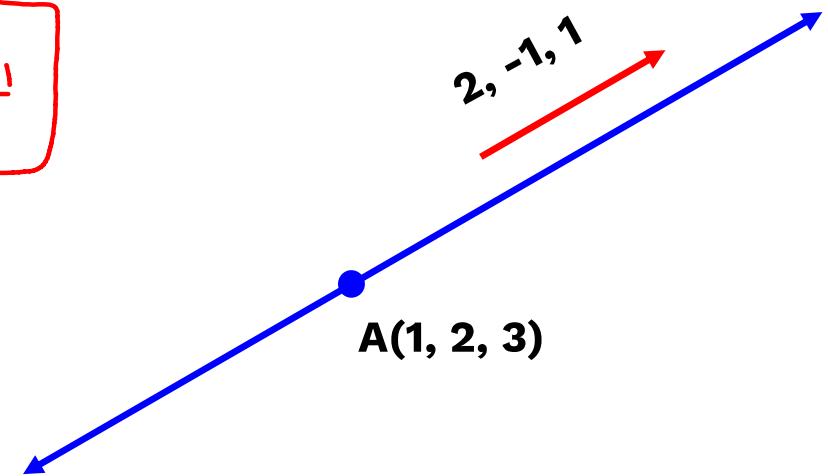
Passing through a point and given DRs or DCs

$(x_1, y_1, z_1) \rightarrow$  point on S.L.

$$\frac{x - x_1}{a} = \frac{y - y_1}{b} = \frac{z - z_1}{c}$$

$(a, b, c)$  = D.R.

$$\frac{x - 1}{2} = \frac{y - 2}{-1} = \frac{z - 3}{1}$$

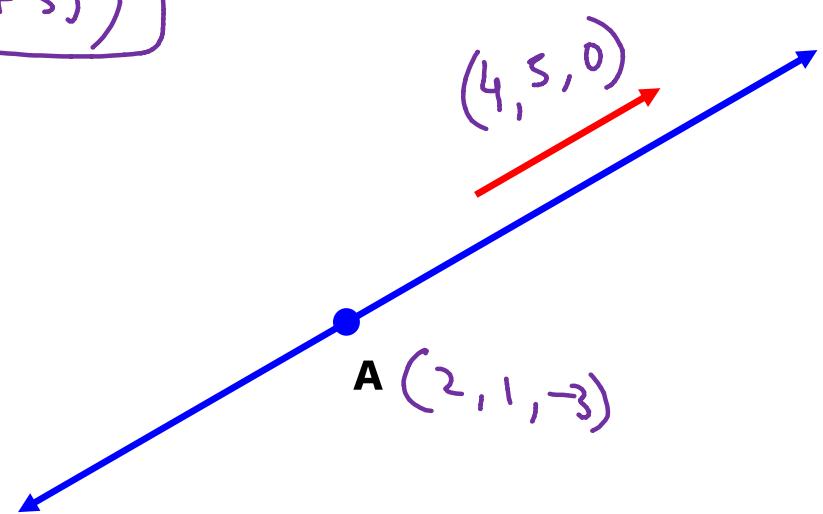


Find the equation of the line through the point  $\underline{2\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k}}$  and parallel to the vector  $4\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j}$  in

- I. Vector Form
- II. Cartesian Form

I 
$$\vec{r} = (2\hat{\mathbf{i}} + \hat{\mathbf{j}} - 3\hat{\mathbf{k}}) + \lambda(4\hat{\mathbf{i}} + 5\hat{\mathbf{j}})$$

II 
$$\frac{x-2}{4} = \frac{y-1}{5} = \frac{z+3}{6}$$

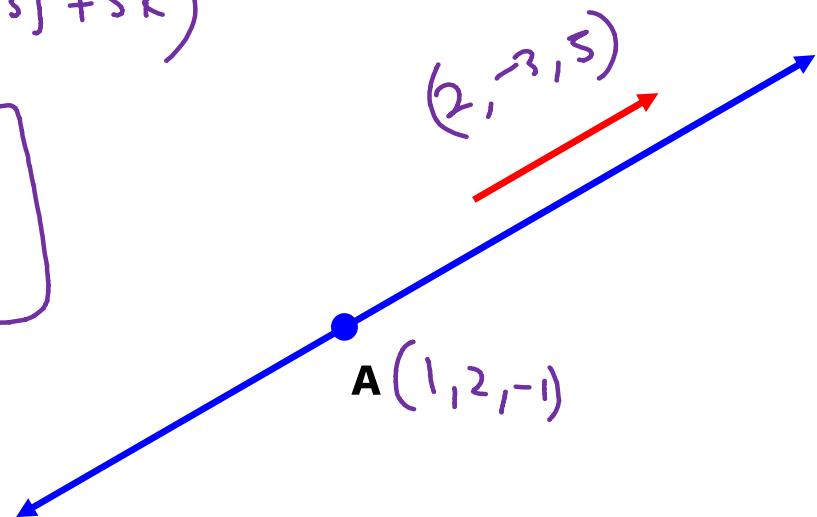


Find the equation of the line through the point  $(1, 2, -1)$  and having DRs  $2, -3$  and  $5$

- I. Vector Form
- II. Cartesian Form

①  $\vec{r} = (\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - \hat{k}) + \lambda(2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 5\hat{k})$

② 
$$\boxed{\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-2}{-3} = \frac{z+1}{5} = \lambda}$$



## Equation of Line: Vector Form

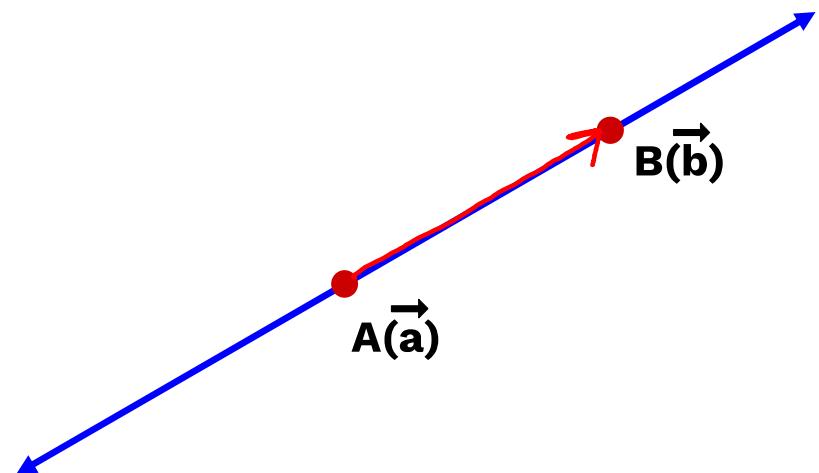
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Passing through a two points

point :-  $\vec{a}$  /  $\vec{b}$

dir<sup>n</sup> :-  $\vec{AB} = \vec{b} - \vec{a}$

$$\boxed{\vec{r} = \vec{a} + \lambda(\vec{b} - \vec{a})}$$



Find the equation of straight line passing through points A (6, -7, -1) and B (2, -3, 1) in

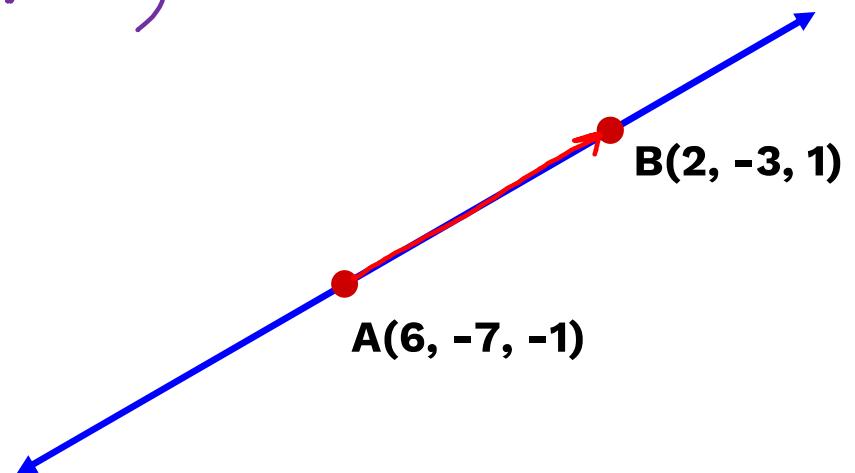
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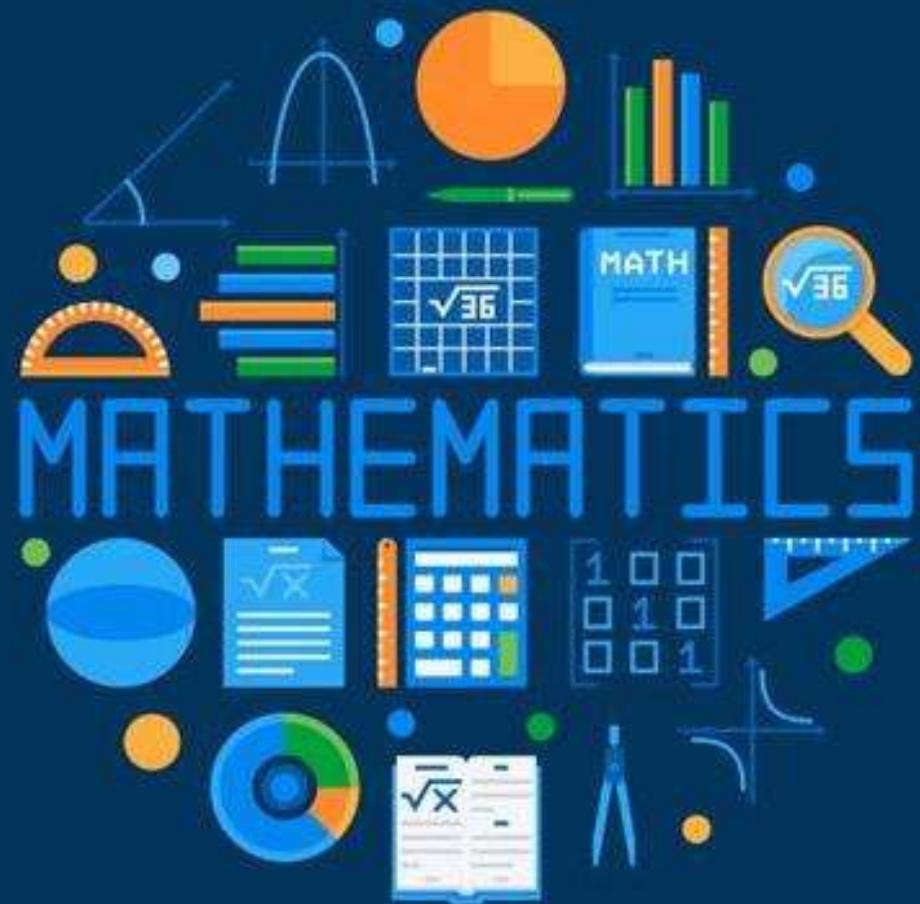
$$\text{point} = (2, -3, 1)$$

$$\text{dir } \underline{n} = \overrightarrow{AB} = (-4, 4, 2)$$

$$\textcircled{I} \quad \vec{r} = 2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + \hat{k} + \lambda(-4\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + 2\hat{k})$$

$$\textcircled{II} \quad \frac{x-2}{-4} = \frac{y+3}{4} = \frac{z-1}{2}$$





# Angle Between Two Straight Lines

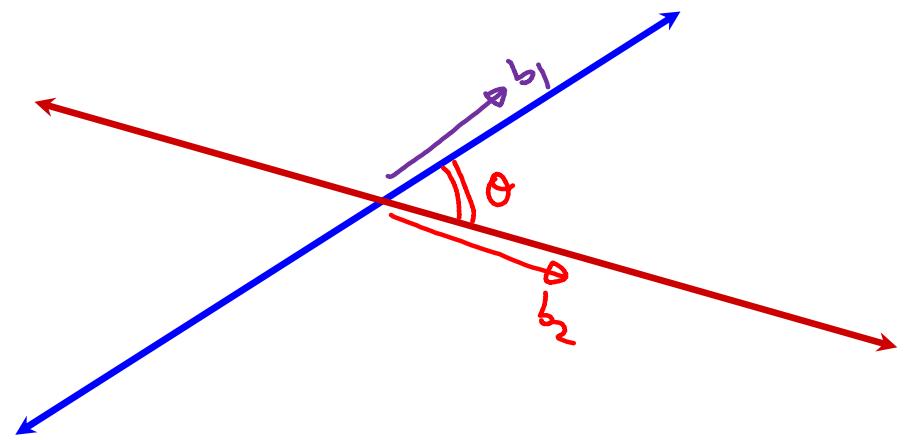
## Angle Between Two Lines

Angle between two lines = Angle between their Direction Vectors

$$L_1 : \vec{r} = \vec{a}_1 + \lambda \vec{b}_1$$

$$L_2 : \vec{r} = \vec{a}_2 + \mu \vec{b}_2$$

$$\boxed{\cos \theta = \frac{\vec{b}_1 \cdot \vec{b}_2}{|\vec{b}_1| |\vec{b}_2|}}$$



Find the angle between the pair of lines given by

$$\vec{r} = \underline{3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 4\hat{k}} + \lambda(\underline{\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}}) \quad l_1$$

$$\vec{r} = \underline{5\hat{i} - 2\hat{j}} + \mu(\underline{3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 6\hat{k}}) \quad l_2$$

$$\Rightarrow (1, 2, 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (2, 4, 4)$$

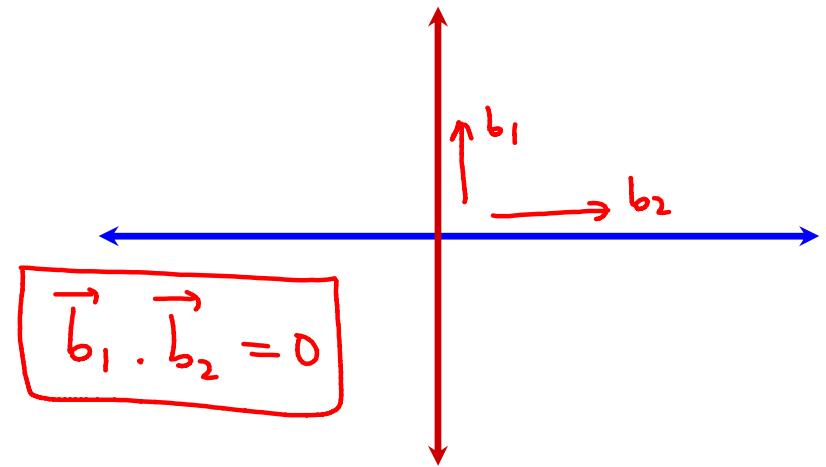
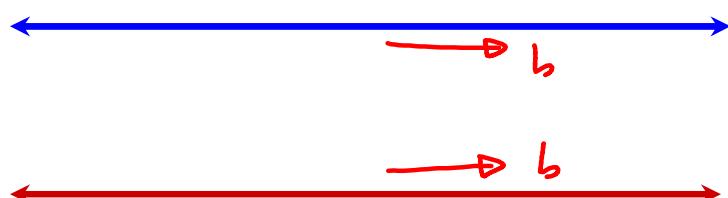
$$\cos \theta = \frac{(1, 2, 2) \cdot (3, 2, 6)}{\sqrt{1+4+4} \sqrt{9+4+36}}$$

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

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

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

## Angle Between Two Lines



Find the value of  $\lambda$  so that the following lines are perpendicular

$$\frac{x - 5}{5\lambda + 2} = \frac{2 - y}{5} = \frac{1 - z}{-1}$$

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

$$\frac{x - 5}{5\lambda + 2} = \frac{y - 2}{-5} = \frac{z - 1}{1}$$

$$\frac{x}{1} = \frac{y + \frac{1}{2}}{2\lambda} = \frac{z - 1}{3}$$

$$1(5\lambda + 2) - 5(2\lambda) + 3 = 0$$

$$5\lambda + 2 - 10\lambda + 3 = 0$$

$$\boxed{\lambda = 1}$$

Consider the lines  $L_1: \frac{x+1}{3} = \frac{y+2}{1} = \frac{z+1}{2}$      $L_2: \frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y+2}{2} = \frac{z-3}{3}$

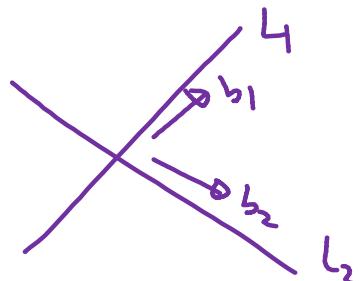
The unit vector perpendicular to both  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  is

A.  $\frac{-\hat{i} + 7\hat{j} + 7\hat{k}}{\sqrt{99}}$

B.  $\frac{-\hat{i} - 7\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}}{5\sqrt{3}}$

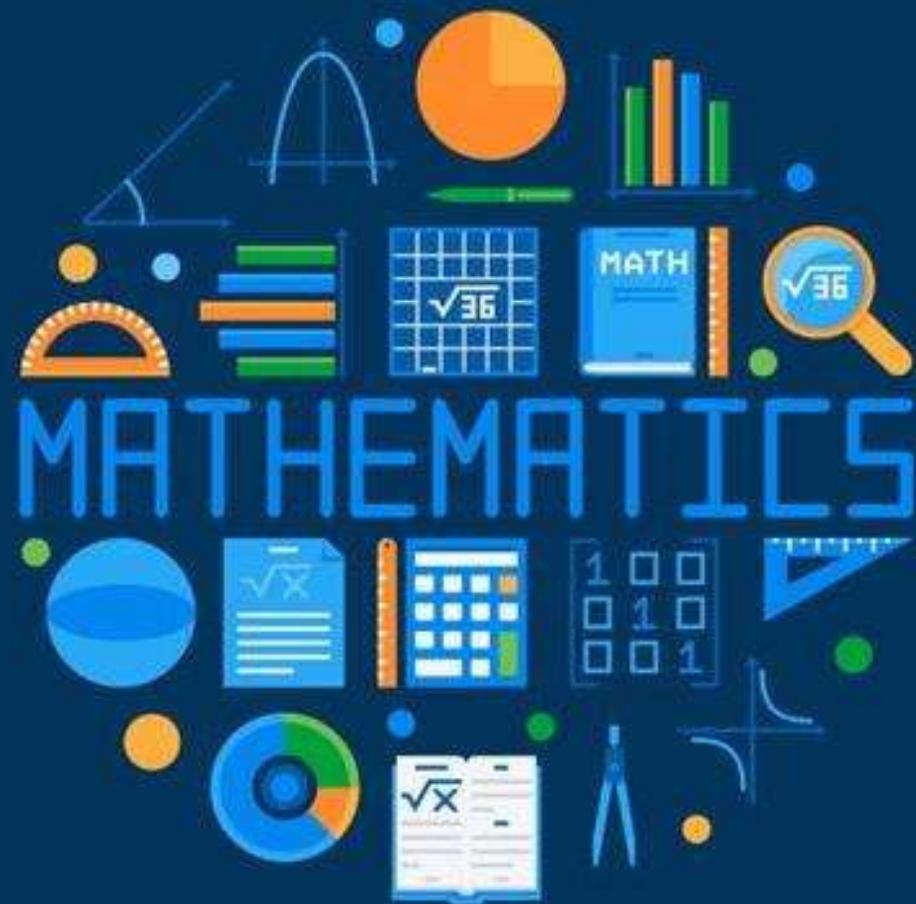
C.  $\frac{-\hat{i} + 7\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}}{5\sqrt{3}}$

D.  $\frac{7\hat{i} - 7\hat{j} - \hat{k}}{\sqrt{99}}$



$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \vec{b}_1 \times \vec{b}_2 \\
 &= \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{\hat{i}(-1) - \hat{j}(7) + \hat{k}(5)}{\sqrt{1^2 + 7^2 + 5^2}}
 \end{aligned}$$

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# ✓ Parametric Coordinates

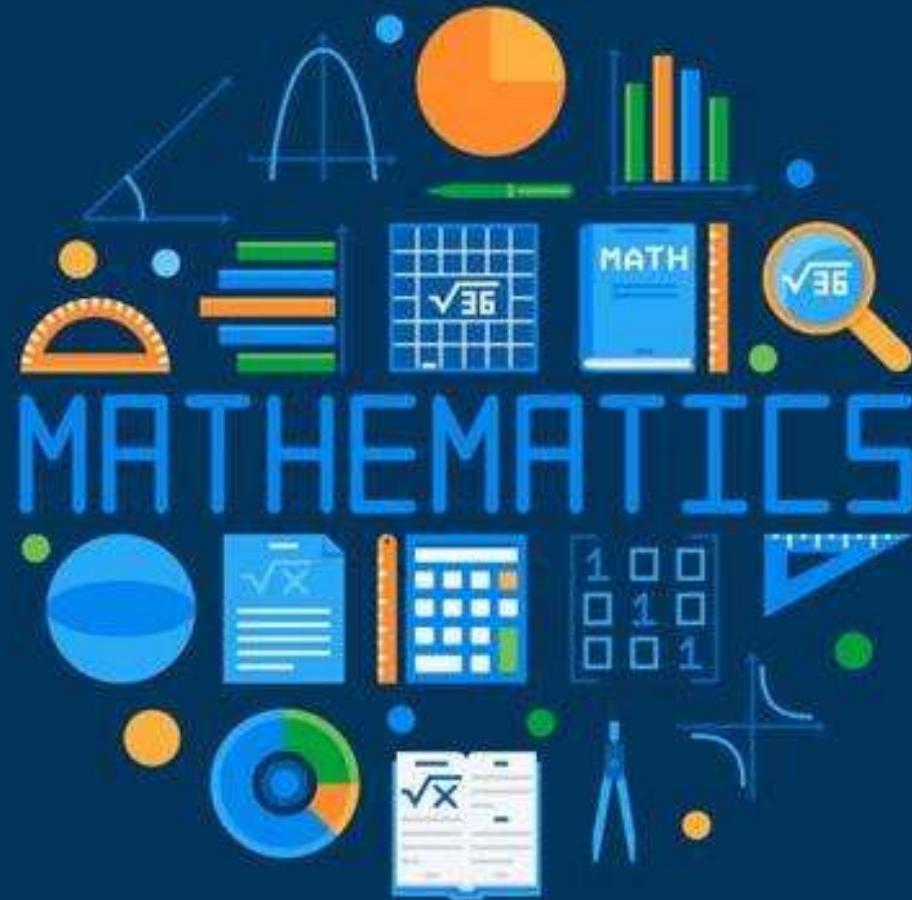
# Line

Find parametric coordinates of straight lines

(CF) I.  $\frac{x+3}{3} = \frac{y-1}{5} = \frac{z+3}{4} = \lambda$   $P \in (3\lambda - 3, 5\lambda + 1, 4\lambda - 3)$

(VF) II.  $\vec{r} = \hat{i} + \hat{j} + \lambda (2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k})$

$P \in (1+2\lambda, 1-\lambda, \lambda)$



# Point of Intersection of Two Lines

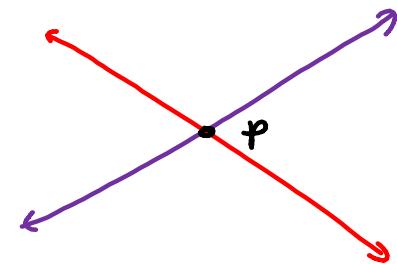
## Point of Intersection of two Lines

Find the point of intersection of  $L_1$  and  $L_2$

$$L_1 : \frac{x-2}{6} = \frac{y-1}{-8} = \frac{z+2}{10} = \lambda = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$L_2 : \boxed{\frac{y+1}{6} = \frac{y+10}{7} = \frac{z-5}{-2} = \mu = 1}$$

P.O.I.  
 $(5, -3, 3)$



$$6\lambda + 2 = 6\mu - 1$$

$$-8\lambda + 1 = 7\mu - 10$$

$$\underbrace{10\lambda - 2}_{LHS} = \underbrace{-2\mu + 5}_{RHS}$$

$$LHS = 3$$

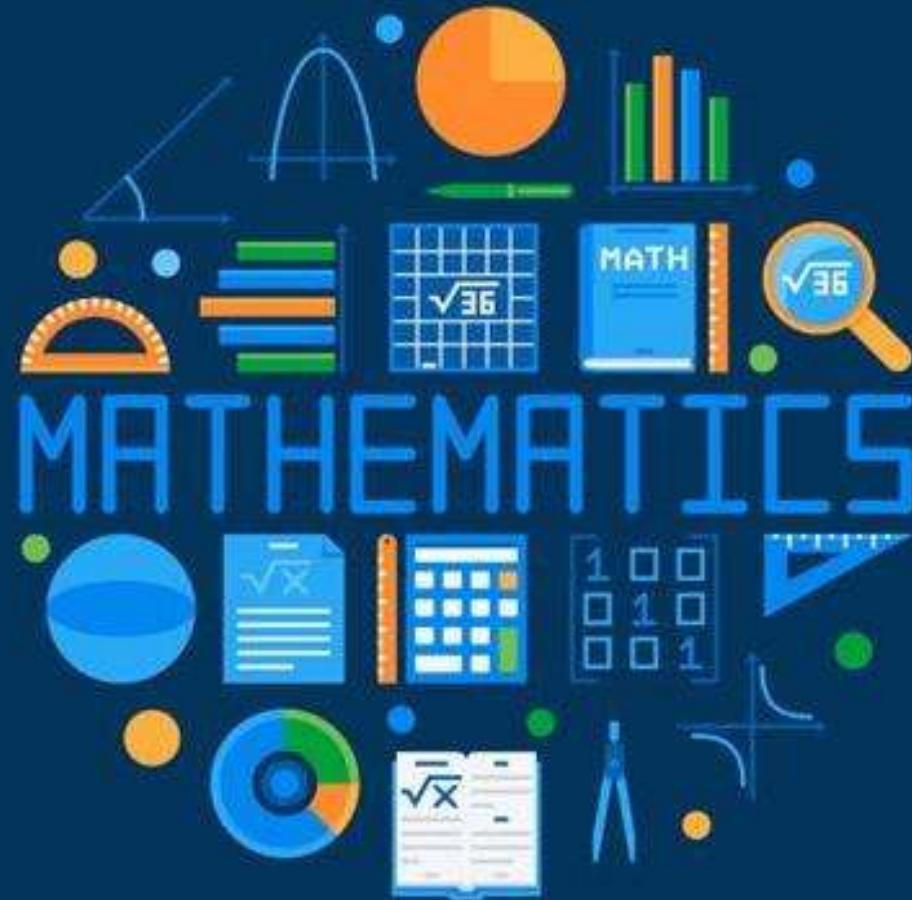
$$\underline{RHS = 3}$$

$$LHS = RHS$$

$L_1$  and  $L_2$

intersecting

$$\lambda = \frac{1}{2} \quad \mu = 1$$



# Foot of Perpendicular/ Image from Point to Line

Find the foot of perpendicular from the point  $(0, 2, 3)$  on the line

$$\frac{x+3}{5} = \frac{y-1}{2} = \frac{z+4}{3}. \text{ Find the length of perpendicular.}$$

Method :-  $\underline{\overrightarrow{PQ}} \cdot (5, 2, 3) = 0$

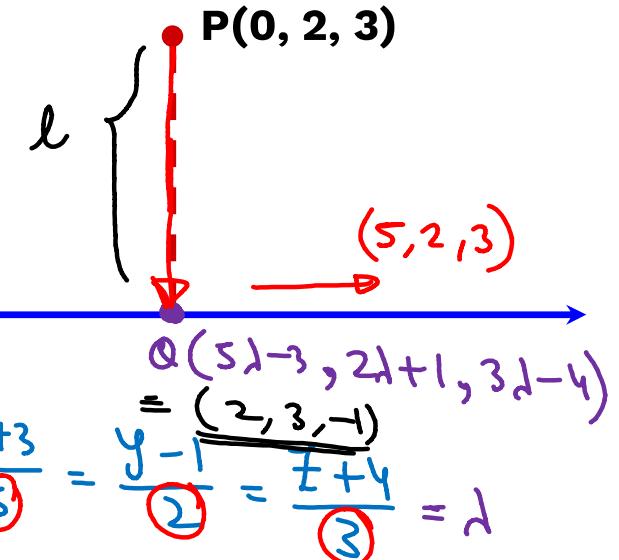
$$(5\lambda - 3, 2\lambda - 1, 3\lambda + 4) \cdot (5, 2, 3) = 0$$

$$5(5\lambda - 3) + 2(2\lambda - 1) + 3(3\lambda + 4) = 0$$

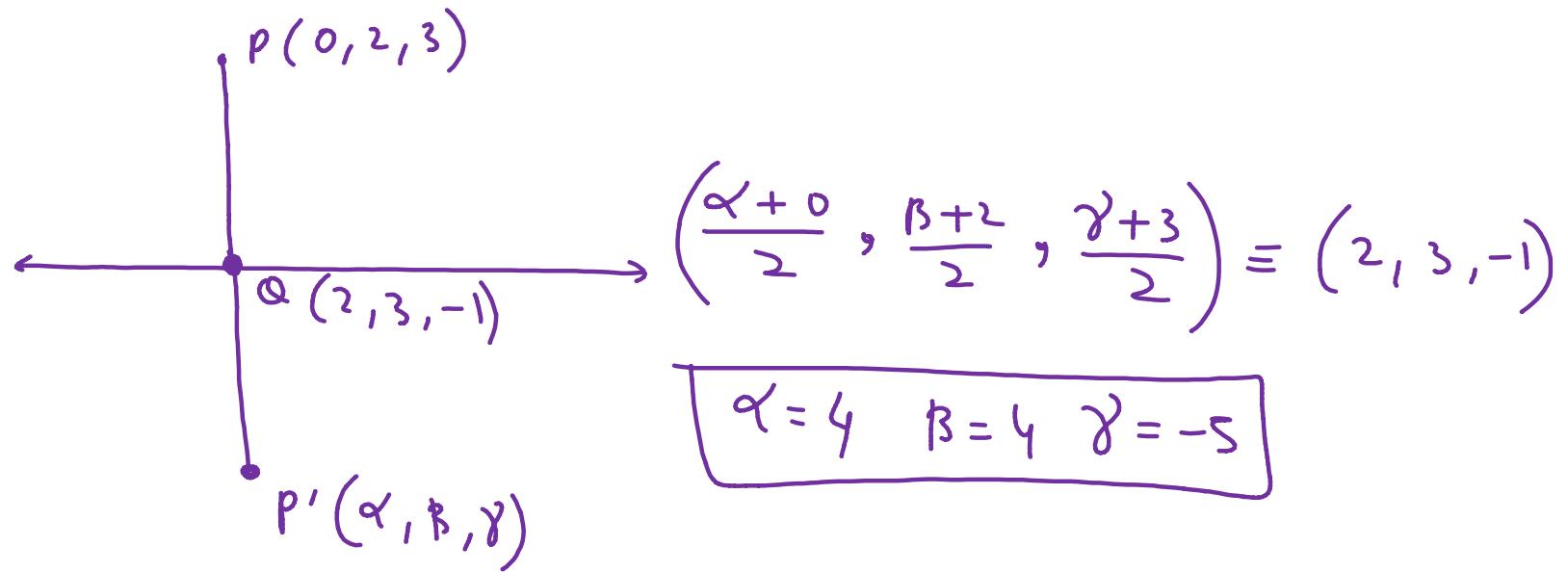
$$25\lambda + 4\lambda + 9\lambda - 15 - 2 - 12 = 0$$

$$38\lambda - 38 = 0$$

$$\boxed{\lambda = 1}$$



## Image of Point in Line



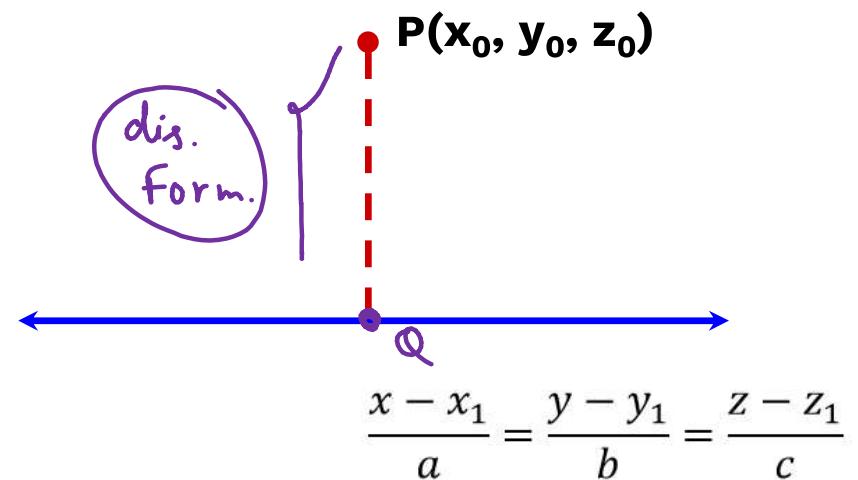


## Perpendicular Distance of Point from Line

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M-1

Find Foot of Perpendicular then use Distance Formula



## Perpendicular Distance of Point from Line

**M-2**

Perpendicular Distance =

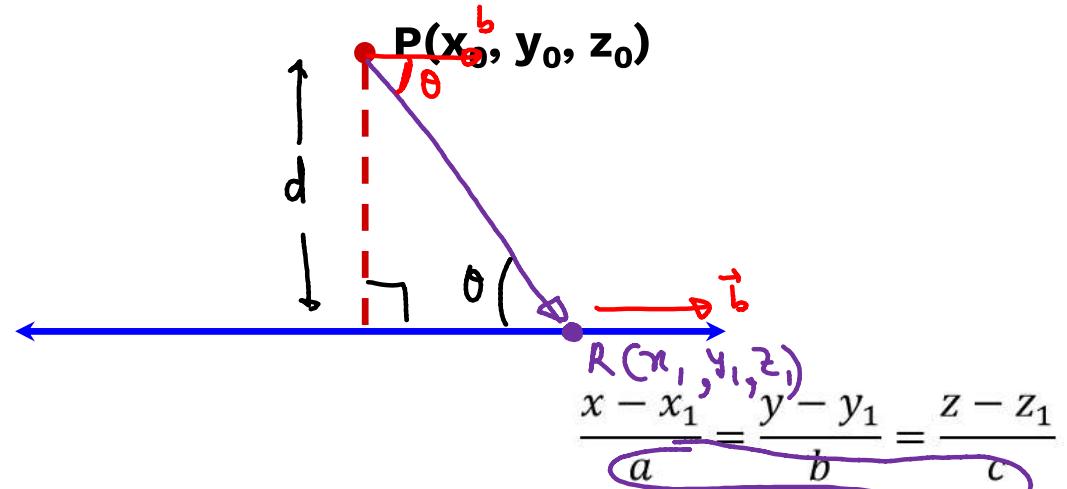
$$\frac{|\vec{PR} \times \vec{b}|}{|\vec{b}|}$$

$$\vec{b} \wedge \vec{PR} = \theta$$

$$\frac{d}{|PR|} = \sin \theta$$

$$d = |PR| \sin \theta$$

$$= \cancel{|PR|} \frac{\vec{PR} \times \vec{b}}{|\vec{PR}| |\vec{b}|}$$



Find distance between point P(0, 2, 3) and line

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

$$P(0, 2, 3)$$

$$R(3, 1, -1)$$

$$\vec{PR} = (3, -1, -4)$$

$$\vec{b} = (2, 1, 2)$$

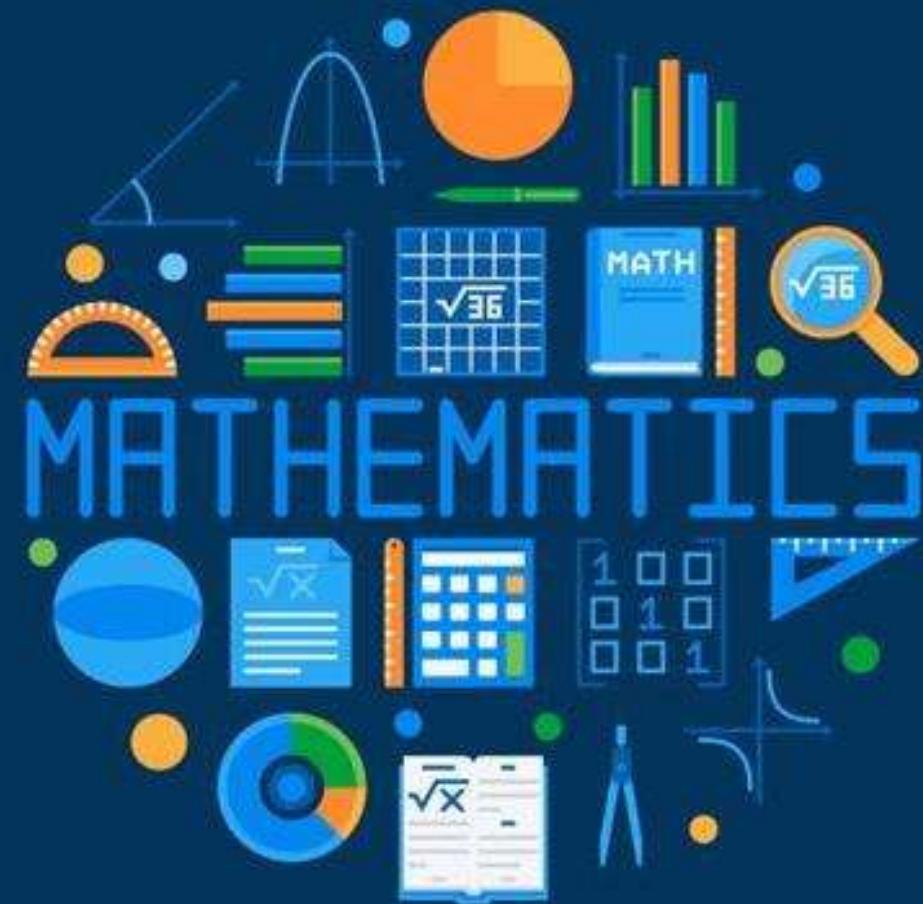
$$P \cdot d = \frac{15}{3} = 5 \text{ units}$$

$$\vec{PR} \times \vec{b} = \begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ 3 & -1 & -4 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= i(2) - j(14) + k(5)$$

$$|PR \times b| = \sqrt{2^2 + 14^2 + 5^2} = \sqrt{4 + 196 + 25}$$

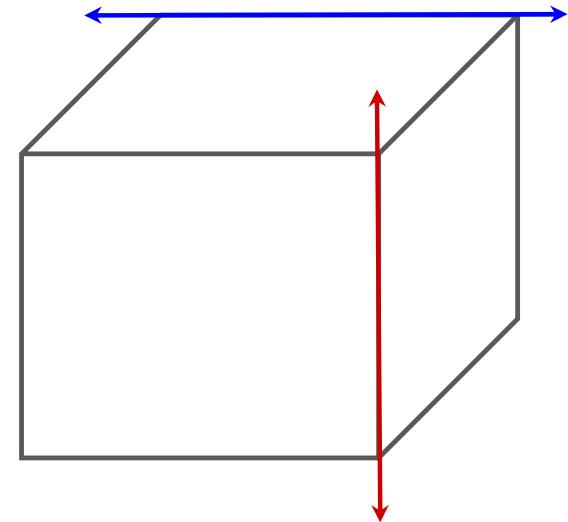
$$|b| = \sqrt{2^2 + 1^2 + 2^2} = \textcircled{3} \quad = \textcircled{15}$$



# Skew Lines

## Skew Lines

**Non parallel, non intersecting** lines are called skew lines



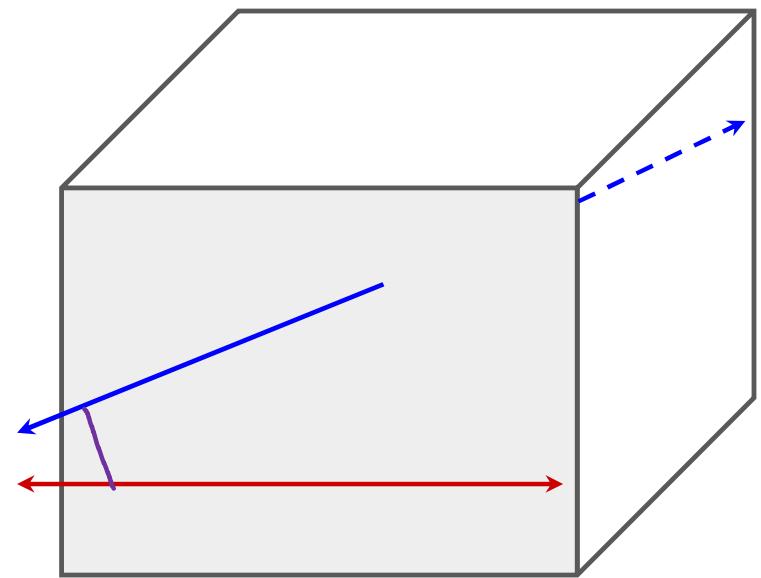
## Shortest Distance between two Skew Lines



Shortest distance =

$$\frac{|(\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1) \cdot (\vec{b}_1 \times \vec{b}_2)|}{|\vec{b}_1 \times \vec{b}_2|}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{r} &= \vec{a}_1 + \lambda \vec{b}_1 \\ \vec{r} &= \vec{a}_2 + \mu \vec{b}_2\end{aligned}$$



Consider the lines  $L_1: \frac{x+1}{3} = \frac{y+2}{1} = \frac{z+1}{2}$

$L_2: \frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y+2}{2} = \frac{z-3}{3}$

The shortest distance between  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  is

A. 0

B.  $17 / \sqrt{3}$

C.  $41 / 5\sqrt{3}$

D.  $17 / 5\sqrt{3}$

$$\vec{a}_2 = (2, -2, 3)$$

$$\vec{a}_1 = (-1, -2, -1)$$

$$\underline{\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1 = (3, 0, 4)}$$

$$\vec{b}_1 \times \vec{b}_2 = \begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \hat{i}(-1) - \hat{j}(7) + \hat{k}(5)$$

$$= \underline{(-1, -7, 5)}$$

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$$S.d = \frac{(a_2 - a_1) \cdot \vec{b}_1 \times \vec{b}_2}{|\vec{b}_1 \times \vec{b}_2|}$$

$$= \frac{(3, 0, 4) \cdot (-1, -7, 5)}{\sqrt{1 + 49 + 25}}$$

$$= \left| \frac{-3 + 20}{5\sqrt{3}} \right|$$

$$= \frac{17}{5\sqrt{3}}$$



If the shortest distance between the lines

$$\vec{r}_1 = \alpha \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k} + \lambda(\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}), \lambda \in \mathbf{R}, \alpha > 0 \text{ and}$$

$$\vec{r}_2 = -4\hat{i} - \hat{k} + \mu(3\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}), \quad \mu \in \mathbb{R} \text{ is } \textcircled{9}, \text{ then } \alpha \text{ is equal to } \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

$$S.d = 9$$

$$\vec{a}_2 = (-4, 0, -1)$$

$$\vec{a}_1 = (1, 2, 2)$$

$$\overrightarrow{a}_1 - \overrightarrow{a}_2 = (\alpha + 4, 2, 3)$$

$$\vec{b}_1 \times \vec{b}_2 = \begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ 1 & -2 & 2 \\ 3 & -2 & -2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \hat{\lambda}(8) - \hat{\gamma}(-8) + \hat{\kappa}(4)$$

$$= (8, 8, 4)$$

$$= \underline{(2, 2, 1)}$$

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$$s.d = \frac{(\underline{a}_1 - \underline{a}_2) \cdot (\vec{b}_1 \times \vec{b}_2)}{|\vec{b}_1 \times \vec{b}_2|}$$

$$= \left| \frac{(\alpha+4, 2, 3) \cdot (2, 2, 1)}{3} \right| = 9$$

$$\left| 2(\alpha+4) + 4 + 3 \right| = 27$$

$$2\alpha + 15 = \pm 27$$

$$2\alpha + 15 = 27$$

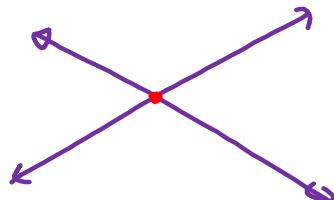
$$\alpha = 6$$

~~$$2\alpha + 15 = -27$$~~

~~$$\alpha = -12$$~~

## Condition for 2 Lines to Intersect

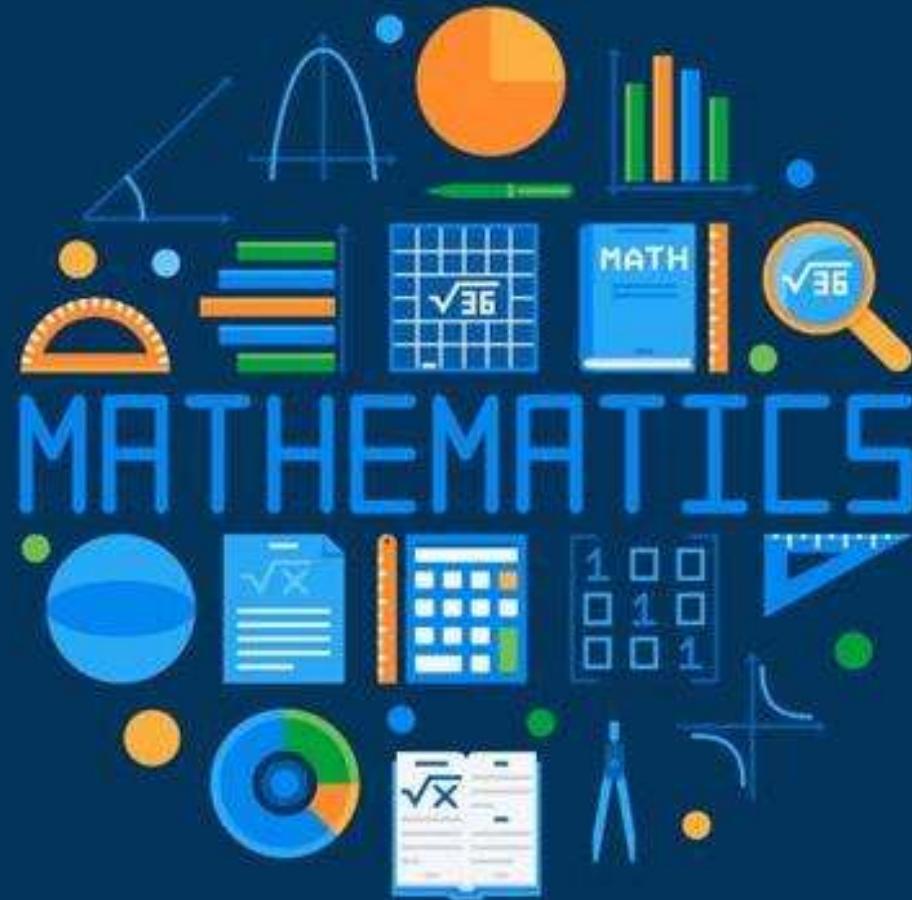
If shortest distance between 2 lines = 0  $\Rightarrow$  they are intersecting



if  $s \cdot d = 0 \Rightarrow$  intersecting

$$(a_2 - a_1) \cdot (b_1 \times b_2) = 0$$

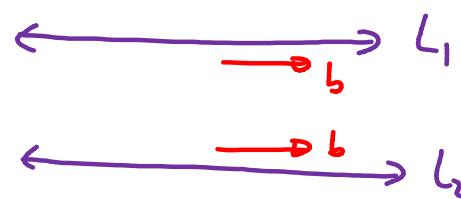
$$\begin{bmatrix} a_2 - a_1 & b_1 & b_2 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$



## Shortest Distance between two Parallel Lines

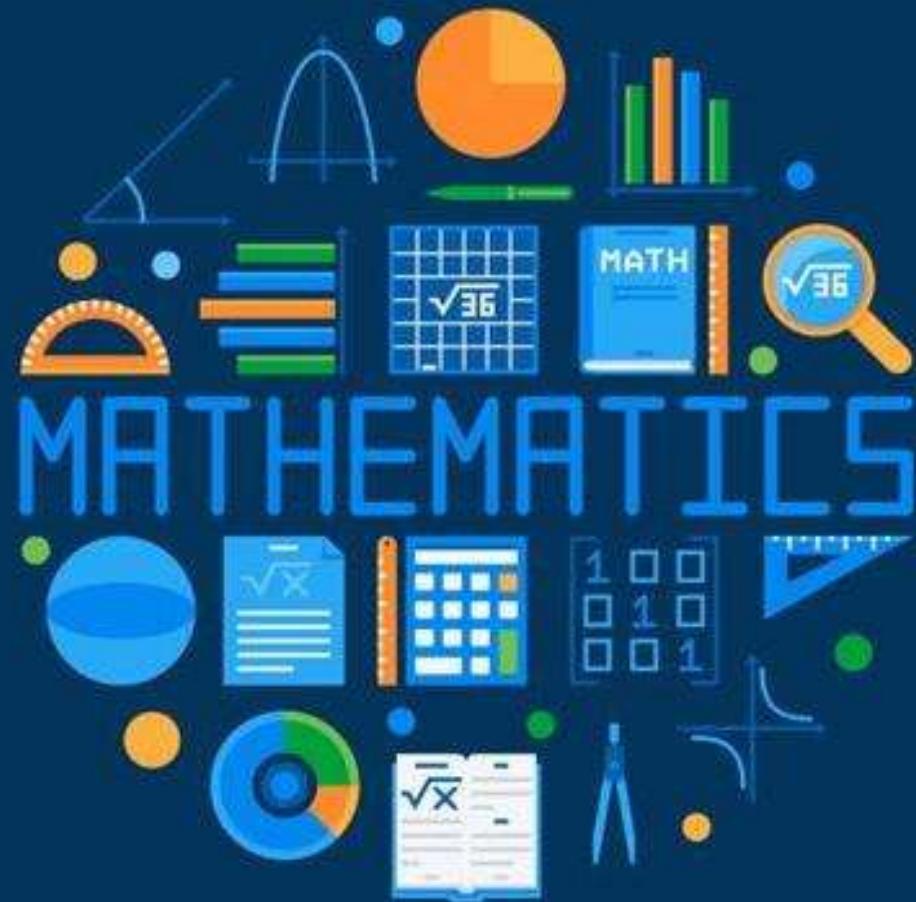
## Shortest Distance between two Parallel Lines

$$\text{Shortest distance between parallel lines} = \frac{|(\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1) \times \vec{b}|}{|\vec{b}|}$$



$$\begin{aligned}\vec{r} &= \vec{a}_1 + \lambda \vec{b} \\ \vec{r} &= \vec{a}_2 + \mu \vec{b}\end{aligned}$$

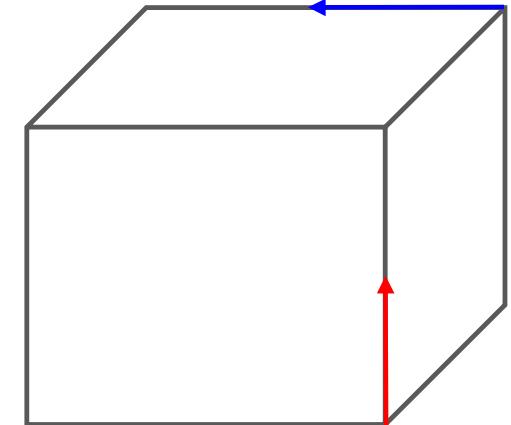
$$\frac{|(\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1) \times \vec{b}|}{|\vec{b}|}$$



# Condition for Coplanarity

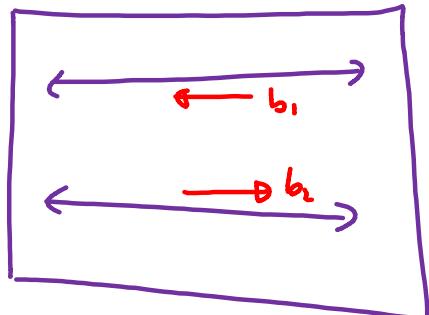
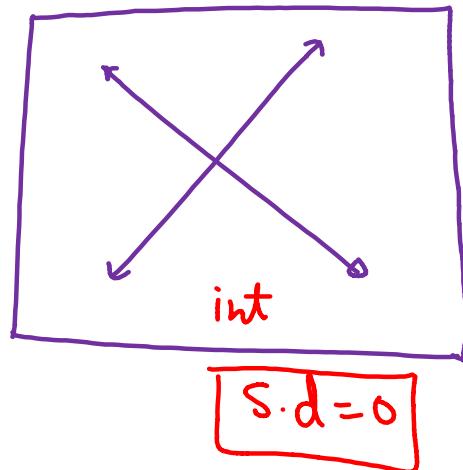
## Condition of Coplanarity (for vectors)

1. Two non-zero vectors are always coplanar
2. Three non-zero vectors  $\vec{a}$ ,  $\vec{b}$ ,  $\vec{c}$  are coplanar if  $[\vec{a} \vec{b} \vec{c}] = 0$



## Condition of Coplanarity (for lines)

Two lines are COPLANAR if either they are Intersecting or Parallel



$\vec{b}_1 \parallel \vec{b}_2$   
Ratio = Same

$$\frac{x-k}{1} = \frac{y-2}{2} = \frac{z-3}{3} \text{ and } \frac{x+1}{3} = \frac{y+2}{2} = \frac{z+3}{1}$$

are co-planar, then the value of k is

int

OR ~~parallel~~

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \mathbf{a}_2 = (1, -2, -3) \\ \mathbf{a}_1 = (k, 2, 3) \end{array} \right\} \vec{\mathbf{q}}_1 - \vec{\mathbf{a}}_2 = (k+1, 4, 6)$$

$$[\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1 \quad \mathbf{b}_1 \quad \mathbf{b}_2] = 0$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} k+1 & 4 & 6 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow k=1$$

[25 July 2021 Shift 2]

Two lines  $L_1 : x = 5, \underbrace{\frac{y}{3-\alpha} = \frac{z}{-2}}_{\text{and}}$ , and  $L_2 : x = \alpha, \underbrace{\frac{y}{-1} = \frac{z}{2-\alpha}}$

are coplanar. Then  $\alpha$  can take value(s)

(AD)

~~A.~~ 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

$$L_1 : \frac{x-5}{0} = \frac{y}{3-\alpha} = \frac{z}{-2}$$

$$L_2 : \frac{x-\alpha}{0} = \frac{y}{-1} = \frac{z}{2-\alpha}$$

$$\vec{a}_2 = (\alpha, 0, 0)$$

$$\vec{a}_1 = (5, 0, 0)$$

$$\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1 = (\alpha - 5, 0, 0)$$

[JEE Adv. 2013]

$$S.d = 0$$

$$[a_2 - a_1 \quad b_1 \quad b_2] = 0$$

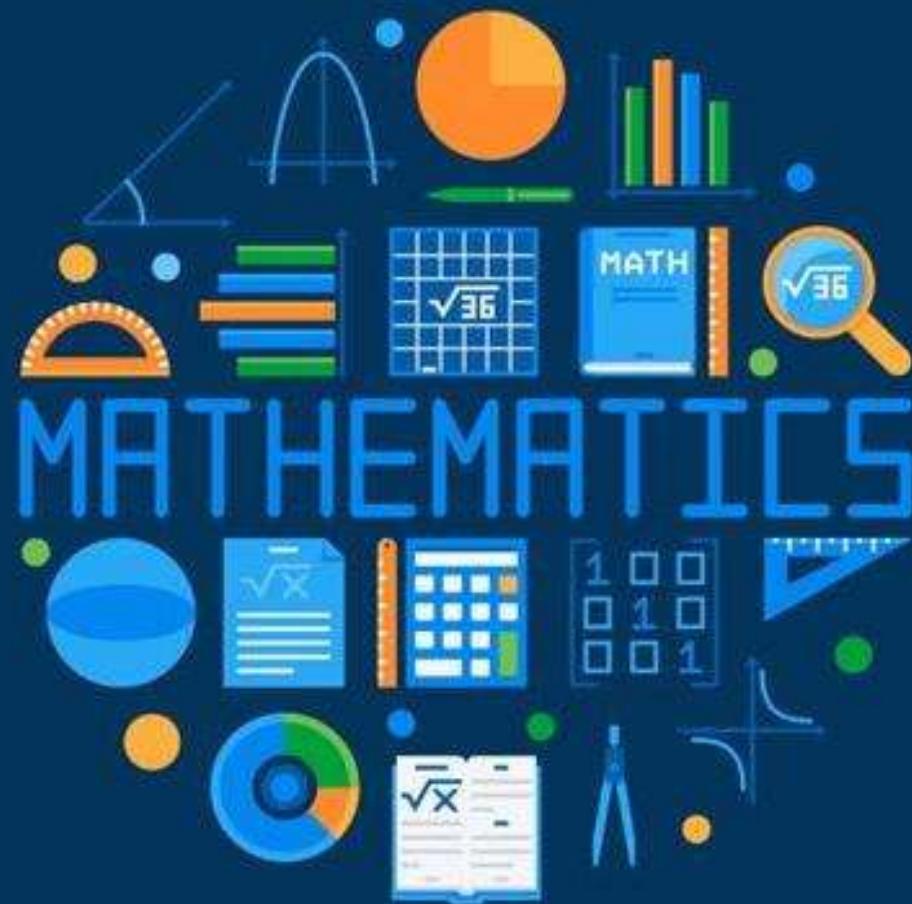
$$\begin{vmatrix} \alpha - 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 - \alpha & -2 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 - \alpha \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$(\alpha - 5) \{ (3 - \alpha)(2 - \alpha) - 2 \} = 0$$

$$(\alpha - 5) \{ \alpha^2 - 5\alpha + 4 \} = 0$$

$$(\alpha - 5)(\alpha - 1)(\alpha - 4) = 0$$

$$\boxed{\alpha = 1, 4, 5}$$



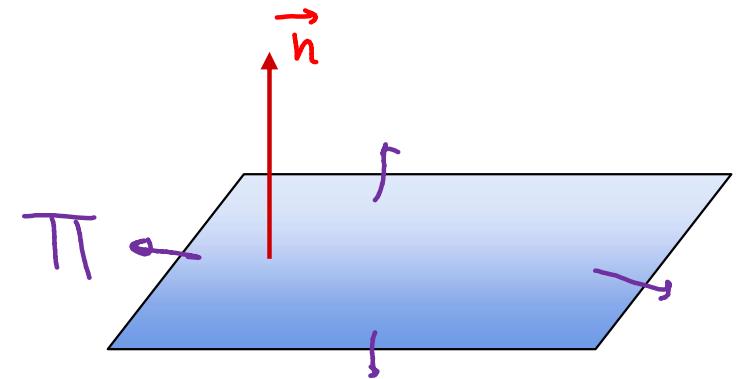
# Equation of Planes

## Definition of Plane

Flat surface perpendicular to a fixed vector.

This flat surface is called **Plane** and fixed vector is called **Normal**

Representation of Plane :  $P$ ,  $\Pi$ ,  $\sigma$



## General Equation of Plane

✓  $ax + by + cz + d = 0$

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

Plane

## Note

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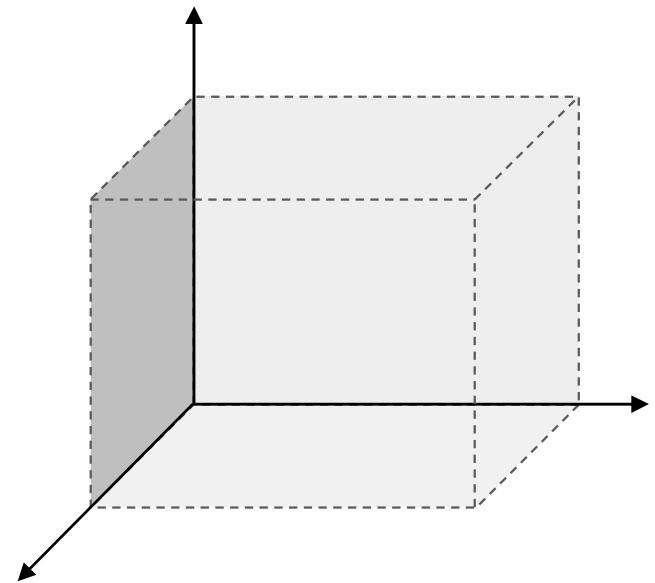
Equation of  $xy$  plane is  $z=0$

2

Equation of  $yz$  plane is  $x=0$

3

Equation of  $zx$  plane is  $y=0$



## Form

If point lying on plane is  $A(\vec{a})$

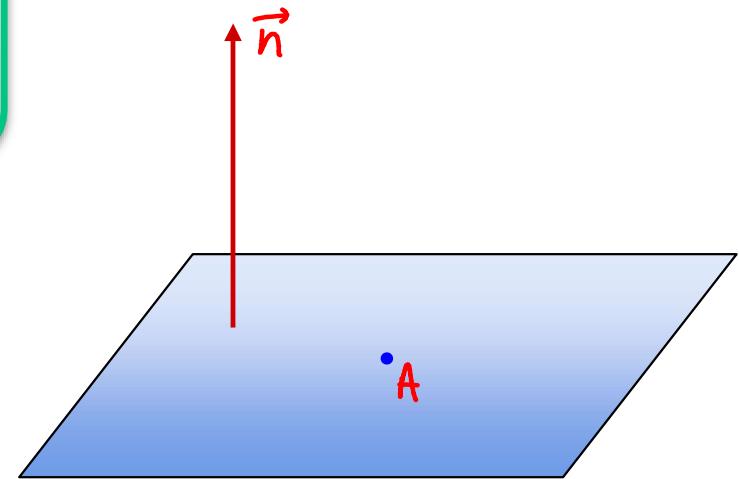
and normal vector to plane is  $\vec{n}$

then Equation of Plane is given by  $\vec{r} \cdot \vec{n} = \vec{a} \cdot \vec{n}$

$$\textcircled{1} \text{ point} = \vec{a}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \vec{n} = \vec{n}$$

$$\boxed{\vec{r} \cdot \vec{n} = \vec{a} \cdot \vec{n}}$$



Find the equation of plane passing through (2,0,1) and normal to  $2i + j - k$  in

I. Vector Form

point  $\vec{a} = (2, 0, 1)$

II. Cartesian Form

$\vec{n} = (2, 1, -1)$

$\vec{r} \cdot \vec{n} = \vec{a} \cdot \vec{n}$  → Normal vector

VF

$$\vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 3$$

CF

$$2x + y - z = 3 \quad (\text{given})$$

$$\vec{n} = (2, 1, -1)$$

## Note

If  $ax + by + cz + d = 0$  is the equation of plane, then

$a, b, c$  are direction ratios of normal or

•  $\underline{ai} + \underline{bj} + \underline{ck}$  is the normal vector

If the Equation of Plane is  $2x + y + 2z = 5$ , then find

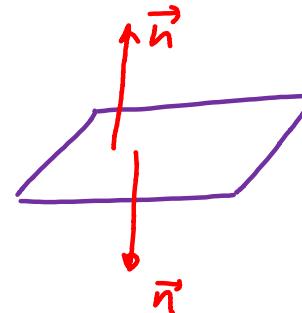
I. Normal Vector

II. DRs of Normal  $\Rightarrow \lambda(2, 1, 2)$

III. DCs of Normal  $\Rightarrow \pm\left(\frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}\right)$

IV. Equation of plane in Vector Form

$$\vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) = 5$$



$$2x + y + 2z = 5$$

$$\sqrt{4+1+4}$$

$$\vec{n} = \pm(2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k})$$

$$DC = \pm \left( \frac{2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}}{3} \right)$$

## 2. Three Points Form

Equation of plane passing through  $A(\vec{a})$ ,  $B(\vec{b})$ ,  $C(\vec{c})$  is given by

$$[\vec{r} - \vec{a} \quad \underline{\vec{b} - \vec{a}} \quad \underline{\vec{c} - \vec{a}}] = 0$$

Eqn. of plane

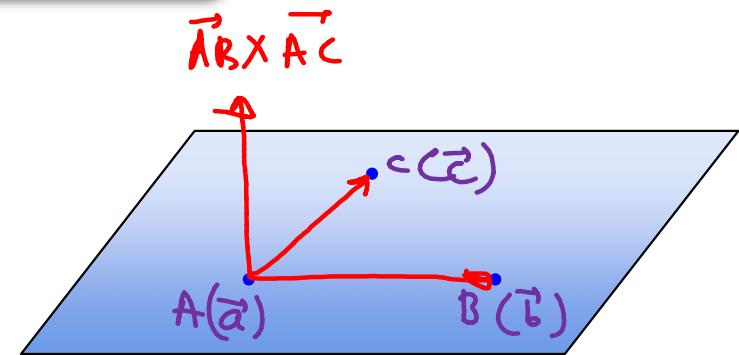
- ① point =  $\vec{a}$
- ②  $\vec{n} = \vec{AB} \times \vec{AC}$

$$\vec{r} \cdot \vec{n} - \vec{a} \cdot \vec{n} = 0$$

$$(\vec{r} - \vec{a}) \cdot \vec{n} = 0$$

$$(\vec{r} - \vec{a}) \cdot (\vec{AB} \times \vec{AC}) = 0$$

$$[\vec{r} - \vec{a} \quad \vec{AB} \quad \vec{AC}] = 0$$



### 3. Plane Containing Two Intersecting Lines

Equation of plane containing

$$L_1: \vec{r} = \vec{a}_1 + \lambda \vec{b}_1$$

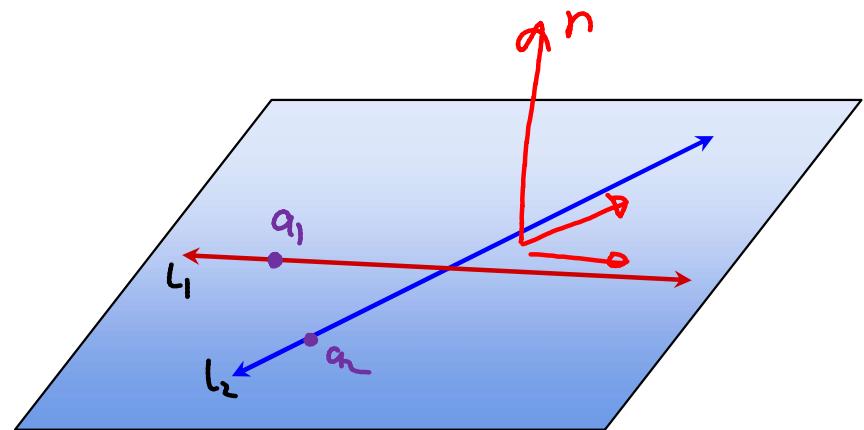
$$L_2: \vec{r} = \vec{a}_2 + \lambda \vec{b}_2$$

is given by  $[\vec{r} - \vec{a}_1 \quad \vec{b}_1 \quad \vec{b}_2] = 0$

Eqn of Plane

① point =  $\vec{a}_1 / \vec{a}_2$

② normal =  $\vec{b}_1 \times \vec{b}_2$

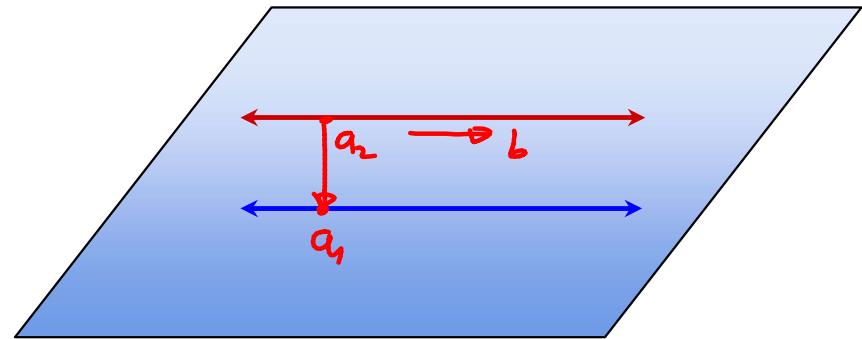


## 4. Equation of Plane Containing Two Parallel Lines

$$\vec{r} = \vec{a}_1 + \lambda \vec{b}$$
$$\vec{r} = \vec{a}_2 + \mu \vec{b}$$

$$\text{point} = \vec{a}_1 / \vec{a}_2$$

$$\vec{n} = \underline{(\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1) \times \vec{b}}$$

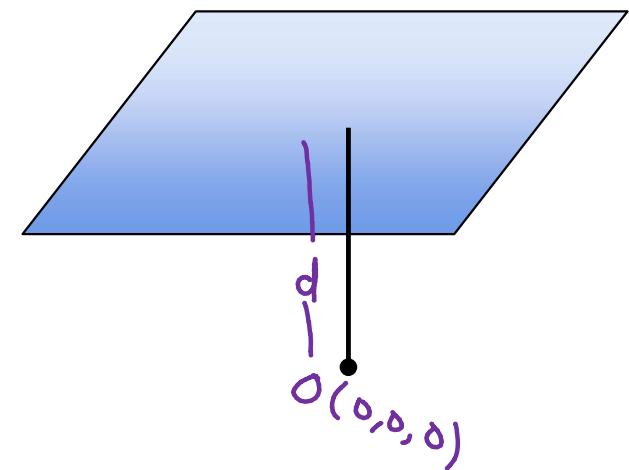


## 5. Equation of Plane: Normal Form

If unit vector normal to the plane is  $\hat{n}$ , and perpendicular distance of plane from origin is  $d$  then equation of plane is given by  $\vec{r} \cdot \hat{n} = d$

$$\hat{n} \quad d$$

$\vec{r} \cdot \hat{n} = d$



Find the vector equation of plane which is at a distance of 8 units from the origin and which is normal to the vector  $2\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}$ .

$$d = 8$$

$$\vec{n} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$$

$$\hat{n} = \left( \frac{2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}}{3} \right)$$

Eqn of Plane  $\vec{r} \cdot \hat{n} = d$

$$\boxed{\vec{r} \cdot \left( \frac{2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}}{3} \right) = 8}$$

## 6. Intercept form

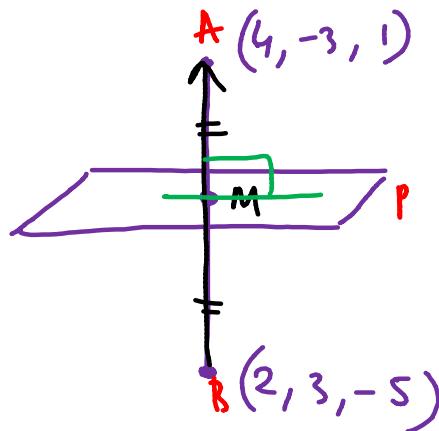
If x, y and z intercept of a plane is  $a, b, c$

then Equation of Plane is given by  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} + \frac{z}{c} = 1$

$$\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} + \frac{z}{c} = 1$$

$$\frac{x}{2} + \frac{y}{3} + \frac{z}{5} = 1$$

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  $\underline{(a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + d^2)}$  is



Eqn. of Plane

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{1} \text{ point} &= (3, 0, -2) \\ \textcircled{2} \quad \vec{n} &= \overrightarrow{BA} = (2, -6, 6) \\ &= \underline{\underline{(1, -3, 3)}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{\vec{r} \cdot \vec{n} = \vec{a} \cdot \vec{n}}$$

$$(x, y, z) \cdot (1, -3, 3) = (3, 0, -2) \cdot (1, -3, 3)$$

$$\boxed{x - 3y + 3z = -3}$$

[18 Mar 2021 shift 1]

$$ax + by + cz + d = 0$$

$$x - 3y + 3z + 3 = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$a=1 \quad b=-3 \quad c=3 \quad d=3$$

$$a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + d^2 = 28$$

Let  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$  be real numbers such that  $\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2 \neq 0$  and  $\alpha + \gamma = 1$ . Suppose the point  $(3, 2, -1)$  is the mirror image of the point  $(1, 0, -1)$  with respect to the plane  $\alpha x + \beta y + \gamma z = \delta$ . Then which of the following statements is/are TRUE?

(A)  $\alpha + \beta = 2$

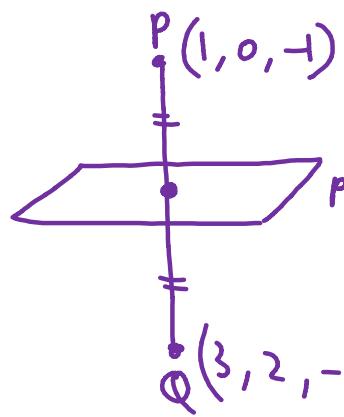
(C)  $\delta + \beta = 4$

ABC

(B)  $\delta - \gamma = 3$

(D)  $\alpha + \beta + \gamma = \delta$

[JEE Adv. 2020]



Eqn of Plane

① Point  $= (2, 1, -1)$

②  $\vec{n} = (2, 2, 0)$

$\vec{r} \cdot \vec{n} = \vec{a} \cdot \vec{n}$

$(x, y, z) \cdot (2, 2, 0) = (2, 1, -1) \cdot (2, 2, 0)$

$\Leftrightarrow 2x + 2y = 6$

$$\alpha + \gamma = 3$$

$$\alpha x + \beta y + \gamma z = 8$$

$$\alpha = 1 \quad \beta = 1 \quad \gamma = 0 \quad 8 = 3$$

$$\alpha + \gamma = 1$$

The equation of the plane passing through the point  $(1, 1, 1)$  and perpendicular to the planes  $2x + y - 2z = 5$  and  $3x - 6y - 2z = 7$ , is

- (a)  $14x + 2y - 15z = 1$       (b)  $14x - 2y + 15z = 27$   
~~(c)~~  $14x + 2y + 15z = 31$       (d)  $-14x + 2y + 15z = 3$

# Point =  $(1, 1, 1)$

# normal =  $\vec{n}_1 \times \vec{n}_2 = \begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \\ 3 & -6 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = \hat{i}(-14) - \hat{j}(2) + \hat{k}(-15)$

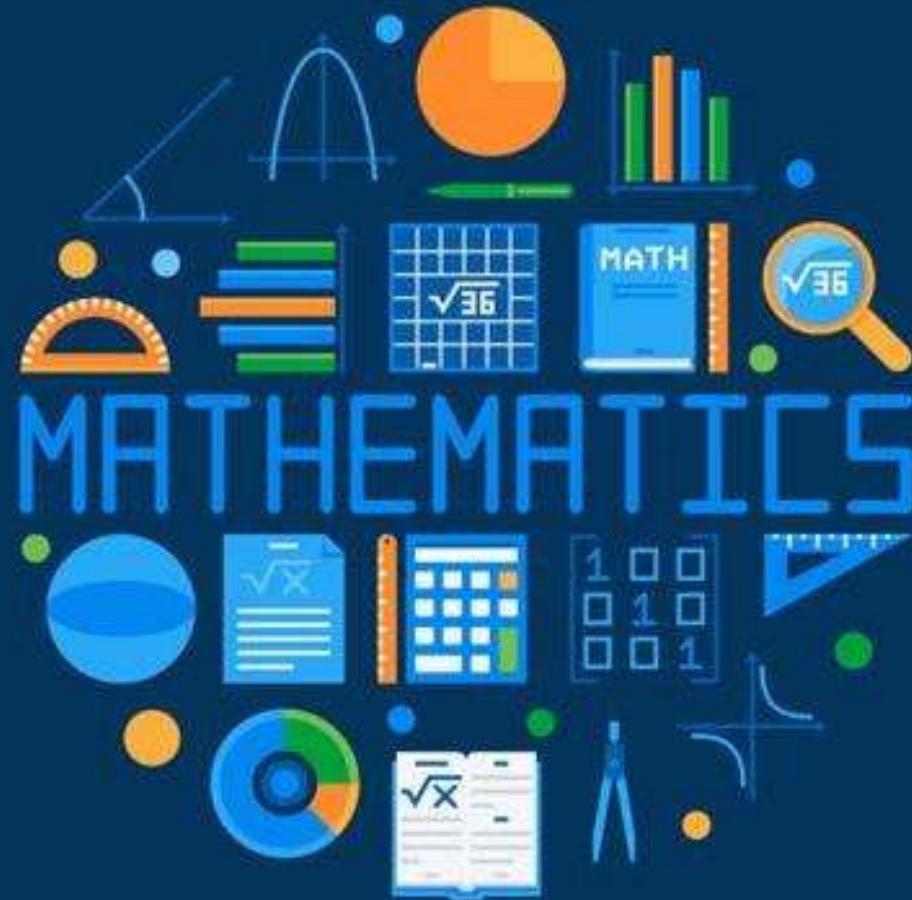
[JEE Adv. 2017]

$\vec{r} \cdot \vec{n} = \vec{a} \cdot \vec{n}$

$$\boxed{14x + 2y + 15z = 31}$$

$= (-14, -2, -15)$

$= \underline{(14, 2, 15)}$

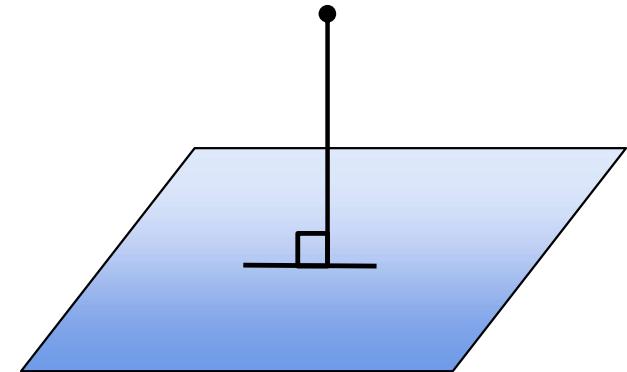


## Perpendicular Distance of Point from Plane

## Perpendicular Distance Of A Point From A Plane

Perpendicular distance of  $(x_1, y_1, z_1)$  from  $ax + by + cz + d = 0$  is

$$\frac{|ax_1 + by_1 + cz_1 + d|}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}}$$



A plane which is perpendicular to two planes  $2x - 2y + z = 0$  and  $x - y + 2z = 4$ , passes through  $(1, -2, 1)$ . The distance of the plane from the point  $(1, 2, 2)$  is

- (a) 0      (b) 1      (c)  $\sqrt{2}$       ~~(d)  $2\sqrt{2}$~~

Plane

$$\textcircled{1} \text{ Point} = (1, -2, 1)$$

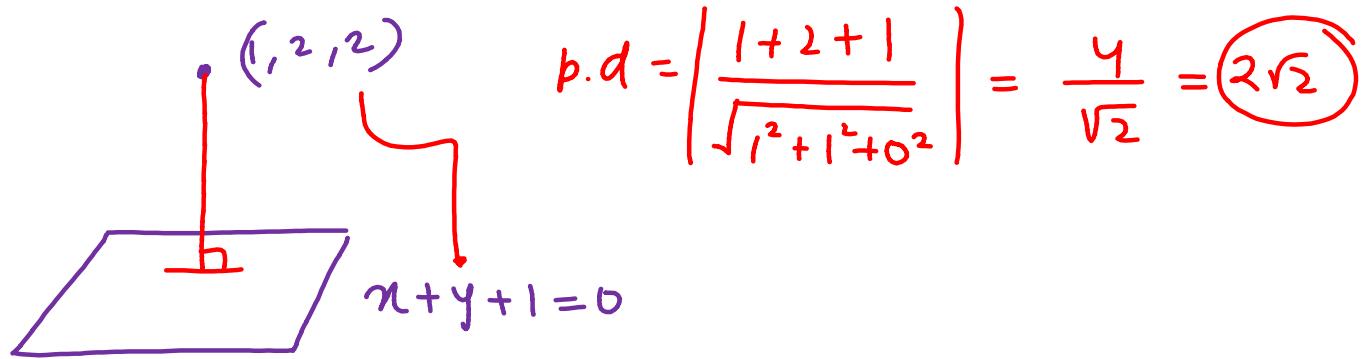
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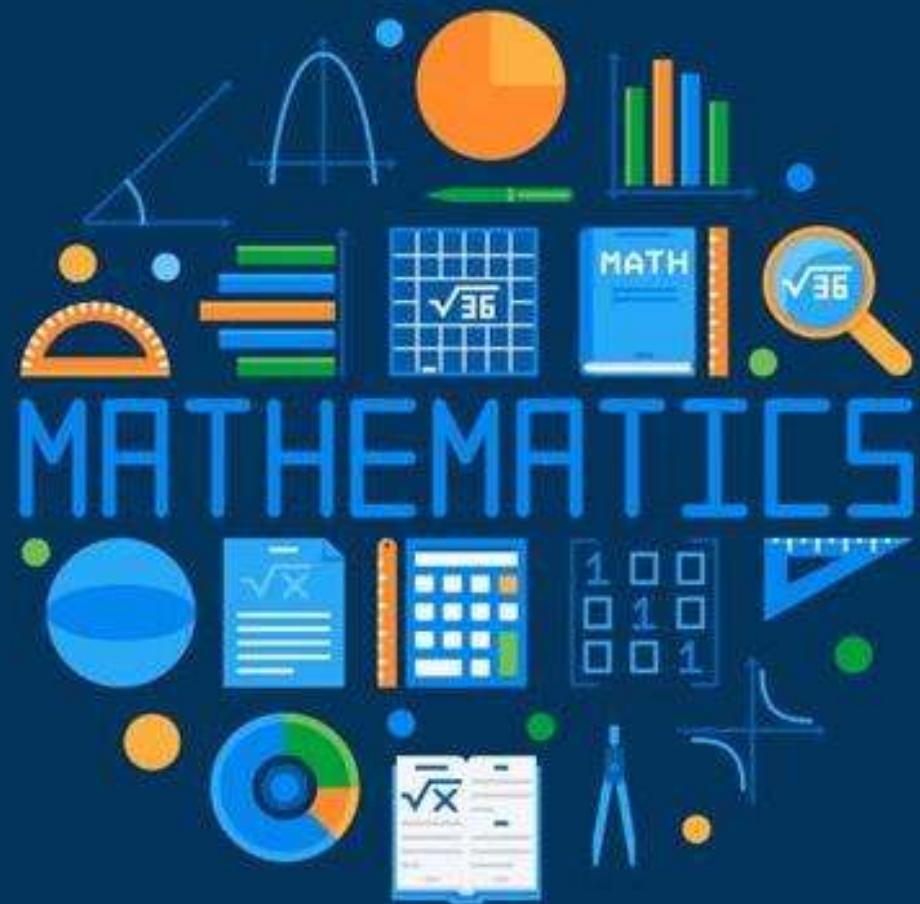
$$\textcircled{2} \text{ Normal} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 2 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = \hat{i}(-3) - \hat{j}(3) + \hat{k}(0)$$

$$\vec{r} \cdot \vec{n} = \vec{a} \cdot \vec{n}$$

$$(x, y, z) \cdot (1, 1, 0) = (1, -2, 1) \cdot \begin{cases} (1, 1, 0) \\ = (-3, -3, 0) \\ = (1, 1, 0) \end{cases}$$

$$\boxed{x+y=-1}$$



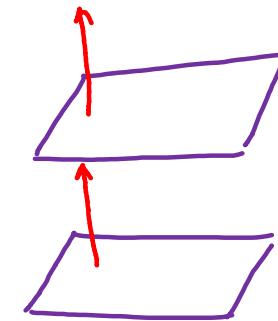


# Distance Between Two Parallel Planes

## Distance between Two Parallel Planes

Distance between two parallel planes  $ax + by + cz + d_1 = 0$  and  $ax + by + cz + d_2 = 0$

is given by 
$$\frac{|d_1 - d_2|}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}}$$



If the distance between the plane  $\underline{Ax - 2y + z = d}$  and the plane  $\underline{P_2}$

containing the lines  $\underline{l_1: \frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-2}{3} = \frac{z-3}{4}}$  and

$\underline{l_2: \frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y-3}{4} = \frac{z-4}{5}}$  is  $\underline{\sqrt{6}}$ , then find  $|d|$ .

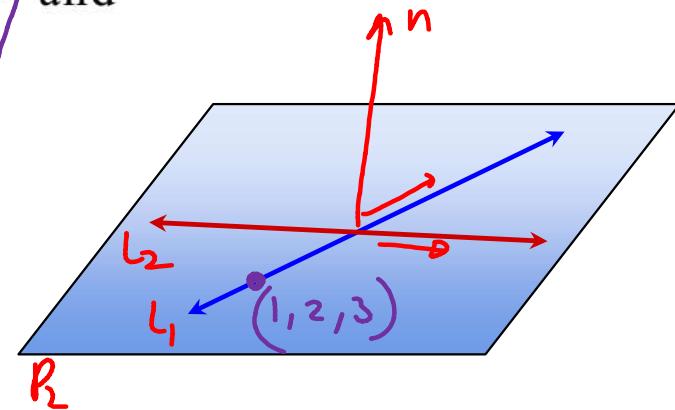
Eqn of  $P_2$  :-

$$P_1 \perp P_2 \rightarrow \sqrt{6}$$

① Point =  $(1, 2, 3)$

② Normal = 
$$\begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 3 & 4 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = \hat{i}(-1) - \hat{j}(-2) + \hat{k}(-1)$$

$$= \underline{(-1, 2, -1)}$$



[JEE Adv. 2010]

$$\vec{r} \cdot \vec{n} = \vec{\alpha} \cdot \vec{n}$$

$$(x, y, z) \cdot (-1, 2, -1) = (1, 2, 3) \cdot (-1, 2, -1)$$

 $P_2$ 

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

 $P_1$ 

$$Ax - 2y + z = d$$

 $P_2$ 

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

$$A=1$$

$P_1$  and  $P_2$

int OR Parallel

$$\left| \frac{d-0}{\sqrt{1^2+2^2+1^2}} \right| = \sqrt{6}$$
$$|d| = 6$$

The equation of the planes parallel to the plane  $x - 2y + 2z - 3 = 0$  which are at unit distance from the point  $(1, 2, 3)$  is  $ax + by + cz + d = 0$ . If  $(b - d) = K(c - a)$ , then the positive value of  $K$  is

given plane  $x - 2y + 2z - 3 = 0$

$$P : x - 2y + 2z + \lambda = 0 \quad (1, 2, 3)$$

$$P.d = \left| \frac{1 - 4 + 6 + \lambda}{\sqrt{1^2 + 2^2 + 2^2}} \right| = 1$$

$$|3 + \lambda| = 3$$

$$3 + \lambda = \pm 3$$

$$\lambda = 0 ; \lambda = -6$$

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

$$x - 2y + 2z - 6 = 0$$

$$ax + by + cz + d = 0$$

$$a = 1 \quad b = -2$$

$$a = 1 \quad b = -2$$

$$c = 2 \quad d = 0$$

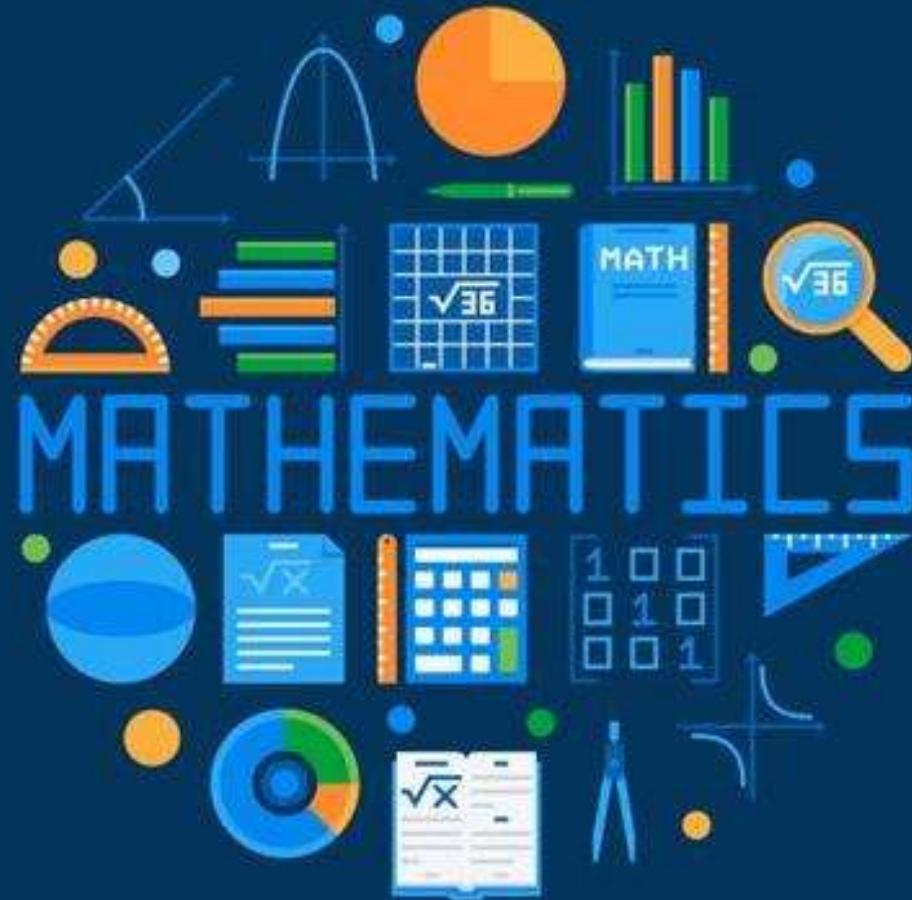
$$c = 2 \quad d = -6$$

$$K = \frac{(b-d)}{(c-a)} = \frac{-2}{1}$$

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$$K = \frac{b-d}{c-a} = \frac{4}{1}$$

$$K = 4$$



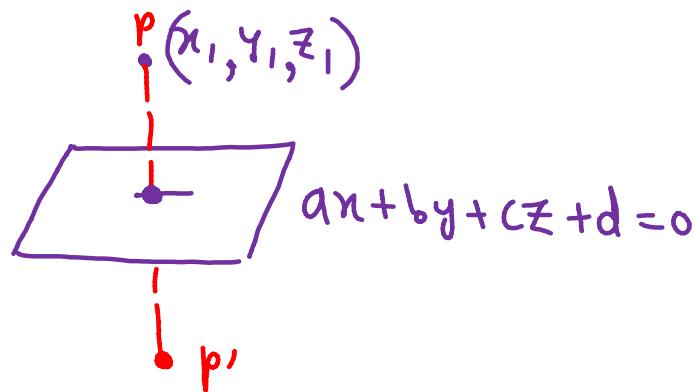
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## Foot of Perpendicular / Image of Point in Plane

## Image of Point in Plane

Image of the point  $(x_1, y_1, z_1)$  in the plane  $ax + by + cz + d = 0$

is given by 
$$\frac{x-x_1}{a} = \frac{y-y_1}{b} = \frac{z-z_1}{c} = -2 \left( \frac{ax_1+by_1+cz_1+d}{a^2+b^2+c^2} \right)$$



## Foot of Perpendicular from Point on the Plane

Foot of perpendicular of point  $(x_1, y_1, z_1)$  on the plane  $ax + by + cz + d = 0$

is given by  $\frac{x-x_1}{a} = \frac{y-y_1}{b} = \frac{z-z_1}{c} = -\left(\frac{ax_1+by_1+cz_1+d}{a^2+b^2+c^2}\right)$

If the mirror image of the point  $(1, 3, 5)$  with respect to the plane

$4x - 5y + 2z = 8$  is  $(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$ , then  $5(\alpha + \beta + \gamma)$  equals:

- A. 47      B. 39      C. 43      D. 41

$$\frac{x-1}{4} = \frac{y-3}{-5} = \frac{z-5}{2} = -2 \left( \frac{4-15+10-8}{16+25+4} \right)$$

$$\frac{x-1}{4} = \frac{y-3}{-5} = \frac{z-5}{2} = \frac{2}{5}$$

$$(\alpha, \beta, \gamma) = \left( \frac{13}{5}, 1, \frac{29}{5} \right)$$

[26 Feb 2021 Shift 2]

If the distance of the point  $P(1, -2, 1)$  from the plane  $x + 2y - 2z = \alpha$ , where  $\alpha > 0$ , is 5, then the foot of the perpendicular from P to the plane is

(a)  $\left(\frac{8}{3}, \frac{4}{3}, -\frac{7}{3}\right)$

(b)  $\left(\frac{4}{3}, -\frac{4}{3}, \frac{1}{3}\right)$

(c)  $\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{10}{3}\right)$

(d)  $\left(\frac{2}{3}, -\frac{1}{3}, \frac{5}{2}\right)$

[JEE Adv. 2010]

$P(1, -2, 1)$

$$x + 2y - 2z - \alpha = 0$$

$$\left| \frac{1 + (-4) - 2 - \alpha}{\sqrt{1^2 + 2^2 + 2^2}} \right| = 5 \Rightarrow \left| \frac{-5 + \alpha}{3} \right| = 5$$

$$|-5 + \alpha| = 15$$

$$5 + \alpha = \pm 15$$

$\alpha = 10$

$\alpha = -20$

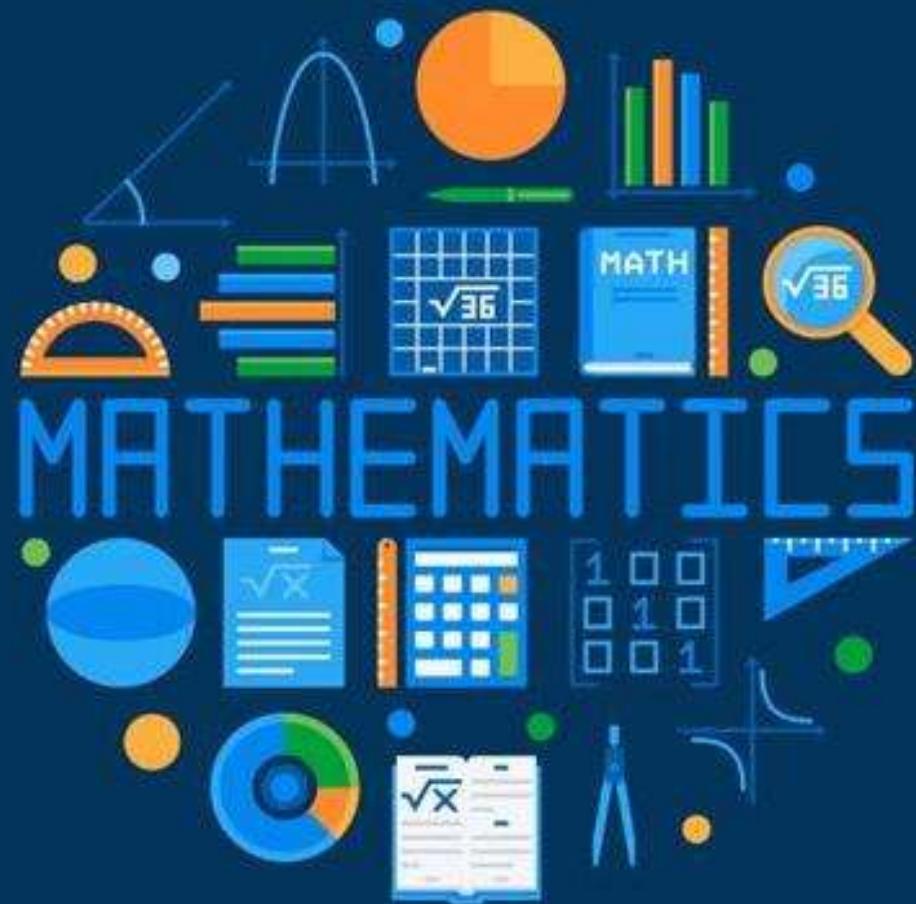
$$\rho(1, -2, 1) \rightarrow \\ x + 2y - 2z - 10 = 0$$

$$\frac{15}{9} = \textcircled{5/3}$$

$$\frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y+2}{2} = \frac{z-1}{-2} = -1 \left( \frac{1-4-2-10}{9} \right)$$

$$\frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y+2}{2} = \frac{z-1}{-2} = \textcircled{\frac{5}{3}}$$

$$x = \frac{8}{3}$$

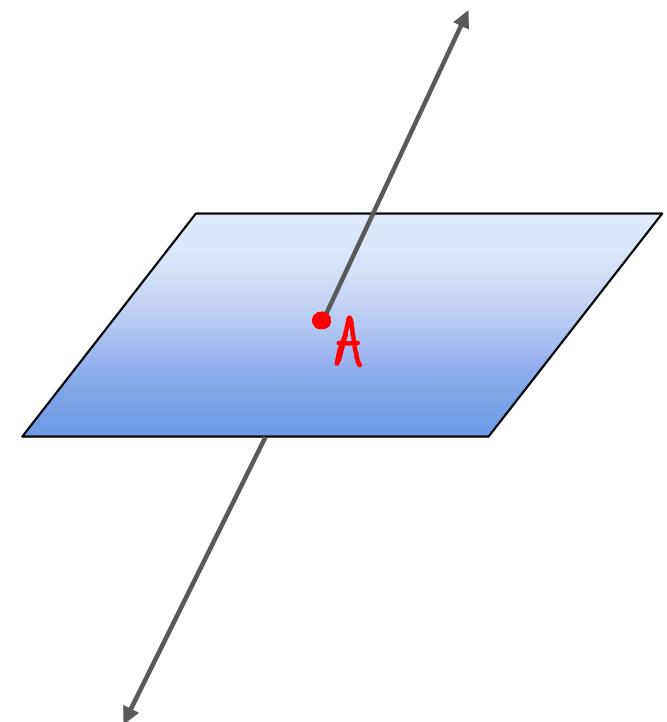


# Solving Line and Plane

## Solving Line and Plane

Method:

Take a general point on line and substitute it in plane



The distance of the point  $(1, 1, 9)$  from the point of intersection of

the line  $\frac{x-3}{1} = \frac{y-4}{2} = \frac{z-5}{2}$  and the plane  $x + y + z = 17$  is :

- ~~JEE M 2024~~
- (1)  $\sqrt{38}$   
 (2)  $19\sqrt{2}$   
 (3)  $2\sqrt{19}$   
 (4) 38

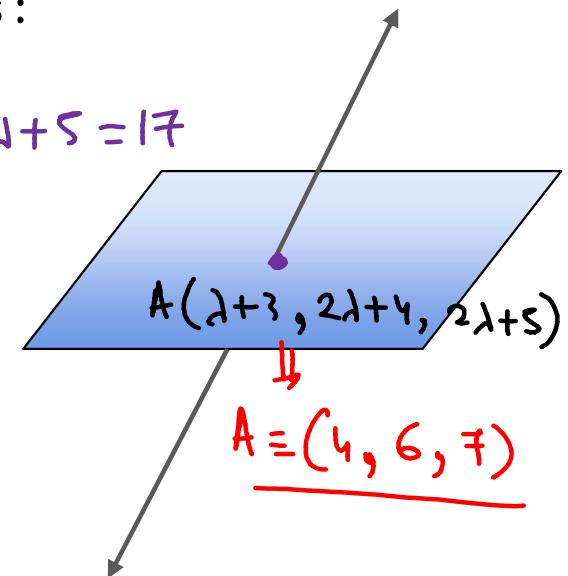
$$\left. \begin{array}{l} (1, 1, 9) \\ (4, 6, 7) \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\lambda + 3 + 2\lambda + 4 + 2\lambda + 5 = 17$$

$$5\lambda = 5$$

$$\lambda = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} d &= \sqrt{3^2 + 5^2 + 2^2} \\ &= \sqrt{9 + 25 + 4} \\ &= \sqrt{38} // \end{aligned}$$





# Projection of Line Segment on Plane

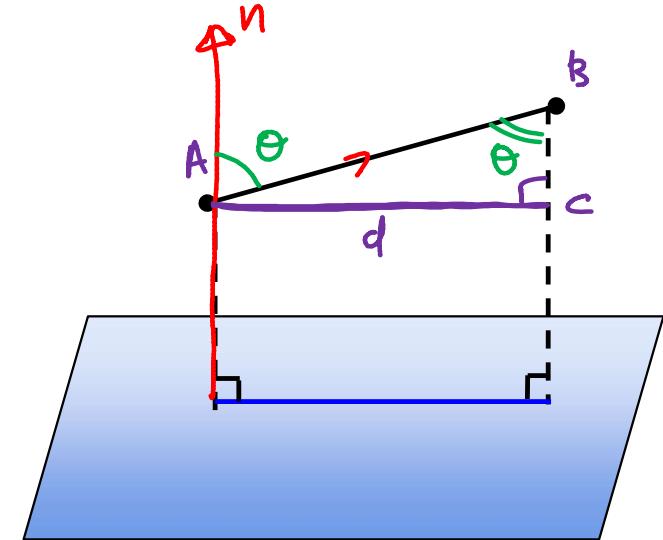
## Projection of Line Segment on Plane

$$\frac{d}{|AB|} = \sin \theta$$

$$d = |AB| \sin \theta$$

$$= |AB| \frac{\vec{AB} \times \vec{n}}{|AB| |\vec{n}|}$$

$$d = \frac{|\vec{AB} \times \vec{n}|}{|\vec{n}|}$$



The length of the projection of the line segment joining the points  $(5, -1, 4)$  and  $(4, -1, 3)$  on the plane,  $x + y + z = 7$  is:

(a)  $\frac{2}{3}$

(b)  $\frac{1}{3}$

(c)  $\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$

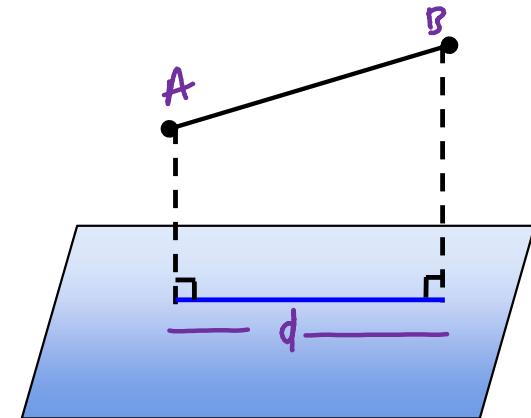
(d)  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$

$\vec{AB} = (-1, 0, -1)$

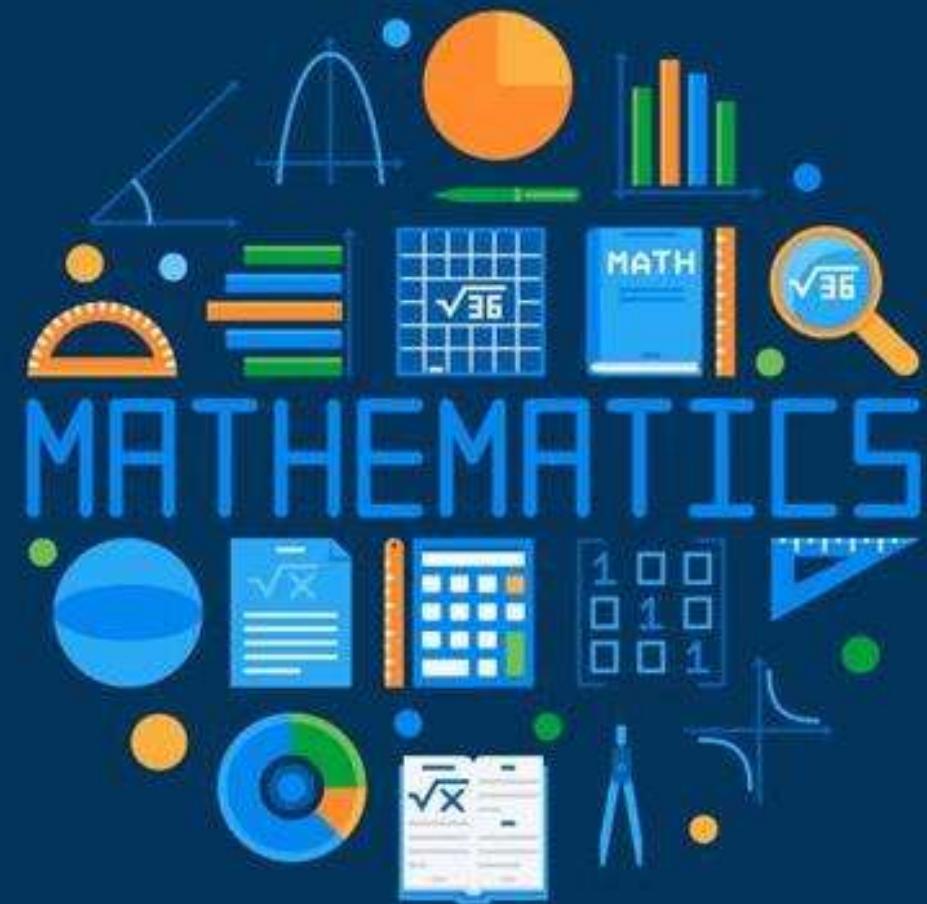
$\vec{n} = (1, 1, 1)$   $| \vec{n} | = \sqrt{3}$

$\vec{AB} \times \vec{n} = \begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ -1 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \hat{i}(1) - \hat{j}(0) + \hat{k}(-1)$

$= (1, 0, -1)$   
 $| \vec{AB} \times \vec{n} | = \sqrt{1^2 + 0^2 + 1^2} = \underline{\underline{\sqrt{2}}}$



[JEE M 2018]



## Angle between Plane-Plane, Line-Line and Line-Plane

## Angle Between Two Planes

Angle between two planes is same as angle between their normal

$$\cos\theta = \frac{\vec{n_1} \cdot \vec{n_2}}{|\vec{n_1}| |\vec{n_2}|}$$

## Angle Between Two Planes

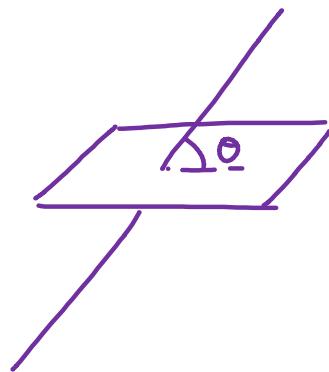
Angle between two lines is same as angle between direction vectors

$$\cos\theta = \frac{\vec{b}_1 \cdot \vec{b}_2}{|\vec{b}_1| |\vec{b}_2|}$$

## Angle Between Line and Plane

$$\sin\theta = \frac{\vec{n} \cdot \vec{b}}{|\vec{n}| |\vec{b}|}$$

$$\sin\theta = \frac{\vec{n} \cdot \vec{b}}{|\vec{n}| |\vec{b}|}$$



## Parallel and Perpendicular Planes

Two plane  $a_1x + b_1y + c_1z + d_1 = 0$  and  $a_2x + b_2y + c_2z + d_2 = 0$  are

1. Parallel if  $\frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{b_1}{b_2} = \frac{c_1}{c_2} \neq \frac{d_1}{d_2}$

2. Identical if  $\frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{b_1}{b_2} = \frac{c_1}{c_2} = \frac{d_1}{d_2}$

3. Perpendicular if  $a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 + c_1c_2 = 0$

$$P_1 \perp P_2$$

$$90^\circ$$

$$\vec{n}_1 \cdot \vec{n}_2 = 0$$

Consider the three planes

$$P_1 : 3x + 15y + 21z = 9$$

$$P_2 : x - 3y - z = 5, \text{ and}$$

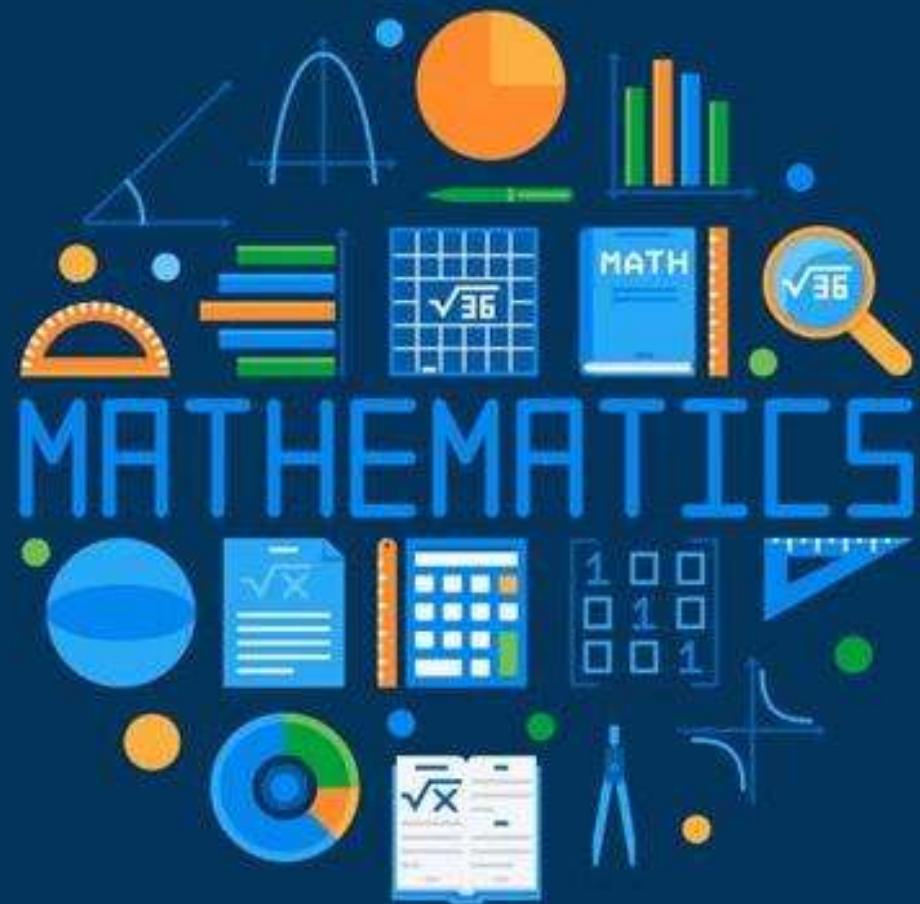
$$P_3 : 2x + 10y + 14z = 5$$

$$\frac{3}{2} = \frac{15}{10} = \frac{21}{14} \neq \frac{9}{5}$$

Then, which one of the following is true ?

- A.  $P_1$  and  $P_3$  are parallel.
- B.  $P_2$  and  $P_3$  are parallel.
- C.  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  are parallel.
- D.  $P_1$ ,  $P_2$  and  $P_3$  all are parallel.

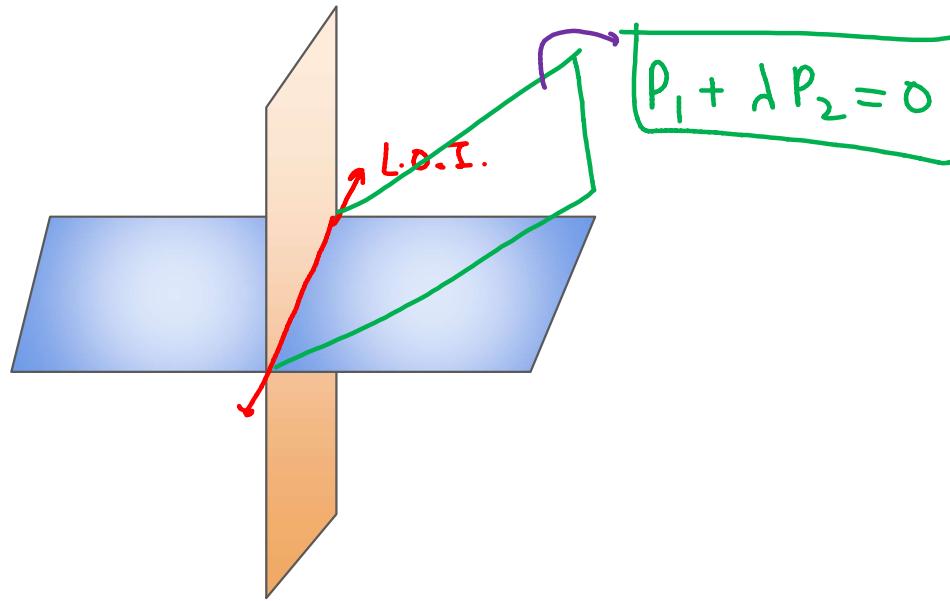
[26 Feb 2021 Shift 1]



# Family of Planes

## Family of Planes

Equation of Plane passing through the line of intersection of planes  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  is given by  $P_1 + \lambda P_2 = 0$



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

$$(2x - y - 4) - \lambda(y + 2z - 4) = 0$$

[08 Apr 2019 Shift 1]

$$(2x - y - 4) + \lambda(y + 2z - 4) = 0$$

$$2x + (-1+\lambda)y + (2\lambda)z + (-4-4\lambda) = 0$$

$$2(1) + (-1+\lambda)1 + 0 - 4 - 4\lambda = 0$$

$$2 - 1 + \lambda - 4 - 4\lambda = 0$$

$$-\lambda - 3 = 0$$

$$\boxed{\lambda = -1}$$

If the equation of the plane passing through the line of intersection of the planes  $2x - 7y + 4z - 3 = 0$ ,  $3x - 5y + 4z + 11 = 0$  and the point  $(-2, 1, 3)$  is  $ax + by + cz - 7 = 0$ , then the value of  $\underline{2a + b + c - 7}$  is

[17 Mar 2021 Shift 1]

$$(2x - 7y + 4z - 3) + \lambda(3x - 5y + 4z + 11) = 0$$

$$(-2) - 7 + 12 - 3 + \lambda(-6 - 8 + 12 + 11) = 0$$

$$(-2) + \lambda(12) = 0$$

$$\boxed{\lambda = 1/6}$$

$$6 \left\{ P_1 + \frac{1}{6} P_2 = 0 \right\}$$

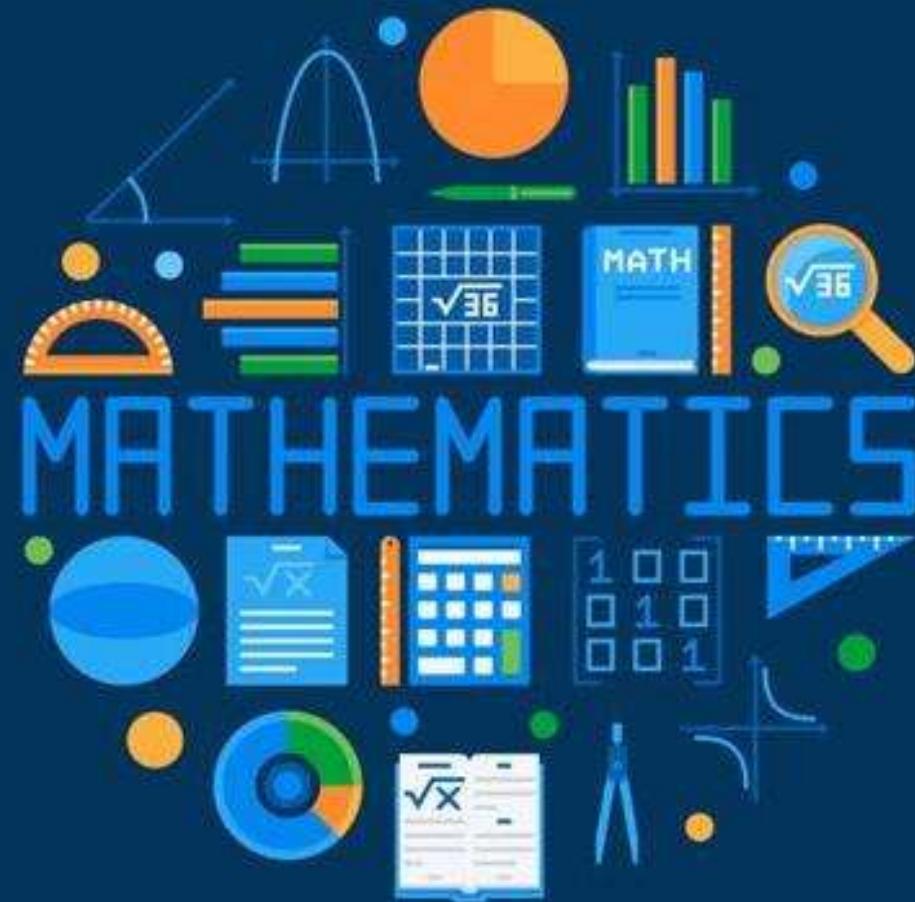
$$6P_1 + P_2 = 0$$
$$6(2x - 7y + 4z - 3) + (3x - 5y + 4z + 11) = 0$$

$$15x - 47y + 28z - 7 = 0$$

$$a = 15 \quad b = -47 \quad c = 28$$

$$2a + b + c - 7$$

$$= 30 - 47 + 28 - 7 = 4$$



# Angle Bisector

## Bisector of Angle between Two Lines

$$L_1 : \vec{r} = \vec{a}_1 + \lambda \vec{b}_1$$

$$L_2 : \vec{r} = \vec{a}_2 + \mu \vec{b}_2$$

$$2\theta + 2\phi = 180^\circ$$

$$\theta + \phi = 90^\circ$$

$AB_1 \perp AB_2$

$AB_1$

P.O.I

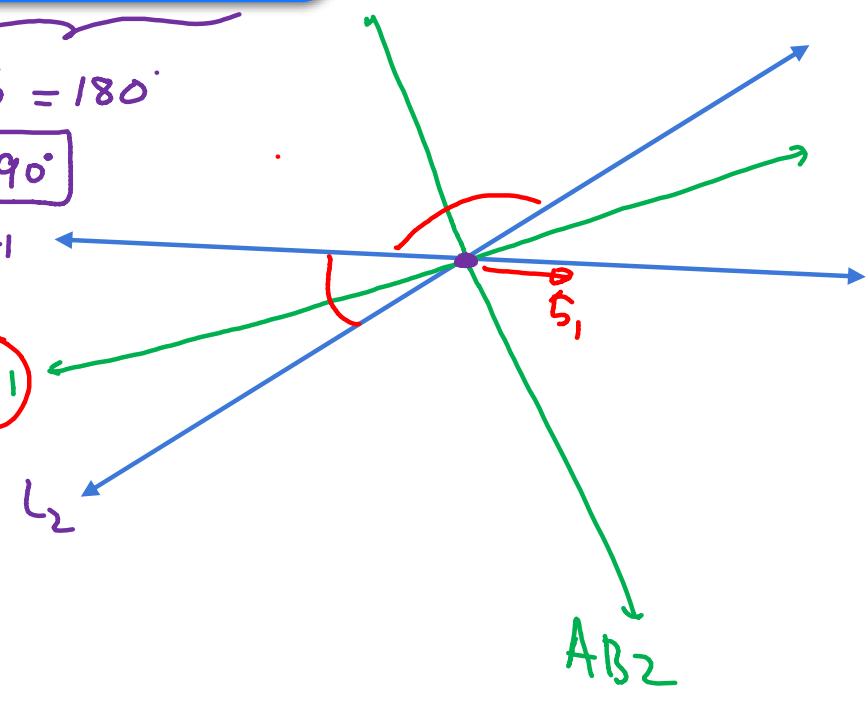
$\hat{b}_1 + \hat{b}_2$

$AB_1$

$AB_2$

P.O.Z

$\hat{b}_1 - \hat{b}_2$



## Bisection of Angle between Two Lines

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	Acute Angle Bisector	Obtuse Angle Bisector
$b_1 \cdot b_2 > 0$	$\widehat{b_1} + \widehat{b_2}$	$\widehat{b_1} - \widehat{b_2}$
$b_1 \cdot b_2 < 0$	$\widehat{b_1} - \widehat{b_2}$	$\widehat{b_1} + \widehat{b_2}$

$$b_1 \cdot b_2 = +$$

Let  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  be the following straight lines.

$$L_1: \frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y}{-1} = \frac{z-1}{3}$$

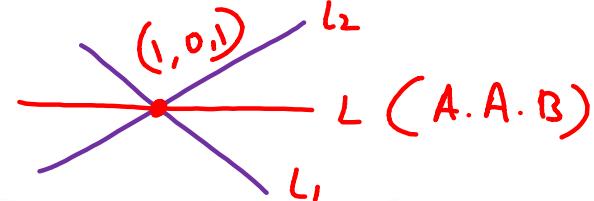
$$\text{and } L_2: \frac{x-1}{-3} = \frac{y}{-1} = \frac{z-1}{1}$$

P.O.I  $(1, 0, 1)$

Suppose the straight line

A.A.B  $L_1 \& L_2$

$$L: \frac{x-\alpha}{l} = \frac{y-1}{m} = \frac{z-\gamma}{-2}$$



A.B

lies in the plane containing  $L_1$  and  $L_2$ , and passes through the point of intersection of  $L_1$  and  $L_2$ . If the line  $L$  bisects the acute angle between the lines  $L_1$  and  $L_2$ , then which of the following statements is/are TRUE?

A.  $\alpha - \gamma = 3$

B.  $l + m = 2$

C.  $\alpha - \gamma = 1$

D.  $l + m = 0$

$$\vec{b}_1 \cdot \vec{b}_2 = (1, -1, 3) \cdot (-3, -1, 1)$$

$$= -\cancel{\gamma} + 1 + \cancel{\gamma}$$

$$= \textcircled{+}$$

[JEE Adv. 2020]

$$\frac{1-\alpha}{1} = \frac{-1}{1} = \frac{1-\gamma}{-2}$$

$\alpha = 2 \quad \gamma = -1$

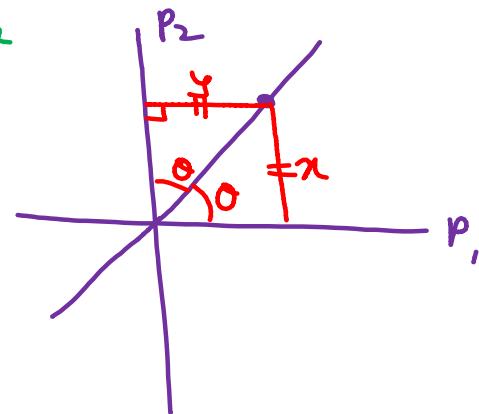
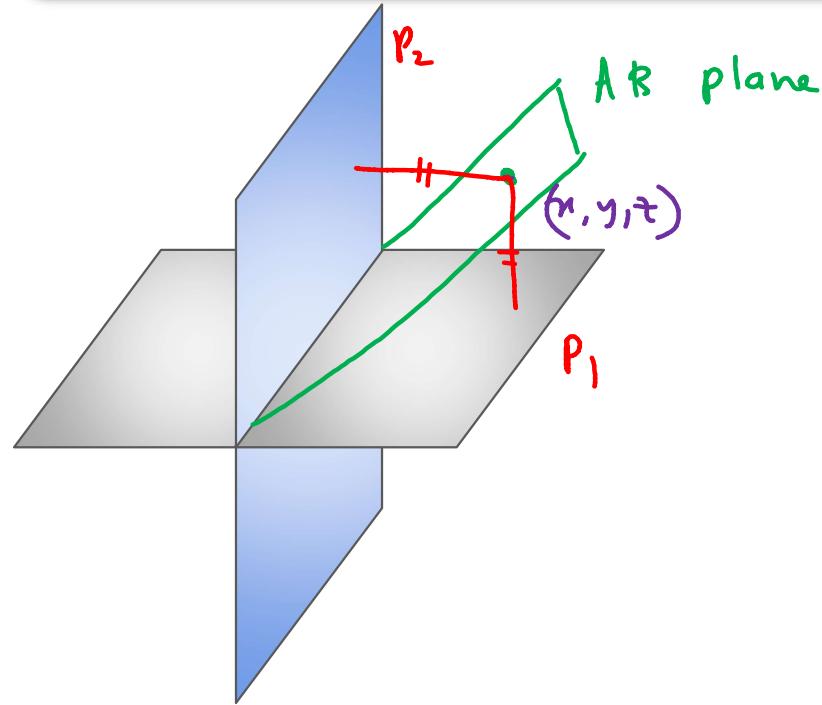
$$\begin{aligned}\text{dir}^n \text{ of } L : & \hat{b}_1 + \hat{b}_2 \\ &= \frac{(1, -1, 3)}{\sqrt{11}} + \frac{(-3, -1, 1)}{\sqrt{11}} \\ &= \left( \frac{-2}{\sqrt{11}}, \frac{-2}{\sqrt{11}}, \frac{4}{\sqrt{11}} \right) \\ &= (-2, -2, 4) \\ &= (l, m, -2)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}l=1 \\ m=1\end{array}$$

## Bisector of Angle between Two Planes

(S.L.)

$$\left( \frac{a_1x + b_1y + c_1z + d_1}{\sqrt{a_1^2 + b_1^2 + c_1^2}} \right) = \pm \left( \frac{a_2x + b_2y + c_2z + d_2}{\sqrt{a_2^2 + b_2^2 + c_2^2}} \right)$$



# Bisectors

1

Make constant terms positive

2

	Obtuse Angle Bisector	Acute Angle Bisector
$\checkmark a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 + c_1c_2 > 0$	+	-
$a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 + c_1c_2 < 0$	-	+

$$\vec{n}_1 \cdot \vec{n}_2 = ?$$

Equation of plane bisecting the acute angle between the planes

$$x - y + z - 1 = 0 \text{ and } x + y + z - 2 = 0$$

A.  $x + z = 3/2$

B.  $2y = 1$

C.  $x - y - z = 3$

D.  $x + 2z = 3$

$\vec{n}_1 \cdot \vec{n}_L = +$

### Acute Angle Bisector

①

$$\begin{aligned} & -x + y - z + 1 = 0 & P_1 \\ & -x - y - z + 2 = 0 & P_2 \end{aligned}$$

$$(-1, 1, -1) = \vec{n}_1$$

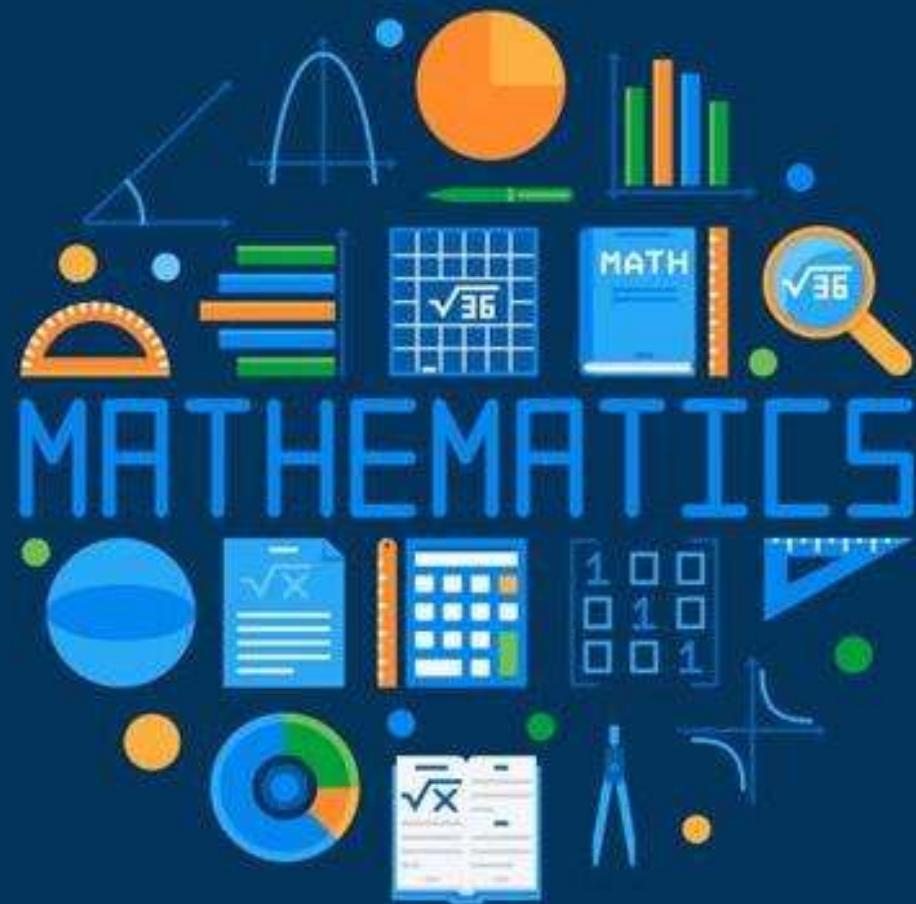
$$(-1, -1, -1) = \vec{n}_2$$

$$\left( \frac{-x + y - z + 1}{\sqrt{1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2}} \right) = - \left( \frac{-x - y - z + 2}{\sqrt{1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2}} \right)$$

$$-x + y - z + 1 = -(-x - y - z + 2)$$

$$-x + \cancel{y} - z + 1 = x + \cancel{y} + z - 2$$

$$\boxed{x + z = 3/2}$$



$$\frac{x-x_1}{a} = \frac{y-y_1}{b} = \frac{z-z_1}{c}$$

## Equation of Straight Line in Unsymmetrical Form

## Equation of Straight Line in Symmetrical form

$$\frac{x-x_1}{a} = \frac{y-y_1}{b} = \frac{z-z_1}{c}$$

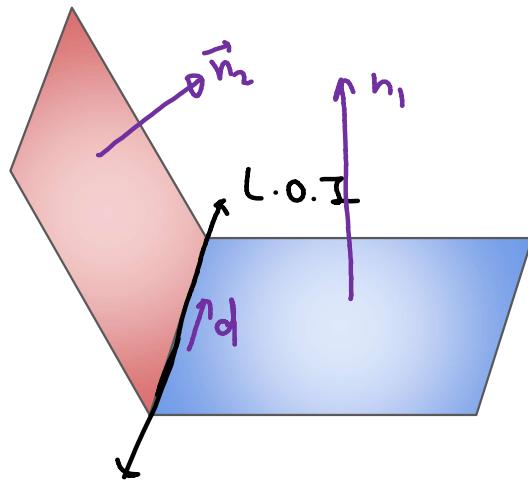


$(x_1, y_1, z_1)$  point

$(a, b, c) = d.v. / d.R$

## Equation of Straight Line in Unsymmetrical form

$$\underline{a_1x + b_1y + c_1z + d_1 = 0} \quad \underline{a_2x + b_2y + c_2z + d_2 = 0}$$



L. O. I.

① point:  $\vec{r} = \vec{a} + \lambda \vec{n}_1 + \mu \vec{n}_2$

②  $\vec{d} = \vec{n}_1 \times \vec{n}_2$

Consider the planes  $3x - 6y - 2z = 15$  and  $2x + y - 2z = 5$

- F Statement-1: The parametric equations of the line of intersection of the given planes are  $x = 3 + 14t$ ,  $y = 1 + 2t$ ,  $z = 15t$ . Because
- T Statement-2: The vector  $14\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 15\hat{k}$  is parallel to the lines of intersection of given planes.

$$3x - 6y - 2z = 15 \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \end{array} \right\} \text{L.O.I.}$$

$$2x + y - 2z = 5 \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \end{array} \right\}$$

[JEE Adv. 2007]

① Point  $z=0$

$$\begin{aligned} 3x - 6y &= 15 \\ 6x(2x + y = 5) & \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \end{array} \right\}$$

$$12x + 6y = 30$$

$$15x = 45$$

$$x = 3$$

$$y = -1$$

point  $(3, -1, 0)$

$$\text{dim}^n = n_1 \times n_2$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ 3 & -6 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix}$$

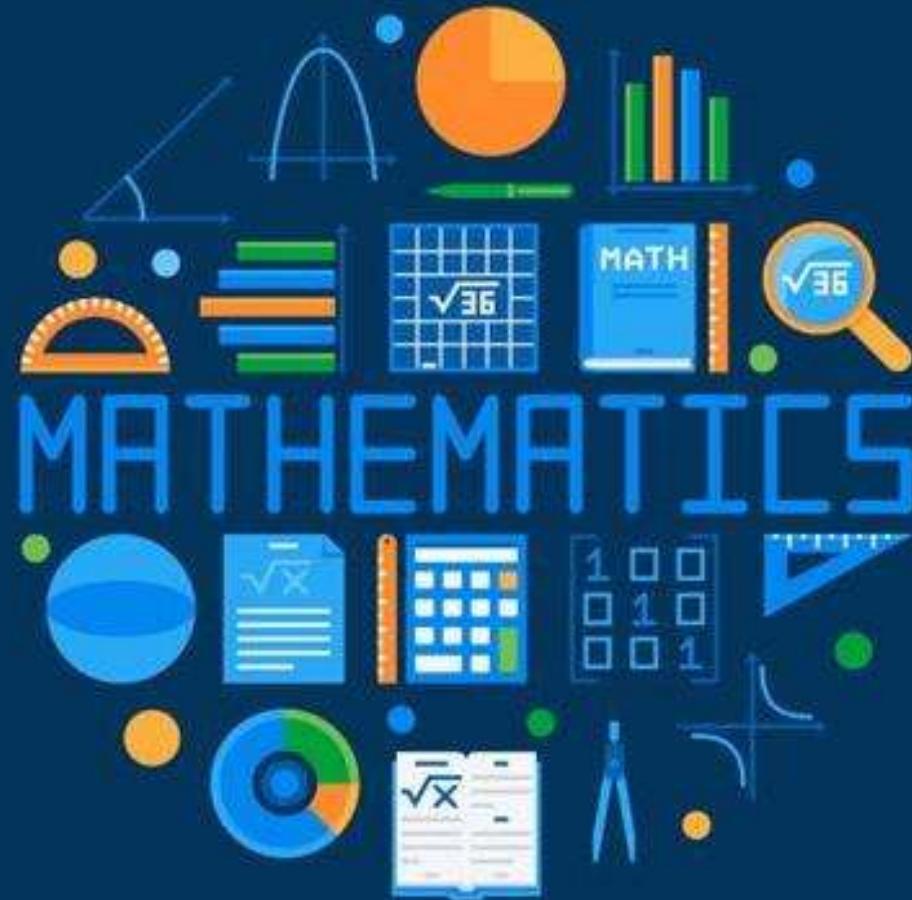
$$= \hat{i}(14) - \hat{j}(-2) + \hat{k}(15)$$

$$= \underline{14\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 15\hat{k}}$$

L.O.I.

$$\frac{x-3}{14} = \frac{y+1}{2} = \frac{z-0}{15} = t$$

$$(14t+3, 2t-1, 15t)$$



# Equation of Sphere

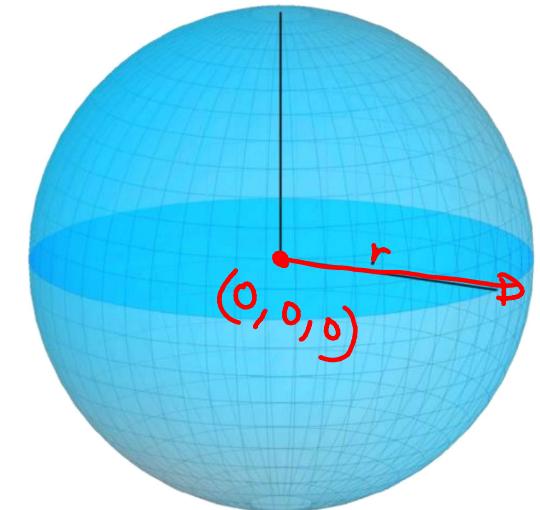
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## Equation of Sphere

Equation of Sphere with centre at origin and radius r is given by

$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = r^2$$

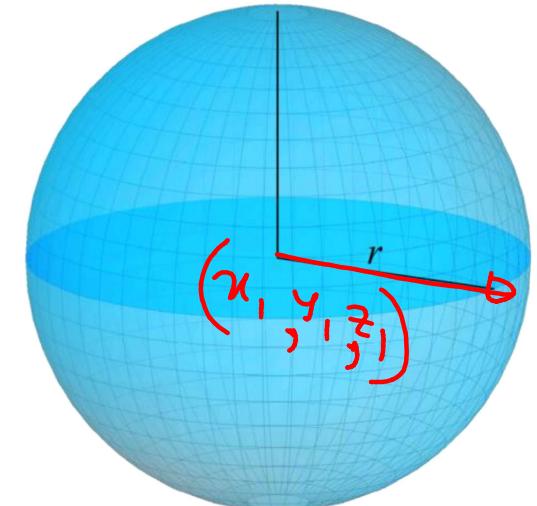
$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = r^2$$



## Equation of Sphere

Equation of Sphere with centre at  $(x_1, y_1, z_1)$  and radius r is given by

$$(x - x_1)^2 + (y - y_1)^2 + (z - z_1)^2 = r^2$$



## General Equation of Sphere

#  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$

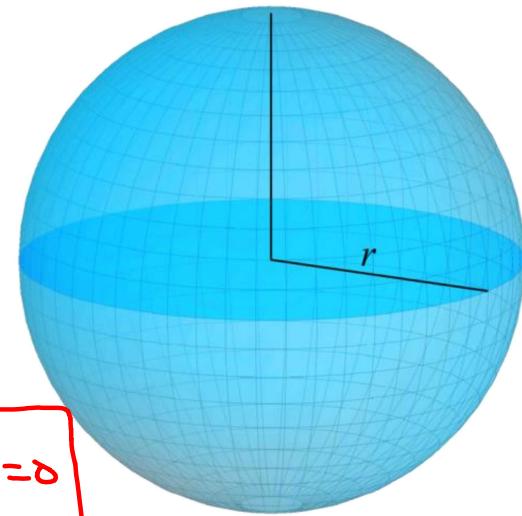
$$c(-g, -f)$$

$$\text{rad} = \sqrt{g^2 + f^2 - c}$$

#  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 2gx + 2fy + 2hz + c = 0$

$$c(-g, -f, -h)$$

$$\text{rad} = \sqrt{g^2 + f^2 + h^2 - c}$$

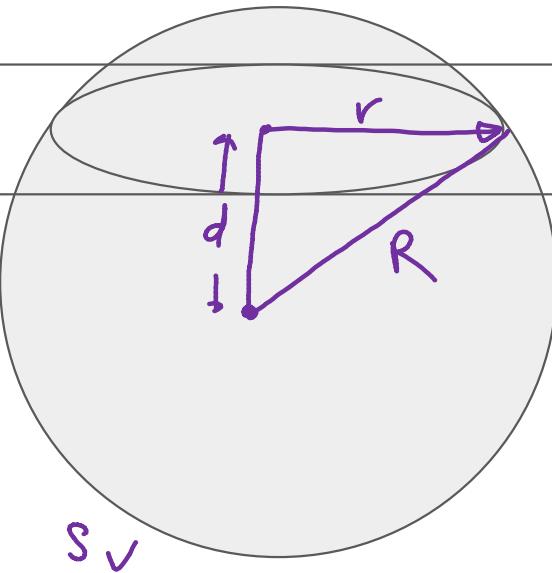


## Plane and Sphere

JEE M

$$r = \sqrt{R^2 - d^2}$$

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The plane  $x + 2y - z = 4$  cuts the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 - x + z - 2 = 0$   
 In a circle of radius

- A. 3  
 C. 2

$$\left(\frac{1}{2}, 0, -\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$d = \left| \frac{\frac{1}{2} + 0 + \frac{1}{2} - 4}{\sqrt{1^2 + 2^2 + 1^2}} \right|$$

$$d = \frac{3}{\sqrt{6}}$$

$$r = \sqrt{R^2 - d^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{5}{2} - \frac{9}{6}} = 1$$

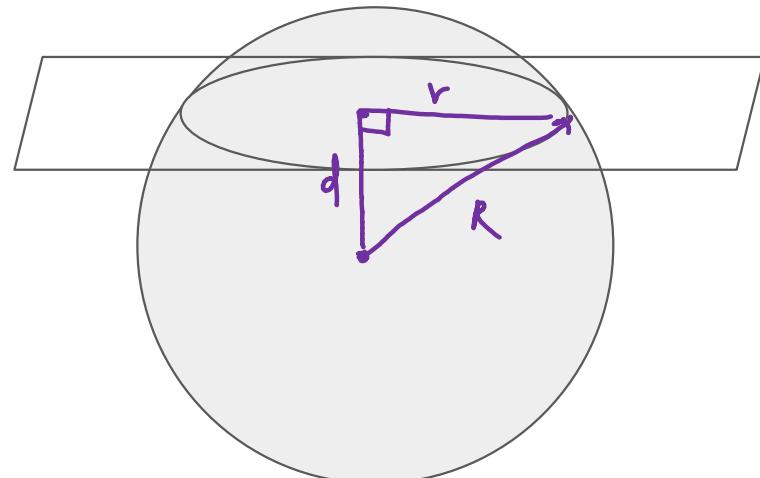
- B. 1  
 D.  $\sqrt{2}$

$$C\left(\frac{1}{2}, 0, -\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

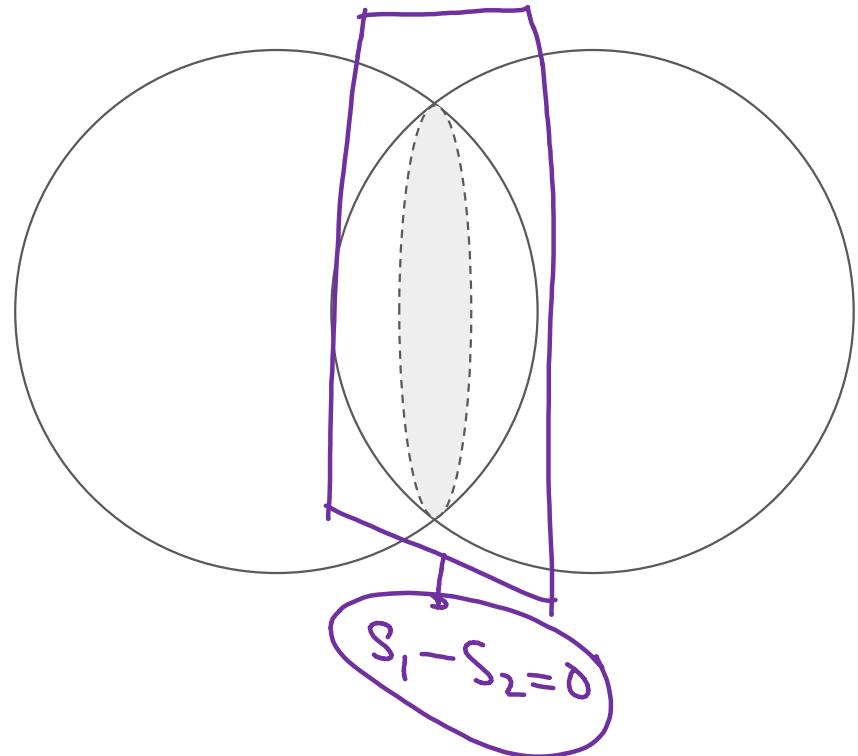
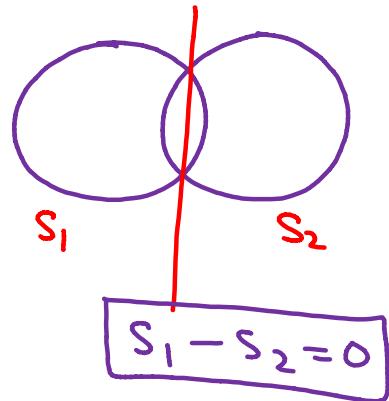
$$rad = \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 0^2 + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 - (-2)}$$

$$R = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2} + 2} = \sqrt{\frac{5}{2}}$$

[2005]



## Intersection of Two Spheres



The intersection of the spheres

~~$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 7x - 2y - z = 13$  and~~  
 ~~$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 3x + 3y + 4z = 8$  is the same as the intersection of  
one of the sphere and the plane~~

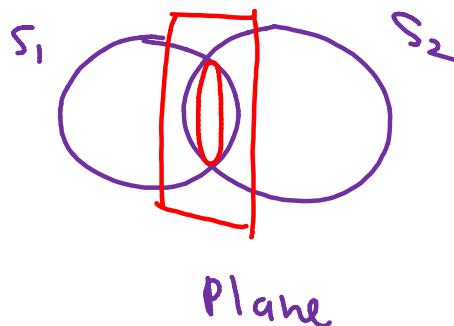
[2004]

A.  $2x - y - z = 1$

B.  $x - 2y - z = 1$

C.  $x - y - 2z = 1$

D.  $x - y - z = 1$



$$10x - 5y - 5z = 5$$

$$2x - y - z = 1$$