



DPP: THE PLANE

1. Find the equation of the plane passing through the point $(1, 1, -1)$ and perpendicular to the planes $x + 2y + 3z - 7 = 0$ and $2x - 3y + 4z = 0$ is
 1. $17x + 2y - 7z = 26$
 2. $17x + 2y - 7z = -26$
 3. $17x - 2y + 7z = 26$
 4. $17x - 2y - 7z = -26$
2. Find the equation of the plane passing through the points $(2, 1, -1)$, $(-1, 3, 4)$ and perpendicular to the plane $x - 2y + 4z = 10$
 1. $18x - 17y + 4z = 49$
 2. $18x - 17y - 4z = 49$
 3. $18x - 17y + 4z = -49$
 4. $18x + 17y + 4z = 49$
3. The plane $x - 2y + 3z = 0$ is rotated through an right angle about the line of intersection with the plane $2x + 3y - 4z - 5 = 0$, find the equation of the plane in its new position is _____
 1. $22x + 5y - 4z - 35 = 0$
 2. $22x - 5y + 4z - 35 = 0$
 3. $22x - 5y - 4z + 35 = 0$
 4. $20x - 3y + 4z - 7 = 0$
4. The image of the point with position vector $\vec{i} + 3\vec{k}$ in the plane $x + y + z - 1 = 0$ is
 1. $(-1, -2, 1)$
 2. $(-1, 2, -1)$
 3. $(-1, 3, 1)$
 4. $(1, -3, -1)$
5. If the plane $x + y + z = 1$ is rotated through an angle 90° about the line of intersection with the plane $x - 2y + 3z = 0$ then the new eqn of the plane is
 1. $x - 8y + 7z = -2$
 2. $x + 8y - 7z = -2$
 3. $x - 8y + 7z = 5$
 4. $8x - y + 3z = 5$
6. The volume of the tetrahedron included between the plane $6x + 4y + 5z = 60$ and the coordinate planes is
 1. 300
 2. 200
 3. 100
 4. 500
7. A tetrahedron has vertices $O(0, 0, 0)$, $A(1, 2, 1)$, $B(2, 1, 3)$ and $C(-1, 1, 2)$ then the angle between the faces OAB and OAC is ____
 1. $\theta = \cos^{-1}\left(\sqrt{\frac{3}{35}}\right)$
 2. $\theta = \cos^{-1}\left(\sqrt{\frac{2}{35}}\right)$
 3. $\theta = \cos^{-1}\left(\sqrt{\frac{4}{27}}\right)$
 4. $\theta = \sin^{-1}\left(\sqrt{\frac{1}{35}}\right)$

8. The plane $2\lambda x - (1 + \lambda)y + 3z = 0$ passes through the intersection of the planes
1. $2x - y = 0$ and $y + 3z = 0$
 2. $2x - y = 0$ and $y - 3z = 0$
 3. $2x + 3z = 0$ and $y = 0$
 4. $2x - 3y = 0$ and $z = 0$
9. If for a plane the intercepts on the coordinate axes are 8, 4 and 4 then the distance from origin to the centroid the triangle formed by the points on the coordinates axes is
1. $4\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$
 2. $8\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$
 3. $\frac{7}{3}$
 4. $7\sqrt{\frac{3}{5}}$
10. Equation of obtuse angle bisector of the planes is $2x - y - 2z - 6 = 0$, $3x + 2y - 6z - 12 = 0$ is
1. $5x - 13y + 4z - 6 = 0$
 2. $5x - 13y - 4z + 6 = 0$
 3. $2x - 4y + 5z - 7 = 0$
 4. $2x - 4y + 5z - 11 = 0$
11. Let the points on the plane P be equidistant from the points $(-4, 2, 1)$ and $(2, -2, 3)$ then the distance between the plane P and the plane $6x - 4y + 2z = 7$ is _____
1. $\frac{9}{2\sqrt{14}}$
 2. $\frac{5}{2\sqrt{14}}$
 3. $\frac{3}{2\sqrt{14}}$
 4. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{14}}$
12. Let P be a plane passing through the points $(0, 0, 0)$, $(4, 1, 1)$, $(5, 0, 1)$ and R be any point $(2, 1, 6)$ then the image of R in the plane P is
1. $(4, 3, -4)$
 2. $(4, -3, -4)$
 3. $(3, -4, 4)$
 4. $(3, 4, 4)$
13. The plane which bisects the angle between the two given planes $2x - y + 2z - 4 = 0$ and $x + 2y + 2z - 2 = 0$ which is at a distance of $\frac{2}{\sqrt{10}}$ from origin is
1. $x + 3y = 2$
 2. $x - 3y = 2$
 3. $3x + y + 4z = 6$
 4. $3x - y + 4z = 6$
14. The plane which bisects the line segment joining the points $(-2, -2, 4)$ and $(2, 6, -2)$ at right angle passes through which one of the following points?
1. $(-1, 1, -1)$
 2. $(1, 0, 2)$
 3. $(-1, -1, 1)$
 4. $(0, -1, 2)$
15. Consider the 3 planes
- $$\pi_1; 2x - 6y - 4z = 2$$
- $$\pi_2; 4x - 2y + 5z = 4$$
- $$\pi_3; 3x - 9y - 6z = 1$$
- Then which of the following is not correct
1. π_1 and π_2 are perpendicular
 2. π_1 and π_3 are parallel

3. Perpendicular distance from $O(0, 0, 0)$ to π_1 is $\frac{1}{\sqrt{14}}$
4. Sum of the intercepts made by π_3 on coordinate axes is $\frac{1}{9}$
16. The image of the point $(-1, 3, 4)$ in the plane $x - 2z = 0$ is (x_1, y_1, z_1) then $y_1 =$ _____
 1) 1 2) 3 3) 4 4) 2
17. If the plane $2x + y - 5z = 0$ is rotated about its line of intersection with the plane $3x - y + 4z - 7 = 0$ by an angle of $\frac{\pi}{2}$ then the plane after rotation is
 1. $8x - y + 3z = 14$ 2. $8x + y + 5z = 14$
 3. $8x - y + 3z = 14$ 4. $7x + y + 3z = 14$
18. If the plane P passes through the intersection of two mutually perpendicular planes $2x + ky - 4z - 3 = 0$ and $5x - 2y + z - 5 = 0$ and intercepts 2 units on x axis then intercepts on z axis is _____
 1) $\frac{8}{21}$ 2) $\frac{-10}{21}$ 3) $\frac{10}{17}$ 4) $\frac{-10}{17}$
19. A plane P is drawn \perp to the two planes $2x - 2y + z = 0$ and $x - y + 2z - 4 = 0$ and passes through the point $Q(1, -1, 1)$. if the distance of the plane P from the point $R(2, a, a)$ is $\sqrt{2}$ where $(a \neq 0)$ then $(QR)^2 =$ _____
 1. 27 2. 32 3. 35 4. 15
20. Let S be the set of all real values of λ such that a plane passing through the points $(-\lambda^2, 1, 1)$ $(1, -\lambda^2, 1)$ and $(1, 1, -\lambda^2)$ also passes through the points $(-1, -1, 1)$ then the plane equation is _____
 1) $2x + 3y + 4z + 1 = 0$ 2) $2x - 3y + 4z + 1 = 0$
 3) $x + 3y + z + 3 = 0$ 4) $x + y + z + 1 = 0$
21. If the point $(1, 1, \lambda)$ and $(-3, 0, 1)$ be equidistant from the plane $3x + 4y - 12z + 13 = 0$ then find the value of $[\lambda]$ if $(\lambda > 1)$ here $[.]$ denotes the greatest integer function.
22. Foot of the perpendicular drawn from the origin to the plane $x + 3y - 4z = 52$ is (h, k, l) then $h + k + l =$ _____
23. If a plane meets the coordinate axes at A, B and C such that centroid of the triangle is $(1, 2, 4)$ then the area of the triangle formed by the plane with x-axis, y-axis is _____
24. The image of the point $(1, 3, 4)$ w.r.t plane $2x - y + z + 3 = 0$ is $P(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$ then the distance between the centroid of the triangle formed by the plane on coordinate axes is G. if $PG = k$ then $[\sqrt{k}] =$ ____ .
 Where $[.]$ is the greatest integer function

25. The equation of the plane that contains the point $(1, -1, 2)$ and \perp to each of the planes $2x + 3y - 2z = 5$ and $x + 2y - 3z = 8$ is $ax + by + cz = d$ then $\left| \frac{a+c}{b} \right| = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
26. If the plane $2x - y + 2z + 3 = 0$ has the distances $\frac{2}{3}$ and $\frac{1}{3}$ units from the planes $4x - 2y + 4z + \lambda = 0$ and $2x - y + 2z + \mu = 0$ respectively then the maximum value of $\frac{\lambda + \mu}{2}$ is equal to $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
27. The equation of a plane passing through the line of intersection of the planes $x + 2y + 3z = 2$ and $x - y + z = 3$ and at a distance of $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$ from the point $(3, 1, -1)$ is $ax + by + cz = 17$ then $a + c = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
28. Let the plane $x + 3y - 2z + 6 = 0$ meet the coordinate axes at the points A, B, C. If the orthocenter of $\triangle ABC$ is $\left(\alpha, \beta, \frac{6}{7} \right)$ then $\left| \frac{\beta}{\alpha} \right| = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
29. Let Q be the Foot of the perpendicular drawn from the point $P(1, 2, 3)$ to the plane $x + 2y + z = 14$ If R is a point on the plane such that $\angle PRQ = 45^\circ$ then area of $\triangle PRP^1$ where P^1 is the image of P w.r.t the same plane
30. Equation of a plane through the line of intersection of planes $2x + 3y - 4z = 1$ and $3x - y + z + 2 = 0$ which makes intercept 4 on the positive x axis is $2x + 3y - 4z - 1 + \lambda(3x - y + z + 2) = 0$ then $|2\lambda| = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

KEY

01 - 10	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1
11 - 20	1	1	2	1	4	2	3	2	3	4
21 - 30	2	0	9	5	1	7	6	3	6	1

SOLUTIONS

1. The eqn of the plane passing through the point (x_1, y_1, z_1) and parallel to lines whose dr's are (a_1, b_1, c_1) and (a_2, b_2, c_2) is.

$$\begin{vmatrix} x - x_1 & y - y_1 & z - z_1 \\ a_1 & b_1 & c_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & c_2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\text{ie } \begin{vmatrix} x-1 & y-1 & z+1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 17x + 2y - 7z = 26$$

2. The eqn of the plane passing through the points (x_1, y_1, z_1) (x_2, y_2, z_2) and parallel to the line whose dr's (a, b, c)

$$\begin{vmatrix} x-x_1 & y-y_1 & z-z_1 \\ x_2-x_1 & y_2-y_1 & z_2-z_1 \\ a & b & c \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} x-2 & y-1 & z+1 \\ -1-2 & 3-1 & 4+1 \\ 1 & -2 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 18x + 17y + 4z = 49$$

3. The eqn of any plane through the intersection of the planes $x - 2y + 3z = 0$ and $2x + 3y - 4z - 5 = 0$ is $(x - 2y + 3z) + \lambda(2x + 3y - 4z - 5) = 0$

$$(1 + 2\lambda)x + (3\lambda - 2)y + (3 - 4\lambda)z - 5\lambda = 0 \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

it is given that angle between the planes is 90°

$$a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 + c_1c_2 = 0$$

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

$$1 + 2\lambda - 6\lambda + 4 + 9 - 12\lambda = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 16\lambda = 14$$

$$\boxed{\lambda = 7/8} \quad \text{put in (i)}$$

required plane $22x + 5y - 4z - 35 = 0$

4. Let (α, β, γ) be the image point

$$\frac{\alpha-1}{1} = \frac{\beta-0}{1} = \frac{\gamma-3}{1} = \frac{-2(1+0+3-1)}{1^2+1^2+1^2}$$

$$\frac{\alpha-1}{1} = \frac{\beta}{2} = \frac{\gamma-3}{1} = \frac{-6}{3}$$

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

5. The new position of the plane is

$$(x - 2y + 3z) + \lambda(x + y + z - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 + \lambda)x + (\lambda - 2)y + (3 + \lambda)z - \lambda = 0$$

Given that this is \perp to $x + y + z = 1$

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

$$\Rightarrow 1 + \lambda + \lambda - 2 + 3 + \lambda = 0$$

$$3\lambda + 2 = 0 \quad \lambda = -2/3$$

\therefore New position of the plane is

$$(x - 2y + 3z) - \frac{2}{3}(x + y + z - 1) = 0$$

$$3x - 6y + 9z - 2x - 2y - 2z + 2 = 0$$

$$x - 8y + 7z = -2$$

6. Eqn of the plane in the intercept form is

$$\frac{x}{10} + \frac{y}{15} + \frac{z}{12} = 1 \quad \text{which meets the}$$

coordinate axes at the points $A(10,0,0)$ $B(0,15,0)$ and $C(0,0,12)$ the coordinate of the origin $(0,0,0)$

$$\therefore \text{volume of the tetrahedron } OABC = \frac{1}{6} \begin{vmatrix} 10 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 15 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 12 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} |10(15 \times 12)| = 300$$

7. Vector perpendicular to the face OAB is $\vec{OA} \times \vec{OB}$

$$= (\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}) \times (2\vec{i} + \vec{j} + 3\vec{k})$$

$$= 5\vec{i} - \vec{j} - 3\vec{k}$$

vector perpendicular to the face OAC is $\vec{OA} \times \vec{OC} = 3\vec{i} - 3\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$

Since the angle between the face = angle between there is normal

$$\cos \theta = \frac{5(3) + (-1)(-3) + (-3)(3)}{\sqrt{5^2 + 1^2 + 3^2} \sqrt{3^2 + 3^2 + 3^2}}$$

$$= \frac{15 + 3 - 9}{\sqrt{35} \sqrt{27}} = \frac{9}{\sqrt{35} \cdot 3\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{35}}$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \left(\sqrt{\frac{3}{35}} \right)$$

8. Given eqn can be written as

$$2\lambda x + y - \lambda y + 3z = 0$$

$$(2x - y)\lambda + (-y + 3z) = 0$$

in the eqn of the plane passes through the intersection of planes $2x - y = 0$ and $y - 3z = 0$

9. Plane eqn $\frac{x}{8} + \frac{y}{4} + \frac{z}{4} = 1$

let points on the axes be $A(8,0,0)$ $B(0,4,0)$ & $C(0,0,4)$ centroid $G\left(\frac{8}{3}, \frac{4}{3}, \frac{4}{3}\right)$

$$\text{Now } OG = \sqrt{\frac{64}{9} + \frac{16}{9} + \frac{16}{9}} = \sqrt{\frac{96}{9}} = \sqrt{\frac{32}{3}} = 4\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$$

10. Here $d_1 d_2 = (-6)(-12) > 0$

$$a_1 a_2 + b_1 b_2 + c_1 c_2 = 2 \cdot 3 + (-1)(2) + (-2)(-6)$$

$$= 6 - 2 + 12 > 0$$

\therefore obtuse angular bisection is

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

$$\frac{(2x-y-2z-1)}{\sqrt{2^2+1^2+2^2}} = \frac{(3x+2y-6z-12)}{\sqrt{3^2+2^2+6^2}}$$

$$7(2x-y-2z-6) = 3(3x+2y-6z-12)$$

$$14x-7y-14z-42 = 9x+6y-18z-36$$

$$5x-13y+4z-6=0$$

11. Let the point on the plane be $p(x, y, z)$ given that the points on the plane P are equidistant from $(-4, 2, 1)$ and $(2, -2, 3)$

$$\text{ie } (x+4)^2 + (y-2)^2 + (z-1)^2 = (x-2)^2 + (y+2)^2 + (z-3)^2$$

solving we get plane p as $3x-2y+z+1=0$

Given plane (parallel) $6x-4y+2z-7=0$

$$6x-4y+2z+2=0$$

$$\text{distance between plans} = \frac{|-7-2|}{\sqrt{6^2+4^2+2^2}} = \frac{9}{2\sqrt{14}}$$

12. Eqn of the plane $\begin{vmatrix} x-x_1 & y-y_1 & z-z_1 \\ x_2-x_1 & y_2-y_1 & z_2-z_1 \\ x_3-x_1 & y_3-y_1 & z_3-z_1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} x & y & z \\ 4 & 1 & 1 \\ 5 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{x+y-5z=0}$$

using image theorem let (α, β, γ) be the image of $R(2, 1, 6)$ w.r.t plane

$$\frac{\alpha-2}{1} = \frac{\beta-1}{1} = \frac{\gamma-6}{5} = \frac{-2(2+1-5(6))}{1^2+1^2+(-5)^2}$$

$$\alpha-2 = \beta-1 = \frac{\gamma-6}{5} = \frac{-2(27)}{27}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\alpha, \beta, \gamma) = (4, 3, -4)$$

13. Eqn of the given planes are $2x-y+2z-4=0$ ____ (i)

$$x+2y+2z-2=0$$
 ____ (ii)

$$\text{angular bisectors are } \frac{(2x-y+2z-4)}{\sqrt{2^2+1^2+2^2}} = \frac{\pm(x+2y+2z-2)}{\sqrt{1^2+2^2+2^2}}$$

$$\text{bisectors are } x-3y=2 \text{ \& } 3x+y+4z-6=0$$

$$\perp \text{ distance from } 0(0,0,0) \text{ to } x-3y-2=0 \text{ is } \frac{2}{\sqrt{10}}$$

14. Let the points be $A(-2, -2, 4)$ $B(2, 6, -2)$

The midpoint of the line joining AB is $P(0, 2, 1)$

$$\text{DR's AB line } (-2-2, -2-6, 4+2) = (-4, -8, 6) \\ = (a, b, c)$$

$$\text{eqn of the line } a(x-x_1)+b(y-y_1)+c(z-z_1)=0$$

$$\Rightarrow -4(x-0) - 8(y-2) + 6(z-1) = 0$$

$$-4x - 8y + 16 + 6z - 6 = 0$$

$$-4x - 8y + 6z + 10 = 0$$

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

by checking $(-1, 1, -1)$ satisfies the plane eqn

$$2(-1) + 4(1) - 3(-1) - 5$$

$$-2 + 4 + 3 - 5 = 0$$

15. If the planes $a_1x + b_1y + c_1z = d_1$, $a_2x + b_2y + c_2z = d_2$ are parallel then

$$\frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{b_1}{b_2} = \frac{c_1}{c_2}$$

$$\pi_1 : 2x - 6y - 4z = 2$$

Here

$$\pi_2 : 4x - 2y + 5z = 4$$

$$\pi_3 : 3x - 9y - 6z = 1$$

π_1 and π_3 are parallel since $\frac{2}{3} - \frac{-6}{-9} = \frac{-4}{-6}$

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

Perpendicular distance from O $(0, 0, 0)$ to $ax + by + cz = 0$ is $\frac{|d|}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}}$

Equation of the plane in intercepts form is $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} + \frac{z}{c} = 1$

$$\pi_3 \text{ Plane can be written as } \frac{x}{\frac{1}{3}} + \frac{y}{\frac{-1}{9}} + \frac{z}{\frac{-1}{6}} = 1$$

$$\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{9} - \frac{1}{6} = \frac{6-2-3}{18} = \frac{1}{18}$$

Sum of intercepts =

16. Using image theorem

$$\text{Let } (h, k, l) = (x_1, y_1, z_1)$$

$$\frac{x_1+1}{1} = \frac{y_1-3}{0} = \frac{z_1-4}{-2} = \frac{-2(-1-2(4))}{1^2+0^2+(-2)^2}$$

$$\frac{y_1 - 3}{0} = \frac{-2(-9)}{5}$$

$$y_1 - 3 = 0 \Rightarrow y_1 = 3$$

17. Given plane equation $2x + y - 5z = 0$ let the equation of the plane formed be

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

$$\Rightarrow x(2 + 3\lambda) + (1 - \lambda)y + (-5 + 4\lambda)z - 7\lambda = 0 \quad (1)$$

this plane is perpendicular to $2x + y - 5z = 0$

$$\text{Using } a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 + c_1c_2 = 0$$

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

$$4 + 6\lambda + 1 - \lambda + 25 - 20\lambda = 0$$

$$-15\lambda + 30 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 2 \text{ sub in } (1)$$

$$\text{required plane is } 8x - y + 3z = 14$$

18. Planes $2x + ky - 4z - 3 = 0$ and $5x - 2y + z - 5 = 0$

$$a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 + c_1c_2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2.5 + k(-2) - 4(1) = 0$$

$$10 - 2k - 4 = 0$$

$$6 - 2k = 0 \Rightarrow k = 3$$

Now equation of the plane passing through the intersection of P_1 & P_2 planes is $P_1 + \lambda P_2 = 0$

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

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

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

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

Given x intercept is 2 units

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3 + 5\lambda}{2 + 5\lambda} = 2$$

$$3+5\lambda=4+10\lambda$$

$$5\lambda=-1$$

$$\lambda=\frac{-1}{5}$$

$$Z \text{ intercept} = \frac{3+5\left(\frac{-1}{5}\right)}{-4-\frac{1}{5}} = \frac{3-1}{\frac{-21}{5}} = \frac{2}{\frac{-21}{5}} = \frac{-10}{21}$$

19. Eqn of plane passing through $Q(1,-1,1)$ and \perp to the planes $2x-2y+z=0$ and $x-y+2z-4=0$ is

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

plane is $x+y=0$

given point $R(2,a,a)$ where $a \neq 0$ perpendicular distance from plane is $\sqrt{2}$

$$\frac{|2+a|}{\sqrt{1+1}} = \sqrt{2}$$

$$|2+a| = 2$$

$$|2+a| = \pm 2$$

$$\text{case (i)} \quad 2+a=2$$

$$\therefore a \neq 0$$

$$\text{case (ii)} \quad 2+a=-2$$

$$\boxed{a=-4}$$

$$\therefore a \neq 0 \Rightarrow a = -4$$

$$\therefore \text{Point } R(2,a,a) = (2,-4,-4)$$

$$QR = \sqrt{(2-1)^2 + (-4+1)^2 + (-4-1)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{1+9+25} = \sqrt{35}$$

$$(QR)^2 = 35$$

20. By the data the point are coplanar condition for co-planarity of four points (x_1, y_1, z_1) (x_2, y_2, z_2) (x_3, y_3, z_3) and (x_4, y_4, z_4) is

$$\begin{vmatrix} x_2 - x_1 & y_2 - y_1 & z_2 - z_1 \\ x_3 - x_1 & y_3 - y_1 & z_3 - z_1 \\ x_4 - x_1 & y_4 - y_1 & z_4 - z_1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 2 & -(\lambda^2 + 1) \\ 2 & 1 - \lambda^2 & 0 \\ 1 - \lambda^2 & 2 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

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

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

$$(1 - \lambda^2)^2 = 4$$

$$(1 - \lambda^2) = \pm 2$$

$$1 - \lambda^2 = 2$$

$$\lambda^2 \neq -1$$

$$\text{or } 1 - \lambda^2 = -2$$

$$\lambda^2 = 3$$

$$\boxed{\lambda = \pm\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\therefore \text{Point is } (-3, 1, 1) \quad (1, -3, 1) \quad (1, 1, -3)$$

$$\text{Equation of the plane is } \begin{vmatrix} x - x_1 & y - y_1 & z - z_1 \\ x_2 - x_1 & y_2 - y_1 & z_2 - z_1 \\ x_3 - x_1 & y_3 - y_1 & z_3 - z_1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} x + 3 & y - 1 & z - 1 \\ 4 & -4 & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & -4 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\text{Solving we get } x + y + z + 1 = 0$$

21. It is given that the points $(1, 1, \lambda)$ and $(-3, 0, 1)$ are equidistant from the plane

$$3x + 4y - 12z + 13 = 0$$

$$\frac{|3(1) + 4(1) - 12(\lambda) + 13|}{\sqrt{3^2 + 4^2 + (-12)^2}} = \frac{|3(-3) + 4(0) - 12(1) + 13|}{\sqrt{3^2 + 4^2 + (-12)^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow |20 - 12\lambda| = 8$$

$$20 - 12\lambda = \pm 8$$

$$20 - 12\lambda = 8 \quad / \quad 20 - 12\lambda = -8$$

$$12 - 12\lambda \quad / \quad 28 = 12\lambda$$

$$\boxed{\lambda = 1} \quad \boxed{\lambda = 7/3} \quad \because \lambda > 1$$

$$\text{Now } \left[\frac{7}{3}\right] = 2$$

22. Foot of the \perp draw from the origin to the plane

$$ax + by + cz = d \text{ is } \left[\frac{ad}{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}, \frac{bd}{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}, \frac{cd}{a^2 + b^2 + c^2} \right]$$

$$\text{Foot of the } \perp \text{ be } (h, k, l) = \left(\frac{1.52}{1^2 + 3^2 + 4^2}, \frac{3.52}{1^2 + 3^2 + 4^2}, \frac{-4.52}{1^2 + 3^2 + 4^2} \right)$$

$$= \left(\frac{52}{26}, \frac{3.52}{26}, \frac{-4.52}{26} \right)$$

$$= (2, 6, -8) \text{ Now } h + k + l = 0$$

23. Let the eqn the plane be $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} + \frac{z}{c} = 1$

Then $A(a, 0, 0)$, $B(0, b, 0)$, $C(0, 0, c)$ are the points on the coordinate axes

$$\text{Centroid of the triangle } \left(\frac{a}{3}, \frac{b}{3}, \frac{c}{3} \right) = (1, 2, 4)$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 3, b = 6, c = 12$$

$$\text{plane is } \frac{x}{3} + \frac{y}{6} + \frac{z}{12} = 1$$

Now area of the Δ / e formed by the plane $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} + \frac{z}{c} = 1$ with X axis, Y axis is $\frac{1}{2}|ab|$ squints
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$$\therefore \text{Area with X axis, Y axis} = \frac{1}{2}|3.6|$$

$$= 9 \text{ squints}$$

24. Image of the point $(1, 3, 4)$ w.r.t plane $2x - y + z + 3 = 0$ is $P(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$

$$\frac{\alpha - 1}{2} = \frac{\beta - 3}{-1} = \frac{\gamma - 4}{1} = \frac{-2(2(1) - 3 + 4 + 3)}{2^2 + 1^2 + 1^2}$$

$$\text{solving } P(\alpha, \beta, \gamma) = (-3, 5, 2)$$

centroid of the Δ / e formed by the plane on the coordinate axes is $G = (-1/2, 1, -1)$

$$\text{Now } GP = k = \frac{125}{4}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \left[\sqrt{k} \right] &= \left[\sqrt{\frac{125}{4}} \right] = [5.59] \\ &= 5 \end{aligned}$$

25. The eqn of the plane is

$$\begin{vmatrix} x-1 & y+1 & z-2 \\ 2 & 3 & -2 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$(x-1)(-9+4) - (y+1)(-6+2) + (z-2)(4-3) = 0$$

$$(x-1)(-5) - (y+1)(+4) + (z-2)(1) = 0$$

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

$$-5x + 4y + z + 7 = 0$$

$$5x - 4y - z - 7 = 0$$

$$\frac{a+c}{b} = \frac{5-1}{-4} = -1$$

comparing with $ax + by + cz = d$

$$a = 5, b = -4, c = -1, d = 7$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{a+c}{b} \right| = 1$$

26. Given plane are $2x - y + 2z - 3 = 0$ _____ (1)

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

$$2x - y + 2z + \mu = 0$$
 _____ (3)

distance between (i) & (ii) is $\frac{2}{3}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{|\lambda + 2(3)|}{\sqrt{4^2 + 2^2 + 4^2}} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\frac{|\lambda - 6|}{6} = \frac{2}{3} \Rightarrow |\lambda - 6| = 4$$

$$\lambda - 6 = \pm 4$$

$$\lambda - 6 = 4 / \lambda - 6 = -4$$

$$\boxed{\lambda = 10} \quad \boxed{\lambda = 2}$$

distance between planes (i) & (iii) is

$$\frac{|\mu-3|}{\sqrt{2^2+1^2+2^2}} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\frac{|\mu-3|}{3} = \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow |\mu-3|=1$$

$$\mu-3=\pm 1$$

$$\mu-3=1/\mu-3=-1$$

$$\boxed{\mu=4} \quad \boxed{\mu=2}$$

Now for max value of $\frac{\lambda+\mu}{2}$ take $\lambda=10$ & $\mu=4$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{10+4}{2}=7$$

27. Equation of the plane passing through the intersection of the planes $x+2y+3z-2=0$ and $x-y+z-3=0$ is

$$(x+2y+3z-2)+\lambda(x-y+z-3)=0$$

$$\Rightarrow x(1+\lambda)+y(2-\lambda)+z(3+\lambda)-(2+3\lambda)=0$$

Given Distance from $(3,1,-1)$ is $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{|3(1+\lambda)+1(2-\lambda)-1(3+\lambda)-(2+3\lambda)|}{\sqrt{1+\lambda^2+(2-\lambda)^2+(3+\lambda)^2}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{|3+3\lambda+2-\lambda-3-\lambda-2-3\lambda|}{\sqrt{3\lambda^2+4\lambda+14}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{|-2\lambda|}{\sqrt{3\lambda^2+4\lambda+14}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\lambda = -\frac{7}{2}$$

Solving sub in 1

Plane is $5x-11y+z=17$ comparing $ax+by+cz=17$

$$a+c=5+1=6$$

28. Plane $x+3y-2z=-6$

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

Let P be the orthocenter $= \left(\alpha, \beta, \frac{6}{7} \right)$

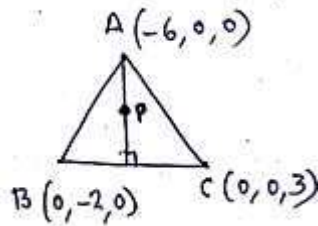
$$Ap \perp Bc$$

Direction ratios $Ap = \left(\alpha + 6, \beta, \frac{6}{7} \right)$

Direction ratios $Bc = (0, 2, 3)$

$Ap \perp Bc$

$$\Rightarrow 0(\alpha + 6) + 2\beta + \frac{18}{7} = 0$$



$$2\beta = -\frac{18}{7}$$

$$\beta = -\frac{9}{7}$$

$Bp \perp Ac$

Direction ratios of $BP = \left(\alpha - 0, \beta + 2, \frac{6}{7} \right)$

Direction ratios of $AC = (0 + 6, 0 - 0, 3 - 0) = (6, 0, 3)$

$BP \perp AC$

$$6(\alpha) + 0(\beta + 2) + 3\left(\frac{6}{7}\right) = 0$$

$$6\alpha + \frac{18}{7} = 0$$

$$6\alpha = -\frac{18}{7} \Rightarrow \alpha = -\frac{3}{7}$$

Now $\left| \frac{\beta}{\alpha} \right| = \left| \frac{-9}{-\frac{3}{7}} \right| = 3$

29. $P(1, 2, 3)$

Plane Equation $x + 2y + z - 14 = 0$

Give $\angle PRQ = 45^\circ$



$$PQ = \frac{|1 + 2(2) + 3 - 14|}{\sqrt{1^2 + 2^2 + 1^2}}$$

\therefore 1P Is the image of P w.r.t the plane

$$= 2\frac{1}{2} \times \sqrt{6} \times \sqrt{6}$$

30. The plane $2x + 3y - 4z - 1 + \lambda(3x - y + z + 2) = 0$ passes through $(4, 0, 0)$

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

$$8 - 1 + \lambda(14) = 0 \quad 14\lambda = -7$$

$$\therefore |2\lambda| = 1$$