1. If the two lines

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

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

are perpendicular, then the value of α is

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

$$\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y+1}{3} = z, \frac{x+1}{5} = \frac{y-2}{1}, z = 2$$
 (3)

(b) Find the equation of the plane through the line of intersection of the planes

$$\vec{r}.(\hat{i} + 3\hat{j}) + 6 = 0 \tag{4}$$

and

$$\vec{r}.(3\hat{i} - \hat{j} - 4\hat{k}) = 0, (5)$$

which is a unit distance from the origin.

- 3. If segment of the line intercepted between the coordinate-axes is bisected at the point M(2,3), then the equation of this line is
 - (a) 2x + 3y = 13
 - (b) x + y = 5
 - (c) 2x + y = 7
 - (d) 3x + 2y = 12
- 4. The equation of a line through (2, -4) and parallel to x-axis is_____
- 5. Find the equation of the median through vertex \vec{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:

$$7x + 2y = 11\tag{6}$$

$$4x - y = 2 \tag{7}$$