

CHAPTER - 18

THREE DIMENSIONAL GEOMETRY

Important Results

1. Distance formula : $\sqrt{(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2 + (z_2 - z_1)^2}$
2. Section formula : $x = \frac{lx_2 + mx_1}{l + m}, y = \frac{ly_2 + my_1}{l + m}, z = \frac{lz_2 + mz_1}{l + m}$
3. Midpoint $x = \frac{x_1 + x_2}{2}, y = \frac{y_1 + y_2}{2}, z = \frac{z_1 + z_2}{2}$
4. Centroid of the triangle : $x = \frac{x_1 + x_2 + x_3}{3}, y = \frac{y_1 + y_2 + y_3}{3}, z = \frac{z_1 + z_2 + z_3}{3}$
5. Distance of $P(x, y, z)$ from the x axis is $\sqrt{y^2 + z^2}$, from the y axis $\sqrt{x^2 + z^2}$ and from the z axis is $\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$
6. If the projections of PQ on the co-ordinate axes are x, y, z then $PQ = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$ and D.Cs of PQ are $\left\langle \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}}, \frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}}, \frac{z}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} \right\rangle$
7. Centroid of the tetrahedron $x = \frac{x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4}{4}, y = \frac{y_1 + y_2 + y_3 + y_4}{4}, z = \frac{z_1 + z_2 + z_3 + z_4}{4}$
8. Direction cosines of a line making angles α, β, γ with the x, y, z axes respectively are $l = \cos \alpha, m = \cos \beta, n = \cos \gamma$
9. $l^2 + m^2 + n^2 = 1 = \cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \gamma$
10. $\sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \beta + \sin^2 \gamma = 2$

11. D.Cs of the x axis $\langle 1, 0, 0 \rangle$, y axis $\langle 0, 1, 0 \rangle$ z axis $\langle 0, 0, 1 \rangle$
12. If $|OP| = r$ and $P(x, y, z)$ then D.Cs of OP are $\left\langle \frac{x}{r}, \frac{y}{r}, \frac{z}{r} \right\rangle$
13. If l, m, n are the D.Cs of \vec{r} , then $\vec{r} = |\vec{r}| (\vec{i}l + \vec{j}m + \vec{k}n)$
14. If $\langle a, b, c \rangle$ are the DRs, then D.Cs are $\left\langle \frac{a}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}}, \frac{b}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}}, \frac{c}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}} \right\rangle$
15. DRs of the line joining (x_1, y_1, z_1) and (x_2, y_2, z_2) are $\langle x_2 - x_1, y_2 - y_1, z_2 - z_1 \rangle$
16. Projection of the line joining (x_1, y_1, z_1) and (x_2, y_2, z_2) on another line whose D.Cs are $\langle l, m, n \rangle$ is $|(x_2 - x_1)l + (y_2 - y_1)m + (z_2 - z_1)n|$
17. Angle between two lines is given by $\cos \theta = \frac{l_1 l_2 + m_1 m_2 + n_1 n_2}{\sqrt{l_1^2 + m_1^2 + n_1^2} \sqrt{l_2^2 + m_2^2 + n_2^2}}$ where $\langle l_1, m_1, n_1 \rangle$ and $\langle l_2, m_2, n_2 \rangle$ are the D.Cs of the lines $\sin^2 \theta = \frac{\sum (l_1 m_2 - l_2 m_1)^2}{(\sum l_1^2)(\sum m_2^2)}$
18. Acute angle between the diagonals of a cube is $\cos^{-1}(1/3)$ or $\tan^{-1}(2\sqrt{2})$
19. If a line makes angles $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$ with the four diagonals of a cube then $\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \gamma + \cos^2 \delta = \frac{4}{3}$ and $\sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \beta + \sin^2 \gamma + \sin^2 \delta = \frac{8}{3}$
20. If the lines are parallel
 - i) $l_1 = l_2, m_1 = m_2, n_1 = n_2$ if D.Cs are given
 - ii) $\frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{b_1}{b_2} = \frac{c_1}{c_2}$ if DRs are given
21. If the lines are perpendicular
 - i) $l_1 l_2 + m_1 m_2 + n_1 n_2 = 0$ if D.Cs are given
 - ii) $a_1 a_2 + b_1 b_2 + c_1 c_2 = 0$ if DRs are given
22. General equation of a plane is: $ax + by + cz + d = 0$
23. DRs of the normal to the plane $ax + by + cz + d = 0$ are $\langle a, b, c \rangle$
24. DRs of the normal to XY plane; $\langle 0, 0, 1 \rangle$
 DRs of the normal to YZ plane; $\langle 1, 0, 0 \rangle$
 DRs of the normal to ZX plane; $\langle 0, 1, 0 \rangle$
25. Equation of a plane passing through (x_1, y_1, z_1) is $a(x - x_1) + b(y - y_1) + c(z - z_1) = 0$
26. Angle between the planes $a_1 x + b_1 y + c_1 z + d_1 = 0$ and $a_2 x + b_2 y + c_2 z + d_2 = 0$ is given by: $\cos \theta = \frac{|a_1 a_2 + b_1 b_2 + c_1 c_2|}{\sqrt{a_1^2 + b_1^2 + c_1^2} \sqrt{a_2^2 + b_2^2 + c_2^2}}$

$$\cos\theta = \frac{a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 + c_1c_2}{\sqrt{a_1^2 + b_1^2 + c_1^2} \sqrt{a_2^2 + b_2^2 + c_2^2}}$$

27. Planes are perpendicular if $a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 + c_1c_2 = 0$ and parallel if $\frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{b_1}{b_2} = \frac{c_1}{c_2}$

28. Intercept form of a plane $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} + \frac{z}{c} = 1$, If a plane makes intercepts $OA = a$, $OB = b$, $OC = c$ on the x , y ,

z axes respectively then $\Delta ABC = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{(ab)^2 + (bc)^2 + (ca)^2}$

29. Normal form : $lx + my + nz = p$

30. Equation of a plane parallel to $ax + by + cz + d_1 = 0$ is $ax + by + cz + d_2 = 0$

31. Equation of the plane parallel to the planes $ax + by + cz + d_1 = 0$ and $ax + by + cz + d_2 = 0$ and equidistant from them is $ax + by + cz + \frac{d_1 + d_2}{2} = 0$

32. Perpendicular distance of a point from $ax + by + cz + d = 0$ is $\left| \frac{ax_1 + by_1 + cz_1 + d}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}} \right|$

33. Distance between the parallel planes $ax + by + cz + d_1 = 0$ and $ax + by + cz + d_2 = 0$ is $\frac{|d_1 - d_2|}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}}$

34. Equations of the planes bisecting the angle between two planes are:

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

35. To distinguish between the bisecting planes;

i) Write both the equations such that the constant terms are positive

ii) If $a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 + c_1c_2$ is negative then the origin lies in the acute angle. If it is positive then the origin lies in the obtuse angle.

iii) $\frac{a_1x + b_1y + c_1z + d_1}{\sqrt{a_1^2 + b_1^2 + c_1^2}} = + \frac{a_2x + b_2y + c_2z + d_2}{\sqrt{a_2^2 + b_2^2 + c_2^2}}$ bisects the angle between the planes that contains

the origin and $\frac{a_1x + b_1y + c_1z + d_1}{\sqrt{a_1^2 + b_1^2 + c_1^2}} = -\frac{(a_2x + b_2y + c_2z + d_2)}{\sqrt{a_2^2 + b_2^2 + c_2^2}}$ bisects the angle between the planes that does not contain the origin

36. If (a, b, c) is the foot of the perpendicular from the origin to a plane then the equation of the plane is $ax + by + cz = a^2 + b^2 + c^2$
37. Equation of the plane passing through (x_1, y_1, z_1) , (x_2, y_2, z_2) and (x_3, y_3, z_3) is

$$\begin{vmatrix} x - x_1 & y - y_1 & z - z_1 \\ x_2 - x_1 & y_2 - y_1 & z_2 - z_1 \\ x_3 - x_1 & y_3 - y_1 & z_3 - z_1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

38. Reflection of the plane $a'x + b'y + c'z + d' = 0$ in the plane $ax + by + cz + d = 0$ is $2(aa' + bb' + cc')(ax + by + cz + d) = (a^2 + b^2 + c^2)(a'x + b'y + c'z + d')$
39. Two points (x_1, y_1, z_1) and (x_2, y_2, z_2) lie on the same side of the plane $ax + by + cz + d = 0$ if $ax_1 + by_1 + cz_1 + d$ and $ax_2 + by_2 + cz_2 + d$ are of the same sign. The points lie on opposite sides of the plane if $ax_1 + by_1 + cz_1 + d$ and $ax_2 + by_2 + cz_2 + d$ are of opposite signs.
40. If $ax + by + cz + d = 0$ is parallel to the x axis then $a = 0$, if it is parallel to y axis then $b = 0$, if it is parallel to z axis then $c = 0$
41. Equation of a plane passing through the line of intersection of the planes $P = 0$ and $Q = 0$ is $P + \lambda Q = 0$
42. Symmetrical form of a line is

i) $\frac{x - x_1}{l} = \frac{y - y_1}{m} = \frac{z - z_1}{n}$ if $\langle l, m, n \rangle$ are the D.Cs

ii) $\frac{x - x_1}{a} = \frac{y - y_1}{b} = \frac{z - z_1}{c}$ if $\langle a, b, c \rangle$ are the DRs

43. To put $a_1x + b_1y + c_1z + d_1 = 0 = a_2x + b_2y + c_2z + d_2$ in symmetrical form find
(i) any point on the line (ii) DRs of the line
44. Equation of the line joining (x_1, y_1, z_1) and (x_2, y_2, z_2) is $\frac{x - x_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{y - y_1}{y_2 - y_1} = \frac{z - z_1}{z_2 - z_1}$
45. Angle between a line and a plane is given by $\sin \theta = \frac{|al + bm + cn|}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2} \sqrt{l^2 + m^2 + n^2}}$
46. If $\frac{x - x_1}{l} = \frac{y - y_1}{m} = \frac{z - z_1}{n}$ is parallel to the plane $ax + by + cz + d = 0$ then $al + bm + cn = 0$ and

$$ax_1 + by_1 + cz_1 + d = 0$$

If the line and the plane are perpendicular then $\frac{l}{a} = \frac{m}{b} = \frac{n}{c}$

47. If the line lies in the plane then

i) $al + bm + cn = 0$ and (ii) $ax_1 + by_1 + cz_1 + d = 0$

48. Equation of a plane containing the line $\frac{x-x_1}{l} = \frac{y-y_1}{m} = \frac{z-z_1}{n}$ is $a(x-x_1) + b(y-y_1) + c(z-z_1) = 0$ where $al + bm + cn = 0$

49. Equation of the plane containing line $\frac{x-x_1}{l} = \frac{y-y_1}{m} = \frac{z-z_1}{n}$ and the point (x_2, y_2, z_2) not lying on the

line is $\begin{vmatrix} x-x_1 & y-y_1 & z-z_1 \\ l & m & n \\ x_2-x_1 & y_2-y_1 & z_2-z_1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$

50. Equation of the plane containing the lines $\frac{x-x_1}{l_1} = \frac{y-y_1}{m_1} = \frac{z-z_1}{n_1}$ and $\frac{x-x_2}{l_2} = \frac{y-y_2}{m_2} = \frac{z-z_2}{n_2}$ is

$$\begin{vmatrix} x-x_1 & y-y_1 & z-z_1 \\ l_1 & m_1 & n_1 \\ l_2 & m_2 & n_2 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad \begin{vmatrix} x-x_2 & y-y_2 & z-z_2 \\ l_1 & m_1 & n_1 \\ l_2 & m_2 & n_2 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \quad \text{and the condition for the above lines to be}$$

coplanar is $\begin{vmatrix} x_2-x_1 & y_2-y_1 & z_2-z_1 \\ l_1 & m_1 & n_1 \\ l_2 & m_2 & n_2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$

51. If the lines $a_1x + b_1y + c_1z + d_1 = 0 = a_2x + b_2y + c_2z + d_2$ and $a_3x + b_3y + c_3z + d_3 = 0 = a_4x + b_4y + c_4z + d_4$ intersect then

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & c_1 & d_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & c_2 & d_2 \\ a_3 & b_3 & c_3 & d_3 \\ a_4 & b_4 & c_4 & d_4 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

52. Equation of the plane through the line $\frac{x-x_1}{l_1} = \frac{y-y_1}{m_1} = \frac{z-z_1}{n_1}$ and parallel to the line

$$\frac{x-x_2}{l_2} = \frac{y-y_2}{m_2} = \frac{z-z_2}{n_2} \quad \text{is} \quad \begin{vmatrix} x-x_1 & y-y_1 & z-z_1 \\ l_1 & m_1 & n_1 \\ l_2 & m_2 & n_2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

53. If S.D = 0 the lines intersect or they are coplanar

54. Intersection of 3 planes

Consider

$$a_1x + b_1y + c_1z + d_1 = 0$$

$$a_2x + b_2y + c_2z + d_2 = 0$$

$$a_3x + b_3y + c_3z + d_3 = 0$$

$$\Delta_1 = \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & c_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & c_2 \\ a_3 & b_3 & c_3 \end{vmatrix}, \Delta_2 = \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & d_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & d_2 \\ a_3 & b_3 & d_3 \end{vmatrix}, \Delta_3 = \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & c_1 & d_1 \\ a_2 & c_2 & d_2 \\ a_3 & c_3 & d_3 \end{vmatrix}, \Delta_4 = \begin{vmatrix} b_1 & c_1 & d_1 \\ b_2 & c_2 & d_2 \\ b_3 & c_3 & d_3 \end{vmatrix}$$

If $\Delta_1 \neq 0$ the planes intersect in a point. If $\Delta_1 = 0$ and $\Delta_2 = 0$ or $\Delta_3 = 0$ or $\Delta_4 = 0$ the planes intersect in a line. If $\Delta_1 = 0$ and neither of $\Delta_2, \Delta_3, \Delta_4$ is zero then the planes form a triangular prism.

55. If $ax^2 + by^2 + cz^2 + 2fyz + 2gzx + 2hxy = 0$ represents a pair of planes then $\begin{vmatrix} a & h & g \\ h & b & f \\ g & f & c \end{vmatrix} = 0$

Vector forms:-

1. Equation of a line passing through a fixed point $A(\mathbf{a})$ and parallel to a vector \mathbf{b} is $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{a} + t\mathbf{b}$

2. Equation of a line passing through two points $A(\mathbf{a})$ and $B(\mathbf{b})$ is $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{a} + t(\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a})$

3. Angle between the lines $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{a}_1 + t\mathbf{b}_1$ and $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{a}_2 + t\mathbf{b}_2$ is given by: $\cos\theta = \frac{\mathbf{b}_1 \cdot \mathbf{b}_2}{|\mathbf{b}_1||\mathbf{b}_2|}$

If the lines are perpendicular $\mathbf{b}_1 \cdot \mathbf{b}_2 = 0$ and if the lines are parallel then $\mathbf{b}_1 = t\mathbf{b}_2$

4. The distance of the point $A(\mathbf{a}_2)$ from the line $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{a}_1 + t\mathbf{b}_1$ is $\frac{|(\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1) \times \mathbf{b}_1|}{|\mathbf{b}_1|}$, Foot of the perpendicular from

$$A(\mathbf{a}_2) \text{ to the line } \mathbf{r} = \mathbf{a}_1 + t\mathbf{b}_1 \text{ is } \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{(\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1) \cdot \mathbf{b}_1}{|\mathbf{b}_1|^2} \mathbf{b}_1$$

5. S.D = $\left| \frac{(\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1) \cdot \mathbf{b}_1 \times \mathbf{b}_2}{|\mathbf{b}_1 \times \mathbf{b}_2|} \right|$ or $\left| \frac{(\mathbf{a}_2 - \mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{b}_1, \mathbf{b}_2)}{|\mathbf{b}_1 \times \mathbf{b}_2|} \right|$, Image of $A(\mathbf{a}_2)$ in the line $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{a}_1 + t\mathbf{b}_1$ is

$$2\bar{a}_1 + \frac{2(\bar{a}_2 - \bar{a}_1) \cdot \bar{b}_1 \bar{b}_1}{|\bar{b}_1|^2} - \bar{a}_2$$

6. The lines $\bar{r} = \bar{a}_1 + t\bar{b}_1$ and $\bar{r} = \bar{a}_2 + s_2\bar{b}_2$ lie in a plane if $(\bar{a}_2 - \bar{a}_1) \cdot \bar{b}_1 \times \bar{b}_2 = 0$
7. S.D. between two parallel lines is $\left| \frac{(\bar{a}_2 - \bar{a}_1) \times \bar{b}_1}{|\bar{b}_1|} \right|$
8. Vector equation of a plane in the normal form: $\bar{r} \cdot \bar{n} = d$ where \bar{n} is perpendicular to the plane
9. Equation of a plane through \bar{a} and perpendicular to \bar{n} is $(\bar{r} - \bar{a}) \cdot \bar{n} = 0$ ie $\bar{r} \cdot \bar{n} = \bar{a} \cdot \bar{n}$
10. Equation of the plane containing A(a), B(b) and C(c) is: $\bar{r} \cdot [\bar{b} \times \bar{c} + \bar{c} \times \bar{a} + \bar{a} \times \bar{b}] = (\bar{a}, \bar{b}, \bar{c})$
11. Angle between the planes $\bar{r} \cdot \bar{n}_1 = d_1$ and $\bar{r} \cdot \bar{n}_2 = d_2$ is given by $\cos \theta = \frac{\bar{n}_1 \cdot \bar{n}_2}{|\bar{n}_1| |\bar{n}_2|}$
12. Equation of a plane passing through A(a) and parallel to \bar{b} and \bar{c} is $\bar{r} = \bar{a} + l\bar{b} + m\bar{c}$. The above equation in scalar product form is $(\bar{r}, \bar{b}, \bar{c}) = (\bar{a}, \bar{b}, \bar{c})$
13. Equation of a plane parallel to $\bar{r} \cdot \bar{n} = d_1$ is $\bar{r} \cdot \bar{n} = d_2$
14. The line of intersection of the planes $\bar{r} \cdot \bar{n}_1 = d_1$ and $\bar{r} \cdot \bar{n}_2 = d_2$ is parallel to $\bar{n}_1 \times \bar{n}_2$
15. Equation of a plane passing through the line of intersection of the planes $\bar{r} \cdot \bar{n}_1 = d_1$ and $\bar{r} \cdot \bar{n}_2 = d_2$ is

$$(\bar{r} \cdot \bar{n}_1 - d_1) + l(\bar{r} \cdot \bar{n}_2 - d_2) = 0$$
16. Length of the perpendicular from a point A(a) to the plane $\bar{r} \cdot \bar{n} = d$ is given by $p = \frac{|\bar{a} \cdot \bar{n} - d|}{|\bar{n}|}$
17. Equation of planes bisecting the angles between $\bar{r} \cdot \bar{n}_1 = d_1$ and $\bar{r} \cdot \bar{n}_2 = d_2$ are $\frac{\bar{r} \cdot \bar{n}_1 - d_1}{|\bar{n}_1|} = \pm \frac{\bar{r} \cdot \bar{n}_2 - d_2}{|\bar{n}_2|}$
18. If q is the angle between the line $\bar{r} = \bar{a} + l\bar{b}$ and the plane $\bar{r} \cdot \bar{n} = d$ then $\sin q = \frac{|\bar{b} \cdot \bar{n}|}{|\bar{b}| |\bar{n}|}$. If the line and the plane are parallel then $\bar{b} \cdot \bar{n} = 0$. If the line lies in the plane then $\bar{b} \cdot \bar{n} = 0$ and $\bar{a} \cdot \bar{n} = d$
19. If the lines $\bar{r} = \bar{a}_1 + l\bar{b}_1$ and $\bar{r} = \bar{a}_2 + m\bar{b}_2$ are coplanar then $(\bar{a}_1, \bar{b}_1, \bar{b}_2) = (\bar{a}_2, \bar{b}_1, \bar{b}_2)$ and the plane containing the lines is $(\bar{r}, \bar{b}_1, \bar{b}_2) = (\bar{a}_1, \bar{b}_1, \bar{b}_2)$ or $(\bar{r}, \bar{b}_1, \bar{b}_2) = (\bar{a}_2, \bar{b}_1, \bar{b}_2)$

20. If the lines $\vec{r} = \vec{a} + \lambda(\vec{b} \times \vec{c})$ and $\vec{r} = \vec{b} + \mu(\vec{c} \times \vec{a})$ intersect then $\vec{b} \cdot \vec{c} = \vec{c} \cdot \vec{a}$
21. Volume of the tetrahedron ABCD = $\frac{1}{6} [\vec{AB}, \vec{AC}, \vec{AD}]$
22. $\vec{r} = \lambda \vec{i}$ represents the x axis, $\vec{r} = \lambda \vec{j}$ represents the y axis, $\vec{r} = \lambda \vec{k}$ represents the z axis.
23. $\vec{r} = \lambda \vec{i} + \mu \vec{j}$ represents $z = 0$, $\vec{r} = \lambda \vec{j} + \mu \vec{k}$ represents $x = 0$, $\vec{r} = \lambda \vec{i} + \mu \vec{k}$ represents $y = 0$

PART I - (JEEMAIN)

SECTION - I - Straight objective type questions

- Which of the following set of points are non- collinear
 (1) (1, -1, 1), (-1, 1, 1), (0, 0, 1)
 (2) (1, 2, 3), (3, 2, 1), (2, 2, 2)
 (3) (-2, 4, -3), (4, -3, -2), (-3, -2, 4)
 (4) (2, 0, -1), (3, 2, -2), (5, 6, -4)
- If O is the origin and $OP = 3$ with direction ratios $-1, 2, -2$, then co-ordinates of P are
 (1) (1, 2, 2) (2) (-1, 2, -2) (3) (-3, 6, -9) (4) $(-1/3, 2/3, -2/3)$
- If $\frac{x-1}{\ell} = \frac{y-2}{m} = \frac{z+1}{n}$ is the equation of the line through (1, 2, -1) and (-1, 0, 1), then (ℓ, m, n) is
 (1) (-1, 0, 1) (2) (1, 1, -1) (3) (1, 2, -1) (4) (0, 1, 0)
- If A, B, C, D are the points (2, 3, -1), (3, 5, -3), (1, 2, 3), (3, 5, 7) respectively, then the angle between AB and CD is
 (1) $\frac{\pi}{2}$ (2) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ (3) $\frac{\pi}{4}$ (4) $\frac{\pi}{6}$
- The line passing through the points (5, 1, a) and (3, b, 1) crosses the yz - plane at the point $\left(0, \frac{17}{2}, \frac{-13}{2}\right)$.
 Then,
 1) a = 2, b = 8 2) a = 4, b = 6 3) a = 6, b = 4 4) a = 8, b = 2

6. If a point $R(4, y, z)$ lies on the line segment joining the points $P(2, -3, 4)$ and $Q(8, 0, 10)$, then the distance of R from the origin is:
 (1) $2\sqrt{14}$ (2) 6 (3) $\sqrt{53}$ (4) $2\sqrt{21}$
7. A plane P meets the coordinate axis at A, B and C respectively. The centroid of $\triangle ABC$ is given to be $(1, 1, 2)$. Then the equation of the line through this centroid and perpendicular to the plane P is:
 (1) $\frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y-1}{2} = \frac{z-2}{2}$ (2) $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-1}{2} = \frac{z-2}{1}$
 (3) $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-1}{1} = \frac{z-2}{1}$ (4) $\frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y-1}{1} = \frac{z-2}{2}$
8. The shortest distance between the lines $\frac{x-3}{3} = \frac{y-8}{-1} = \frac{z-3}{1}$ and $\frac{x+3}{-3} = \frac{y+7}{2} = \frac{z-6}{4}$ is
 (1) $\frac{7}{2}\sqrt{30}$ (2) $3\sqrt{30}$ (3) 3 (4) $2\sqrt{30}$
9. The length of the perpendicular from the point $(2, -1, 4)$ on the straight line, $\frac{x+3}{10} = \frac{y-2}{-7} = \frac{z}{1}$ is
 (1) less than 2 (2) greater than 3 but less than 4
 (3) greater than 4 (4) greater than 2 but less than 3
10. Two lines $\frac{x-3}{1} = \frac{y+1}{3} = \frac{z-6}{-1}$ and $\frac{x+5}{7} = \frac{y-2}{-6} = \frac{z-3}{4}$ intersect at the point R. The reflection of R in the xy-plane has coordinates:
 (1) $(2, 4, 7)$ (2) $(-2, 4, 7)$ (3) $(2, -4, -7)$ (4) $(2, -4, 7)$
11. If the lines $x = ay + b$, $z = cy + d$ and $x = a'z + b'$, $y = c'z + d'$ are perpendicular, then
 (1) $cc' + a + a' = 0$ (2) $aa' + c + c' = 0$ (3) $ab' + bc' + 1 = 0$ (4) $bb' + cc' + 1 = 0$
12. The S.D. between the lines
 $\vec{r} = (\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}) + \lambda(2\vec{i} + \vec{j} + 2\vec{k})$
 and $\vec{r} = 2\vec{i} - \vec{j} - \vec{k} + \mu(2\vec{i} + \vec{j} + 2\vec{k})$ is
 1) 0 unit 2) $\frac{\sqrt{101}}{3}$ units 3) $\frac{3}{\sqrt{101}}$ units 4) $\frac{101}{3}$ units
13. If for some $\alpha \in R$, the lines $L_1: \frac{x+1}{2} = \frac{y-2}{-2} = \frac{z-1}{1}$ and $L_2: \frac{x+2}{\alpha} = \frac{y+1}{5-\alpha} = \frac{z+1}{1}$ are coplanar, then the line L_2 passes through the point:
 (1) $(-2, 10, 2)$ (2) $(10, 2, 2)$ (3) $(10, -2, -2)$ (4) $(2, -10, -2)$

14. A line passes through a point A with position vector $3\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}$ and is parallel to the vector $2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$. If P is a point on this line such that $AP = 15$ units, then the position vector of the point P is /are
- 1) $13\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 9\hat{k}$ 2) $13\hat{i} - 4\hat{j} + 9\hat{k}$ 3) $7\hat{i} - 6\hat{j} + 11\hat{k}$ 4) $7\hat{i} + 6\hat{j} + 11\hat{k}$
15. The angle between the straight lines $x - 1 = \frac{2y + 3}{3} = \frac{z + 5}{2}$ and $x = 3r + 2; y = -2r - 1; z = 2$, where r is a parameter, is
- 1) $\frac{\pi}{4}$ 2) $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{-3}{\sqrt{182}}\right)$ 3) $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{-3}{\sqrt{182}}\right)$ 4) $\frac{\pi}{2}$
16. If the lines $\frac{x}{1} = \frac{y}{2} = \frac{z}{3}, \frac{x-1}{3} = \frac{y-2}{-1} = \frac{z-3}{4}$ and $\frac{x+k}{3} = \frac{y-1}{2} = \frac{z-2}{h}$ are concurrent then
- 1) $h = -2, k = -6$ 2) $h = \frac{1}{2}, k = 2$
- 3) $h = 6, k = 2$ 4) $h=2, k = \frac{1}{2}$
17. The point of intersection of the lines $\vec{r} = 7\vec{i} + 10\vec{j} + 13\vec{k} + S(2\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + 4\vec{k})$ and $\vec{r} = 3\vec{i} + 5\vec{j} + 7\vec{k} + t(\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k})$ is
- 1) $\vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k}$ 2) $2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 4\vec{k}$ 3) $\vec{i} - \vec{j} + \vec{k}$ 4) $\vec{i} - \vec{j} - \vec{k}$
18. The acute angle between the lines whose d.c's are given by $l + m - n = 0, l^2 + m^2 - n^2 = 0$ is
- 1) 0 2) $\frac{\pi}{6}$ 3) $\frac{\pi}{4}$ 4) $\frac{\pi}{3}$
19. A line passes through a point A with position vector $3\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}$ and is parallel to the vector $2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$. If P is a point on this line such that $AP = 15$ units, then the position vector of the point P is /are
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20. **Statement-I:** If the vectors \vec{a} and \vec{c} are non-collinear then the lines $\vec{r} = 6\vec{a} - \vec{c} + \lambda(2\vec{c} - \vec{a})$ and $\vec{r} = \vec{a} - \vec{c} + \mu(\vec{a} + 3\vec{c})$ are coplanar

Statement-II: There exist λ and μ such that the two values of \vec{r} in Statement-I becomes same.

- 1) If both statement-I and statement -II are true and the reason is the correct explanation of the statement -I
- 2) If both statement-I and statement -II are true but reason is not the correct explanation of the statement-I
- 3) If statement-I is true but statement-II is false
- 4) If statement-I is false but statement-II is true

SECTION - II

Numerical Type Questions

21. If the length of the perpendicular from the point $(\beta, 0, \beta)$ ($\beta \neq 0$) to the line, $\frac{x}{1} = \frac{y-1}{0} = \frac{z+1}{-1}$ is $\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$, then $|\beta|$ is equal to
22. If (a, b, c) is the image of the point $(1, 2, -3)$ in the line $\frac{x+1}{2} = \frac{y-3}{-2} = \frac{z}{-1}$, then $a + b + c$ is equal to
23. The lines $\frac{x-2}{2} = \frac{y}{-2} = \frac{z-7}{16}$ and $\frac{x+3}{4} = \frac{y+2}{3} = \frac{z+2}{1}$ intersect at the point P. If the distance of P from the line $\frac{x+1}{2} = \frac{y-1}{3} = \frac{z-1}{1}$ is l , then $14l^2$ is equal to.....
24. Let O be the origin, and M and N be the points on the lines $\frac{x-5}{4} = \frac{y-4}{1} = \frac{z-5}{3}$ and $\frac{x+8}{12} = \frac{y+2}{5} = \frac{z+11}{9}$ respectively such that MN is the shortest distance between the given lines. Then $\overrightarrow{OM} \cdot \overrightarrow{ON}$ is equal to
25. If the line $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y+1}{2} = \frac{z-1}{-1}$ intersects the curve $xy = c^2$ and $z = 0$, then the value of $[|c|]$ is (where, $[.]$ denotes the greatest integer function)

PART - II (JEE ADVANCED)

SECTION - III (One correct answer)

26. Equation of the line $x - y + 2z = 5$,

$3x + y + z = 6$ in symmetrical form is

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

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

C) $\frac{4x-11}{-3} = \frac{4y+9}{5} = \frac{z-0}{1}$

D) $\frac{4x-11}{-3} = \frac{4y+9}{5} = \frac{z}{4}$

27. The distance of the point $(-1, -5, -10)$ from the point of intersection of the line, $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y+1}{4} = \frac{z-2}{12}$ and the plane, $x - y + z = 5$, is

A) 10

B) 11

C) 12

D) 13

28. The distance of the point $(1, -2, 3)$ from the plane $x - y + z = 5$ measured parallel to the line, $\frac{x}{2} = \frac{y}{3} = \frac{z}{-6}$ is

A) 1

B) 6/7

C) 7/6

D) 1/6

29. The distance of the point $P(3, 8, 2)$ from the line $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-3}{4} = \frac{z-2}{3}$ measured parallel to the plane $3x + 2y - 2z + 17 = 0$ is

A) 2

B) 3

C) 5

D) 7

30. The plane which bisects the line joining the points $(4, -2, 3)$ and $(2, 4, -1)$ at right angle is

A) $x - 3y + 3z - 3 = 0$

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

C) $x - 3y + 2z - 2 = 0$

D) $x - 3y + 4z - 4 = 0$

31. 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 $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$ from the point $(3, 1, -1)$ is
- A) $5x - 11y + z = 17$ B) $\sqrt{2}x + y = 3\sqrt{2} - 1$
 C) $x + y + z = \sqrt{3}$ D) $x - \sqrt{2}y = 1 - \sqrt{2}$
32. Equation of the plane which passes through the point of intersection of lines $\frac{x-1}{3} = \frac{y-2}{1} = \frac{z-3}{2}$ and $\frac{x-3}{1} = \frac{y-1}{2} = \frac{z-2}{3}$ and at greatest distance from origin is
- A) $4x + 5y + 3z = 20$ B) $4x + 3y + 5z = 50$ C) $x + y = 1$ D) $x + 3z - 1 = 0$

SECTION - IV (More than one correct answer)

33. Plane $ax + by = 0$ is rotated about its line of intersection with the plane $z=0$, through an angle θ then its equation in new position may be
- A) $ax + by + z\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} = 0$ if $\theta = 45^\circ$ B) $\sqrt{3}ax + \sqrt{3}by - z\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} = 0$ if $\theta = 30^\circ$
 C) $ax + by - z\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} = 0$ if $\theta = 45^\circ$ D) $ax + by + \sqrt{3}\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} = 0$ if $\theta = 30^\circ$
34. Plane $ax + by = 0$ is rotated about its line of intersection with the plane $z=0$, through an angle θ then its equation in new position may be
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 C) $ax + by - z\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} = 0$ if $\theta = 45^\circ$ D) $ax + by + \sqrt{3}\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} = 0$ if $\theta = 30^\circ$
35. In R^3 , let L be a straight line passing through the origin. Suppose that all the points on L are at a constant distance from the two planes $P_1 : x + 2y - z = -1$ and $P_2 : 2x - y + z - 1 = 0$. Let M be the locus of the feet of the perpendiculars drawn from the points on L to the plane P_1 . Which of the following points lie(s) on M ?
- A) $\left(0, \frac{-5}{6}, \frac{-2}{3}\right)$ B) $\left(\frac{-1}{6}, \frac{-1}{3}, \frac{1}{6}\right)$
 C) $\left(\frac{-5}{6}, 0, \frac{1}{6}\right)$ D) $\left(\frac{-1}{3}, 0, \frac{2}{3}\right)$

36. In R^3 consider the planes $P_1 : y = 0$ $P_2 : x + z = 1$. Let P_3 be the plane, different from P_1 and P_2 , which passes through the intersection of P_1 and P_2 . If the distance of the point $(0, 1, 0)$ from P_3 is 1 and the distance of a point (α, β, γ) from P_3 is 2, then which of the following relations is (are) true?
- A) $2\alpha + \beta + 2\gamma + 2 = 0$ B) $2\alpha - \beta + 2\gamma + 4 = 0$
 C) $2\alpha + \beta - 2\gamma - 10 = 0$ D) $2\alpha - \beta + 2\gamma - 8 = 0$
37. A line L passing through the point $P(1, 4, 3)$, is perpendicular to both the lines $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y+3}{1} = \frac{z-2}{4}$, and $\frac{x+2}{3} = \frac{y-4}{2} = \frac{z+1}{-2}$. If the position vector of point Q on L is (a_1, a_2, a_3) such that $(PQ)^2 = 357$, then $(a_1 + a_2 + a_3)$ can be
- A) 16 B) 15 C) 2 D) 1

SECTION V - (Numerical type)

38. If the planes $x = cy + bz$, $y = az + cx$ and $z = bx + ay$ pass through a line then $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2abc$ is equal to
39. Two lines are formed by intersection of plane $2x + 3y + 4z - 1 = 0$ with the planes $x + y + z - 3 = 0$ and $x + y + z + 3 = 0$, then the square of the shortest distance between both the lines is

SECTION VI - (Matrix match type)

40. Match the statements/expressions given in Column I with the values given in Column II

Column I

A) $L_1 : x = 1 + t, y = t, z = 2 - 5t$
 $L_2 : \vec{r} = (2, 1, -3) + \lambda(2, 2, -10)$

B) $L_1 : \frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-3}{2} = \frac{z-2}{-1}$
 $L_2 : \frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y-6}{-1} = \frac{z+2}{3}$

C) $L_1 : x = -6t, y = 1 + 9t, z = -3t$
 $L_2 : x = 1 + 2s, y = 4 - 3s, z = s$

D) $L_1 : \frac{x}{1} = \frac{y-1}{2} = \frac{z-2}{3}$
 $L_2 : \frac{x-3}{-4} = \frac{y-2}{-3} = \frac{z-1}{2}$

- A) A-(R); B-(Q); C-(QS); D-(PS)
 C) A-(R); B-(Q); C-(QS); D-(QS)

Column II

(p) non coplanar lines

(q) lines lie in a unique plane

(r) infinite planes containing both the lines

(s) lines are not intersecting.

- B) A-(Q); B-(R); C-(QS); D-(PS)
 D) A-(R); B-(S); C-(QS); D-(PS)