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Relationships Between Points, Lines and Planes (2)

1. For the following, find the distance between the given point P and the line ℓ .

- a. $P(1,2)$; $\ell: 3x+y-12=0$
- b. $P(5,-3)$; $\ell: (x,y)=(-8,2)+t(2,1)$

2. Find the distance between each of the following pairs of parallel lines.

- a. $\ell_1: \vec{r} = (5,2,3)+s(3,1,-1)$ and $\ell_2: \vec{r} = (-4,2,4)+t(3,1,-1)$
- b. $\ell_1: \vec{r} = (0,2,3)+s(3,3,1)$ and $\ell_2: \vec{r} = (4,-1,1)+t(3,3,1)$

3. a. Find the point on the line $\ell: \begin{cases} x = 2 + 3s \\ y = 1 - s \\ z = -4 + s \end{cases}$ that is closest to the point $(5, -2, 8)$.
- b. Determine the distance between $(5, -2, 8)$ and ℓ .

4. The point $A(-5, 2, 4)$ is reflected in the line with equation $\frac{x}{4} = \frac{y}{2} = z-1$. Find the coordinates of its image, A' .

5. Find the distance between the following pairs of skew lines.

$$\ell_1: (x, y, z) = (4, 1, 0) + s(1, 3, 2) \quad \text{and} \quad \ell_2: (x, y, z) = (-5, 3, 3) + t(-1, 1, 2)$$

6. Find the distance between the line and the plane:

$$x - 4 = y - 5 = z + 1 \quad \text{and} \quad x - 3y + 2z - 24 = 0$$

7. Find the point on the plane $x - 2y + z - 8 = 0$ that is closest to $(10, 12, 4)$ (Hint: it is on a line that passes through the given point, perpendicular to the plane.)

8. Find the distance between the two planes:

$$x - 2y + 3z + 6 = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad x - 2y + 3z - 24 = 0$$