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B.A./B.Sc. IIIrd Semester Degree Examination

Mathematics

(Vectors and Solid Geometry)

Paper - 3.1

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 60

Instructions to Candidates:

Answer **all** sections.

Section - A

Answer any **ten** of the following :

(10×2=20)

1. Find $\vec{a} \cdot (\vec{b} \times \vec{c})$, if $\vec{a} = 3i - j + 2k$, $\vec{b} = 2i + j - k$ and $\vec{c} = i - 2j + k$
2. Show that $\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) + \vec{b} \times (\vec{c} \times \vec{a}) + \vec{c} \times (\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) = 0$
3. If $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$ and $\vec{a}', \vec{b}', \vec{c}'$ are reciprocal system of vectors then show that $\vec{a} \times \vec{a}' + \vec{b} \times \vec{b}' + \vec{c} \times \vec{c}' = 0$
4. Prove that the distributive law $\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} + \vec{c}) = (\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) + (\vec{a} \times \vec{c})$
5. Show that the points (3,2,-4), (5,4,-6) and (9,8,10) are collinear by using the concept of direction ratio's.
6. Find the coordinates of the point which divides the join of (2,-3,1) and (3,2,-1) in the ratio 2:3
7. If α, β , and γ are the angles made by a Line with coordinate axes, then show that $\sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \beta + \sin^2 \gamma = 2$.
8. Find the angle between AB and CD where A = (1,2,3), B = (2,3,-1), C = (3,5,-3) and D = (3,5,7).
9. Find the area of a Triangle whose vertices are (2,5,-4), (-1,4,-3) and (4,7,-6)

10. Find the equation of the plane Through the point $(-10,5,4)$ and perpendicular to the line joining the points $(4,-1,2)$ and $(-3,2,3)$.
11. Find the angle between the line $\frac{x-3}{2} = \frac{y+1}{-1} = \frac{z+4}{3}$ and the plane $2x+3y-z-4=0$
12. Find the shortest distance between the lines joining the points $(1,2,3), (2,4,5)$ and $(2,3,5), (3,4,5)$.

Section - B

Answer any **two** of the following

(2×5=10)

1. Show that $(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \times (\vec{c} \times \vec{d}) = [abd]\vec{c} - [abc]\vec{d}$
2. Show that the vectors $\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}), \vec{b} \times (\vec{c} \times \vec{a})$ and $\vec{c} \times (\vec{a} \times \vec{b})$ are coplanar.
3. If $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$ are three non-coplanar vectors, then express $\vec{b} \times \vec{c}$ in terms of $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$

Section - C

Answer any **three** of the following.

(3×5=15)

1. Find the angle between the diagonals of a cube.
2. The direction cosines of two lines which are connected by the relation $l-5m+3n=0$ and $7l^2+5m^2-3n^2=0$
3. Find the angle between the two lines whose direction cosines satisfy the Equations. $l+m+n=0$ and $2l+2m-nm=0$
4. Find the projection of the line segment AB on CD where $A = (1,3,5), B = (6,4,3), C = (2,-1,4)$ and $D = (0,1,5)$

Section - D

Answer any **three** of the following

(3×5=15)

1. Find the equation of the plane passing through the point and Parallel to the lines joining the points $A(3,-1,0), B(2,1,0)$ and $C(1,-1,0), D(-1,2,0)$.
2. Show that the lines $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-2}{3} = \frac{z-3}{4}$ and $\frac{x-4}{5} = \frac{y-5}{6} = \frac{z-6}{7}$ are coplanar and find their point of intersection. Also find the equation containing them.
3. Find the reflection of the point $(1,-1,0)$ in the line $\frac{2x-4}{2} = \frac{1-y}{-2} = \frac{z+3}{-1}$.
4. Find the length and the equation of the shortest distance between the lines $\frac{x-3}{1} = \frac{y-5}{-2} = \frac{z-7}{1}$ and $\frac{x+1}{7} = \frac{y+1}{-6} = \frac{z+1}{1}$