

Ultimate KCET Crash Course 2026

MATHEMATICS

DPP: 01

Vectors and 3D

- Q1** If $\vec{a} = 3\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$, $\vec{b} = 2\hat{i} - 4\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$, $\vec{c} = -\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$
then $\vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c} =$
(A) $3i - 4j$
(B) $3i + 4j$
(C) $4i - 4j$
(D) $4\hat{i} + 4\hat{j}$
- Q2** The vector in the direction of the vector $\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$ that has magnitude 9 is
(A) $\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$
(B) $\frac{\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}}{3}$
(C) $3(i - 2j + 2k)$
(D) $9(i - 2j + 2k)$
- Q3** The sine of the angle between the vectors $2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}$ and $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$ is
(A) $\frac{2}{3\sqrt{3}}$ (B) $1/2$
(C) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ (D) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$
- Q4** Projection of vector a on b is
(A) $\left(\frac{a \cdot b}{|b|^2}\right)b$ (B) $\frac{a \cdot b}{|b|}$
(C) $\frac{a \cdot b}{|a|}$ (D) $\left(\frac{a \cdot b}{|a|^2}\right)b$
- Q5** The value of x if $x(\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k})$ is a unit vector is
(A) ± 3 (B) $\pm 1/\sqrt{3}$
(C) $\pm 1/3$ (D) $\pm \sqrt{3}$
- Q6** The value of k for which the vectors $\vec{a} = \hat{i} - \hat{j}$ and $\vec{b} = -2\hat{i} + k\hat{j}$ are collinear is
(A) 2 (B) 3
(C) $1/3$ (D) $1/2$
- Q7** Which of the following is an example of two different vectors with same magnitude?
(A) $(2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + \hat{k})$ and $(2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - \hat{k})$
(B) $(3\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} + \hat{k})$ and $(3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - \hat{k})$
(C) $(\hat{i} + \hat{k})$ and $(2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k})$
(D) None of these
- Q8** If $\vec{a} = 2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - 5\hat{k}$, $\vec{b} = m\hat{i} + n\hat{j} + 12\hat{k}$
and $\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \vec{0}$ then $(m, n) =$
and, then
(A) $(-\frac{24}{5}, \frac{36}{5})$
(B) $(\frac{24}{5}, -\frac{36}{5})$
(C) $(-\frac{24}{5}, -\frac{36}{5})$
(D) $(\frac{24}{5}, \frac{36}{5})$
- Q9** The points with vectors $60\hat{i} + 3\hat{j}$, $40\hat{i} - 8\hat{j}$ and $p\hat{i} - 52\hat{j}$ are collinear, if $p =$
(A) -40 (B) 40
(C) 20 (D) 30
- Q10** If a line makes an angle of $\pi/3$ with each X and Y axis then the acute angle made by Z-axis is
(A) $\pi/2$ (B) $\pi/6$
(C) $\pi/4$ (D) $\pi/3$



Q11 If $|\vec{a}| = 3, |\vec{b}| = 4, |\vec{c}| = 5$ and $\vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c} = 0$, then the angle between \vec{a} and \vec{b} is

- (A) 0 (B) $\frac{\pi}{6}$
 (C) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ (D) $\frac{\pi}{2}$

Q12 If $\vec{a} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$ and $\vec{b} = 5\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + \hat{k}$ then the projection of \vec{b} on \vec{a} is

- (A) 3 (B) 4
 (C) 5 (D) 6

Q13 If a line lies in the octane OXYZ and it makes equal angles with the axes, then

- (A) $l = m = n = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$
 (B) $l = m = n = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$
 (C) $l = m = n = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$
 (D) $l = m = n = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

Q14 The position vectors of the points A, B, C and D are $2\hat{i} + 4\hat{k}, 5\hat{i} + 3\sqrt{3}\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}, -2\sqrt{3}\hat{j} + \hat{k}$ and $2\hat{i} + \hat{k}$ respectively. Then $\vec{CD} =$

- (A) $\frac{2}{3}\vec{AB}$ (B) $\frac{1}{3}\vec{AB}$
 (C) $\frac{3}{2}\vec{AB}$ (D) $\frac{2}{5}\vec{AB}$

Q15 If $\vec{r} \cdot \hat{i} = \vec{r} \cdot \hat{j} = \vec{r} \cdot \hat{k}$ and $|\vec{r}| = 3$, then $\vec{r} =$

- (A) $\pm 3(\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k})$
 (B) $\pm \frac{1}{3}(\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k})$
 (C) $\pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k})$
 (D) $\pm \sqrt{3}(\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k})$

Q16 If $\vec{a} = (1, -7, 2), \vec{b} = (-2, 3, 5), \vec{c} = (2, -2, 4)$ then $(\vec{a} - 2\vec{b} + 3\vec{c}) \cdot \hat{i} =$

- (A) 10 (B) 11
 (C) 12 (D) 13

Q17 The area of the triangle with vertices $(1, 2, 3), (2, 5, -1)$ and $(-1, 1, 2)$ is

- (A) 6 (B) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$
 (C) $\sqrt{29}$ (D) $\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{155}$

Q18 If the points A(1,-2,2), B(3,1,1) and C(-1,p,3) are collinear, then p=

- (A) 5 (B) -5
 (C) 1 (D) -1

Q19 If the direction cosines of a vector of magnitude 3 are $\frac{2}{3}, \frac{-a}{3}, \frac{2}{3}$, $a > 0$, then the vector is

- (A) $2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$
 (B) $2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$
 (C) $\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$
 (D) $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$

Q20 $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$ are three vectors, such that $\vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c} = 0$,

$|\vec{a}| = 1, |\vec{b}| = 2, |\vec{c}| = 3$, then $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} + \vec{b} \cdot \vec{c} + \vec{c} \cdot \vec{a}$ is equal to

- (A) 0 (B) -7
 (C) 7 (D) 1

Q21 If \vec{a} and \vec{b} are unit vectors then what is the angle between \vec{a} and \vec{b} for $\sqrt{3}\vec{a} - \vec{b}$ to be unit vector?

- (A) 60° (B) 30°
 (C) 90° (D) 45°



Q22 If $|\vec{a}| = 10$, $|\vec{b}| = 2$ and $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 12$, then value of $|\vec{a} \times \vec{b}|$ is

- (A) 5 (B) 10
(C) 14 (D) 16

Q23 If $|a \vec{r}| = 3$, $|b \vec{r}| = 4$, then the value of λ for which $a \vec{r} + \lambda b \vec{r}$ is perpendicular to $a \vec{r} - \lambda b \vec{r}$, is

- (A) $\frac{9}{16}$ (B) $\frac{3}{4}$
(C) $\frac{3}{2}$ (D) $\frac{4}{3}$

Q24 If $2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - 6\hat{k}$, $6\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$, $3\hat{i} - 6\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$ represent sides of a triangle then the perimeter of the Δ is

- (A) 14 (B) 21
(C) 7 (D) 6

Q25 If x and y are two unit vectors and π is the angle between them, then $\frac{1}{2}|\vec{x} - \vec{y}|$ is equal to

- (A) 0 (B) $\pi/2$
(C) 1 (D) $\pi/4$

Q26 In a parallelogram ABCD, $|\vec{AB}| = a$, $|\vec{AD}| = b$ and $|\vec{AC}| = c$, then $\vec{DB} \cdot \vec{AB}$ has the value

- (A) $\frac{1}{2}(a^2 - b^2 + c^2)$
(B) $\frac{1}{4}(a^2 + b^2 - c^2)$
(C) $\frac{1}{3}(b^2 + c^2 - a^2)$
(D) $\frac{1}{2}(3a^2 + b^2 - c^2)$

Q27 If \vec{a} and \vec{b} are two non zero and different vectors such that $|\vec{a} + \vec{b}| = |\vec{b} - \vec{a}|$, then

the angle between the vectors \vec{a} and \vec{b} is

- (A) $\pi/3$ (B) $\pi/4$
(C) $\pi/2$ (D) $\pi/6$

Q28 The value of λ for which the vectors $3i - 6j + k$ and $2i - 4j + \lambda k$ are parallel is

- (A) $2/3$ (B) $3/2$
(C) $5/2$ (D) $2/5$

Q29 If $\vec{a} = 3\hat{i} + \lambda\hat{j} - \hat{k}$, $\vec{b} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \mu\hat{k}$ are orthogonal and $|\vec{a}| = |\vec{b}|$, then $(\lambda, \mu) =$

- (A) $(\frac{-31}{12}, \frac{43}{12})$
(B) $(\frac{-31}{12}, \frac{41}{12})$
(C) $(\frac{31}{12}, \frac{-41}{12})$
(D) $(\frac{-31}{12}, \frac{-41}{12})$

Q30 $|\vec{a} \times \hat{i}|^2 + |\vec{a} \times \hat{j}|^2 + |\vec{a} \times \hat{k}|^2 =$

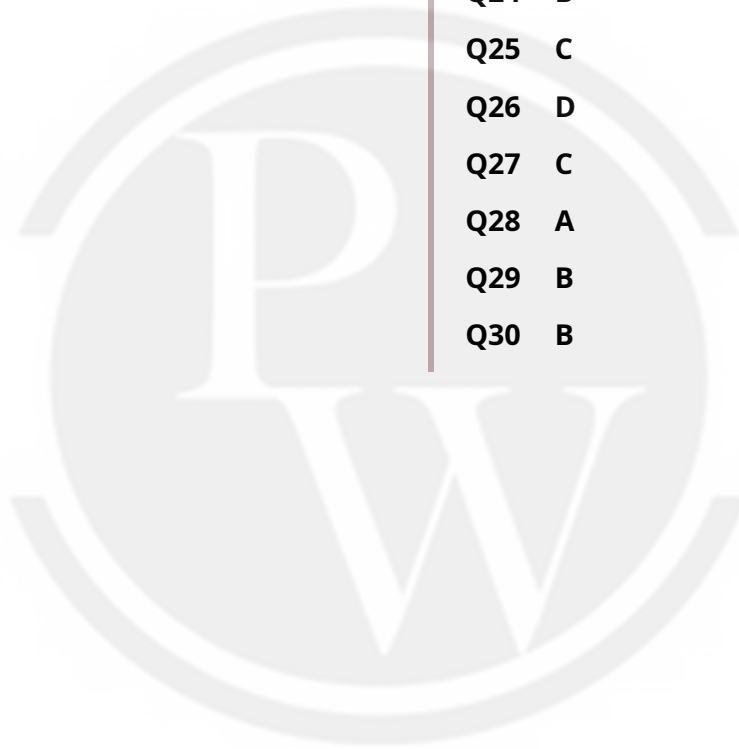
- (A) $|\vec{a}|^2$ (B) $2|\vec{a}|^2$
(C) $3|\vec{a}|^2$ (D) $4|\vec{a}|^2$



Answer Key

Q1 C
Q2 C
Q3 C
Q4 A
Q5 B
Q6 A
Q7 A
Q8 C
Q9 A
Q10 C
Q11 D
Q12 A
Q13 A
Q14 A
Q15 D

Q16 B
Q17 D
Q18 B
Q19 B
Q20 B
Q21 B
Q22 C
Q23 B
Q24 B
Q25 C
Q26 D
Q27 C
Q28 A
Q29 B
Q30 B



Hints & Solutions

Note: scan the QR code to watch video solution

Q1 Text Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c} &= (3 + 2 - 1)\vec{i} \\ &+ (-2 - 4 + 2)\vec{j} + (1 - 3 + 2)\vec{k} = 4\vec{i} \\ &- 4\vec{j}\end{aligned}$$

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Q2 Text Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Given } \vec{a} &= \hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k} \\ \vec{b} = 9\hat{a} &= \frac{9[\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}]}{\sqrt{1+4+4}} = 3(\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k})\end{aligned}$$

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Q3 Text Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Let } \vec{a} &= 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k} \text{ and } \vec{b} = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k} \\ \Rightarrow \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} &= 3\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now, } |\vec{a}| = \sqrt{6} \text{ and } |\vec{b}| = \sqrt{6}$$

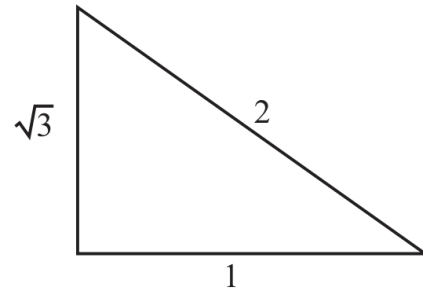
$$\therefore |\vec{a}| \cdot |\vec{b}| = 6$$

\therefore Angle between two vectors

$$\cos \theta = \frac{|\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}|}{|\vec{a}| |\vec{b}|}$$

$$\therefore \cos \theta = \frac{3}{6} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \sin \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$



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Q4 Text Solution:

Projection of a along b is $\frac{a \cdot b}{|b|}$.

Projection

vector

$$= \frac{a \cdot b}{|b|} = \hat{b} = \left(\frac{a \cdot b}{|b|^2} \right) b \quad \left(\because \hat{b} = \frac{1}{|b|} b \right)$$

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Q5 Text Solution:

By data $\sqrt{x^2 + x^2 + x^2} = 1 \Rightarrow x = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

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Q6 Text Solution:

$\therefore \vec{a}$ and \vec{b} are collinear, then

$$\vec{a} = m\vec{b} \Rightarrow \hat{i} - \hat{j} = -2m\hat{i} + km\hat{j}$$

$$\Rightarrow -2m = 1 \text{ and } km = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{-1}{2} \text{ So, } \frac{-k}{2} = -1 \Rightarrow k = 2$$

Video Solution:**Q7 Text Solution:**

Two vectors can have same magnitude, if the sum of the squares of coefficient of \hat{i} , \hat{j} and \hat{k} is same. The vectors $\vec{a} = (2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + \hat{k})$ and $\vec{b} = (2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - \hat{k})$ and are different vectors having the same magnitude.

Magnitude of 1st vector

$$= \sqrt{(2)^2 + (3)^2 + (1)^2} = \sqrt{4 + 9 + 1} \text{ and}$$

$$= \sqrt{14}$$

magnitude of

2nd vector

$$= \sqrt{(2)^2 + (3)^2 + (1)^2} = \sqrt{4 + 9 + 1}$$

$$= \sqrt{14}$$

i.e., they have same magnitude.

Video Solution:**Q8 Text Solution:**

$$\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = 0 \Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 2 & 3 & -5 \\ m & n & 12 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$= (36 + 5n)\hat{i} - (24 + 5m)\hat{j} + (2n - 3m)\hat{k} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 24 + 5m = 0, 36 + 5n = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{-24}{5}, n = \frac{-36}{5}$$

Video Solution:**Q9 Text Solution:**

$$\text{Let } \vec{a} = 60\hat{i} + 3\hat{j}, \vec{b} = 40\hat{i} - 8\hat{j}, \vec{c} = p\hat{i} - 52\hat{j}$$

$$\text{Now, } \vec{AB} = \vec{b} - \vec{a} = -20\hat{i} - 11\hat{j}$$

$$\vec{AC} = \vec{c} - \vec{a} = (p - 60)\hat{i} - 55\hat{j}$$

Points are collinear, then

$$\vec{AB} = k\vec{AC} \Rightarrow -20\hat{i} - 11\hat{j} = k(p - 60)\hat{i} - 55k\hat{j}$$

$$\Rightarrow -55k = -11 \text{ and } k(p - 60) = -20$$

$$\Rightarrow k = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\text{Hence, } \frac{p-60}{5} = -20 \Rightarrow p - 60 = -100 \Rightarrow p = -40$$

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**Q10 Text Solution:**

$$\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \gamma = 1$$

$$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} + \cos^2 \gamma = 1 \Rightarrow \gamma = 90^\circ$$

Video Solution:**Q11 Text Solution:**

Given $\vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c} = 0 \Rightarrow \vec{a} + \vec{b} = -\vec{c}$
squaring on both sides

$$|\vec{a} + \vec{b}|^2 = |-\vec{c}|^2$$

$$|\vec{a}|^2 + |\vec{b}|^2 + 2\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = |\vec{c}|^2$$

$$2\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 25 - 25 \Rightarrow \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 0$$

Clearly \vec{a} & \vec{b} are perpendicular to each other

The angle between two vectors is $\frac{\pi}{2}$.

Video Solution:**Q12 Text Solution:**

Vectors

$$\vec{a} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k} \text{ and } \vec{b} = 5\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + \hat{k}$$

We know that the projection of \vec{b} on \vec{a}

$$\vec{a} = \frac{\vec{b} \cdot \vec{a}}{|\vec{a}|} = \frac{(5\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + \hat{k}) \cdot (2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k})}{\sqrt{(2)^2 + (1)^2 + (2)^2}} = \frac{10 - 3 + 2}{\sqrt{9}}$$

$$= \frac{9}{3} = 3.$$

Video Solution:**Q13 Text Solution:**

Since, it is given that line makes equal angles with the coordinate axes.

$$l = m = n$$

We know, $l^2 + m^2 + n^2 = 1$

$$\Rightarrow 3l^2 = 1 \Rightarrow l^2 = \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow l = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

(neglect -ve sign because line lies in octane OXYZ)

$$\therefore l = m = n = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Video Solution:**Q14 Text Solution:**

$$\vec{AB} = 5\hat{i} + 3\sqrt{3}\hat{j} + 4\hat{k} - 2\hat{i} - 4\hat{k} = 3\hat{i} + 3\sqrt{3}\hat{j}$$

$$\vec{CD} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{k} + 2\sqrt{3}\hat{j} - \hat{k} = 2\hat{i} + 2\sqrt{3}\hat{j}$$

$$= \frac{2}{3}(3\hat{i} + 3\sqrt{3}\hat{j}) = \frac{2}{3}\vec{AB}$$

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Q15 Text Solution:

Let $\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$. Since
 $\vec{r} \cdot \hat{i} = \vec{r} \cdot \hat{j} = \vec{r} \cdot \hat{k}$
 Also $|\vec{r}| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2} = 3 \Rightarrow \vec{r} =$
 $\pm\sqrt{3}, \{By(i)\}$
 Hence the required vector
 $\vec{r} = \pm\sqrt{3}(\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k})$.

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Q16 Text Solution:

$$(\vec{a} - 2\vec{b} + 3\vec{c}) \cdot \hat{i} = 1 + 4 + 6 = 11$$

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Q17 Text Solution:

Given
 $\vec{OA} = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}, \vec{OB} = 2\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} - \hat{k}, \vec{OC}$
 $= -\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$
 $\vec{AB} = \vec{OB} - \vec{OA} = \hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - 4\hat{k}, \vec{AC}$
 $= \vec{OC} - \vec{OA} = -2\hat{i} - \hat{j} - \hat{k}$
 $\vec{AB} \times \vec{AC} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & 3 & -4 \\ -2 & -1 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$
 $= \hat{i}(-3 - 4) - \hat{j}(-1 - 8) + \hat{k}(-1 + 6) =$
 $-7\hat{i} + 9\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$
 $\frac{1}{2}|\vec{AB} \times \vec{AC}| = \frac{1}{2}|7\hat{i} + 9\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}| = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{155}$

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Q18 Text Solution:

Here $\vec{a} = \hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}, \vec{b} = 3\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k},$
 $\vec{c} = -\hat{i} + p\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$
 $\Rightarrow \vec{AB} = \vec{b} - \vec{a} = 2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - \hat{k}$
 $\vec{AC} = \vec{c} - \vec{a} = -2\hat{i} + (p + 2)\hat{j} + \hat{k}$
 \therefore Points A, B, C are collinear, then
 $\vec{AB} = m\vec{AC}$
 $\Rightarrow 2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - \hat{k} = m(-2\hat{i} + (p + 2)\hat{j} + \hat{k})$
 $\Rightarrow -2m = 2 \Rightarrow m = -1$
 and $m(p + 2) = 3 \Rightarrow -p - 2 = 3 \Rightarrow p = -5$

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Q19 Text Solution:

Required vector $= 3(l\hat{i} + m\hat{j} + n\hat{k})$
 where $l^2 + m^2 + n^2 = 1$
 $\Rightarrow \frac{4}{9} + \frac{a^2}{9} + \frac{4}{9} = 1 \Rightarrow \frac{a^2}{9} + \frac{8}{9} = 1 \Rightarrow a^2$
 $= 1 \Rightarrow a = 1 (\because a > 0)$
 \therefore Required vector $= 3(\frac{2}{3}\hat{i} - \frac{1}{3}\hat{j} + \frac{2}{3}\hat{k})$
 $= 2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$.

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Q20 Text Solution:



$$\begin{aligned}\vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c} = 0 &\Rightarrow (\vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c}) \\ &\cdot (\vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c}) = 0 \\ (\vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c}) \cdot (\vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c}) &\Rightarrow |\vec{a}|^2 + |\vec{b}|^2 + |\vec{c}|^2 \\ + 2(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} + \vec{b} \cdot \vec{c} + \vec{c} \cdot \vec{a}) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} + \vec{b} \cdot \vec{c} + \vec{c} \cdot \vec{a} &= \frac{-1-4-9}{2} = \\ &= -7\end{aligned}$$

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Q21 Text Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}|a| &= |b| = 1 \\ |\sqrt{3}a - b| &= 1 \\ 3|a|^2 + |b|^2 - 2\sqrt{3}ab &= 1 \\ 3 + 1 - 2\sqrt{3} \cdot ab &= 1 \\ -2\sqrt{3}a \cdot b &= -3 \\ ab &= \frac{3}{2\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{\pi}{6}\end{aligned}$$

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Q22 Text Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{WKT } \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} &= |\vec{a}| |\vec{b}| \cos \theta \\ \Rightarrow \cos \theta &= \frac{\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}}{|\vec{a}| |\vec{b}|} = \frac{12}{20} = \frac{3}{5} \\ \text{Now, } \sin \theta &= \frac{4}{5} \\ \therefore \vec{a} \times \vec{b} &= |\vec{a}| |\vec{b}| \sin \theta \\ &= 10 \times 2 \times \frac{4}{5} \\ |\vec{a} \times \vec{b}| &= 16\end{aligned}$$

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Q23 Text Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Given that, } |a| &= 3, |b| = 4 \text{ and } a \cdot b \\ + \lambda b &\text{ is perpendicular to } a - \lambda b. \\ \therefore (\vec{a} + \lambda \vec{b}) \cdot (\vec{a} - \lambda \vec{b}) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \vec{a} \cdot \vec{a} - \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} \lambda + \lambda \vec{b} \cdot \vec{a} - \lambda^2 \vec{b} \cdot \vec{b} &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow |\vec{a}|^2 - \lambda^2 |\vec{b}|^2 &= 0 \Rightarrow \lambda^2 = \frac{|\vec{a}|^2}{|\vec{b}|^2} \Rightarrow \lambda \\ &= \frac{3}{4}\end{aligned}$$

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Q24 Text Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let } a &= 2\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} - 6\vec{k}, \vec{h} = 6\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} \\ &\quad + 3\vec{k}, \vec{c} = 3\vec{i} - 6\vec{j} - 2\vec{k} \\ |a| &= \sqrt{4 + 9 + 36} = 7 \\ |b| &= \sqrt{36 + 4 + 9} = 7 \\ |c| &= \sqrt{9 + 36 + 4} = 7 \\ \therefore \text{perimeter} &= |a| + |b| + |c| = 7 + 7 + 7 = 21 \\ &\text{units} \end{aligned}$$

Video Solution:**Q25 Text Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \begin{matrix} x & y \\ x & y \end{matrix} \right|^2 &= (x - y) \cdot (x - y) = 1 + 1 \\ &\quad - 2|x||y|\cos\pi \\ &= 2 - 2\cos\pi \\ \therefore |x - y|^2 &= 4 \Rightarrow |x - y| = 2 \\ \text{so } \frac{1}{2}|x - y| &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Video Solution:**Q26 Text Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } \vec{AB} + \vec{AB} + \vec{AD} &= \vec{AC} \\ \Rightarrow |\vec{AB}|^2 + |\vec{AD}|^2 + 2\vec{AB} \cdot \vec{AD} &= |\vec{AC}|^2 \\ \Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 + 2\vec{AB} \cdot \vec{AD} &= c^2 \\ \Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 + 2\vec{AB} \cdot (\vec{AB} - \vec{BD}) &= c^2 \\ \Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 + 2a^2 - 2\vec{AB} \cdot \vec{BD} &= c^2 \\ \Rightarrow \vec{AB} \cdot \vec{DB} &= \frac{3a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2} \end{aligned}$$

Video Solution:**Q27 Text Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned} |\vec{a} + \vec{b}| &= |\vec{b} - \vec{a}| \\ \Rightarrow |\vec{a} + \vec{b}|^2 &= |\vec{b} - \vec{a}|^2 \\ \Rightarrow |\vec{a}|^2 + |\vec{b}|^2 + 2\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} &= |\vec{b}|^2 + |\vec{a}|^2 \\ &\quad - 2\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} \\ \therefore \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} &= 0 \Rightarrow a \perp b \end{aligned}$$

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Q28 Text Solution:

$$\text{Let } a = 3a\hat{i} - 6a\hat{j} + ak\hat{k}, \quad ab = 2a\hat{i} - 4a\hat{j} + \lambda a\hat{k}$$

By data, a is parallel to b .

$\therefore a = kb$ for some scalar k

$$\Rightarrow k = \frac{3}{2}, \quad k = \frac{3}{2}, \quad \therefore \lambda = \frac{2}{3} \quad (\because k = \frac{3}{2})$$

Video Solution:**Q29 Text Solution:**

Since \vec{a} and \vec{b} are orthogonal to each other

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 0 &\Rightarrow 6 + \lambda - \mu = 0 \\ &\Rightarrow \mu - \lambda = 6 \quad \dots(i) \end{aligned}$$

Also given that $|\vec{a}| = |\vec{b}|$

$$\sqrt{9 + \lambda^2 + 1} = \sqrt{4 + 1 + \mu^2}$$

$$\therefore 10 + \lambda^2 = 5 + \mu^2$$

$$\mu^2 - \lambda^2 = 5$$

$$(\mu - \lambda)(\mu + \lambda) = 5$$

$$\mu + \lambda = \frac{5}{6} \quad \dots(ii)$$

Solving equation (i) and (ii) we get

$$\lambda = \frac{-31}{12}, \quad \mu = \frac{41}{12}$$

Video Solution:**Q30 Text Solution:**

Let

$$\vec{a} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$$

$$|\vec{a}| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$$

now

$$\vec{a} \times \hat{i} = z\hat{j} - y\hat{k}$$

$$|\vec{a} \times \hat{i}|^2 = y^2 + z^2$$

similarly

$$|\vec{a} \times \hat{j}|^2 = x^2 + z^2$$

$$|\vec{a} \times \hat{k}|^2 = x^2 + y^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore |\vec{a} \times \hat{i}|^2 + |\vec{a} \times \hat{j}|^2 + |\vec{a} \times \hat{k}|^2 \\ = 2(x^2 + y^2 + z^2) \end{aligned}$$

$$= 2|\vec{a}|^2$$

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