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SOLUTION

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Topic :-VECTOR ALGEBRA

1 (d)

We have,

$$|\vec{a}| = 3, |\vec{b}| = 5 \text{ and } |\vec{c}| = 7$$

Let θ be the angle between \vec{a} and \vec{b}

$$\text{Now, } \vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c} = 0$$

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

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

$$\Rightarrow |\vec{c}|^2 = |\vec{a}|^2 + |\vec{b}|^2 + 2|\vec{a}||\vec{b}|\cos\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow 49 = 9 + 25 + 2 \times 3 \times 5 \cos\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow 15 = 30 \cos\theta \Rightarrow \cos\theta = 1/2 \Rightarrow \theta = \pi/3$$

2 (c)

$$\therefore [\vec{a} \vec{b} \vec{c}] = \vec{a} \cdot \left(|\vec{b}||\vec{c}| \sin\frac{2\pi}{3} \hat{n} \right)$$

$$= |\vec{a}||\vec{b}||\vec{c}| \left(\sin\frac{2\pi}{3} \right)$$

$$[\because \vec{a} \cdot \hat{n} = |\vec{a}||\hat{n}| \cos 0^\circ = |\vec{a}|]$$

$$= 2 \times 3 \times 4 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = 12\sqrt{3}$$

3 (a)

Given that, $\vec{OA} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}$, $\vec{OB} = 3\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$ and $\vec{OC} = \hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$

$$\vec{AB} = \vec{OB} - \vec{OA}$$

$$= (3 - 2)\hat{i} + (-2 - 1)\hat{j} + (1 + 1)\hat{k}$$

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

$$|\vec{AB}| = \sqrt{1^2 + (-3)^2 + 2^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{1 + 9 + 4} = \sqrt{14}$$

$$\vec{BC} = \vec{OC} - \vec{OB}$$

$$= (1 - 3)\hat{i} + (4 + 2)\hat{j} + (-3 - 1)\hat{k}$$

$$= -2\hat{i} + 6\hat{j} - 4\hat{k}$$

$$|\vec{BC}| = \sqrt{(-2)^2 + 6^2 + (-4)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{4 + 36 + 16} = \sqrt{56}$$

$$\vec{CA} = \vec{OA} - \vec{OC}$$

$$= (2 - 1)\hat{i} + (1 - 4)\hat{j} + (-1 + 3)\hat{k}$$

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

$$|\vec{CA}| = \sqrt{1^2 + (-3)^2 + (2)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{1 + 9 + 4} = \sqrt{14}$$

It is clear that two sides of a triangle are equal.

\therefore Points A, B, C form an isosceles triangle.

4 (b)

The component of \vec{a} along \vec{b} is given by

$$\left\{ \frac{\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}}{|\vec{b}|^2} \right\} = \frac{18}{25} (3\hat{j} + 4\hat{k})$$

5 (a)

It is given that \vec{c} and \vec{d} are collinear vectors

$$\therefore \vec{c} = \lambda \vec{d} \text{ for some scalar } \lambda$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-2)\vec{a} + \vec{b} = \lambda\{(2x+1)\vec{a} - \vec{b}\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \{x-2-\lambda(2x+1)\}\vec{a} + (\lambda+1)\vec{b} = \vec{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda+1=0 \text{ and } x-2-\lambda(2x+1)=0 \text{ } [\because \vec{a}, \vec{b} \text{ are non-collinear}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = -1 \text{ and } x = \frac{1}{3}$$

6 (a)

Equation of plane is $\vec{r} \cdot \hat{n} = d$,

where d is the perpendicular distance of the plane from origin

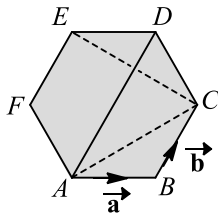
$$\therefore \text{Required plane is } (\alpha x + \beta y + \gamma z) = p$$

7 (c)

In ΔABC , $\vec{AB} + \vec{BC} + \vec{AC}$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{AC} = \vec{a} + \vec{b}$$

AD is parallel to BC and $AD = 2BC$



$$\therefore \vec{AD} = 2\vec{b}$$

In ΔACD , $\vec{AC} + \vec{CD} = \vec{AD}$

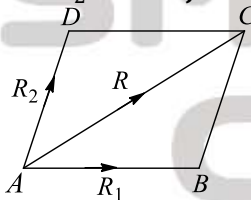
$$\Rightarrow \vec{CD} = 2\vec{b} - (\vec{a} + \vec{b}) = \vec{b} - \vec{a}$$

$$\text{Now, } \vec{CE} = \vec{CD} + \vec{DE} = \vec{b} - 2\vec{a}$$

9 (d)

$$\text{Let } \vec{R}_1 = 2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 5\hat{k}$$

$$\text{and } \vec{R}_2 = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$$



$$\therefore \vec{R} \text{ (along } \vec{AC}) = \vec{R}_1 + \vec{R}_2 = 3\hat{i} + 6\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$$

$$\therefore \vec{a} \text{ (unit vector angle } \vec{AC}) = \frac{\vec{R}}{|\vec{R}|} = \frac{3\hat{i} + 6\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}}{\sqrt{9+36+4}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{7} (3\hat{i} + 6\hat{j} - 2\hat{k})$$

11 (b)

Since $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$ are non-coplanar vectors. Therefore, $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$ are linearly independent vectors

$$\therefore x\vec{a} + y\vec{b} + z\vec{c} = \vec{0} \Rightarrow x = y = z = 0$$

12 (a)

Suppose point $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$ divides the join of points $-2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$ and $7\hat{i} - \hat{k}$ in the ratio $\lambda : 1$. Then,

$$\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k} = \frac{\lambda(7\hat{i} - \hat{k}) + (-2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 5\hat{k})}{\lambda + 1}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\lambda + 1)\hat{i} + 2(\lambda + 1)\hat{j} + 3(\lambda + 1)\hat{k} = (7\lambda - 2)\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + (-\lambda + 5)\hat{k}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda + 1 = 7\lambda - 2, 2(\lambda + 1) = 3 \text{ and } 3(\lambda + 1) = -\lambda + 5$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{1}{2}$$

Hence, required ratio is 1 : 2

13 (d)

Clearly,

$$\vec{a} - \vec{b} + \vec{b} - \vec{c} + \vec{c} - \vec{a} = \vec{0}$$

$\therefore \vec{a} - \vec{b}, \vec{b} - \vec{c}, \vec{c} - \vec{a}$ are coplanar

$$\Rightarrow (\vec{a} - \vec{b}) \cdot \{(\vec{b} - \vec{c}) \times (\vec{c} - \vec{a})\} = 0$$

314 (d)

Two given lines intersect, if

$$7\hat{i} + 10\hat{j} + 13\hat{k} + s(2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 4\hat{k})$$

$$= 3\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} + 7\hat{k} + t(\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k})$$

$$\Rightarrow (7 + 2s)\hat{i} + (10 + 3s)\hat{j} + (13 + 4s)\hat{k}$$

$$= (3 + t)\hat{i} + (5 + 2t)\hat{j} + (7 + 3t)\hat{k}$$

$$\Rightarrow 7 + 2s = 3 + t$$

$$\Rightarrow 2s - t = -4 \dots(i)$$

$$10 + 3s = 5 + 2t$$

$$\Rightarrow 3s - 2t = -5 \dots(ii)$$

$$\text{and } 13 + 4s = 7 + 3t$$

$$\Rightarrow 4s - 3t = -6 \dots(iii)$$

On solving Eqs. (i) and (iii), we get

$$s = -3, t = -2$$

\therefore Required line is

$$7\hat{i} + 10\hat{j} + 13\hat{k} + (-3)[2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k} \text{ is the required line.}$$

16 (c)

Given that, $\vec{a} = \hat{i} + \hat{j}$ and $\vec{b} = 2\hat{i} - \hat{k}$

Let $\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$, then

$$\vec{r} \times \vec{a} = \vec{b} \times \vec{a} \Rightarrow (\vec{r} - \vec{b}) \times \vec{a} = \vec{0}$$

$$\text{Now, } \vec{r} - \vec{b} = (x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}) - (2\hat{i} - \hat{k})$$

$$= (x - 2)\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + (z + 1)\hat{k}$$

$$\therefore (\vec{r} - \vec{b}) \times \vec{a} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ x-2 & y & z+1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = \vec{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow -(z + 1)\hat{i} + (z + 1)\hat{j} + (x - 2 - y)\hat{k} = \vec{0}$$

On equating the coefficient of \hat{i}, \hat{j} and \hat{k} , we get

$$z = -1, x - y = 2 \dots(i)$$

$$\text{Now, } \vec{r} \times \vec{b} = \vec{a} \times \vec{b} \Rightarrow (\vec{r} - \vec{a}) \times \vec{b} = \vec{0}$$

$$\text{And } \vec{r} - \vec{a} = (x - 1)\hat{i} + (y - 1)\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$$

$$\therefore (\vec{r} - \vec{a}) \times \vec{b} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ x-1 & y-1 & z \\ 2 & 0 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = \vec{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow (-y + 1)\hat{i} - \hat{j}(-x + 1 - 2z) + (-2y + 2)\hat{k} = \vec{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 1, x + 2z = 1 \dots(ii)$$

From Eqs. (i) and (ii), we get

$$x = 3, y = 1, z = -1$$

$$\therefore \vec{r} = 3\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}$$

17 (a)

$$\text{Given, } \vec{A} \times (\vec{B} \times \vec{C}) = \vec{B} \times (\vec{C} \times \vec{A}) \dots (i)$$

Also, $[\vec{A} \vec{B} \vec{C}] \neq 0$ i.e. $\vec{A}, \vec{B}, \vec{C}$ are not coplanar.

\therefore From Eq. (i)

$$(\vec{A} \cdot \vec{C}) - (\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B})\vec{C} = (\vec{B} \cdot \vec{A})\vec{C} - (\vec{B} \cdot \vec{C})\vec{A}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\vec{B} \cdot \vec{C})\vec{A} + (\vec{A} \cdot \vec{C})\vec{B} - [(\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B}) + (\vec{B} \cdot \vec{C})]\vec{C} = \vec{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{B} \cdot \vec{C} = \vec{A} \cdot \vec{C} = \vec{A} \cdot \vec{B} = 0$$

$$[\because [\vec{A} \vec{B} \vec{C}] \neq 0]$$

Now, consider

$$\vec{A} \times (\vec{B} \times \vec{C}) = (\vec{A} \cdot \vec{C})\vec{B} - (\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B})\vec{C}$$

$$= 0 \cdot \vec{B} - 0 \cdot \vec{C} = \vec{0}$$

319 (a)

$$[\vec{a} \vec{b} \vec{c}] = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ x & 1 & 1-x \\ y & x & 1+x-y \end{vmatrix}$$

Applying $C_3 \rightarrow C_3 + C_1$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ x & 1 & 1 \\ y & x & 1+x \end{vmatrix} = 1[1+x-x] = 1$$

Hence, $[\vec{a} \vec{b} \vec{c}]$ does not depend upon neither x nor y .

20 (b)

The required vector is given by

$$\hat{n} = \frac{AB \times AC}{|AB \times AC|} = \frac{\vec{a} \times \vec{b} + \vec{b} \times \vec{c} + \vec{c} \times \vec{a}}{|\vec{a} \times \vec{b} + \vec{b} \times \vec{c} + \vec{c} \times \vec{a}|}$$

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