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1. The value of $[\hat{i} \hat{k} \hat{j}]$ is

- (a) 1
- (b) -1
- (c) 0
- (d) 2

2. If \vec{a} , \vec{b} and \vec{c} be any three vectors, then $\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) + \vec{b} \times (\vec{c} \times \vec{a}) + \vec{c} \times (\vec{a} \times \vec{b})$ is

- (a) $\vec{0}$
- (b) \vec{a}
- (c) \vec{b}
- (d) \vec{c}

3. The projection of $\vec{a} = 2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}$ and $\vec{b} = \hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$ is

- (a) $\frac{5}{6}(2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k})$
- (b) $\frac{6}{5}(2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k})$
- (c) $\frac{6}{5}(\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k})$

(d) $\frac{5}{6}(\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k})$

4. If $|\vec{a}|=4$, $|\vec{b}|=5$ and $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 0$, then $\vec{a} \times \vec{b}$ is

(a) $20\hat{n}$

(b) $9\hat{n}$

(c) \hat{n}

(d) 0

5. The set of three vectors \vec{a} , \vec{b} and \vec{c} are said to be coplanar when

(a) $[\vec{a} \vec{b} \vec{c}] = 0$

(b) $[\vec{a} \vec{b} \vec{c}] \neq 0$

(c) $[\vec{a} \vec{b} \vec{c}] > 0$

(d) None of the above

6. If $\vec{f} = (2x + y)\hat{i} - (3y + 2z)\hat{j} + (x + az)\hat{k}$ is solenoidal, then the value of a is

(a) 0

(b) 1

(c) 2

(d) -2

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7. The directional derivative of $\phi = xy + yz + zx$ at $(1,2,0)$ in the direction of $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$ is

(a) $\frac{3}{4}$

(b) $\frac{4}{3}$

(c) $\frac{10}{3}$

(d) 10

8. A particle moves along a curve whose parametric equations are

$x = e^{-t}, y = 2 \cos 3t, z = \sin 3t$, then the acceleration of particle at $t = 0$ is

(a) $\sqrt{325} \text{unit} / \text{sec}^2$

(b) $\sqrt{10} \text{unit} / \text{sec}^2$

(c) $\sqrt{275} \text{unit} / \text{sec}^2$

(d) $\sqrt{429} \text{unit} / \text{sec}^2$

9. If $\vec{A} = 2yz\hat{i} - x^2y\hat{j} + xz^2\hat{k}$ and $\phi = 2x^2yz^3$ then $(\vec{A} \cdot \nabla)\phi$ equals to

(a) $8xy^2z^4 - 2x^4yz^3 + 6x^3yz^4$

(b) $8xy + xz - y^3$

(c) $8xy^3 + xy + 6x^3y$

(d) None of the above

10. By Stoke's theorem the value of $\iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{A}) \cdot \vec{n} dS$ where

$\vec{A} = (x^2 + y - 4)\hat{i} + 3xy\hat{j} + (2xz + z^2)\hat{k}$ and S is the surface of the paraboloid $z = 4 - (x^2 + y^2)$ above the xy -plane is

- (a) 3π
- (b) -4π
- (c) 4π
- (d) -3π

11. Let $y = mx + c$ and $y' = m'x + c'$ are the two equation of straight line, then the angle between the two lines is

- (a) $\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{m+m'}{1+mm'} \right)$
- (b) $\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{m-m'}{1+mm'} \right)$
- (c) $\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{m+m'}{1-mm'} \right)$
- (d) $\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{m-m'}{1-mm'} \right)$

12. Let m and m' be the slope of two lines then the two lines are parallel if

- (a) $mm' = 1$
- (b) $m = -m'$
- (c) $m = m'$
- (d) $m = -\frac{1}{m'}$

13. The equation $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ represent an ellipse if

- (a) $ab - h^2 > 0$
- (b) $ab - h^2 = 0$
- (c) $ab - h^2 < 0$
- (d) $a = b$ and $h = 0$

14. the asymptotes of the hyperbola $xy + 4x + 3y + 15 = 0$ is

- (a) $(x+4)(y+3) = 0$
- (b) $(x+3)(y+4) = 0$

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(c) $(x+3)(y-4)=0$

(d) $(x+4)(y-3)=0$

15. The common asymptotes of the hyperbola $4x^2 + 3xy + 5x + 21 = 0$ and $x^2 - 4xy - 3x + 19 = 0$ is

(a) $4x+3y+5=0$

(b) $x-4y-3=0$

(c) $x=0$

(d) None of the above

16. The equation of the plane passing through $(2,3,5)$ parallel to the plane $2x-4y+3z=9$ is

(a) $2x+4y+3z-5=0$

(b) $2x+4y+3z-7=0$

(c) $2x-4y+3z+5=0$

(d) $2x-4y+3z-7=0$

17. Shortest distance between the line $\frac{x-3}{1} = \frac{y-4}{1} = \frac{z+1}{-3}$ and $\frac{x-1}{-1} = \frac{y-3}{3} = \frac{z-1}{2}$ is

(a) $15/\sqrt{79}$

(b) $15/\sqrt{138}$

(c) $13/\sqrt{138}$

(d) $13/\sqrt{79}$

18. The intercept on the x axis by the plane $3x-6y+12z=12$ is

(a) 1

(b) 2

(c) 3

(d) 4

19. Shortest distance between the line $\frac{x-1}{5} = \frac{y-7}{-4} = \frac{z+3}{12}$ and the y-axis is

(a) $27/13$

(b) $13/27$

(c) $13/25$

(d) $27/15$

20. The angle between the plane $x+y+z=1$ and $x-y=2$ is

(a) 0

(b) $\frac{\pi}{2}$

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- (c) $\frac{\pi}{4}$
- (d) $\frac{\pi}{3}$

21. If sphere of radius r_1 and r_2 cut orthogonally then the radius of the common circle is

- (a) $\frac{r_1 r_2}{\sqrt{r_1^2 + r_2^2}}$
- (b) $\frac{r_1 r_2}{\sqrt{r_1^2 - r_2^2}}$
- (c) $\frac{\sqrt{r_1^2 - r_2^2}}{r_1 r_2}$
- (d) $\frac{\sqrt{r_1^2 + r_2^2}}{r_1 r_2}$

22. If d is the distance between the center of two sphere of radii r_1 and r_2 , then the angle between them is

- (a) $\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{r_1^2 + r_2^2 - d^2}{2r_1 r_2} \right)$
- (b) $\sin^{-1} \left(\frac{r_1^2 + r_2^2 - d^2}{2r_1 r_2} \right)$
- (c) $\cos^{-1} \left(\frac{r_1^2 + r_2^2 - d^2}{2r_1 r_2} \right)$
- (d) *none of the above.*

23. The equation of the sphere passing through the circle $S=0, P=0$ is

- (a) $S + \lambda p > 0$
- (b) $S + \lambda p = 0$
- (c) $S + \lambda p < 0$
- (d) None of the above

24. Equation of the right circular cylinder with radius a and y axis as the axis of the cylinder $x^2 + z^2 = a^2$

- (a) $\sqrt{x^2 + z^2} = a$
- (b) $\sqrt{x^2 + z^2} = a^2$
- (c) $x^2 + z^2 = a^2$
- (d) None of the above

25. The sum of the square of the intercept made by a given sphere on any three mutually perpendicular straight line through a fixed point is

- (a) Maximum
- (b) Minimum
- (c) Varies
- (d) Constant

B. Fill

1. For any two proper vectors \vec{a} and \vec{b} i.e. $\vec{a} \neq \vec{0}, \vec{b} \neq \vec{0}, \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 0 \Leftrightarrow$ _____ .
2. A necessary and sufficient condition that a proper vector \vec{u} has a constant length is _____ .
3. If $\vec{r}(t) = x(t)\hat{i} + y(t)\hat{j} + z(t)\hat{k}$ is the position vector of a particle moving along a smooth curve in space at time t , then velocity at time t , $\vec{v}(t) =$ _____ .
4. A vector \vec{A} is said to be irrotational if _____ .
5. If $\phi(x, y, z) = x^2y^2 + xz^3$ then $\text{grad}\phi =$ _____ .
6. If \vec{A} is a differentiable vector function and ϕ is a differentiable scalar function , then $\nabla \cdot (\phi \vec{A}) =$ _____ .
7. The equation of the circle $(x-2)^2 + (y-3)^2 = r^2$ when the origin is transfer to (2,1) is _____ .
8. The equation of the curves $2x+5y=15$ when the origin is shifted to (5,6) is _____ .
9. The transformed equation of $x^2 - y^2 = a^2$ by rotating an angle 45 to the original axes without changing the axes is _____ .
10. The equation of the plane passing through (2,3,5) parallel to the plane $2x-4y+3z=9$ is _____ .
11. If two plane $ax+by+cz+d=0$ and $a'x+b'y+c'z+d'=0$ are perpendicular if _____ .

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12. Shortest distance between the line $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-2}{3} = \frac{z-3}{4}$ and $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y-3}{4} = \frac{z-3}{5}$ is _____.

13. Equation of sphere with center (a,b,c) and radius r is _____.

14. In a right circular cone the vertex is origin ,then the equation of the cone is _____.

15. In a right circular cone the vertex is origin and x axis is the axis of the cone, then $(\alpha,\beta,\gamma)=(0,0,0)$ and the direction cosine of the axis be 1,0,0 ,the equation of the cone is _____.

Key Answers

Multiple choice

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| 1. (b) | 2. (a) | 3. (d) | 4. (a) | 5. (a) | 6. (b) |
| 1. (c) | 8. (a) | 9. (a) | 10.(b) | 11.(b) | 12.(c) |
| 13. (a) | 14. (b) | 15. (c) | 16. (d) | 17.(b) | 18.(d) |
| 19. (a) | 20. (b) | 21. (a) | 22. (c) | 23. (b) | 24. (c) |
| 25. (d) | | | | | |

Fill in the blanks

1. $\vec{a} \perp \vec{b}$ (or \vec{a} is perpendicular to \vec{b})

2. $\vec{u} \cdot \frac{d\vec{u}}{dt} = 0$

3. $\vec{v}(t) = \frac{d\vec{r}(t)}{dt}$

4. $\text{curl } \vec{A} = 0$ (or $\nabla \times \vec{A} = 0$)

5. $(2xy^2 + z^3)\hat{i} + 2x^2y\hat{j} + 3xz^2\hat{k}$

6. $(\nabla\phi) \cdot \vec{A} + \phi(\nabla \cdot \vec{A})$

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7. $x^2+(y-2)^2=r^2$

8. $2x+5y+25=0$

9. $2xy+a^2=0$

10. $2x-4y+3z-7=0$

11. $aa'+bb'+cc'=0$

12. 0

13. $(x-a)^2+(y-b)^2+(z-c)^2=r^2$

14. $(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)(l^2 + m^2 + n^2)\cos^2\alpha = (lx + my + nz)^2$

15. $(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)\cos^2\alpha = x^2$ or is $(y^2 + z^2) = x^2 \tan^2 \alpha$