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1 (d)

$$\begin{aligned} & (\vec{a} - \vec{b}) \cdot (\vec{b} + \vec{c}) \times (\vec{c} + \vec{a}) \\ &= (\vec{a} - \vec{b}) \cdot [\vec{b} \times \vec{c} + \vec{b} \times \vec{a} + \vec{c} \times \vec{c} + \vec{c} \times \vec{a}] \\ &= \vec{a} \cdot (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) + \vec{a} \cdot (\vec{b} \times \vec{a}) + \vec{a} \cdot (\vec{c} \times \vec{a}) - \vec{b} \cdot (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) - \vec{b} \cdot (\vec{b} \times \vec{a}) - \vec{b} \cdot (\vec{c} \times \vec{a}) \\ &= \vec{a} \cdot (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) - \vec{a} \cdot (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) \\ &= [\vec{a} \vec{b} \vec{c}] - [\vec{a} \vec{b} \vec{c}] = 0 \end{aligned}$$

2 (b)

$\therefore \vec{a}, \vec{b}$ and \vec{c} are coplanar vectors, so $2\vec{a} - \vec{b}, 2\vec{b} - \vec{c}$ and $2\vec{c} - \vec{a}$ are also coplanar. Thus
 $[2\vec{a} - \vec{b}, 2\vec{b} - \vec{c}, 2\vec{c} - \vec{a}] = 0$

3 (b)

Clearly, angle between \vec{a} and $\vec{b} = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore |\vec{a} + \vec{b}|^2 &= a^2 + b^2 + 2\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} \\ &= 1 + 1 + 0 = 2 \end{aligned}$$

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

5 (d)

$$\text{Given, } (\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \times \vec{c} = -\frac{1}{4} |\vec{b}| |\vec{c}| \vec{a}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\vec{c} \cdot \vec{a}) \vec{b} - (\vec{c} \cdot \vec{b}) \vec{a} = -\frac{1}{4} |\vec{b}| |\vec{c}| \vec{a}$$

On comparing both sides, we get

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

$$|\vec{c}| |\vec{a}| \cos \theta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

6 (c)

$$\text{Now, } (\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}) \times (\hat{i} + \hat{j}) = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \hat{i}(-1) + \hat{j}(1) + \hat{k}(0) = -\hat{i} + \hat{j}$$

$$\text{and } |(\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}) \times (\hat{i} + \hat{j})| = \sqrt{1^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{2}$$

Vector perpendicular to both of the vectors $\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}$ and $\hat{i} + \hat{j}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{(\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}) \times (\hat{i} + \hat{j})}{|(\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}) \times (\hat{i} + \hat{j})|} \\ &= \frac{-\hat{i} + \hat{j}}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}(\hat{i} - \hat{j}) \\ &= c(\hat{i} - \hat{j}), c \text{ is a scalar.} \end{aligned}$$

7 (b)

It is given that $(\vec{a} + \vec{b}) \parallel \vec{c}$ and $(\vec{c} + \vec{a}) \parallel \vec{b}$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore (\vec{a} + \vec{b}) \times \vec{c} &= 0 \text{ and } (\vec{c} + \vec{a}) \times \vec{b} = 0 \\ \Rightarrow \vec{a} \times \vec{c} + \vec{b} \times \vec{c} &= 0 \text{ and } \vec{c} \times \vec{b} + \vec{a} \times \vec{b} = 0 \\ \Rightarrow \vec{a} \times \vec{b} &= \vec{b} \times \vec{c} = \vec{c} \times \vec{a} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$ form the sides of a triangle

8 (a)

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \text{Displacement, } \vec{AB} &= (3 - 2)\hat{i} + (1 + 1)\hat{j} + (2 - 1)\hat{k} \\ &= \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{and force, } \vec{F} = \frac{\sqrt{6}(\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k})}{\sqrt{6}}$$

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

$$\therefore \text{Work done} = \vec{F} \cdot \vec{AB} = (1 + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}) \cdot (\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 6$$

9 (c)

let $\vec{a} = l\hat{i} + m\hat{j} + n\hat{k}$ makes an angle $\frac{\pi}{4}$ with z-axis

$$\text{Also, } l^2 + m^2 + n^2 = 1$$

$$\text{Here, } n = \cos \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \quad l^2 + m^2 = \frac{1}{2} \quad \dots\dots(i)$$

$$\therefore \vec{a} = l\hat{i} + m\hat{j} + \frac{\hat{k}}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{a} + \hat{i} + \hat{j} = (l + 1)\hat{i} + (m + 1)\hat{j} + \frac{\hat{k}}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow |\vec{a} + \hat{i} + \hat{j}| = \sqrt{(l + 1)^2 + (m + 1)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = l^2 + m^2 + 2 + 2l + 2m + \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow l + m = -1 \quad (\text{From Eq. (i)})$$

$$\Rightarrow l^2 + m^2 + 2lm = 1$$

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

$$\Rightarrow l = m = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\left(\because l = m = \frac{1}{2}, \text{ is not satisfied the given equation} \right)$$

$$\therefore \vec{a} = -\frac{\hat{i}}{2} - \frac{\hat{j}}{2} + \frac{\hat{k}}{\sqrt{2}}$$

10 (b)

$$\text{Given, } |\vec{a} \times \vec{b}|^2 + |\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}|^2 = 144$$

$$\Rightarrow |\vec{a}|^2 + |\vec{b}|^2 (\sin^2\theta + \cos^2\theta) = 144$$

$$\Rightarrow 16|\vec{b}|^2 = 144$$

$$\Rightarrow |\vec{b}| = 3$$

11 (c)

Since, $m\vec{a}$ is a unit vector, if and only, if

$$|m\vec{a}| = 1 \Rightarrow |m| |\vec{a}| = 1 \Rightarrow m|\vec{a}| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{1}{|\vec{a}|}$$

12 (b)

Resultant force \vec{F} is given by

$$\vec{F} = (2\hat{i} - 5\hat{j} + 6\hat{k}) - (-\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - \hat{k}) = \hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$$

Let \vec{d} be the displacement vector. Then,

$$\vec{d} = A\vec{B}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{d} = (6\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) - (4\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}) = 2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - \hat{k}$$

$$\therefore W = \text{Work done}$$

$$\Rightarrow W = \vec{F} \cdot \vec{d}$$

$$\Rightarrow W = (\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}) \cdot (2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - \hat{k})$$

$$\Rightarrow W = 2 - 12 - 5 = -15 \text{ units}$$

13 (d)

Since, P, Q, R are collinear. Therefore,

$$\vec{PQ} = m \vec{QR} \text{ for same scalar } m$$

$$\Rightarrow -2\hat{j} = m[(a-1)\hat{i} + (b+1)\hat{j} + c\hat{k}] \text{ for some non-zero scalar } m$$

$$\Rightarrow (a-1)m = 0, (b+1)m = -2, cm = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 1, c = 0, b \in R$$

14 (b)

The direction cosines of a vector making equal angles with the coordinate axes are $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

Therefore, the unit vector along the vector making equal angles with the coordinate axes is

$$\vec{b} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\hat{i} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\hat{j} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\hat{k}$$

$$\therefore \text{Projection of } \vec{a} \text{ on } \vec{b} = \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}$$

$$= (4\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) \cdot \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\hat{i} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\hat{j} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\hat{k} \right) = \frac{4 - 3 + 2}{\sqrt{3}} = \sqrt{3}$$

15 (a)

$$[2\hat{i} \ 3\hat{j} - 5\hat{k}]$$

$$= -30 [\hat{i} \ \hat{j} \ \hat{k}]$$

$$= -30 \quad (\because [\hat{i} \ \hat{j} \ \hat{k}] = 1)$$

16 (b)

We have,

$$\begin{aligned} & (\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \times (\vec{a} \times \vec{c}) \cdot \vec{d} \\ &= \{((\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \cdot \vec{c})\vec{a} - ((\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \cdot \vec{a})\vec{c}\} \cdot \vec{d} \\ &= \{[\vec{a} \vec{b} \vec{c}]\vec{a} - 0\} \cdot \vec{d} = [\vec{a} \vec{b} \vec{c}](\vec{a} \cdot \vec{d}) \end{aligned}$$

17 (d)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Resultant force } \vec{F} &= (2\hat{i} - 5\hat{j} + 6\hat{k}) + (-\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - \hat{k}) \\ &= \hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 5\hat{k} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{and displacement, } \vec{d} &= (6\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) - (4\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}) \\ &= 2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - \hat{k} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \text{work done } W &= \vec{F} \cdot \vec{d} \\ &= (\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}) \cdot (2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - \hat{k}) \\ &= -15 \\ &= 15 \text{ units [neglecting - ve sign]} \end{aligned}$$

18 (a)

The resultant force is given by

$$\vec{F} = 6 \frac{(\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k})}{\sqrt{1+4+4}} + 7 \frac{(2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} - 6\hat{k})}{\sqrt{4+9+36}} = 4\hat{i} - 7\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$$

$$\vec{d} = \text{Displacement} = \vec{PQ}$$

$$\vec{d} = (5\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}) - (2\hat{i} - \hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) = 3\hat{i} + 4\hat{k}$$

$$\therefore \text{Work done} = \vec{F} \cdot \vec{d} = 12 + 0 - 8 = 4 \text{ units}$$

19 (c)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{We know, } & [\vec{b} \times \vec{c} \quad \vec{c} \times \vec{a} \quad \vec{a} \times \vec{b}] \\ &= (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) \cdot [(\vec{c} \times \vec{a}) \cdot (\vec{a} \times \vec{b})] \\ &= (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) \cdot [((\vec{c} \times \vec{a}) \cdot \vec{b})\vec{a} - ((\vec{c} \times \vec{a}) \cdot \vec{a})\vec{b}] \\ &= (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) \cdot ([\vec{c} \vec{a} \vec{b}]\vec{a} - [\vec{c} \vec{a} \vec{a}]\vec{b}) \\ &= (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) \cdot \vec{a}[\vec{a} \vec{b} \vec{c}] - 0 \\ &= [\vec{a} \vec{b} \vec{c}][\vec{a} \vec{b} \vec{c}] \\ &= [\vec{a} \vec{b} \vec{c}]^2 \end{aligned}$$

20 (d)

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \vec{QP} & \text{ is parallel to } \vec{AB} \text{ and } \vec{DC}. \\ \therefore \vec{AB} + \vec{DC} &= \vec{QP} + \vec{QP} = 2\vec{QP} \end{aligned}$$

ANSWER-KEY

Q.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
A.	D	B	B	B	D	C	B	A	C	B
Q.	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
A.	C	B	D	B	A	B	D	A	C	D

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