

## Topic :- VECTOR ALGEBRA

1. If  $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$  be three non-coplanar vectors and  $\vec{p}, \vec{q}, \vec{r}$  constitute the corresponding reciprocal system of vectors then for any arbitrary vector  $\vec{\alpha}$

- a)  $\vec{\alpha} = (\vec{\alpha} \cdot \vec{a})\vec{a} + (\vec{\alpha} \cdot \vec{b})\vec{b} + (\vec{\alpha} \cdot \vec{c})\vec{c}$                       b)  $\vec{\alpha} = (\vec{\alpha} \cdot \vec{p})\vec{p} + (\vec{\alpha} \cdot \vec{q})\vec{q} + (\vec{\alpha} \cdot \vec{r})\vec{r}$   
c)  $\vec{\alpha} = (\vec{\alpha} \cdot \vec{p})\vec{a} + (\vec{\alpha} \cdot \vec{q})\vec{b} + (\vec{\alpha} \cdot \vec{r})\vec{c}$                       d) None of the above

2. The vector  $\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{c})$  is coplanar with the vectors

- a)  $\vec{b}, \vec{c}$                       b)  $\vec{a}, \vec{b}$                       c)  $\vec{a}, \vec{c}$                       d)  $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$

3. If  $\vec{b}$  is a unit vector, then  $(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b})\vec{b} + \vec{b} \times (\vec{a} \times \vec{b})$  is

- a)  $|\vec{a}|^2\vec{b}$                       b)  $|\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}|\vec{a}$                       c)  $\vec{a}$                       d)  $\vec{b}$

4. If  $\sum_{i=1}^n |\vec{a}_i| = \vec{0}$ , where  $|\vec{a}_i| = 1 \forall i$ , then the value of  $\sum_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} \vec{a}_i \cdot \vec{a}_j$  is

- a)  $n^2$                       b)  $-n^2$                       c)  $n$                       d)  $-\frac{n}{2}$

5. If the vector  $3\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} - 5\hat{k}$  is perpendicular to  $c\hat{k} - \hat{j} + 6\hat{i}$  then  $c$  is equal to

- a) 3                      b) 4                      c) 5                      d) 6

6. If  $\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \vec{0}$  and  $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 0$ , then

- a)  $\vec{a} \perp \vec{b}$                       b)  $\vec{a} \parallel \vec{b}$                       c)  $\vec{a} = \vec{0}$  and  $\vec{b} = \vec{0}$                       d)  $\vec{a} = \vec{0}$  or  $\vec{b} = \vec{0}$

7. If  $2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 5\hat{k}$  and  $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$  are adjacent side of a parallelogram, then the lengths of its diagonals are

- a)  $7, \sqrt{69}$                       b)  $6, \sqrt{59}$                       c)  $5, \sqrt{65}$                       d)  $5, \sqrt{55}$

8. Let  $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$  be unit vectors such that  $\vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c} = \vec{0}$ . Which of the following is correct?

- a)  $\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \vec{b} \times \vec{c} = \vec{c} \times \vec{a} = \vec{0}$                       b)  $\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \vec{b} \times \vec{c} = \vec{c} \times \vec{a} \neq \vec{0}$   
c)  $\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \vec{b} \times \vec{c} = \vec{a} \times \vec{c} = \vec{0}$                       d)  $\vec{a} \times \vec{b}, \vec{b} \times \vec{c}, \vec{c} \times \vec{a}$  are mutually perpendicular

9. If  $G$  is the centre of a regular hexagon  $ABCDEF$ , then  $\vec{AB} + \vec{AC} + \vec{AD} + \vec{AE} + \vec{AF} =$

- a)  $3\vec{AG}$                       b)  $2\vec{AG}$                       c)  $6\vec{AG}$                       d)  $4\vec{AG}$

10. I. Two non-zero. Non-collinear vectors are linearly independent .

II. Any three coplanar vectors are linearly dependent. Which of the above statements is /are true?

- a) Only I                      b) Only II                      c) Both I and II                      d) Neither I nor II

11. If  $\vec{a}, \vec{b}$  and  $\vec{c}$  are unit coplanar vectors, then  $[2\vec{a} - 3\vec{b} \ 7\vec{b} - 9\vec{c} \ 12\vec{c} - 23\vec{a}]$  is equal to

- a) 0                      b) 1/2                      c) 24                      d) 32

12.  $[\vec{a} + \vec{b} \ \vec{b} + \vec{c} \ \vec{c} + \vec{a}] = [\vec{a} \ \vec{b} \ \vec{c}]$ , then

- a)  $[\vec{a} \ \vec{b} \ \vec{c}] = 1$                       b)  $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$  are coplanar  
c)  $[\vec{a} \ \vec{b} \ \vec{c}] = -1$                       d)  $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$  are mutually perpendicular

13. If  $\vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c} = \vec{0}$  and  $|\vec{a}| = \sqrt{37}, |\vec{b}| = 3, |\vec{c}| = 4$ , then the angle between  $\vec{b}$  and  $\vec{c}$

- a)  $30^\circ$                       b)  $45^\circ$                       c)  $60^\circ$                       d)  $90^\circ$

14. A unit vector coplanar with  $\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$  and  $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$ , and perpendicular to  $\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}$  is

- a)  $\left(\frac{\hat{j} - \hat{k}}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$                       b)  $\left(\frac{\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$                       c)  $\left(\frac{\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}}{\sqrt{6}}\right)$                       d)  $\left(\frac{\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}}{\sqrt{6}}\right)$

15. The projection of the vector  $\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}$  along the vector of  $\hat{j}$ , is

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

16. Volume of the parallelepiped having vertices at  $O \equiv (0,0,0), A \equiv (2, -2,4), B \equiv (5, -4,4)$  and  $C \equiv (1, -2,4)$

- a) 5 cu units                      b) 10 cu units                      c) 15 cu units                      d) 20 cu units

17. The area of parallelogram constructed on the vectors  $\vec{a} = \vec{p} + 2\vec{q}$  and  $\vec{b} = 2\vec{p} + \vec{q}$ , where  $\vec{p}$  and  $\vec{q}$  are unit vectors forming an angle of  $30^\circ$  is

- a) 3/2                      b) 5/2                      c) 7/2                      d) None of these

18. If  $\vec{a}$  is a vector perpendicular to the vectors  $\vec{b} = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$  and  $\vec{c} = -2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + \hat{k}$  and satisfies the condition  $\vec{a} \cdot (\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}) = -6$ , then  $\vec{a} =$

- a)  $5\hat{i} + \frac{7}{2}\hat{j} - 4\hat{k}$                       b)  $10\hat{i} + 7\hat{j} - 8\hat{k}$                       c)  $5\hat{i} - \frac{7}{2}\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}$                       d) None of these

19. The projection of  $\vec{a} = 3\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$  on  $\vec{b} = 2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + \hat{k}$  is

- a)  $\frac{8}{\sqrt{35}}$                       b)  $\frac{9}{\sqrt{39}}$                       c)  $\frac{8}{\sqrt{14}}$                       d)  $\sqrt{14}$

20. Let  $ABCDEF$  be a regular hexagon and  $\overrightarrow{AB} = \vec{a}, \overrightarrow{BC} = \vec{b}, \overrightarrow{CD} = \vec{c}$ , then  $\overrightarrow{AE}$  is equal to

- a)  $\vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c}$                       b)  $\vec{b} + \vec{c}$                       c)  $\vec{a} + \vec{b}$                       d)  $\vec{a} + \vec{c}$