

CHAPTER - 23 - THREE DIMENSIONAL GEOMETRY

EXERCISE 23 (a)

Ans-1. The direction ratio of line are $\langle 1, -2, -2 \rangle$

So direction cosines of line be

$$\left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{1^2 + (-2)^2 + (-2)^2}}, \frac{-2}{\sqrt{1^2 + (-2)^2 + (-2)^2}}, \frac{-2}{\sqrt{1^2 + (-2)^2 + (-2)^2}} \right\rangle$$

i.e. $\left\langle \frac{1}{3}, -\frac{2}{3}, -\frac{2}{3} \right\rangle$

Ans-2.

α, β and γ are angles which a line makes with axes

So direction cosines of line are $\langle \cos \alpha, \cos \beta, \cos \gamma \rangle$

So

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

$$\Rightarrow 1 - \sin^2 \alpha + 1 - \sin^2 \beta + 1 - \sin^2 \gamma = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \beta + \sin^2 \gamma = 3 - 1 = 2$$

Ans-3.

Direction cosines of line be $\langle \cos 45^\circ, \cos 60^\circ, \cos 120^\circ \rangle$

$$\left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{2}, \cos (180^\circ - 60^\circ) \right\rangle \text{ i.e. } \left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2} \right\rangle$$

$$l = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, m = \frac{1}{2} \text{ and } n = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{so } l^2 + m^2 + n^2 = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} = 1$$

Yes a line can hence direction angles $45^\circ 60^\circ$ and 120°

Ans-4.

$$l = m = n = 1$$

So

$$l^2 + m^2 + n^2 = 1 + 1 = 2 \neq 1$$

That, $\langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle$ can't be the direction cosines of straight line

Ans-5.

We know that direction ratios of the line joining the points $A(x_1, y_1, z_1)$ and $B(x_2, y_2, z_2)$ are

$$\langle x_2 - x_1, y_2 - y_1, z_2 - z_1 \rangle$$

(i) Direction ratios of line AB are $\langle 4 - 0, 8 - 0, -0 \rangle$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle 4, 8, -8 \rangle$$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle 1, 2, -2 \rangle$$

So direction cosines of line AB are

$$\left\langle \frac{4}{\sqrt{4^2 + 8^2 + (-8)^2}}, \frac{8}{\sqrt{4^2 + 8^2 + (-8)^2}}, \frac{-8}{\sqrt{4^2 + 8^2 + (-8)^2}} \right\rangle$$

$$\text{i.e. } \left\langle \frac{4}{12}, \frac{8}{12}, \frac{-8}{12} \right\rangle$$

$$\text{i.e. } \left\langle \frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{-2}{3} \right\rangle$$

(ii) D^r ratios of line AB are $\langle -1 - 1, 0 - 3, -1 - 5 \rangle$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle -2, -3, -6 \rangle$$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle 2, 3, 6 \rangle$$

So D' cosines of line AB are

$$\left\langle \frac{2}{\sqrt{2^2+3^2+6^2}}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{2^2+3^2+6^2}}, \frac{6}{\sqrt{2^2+3^2+6^2}} \right\rangle$$

i.e. $\left\langle \frac{2}{7}, \frac{3}{7}, \frac{6}{7} \right\rangle$.

(iii) D' ratios of line AB are $\langle 1-5, 1-6, -6, 3+3 \rangle$

i.e. $\langle -4, -12, 6 \rangle$

i.e. $\langle 2, 6, -3 \rangle$

So D' cosines of line AB are

$$\left\langle \frac{2}{\sqrt{2^2+6^2+(-3)^2}}, \frac{6}{\sqrt{2^2+6^2+(-3)^2}}, \frac{-3}{\sqrt{2^2+6^2+(-3)^2}} \right\rangle$$

i.e. $\left\langle \frac{2}{7}, \frac{6}{7}, \frac{-3}{7} \right\rangle$

(iv) D' ratios of line AB are $\langle -2-4, 1, -2, 3+6 \rangle$

i.e. $\langle -6, 1, 9 \rangle$

i.e. $\langle 6, 1, -9 \rangle$

So D' cosines of line are

Ans-6.

(i) Direction ratios of line AB are $\langle 4-1, 0-2, 4-3$

\rangle

i.e. $\langle 3, -2, 1 \rangle$

Direction ratios of line BC are $\langle -2-4, 4-0, 2-4 \rangle$

i.e. $\langle 3, -2, 1 \rangle$

That line AB is parallel to line BC and the point B is common in both lines.

So points A, B and C lie on same line.

So points A, B and C are collinear.

(ii) Direction ratios of line AB are $\langle 3+2, -6-4, 8-7 \rangle$

i.e. $\langle 5, -10, -1 \rangle$

i.e. $\langle 1, -2, -3 \rangle$

$$\text{Hence } \frac{1}{-2} = \frac{-2}{4} = \frac{-3}{6}$$

i.e. direction ratios of both lines are proportional

and hence line AB and BC are parallel

and the points B in common to both lines

So A, B and C are collinear.

Ans-7:

∅ The angle made by the line with z-axis

So direction cosines of given line be $\langle \cos \frac{\pi}{4}, \cos \frac{\pi}{4}, \cos \theta \rangle$

$\cos \theta$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \cos \theta \rangle$$

$$\text{So } \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 + \cos^2 \theta = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} + \cos^2 \theta = 1 \quad \text{or } \cos^2 \theta = 0 \quad \text{or } \cos \theta = 0$$

$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

Ans-8.

θ be the angle made by the line OP with z-axis
So direction cosines of line OP are

$$\langle \cos 120^\circ, \cos 60^\circ, \cos \theta \rangle$$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \cos \theta \rangle$$

$$\text{Since } l^2 + m^2 + n^2 = 1 \Rightarrow \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \cos^2 \theta = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} + \cos^2 \theta = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2} = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 = \cos^2 \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\text{Since } 0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$$

$$\text{So } \theta = \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

Ans-9.

θ be the angle between given vectors whose
direction ratios are $\langle 2, 3, -6 \rangle$ and $\langle 3, -4, 5 \rangle$

$$\text{So } a_1 = 2; b_1 = 3; c_1 = -6 \text{ and } a_2 = 3; b_2 = -4; c_2 = 5$$

$$\text{So } \cos \theta = \frac{(a_1 a_2 + b_1 b_2 + c_1 c_2)}{\sqrt{a_1^2 + b_1^2 + c_1^2} \sqrt{a_2^2 + b_2^2 + c_2^2}}$$

$$= \frac{2(3) + 3(-4) - 6(5)}{\sqrt{2^2 + 3^2 + (-6)^2} \sqrt{3^2 + (-4)^2 + 5^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{-36}{7 \times 5\sqrt{2}} = -\frac{18\sqrt{2}}{35}$$

Ans-10.

(i) Since α, β, γ are the angles the line makes with the axes.

So direction cosines of line are $\langle \cos \alpha, \cos \beta, \cos \gamma \rangle$

$$\text{So } \cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \gamma = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{14}{15}\right)^2 + \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)^2 + \cos^2 \gamma = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{196}{225} + \frac{1}{9} + \cos^2 \gamma = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{221}{225} + \cos^2 \gamma = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 \gamma = 1 - \frac{221}{225} = \frac{4}{225} = \left[\frac{2}{15}\right]^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 \gamma = \pm \frac{2}{15}$$

(ii) $\alpha = 60^\circ, \beta = 135^\circ$

$$\text{So } \cos^2 \gamma = 1 - \cos^2 60^\circ - \cos^2 135^\circ = 1 - \left[\frac{1}{2}\right]^2 - \left[\frac{1}{2}\right]^2$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 \gamma = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \gamma = \pm \frac{1}{2}$$

Ans-11.

D^r ratios of line OA are $\langle 2, 0, 3, 0, 4, 0 \rangle$
i.e. $\langle 2, 3, 4 \rangle$

D^r ratios of line OB are $\langle 1, 0, -2, -0, 1, 0 \rangle$
i.e. $\langle 1, -2, 1 \rangle$

Here $a_1 a_2 + b_1 b_2 + c_1 c_2 = 2(1) + 3(-2) + 4(1) = 0$

So line OA is \perp to line OB.

Ans-12.

Direction Ratios of the joining A (1, 2, 3) and B (4, 5, 7)
are $\langle 4-1, 5-2, 7-3 \rangle$ i.e. $\langle 3, 3, 4 \rangle$

and D^r ratios of the joining join C (-4, 3, -6) and
D (2, 9, 12) are

$$\langle 2+4, 9-3, 12+6 \rangle \text{ i.e. } \langle 6, 6, 8 \rangle$$

$$\text{Here } \frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{b_1}{b_2} = \frac{c_1}{c_2}$$

$$\text{Since } \frac{3}{6} = \frac{3}{6} = \frac{4}{8} = \frac{1}{2}$$

i.e. D^r ratios of both lines are proportional
So line AB is parallel to line CD.

Ans-13.

(i) Given direction ratios of lines are $\langle 5, -12, 13 \rangle$
and $\langle -3, 4, 5 \rangle$

$$a_1 = 5; b_1 = -12; c_1 = 13$$

$$a_2 = -3; b_2 = 4; c_2 = 5$$

Let θ be the angle between the lines.

$$\text{Then } \cos \theta = \frac{a_1 a_2 + b_1 b_2 + c_1 c_2}{\sqrt{a_1^2 + b_1^2 + c_1^2} \sqrt{a_2^2 + b_2^2 + c_2^2}}$$

$$= \frac{5(-3) - 12(4) + 13(5)}{\sqrt{5^2 + (-12)^2 + 13^2} \sqrt{(-3)^2 + 4^2 + 5^2}}$$

$$= \frac{-15 - 48 + 65}{\sqrt{5 \times 169} \sqrt{25 \times 2}} = \frac{2}{5 \times 13 \times 2} = \frac{1}{65}$$

$$\text{So } \theta = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{65} \right)$$

(ii) $a_1 = 1; b_1 = 1; c_1 = 2$

$$a_2 = \sqrt{3} - 1; b_2 = -\sqrt{3} - 1; c_2 = 4$$

$$\text{So } \cos \theta = \frac{a_1 a_2 + b_1 b_2 + c_1 c_2}{\sqrt{a_1^2 + b_1^2 + c_1^2} \sqrt{a_2^2 + b_2^2 + c_2^2}}$$

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

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3} - 1 - \sqrt{3} - 1 + 8}{\sqrt{6} \sqrt{3+1+3+1+16}}$$

$$= \frac{6}{\sqrt{144}}$$

$$= \frac{6}{12} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= \theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

Ans - 14.

So D' ratios of line PQ are $\langle -1, -2, -3, 2, -5 \rangle$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle -3, 0, -3 \rangle$$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle 1, 0, 1 \rangle$$

So D' cosines of line PQ are $\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+1}}, \frac{0}{\sqrt{1+1}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+1}} \rangle$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, 0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \rangle$$

D' ratios of line QR are $\langle 3+1, 5-3, -2-2 \rangle$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle 4, 2, -4 \rangle \text{ i.e. } \langle 2, 1, -2 \rangle$$

So D' cosines of line QR are $\langle \frac{2}{\sqrt{4+1+4}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{4+1+4}}, \frac{-2}{\sqrt{4+1+4}} \rangle$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle \frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{-2}{3} \rangle$$

D' ratios of line PR are $\langle 3-2, 5-3, -2-5 \rangle$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle 1, 2, -7 \rangle$$

So D' cosines of line PR are $\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+4+49}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{1+4+49}}, \frac{-7}{\sqrt{1+4+49}} \rangle$

$$\text{i.e. } \dots \left\langle \frac{1}{3\sqrt{6}}, \frac{2}{3\sqrt{6}}, \frac{-7}{3\sqrt{6}} \right\rangle$$

Ans-15.

D' ratios of line PQ are $\langle 5-3, 4-2, -6+4 \rangle$
 i.e. $\langle 2, 2, -2 \rangle$

and D' ratios of line QR are $\langle 9-5, 8-4, -10+6 \rangle$
 i.e. $\langle 4, 4, -4 \rangle$

More
$$\frac{2}{4} = \frac{2}{4} = \frac{-2}{-4}$$

i.e. D' ratios of both lines PQ and QR are proportional

so line PQ and QR are parallel and the point Q is common to both sides.

So coordinates of point Q are

$$\left(\frac{9K+3}{K+1}, \frac{8K+2}{K+1}, \frac{-10K-4}{K+1} \right) \quad \begin{array}{c} K:L \\ \hline P(3, 2, -4) \quad Q(5, 4, -2) \quad R(9, 2, -10) \end{array}$$

Also coordinates of point Q be $(5, 4, -2)$

So
$$\frac{9K+3}{K+1} = 5 \Rightarrow 9K+3 = 5K+5$$

$$\Rightarrow 4K = 2 \Rightarrow K = \frac{1}{2}$$

and
$$\frac{8K+2}{K+1} = 4 \Rightarrow 8K+2 = 4K+4$$

$$\Rightarrow 4K = 2 \Rightarrow K = \frac{1}{2}$$

Also

$$\frac{-10k - 4}{k + 1} = -6 \Rightarrow -10k - 4 = -6k - 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 4k = 2 \Rightarrow k = \frac{1}{2}$$

Times required ratio be $k:1$

i.e. $1:2$

Ans-16.

(i) D' ratios of line joining the points $A(8, 2, 0)$ and $B(4, 6, 7)$ are $\langle 4 - 8, 6 - 2, 7 - 0 \rangle$

i.e. $\langle -4, 4, 7 \rangle$

and D' ratios of line joining the points $C(-3, 1, 2)$

and $D(-9, -2, 4)$ are $\langle -9 + 3, -2 - 1, 4 - 2 \rangle$

i.e. $\langle -6, -3, 2 \rangle$

Let θ be the acute angle between the lines AB and CD

$$\cos \theta = \frac{|-4(-6) + 4(-3) - 7(2)|}{\sqrt{16 + 16 + 49} \sqrt{36 + 9 + 4}} = \frac{2}{9 \times 7} = \frac{2}{63}$$

$$\text{So } \theta = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{2}{63} \right)$$

(ii) D' ratios of the line joining the points $A(-2, 3)$ and

$B(6, 1, 7)$ are $\langle 6 - (-2), 1 - 3 \rangle$

i.e. $\langle 2, 3, 4 \rangle$

and

D' ratios of the line joining the points C(4, -2, 3)

and D(5, 4, -2) are $\langle 5-4, 4+2, -2-3 \rangle$

i.e. $\langle 1, 6, -5 \rangle$

Let θ be the angle between the lines AB and CD.

$$\text{So } \cos \theta = \frac{|2(1) + 3(6) + 4(-5)|}{\sqrt{4+9+16} \sqrt{1+36+25}} = 0$$

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

(iii) D' ratios of the line joining the points A(3, 1, -2)

and B(4, 0, -4) are $\langle 4-3, 0-1, -4+2 \rangle$

i.e. $\langle 1, -1, -2 \rangle$

and D' ratios of the line joining the points

C(4, -3, 3) and D(6, -2, 2) are $\langle 6-4, -2+3, 2-3 \rangle$

i.e. $\langle 2, 1, -1 \rangle$

Let θ be the angle between the lines AB and CD

$$\text{Then } \cos \theta = \frac{|1(2) - 1(1) - 2(-1)|}{\sqrt{1+1+4} \sqrt{4+1+1}}$$

$$= \frac{3}{\sqrt{6} \sqrt{6}} = \frac{3}{6} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

Ans-17.

Let the required direction ratios of given line be $\langle a, b, c \rangle$ and given line \perp to the lines having direction ratios are $\langle 1, -2, -2 \rangle$ and $\langle 0, 2, 1 \rangle$

$$a - 2b - 2c = 0$$

$$0a + 2b + c = 0$$

using cross multiplication method, we have

$$\frac{a}{-2+4} = \frac{b}{0-1} = \frac{c}{2-0}$$

$$\text{i.e. } \frac{a}{2} = \frac{b}{-1} = \frac{c}{2}$$

So D.R. ratios of line are $\langle 2, -1, 2 \rangle$

Time required direction cosines of line are

$$\frac{2}{\sqrt{2^2 + (-1)^2 + 2^2}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2^2 + (-1)^2 + 2^2}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{2^2 + (-1)^2 + 2^2}}$$

$$\text{i.e. } \left\langle \frac{2}{3}, -\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3} \right\rangle$$

Ans-18.

Ans - 18.

D^r ratios of given lines are $\langle -3, -2, 3-3, -2+4 \rangle$

and $\langle 3+1, 5-4, 1-2 \rangle$

i.e. $\langle -5, 0, 2 \rangle$ and $\langle 4, 1, -1 \rangle$

Let the direction ratios of required line be

$\langle a, b, c \rangle$ since the required line be \perp to given lines.

$$\text{Then } -5a + 0b + 2c = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$4a + b - c = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

on solving (1) and eqn (2) by cross multiplication method, we have

$$\frac{a}{0-2} = \frac{b}{8-5} = \frac{c}{-5-0}$$

$$\text{i.e. } \frac{a}{-2} = \frac{b}{3} = \frac{c}{-5}$$

So direction ratios of required line be

$$\langle -2, 3, -5 \rangle$$

Ans-19.

∴ direction ratios of the line AB through the points A(4, 1, 2) and B(5, x, 0) are $\langle 5-4, x-1, 0-2 \rangle$

i.e. $\langle 1, x-1, -2 \rangle$

also direction ratios of line (11) through (11) through the points C(2, 1, 1) and D(3, 3, -1) are $\langle 3-2, 3-1, -1-1 \rangle$

i.e. $\langle 1, 2, -2 \rangle$

Since both lines are parallel

So direction ratios of both lines are proportional.

$$\frac{1}{1} = \frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{-2}{-2} \Rightarrow x-1 = 2 \Rightarrow x = 3$$

Ans-20.

Now both lines AB and CD are perpendicular

$$\text{So } 1(1) + (x-1)2 + (-2)(-2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + 2x - 2 + 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x + 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -\frac{3}{2}$$

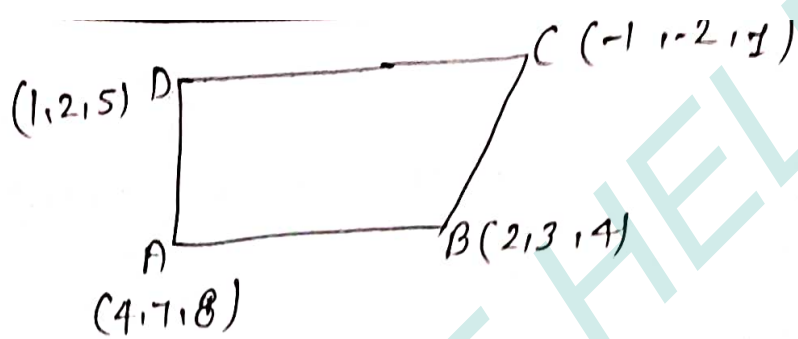
Ans-21.

ABCD be the quadrilateral.

$$\text{mid point of AC} = \left(\frac{4+1}{2}, \frac{7+2}{2}, \frac{8+1}{2} \right) = \left(\frac{3}{2}, \frac{5}{2}, \frac{9}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{and mid point of BD} = \left(\frac{2+1}{2}, \frac{3+2}{2}, \frac{4+5}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{i.e. } \left(\frac{3}{2}, \frac{5}{2}, \frac{9}{2} \right)$$



That diagonals AC and BD bisect each other.

Dir ratios of line AB are $\langle 2-4, 3-7, 4-8 \rangle$

i.e $\langle -2, -4, -4 \rangle$

Dir ratios of side DC are $\langle -1-1, -2-2, 1-5 \rangle$

i.e $\langle -2, -4, -4 \rangle$

So $AB \parallel DC$.

Similarly direction ratios of side AD are

$\langle 1-4, 2-7, 5-8 \rangle$

i.e $\langle -3, -5, -3 \rangle$

and direction ratios of side AD are $\langle 1-4, 2-7, 5-8 \rangle$

i.e $\langle -3, -5, -3 \rangle$

and direction ratios of side BC are $\langle -1-2, -2-3, 1-4 \rangle$

i.e $\langle -3, -5, -3 \rangle$

That $AD \parallel BC$

Hence A, B, C and D are the vertices of parallelogram.

Ans-22.

A, B, C and D are the given vertices of quadrilateral.

Dl ratios of side AB are;

$$\langle 7-5, -4+1, 7-1 \rangle$$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle 2, -3, 6 \rangle$$

Dl ratios of side AD are;

$$\langle -1-5, -3+1, 4-1 \rangle$$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle -6, -2, 3 \rangle$$

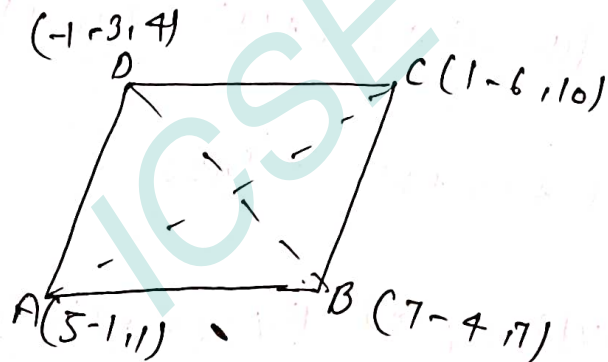
Here Dl ratios of line AC are

$$\langle 1-5, -6+1, 10-1 \rangle$$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle -4, -5, 9 \rangle$$

and Dl ratios of diagonals BD are

$$\langle -1-7, -3+4, 4-7 \rangle \text{ i.e. } \langle -8, 1, -3 \rangle$$



$$\text{Here } a_1 a_2 + b_1 b_2 + c_1 c_2 = (-4)(-8) + (-5)(1) + 9(-3) = 0$$

So both diagonals each other at right angle.

$$\text{Also mid point of AC} = \left(\frac{5+1}{2}, \frac{-1+6}{2}, \frac{1+10}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{i.e. } \left(3, \frac{5}{2}, \frac{11}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{and mid point of BD} = \left(\frac{7-1}{2}, -\frac{4-3}{2}, \frac{4+7}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{i.e. } \left(3, -\frac{7}{2}, \frac{11}{2} \right)$$

So both diagonals bisect each other at right angles.

$$\begin{aligned} |AB| &= \sqrt{(7-5)^2 + (-4+1)^2 + (7-1)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{4+9+36} = 7 \end{aligned}$$

$$|AD| = \sqrt{(-1-5)^2 + (-3+1)^2 + (4-1)^2} = 7$$

$$|DC| = \sqrt{(7-1)^2 + (-4+6)^2 + (10-7)^2} = \sqrt{36+4+9} = 7$$

$$|BC| = \sqrt{(1+1)^2 + (-6+3)^2 + (10-4)^2} = 7$$

$$|AB| = |BC| = |AD| = |DC|$$

$$\begin{aligned} |AC| &= \sqrt{(1-5)^2 + (-6+1)^2 + (10-1)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{16+25+81} = \sqrt{122} \end{aligned}$$

$$|BD| = \sqrt{(-1-7)^2 + (-3+4)^2 + (4-7)^2} = \sqrt{64+1+9} = \sqrt{74}$$

$$\text{So } |AC| \neq |BD|$$

Clearly A, B, C and D are the vertices of rhombus.

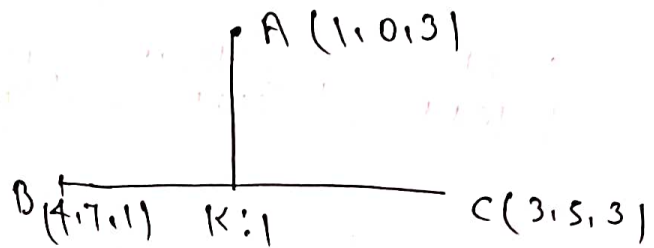
Ans 23.

D be the foot of \perp drawn from A (1, 0, 3) to BC.

Point D divides the line BC in the ratio $K:1$

So

coordinates of point D are $\left(\frac{3K+4}{K+1}, \frac{5K+7}{K+1}, \frac{3K+1}{K+1} \right)$



So direction ratios of line AD are

$$\left\langle \frac{3K+4}{K+1} - 1, \frac{5K+7}{K+1} - 0, \frac{3K+1}{K+1} - 3 \right\rangle$$

$$\text{i.e. } \left\langle \frac{2K+3}{K+1}, \frac{5K+7}{K+1}, \frac{-2}{K+1} \right\rangle$$

Also direction ratios of line BC are $\langle 3-1, 5-7, 3-1 \rangle$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle -1, -2, 2 \rangle$$

Since line AD is \perp to line BC.

$$\text{So } \left(\frac{2K+3}{K+1} \right) (-1) + \left(\frac{5K+7}{K+1} \right) (-2) + \left(\frac{-2}{K+1} \right) 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -2K - 3 - 10K - 14 - 4 = 0 \Rightarrow -12K - 21 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow K = -\frac{7}{4}$$

That required coordinates of foot of \perp D are

$$\left(\frac{-\frac{7}{4} + 4}{-\frac{7}{4} + 1}, \frac{-\frac{35}{4} + 7}{-\frac{7}{4} + 1}, \frac{-\frac{21}{4} + 1}{-\frac{7}{4} + 1} \right)$$

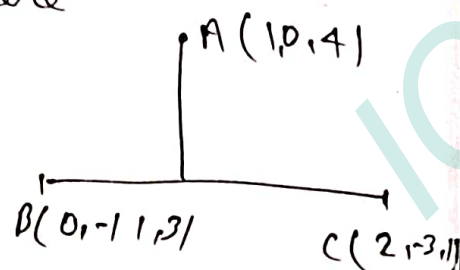
$$\text{i.e. } \left(\frac{5}{2}, \frac{7}{3}, \frac{17}{3} \right)$$

Ans-24.

Point D divides the line BC in ratios $k:1$

Then coordinates of point D are

$$\left(\frac{2k}{k+1}, \frac{-3k-11}{k+1}, \frac{k+3}{k+1} \right)$$



So D' ratios of line AD are

$$\left\langle \frac{2k}{k+1} - 1, \frac{-3k-11}{k+1} - 0, \frac{k+3}{k+1} - 4 \right\rangle$$

$$\text{i.e. } \left\langle \frac{k-1}{k+1}, \frac{-3k-11}{k+1}, \frac{-3k-1}{k+1} \right\rangle$$

D' ratios of line BC are $\langle 2, -3+11, 1-3 \rangle$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle 2, 8, -2 \rangle$$

since line AD is \perp to line BC.

$$\text{so } \left(\frac{k-1}{k+1} \right) 2 + \left(\frac{-3k-11}{k+1} \right) 8 + \left(\frac{-3k-1}{k+1} \right) (-2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2k - 2 - 24k - 88 + 6k + 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -16k = 88 \quad \Rightarrow k = \frac{88}{-16} = -\frac{11}{2}$$

Then coordinates of foot of \perp are

$$\frac{-\frac{22}{2}}{\frac{-11}{2} + 1}, \quad \frac{\frac{+11}{2}}{\frac{-11}{2} + 1}, \quad \frac{\frac{-11}{2} + 3}{\frac{-11}{2} + 1}$$

$$\text{i.e. } \left(\frac{22}{9}, \frac{-11}{9}, \frac{5}{9} \right)$$

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Ans-25.

D' ratios of side AB are

$$\langle 6-1, 11+1, 2-2 \rangle$$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle 5, 12, 0 \rangle$$

D' ratios of line AC are

$$\langle 1-1, 2+1, 6-2 \rangle$$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle 0, 3, 4 \rangle$$

$$a_1 = 5; \quad b_1 = 12; \quad c_1 = 0$$

$$a_2 = 0; \quad b_2 = 3; \quad c_2 = 4$$

So

$$\cos A = \frac{a_1 a_2 + b_1 b_2 + c_1 c_2}{\sqrt{a_1^2 + b_1^2 + c_1^2} \sqrt{a_2^2 + b_2^2 + c_2^2}}$$

$$= \frac{5(0) + 12(3) + 0(4)}{\sqrt{5^2 + 12^2 + 0^2} \sqrt{0^2 + 3^2 + 4^2}}$$

$$= \frac{36}{73 \times 5} = \frac{36}{65}$$

Ans-26.

Here direction ratios of line AB are

$$\langle -1, -6, -7 \rangle + \langle 6, 6, -0 \rangle$$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle -7, -1, 6 \rangle$$

Direction ratios of line CD are

$$\langle 2-3, -9+4, 2-4 \rangle$$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle -1, -5, -2 \rangle$$

$$a_1 = -7; b_1 = -1; c_1 = -2$$

$$a_1 a_2 + b_1 b_2 + c_1 c_2 = (-7)(-1) + (-1)(-5) + 6(-2) = 7 + 5 - 12 = 0$$

Ans-27.

a be the length of edge of the cube and let one corner of the cube be at $(0, 0, 0)$.

Then the diagonals of cube are OP , AR , BS and CQ

$$\langle -a-0, a-0, a-0 \rangle$$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle a, a, a \rangle$$

$$\langle 0-a, a-0, a-0 \rangle$$

$$\text{i.e. } \langle -a, a, a \rangle$$

Let θ be the angles between OP and AR

$$\cos \theta = \frac{a(-a) + a(a) + a(a)}{\sqrt{a^2 + a^2 + a^2} \sqrt{a^2 + a^2 + a^2}}$$

$$= \frac{a^2}{\sqrt{3a} \sqrt{3a}} = \frac{1}{3}$$

So $\theta = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{3} \right)$

Similarly the angle between other pairs of diagonals be $\cos^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{3} \right)$