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## APPLICATIONS OF MATRICES AND DETERMINANTS

Find the adjoint of matrices:

$$(i) \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 2 & -4 \end{bmatrix}; (ii) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 & 3 \end{pmatrix}; \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Solution: (i)  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 2 & -4 \end{bmatrix}.$

the matrix of cofactor  $[A_{ij}] = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & -2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

Therefore  $\text{adj}A = (A_{ij})^T = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 1 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

$$(ii) A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

Cofactor of 1 is  $=+ (15-3) = 12$

Cofactor of 2 is  $=- (0-0) = 0$

Co-factor of 3 is  $=+ (0-10) = -10$

cofactor of 0 is  $=-(6-12) = 6$

cofactor of 5 is  $=+(3-6) = -3$

cofactor of 0 is  $=-(4-4) = 0$

cofactor of 2 is  $=+(0-15) = -15$

cofactor of 4 is  $=-(0-0) = 0$

cofactor of 3 is  $=+(5-0) = 5$

$$A_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} 15 & 0 & -10 \\ 6 & -3 & 0 \\ -15 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore  $\text{adj.}A = \begin{bmatrix} 15 & 6 & -15 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \\ -10 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$

(iii)  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 & 3 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

cofactor of 2 is  $= + (1-4) = -3$

cofactor of 5 is  $= - (3-2) = -1$

cofactor of 3 is  $= + (6-1) = 5$

cofactor of 3 is  $= - (5-6) = 1$

cofactor of 1 is  $= + (2-3) = -1$

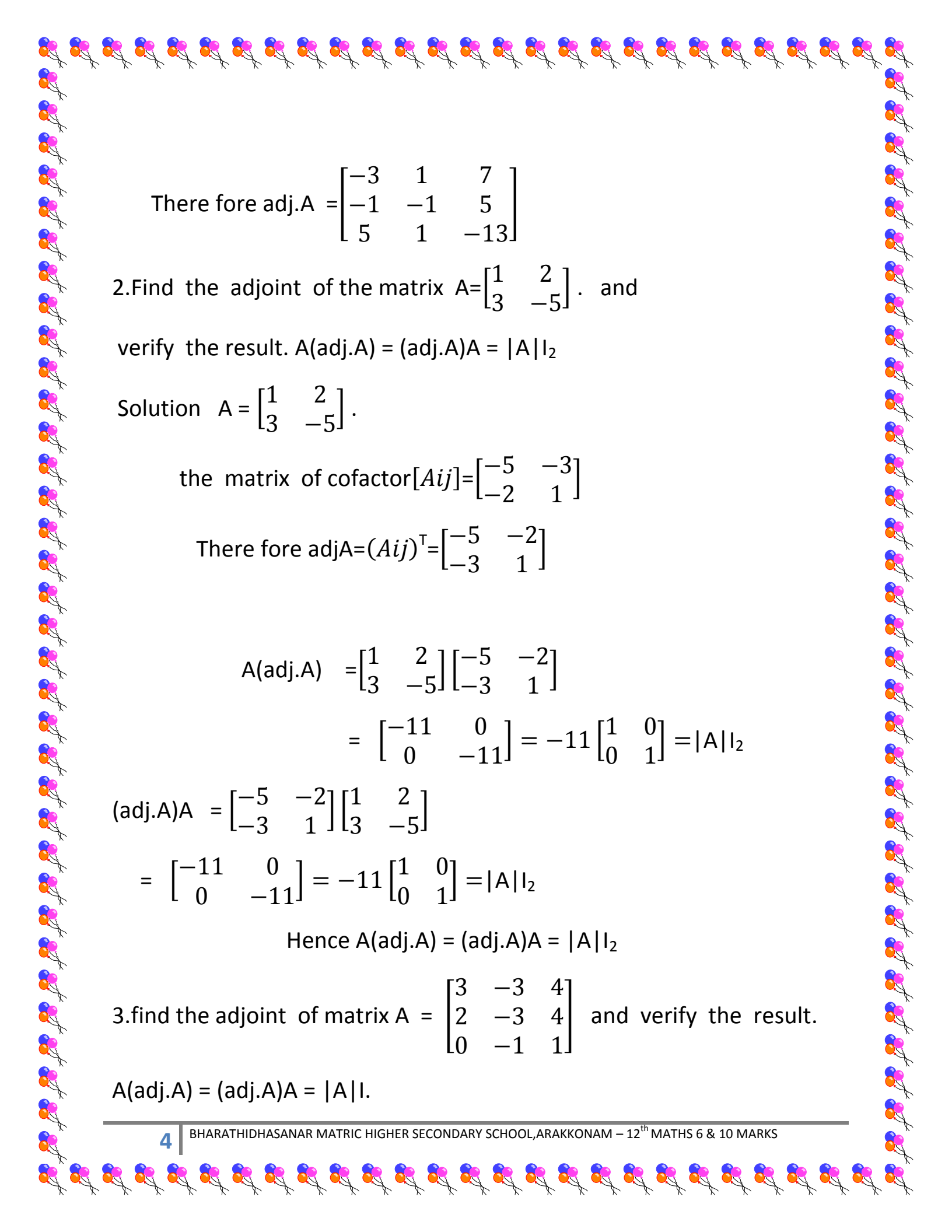
cofactor of 2 is  $= - (4-5) = 1$

cofactor of 1 is  $= + (10-3) = 7$

cofactor of 2 is  $= - (4-6) = 5$

cofactor of 1 is  $= + (2-15) = -13$

$$A_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & -1 & 5 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 7 & 5 & -13 \end{bmatrix}$$



There fore  $\text{adj.A} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 1 & 7 \\ -1 & -1 & 5 \\ 5 & 1 & -13 \end{bmatrix}$

2. Find the adjoint of the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$ . and

verify the result.  $A(\text{adj.A}) = (\text{adj.A})A = |A|I_2$

Solution  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$ .

the matrix of cofactor  $[A_{ij}] = \begin{bmatrix} -5 & -3 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

There fore  $\text{adjA} = (A_{ij})^T = \begin{bmatrix} -5 & -2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{aligned} A(\text{adj.A}) &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -5 & -2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -11 & 0 \\ 0 & -11 \end{bmatrix} = -11 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = |A|I_2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\text{adj.A})A &= \begin{bmatrix} -5 & -2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -11 & 0 \\ 0 & -11 \end{bmatrix} = -11 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = |A|I_2 \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $A(\text{adj.A}) = (\text{adj.A})A = |A|I_2$

3. find the adjoint of matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -3 & 4 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  and verify the result.

$A(\text{adj.A}) = (\text{adj.A})A = |A|I$ .

Solution:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -3 & 4 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -3 & 4 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 3(-3+4) + 3(2-0) + (-2-0)$$

$$= 3+6-8=1$$

Cofactor of 2 is  $=+ (-3+4) = 1$

Cofactor of 5 is  $=- (2-0) = -2$

cofactor of 3 is  $=+ (-2-0) = -2$

cofactor of 3 is  $=- (-3+4) = -1$

cofactor of 1 is  $=+ (3-0) = 3$

cofactor of 2 is  $=- (-3+0) = 3$

cofactor of 1 is  $=+ (-12+12) = 0$

cofactor of 2 is  $=- (12-8) = -4$

cofactor of 1 is  $=+ (-9+6) = -3$

$$A_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & -2 \\ -1 & 3 & 3 \\ 0 & -4 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Therefore adj.A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ -2 & 3 & -4 \\ -2 & 3 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A(\text{adj.A}) = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -3 & 4 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ -2 & 3 & -4 \\ -2 & 3 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = (1)I = A^{-1}$$

$$(\text{adj.A})A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ -2 & 3 & -4 \\ -2 & 3 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -3 & 4 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = (1)I = |A|^{-1}$$

Hence  $A(\text{adj.A}) = (\text{adj.A})A = |A|^{-1}I$  Hence proved.

4. Find the inverse of each of the following matrices:

$$(i) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, (ii) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 7 \\ 4 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, (iii) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -2 \\ -1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$(iv) \begin{bmatrix} 8 & -1 & -3 \\ -5 & 1 & 2 \\ 10 & -1 & -4 \end{bmatrix}, (v) \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Solution:

$$(i)A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$=1(1-1)-0(2+1)+3(-2-1)$$

$$=-9 \neq 0$$

Co-factor of 1 is  $=+ (1-1) = 0$

Co-factor of 0 is  $=- (2+1) = -3$

Co-factor of 3 is  $=+ (-2-1) = -3$

Co-factor of 2 is  $=- (0+3) = -3$

Co-factor of 1 is  $=+ (1-3) = -2$

Co-factor of -1 is  $=- (-1-0) = 1$

Co-factor of 1 is  $=+ (0-3) = -3$

Co-factor of -1 is  $=- (-1-6) = 7$

Co-factor of 1 is  $=+ (1-0) = 1$

$$A_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -3 & -3 \\ -3 & -2 & 1 \\ -3 & 7 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Therefore adj. } A = (A_{ij})^T = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -3 & -3 \\ -3 & -2 & 7 \\ -3 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} (\text{adj. } A) = \frac{1}{-9} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -3 & -3 \\ -3 & -2 & 7 \\ -3 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{9} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 & -7 \\ 3 & -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

(ii) Solution: (i)  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 7 \\ 4 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 & 7 \\ 4 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(2-6) - 3(4-3) + 7(8-2)$$

$$= -4 - 3 + 42 = 35 \neq 0$$

Cofactor of 1 is  $= + (2-6) = -4$

co-factor of 3 is  $= - (4-3) = -1$

co-factor of 7 is  $= + (8-2) = 6$

co-factor of 4 is  $= - (3-14) = 11$

co-factor of 2 is  $= + (1-7) = -6$

co-factor of 3 is  $= - (2-3) = 1$

co-factor of 1 is  $= + (9-14) = -5$



co-factor of 2 is  $=-(3-28) = 25$

co-factor of 1 is  $=+(2-12) = -10$

$$A_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & -1 & 6 \\ 11 & -6 & 1 \\ -5 & 25 & -10 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Therefore adj.}A = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 11 & -5 \\ -1 & -6 & 25 \\ 6 & 1 & -10 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|}(\text{adj.}A) = \frac{1}{35} \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 11 & -5 \\ -1 & -6 & 25 \\ 6 & 1 & -10 \end{bmatrix}$$

(iii) Solution:  $(iii)A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -2 \\ -1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & -2 \\ -1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$
$$= 1(3-0) - 2(-1-0) + (2-0)$$
$$= 3+2-4=1$$

Cofactor of 1 is  $=+(3-0) = 3$

Cofactor of 2 is  $=-(-1-0) = 1$

cofactor of -2 is  $++ (2-0) = 2$   
 cofactor of -1 is  $-- (4-0) = -4$   
 cofactor of 3 is  $++ (1-0) = 1$   
 cofactor of 0 is  $-- (-2-0) = 2$   
 cofactor of 0 is  $++ (0+6) = 6$   
 cofactor of -2 is  $-- (0-2) = 2$   
 cofactor of 1 is  $++ (3+2) = 5$

$$A_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 6 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\text{adj. } A) = (A_{ij})^T = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 6 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{\text{Adj. } A}{|A|} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 6 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

(iv) Solution:                      (iv)  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & -1 & -3 \\ -5 & 1 & 2 \\ 10 & -1 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 8 & -1 & -3 \\ -5 & 1 & 2 \\ 10 & -1 & -4 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 8(-4+2) + 1(20-20) - 3(5-10)$$

$$= -16+0+15 = -1$$

Cofactor of 8 is  $+= (-4+2) = -2$

Cofactor of -1 is  $=- (20-20) = 0$

cofactor of -3 is  $+= (3-10) = -5$

cofactor of -5 is  $=- (4-3) = -1$

cofactor of 1 is  $+= (-32+30) = -2$

cofactor of 2 is  $=- (-8+10) = -2$

cofactor of 10 is  $+= (-2+3) = 1$

cofactor of -1 is  $=- (16-15) = -1$

cofactor of -4 is  $+= (8-5) = 3$

$$[A_{ij}] = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 & -5 \\ -1 & -2 & -2 \\ 1 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\text{adj. } A) = (A_{ij})^T = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 & -1 \\ -5 & -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|}(\text{adj} \cdot A) = \frac{1}{-1} \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 & -1 \\ -5 & -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|}(\text{adj} \cdot A) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 5 & 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

(v) Solution:  $(v) |A| = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2(6-2) - 2(2-1) + 1(2-3)$$

$$= 8 - 2 - 1 = 5$$

Cofactor of 2 is  $=+ (6-2) = 4$

Cofactor of 2 is  $=- (2-1) = -1$

cofactor of 1 is  $=+ (2-3) = -1$

cofactor of 1 is  $=- (2-2) = -2$

cofactor of 3 is  $=+ (4-1) = 3$

cofactor of 1 is  $=- (4-2) = -2$

cofactor of 1 is  $=+ (2-3) = -1$

cofactor of 2 is  $=- (2-1) = -2$

cofactor of 2 is  $=+ (6-2) = 4$

$$[A_{ij}] = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -1 & -1 \\ -2 & 3 & -2 \\ -1 & -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\text{adj. } A) = (A_{ij})^T = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 & -1 \\ -1 & 3 & -1 \\ -1 & -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} (\text{adj. } A) = \frac{1}{5} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 & -1 \\ -1 & 3 & -1 \\ -1 & -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

5. if  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ 7 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  verify that (i)  $(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$

(ii)  $(AB)^T = B^T A^T$

Solution: (i)  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ 7 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  ;  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ 7 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10-2 & -5+2 \\ 14-3 & -7+3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 8 & -3 \\ 11 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

To find  $A^{-1}$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ 7 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 15 - 14 = 1$$

$$[A_{ij}] = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -7 \\ -2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{adj. } A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ -7 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} (\text{adj. } A) = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ -7 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

To find  $B^{-1}$

$$|B| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 2 - 1 = 1$$

$$[B_{ij}] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{adj. } B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B^{-1} = \frac{1}{|B|} (\text{adj. } B) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B^{-1} A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ -7 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 3 - 7 & -2 + 5 \\ 3 - 14 & -2 + 10 \end{bmatrix} \dots\dots\dots 1$$

To find  $(AB)^{-1}$

$$|AB| = \begin{vmatrix} 8 & -3 \\ 11 & -4 \end{vmatrix} = 32 + 33 = 1$$

$$\text{Matrix of cofactor of}(AB) = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & -11 \\ 3 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Therefore } \text{adj.}(AB) = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 3 \\ -11 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Therefore } (AB)^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} (\text{adj } AB) = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 3 \\ -11 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

From (1) and (2)  $(AB)^T = B^T A^T$

$$(ii) (AB)^T = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 11 \\ -3 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \dots\dots\dots (3)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Also } B^T A^T &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 7 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 10 - 2 & 14 - 3 \\ -5 + 2 & -7 + 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 11 \\ -3 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \dots\dots\dots (4) \end{aligned}$$

From (3) and (4) we get  $(AB)^T = B^T A^T$

6.find the inverse of the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -3 & 4 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -3 & 4 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -3 & 4 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 3(-3+4) + 3(2-0) + 4(-2-0)$$

$$= 3+6-8=1$$

Cofactor of 3 is  $=+ (-3+4) = 1$

Cofactor of -3 is  $=- (2-0) = -2$

Cofactor of 4 is  $=+ (-2-0) = -2$

Cofactor of 2 is  $=- (-3+4) = -1$

cofactor of -3 is  $=+ (3-0) = 3$

cofactor of 4 is  $=- (-3-0) = 3$

cofactor of 0 is  $=+ (-12+12) = 0$

cofactor of -1 is  $=- (12-8) = -4$

cofactor of 1 is  $=+ (-9+6) = -3$



$$A_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & -2 \\ -1 & 3 & 3 \\ 0 & -4 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\text{adj. } A) = (A_{ij})^T = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 & 0 \\ -2 & 3 & -4 \\ -2 & 3 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} (\text{adj. } A) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ -2 & 3 & -4 \\ -2 & 3 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

To find that  $A^3 = A^{-1}$

$$\begin{aligned} A^2 &= \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -3 & 4 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -3 & 4 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 9 - 6 + 0 & -9 + 9 - 4 & 12 - 12 + 4 \\ 6 - 6 + 0 & -6 + 9 - 4 & 8 - 12 + 4 \\ 0 - 2 + 0 & 0 + 3 - 1 & 0 - 4 + 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -4 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ -2 & 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} A^3 &= \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -4 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ -2 & 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -3 & 4 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 9 - 8 + 0 & -9 + 12 - 4 & 12 - 16 + 4 \\ 0 - 2 + 0 & 0 + 3 + 0 & 0 - 4 + 0 \\ -6 + 4 + 0 & 6 - 6 + 3 & -8 + 8 - 3 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ -2 & 3 & -4 \\ -2 & 3 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^3 = A^{-1}$$

7). Show that the adjoint of  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -2 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \\ 2 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  is  $3A^T$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -2 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \\ 2 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Cofactor of -1 is  $=+ (1-4) = -3$

Cofactor of -2 is  $=- (2+4) = -6$

Cofactor of -2 is  $=+ (-4-2) = -6$

Cofactor of 2 is  $=- (-2-4) = 6$

Cofactor of 1 is  $=+ (-4+1) = -3$

cofactor of -2 is  $=- (2+4) = -6$

cofactor of 2 is  $=+ (4+2) = 6$

cofactor of -2 is  $=- (2+4) = -6$

cofactor of 1 is  $=+ (-1+4) = 3$

$$[A_{ij}] = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & -6 & -6 \\ 6 & 3 & -6 \\ 6 & -6 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\text{Adj. } A) = [A_{ij}]^T = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 6 & 6 \\ -6 & 3 & -6 \\ -6 & -6 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \dots\dots\dots (1)$$

$$3A^T = 3 \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 & -2 \\ -2 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 6 & 6 \\ -6 & 3 & -6 \\ -6 & -6 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

There for  $(\text{Adj. } A) = 3A^T$  from (1) and (2).

8 .show that the adjoint of  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & -3 & -3 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 4 & 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  is A itself .

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & -3 & -3 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 4 & 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Cofactor of -4 is  $=+ (0-4) = -4$

Cofactor of -3 is  $=- (3-4) = 1$

Cofactor of -3 is  $=+ (4-0) = 4$

Cofactor of 1 is  $=- (-9+12) = -3$

Cofactor of 0 is  $=+ (-12+12) = 0$

cofactor of 1 is  $=- (-16+12) = 4$

cofactor of 4 is  $=+ (-3+0) = -3$

cofactor of 4 is  $=- (-4+3) = 1$

cofactor of 3 is  $=+ (0+3) = 3$

$$[A_{ij}] = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 1 & 4 \\ -3 & 0 & 4 \\ -3 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Adj. } A &= (A_{ij})^T = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 1 & 4 \\ -3 & 0 & 4 \\ -3 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}^T \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -4 & -3 & -3 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 4 & 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = A \end{aligned}$$

9. If  $A = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & -1 \\ -2 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ ; P.T  $A^{-1} = A^T$

$$A = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 1 \\ -2 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{3} & \frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{2}{3} \\ \frac{1}{3} & -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{2}{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} |A| &= \frac{1}{27} \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -3 & 4 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{27} [12 + 12 + 3] = 1 \end{aligned}$$

Cofactor of 3 is  $=+ (2+4) = 6$

Cofactor of -3 is  $=- (-4-2) = 6$

Cofactor of 4 is  $=+ (4+-1) = 3$

Cofactor of 2 is  $=- (4+2) = -6$

cofactor of -3 is  $=+ (4-1) = 3$

cofactor of 4 is  $=- (-4-2) = 6$

cofactor of 0 is  $=+ (4-1) = 3$

cofactor of -1 is  $=- (4+2) = -6$

cofactor of 1 is  $=+ (4+2)= 6$

$$[A_{ij}] = \frac{1}{9} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 6 & 3 \\ -6 & 3 & 6 \\ 3 & -6 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\text{adj. } A) = (A_{ij})^T = \frac{1}{9} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -6 & 3 \\ 6 & 3 & -6 \\ 3 & 6 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} (\text{adj. } A) = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = A^T$$

10. For  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & -2 \\ 4 & -3 & 4 \\ 4 & -4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$ , show that  $A^{-1} = A$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & -2 \\ 4 & -3 & 4 \\ 4 & -4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 2 & -2 \\ 4 & -3 & 4 \\ 4 & -4 & 5 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= -1(-15+16) - 2(20-16) - 2(-16+12)$$

$$= -1-8+8 = -1$$

$$\text{Cofactor of } -1 \text{ is } =+ (-15+16) = 1$$

$$\text{Cofactor of } 2 \text{ is } =- (20-16) = -4$$

$$\text{Cofactor of } -2 \text{ is } =+ (-16+12) = -4$$

$$\text{Cofactor of } 4 \text{ is } =- (10-8) = -2$$

$$\text{cofactor of } -3 \text{ is } =+ (-5+8) = 3$$

$$\text{cofactor of } 4 \text{ is } =- (4-8) = 4$$

$$\text{cofactor of } 4 \text{ is } =+ (8-6) = 2$$

$$\text{cofactor of } -4 \text{ is } =- (-4+8) = -4$$

$$\text{cofactor of } 5 \text{ is } =+ (3-8) = -5$$

$$A_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -4 & -4 \\ -2 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & -4 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\text{adj. } A) = (A_{ij})^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 2 \\ -4 & 3 & -4 \\ -4 & 4 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} (\text{adj. } A) = \frac{1}{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 2 \\ -4 & 3 & -4 \\ -4 & 4 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & -2 \\ 4 & -3 & 4 \\ 4 & -4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

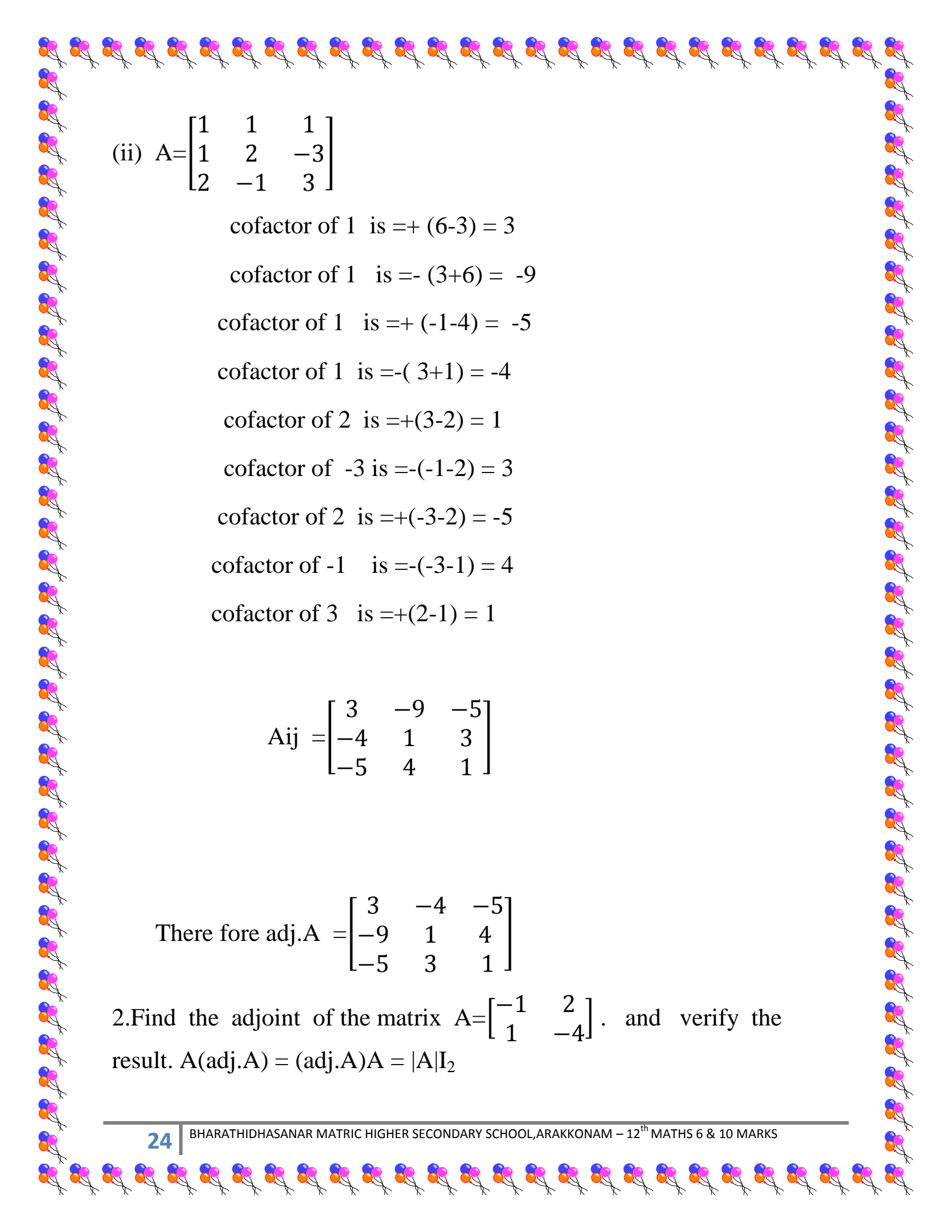
Find the adjoint of matrices:

(i)  $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$ ; (ii)  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  ;

Solution: (i)  $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & c \\ b & d \end{bmatrix}$ .

the matrix of cofactor  $[A_{ij}] = \begin{bmatrix} d & -c \\ -b & a \end{bmatrix}$

Therefore  $\text{adj}A = (A_{ij})^T = \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix}$



(ii)  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

cofactor of 1 is  $=+ (6-3) = 3$

cofactor of 1 is  $=- (3+6) = -9$

cofactor of 1 is  $=+ (-1-4) = -5$

cofactor of 1 is  $=- (3+1) = -4$

cofactor of 2 is  $=+(3-2) = 1$

cofactor of -3 is  $=-(-1-2) = 3$

cofactor of 2 is  $=+(-3-2) = -5$

cofactor of -1 is  $=-(-3-1) = 4$

cofactor of 3 is  $=+(2-1) = 1$

$$A_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -9 & -5 \\ -4 & 1 & 3 \\ -5 & 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore  $\text{adj.}A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -4 & -5 \\ -9 & 1 & 4 \\ -5 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

2. Find the adjoint of the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 1 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$ . and verify the result.  $A(\text{adj.}A) = (\text{adj.}A)A = |A|I_2$



Solution  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 1 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$ .  $A = \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 1 & -4 \end{vmatrix} = 4 - 2 = 2$

the matrix of cofactor  $[A_{ij}] = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & -1 \\ -2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

Therefore  $\text{adj}A = (A_{ij})^T = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & -2 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{aligned} A(\text{adj}A) &= \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 1 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -4 & -2 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= 2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = |A|I_2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\text{adj}A)A &= \begin{bmatrix} -4 & -2 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 1 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = 2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = |A|I_2 \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $A(\text{adj}A) = (\text{adj}A)A = |A|I_2$

3. find the adjoint of matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  and verify the result.

$A(\text{adj}A) = (\text{adj}A)A = |A|I$ .

Solution:  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(6-3) - 1(3+6) + 1(-1-4)$$

$$= 3-9-5 = -11$$

- cofactor of 1 is  $=+ (6-3) = 3$
- cofactor of 1 is  $=- (3+6) = -9$
- cofactor of 1 is  $=+ (-1-4) = -5$
- cofactor of 1 is  $=-( 3+1) = -4$
- cofactor of 2 is  $=+(3-2) = 1$
- cofactor of -3 is  $=-(-1-2) = 3$
- cofactor of 2 is  $=+(-3-2) = -5$
- cofactor of -1 is  $=-(-3-1) = 4$
- cofactor of 3 is  $=+(2-1) = 1$

$$A_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -9 & -5 \\ -4 & 1 & 3 \\ -5 & 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

There fore  $\text{adj.A} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -4 & -5 \\ -9 & 1 & 4 \\ -5 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$A(\text{adj.A}) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -4 & -5 \\ -9 & 1 & 4 \\ -5 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -11 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -11 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -11 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= -11 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = (-11)I_3 = A^{-1} I_3$$

$$(\text{adj.}A)A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -4 & -5 \\ -9 & 1 & 4 \\ -5 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= -11 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = (-11)I_3 = |A| I_3$$

Hence  $A(\text{adj.}A) = (\text{adj.}A)A = |A|I_3$  Hence proved.

4. find the inverses of the following matrices :  $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -2 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -2 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -2 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 2 \neq 0$$

cofactor of 3 is  $= + (2-0) = 2$

cofactor of 1 is  $= - (-2-0) = 2$

cofactor of -1 is  $= + (4+2) = 6$

cofactor of 2 is  $= -(-1+2) = -1$

cofactor of -2 is  $= +(-3+1) = -2$

cofactor of 0 is  $= -(6-1) = -5$

cofactor of 1 is  $= +(0-2) = -2$

cofactor of 2 is  $= -(0+2) = -2$

cofactor of -1 is  $= +(-6-2) = -8$

$$A_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 6 \\ -1 & -2 & -5 \\ -2 & -2 & -8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Therefore adj. } A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & -2 \\ 2 & -2 & -2 \\ 6 & -5 & -8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \text{adj. } A = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & -2 \\ 2 & -2 & -2 \\ 6 & -5 & -8 \end{bmatrix}$$

5. if  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$  verify that (i)

$$(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1} A^{-1}$$

Solution: (i)  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$   $B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0+2 & -1+4 \\ 0+1 & -1+2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

To find  $A^{-1}$

$$|AB| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 2-3 = -1$$

$$[A_{ij}] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{adj} . A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \text{adj} . A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

To find  $B^{-1}$

$$|B| = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 0+1 = 1$$

$$[B_{ij}] = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{adj} . B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B^{-1} = \frac{1}{|B|} \text{adj} . B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

To find  $(AB)^{-1}$

$$|AB| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 2-3 = -1$$

$$\text{Matrix of cofactor of}(AB) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Therefore adj.}(AB) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Therefore } (AB)^{-1} = \frac{1}{|AB|} (\text{adj } AB) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B^{-1} A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{From (1) and (2) } (AB)^{-1} = B^{-1} A^{-1}$$

### EXERCISE 1:2

Solve by matrix inversion method each of the following system of linear equations:

1.(i)  $2x-y = 7, 3x-2y = 11$

Solution:  $2x-y = 7$

$$3x-2y = 11$$

$$AX = B$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 11 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = -4 + 3 = -1$$

$$X = A^{-1}B.$$

$$(A_{ij}) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Adj.}A = (A_{ij})^T = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -1 \\ 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} (\text{adj.}A) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 11 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 14 - 11 \\ 21 - 22 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X = 3, y = -1.$$

1(ii).  $7x+3y = -1, 2x+y = 0$

Solution:  $7x+3y = -1,$

$$2x+y = 0$$

$$AX = B$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 7 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 7 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 7 - 6 = 1$$

$$X = A^{-1}B.$$

$$(A_{ij}) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ -3 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Adj.}A = (A_{ij})^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ -2 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} (\text{adj.}A) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ -2 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ -2 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 + 0 \\ 2 + 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X = -1, y = 2.$$

2.  $x+y+z = 9$  ,  $2x+5y+7z = 52$  ,  $2x+y-z = 0$ .

Solution:  $x+y+z = 9$

$$2x+5y+7z = 52$$

$$2x+y-z = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 5 & 7 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 9 \\ 52 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

It is of the form  $AX = B$  ,



$$X = A^{-1}B.$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 5 & 7 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 5 & 7 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(-5-7) - 1(-2-14) + 1(2-10)$$

$$= -12 + 16 - 8 = -4$$

Cofactor of 1 is  $=+ (-5-7) = -12$

Cofactor of 1 is  $=- (-2-14) = 16$

Cofactor of 1 is  $=+ (2-10) = -8$

Cofactor of 2 is  $=- (-1-1) = 2$

Cofactor of 5 is  $=+ (-1-2) = -5$

Cofactor of 7 is  $=- (1-2) = 1$

Cofactor of 2 is  $=+ (7-5) = 2$

Cofactor of 1 is  $=- (7-2) = -5$

Cofactor of -1 is  $=+ (5-2) = 3$

$$A_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} -12 & 16 & -8 \\ 2 & -5 & 1 \\ 2 & -3 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\text{adj. } A) = (A_{ij})^T = \begin{bmatrix} -12 & 2 & 2 \\ 16 & -3 & -5 \\ -8 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|}(\text{adj. } A) = \frac{1}{-4} \begin{bmatrix} -12 & 2 & 2 \\ 16 & -3 & -5 \\ -8 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} -12 & 2 & 2 \\ 16 & -3 & -5 \\ -8 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 9 \\ 52 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 108 & -104 & 0 \\ -144 & 156 & 0 \\ 72 & -52 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 12 \\ 20 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X=1, Y=3, Z=5$$

2.  $2x-y+z=7$ ,  $3x+y-5z=13$ ,  $x+y+z=5$

Solution:  $2x-y+z=7$

$$3x+y-5z=13$$

$$x+y+z=5$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & -5 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 13 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

It is of the form  $AX = B$ ,

$$X = A^{-1}B.$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & -5 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} |A| &= \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & -5 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= 2(1+5) + 1(3+5) + 1(3-1) \\ &= 12+8+2 = 22 \end{aligned}$$

Cofactor of 2 is  $=+ (1+5) = 6$

Cofactor of -1 is  $=- (3+5) = -8$

Cofactor of 1 is  $=+ (3-1) = 2$

Cofactor of 3 is  $=- (-1-1) = 2$

Cofactor of 1 is  $=+ (2-1) = 1$

Cofactor of -5 is  $=- (2+1) = -3$

Cofactor of 1 is  $=+ (5-1) = 4$

Cofactor of 1 is  $=- (-10-3) = 13$

Cofactor of 1 is  $=+(2+3) = 5$

$$A_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -8 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & -3 \\ 4 & 13 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\text{adj. } A) = (A_{ij})^T = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 2 & 4 \\ -8 & 1 & 13 \\ 2 & -3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} (\text{adj. } A) = \frac{1}{22} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 2 & 4 \\ -8 & 1 & 13 \\ 2 & -3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X = \frac{1}{22} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 2 & 4 \\ -8 & 1 & 13 \\ 2 & -3 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 13 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{22} \begin{bmatrix} 42 + 26 + 20 \\ -56 + 13 + 65 \\ 14 - 39 + 25 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{22} \begin{bmatrix} 88 \\ 22 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X = 4, y = 1, z = 0$$

5.  $x - 3y - 8z + 10 = 0$ ,  $3x + y = 4$ ,  $2x + 5y + 6z = 13$

Solution:  $x - 3y - 8z + 10 = 0$

$$3x + y = 4$$

$$2x + 5y + 6z = 13$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & -8 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -10 \\ 4 \\ 13 \end{bmatrix}$$

It is of the form  $AX = B$ ,

$$X = A^{-1}B.$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -3 & -8 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 5 & 6 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$A = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -3 & -8 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 5 & 6 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(6-0) + 3(18-0) - 8(15-2)$$

$$= 6 + 54 - 104 = -44$$

$$\text{Cofactor of 1 is } = + (6-0) = 6$$

$$\text{Cofactor of -3 is } = - (18-0) = -18$$

$$\text{Cofactor of -8 is } = + (15-2) = 13$$

$$\text{Cofactor of 3 is } = - (-40+18) = -22$$

$$\text{Cofactor of 1 is } = + (6+16) = 22$$

$$\text{Cofactor of 0 is } = - (5+6) = -11$$

$$\text{Cofactor of 2 is } = + (0+8) = 8$$

Cofactor of 5 is  $-(0+24) = -24$

Cofactor of 6 is  $+(1+9) = 10$

$$A_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -18 & 13 \\ -22 & 22 & -11 \\ 8 & -24 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\text{adj. } A) = (A_{ij})^T = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -22 & 8 \\ -18 & 22 & -24 \\ 13 & -11 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|}(\text{adj. } A) = \frac{1}{-44} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -22 & 8 \\ -18 & 22 & -24 \\ 13 & -11 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X = \frac{1}{-44} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -22 & 8 \\ -18 & 22 & -24 \\ 13 & -11 & 10 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -10 \\ 4 \\ 13 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{-44} \begin{pmatrix} -44 \\ -44 \\ -44 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X = 1, y = 1, z = 1.$$

Solve by matrix inversion method each of the following system of linear equations:  $x+y = 3$ ,  $2x+3y = 8$

Solution :  $x+y = 3$

$$2x+3y = 8$$

$$AX = B$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 11 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 3-2 = 1$$

$$X = A^{-1}B.$$

$$(A_{ij}) = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Adj.}A = (A_{ij})^T = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} (\text{adj.}A) = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} x \\ y \end{matrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 11 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 14 - 11 \\ 21 - 22 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$
$$x = 1, y = 2$$

2.  $2x-y+3z = 9$ ,  $x+y+z = 6$ ,  $x-y+z = 2$ .

Solution :  $2x-y+3z = 9$

$$x+y+z = 6$$

$$x-y+z = 2.$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 9 \\ 6 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

It is of the form  $AX = B$ ,

$$X = A^{-1}B.$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2(1+1) + 1(1-1) + 3(-1-1)$$

$$= 4 + 0 - 6 = -2 \neq 0$$

Cofactor of 2 is  $+(1+1) = 2$

Cofactor of -1 is  $-(1-1) = 0$

Cofactor of 3 is  $+(1-1) = -2$

Cofactor of 1 is  $-(1+3) = -2$

Cofactor of 1 is  $+(2-3) = -1$

Cofactor of 1 is  $-(2+1) = 1$

Cofactor of 1 is  $+(1-3) = -4$

Cofactor of -1 is  $-(2-3) = 1$

Cofactor of 1 is  $+(2+1) = 3$



$$A_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & -2 \\ -2 & -1 & 1 \\ -4 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\text{adj. } A) = (A_{ij})^T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 & -4 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ -2 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|}(\text{adj. } A) = \frac{1}{-2} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 & -4 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ -2 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{-2} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 & -4 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ -2 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 9 \\ 6 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{-2} \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ -4 \\ -6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x=1, y=2, z=3$$

## RANK OF MATRIX

Find the rank of the following matrices:

$$1. \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 3 & -2 & 3 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

Solution:  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 3 & -2 & 3 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 3R_1; \quad R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 2R_1$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & -5 & 6 \\ 0 & -5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_2$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & -5 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

The last equivalent matrix is in the echelon form. it has two non zero rows.

$$\text{Therefore } p(A) = 2$$

$$2). \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 12 & 6 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 8 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

Solution:  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 12 & 6 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 8 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$

$$R_1 \rightarrow \frac{1}{6}R_1; \quad R_3 \rightarrow \frac{1}{4}R_3$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1; \quad R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & -5 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

The last equivalent matrix is in the echelon form . it has two non zero rows .

Therefore  $\rho(A) = 1$

$$5. \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & 3 \\ 4 & 4 & 1 & -2 \\ 3 & 6 & 3 & -7 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{let } A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & 3 \\ 4 & 4 & 1 & -2 \\ 3 & 6 & 3 & -7 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & -8 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 & -16 \end{pmatrix} R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 2R_1, R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 3R_1$$

$$\sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 2R_2$$

The last equivalent matrix is in the echelon form . it has two non zero rows . Therefore  $\rho(A) = 1$

$$6. \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 & 4 \\ -2 & 4 & -1 & -3 \\ -1 & 2 & 7 & -6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{let } A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 & 4 \\ -2 & 4 & -1 & -3 \\ -1 & 2 & 7 & -6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 + 2R_1; R_3 \rightarrow R_3 + R_1$$

$$\sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 10 & 10 \end{pmatrix} R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 2R_2$$

$$\sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

The last equivalent matrix is in the echelon form. it has two non zero rows . Therefore  $p(A) = 2$ .

1 find the rank of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 3 & -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

Solution:  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 3 & -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 2R_1 ; R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 3R_1$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & -5 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

The last equivalent matrix is in the echelon form . it has two non zero rows is 2.

Therefore  $p(A) = 2$

2 . find the rank of the matrix:  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 & -2 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\text{solution : } A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 & -2 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 2R_1 \quad R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 2R_1$$

$$\sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 & -2 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

The last equivalent matrix is in the echelon form . it has one non zero rows .

$$\text{Therefore } p(A) = 1$$

3 . find the rank of the matrix:  $\begin{pmatrix} 4 & 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 6 & 3 & 4 & 7 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\text{solution : } A = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 6 & 3 & 4 & 7 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 & 3 \\ 4 & 3 & 6 & 7 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \sim C1 \leftrightarrow C3$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 & 3 \\ 0 & -5 & -10 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow \frac{1}{-5}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_2$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

The last equivalent matrix is in the echelon form . it has two non zero rows .

$$\text{Therefore } p(A) = 2$$

1.4 (1) (Cramer's rule method)  $\rightarrow$  (Determinant Method)

Consider the system of non homogeneous equations of

$$a_{11}x + a_{12}y = b_1$$

$$a_{21}x + a_{22}y = b_2$$

$$\text{let } \Delta = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Delta x = \begin{pmatrix} b_1 & a_{12} \\ b_2 & a_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Delta y = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & b_1 \\ a_{12} & b_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Then  $x = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta}$  ;  $y = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta}$  find x =value and y= value

Example: solve the following non homogeneous system of linear equations by determinant method.

1.  $3x+2y = 5$ ;  $x+3y = 4$

Solution:  $3x+2y = 5$

$x+3y = 4$

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 9-2 = 7$$

$$\Delta x = \begin{vmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ 4 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 15-8 = 7$$

$$\Delta y = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 4 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 12-5 = 7$$

$$\text{Then } x = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta} = \frac{7}{7} = 1$$

$$y = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta} = \frac{7}{7} = 1$$

find  $x = 1$  and  $y = 1$

2.  $2x + 3y = 5$ ;  $4x + 6y = 12$

Solution:  $2x + 3y = 5$

$$4x + 6y = 12$$

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 6 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 12 - 12 = 0$$

$$\Delta x = \begin{vmatrix} 5 & 3 \\ 12 & 6 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 30 - 36 = -6 \neq 0$$

$$\Delta y = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 4 & 12 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 24 - 20 = 4 \neq 0$$

Since  $\Delta = 0$ ;  $\Delta \neq 0$  and the system is inconsistent.

3.  $4x + 5y = 9$ ;  $8x + 10y = 18$





Solution:  $4x+5y = 9$

$$8x+10y = 18$$

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 5 \\ 8 & 10 \end{vmatrix}$$
$$= 40-40 = 0$$

$$\Delta x = \begin{vmatrix} 9 & 5 \\ 18 & 10 \end{vmatrix}$$
$$= 90-90 = 0$$

$$\Delta y = \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 9 \\ 8 & 18 \end{vmatrix}$$
$$= 72-72 = 0$$

Since  $\Delta = \Delta x = \Delta y = 0$

And at least one of the coefficients is non zero the system is consistent and has many solutions.

Let  $y = k$  .then  $x = \frac{9-5k}{4}$  .

Therefore the solution set is  $(x,y) = \left(\frac{9-5k}{4}, k\right)$  where  $k \in \mathbb{R}$

4.  $X+Y+Z = 4$ ;  $X-Y+Z = 2$ ;  $2X+Y-Z = 1$

Solution:  $X+Y+Z = 4$

$$X-Y+Z = 2$$

$$2X+Y-Z = 1$$

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(1-1) - 1(-1-2) + 1(1+2)$$

$$= 0 + 3 + 3 = 6$$

$$\Delta x = \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 4(1-1) - 1(-2-1) + 1(2+1)$$

$$= 0 + 3 + 3 = 6$$

$$\Delta y = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 4 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= -3 + 12 - 3 = 6$$

$$\Delta z = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(-1-2) - 1(1-4) + 4(1+2)$$

$$= -3 + 3 + 12 = 12$$

$$\text{Then } x = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta} = \frac{6}{6} = 1$$

$$y = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta} = \frac{6}{6} = 1$$

$$z = \frac{\Delta z}{\Delta} = \frac{12}{6} = 2$$

5.  $2X+Y-Z = 4$ ;  $X+Y-2Z = 0$ ;  $3X+2Y-3Z = 4$

Solution:  $2X+Y-Z = 4$

$$X+Y-2Z = 0$$

$$3X+2Y-3Z = 4$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta &= \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 3 & 2 & -3 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= 2(-3+4) - 1(-3+6) - 1(2-3) \\ &= 2-3+1 = 0\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta x &= \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 4 & 2 & -3 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= 4(-3+4) - 1(0+8) - 1(0-4) \\ &= 4-8+4 = 0\end{aligned}$$

$$\Delta y = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 4 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 3 & 4 & -3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2(0+8)-4(-3+6)-1(4-0)$$

$$= 16-12-4 = 0$$

$$\Delta z = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 2 & 4 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2(4-0)-1(4-0)+ 4(2-3)$$

$$= 8-4-4 = 0$$

Since  $\Delta = \Delta x = \Delta y = \Delta z = 0$  .the system is consistent and has many solution .also all

2x2 minor of  $\Delta \neq 0$ . The system is reduced to equation.

Let  $z = k$

$$2x+y-k = 4 \quad 2x+y = 4+k$$

$$x+ y-2k = 0 \quad x+ y = 2k$$

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2-1 = 1$$

$$\Delta x = \begin{vmatrix} 4+k & 1 \\ 2k & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 4+k-2k = 4-k$$

$$\Delta y = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 4+k \\ 1 & 2k \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 4k-4-k = 3k-4$$

$$\text{Then } x = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta} = \frac{4-k}{1} = 4-k$$

$$= \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta} = \frac{3k-4}{1} = 3k-4$$

$x = 4-k$  and  $y = 3k-4$  and  $z = k$

solution set is  $(4-k, 3k-4, k)$  where  $k \in \mathbb{R}$

6.  $3x+y-z = 2$  ;  $2x-y+2z = 6$  ;  $2x+y-2z = -2$

Solution:

$$3x+y-z = 2$$
$$2x-y+2z = 6$$
$$2x+y-2z = -2$$

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix}$$
$$= 3(2-2) - 1(-4-4) - 1(2+2)$$
$$= 0+8-4 = 4$$

$$\Delta x = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 6 & -1 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$=2(2-2)-1(-12+4)-1(6-2)$$

$$= 0+8-4 = 4$$

$$\Delta y = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2 & -1 \\ 2 & 6 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 & -2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$=-24+16+8 = 8$$

$$\Delta z = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & 6 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 3(2-6)-1(-4-12) + 2(2+2)$$

$$=-12+16+8 = 12$$

$$\text{Then } x = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta} = \frac{4}{4} = 1$$

$$y = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta} = \frac{8}{4} = 2$$

$$z = \frac{\Delta z}{\Delta} = \frac{12}{4} = 3$$

7.  $x+2y+z = 6$ ;  $3x+3y-z = 3$ ;  $2x+y-2z = -3$

Solution:  $x+2y+z = 6$

$$3x+3y-z = 3$$

$$2x+y-2z = -3$$

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 & -3 \end{vmatrix}$$
$$= 1(-6+1) - 2(-6+2) + 1(3-6)$$
$$= -5 + 8 - 3 = 0$$

$$\Delta x = \begin{vmatrix} 6 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 3 & -1 \\ -3 & 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix}$$
$$= 6(-6+1) - 2(-6-3) + 1(3+9)$$
$$= -30 + 18 + 12 = 0$$

$$\Delta y = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 6 & 1 \\ 3 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & -3 & -2 \end{vmatrix}$$
$$= 1(-6-3) - 6(-6+2) + 1(-9-6)$$
$$= -9 + 24 - 15 = 0$$

$$\Delta z = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 6 \\ 3 & 3 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & -3 \end{vmatrix}$$
$$= 1(-9-3) - 2(-9-6) + 6(3-6)$$
$$= -12 + 30 - 18 = 0$$

Since  $\Delta = \Delta x = \Delta y = \Delta z = 0$  .the system is consistent and has many solution .also all

2x2 minor of  $\Delta \neq 0$ . The system is reduced to equation.

$$\text{Let } z = k$$

$$x+2y+k = 6 \quad x+2y = 6-k$$

$$3x+3y-k = 3 \quad 3x+3y = 3+k$$

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 3-6 = -3$$

$$\Delta x = \begin{vmatrix} 6-k & 2 \\ 3+k & 3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 18-3k-6-2k = 12-5k$$

$$\Delta y = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 6-k \\ 3 & 3+k \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 3+k-18+3k = 4k-15$$

$$\text{Then } x = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta} = \frac{12-5k}{-3} = \frac{5k-12}{3}$$

$$= \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta} = \frac{4k-15}{-3} = \frac{15-4k}{3}$$

$$x = \frac{5k-12}{3} \text{ and } y = \frac{15-4k}{3} \text{ and } z=k$$

solution set is  $(\frac{5k-12}{3}, \frac{15-4k}{3}, k)$  where  $k \in \mathbb{R}$ .

$$8. \quad 2x - y + z = 2 ; \quad 6x - 3y + 3z = 6 ; \quad 4x - 2y + 2z = 4$$

solution :  $2x - y + z = 2$



$$6x - 3y + 3z = 6$$

$$4x - 2y + 2z = 4$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta &= \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 6 & -3 & 3 \\ 4 & -2 & 2 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= 2(-6+6)+1(12-12)+1(-12+12) \\ &= 0\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta x &= \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 6 & -3 & 3 \\ 4 & -2 & 2 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= 2(-6+6)+1(12-12)+1(-12+12) \\ &= 0\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta y &= \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 6 & 6 & 3 \\ 4 & 4 & 2 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= 2(-12+12)-2(12-12)+1(24+24) \\ &= 0\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta z &= \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 & 2 \\ 6 & -3 & 6 \\ 4 & -2 & 4 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= 2(-12+12)+1(24-24)+1(-12+12) \\ &= 0\end{aligned}$$

$$\Delta = \Delta x = \Delta y = \Delta z = 0$$

all (2x2) minor are also zeros . but atleast one of  $A_{ij}$  in  $\Delta$  is non zero.

the system is consistent and has many solution . all the three equation reduce to one solution .  $2x-y+z = 2$

put  $z = k$  then  $2x - y = 2 - k$

let  $y = s$  , then  $x = \left(\frac{2-k+s}{2}, s, k\right)$  where  $s, k \in R$

$$9. \frac{1}{x} + \frac{2}{y} - \frac{1}{z} = 1; \frac{2}{x} + \frac{4}{y} + \frac{1}{z} = 5; \frac{3}{x} - \frac{2}{y} - \frac{2}{z}$$

solution : let  $\frac{1}{x} = a$  ;  $\frac{1}{y} = b$  ;  $\frac{1}{z} = c$ .

$$a + 2b - c = 1$$

$$2a + 4b + c = 5$$

$$3a - 2b - 2c = 0$$

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 2 & 4 & 1 \\ 3 & -2 & -2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(-8+2) - 2(-4-3) - 1(-4-12)$$

$$= -6 + 14 + 16 = 24$$

$$\Delta a = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 5 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 & -2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(-8+2) - 2(-10-0) - 1(-10-0)$$

$$= -6 + 20 + 10 = 24$$

$$\Delta b = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 5 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & -2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(-10-0) - 1(-4-3) - 1(0-15)$$

$$= -10 + 7 + 15 = 12$$

$$\Delta c = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 5 \\ 3 & -2 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(0+10) - 2(0-15) + 1(-4-12)$$

$$= 10 + 30 - 16 = 24$$

$$a = \frac{\Delta a}{\Delta} = \frac{24}{24} = 1 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{x} = 1 \Rightarrow x = 1$$

$$b = \frac{\Delta b}{\Delta} = \frac{12}{24} = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{y} = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow y = 2$$

$$c = \frac{\Delta c}{\Delta} = \frac{24}{24} = 1 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{z} = 1 \Rightarrow z = 1$$

10. a small seminar hall hold 100 chairs . three different colours (red , blue , and green ) of chairs are available . the cost of red chairs is Rs . 240 , cost of the blue chairs is Rs 260 the cost of the green chairs is Rs . 300 . the total cost of the chairs if Rs . 25,000 . find atleast 3 different solution of the number of chairs in each colour to be purchased .

solution : let x , y , z be the no. of red , blue , green chairs .

$$\text{given that } x + y + z = 100$$

$$240x + 260y + 300z = 25000$$

$$\div 20$$

$$12x+13y+15z = 1250$$

$$x + y = 100 - k$$

$$x + y = 1250 - 15k$$

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 12 & 13 \end{vmatrix} = 13-12 = 1$$

$$\Delta x = \begin{vmatrix} 100 - k & 1 \\ 1250 - 15k & 13 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1300 - 13k - 1250 + 15k$$

$$= 50 + 2k$$

$$\Delta y = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 100 - k \\ 12 & 1250 - 15k \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1250 - 15k - 1200 + 12k$$

$$= 50 - 3k$$

$$x = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta} = \frac{50+2k}{1} = 50 + 2k$$

$$y = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta} = \frac{50-3k}{1} = 50 - 3k$$

$$z = k$$

the solution set is  $(50+2k, 50-3k, k)$  where  $s, k \in R$ .

$$x+2y+z = 7 ; 2x-y+2z = 4 ; x+y-2z = -1$$

Solution:  $x+2y+z = 7$

$$2x-y+2z = 4$$

$$x+y-2z = -1$$

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = 15$$

$$\Delta x = \begin{vmatrix} 7 & 2 & 1 \\ 4 & -1 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = 15$$

$$\Delta y = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 7 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = 30$$

$$\Delta z = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = 30$$

$$\text{Then } x = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta} = \frac{15}{15} = 1$$

$$y = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta} = \frac{30}{15} = 2$$

$$z = \frac{\Delta z}{\Delta} = \frac{30}{15} = 2$$

solution is  $(x, y, z) = (1, 2, 2)$

$$\cdot \quad x+y+2z = 6; \quad 3x+y-z = 2; \quad 4x+2y+z = 8$$

Solution :  $x+y+2z = 6$

$$3x+y-z = 2$$

$$4x+2y+z = 8$$

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 & -1 \\ 4 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Delta_x = \begin{vmatrix} 6 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 8 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Delta_y = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 6 & 2 \\ 3 & 2 & -1 \\ 4 & 8 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \\ = 0$$

$$\Delta_z = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 6 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 4 & 2 & 8 \end{vmatrix} \\ = 0$$

Since  $\Delta = \Delta_x = \Delta_y = \Delta_z = 0$  .the system is consistent and has many solution .also all

$2 \times 2$  minor of  $\Delta \neq 0$ . The system is reduced to equation.

Let  $z = k$

$$x+y+2k = 6 \quad x+y = 6-2k$$

$$3x+y-k = 2 \quad 3x+y = 2+k$$

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$
$$= 1-3 = -2$$

$$\Delta x = \begin{vmatrix} 6-2k & 1 \\ 2+k & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$
$$= 6-2k-2-k = 4-3k$$

$$\Delta y = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 6-2k \\ 3 & 2+k \end{vmatrix}$$
$$= 2+k-18+16k = 7k-16$$

$$\text{Then } x = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta} = \frac{4-3k}{-2} = \frac{3k-4}{2}$$

$$= \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta} = \frac{7k-16}{-2} = \frac{16-7k}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{3k-4}{2} \text{ and } y = \frac{16-7k}{2} \text{ and } z=k$$

solution set is  $(\frac{3k-4}{2}, \frac{16-7k}{2}, k)$  where  $k \in \mathbb{R}$ .

$$\cdot x + y + 2z = 4; \quad 2x + 2y + 4z = 8; \quad 3x + 3y + 6z = 12$$

$$\text{solution :} \quad x + y + 2z = 4$$

$$2x + 2y + 4z = 8$$

$$3x + 3y + 6z = 12$$

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 4 \\ 3 & 3 & 6 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 0$$

$$\Delta x = \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 1 & 2 \\ 8 & 2 & 4 \\ 12 & 3 & 6 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 0$$

$$\Delta y = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 2 & 8 & 4 \\ 3 & 12 & 6 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 0$$

$$\Delta z = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 4 \\ 2 & 2 & 8 \\ 3 & 3 & 12 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2(-12+12)+1(24-24)+1(-12+12)$$

$$= 0$$

$$\Delta = \Delta x = \Delta y = \Delta z = 0$$

all (2x2) minor are also zeros . but atleast one of  $A_{ij}$  in  $\Delta$  is non zero.

the system is consistent and has many solution . all the three equation reduce to one solution .  $x+y +2z = 4$

$$\text{put } x= s \text{ then } s+ t +2z = 4 \Rightarrow z = \frac{4-s-t}{2}$$

$$\text{let } y = t \text{ , then } x = \left( s , t, \frac{4-s-t}{2} \right) \text{ where } s, k \in R$$



. A bag contain 3 types of coins namely Re. 1 ,Re. 2 , Re. 5 .there are 30 coins amounting to Re. 100 in total . find the number of coins in each category .

solution : let x ,y ,z be the no. of coins in each Re. 1 ,Re. 2 , Re. 5.

$$\text{given that } x + y + z = 30$$

$$x + 2y + 5z = 100$$

$$x + y = 30 - k$$

$$x + y = 100 - 5k$$

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 2 - 1 = 1$$

$$\Delta x = \begin{vmatrix} 30 - k & 1 \\ 100 - 5k & 2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2(30 - k) - (100 - 5k)$$

$$= 3k - 40$$

$$\Delta y = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 30 - k \\ 1 & 100 - 5k \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (100 - 5k) - (30 - k)$$

$$= 70 - 4k$$

$$x = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta} = \frac{3k - 40}{1} = 3k - 40$$

$$y = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta} = \frac{70 - 4k}{1} = 70 - 4k$$

$$z = k$$

the solution set is  $(x, y, z) = (3k - 40, 70 - 4k, k)$  where  $s, k \in R$ .

Since the number of coins is a non-negative integer,  $k = 0, 1, 3, \dots$

Moreover  $3k - 40 \geq 0, 70 - 4k \geq 0, \Rightarrow 14 \leq x \leq 17$

The possible solutions are  $(2, 14, 14), (5, 10, 15), (8, 6, 16), (11, 2, 17)$ .

#### EXERCISE : 1.5

examine the consistency of the following of the equations. if it is consistent then solve the sums. (using by rank method)

$$4x + 3y + 6z = 25 ; x + 5y + 7z = 13 ; 2x + 9y + z = 1$$

solution :  $4x + 3y + 6z = 25$

$$x + 5y + 7z = 13$$

$$2x + 9y + z = 1$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 & 6 \\ 1 & 5 & 7 \\ 2 & 9 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(A, B) = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 & 6 & 25 \\ 1 & 5 & 7 & 13 \\ 2 & 9 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \sim$$

$$(A, B) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 7 & 13 \\ 4 & 3 & 6 & 25 \\ 2 & 9 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 4R_1 \quad ; \quad R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 2R_1$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 7 & 13 \\ 0 & -17 & -22 & -27 \\ 0 & -1 & -13 & -25 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow (-R_2) \quad ; \quad R_3 \rightarrow (-R_3)$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 7 & 13 \\ 0 & 17 & 22 & 27 \\ 0 & 1 & 13 & 25 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \leftrightarrow R_3$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 7 & 13 \\ 0 & 1 & 13 & 25 \\ 0 & 17 & 22 & 27 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 17R_2$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 7 & 13 \\ 0 & 1 & 13 & 25 \\ 0 & 0 & -199 & -398 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\Rightarrow \rho(A, B) = 3$  and also  $\rho(A) = 3 =$  no. of unknowns

hence the system is consistent and has unique solution.

$$-199z = -398 \quad y + 13z = 25 \quad x + 5y + 7z = 13$$

$$z = 2 \quad y + 26 = 25 \quad x - 5 + 14 = 13$$

$$y = -1$$

solution is  $x = 4$  ,  $y = -1$  ,  $z = 2$

$$(ii) \quad x - 3y - 8z = -10 \quad ; \quad 3x + y - 4z = 0 \quad ; \quad 2x + 5y + 6z - 13 = 0$$

$$\text{solution :} \quad x - 3y - 8z = -10$$

$$3x + y - 4z = 0$$

$$2x + 5y + 6z - 13 = 0$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & -8 \\ 3 & 1 & -4 \\ 2 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(A, B) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & -8 & -10 \\ 3 & 1 & -4 & 0 \\ 2 & 5 & 6 & 13 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 3R_1 \quad ; \quad R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 2R_1$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & -8 & -10 \\ 0 & 10 & 20 & 30 \\ 0 & 11 & 22 & 33 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow (R_2 \div 10) \quad ; \quad R_3 \rightarrow (-R_3 \div 11)$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & -8 & -10 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_2$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & -8 & -10 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\Rightarrow \rho(A, B) = 2$  and also  $\rho(A) \neq$  no. of unknowns .

hence the system is consistent and has unique solution.

let  $z = k$

$$x - 3y = -10 + 8k$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x - 9y = -30 + 24k$$

$$3x - 9y = -30 + 24k$$

$$3x + y = 4k$$

$$\underline{(-) \quad (-) \quad (-)}$$

$$-10y = -30 + 20k$$

$$y = -2k + 3$$

$$x = -10 + 8k + 3(-2k + 3)$$

$$x = 2k - 1$$

The solution set is  $(2k - 1, -2k + 3, k)$ , where  $k \in R$ .

(iii).  $x + y + z = 7$  ;  $x + 2y + 3z = 18$  ;  $y + 2z = 6$ .

solution :  $x + y + z = 7$

$$x + 2y + 3z = 18$$

$$y + 2z = 6$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(A, B) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 7 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 18 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 7 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 11 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \quad R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_2$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 7 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 11 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho(A, B) = 3 \text{ and also } \rho(A) = 2 .$$

hence the system is inconsistent and has no solution.

$$(iv) \quad .x - 4y + 7z = 14 \quad ; \quad 3x + 8y - 2z = 13 \quad ; \quad 7x - 8y + 26z = 5$$

$$\text{solution :} \quad x - 4y + 7z = 14$$

$$3x + 8y - 2z = 13$$

$$7x - 8y + 26z = 5$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -4 & 7 \\ 3 & 8 & -2 \\ 7 & -8 & 26 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(A, B) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -4 & 7 & 14 \\ 3 & 8 & -2 & 13 \\ 7 & -8 & 26 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 3R_1 \quad R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 7R_1$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -4 & 7 & 14 \\ 0 & 20 & -23 & -29 \\ 0 & 20 & -23 & -93 \end{bmatrix} \quad R_3 - R_2$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -4 & 7 & 14 \\ 0 & 20 & -23 & -29 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -64 \end{bmatrix} \quad R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho(A, B) = 3 \text{ and also } \rho(A) = 2 .$$

hence the system is inconsistent and has no solution.

$$(V) X + Y - Z = 1 ; 2X + 2Y - 2Z = 2 ; -3X - 3Y + 3Z = -3$$

solution :  $X + Y - Z = 1$

$$2X + 2Y - 2Z = 2 \Rightarrow \text{dividing by } 2$$

$$-3X - 3Y + 3Z = -3 \Rightarrow \text{dividing by } -3$$

all three equations are one and the same.

there is only one equation in three unknowns.

hence the system is consistent but has many solutions.

let  $z = k_2 ; y = k_1$  then

$$x + y - z = 1$$

$$x = 1 - k_1 + k_2$$

$$x = (1 - k_1 + k_2, k_1, k_2) \quad k_1, k_2 \in R.$$

2. discuss the solution of the system of equations for all values of  $\lambda$

$$x + y + z = 2 ; 2x + y - 2z = 2 ; \lambda x + y + 4z = 2$$

solution :  $x + y + z = 2$

$$2x + y - 2z = 2$$

$$\lambda x + y + 4z = 2$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \\ \lambda & 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \\ \lambda & 1 & 4 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(4+2) - 1(8+2\lambda) + 1(2-\lambda)$$

$$= 6 - 8 - 2\lambda + 2 - \lambda = -3\lambda$$

where  $\lambda \neq 0 \mid A \neq 0 \Rightarrow$  the system has unique solution .

let  $\lambda = 0$  . then  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$

$$(A,B) \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 & 2 \\ \lambda & 1 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(A,B) \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & -4 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{array}{l} R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 2R_1 \\ R_2 \rightarrow R_2 \times (-1) ; R_3 \rightarrow R_2 + R_3 \end{array}$$

$$(A,B) \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\Rightarrow \rho(A,B) = 2$  and also  $\rho(A) = 2 \neq$  no .of unknowns.

hence the system is consistent and has many solution.

$$\text{let } z = k$$

$$x + y = 2 - k$$

$$2x + y = 2 + 2k$$

$$-x = -3k$$



$$x = 3k$$

$$\text{hence } y = 2 - 4k$$

Therefore solution is  $(3k, 2 - 4k, k)$ ,  $k \in R$ .

3. for what value of  $k$ , the system of equations.  $kx + y + z = 1$  ;  
 $x + ky + z = 1$ ;

$x + y + kz = 1$  have (i) unique solution, (ii) more than one solution and (iii) no solution.

solution :  $kx + y + z = 1$

$$x + ky + z = 1$$

$$x + y + kz = 1$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} K & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & K & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & K \end{bmatrix} ; \quad (A, B) = \begin{bmatrix} K & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & K & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & K & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} |A| &= K(K^2 - 1) - 1(K - 1) + 1(1 - K) \\ &= K(K^2 - 1) - 1(K - 1) - 1(K - 1) \\ &= (K - 1)(K(K + 1) - 1 - 1) \\ &= (K - 1)(K^2 + K - 2) \\ &= (K - 1)(K + 2)(K - 1) = (K - 1)^2 (K + 2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow (K - 1)^2 (K + 2) = 0 \quad \text{then } k = 1, -2$$

suppose  $k \neq 1$  and  $k \neq -2$  then  $|A| \neq 0$

$\Rightarrow$  the system is consistent and has unique solution.

(ii) let  $k = 1$ . then the system reduces to a single equation

$$x + y + z = 1$$

the system will have many solution .

(iii) let  $k = -2$

$$(A, B) = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(A, B) \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 & 1 \\ -2 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 + 2R_1 ; R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -3 & 3 & 3 \\ 0 & 3 & -3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow \frac{R_2}{3} ; R_3 \rightarrow R_3 + R_2$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho(A, B) = 3 \text{ and also } \rho(A) = 2$$

hence the system is inconsistent and has no solution.

## vector algebra

1. Find  $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}$  when  $\vec{a} = 2\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - \vec{k}$  and  $\vec{b} = 6\vec{i} - 3\vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$

Solution :  $\vec{a} = 2\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - \vec{k}$  and  $\vec{b} = 6\vec{i} - 3\vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} &= (2)(6) + (2)(-3) + (-1)(2) \\ &= 12 - 6 - 2 = 4\end{aligned}$$

2. If  $\vec{a} = \vec{i} + \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$  and  $\vec{b} = 3\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - \vec{k}$  find  $(\vec{a} + 3\vec{b}) \cdot (2\vec{a} - \vec{b})$

Solution

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{a} &= \vec{i} + \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}, \quad \vec{b} = 3\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - \vec{k} \\ \vec{a} + 3\vec{b} &= (\vec{i} + \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}) + 3(3\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - \vec{k}) \\ &= (\vec{i} + \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}) + (9\vec{i} + 6\vec{j} - 3\vec{k}) \\ &= (10\vec{i} + 7\vec{j} - \vec{k}) \\ 2\vec{a} - \vec{b} &= 2(\vec{i} + \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}) - (3\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - \vec{k}) \\ (\vec{a} + 3\vec{b}) \cdot (2\vec{a} - \vec{b}) &= (10\vec{i} + 7\vec{j} - \vec{k}) \cdot (-\vec{i} + 5\vec{k}) \\ &= -10 - 5 = -15\end{aligned}$$

3. find  $\lambda$  so that the vectors  $2\vec{i} + \lambda\vec{j} + \vec{k}$  and  $\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$  are perpendicular to each other.

Solution: Let  $\vec{a} = 2\vec{i} + \lambda\vec{j} + \vec{k}$

$$\vec{b} = \vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$$

Since  $\vec{a}$  and  $\vec{b}$  are perpendicular  $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 0$

$$(2)(1) + (\lambda)(-2) + (1)(1) = 0$$

$$2 - 2\lambda + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{3}{2}$$

4. Find the value of  $m$  for which the vectors  $\vec{a} = 3\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 9\vec{k}$  and  $\vec{b} = \vec{i} + m\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$  are (i) perpendicular, (ii) parallel.

Solution:  $\vec{a} = 3\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 9\vec{k}$

$$\vec{b} = \vec{i} + m\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$$

(i) If they are perpendicular  $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 0$

$$\text{Hence } (3)(1) + (2)(m) + (9)(3) = 0$$

$$3 + 2m + 27 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = -15$$

(ii) If they are parallel,  $\frac{3}{1} = \frac{2}{m} = \frac{9}{3}$

$$\Rightarrow 9m = 6 \Rightarrow m = \frac{2}{3}$$

5. Find the angles which the vector  $\vec{F} = \vec{i} - \vec{j} + \sqrt{2}\vec{k}$  makes with the coordinate axes.

Solution: Let  $\vec{F} = \vec{i} - \vec{j} + \sqrt{2}\vec{k}$

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

Hence direction cosines  $l, m, n$  of  $\vec{F}$  are

$$l = \frac{a}{|F|} = \frac{1}{2}, m = \frac{b}{|F|} = \frac{1}{2}, n = \frac{c}{|F|} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

Let  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  are the angles at which  $r$  makes with x-axis, y-axis and z-axis, then

$$\cos \alpha = l = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\cos \beta = m = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \beta = \pi - \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$\cos \gamma = n = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \Rightarrow \gamma = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

6. Show that the vector  $\vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k}$  is equally inclined with the coordinate axes.

Solution:  $\vec{F} = \vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k}$

$$|F| = \sqrt{(1)^2 + (1)^2 + (1)^2} = \sqrt{3}$$

Hence the direction cosines  $l, m, n$  of  $F$  are

$$l = \frac{a}{|F|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, m = \frac{b}{|F|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, n = \frac{c}{|F|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Let  $\alpha, \beta$  and  $\gamma$  be the angles at which  $\vec{r}$  is inclined to x-axis and z-axis.

$$\text{Then, } \cos \alpha = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \cos \beta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \cos \gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\alpha = \beta = \gamma = \cos^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \left( \quad \right)$$

7. If  $\hat{a}$  and  $\hat{b}$  are unit vectors inclined at an angle  $\theta$ , then prove that

$$(i) \cos \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{1}{2} |\hat{a} + \hat{b}| \quad \text{and (ii) } \tan \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{|\hat{a} - \hat{b}|}{|\hat{a} + \hat{b}|}$$

Solution: (i)

$$\begin{aligned} |\hat{a} + \hat{b}|^2 &= |a|^2 + |b|^2 + 2|a, b| \\ &= 1 + 1 + 2|a||b|\cos\theta \\ &= 2 + 2(1)(1)\cos\theta = 2 + 2\cos\theta \\ &= 2(1 + \cos\theta) = 2 \left( 2\cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$|\hat{a} + \hat{b}|^2 = 4 \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$\frac{1}{4} |\hat{a} + \hat{b}|^2 = \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} |\hat{a} + \hat{b}| = \cos \frac{\theta}{2}$$

(ii) From the above result, we get  $|\hat{a} + \hat{b}| = 2 \cos \frac{\theta}{2}$ ,

$$|\hat{a} - \hat{b}| = 2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \quad \text{then} \quad \tan \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{|\hat{a} - \hat{b}|}{|\hat{a} + \hat{b}|} .$$

8. If the sum of two unit vectors is a unit vector prove that the magnitude of their difference is  $\sqrt{3}$ .

Solution: Let  $\hat{a} + \hat{b} = \hat{c}$  given  $|\hat{c}| = 1$ , also a, b are unit vectors.

To prove that:  $|a - b| = \sqrt{3}$

$$\vec{a} + \vec{b} \cdot \vec{a} + \vec{b} = \vec{a} \cdot \vec{a} + 2\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} + \vec{b} \cdot \vec{b}$$

$$|c|^2 = |a|^2 + 2a \cdot b + |b|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = |a|^2 + 2(a \cdot b) + |b|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow |a|^2 + |b|^2 = 1 - 2(a \cdot b)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 = 1 - 2(a \cdot b)$$

$$1 = -2(a \cdot b)$$

$$\text{Now, } \vec{a} - \vec{b} = a \cdot a - 2(a \cdot b) + b \cdot b$$

$$|\vec{a} - \vec{b}|^2 = |a|^2 + |b|^2 - 2(a \cdot b)$$

$$= 1 + 1 + 1$$

$$= 3$$

$$\Rightarrow |\vec{a} - \vec{b}| = \sqrt{3}.$$

9. If  $a, b, c$  are three mutually perpendicular unit vectors, then prove that

$$|\vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c}| = \sqrt{3}.$$

Solution: Given  $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$  are three mutually perpendicular unit vectors.

$$\Rightarrow |\vec{a}| = |\vec{b}| = |\vec{c}| = 1$$

$$\text{and } \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = \vec{b} \cdot \vec{c} = \vec{c} \cdot \vec{a} = 0$$

$$\text{Now, } (\vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c}) \cdot (\vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c}) = \vec{a} \cdot \vec{a} + \vec{b} \cdot \vec{b} + \vec{c} \cdot \vec{c} + 2(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} + \vec{b} \cdot \vec{c} + \vec{c} \cdot \vec{a})$$

$$= |\vec{a}|^2 + |\vec{b}|^2 + |\vec{c}|^2 \text{ since } \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = \vec{b} \cdot \vec{c} = \vec{c} \cdot \vec{a} = 0$$

$$|\vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c}|^2 = 1 + 1 + 1 = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow |\vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c}| = \sqrt{3}$$

10. If  $|\vec{a} + \vec{b}| = 60$ ,  $|\vec{a} - \vec{b}| = 40$  and  $|\vec{b}| = 46$  find  $|\vec{a}|$ .

$$\text{Solution: } |\vec{a} + \vec{b}| = 60, |\vec{a} - \vec{b}| = 40, |\vec{b}| = 46$$

$$3600 + 1600 = 2|\vec{a}|^2 + 4232$$

$$2|\vec{a}|^2 = 968 = |\vec{a}|^2 = 484$$

$$\therefore |\vec{a}| = 22.$$

11. Let  $\vec{u}$ ,  $\vec{v}$  and  $\vec{w}$  be vector such that  $\vec{u} + \vec{v} + \vec{w} = 0$ .

If  $|\vec{u}| = 3$ ,  $|\vec{v}| = 4$  and  $|\vec{w}| = 5$  then find  $\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} + \vec{v} \cdot \vec{w} + \vec{w} \cdot \vec{u}$



Solution:

$$(\vec{u} + \vec{v} + \vec{w}) \cdot (\vec{u} + \vec{v} + \vec{w}) = |\vec{u}|^2 + |\vec{v}|^2 + |\vec{w}|^2 + 2(\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} + \vec{u} \cdot \vec{w} + \vec{v} \cdot \vec{w})$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = 9 + 16 + 25 + 2(\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} + \vec{u} \cdot \vec{w} + \vec{v} \cdot \vec{w})$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} + \vec{u} \cdot \vec{w} + \vec{v} \cdot \vec{w}) = -50$$

$$\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} + \vec{u} \cdot \vec{w} + \vec{v} \cdot \vec{w} = -25.$$

12. Show that the vectors  $3\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$ ,  $\vec{i} - 3\vec{j} + 5\vec{k}$  and  $2\vec{i} + \vec{j} - 4\vec{k}$  form a right angled triangle.

Solution: Let  $\vec{a} = 3\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$

$$\vec{b} = \vec{i} - 3\vec{j} + 5\vec{k}$$

and  $\vec{c} = 2\vec{i} + \vec{j} - 4\vec{k}$

$$\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = (3)(1) + (-2)(-3) + (1)(5) = 3 + 6 + 5 = 14$$

$$\vec{b} \cdot \vec{c} = (1)(2) + (-3)(1) + (5)(-4) = 2 - 3 - 20 = -21$$

$$\vec{c} \cdot \vec{a} = (3)(2) + (-2)(1) + (1)(-4) = 6 - 2 - 4 = 0$$

$\Rightarrow$   $\vec{c}$  and  $\vec{a}$  are perpendicular to each other.

Also,  $\vec{b} + \vec{c} = (\vec{i} - 3\vec{j} + 5\vec{k}) + (2\vec{i} + \vec{j} - 4\vec{k})$

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

Hence the vectors form a right angled triangle.

Another method:

$$|\vec{a}| = \sqrt{(3)^2 + (-2)^2 + (1)^2} = \sqrt{9 + 4 + 1} = \sqrt{14}$$

$$|\vec{b}| = \sqrt{(1)^2 + (-3)^2 + (5)^2} = \sqrt{1 + 9 + 25} = \sqrt{35}$$

$$|\vec{c}| = \sqrt{(2)^2 + (1)^2 + (-4)^2} = \sqrt{4 + 1 + 16} = \sqrt{21}$$

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

The vectors form a right angled triangle.

13 Show that the points whose position vectors  $4\vec{i} - 3\vec{j} + \vec{k}$ ,  $2\vec{i} - 4\vec{j} + 5\vec{k}$ ,  $\vec{i} - \vec{j}$  Form a right angled triangle.

Solution: Let  $\vec{OA} = 4\vec{i} - 3\vec{j} + \vec{k}$

$$\vec{OB} = 2\vec{i} - 4\vec{j} + 5\vec{k} \quad \vec{OC} = \vec{i} - \vec{j}$$

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

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

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

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

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

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

$$|\vec{AB}| = \sqrt{(-2)^2 + (-1)^2 + (4)^2} = \sqrt{4 + 1 + 16} = \sqrt{21}$$

$$|\vec{BC}| = \sqrt{(-1)^2 + (3)^2 + (-5)^2} = \sqrt{1 + 9 + 25} = \sqrt{35}$$

$$|\vec{CA}| = \sqrt{(3)^2 + (-2)^2 + (1)^2} = \sqrt{9 + 4 + 1} = \sqrt{14}$$

$$|\vec{BC}|^2 = |\vec{AB}|^2 + |\vec{CA}|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 35 = 21 + 14 \Rightarrow 35 = 35$$

⇒ The triangle is right angled.  $\overline{AB} + \overline{BC} = \overline{AC}$ .

14. Find the projection of

(i)  $\vec{i} - \vec{j}$  on z-axis, (ii)  $\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 2\vec{k}$  on  $2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 5\vec{k}$ , (iii)  $3\vec{i} + \vec{j} - \vec{k}$  on  $4\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$ .

Solution: (i) Projection of  $\vec{i} - \vec{j}$  on z-axis =  $\frac{(\vec{i} - \vec{j}) \cdot \vec{k}}{|\vec{k}|} = 0$

(ii) Projection of  $\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 2\vec{k}$  on  $2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 5\vec{k}$  is  $\frac{(\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 2\vec{k}) \cdot (2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 5\vec{k})}{|2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 5\vec{k}|}$

$$= \frac{2 - 2 - 10}{\sqrt{4 + 1 + 25}} = \frac{-10}{\sqrt{30}}$$

(iii) Projection of  $3\vec{i} + \vec{j} - \vec{k}$  on  $4\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$  is  $\frac{(3\vec{i} + \vec{j} - \vec{k}) \cdot (4\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 2\vec{k})}{|4\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}|}$

$$= \frac{12 - 1 - 2}{\sqrt{16 + 1 + 4}} = \frac{9}{\sqrt{21}}$$

## EXERCISE 2.2

Prove by vector method.

1. If the diagonals of a parallelogram are equal then it is a rectangle.

Solution: Let ABCD be a parallelogram. Let AC and BD be the diagonals

Then  $\overline{AC} = \overline{BD}$  (given)

$$\Rightarrow |\vec{AC}|^2 = |\vec{BD}|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{AC} \cdot \vec{AC} = \vec{BD} \cdot \vec{BD}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\vec{AB} + \vec{BC}) \cdot (\vec{AB} + \vec{BC}) &= (\vec{BC} + \vec{CD}) \cdot (\vec{BC} + \vec{CD}) \\ &= (\vec{BC} - \vec{AB}) \cdot (\vec{BC} - \vec{AB}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow |\vec{AB}|^2 + |\vec{BC}|^2 + 2\vec{AB} \cdot \vec{BC} = |\vec{BC}|^2 + |\vec{AB}|^2 - 2\vec{BC} \cdot \vec{AB}$$

$$\Rightarrow 4\vec{AB} \cdot \vec{BC} = 0$$

Hence  $\vec{AB}$  is perpendicular to  $\vec{BC}$

$\Rightarrow$  ABCD is a rectangle.

2. The mid point of the hypotenuse of a right angled triangle is equidistant from its vertices.

Solution: Given ABC is a right angled triangle in which AC is the hypotenuse and D is the mid point of AC.

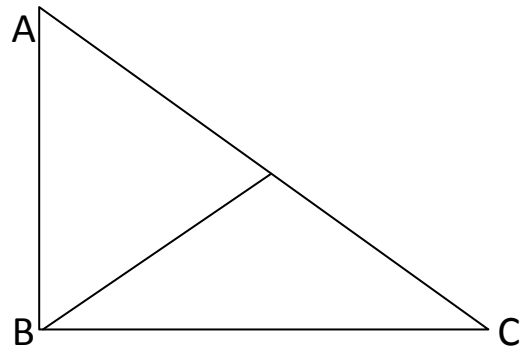
$$\Rightarrow \vec{AD} = \vec{DC}$$

Since  $\angle B = 90^\circ$

$$\vec{AB} \cdot \vec{BC} = 0$$

$$\text{But } \vec{AB} = \vec{AD} + \vec{DB}$$

$$\text{And } \vec{BC} = \vec{BD} + \vec{DC} = -\vec{DB} + \vec{AD}$$



Hence from (i).  $(\vec{AD} + \vec{DB}) \cdot (-\vec{DB} + \vec{AD}) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow |\vec{AD}|^2 - |\vec{DB}|^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow |\vec{AD}| = |\vec{DB}|$$

$$\text{Hence } |\vec{AD}| = |DC| = |DB|$$

D is equidistant from the vertices.

3. The sum of the squares of the diagonals of a parallelogram is equal to the sum of the squares of the sides.

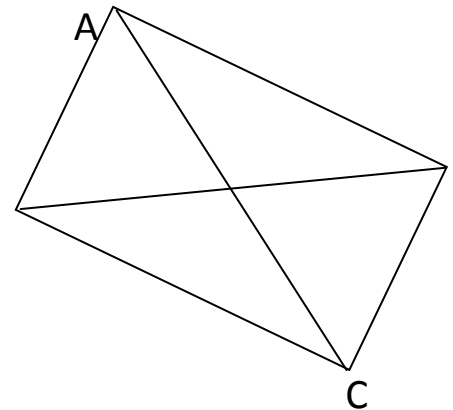
Solution:  $\vec{AC} = \vec{AB} + \vec{BC}$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{BD} &= \vec{BA} + \vec{AD} \\ &= \vec{AD} + \vec{BA} = \vec{AD} - \vec{AB} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{AC}^2 &= (\vec{AB} + \vec{BC})^2 \\ &= \vec{AB}^2 + \vec{BC}^2 + 2 \vec{AB} \cdot \vec{BC} \\ &= \vec{AB}^2 + \vec{BC}^2 + 2\vec{AB} + \vec{AD} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{BD}^2 &= (\vec{AD} - \vec{AB})^2 \\ &= \vec{AD}^2 + \vec{AB}^2 - 2\vec{AB} \cdot \vec{AD} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{AC}^2 + \vec{BD}^2 &= \vec{AB}^2 + \vec{BC}^2 + \vec{AD}^2 + \vec{AB}^2 \\ &= \vec{AB}^2 + \vec{BC}^2 + \vec{DC}^2 + \vec{AD}^2 \end{aligned}$$



4.  $\cos(A+B) = \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B$ .

Solution: Let  $\vec{i}, \vec{j}$  be the unit vectors along OX and OY, OP and OQ are drawn such that  $\angle XOP = A$  and  $\angle XOQ = B$  so that  $\angle POQ = A + B$

Take  $OM = OL = 1$  unit

Draw  $MN \perp$  to OX

$\vec{i} \quad \vec{j} \quad \vec{k}$

$$OM = ON + NM$$

$$\vec{OM} = \cos A \vec{i} + \sin A \vec{j}$$

$$\vec{OL} = \cos B \vec{i} - \sin B \vec{j}$$

$$\vec{OM} \cdot \vec{OL} = (\cos A \vec{i} + \sin A \vec{j}) \cdot (\cos B \vec{i} - \sin B \vec{j})$$

$$|\vec{OM}| |\vec{OL}| \cos(A+B) = \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos(A+B) = \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B$$

5. Find the work done by the force  $\vec{F} = 2\vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k}$  acting on a particle, if the particle is displaced from the point with position vector  $2\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$  to the point with Position vector  $3\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} + 5\vec{k}$ .

Solution: Displacement  $\vec{d} = \vec{AB} = \vec{OB} - \vec{OA}$

$$\begin{aligned} (\vec{OA} = 2\vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k}; \vec{OB} = 3\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} + 5\vec{k}) \\ = (3\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} + 5\vec{k}) - (2\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 2\vec{k}) \\ = (\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Work done} &= \vec{F} \cdot \vec{d} \\ &= (2\vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k}) \cdot (\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}) \\ &= 2 + 2 + 3 = 7 \text{ units.} \end{aligned}$$

6. A force of magnitude 5 units acting parallel of  $2\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$  displaces the point of application from (1,2,3) to 5,3,7). Find the work done.

Solution: Displacement  $= \vec{AB} = \vec{OB} - \vec{OA}$

$$= (\vec{OA} = \vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}; \vec{OB} = 5\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + 7\vec{k})$$

$$= 4\vec{i} + \vec{j} + 4\vec{k}$$

Force of magnitude 5 units acting parallel to  $2\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$

$$= 5 \frac{2\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}}{\sqrt{4+4+1}} = \frac{5}{3} (2\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k})$$

$$= \frac{10}{3} (4) - \frac{10}{3} (1) + \frac{5}{3} (4)$$

$$= \frac{40}{3} - \frac{10}{3} + \frac{20}{3} = \frac{50}{3}$$

7. The constant forces  $2\vec{i} - 5\vec{j} + 6\vec{k}$ ,  $-\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - \vec{k}$  and  $2\vec{i} + 7\vec{j}$  act on a particle which is displaced from position  $4\vec{i} - 3\vec{j} - 2\vec{k}$  to position  $6\vec{i} + \vec{j} - 3\vec{k}$ . Find the work done.

Solution: Displacement = Final position - Initial position

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

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

$$\text{Total forces} = (2\vec{i} - 5\vec{j} + 6\vec{k}) + (-\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - \vec{k}) + (2\vec{i} + 7\vec{j})$$

$$= (3\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} + 5\vec{k})$$

$$\text{Work done} = \vec{F} \cdot \vec{d}$$

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

$$= 6 + 16 - 5 = 17$$

8. Forces of magnitudes 3 and 4 units acting in directions  $6\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$  and  $3\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + 6\vec{k}$  respectively act on a particle which is displaced from the point (2, 2, -1) to (4, 3, 10). Find the work done by the forces.

Solution: Displacement = Final position - Initial positions

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

$$= 2\vec{i} + \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$$

$$\text{Forces are} = 3 \left[ \frac{6\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}}{\sqrt{36+4+9}} \right] \text{ and } 4 \left[ \frac{3\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 6\vec{k}}{\sqrt{9+4+36}} \right]$$

$$= \frac{3}{7} (6\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}) \text{ and } \frac{4}{7} (3\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + 6\vec{k})$$

$$\text{Sum of the forces} = \frac{3}{7} (6\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}) + \frac{4}{7} (3\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + 6\vec{k})$$

$$= \frac{1}{7} (18\vec{i} + 6\vec{j} + 9\vec{k}) + \frac{1}{7} (12\vec{i} - 8\vec{j} + 24\vec{k})$$

$$= \frac{1}{7} (30\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + 33\vec{k})$$

$$\therefore \text{work done} = \vec{F} \cdot \vec{d}$$

$$= \frac{1}{7} (30\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + 33\vec{k}) \cdot (2\vec{i} + \vec{j} + 2\vec{k})$$

$$= \frac{1}{7} [30(2) - 2(1) + 33(2)]$$

$$= \frac{1}{7} [60 - 2 + 66] = \frac{124}{7} = \frac{124}{7} \text{ units.}$$



### SOLUTIONS OF EXERCISE – 2.3

1. Find the magnitude of  $\vec{a} \times \vec{b}$  if  $\vec{a} = 2\vec{i} + \vec{k}$ ,  $\vec{b} = \vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k}$

Solution: Let  $\vec{a} = 2\vec{i} + \vec{k}$ ;  $\vec{b} = \vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k}$

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{a} \times \vec{b} &= \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \vec{i}(0-1) - \vec{j}(2-1) + \vec{k}(2-0) \\ &= -\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore |\vec{a} \times \vec{b}| = \sqrt{(-1)^2 + (-1)^2 + (2)^2} = \sqrt{1+1+4} = \sqrt{6}$$

2. If  $|\vec{a}| = 3$ ,  $|\vec{b}| = 4$  and  $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 9$  then find  $|\vec{a} \times \vec{b}|$

Solution:  $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = |\vec{a}| |\vec{b}| \cos \theta$

$$\therefore 9 = 3 \times 4 \cos \theta$$

Hence  $\sin \theta = \sqrt{1 - \cos^2 \theta}$

$$= \sqrt{1 - \frac{9}{16}} = \frac{\sqrt{7}}{4}$$

$$|\vec{a} \times \vec{b}| = |\vec{a}| |\vec{b}| \sin \theta$$

$$|\vec{a} \times \vec{b}| = 3 \times 4 \times \frac{\sqrt{7}}{4} = 3\sqrt{7}$$

3. Find the unit vectors perpendicular to the plane containing the vectors  $2\vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k}$  and  $\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$ .

Solution:  $\vec{a} = 2\vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k}$ ,  $\vec{b} = \vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$

$$\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

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

$$= -\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$$

$$\therefore \vec{n} = \pm \frac{\vec{a} \times \vec{b}}{|\vec{a} \times \vec{b}|} = \pm \frac{-\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}}{\sqrt{1+1+9}} = \pm \frac{-\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}}{\sqrt{11}}$$

4. Find the vectors whose length 5 and which are perpendicular to the vectors

$$\vec{a} = 3\vec{i} + \vec{j} - 4\vec{k} \text{ and } \vec{b} = 6\vec{i} + 5\vec{j} - 2\vec{k}.$$

Solution:  $\vec{a} = 3\vec{i} + \vec{j} - 4\vec{k}$

$$\vec{b} = 6\vec{i} + 5\vec{j} - 2\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 3 & 1 & -4 \\ 6 & 5 & -2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \vec{i}(-2 + 20) - \vec{j}(-6 + 24) + \vec{k}(15 - 6)$$

$$= 18\vec{i} - 18\vec{j} + 9\vec{k}$$

$$|\vec{a} \times \vec{b}| = \sqrt{(18)^2 + (-18)^2 + (9)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{324 + 324 + 81} = \sqrt{729}$$

∴ Vectors whose length 5 and which are perpendicular to  $\vec{a}$  and  $\vec{b}$  is

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{n} &= \frac{\vec{a} \times \vec{b}}{|\vec{a} \times \vec{b}|} \\ &= \frac{5(18\vec{i} - 18\vec{j} + 9\vec{k})}{\sqrt{729}} = \frac{90\vec{i} - 90\vec{j} + 45\vec{k}}{\sqrt{27}} \\ &= \frac{10\vec{i} - 10\vec{j} + 5\vec{k}}{3} = \frac{10\vec{i} - 10\vec{j} + 5\vec{k}}{3} \end{aligned}$$

5. Find the angle between two vectors  $\vec{a}$  and  $\vec{b}$  if  $|\vec{a} \times \vec{b}| = \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}$ .

Solution:  $|\vec{a} \times \vec{b}| = \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}$

$$|\vec{a}| |\vec{b}| \sin \theta = |\vec{a}| |\vec{b}| \cos \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = 1 \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

6. If  $|\vec{a}| = 2$ ,  $|\vec{b}| = 7$  and  $\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = 3\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + 6\vec{k}$  find angle between  $\vec{a}$  and  $\vec{b}$

Solution:  $\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = 3\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + 6\vec{k}$

$$\therefore |\vec{a} \times \vec{b}| = \sqrt{9 + 4 + 36} = \sqrt{49} = 7$$

$$|\vec{a}| |\vec{b}| \sin \theta = 7$$

$$2 \times 7 \times \sin \theta = 7$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

7. If  $\vec{a} = \vec{i} + 3\vec{j} - 2\vec{k}$  and  $\vec{b} = -\vec{i} + 3\vec{k}$  then find  $\vec{a} \times \vec{b}$ . Verify that  $\vec{a}$  and  $\vec{b}$

Solution: 
$$\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 1 & 3 & -2 \\ -1 & 0 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \vec{i}(9 - 0) - \vec{j}(3 - 2) + \vec{k}(0 + 3)$$

$$= 9\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$$

a. 
$$(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \cdot \vec{a} = (\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} - 2\vec{k}) \cdot (9\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 3\vec{k})$$

$$= 9 - 3 - 6 = 0$$

$\Rightarrow \vec{a}$  and  $(\vec{a} \times \vec{b})$  are perpendicular

b. 
$$(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \cdot \vec{b} = (-\vec{i} + 3\vec{k}) \cdot (9\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 3\vec{k})$$

$$= -9 + 0 + 9 = 0$$

$\Rightarrow \vec{b}$  and  $(\vec{a} \times \vec{b})$  are perpendicular

8. For any three vectors  $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$  show that

$$\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} + \vec{c}) + \vec{b} \times (\vec{c} + \vec{a}) + \vec{c} \times (\vec{a} + \vec{b}) = 0.$$

Solution: 
$$\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} + \vec{c}) + \vec{b} \times (\vec{c} + \vec{a}) + \vec{c} \times (\vec{a} + \vec{b})$$

$$= (\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) + (\vec{a} \times \vec{c}) + (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) + (\vec{b} \times \vec{a})$$

$$+ (\vec{c} \times \vec{a}) + (\vec{c} \times \vec{b})$$

$$= \vec{0}$$

Since  $(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) = -(\vec{b} \times \vec{a})$

$$(\vec{a} \times \vec{c}) = -(\vec{c} \times \vec{a})$$

$$\text{and } (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) = -(\vec{c} \times \vec{b})$$

9. Let  $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$  be unit vectors such that  $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{c} = 0$  and the angle between  $\vec{b}$  and  $\vec{c}$  is  $\frac{\pi}{6}$ . Prove that  $\vec{a} = \pm 2(\vec{b} \times \vec{c})$ .

Solution: Given :  $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 0$  and  $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{c} = 0$

Angle between  $\vec{b}$  and  $\vec{c}$  is  $\frac{\pi}{6}$

$\Rightarrow \vec{a}$  is perpendicular to the plane containing  $\vec{b}$  and  $\vec{c}$  and the angle between  $\vec{b}$  and  $\vec{c}$  is (in other words  $\vec{n} = \vec{a}$ )

$$\therefore \vec{b} \times \vec{c} = |\vec{b}| |\vec{c}| \sin \theta \vec{n} \text{ where } \theta \text{ is the angle between } \vec{b} \text{ and } \vec{c}$$

$$= 1 \times 1 \sin \frac{\pi}{6} \vec{a} \text{ since } \vec{b}, \vec{c} \text{ are unit vectors}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \vec{a} \Rightarrow 2(\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) \text{ or in general } \vec{a} = \pm 2(\vec{b} \times \vec{c})$$

10. If  $\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \vec{c} \times \vec{d}$  and  $\vec{a} \times \vec{c} = \vec{b} \times \vec{d}$

Show that  $\vec{a} - \vec{d}$  and  $\vec{b} - \vec{c}$  are parallel.

Solution

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

$\Rightarrow (\vec{a} - \vec{d})$  and  $(\vec{b} - \vec{c})$  are parallel.

### EXERCISE 2.4

1. Find the area of parallelogram ABCD whose vertices are

A (-5,2,5), B(-3,6,7), C(4,-1,5) and D(2,-5,3)

Solution:

Let O be the point of reference and  $\vec{OA} = -5\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 5\vec{k}$ .

$\vec{OB} = -3\vec{i} + 6\vec{j} + 7\vec{k}$     $\vec{OC} = 4\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 5\vec{k}$  and    $\vec{OD} = 2\vec{i} - 5\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$

Area of parallelogram ABCD =  $|\vec{AB} \times \vec{AC}|$

$$\vec{AB} = \vec{OB} - \vec{OA} = 2\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{AC} = \vec{OC} - \vec{OA} = 9\vec{i} - 3\vec{j}$$

$$\vec{AB} \times \vec{AC} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 2 & 4 & 2 \\ 9 & -3 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 6\vec{i} + 18\vec{j} - 42\vec{k}$$

$$= 6(\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} - 7\vec{k})$$

$$|\vec{AB} \times \vec{AC}| = 6\sqrt{59}.$$

2. Find the area of the parallelogram whose diagonals are represented by

$2\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + 6\vec{k}$  and  $3\vec{i} - 6\vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$

Solution:

$$\text{Let } d_1 = 2\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + 6\vec{k} \quad d_2 = 3\vec{i} - 6\vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$$

$$\text{Area of parallelogram} = \frac{1}{2} |\vec{d}_1 \times \vec{d}_2|$$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{d}_1 \times \vec{d}_2 &= \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 2 & 3 & 6 \\ 3 & -6 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 42\vec{i} + 14\vec{j} + 21\vec{k} \\ &= 7(6\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 3\vec{k}) = 7 \times |6\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 3\vec{k}| \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2} |\vec{d}_1 \times \vec{d}_2| &= \frac{7}{2} \sqrt{(6)^2 + (2)^2 + (-3)^2} \\ &= \frac{7}{2} \sqrt{49} = \frac{49}{2} \text{ sq. units.} \end{aligned}$$

3. Find the area of the parallelogram determined by the sides

$$\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k} \text{ and } -3\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$$

Solution:

$$\text{Let } \vec{a} = \vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k} \text{ and } \vec{b} = -3\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$$

$$\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ -3 & -2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 8\vec{i} - 10\vec{j} + 4\vec{k}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area} = |\vec{a} \times \vec{b}| &= \sqrt{(8)^2 + (-10)^2 + (4)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{180} = 6\sqrt{5} \text{ sq. units.} \end{aligned}$$

4. Find the area of the triangle whose vertices are (3, -1, 2), (1, -1, -3) and

$$(4, -3, 1)$$

Solution:

Let ABC be the given triangle and let  $\vec{OA} = 3\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$

$$\vec{AB} = \vec{OB} - \vec{OA} = 2\vec{i} - 5\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{AC} = \vec{OC} - \vec{OA} = \vec{i} - 2\vec{j} - \vec{k}$$

$$\vec{AB} \times \vec{AC} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ -2 & 0 & -5 \\ 1 & -2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = -10\vec{i} - 7\vec{j} + 4\vec{k}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} |\vec{AB} \times \vec{AC}| = \frac{1}{2} |-10\vec{i} - 7\vec{j} + 4\vec{k}|$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{(-10)^2 + (-7)^2 + (4)^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{165} \text{sq. units.}$$

5. Prove by vector method that the parallelograms on the same base and between the same parallels are equal in area.

Solution:

Let ABCD be the given parallelogram and

A'B'C'D' be the new parallelogram with same

Base AB and between the same parallel lines  $\vec{AB}$  and  $\vec{DC}$

$$\text{The vector area of ABCD} = \vec{AB} \times \vec{AD}$$

$$= \vec{AB} \times (\vec{AD}' + \vec{DD}')$$

$$= (\vec{AB} \times \vec{AD}') + \vec{AB} \times \vec{DD}'$$



= vector area of ABCD

i. e. area of ABCD = area of ABCD'

6. Prove that twice the area of a parallelogram is equal to the area of another parallelogram formed by taking as its adjacent sides the diagonals of the former parallelogram.

Solution: Let ABCD be the given parallelogram

$$\vec{AC} = \vec{AB} + \vec{BC}$$

$$\vec{BD} = \vec{BC} + \vec{CD} = \vec{BC} = \vec{BC} - \vec{AB}$$

Area of the parallelogram with AC and BD as adjacent sides

$$= |\vec{AC} \times \vec{BD}|$$

$$= |(\vec{AB} + \vec{BC}) \times (\vec{BC} - \vec{AB})|$$

$$= |\vec{AB} \times \vec{BC} - \vec{AB} \times \vec{AB} + \vec{BC} \times \vec{BC} - \vec{BC} \times \vec{AB}|$$

$$= |\vec{AB} \times \vec{BC} + \vec{AB} \times \vec{BC}| = 2 |\vec{AB} \times \vec{BC}|$$

$$= 2 \text{ (area of the parallelogram ABCD)}$$

7. Prove that  $\sin (A - B) = \sin A \cos B - \cos A \sin B$ .

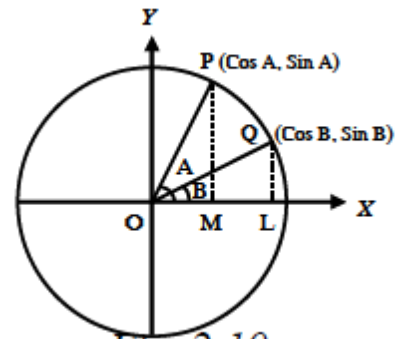


Fig. 2.10

Solution:

Take the points P and Q on the unit circle with centre at the origin O. Assume that OP and OQ make angles A and B with x-axis respectively.

$$|PQ| = |POx| + |QOx| = A - B$$

Clearly the co-ordinates of P and Q are  $(\cos A, \sin A)$  and  $(\cos B, \sin B)$ .

Take the unit vectors  $\vec{i}$  and  $\vec{j}$  along x and axes respectively.

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{OP} &= \vec{OM} + \vec{MP} \\ &= \cos A \vec{i} + \sin A \vec{j} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{OQ} &= \vec{OL} + \vec{LQ} \\ &= \cos B \vec{i} + \sin B \vec{j} \end{aligned}$$

$$\vec{OQ} \times \vec{OP} = |\vec{OQ}| |\vec{OP}| \sin (A - B) \vec{k} = \sin (A - B) \vec{k}$$

$$\vec{OQ} \times \vec{OP} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ \cos B & \sin B & 0 \\ \cos A & \sin A & 0 \end{vmatrix} = \vec{k} [\sin A \cos B - \cos A \sin B]$$

From (1) and (2)

$$\sin (A - B) = \sin A \cos B - \cos A \sin B$$

8. Forces  $2\vec{i} + 7\vec{j}$ ,  $2\vec{i} - 5\vec{j} + 6\vec{k}$ ,  $\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - \vec{k}$  act at a point P whose position vector is  $4\vec{i} - 3\vec{j} - 2\vec{k}$ . find the moment of the resultant of three forces acting at P about the point Q whose position vector  $6\vec{i} + \vec{j} - 3\vec{k}$ .

Solution: The resultant force  $\vec{F} = \vec{F}_1 + \vec{F}_2 + \vec{F}_3$

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{F} &= (2\vec{i} + 7\vec{j}) + (2\vec{i} - 5\vec{j} + 6\vec{k}) + (-\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - \vec{k}) \\ &= 3\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} + 5\vec{k}\end{aligned}$$

Let  $\vec{OP} = 4\vec{i} - 3\vec{j} - 2\vec{k}$  and  $\vec{OQ} = 6\vec{i} + \vec{j} - 3\vec{k}$

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{r} &= \vec{OP} - \vec{OQ} \text{ [through (or at) - about]} \\ &= -2\vec{i} - 4\vec{j} + \vec{k}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Moment } \vec{M} &= \vec{r} \times \vec{F} \\ &= \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ -2 & -4 & 1 \\ 3 & 4 & 5 \end{vmatrix}\end{aligned}$$

$$\vec{M} = -24\vec{i} + 13\vec{j} + 4\vec{k}$$

9. Show that torque about the point A(3, -1, 3) of a force  $4\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$  through the point B (5, 2, 4) is  $\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 8\vec{k}$ .

Solution:

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$$\text{Let } \vec{F} = 4\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$$

$$\text{Let } \vec{OA} = 3\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 3\vec{k} \text{ and } \vec{OB} = 5\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 4\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{r} = \vec{OB} - \vec{OA} = 2\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + \vec{k}$$

$$\text{Torque (moment) } \vec{M} = \vec{r} \times \vec{F}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 4 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\text{Torque} = \vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 8\vec{k}$$

10. Find the magnitude and direction cosines of the moment about the point

(1, -2, 3) of a force  $2\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + 6\vec{k}$  whose line of action passes through the

origin.

Solution:

$$\vec{F} = 2\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + 6\vec{k}$$

$$\text{Let } \vec{OP} = \vec{O} \text{ AND } \vec{OA} = \vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{r} = \vec{OP} - \vec{OA} = -\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 3\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{M} = \vec{r} \times \vec{F}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ -1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & 3 & 6 \end{vmatrix} = 21\vec{i} - 7\vec{k}$$

$$|\vec{r} \times \vec{F}| = \sqrt{(21)^2 + (-7)^2} = 7\sqrt{10}$$

$$\text{d.c.s of the moment are } \left\{ \frac{21}{\sqrt{10}}, 0, \frac{-7}{7\sqrt{10}} \right\} \text{ i.e., } \left\{ \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}}, 0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \right\}$$

### EXERCISE – 2.5

1. Show that vectors  $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$  are coplanar if and only if

$\vec{a} + \vec{b}, \vec{b} + \vec{c}, \vec{c} + \vec{a}$  are coplanar

$$\Leftrightarrow [\vec{a} + \vec{b}, \vec{b} + \vec{c}, \vec{c} + \vec{a}] = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow 2 [A B C] = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c} \text{ are coplanar}$$

2. The volume of a parallelepiped whose edges are represented by

$-12\vec{i} + m\vec{k}, 3\vec{j} - \vec{k}, 2\vec{i} + \vec{j} - 15\vec{k}$  is 546. Find the value of  $m$ .

Solution: Let  $\vec{a} = -12\vec{i} + m\vec{k}, \vec{b} = 3\vec{j} - \vec{k}, \vec{c} = 2\vec{i} + \vec{j} - 15\vec{k}$

Volume of the parallelepiped =  $[a \ b \ c] = 546$

$$\text{i.e., } \begin{vmatrix} -12 & 0 & m \\ 0 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 & -15 \end{vmatrix} = 546$$

$$-12(-45 + 1) + m(90 - 6) = 546$$

$$= m = -3$$

3. Prove that  $|[a\ b\ c]| = abc$  if and only  $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$  are mutually perpendicular.

Solution:  $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$  are mutually perpendicular  $\Leftrightarrow |[a\ b\ c]|$  is the volume of a cuboids where  $a, b, c$  are the co-terminus edges.

$$\Leftrightarrow |[a\ b\ c]| = |\vec{a}| |\vec{b}| |\vec{c}|$$

$$\Leftrightarrow |[a\ b\ c]| = abc$$

4. Show that the points  $(1, 3, 1), (1, 1, -1), (-1, 1, 1) (2, 2, -1)$  are lying on the same plane. (Hint: It is enough to prove any three vectors formed by these four points are coplanar).

Solution: Let  $\vec{OA} = \vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + \vec{k}, \vec{OB} = \vec{i} + \vec{j} - \vec{k}, \vec{OC} = \vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k}$

$$\text{and } \vec{OD} = 2\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - \vec{k}$$

$$\vec{AB} = \vec{OB} - \vec{OA} = -2\vec{j} - 2\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{AC} = \vec{OC} - \vec{OA} = 2\vec{i} - 2\vec{j}$$

$$\vec{AD} = \vec{OD} - \vec{OA} = \vec{i} - \vec{j} - 2\vec{k}$$

$$[\vec{AB}, \vec{AC}, \vec{AD}] = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -2 & -2 \\ -2 & -2 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

Hence the above points are lying on the same plane.

5. If  $\vec{a} = 2\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} - \vec{k}, \vec{b} = -2\vec{i} + 5\vec{k}, \vec{c} = \vec{j} - 3\vec{k}$

Verify that  $\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) = (\vec{a} \cdot \vec{c}) \vec{b} - (\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}) \vec{c}$

Solution:

$$\vec{b} \times \vec{c} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ -2 & 0 & 5 \\ 0 & +1 & -3 \end{vmatrix} = 5\vec{i} - 6\vec{j} - 2\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 2 & 3 & -1 \\ -5 & -6 & -2 \end{vmatrix} \\ = 12\vec{i} + 9\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$$

$$(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{c}) = (2(0) + 3(1) + (-1)(-3)) = 6$$

$$(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{c}) \vec{b} = -12\vec{i} + 30\vec{k}$$

$$(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}) = \{(2)(-2) + (3)(0) + (-1)(5)\} = -9$$

$$(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}) \vec{c} = -9\vec{j} + 27\vec{k}$$

$$(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{c}) \vec{b} - (\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}) \vec{c} = -12\vec{i} + 9\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$$

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

6. Prove that  $\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) + \vec{b} \times (\vec{c} \times \vec{a}) + \vec{c} \times (\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) = \vec{0}$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LHS} &= \vec{a} \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) + \vec{b} \times (\vec{c} \times \vec{a}) + \vec{c} \times (\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \\ &= (\vec{a} \cdot \vec{c}) \vec{b} - (\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}) \vec{c} + (\vec{b} \cdot \vec{a}) \vec{c} - (\vec{b} \cdot \vec{c}) \vec{a} \\ &\quad + (\vec{c} \cdot \vec{b}) \vec{a} - (\vec{c} \cdot \vec{a}) \vec{b} \\ &= \vec{0} \text{ R. H. S.} \end{aligned}$$

7. If  $\vec{a} = 2\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} - 5\vec{k}$ ,  $\vec{b} = -\vec{i} + \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$  and

$\vec{c} = 4\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$ , show that  $(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \times \vec{c} \neq \vec{a} \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{c})$

solution : 
$$\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 2 & 3 & -5 \\ -1 & 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 11\vec{i} + \vec{j} + 5\vec{k}$$

$$(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \times \vec{c} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 11 & 1 & 5 \\ -1 & 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 13\vec{i} - 13\vec{j} - 26\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{b} \times \vec{c} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ -1 & 1 & 2 \\ 4 & -2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 7\vec{i} + 11\vec{j} - 2\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 2 & 3 & -5 \\ 7 & 11 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = 49\vec{i} - 31\vec{j} + \vec{k}$$

$$(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \times \vec{c} \neq \vec{a} \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{c})$$

8. prove that  $(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \times \vec{c} = \vec{a} \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{c})$  iff a and c are collinear .

Where the vector triple product is non zero .

Solution : given  $(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \times \vec{c} = \vec{a} \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{c})$

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

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



$$\Leftrightarrow \mathbf{a} = \left( \frac{\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}}{\mathbf{c} \cdot \mathbf{b}} \right) \cdot \mathbf{c}$$

$\Leftrightarrow$   $\mathbf{a}$  and  $\mathbf{c}$  are collinear .

9. For any vector  $\vec{a}$

$$\text{Prove that } \vec{i} \times (\vec{a} \times \vec{i}) + \vec{j} \times (\vec{a} \times \vec{j}) + \vec{k} \times (\vec{a} \times \vec{k}) = 2\vec{a}$$

Solution:

$$\text{Let } \vec{a} = a_1\vec{i} + a_2\vec{j} + a_3\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{i} \times (\vec{a} \times \vec{i}) = (\vec{i} \cdot \vec{i})\vec{a} - (\vec{i} \cdot \vec{a})\vec{i} = \vec{a} - a_1\vec{i}$$

$$\vec{j} \times (\vec{a} \times \vec{j}) = (\vec{j} \cdot \vec{j})\vec{a} - (\vec{j} \cdot \vec{a})\vec{j} = \vec{a} - a_2\vec{j}$$

$$\vec{k} \times (\vec{a} \times \vec{k}) = (\vec{k} \cdot \vec{k})\vec{a} - (\vec{k} \cdot \vec{a})\vec{k} = \vec{a} - a_3\vec{k}$$

$$\text{L.H.S.} = 3\vec{a} - (a_1\vec{i} + a_2\vec{j} + a_3\vec{k})$$

$$= 2\vec{a} = \text{R.H.S}$$

10. Prove that  $(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \cdot (\vec{c} \times \vec{d}) + (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) \cdot (\vec{a} \times \vec{d}) + (\vec{c} \times \vec{a}) \cdot (\vec{b} \times \vec{d}) = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Solution: } (\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \cdot (\vec{c} \times \vec{d}) &= \begin{vmatrix} \vec{a} & \vec{b} \\ \vec{c} & \vec{d} \end{vmatrix} \cdot \begin{vmatrix} \vec{a} & \vec{d} \\ \vec{b} & \vec{c} \end{vmatrix} \\ &= (\vec{a} \cdot \vec{c})(\vec{b} \cdot \vec{d}) - (\vec{b} \cdot \vec{c})(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{d}) \end{aligned}$$

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

$$(\vec{c} \times \vec{a}) \cdot (\vec{b} \times \vec{d}) = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{c} & \vec{a} \\ \vec{b} & \vec{d} \end{vmatrix} \cdot \begin{vmatrix} \vec{c} & \vec{d} \\ \vec{a} & \vec{b} \end{vmatrix}$$

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

$$\text{L.H.S.} = (a \cdot c) (b \cdot d) - (b \cdot c) (a \cdot d)$$

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

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

$$= 0 = \text{R.H.S}$$

11. Find  $(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \cdot (\vec{c} \times \vec{d})$  if  $\vec{a} = \vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k}$

$$\vec{b} = 2\vec{i} + \vec{k}, \vec{c} = 2\vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k}, \vec{d} = \vec{i} + \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$$

Solution:

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

$$\vec{a} \cdot \vec{c} = 2 + 1 + 1 = 4$$

$$\vec{b} \cdot \vec{d} = 2 + 0 + 2 = 4$$

$$\vec{a} \cdot \vec{d} = 1 + 1 + 2 = 4$$

$$\vec{b} \cdot \vec{c} = 4 + 1 = 5$$

$$\text{L.H.S} = (4) (4) - (4) (5) = -4$$

12. Verify  $(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \times (\vec{c} \times \vec{d}) = [\vec{a} \ \vec{b} \ \vec{c}] \vec{c} - [\vec{a} \ \vec{b} \ \vec{d}] \vec{a}$

for  $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$  and  $\vec{d}$  in problem 11.

Solution:

$$\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \vec{i} + \vec{j} - 2\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{c} \times \vec{d} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = \vec{i} - 3\vec{j} + \vec{k}$$

$$(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \times (\vec{c} \times \vec{d}) = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & -3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -5\vec{i} - 3\vec{j} - 4\vec{k}$$

$$[\vec{a} \ \vec{b} \ \vec{c}] = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1$$

$$[\vec{a} \ \vec{b} \ \vec{c}] = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = -2$$

$$[\vec{a} \ \vec{b} \ \vec{c}] \vec{c} - [\vec{a} \ \vec{b} \ \vec{c}] \vec{d} = (-4\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} - 2\vec{k}) - (\vec{i} + \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}) \\ = -5\vec{i} - 3\vec{j} - 4\vec{k}$$

From (1) and (2)

$$(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \times (\vec{c} \times \vec{d}) = [\vec{a} \ \vec{b} \ \vec{c}] \vec{c} - [\vec{a} \ \vec{b} \ \vec{c}] \vec{d}$$

### **EXERCISE – 2.6**

1. Find the d.c.s of a vector whose direction ratios are 2, 3, - 6.

Solution:

$$\vec{r} = \sqrt{(2)^2 + (3)^2 + (-6)^2} = \sqrt{49} = 7$$

d.c.s are  $\frac{2}{7}, \frac{3}{7}, \frac{-6}{7}$

2. (i) Can a vector have direction angles  $30^\circ, 45^\circ, 60^\circ$ .

(ii) Can a vector have direction angles  $45^\circ, 60^\circ, 120^\circ$ ?

Solution:

(i) For direction angles  $\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \gamma = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} & \cos^2 30 + \cos^2 45 + \cos^2 60 \\ &= \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} \neq 1 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore 30^\circ, 45^\circ, 60^\circ$  are not possible to be direction angles.

(ii)  $\cos^2 45 + \cos^2 60 + \cos^2 120 = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} = 1, \therefore$  yes

3. What are the d.c.s of the vector equally inclined to the axes?

Solution:

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

$$\therefore \cos^2 \gamma = \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow \cos \alpha = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$\therefore$  The d.c. 's are  $\left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \right)$

4. A vector  $\vec{r}$  has length  $35\sqrt{2}$  and direction ratios (3, 4, 5) find the direction cosines and components of  $\vec{r}$ .

Solution:

The direction ratios are (3, 4, 5)

$$\sqrt{3^2 + 4^2 + 5^2} = \sqrt{50} = 5\sqrt{2}$$

$$\text{d.c.'s are } \left( \frac{3}{5\sqrt{2}} \frac{4}{5\sqrt{2}} \frac{5}{5\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

$$\vec{r} = 35\sqrt{2} \left( \frac{3\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} + 5\vec{k}}{5\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

$$\vec{r} = 7 [3\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} + 5\vec{k}] = 21\vec{i} + 28\vec{j} + 35\vec{k}$$

5. Find direction cosines of the line joining (2, -3, 1) and (3, 1, -2).

Solution:

$$\vec{r} = \vec{a} + t (\vec{b} - \vec{a})$$

$$\vec{r} = 2\vec{i} - 3\vec{j} + \vec{k} + t (-\vec{i} - 4\vec{j} + 3\vec{k})$$

$$\therefore \text{d.r.'s are } (-1, -4, 3) \Rightarrow r = \sqrt{(-1)^2 + (-4)^2 + 3^2} = \sqrt{26}$$

$$\text{Direction cosines } \pm \left( \frac{-1}{\sqrt{26}}, \frac{-4}{\sqrt{26}}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{26}} \right)$$

Note: Since any one point can take as the first point, we have directions cosines are  $\pm$  ( )

6. Find the vector and Cartesian equation of the line through the point (3, -4, -2) and parallel to the vector  $9\vec{i} + 6\vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$ .

Solution:

Vector equation:

$$\vec{r} = \vec{a} + t \vec{b} \text{ where } \vec{a} = 3\vec{i} - 4\vec{j} - 2\vec{k}, \vec{b} = 9\vec{i} + 6\vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{r} = (3\vec{i} - 4\vec{j} - 2\vec{k}) + t (9\vec{i} + 6\vec{j} + 2\vec{k})$$

Cartesian form:

$$\frac{x-x_1}{l} = \frac{y-y_1}{m} = \frac{z-z_1}{n}$$

$$\text{Where } (x_1, y_1, z_1) = (3, -4, -2)$$

$$(l, m, n) = (9, 6, 2)$$

The equation of the line is

$$\frac{x-3}{9} = \frac{y+4}{6} = \frac{z+2}{2}$$

7. Find the vector and Cartesian equation of the line joining the points

$$(1, -2, 1) \text{ and } (0, -2, 3)$$

Solution:

$$\text{Vector equation: } \vec{r} = \vec{a} + t(\vec{b} - \vec{a})$$

$$\text{Where } \vec{a} = \vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$$

$$\vec{b} = 2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{b} - \vec{a} = \vec{i} + 2\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{r} = (\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}) + t(\vec{i} + 2\vec{k})$$

$$\text{(or) } \vec{r} = (1-t)\vec{a} + t\vec{b}$$

$$\text{i.e., } \vec{r} = (1-t)(\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}) + t(-2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k})$$

Cartesian form:

$$\frac{x-x_1}{x_2-x_1} = \frac{y-y_1}{y_2-y_1} = \frac{z-z_1}{z_2-z_1}$$

Here  $(x_1, y_1, z_1) = (1, -2, 1)$  ;  $(x_2, y_2, z_2) = (0, -2, 3)$

The equations is  $\frac{x-1}{-1} = \frac{y+2}{0} = \frac{z-1}{2}$

8. Find the angle between the following lines.

$$\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y+1}{3} = \frac{z-4}{6} \quad \text{and} \quad x+1 = \frac{y+2}{2} = \frac{z-4}{2}$$

Solution:

The parallel vectors to the lines are  $\vec{u} = 2\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + 6\vec{k}$  and  $\vec{v} = \vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$  respectively

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between the given lines

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}}{|\vec{u}| |\vec{v}|}$$

$$\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = 20 ; |\vec{u}| = 7, |\vec{v}| = 3$$

$$\cos \theta = \left( \frac{20}{21} \right)$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \frac{20}{21}$$

9. Find the angle between the lines

$$\vec{r} = 5\vec{i} - 7\vec{j} + \mu (\vec{-i} + 4\vec{j} + 2\vec{k})$$

$$\vec{r} = 2\vec{i} + \vec{k} + \mu (3\vec{i} + 4\vec{k})$$

Solution:

The parallel vectors to the lines are

$$\vec{u} = -\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} + 2\vec{k} \text{ and } \vec{v} = 3\vec{i} + 4\vec{k} \text{ respectively}$$

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between the given lines.

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}}{|\vec{u}| |\vec{v}|}$$

$$\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = 5; \quad |\vec{u}| = \sqrt{21}. \quad |\vec{v}| = 5$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{5}{\sqrt{215}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{21}}$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{21}}$$

### EXERCISE – 2.7

1. Find the shortest distance between the parallel lines

$$(i) \vec{r} = (2\vec{i} + \vec{j} - \vec{k}) + t(\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k})$$

$$\vec{r} = (\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}) + s(\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k})$$

$$(ii) \frac{x-1}{-1} = \frac{y}{3} = \frac{z+3}{2} \text{ and } \frac{x-3}{-1} = \frac{y+1}{3} = \frac{z-1}{2}$$

Solution:

$$(i) \text{ Let } \vec{u} = \vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}. \quad \vec{a}_1 = 2\vec{i} - \vec{j} - \vec{k} \text{ and } \vec{a}_2 = \vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$$

$$\text{Shortest distance between the lines } d = \frac{|\vec{u} \times (\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1)|}{|\vec{u}|}$$

$$\vec{u} \times (\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1) = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 1 & -2 & 3 \\ -1 & -1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = -\vec{i} - 5\vec{j} - 3\vec{k}$$



$$|\vec{u} \times (\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1)| = \sqrt{(-1)^2(-5)^2 + (-3)^2} = \sqrt{35}$$

$$|\vec{u}| = \sqrt{14}$$

$$\therefore d = \frac{\sqrt{35}}{\sqrt{14}} = \sqrt{\frac{5}{2}}$$

(ii) Let  $\vec{u} = -\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$  and  $\vec{a}_1 = \vec{i} - 3\vec{k}$

$$|\vec{u}| = \sqrt{14}$$

$$\vec{a}_2 = 3\vec{i} - \vec{j} + \vec{k}$$

$$\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1 = 2\vec{i} - \vec{j} - 4\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{u} \times (\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1) = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ -1 & 3 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & -4 \end{vmatrix} = 14\vec{i} + 8\vec{j} - 5\vec{k}$$

$$|\vec{u} \times (\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1)| = \sqrt{285}$$

$$\therefore d = \frac{\sqrt{285}}{\sqrt{14}} = \sqrt{\frac{285}{14}}$$

2. Show that the following two lines are skew lines:

$$\vec{r} = (3\vec{i} + 5\vec{j} + 7\vec{k}) + t(\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}) \text{ and}$$

$$\vec{r} = (\vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k}) + s(7\vec{i} + 6\vec{j} + 7\vec{k})$$

Solution: Compare the given lines with

$$\vec{r} = \vec{a}_1 + t\vec{u} \quad \text{and} \quad \vec{r} = \vec{a}_2 + s\vec{v}$$

$$\vec{u} = \vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k} \quad \vec{a}_1 = 3\vec{i} + 5\vec{j} + 7\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{v} = 7\vec{i} + 6\vec{j} + 7\vec{k} \quad \vec{a}_2 = \vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k}$$

$$\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1 = -2\vec{i} - 4\vec{j} - 6\vec{k}$$

$$[(\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1) \cdot \vec{u} \times \vec{v}] = \begin{vmatrix} -2 & -4 & -6 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 7 & 6 & 7 \end{vmatrix} = 2(-20) + 4(0) - 6(20)$$

= -80  $\neq$  0  $\therefore$  The above lines are skew lines.

3. Show that the lines  $\frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y+1}{-1} = \frac{z}{3}$  and  $\frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y-1}{2} = \frac{-z-1}{1}$  intersect and find their point of intersection.

Solution: Condition for intersecting is  $d = 0$

$$\text{(i.e., } 0 \text{ } [(\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1) \cdot \vec{u} \times \vec{v}] = 0 \text{ or } \begin{vmatrix} x_2 - x_1 & y_2 - y_1 & z_2 - z_1 \\ l_1 & m_1 & n_1 \\ l_2 & m_2 & n_2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\text{Here } (x_1, y_1, z_1) = (1, -1, 0)$$

$$(x_2, y_2, z_2) = (2, 1, -1)$$

$$(l_1, m_1, n_1) = (1, -1, 3)$$

$$(l_2, m_2, n_2) = (1, 2, -1)$$

$$[(\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1) \cdot \vec{u} \times \vec{v}] = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 5 + 8 - 3 = 0$$

Further  $\vec{u}$  and  $\vec{v}$  are not parallel.

$\therefore$  The lines intersect For point of intersection, take  $\frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y+1}{-1} = \frac{z}{3}$   
=  $\square$

Any point on this line is of the form  $(m + 1, -m - 1, 3m)$ .  $\frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y-1}{2} = \frac{z+1}{-1} = \mu$ .

Any point on this line is of the form  $(\mu + 2, 2\mu + 1, -\mu - 1)$

$$(m + 1, -m - 1, 3m) = (\mu + 2, 2\mu + 1, -\mu - 1)$$

$$m + 1 = \mu + 2$$

$$m - \mu = 1$$

$$-m - 1 = 2\mu + 1$$

$$m - 2\mu = 2$$

Solving (1) and (2),  $\mu = -1, m = 0$

$\therefore$  To get the point of intersection either put  $\mu = -1$  or  $m = 0$

$\therefore$  The point of intersection is  $(1, -1, 0)$

4. Find the shortest distance between the skew lines

$$\frac{x-6}{3} = \frac{y-7}{-1} = \frac{z-4}{1}$$

$$\text{and } \frac{x}{-3} = \frac{y+9}{2} = \frac{z-2}{4}$$

Solution:

$$\text{Shortest distance } d = \frac{|[\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1] \cdot \vec{u} \times \vec{v}|}{|\vec{u} \times \vec{v}|}$$

$$\vec{u} = 3\vec{i} - \vec{j} + \vec{k} \quad \vec{a}_1 = 6\vec{j} + 7\vec{j} + 4\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{v} = 3\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 4\vec{k} \quad \vec{a}_2 = 9\vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1 = -6\vec{i} - 16\vec{j} - 2\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{u} \times \vec{v} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 3 & -1 & 1 \\ -3 & 2 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = -6\vec{i} - 15\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$$

$$|\vec{u} \times \vec{v}| = \sqrt{270}$$

$$[(\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1) \cdot (\vec{u} \times \vec{v})] = \begin{vmatrix} -6 & -16 & -2 \\ 3 & -1 & 1 \\ -3 & 2 & 4 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\text{or } (\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1) \cdot (\vec{u} \times \vec{v}) = 36 + 240 - 6 = 270$$

$$\therefore d = \frac{270}{\sqrt{270}} = \sqrt{270}$$

$$= 3\sqrt{30}$$

5. Show that (2, -1, 3), (1, -1, 0) and (3, -1, 6) are collinear.

Solution:

The equation passing through (2, -1, 3) and (1, -1, 0) is

$$\frac{x-2}{-1} = \frac{y+1}{0} = \frac{z-3}{-3} \quad m \text{ (say)}$$

Any point on this line is of the form (-m + 2, -1, -3m + 3)

The point (3, -1, 6) is obtained by putting m = -1

∴ The third point lies on the same line. Hence three points are collinear.

6. If the points ( m, 0, 3), (1, 3, -1) and (9, -5, -3, 7) are collinear then find m.

Solution:

Since the three points are collinear, the position vector of three points are coplanar.

$$\text{Let } \vec{a} = m\vec{i} + 3\vec{k}, \vec{b} = \vec{i} + 3\vec{j} - \vec{k} \quad \text{and} \quad \vec{c} = -5\vec{i} - 3\vec{j} + 7\vec{k}$$

$$[\vec{a} \vec{b} \vec{c}] = \begin{vmatrix} m & 0 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & -1 \\ -5 & -3 & 7 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$18m + 36 = 0 \Rightarrow m = -2.$$

### EXERCISE – 2.8

1. Find the vector and Cartesian equations of a plane which is at a distance of 18 units from the origin and which is normal to

the vector  $2\vec{i} + 7\vec{j} + 8\vec{k}$

Solution: Here  $p = 18$  and  $\vec{n} = 2\vec{i} + 7\vec{j} + 8\vec{k}$

$$\therefore \vec{n} = \frac{n}{|\vec{n}|} = \frac{2\vec{i} + 7\vec{j} + 8\vec{k}}{\sqrt{117}}$$

Hence the required vector equation of the plane is  $\vec{r} \cdot \vec{n} = p$

$$\vec{r} \cdot \frac{2\vec{i} + 7\vec{j} + 8\vec{k}}{\sqrt{117}} = 18$$

Cartesian form:

$$\vec{r} \cdot (2\vec{i} + 7\vec{j} + 9\vec{k}) = 18\sqrt{117}$$

$$r \cdot (2i + 7j + 8k) = 54\sqrt{13}$$

$$(\vec{x}\vec{i} + \vec{y}\vec{j} + \vec{z}\vec{k}) \cdot (2\vec{i} + 7\vec{j} + 8\vec{k}) = 54\sqrt{13} \text{ i.e., } 2x + 7y + 8z = 54\sqrt{13}$$

2. Find the unit normal vectors to the plane  $2x - y + 2z = 5$ .

Solution:

$$2x - y + 2z = 5 \Leftrightarrow (\vec{x}\vec{i} + \vec{y}\vec{j} + \vec{z}\vec{k}) \cdot (2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}) = 5$$

$$\text{Here } \vec{n} = 2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$$

$$\text{Unit normal vectors } \pm \vec{n} = \pm \frac{\vec{n}}{|\vec{n}|} = \pm \frac{2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}}{3}$$

3. Find the length of the perpendicular from the origin to the plane

$$\vec{r} \cdot (3\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} + 12\vec{k}) = 26$$

Solution: Write the given equation in the form of  $\vec{r} \cdot \vec{n} = p$

$$\text{Given } \vec{r} \cdot (3\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} + 12\vec{k}) = 26 \Rightarrow \vec{r} \cdot \left( \frac{3\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} + 12\vec{k}}{\sqrt{169}} \right) = \frac{26}{\sqrt{169}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{r} \cdot \left( \frac{3\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} + 12\vec{k}}{13} \right) = 2$$

$\therefore$  Length of the perpendicular from origin  $p = 2$

4. The foot of the perpendicular draw from the origin to a plane is  $(8, -4, 3)$ . Find the equation of the plane.

Solution:

The required plane passing through the point  $a(8, -4, 3)$  and is perpendicular

to OA

$$\therefore \vec{a} = 8\vec{i} - 4\vec{j} + 3\vec{k} \text{ and } \vec{n} = \vec{OA} = 8\vec{i} - 4\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$$

$$\therefore \text{the required equation of the plane is } \vec{r} \cdot \vec{n} = \vec{a} \cdot \vec{n}$$

$$\vec{r} \cdot (8\vec{i} - 4\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}) = (8\vec{i} - 4\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}) \cdot (8\vec{i} - 4\vec{j} + 3\vec{k})$$

$$\text{The vector form is } \vec{r} \cdot (8\vec{i} - 4\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}) = 89$$

$$\text{Cartesian form: } (x\vec{i} + y\vec{j} + z\vec{k}) \cdot (8\vec{i} - 4\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}) = 89$$

$$\Rightarrow 8x - 4y + 3z = 89$$

5. Find the equation of the plane through the point whose p.v. is  $2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + \vec{k}$  and perpendicular to the vector  $4\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 3\vec{k}$ .

Solution:

The required equation of the plane through  $2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + \vec{k}$  and perpendicular to  $4\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 3\vec{k}$  is

$$\vec{r} \cdot \vec{n} = \vec{a} \cdot \vec{n}$$

$$\text{Here } \vec{a} = 2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + \vec{k} \text{ and } \vec{n} = 4\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 3\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{r} \cdot (4\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 3\vec{k}) = (2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + \vec{k}) \cdot (4\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 3\vec{k})$$

$$\text{i.e., } r \cdot (4\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 3\vec{k}) = 3$$

$$\text{The Cartesian form is } (x\vec{i} + y\vec{j} + z\vec{k}) \cdot (4\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 3\vec{k}) = 3$$

### EXERCISE – 2.9

1. Find the equation of the plane which contains the two lines

$$\frac{x+1}{2} = \frac{y-2}{-3} = \frac{z-3}{4} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{x-4}{3} = \frac{y-1}{2} = z-8$$

Solution:

The required equation of the plane through A (-1, 2, 3) and parallel to

$$\vec{u} = 2\vec{i} - 3\vec{j} + 4\vec{k} \quad \text{and} \quad \vec{v} = 3\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 1\vec{k}$$

The required equation is  $\vec{r} = \vec{a} + s\vec{u} + t\vec{v}$

$$\vec{r} = (-\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}) + s(2\vec{i} - 3\vec{j} + 4\vec{k}) + t(3\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + \vec{k})$$

Cartesian form:

$$(x_1, y_1, z_1) \text{ is } (-1, 2, 3); (l_1, m_1, n_1) \text{ is } (2, -3, 4) (l_2, m_2, n_2) \text{ is } (3, 2, 1)$$

$$\text{The equation of the plane is } \begin{vmatrix} x - x_1 & y - y_1 & z - z_1 \\ l_1 & m_1 & n_1 \\ l_2 & m_2 & n_2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$



$$\text{i.e., } \begin{vmatrix} x+1 & y-2 & z-3 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 11x - 10y - 13z + 70 = 0$$

This is the required equation in Cartesian form.

Note: The above plane can be determined by passing through

$$(-1, 2, 3), (4, 1, 8) \text{ and parallel to } 2\vec{i} - 3\vec{j} + 4\vec{k} \text{ or } 3\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$$

2. Can you draw a plane through the given two lines? Justify your answer.

$$\vec{r} = (\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 4\vec{k}) + t(2\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + 6\vec{k}) \text{ and}$$

$$\vec{r} = (3\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + 5\vec{k}) + s(2\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + 8\vec{k})$$

Solution:

Comparing with  $\vec{r} = \vec{a}_1 + t\vec{u}$ ;  $\vec{r} = \vec{a}_2 + s\vec{v}$  we get

$$\vec{a}_1 = \vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 4\vec{k}$$

$$\text{and } \vec{a}_2 = 3\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} - 5\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{u} = 2\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + 6\vec{k}$$

$$\text{and } \vec{v} = -2\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + 8\vec{k}$$

$$[(\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1) \cdot \vec{u} \times \vec{v}] = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 3 & 6 \\ -2 & 3 & 8 \end{vmatrix} = -28 \neq 0$$

These lines are not intersecting and  $u$ ,  $v$  are not parallel.

$\therefore$  they are skew lines. We can't draw a plane through the given two lines.

3. Find the point of intersection of the line

$$\vec{r} = (\vec{j} - \vec{k}) + s(2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + \vec{k}) \text{ and } xz \text{ - plane}$$

Solution:

$$\text{Cartesian equation of the given line is } \frac{X-0}{2} = \frac{Y-1}{-1} = \frac{Z+1}{1}$$

$$\text{Equation of } xz \text{ plane is } y = 0$$

$$\therefore \frac{x}{2} = \frac{-1}{-1} = \frac{z+1}{1} \Rightarrow x = 2, z = 0$$

$\therefore$  The required point is  $(2, 0, 0)$

4. Find the meeting point of the line

$$\vec{r} = (2\vec{i} + \vec{j} - 3\vec{k}) + t(2\vec{i} - \vec{j} - \vec{k}) \text{ and the plane}$$

$$x - 2y + 3z + 7 = 0$$

Solution:

$$\text{Cartesian form of the line is } \frac{x-2}{2} = \frac{y-2}{-1} = \frac{z+3}{-1} = m \text{ (say)}$$

Any point on this line is of the form  $(2m + 2, -m, -m - 3)$

This point lie on the plane  $x - 2y + 3z + 7 = 0$

$$(2m + 2) - 2(-m + 1) + 3(-m - 3) + 7 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 2$$

$\therefore$  The point is  $(6, -4, -5)$

5. Find the distance from the origin to the plane

$$\vec{r} \cdot (2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 5\vec{k}) = 7$$

Solution:

$$\text{Cartesian form of the plane is } 2x - y + 5z - 7 = 0$$

Distance from the origin to the plane  $ax + by + cz + d = 0$  is

$$\left| \frac{d}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}} \right|$$

$$= \frac{-7}{\sqrt{30}} = \frac{7}{\sqrt{30}}$$

6. Find the distance between the parallel planes

Solution:

Distance between two parallel planes

$$ax + by + cz + d_1 = 0$$

$$ax + by + cz + d_2 = 0$$

$$d = \frac{|\vec{d}_1 - \vec{d}_2|}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}}$$

The given planes are  $x - y + 3z + 5 = 0$  and  $x - y + 3z + \frac{7}{2} = 0$

$$\vec{d} = \frac{|5 - \frac{7}{2}|}{\sqrt{(1)^2 + (-1)^2 + (3)^2}} = \frac{\frac{3}{2}}{\sqrt{11}} = \frac{3}{2\sqrt{11}}$$

### EXERCISE – 2.10

1. Find the angle between the following planes:

(i)  $2x + y - z = 9$  and  $x + 2y + z = 7$

(ii)  $2x - 3y + 4z = 1$  and  $-x + y = 4$

(iii)  $\vec{r} \cdot (3\vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k}) = 7$  and  $\vec{r} \cdot (\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} - 2\vec{k}) = 10$

Solution:

(i) The normals to the given planes are  $n_1 = 2\vec{i} + \vec{j} - \vec{k}$

and  $n_2 = \vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between the planes then

$$\begin{aligned} \cos \theta &= \frac{\vec{n}_1 \cdot \vec{n}_2}{|\vec{n}_1| |\vec{n}_2|} = \frac{(2\vec{i} + \vec{j} - \vec{k}) \cdot (\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + \vec{k})}{\sqrt{6} \sqrt{6}} \\ &= \frac{6}{\sqrt{6}\sqrt{6}} = \frac{1}{2} \\ &\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{3} \end{aligned}$$

(ii) The normals to the given planes are  $n_1 = 2\vec{i} - 3\vec{j} + \vec{k}$

and  $n_2 = \vec{i} + \vec{j}$

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between the planes, then

$$\begin{aligned}\cos \theta &= \frac{\vec{n}_1 \cdot \vec{n}_2}{|\vec{n}_1| |\vec{n}_2|} = \frac{(2\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + \vec{k}) \cdot (-\vec{i} + \vec{j})}{\sqrt{29} \sqrt{2}} \\ &= \frac{-5}{\sqrt{58}} \Rightarrow \theta = \cos^{-1} \frac{-5}{\sqrt{58}}\end{aligned}$$

(iii) The normals to the given planes are  $\vec{n}_1 = 3\vec{i} + \vec{j} - \vec{k}$  and  $\vec{n}_2 = \vec{i} + 4\vec{j} - 2\vec{k}$

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between the planes then

$$\begin{aligned}\cos \theta &= \frac{\vec{n}_1 \cdot \vec{n}_2}{|\vec{n}_1| |\vec{n}_2|} = \frac{9}{\sqrt{11} \sqrt{21}} = \frac{9}{\sqrt{231}} \\ \Rightarrow \theta &= \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{9}{\sqrt{231}} \right)\end{aligned}$$

2. Show that the following planes are at right angles.

$$\vec{r} \cdot (2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + \vec{k}) = 15 \text{ and } \vec{r} \cdot (\vec{i} - \vec{j} - 3\vec{k}) = 3.$$

Solution:

The normals to the given plane are

$$\vec{n}_1 = 2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + \vec{k} \text{ and } \vec{n}_2 = \vec{i} - \vec{j} - 3\vec{k}$$

$\Rightarrow$  The normals are perpendicular.

$\Rightarrow$  The planes are at right angles.

3. The planes  $\vec{r} \cdot (2\vec{i} + \mu\vec{j} - 3\vec{k}) = 10$  and  $\vec{r} \cdot (\mu\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + \vec{k}) = 5$  are perpendicular. Find  $\mu$ .

Solution:

The normals to the given planes are

$$\vec{n}_1 = 2\vec{i} + \mu\vec{j} - 3\vec{k} \text{ and } \vec{n}_2 = \mu\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + \vec{k}$$

Since the planes are perpendicular  $\vec{n}_1 \cdot \vec{n}_2 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{n}_1 \cdot \vec{n}_2 = 2\mu + 3\mu - 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 5\mu = 9 \Rightarrow \mu = \frac{3}{5}$$

4. Find the angle between the line  $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y+1}{-1} = \frac{z-3}{-2}$  and the plane

$$3x + 4y + z + 5 = 0$$

Solution:

The normal to the given plane is  $\vec{n} = 3\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} + \vec{k}$

The parallel vector to the line  $\vec{b} = 3\vec{i} - \vec{j} - 2\vec{k}$

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between the line and plane. Then

$$\sin \theta = \frac{\vec{b} \cdot \vec{n}}{|\vec{b}| |\vec{n}|}$$

$$\vec{b} \cdot \vec{n} = (3)(3) + (-1)(4) + (-2)(1)$$

$$|\vec{b}| = 2 \quad |\vec{n}| = \sqrt{91}$$

$$\sin \theta = \frac{3}{2\sqrt{91}} \Rightarrow \theta = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{2\sqrt{91}}\right)$$

5. Find the angle between the line  $\vec{r} = \vec{i} + \vec{j} + 3\vec{k} + \mu (2\vec{i} + \vec{j} - \vec{k})$  and the plane  $\vec{r} \cdot (\vec{i} + \vec{j}) = 0$ .

Solution:

The normal to the given plane is  $\vec{n} = \vec{i} + \vec{j}$  and the parallel vector to the line is  $\vec{b} = 2\vec{i} + \vec{j} - \vec{k}$ .

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between the line and the plane

$$\sin \theta = \frac{\vec{b} \cdot \vec{n}}{|\vec{b}| |\vec{n}|}$$

$$\vec{b} \cdot \vec{n} = 3, \quad |\vec{b}| = \sqrt{6}, \quad |\vec{n}| = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\sin \theta = \frac{3}{\sqrt{6}\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

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

### EXERCISE – 2.11

1. Find the vector equation of a sphere with centre having position vector

$2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$  and radius 4 units. Also find the equation in Cartesian form.

Solution:

Vector equation of a sphere  $|\vec{r} - \vec{c}| = a$

Here  $\vec{c} = 2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$  and  $a = 4$

$\therefore$  Vector equation is  $|\vec{r} - (2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 3\vec{k})| = 4$

Cartesian form:

$$\text{Let } \vec{r} = x \vec{i} + y \vec{j} + z \vec{k}$$

$$\vec{r} - \vec{c} = (x - 2) \vec{i} + (y + 1) \vec{j} + (z - 3) \vec{k}$$

$$|\vec{r} - \vec{c}|^2 = 4^2 \Rightarrow (x - 2)^2 + (y + 1)^2 + (z - 3)^2 = 16$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 4x + 2y - 6z - 2 = 0$$

2. Find the vector and Cartesian equation of the sphere on the join of the points A and B having position vectors  $2\vec{i} + 6\vec{j} - 7\vec{k}$  and  $-2\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} - 3\vec{k}$  respectively as a diameter. Find also the centre and radius of the sphere.

Solution:

Vector equation of a sphere joining the points A and B whose p.v.s. are  $\vec{a}$  and  $\vec{b}$  is  $(\vec{r} - \vec{a}) \cdot (\vec{r} - \vec{b}) = 0$

$$\text{Here } \vec{a} = 2\vec{i} + 6\vec{j} - 7\vec{k} \text{ and } \vec{b} = -2\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} - 3\vec{k}$$

$$[\vec{r} - (2\vec{i} + 6\vec{j} - 7\vec{k})] \cdot [\vec{r} - (-2\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} - 3\vec{k})] = 0$$

Cartesian form:

$$\text{Let } \vec{r} = x \vec{i} + y \vec{j} + z \vec{k}$$

$$\vec{r} - \vec{a} = (x - 2) \vec{i} + (y - 6) \vec{j} + (z + 7) \vec{k}$$

$$\vec{r} - \vec{b} = (x + 2) \vec{i} + (y - 4) \vec{j} + (z + 3) \vec{k}$$

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



$$\Rightarrow (x - 2)(x + 2) + (y - 6)(y - 4) + (z + 7)(z + 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 10y + 10z + 41 = 0$$

Compare with  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 2ux + 2vy + 2wz + d = 0$

$$u = 0, v = -5, w = 5, d = 41$$

$$\text{Centre is } (-u, -v, -w) = (0, 5, -5)$$

$$\text{radius is } = \sqrt{u^2 + v^2 + w^2 - d} = \sqrt{25 + 25 - 41} = 3$$

3. Obtain the vector and Cartesian equation of the sphere whose centre is  $(1, -1, 1)$  and radius is the same as that of the sphere

$$|\vec{r} - (\vec{i} + \vec{j} + 2\vec{k})| = 5.$$

Solution:

$$\text{Vector equation of sphere } |\vec{r} - \vec{c}| = a$$

$$\text{Here } \vec{c} = \vec{i} - \vec{j} + \vec{k}, a = 5$$

$$\therefore \text{Vector equation is } |\vec{r} - (\vec{i} - \vec{j} + \vec{k})| = 5$$

Cartesian form:

$$\vec{r} = x\vec{i} + y\vec{j} + z\vec{k} \text{ and centre } (1, -1, 1), a = 5$$

$$(x - 1)^2 + (y + 1)^2 + (z - 1)^2 = 5^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 2x + 2y - 2z - 22 = 0$$

4. If  $A(-1, 4, -3)$  is one end of a diameter  $AB$  of the sphere

$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 3x - 2y + 2z - 15 = 0, \text{ find the coordinates of } B.$$

Solution:

Comparing with  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 2ux + 2vy + 2wz + d = 0$

$$u = -\frac{3}{2}, \quad v = -1, \quad w = 1$$

Centre of the sphere is  $\left(\frac{-3}{2}, 1, -1\right)$

One end of the diameter is  $(-1, 4, -3)$

Let  $B(x_2, y_2, z_2)$  be the other end of the diameter.

The mid point of AB is the centre  $\left(\frac{-3}{2}, 1, -1\right)$

$$\text{i.e., } \left(\frac{-1+x_2}{2}, \frac{4+y_2}{2}, \frac{-3+z_2}{2}\right) = \left(\frac{-3}{2}, 1, -1\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow x_2 = 4, y_2 = -2, z_2 = 1$$

$\therefore$  The co-ordinates of B are  $(4, -2, 1)$

5. Find the centre and radius of each of the following spheres.

(i)  $|\vec{r} - (2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 4\vec{k})| = 5$

(ii)  $|2\vec{r} + (3\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 4\vec{k})| = 4$

(iii)  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 4x - 8y + 2z = 5$

(iv)  $r^2 - \vec{r} \cdot (4\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 6\vec{k}) - 11 = 0$

Solution:

(i) Vector equation of sphere is  $|\vec{r} - (2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 4\vec{k})| = 5$

$\therefore$  Centre is  $(2, -1, 4)$  and radius is 5.

(ii) Vector equation of sphere  $|2\vec{r} + (3\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 4\vec{k})| = 4$

$$\Rightarrow |2\vec{r} - (3\vec{i} + \vec{j} - 4\vec{k})| = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow |\vec{r} - \frac{1}{2}(-3\vec{i} + \vec{j} - 4\vec{k})| = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Centre is } \left(\frac{-3}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, -2\right) \text{ and radius is } 2$$

(iii) Cartesian equation of sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 4x - 8y + 2z = 5$

$$u = 2, v = -4, w = 1, d = -5$$

$$\text{centre } (-u, -v, -w) = (-2, 4, -1)$$

$$\text{radius} = \sqrt{u^2 + v^2 + w^2} - d = \sqrt{4 + 16 + 1 + 5} = \sqrt{26}$$

(iv) Equation of sphere  $r^2 - \vec{r} \cdot (4\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 6\vec{k}) - 11 = 0$

$$\text{Let } \vec{r} = x\vec{i} + y\vec{j} + z\vec{k}$$

$$(x\vec{i} + y\vec{j} + z\vec{k})^2 - (x\vec{i} + y\vec{j} + z\vec{k}) \cdot (4\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 6\vec{k}) - 11 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - (4x + 2y - 6z) - 11 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 4x - 2y + 6z + 11 = 0$$

$$\text{Here } u = -2, v = -1, w = 3, d = -11$$

$$\text{Centre is } (-u, -v, -w) = (2, 1, -3)$$

$$\text{Radius} = \sqrt{u^2 + v^2 + w^2} - d = 5$$

6. Show that diameter of a sphere subtends a right angle at a point on the surface.

Solution:

Let  $P$  be a point on the surface of the sphere and  $AB$  be a diameter. Consider the great circle on the sphere passing through the points  $P, A$  and  $B$ . Take the centre  $O$  as the point of reference.

$$\vec{PB} = \vec{OB} - \vec{OP}$$

$$\vec{AP} = \vec{OP} - \vec{OA} = \vec{OP} + \vec{OB}$$

$$\vec{AP} \cdot \vec{PB} = (\vec{OP} + \vec{OB}) \cdot (\vec{OB} - \vec{OP}) = |\vec{OP}|^2 - |\vec{OB}|^2$$

$$= 0 \text{ SINCE } |\vec{OP}| = |\vec{OB}|$$

$\therefore$   $AB$  subtends a right angle at  $P$  on the surface.

Hence the result.