
Exercise 10.1

I. Very Short Answer Type Questions

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1. If $\vec{a} = 2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - 4\hat{k}$, $\vec{b} = \hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}$ and $\vec{c} = 3\hat{i} - 5\hat{j} + \hat{k}$. Find a vector \vec{r} if $\vec{r} = 2\vec{a} + \vec{b} + 3\vec{c}$.
[Delhi 2012]
2. If $\vec{a} = 3\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 4\hat{k}$, $\vec{b} = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - \hat{k}$ and $\vec{c} = 2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + \hat{k}$. Find the magnitude of a vector $\vec{r} = 2\vec{a} + 3\vec{b} + \vec{c}$.
3. Using the vector method find the length of AB if the coordinates of points A and B are (1, 2, 1) and (3, -1, 4) respectively.
4. Write the position vector of the point A (2, 1, -3). Also write its magnitude.
5. If the two vectors $\vec{a} = 3\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$ and $\vec{b} = 5x\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + (2z - 4)\hat{k}$ are equal, find the values of x, y and z.
6. Write the scalar and vector components of the vector $\vec{r} = 2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - 7\hat{k}$.
7. There are two points in space A (1, -1, 1) and B (3, 4, 6). Find the vector $\vec{r} = \overrightarrow{AB}$ and find scalar and vector components of the vector \vec{r} .
8. Write a vector which is equal in magnitude of vector $\vec{r} = 3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 5\hat{k}$ but different in direction.
9. Show that the vectors: $\vec{a} = 2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}$ and $\vec{b} = -4\hat{i} + 6\hat{j} - 8\hat{k}$ are collinear.
10. Write two different vectors having same magnitude.
11. Write two different vectors having same direction.
12. If $\overrightarrow{AB} = 3\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$ and coordinates of point A are (0, -2, -1), find the coordinates of the point B.
[Delhi 2005]
13. Write all unit vectors in the xy-plane.
14. Write a unit vector in xy-plane making an angle of 30° with the positive direction of the x-axis.
15. Find the angles that the vector $\vec{r} = 2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 6\hat{k}$ makes with positive direction of x, y and z-axis.
16. Write the value of p for which $\vec{a} = 3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 9\hat{k}$ and $\vec{b} = \hat{i} + p\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$ are parallel vectors.
[Delhi 2009, AI 2014]
17. If coordinates of two points are P(1, 5, 4) and Q(4, -1, -2), find direction ratios of the vector \overrightarrow{PQ} .
[A.I. 2008]
18. Write direction cosines of a line equally inclined to the positive direction of three coordinates axes.
vector \overrightarrow{PQ} .
[A.I. 2008]