

Subject – Math (Standard Level)
 Topic - Vector
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 Paper- 1

Question 2

- (a) (i) evidence of approach (M1)
 e.g. $\vec{PO} + \vec{OQ}$, $P - Q$

$$\vec{PQ} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{AI} \quad \text{N2}$$

- (ii) any correct equation in the form $r = a + sb$ (accept any parameter for s)

where a is $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$ or $\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$, and b is a scalar multiple of $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$ A2 N2

e.g. $r = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix} + s \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$, $r = \begin{pmatrix} 4+2s \\ 5+1s \\ 4-4s \end{pmatrix}$, $r = 2i + 4j + 8k + s(2i + 1j - 4k)$

Note: Award AI for the form $a + sb$, AI for $L = a + sb$, A0 for $r = b + sa$.

[4 marks]

- (b) (i) choosing correct direction vectors for L_1 and L_2 (A1)(A1)

e.g. $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$, $\begin{pmatrix} 3p \\ 2p \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$

evidence of equating scalar product to 0 (M1)

correct calculation of scalar product AI

e.g. $2 \times 3p + 1 \times 2p + (-4) \times 4$, $8p - 16 = 0$

$p = 2$ AI N3

- (ii) any correct expression in the form $r = a + tb$ (accept any parameter for t)

where a is $\begin{pmatrix} 10 \\ 6 \\ -40 \end{pmatrix}$, and b is a scalar multiple of $\begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 4 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$ A2 N2

e.g. $r = \begin{pmatrix} 10 \\ 6 \\ -40 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 4 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$, $r = \begin{pmatrix} 10+6s \\ 6+4s \\ -40+4s \end{pmatrix}$, $r = 10i + 6j - 40k + s(6i + 4j + 4k)$

Note: Award AI for the form $a + tb$, AI for $L = a + tb$ (unless they have been penalised for $L = a + sb$ in part (a)), A0 for $r = b + ta$.

[7 marks]

(c) appropriate approach

(M1)

$$e.g. \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix} + s \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 10 \\ 6 \\ -40 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 4 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

any two correct equations with **different** parameters

A1A1

$$e.g. 2 + 2s = 10 + 6t, 4 + s = 6 + 4t, 8 - 4s = -40 + 4t$$

attempt to solve simultaneous equations

(M1)

correct working

(A1)

$$e.g. -6 = -2 - 2t, 4 = 2t, -4 + 5s = 46, 5s = 50$$

one correct parameter $s = 10, t = 2$

A1

$$x = 22 \text{ (accept } (22, 14, -32))$$

A1

N4

[7 marks]

Total [18 marks]



Question 2

- (a) (i) evidence of correct approach A1

e.g. $\vec{PQ} = \vec{OQ} - \vec{OP}, Q - P$

$$\vec{PQ} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

AG N0

- (ii) any correct equation in the form $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{a} + t\mathbf{b}$ A2 N2

where \mathbf{a} is either \vec{OP} or \vec{OQ} and \mathbf{b} is a scalar multiple of \vec{PQ}

e.g. $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 6 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} t \\ 4-2t \\ 1+2t \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{r} = 4\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k} + t(\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k})$

[3 marks]

- (b) choosing a correct direction vector for L_2 (A1)

e.g. $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$

finding scalar products and magnitudes (A1)(A1)(A1)

scalar product = $1(3) - 2(0) + 2(-4) (= -5)$

magnitudes = $\sqrt{1^2 + (-2)^2 + 2^2} (= 3), \sqrt{3^2 + 0^2 + (-4)^2} (= 5)$

substitution into formula M1

e.g. $\cos \theta = \frac{-5}{\sqrt{9} \times \sqrt{25}}$

$\cos \theta = -\frac{1}{3}$ A2 N5

[7 marks]

QQ

- (c) evidence of valid approach (M1)
e.g. equating lines, $L_1 = L_2$

EITHER

one correct equation in one variable

A2

e.g. $6 - 2t = 2$

OR

two correct equations in two variables

A1A1

e.g. $2t + 4s = 0, t - 3s = 5$

THEN

attempt to solve

(M1)

one correct parameter

A1

e.g. $t = 2, s = -1$

correct substitution of either parameter

(A1)

e.g. $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + (-1) \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 6 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + (2) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

coordinates R(1, 2, 3)

A1

N3

[7 marks]

Total [17 marks]

Question 3

- (a) **any** correct equation in the form $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{a} + t\mathbf{b}$ (accept any parameter for t)

where \mathbf{a} is $\begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -4 \\ 10 \end{pmatrix}$, and \mathbf{b} is a scalar multiple of $\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$

A2

N2

e.g. $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -4 \\ 10 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$, $\mathbf{r} = 5\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j} + 10\mathbf{k} + t(-8\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - 10\mathbf{k})$

Note: Award *A1* for the form $\mathbf{a} + t\mathbf{b}$, *A1* for $L = \mathbf{a} + t\mathbf{b}$, *A0* for $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{b} + t\mathbf{a}$.

[2 marks]

- (b) recognizing that $y = 0$ or $z = 0$ at x -intercept (seen anywhere)

(R1)

attempt to set up equation for x -intercept (must suggest $x \neq 0$)

(M1)

e.g. $L = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$, $5 + 4t = x$, $r = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

one correct equation in one variable

(A1)

e.g. $-4 - 2t = 0$, $10 + 5t = 0$

finding $t = -2$

A1

correct working

(A1)

e.g. $x = 5 + (-2)(4)$

$x = -3$ (accept $(-3, 0, 0)$)

A1

N3

[6 marks]

Total [8 marks]

Question 4

(a) correct approach

A1

e.g. $\vec{AO} + \vec{OB}, \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\vec{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

AG N0

[1 mark]

(b) recognizing \vec{AD} is perpendicular to \vec{AB} (may be seen in sketch)
e.g. adjacent sides of rectangle are perpendicular

(R1)

recognizing dot product must be zero

(R1)

e.g. $\vec{AD} \cdot \vec{AB} = 0$

correct substitution

(A1)

e.g. $(1 \times 4) + (-2 \times p) + (2 \times 1), 4 - 2p + 2 = 0$

equation which clearly leads to $p = 3$

A1

e.g. $6 - 2p = 0, 2p = 6$

$p = 3$

AG N0

[4 marks]

(c) correct approach (seen anywhere including sketch)

(A1)

e.g. $\vec{OC} = \vec{OB} + \vec{BC}, \vec{OD} + \vec{DC}$

recognizing opposite sides are equal vectors (may be seen in sketch)

(R1)

e.g. $\vec{BC} = \vec{AD}, \vec{DC} = \vec{AB}, \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ 5 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

coordinates of point C are (10, 3, 4) $\left(\text{accept} \begin{pmatrix} 10 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \right)$

A2 N4

Note: Award *A1* for two correct values.

[4 marks]

- (d) attempt to find one side of the rectangle (M1)
 e.g. substituting into magnitude formula
- two correct magnitudes A1A1
 e.g. $\sqrt{(1)^2 + (-2)^2 + 2^2}$, 3; $\sqrt{16+9+1}$, $\sqrt{26}$
- multiplying magnitudes (M1)
 e.g. $\sqrt{26} \times \sqrt{9}$
- area = $\sqrt{234} (= 3\sqrt{26})$ (accept $3 \times \sqrt{26}$) A1 N3

[5 marks]

Total [14 marks]

Question 5

- (a) (i) $2a = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix}$ (A1)
 correct expression for $2a + b$ A1 N2
 eg $\begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$, $(5, -2)$, $5i - 2j$
- (ii) correct substitution into length formula (A1)
 eg $\sqrt{5^2 + 2^2}$, $\sqrt{5^2 + (-2)^2}$
 $|2a + b| = \sqrt{29}$ A1 N2
[4 marks]
- (b) valid approach (M1)
 eg $c = -(2a + b)$, $5 + x = 0$, $-2 + y = 0$
 $c = \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ A1 N2
[2 marks]

Total [6 marks]

Question 6

(a) (i) valid approach (M1)

eg $\begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ -4 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, A - B, \vec{AB} = \vec{AO} + \vec{OB}$

$$\vec{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ -2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

A1 N2

(ii) any correct equation in the form $r = a + tb$ (accept any parameter for t)

where $a = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$ and b is a scalar multiple of \vec{AB}

A2 N2

eg $r = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ -2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}, (x, y, z) = (1, -2, 3) + t(3, -1, 2), r = \begin{pmatrix} 1+6t \\ -2-2t \\ 3+4t \end{pmatrix}$

Note: Award A1 for $a + tb$, A1 for $L_1 = a + tb$, A0 for $r = b + ta$.

[4 marks]

(b) recognizing that scalar product = 0 (seen anywhere) R1

correct calculation of scalar product (A1)

eg $6(3) - 2(-3) + 4p, 18 + 6 + 4p$

correct working A1

eg $24 + 4p = 0, 4p = -24$

$p = -6$

AG N0

[3 marks]

(c) setting lines equal (M1)

$$\text{eg } L_1 = L_2, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ -2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 15 \end{pmatrix} + s \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -3 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix}$$

any two correct equations with **different** parameters (A1A1)

$$\text{eg } 1 + 6t = -1 + 3s, -2 - 2t = 2 - 3s, 3 + 4t = 15 - 6s$$

attempt to solve **their** simultaneous equations (M1)

one correct parameter (A1)

$$\text{eg } t = \frac{1}{2}, s = \frac{5}{3}$$

attempt to substitute parameter into vector equation (M1)

$$\text{eg } \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ -2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}, 1 + \frac{1}{2} \times 6$$

$x = 4$ (accept $(4, -3, 5)$, ignore incorrect values for y and z) (A1 N3)

[7 marks]

Total [14 marks]

Question 7

(a) appropriate approach (M1)

$$\text{eg } \vec{QP} = \vec{QO} + \vec{OP}, P - Q$$

$$\vec{QP} = p - q$$

(A1 N2)
[2 marks]

(b) recognizing correct vector for \vec{QT} or \vec{PT} (A1)

$$\text{eg } \vec{QT} = \frac{1}{2}(p - q), \vec{PT} = \frac{1}{2}(q - p)$$

appropriate approach (M1)

$$\text{eg } \vec{OT} = \vec{OP} + \vec{PT}, \vec{OQ} + \vec{QT}, \vec{OP} + \frac{1}{2}\vec{PQ}$$

$$\vec{OT} = \frac{1}{2}(p + q) \left(\text{accept } \frac{p + q}{2} \right) \quad (A1 \quad N2)$$

[3 marks]

[Total 5 marks]

Question 8

(a) correct approach

A1

eg $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$, $AO+OB$, $\mathbf{b}-\mathbf{a}$

$$\vec{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

AG N0

[1 mark]

(b) (i) correct vector (or any multiple)

A1 N1

eg $\mathbf{d} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

(ii) **any** correct equation in the form $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{a} + t\mathbf{b}$ (accept any parameter for t)

where \mathbf{a} is $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$ or $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$, and \mathbf{b} is a scalar multiple of $\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

A2 N2

eg $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$, $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2-s \\ 1 \\ 4+s \end{pmatrix}$

Note: Award *A1* for $\mathbf{a} + t\mathbf{b}$, *A1* for $L_1 = \mathbf{a} + t\mathbf{b}$, *A0* for $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{b} + t\mathbf{a}$.

[3 marks]

(c) valid approach (M1)

$$\text{eg } r_1 = r_2, \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 7 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} + s \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

one correct equation in one parameter A1

$$\text{eg } 2 - t = 4, 1 = 7 - s, 1 - t = 4$$

attempt to solve

$$\text{eg } 2 - 4 = t, s = 7 - 1, t = 1 - 4$$

(M1)

one correct parameter

A1

$$\text{eg } t = -2, s = 6, t = -3,$$

attempt to substitute **their** parameter into vector equation

(M1)

$$\text{eg } \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 7 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} + 6 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

P(4, 1, 2) (accept position vector)

A1

N2

[6 marks]

(d) (i) correct direction vector for L_2

A1

N1

$$\text{eg } \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

(ii) correct scalar product and magnitudes for **their** direction vectors

(A1)(A1)(A1)

$$\text{scalar product} = 0 \times -1 + -1 \times 0 + 1 \times 1 (= 1)$$

$$\text{magnitudes} = \sqrt{0^2 + (-1)^2 + 1^2}, \sqrt{-1^2 + 0^2 + 1^2} (\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2})$$

attempt to substitute **their** values into formula

M1

$$\text{eg } \frac{0 + 0 + 1}{\left(\sqrt{0^2 + (-1)^2 + 1^2}\right) \times \left(\sqrt{-1^2 + 0^2 + 1^2}\right)}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2} \times \sqrt{2}}$$

correct value for cosine, $\frac{1}{2}$

A1

angle is $\frac{\pi}{3}$ ($= 60^\circ$)

A1

N1

[7 marks]

Total [17 marks]

Question 9

- (a) attempt to find gradient

(M1)

eg reference to change in x is 3 and/or y is 2, $\frac{3}{2}$

$$\text{gradient} = \frac{2}{3}$$

A1 N2

[2 marks]

- (b) attempt to substitute coordinates and/or gradient into Cartesian equation for a line

(M1)

eg $y - 4 = m(x - 9)$, $y = \frac{2}{3}x + b$, $9 = a(4) + c$

correct substitution

(A1)

eg $4 = \frac{2}{3}(9) + c$, $y - 4 = \frac{2}{3}(x - 9)$

$$y = \frac{2}{3}x - 2 \left(\text{accept } a = \frac{2}{3}, b = -2 \right)$$

A1 N2

[3 marks]

- (c) **any** correct equation in the form $r = a + tb$ (any parameter for t), where a indicates position eg $\begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$ or $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$, and b is a scalar multiple of

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

eg $r = \begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$, $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3t + 9 \\ 2t + 4 \end{pmatrix}$, $r = 0i - 2j + s(3i + 2j)$

A2 N2

Note: Award A1 for $a + tb$, A1 for $L = a + tb$, A0 for $r = b + ta$.

[2 marks]

Total [7 marks]

Question 10

- (a) valid approach **(M1)**
eg magnitude of direction vector
 correct working **(A1)**
eg $\sqrt{(-4)^2 + 2^2 + 4^2}$, $\sqrt{-4^2 + 2^2 + 4^2}$
 6 (ms^{-1}) **A1** **N2**
[3 marks]
- (b) substituting 2 for t **(A1)**
eg $0 + 2(4)$, $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + 2 \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$, $\begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 10 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$, $y = 10$
 8 (metres) **A1** **N2**
[2 marks]
- (c) **METHOD 1**
- choosing correct direction vectors $\begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -6 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}$ **(A1)(A1)**
- evidence of scalar product **M1**
eg $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}$
- correct substitution into scalar product **(A1)**
eg $(-4 \times 4) + (2 \times -6) + (4 \times 7)$
- evidence of correct calculation of the scalar product as 0 **A1**
eg $-16 - 12 + 28 = 0$
- directions are perpendicular **AG** **N0**

METHOD 2

choosing correct direction vectors $\begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -6 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}$ (A1)(A1)

attempt to find angle between vectors MI

correct substitution into numerator AI

eg $\cos\theta = \frac{-16-12+28}{|a||b|}$, $\cos\theta = 0$

$\theta = 90^\circ$ AI

directions are perpendicular AG N0
[5 marks]

(d) **METHOD 1**

one correct equation for Ryan's airplane (A1)

eg $5 - 4t = -23, 6 + 2t = 20, 0 + 4t = 28$

$t = 7$ AI

one correct equation for Jack's airplane (A1)

eg $-39 + 4s = -23, 44 - 6s = 20, 0 + 7s = 28$

$s = 4$ AI

3 (seconds later) AI N2

METHOD 2

valid approach (M1)

eg $\begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -39 \\ 44 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + s \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -6 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}$, one correct equation

two correct equations (A1)

eg $5 - 4t = -39 + 4s, 6 + 2t = 44 - 6s, 4t = 7s$

$t = 7$ AI

$s = 4$ AI

3 (seconds later) AI N2
[5 marks]

Total [15 marks]

Question 11

attempt to find $\cos \hat{CAB}$ (seen anywhere)

(M1)

$$\text{eg } \cos \theta = \frac{\vec{AB} \cdot \vec{AC}}{|\vec{AB}| |\vec{AC}|}$$

$$\cos \hat{CAB} = \frac{-5\sqrt{3}}{10} \left(= -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)$$

A1

valid attempt to find $\sin \hat{CAB}$

(M1)

eg triangle, Pythagorean identity, $\hat{CAB} = \frac{5\pi}{6}, 150^\circ$

$$\sin \hat{CAB} = \frac{1}{2}$$

(A1)

correct substitution into formula for area

(A1)

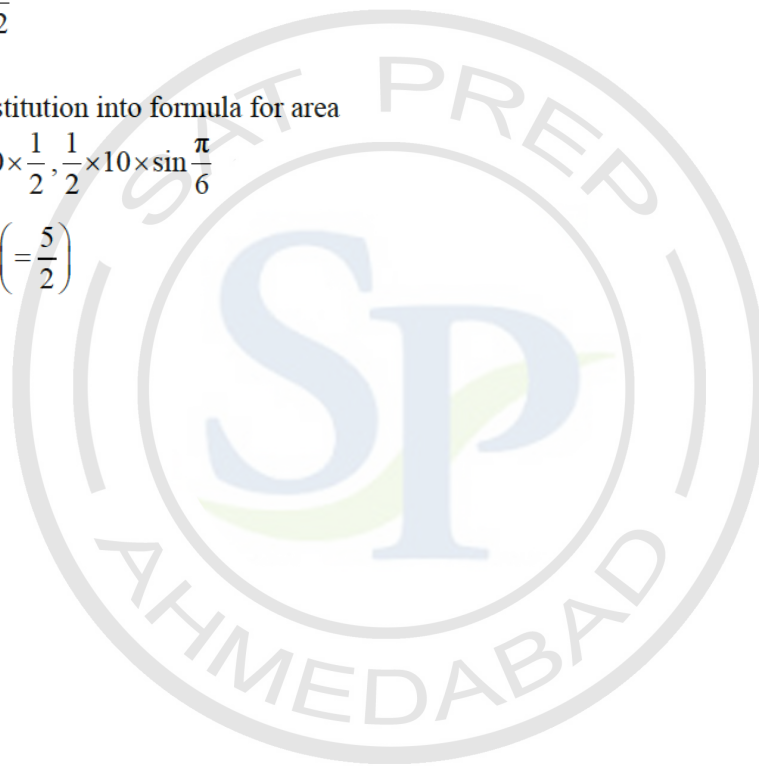
$$\text{eg } \frac{1}{2} \times 10 \times \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \times 10 \times \sin \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\text{area} = \frac{10}{4} \left(= \frac{5}{2} \right)$$

A1

N3

[6 marks]



Question 12

(a) attempt to substitute $x=1$

(M1)

$$\text{eg } \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ \frac{1}{1} \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 1^2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}, L_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

correct equation (vector or Cartesian, but do not accept “ $L_1 =$ ”)

$$\text{eg } \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}, y = -2x + 4 \text{ (must be an equation)}$$

A1 N2

[2 marks]

(b) appropriate approach

(M1)

$$\text{eg } \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ \frac{2}{a} \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} a^2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

correct equation for x -coordinate

A1

$$\text{eg } 0 = a + ta^2$$

$$t = \frac{-1}{a}$$

A1

substituting **their** parameter to find y

(M1)

$$\text{eg } y = \frac{2}{a} - 2 \left(\frac{-1}{a} \right), \left(\frac{a}{2} \right) - \frac{1}{a} (a^2)$$

correct working

A1

$$\text{eg } y = \frac{2}{a} + \frac{2}{a}, \left(\frac{a}{2} \right) - \left(\frac{a}{2} \right)$$

finding correct expression for y

A1

$$\text{eg } y = \frac{4}{a}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{4}{a} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$P \left(0, \frac{4}{a} \right)$$

AG N0

[6 marks]

- (c) valid approach *M1*
- eg distance formula, Pythagorean Theorem, $\vec{PQ} = \begin{pmatrix} 2a \\ -\frac{4}{a} \end{pmatrix}$
- correct simplification *A1*
- eg $(2a)^2 + \left(\frac{4}{a}\right)^2$
- $d = 4a^2 + \frac{16}{a^2}$ *AG N0*
- [2 marks]*
- (d) recognizing need to find derivative *(M1)*
- eg d' , $d'(a)$
- correct derivative *A2*
- eg $8a - \frac{32}{a^3}$, $8x - \frac{32}{x^3}$
- setting **their** derivative equal to 0 *(M1)*
- eg $8a - \frac{32}{a^3} = 0$
- correct working *(A1)*
- eg $8a = \frac{32}{a^3}$, $8a^4 - 32 = 0$
- working towards solution *(A1)*
- eg $a^4 = 4$, $a^2 = 2$, $a = \pm\sqrt{2}$
- $a = \sqrt[4]{4}$ ($a = \sqrt{2}$) (do not accept $\pm\sqrt{2}$) *A1 N3*
- [7 marks]*
- Total [17 marks]**

Question 13

(e) **METHOD 1** (area = 0.5 × height × base)

$$|\vec{OC}| = \sqrt{0+2^2+(-1)^2} (= \sqrt{5}) \text{ (seen anywhere)} \quad \text{A1}$$

valid approach (M1)

eg $\frac{1}{2} \times |\vec{AB}| \times |\vec{OC}|$, $|\vec{OC}|$ is height of triangle

correct substitution A1

eg $\frac{1}{2} \times \sqrt{6} \times \sqrt{0+(2)^2+(-1)^2}$, $\frac{1}{2} \times \sqrt{6} \times \sqrt{5}$

area is $\frac{\sqrt{30}}{2}$ A1 N2

METHOD 2 (difference of two areas)

one correct magnitude (seen anywhere) A1

eg $|\vec{OC}| = \sqrt{2^2+(-1)^2} (= \sqrt{5})$, $|\vec{AC}| = \sqrt{4+4+16} (= \sqrt{24})$, $|\vec{BC}| = \sqrt{6}$

valid approach (M1)

eg $\Delta OAC - \Delta OBC$

correct substitution A1

eg $\frac{1}{2} \times \sqrt{24} \times \sqrt{5} - \frac{1}{2} \times \sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{6}$

area is $\frac{\sqrt{30}}{2}$ A1 N2

METHOD 3 (area = $\frac{1}{2}ab \sin C$ for ΔOAB)

one correct magnitude of \vec{OA} or \vec{OB} (seen anywhere) A1

eg $|\vec{OA}| = \sqrt{(-2)^2+4^2+3^2} (= \sqrt{29})$, $|\vec{OB}| = \sqrt{1+9+1} (= \sqrt{11})$

valid attempt to find $\cos \theta$ or $\sin \theta$ (M1)

eg $\cos C = \frac{-1-3-2}{\sqrt{6} \times \sqrt{11}} (= \frac{-6}{\sqrt{66}})$, $29 = 6+11 - 2\sqrt{6}\sqrt{11} \cos \theta$, $\frac{\sin \theta}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{\sin 90}{\sqrt{29}}$

correct substitution into $\frac{1}{2}ab \sin C$ A1

eg $\frac{1}{2} \times \sqrt{6} \times \sqrt{11} \times \sqrt{1 - \frac{36}{66}}$, $0.5 \times \sqrt{6} \times \sqrt{29} \times \frac{\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{29}}$

area is $\frac{\sqrt{30}}{2}$ A1 N2

[4 marks]
Total [16 marks]

Question 14

(c)	METHOD 1		
	substituting their x to find y -value	(M1)	
	eg $f(-1)$, $-4(-1+3)(-1-1)$		
	correct calculation	(A1)	
	eg $-4(2)(-2)$		
	largest value is 16	A1	N2
	METHOD 2		
	valid attempt to complete the square	(M1)	
	eg $-4(x^2 + 2x + 1) + 12 + 4$, $-4(x^2 + 2x + 1) + 12 - 1$		
	correct vertex form	(A1)	
	eg $-4(x+1)^2 + 16$		
	largest value is 16	A1	N2
	METHOD 3		
	valid approach (may be seen in (b))	(M1)	
	eg $f'(x) = 0$, $-8x - 8 = 0$		
	substituting $x = -1$ into $f(x)$	(A1)	
	eg $-4(-1)^2 - 8(-1) + 12$		
	largest value is 16	A1	N2
			[3 marks]
(d)	METHOD 1		
	recognizing coordinates of vertex	(M1)	
	eg $(-1, 16)$		
	$h = -1$, $k = 16$ (accept $-4(x+1)^2 + 16$)	A1A1	N3
	METHOD 2		
	valid attempt to complete the square (may be seen in (c))	(M1)	
	eg $-4(x^2 + 2x + 1) + 12 + 4$, $-4(x^2 + 2x + 1) + 12 - 1$		
	$h = -1$, $k = 16$ (accept $-4(x+1)^2 + 16$)	A1A1	N3
			[3 marks]
			Total [15 marks]

Question 15

(a) correct approach

(A1)

eg $\vec{CB} = \vec{CA} + \vec{AB}$, $\vec{AB} - \vec{AC}$, $\vec{AC} + \vec{CB} = \vec{AB}$

$$\vec{CB} = -q + p$$

A1 N2
[2 marks]

(b) correct approach

(A1)

eg $\vec{CD} = \vec{BA}$

$$\vec{CD} = -p$$

A1 N2
[2 marks]

(c) correct approach

(A1)

eg $\vec{DB} = \vec{DC} + \vec{CB}$, $\vec{DA} + \vec{AB}$

correct working

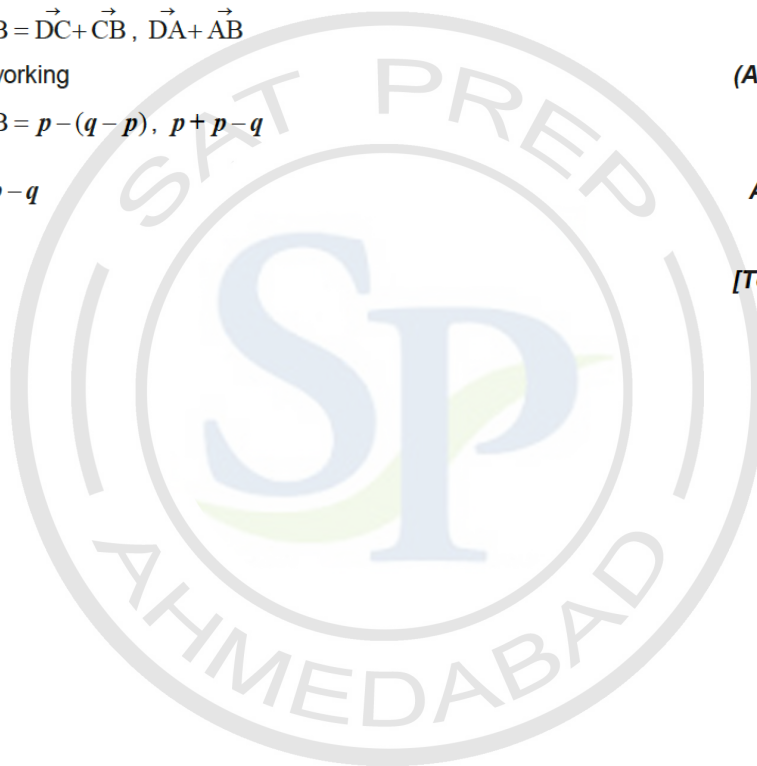
(A1)

eg $\vec{DB} = p - (q - p)$, $p + p - q$

$$\vec{DB} = 2p - q$$

A1 N2
[3 marks]

[Total 7 marks]



Question 16

(a) (i) correct approach A1

eg $OB - OA, \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 5 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$\vec{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 8 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

AG N0

(ii) any correct equation in the form $r = a + tb$ (accept any parameter for t)

where a is $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ or $\begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 5 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$, and b is a scalar multiple of $\begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 8 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

A2 N2

eg $r = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 8 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, r = \begin{pmatrix} -2-2s \\ 5+8s \\ 3+2s \end{pmatrix}, r = -2i + 5j + 3k + t(-2i + 8j + 2k)$

Note: Award A1 for the form $a + tb$, A1 for the form $L = a + tb$, A0 for the form $r = b + ta$.

[3 marks]

(b) valid approach (M1)

eg equating lines, $L_1 = L_2$

one correct equation in one variable

A1

eg $-2t = -1, -2 - 2t = -1$

valid attempt to solve

(M1)

eg $2t = 1, -2t = 1$

one correct parameter

A1

eg $t = \frac{1}{2}, t = -\frac{1}{2}, s = -6$

correct substitution of either parameter

A1

eg $r = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 8 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, r = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 5 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 8 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, r = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 7 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} - 6 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$

the coordinates of C are $(-1, 1, 2)$, or position vector of C is $\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

AG N0

Note: If candidate uses the same parameter in both vector equations and working shown, award M1A1M1A0A0.

[5 marks]

(c) valid approach (M1)

eg attempt to find \vec{CA} , $\cos \hat{ACD} = \frac{\vec{CA} \cdot \vec{CD}}{|\vec{CA}| |\vec{CD}|}$, \hat{ACD} formed by \vec{CA} and \vec{CD}

$$\vec{CA} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -4 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad (A1)$$

finding $|\vec{CA}|$ (may be seen in cosine formula) A1

eg $\sqrt{1^2 + (-4)^2 + (-1)^2}$, $\sqrt{18}$

correct substitution into cosine formula (A1)

eg $\frac{-9}{\sqrt{18}\sqrt{18}}$

finding $\cos \hat{ACD} = -\frac{1}{2}$ (A1)

$\hat{ACD} = \frac{2\pi}{3}$ (120°) A2 N2

Notes: Award A1 if additional answers are given.

[7 marks]

Total [15 marks]

Question 17

correct scalar product (A1)

eg $m+n$

setting up their scalar product equal to 0 (seen anywhere) (M1)

eg $\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v} = 0$, $-3(0) + 1(m) + 1(n) = 0$, $m = -n$

correct interpretation of unit vector (A1)

eg $\sqrt{0^2 + m^2 + n^2} = 1$, $m^2 + n^2 = 1$

valid attempt to solve their equations (must be in one variable) M1

eg $(-n)^2 + n^2 = 1$, $\sqrt{1-n^2} + n = 0$, $m^2 + (-m)^2 = 1$, $m - \sqrt{1-m^2} = 0$

correct working A1

eg $2n^2 = 1$, $2m^2 = 1$, $\sqrt{2} = \frac{1}{n}$, $m = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

both correct pairs A2 N3

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

$m = (0.5)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ and $n = -(0.5)^{\frac{1}{2}}$, $m = -\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}}$ and $n = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}}$

Note: Award A0 for $m = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$, $n = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$, or any other answer that does not clearly indicate the correct pairs.

[7 marks]

Question 18

- (a) valid attempt to find direction vector (M1)
 eg \vec{PQ}, \vec{QP}
- correct direction vector (or multiple of) (A1)
 eg $6i + j - 3k$
- any correct equation in the form $r = a + tb$ (any parameter for t) A2 N3
 where a is $i + 2j - k$ or $7i + 3j - 4k$, and b is a scalar multiple of $6i + j - 3k$
- eg $r = 7i + 3j - 4k + t(6i + j - 3k)$, $r = \begin{pmatrix} 1+6s \\ 2+1s \\ -1-3s \end{pmatrix}$, $r = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$

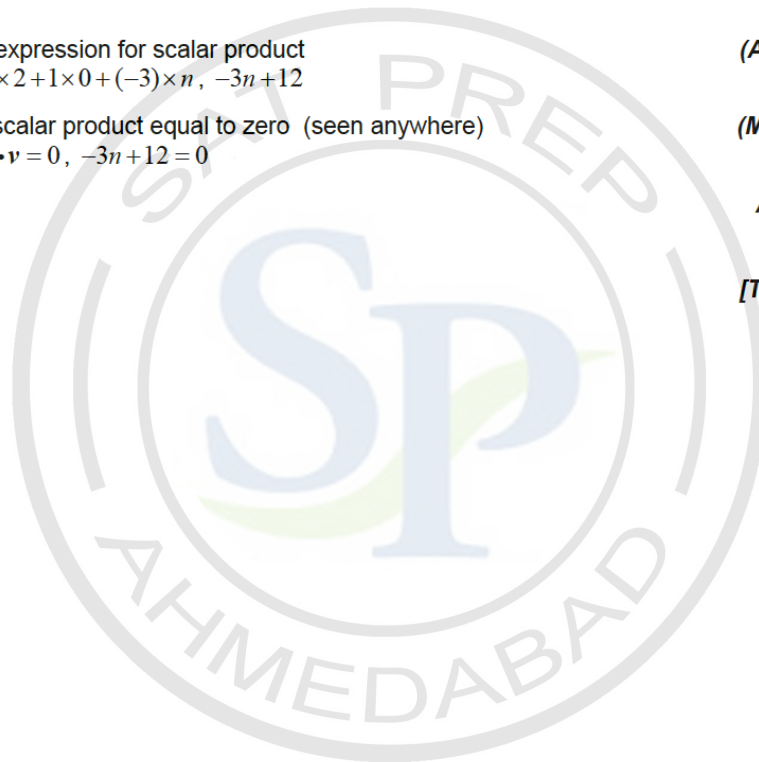
Notes: Award **A1** for the form $a + tb$, **A1** for the form $L = a + tb$, **A0** for the form $r = b + ta$.

[4 marks]

- (b) correct expression for scalar product (A1)
 eg $6 \times 2 + 1 \times 0 + (-3) \times n$, $-3n + 12$
- setting scalar product equal to zero (seen anywhere) (M1)
 eg $u \cdot v = 0$, $-3n + 12 = 0$
- $n = 4$ A1 N2

[3 marks]

[Total 7 marks]



Question 19

- (a) (i) valid approach to find \vec{AB} (M1)
 eg $\vec{OB} - \vec{OA}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 - (-1) \\ 1 - 0 \\ 3 - 4 \end{pmatrix}$
- $\vec{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$ A1 N2
- (ii) valid approach to find $|\vec{AB}|$ (M1)
 eg $\sqrt{(5)^2 + (1)^2 + (-1)^2}$
- $|\vec{AB}| = \sqrt{27}$ A1 N2
- [4 marks]**
- (b) correct approach A1
- eg $\vec{OC} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$
- C has coordinates $(-2, 1, 3)$ AG N0
- [1 mark]**
- (c) (i) $\hat{A}DB = \pi - \theta, \hat{D} = 180 - \theta$ A1 N1
- (ii) any correct expression for the area involving θ A1 N1
 eg area = $\frac{1}{2} \times AD \times BD \times \sin(180 - \theta), \frac{1}{2} ab \sin \theta, \frac{1}{2} |\vec{DA}| |\vec{DB}| \sin(\pi - \theta)$
- [2 marks]**

(d) **METHOD 1** (using sine formula for area)

correct expression for the area of triangle ACD (seen anywhere) **(A1)**

eg $\frac{1}{2}AD \times DC \times \sin \theta$

correct equation involving areas **A1**

eg $\frac{\frac{1}{2}AD \times BD \times \sin(\pi - \theta)}{\frac{1}{2}AD \times DC \times \sin \theta} = 3$

recognizing that $\sin(\pi - \theta) = \sin \theta$ (seen anywhere) **(A1)**

$\frac{BD}{DC} = 3$ (seen anywhere) **(A1)**

correct approach using ratio **A1**

eg $3\vec{DC} + \vec{DC} = \vec{BC}$, $\vec{BC} = 4\vec{DC}$

correct ratio $\frac{BD}{BC} = \frac{3}{4}$ **AG NO**

METHOD 2 (Geometric approach)

recognising $\triangle ABD$ and $\triangle ACD$ have same height **(A1)**

eg use of h for both triangles, $\frac{\frac{1}{2}BD \times h}{\frac{1}{2}CD \times h} = 3$

correct approach **A2**

eg $BD = 3x$ and $DC = x$, $\frac{BD}{DC} = 3$

correct working **A2**

eg $BC = 4x$, $BD + DC = 4DC$, $\frac{BD}{BC} = \frac{3x}{4x}$, $\frac{BD}{BC} = \frac{3DC}{4DC}$

$\frac{BD}{BC} = \frac{3}{4}$ **AG NO**

[5 marks]

(e) correct working (seen anywhere)

(A1)

$$\text{eg } \vec{BD} = \frac{3}{4}\vec{BC}, \vec{OD} = \vec{OB} + \frac{3}{4}\begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \vec{CD} = \frac{1}{4}\vec{CB}$$

valid approach (seen anywhere)

(M1)

$$\text{eg } \vec{OD} = \vec{OB} + \vec{BD}, \vec{BC} = \begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

correct working to find x-coordinate

(A1)

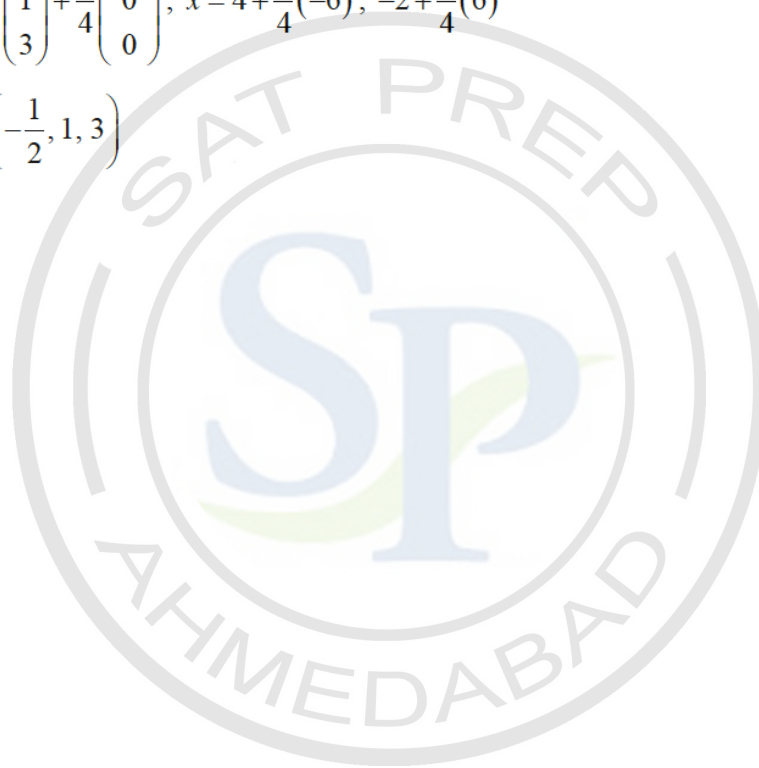
$$\text{eg } \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{3}{4}\begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, x = 4 + \frac{3}{4}(-6), -2 + \frac{1}{4}(6)$$

D is $\left(-\frac{1}{2}, 1, 3\right)$

A1 N3

[4 marks]

[Total 16 marks]



Question 20

(a) (i) valid approach

(M1)

$$\text{eg } A - B, -\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\vec{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix}$$

A1 N2

(ii) any correct equation in the form $r = a + tb$ (any parameter for t)

A2 N2

where a is $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$ or $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$, and b is a scalar multiple of $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\text{eg } r = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix}, r = \begin{pmatrix} 3+3t \\ 5+4t \\ 2-6t \end{pmatrix}, r = j+8k+t(3i+4j-6k)$$

Note: Award **A1** for the form $a + tb$, **A1** for the form $L = a + tb$, **A0** for the form $r = b + ta$.

[4 marks]

(b) valid approach

(M1)

$$\text{eg } a \cdot b = 0$$

choosing correct direction vectors (may be seen in scalar product)

A1

$$\text{eg } \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } \begin{pmatrix} p \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} p \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

correct working/equation

A1

$$\text{eg } 3p - 6 = 0$$

$$p = 2$$

AG N0

[3 marks]

- (c) valid approach (M1)
- eg $L_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ 13 \\ z \end{pmatrix}$, $L_1 = L_2$
- one correct equation (must be different parameters if both lines used) (A1)
- eg $3t = 9$, $1 + 2s = 9$, $5 + 4t = 13$, $3t = 1 + 2s$
- one correct value (A1)
- eg $t = 3$, $s = 4$, $t = 2$
- valid approach to substitute their t or s value (M1)
- eg $8 + 3(-6)$, $-14 + 4(1)$
- $z = -10$ (A1 N3 [5 marks])

- (d) (i) $|\vec{d}| = \sqrt{2^2 + 1} (= \sqrt{5})$ (A1)
- $\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ (accept $\begin{pmatrix} \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \\ 0 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \end{pmatrix}$) (A1 N2)

- (ii) **METHOD 1 (using unit vector)**
- valid approach (M1)
- eg $\begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ 13 \\ -10 \end{pmatrix} \pm \sqrt{5} \hat{d}$
- correct working (A1)
- eg $\begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ 13 \\ -10 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$, $\begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ 13 \\ -10 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$
- one correct point (A1 N2)
- eg $(11, 13, -9)$, $(7, 13, -11)$
- METHOD 2 (distance between points)**
- attempt to use distance between $(1 + 2s, 13, -14 + s)$ and $(9, 13, -10)$ (M1)
- eg $(2s - 8)^2 + 0^2 + (s - 4)^2 = 5$
- solving $5s^2 - 40s + 75 = 0$ leading to $s = 5$ or $s = 3$ (A1)
- one correct point (A1 N2)
- eg $(11, 13, -9)$, $(7, 13, -11)$
- [5 marks]

Total [17 marks]

Question 21

(a) evidence of scalar product

eg $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}$, $4(k+3)+2k$

M1

recognizing scalar product must be zero

(M1)

eg $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = 0$, $4k+12+2k=0$

correct working (must involve combining terms)

(A1)

eg $6k+12$, $6k=-12$

$k=-2$

A1 N2
[4 marks]

(b) attempt to substitute **their** value of k (seen anywhere)

(M1)

eg $\mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} -2+3 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$, $2\mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$

correct working

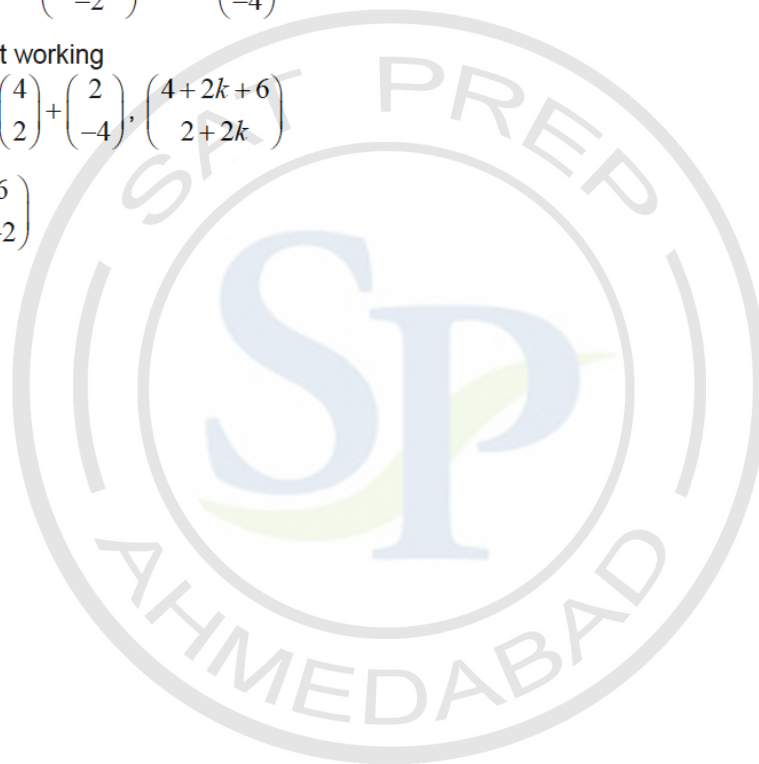
(A1)

eg $\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$, $\begin{pmatrix} 4+2k+6 \\ 2+2k \end{pmatrix}$

$\mathbf{c} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$

A1 N2
[3 marks]

[Total 7 marks]



Question 22

- (a) recognizing $t = 0$ at A
A is $(4, -1, 3)$

(M1)
A1 N2
[2 marks]

- (b) (i) **METHOD 1**

valid approach

(M1)

eg $\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + 2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}, (6, 3, -1)$

correct approach to find \vec{AB}

(A1)

eg $AO + OB, B - A, \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\vec{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

A1 N2

METHOD 2

recognizing \vec{AB} is two times the direction vector

(M1)

correct working

(A1)

eg $\vec{AB} = 2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\vec{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

A1 N2

- (ii) correct substitution

(A1)

eg $|\vec{AB}| = \sqrt{2^2 + 4^2 + 4^2}, \sqrt{4 + 16 + 16}, \sqrt{36}$

$$|\vec{AB}| = 6$$

A1 N2

[5 marks]

(c) **METHOD 1 (vector approach)**

valid approach involving \vec{AB} and \vec{AC} (M1)

$$\text{eg } \vec{AB} \cdot \vec{AC}, \frac{\vec{BA} \cdot \vec{AC}}{AB \times AC}$$

finding scalar product and $|\vec{AC}|$ (A1)(A1)

scalar product $2(3) + 4(0) - 4(4) (= -10)$

$$|\vec{AC}| = \sqrt{3^2 + 0^2 + 4^2} (= 5)$$

substitution of **their** scalar product and magnitudes into cosine formula (M1)

$$\text{eg } \cos \hat{BAC} = \frac{6+0-16}{6\sqrt{3^2+4^2}}$$

$$\cos \hat{BAC} = -\frac{10}{30} \left(= -\frac{1}{3} \right) \quad \text{A1} \quad \text{N2}$$

METHOD 2 (triangle approach)

valid approach involving cosine rule (M1)

$$\text{eg } \cos \hat{BAC} = \frac{AB^2 + AC^2 - BC^2}{2 \times AB \times AC}$$

finding lengths AC and BC (A1)(A1)

AC = 5, BC = 9

substitution of **their** lengths into cosine formula (M1)

$$\text{eg } \cos \hat{BAC} = \frac{5^2 + 6^2 - 9^2}{2 \times 5 \times 6}$$

$$\cos \hat{BAC} = -\frac{20}{60} \left(= -\frac{1}{3} \right) \quad \text{A1} \quad \text{N2}$$

[5 marks]

- (d) **Note:** Award relevant marks for working seen to find BC in part (c) (if cosine rule used in part (c)).

METHOD 1 (using cosine rule)

recognizing need to find BC (M1)

choosing cosine rule (M1)

eg $c^2 = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos C$

correct substitution into RHS A1

eg $BC^2 = (6)^2 + (5)^2 - 2(6)(5)\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right), 36 + 25 + 20$

distance is 9 A1 N2

METHOD 2 (finding magnitude of \vec{BC})

recognizing need to find BC (M1)

valid approach (M1)

eg attempt to find \vec{OB} or \vec{OC} , $\vec{OB} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$ or $\vec{OC} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ -1 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}$, $\vec{BA} + \vec{AC}$

correct working A1

eg $\vec{BC} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -4 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$, $\vec{CB} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \\ -8 \end{pmatrix}$, $\sqrt{1^2 + 4^2 + 8^2} = \sqrt{81}$

distance is 9 A1 N2

METHOD 3 (finding coordinates and using distance formula)

recognizing need to find BC (M1)

valid approach (M1)

eg attempt to find coordinates of B or C, B(6, 3, -1) or C(7, -1, 7)

correct substitution into distance formula A1

eg $BC = \sqrt{(6-7)^2 + (3-(-1))^2 + (-1-7)^2}, \sqrt{1^2 + 4^2 + 8^2} = \sqrt{81}$

distance is 9 A1 N2

[4 marks]

[Total 16 marks]

Question 23

(a) (i) correct approach

A1

eg $\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\vec{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

AG

N0

(ii) any correct equation in the form $r = a + tb$ (any parameter for t)

where a is $\begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ or $\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$ and b is a scalar multiple of $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

A2

N2

eg $r = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, (x, y, z) = (-1, 3, 3) + s(-2, 1, -1), r = \begin{pmatrix} -3 + 2t \\ 4 - t \\ 2 + t \end{pmatrix}$

Note: Award **A1** for the form $a + tb$, **A1** for the form $L = a + tb$, **A0** for the form $r = b + ta$.

[3 marks]

(b) **METHOD 1 – finding value of parameter**

valid approach

(M1)

eg $\begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ p \end{pmatrix}, (-1, 3, 3) + s(-2, 1, -1) = (3, 1, p)$

one correct equation (not involving p)

(A1)

eg $-3 + 2t = 3, -1 - 2s = 3, 4 - t = 1, 3 + s = 1$

correct parameter from their equation (may be seen in substitution)

A1

eg $t = 3, s = -2$

correct substitution

(A1)

eg $\begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + 3 \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ p \end{pmatrix}, 3 - (-2)$

$p = 5$ $\left(\begin{array}{l} \text{accept} \\ \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} \end{array} \right)$

A1

N2

METHOD 2 – eliminating parameter

valid approach

(M1)

$$\text{eg } \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ p \end{pmatrix}, \quad (-1, 3, 3) + s(-2, 1, -1) = (3, 1, p)$$

one correct equation (not involving p)**(A1)**

$$\text{eg } -3 + 2t = 3, \quad -1 - 2s = 3, \quad 4 - t = 1, \quad 3 + s = 1$$

correct equation (with p)**A1**

$$\text{eg } 2 + t = p, \quad 3 - s = p$$

correct working to solve for p **(A1)**

$$\text{eg } 7 = 2p - 3, \quad 6 = 1 + p$$

$$p = 5 \left(\text{accept } \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} \right)$$

A1**N2****[5 marks]**(c) valid approach to find \vec{DC} or \vec{CD} **(M1)**

$$\text{eg } \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} q^2 \\ 0 \\ q \end{pmatrix}, \quad \begin{pmatrix} q^2 \\ 0 \\ q \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \begin{pmatrix} q^2 \\ 0 \\ q \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ p \end{pmatrix}$$

correct vector for \vec{DC} or \vec{CD} (may be seen in scalar product)**A1**

$$\text{eg } \begin{pmatrix} 3 - q^2 \\ 1 \\ 5 - q \end{pmatrix}, \quad \begin{pmatrix} q^2 - 3 \\ -1 \\ q - 5 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \begin{pmatrix} 3 - q^2 \\ 1 \\ p - q \end{pmatrix}$$

recognizing scalar product of \vec{DC} or \vec{CD} with direction vector of L is zero (seen anywhere)**(M1)**

$$\text{eg } \begin{pmatrix} 3 - q^2 \\ 1 \\ p - q \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 0, \quad \vec{DC} \cdot \vec{AC} = 0, \quad \begin{pmatrix} 3 - q^2 \\ 1 \\ 5 - q \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

correct scalar product in terms of only q **A1**

$$\text{eg } 6 - 2q^2 - 1 + 5 - q, \quad 2q^2 + q - 10 = 0, \quad 2(3 - q^2) - 1 + 5 - q$$

correct working to solve quadratic

(A1)

$$\text{eg } (2q + 5)(q - 2), \quad \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1 - 4(2)(-10)}}{2(2)}$$

$$q = -\frac{5}{2}, 2$$

A1A1**N3****[7 marks]****Total [15 marks]**