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ANSWER KEY

1. $f \circ g = f[g(x)] = f(3x-5) = (3x-5)^2 + 3 = 9x^2 - 30x + 25 + 3 = 9x^2 - 30x + 28$

$g \circ f = g[f(x)] = g(x^2 + 3) = 3(x^2 + 3) - 5 = 3x^2 + 9 - 5 = 3x^2 + 4$

2. a) ii) $\int_a^b y dx$

b) $A = 4 \int_0^2 \sqrt{2^2 - x^2} dx = 4 \left[\frac{x}{2} \sqrt{4 - x^2} + 2 \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{x}{2} \right) \right]_0^2$
 $= 4 [0 + 2 \sin^{-1}(1) - (0 + 0)] = 4 \times 2 \times \frac{\pi}{2} = 4\pi$ sq.units

3. a) $f(x) = x^2 - 4x - 3$

Since $f(x)$ is a polynomial, it is continuous in $[1,4]$,

$f'(x) = 2x - 4$

\therefore it is differentiable at $(1,4)$,

\therefore there exists a constant 'c' such that

$f'(c) = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a} \Rightarrow 2c - 4 = \frac{-3 - (-6)}{4 - 1} \Rightarrow 2c - 4 = 1 \Rightarrow 2c = 5 \Rightarrow c = \frac{5}{2} \in (1,4)$

Hence verified Mean value theorem.

4. Let A be the enclosed area of the circular wave with radius r.

$A = \pi r^2 \Rightarrow \frac{dA}{dt} = 2\pi r \times \frac{dr}{dt} = 2\pi \times 10 \times 4 = 80\pi$

Thus, the enclosed area is increasing at the rate of $80\pi \text{ cm}^2 / \text{s}$

5. a) ii) $y = Cx$

b) i) $y = x^2 + C$

c) iv) $y^2 = Cx$

6. The enclosed area $= \left| \int_{-1}^0 x dx \right| + \int_{-1}^0 (x^2 + 1) dx + \int_0^2 (x^2 + 1 - x) dx$
 $= \left[\frac{x^2}{2} \right]_{-1}^0 + \left[\frac{x^3}{3} + x \right]_{-1}^0 + \left[\frac{x^3}{3} + x - \frac{x^2}{2} \right]_0^2$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \left[\left[0 - \frac{(-1)^2}{2} \right] \right] + \left[0 - \left\{ \frac{(-1)^3}{3} + (-1) \right\} \right] + \left[\frac{2^3}{3} + 2 - \frac{2^2}{2} - (0) \right] \\
&= \left[-\frac{1}{2} \right] + \left[-\left(-\frac{1}{3} - 1 \right) \right] + \left[\frac{8}{3} + 2 - 2 \right] = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + 1 + \frac{8}{3} \\
&= 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{9}{3} = 4 + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{9}{2} \text{ sq. units.}
\end{aligned}$$

7. a) $\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{2}{x}y = x$ $\parallel \div \text{ing by } x$

$$P = \frac{2}{x}, \quad Q = x$$

$$\int p dx = 2 \int \frac{1}{x} dx = 2 \log x = \log x^2$$

$$\therefore \text{Integrating factor} = e^{\log x^2} = x^2$$

b) $\int Q e^{\int p dx} dx = \int x \cdot x^2 dx = \int x^3 dx = \frac{x^4}{4} + C$

$$\therefore \text{solution is } ye^{\int p dx} = \int Q e^{\int p dx} dx + C$$

$$yx^2 = \frac{x^4}{4} + C \Rightarrow y = \frac{1}{4}x^2 + Cx^{-2}$$

8. a) $a_{ij} = i - j$

$$a_{11} = 1 - 1 = 0, a_{12} = 1 - 2 = -1, a_{13} = 1 - 3 = -2$$

$$a_{21} = 2 - 1 = 1, a_{22} = 2 - 2 = 0, a_{23} = 2 - 3 = -1$$

$$a_{31} = 3 - 1 = 2, a_{32} = 3 - 2 = 1, a_{33} = 3 - 3 = 0$$

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

b) $|A| = 0$ (since the diagonal elements are zeroes, then the det. of a skew-symmetric matrix is 0)

9. a) dr's are 1, 1, -2

b) Let a vector $\perp r$ to $\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$ is $\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k} (= \vec{b})$

$$\therefore \text{dc of } \vec{b} \text{ are } \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{3}.$$

10. a) i) R is not reflexive

$$\text{If } a \in R \Rightarrow a \leq a^2, \text{ which is false } \forall (a, a) \in R$$

ii) Let $a, b \in R$ and $(a, b) \in R \Rightarrow a \leq b^2$ and $b \leq a^2$, which is false. \therefore R is not symmetric

iii) If $(a, b) \in R \Rightarrow a \leq b^2$

if $(b, c) \in R \Rightarrow b \leq c^2 \Rightarrow a \leq (c^2)^2 \Rightarrow a \leq c^4$, which is false .

$\therefore R$ is not transitive .Hence R is not reflexive, not symmetric and not transitive.

b)

*	1	2	3
1	1	1	1
2	1	2	1
3	1	1	3

$$11. a) \quad A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 5 \\ -5 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$5A = \begin{bmatrix} 15 & 5 \\ -5 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$7I = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 \\ 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$LHS = A^2 - 5A + 7I = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 5 \\ -5 & 3 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 15 & 5 \\ -5 & 10 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 \\ 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -7 & 0 \\ 0 & -7 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 \\ 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

= RHS

b) $A^2 - 5A + 7I = 0$

$$A^2 \cdot A^{-1} - 5AA^{-1} + 7IA^{-1} = 0$$

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$$A - 5I + 7A^{-1} = 0$$

$$7A^{-1} = 5I - A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

12. a) $\sin^{-1}\left(\sin \frac{2\pi}{3}\right) = \sin^{-1}\left(\sin\left(\pi - \frac{\pi}{3}\right)\right)$

$$= \sin^{-1}\left(\sin \frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{\pi}{3} \in \left[\frac{-\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$$

b) $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{1+x^2}-1}{x}\right) = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{1+\tan^2\theta}-1}{\tan\theta}\right)$

put $x = \tan\theta$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \tan^{-1} \left[\frac{\sec \theta - 1}{\tan \theta} \right] = \tan^{-1} \left[\frac{1 - \cos \theta}{\sin \theta} \right] \\
&= \tan^{-1} \tan \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{\theta}{2} \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1} x
\end{aligned}$$

13. $LHL = \lim_{x \rightarrow 5^-} (kx + 1) = 5k + 1$

$RHL = \lim_{x \rightarrow 5^+} (3x - 5) = 3 \times 5 - 5 = 0$

$\therefore f$ is continuous at $x = 5$,

$LHL = RHL$

$5k + 1 = 10$

$5k = 10 - 1 = 9$

$\therefore k = \frac{9}{5}$

14. $f(x) = 3x^4 + 4x^3 - 12x^2 + 12$

$f'(x) = 12x^3 + 12x^2 - 24x$

$f''(x) = 36x^2 + 24x - 24$

For max. or min $f'(x) = 0$

$12x^3 + 12x^2 - 24x = 0$

$12x(x^2 + x - 2) = 0$

$(x + 2)(x - 1) = 0$ (or) $x = 0$

$\therefore x = 0, x = -2$ or $x = 1$

When $x = -2, f''(-2) = 36(-2)^2 + 24(-2) - 24$
 $= 36(4) - 48 - 24$
 $= 72 > 0$

$\therefore f(x)$ is minimum.

Minimum value of $f(x) = f(-2) = 3(-2)^4 + 4(-2)^3 - 12(-2)^2 + 12 = -20$
 When $x = 1, f''(1) = 36(1^2) + 24(1) - 24 = 36 > 0$

\therefore Min. value of $f(x) = f(1) = 3(1^4) + 4(1^3) - 12(1) + 12$
 $= 3 + 4 - 12 + 12 = 7$

When $x = 0, f''(0) = 36(0) + 24(0) - 24 = -24 < 0$

$\therefore f(x)$ is maximum.

\therefore the max. value of $f(x) = f(0) = 0 + 0 - 0 + 12 = 12$

∴ the local maximum value of $f(x) = 12$ at $x = 0$ and the local minimum values of $f(x)$ are 7 at $x = 1$ and -20 at $x = -2$.

15. Here $a = 2, b = 3, nh = 3 - 2 = 1$

$$f(x) = x^2$$

$$f(2) = 2^2$$

$$f(2+h) = (2+h)^2$$

$$f(2+2h) = (2+2h)^2$$

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$$f(2+\overline{n-1}h) = (2+\overline{n-1}h)^2$$

$$\int_2^3 x^2 dx = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h \left[2^2 + (2+h)^2 + (2+2h)^2 + \dots + (2+\overline{n-1}h)^2 \right]$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h \left[2^2 + 2^2 + \dots \text{to } n \text{ times} + 4h + 8h + 12h + \dots + 4\overline{n-1}h + h^2 + 2h^2 + 3h^2 + \dots + \overline{n-1}h^2 \right]$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h \left[2^2 \times n + 4h(1+2+3+\dots+\overline{n-1}) + h^2(1^2+2^2+\dots+\overline{n-1}^2) \right]$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h \left[4n + 4h \cdot \frac{n(n-1)}{2} + h^2 \cdot \frac{n(n-1)(2n-1)}{6} \right]$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h \left[4n + \frac{4 \times (n-1)}{2} h + \frac{(n-1)(n-1)(2n-1)}{6} h^2 \right]$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h \left[4n + 2(n-1) + \frac{(1-h)(2n-1)}{6} \right]$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[4nh + 2(nh-h) + \frac{(1-h)(2nh-h)}{6} \right]$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[4 \times 1 + 2(1-h) + \frac{(1-h)(2 \times 1 - h)}{6} \right]$$

$$= \left[4 + 2(1-0) + \frac{(1-0)(2-0)}{6} \right]$$

$$= 4 + 2 + \frac{1}{3} = 6 + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{19}{3}$$

16. $I = \int_0^{\pi} \frac{x \sin x}{1 + \cos^2 x} dx \dots\dots\dots(1)$

$$\int_0^a f(x) dx = \int_0^a f(a-x) dx$$

$$\therefore I = \int_0^{\pi} \frac{(\pi-x) \cdot \sin x}{1 + \cos^2(\pi-x)} dx$$

$$= \int_0^{\pi} \frac{(\pi-x) \sin x}{1 + \cos^2 x} dx$$

$$= \int_0^{\pi} \frac{\pi \sin x}{1 + \cos^2 x} dx - \int_0^{\pi} \frac{x \sin x}{1 + \cos^2 x} dx \quad \dots\dots(2)$$

$$(1) + (2) \Rightarrow$$

$$2I = \pi \int_0^{\pi} \frac{\sin x}{1 + \cos^2 x} dx$$

$$\text{put } \cos x = t \Rightarrow -\sin x dx = dt \Rightarrow \sin x dx = -dt$$

$$\text{when } x = 0, t = \cos 0 = 1$$

$$\text{when } x = \pi, t = \cos \pi = -1$$

$$\therefore 2I = \pi \int_1^{-1} \frac{-dt}{1+t^2}$$

$$= \pi \int_{-1}^1 \frac{dt}{1+t^2} \quad \parallel P_1$$

$$= \pi \left[\tan^{-1} t \right]_{-1}^1$$

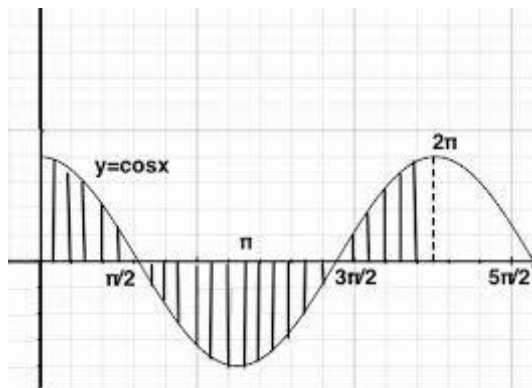
$$\tan^{-1}(1) - \tan^{-1}(-1)$$

$$= \pi \left[\frac{\pi}{4} - \left(-\frac{\pi}{4} \right) \right]$$

$$2I = \pi \cdot \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\therefore I = \frac{\pi^2}{4}$$

17. a)



$$\begin{aligned}
\text{b) } A &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos x dx + \left| \int_{\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{3\pi}{2}} \cos x dx \right| + \int_{\frac{3\pi}{2}}^{2\pi} \cos x dx \\
&= (\sin x)_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} + \left| (\sin x)_{\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{3\pi}{2}} \right| + (\sin x)_{\frac{3\pi}{2}}^{2\pi} \\
&= \left[\sin \frac{\pi}{2} - \sin 0 \right] + \left| \sin \frac{3\pi}{2} - \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \right| + \left(\sin 2\pi - \sin \frac{3\pi}{2} \right) \\
&= (1-0) + \left| -\sin \frac{\pi}{2} - 1 \right| + \left(0 - -\sin \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \\
&= 1 + |-1-1| + (1) \\
&= 1 + |-2| + 1 = 1 + 2 + 1 = 4 \text{ sq. units}
\end{aligned}$$

$$18. \text{ a) CE is } \frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-2}{3} = \frac{z-3}{6}$$

$$\text{b) } (1,2,3)$$

c) Let $P(x,y,z)$ be a general point on this line. Then P is $(2\lambda + 1, 3\lambda + 2, 6\lambda + 3)$.

$$\begin{aligned}
2\lambda + 1 - 1^2 + 3\lambda + 2 - 2^2 + 6\lambda + 3 - 3^2 &= 7^2 \\
4\lambda^2 + 9\lambda^2 + 36\lambda^2 &= 49 \Rightarrow 49\lambda^2 = 49 \Rightarrow \lambda^2 = 1 \Rightarrow \lambda = \pm 1
\end{aligned}$$

\therefore another point on the line is $(3,5,9)$, when $\lambda = 1$ and $(-1,-1,-3)$, when $\lambda = -1$

19. $AX = B$ where

$$\begin{aligned}
A &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = -1(1-(-6)) - 1(0-3) + 1(0-1) \\
&= 1(7) - 1(-3) + 1(-1) \\
&= 7 + 3 - 1 = 9
\end{aligned}$$

$$A_{11} = 7 = 7 \quad ; \quad A_{21} = 3 = -3 \quad ; \quad A_{31} = 2 = 2$$

$$A_{12} = -3 = 3 \quad ; \quad A_{22} = 0 = 0 \quad ; \quad A_{32} = 3 = -3$$

$$A_{13} = -1 = -1 \quad ; \quad A_{23} = -3 = 3 \quad ; \quad A_{33} = 1 = 1$$

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

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

$$X = A^{-1}B = \frac{1}{9} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -3 & 2 \\ 3 & 0 & -3 \\ -1 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 11 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{9} \begin{bmatrix} 42 - 33 + 0 \\ 18 + 0 + 0 \\ -6 + 33 + 0 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{9} \begin{bmatrix} 9 \\ 18 \\ 27 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\therefore x = 1 ; y = 2 \text{ and } z = 3$

20. a) $x = a(t - \sin t)$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = a(1 - \cos t)$$

$$y = a(1 + \cos t)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = a(0 + -\sin t) = -a \sin t$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}} = \frac{-a \sin t}{a(1 - \cos t)} = \frac{-2 \sin \frac{t}{2} \cos \frac{t}{2}}{2 \sin^2 \frac{t}{2}}$$

$$= -\cot\left(\frac{t}{2}\right)$$

b) $y = (\tan^{-1} x)^2$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2 \tan^{-1} x \cdot \frac{1}{1+x^2}$$

$$(1+x^2) \frac{dy}{dx} = 2 \tan^{-1} x$$

$$(1+x^2) \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \frac{dy}{dx} (0+2x) = 2 \cdot \frac{1}{1+x^2}$$

$$(1+x^2) \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 2x \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2}{(1+x^2)}$$

$$(1+x^2)^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 2x(1+x^2) \frac{dy}{dx} = 2$$

Hence proved.

21. a) $f(x) = x^3 - 3x^2 + 3x - 100$

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 - 6x + 3$$
$$= 3(x^2 - 2x + 1) = 3(x-1)^2 > 0$$

$\therefore f(x)$ is increasing on \mathbb{R} .

b) $y = 3x^2 - 4x$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x - 4$$

$$\text{Slope of tangent} = \frac{dy}{dx}_{(at\ x=2)} = 6(2) - 4 = 8$$

c) Let $y = \sqrt{x}$ (1)

$$\sqrt{x + \Delta x} = y + \Delta y \quad \parallel \quad x = 25, \Delta x = 0.3$$

$$\sqrt{25 + 0.3} = \sqrt{x} + \Delta y$$

$$\sqrt{25.3} = 5 + \Delta y \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

Diff. (1) wrt x

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

$$\Delta y = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{25}} \Delta x$$

$$= \frac{1}{2 \times 5} \times 0.3 = \frac{0.3}{10} = 0.03$$

in(2)

$$\sqrt{25.3} = 5 + 0.03$$

$$= 5.03(\text{nearly})$$

22. a) $I = \int \frac{\sin(\tan^{-1} x)}{1+x^2} dx$

$$= \sin(\tan^{-1} x) \cdot \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx$$

$$\text{put } \tan^{-1} x = t \Rightarrow \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = dt$$

$$\therefore I = \int \sin t \cdot dt = -\cos t + C = -\cos(\tan^{-1} x) + C$$

b) $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x^2 + y^2}{2xy}$, is a homogeneous D.E.

$$\text{Put } y = vx \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = v + x \frac{dv}{dx}$$

$$v + x \frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{x^2 + v^2 x^2}{2x \cdot vx}$$

$$x \frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{1 + v^2}{2v} - v$$

$$= \frac{1 + v^2 - 2v^2}{2v} = \frac{1 - v^2}{2v}$$

$$x dv \times 2v = (1 - v^2) dx$$

$\frac{2v}{1 - v^2} dv = \frac{1}{x} dx$ is in variable separable form.

$$\int \frac{2v}{1 - v^2} dv = \int \frac{1}{x} dx$$

$$\int \frac{-2v}{1 - v^2} dv = - \int \frac{1}{x} dx$$

$$\log |1 - v^2| = -\log |x| + \log |C|$$

$$\log |1 - v^2| + \log |x| = \log |C|$$

$$\log |(1 - v^2)x| = \log |C|$$

$$(1 - v^2)x = C$$

$$\left(1 - \frac{y^2}{x^2}\right)x = C \Rightarrow \frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2} \cdot x = C$$

$x^2 - y^2 = Cx$ is the required solution.

24. a) $|\bar{a} \times \bar{b}| = |\bar{a} - \bar{b}|$

$$|ab \sin \theta(\hat{n})| = |ab \cos \theta|$$

$$|\bar{a}| |\bar{b}| \sin \theta = |\bar{a}| |\bar{b}| \cos \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \cos \theta$$

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

b) Let $\vec{c} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$

If $\vec{c} \perp \vec{a} \Leftrightarrow 2x - y + 3z = 0 \dots\dots\dots (1)$

If $\vec{c} \perp \vec{a} \Leftrightarrow x + y + z = 0 \dots\dots\dots (2)$

Solving (1) and (2)

$$\begin{array}{cccc} x & y & z & \\ -1 & 3 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{array}$$

$$\frac{x}{-4} = \frac{y}{1} = \frac{z}{3}$$

$$\therefore \vec{c} = -4\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$$

c) $\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \hat{i}(-1-3) - \hat{j}(2-3) + \hat{k}(2--1) = -4\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$

Area of the parallelogram = $|\vec{a} \times \vec{b}| = \sqrt{16+1+9} = \sqrt{26}$ sq.units

d) Volume of the parallelepiped = $[\vec{a} \ \vec{b} \ \vec{c}] = (\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \cdot \vec{c} = (-4\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) \cdot (\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - \hat{k})$
 $= -4 + 2 + -3 = -5$

\therefore volume = 5 cubic units.

25 a) Let P(x,y,x) be a general point in the given line $\vec{r} = (\hat{i} + \hat{j}) + \lambda(\hat{i} + 2\hat{j})$.

Then $\frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y-1}{2} = \frac{z-0}{0} = \lambda$

$x = \lambda + 1, y = 2\lambda + 1, z = 0$

But $(\lambda + 1 - 1)^2 + (2\lambda + 1 - 1)^2 + 0^2 = 25$

$\Rightarrow \lambda^2 + 4\lambda^2 = 25 \Rightarrow 5\lambda^2 = 25 \Rightarrow \lambda^2 = 5 \Rightarrow \lambda = \pm\sqrt{5}$

When $x = \sqrt{5}$

$\therefore x = \sqrt{5} + 1, y = 2\sqrt{5} + 1, z = 0$

$\vec{a} = (\sqrt{5} + 1)\hat{i} + (2\sqrt{5} + 1)\hat{j}$

\therefore Required equation of the line is $\vec{r} = \vec{a} + \mu\vec{b} = [(\sqrt{5} + 1)\hat{i} + (2\sqrt{5} + 1)\hat{j}] + \mu(\hat{i} + 2\hat{j})$.

b) $\vec{a}_1 = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}, \vec{b}_1 = \hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}, \vec{a}_2 = 2\hat{i} - \hat{j} - \hat{k}, \vec{b}_2 = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$

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$$\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1 = \hat{i} - 3\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$$

$$\vec{b}_1 \times \vec{b}_2 = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = \hat{i}(-3) - \hat{j}(0) + \hat{k}(3) = -3\hat{i} + 3\hat{k}$$

$$|\vec{b}_1 \times \vec{b}_2| = \sqrt{9+9} = \sqrt{9 \times 2} = 3\sqrt{2}$$

$$(\vec{b}_1 \times \vec{b}_2) \cdot (\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1) = -3 + 0 - 6 = -9$$

$$\therefore d = \frac{|(\vec{b}_1 \times \vec{b}_2) \cdot (\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1)|}{|\vec{b}_1 \times \vec{b}_2|} = \frac{|-9|}{3\sqrt{2}} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{2} \text{ units.}$$

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