

from last day.

what is the equation of a line that passes through a point $P(x_0, y_0, z_0)$ and travels in the same direction as vector $v = \langle a, b, c \rangle$

the line is formed from the points

$$Q(x_0 + ta, y_0 + tb, z_0 + tc)$$

where t is in \mathbb{R}

solving for t , and then forget about it.

$$\frac{x - x_0}{a} = \frac{y - y_0}{b} = \frac{z - z_0}{c}$$

EX: what is the equation of the line that passes through P & Q

$$P = (-2, 0, 1)$$

$$Q = (3, -4, 1)$$

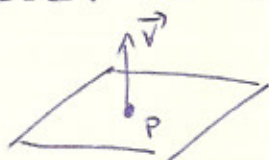
$$\begin{aligned}\overrightarrow{PQ} &= \langle 3 - (-2), -4 - 0, 1 - 1 \rangle \\ &= \langle 5, -4, 0 \rangle\end{aligned}$$

now the equation becomes,

$$\frac{x + 2}{5} = \frac{y}{-4} = \frac{z - 1}{0}$$

PLANES.

it is easy to write the equation of a plane that contains a point P , and which is perpendicular to a given vector $v = \langle a, b, c \rangle$



In such a situation, for any point $Q(x, y, z)$ in the plane we have.

$$\mathbf{v} \cdot \overrightarrow{PQ} = 0$$

$$\langle a, b, c \rangle \cdot \langle x - x_0, y - y_0, z - z_0 \rangle = 0$$

$$a(x - x_0) + b(y - y_0) + c(z - z_0) = 0$$

and this would be the equation of the plane.

EX: given 3 points $P(-2, 1, 0)$, $Q(3, 4, -1)$ and $R(-1, -1, 2)$. They will always create a plane as long as they are not on the same line

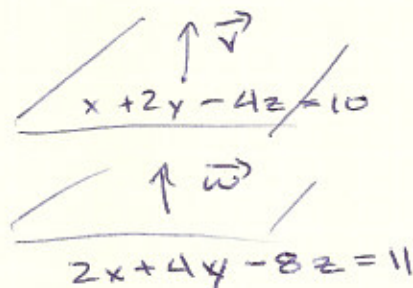


$$\vec{v} = \overrightarrow{PR} \times \overrightarrow{PQ} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & -2 & -2 \\ 5 & 3 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 8\hat{i} - 9\hat{j} + 13\hat{k}$$

now the equation of the plane

$$8(x + 2) - 9(y - 1) + 13(z - 0) = 0$$

EX: determine whether the planes $x + 2y + 4z = 10$ and $2x + 4y - 8z = 11$ are parallel.



note: given a plane with the equation

$$ax + by + cz - d = 0$$

then the perpendicular vector is

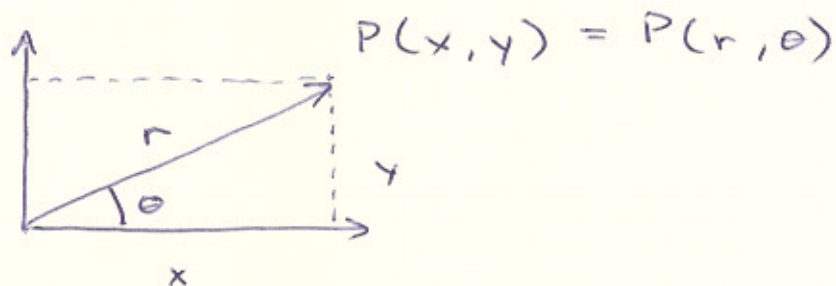
$$\vec{v} = \langle 1, 2, -4 \rangle$$

$$\vec{w} = \langle 2, 4, -8 \rangle$$

observe that $w = 2v$, they have the same direction, so the planes are parallel.

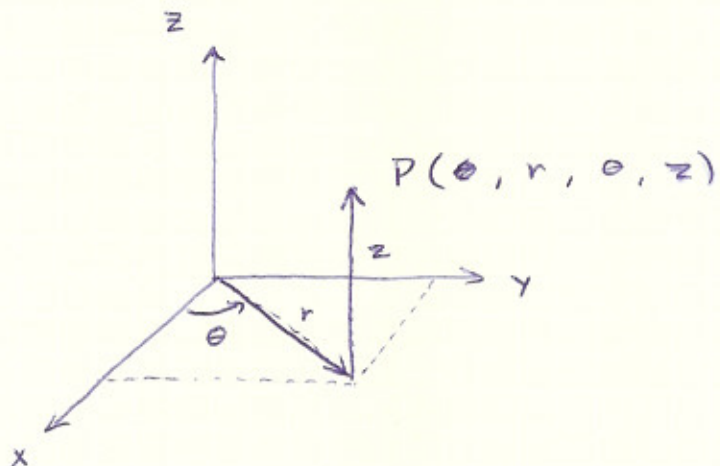
§ 13.7 Cylindrical and spherical coordinates.

Review of Polar coordinates (2D)



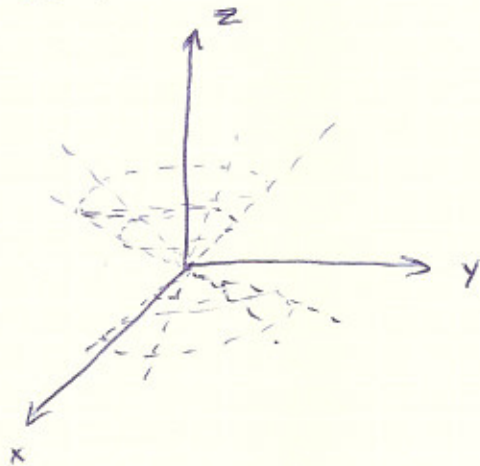
note: θ is in radians.

CYLINDRICAL COORDINATES



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Ex: what is the surface given by the equation

$$z = r$$

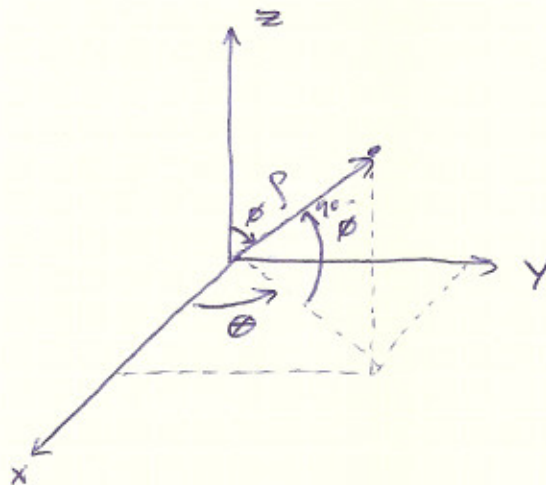


note: cone.

note: no negative radials.

observe: $z = r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$

SPHERICAL COORDINATES.



$P(\rho, \theta, \phi)$
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length angles.

note: $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$

$$0 \leq \phi \leq \pi$$

changing coordinates.

$$z = \rho \cos \phi$$

$$x = \rho \sin \phi \cos \theta$$

$$y = \rho \sin \phi \sin \theta$$

EX: what is the solid satisfying

$$0 \leq \rho \leq 2$$

$$0 \leq \phi \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$0 \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{4}$$

