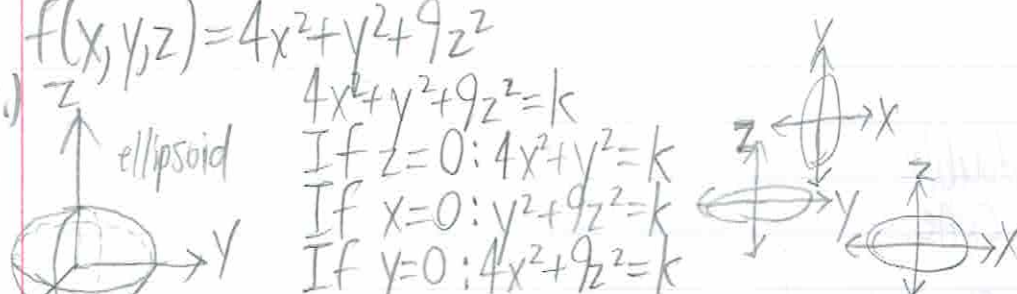



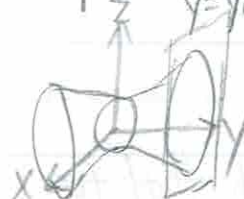
Ex.)  $f(x,y,z) = 4x^2 + y^2 + 9z^2$   
 $4x^2 + y^2 + 9z^2 = k$   
 ellipsoid  
 If  $z=0: 4x^2 + y^2 = k$   
 If  $x=0: y^2 + 9z^2 = k$   
 If  $y=0: 4x^2 + 9z^2 = k$



Ex.) Level surfaces of  $f(x,y,z) = 9x^2 - 4y^2 + 36z^2 = k$   
 For  $k > 0$ :  
 (Graph depends on sign of  $k$ )  
 If  $z=0: 9x^2 - 4y^2 = k$     If  $y=0: 9x^2 + 36z^2 = k$     If  $x=0: -4y^2 + 36z^2 = k$



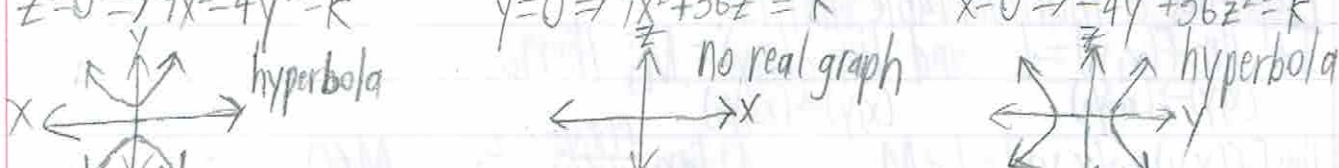
Graph of  $9x^2 + 36z^2 = k + 4y^2$  (consider a constant  $y = y_0$ )



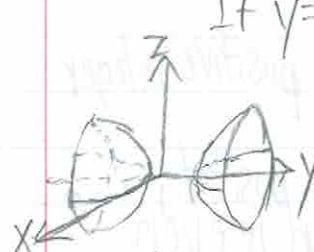
hyperboloid  
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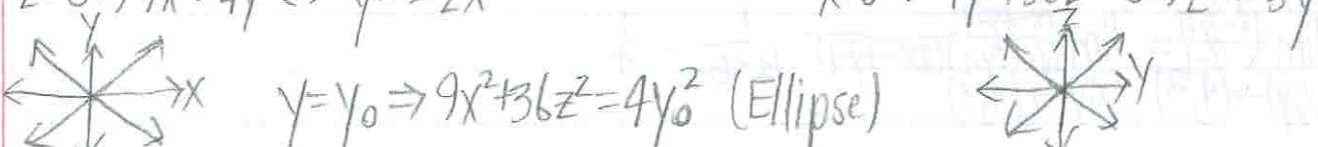
For  $k < 0$ :  
 $z=0 \Rightarrow 9x^2 - 4y^2 = k$      $y=0 \Rightarrow 9x^2 + 36z^2 = k$      $x=0 \Rightarrow -4y^2 + 36z^2 = k$   
 hyperbola    no real graph    hyperbola



If  $y = y_0: 9x^2 + 36z^2 = k + 4y_0^2$  (Ellipse for  $k + 4y_0^2 > 0$ )  
 hyperboloid  
of two sheets



For  $k = 0$ :  
 $z=0 \Rightarrow 9x^2 = 4y^2 \Leftrightarrow y = \pm \frac{3}{2}x$      $x=0 \Rightarrow -4y^2 + 36z^2 = 0 \Rightarrow z = \pm \frac{1}{3}y$

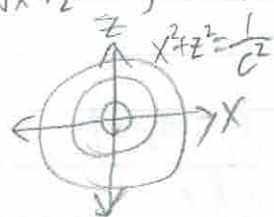


$y = y_0 \Rightarrow 9x^2 + 36z^2 = 4y_0^2$  (Ellipse)

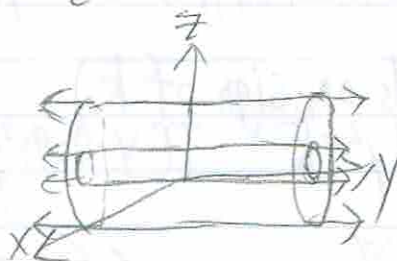


Ex.) Level surfaces of  $f(x, y, z) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2}}$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2}} = c, c > 0 \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{c} = \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} \Leftrightarrow x^2 + z^2 = \frac{1}{c^2}$$

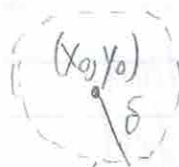
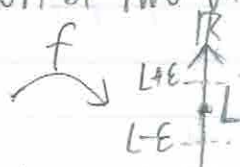


$y \in \mathbb{R}$



### Limits and Continuity:

For a function of two variables:



$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (x_0,y_0)} f(x,y) = L$$

iff for every  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exists  $\delta > 0$  such that for every point  $(x,y)$  in the domain of  $f$ ,  $|f(x,y) - L| < \epsilon$  whenever  $\|(x,y) - (x_0,y_0)\| < \delta$ .

continuous

Properties of multivariable limits:

If  $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (x_0,y_0)} f(x,y) = L$  and  $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (x_0,y_0)} g(x,y) = M$ , then

$$1) \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (x_0,y_0)} [f(x,y) + g(x,y)] = L + M$$

$$4) \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (x_0,y_0)} \frac{f(x,y)}{g(x,y)} = \frac{L}{M}, M \neq 0$$

$$2) \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (x_0,y_0)} [kf(x,y)] = kL$$

$$5) \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (x_0,y_0)} [f(x,y)]^n = L^n, n \text{ is a positive integer}$$

$$3) \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (x_0,y_0)} [f(x,y)g(x,y)] = LM$$

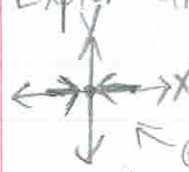
$$6) \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (x_0,y_0)} [f(x,y)]^{1/n} = L^{1/n}, n \text{ is pos. int.}, L > 0 \text{ if } n \text{ is even}$$

Ex.)  $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (1,1)} \frac{x^2 + y^2}{x + y} = \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (1,1)} (x + y) = 2$

Ex.)  $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (4,3)} \frac{x - y + 1}{x + y - 1} = \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (4,3)} \frac{x - y + 1}{(x + y + 1)(x - y + 1)} = \frac{1}{4 + 3 + 1} = \frac{1}{4}$

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{2xy}{x^2+y^2}$$

Ex.) Explore different paths to go to  $(0,0)$ :




$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{2xy}{x^2+y^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2x(0)}{x^2+0^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{x^2} = 0$$

on the x-axis

Similarly, on the y-axis,  $\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} f(x,y) = 0$ .

But on the line  $y=x$ :



$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{2xy}{x^2+y^2} = \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{2x^2}{2x^2} = 1$$

Because the limit is not the same in every direction, it does not exist.