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ASSIGNMENT 4

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https://github.com/V-Gopireddy/EE3900/blob/main/Assignment4/codes/Assignment-4.py

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1 Linear forms 2.28

Find the equation of the plane through the intersection of the planes $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{x} = 1$ and $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{x} = 5$ which is perpendicular to the plane $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{x} = 0$

2 SOLUTION

The equations of the given planes are,

$$P_1: (1 \ 1 \ 1) \mathbf{x} - 1 = 0$$
 (2.0.1)

$$P_2: (2 \ 3 \ 4) \mathbf{x} - 5 = 0$$
 (2.0.2)

The equation of a plane *P* passing through the line of intersection of the planes can be represented as

$$P: P_1 + \lambda P_2 = 0 \tag{2.0.3}$$

Therefore, P can be represented as

$$\mathbf{n}^T \mathbf{x} = c \tag{2.0.4}$$

Where

$$\mathbf{n} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 + 2\lambda \\ 1 + 3\lambda \\ 1 + 4\lambda \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.5}$$

$$c = 1 + 5\lambda \tag{2.0.6}$$

Given the plane is perpendicular to

$$P_3: (1 -1 1)\mathbf{x} = 0 (2.0.7)$$

whose normal $\mathbf{n_1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

Therefore,

$$\mathbf{n}^T \mathbf{n_1} = 0 \tag{2.0.8}$$

$$\implies \begin{pmatrix} 1 + 2\lambda \\ 1 + 3\lambda \\ 1 + 4\lambda \end{pmatrix}^T \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 0 \qquad (2.0.9)$$

Solving the above we get

$$\lambda = \frac{-1}{3} \tag{2.0.10}$$

Substituting the value of λ we have

$$\mathbf{n} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{3} \\ 0 \\ \frac{-1}{3} \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.11}$$

$$c = \frac{-2}{3} \tag{2.0.12}$$

Equation of the plane is,

$$\left(\frac{1}{3} \quad 0 \quad \frac{-1}{3}\right)\mathbf{x} = \frac{-2}{3}$$
 (2.0.13)

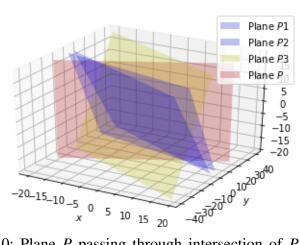


Fig. 0: Plane P passing through intersection of P_1 and P_2 and perpendicular to P_3