Assignment 3

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and latex-tikz codes from

https://github.com/kavya309/ASSIGNMNT 3/main. tex

1 Question No.2.37

Find the intercepts cut off by the plane $(2 \ 1 \ 1)x = 5$

2 SOLUTION

The given plane is,

$$(2 \ 1 \ 1) x = 5 \tag{2.0.1}$$

$$Let, x = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} e_1 \tag{2.0.2}$$

Substituting in (2.0.1)

$$(2 \quad 1 \quad 1) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} e_1 = 5$$
 (2.0.3)

$$(2e_1 + 0 + 0) = 5$$
 (2.0.4)
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$$e_1 = \frac{5}{2} \tag{2.0.6}$$

$$Let, x = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} e_2 \tag{2.0.7}$$

Substituting in (2.0.1)

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} e_2 = 5 \tag{2.0.8}$$

$$(0 + e_2 + 0) = 5 (2.0.9)$$

$$e_2 = 5$$
 (2.0.10)

$$Let, x = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e_3 \tag{2.0.11}$$

Substituting in (2.0.2)

$$(2 \quad 1 \quad 1) \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} e_3 = 5$$
 (2.0.12)

$$(0+0+e_3) = 5$$
 (2.0.13)
 $e_3 = 5$ (2.0.14)

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 (2.0.14)

Hence the intercepts cut off by the plane $(2 \ 1 \ 1)x = 5 \text{ are } 5/2, 5, 5$