

## Assignment #1

Q1: Given that

$$y^2 - x^2 - 6y - z + 9 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 - 6y + 9 - x^2 - z = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (y^2 - 2(3)(y) + (3)^2) - x^2 - z = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (y-3)^2 - x^2 - z = 0 \rightarrow (*)$$

$\Rightarrow f(x, y, z) = 0$ ; with one linear and two quadratic variables having opposite signature.

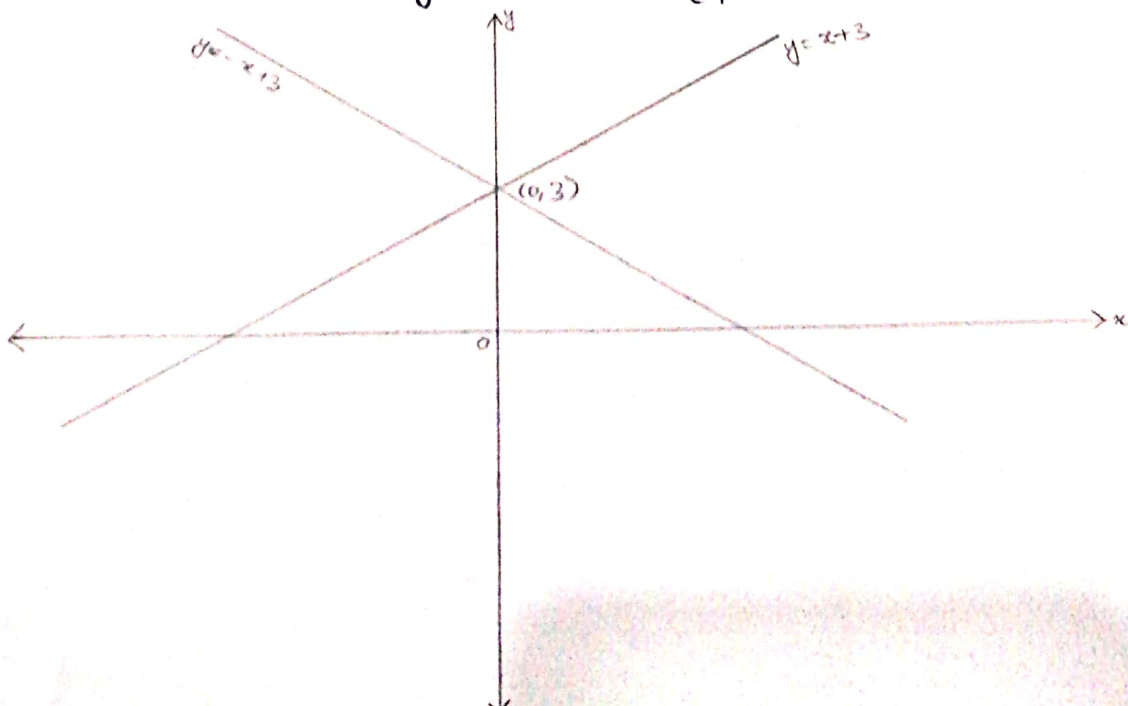
Equation (\*) represents a hyperbolic paraboloid with axis along  $z$ -axis and vertex at  $(0, 3, 0)$ .

(1)  $xy$ -trace:  $x=0$

Equation of trace:

$$(y-3)^2 - x^2 = 0 \text{ [using } z=0 \text{ in (*)]}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \pm x + 3 \text{ [pair of intersecting lines]}$$



(2) Trace on plane parallel to xy-plane:  $z = c > 0$

Let  $c = 1$

Equation of trace:

$$(y-3)^2 - x^2 = 1 \quad [\text{using } z=c=1 \text{ in } *]$$

This represents a hyperbola with major axis along y-axis. (Fig (a))

Note: For other values of  $z=c>1$  we will get hyperbolas.

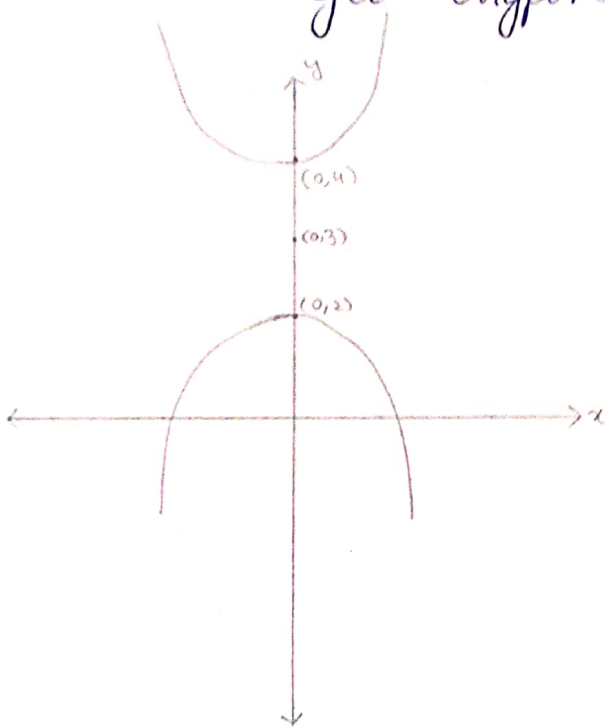


Fig (a)

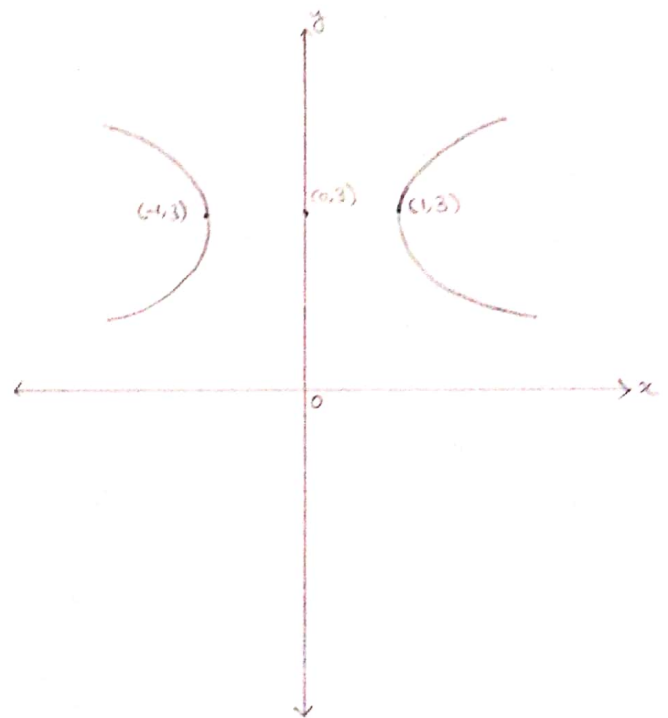


Fig (b)

(3) Trace on plane parallel to xy-plane:  $z = c < 0$

Let  $c = -1$

Equation of trace:

$$(y-3)^2 - x^2 = -1$$

$$\text{or } x^2 - (y-3)^2 = 1$$

This represents a hyperbola with major axis along x-axis. (Fig (b))

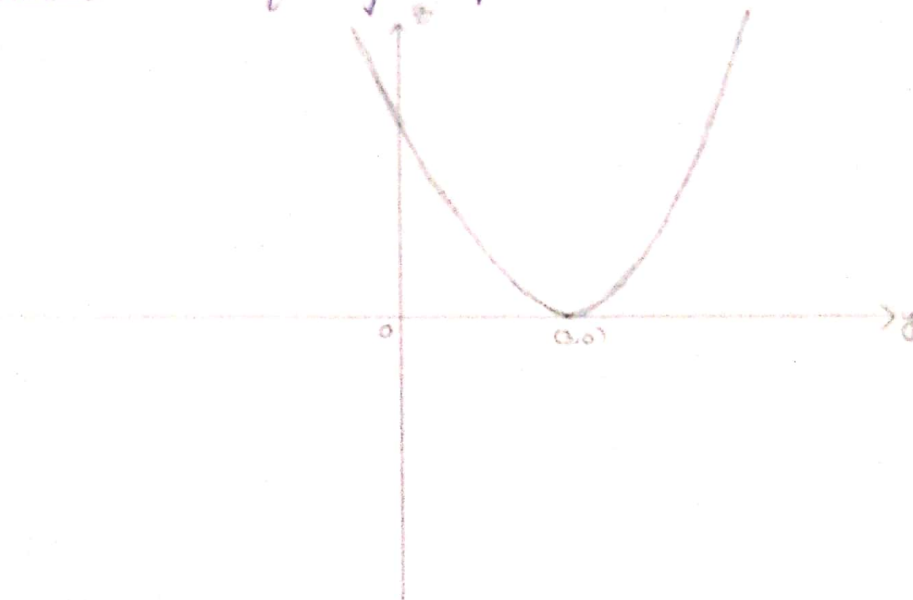
Note: For other values of  $z=c<-1$  we will get hyperbolas.

(4)  $y^2$ -trace:  $x=0$

Equation of trace:

$$(y-3)^2 = z. \quad [x=0 \text{ in eq. } \textcircled{*}]$$

This represents a parabola with vertex at  $(3,0)$  in  $y^2$ -plane. In 3D the vertex is  $(0,3,0)$  and parabola is facing upwards.



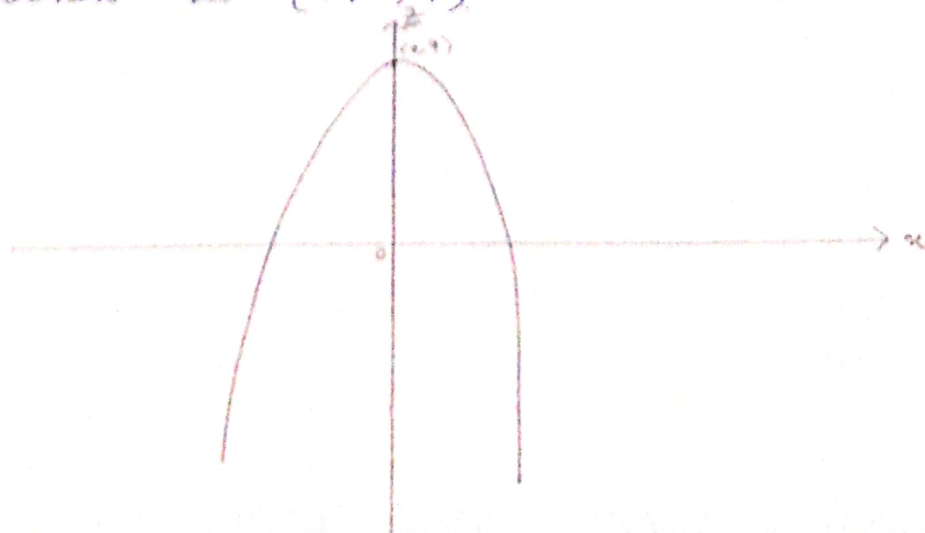
(5)  $x^2$ -trace:  $y=0$

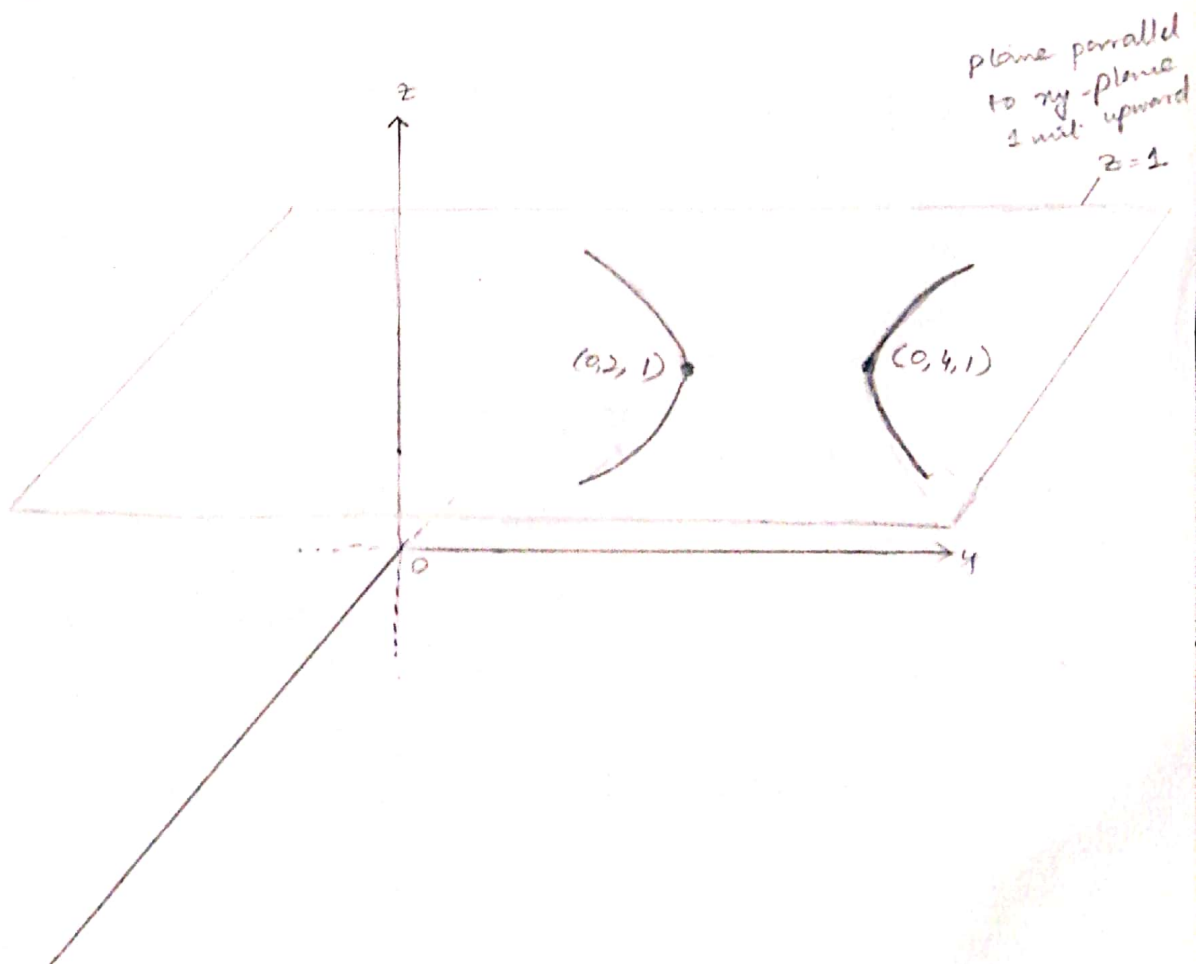
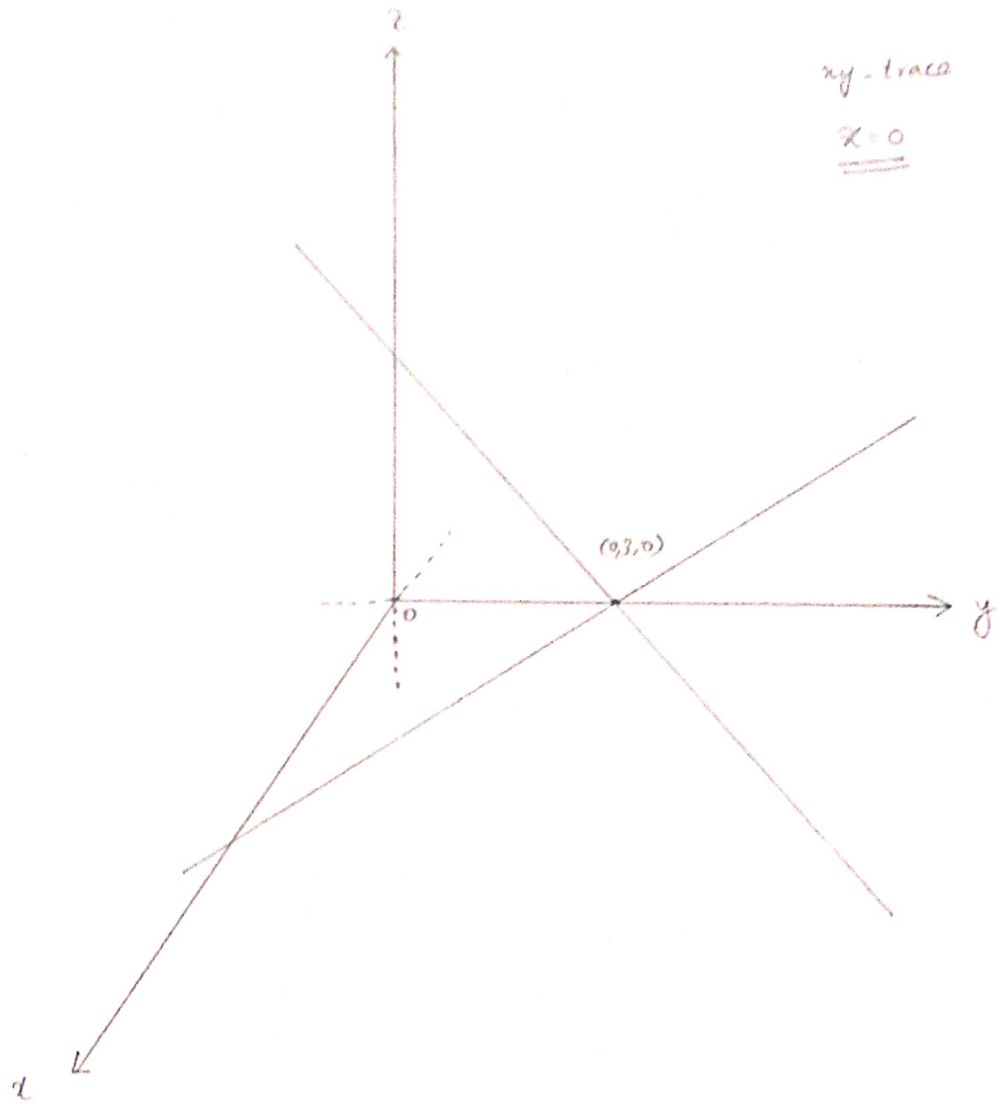
Equation of trace:

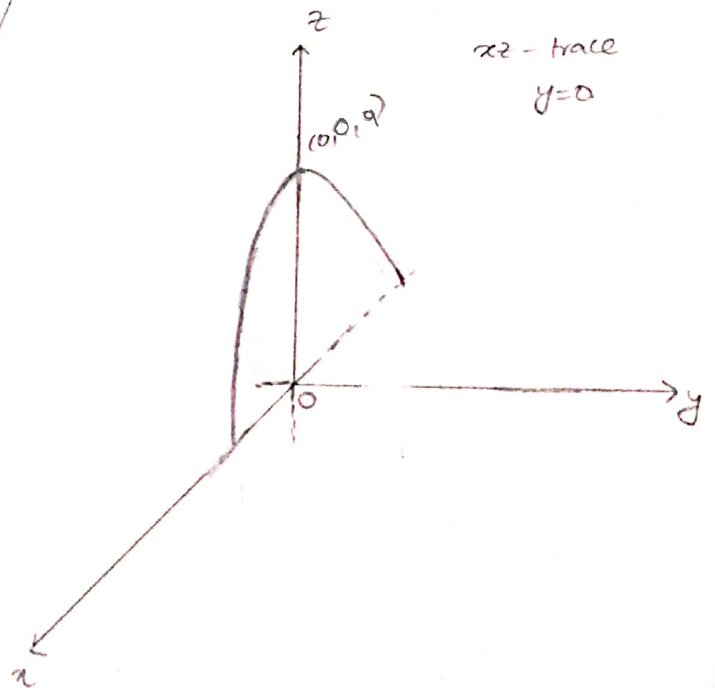
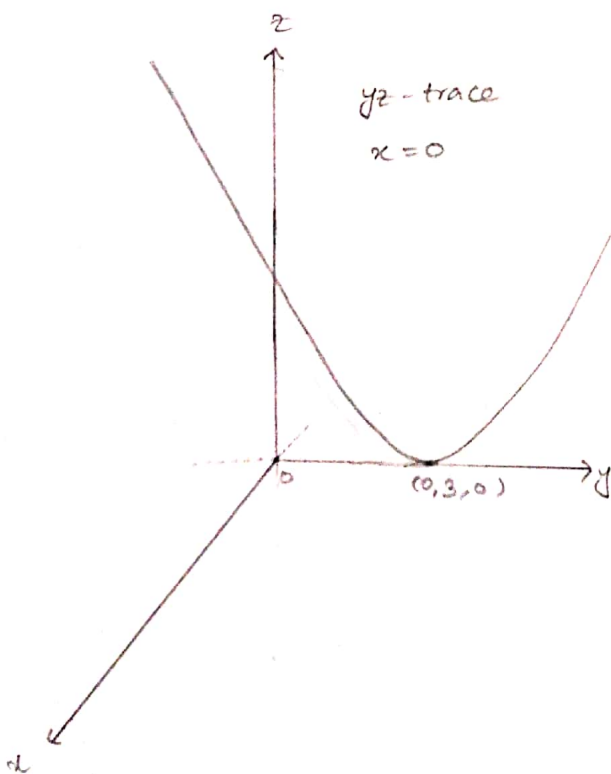
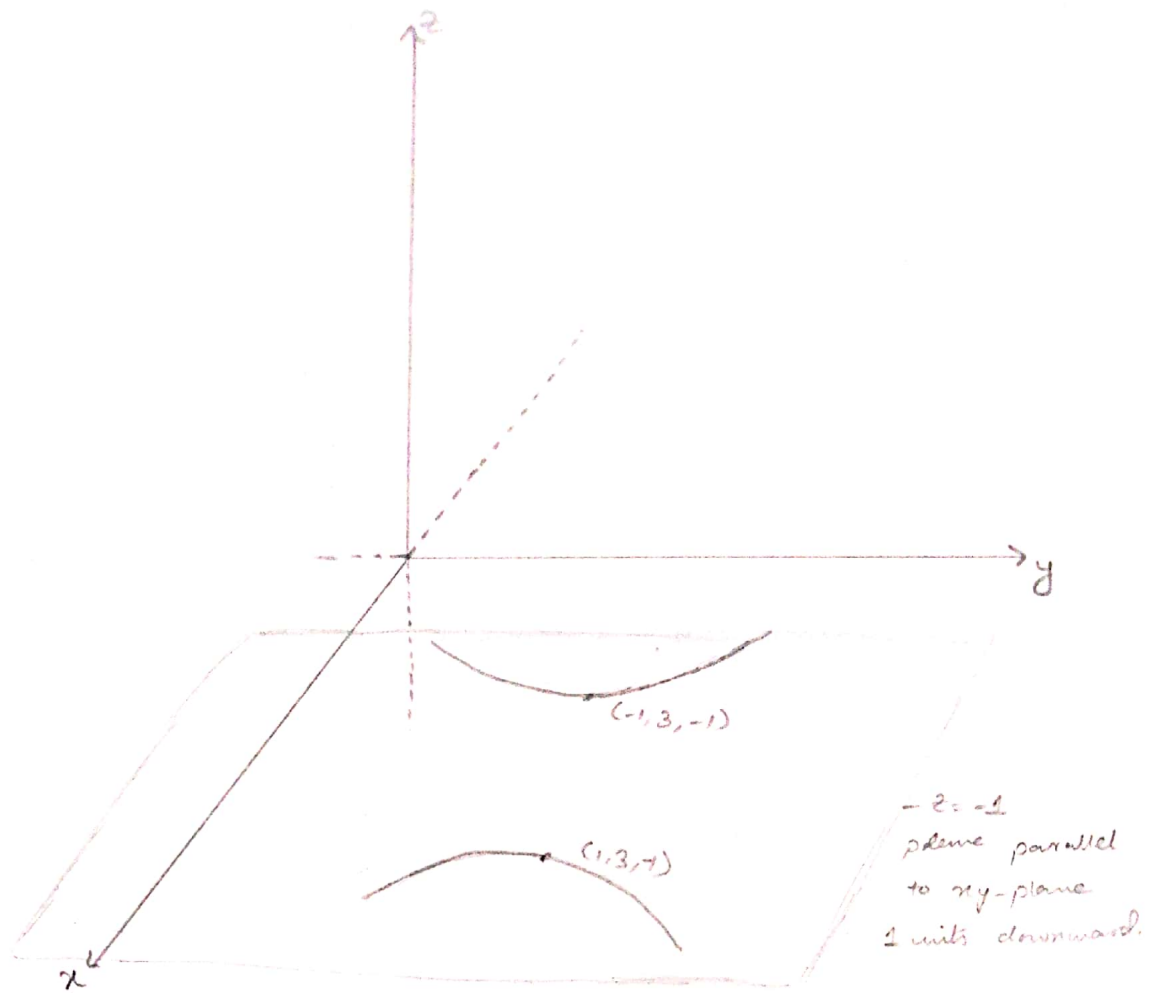
$$(0-3)^2 - x^2 = z \quad [\text{use } y=0 \text{ in eq. } \textcircled{*}]$$

$$\Rightarrow 9 - x^2 = z \Rightarrow x^2 = 9 - z.$$

This represents a parabola with vertex  $(0,9)$  in  $x^2$ -plane facing downwards. In 3D the vertex is  $(0,0,9)$ .







Q2. (a)

The line through A & B is:

$$x=1+t, y=-t, z=-1+5t \quad ; t \in \mathbb{R}$$

[Note: here we have used  $(x_0, y_0, z_0) = (1, 0, -1)$  and  $\langle a, b, c \rangle = \langle 1, -1, 5 \rangle$ ]

The line through C & D is parallel to the line through A & B and is given as:

$$L_1: x=1+t, y=2-t, z=3+5t \quad ; t \in \mathbb{R} \rightarrow (1)$$

The line through B & C is:

$$x=1, y=2+2s, z=3+4s \quad ; s \in \mathbb{R}$$

[Note: here we have used  $(x_0, y_0, z_0) = (1, 2, 3)$  and  $\langle a, b, c \rangle = \langle 0, 2, 4 \rangle$ ]

The line through A & D is parallel to the line through B & C and is given as:

$$L_2: x=2, y=-1+2s, z=4+4s \quad ; s \in \mathbb{R} \rightarrow (2)$$

The lines  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  intersect each other at point D  $(2, 1, 8)$  where  $t=1$  and  $s=1$ .

[Note: For finding point of intersection D of  $L_1$  &  $L_2$  we equate values of  $x, y$  and  $z$  in (1) & (2) and determine  $s$  and  $t$  which are unknown constants.]

Thus, coordinates of D are:  $(2, 1, 8)$ .

(b) In order to determine the cosine of the interior angle at B we need vectors  $\vec{BA}$  and  $\vec{BC}$ . Let  $\theta$  be interior angle at B, then



$$\cos \theta = \frac{\vec{BA} \cdot \vec{BC}}{|\vec{BA}| |\vec{BC}|} = \frac{\langle 1, -1, 5 \rangle \cdot \langle 0, 2, 4 \rangle}{\sqrt{27} \sqrt{20}}$$

$$= \frac{0 - 2 + 20}{\sqrt{9 \times 3 \times 5 \times 4}} = \frac{18}{6\sqrt{15}} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{15}}$$

Thus,  $\boxed{\cos \theta = \frac{3}{\sqrt{15}}}$

(c) Area of parallelogram =  $|\vec{BA} \times \vec{BC}|$

$$\vec{BA} \times \vec{BC} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & -1 & 5 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \hat{i} [-4 - 10] - \hat{j} [4 - 0] + \hat{k} [2 - 0]$$

$$= \langle -14, -4, 2 \rangle$$

$$|\vec{BA} \times \vec{BC}| = \sqrt{(-14)^2 + (-4)^2 + (2)^2} = \sqrt{216} = 6\sqrt{6}$$

Thus, area of parallelogram =  $6\sqrt{6}$ .

(d) In order to determine equation of plane we need a point and a normal vector. For the present case the normal vector to the plane is given as:

$$\vec{n} = \vec{BA} \times \vec{BC} = \langle -14, -4, 2 \rangle$$

and the point is:  $(1, 0, -1)$ .

Thus, the equation of plane is given as:

$$-14(x-1) - 4(y-0) + 2(z+1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -14x + 14 - 4y + 2z + 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -2[7x + 2y - z - 7 - 1] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 7x + 2y - z - 8 = 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{7x + 2y - z = 8}$$

Q3:- (a)  $\vec{s}(t) = \langle \sec t, \tan t, \frac{4}{3}t \rangle ; t = \pi/6$

$\vec{v}(t) = \text{velocity} = \vec{s}'(t) = \langle \sec t \tan t, \sec^2 t, \frac{4}{3} \rangle$

$\vec{a}(t) = \text{acceleration} = \vec{s}''(t) = \langle \sec t \tan^2 t + \sec^3 t, 2 \sec^2 t \tan t, 0 \rangle$

speed =  $|\vec{s}'(t)|_{t=\pi/6} = |\vec{v}(t)|_{t=\pi/6}$

$= |\vec{v}(\frac{\pi}{6})| = \sqrt{\sec^2(\frac{\pi}{6}) \tan^2(\frac{\pi}{6}) + \sec^4(\frac{\pi}{6}) + \frac{16}{9}}$

$= 2$

Direction of motion at given value of  $t = \frac{\vec{v}(\pi/6)}{|\vec{v}(\pi/6)|}$

$= \frac{\langle \sec(\pi/6) \tan(\pi/6), \sec^2(\pi/6), 4/3 \rangle}{2}$

$= \langle \frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3} \rangle$

Particle's velocity at given  $t$  as

the product of speed and direction =  $(2) \langle \frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3} \rangle$

$= \langle \frac{2}{3}, \frac{4}{3}, \frac{4}{3} \rangle$

(b)  $\vec{s}(t) = \langle e^{-t}, 2\cos(3t), 2\sin(3t) \rangle ; t = \pi/6$

$\vec{v}(t) = \vec{s}'(t) = \langle -e^{-t}, -6\sin(3t), 6\cos(3t) \rangle$

$\vec{a}(t) = \vec{s}''(t) = \langle e^{-t}, -18\cos(3t), -18\sin(3t) \rangle$

speed =  $|\vec{v}(\frac{\pi}{6})| = \sqrt{[-e^{-\pi/6}]^2 + [-6\sin(3\pi/6)]^2 + [6\cos(3\pi/6)]^2}$

$= \sqrt{e^{-\pi/3} + 36\sin^2(\frac{\pi}{2}) + 36\cos^2(\frac{\pi}{2})}$

$= \sqrt{36 + e^{-\pi/3}} \approx 6.03$

Direction of motion =  $\frac{\vec{v}(\pi/6)}{|\vec{v}(\pi/6)|} = \frac{\langle -e^{-\pi/6}, -6\sin(\pi/2), 6\cos(\pi/2) \rangle}{\sqrt{36 + e^{-\pi/3}}}$



$$\Rightarrow \text{Direction of motion} = \frac{\langle -0.599, -6, 0 \rangle}{6.03}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Velocity as a product} &= (6.03) \frac{\langle -0.59, -6, 0 \rangle}{(6.03)} \\ &= \langle -0.59, -6, 0 \rangle \end{aligned}$$

Q 4.19) Surface :  $z = x^2 + y^2 \rightarrow (1)$

Plane :  $5x - 6y + z - 8 = 0 \rightarrow (2)$

Using (1) in (2), we get

$$5x - 6y + x^2 + y^2 - 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 5x + y^2 - 6y - 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 2(x)\left(\frac{5}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{5}{2}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{5}{2}\right)^2 + y^2 - 2(y)(3) + (3)^2 - (3)^2 - 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(x + \frac{5}{2}\right)^2 + (y - 3)^2 - \frac{25}{4} - 9 - 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(x + \frac{5}{2}\right)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = \frac{93}{4}$$

Thus, the curve of intersection of the surface with the plane is a circle:

$$\left(x + \frac{5}{2}\right)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = \frac{93}{4}$$

with center at  $\left(-\frac{5}{2}, 3\right)$  and radius  $\frac{\sqrt{93}}{2}$ .

Parametrization of circle:

$$x = -\frac{5}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{93}}{2} \cos t ; y = 3 + \frac{\sqrt{93}}{2} \sin t.$$

$$\text{and } z = x^2 + y^2 \Rightarrow z = \left(-\frac{5}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{93}}{2} \cos t\right)^2 + \left(3 + \frac{\sqrt{93}}{2} \sin t\right)^2,$$

$$0 \leq t \leq 2\pi.$$

Thus, the required vector function is:

$$\vec{r}(t) = \left\langle \frac{-5}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{43}}{2} \cos t, 3 + \frac{\sqrt{43}}{2} \sin t, \left(\frac{-5}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{43}}{2} \cos t\right)^2 + \left(3 + \frac{\sqrt{43}}{2} \sin t\right)^2 \right\rangle;$$

$t \in [0, 2\pi]$ .

(b) Cylinder:  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$

hyperbolic paraboloid:  $z = xy$ .

The projection of cylinder onto the  $xy$ -plane is the circle:

$$x^2 + y^2 = 9; \quad z = 0,$$

So we can write:

$$x = 3 \cos t, \quad y = 3 \sin t$$

where  $0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$ .

From the equation of hyperbolic paraboloid we have:

$$z = (3 \cos t)(3 \sin t)$$

$$\Rightarrow z = 9 \cos t \sin t = 9 \sin t \cos t = \frac{9}{2} \sin(2t)$$

Thus, the parametric equations for the curve of intersection are:

$$x = 3 \cos t, \quad y = 3 \sin t, \quad z = \frac{9}{2} \sin(2t) \text{ and}$$

the corresponding vector equation is:

$$\vec{r}(t) = \left\langle 3 \cos t, 3 \sin t, \frac{9}{2} \sin(2t) \right\rangle,$$

where  $t \in [0, 2\pi]$ .

Q5:- (a)  $\operatorname{cosec} \phi = 2 \cos \theta + 4 \sin \theta$ .

Solution. Given equation is in spherical coordinates and we are required to convert this in Cartesian coordinates. Consider the equation:

$$\operatorname{cosec} \phi = 2 \cos \theta + 4 \sin \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sin \phi} = 2 \cos \theta + 4 \sin \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = 2 \sin \phi \cos \theta + 4 \sin \phi \sin \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho = 2 \rho \sin \phi \cos \theta + 4 \rho \sin \phi \sin \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2} = 2x + 4y \left[ \begin{array}{l} \because \rho^2 = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \\ x = \rho \sin \phi \cos \theta \\ y = \rho \sin \phi \sin \theta \end{array} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = (2x + 4y)^2$$

(b)  $\rho - \cos \phi = 2 + \cos^2 \phi$ .

Solution.  $\rho - \cos \phi = 2 + \cos^2 \phi$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2} - \frac{z}{\rho} = 2 + \frac{z^2}{\rho^2} \left[ \begin{array}{l} \because \rho^2 = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \\ z = \rho \cos \phi \Rightarrow \cos \phi = \frac{z}{\rho} \end{array} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2} - \frac{z}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} - \frac{z^2}{x^2 + y^2 + z^2} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{3/2} - z(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{1/2} - z^2}{x^2 + y^2 + z^2} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{3/2} - z \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2} - z^2 = 2(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{3/2} - z \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2} - 2x^2 - 2y^2 - 3z^2 = 0$$