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ASSIGNMENT 4

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1 Question No 2.21

Find the equation of plane passing through the points $a = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$; $b = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$ and $c = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 3 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$.

2 SOLUTION

The equation of plane is as $n^T x = 1$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 & -3 \\ -2 & -3 & 5 \\ 5 & 3 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{n} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$
 (2.0.1)

Row reducing the argumented matrix,

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 & -3 & 1 \\ -2 & -3 & 5 & 1 \\ 5 & 3 & -3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$
 (2.0.2)

$$\xrightarrow[R_3 \leftarrow 2R_3 - 5R_1]{R_2 \leftarrow \frac{R_2 + R_1}{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 & -3 & 1\\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1\\ 0 & -19 & 9 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$$
 (2.0.3)

$$\xrightarrow[R_3 \leftarrow R_1 - 5R_2]{R_3 \leftarrow \frac{R_3 + 19R_2}{4}} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & -8 & -4 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$
 (2.0.4)

$$\stackrel{R_3 \leftarrow 7R_2 - R_3}{\underset{R_1 \leftarrow \frac{7R_1 + 8R_2}{2}}{\longleftrightarrow}} \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 7 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$
(2.0.5)

$$\implies \mathbf{n} = \frac{1}{7} \begin{pmatrix} 2\\3\\4 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.6}$$

Thus, the equation of the plane passing through the given points is

$$(2 \ 3 \ 4) \mathbf{x} = 7 \tag{2.0.7}$$

Plot of the plane

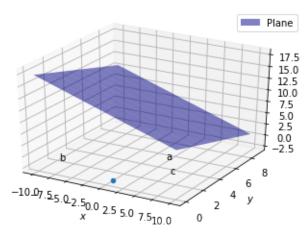


Fig. 2.1: Plot of the plane