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### **Synthesize**

In the problems that follow, we will use slicing to visualize the three dimensional graph of the function  $z=x^2-y^2$ .

### Intersections with planes, 1

2.0/2 points (graded)

Find the equation of the surface  $z=x^2-y^2$  intersected with the yz-plane.

$$z = \begin{bmatrix} -y^2 \end{bmatrix}$$
 Answer: -y^2

Find the equation of the surface  $z=x^2-y^2$  intersected with the xz-plane.

$$z = \begin{bmatrix} x^2 \end{bmatrix}$$
 Answer:  $x^2$ 

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#### **Solution:**

The intersection with the yz-plane is found by setting x=0 in the equation for the surface:

$$z=-y^2$$

The intersection with the xz-plane is found by setting y=0 in the equation for the surface:

$$z = x^2$$

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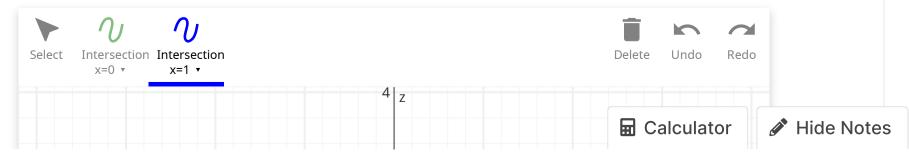
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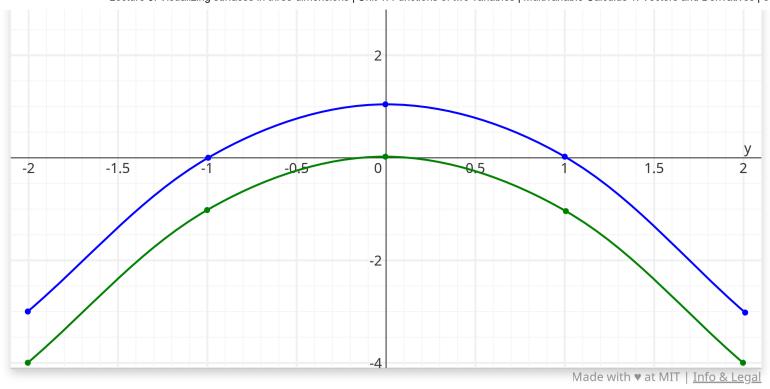
### Intersections with planes, 2

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Plot the intersection of the surface  $z=x^2-y^2$  with the planes x=0 and x=1.

Note that when drawing the function, you may choose between using the freeform or spline drawing tool using the dropdown menu in the menu of the sketch response tool. The freeform tool draws like a regular pencil using your mouse. The spline tool allows you to pick a series of discrete points, and it then connects them (once you have two or more points) with a curve.





Answer: See solution.



Good Job

#### **Solution:**

The intersection with the yz-plane defined by x=0 gives the curve  $z=0^2-y^2=-y^2$  .

The intersection with the plane x=1 gives the curve  $z=1^2-y^2=1-y^2$ .

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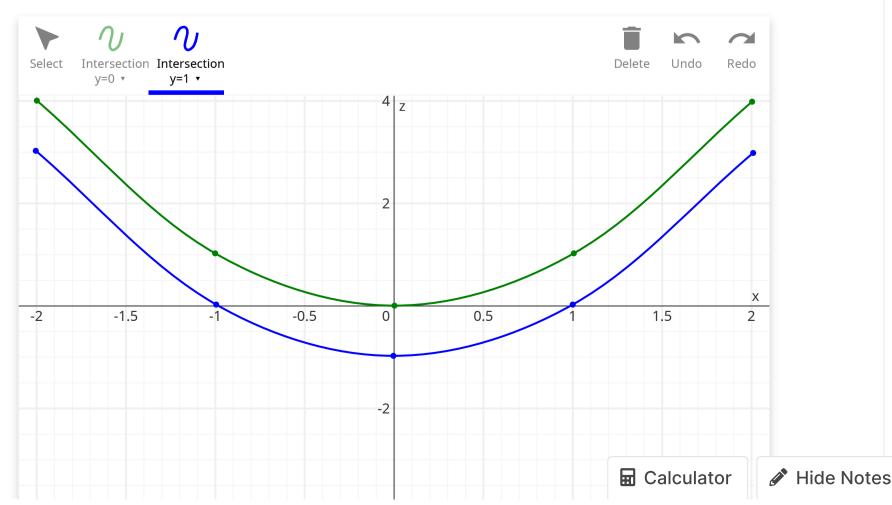
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### Intersections with planes, 3

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Plot the intersection of the surface  $z=x^2-y^2$  with the planes y=0 and y=1.

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Answer: See solution.



Good Job

#### **Solution:**

The intersection with the xz-plane defined by y=0 gives the curve  $z=x^2-0^2=x^2$ .

The intersection with the plane y=1 gives the curve  $z=x^2-1^2=x^2-1$ .

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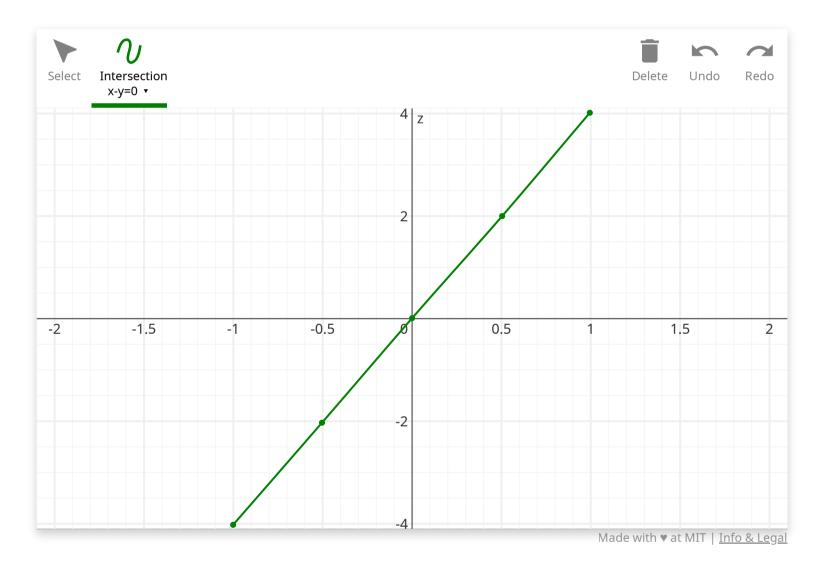
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### Intersections with planes, 4

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Plot the intersection of the surface  $z=x^2-y^2$  with the plane x-y=0.

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**Answer:** See solution.



There is an issue with your intersection. Try plugging in y=x and plotting.

#### Solution:

The intersection is given by  $z=x^2-x^2=0$ . Thus the graph is a horizontal line through the origin.

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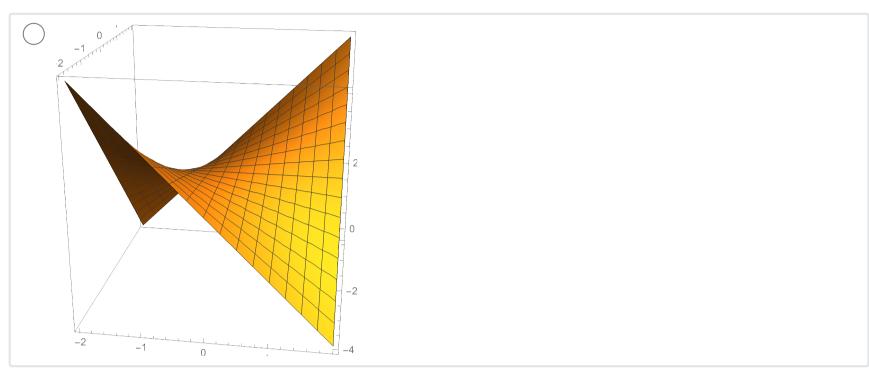


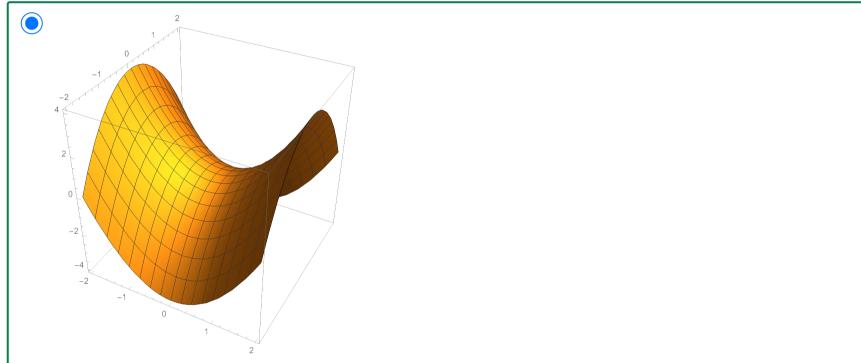
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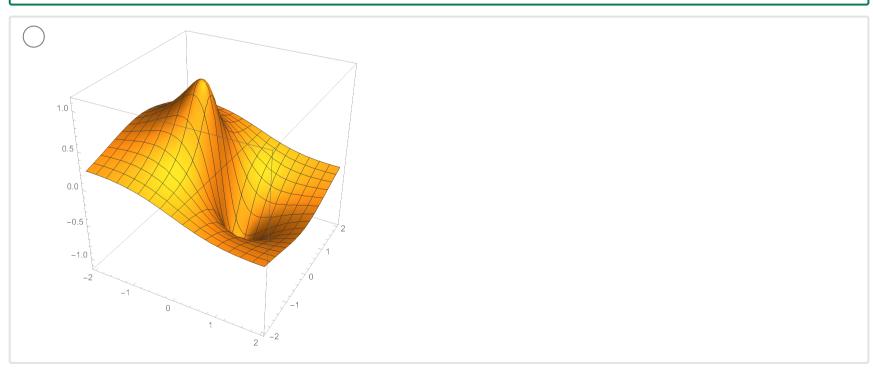
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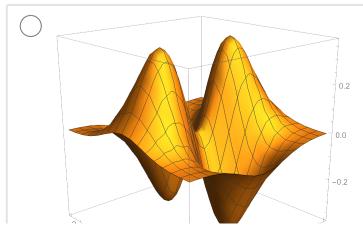
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Based on your drawings above, identify the shape of the surface.

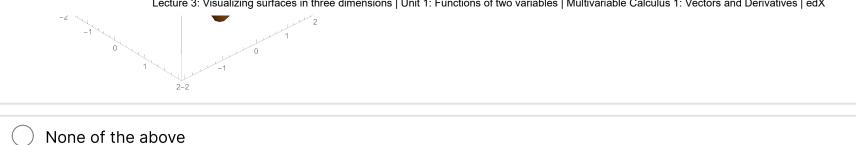








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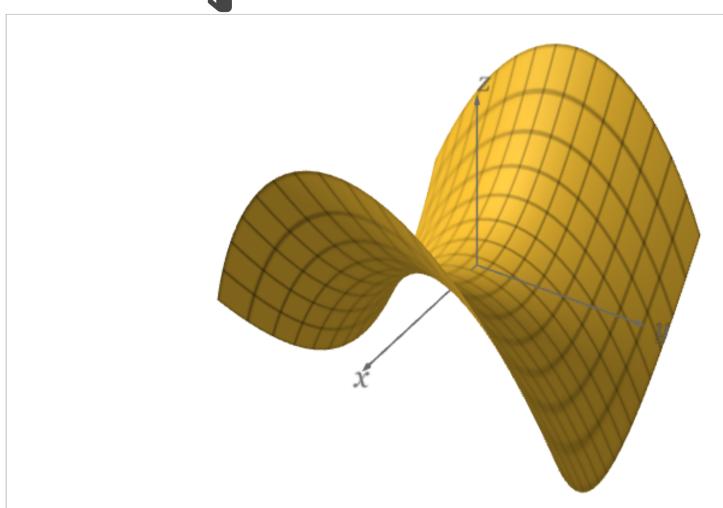




#### **Solution:**

The surface must be a concave up parabola along the intersection with the xz-plane, and a concave down parabola along the intersection with the  $\it yz$ -plane. The second option is the correct surface.

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