

Chapter: Three-dimensional Geometry.

Exercise: 11.3

1. Determine the direction cosines of the normal to the plane and the distance from the origin.
- (a) $z=2$

Solution: It is given that equation of the plane is $z=2$

Now we can tell that the direction ratios are $0,0,1$.

Which means $\sqrt{0+0+1^2} = 1$

Now we will divide both sides of equation by 1, we get

$$0+0+\frac{z}{1} = 2$$

Therefore, the direction cosines and distance of the plane is $(0,0,1)$ and 2 units respectively.

- (b) $x+y+z=1$

Ans : $x+y+z=1$ is the equation of the normal

Now, from the equation given we can say that the direction ratios of normal are 1, 1 and 1.

Which means $\sqrt{1^2+1^2+1^2} = \sqrt{3}$

Now we will divide the equation by $\sqrt{3}$, we get

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}x + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}y + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}z = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Therefore, the direction cosines and distance from the origin $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$

And $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ units respectively.

- (c). $2x+3y-z=5$

Solution: $2x+3y-z=5$ is the equation of the normal

Now, from the given equation we get the direction ratios of normal as 2, 3,-1.

Which means $\sqrt{2^2 + 3^2 + (-1)^2} = \sqrt{14}$

Now, we will divide the equation by $\sqrt{14}$, we get

$$\frac{2}{\sqrt{14}}x + \frac{3}{\sqrt{14}}y - \frac{1}{\sqrt{14}}z = \frac{5}{\sqrt{14}}$$

Therefore, the direction cosines and the distance from the origin of the normal are

$$\frac{2}{\sqrt{14}}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{14}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{14}} \text{ and } \frac{5}{\sqrt{14}} \text{ units respectively.}$$

(d) $5y + 8 = 0$.

Solution: $5y + 8 = 0 \Rightarrow 0x + 5y + 0z = -8$ is the given equation

Now, from the equation we can tell that the direction ratios of normal are 0, -5 and 0.

Which means $\sqrt{0^2 + (-5)^2 + 0^2} = 5$

Now, we will divide the equation by 5, we get

$$-y = \frac{8}{5}$$

Therefore, the direction cosines and the distance from the origin of the normal are 0, -

1, 0 and $\frac{8}{5}$ units respectively.

2. Find the vector equation of plane which is at the distance of 7 units from the origin

and the normal vector $3\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} - 6\hat{k}$

Solution: Let us consider the normal vector be $\vec{a} = 3\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} - 6\hat{k}$

$$\text{We know that } \hat{n} = \frac{\vec{n}}{|\vec{n}|} = \frac{3\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} - 6\hat{k}}{\sqrt{3^2 + 5^2 + 6^2}} = \frac{3\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} - 6\hat{k}}{\sqrt{70}}$$

As we know the equation of the plane with position vector is shown in form $\vec{r} \cdot \hat{n} = d$,

Therefore,

$$\Rightarrow \vec{r} \cdot \left(\frac{3\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} - 6\hat{k}}{\sqrt{70}} \right) = 7$$

Therefore, the vector equation is in the form $\vec{r} \cdot \left(\frac{3\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} - 6\hat{k}}{\sqrt{70}} \right) = 7$.

3. Find the Cartesian equation of planes

(a) $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 2$

Solution: We have been given equation of the plane as $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 2$

As we know, the position vector is $\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} - z\hat{k}$

Putting the values of \vec{r} in equation, we get

$$(x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} - z\hat{k}) \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x + y - z = 2$$

Therefore, the cartesian equation will be $x + y - z = 2$

(b) $\vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - 4\hat{k}) = 1$

Solution: We have been given equation of the plane as $\vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - 4\hat{k}) = 1$

As we know the position vector \vec{r} is given by,

$$\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} - z\hat{k}$$

Putting the values of \vec{r} in equation, we get

$$(x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} - z\hat{k}) \cdot (2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - 4\hat{k}) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x + 3y - 4z = 1$$

Therefore, the Cartesian equation will be $2x + 3y - 4z = 1, x + y - z = 2$

(c) $\vec{r} \cdot ((s - 2t)\hat{i} + (3 - t)\hat{j} + (2s + t)\hat{k}) = 15$

Solution: We have been given equation of the plane as

$$\vec{r} \cdot ((s-2t)\hat{i} + (3-t)\hat{j} + (2s+t)\hat{k}) = 15$$

As the position vector is in form as $\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} - z\hat{k}$

Putting the values of \vec{r} in equation, we get

$$(x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} - z\hat{k}) \cdot ((s-2t)\hat{i} + (3-t)\hat{j} + (2s+t)\hat{k}) = 15$$

$$\Rightarrow (s-2t)x + (3-t)y + (2s+t)z = 1$$

Therefore, the cartesian equation will be $(s-2t)x + (3-t)y + (2s+t)z = 1$

4. Find the coordinates of the foot of the perpendicular drawn from the origin.

a) $2x + 3y + 4z - 12 = 0$

Solution: Let us consider the coordinates of the foot be (x_1, y_1, z_1)

Now, we have been given equation as $2x + 3y + 4z - 12 = 0$

As we can tell the direction ratios will be 2, 3 and 4.

Which means, $\sqrt{2^2 + 3^2 + 4^2} = \sqrt{29}$

Now, we will divide the equation by $\sqrt{29}$, we get

$$\frac{2}{\sqrt{29}}x + \frac{3}{\sqrt{29}}y + \frac{4}{\sqrt{29}}z = \frac{12}{\sqrt{29}}$$

The coordinates of the foot of the perpendicular will be,

$$\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{29}} \cdot \frac{12}{\sqrt{29}}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{29}} \cdot \frac{12}{\sqrt{29}}, \frac{4}{\sqrt{29}} \cdot \frac{12}{\sqrt{29}} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{24}{29}, \frac{36}{49}, \frac{48}{29} \right)$$

Therefore, the coordinates of the foot of the perpendicular will be $\left(\frac{24}{29}, \frac{36}{49}, \frac{48}{29} \right)$

(b) $3y + 4z - 6 = 0$

Solution: Let us take the coordinates of the foot of perpendicular be (x_1, y_1, z_1)

Now, we have been given equation as $3y + 4z - 6 = 0$

As we can tell the direction ratios will be 0, 3 and 4.

Which means, $\sqrt{0+3^2+4^2} = 5$

Now, we will divide the equation by 5, we get

$$0x + \frac{3}{5}y + \frac{4}{5}z = \frac{6}{5}$$

Now, the coordinates of the foot of the perpendicular will be,

$$\left(0, \frac{3}{5} \cdot \frac{6}{5}, \frac{4}{5} \cdot \frac{6}{5}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(0, \frac{18}{25}, \frac{24}{25}\right)$$

Therefore, the coordinates of the foot of the perpendicular will be $\left(0, \frac{18}{25}, \frac{24}{25}\right)$

(c) $x + y + z = 1$

Solution: Let us consider the coordinates of the foot of perpendicular be (x_1, y_1, z_1)

Now, we have been given equation $x + y + z = 1$

As we can tell the direction ratios will be 1, 1 and 1.

Which means, $\sqrt{1^2+1^2+1^2} = \sqrt{3}$

Now, we will divide the equation by $\sqrt{3}$, we get

$$\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}x + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}y + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}z = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Now, the foot of the perpendicular will be,

$$\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}\right)$$

Therefore, the coordinates of the foot of the perpendicular will be $\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}\right)$

(d) $\Rightarrow 5y + 8 = 0$

Solution: Let us consider the coordinates of the foot of perpendicular be (x_1, y_1, z_1)

Now, we have been given equation as $5y + 8 = 0 \Rightarrow 0x - 5y + 0z = 8$

Now, we can tell that the direction ratios will be 0, 5 and 0.

Which means, $\sqrt{0+5^2+0}=5$

Now, we will divide the equation by 5, we get

$$-y = \frac{8}{5}$$

Therefore, the foot of the perpendicular will be $\left(0, (-1) \cdot \frac{8}{5}, 0\right)$

Therefore, the coordinates of the foot of the perpendicular is $\left(0, -\left(\frac{8}{5}\right), 0\right)$.

5. Find the vector and Cartesian equation of the planes

(a) That passes through the point $(1, 0, -2)$ and the normal to the plane is $\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}$

Solution: Now, according to the question, the position vector of point $(1, 0, -2)$ be $\vec{a} = \hat{i} - 2\hat{k}$

Now, the normal vector \vec{N} perpendicular to the plane will be $\vec{N} = \hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}$

Now, the vector equation of the plane will be in form $(\vec{r} - \vec{a}) \cdot \vec{N} = 0$

$$[\vec{r} - (\hat{i} - 2\hat{k})] \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 0$$

As, \vec{r} is the position vector of any point $p(x, y, z)$, we get

$$\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$$

Now,

$$[(x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}) - (\hat{i} - 2\hat{k})] \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 0 \Rightarrow [(x-1)\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + (z+2)\hat{k}] \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-1) + y - (z-2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x + y - z = 3$$

Therefore, the equation will be $x + y - z = 3$.

(b) That passes through the point (1,4,6) and the normal to the plane is $\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$

Solution: Now, according to question, the position vector of point vector of point (1, 4, 6) will be

$$\vec{a} = \hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + 6\hat{k}$$

As we know that the normal vector \vec{N} perpendicular to the plane, $\vec{N} = \hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$

So, the vector equation of the plane is will be in form,

$$[\vec{r} - (\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + 6\hat{k})] \cdot (\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 0$$

As, \vec{r} is the positive vector of any point p(x,y,z) in the plane,

Now,

$$[(x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}) - (\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + 6\hat{k})] \cdot (\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 0 \Rightarrow [(x-1)\hat{i} + (y-4)\hat{j} + (z-6)\hat{k}] \cdot (\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-1) - 2(y-4) + (z-6) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-1) - 2(y-4) + (z-6) = 0$$

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

Therefore, the equation of the plane will be $x - 2y + z + 1 = 0$.

6. If the plane passes through the given points, Find the equations of the plane.

(a) (1,1,-1), (6,4,-5), (-4,-2,3)

Solution: Now, let us consider the points be $A(1,1,-2), B(6,4,-5), C(-4,-2,3)$

$$\text{Now, } \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 6 & 4 & -5 \\ -4 & -2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = (12 - 10) - (18 - 20) - (12 + 16) = 2 + 2 - 4 = 0$$

Therefore, A,B,C are collinear points,

The number of planes passing through will be infinite

(b) (1,1,0), (1, 2, 1), (-2,2,-1)

Solution: Now, let consider the points be $A(1,1,0), B(1,2,1), C(-2,2,1)$

$$\text{Now, } \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ -2 & 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = (-2-2)-(2+2) = -8 \neq 0$$

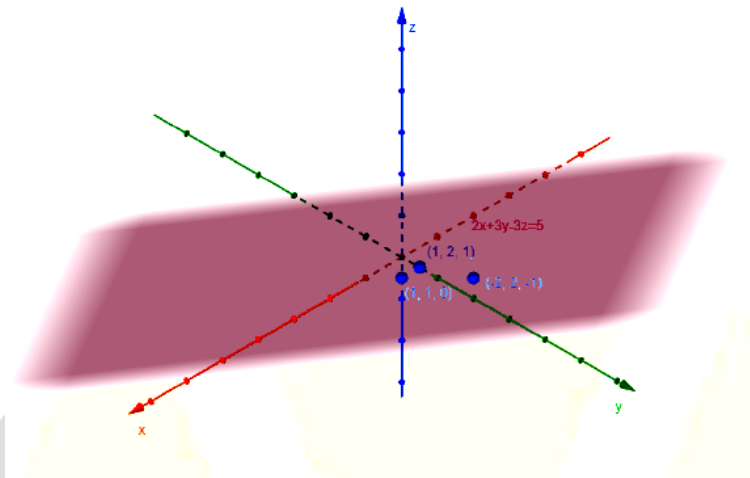
From this we get to know that a plane will pass through the points A, B, C

Now, the equation of the plane through the points will be,

$$\begin{vmatrix} x-x_1 & y-y_1 & z-z_1 \\ x_2-x_1 & y_2-y_1 & z_2-z_1 \\ x_3-x_1 & y_3-y_1 & z_3-z_1 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} x-1 & y-1 & z \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ -3 & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (-2)(x-1) - 3(y-1) + 3z = 0 \Rightarrow -2x - 3y + 3z + 2 + 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -2x - 3y + 3z = -5 \Rightarrow 2x + 3y - 3z = 5$$



Therefore, the equation of the plane is $2x + 3y - 3z = 5$.

7. Find the intercepts cut off by the plane $2x + y - z = 5$

Solution: Now, the equation of the plane is given as $2x + y - z = 5$

Now we will divide both sides by 5, we get intercepts,

$$\frac{2x}{5} + \frac{y}{5} - \frac{z}{5} = 1 \Rightarrow \frac{x}{\frac{5}{2}} + \frac{y}{5} + \frac{z}{-5} = 1$$

Now, as we know the equation of a plane in intercepts form is $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} + \frac{z}{c} = 1$, As

We can see that we got $a = \frac{5}{2}, b = 5, c = -5$ as the intercepts of the plane.

Therefore, the intercepts of the plane will be $\frac{5}{2}, 5$ and 5 .

8. Find the equation of the plane parallel to ZOY plane and having intercept 3 on the y-axis.

Solution: We have been given plane ZOY with intercept 3

As we know, if the plane is parallel to the equation, it will be in the form $y=a$

Since the y-intercept of the plane is 3, we get

$$A=3$$

Therefore, the equation of the required plane is $y=3$.

9. Find the equation of the plane through the point (2,2,1) and the intersection of the plane $3x - y + 2z - 4 = 0$ and $x + y + z - 2 = 0$

Solution: As it's given that the equation of the plane pass through the intersection of the planes $3x - y + 2z - 4 = 0$ and $x + y + z - 2 = 0$, and passes through the point (2, 2, 1)

We know that $(3x - y + 2z - 4) + \alpha(x + y + z - 2) = 0, \alpha \in R$

Therefore, $(3 \times 2 - 2 + 2 \times 1 - 4) + \alpha(2 + 2 + 1 - 2) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 2 + 3\alpha = 0 \Rightarrow \alpha = -\frac{2}{3}$$

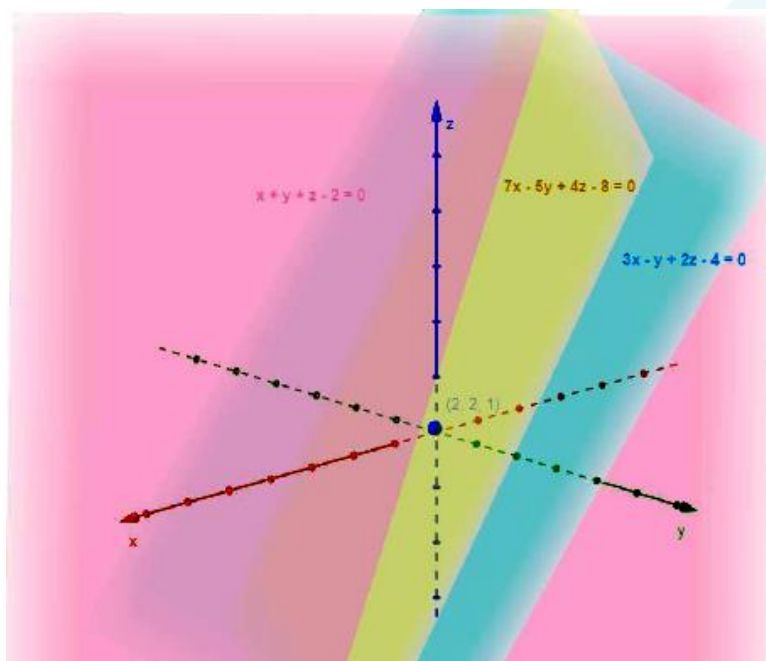
Now, putting $\alpha = -\frac{2}{3}$, we get

$$(3x - y + 2z - 4) - \frac{2}{3}(x + y + z - 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3(3x - y + 2z - 4) - 2(x + y + z - 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (6x - 3y + 6z - 12) - 2(x + y + z - 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 7x - 5y + 4z - 8 = 0$$



Therefore, the equation of the plane will be $7x - 5y + 4z - 8 = 0$

10. Find the vector equation of the plane passing through the point $(2, 1, 3)$ and the intersection of the planes $\vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) = 7$, $\vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) = 9$

Solution: It is given that the equations for planes passes through $(2, 1, 3)$ and the intersection of the given planes,

$$\Rightarrow \vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) - 7 = 0 \text{ and } \vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) - 9 = 0$$

Now, the equation of the required plane will be

$$\left[\vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) - 7 \right] + \lambda \left[\vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) - 9 \right] = 0, \lambda \in R$$

$$\vec{r} \cdot \left[(2\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) + \lambda(2\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) \right] = 9\lambda + 7$$

$$\vec{r} \cdot \left[(2+2\lambda)\hat{i} + (2+5\lambda)\hat{j} + (3\lambda-3)\hat{k} \right] = 9\lambda + 7$$

As plane passes through $(2, 1, 3)$, the position vector will be,

$$\vec{r} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$$

Putting this in equation $\vec{r} \cdot \left[(2+2\lambda)\hat{i} + (2+5\lambda)\hat{j} + (3\lambda-3)\hat{k} \right] = 9\lambda + 7$ we get,

$$(2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) \cdot \left[(2+2\lambda)\hat{i} + (2+5\lambda)\hat{j} + (3\lambda-3)\hat{k} \right] = 9\lambda + 7$$

$$\Rightarrow (2+2\lambda) + (2+5\lambda) + (3\lambda-3) = 9\lambda + 7$$

$$\Rightarrow 18\lambda - 3 = 9\lambda + 7$$

$$\Rightarrow 9\lambda = 10 \Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{10}{9}$$

After putting this value in equation $\vec{r} \cdot [(2+2\lambda)\hat{i} + (2+5\lambda)\hat{j} + (3\lambda-3)\hat{k}] = 9\lambda + 7$ we

Will get,

$$\vec{r} \cdot \left[\frac{38}{9}\hat{i} + \frac{68}{9}\hat{j} + \frac{3}{9}\hat{k} \right] = 17$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{r} \cdot [38\hat{i} + 68\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}] = 153$$

Therefore, the vector equation will be $\vec{r} \cdot [38\hat{i} + 68\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}] = 153$

11. Find the equation of the plane perpendicular to the plane $x - y + z = 0$.

And through the line of intersection of the plane $x + y + z = 1$ and $2x + 3y + 4z = 5$

Solution: It is given that the equation of the plane is perpendicular to $x - y + z = 0$ and pass through the intersection of planes, we got

$$(x + y + z - 1) + \lambda(2x + 3y + 4z - 5) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2\lambda + 1)x + (3\lambda + 1)y + (4\lambda + 1)z - (5\lambda + 1) = 0$$

From this we can tell that $a_1 = (2\lambda + 1), b_1 = (3\lambda + 1), c_1 = (4\lambda + 1)$

Now, according to the question the plane is perpendicular to $x - y + z = 0$

We got, $a_2 = 1, b_2 = -1, c_2 = 1$

We know that if planes are perpendicular, then,

$$a_1 a_2 + b_1 b_2 + c_1 c_2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2\lambda + 1) - (3\lambda + 1) + (4\lambda + 1) = 0$$

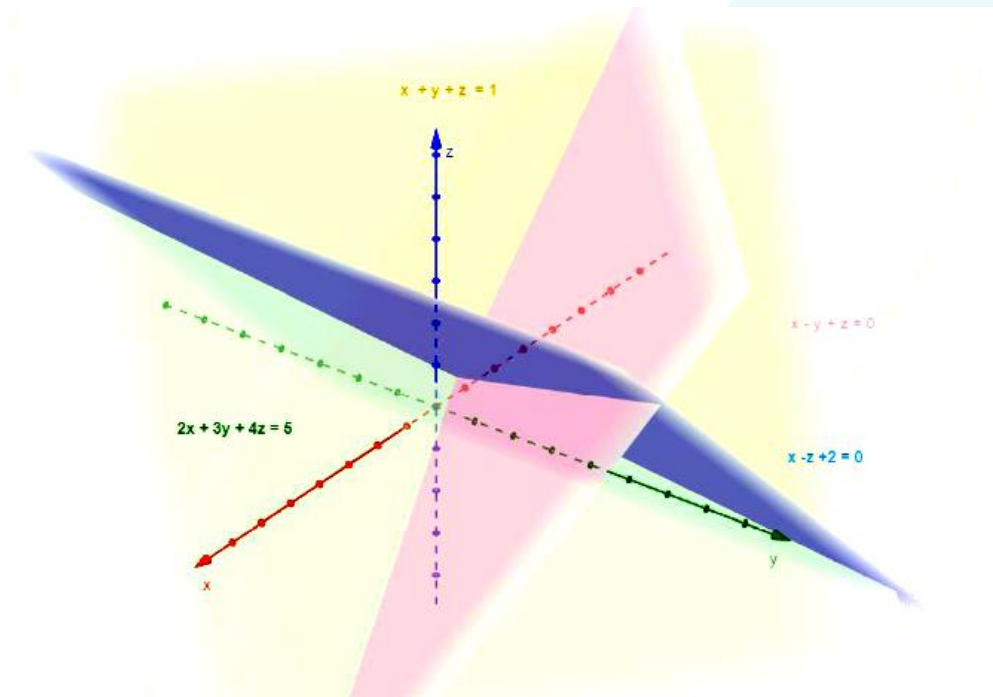
$$\Rightarrow 3\lambda + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = -\frac{1}{3}$$

By putting the value in equation $(2\lambda + 1)x + (3\lambda + 1)y + (4\lambda + 1)z - (5\lambda + 1) = 0$, we

got

$$\frac{1}{3}x + \frac{1}{3}z + \frac{2}{3} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x - z + 2 = 0$$



Therefore, the equation of the plane will be $x - z + 2 = 0$

12. For these vectors equations of planes $\vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) = 5$ and $\vec{r} \cdot (3\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}) = 3$, find the angle between them.

Solution: According to the question we have been given two equation of planes,

$$\vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) = 5 \text{ and } \vec{r} \cdot (3\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}) = 3$$

Now, we know that if \vec{n}_1 and \vec{n}_2 are normal to the planes, then,

$$\vec{r} \cdot \vec{n}_1 = d_1 \text{ and } \vec{r} \cdot \vec{n}_2 = d_2,$$

As we know, we can find the angle by $\cos \theta = \frac{|\vec{n}_1 \cdot \vec{n}_2|}{|\vec{n}_1| |\vec{n}_2|}$

We got,

$$\vec{n}_1 = 2\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k} \text{ and } \vec{n}_2 = 3\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$$

$$\therefore \vec{n}_1 \cdot \vec{n}_2 = (2\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) \cdot (3\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}) = 2 \cdot 3 + 2(-3) + (-3)5 = -15,$$

$$|\vec{n}_1| = \sqrt{2^2 + 2^2 + (-3)^2} = \sqrt{17}$$

$$|\vec{n}_2| = \sqrt{3^2 + (-3)^2 + (5)^2} = \sqrt{43}$$

Now, by putting all these values in equation $\cos \theta = \frac{|\vec{n}_1 \cdot \vec{n}_2|}{|\vec{n}_1| |\vec{n}_2|}$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{|-15|}{\sqrt{17} \sqrt{43}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{15}{\sqrt{731}} \Rightarrow \theta = \cos^{-1} \left[\frac{15}{\sqrt{731}} \right]$$

Therefore, the angle between them is $\theta = \cos^{-1} \left[\frac{15}{\sqrt{731}} \right]$.

13. Determine whether the given planes are parallel or perpendicular, and in case they are neither, find the angles between them.

Solution: We know that the direction ratios of normal to the plane are a_1, b_1, c_1 and a_2, b_2, c_2 ,

We know that if lines are parallel then, $\frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{b_1}{b_2} = \frac{c_1}{c_2}$ and if lines are

Perpendicular then $a_1 a_2 + b_1 b_2 + c_1 c_2 = 0$

The angle between the planes can be found by, $\theta = \cos^{-1} \left| \frac{a_1 a_2 + b_1 b_2 + c_1 c_2}{\sqrt{a_1^2 + b_1^2 + c_1^2} \sqrt{a_2^2 + b_2^2 + c_2^2}} \right|$

(a) $7x + 5y + 6z + 30 = 0$ and $3x - y - 10z + 4 = 0$

Solution: The equations are given as $7x + 5y + 6z + 30 = 0$ and $3x - y - 10z + 4 = 0$

From the equations we got $a_1 = 7, b_1 = 5, c_1 = 6$ and $a_2 = 3, b_2 = -1, c_2 = -10$

Now we will check whether the planes are perpendicular or parallel, then

$$\text{Now, } a_1 a_2 + b_1 b_2 + c_1 c_2 = 7 \times 3 + 5 \times (-1) + 6 \times (-10) = -44 \neq 0$$

Therefore, the planes are not perpendicular.

Now, $\frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{7}{3}, \frac{b_1}{b_2} = \frac{5}{-1}, \frac{c_1}{c_2} = \frac{-3}{5}$

It can be seen that $\frac{a_1}{a_2} \neq \frac{b_1}{b_2} \neq \frac{c_1}{c_2}$

Therefore, the given planes are not parallel.

The angle between them is given by

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \left| \frac{7 \times 3 + 5 \times (-1) + 6 \times (-10)}{\sqrt{7^2 + 5^2 + 6^2} \sqrt{3^2 + (-1)^2 + (-10)^2}} \right|$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \frac{44}{110} = \cos^{-1} \frac{2}{5}$$

(b) $2x + y + 3z - 2 = 0$ and $x - 2y + 5 = 0$

Solution: The equations are given as $2x + y + 3z - 2 = 0$ and $x - 2y + 5 = 0$

From this we got, $a_1 = 2, b_1 = 1, c_1 = 3$ and $a_2 = 1, b_2 = 2, c_2 = 0$

Now, $a_1 a_2 + b_1 b_2 + c_1 c_2 = 2 \times 1 + 1 \times (-2) + 3 \times 0 \neq 0$

Therefore, the planes are not perpendicular to each other.

Now, $\frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{2}{1}, \frac{b_1}{b_2} = \frac{1}{2}, \frac{c_1}{c_2} = \frac{-3}{0}$

It can be seen that $\frac{a_1}{a_2} \neq \frac{b_1}{b_2} \neq \frac{c_1}{c_2}$

Now, the angle between them will be

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \left| \frac{2 \times 1 + 1 \times (2) + 3 \times (0)}{\sqrt{2^2 + 1^2 + 3^2} \sqrt{1^2 + (2)^2 + 0^2}} \right|$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \frac{4}{\sqrt{70}} = \cos^{-1} \frac{2}{5}$$

(c) $2x - 2y + 4z + 5 = 0$ and $3x - 3y + 6z - 1 = 0$

Solution: The equations are given as $2x - 2y + 4z + 5 = 0$ and $3x - 3y + 6z - 1 = 0$

From this we got, $a_1 = 2, b_1 = -2, c_1 = 4$ and $a_2 = 3, b_2 = -3, c_2 = 6$

$$\text{Now, } a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 + c_1c_2 = 2 \times 3 + (-2) \times (-3) + 4 \times (6) = 36 \neq 0$$

Therefore, the given planes are not perpendicular.

$$\text{Now, } \frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{2}{3}, \frac{b_1}{b_2} = \frac{2}{3}, \frac{c_1}{c_2} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\therefore \frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{b_1}{b_2} = \frac{c_1}{c_2}$$

Therefore, the given planes are parallel to each other.

$$(d) \quad 2x - y + 3z - 1 = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad 2x - y + 3z + 3 = 0$$

Solution: The equations are given as $2x - y + 3z - 1 = 0$ and $2x - y + 3z + 3 = 0$

$$\text{From this we got, } a_1 = 2, b_1 = -1, c_1 = 3 \quad \text{and} \quad a_2 = 2, b_2 = -1, c_2 = 3$$

$$\text{Now, as we can see } \frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{2}{2} = 1, \frac{b_1}{b_2} = \frac{-1}{-1} = 1, \frac{c_1}{c_2} = \frac{3}{3} = 1$$

$$\therefore \frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{b_1}{b_2} = \frac{c_1}{c_2}$$

Therefore, the given planes are parallel to each other.

$$(e) \quad 4x + 8y + z - 8 = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad y + z - 4 = 0$$

Solution: The equations are given as $4x + 8y + z - 8 = 0$ and $y + z - 4 = 0$

$$\text{From this we get, } a_1 = 4, b_1 = 8, c_1 = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad a_2 = 0, b_2 = 1, c_2 = 1$$

$$\text{Now, } a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 + c_1c_2 = 4 \times 0 + 8 \times (1) + 1 = 9 \neq 0$$

Therefore, the given planes are not perpendicular.

$$\text{Now, } \frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{4}{0}, \frac{b_1}{b_2} = \frac{8}{1} = 8, \frac{c_1}{c_2} = \frac{1}{1} = 1$$

$$\text{It can be seen that } \frac{a_1}{a_2} \neq \frac{b_1}{b_2} \neq \frac{c_1}{c_2}$$

Therefore, the given planes are not parallel.

Therefore, the angle between them will be,

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \left| \frac{4 \times 0 + 8 \times (1) + 1 \times 1}{\sqrt{4^2 + 8^2 + 1^2} \sqrt{0^2 + (1)^2 + (1)^2}} \right|$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \frac{9}{9\sqrt{2}} = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = 45^\circ$$

Therefore, the angle between them is 45° .

14. In the following cases, find the distance of each of the given points from the corresponding given plane.

Solution: The distance between a point and a plane is given by,

$$d = \left| \frac{Ax_1 + By_1 + Cz_1 - D}{\sqrt{A^2 + B^2 + C^2}} \right|$$

(a) $(0, 0, 0)$ $3x - 4y + 12z = 3$

Ans: The given point is $(0, 0, 0)$ and the plane is $3x - 4y + 12z = 3$

Now the distance will be,

$$d = \left| \frac{3 \times 0 - 4 \times 0 + 12 \times 0 - 3}{\sqrt{(-3)^2 + (-4)^2 + 12^2}} \right| = \frac{3}{\sqrt{169}} = \frac{3}{13}$$

Therefore, the distance will be $\frac{3}{13}$.

(b) $(3, -2, 1)$ $2x - y + 2z + 3 = 0$

Ans: The given point is $(3, -2, 1)$ and the plane is $2x - y + 2z + 3 = 0$

$$\text{Now the distance will be } d = \left| \frac{2 \times 3 - (-2) \times 1 + 2 \times 1 + 3}{\sqrt{(2)^2 + (-1)^2 + 2^2}} \right| = \left| \frac{13}{3} \right| = \frac{13}{3}$$

Therefore, the distance will be $\frac{13}{3}$.

(c) $(2, 3, -5)$ $x + 2y - 2z = 9$

Ans: The given point is $(2, 3, -5)$ and the plane is $x + 2y - 2z = 9$

Now the distance will be,

$$d = \frac{|2 + 2 \times 3 - 2 \times (-5) - 3|}{\sqrt{(1)^2 + (2)^2 + (-2)^2}} = \frac{9}{3} = 3$$

Therefore, the distance will be 3.

(d) $(-6, 0, 0)$ $2x - 3y + 6z - 2 = 0$

Ans: The given point is $(-6, 0, 0)$ and the plane is $2x - 3y + 6z - 2 = 0$

Now, the distance will be,

$$d = \frac{|2 \times (-6) - 3 \times 0 + 6 \times 0 - 2|}{\sqrt{(2)^2 + (-3)^2 + 6^2}} = \frac{|-14|}{\sqrt{49}} = \frac{14}{7} = 2$$

Therefore, the distance will be $\frac{3}{13}$.