

Example 1 line in (x, y) passing through $(1, 2)$, $(-3, 7)$

$$\text{slope} = \frac{7-2}{-3-1} = \frac{5}{-4}$$

Point - Slope form $y-1 = -\frac{5}{4}(x-2)$ or $y = -\frac{5}{4}x + \frac{7}{2}$

parametric form $\vec{PQ} = \langle -4, 5 \rangle$ $\begin{cases} x = -4t + 1 \\ y = 5t + 2 \end{cases}$

vector form : $\vec{PQ} = \langle -4, 5 \rangle$, Normal direction $\langle 5, 4 \rangle$

$$\langle 5, 4 \rangle \cdot \langle x-1, y-2 \rangle = 0$$

$$5(x-1) + 4(y-2) = 0$$

$$5x + 4y = 13$$

Ex 2 ① $P(1, 2, 3)$, $Q(2, -4, 9)$, $R(0, 5, -4)$

$$\vec{PQ} = \langle 1, -6, 6 \rangle \quad \vec{PR} = \langle -1, 3, -7 \rangle$$

normal direction = $\vec{PQ} \times \vec{PR} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & -6 & 6 \\ -1 & 3 & -7 \end{vmatrix} = 24\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$

plane : $\langle 24, 1, -3 \rangle \cdot \langle x-1, y-2, z-3 \rangle = 0$

$$24(x-1) + 1(y-2) + (-3)(z-3) = 0$$

$$24x - 24 + y - 2 - 3z + 9 = 0$$

$$24x + y - 3z = 17$$

(2) planes: $x - y + z = 4$, $3x + 4y - 5z = 0$

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normal direction \downarrow \downarrow
 $\langle 1, -1, 1 \rangle$ $\langle 3, 4, -5 \rangle$

angle between planes
= angle between normal direction

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\langle 1, -1, 1 \rangle \cdot \langle 3, 4, -5 \rangle}{\sqrt{1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2} \sqrt{3^2 + 4^2 + 5^2}}$$
$$= \frac{3 - 4 - 5}{\sqrt{3} \cdot 5\sqrt{2}} = \frac{-6}{5\sqrt{6}} = -\frac{\sqrt{6}}{5}$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \left(-\frac{\sqrt{6}}{5} \right)$$

(3) point: $P(1, 2, 3)$ parallel to $2x + 4y + 7z = 18$

Two planes are parallel if their normal vectors are same

$$\langle 2, 4, 7 \rangle \cdot \langle x-1, y-2, z-3 \rangle = 0$$

$$2(x-1) + 4(y-2) + 7(z-3) = 0$$

$$2x - 2 + 4y - 8 + 7z - 21 = 0$$

$$2x + 4y + 7z = 31$$

Ex 3 (1) direction $\vec{PQ} = \langle -5, 5, -3 \rangle$

$P(1, 2, 3)$, $Q(-4, 7, 0)$

parametric equation: $x = -5t + 1$, $y = 5t + 2$, $z = -3t + 3$

symmetric equation: $\frac{x-1}{-5} = \frac{y-2}{5} = \frac{z-3}{-3}$

(2) z-axis $\{(0, 0, z) : z \in \mathbb{R}\}$

direction: $\langle 0, 0, 1 \rangle$

parametric: $x=0, y=0, z=t$

symmetric: $x=0, y=0, z$.

(3) line where $x+y+z=0$ and $2x-3y+7z=9$ intersect.

Strategy 1: normal $\vec{u} = \langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle$ and $\vec{v} = \langle 2, -3, 7 \rangle$

So the direction of line \perp both $\Rightarrow \vec{u} \times \vec{v}$.

Then find a point.

Strategy 2: Solve $\begin{cases} x+y+z=0 \\ 2x-3y+7z=9 \end{cases} \Rightarrow z = -x-y$

$$\Rightarrow 2x - 3y + 7(-x - y) = 9 \Rightarrow -5x - 10y = 9$$

$$\Rightarrow 5x = -9 - 10y \Rightarrow x = -2y - \frac{9}{5}$$

Let $t = y$

$$\begin{cases} x = -2t - \frac{9}{5} \\ y = t \\ z = -x - y = t + \frac{9}{5} \end{cases}$$

parametric

Symmetric $\frac{x + \frac{9}{5}}{-2} = \frac{y - 0}{1} = \frac{z - \frac{9}{5}}{1}$

Ex 4 (1) $\begin{cases} x+2y+3z=p \\ 3x+6y+9z=0 \end{cases}$ normal $\langle 1, 2, 3 \rangle$ normal $\langle 3, 6, 9 \rangle = \langle 1, 2, 3 \rangle$ (page 14)

$\Rightarrow x+2y+3z=p, x+2y+3z=0 \Rightarrow$ parallel

(2) $\begin{cases} x=2t+3 \\ y=-3t-4 \\ z=5t+7 \end{cases} \begin{cases} x=4s-9 \\ y=8s-3 \\ z=-3s+5 \end{cases}$

direction $\langle 2, -3, 5 \rangle \quad \langle 4, 8, -3 \rangle$ not parallel

intersecting? $\begin{cases} 2t+3=4s-9 \\ -3t-4=8s-3 \\ 5t+7=-3s+5 \end{cases} \Rightarrow 2t=4s-12 \Rightarrow t=2s-6$

$-3(2s-6)-4=8s-3 \Rightarrow -6s+18=8s-3 \Rightarrow 14s=21$

$\Rightarrow s=\frac{3}{2}, t=2s-6=-3$

$5(-3)+7=-8 \quad -3\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)+5=\frac{1}{2}$ So $-8 \neq \frac{1}{2}$

no intersection \Rightarrow skew (not parallel or intersect)

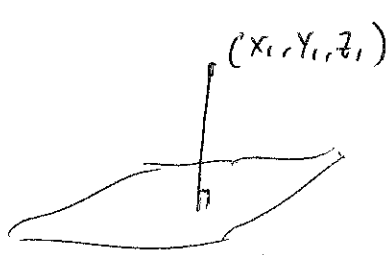
(3) $\begin{cases} x=2t+3 \\ y=-3t-4 \\ z=5t+7 \end{cases} \begin{cases} x=4s+3 \\ y=-6s-4 \\ z=10s+7 \end{cases}$

direction $\langle 2, -3, 5 \rangle \quad \langle 4, -6, 10 \rangle = 2\langle 2, -3, 5 \rangle$

\Rightarrow parallel

indeed both contain $(3, -4, 7) \Rightarrow$ so same line!
(identical)

Distance from a point $P(x_1, y_1, z_1)$ to $ax+by+cz+d=0$ | page 15



a line passing through (x_1, y_1, z_1)
and normal to the plane is

$$L: X = at + x_1, Y = bt + y_1, Z = ct + z_1$$

intersection of L and plane is $(x_2, y_2, z_2) = (at+x_1, bt+y_1, ct+z_1)$

$$a(at+x_1) + b(bt+y_1) + c(ct+z_1) + d = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (a^2+b^2+c^2)t = -(ax_1+by_1+cz_1+d)$$

$$\Rightarrow t_1 = -\frac{(ax_1+by_1+cz_1+d)}{a^2+b^2+c^2}$$

Distance from (x_1, y_1, z_1) to (x_2, y_2, z_2)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{is } D &= \sqrt{(x_2-x_1)^2 + (y_2-y_1)^2 + (z_2-z_1)^2} = \sqrt{(at)^2 + (bt)^2 + (ct)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{a^2+b^2+c^2} \cdot |t_1| = \sqrt{a^2+b^2+c^2} \frac{|ax_1+by_1+cz_1+d|}{a^2+b^2+c^2} = \frac{|ax_1+by_1+cz_1+d|}{\sqrt{a^2+b^2+c^2}} \end{aligned}$$

EX5 ① $P(1, 2, 3)$ to $5x-7y+z=22$

$$5x-7y+z-22=0$$

$$d = \frac{|5 \cdot 1 - 7 \cdot 2 + 3 - 22|}{\sqrt{5^2 + 7^2 + 1^2}} = \frac{|8 - 36|}{\sqrt{75}} = \frac{28}{5\sqrt{3}} = \frac{28\sqrt{3}}{15}$$

(2) distance between $5x-7y+z=22$ and $5x-7y+z=1$ page 16

take a point on $5x-7y+z=1 \Rightarrow (0, 0, 1)$

$$d = \frac{|5 \cdot 0 - 7 \cdot 0 + 1 - 22|}{\sqrt{5^2 + 7^2 + 1^2}} = \frac{21}{\sqrt{75}} = \frac{21}{5\sqrt{3}} = \frac{7\sqrt{3}}{5}$$

(3) Find distance between $L_1: \begin{cases} x=2t+3 \\ y=-3t+4 \\ z=5t+7 \end{cases}$ and $L_2: \begin{cases} x=4s-9 \\ y=8s-3 \\ z=-3s+5 \end{cases}$

Strategy: Find two planes P_1 and P_2 parallel to each other

$$L_1 \subset P_1 \text{ and } L_2 \subset P_2$$

then calculate distance between P_1 and P_2

normal direction of P_1 and P_2 $\langle 2, -3, 5 \rangle \times \langle 4, 8, -3 \rangle$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 2 & -3 & 5 \\ 4 & 8 & -3 \end{vmatrix} = -31\hat{i} + 26\hat{j} + 28\hat{k}$$

$$P_1: \langle -31, 26, 28 \rangle \cdot \langle x-3, y-4, z-7 \rangle = 0$$

$$P_2: \langle -31, 26, 28 \rangle \cdot \langle x+9, y+3, z-5 \rangle = 0$$