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Quiz 2
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1. Find the equation of the plane that passes through the point $(1, -1, 8)$ and perpendicular to the line $x = 2t, y = 2 - t, z = 1 + 5t$. (3 points)

The direction of the line is given by $\langle 2, -1, 5 \rangle$.

As this line is perpendicular to our desired plane, the vector is normal to our plane. So the equation of the plane is

$$\vec{n} = \langle 2, -1, 5 \rangle \quad \vec{n} \cdot \langle x-1, y+1, z-8 \rangle = 0 \iff [2x - y + 5z = 43]$$

2. Consider the equation $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 8y - z + 17 = 0$.

- (i) Reduce the given equation to one of the standard forms. (1.5 points)

$$\begin{aligned} (x^2 - 2x + 1) + (y^2 - 8y + 16) - z + 17 - 1 - 16 &= 0 \\ \Leftrightarrow (x-1)^2 + (y-4)^2 - z &= 0 \\ \Leftrightarrow z &= (x-1)^2 + (y-4)^2 \end{aligned}$$

- (ii) Classify the surface. (0.5 points)

Elliptic Paraboloid

3. Given $u(t) = \langle \sin(4t), \cos(2t), t \rangle$, and $v(t) = \langle t, \cos(2t), \sin(4t) \rangle$ determine $\frac{d}{dt}[u(t) \cdot v(t)]$. (3 points)

From differentiation rules, $\frac{d}{dt}[u(t) \cdot v(t)] = u'(t) \cdot v(t) + u(t) \cdot v'(t)$.

$$u'(t) = \langle 4\cos(4t), -2\sin(2t), 1 \rangle \quad \text{and} \quad v'(t) = \langle 1, -2\sin(2t), 4\cos(4t) \rangle$$

Substituting $u(t)$, $v(t)$, $u'(t)$, and $v'(t)$ into the formula we get

$$u'(t) \cdot v(t) = 4t\cos(4t) - 2\sin(2t)\cos(2t) + \sin(4t)$$

$$u(t) \cdot v'(t) = \sin(4t) - 2\sin(2t)\cos(2t) + 4t\cos(4t)$$

So

$$\frac{d}{dt}[u(t) \cdot v(t)] = 8t\cos(4t) - 4\sin(2t)\cos(2t) + 2\sin(4t)$$

Problem References:

1. MAC2313 L5 HW Assignment Problem #7. Answer: $2x - y + 5z = 43$.
2. MAC2313 L6 HW Assignment Problem #12 and L6 NYTI #2. Answer: (i) $z = (x - 1)^2 + (y - 4)^2$. (ii) Elliptic paraboloid
3. MAC2313 L7 HW Assignment Problem #13. Answer: $2\sin(4t) + 8t\cos(4t) - 4\sin(2t)\cos(2t)$.