

Ex.4 (hyperboloid of one sheet)

$$\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{9} - z^2 = 1$$

intercepts

x-axis ($y=0=z$) $\frac{x^2}{4} = 1 \Rightarrow x = \pm 2$

y-axis ($x=0=z$) $\frac{y^2}{9} = 1 \Rightarrow y = \pm 3$

z-axis ($x=0, y=0$) $-z^2 = 1 \Rightarrow$ no intercept

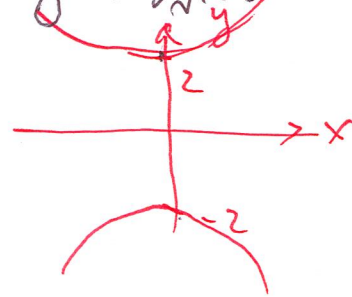
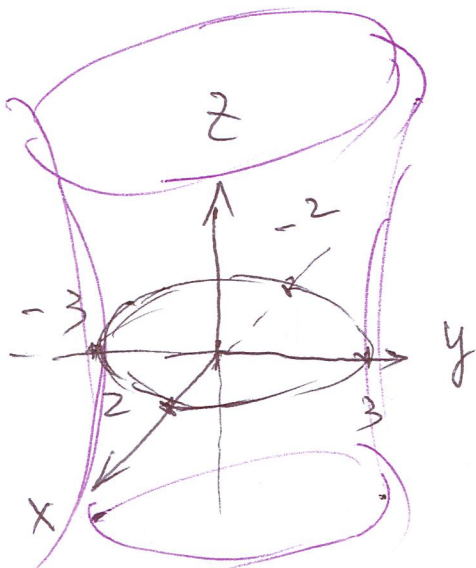
traces xy-plane ($z=0$) $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$

$z = t$ $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1 + t^2$

$$\frac{x^2}{4(1+t^2)} + \frac{y^2}{9(1+t^2)} = 1 \Rightarrow$$

$$x = \pm 2\sqrt{1+t^2}$$

$$y = \pm 3\sqrt{1+t^2}$$



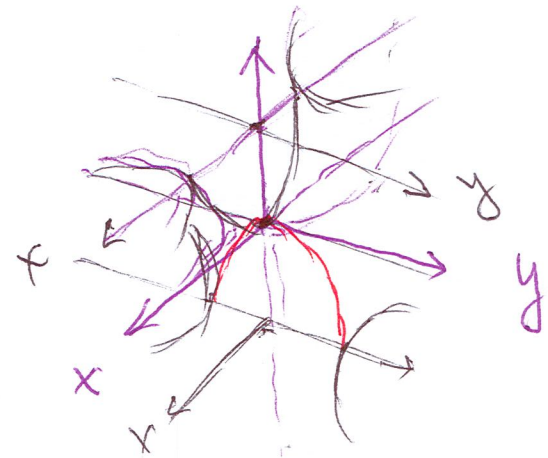
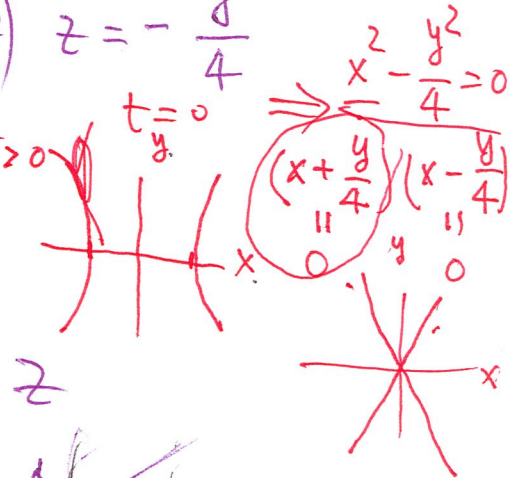
Ex.5 (hyperbolic paraboloid)

$$z = x^2 - \frac{y^2}{4}$$

intercepts $x=0=y \Rightarrow z=0$; $y=z=0 \Rightarrow x=0$
 $x=0=z \Rightarrow y=0$ (0,0,0)

traces ($y=0$, xz -plane) $z = x^2$
 ($x=0$, yz -plane) $z = -\frac{y^2}{4}$

$z = t$ $x^2 - \frac{y^2}{4} = t$
 $t=1$ $x^2 - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$
 $t=-1$ $x^2 - \frac{y^2}{4} = -1$



Ex. 6 (elliptic cone)

$$\frac{y^2}{4} + z^2 = 4x^2$$

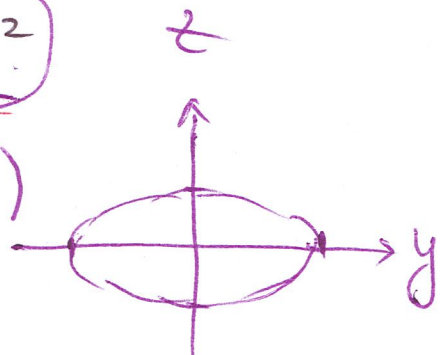
intercepts $(0, 0, 0)$

traces $x=t$

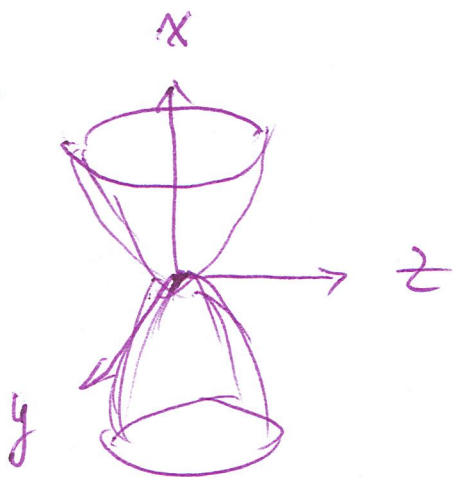
$$\frac{y^2}{4^2 t^2} + \frac{z^2}{4 t^2} = 1$$

$$y = \pm 4|t|$$

$$z = \pm 2|t|$$



$x=0$
 $x=t$
 $z=k$
 $4x - \frac{y^2}{4} = k^2$



Ex. 7 (hyperboloid of two sheets)

$$-16x^2 - 4y^2 + z^2 + 64x - 80 = 0$$

$$-16(x^2 - 4x + 4 - 4) - 4y^2 + z^2 = 80$$

$$-16(x-2)^2 - 4y^2 + z^2 = 80 - 64 = 16$$

$$-(x-2)^2 - \frac{y^2}{4} + \frac{z^2}{16} = 1$$

$$\hat{x} = x - 2$$

$$-\hat{x}^2 - \frac{y^2}{4} + \frac{z^2}{16} = 1$$

$$z = \pm 4$$

intercepts **no** intercept with x -axis
 y -axis

traces $|z=t|$ $|t| > 4$

$$\hat{x}^2 + \frac{y^2}{4} = \frac{t^2}{16} - 1 = \frac{t^2 - 16}{16}$$

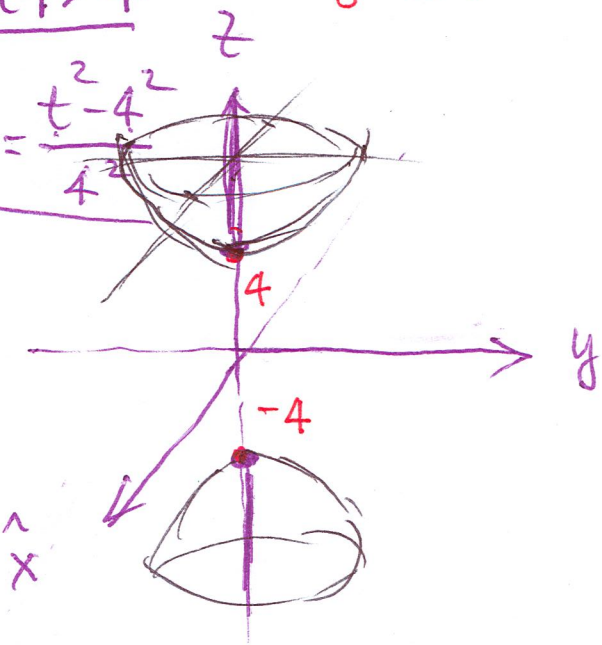


Table 13.1

Name	Standard Equation	Features
Ellipsoid	$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1$	All traces are ellipses.
Elliptic paraboloid	$z = \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}$	Traces with $z = z_0 > 0$ are ellipses. Traces with $x = x_0$ or $y = y_0$ are parabolas.
Hyperboloid of one sheet	$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} - \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1$	Traces with $z = z_0$ are ellipses for all z_0 . Traces with $x = x_0$ or $y = y_0$ are hyperbolas.
Hyperboloid of two sheets	$-\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1$	Traces with $z = z_0$ with $ z_0 > c $ are ellipses. Traces with $x = x_0$ and $y = y_0$ are hyperbolas.
Elliptic cone	$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = \frac{z^2}{c^2}$	Traces with $z = z_0 \neq 0$ are ellipses. Traces with $x = x_0$ or $y = y_0$ are hyperbolas or intersecting lines.
Hyperbolic paraboloid	$z = \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2}$	Traces with $z = z_0 \neq 0$ are hyperbolas. Traces with $x = x_0$ or $y = y_0$ are parabolas.

Graph

