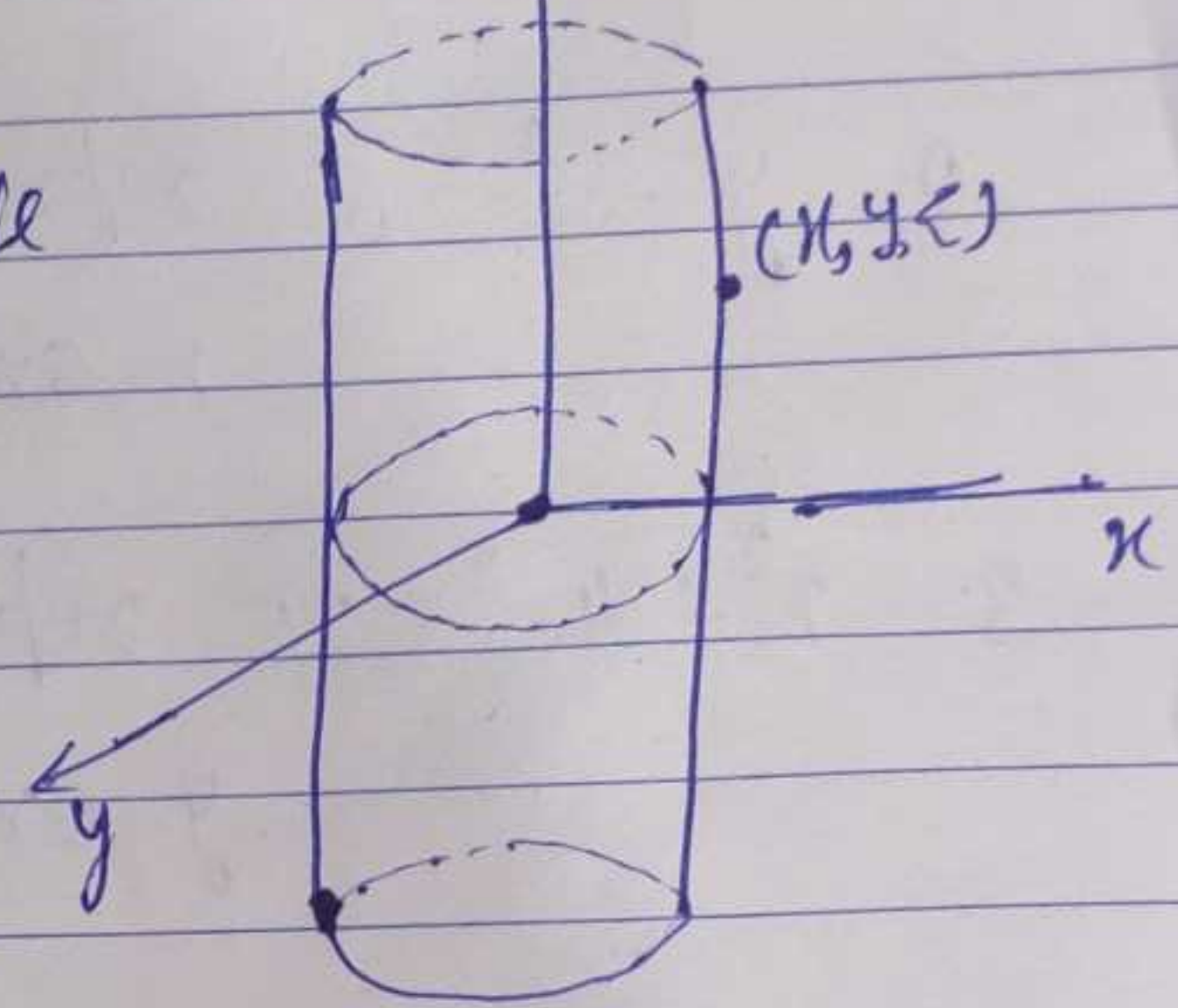


Cylinder:- In 2-D space, the graph of Equation $x^2+y^2=1$, is a circle centered at origin in $x-y$ plane. However in 3-D space we can interpret the graph of the set



$$\{(x, y, z) : x^2+y^2=1, z \text{ is arbitrary}\}$$

as a surface which is a right circular cylinder as shown in figure

Definition:- If C is a two dimension curve and L is line not parallel to the plane that contains C , then a cylinder is a three dimensional surface containing of all line passing through C that are parallel to L .

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Any curve $f(x, y) = c$ in the plane (2D-plane) defines a cylinder parallel to the z -axis whose 3D-space equation is also $f(x, y) = c$.

In a similar way, any curve $g(x, z) = c$ in xz plane defines a cylinder parallel to the y -axis whose 3D-space equation is also $g(x, z) = c$ and so on.

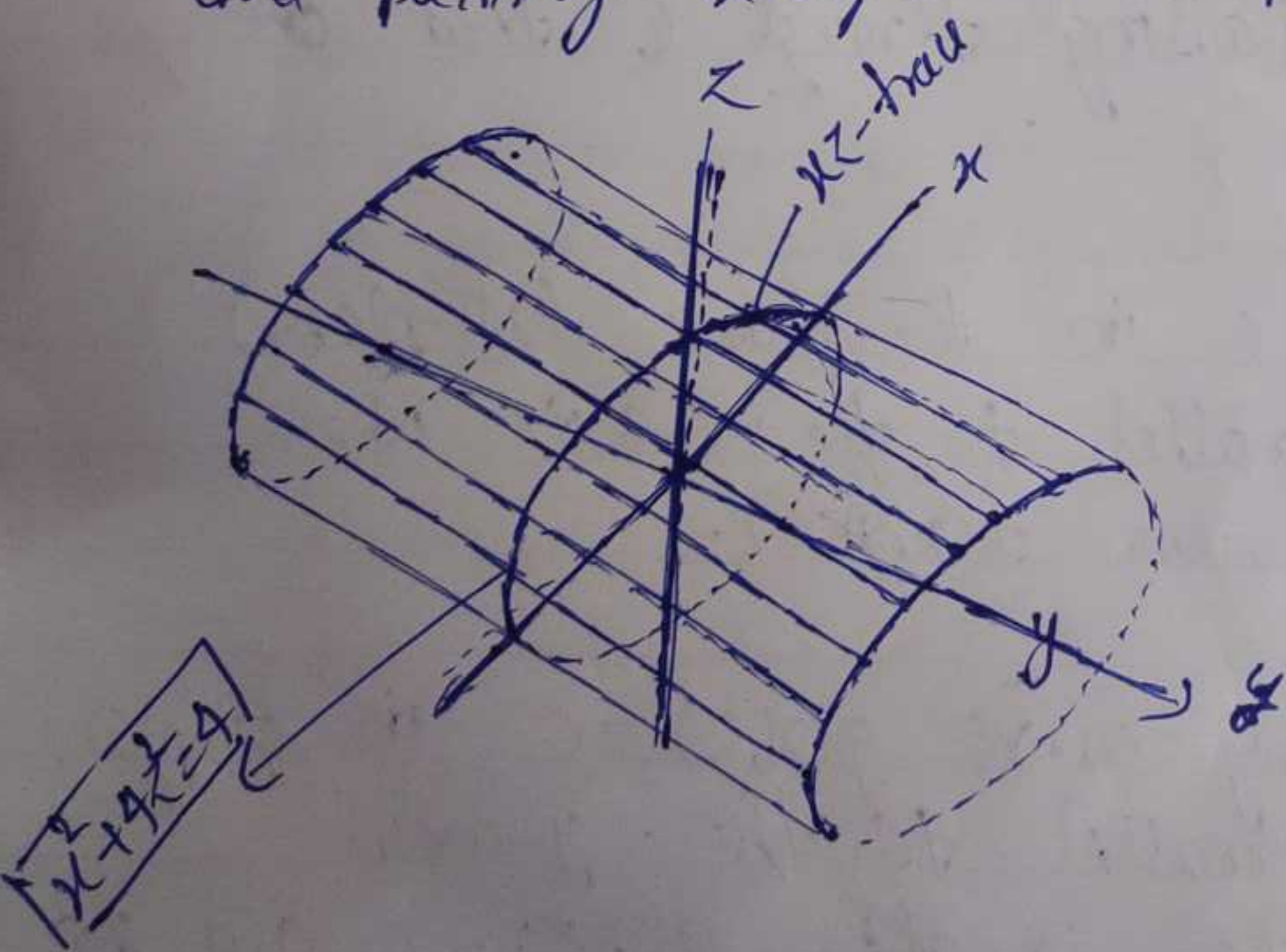
Example 1. $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ represent a circular cylinder parallel to z -axis. (2)

2. $y^2 - z^2 = 5$ represent a hyperbolic cylinder parallel to x -axis

3. $x^2 + 4z^2 = 25$ represents an elliptic cylinder parallel to y -axis

Example Sketch the graph of $x^2 + 4z^2 = 4$ in 3-Space.

Solution:- Equation of curve $x^2 + 4z^2 = 4$ in 2-D is an ellipse. Since in the equation y -variable is missing, therefore $x^2 + 4z^2 = 4$ is elliptic cylinder made of lines parallel to the y -axis and passing through the ellipse $x^2 + 4z^2 = 4$ in $x-z$ plane

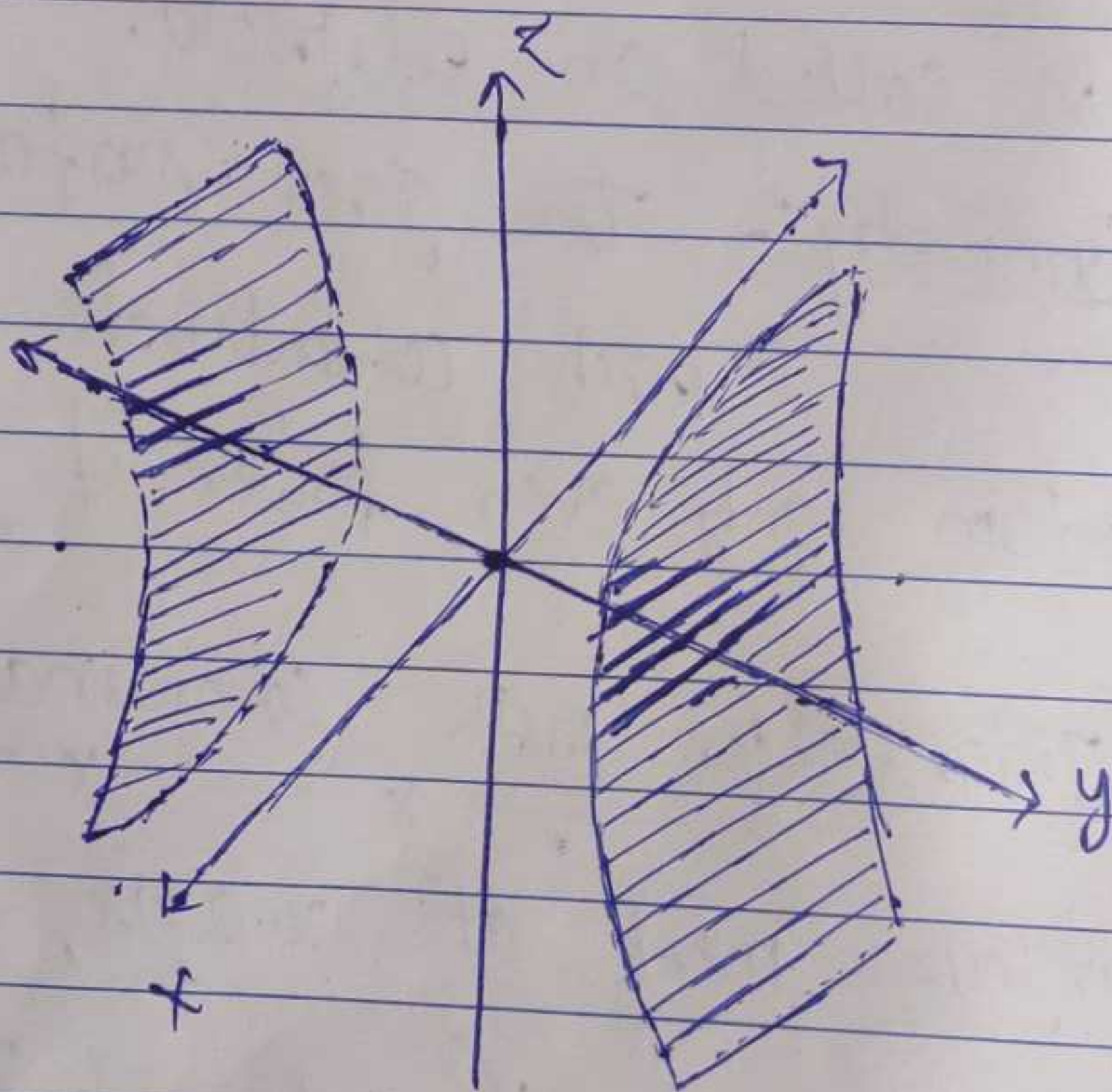
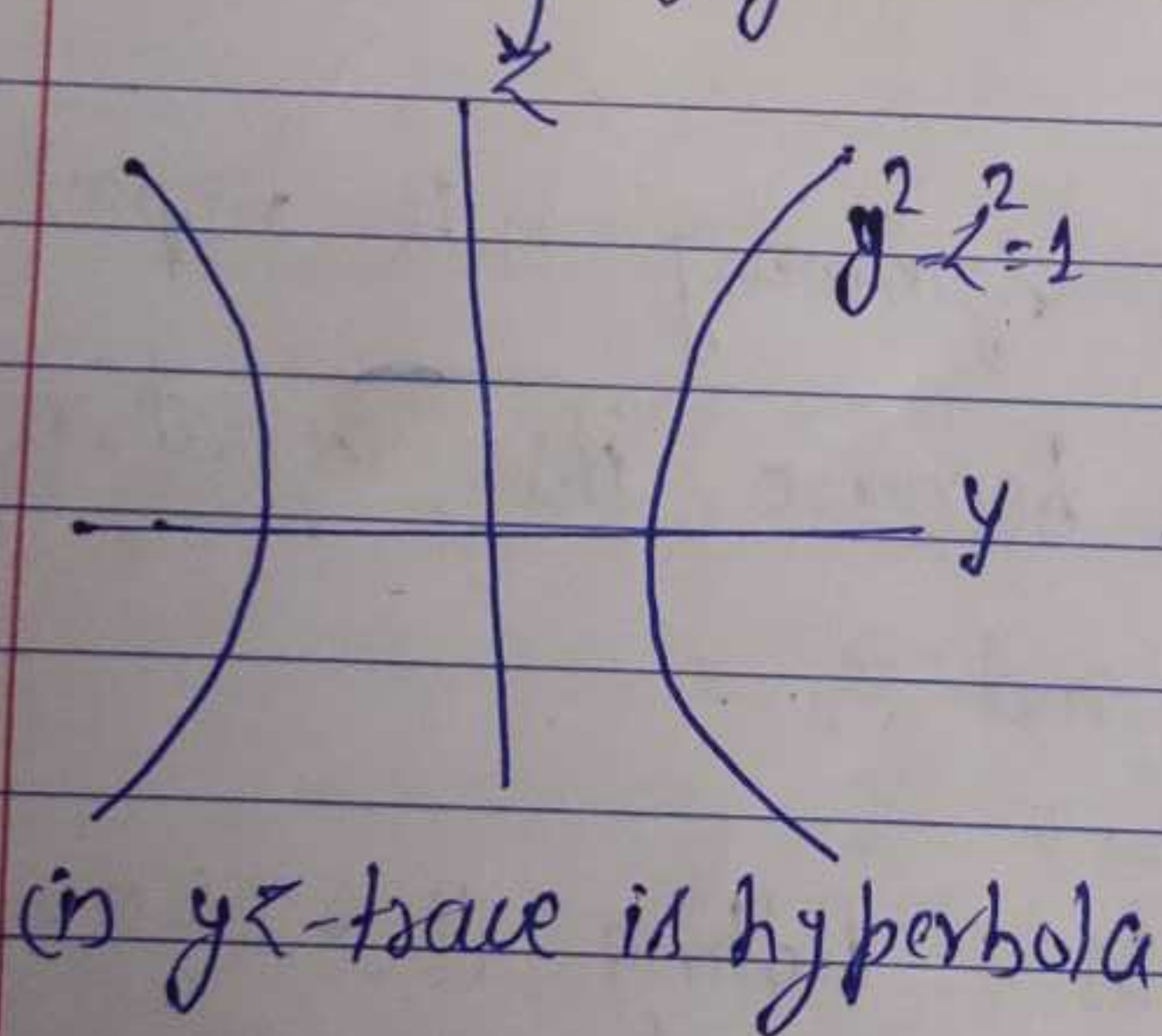




Example 2:- Sketch the graph of hyperbolic cylinder $y^2 - z^2 = 1$

Solution:- Since in the given Equation of hyperbolic cylinder, $y^2 - z^2 = 1$ x -variable is missing, therefore the hyperbolic cylinder $y^2 - z^2 = 1$ is made of lines parallel to x -axis and passing through the hyperbola $y^2 - z^2 = 1$ in $y-z$ plane.

Sketch the cross-section or bases of the cylinder in parallel plane on either side of the generating hyperbola as shown in following figure



The hyperbolic cylinder $y^2 - z^2 = 1$

(4)

Quadric Surface: A quadric surface is the graph of a second degree equation in three variables. The general form of such an equation is,

$$Ax^2 + By^2 + Cz^2 + Dxy + Eyz + Fxz + Gx + Hy + Iz + J = 0$$

where A, B, C, \dots, J are constants

There are six types of quadric surfaces

To trace an ellipsoid: The graph of an equation of

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1, \quad a, b, c > 0$$

is called an ellipsoid.

(i) Symmetry: - The given surface is symmetric with respect to each co-ordinate plane, because its equation contains only even powers of $x, y,$ and z .

(ii) Intersection with co-ordinate axes: - Putting $y=0, z=0$, the surface meets at x -axis, where

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} = 1 \Rightarrow x^2 = a^2 \Rightarrow x = \pm a$$

i.e. at the point $(\pm a, 0, 0)$

Similarly it meets y -axis at point $(0, \pm b, 0)$ and z -axis at point $(0, 0, \pm c)$

(iii) Trace in the co-ordinate planes: The trace of the ellipsoid in xy -plane, obtained by putting $z=0$, is

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ which is ellipse in that plane.}$$

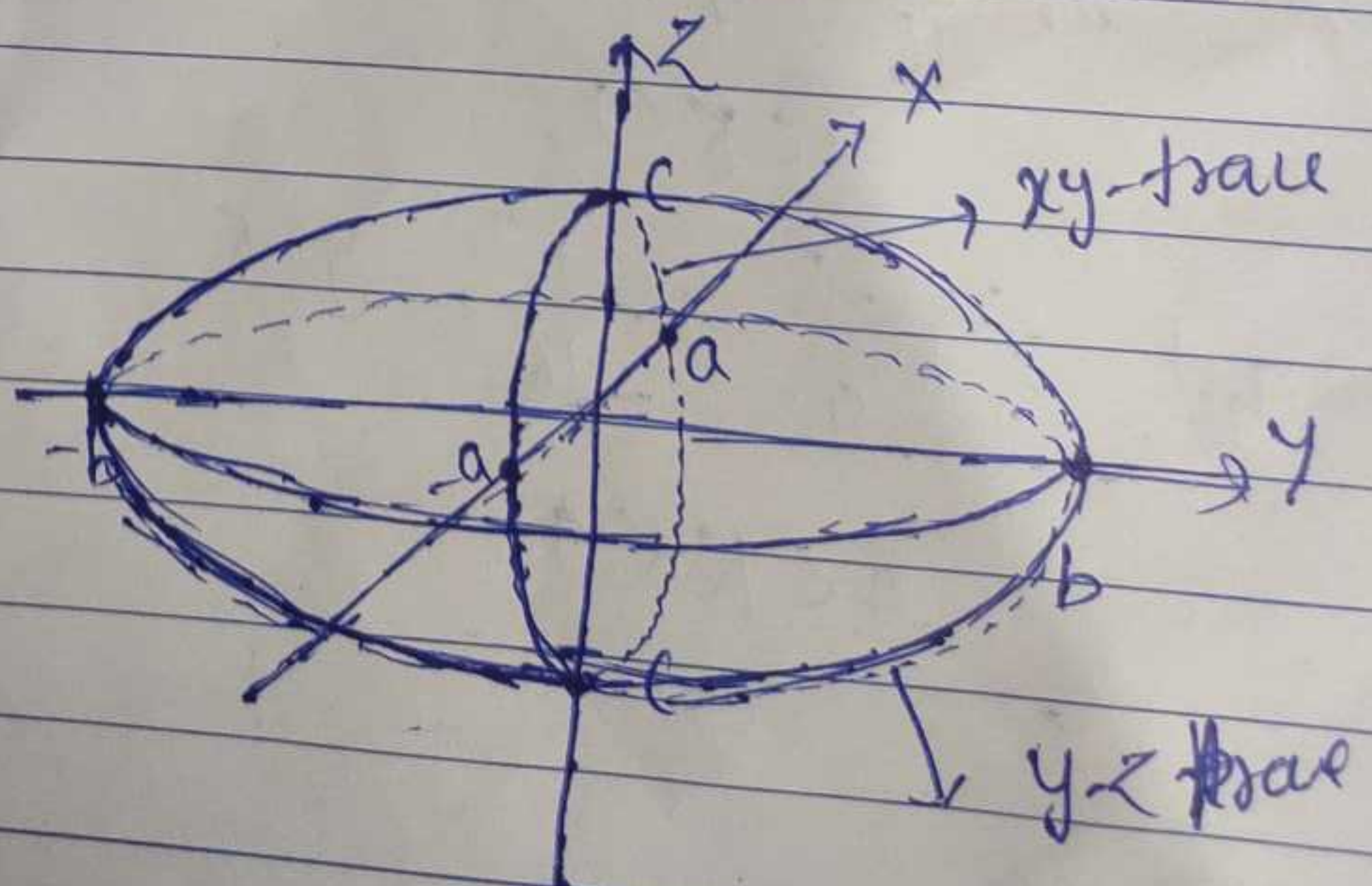
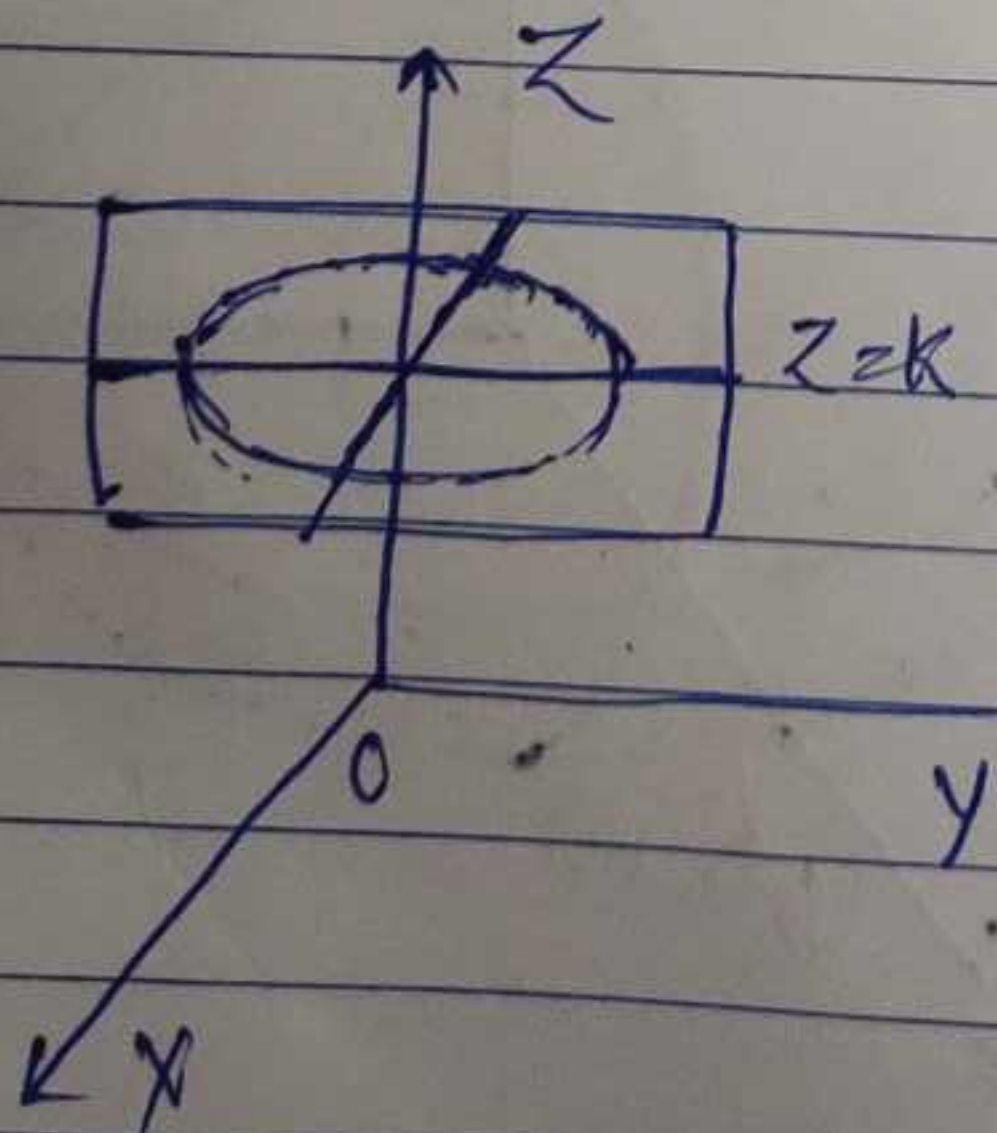
Similarly its yz and xz trace are the ellipses

$$\frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1 \text{ and } \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1. \text{ respectively.}$$

(iv) Trace in planes parallel to co-ordinate planes: The trace of the surface in the horizontal plane $z=k$ where $-c < k < c$ is a variable ellipse,

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 - \frac{k^2}{c^2}$$

Similarly, its trace in the plane $x=k$ ($-a < k < a$) and $y=k$ ($-b < k < b$) are variable ellipse.



(6)

Example Sketch the ellipsoid $x^2 + \frac{y^2}{16} + \frac{z^2}{9} = 1$

Solution The given equation is $x^2 + \frac{y^2}{16} + \frac{z^2}{9} = 1$.

which represents an ellipsoid.

Put $y=0, z=0$, $\Rightarrow x^2=1 \Rightarrow \boxed{|x| = \pm 1}$

Put $x=0, y=0$, $\Rightarrow z^2=9 \Rightarrow \boxed{|z| = \pm 3}$

Put $x=0, z=0$ $\Rightarrow y^2=16 \Rightarrow \boxed{|y| = \pm 4}$

The trace in x - y plane ($z=0$) is $x^2 + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$, which is ellipse.

Similarly trace in xz and yz -plane are also ellipses.

The horizontal trace in the plane $z=k$ (parallel to xy -plane) is a variable ellipse.

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1 - \frac{k^2}{9}, \quad (z=k)$$

such that $k^2 < 9$, $\Rightarrow 3 < k < 3$.

Similarly, $\frac{y^2}{16} + \frac{z^2}{9} = 1 - k^2, \quad x=k$
 $-1 < k < 1$

And $x^2 + \frac{z^2}{9} = 1 - \frac{k^2}{16}, \quad y=k$

$$-4 < k < 4$$

