Math 155A - Fall 2022 - Quiz #10 - October 27

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1. A cone \mathcal{C} is defined by $y = 2\sqrt{x^2 + z^2}$, so that it is centered around the positive y-axis. It can equivalently be defined as

$$C = \{ \langle y^2 = x^2 + z^2 \rangle : y \ge 0 \}.$$

Suppose $\langle x, y, z \rangle$ lies on \mathcal{C} . Give a formula for a normal vector (not necessarily a unit vector) at $\langle x, y, z \rangle$ on \mathcal{C} . Choose the direction of the normal vector to point outward from the cone, i.e., away from the y-axis and somewhat downward.

2. A parametric surface is defined by $\mathbf{f}(u,v) = \langle u,uv,v \rangle$. Give a formula for a normal vector at the point $\mathbf{f}(u,v)$. Your answer does not need to be a unit vector.