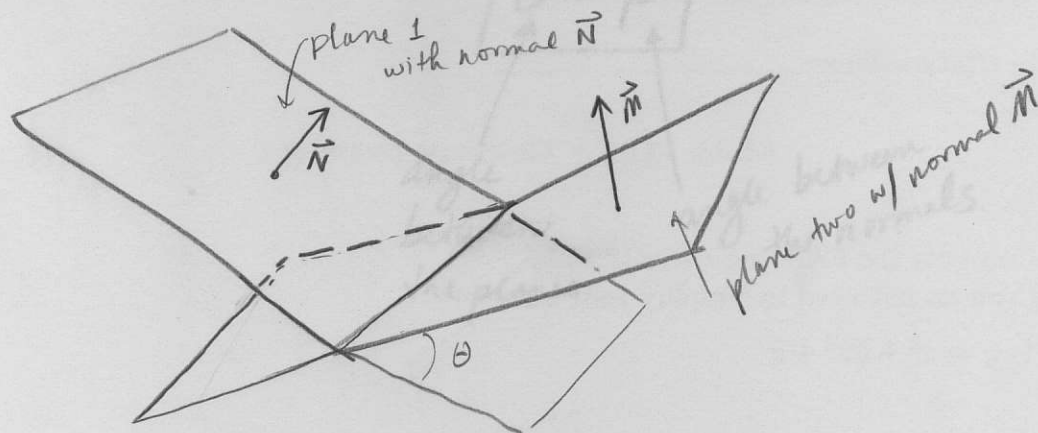
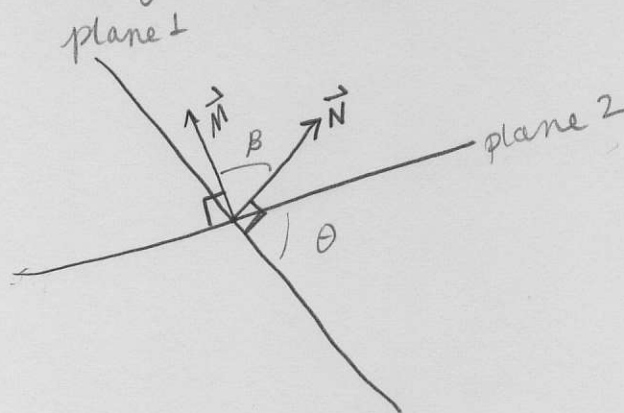


The Angle Between two planes = Angle Between their Normal vectors!

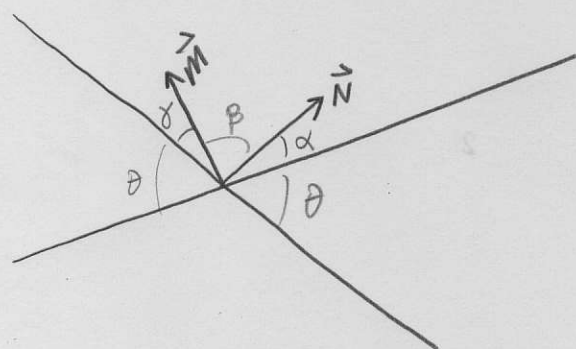
If we have two intersecting planes:



Here the angle between them, θ , is the smallest angle you see when you look at the planes from the side along the line of intersection.



we can show that $\theta = \text{angle between } \vec{M} \text{ and } \vec{N} = \beta$.



$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Since } \vec{N} \perp \text{plane 1} \\ \Rightarrow \alpha + \theta = 90^\circ \text{ and } \beta + \gamma = 90^\circ \\ \text{Since } \vec{M} \perp \text{plane 2} \\ \Rightarrow \beta + \alpha = 90^\circ \text{ and } \gamma + \theta = 90^\circ \end{array} \right.$

Thus, since:

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \alpha + \theta = 90^\circ \\ \text{and } \beta + \alpha = 90^\circ \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \left. \begin{array}{l} \alpha = 90^\circ - \theta \\ \alpha = 90^\circ - \beta \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow 90^\circ - \theta = 90^\circ - \beta$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\theta = \beta}$$

angle
between
the planes

angle between
the normals.