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1.) (5pts) Find an equation of the plane through the points $P_1(-2, 1, 4)$ and $P_2(1, 0, 3)$ that is perpendicular to the plane $4x - y + 3z = 2$.

2.) (5pts) Convert the equation $\phi = \frac{\pi}{4}$ into rectangular coordinates and sketch its graph.

1.) let \vec{n} be a normal vector to the plane $4x - y + 3z = 2$.

For any point M in the plane that contains P_1 and P_2 and that is perpendicular to $4x - y + 3z = 2$, we have

$$(\overrightarrow{P_1M} \times \overrightarrow{P_1P_2}) \cdot \vec{n} = 0$$

$$\overrightarrow{P_1M} \times \overrightarrow{P_1P_2} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ x+2 & y-1 & z-4 \\ 3 & -1 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \langle -y+z-3, x+3z-10, -x-3y+1 \rangle$$

$$\vec{n} = \langle 4, -1, 3 \rangle$$

$$\text{So, } 4(-y+z-3) - (x+3z-10) + 3(-x-3y+1) = 0$$

$$\boxed{-4x - 13y + z + 1 = 0}$$

$$2) \quad x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = \rho^2$$

$$z = \rho \cos \phi = \rho \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

Thus, we have

$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 2z^2$$

$$\boxed{x^2 + y^2 - z^2 = 0, \quad z > 0}$$

This is a cone

