

# On the Halfspace Theorem in the Euclidean Space With Density

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**Resumen.** The classical *Strong Halfspace Theorem* of Hoffman and Meeks [1] states that a non-flat, properly immersed minimal surface in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  cannot be contained within a half-space. This work explores the extension of this theorem to Euclidean space  $\mathbb{R}^3$  endowed with a density  $f = e^\phi$ . In this setting, minimal surfaces are replaced by *weighted minimal hypersurfaces*, characterized by the equation

$$H + \langle \nabla \phi, N \rangle = 0,$$

where  $H$  is the Euclidean mean curvature with respect to a unit normal  $N$ . The existence of a half-space theorem in this context depends crucially on the geometric and analytic properties of the density  $f$ . Here we will gather previous related results and seek new conditions ensuring that the theorem holds in this setting.

**Palabras clave:** half-space theorem; maximum principle; manifolds with density; geometric analysis; minimal surfaces.

## References

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