

Math 225: Exam the Second

You have two hours to complete this exam. You may use a calculator for computation only, and you should be prepared to show the relevant steps to a problem where necessary.

1 Consider the functions $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2$, $g(x, y) = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$, and $h(x, y) = \ln(x^2 + y^2)$.

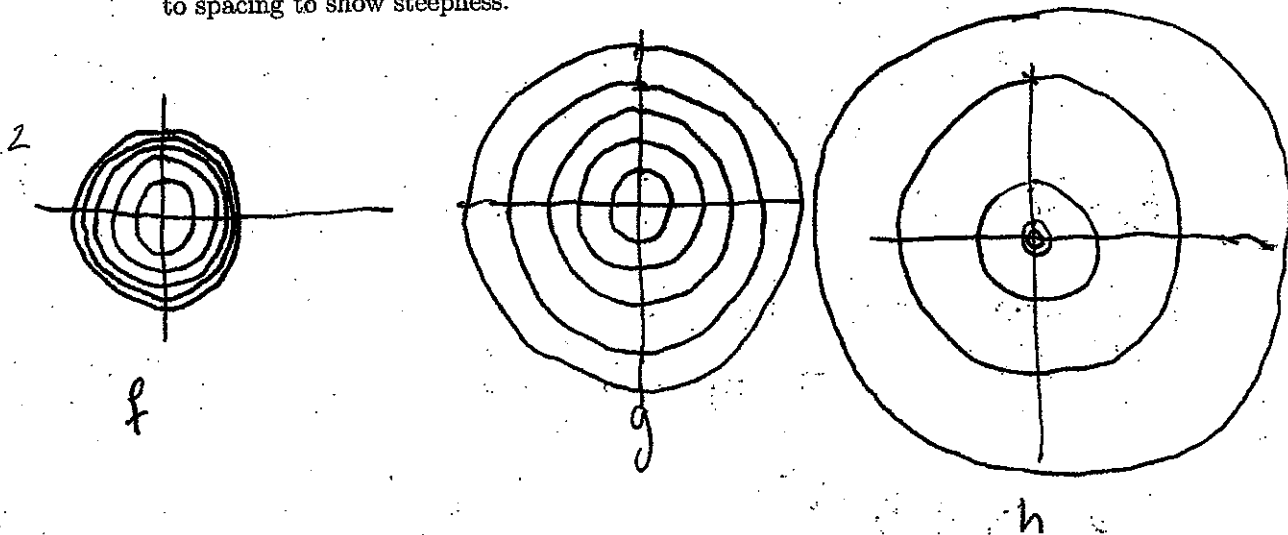
(a) What familiar surfaces are the graphs of f and g ?

2 $f \rightarrow$ a paraboloid
 $g \rightarrow$ a cone

(b) What familiar curve is a level curve for f , g , or h ?

2 For all 3, the curve is a circle
 $K = x^2 + y^2$ $K^2 = x^2 + y^2$ $e^K = x^2 + y^2$

(c) Plot the level curves for each of the three functions for $z = 1, 2, 3, 4$ and 5, with attention to spacing to show steepness.



(d) Which function is steepest? Which is least steep? Explain.

2 f is steepest
 curves close together

h is least steep
 curves further apart

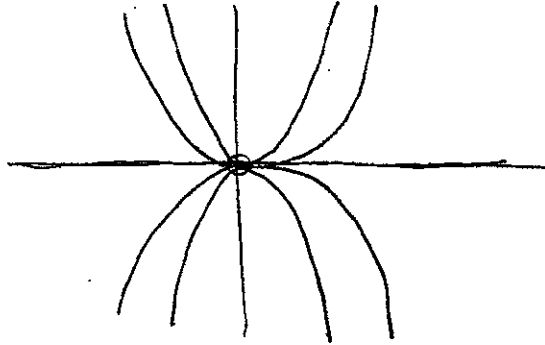
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1. (a) Draw the level curves to $f(x, y) = \frac{y}{x^2}$ for $f(x, y) = -2, -1, 0, 1, 2$.

$$k = \frac{y}{x^2} \rightarrow y = kx^2$$

"parabolas"



(b) What is happening with these level curves at the origin?

Though it appears that all parabolas go through the origin, we know this cannot be the case.

$f(0,0)$ is undefined, so each parabola misses the origin.

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2. Find

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{(x-y)^2}{x^2+y^2}$$

if it exists.

$$\text{If } x=0 \quad \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{(-y)^2}{y^2} = 1$$

so limit DNE.

$$\text{If } x=y \quad \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{2y^2} = 0$$

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3. Suppose that for a continuous and differentiable function $f(x,y)$, we know that $f_x(x,y) = 2xy + x^3$. Give at least three possible functions that could be $f_y(x,y)$.

$$f_x = 2xy + x^3$$

$$f_{xy} = 2x \rightarrow f_{yx} = 2x$$
$$\rightarrow f_y = x^2 + g(y)$$

So any of $f_y = x^2$

$$f_y = x^2 + \cos y$$

$$f_y = x^2 + \arcsin(e^y) \quad \text{works}$$

2. Find, if it exists, the following limit

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{\cos(x^2 + y^2) - 1}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}$$

Convert to polars

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos(r^2) - 1}{(r^2)^2} = \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos(r^2) - 1}{r^4}$$

$$\xrightarrow{L'H} \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{-2r \sin(r^2)}{4r^3}$$

$$= \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{-\sin(r^2)}{2r^2} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

3. Find the mixed partial derivative f_{xy} of the function $f(x,y) = \ln(x) \cos(x) + y^3 e^{2y^2} + xy$.
(Hint: Try to save yourself some work here.)

$$f_x(x,y) = (\text{some messy function in } x) + 0 + y$$

$$f_{xy}(x,y) = 0 + 0 + \boxed{1}$$

The first two parts of the derivative disappear when we take
both partials.

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4. Suppose that the temperature of a plate is given by the function $f(x, y) = \frac{y}{x^2}$.

(a) Suppose you are at the point (2, 3). In what direction should you move so as to increase your temperature the most rapidly?

$$f(x, y) = \frac{y}{x^2}$$

$$f_x = \frac{-2y}{x^3} \rightarrow f_x = -\frac{3}{4}$$

$$f_y = \frac{1}{x^2} \rightarrow f_y = \frac{1}{4}$$

so, in the direction of

$$\left\langle -\frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4} \right\rangle$$

(b) Suppose that you move from (2, 3) towards (5, -1). At what rate is your temperature changing?

(2, 3) → (5, -1) has vector $\langle 3, -4 \rangle$

$$\text{or } \vec{u} = \left\langle \frac{3}{5}, -\frac{4}{5} \right\rangle$$

$$\left\langle -\frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4} \right\rangle \cdot \left\langle \frac{3}{5}, -\frac{4}{5} \right\rangle = \frac{-9}{20} + \frac{-4}{20} = \frac{-13}{20} \text{ units}^T / \text{units}$$

(c) Approximate the temperature at (2.04, 2.99).

$$f(2, 3) = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$z \approx z_0 + f_x(x - x_0) + f_y(y - y_0)$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} + \left(-\frac{3}{4}\right)(2.04 - 2) + \frac{1}{4}(2.99 - 3)$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} + \frac{-0.12}{4} + \frac{-0.01}{4}$$

$$\approx 0.7 \quad \boxed{\frac{2.87}{4}}$$

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4. Consider the function $f(x, y) = x^4y - x^2y^3$

(a) Find the direction in which f decreases the fastest from the point $(2, -3)$.

$$\vec{\nabla} f = \langle 4x^3y - 2xy^3, x^4 - 3x^2y^2 \rangle$$

$$= \langle 32(-3) - 4(-27), 16 - 3 \cdot 4 \cdot 9 \rangle$$

$$= \langle 12, -92 \rangle \quad \text{Dir. of max decrease} \rightarrow \langle -12, 92 \rangle$$

(b) Find the tangent plane and use it to approximate $f(2.02, -2.97)$.

$$f(2, -3) = 16(-3) - 4(-27)$$

$$= 60$$

Tangent plane

$$f_x(2, -3) = 12$$

$$f_y(2, -3) = -92$$

$$z = 60 + 12(x-2) - 92(y+3)$$

Approx:

$$f(2.02, -2.97) \approx 60 + 12(2.02-2) - 92(-2.97+3)$$

$$\approx 60 + .24 - 2.76 = 57.48$$

(c) Consider the level curve $f(x, y) = 60$:

i. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ for this curve.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{f_x}{f_y} = -\frac{(4x^3y - 2xy^3)}{(x^4 - 3x^2y^2)}$$

ii. Evaluate $\frac{dy}{dx}$ at $(2, -3)$. How does this value relate to your answer from part (a)?

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{(2, -3)} = \frac{-12}{-92} = \frac{12}{92}$$

which is the negative reciprocal of the "slope" of the gradient.

9. $f(x,y,z) = xy + z^2$ $\langle x,y,z \rangle = \langle t, t^2, t^4 \rangle$

$$\frac{df}{dt} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{dy}{dt} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \frac{dz}{dt}$$

$$= (y)(1) + x(2t) + 2z(4t^3)$$

$$= 1 + 2 + 8 = 11$$

$t=1$ $\langle x,y,z \rangle = 1,1,1$

10. $\frac{dl}{dt} = 1$ $\frac{dw}{dt} = -0.5$ $\frac{dh}{dt} = 2$

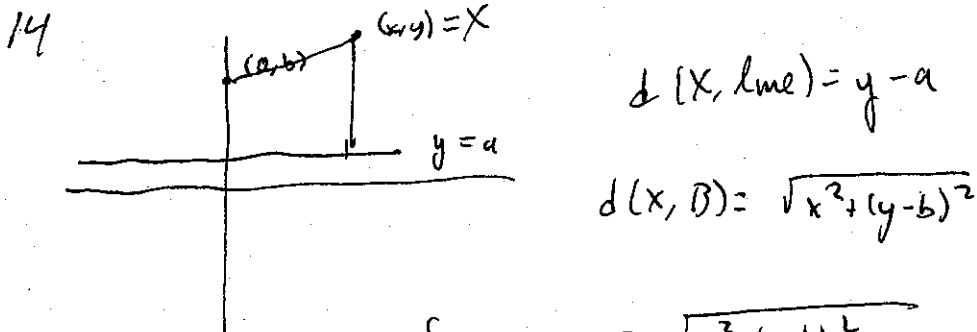
$V = lwh$ $l=3, w=4, h=5$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = lw \frac{dh}{dt} + lh \frac{dw}{dt} + wh \frac{dl}{dt}$$

$$= 12(2) + 15(-0.5) + 20(1)$$

$$= 36.5 \text{ m}^3/\text{min}$$

See correction on last page



so if $y - a = \sqrt{x^2 + (y-b)^2}$

then $(y-a)^2 = x^2 + (y-b)^2$

$$y^2 - 2ay + a^2 = x^2 + y^2 - 2yb + b^2$$

$$-2ay + a^2 = x^2 - 2yb + b^2$$

$$(2b-2a)y = x^2 + b^2 - a^2$$

$$y = \frac{x^2}{2b-2a} + \frac{b^2 - a^2}{2b-2a} \leftarrow \text{Parabola}$$

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5. Find and classify the critical points of $f(x, y) = \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{y^3}{3} - \frac{x^2}{2} - y^2$. (There are four of them.)

$$f_x = x^2 - x = 0 \quad x = 0, 1$$

$$f_y = y^2 - 2y = 0 \quad y = 0, 2$$

points

$$(0, 0) \rightarrow \text{MAX}$$

$$(1, 0) \rightarrow \text{S.P.}$$

$$(0, 2) \rightarrow \text{S.P.}$$

$$(1, 2) \rightarrow \text{min}$$

$$15 \quad f_{xx} = 2x - 1$$

$$f_{yy} = 2y - 2$$

$$f_{xy} = 0$$

$$D = f_{xx} f_{yy} - (f_{xy})^2$$

$$= (2x - 1)(2y - 2)$$

since $f_{xx} < 0$

$$D(0, 0) = (-1)(-2) > 0 \Rightarrow \text{max or min}$$

$$D(1, 0) = (1)(-2) < 0 \rightarrow \text{Saddle point}$$

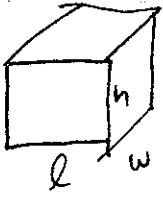
$$D(0, 2) = (-1)(2) < 0 \rightarrow \text{Saddle point}$$

$$D(1, 2) = (1)(2) > 0 \rightarrow \text{max or min}$$

since $f_{xx} > 0$

$$12. \text{ S.A.} = lw + 2wh + 2lh$$

$$V = lwh = 27$$



Lagrange

$$S_w: l + 2h = lh \iff \textcircled{1} lw + 2wh = wlh$$

$$S_l: w + 2h = wh \iff \textcircled{2} wl + 2lh = lwh$$

$$S_h: 2l + 2w = lw \iff \textcircled{3} \underline{2lh + 2wh = hlw}$$

$$lwh = 27$$

$$\textcircled{1} - \textcircled{2} \quad lw + 2wh = wl + 2lh$$

$$\Rightarrow l = w$$

$$wl + 2lh = 2lh + 2wh \Rightarrow 2h = l$$

$$h = \frac{1}{2} l$$

$$l = w = 2h$$

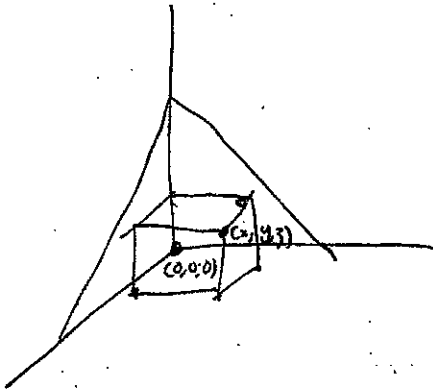
$$lwh = 27; \quad \cancel{4} h^3 = 27$$

$$\Rightarrow h = \frac{3}{\sqrt[3]{4}}$$

$$w = \frac{\cancel{6}}{\sqrt[3]{4}} = l$$

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5. Find the maximum volume of a box in the first octant with opposite corners at the origin and on the plane $x + 2y + 3z = 10$, respectively. (You may use any method that you wish).



subject to
 $V = xyz$
 $x + 2y + 3z = 10$

$\vec{\nabla} V = \lambda \vec{\nabla}(\text{plane})$

$yz = \lambda$
 $xz = 2\lambda$
 $xy = 3\lambda$ } mult. by remaining

$\lambda x = 2y\lambda = 3z\lambda$

$x = 2y = 3z \rightarrow x + x + x = 10$
 $3x = 10$
 $x = \frac{10}{3}$
 $y = \frac{10}{6}$
 $z = \frac{10}{9}$

max volume = $\frac{1000}{3 \cdot 6 \cdot 9} = \frac{1000}{162}$

$$15 \text{ a) } \int_0^2 \int_0^4 yx^2 + xy + y^2 \, dy \, dx$$

$$= \int_0^2 \left. \frac{y^2 x^2}{2} + x \frac{y^2}{2} + \frac{y^3}{3} \right|_0^4 \, dx$$

$$= \int_0^2 8x^2 + 8x + \frac{64}{3} \, dx$$

$$\left. \frac{8}{3} x^3 + \frac{8x^2}{2} + \frac{64}{3} x \right|_0^2$$

$$\frac{64}{3} + 16 + \frac{128}{3} = 64 + 16 = 80$$

$$b) \int_0^1 \int_0^1 y \cos(xy) \, dy \, dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_0^1 y \cos(xy) \, dx \, dy$$

$$= \int_0^1 \sin x \, dy$$

$$- \cos x \Big|_0^1 = 1 - \cos 1$$

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$$\int_2^4 \int_1^3 y e^{xy} \, dx \, dy$$

$$= \int_2^4 e^{xy} \Big|_1^3 \, dy$$

$$= \int_2^4 e^{3y} - e^y \, dy = \frac{e^{3y}}{3} - e^y \Big|_2^4$$

$$= \left(\frac{e^{12}}{3} - e^4 \right) - \left(\frac{e^6}{3} - e^2 \right)$$

$$10. \frac{dh}{dt} = 1 \quad \frac{dw}{dt} = -0.5 \quad \frac{dl}{dt} = 2$$

$$l = 3, w = 4, h = 5$$

$$V = wlh$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dV}{dt} &= \frac{\partial V}{\partial h} \frac{dh}{dt} + \frac{\partial V}{\partial w} \frac{dw}{dt} + \frac{\partial V}{\partial l} \frac{dl}{dt} \\ &= wl(1) + hl(-0.5) + wh(2) \\ &= 12(1) - 15(-0.5) + 20(2) \\ &= 44.5 \text{ m}^3/\text{min} \end{aligned}$$

$$S = 2wl + 2wh + 2lh$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dS}{dt} &= \frac{\partial S}{\partial h} \frac{dh}{dt} + \frac{\partial S}{\partial w} \frac{dw}{dt} + \frac{\partial S}{\partial l} \frac{dl}{dt} \\ &= 2(l+w)(1) + 2(l+h)(-0.5) + 2(w+h)(2) \\ &= 14 + 8 + 36 = 42 \text{ m}^2/\text{min} \end{aligned}$$