

Math 233 - Test 3
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Show all work to receive full credit. Supply explanations where necessary.

1. (14 points) Use the two-path test to show that each limit fails to exist.

(a) $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy + y^3}{x^2 + y^2}$

Along $x=0$: $\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{y^3}{y^2} = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} y = 0$

Along $x=y$: $\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{y^2 + y^3}{y^2 + y^2} = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{1+y}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$

} Two DIFFERENT LIMITS
ALONG TWO PATHS.
LIMIT DNE.

(b) $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (1,0)} \frac{(x-1)y^2}{(x-1)^3 + y^4}$

Along $y=0$: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{0}{(x-1)^3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} 0 = 0$

Along $y=x-1$: $\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{y^3}{y^3 + y^4} = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{1+y} = 1$

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2. (2 points) If f is continuous at (x_0, y_0) , then $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (x_0, y_0)} f(x, y) = \underline{f(x_0, y_0)}$.

3. (8 points) Let $f(x, y) = \frac{xy}{x-y}$. Evaluate f_x and f_y at the point $(2, -2)$.

$$f_x(x, y) = \frac{(x-y)(y) - (xy)(1)}{(x-y)^2} = \frac{-y^2}{(x-y)^2}$$

$$f_x(2, -2) = \frac{-4}{.16} = \boxed{-\frac{1}{4}}$$

$$f_y(x, y) = \frac{(x-y)(x) - (xy)(-1)}{(x-y)^2} = \frac{x^2}{(x-y)^2}$$

$$f_y(2, -2) = \frac{4}{16} = \boxed{\frac{1}{4}}$$

4. (8 points) Show that $z = e^x \sin y$ satisfies the equation $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = 0$.

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = e^x \sin y \quad \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} = e^x \sin y$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = e^x \cos y \quad \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = -e^x \sin y$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = e^x \sin y - e^x \sin y = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

5. (2 points) Suppose f is defined on an open region in \mathbb{R}^2 . We would expect $f_{xy} = f_{yx}$ as long as f_{xy} and f_{yx} are CONTINUOUS.

$$\Delta x = 0.01, \quad \Delta y = -0.03$$

6. (8 points) Let $z = \sqrt{7 - x^2 + y^3}$. Use differentials to estimate the change in z as (x, y) moves from $(2, 1)$ to $(2.01, 0.97)$.

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{2}(7 - x^2 + y^3)^{-1/2}(-2x) = \frac{-x}{\sqrt{7 - x^2 + y^3}}, \quad \left. \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \right|_{(2,1)} = \frac{-2}{2} = -1$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = \frac{1}{2}(7 - x^2 + y^3)^{-1/2}(3y^2) = \frac{3y^2}{2\sqrt{7 - x^2 + y^3}}, \quad \left. \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \right|_{(2,1)} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\Delta z \approx \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \Delta x + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \Delta y$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta z \approx (-1)(0.01) + \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)(-0.03)$$

$$= \boxed{-0.0325}$$

7. (8 points) Find the linearization of $f(x, y, z) = \tan^{-1}(x^2 + 6y + 4z)$ at $(x, y, z) = (1, 0, 0)$. Then use your linearization to approximate $f(0.9, 0.1, 0.1)$.

$$f_x(x, y, z) = \frac{1}{1 + (x^2 + 6y + 4z)^2} \cdot \frac{2x}{1}, \quad f_x(1, 0, 0) = \frac{2}{2} = 1$$

$$f_y(x, y, z) = \frac{1}{1 + (x^2 + 6y + 4z)^2} \cdot \frac{6}{1}, \quad f_y(1, 0, 0) = \frac{6}{2} = 3$$

$$f_z(x, y, z) = \frac{1}{1 + (x^2 + 6y + 4z)^2} \cdot \frac{4}{1}, \quad f_z(1, 0, 0) = \frac{4}{2} = 2$$

$$f(1, 0, 0) = \tan^{-1}(1) = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$L(x, y, z) = \frac{\pi}{4} + (x-1) + 3y + 2z$$

$$L(0.9, 0.1, 0.1)$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{4} - 0.1 + 0.3 + 0.2$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{\pi}{4} + 0.4}$$

8. (8 points) Suppose θ is implicitly defined as a function of x and y by the equation $y - x \tan \theta = 0$. Determine $\partial\theta/\partial x$ and $\partial\theta/\partial y$.

$$F(x, y, \theta) = y - x \tan \theta$$

$$\frac{\partial\theta}{\partial x} = \frac{-F_x}{F_\theta} = \frac{-(-\tan \theta)}{-x \sec^2 \theta} = \frac{-\tan \theta}{x \sec^2 \theta}$$

$$\frac{\partial\theta}{\partial y} = \frac{-F_y}{F_\theta} = \frac{-1}{-x \sec^2 \theta} = \frac{1}{x \sec^2 \theta}$$

9. (8 points) Let $w = xy \cos z$, where $x = t$, $y = t^2$, and $z = \sin^{-1} t$. Use the appropriate chain rule to find a formula for dw/dt .

$$\frac{dw}{dt} = \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \frac{dy}{dt} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial z} \frac{dz}{dt}$$

$$\frac{dw}{dt} = (y \cos z)(1) + (x \cos z)(2t) - (xy \sin z) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-t^2}} \right)$$

10. (2 points) At any point where f is differentiable, the directional derivative is greatest in the direction of the GRADIENT VECTOR.

11. (8 points) Let $f(x, y, z) = \frac{x}{y} + \frac{y}{z} + \frac{z}{x}$. Determine a unit vector in the direction of the maximum increase from the point $(5, -5, 5)$.

$$\vec{\nabla} f(x, y, z) = \left(\frac{1}{y} - \frac{z}{x^2} \right) \hat{i} + \left(\frac{1}{z} - \frac{x}{y^2} \right) \hat{j} + \left(\frac{1}{x} - \frac{y}{z^2} \right) \hat{k}$$

$$\vec{\nabla} f(5, -5, 5) = \left(-\frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{5} \right) \hat{i} + \left(\frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{5} \right) \hat{j} + \left(\frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{5} \right) \hat{k}$$

$$= -\frac{2}{5} \hat{i} + \frac{2}{5} \hat{k}$$

UNIT VECTOR
IN DIRECTION
OF $-\hat{i} + \hat{k}$

$$= \frac{\vec{\nabla} f(5, -5, 5)}{\|\vec{\nabla} f(5, -5, 5)\|} = \boxed{-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \hat{i} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \hat{k}}$$

12. (8 points) Let $g(x, y) = x^2 + 2xy - 4y^2 + 4x - 6y + 4$. Determine all points for which $\nabla g(x, y) = \vec{0}$.

$$\vec{\nabla} g(x, y) = (2x + 2y + 4) \hat{i} + (2x - 8y - 6) \hat{j}$$

$$\vec{\nabla} g(x, y) = \vec{0} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{l} 2x + 2y = -4 \\ 2x - 8y = 6 \end{array}$$

$$10y = -10$$

$$y = -1$$

$$2x - 2 = -4$$

$$2x = -2$$

$$x = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{(x, y) = (-1, -1)}$$

13. (2 points) Suppose $f(x, y)$ is a differentiable on \mathbb{R}^2 . $\nabla f(x_0, y_0)$ is normal to the LEVEL CURVE passing through (x_0, y_0) .

14. (14 points) Consider the surface described by the equation $4x^2 - 2y^2 + z^2 = 12$.

(a) Identify the surface.

$$4x^2 + z^2 = 12 + 2y^2 \Rightarrow \text{ELLIPTICAL HYPERBOLOID OF ONE-SHEET}$$

(b) Show that the point $(2, 2, 2)$ is on the surface.

$$4(2)^2 - 2(2)^2 + (2)^2 = 16 - 8 + 4 = 12 \checkmark$$

(c) Find a vector normal to the surface at the point $(2, 2, 2)$.

$$F(x, y, z) = 4x^2 - 2y^2 + z^2$$

$\vec{\nabla} F(2, 2, 2)$ IS NORMAL TO THE LEVEL SURFACE $F(x, y, z) = F(2, 2, 2)$.

$$\vec{\nabla} F(x, y, z) = 8x \hat{i} - 4y \hat{j} + 2z \hat{k}$$

$$\vec{n} = \vec{\nabla} F(2, 2, 2) = 16 \hat{i} - 8 \hat{j} + 4 \hat{k}$$

(d) Find an equation of the plane tangent to the surface at $(2, 2, 2)$.

WILL USE $\vec{n} = 4\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$

$$4x - 2y + z = 4(2) - 2(2) + (2) = 8 - 4 + 2 = 6$$

$$4x - 2y + z = 6$$

(e) Find a set of parametric equations for the line normal to the surface at $(2, 2, 2)$.

POINT $(2, 2, 2)$

DIRECTION: $4\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$

$$x = 2 + 4t$$

$$y = 2 - 2t$$

$$z = 2 + t$$