

Math 233 - Test 2

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Show all work to receive full credit. Supply explanations where necessary.

1. (9 points) Let $\vec{r}(t) = \left(\frac{1}{t} + t\right)\hat{i} + \left(\frac{1}{t} - t\right)\hat{j}$.

(a) Show that $\|\vec{r}'(t)\| = \frac{\sqrt{2t^4 + 2}}{t^2}$.

$$\vec{r}'(t) = \left(-\frac{1}{t^2} + 1\right)\hat{i} + \left(-\frac{1}{t^2} - 1\right)\hat{j} = \left(\frac{t^2 - 1}{t^2}\right)\hat{i} - \left(\frac{t^2 + 1}{t^2}\right)\hat{j}$$

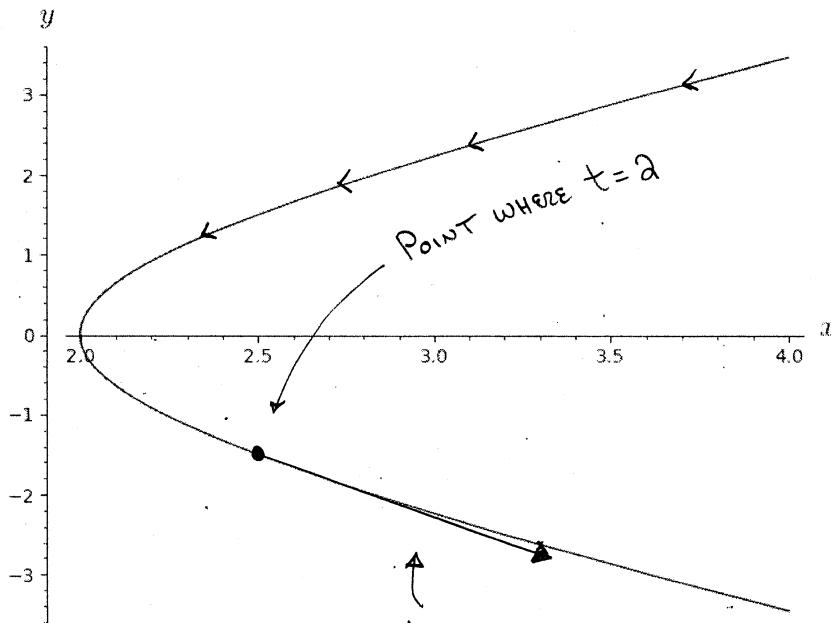
$$\|\vec{r}'(t)\| = \frac{\sqrt{(t^2 - 1)^2 + (t^2 + 1)^2}}{t^2} = \frac{\sqrt{2t^4 + 2}}{t^2} \quad \checkmark$$

- (b) Find $\hat{T}(2)$.

$$\hat{T}(2) = \frac{\vec{r}'(2)}{\|\vec{r}'(2)\|} = \frac{3\hat{i} - 5\hat{j}}{\sqrt{34}} = \boxed{\frac{3}{\sqrt{34}}\hat{i} - \frac{5}{\sqrt{34}}\hat{j}}$$

- (c) The graph of r is shown below. Sketch $\hat{T}(2)$ at the point where $t = 2$.

$$\vec{r}(2) = 2.5\hat{i} - 1.5\hat{j}$$



$\hat{T}(2)$ = UNIT VECTOR, TANGENT TO CURVE,
IN DIRECTION OF MOTION

2. (6 points) Find $\vec{r}(t)$ given the following information.

$$\vec{r}'(t) = \frac{3}{2}(t+1)^{1/2}\hat{i} + e^{-t}\hat{j} + \frac{1}{t+1}\hat{k}, \quad \vec{r}(0) = \hat{k}$$

$$\vec{r}(t) = \int \left(\frac{3}{2}(t+1)^{1/2}\hat{i} + e^{-t}\hat{j} + \frac{1}{t+1}\hat{k} \right) dt = \left[(t+1)^{3/2} + c_1 \right] \hat{i} + (-e^{-t} + c_2) \hat{j} + \left[\ln|t+1| + c_3 \right] \hat{k}$$

$$\vec{r}(0) = \hat{k} \Rightarrow 1 + c_1 = 0 \\ -1 + c_2 = 0 \\ c_3 = 1$$

$$\vec{r}(t) = \left[(t+1)^{3/2} - 1 \right] \hat{i} + (-e^{-t} + 1) \hat{j} + \left[\ln|t+1| + 1 \right] \hat{k}$$

3. (8 points) Find the length of the graph of

$$\vec{r}(t) = (1-t^2)\hat{i} + \sqrt{8}t^2\hat{j} + (7+2t^3)\hat{k}$$

from $t = 0$ to $t = 1$. (Do not use your calculator.)

$$\vec{r}'(t) = -2t\hat{i} + 2\sqrt{8}t\hat{j} + 6t^2\hat{k}$$

$$\|\vec{r}'(t)\| = \sqrt{4t^2 + 32t^2 + 36t^4} \\ = \sqrt{36t^2 + 36t^4} \\ = 6t\sqrt{1+t^2}$$

$$\text{Arc Length} = \int_0^1 6t\sqrt{1+t^2} dt$$

$$u = 1+t^2, \quad du = 2t dt$$

$$= \int_1^2 3u^{1/2} du = 2u^{3/2} \Big|_1^2$$

$$= [2\sqrt{8} - 2] \approx 3.66$$

4. (8 points) Let $\vec{r}(t) = (6 \sin 2t)\hat{i} + 5t\hat{j} + (6 \cos 2t)\hat{k}$. Starting from $t = 0$, find the arc-length parameter $s(t)$, and then reparameterize \vec{r} in terms of s .

$$\vec{r}'(t) = 12 \cos 2t \hat{i} + 5\hat{j} - 12 \sin 2t \hat{k}$$

$$\|\vec{r}'(t)\| = \sqrt{144 \cos^2 2t + 25 + 144 \sin^2 2t} \\ = \sqrt{169} = 13$$

$$s = \int_0^t 13 dt = 13t$$

$$t = \frac{s}{13}$$

$$\vec{R}(s) = 6 \sin \frac{2s}{13} \hat{i} + \frac{5s}{13} \hat{j} + 6 \cos \frac{2s}{13} \hat{k}$$

5. (12 points) A volleyball is hit when it is 4 ft above the ground and 12 ft from a 6-ft-high net. It leaves the point of impact with an initial speed of 35 ft/sec at an angle of 27° .

- (a) Find the vector-valued function that gives the position of the volleyball at time t . (Use $g = 32 \text{ ft/sec}^2$.)

$$\vec{r}(t) = 35 \cos 27^\circ t \hat{i} + (-16t^2 + 35 \sin 27^\circ t + 4) \hat{j}$$

- (b) When does the volleyball reach its maximum height, and what is the maximum height?

$$-32t + 35 \sin 27^\circ = 0$$

$$-16t^2 + 35 \sin 27^\circ t + 4$$

$$t = \frac{35 \sin 27^\circ}{32}$$

$$\approx 0.49655 \text{ seconds}$$

USING
THIS
 t

$$\approx 7.945 \text{ FT}$$

- (c) How high is the volleyball when it passes over the net?

$$35 \cos 27^\circ t = 12$$

$$-16t^2 + 35 \sin 27^\circ t + 4$$

$$t = \frac{12}{35 \cos 27^\circ}$$

$$\approx 0.38480 \text{ seconds}$$

USING
THIS
 t

$$\approx 7.745 \text{ FT}$$

- (d) Find the range and the flight time of the volleyball.

$$-16t^2 + 35 \sin 27^\circ t + 4 = 0$$

$$35 \cos 27^\circ t$$

$$t = \frac{-35 \sin 27^\circ - \sqrt{(35 \sin 27^\circ)^2 + 856}}{-32}$$

$$= 37.460 \text{ FT}$$

$$\approx 1.20123 \text{ seconds}$$

6. (8 points) Compute the curvature of the graph of $\vec{r}(t) = \frac{t^3}{3}\hat{i} + \frac{t^2}{2}\hat{j} + t\hat{k}$ at the point $(1/3, 1/2, 1)$.

POINT WHERE $t=1$

$$\vec{r}'(t) = t^2\hat{i} + t\hat{j} + \hat{k}$$

$$\vec{r}''(t) = 2t\hat{i} + \hat{j}$$

$$\vec{r}'(1) = \hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}$$

$$\|\vec{r}'(1)\| = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\vec{r}''(1) = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j}$$

$$\vec{r}'(1) \times \vec{r}''(1) = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = -\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - \hat{k}$$

$$\|\vec{r}'(1) \times \vec{r}''(1)\| = \sqrt{6}$$

$$K(t=1) = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{(\sqrt{3})^3} = \boxed{\frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}} \approx 0.47140$$

7. (4 points) Look back at the graph of \vec{r} in problem #1. By using the graph of \vec{r} , determine if there are any points at which $\hat{N}(t)$ is not defined. Explain.

No, we'd be looking for where the direction "into the curve" changes (inflection pts). There are no such pts.

8. (2 points) Suppose r is a curve for which $\hat{N}(t)$ exists for every t . Is it possible that $\hat{N}(t_0) = \vec{0}$ for some number t_0 ? Explain.

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Nope! It's a unit vector
Its magnitude is 1 (not ever 0)
whatever it exists.

9. (3 points) What are the three important characteristics of the principal unit tangent vector?

① IT IS A UNIT VECTOR: $\|\hat{T}\| = 1$

② IT POINTS IN THE DIRECTION OF MOTION ALONG THE CURVE.

③ IT IS TANGENT TO THE CURVE AT EACH PT.

10. (12 points) Each of these equations defines a surface in 3-space. Briefly describe each surface. If possible, do more than just give the name of each surface.

(a) $3x^2 - 9y^2 - 8z^2 = -5 \quad 9y^2 + 8z^2 = 3x^2 + 5$

Fix x : ELLIPSES FOR ALL x

Fix y : HYPERBOLAS

Fix z : HYPERBOLAS

(b) $4x^2 + 4y^2 = 1$

HYPERBOLOID OF ONE SHEET.

CROSS SECTIONS ARE ELLIPSES CENTERED ON X-AXIS.

CIRCULAR CYLINDER -- GENERATING CURVE IS THE CIRCLE $x^2 + y^2 = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2$, RULINGS ARE PARALLEL TO Z-AXIS.

(c) $-x^2 - 2y^2 + 3z^2 = 4 \quad x^2 + 2y^2 = 3z^2 - 4$

Fix x : HYPERBOLAS

Fix y : HYPERBOLAS

Fix z : ELLIPSES FOR BIG ENOUGH z

(d) $(x-2)^2 + (y+3)^2 + z^2 = 16$

HYPERBOLOID OF TWO SHEETS.

CROSS SECTIONS FOR $|z| > \frac{a}{\sqrt{3}}$ ARE ELLIPSES CENTERED ON Z-AXIS.

SPHERE CENTERED AT

$(2, -3, 0)$ WITH RADIUS 4.

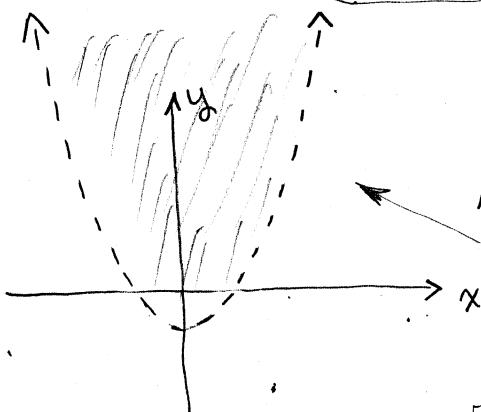
11. (4 points) Find and sketch the domain of the function $g(x, y) = \frac{\sin(xy)}{\sqrt{y - x^2 + 1}}$.

MUST HAVE $y - x^2 + 1 > 0$

OR

$$y > x^2 - 1$$

DOMAIN = $\{(x, y) : y > x^2 - 1\}$



ALL POINTS ABOVE, BUT NOT ON,

THE PARABOLA $y = x^2 - 1$.

12. (6 points) Let $f(x, y, z) = \ln(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)$.

(a) What is the domain of f ?

MUST HAVE $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 > 0$ so ...

$$\{(x, y, z) : (x, y, z) \neq (0, 0, 0)\}$$

(b) What is the range of f ?

\mathbb{R} -- ANY REAL NUMBER
IS A POSSIBLE OUTPUT.

(c) Describe the level surface $f(x, y, z) = 5$.

$$\ln(x^2 + y^2 + z^2) = 5 \Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = e^5$$

THE LEVEL SURFACE IS THE
SPHERE, CENTERED AT $(0, 0, 0)$,

RADIUS

$$\sqrt{e^5}$$

13. (3 points) Let $f(x, y) = x + y - 1$. Sketch the level curves $f(x, y) = c$ at levels $c = 0$, $c = 1$, and $c = 2$. Label the levels.

$$c=0 :$$

$$x+y-1=0$$

$$y=1-x$$

$$c=1 :$$

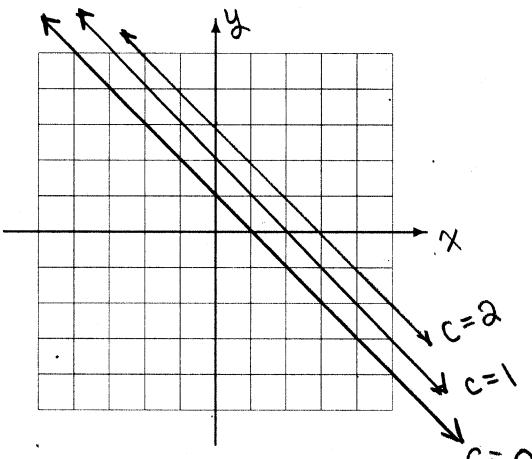
$$x+y-1=1$$

$$y=2-x$$

$$c=2 :$$

$$x+y-1=2$$

$$y=3-x$$



14. (15 points) Find each limit or show that it does not exist.

$$(a) \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (2,2)} \frac{x+y-4}{\sqrt{x+y}-2} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{x+y}+2}{\sqrt{x+y}+2}$$
$$= \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (2,2)} \frac{(x+y-4)(\sqrt{x+y}+2)}{(x+y-4)} = \sqrt{2+2} + 2$$
$$= \boxed{4}$$

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

Along $x=1$:

$$\lim_{y \rightarrow -1} \frac{y+1}{1-y^2} = \lim_{y \rightarrow -1} \frac{1}{1-y} = \frac{1}{2}$$

} Limit DNE.

Along $y=-1$:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1-x}{x^2-1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{-(x-1)}{x^2-1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{-1}{x+1} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$(c) \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (3,3)} \frac{x-y}{x^4-y^4}$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{(3+3)(9+9)} = \boxed{\frac{1}{108}}$$