

Solutions to Test 2, M 2030, W16

1. Let $f = x^2y + xy^3$. Then

$$f_x = 2xy + y^3 \quad f_{xx} = 2y$$

$$f_y = x^2 + 3xy^2 \quad f_{xy} = 2x + 3y^2$$

$$f_{yy} = 6xy$$

2. $f(x,y) = x^2 + x^2y + y^2$

(a) $z = f(x,y)$ is $f(1,2) = 1^2 + 1^2 \cdot 2 + 2^2 = 1 + 2 + 4 = 7$ at $(1,2)$.

$\nabla f = (f_x, f_y) = (2x+2xy, x^2+2y^2) = (2+4, 1+4) = (6, 5)$ at $(1,2)$. So the tangent plane is

$$z - 7 = 6(x-1) + 5(y-2)$$

(b) f increases most rapidly in the direction of $\nabla f = (6, 5)$

(c) f neither increases nor decreases in the perpendicular direction $(-5, 6)$

3. $d(x^2yz + xy^2z + xyz^2)$

$$= (2xyz + y^2z + yz^2)dx + (x^2z + 2xyz + xz^2)dy + (x^2y + xy^2 + 2xyz)dz$$

$$= (2 \cdot 1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 + 2^2 \cdot 3 + 2 \cdot 3^2)dx + (1^2 \cdot 3 + 2 \cdot 1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 + 1 \cdot 3^2)dy + (1^2 \cdot 2 + 1 \cdot 2^2 + 2 \cdot 1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3)dz$$

$$= 12dx + 12dy + 18dz$$

$$= 42dx + 24dy + 18dz \quad \text{at } (1, 2, 3)$$

So the tangent plane there is

(a) $42(x-1) + 24(y-2) + 18(z-3) = 0$

OR

$$7(x-1) + 4(y-2) + 3(z-3) = 0$$

3. (cont.) $6(7,4,3)$

(b) $\nabla f = (42, 24, 18)$ is normal to the curve and $(1, 1, -1)$ is also, so their cross-product is tangent to the curve:

$$\begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ 7 & 4 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = (-7, -(-7-3), 7-1) = (-7, 10, 3)$$

4. $\frac{\partial f}{\partial s} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} = 2 \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + 3 \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$

$$x = 2s - t \\ y = 3s + 4t$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} = -\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + 4 \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$$

5. $C = x^2y + xy^3$

(a) $dC = (2xy + y^3)dx + (x^2 + 3xy^2)dy$

(b) $C(2.99, 2.01) \approx C(3, 2) + dC$
 $= 42 + (2 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 + 2^3)(-.01) + (3^2 + 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 4)(.01)$
 $= 42 + 20(-.01) + (45)(.01)$
 $= 42 + .25 = 42.25$

6. $z(x, y)$ defined by $xyz - x - y^3 - z^3 = 0$. Then

$\frac{\partial}{\partial x}$ gives $yz + xy \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} - 1 - 3z^2 \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = 0$

so $(yz - 1) + (xy - 3z^2) \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = 0$ and $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = \frac{1-yz}{xy-3z^2}$.

$\frac{\partial}{\partial y}$ gives $xz + xy \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} - 3y^2 - 3z^2 \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = 0$ so, similarly,

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = \frac{3y^2 - xz}{xy - 3z^2}$$

7. $f(x, y) = x^4 - 2x^2 + y^2 - 2y$.

Find & classify critical points.

$$f_x = 4x^3 - 4x = 4x(x^2 - 1) \quad \text{so } f_x = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = -1, 0, \text{ or } 1$$

$$f_y = 2y - 2 \quad \text{so } f_y = 0 \Leftrightarrow y = 1$$

	$(-1, 0)$	$(0, 0)$	$(1, 0)$	
$f_{xx} = 12x^2 - 4$	8	-4	8	
$f_{xy} = 0$	0	0	0	
$f_{yy} = 2$	2	2	2	
D	16	-8	16	
	min	saddle	-min	
	$(f_{xx} > 0)$			

8. $L = x^2 + y^3 - \lambda(x^2 + y^2 - 1)$

$$L_x = 2x - 2x\lambda = 2x(1-\lambda) \quad \text{so} \quad x=0 \quad (\text{and } y=\pm 1) \quad \text{or} \quad \lambda=1$$

$$L_y = 3y^2 - 2y\lambda = y(3y-2\lambda) \quad \text{so} \quad y=0 \quad (\text{and } x=\pm 1) \quad \text{or} \quad y=\frac{2}{3}\lambda$$

	$x=0$ $y=\pm 1$	$\lambda=1$
$L_y = 0$	X	$(1, 0), x^2 + y^3 = 1$ $(-1, 0), x^2 + y^3 = 1$
$y = \frac{2}{3}\lambda$	$(0, 1), x^2 + y^3 = 1$ $(0, -1), x^2 + y^3 = -1$	$y = \frac{2}{3}, x = 1 - \frac{4}{9} = \frac{5}{9}$ $x^2 + y^3 = \frac{5}{9} + \frac{8}{27} = \frac{23}{27}$

Max = 1 at $(\pm 1, 0)$, and $(0, 1)$.

Min = -1 at $(0, -1)$