

Question 1. (3 points) Let $f(x, y, z) = (x+y)^{x+z}$, where $x, y, z > 0$. Calculate the gradient of f .

$$f(xy^z) = (x+y)^{x+z} = e^{\ln(x+y)^{x+z}} = e^{(x+z)\ln(x+y)}$$

$$f(xy^z) = e^{(x+z)\ln(x+y)}$$

$$f_x = e^{(x+z)\ln(x+y)} \frac{d}{dx} \left[\begin{matrix} 1 \\ (x+z) \end{matrix} \middle| \frac{1}{x+y} \right] \ln(x+y)$$

$$= e^{(x+z)\ln(x+y)} \left[\ln(x+y) + \frac{x+z}{x+y} \right]$$

$$f_y = e^{(x+z)\ln(x+y)} \frac{d}{dy} \left[\begin{matrix} 0 \\ (x+z) \end{matrix} \middle| \frac{1}{x+y} \right] \ln(x+y)$$

$$= e^{(x+z)\ln(x+y)} \left[\frac{x+z}{x+y} \right]$$

$$f_z = e^{(x+z)\ln(x+y)} \frac{d}{dz} \left[\begin{matrix} 1 \\ (x+z) \end{matrix} \middle| \begin{matrix} 0 \\ \ln(x+y) \end{matrix} \right]$$

$\hookrightarrow \ln(\text{constant}) = \text{constant}$

$$e^{(x+z)\ln(x+y)} [\ln(x+y)]$$

$$\nabla f = e^{(x+z)\ln(x+y)} \left\langle \ln(x+y) + \frac{x+z}{x+y}, \frac{x+z}{x+y}, \ln(x+y) \right\rangle$$

Question 2. (5 points) Let $f(x, y) = \ln(e^x + e^y)$. (Here \ln indicates logarithm in base e)

(a) Calculate the directional derivative of $f(x, y)$ at the point (a, b) in the direction of $\left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right\rangle$. Show that the answer does not depend on a, b .

$$f(xy) = \ln(e^x + e^y)$$

a) directional derivative = $\nabla f \cdot \vec{v}$ $\vec{v} = \frac{\vec{v}}{\|\vec{v}\|}$

$$f_x = \left(\frac{1}{e^x + e^y} \right) (e^x)$$

$$f_y = \left(\frac{1}{e^x + e^y} \right) (e^y)$$

$$\nabla f = \left\langle \frac{e^x}{e^x + e^y}, \frac{e^y}{e^x + e^y} \right\rangle$$

$$\vec{v} = \frac{\vec{v}}{\|\vec{v}\|} = \frac{\left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right\rangle}{\sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2}} = \frac{\left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right\rangle}{\frac{1}{2}} = \left\langle \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}} \right\rangle \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} = \left\langle \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{2}, \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{2} \right\rangle = \left\langle \sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2} \right\rangle$$

$$\text{directional derivative} = \left\langle \frac{e^x}{e^x + e^y}, \frac{e^y}{e^x + e^y} \right\rangle \cdot \left\langle \sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2} \right\rangle$$

$\text{directional derivative} = \frac{\sqrt{2}e^x + \sqrt{2}e^y}{e^x + e^y}$	$\xrightarrow{\text{not dependent @ point } (a,b)}$	$\frac{\sqrt{2}(e^x + e^y)}{(e^x + e^y)}$	$= \sqrt{2}$
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(b) Find the equation of the line through the points $A = (0, 0, \ln(2))$ and $B = (1, 1, \ln(2e))$ and show that it is entirely contained in the graph of f .

b) $\vec{v} = \vec{AB}$

$$\vec{v} = \langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle$$

$$z = z_0 + ct$$

gen eqn line: $\langle x_0, y_0, z_0 \rangle + t \langle a, b, c \rangle$

$$\vec{v} = \langle 1-0, 1-0, \ln(2e) - \ln(2) \rangle$$

$$= \langle 1, 1, \ln 2 + 1 - \ln 2 \rangle$$

$$= \langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle$$

$\text{equation of line: } \langle 0, 0, \ln 2 \rangle + t \langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle$ $< 1, 1, \ln(2e) > + t < 1, 1, 1 >$

entirely contained in line

@ point A:

$$f(x,y) = \ln(2)$$

points \rightarrow
also
plane =
pt from
line,
so must
be contained
on f

@ point B:

$$f(x,y) = \ln(2e)$$

$f(x,y) = z$ also equals
those values \rightarrow so line must
be on graph

Question 3. (5 points) Let $f(x, y) = xye^{-2x-y}$. Find all critical points of f , and determine if they are local maxima, local minima or saddle points.

$$f(xy) = xye^{-2x-y}$$

critical points
gradient = (cone, none)
(0,0), (cone, 0),
(0, cone)

$$f(xy) = yxe^{-2x-y}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_x &= ye^{-2x-y} - 2xye^{-2x-y} \\ &= e^{-2x-y} [y - 2yx] = 0 \\ y - 2yx &= 0 \\ y(1-2x) &= 0 \\ y=0 \text{ or } 1-2x=0 & \\ x = \frac{1}{2} & \end{aligned}$$

$$f(xy) = xy[e^{-2x-y}]$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_y &= xe^{-2x-y} - xy^2e^{-2x-y} \\ &= e^{-2x-y} [x - xy^2] = 0 \\ x - xy^2 &= 0 \\ x(1-y^2) &= 0 \\ x=0 \text{ or } y=1 & \end{aligned}$$

$$\nabla f \left\{ \begin{array}{l} f_x = 0, y=0 \text{ or } x=\frac{1}{2} \\ f_y = 0, x=0 \text{ or } y=1 \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow \boxed{(0,0), (\frac{1}{2}, 1)}$$

local max/min / saddle pt

2nd derivative test

$P = (a, b)$
 f_{xx}, f_{yy}, f_{xy}
exist and cont.
near P

- $D > 0, f_{xx}(ab) < 0$ local max
- $D > 0, f_{xx}(ab) > 0$ local min
- $D < 0$ neither (saddle point)
- $D = 0$ test fails

discriminant

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

$$(0,0)$$

$$D = (0)(0) - [1]^2 = -1$$

$D < 0$ saddle point @ $(0,0)$

$$(\frac{1}{2}, 1)$$

$$D = (-\frac{2}{e^2})(-\frac{1}{e^2}) = \frac{1}{e^4} \approx 0.018$$

$$D > 0$$

$$f_{xx} = -\frac{2}{e^2} \approx -0.27$$

$$f_{xx} < 0$$

Because $D > 0$ and $f_{xx} < 0$ local max
@ $(\frac{1}{2}, 1)$

$$f_x = e^{-2x-y} \left| \begin{array}{c} -2y \\ y - 2yx \end{array} \right.$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_{xx} &= -2e^{-2x-y}(y-2yx) - 2ye^{-2x-y} \\ &= e^{-2x-y} [-2(y-2yx) - 2y] \\ &= e^{-2x-y} [-2y + 4yx - 2y] \\ &= e^{-2x-y} [4yx - 4y] \end{aligned}$$

$$f_{xx}(0,0) = e^0 [0] = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_{xx}(\frac{1}{2}, 1) &= e^{-1-1} [(4)(1)(\frac{1}{2}) - (4)(1)] \\ &= \frac{-2}{e^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$f_y = e^{-2x-y} \left| \begin{array}{c} -x \\ x - xy \end{array} \right.$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_{yy} &= -e^{-2x-y} [x - xy] - xe^{-2x-y} \\ &= e^{-2x-y} [-x + xy - x] \\ &= e^{-2x-y} [xy - 2x] \end{aligned}$$

$$f_{yy}(0,0) = e^0 [0] = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_{yy}(\frac{1}{2}, 1) &= e^{-1-1} [(\frac{1}{2})(1) - (2)(\frac{1}{2})] \\ &= \frac{-1}{2e^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_{xy} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial y} [e^{-2x-y} (y - 2yx)] \\ &= -e^{-2x-y} (y - 2yx) + (1-2x)e^{-2x-y} \\ &= e^{-2x-y} [-y + 2yx + 1 - 2x] \end{aligned}$$

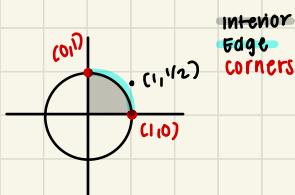
$$f_{xy}(0,0) = e^0 [1] = 1$$

$$f_{xy}^2 = 1$$

$$f_{xy}(\frac{1}{2}, 1) = e^{-2} [-1 + (2)(1)(\frac{1}{2}) + 1 - 2(\frac{1}{2})] = 0$$

$$f_{xy}^2 = 0$$

Question 4. (5 points) Find the global maxima and minima of $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2 - 2x - y$ on the domain $\{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x^2 + y^2 \leq 1, x \geq 0, y \geq 0\}$.



$$\{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x^2 + y^2 \leq 1, x \geq 0, y \geq 0\}$$

unit circle

Interior

Edge

corners

interior $\nabla f = (0, 0)$

$$\nabla f = \langle 2x - 2, 2y - 1 \rangle$$

$$2x - 2 = 0$$

$$x = 1$$

$$2y - 1 = 0$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2}$$

$(1, \frac{1}{2}) \rightarrow$ not in domain

$1 + \frac{1}{4} \text{ is not } \leq 1$

Edges

$$L = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x^2 + y^2 \leq 1, x \geq 0, y \geq 0\} = \{(x, y) : y = \sqrt{1-x^2}, 0 \leq x \leq 1\}$$

$$g(x) = f(x, \sqrt{1-x^2}) = x^2 + 1 - x^2 - 2x - \sqrt{1-x^2}$$

$$= 1 - 2x - (1-x^2)^{1/2}$$

$$g'(x) = 2 - \frac{x}{(1-x^2)^{1/2}} (1-x^2)$$

$$= 2 - \frac{x}{(1-x^2)^{1/2}}$$

$$\text{CP } g'(x) : 2 - \frac{x}{(1-x^2)^{1/2}} = 0$$

$$\frac{x}{(1-x^2)^{1/2}} = 2$$

$$x = 2(1-x^2)^{1/2}$$

$$\frac{x}{(1-x^2)^{1/2}} = 2 \quad \frac{\sqrt{\frac{4}{5}}}{(1-\frac{4}{5})^{1/2}} = \frac{\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}} = \frac{\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5}}}{1} = 2$$

$$\text{calculator } x = \sqrt{\frac{4}{5}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$y = \sqrt{1 - \frac{4}{5}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$(\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}) \rightarrow \text{in domain}$$

$$\frac{4}{5} + \frac{1}{5} = 1 \text{ which is } \leq 1$$

and $x \geq 0, y \geq 0$

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

$$f\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}\right) = \frac{4}{5} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{4}{\sqrt{5}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{5}{\sqrt{5}} = 1 - \sqrt{5} \approx -1.24$$

$$\text{Corners } f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2 - 2x - y$$

$$f(1, 0) = 1 - 2 = -1$$

$$f(0, 1) = 1 - 1 = 0$$

Possible Global Min/Max

$$f\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}\right) = 1 - \sqrt{5} \quad (\approx -1.24) \rightarrow \text{global min}$$

$$f(1, 0) = -1$$

$$f(0, 1) = 0 \rightarrow \text{global max}$$

Question 5. (3 points per limit) Compute the following limits:

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^4y^2 + x^2y^4}{x^6 + y^6} = \frac{x^2y^2 [x^2 + y^2]}{x^6 + y^6}$$

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

Hint: for the second limit, use the inequality $|\sin(t)| \leq |t|$, valid for all real numbers t . (You do not need to prove this inequality.)

$$a) \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^4y^2 + x^2y^4}{x^6 + y^6} = \frac{x^2y^2 [x^2 + y^2]}{x^6 + y^6} \quad y = mx$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2m^2x^2 [x^2 + m^2x^2]}{x^6 + m^6x^6} = \frac{x^4m^2 [x^2 + m^2x^2]}{x^6 [1 + m^6]} = \frac{m^2x^2 + m^4x^2}{[1 + m^6]}$$

m-dependent
so limit dne

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2y^2 [x^2 + y^2]}{x^6 + y^6} \quad y = x$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^4 [2x^2]}{2x^6} = \frac{2x^6}{2x^6} = 1$$

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2y^2 [x^2 + y^2]}{x^6 + y^6} \quad y = x^2$$

Because limit along $y=x$
 \neq limit along $y=x^2$ ($\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)}$ One)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 [1+x^2]}{x^6 + x^{12}} = \frac{x^6 (1+x^2)}{x^6 (1+x^6)} = \frac{x^2 (1+x^2)}{(1+x^6)} = \frac{0}{1} = 0$$

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$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x \sin(xy)}{x^2 + y^2} \quad x = r \cos \theta \\ y = r \sin \theta$$

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{r \cos \theta \sin[r \cos \theta r \sin \theta]}{r^2 \cos^2 \theta + r^2 \sin^2 \theta} = \frac{r \cos \theta \sin[r^2 \cos \theta \sin \theta]}{r^2} = \frac{\cos \theta \sin[r^2 \cos \theta \sin \theta]}{r} =$$

$$= \frac{\cos(\theta) \sin(\theta)}{0} = \frac{0}{0} \text{ use LH}$$

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos \theta \sin[r^2 \cos \theta \sin \theta]}{r} = \frac{\cos \theta \sin[\frac{r^2}{2} \sin 2\theta]}{r}$$

LH

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{-\sin \theta \sin[\frac{r^2}{2} \sin 2\theta] + \cos[\frac{r^2}{2} \sin 2\theta][2 \cos 2\theta][r][-\cos \theta]}{1}$$

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

Question 6. (3 points per subquestion) (a) Find a differentiable function $f(x, y)$ such that

$$\nabla f = \langle -2x + 3x^2y + y^2, x^3 + 2xy \rangle$$

or show that it does not exist.

(b) Find a differentiable function $f(x, y)$ such that $\nabla f = \langle 3x^2y + y^2, x^3 \rangle$ or show that it does not exist.

a) $\nabla f = \langle -2x + 3x^2y + y^2, x^3 + 2xy \rangle \quad f_{xy} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(f_x) = \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(f_y)$

$$f_x = -2x + 3x^2y + y^2$$

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

wrt x: $\int -2x + 3x^2y + y^2 \, dx$

$$= -x^2 + x^3y + y^2x + C$$

wrt y: $\int x^3 + 2xy \, dy$

$$= yx^3 + xy^2 + C \quad \text{could be } x^3 \text{ since } \frac{d}{dy}x^3, x^3 \text{ is constant}$$

possible diff eq: $x^3y + y^2x - x^2 + C$

b) $\nabla f = \langle 3x^2y + y^2, x^3 \rangle$

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

$$f_y = x^3$$

wrt x: $\int 3x^2y + y^2 \, dx$

$$= yx^3 + \boxed{y^2x} + C \quad \text{not in integral w/r respect to y of } f_y$$

wrt y: $\int x^3 \, dy$

$$= x^3y + C \quad \text{cannot be } y^2x \text{ since } \frac{d}{dy}y^2x = 2yx$$

and integral w/r respect to y doesn't have $2yx$

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