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Instruction: Justify all your answers. No Points Will Be Given Without Sufficient Reasoning/Calculations.

Problem 1. (4)

- (i) Let $r(t) = (bt, c \sin t, c \cos t)$ be the position vector of a moving particle, where b and c are positive constants. Find the velocity v and acceleration a .
- (ii) Find tangential and normal components of a in (i).
- (iii) Let C be a curve given by $r(t) = (bt, c \sin t, c \cos t)$ in (i) above. Using the results you obtained in (i) and (ii) above, find the curvature of C .

$$i) \begin{cases} \vec{v}(t) = \vec{r}'(t) = \langle b, c \cos t, -c \sin t \rangle \\ \vec{a}(t) = \vec{v}'(t) = \langle 0, -c \sin t, -c \cos t \rangle \end{cases}$$

$$ii) \vec{a} = a_T \vec{T} + a_N \vec{N} \quad a_T = v' \quad a_N = \kappa v^2$$

$$v(t) = \|\vec{v}(t)\| = \sqrt{b^2 + c^2 \cos^2 t + c^2 \sin^2 t}$$

$$= \sqrt{b^2 + c^2 (\cos^2 t + \sin^2 t)} = \sqrt{b^2 + c^2}$$

$$a_T = v'(t) = 0 \quad (v \text{ is const})$$

$$\boxed{a_T = 0} \quad \vec{a} = 0 + a_N \vec{N}$$

$$\vec{a} = a_N \vec{N}$$

$$\|\vec{a}\| = a_N = \sqrt{0 + c^2 \sin^2 t + c^2 \cos^2 t}$$

$$= \sqrt{c^2 (\sin^2 t + \cos^2 t)}$$

$$\boxed{a_N = c}$$

$$iii) a_N = \kappa v^2$$

$$\kappa = \frac{a_N}{v^2} = \frac{c}{\sqrt{b^2 + c^2}^2} = \boxed{\frac{c}{b^2 + c^2}}$$

Problem 2. (4)

A bullet is fired from ground at an angle $\alpha = \pi/4$ with initial speed v_0 .

- (i) Find the position vector $\mathbf{r}(t)$, assuming that the initial position $\mathbf{r}(0) = (0, 0)$.
- (ii) Find the initial speed v_0 if the bullet hits the point $p = (200, 100)$.
- (iii) Find all points $p = (x_0, y_0)$ that can be hit by the bullet, assuming that you can adjust the initial speed v_0 as you like.

Note: the gravity constant $g = 9.8m/s^2$ and the square root of g is (about) 3.1.

$$\vec{v}(0) = \langle \cos\alpha, \sin\alpha \rangle v_0$$

i) $\vec{a} = \langle 0, -g \rangle$ $\vec{v}(t) = \vec{v}(0) + \int_0^t \vec{a}(u) du$

$$= \langle v_0 \cos\alpha, v_0 \sin\alpha \rangle + \int_0^t \langle 0, -g \rangle du$$

$$= \langle v_0 \cos\alpha, v_0 \sin\alpha \rangle + \langle 0, -gt \rangle$$

$$\vec{v}(t) = \langle v_0 \cos\alpha, v_0 \sin\alpha - gt \rangle$$

$$\vec{r}(t) = \vec{r}(0) + \int_0^t \vec{v}(u) du$$

$$= \langle 0, 0 \rangle + \langle v_0 \cos\alpha t, v_0 \sin\alpha t - \frac{gt^2}{2} \rangle$$

$$\vec{r}(t) = \left\langle \frac{v_0 \sqrt{2}}{2} t, \frac{v_0 \sqrt{2}}{2} t - \frac{gt^2}{2} \right\rangle \quad (1)$$

ii) $p = (200, 100)$

$$\frac{v_0 t}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{v_0 \sqrt{2}}{2} t = 200$$

$$t = \frac{200\sqrt{2}}{v_0}$$

$$\frac{v_0 \sqrt{2}}{2} t - \frac{gt^2}{2} = 100$$

$$\frac{v_0 \sqrt{2}}{2} \left(\frac{200\sqrt{2}}{v_0} \right) - g \left(\frac{200\sqrt{2}}{v_0} \right)^2 = 100$$

$$200 - \frac{g \cdot 40000 \cdot 2}{v_0^2} = 100$$

$$\frac{100}{2} = \frac{40000g}{v_0^2}$$

$$\sqrt{v_0^2} = \sqrt{\frac{40000g}{100}}$$

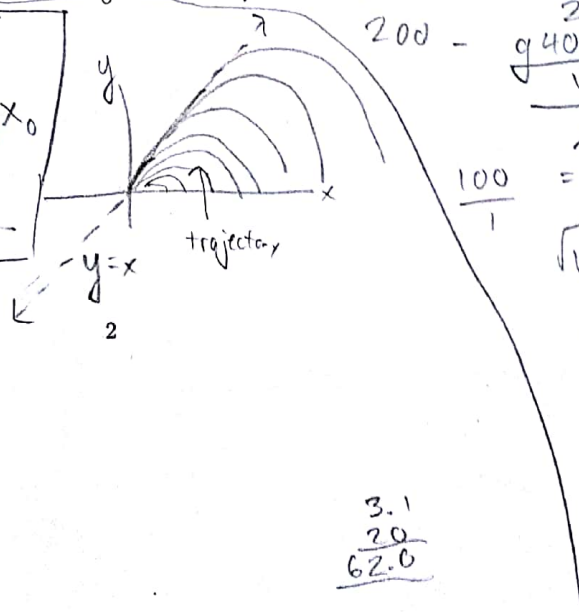
$$v_0 = \frac{200\sqrt{g}}{10}$$

$$v_0 = 20\sqrt{g}$$

$$v_0 = 20 \cdot 3.1 = 62$$

$$v_0 = 62 \quad (1)$$

iii) if v_0 can vary, then all points where $y_0 < x_0$ can be reached and $x_0 > 0$.



(1)

$$\frac{3.1}{20} = 62.0$$

(1)

Problem 3. (4)

(i) Find $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (1,2)} \frac{(x-1)(y-2)^2 + (x-1)^2(y-2)}{(x-1)^2 + (y-2)^2}$.

(ii) Function f is defined as

$$f(x,y) = \begin{cases} \frac{(x-1)(y-2)^2 + (x-1)^2(y-2)}{(x-1)^2 + (y-2)^2}, & \text{when } (x,y) \neq (1,2) \\ 1, & \text{when } (x,y) = (1,2) \end{cases}$$

Find all points in \mathbb{R}^2 where f is continuous.

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

Substitute $u = x-1$
 $v = y-2$

$$\lim_{(u,v) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{uv^2 + u^2v}{u^2 + v^2}$$

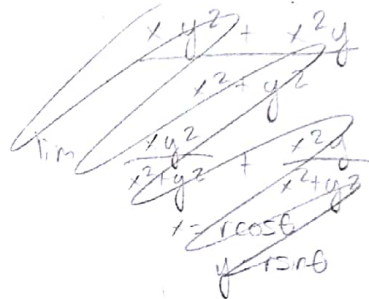
$$= \lim_{(u,v) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{uv^2}{u^2 + v^2} + \lim_{(u,v) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{u^2v}{u^2 + v^2}$$

substitute $u = r \cos \theta$
 $v = r \sin \theta$

$$= \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{r^3 \cos \theta \sin^2 \theta}{r^2 (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta)} + \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{r^3 \cos^2 \theta \sin \theta}{r^2 (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta)}$$

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

$\Rightarrow 0 + 0$



$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (1,2)} \dots = 0$

ii) f is continuous at all points in $\mathbb{R}^2 \neq (1,2)$
 since at $(1,2)$, $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (1,2)} f(x,y) = 0 \neq f(1,2) = 1$
 and at all other points f is a rational function which is always continuous as long as the denominator $\neq 0$.

by the limit rules: $f_1(x) = x-1$ is continuous

and $f_2(y) = y-2$ is continuous

$$\therefore f(x,y) = \frac{(x-1)(y-2)^2 + (x-1)^2(y-2)}{(x-1)^2 + (y-2)^2}$$

\therefore continuous where $(x-1)^2 + (y-2)^2 \neq 0$
 thus $(x,y) \neq (1,2)$

Problem 4. (4)

Let $f(x, y) = e^{x+y} \cos y = e^x e^y \cos y$

(i) Find the equation of the tangent plane for $z = f(x, y)$ at point $x = 0, y = 0$.

(ii) Estimate the value $f(0.01, 0.01)$.

$$z = L(x, y) = f(a, b) + \partial_x f(a, b)(x-a) + \partial_y f(a, b)(y-b)$$
$$= 1 + 1(x-0) + 1(y-0)$$
$$\boxed{z = 1 + x + y} \quad \checkmark$$

ii) $f(0.01, 0.01) \approx L(0.01, 0.01)$

$$= 1 + 0.01 + 0.01$$
$$= \boxed{1.02} \quad \checkmark$$

$$f(0, 0) = e^0 \cos 0 = 1$$
$$\partial_x f = e^x \cos y e^y \text{ at } (0, 0) = 1$$
$$\partial_y f = (e^x e^y)(-\sin y) + (\cos y)(e^x e^y)$$
$$\text{at } (0, 0) = 1 \cdot 1 \cdot (-\sin 0) + \cos 0 \cdot 1 \cdot 1$$
$$= 1$$

Problem 5. (4)

Let $f(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^3 + z^4 - 10$.



(i) Find ∇f and $\nabla f(1, 2, 1)$. Find the direction at point $(1, 2, 1)$ in which the function f decreases most rapidly?

(ii) Find the directional derivative $D_u f(1, 2, 1)$ where u is the direction of the vector $\langle 2, 1, 2 \rangle$.

(iii) Find the equation for the tangent plane of the surface S defined by $x^2 + y^3 + z^4 = 10$ at the point $(1, 2, 1)$.

i) $\nabla f = \langle \partial_x f, \partial_y f, \partial_z f \rangle$
 $\partial_x f = 2x$ $\partial_z f = 4z^3$
 $\partial_y f = 3y^2$

$\nabla f = \langle 2x, 3y^2, 4z^3 \rangle$

$\nabla f(1, 2, 1) = \langle 2(1), 3(2)^2, 4(1)^3 \rangle = \langle 2, 12, 4 \rangle$

most rapid decrease = $-\nabla f(1, 2, 1) = \langle -2, -12, -4 \rangle$

ii) $D_u f(1, 2, 1) = \frac{\vec{u}}{\|\vec{u}\|} \cdot \nabla f$

$\|\vec{u}\| = \sqrt{2^2 + 1^2 + 2^2} = \sqrt{9} = 3$
 $= \frac{1}{3} \langle 2, 1, 2 \rangle \cdot \langle 2, 12, 4 \rangle$
 $= \frac{1}{3} (4 + 12 + 8) = \frac{1}{3} (24) = 8$

iii) tan plane = $0 = \partial_x f(a, b, c)(x-a) + \partial_y f(a, b, c)(y-b) + \partial_z f(a, b, c)(z-c)$

$0 = 2(x-1) + 12(y-2) + 4(z-1)$

$0 = 2x - 2 + 12y - 24 + 4z - 4$

$30 = 2x + 12y + 4z$

-28
 -2
 -30

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