

**Math 32A, Winger 2020
Multivariable Calculus**

Final Exam

Instructions: You have 3 hours to complete this exam. For full credit, show all work and justify your answers. **Box your answers.** Write your solutions in the space below the questions. Write your name and UID clearly in the space below

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Question	Points	Score
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Score is computed out of 96. The last question is bonus.

Problem 1. 8pts.

Write 'T' for true or 'F' for false. (You do not need to show any work for this question.)

(a) F If u, v, w are three dimensional vectors and w is non-zero and $u \cdot w = 0$ and $v \cdot w = 0$, then u and v are parallel.

(b) T For a vector valued function $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle x(t), y(t), z(t) \rangle$, we always have $\|\mathbf{r}''(t)\| \geq |x''(t)|$.

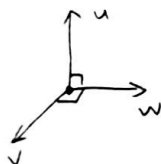
(c) F For any vector valued function $\mathbf{r}(t)$, we have

$$\frac{d}{dt}(\mathbf{r}(t) \times \mathbf{r}(t)) = 2\mathbf{r}'(t) \times \mathbf{r}(t).$$

(d) F For a function f in two variables, if $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x, 0) = 0$ and $\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} f(0, y) = 0$, then $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x, y) = 0$.

(e) T Let f be a function in two variables, and P be a critical point. Suppose that $f_{xx}, f_{xy}, f_{yy}, f_{yx}$ are continuous near P . (This means they are continuous at P , and also there is a disk around P on which they are continuous.) Then if $f_{xx}(P)f_{yy}(P) - (f_{xy}(P))^2 > 0$ then P is either a local minimum or a local maximum.

$$\frac{d}{dt}(\mathbf{r}(t) \times \mathbf{r}(t)) = [\mathbf{r}'(t) \times \mathbf{r}(t)] + [\mathbf{r}(t) \times \mathbf{r}'(t)]$$



Problem 2.

Write the letter representing the correct answer in the box on the left. (You do not need to show any work for this question.)

- (a) [3pts.] The vector valued function $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle 5 + \sin t, 2, 4 - \cos(t) \rangle$ traces a circle centred at a point (a, b, c) with radius r . Find $a + b + c + r$.

A. 3 B. 6 C. 10 D. 11 E. 12

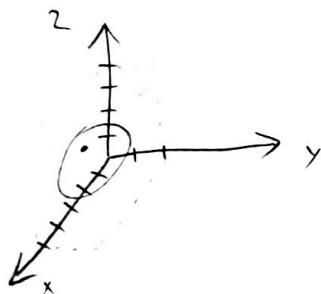
$$\text{center} = (5, 2, 4)$$

$$\text{radius} = 1$$

$$5 + 2 + 4 + 1 = 12$$

- (b) [3pts.] The vector valued function $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle 5 + \sin t, 2, 4 - \cos(t) \rangle$ traces a circle. This circle is parallel to which of the following planes.

A. $x + z = 0$ B. xy plane C. yz plane D. xz plane E. None of the above



- (c) [3pts.] Given a particle traversing the path $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle t, \sin(t), t^2 + 2t \rangle$. Find the speed of the particle at $t = 0$.

A. 1 B. $\sqrt{2}$ C. 2 D. -2 E. $\sqrt{6}$

$$\vec{v}(t) = \langle t, \sin(t), t^2 + 2t \rangle$$

$$\vec{v}'(t) = \langle 1, \cos(t), 2t + 2 \rangle$$

$$\vec{v}'(0) = \langle 1, 1, 2 \rangle$$

$$\text{speed} = \|\vec{v}'(t)\| = \sqrt{1^2 + 1^2 + 2^2} = \sqrt{6}$$

(d) [3pts.] Find the curvature of $y = x^2 + \cos(x)$ at $(0, 1)$.

- A. 1 B. 2 C. $\frac{2}{2^{3/2}}$ D. $\frac{2}{3^{3/2}}$ E. 0 F. $\sqrt{6}$

$$f(x) = x^2 + \cos x$$

$$f'(x) = 2x - \sin x \quad f'(0) = 0$$

$$f''(x) = 2 - \cos x \quad f''(0) = 1$$

$$K = \frac{|f''(x)|}{(1 + f'(x)^2)^{3/2}}$$
$$= \frac{1}{(1 + 0)^{3/2}} = 1$$

(e) [3pts.] Find the projection of $\langle 2, 3 \rangle$ along the vector $\langle 1, -1 \rangle$.

- A. 0 B. -1 C. $-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ D. $\langle \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2} \rangle$ E. $\langle -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \rangle$ F. $\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \rangle$

$$\vec{u} = \langle 2, 3 \rangle \quad \vec{v} = \langle 1, -1 \rangle$$

$$\sqrt{1^2 + (-1)^2} = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\vec{u}_{\parallel \vec{v}} = \left(\frac{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}}{\|\vec{v}\|^2} \right) \vec{v}$$

$$= \left(\frac{2 - 3}{2} \right) \langle 1, -1 \rangle$$

$$= \left(-\frac{1}{2} \right) \langle 1, -1 \rangle$$

$$= \left\langle -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle$$

Problem 3.

For each function $f(x, y)$ and value c , choose which of the pictures on the last page of this exam $A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, K$ best matches the $f(x, y) = c$ contour. (The figures are at the end, so it's easier for you to remove the page to look at.)

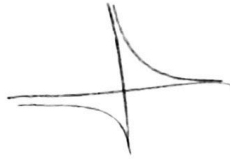
(a) [2pts.] $f(x, y) = 2^{3(x-y)}, c = 1.$

$$\begin{aligned} 3(x-y) &= 0 \\ x-y &= 0 \\ x &= y \end{aligned}$$



(b) [2pts.] $f(x, y) = (5xy - 1)^2, c = 0.$

$$\begin{aligned} 5xy - 1 &= 0 \\ 5xy &= 1 \\ y &= \frac{1}{5x} \end{aligned}$$



(c) [2pts.] $f(x, y) = 2e^{\sin(2(x^2+y^2)+0.01)}, c = 2.$

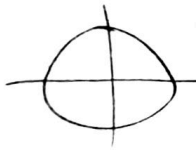
$$\begin{aligned} e^{\sin(2(x^2+y^2)+0.01)} &= 1 \\ \sin(2(x^2+y^2)+0.01) &= 0 \\ 2(x^2+y^2)+0.01 &= 0, \pi, \dots \\ x^2+y^2+0.005 &= 0, \frac{\pi}{2}, \dots \end{aligned}$$

$$x^2+y^2 = -0.005, \frac{\pi}{2}-0.005, \dots$$



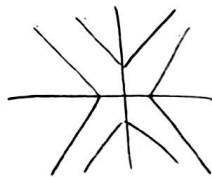
(d) [2pts.] $f(x, y) = 2\sqrt{x^2+y^2}, c = 5.$

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{x^2+y^2} \ln 2 &= \ln 5 \\ \sqrt{x^2+y^2} &= \frac{\ln 5}{\ln 2} \\ x^2+y^2 &= \left(\frac{\ln 5}{\ln 2}\right)^2 \end{aligned}$$



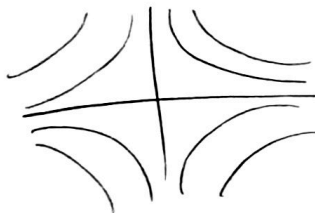
(e) [2pts.] $f(x, y) = 2^{\sin(\frac{\pi}{2}-2|x|+2|y|)}, c = 1.$

$$\begin{aligned} \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}-2|x|+2|y|\right) &= 0 \\ \frac{\pi}{2}-2|x|+2|y| &= 0, \pi, 2\pi, \dots \\ -2|x|+2|y| &= -\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2}, \dots \end{aligned}$$



(f) [2pts.] $f(x, y) = \sin(2xy)^2, c = 0.$

$$\begin{aligned} \sin(2xy) &= 0 \\ 2xy &= 0, \pi, 2\pi, \dots \\ y &= 0, \frac{\pi}{2x}, \frac{\pi}{x}, \dots \end{aligned}$$



Problem 4.

Consider the function $f(x, y) = x^2 - y^2 - xy + 5x$.

- (a) [2pts.] Compute the gradient of f at point $(1, -1)$.

$$f_x = 2x - y + 5 \quad \nabla f = \langle 2x - y + 5, -2y - x \rangle$$

$$f_y = -2y - x$$

$$\nabla f_{(1, -1)} = \langle 2 - (-1) + 5, -2(-1) - 1 \rangle$$

$$= \boxed{\langle 8, 1 \rangle}$$

- (b) [3pts.] Find the critical point(s) of f .

$$y = 2x + 5$$

$$x = -2y$$

$$x = -2(1) = -2$$

$$y = 2(-2) + 5$$

$$y = -4 + 5$$

$$5y = 5$$

$$y = 1$$

$$\boxed{(-2, 1)}$$

- (c) [3pts.] For each critical point you found, determine whether it is a local minimum, local maximum, or saddle point.

$$f_{xx} = 2, \quad f_{yy} = -2, \quad f_{xy} = -1$$

$$D(-2, 1) = f_{xx}f_{yy} - (f_{xy})^2$$

$$= 2(-2) - (-1)^2$$

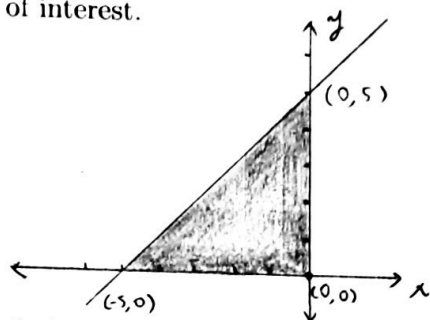
$$= -4 - 1$$

$$= -5$$

$$< 0$$

$$\boxed{(-2, 1): \text{saddle point}}$$

- (d) [2pts.] Draw a picture of the region $x \leq 0, y \geq 0, y \leq x + 5$. Label the axes and any intercepts of interest.



- (e) [6pts.] Find the maximum value of f on each segment of the boundary of the region $x \leq 0, y \geq 0, y \leq x + 5$.

on $x=0$

$$f(0, t) = 0^2 - t^2 - 0 + 0 \\ = -t^2$$

$$\text{max at } t=0, f(0,0)=0$$

on $y=0$

$$f(t, 0) = t^2 - 0 - 0 + 5t \\ = t^2 + 5t$$

$$\text{max at } t=0, f(0,0)=0$$

$$t=-5, f(-5,0)=0$$

on $y=x+5$

$$f(t, t+5) = t^2 - (t+5)^2 - t(t+5) + 5t \\ = t^2 - t^2 - 10t - 25 - t^2 - 5t + 5t$$

$$= -(t^2 + 10t + 25)$$

$$\text{max at } t=-5, f(-5,0)=0$$

on $x=0$:

$$0 \text{ at } (0,0)$$

on $y=0$

$$0 \text{ at } (0,0) \text{ and } (-5,0)$$

on $y=x+5$

$$0 \text{ at } (-5,0)$$

Problem 5.

Consider the function $f(x, y) = x^3 + 2xy - 2y^2 - 10x$.

(a) [2pts.] Compute the gradient of f at point $(-2, 1)$.

$$f_x = 3x^2 + 2y - 10$$

$$f_y = 2x - 4y$$

$$\nabla f = \langle 3x^2 + 2y - 10, 2x - 4y \rangle$$

$$\nabla f_{(-2, 1)} = \langle 3(-2)^2 + 2(1) - 10, 2(-2) - 4(1) \rangle = \boxed{\langle 4, -8 \rangle}$$

(b) [3pts.] Write down the equation for the tangent plane to the surface this function defines at the point $(-2, 1)$.

$$z = f(a, b) + f_x(a, b)(x - a) + f_y(a, b)(y - b)$$

$$= 6 + 4(x + 2) - 8(y - 1)$$

$$= 6 + 4x + 8 - 8y + 8$$

$$z = 4x - 8y + 22$$

$$\boxed{4x - 8y - z = -22}$$

$$f(-2, 1) = (-2)^3 + 2(-2)(1) - 2(1)^2 - 10(-2)$$

$$= -8 - 4 - 2 + 20 = 6$$

$$f_x = 4$$

$$f_y = -8$$

(c) [5pts.] Find the critical points of f .

$$3x^2 + 2y - 10 = 0$$

$$2x - 4y = 0$$

$$\frac{2x}{4} = \frac{4y}{4}$$

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

$$3x^2 + x - 10 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1^2 - 4(3)(-10)}}{2(3)} = \frac{-1 \pm 11}{6}$$

$$= \frac{-1+11}{6}, \frac{-1-11}{6}$$

$$= \frac{10}{6}, -\frac{12}{6} = \frac{5}{3}, -2$$

$$y = \frac{5}{6}, -1$$

$$\text{CP: } \left(\frac{5}{3}, \frac{5}{6}\right) \& (-2, -1)$$

(d) [2pts.] Use the second derivative test to determine whether they are local maxima, minima or saddle points.

$$f_{xx} = 6x$$

$$f_{yy} = -4$$

$$f_{xy} = 2$$

$$D\left(\frac{5}{3}, \frac{5}{6}\right) = f_{xx}f_{yy} - (f_{xy})^2$$

$$= 6\left(\frac{5}{3}\right)(-4) - 2^2$$

$$= -40 - 4 = -44 < 0$$

$\left(\frac{5}{3}, \frac{5}{6}\right)$: saddle point

$(-2, -1)$: local max

$$D(-2, -1) = 6(-2)(-4) - 2^2$$

$$= 48 - 4$$

$$= 44 > 0$$

$$f_{xx} = 6(-2) = -12 < 0$$

Problem 6.

Consider the function $f(x, y, z) = 3x + yz + 3\cos(x + y + z)$.

(a) [2pts.] Compute the gradient of f .

$$f_x = 3 - 3\sin(x + y + z)$$

$$f_y = z - 3\sin(x + y + z)$$

$$f_z = y - 3\sin(x + y + z)$$

$$\nabla f = \langle 3 - 3\sin(x + y + z), z - 3\sin(x + y + z), y - 3\sin(x + y + z) \rangle$$

(b) [2pts.] Find the directional derivative of f in the $\langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle$ direction at the point $(2, -1, -1)$.

$$D_{\langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle} f(2, -1, -1) = \nabla f(2, -1, -1) \cdot \left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \right\rangle$$

$$= \langle 3 - 0, -1 - 0, -1 - 0 \rangle \cdot \left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \right\rangle$$

$$= \langle 3, -1, -1 \rangle \cdot \left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \right\rangle$$

$$= \frac{3}{\sqrt{3}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\frac{\langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle}{\sqrt{1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2}}$$

$$= \left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \right\rangle$$

- (c) [4pts.] Find the equation of the tangent plane to the surface $f(x, y, z) = 2$ at the point $(0, 1, -1)$.

$$\nabla f(0, 1, -1) = \langle 3 - 0, -1 - 0, 1 - 0 \rangle = \langle 3, -1, 1 \rangle$$

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

$$3x - y + 1 + z + 1 = 0$$

$$\boxed{3x - y + z + 2 = 0}$$

- (d) [2pts.] Find a point $P = (a, b, c)$ such that for $d = f(a, b, c)$, the tangent plane to $f(x, y, z) = d$ at P is parallel to $x + 2y + 3z = 0$.

$$\lambda \langle 1, 2, 3 \rangle = \langle 3 - 3\sin(x+y+z), z - 3\sin(x+y+z), y - 3\sin(x+y+z) \rangle$$

$$\begin{cases} 3 - 3\sin(x+y+z) = \lambda \\ z - 3\sin(x+y+z) = 2\lambda \\ y - 3\sin(x+y+z) = 3\lambda \end{cases} \quad \text{let } \lambda = 3$$

$$3\sin(x+y+z) = 0 \quad \text{if } \lambda = 3$$

$$z - 0 = 6 \quad z = 6$$

$$y - 0 = 9 \quad y = 9$$

$$3\sin(6+9+x) = 0$$

$$\sin(6+9+x) = 0$$

$$x = -15$$

$$\boxed{P: (-15, 9, 6)}$$

Problem 7.

(a) [4pts.] Compute $\frac{\partial g}{\partial s}$ where $g(x, y) = x^2 + y^2$ and $x = \cos(s+t)$, $y = s^2 - t$.

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial g}{\partial s} &= \frac{\partial g}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial g}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} \\ &= 2x(-\sin(s+t)) + 2y(2s) \\ &= -2\cos(s+t)\sin(s+t) + 2(s^2-t)(2s) \\ &= \boxed{-2\cos(s+t)\sin(s+t) + 4s^3 - 4st}\end{aligned}$$

(b) [4pts.] Let $f(x, y, z) = x^2y + \sin(yz) + y^2 - 2$. Consider the surface $f(x, y, z) = 0$, and see it as the graph of a function $z = g(x, y)$. Find $\frac{\partial g}{\partial x}$, wherever it is defined.

Alternately, here is the same problem in the notation of the textbook: Find $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}$ for the surface $x^2y + \sin(yz) + y^2 = 2$.

$$F_x = 2xy$$

$$F_z = y\cos(yz)$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = -\frac{F_x}{F_z} = -\frac{2xy}{y\cos(yz)}$$

$$= \boxed{-\frac{2x}{\cos(yz)}}$$

Problem 8.

Let $\mathbf{u} = \langle 3, 1, -2 \rangle$.

(a) [5pts.] Find vectors \mathbf{v} and \mathbf{w} such that $\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{w} = \mathbf{0}$, $\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v} = 3$, $\mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{u} = -2$.

$$\mathbf{w} = \lambda \mathbf{v} \quad \text{since} \quad \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{w} = \mathbf{0}$$

$$\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v} = 3$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{w} &= \mathbf{u} \cdot \lambda \mathbf{v} = -2 \\ &= \lambda (\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}) = -2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\lambda = -\frac{2}{3}$$

$$\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v} = 3x + y - 2z = 3$$

$$\text{let } \mathbf{v} = \langle 1, 0, 0 \rangle$$

$$\mathbf{w} = -\frac{2}{3} \langle 1, 0, 0 \rangle$$

$$= \langle -\frac{2}{3}, 0, 0 \rangle$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \vec{v} = \langle 1, 0, 0 \rangle \\ \vec{w} = \langle -\frac{2}{3}, 0, 0 \rangle \end{array}$$

(b) [10pts.] For \mathbf{v} and \mathbf{w} as in the previous part, that is satisfying $\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{w} = 0$, $\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v} = 3$, $\mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{u} = -2$, find the maximum possible value of $\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{w}$. (The value you get from doing Lagrange multipliers is a maximum; you don't have to justify this.)

$$\text{maximize } f(x, y, z) = -\frac{2}{3}(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} g(x, y, z) &= \langle 3, 1, -2 \rangle \langle x, y, z \rangle = 3 \\ &= 3x + y - 2z = 3 \\ &= 3x + y - 2z - 3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\nabla g = \langle 3, 1, -2 \rangle \neq 0$$

$$\nabla f = \left\langle -\frac{4}{3}x, -\frac{4}{3}y, -\frac{4}{3}z \right\rangle = \lambda \langle 3, 1, -2 \rangle$$

$$\begin{cases} -\frac{4}{3}x = 3\lambda & x = -\frac{9}{4}\lambda = -\frac{9}{4}\left(-\frac{2}{7}\right) = \frac{9}{14} \\ -\frac{4}{3}y = \lambda & y = -\frac{3}{4}\lambda = -\frac{3}{4}\left(-\frac{2}{7}\right) = \frac{3}{14} \\ -\frac{4}{3}z = -2 & z = \frac{6}{4}\lambda = \frac{6}{4}\left(-\frac{2}{7}\right) = -\frac{3}{7} \\ 3x + y - 2z = 3 \end{cases}$$

$$-\frac{27}{4}\lambda - \frac{3}{4}\lambda - \frac{12}{4}\lambda = 3$$

$$-\frac{42}{4}\lambda = 3$$

$$\lambda = -\frac{3}{14}$$

$$= -\frac{2}{7}$$

$$\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{w} = -\frac{2}{3} \left(\left(\frac{9}{14}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{3}{14}\right)^2 + \left(-\frac{3}{7}\right)^2 \right)$$

$$= -\frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{81}{196} + \frac{9}{196} + \frac{9}{49} \right)$$

$$= -\frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{81}{196} + \frac{9}{196} + \frac{36}{196} \right)$$

$$= -\frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{126}{196} \right) = \boxed{-\frac{3}{7}}$$

Problem 9. *1pts.*

(Bonus) Find, with justification, the maximum value of $\frac{2(a+b)}{a+b+c} + \frac{a+3b}{a+2b+c} - \frac{2a+3b}{a+b+2c}$ for $a, b, c > 0$.

(Note: Collaboration is okay for this problem, but I will not provide help with it.)

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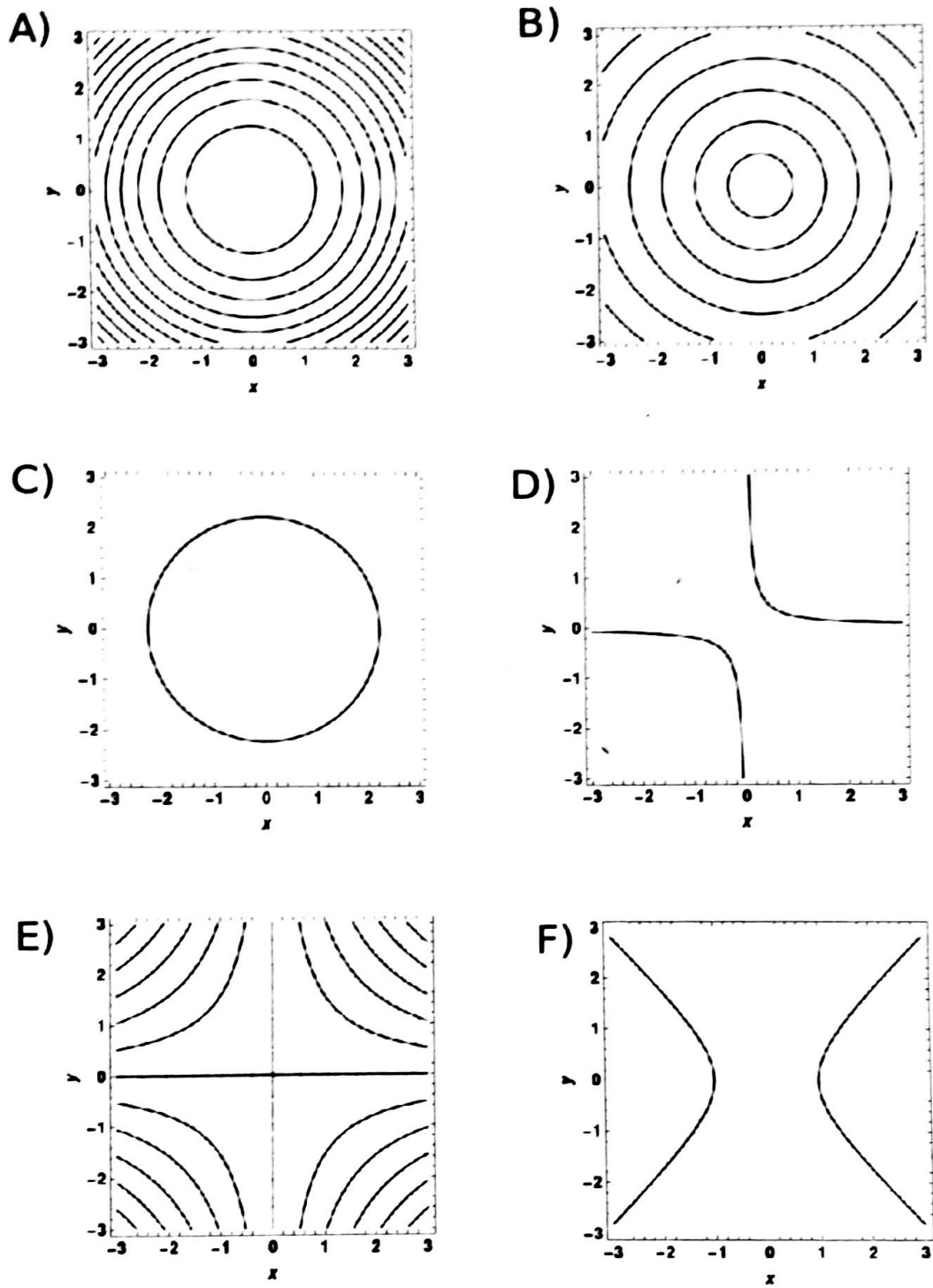


Figure 1

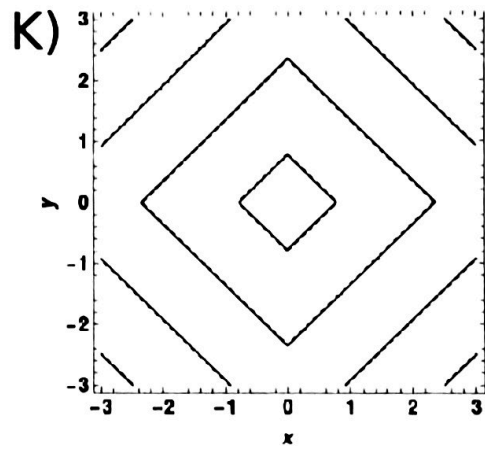
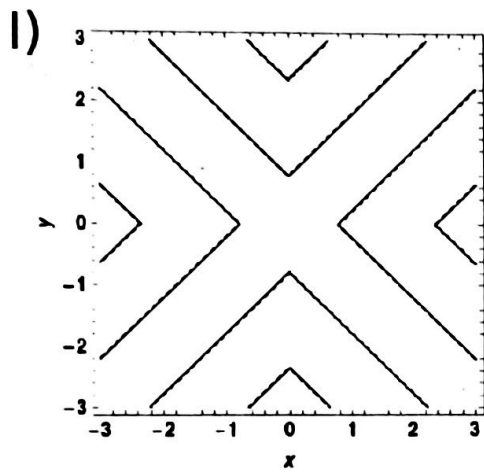
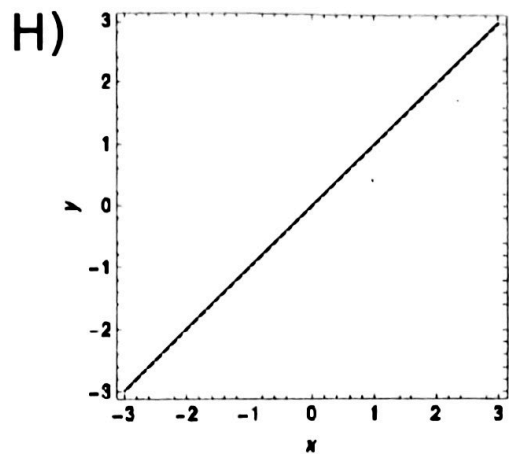
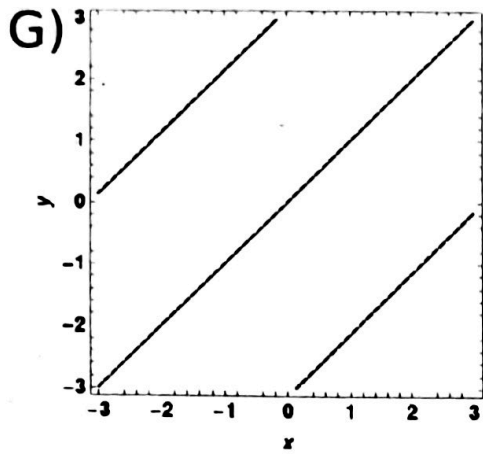


Figure 2