

Midterm 2 November 16, 2016 Duration: 50 minutes*This test has 4 questions on 5 pages, for a total of 40 points.*

- Read all the questions carefully before starting to work.
- Give complete arguments and explanations for all your calculations. Answers without justifications will not be marked, unless otherwise indicated.
- Continue on the closest blank page if you run out of space, and **indicate this clearly on the original page**.
- Attempt to answer all questions for partial credit.
- This is a closed-book examination. **No aids of any kind are allowed**, including: documents, cheat sheets, electronic devices of any kind (including calculators, phones, etc.)

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Question:	1	2	3	4	Total
Points:	9	9	12	10	40
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9 marks

1. Find all critical points of

$$f(x, y) = 9x^3 + \frac{1}{3}y^3 - 27xy,$$

and classify each critical point as a local maximum, a local minimum, or a saddle point.

Answer: $(0, 0)$ is a saddle point,
 $(3, 9)$ is a local minimum.

Solution: The critical points are the solutions to

$$\begin{aligned}f_x &= 27x^2 - 27y = 0 \\f_y &= y^2 - 27x = 0.\end{aligned}$$

From the first equation we obtain $y = x^2$. We insert this into the second equation to obtain $x^4 - 27x = 0$, so $x(x^3 - 27) = 0$. Thus $x = 0$ or $x = 3$, and the critical points are $(0, 0)$ and $(3, 9)$.

For their classification, we compute

$$f_{xx} = 54x, \quad f_{yy} = 2y, \quad f_{xy} = -27,$$

and so $D = f_{xx}f_{yy} - f_{xy}^2 = 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 27xy - 27^2$ is

$$D(0, 0) = -27 < 0, \quad D(3, 9) = 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 27 \cdot 3 \cdot 9 - 27^2 = 4 \cdot 27^2 - 27^2 = 3 \cdot 27^2 > 0.$$

Therefore $(0, 0)$ is a saddle point, and since $f_{xx}(3, 9) = 54 \cdot 3 > 0$, we obtain that $(3, 9)$ is a local minimum.

9 marks

2. Using Lagrange multipliers, determine the largest volume of a cylinder whose radius r and height h satisfy the equation $r + 2h = 3$.

Answer: 2π

Solution: The volume is $V(r, h) = \pi r^2 h$, and the constraint is

$$g(r, h) = r + 2h = 3.$$

Since $\vec{\nabla}V = \pi\langle 2rh, r^2 \rangle$ and $\vec{\nabla}g = \langle 1, 2 \rangle$, we have the three equations

$$\pi 2rh = \lambda$$

$$\pi r^2 = 2\lambda$$

$$r + 2h = 3.$$

From the first two equations we have $4rh = r^2$, so $r = 4h$ as we may assume $r > 0$. From the third equation we have $6h = 3$, so $h = 1/2$ and $r = 2$. Thus the maximum volume is $V = 2\pi$.

3. Let D be the bounded region in \mathbb{R}^2 contained between the curves $x = y^2$ and $x^3 = 32y$.

4 marks

- (a) Express the double integral $\iint_D f(x, y) dx dy$ in the order $\int_?^? \int_?^? f(x, y) dx dy$.

Answer:

$$\int_0^2 \int_{y^2}^{32^{1/3}y^{1/3}} f(x, y) dx dy$$

Solution: The curves $x = y^2$ and $x^3 = 32y$ intersect at $(0, 0)$ and $(4, 2)$. The region D can be expressed as

$$D = \{(x, y) : y^2 \leq x \leq 32^{1/3}y^{1/3}, 0 \leq y \leq 2\}.$$

Therefore the integral is $\int_0^2 \int_{y^2}^{32^{1/3}y^{1/3}} f(x, y) dx dy$.

4 marks

- (b) Now express the double integral $\iint_D f(x, y) dx dy$ in the order $\int_?^? \int_?^? f(x, y) dy dx$.

Answer:

$$\int_0^4 \int_{x^3/32}^{\sqrt{x}} f(x, y) dy dx$$

Solution: The region D can also be expressed as

$$D = \{(x, y) : x^3/32 \leq y \leq \sqrt{x}, 0 \leq x \leq 4\}.$$

Therefore the integral is $\int_0^4 \int_{x^3/32}^{\sqrt{x}} f(x, y) dy dx$.

4 marks

- (c) Let $f(x, y) = \cos\left(\frac{2}{3}x^{3/2} - \frac{x^4}{128}\right)$. Compute the integral $\iint_D f(x, y) dx dy$ (in any order of your choice).

Answer: $\sin(10/3)$

Solution: The integral is

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^4 \int_{x^3/32}^{\sqrt{x}} \cos\left(\frac{2}{3}x^{3/2} - \frac{x^4}{128}\right) dy dx &= \int_0^4 \cos\left(\frac{2}{3}x^{3/2} - \frac{x^4}{128}\right) \left(\sqrt{x} - \frac{x^3}{32}\right) dx \\ &= \int_0^{\frac{16}{3}-2} \cos(t) dt = \int_0^{10/3} \cos(t) dt \\ &= \sin(10/3). \end{aligned}$$

Here we used the substitution $t = \frac{2}{3}x^{3/2} - \frac{x^4}{128}$ to evaluate the outer integral.

4. Consider $f(x, y) = x^3y$.

3 marks

(a) Find the directional derivative of f in the direction $\langle 3, 4 \rangle$ at the point $(1, 1)$.

Answer: $\frac{13}{5}$

Solution: $\vec{\nabla}f = \langle f_x, f_y \rangle = \langle 3x^2y, x^3 \rangle$

$\vec{\nabla}f(1, 1) = \langle 3, 1 \rangle$.

$\vec{u} = \frac{1}{5}\langle 3, 4 \rangle$. Note: normalized, so $|\vec{u}| = 1$.

$D_{\vec{u}}f = \vec{\nabla}f \cdot \vec{u} = \frac{9+4}{5} = \frac{13}{5}$.

1 mark

(b) Define a function $G(x, y, z)$ which captures the surface $z = x^3y$ implicitly as its zero level surface.

Answer: $G(x, y, z) = x^3y - z$

Solution: $G(x, y, z) = f(x, y) - z = x^3y - z$.

2 marks

(c) Determine an expression for a normal vector \vec{n} of the surface $z = x^3y$. Your answer should be a function of x and y .

Answer: $\vec{n} = \langle 3x^2y, x^3, -1 \rangle$

Solution: $\vec{n} = \vec{\nabla}G(x, y, z)$.

4 marks

(d) Consider a general surface $z = f(x, y)$ with normal vector \vec{n} . Let $\vec{v} = \langle f_x(x, y), f_y(x, y), 0 \rangle$. Circle T or F to indicate whether each statement is true or false (no further justification is needed).

T F \vec{n} points in the direction of maximum increase of f .

T F $\vec{n} \times \vec{v}$ is tangential to the surface.

T F The equation $\vec{v} \cdot (\langle x, y, z \rangle - \vec{r}_0) = 0$ describes the tangent plane of the surface at $\vec{r}_0 = \langle x_0, y_0, f(x_0, y_0) \rangle$.

T F The gradient $\vec{\nabla}f$ is orthogonal to the level curves of f .

Solution:

False, $\vec{\nabla}f$ points in the direction (in 2D) in which $f(x, y)$ increases fastest; $\vec{n} = \pm \vec{\nabla}G$ points in the direction (in 3D) in which $G(x, y, z)$ increases/decreases fastest.

True, any vector orthogonal to the normal \vec{n} will be in the tangent plane.

False, expression should be $\vec{n} \cdot (\dots)$.

True.