

1. (15 pts) Let $f(x, y, z) = \sin(xy + z)$, and P be the point $(0, -2, \frac{\pi}{3})$.
- (a) (6 pts) Compute $\nabla f(x, y, z)$.
- (b) (2 pts) At P , find the direction along which f obtains maximum directional derivative.
- (c) (4 pts) Calculate the directional derivative $\frac{\partial f}{\partial \mathbf{u}}(P)$, where \mathbf{u} is a unit vector making an angle $\frac{\pi}{6}$ with the gradient $\nabla f(P)$.
- (d) (3 pts) The level surface $f(x, y, z) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ defines z implicitly as a function of x and y near P . Compute $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}$ at P .

Solution:

(a)

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla f &= (y \cos(xy + z), x \cos(xy + z), \cos(xy + z)) \\ &= \cos(xy + z)(y, x, 1) \text{ (each component 2\%)}\end{aligned}$$

(b) $\nabla f(0, -2, \frac{\pi}{3}) = \frac{1}{2}(-2, 0, 1)$ (each component $\frac{2}{3}\%$)

(c)

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial \mathbf{u}}(P) = \nabla f(P) \cdot \mathbf{u} \text{ (2\%)} = |\nabla f(P)| \cdot |\mathbf{u}| \cdot \cos \frac{\pi}{6} \text{ (1\%)} = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{15}}{4} \text{ (1\%)}.$$

(d)

$$\begin{aligned}\sin(xy + z(x, y)) &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \Rightarrow \cos(xy + z(x, y))(y + z_x) = 0 \text{ (2\%)} \\ &\Rightarrow \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right)(-2 + z_x) = 0 \Rightarrow z_x = 2 \text{ (1\%)}\end{aligned}$$

2. (12 pts) Assume that $f(x, y, z)$ and $g(x, y, z)$ have continuous partial derivatives and $(1, 2, -1)$ lies on the level surface $f(x, y, z) = 3$. Suppose the tangent plane of $f(x, y, z) = 3$ at $(1, 2, -1)$ is $2x - y + 3z + 3 = 0$ and $f_y(1, 2, -1) = 2$.
- (a) (4 pts) Find $\nabla f(1, 2, -1)$.
- (b) (4 pts) Estimate $f(1.1, 2.01, -0.98)$ by the linear approximation of f at $(1, 2, -1)$.
- (c) (4 pts) Suppose that when restricted on the surface $f(x, y, z) = 3$, $g(x, y, z)$ obtains maximum value at $(1, 2, -1)$ and $g_x(1, 2, -1) = -2$. Find $\nabla g(1, 2, -1)$ and the maximum directional derivative of g at the point $(1, 2, -1)$.

Solution:

- (a) The tangent plane of $f(x, y, z) = 3$ at $(1, 2, -1)$ is

$$f_x(1, 2, -1)(x - 1) + f_y(1, 2, -1)(y - 2) + f_z(1, 2, -1)(z + 1) = 0. \quad (2 \text{ pts})$$

Since the tangent plane is $2x - y + 3z + 3 = 0$, $\nabla f(1, 2, -1) \parallel (2, -1, 3)$. (1 pt)

Because $f_y(1, 2, -1) = 2$, we know that $\nabla f(1, 2, -1) = -2(2, -1, 3) = (-4, 2, -6)$. (1 pt).

$$\text{Ans: } \nabla f(1, 2, -1) = (-4, 2, -6).$$

- (b) The linear approximation of f at $(1, 2, -1)$ is

$$L(x, y, z) = f(1, 2, -1) + f_x(1, 2, -1)(x - 1) + f_y(1, 2, -1)(y - 2) + f_z(1, 2, -1)(z + 1)$$

(2 pts for the definition of $L(x, y, z)$.)

$$f(1.1, 2.01, -0.98) \approx L(1.1, 2.01, -0.98)$$

$$= 3 - 4(0.1) + 2(0.01) - 6(0.02) \quad (1 \text{ pt for plugging in correct partial derivatives and } x, y, z)$$

$$= 2.5 \quad (1 \text{ pt for computation})$$

- (c) By the method of Lagrange multipliers, we know that $\nabla g(1, 2, -1) = \lambda \nabla f(1, 2, -1)$ (1 pt)

Hence $\nabla g(1, 2, -1) = \lambda(-4, 2, -6)$.

By $g_x(1, 2, -1) = -2$, we know that $\nabla g = \frac{1}{2}(-4, 2, -6) = (-2, 1, -3)$ (1 pt).

The maximum directional derivative of g at $(1, 2, -1)$ is $|\nabla g(1, 2, -1)| = \sqrt{14}$

(1 pt for knowing the maximum directional derivative is $|\nabla g|$. 1 pt for the final answer.)

3. (25 pts) $f(x, y) = x^2 + xy + y^2 + 3x$.
- (a) (7 pts) Find critical point(s) of $f(x, y)$ and determine whether it is a saddle point or $f(x, y)$ obtains local maximum or local minimum at it.
- (b) (15 pts) Find the maximum and minimum value of $f(x, y)$ on the curve $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ by the method of Lagrange multipliers.
- (c) (3 pts) Find the maximum value of $f(x, y)$ on the region $x^2 + y^2 \leq 9$.

Solution:

(a) To find critical points of $f(x, y)$, we solve
$$\begin{cases} f_x = 2x + y + 3 = 0 \\ f_y = x + 2y = 0 \end{cases}$$

(1 pt for setting $f_x = f_y = 0$. 1 pt for correct f_x and f_y .)

The solution is $(x, y) = (-2, 1)$. (1 pt)

At $(-2, 1)$, $f_{xx} = 2$, $f_{xy} = 1$, $f_{yy} = 2$ (1 pt)

$$D(-2, 1) = \begin{vmatrix} f_{xx} & f_{xy} \\ f_{xy} & f_{yy} \end{vmatrix} (-2, 1) = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 3 \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

$\therefore D(-2, 1) = 3 > 0$ and $f_{xx}(-2, 1) = 2 > 0$ (1 pt)

We know that $f(-2, 1)$ is a local minimum. (1 pt)

- (b) By the method of Lagrange multipliers, to find extreme values of $f(x, y)$ on the constraint

$$g(x, y) = x^2 + y^2 = 9, \text{ we solve } \begin{cases} \nabla f = \lambda \nabla g \\ g(x, y) = 9 \end{cases} \quad (2 \text{ pts})$$

$$\text{which is } \begin{cases} 2x + y + 3 = 2\lambda x & (1) \\ x + 2y = 2\lambda y & (2) \\ x^2 + y^2 = 9 & (3) \end{cases} \quad (2 \text{ pts})$$

Method 1:

$$(2) \Rightarrow x = 2(\lambda - 1)y$$

$$\text{plug in (1)} \Rightarrow (1 - 4(\lambda - 1)^2)y = -3 \Rightarrow y = \frac{3}{4(\lambda - 1)^2 - 1}, x = \frac{6(\lambda - 1)}{4(\lambda - 1)^2 - 1}. \quad (3 \text{ pts})$$

$$\text{plug in (3)} \Rightarrow \frac{9 + 36(\lambda - 1)^2}{(4(\lambda - 1)^2 - 1)^2} = 9$$

$$\text{Let } (\lambda - 1)^2 = u, \text{ we have } 1 + 4u = (4u - 1)^2 \Rightarrow u = 0 \text{ or } \frac{3}{4} \text{ i.e. } \lambda = 1 \text{ or } 1 \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \quad (3 \text{ pts})$$

$$\text{when } \lambda = 1, y = -3, x = 0$$

$$\text{when } \lambda = 1 \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, y = \frac{3}{2}, x = \pm \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

Critical points are $(x, y) = (0, -3)$, $(\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2})$, and $(-\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2})$. (3 pts)

$$f(0, -3) = 9, f(\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2}) = 9 + \frac{27\sqrt{3}}{4}, f(-\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2}) = 9 - \frac{27\sqrt{3}}{4}.$$

$$f(-\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2}) < f(0, -3) < f(\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2}).$$

Hence the maximum value is $f(\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2}) = 9 + \frac{27\sqrt{3}}{4}$.

The minimum value is $f(-\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2}) = 9 - \frac{27\sqrt{3}}{4}$. (2 pts)

Method 2:

Note that if $\lambda = 0$, then (1) and (2) $\Rightarrow (x, y) = (2, -1)$ but (3) is not satisfied. If $y = 0$, then (2) implies that x is also 0, but (3) is not satisfied for $(x, y) = (0, 0)$.

Hence we conclude that $\lambda \neq 0$ and $y \neq 0$.

Therefore both sides of (2) are not zero.

Then we can divide $\frac{(1)}{(2)}$.

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{(1)}{(2)} &\Rightarrow \frac{2x + y + 3}{x + 2y} = \frac{x}{y} \Rightarrow 2xy + y^2 + 3y = x^2 + 2xy \\ &\Rightarrow x^2 = y^2 + 3y \text{ plug in (3)} \Rightarrow 2y^2 + 3y = 9 \\ &\Rightarrow y = \frac{3}{2} \text{ or } -3.\end{aligned}$$

If $y = \frac{3}{2}$, $x = \pm \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}$. If $y = -3$, $x = 0$.

Hence critical points are $(x, y) = (0, -3)$, $(\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2})$ and $(-\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2})$.

(c) Inside the disc $x^2 + y^2 < 9$, $f(x, y)$ has a critical point $(-2, 1)$. $f(-2, 1) = -3$.

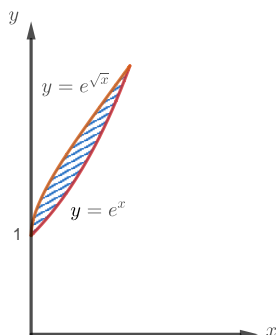
On the boundary $x^2 + y^2 = 9$, $f(x, y)$ obtains maximum $f(\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2}) = 9 + \frac{27\sqrt{3}}{4}$.

because $f(\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2}) > f(-2, 1)$ (or $\because f(-2, 1)$ is a local minimum) (2 pts)

\therefore The maximum value of f on the region $x^2 + y^2 \leq 9$ is $f(\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2}) = 9 + \frac{27\sqrt{3}}{4}$. (1 pt)

4. (18 pts) (a) (8 pts) Reverse the order of integration and evaluate it. $\int_0^4 \int_{\frac{\sqrt{y}}{2}}^1 \sqrt{x^3 + 3} dx dy$.

(b) (10 pts) Compute $\iint_{\Omega} (\ln y)^{-1} dA$, where Ω is bounded by $y = e^x$ and $y = e^{\sqrt{x}}$.



Solution:

(a)

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^4 \int_{\frac{\sqrt{y}}{2}}^1 \sqrt{x^3 + 3} dx dy &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{4x^2} \sqrt{x^3 + 3} dy dx \text{ (4\%)} \\ &= \int_0^1 4x^2 \sqrt{x^3 + 3} dx \text{ (2\%)} \\ &= \frac{4}{3} \cdot \frac{2}{3} (x^3 + 3)^{3/2} \Big|_0^1 \text{ (1\%)} \\ &= \frac{8}{9} (8 - 3\sqrt{3}) \text{ (1\%)} \\ &= \frac{64}{9} - \frac{8}{3}\sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned} y = e^x &\Rightarrow x = \ln y, \\ y = e^{\sqrt{x}} &\Rightarrow \sqrt{x} = \ln y \Rightarrow x = (\ln y)^2. \end{aligned}$$

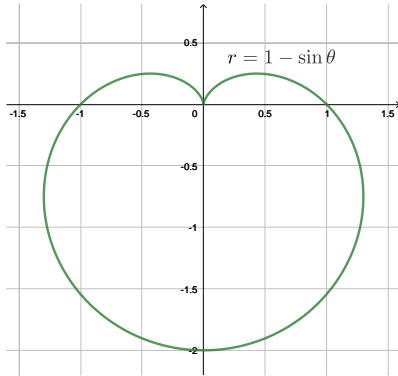
Then

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_{\Omega} (\ln y)^{-1} dA &= \int_1^e \int_{(\ln y)^2}^{\ln y} (\ln y)^{-1} dx dy \text{ (4\%)} \\ &= \int_1^e (\ln y)^{-1} (\ln y - \ln^2 y) dy \text{ (3\%)} \\ &= \int_1^e (1 - \ln y) dy \text{ (2\%)} \\ &= (e - 1) - (y \ln y - y) \Big|_1^e \text{ (1\%)} \\ &= e - 2. \end{aligned}$$

5. (18 pts) (a) (8 pts) Evaluate $\iint_D e^{-x^2-y^2} dA$, where D is the upper disc, $x^2 + y^2 \leq 25$ and $y \geq 0$.

(b) (10 pts) Calculate the area of the region inside the cardioid

$$r = 1 - \sin \theta.$$



Solution:

(a) Note that

$$D = \{[r, \theta] : 0 \leq r \leq 5, 0 \leq \theta \leq \pi\} \quad (2\%),$$

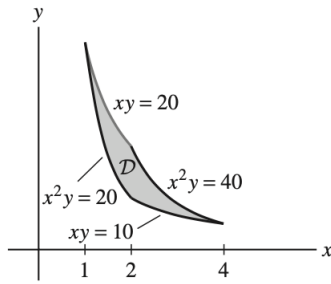
we have

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_D e^{-(x^2+y^2)} dA &= \int_0^\pi \int_0^5 e^{-r^2} \cdot r dr d\theta \quad (4\%) \\ &= \int_0^\pi \left(-\frac{e^{-r^2}}{2} \right) \Big|_0^5 d\theta \quad (1\%) \\ &= \pi(1 - e^{-25})/2 \quad (1\%). \end{aligned}$$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area} &= \iint_\Omega 1 dA = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{1-\sin\theta} r dr d\theta \quad (4\%) \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{(1 - \sin\theta)^2}{2} d\theta \quad (1\%) \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1 - 2\sin\theta + \sin^2\theta}{2} d\theta \quad (1\%) \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \left(\frac{1}{2} - \sin\theta + \frac{1 - \cos 2\theta}{4} \right) d\theta \quad (2\%) \\ &= \frac{3}{4} \cdot 2\pi = \frac{3\pi}{2} \quad (2\%). \end{aligned}$$

6. (12 pts) Evaluate $\iint_D e^{xy} dx dy$, where D is bounded by curves $xy = 10$, $xy = 20$, $x^2y = 20$ and $x^2y = 40$.



Solution:

Method 1: Let $u = xy$ and $v = x^2y$. Then $x = v/u$ and $y = u^2/v$ (2%). Further, (x, y) maps

$$\Omega = \{(u, v) : 10 \leq u \leq 20, 20 \leq v \leq 40\}$$

to D (2%). Since

$$J(u, v) = \begin{vmatrix} -v/u^2 & 2u/v \\ 1/u & -u^2/v^2 \end{vmatrix} = -1/v \quad (2\%),$$

we have

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_D e^{xy} dx dy &= \int_{10}^{20} \int_{20}^{40} e^u (|-v^{-1}|) du dv \quad (4\%) \\ &= \int_{10}^{20} e^u du \cdot \int_{20}^{40} v^{-1} dv \\ &= (e^{20} - e^{10}) \ln 2 \quad (2\%). \end{aligned}$$

Method 2: Let $u = xy$ and $v = x^2y$ (2%). Then (u, v) maps D to

$$\Omega = \{(u, v) : 10 \leq u \leq 20, 20 \leq v \leq 40\} \quad (2\%).$$

Since

$$J(x, y) = \begin{vmatrix} y & 2xy \\ x & x^2 \end{vmatrix} = -x^2y = -v \quad (1\%),$$

we have

$$J(u, v) = J(x, y)^{-1} = -v^{-1} \quad (1\%).$$

We have,

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_D e^{xy} dx dy &= \int_{10}^{20} \int_{20}^{40} e^u (|-v^{-1}|) du dv \quad (4\%) \\ &= \int_{10}^{20} e^u du \cdot \int_{20}^{40} v^{-1} dv \\ &= (e^{20} - e^{10}) \ln 2 \quad (2\%). \end{aligned}$$