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1. (12%) Determine whether the series is convergent or divergent.

(a) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \left(e^{\frac{1}{n}} - 1 \right).$

(b) $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(\ln n)^3}.$

Sol:

(a) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \left(e^{\frac{1}{n}} - 1 \right)$

$\because e^{\frac{1}{n}} - 1 \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$

and $e^{\frac{1}{x}} - 1$ is decreasing in x ,

(since $f(x) = e^{\frac{1}{x}} - 1$, $f'(x) = -\frac{1}{x^2} e^{\frac{1}{x}} < 0$ for $x \geq 1$)

By alternating series test, the series converges.

(b) $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(\ln n)^3}$

Let $g(x) = \frac{1}{x(\ln x)^3}$. Then $g(x) \geq 0$, is decreasing to 0, and continuous for $x \geq 2$

(since the function $x(\ln x)^3$ is increasing.)

$g(n) = \frac{1}{n(\ln n)^3}$ and the improper integral

$$\int_2^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x(\ln x)^3} = -\frac{1}{2}(\ln x)^{-2} \Big|_2^{\infty} = \frac{1}{2(\ln 2)^2} \text{ converges.}$$

By integral test, the series converges.

2. (12%)

(a) Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos x}{x^2}.$

(b) Evaluate $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 - \cos\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)}{1 - \cos\left(\frac{1}{n+1}\right)}.$

(c) Find the interval of convergence of the power series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(1 - \cos\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)\right)x^n.$

Sol:

(a) By L'Hopital's rule,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos x}{x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{2x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos x}{2} = \frac{1}{2}.$$

(b) By (a),

$$\begin{aligned}\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 - \cos(\frac{1}{n})}{1 - \cos(\frac{1}{n+1})} &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 - \cos(\frac{1}{n})}{(\frac{1}{n})^2} \cdot \frac{(\frac{1}{n+1})^2}{1 - \cos(\frac{1}{n+1})} \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 - \cos(\frac{1}{n})}{(\frac{1}{n})^2} \cdot \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\frac{1}{n+1})^2}{1 - \cos(\frac{1}{n+1})} \\ &= \frac{(\frac{1}{2})}{(\frac{1}{2})} \\ &= 1.\end{aligned}$$

(c) By (b), let $a_n = (1 - \cos(\frac{1}{n}))x^n$,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{1 - \cos(\frac{1}{n})}{1 - \cos(\frac{1}{n+1})} x \right| = |x|$$

Hence, the radius $R = 1$.

For $x = -1$, since $1 - \cos(\frac{1}{n})$ decreases to 0, so according to alternating test,

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n (1 - \cos(\frac{1}{n})) \text{ converges.}$$

For $x = 1$, since $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 - \cos(\frac{1}{n})}{(\frac{1}{n})^2} = \frac{1}{2}$ and $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2}$ converges, so by comparison test,

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (1 - \cos(\frac{1}{n})) \text{ converges.}$$

Therefore, the interval of convergence is $[-1, 1]$.

3. (10%) Let $f(x) = \sin(x^3)$. Find $f^{(15)}(0)$.

Sol:

$$\begin{aligned}\sin(t) &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n t^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!} = t - \frac{t^3}{3!} + \frac{t^5}{5!} - \frac{t^7}{7!} + \frac{t^9}{9!} - \dots \\ \Rightarrow \sin(x^3) &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{6n+3}}{(2n+1)!} = x^3 - \frac{x^9}{3!} + \frac{x^{15}}{5!} - \frac{x^{21}}{7!} + \frac{x^{27}}{9!} - \dots \\ \Rightarrow f^{(15)}(0) &= \frac{15!}{5!}.\end{aligned}$$

4. (12%) Find the curvature κ , the unit tangent vector \mathbf{T} , and the unit normal vector \mathbf{N} of the curve $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle \cos t, \sin t, \ln(\cos t) \rangle$ at $\mathbf{r}(0) = (1, 0, 0)$.

Sol:

$$\begin{aligned}r'(t) &= (-\sin t, \cos t, \frac{-\sin t}{\cos t}) \Rightarrow |r'(t)| = \sqrt{1 + \tan^2 t} = \frac{1}{\cos t} \text{ (because } \cos t > 0) \\ \Rightarrow T(t) &= (-\sin t \cos t, \cos^2 t, -\sin t), \text{ so } T(0) = (0, 1, 0)\end{aligned}$$

$$T'(t) = (-\cos^2 t + \sin^2 t, -2 \sin t \cos t, -\cos t)$$

$$\implies k(0) = |dT/ds|_{t=0} = |T'(0)|/|r'(0)| = \sqrt{2}; N(0) = \frac{T'(0)}{|T'(0)|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(-1, 0, -1)$$

5. (10%) Where does the tangent plane of the surface $z = e^{x-y}$ at $(1, 1, 1)$ intersect the z axis?

Sol:

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = e^{x-y}, \quad \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = -e^{x-y} \tag{1}$$

So, the tangent plane is

$$z - 1 = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x}(1, 1)(x - 1) + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y}(1, 1)(y - 1). \tag{2}$$

$$z - axis \Rightarrow x = y = 0 \text{ input in equation (2), then we obtain } z = 1 \tag{3}$$

Therefore, the intersect point is $(0, 0, 1)$.

6. (12%) You are wandering around in a strange desert where the temperature at the point (x, y) is given by the function $T(x, y) = e^{y-x^2}$.

- (a) You have stopped at the point $(2, 1)$. Suddenly you are feeling chilled and want to warm up – in what direction should you go to warm up as rapidly as possible?
- (b) Figure out the coordinates of all the points where there is no increase or decrease in temperature in the $\langle 1, 1 \rangle$ direction.

Sol:

- (a) $f(2, 1)$ is the direction we need (you show that you know this property)

$$f(2, 1) = e^{-3}(-4, 1) \text{ (this answer can be replace by } t(-4, 1), \text{ for any } t > 0)$$

- (b) $f(x, y) \cdot (1, 1) = 0 \Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{2}, y \in \mathbb{R}$

7. (10%) Let $z = f(x, y)$ such that all the second partial derivatives of f are continuous. Let $x = r \cos \theta$ and $y = r \sin \theta$.

- (a) Evaluate $\frac{\partial r}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial r}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x}$, and $\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y}$. Express the results in (functions of) r and θ .

- (b) Express f_x in terms of (functions of) r, θ, f_r, f_θ .

(c) Express f_{xx} in terms of (functions of) $r, \theta, f_r, f_\theta, f_{rr}, f_{r\theta}, f_{\theta\theta}$.

Sol:

(a) Since $r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$

$$\text{Hence } \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} = \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} = \frac{r \cos \theta}{r} = \cos \theta.$$

$$\text{Similarly } \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} = \frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} = \frac{r \sin \theta}{r} = \sin \theta.$$

$$\text{Since } \theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x}$$

$$\text{Hence } \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} = \frac{\frac{-y}{x^2}}{1 + \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^2} = \frac{-y}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{-\sin \theta}{r}.$$

$$\text{Similarly } \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y} = \frac{\frac{1}{x}}{1 + \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^2} = \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{\cos \theta}{r}.$$

(b) Follows chain rule $\Rightarrow f_x = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial r} \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial \theta} \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} = f_r \cos \theta + f_\theta \frac{-\sin \theta}{r}$

(c)

$$\begin{aligned} f_{xx} &= \frac{\partial(f_r \cos \theta - f_\theta \frac{\sin \theta}{r})}{\partial x} \\ &= \cos \theta \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f_r + f_r \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \cos \theta - \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f_\theta - f_\theta \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \\ &= \cos \theta \left(f_{rr} \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} + f_{r\theta} \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} \right) - f_r \sin \theta \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} \\ &\quad - \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \left(f_{\theta r} \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} + f_{\theta \theta} \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} \right) \\ &\quad - f_\theta \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial r} \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} \right) \\ &= f_{rr} \cos^2 \theta + f_{r\theta} \cos \theta \left(-\frac{\sin \theta}{r} \right) - f_r \sin \theta \left(-\frac{\sin \theta}{r} \right) \\ &\quad - f_{\theta r} \left(\frac{\sin \theta}{r} \right) \cos \theta + f_{\theta \theta} \left(\frac{\sin \theta}{r} \right)^2 \\ &\quad - f_\theta \left(\frac{-\sin \theta}{r^2} \cos \theta + \frac{\cos \theta}{r} \left(-\frac{\sin \theta}{r} \right) \right) \\ &= f_{rr} \cos^2 \theta - f_{r\theta} \frac{\sin 2\theta}{r} + f_r \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{r} + f_{\theta \theta} \left(\frac{\sin \theta}{r} \right)^2 + f_\theta \frac{\sin 2\theta}{r^2} \end{aligned}$$

8. (12%) Find and classify the critical points of $f(x, y) = xye^{-x^2-y^2}$.

Sol:

$$f_x(x, y) = 0, f_y(x, y) = 0 \Rightarrow (x, y) = (0, 0), \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right), \left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}\right), \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}\right), \left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) \quad (5 \text{分})$$

$$f_{xx}(x, y) = (-6xy + 4x^3y)e^{-x^2-y^2},$$

$$f_{yy}(x, y) = (-6xy + 4xy^3)e^{-x^2-y^2},$$

$$f_{xy} = (1 - 2x^2)(1 - 2y^2)e^{-x^2-y^2}$$

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

$\Rightarrow D(0, 0) < 0$, $(0, 0)$ is a saddle point

$\Rightarrow D\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) > 0$, $f_{xx}\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) < 0$, $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ attains maximum

$\Rightarrow D\left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) > 0$, $f_{xx}\left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) < 0$, $\left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ attains maximum

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9. (10%) Use the method of Lagrange multipliers to find the extreme values of z on the curve of intersection of $x^2 + z^2 = 1$ and $y^2 + z^2 + z = 1$.

Sol:

we want to find the extreme value of function: $f(x, y, z) = z$, Constrain functions: $g(x) = x^2 + z^2 - 1$ and $h(x) = y^2 + z^2 + z - 1$

by the Lagrange multiplier, we have $\nabla f = \lambda \nabla g + \mu \nabla h$ That is

$$\begin{cases} -2\lambda x = 0 \\ -2\mu y = 0 \\ \lambda(2z) + \mu(2z + 1) = 1 \end{cases}$$

Then we discuss for conditions based on λ and μ

(1) $\lambda = 0, \mu = 0$ Contradiction to the equation $\lambda(2z) + \mu(2z + 1) = 1$

(2) $\lambda = 0, \mu \neq 0$ we can get $y = 0 \rightarrow z^2 + z - 1 = 0 \rightarrow z = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$. By examine $x^2 + z^2 = 1$, we find that $z = \frac{-1 + \sqrt{5}}{2}$

(3) $\lambda \neq 0, \mu = 0$ we can get $x = 0 \rightarrow z = \pm 1$. By examine $y^2 + z^2 + z = 1$, we find that

$$z = -1$$

(4) $\lambda \neq 0, \mu \neq 0$ we can get $x = 0$ and $y = 0$ which are contradict to the constrain $x^2 + z^2 = 1$
and $y^2 + z^2 + z = 1$

Extreme values:

$$\text{Maximum: } z = \frac{-1 + \sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$\text{Minimum: } z = -1$$