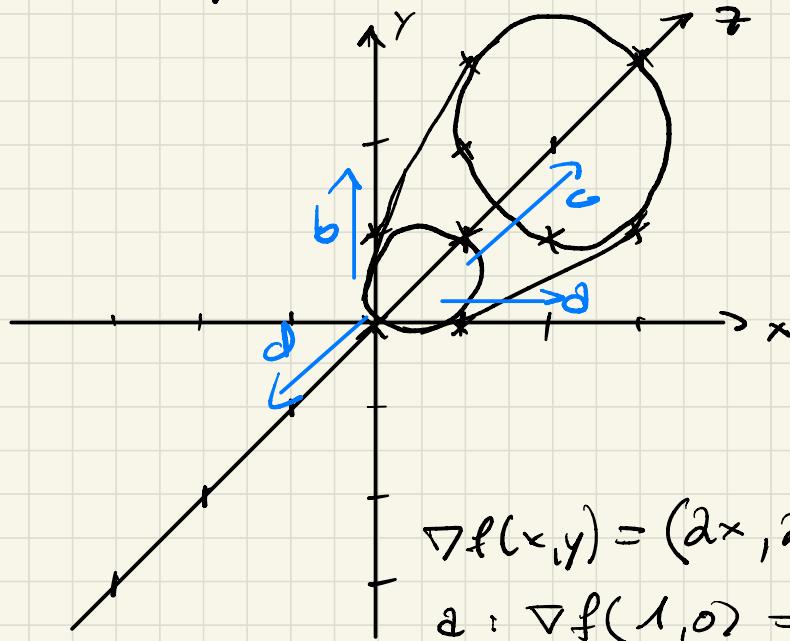


Exercise 4

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1. $f(x) = x^2 + y^2$



$$\nabla f(x, y) = (2x, 2y)$$

a : $\nabla f(1, 0) = (2, 0)$

b : $\nabla f(0, 1) = (0, 2)$

c : $\nabla f(1, 1) = (2, 2)$

d : $\nabla f(-1, -1) = (-2, -2)$

each gradient points radially outward from the origin. The gradient shows the direction of the steepness. If you move along the gradient the height z increases fast and if you move opposite to it, it decreases fast.

$$2. \quad \text{d}) \quad \nabla f(y_1, y_2) = (2y_1, 2y_2)$$

Jacobian $J_G(x)$ (rows = ∇g_i^{-1}):

$$\begin{aligned} J_G(x_1, x_2, x_3) &= \begin{pmatrix} \frac{dg_1}{dx_1} & \frac{dg_1}{dx_2} & \frac{dg_1}{dx_3} \\ \frac{dg_2}{dx_1} & \frac{dg_2}{dx_2} & \frac{dg_2}{dx_3} \end{pmatrix} = \\ &\begin{pmatrix} 2x_1 & 3x_2^2 & 1 \\ x_2x_3 & x_1^2 & x_1x_2 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

b)

Chain rule for gradients:

$$\nabla_x(f \circ g)(x) = J_G(x)^T \nabla f(g(x))$$

$$g(x) = (x_1^2 + x_2^3 + x_3, x_1x_2x_3)$$

$$\nabla f(g(x)) = (2(x_1^2 + x_2^3 + x_3), 2 \cdot (x_1x_2x_3))$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2x_1 & x_2x_3 \\ 3x_2^2 & x_1x_3 \\ 1 & x_1x_2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 2(x_1^2 + x_2^3 + x_3) \\ 2x_1x_2x_3 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2x_1 \cdot 2(x_1^2 + x_2^3 + x_3) + x_2x_3 \cdot 2x_1x_2x_3 \\ 3x_2^2 \cdot 2(x_1^2 + x_2^3 + x_3) + x_1x_3 \cdot 2x_1x_2x_3 \\ 2x_1^2 + x_2^3 + x_3 + x_1x_2 \cdot 2x_1x_2x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4x_1(x_1^2 + x_2^3 + x_3) + 2x_1x_2^2x_3 \\ 6x_2(x_1^2 + x_2^3 + x_3) + 2x_1x_2x_3^2 \\ 2(x_1^2 + x_2^3 + x_3) + 2x_1^2x_2^2x_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

3.
a)

$$\nabla \bar{L} = (0.5(\theta_1 - 4), 10(\theta_2 - 3)) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{\theta} = (4, 3) , \bar{L}(4, 3) = 0$$

b)

$$\frac{\partial^2 \bar{L}}{\partial \theta_1^2} = 0.5 \quad \frac{\partial^2 \bar{L}}{\partial \theta_2^2} = 10 \quad \frac{\partial^2 \bar{L}}{\partial \theta_1 \partial \theta_2} = 0$$

$$H = \nabla^2 \bar{L} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.5 & 0 \\ 0 & 10 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{constant, so same at } \theta$$

$$\sigma_1 = 0.5$$

$$\sigma_2 = 10$$

$$v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

c)

Eigenvector: $(\sigma_1, v_1) = (0.5, (1, 0)^T)$
 $(\sigma_2, v_2) = (10, (0, 1)^T)$

$$G_1(\lambda) = \frac{0.5}{0.5 + \lambda} \cdot 4 = \frac{2}{0.5 + \lambda}$$

$$G_2(\lambda) = \frac{10}{10 + \lambda} \cdot 3 = \frac{30}{10 + \lambda}$$

λ	shrink θ_1	$\theta_1(\lambda)$	shrink θ_2	$\theta_2(\lambda)$
0	1	4	1	3
0.1	0.83	3.33	0.99999	2.9702
1	0.33	1.33	0.9091	2.72
10	0.047	0.1904	0.15	1.5

Shrinkage is stronger with smaller eigenvalue, since θ_1 gets pulled faster towards 0 than θ_2 .

