- 1. **Ans:** $f(x,y) = 1 + 2x + 2x^2 + xy + y^2$.
- 2. **Ans:** $f(x,y) = 1 \frac{\pi^2}{8}(x-1)^2 \frac{\pi}{2}(x-1)(y-\frac{\pi}{2}) \frac{1}{2}(y-\frac{\pi}{2})^2 + \text{Remainder term.}$
- 3. **Hint:** Use Taylor's series expansion and then substitute $x = \frac{51}{100}\pi$ and y = 0.99.

Ans: $f(x,y) = e[1 + (y-1) - \frac{1}{2}(x - \frac{\pi}{2})^2 + \frac{1}{2}(y-1)^2]$ and $f(\frac{51}{100}\pi, 0.99) = 2.68989$.

- 4. **Hint:** Use Taylor's series expansion for three variables. **Ans:** f(x, y, z) = x + y + xz + yz.
- 5. **Ans:** $f(x,y) = (\pi+e) + (x-1)(2\pi+e) + \frac{(x-1)^2}{2}(2\pi+e) + 2(x-1)(y-\pi) + \frac{(x-1)^3}{6}e^{\xi} + (x-1)^2(y-\pi) (y-\pi)^3\cos\eta$, where $\xi = 1 + (x-1)\theta$; $\eta = \pi + (y-\pi)\theta$; $0 < \theta < 1$
- 6. **Hint:** Expand by Taylor's series up to second order and then write the remainder term.
- 7. **Hint**: First of all find the stationary points and then apply second order derivative test for two variables.
 - (a) **Ans:** (0,0),(-3,0),(0,3/2) are saddle points and (-1,1/2) is local minimum.
 - (b) **Ans:** (0,0) is neither maximum nor minimum, $(\sqrt{2}, -\sqrt{2})$ and $(-\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2})$ are local maximum
 - (c) **Ans:** (2,1), (-2,-3) are local maximum and (-2,1), (2,-3) are saddle points.
 - (d) **Ans:** (4,0) local maxima, (6,0) local minima and (5,1),(5,-1) are saddle points.
 - (e) **Ans:** (-4,-8), (-4,4),(8,4) are saddle points and (0,0) is a point of maxima.

- 8. Hint: Use second order derivative test for two variables.
- 9. **Hint:** First check the extremum value at stationary point and then on the boundary.

Ans: Absolute minimum value is -4 which occurs at (1,2/3) and absolute maximum value is 49 which occurs at (2,3) and (0,3).

- 10. **Hint:** To check on the boundary use polar co-ordinates. **Ans:** f(x,y) attains absolute maximum value 3/2 at $(1/\sqrt{2}, 1/\sqrt{2})$, $(-1/\sqrt{2}, -1/\sqrt{2})$ and absolute minimum value 0 at (0,0).
- 11. **Ans:** f(x,y) has absolute maximum value $\frac{3+\sqrt{2}}{2}$ at $(-1/\sqrt{2},0)$ and absolute minimum value $\frac{-1}{12}$ at $(\frac{1}{6},0)$.
- 12. **Hint:** (1) First take two points on ellipse and line then find the distance between them and then (2) use Lagrange's multiplier method to extremize it.

Ans: Shortest distance is $\sqrt{5}$.

- 13. Hint: Use Lagrange's method of multipliers.
- 14. **Hint:** Use Lagrange's method of multipliers. **Ans:** f(x,y) has absolute maximum value $(1+5\sqrt{2})$ at $(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2},\frac{3\sqrt{2}}{2},\frac{2-\sqrt{2}}{2})$ and absolute minimum value $(1-5\sqrt{2})$ at $(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2},-\frac{3\sqrt{2}}{2},\frac{2+\sqrt{2}}{2})$.
- 15. **Hint:** Use Lagrange's method of multipliers. **Ans:** $(a+b+c)^3$
- 16. Ans: Equilateral triangle.
- 17. **Hint:** Use Lagrange's method of multipliers. **Ans:** Smallest distance is $\frac{a}{\sqrt{3}}\sqrt{(7-4\sqrt{3})}$ and largest distance is $\frac{a}{\sqrt{3}}\sqrt{(7+4\sqrt{3})}$.

18. **Hint:** Find the surface area of the box and then minimize it taking volume as a constraint.

Ans: Dimensions are 4cm, 4cm, 2cm.

19. Hint: Use Lagrange's method of multipliers.

Ans: Largest and smallest distances are $3\sqrt{6}$, $\sqrt{6}$ respectively.

- 20. Hint: Use Lagrange's method of multipliers.
- 21. **Hint:** Use Lagrange's method of multipliers.
