

## Section 8.17

### Exercise 2(b)

Given  $f(x, y) = e^{xy} \cos(xy^2)$ ,  $X(t) = \cos t$ , and  $Y(t) = \sin t$ . We need to find  $F'(t)$  and  $F''(t)$ , where  $F(t) = f(X(t), Y(t))$ .

First, find the derivatives of  $X(t)$  and  $Y(t)$ :

$$X'(t) = -\sin t, \quad Y'(t) = \cos t$$

Next, find the partial derivatives of  $f(x, y)$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} &= ye^{xy} \cos(xy^2) - y^2 e^{xy} \sin(xy^2) \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} &= xe^{xy} \cos(xy^2) - 2xye^{xy} \sin(xy^2)\end{aligned}$$

Now, using the chain rule:

$$\begin{aligned}F'(t) &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} X'(t) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} Y'(t) \\ &= [(\sin t)e^{(\cos t)(\sin t)} \cos((\cos t)(\sin^2 t)) - (\sin^2 t)e^{(\cos t)(\sin t)} \sin((\cos t)(\sin^2 t))](-\sin t) \\ &\quad + [(\cos t)e^{(\cos t)(\sin t)} \cos((\cos t)(\sin^2 t)) - 2(\cos t)(\sin t)e^{(\cos t)(\sin t)} \sin((\cos t)(\sin^2 t))](\cos t) \\ &= -\sin^2 t \cdot e^{\cos t \sin t} \cos(\cos t \sin^2 t) + \sin^3 t \cdot e^{\cos t \sin t} \sin(\cos t \sin^2 t) \\ &\quad + \cos^2 t \cdot e^{\cos t \sin t} \cos(\cos t \sin^2 t) - 2\cos^2 t \sin t \cdot e^{\cos t \sin t} \sin(\cos t \sin^2 t) \\ &= (\cos^2 t - \sin^2 t)e^{\cos t \sin t} \cos(\cos t \sin^2 t) + (\sin^3 t - 2\cos^2 t \sin t)e^{\cos t \sin t} \sin(\cos t \sin^2 t) \\ &= e^{\cos t \sin t} [\cos(2t) \cos(\cos t \sin^2 t) - \sin t \cos(2t) \sin(\cos t \sin^2 t)]\end{aligned}$$

To find  $F''(t)$ , we would need to differentiate  $F'(t)$  with respect to  $t$ , which involves further applications of the chain rule and product rule, leading to a complex expression.

### Exercise 2(c)

Given  $f(x, y) = \log\left(\frac{1+e^{x^2}}{1+e^{y^2}}\right)$ ,  $X(t) = e^t$ , and  $Y(t) = e^{-t}$ . We need to find  $F'(t)$  and  $F''(t)$ , where  $F(t) = f(X(t), Y(t))$ .

First, find the derivatives of  $X(t)$  and  $Y(t)$ :

$$X'(t) = e^t, \quad Y'(t) = -e^{-t}$$

Next, find the partial derivatives of  $f(x, y)$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} &= \frac{1}{1+e^{x^2}} \cdot e^{x^2} \cdot 2x = \frac{2xe^{x^2}}{1+e^{x^2}} \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} &= \frac{-1}{1+e^{y^2}} \cdot e^{y^2} \cdot 2y = \frac{-2ye^{y^2}}{1+e^{y^2}}\end{aligned}$$

Now, using the chain rule:

$$\begin{aligned}
 F'(t) &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} X'(t) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} Y'(t) \\
 &= \frac{2e^t e^{e^{2t}}}{1 + e^{e^{2t}}} e^t + \frac{-2e^{-t} e^{e^{-2t}}}{1 + e^{e^{-2t}}} (-e^{-t}) \\
 &= \frac{2e^{2t} e^{e^{2t}}}{1 + e^{e^{2t}}} + \frac{2e^{-2t} e^{e^{-2t}}}{1 + e^{e^{-2t}}}
 \end{aligned}$$

To find  $F''(t)$ , we would need to differentiate  $F'(t)$  with respect to  $t$ , which again involves further applications of the chain rule and quotient rule.

### Exercise 3(b)

Given  $f(x, y, z) = x^2 - y^2$  at a general point of the surface  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 4$  in the direction of the outward normal at that point.

The gradient of  $f$  is  $\nabla f = (2x, -2y, 0)$ . The gradient of  $g(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 4$  is  $\nabla g = (2x, 2y, 2z)$ , which is normal to the surface.

The directional derivative is given by  $D_{\mathbf{u}}f = \nabla f \cdot \mathbf{u}$ , where  $\mathbf{u}$  is a unit vector in the direction of  $\nabla g$ . So,  $\mathbf{u} = \frac{\nabla g}{\|\nabla g\|} = \frac{(2x, 2y, 2z)}{\sqrt{4x^2 + 4y^2 + 4z^2}} = \frac{(x, y, z)}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} = \frac{(x, y, z)}{2}$ .

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}
 D_{\mathbf{u}}f &= (2x, -2y, 0) \cdot \frac{(x, y, z)}{2} \\
 &= \frac{2x^2 - 2y^2 + 0}{2} \\
 &= x^2 - y^2
 \end{aligned}$$

## Section 8.22

### Exercise 2

The substitution  $u = (x - y)/2$  and  $v = (x + y)/2$  changes  $f(u, v)$  into  $F(x, y)$ . We want to express  $\frac{\partial F}{\partial x}$  and  $\frac{\partial F}{\partial y}$  in terms of  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial u}$  and  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial v}$ .

We have:

$$\begin{aligned}
 x &= u + v \\
 y &= v - u
 \end{aligned}$$

Then, by the chain rule:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial F}{\partial x} &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial u} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial v} \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial u} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial v} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial u} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial v}\right) \\ \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial u} \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial v} \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial u} \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial v} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{2} \left(-\frac{\partial f}{\partial u} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial v}\right)\end{aligned}$$

### Exercise 3

The equations  $u = f(x, y)$ ,  $x = X(s, t)$ , and  $y = Y(s, t)$  define  $u$  as a function of  $s$  and  $t$ , say  $u = F(s, t)$ .

(a) Express  $\frac{\partial F}{\partial s}$  and  $\frac{\partial F}{\partial t}$  in terms of  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$ ,  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$ ,  $\frac{\partial X}{\partial s}$ ,  $\frac{\partial X}{\partial t}$ ,  $\frac{\partial Y}{\partial s}$ , and  $\frac{\partial Y}{\partial t}$ .

By the chain rule:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial F}{\partial s} &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial X}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial s} \\ \frac{\partial F}{\partial t} &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial X}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial t}\end{aligned}$$

(b) If  $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x}$ , show that

$$\frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial s^2} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial^2 X}{\partial s^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \left(\frac{\partial X}{\partial s}\right)^2 + 2 \frac{\partial X}{\partial s} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial s} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial^2 Y}{\partial s^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \left(\frac{\partial Y}{\partial s}\right)^2$$

Differentiating  $\frac{\partial F}{\partial s}$  with respect to  $s$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial s^2} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial s} \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial X}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial s} \right) \\ &= \frac{\partial}{\partial s} \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right) \frac{\partial X}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial^2 X}{\partial s^2} + \frac{\partial}{\partial s} \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right) \frac{\partial Y}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial^2 Y}{\partial s^2} \\ &= \left( \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \frac{\partial X}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial s} \right) \frac{\partial X}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial^2 X}{\partial s^2} + \left( \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} \frac{\partial X}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial s} \right) \frac{\partial Y}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial^2 Y}{\partial s^2} \\ &= \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \left(\frac{\partial X}{\partial s}\right)^2 + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial s} \frac{\partial X}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial^2 X}{\partial s^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} \frac{\partial X}{\partial s} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \left(\frac{\partial Y}{\partial s}\right)^2 + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial^2 Y}{\partial s^2}\end{aligned}$$

Since  $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x}$ , we have:

$$\frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial s^2} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial^2 X}{\partial s^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \left(\frac{\partial X}{\partial s}\right)^2 + 2 \frac{\partial X}{\partial s} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial s} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial^2 Y}{\partial s^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \left(\frac{\partial Y}{\partial s}\right)^2$$

(c) Find similar formulas for  $\frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial s \partial t}$  and  $\frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial t^2}$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial s \partial t} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial s} \left( \frac{\partial F}{\partial t} \right) = \frac{\partial}{\partial s} \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial X}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial t} \right) \\
&= \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \frac{\partial X}{\partial s} \frac{\partial X}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial^2 X}{\partial s \partial t} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial s} \frac{\partial X}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} \frac{\partial X}{\partial s} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial s} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial^2 Y}{\partial s \partial t} \\
\frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial t^2} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left( \frac{\partial F}{\partial t} \right) = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial X}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial t} \right) \\
&= \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \left( \frac{\partial X}{\partial t} \right)^2 + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial^2 X}{\partial t^2} + 2 \frac{\partial X}{\partial t} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial t} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \left( \frac{\partial Y}{\partial t} \right)^2 + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial^2 Y}{\partial t^2}
\end{aligned}$$

#### Exercise 4(a)

Solve Exercise 3 in the special case:  $X(s, t) = s + t$ ,  $Y(s, t) = st$ .

We have:

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\partial X}{\partial s} &= 1, & \frac{\partial X}{\partial t} &= 1, & \frac{\partial Y}{\partial s} &= t, & \frac{\partial Y}{\partial t} &= s \\
\frac{\partial^2 X}{\partial s^2} &= 0, & \frac{\partial^2 X}{\partial t^2} &= 0, & \frac{\partial^2 Y}{\partial s^2} &= 0, & \frac{\partial^2 Y}{\partial t^2} &= 0
\end{aligned}$$

Then, from Exercise 3:

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\partial F}{\partial s} &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} (1) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} (t) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + t \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \\
\frac{\partial F}{\partial t} &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} (1) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} (s) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + s \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \\
\frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial s^2} &= \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} (1)^2 + 2(1)(t) \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} (t)^2 = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + 2t \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + t^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \\
\frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial t^2} &= \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} (1)^2 + 2(1)(s) \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} (s)^2 = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + 2s \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + s^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}
\end{aligned}$$

#### Exercise 5

The introduction of polar coordinates changes  $f(x, y)$  into  $\varphi(r, \theta)$ , where  $x = r \cos \theta$  and  $y = r \sin \theta$ . Express the second-order partial derivatives  $\frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial r^2}$ ,  $\frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial r \partial \theta}$ , and  $\frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial \theta \partial r}$  in terms of the partial derivatives of  $f$ .

We have:

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\partial x}{\partial r} &= \cos \theta, & \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta} &= -r \sin \theta \\
\frac{\partial y}{\partial r} &= \sin \theta, & \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta} &= r \cos \theta
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial r} &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial r} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \cos \theta + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \sin \theta \\ \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial \theta} &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta} = -\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} r \sin \theta + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} r \cos \theta\end{aligned}$$

Now we find the second derivatives:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial r^2} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial r} \right) = \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \cos \theta + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \sin \theta \right) \\ &= \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \cos^2 \theta + 2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} \cos \theta \sin \theta + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \sin^2 \theta\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial r \partial \theta} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial \theta} \right) = \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( -\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} r \sin \theta + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} r \cos \theta \right) \\ &= -\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \sin \theta - r \sin \theta \left( \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \cos \theta + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x} \sin \theta \right) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \cos \theta + r \cos \theta \left( \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} \cos \theta + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \sin \theta \right) \\ &= -\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \sin \theta + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \cos \theta - r \sin \theta \cos \theta \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} - r \sin^2 \theta \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x} + r \cos^2 \theta \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + r \cos \theta \sin \theta \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial \theta \partial r} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \left( \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial r} \right) = \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \cos \theta + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \sin \theta \right) \\ &= -\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \sin \theta + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \cos \theta + \cos \theta \left( -\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} r \sin \theta + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} r \cos \theta \right) + \sin \theta \left( -\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x} r \sin \theta + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} r \cos \theta \right) \\ &= -\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \sin \theta + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \cos \theta - r \sin \theta \cos \theta \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + r \cos^2 \theta \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} - r \sin^2 \theta \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x} + r \sin \theta \cos \theta \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}\end{aligned}$$

### Exercise 6

The equations  $u = f(x, y, z)$ ,  $x = X(r, s, t)$ ,  $y = Y(r, s, t)$ , and  $z = Z(r, s, t)$  define  $u$  as a function of  $r, s$ , and  $t$ , say  $u = F(r, s, t)$ . Use an appropriate form of the chain rule to express the partial derivatives  $\frac{\partial F}{\partial r}$ ,  $\frac{\partial F}{\partial s}$ , and  $\frac{\partial F}{\partial t}$  in terms of partial derivatives of  $f, X, Y$ , and  $Z$ .

By the chain rule:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial F}{\partial r} &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial X}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \frac{\partial Z}{\partial r} \\ \frac{\partial F}{\partial s} &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial X}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \frac{\partial Z}{\partial s} \\ \frac{\partial F}{\partial t} &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial X}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \frac{\partial Z}{\partial t}\end{aligned}$$

### Exercise 7(a)

Solve Exercise 6 in the special case:  $X(r, s, t) = r + s + t$ ,  $Y(r, s, t) = r - 2s + 3t$ ,  $Z(r, s, t) = 2r + s - t$ .

We have:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial X}{\partial r} &= 1, & \frac{\partial X}{\partial s} &= 1, & \frac{\partial X}{\partial t} &= 1 \\ \frac{\partial Y}{\partial r} &= 1, & \frac{\partial Y}{\partial s} &= -2, & \frac{\partial Y}{\partial t} &= 3 \\ \frac{\partial Z}{\partial r} &= 2, & \frac{\partial Z}{\partial s} &= 1, & \frac{\partial Z}{\partial t} &= -1\end{aligned}$$

Then, from Exercise 6:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial F}{\partial r} &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(1) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(1) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z}(2) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} + 2\frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \\ \frac{\partial F}{\partial s} &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(1) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(-2) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z}(1) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} - 2\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \\ \frac{\partial F}{\partial t} &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(1) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(3) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z}(-1) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + 3\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial f}{\partial z}\end{aligned}$$

### Exercise 12

Let  $h(\mathbf{x}) = f[\mathbf{g}(\mathbf{x})]$ , where  $\mathbf{g} = (g_1, \dots, g_n)$  is a vector field differentiable at  $\mathbf{a}$ , and  $f$  is a scalar field differentiable at  $\mathbf{b} = \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{a})$ . Use the chain rule to show that the gradient of  $h$  can be expressed as a linear combination of the gradient vectors of the components of  $\mathbf{g}$ , as follows:

$$\nabla h(\mathbf{a}) = \sum_{k=1}^n D_k f(\mathbf{b}) \nabla g_k(\mathbf{a})$$

Let  $\mathbf{x} = (x_1, \dots, x_p)$ . Then  $h(\mathbf{x}) = f(g_1(\mathbf{x}), \dots, g_n(\mathbf{x}))$ . We want to find  $\nabla h(\mathbf{a})$ . The  $j$ -th component of  $\nabla h(\mathbf{a})$  is  $\frac{\partial h}{\partial x_j}(\mathbf{a})$ .

By the chain rule:

$$\frac{\partial h}{\partial x_j}(\mathbf{a}) = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{\partial f}{\partial g_k}(\mathbf{g}(\mathbf{a})) \frac{\partial g_k}{\partial x_j}(\mathbf{a}) = \sum_{k=1}^n D_k f(\mathbf{b}) \frac{\partial g_k}{\partial x_j}(\mathbf{a})$$

Thus,  $\nabla h(\mathbf{a}) = \left( \frac{\partial h}{\partial x_1}(\mathbf{a}), \dots, \frac{\partial h}{\partial x_p}(\mathbf{a}) \right)$ . The  $k$ -th component of  $\nabla g_k(\mathbf{a})$  is  $\frac{\partial g_k}{\partial x_j}(\mathbf{a})$ . Therefore,

$$\nabla h(\mathbf{a}) = \sum_{k=1}^n D_k f(\mathbf{b}) \nabla g_k(\mathbf{a})$$

### Exercise 13

(a) If  $\mathbf{f}(x, y, z) = x\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j} + z\mathbf{k}$ , prove that the Jacobian matrix  $D\mathbf{f}(x, y, z)$  is the identity matrix of order 3.

The Jacobian matrix is given by:

$$Df(x, y, z) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial z} \\ \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial z} \\ \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial z} \end{bmatrix}$$

Here,  $f_1(x, y, z) = x$ ,  $f_2(x, y, z) = y$ , and  $f_3(x, y, z) = z$ . Therefore,

$$Df(x, y, z) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = I$$

**(b)** Find all differentiable vector fields  $\mathbf{f}: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  for which the Jacobian matrix  $D\mathbf{f}(x, y, z)$  is the identity matrix of order 3.

If  $Df(x, y, z) = I$ , then we must have:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x} &= 1, & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial y} &= 0, & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial z} &= 0 \\ \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x} &= 0, & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial y} &= 1, & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial z} &= 0 \\ \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial x} &= 0, & \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial y} &= 0, & \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial z} &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Integrating these equations, we get:

$$\begin{aligned} f_1(x, y, z) &= x + c_1 \\ f_2(x, y, z) &= y + c_2 \\ f_3(x, y, z) &= z + c_3 \end{aligned}$$

where  $c_1, c_2, c_3$  are constants. Thus, the vector field  $\mathbf{f}$  is given by:

$$\mathbf{f}(x, y, z) = (x + c_1)\mathbf{i} + (y + c_2)\mathbf{j} + (z + c_3)\mathbf{k}$$