

- **Implicit Function**

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Theorem: Suppose that $F(x, y, z)$ is differentiable and that the equation $F(x, y, z) = 0$ defines z is a differentiable function of x and y . Then at any point where $F_z \neq 0$, we have

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = -\frac{F_x}{F_z}, \quad \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = -\frac{F_y}{F_z}$$

Example-1. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ if $y^2 - x^2 - \sin xy = 0$.

Solution. Take $F(x, y) = y^2 - x^2 - \sin xy$

$$\text{Here } F_x = \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} = -2x - y \cos xy$$

$$F_y = \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} = 2y - x \cos xy$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Therefore, } \frac{dy}{dx} &= -\frac{F_x}{F_y} = -\frac{-2x - y \cos xy}{2y - x \cos xy} \\ &= \frac{2x + y \cos xy}{2y - x \cos xy} \end{aligned}$$

Example-2. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ when $(\cos x)^y = (\sin y)^x$.

Solution. Here $(\cos x)^y = (\sin y)^x$

Taking logarithm function on both sides, we get

$$y \log(\cos x) = x \log(\sin y)$$

$$\text{Let } F(x, y) = y \log(\cos x) - x \log(\sin y)$$

$$\begin{aligned} F_x &= \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} = y \frac{1}{\cos x} (-\sin x) - \log(\sin y) \\ &= -y \tan x - \log(\sin y) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} F_y &= \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} = \log(\cos x) - x \frac{1}{\sin y} (\cos y) \\ &= \log(\cos x) - x \cot y \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Therefore, } \frac{dy}{dx} &= -\frac{F_x}{F_y} = -\frac{-y \tan x - \log(\sin y)}{\log(\cos x) - x \cot y} \\ &= \frac{y \tan x + \log(\sin y)}{\log(\cos x) - x \cot y}\end{aligned}$$

Example-3. Find $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}$ and $\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$ if $xyz = \cos(x + y + z)$.

Solution. Take $F(x, y, z) = xyz - \cos(x + y + z)$

$$\text{Here } F_x = \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} = yz + \sin(x + y + z) \cdot 1$$

$$F_y = \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} = xz + \sin(x + y + z) \cdot 1$$

$$F_z = \frac{\partial F}{\partial z} = xy + \sin(x + y + z) \cdot 1$$

$$\text{Therefore, } \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = -\frac{F_x}{F_z} = -\frac{yz + \sin(x + y + z)}{xy + \sin(x + y + z)}$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = -\frac{F_y}{F_z} = -\frac{xz + \sin(x + y + z)}{xy + \sin(x + y + z)}$$

• Jacobians

Definition: The Jacobian of the transformation $x = g(u, v)$, $y = h(u, v)$ is

$$J(u, v) = \frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial v} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial v} \end{vmatrix}$$

Similarly, the Jacobian of the transformation $x = f(u, v, w)$, $y = g(u, v, w)$, $z = h(u, v, w)$ is

$$J(u, v, w) = \frac{\partial(x, y, z)}{\partial(u, v, w)} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial v} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial w} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial v} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial w} \\ \frac{\partial z}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial z}{\partial v} & \frac{\partial z}{\partial w} \end{vmatrix}$$

• Properties of Jacobians:

1. If $J = \frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)}$ and $J' = \frac{\partial(u, v)}{\partial(x, y)}$ then $JJ' = 1$.
2. If x, y are the function of r, s where r, s are function of u, v then
$$\frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)} = \frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(r, s)} \times \frac{\partial(r, s)}{\partial(u, v)}.$$

Example-1. Find the Jacobian for the transformation $x = r\cos\theta, y = r\sin\theta$.

Solution. $J = \frac{\partial(x,y)}{\partial(r,\theta)} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta} \end{vmatrix}$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} \cos\theta & -r\sin\theta \\ \sin\theta & r\cos\theta \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= r(\cos^2\theta + \sin^2\theta)$$

$$= r$$

Example-2. If $u = x + 3y^2 - z^3$, $v = 4x^2yz$, $w = 2z^2 - xy$, evaluate $\frac{\partial(u,v,w)}{\partial(x,y,z)}$ at $(1, -1, 0)$.

Solution. $\frac{\partial(u,v,w)}{\partial(x,y,z)} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} \\ \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial v}{\partial z} \\ \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial w}{\partial z} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 6y & -3z^2 \\ 8xyz & 4x^2z & 4x^2y \\ -y & -x & 4z \end{vmatrix}$

$$\left. \frac{\partial(u,v,w)}{\partial(x,y,z)} \right|_{(1,-1,0)} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -6 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -4 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 4(-1 + 6) = 20$$

Example-3. If $u = x^2 - y^2, v = 2xy$ and $x = r\cos\theta, y = r\sin\theta$ find $\frac{\partial(u,v)}{\partial(r,\theta)}$.

Solution. We have $\frac{\partial(u,v)}{\partial(r,\theta)} = \frac{\partial(u,v)}{\partial(x,y)} \times \frac{\partial(x,y)}{\partial(r,\theta)}$

Since $u = x^2 - y^2, v = 2xy$

$$\frac{\partial(u,v)}{\partial(x,y)} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 2x & -2y \\ 2y & 2x \end{vmatrix} = 4(x^2 + y^2)$$

Also $x = r\cos\theta, y = r\sin\theta$,

$$\frac{\partial(x,y)}{\partial(r,\theta)} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} \cos\theta & -r\sin\theta \\ \sin\theta & r\cos\theta \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= r(\cos^2\theta + \sin^2\theta)$$

$$= r$$

$$\text{Hence } \frac{\partial(u,v)}{\partial(r,\theta)} = 4(x^2 + y^2) \cdot r$$

$$= 4(r^2 \cos^2 \theta + r^2 \sin^2 \theta) \cdot r$$

$$= 4r^3$$