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Assignment III(B.Tech.I Semester-2017)

Calculus of Several Variables

Q1. If $Z = f(x, y), x = r \cosh \theta, y = r \sinh \theta$ then

$$\left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial r}\right)^2 - \frac{1}{r^2} \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta}\right)^2$$

Q2. Verify Euler's theorem for the functions

i) $u = (x^{1/2} + y^{1/2})(x^n + y^n)$

ii) $u = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{y}\right)$

Q3. If $u = \tan^{-1} \frac{x^3 + y^3}{x - y}$, prove that

$$x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \sin 2u$$

Q4. If $w = \sin^{-1} u, u = \frac{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)}{(x + y + z)}$, then

$$x \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} + z \frac{\partial w}{\partial z} = \tan w$$

Q5. If $u = \tan^{-1} \frac{y^2}{x}$ prove that

$$x^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + 2xy \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} + y^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = -2 \sin 2u \sin^2 u$$

Q6. If $u = \sin \frac{y}{x} + x \sin^{-1} \frac{y}{x}$, prove that

$$x^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + 2xy \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} + y^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$$

Q7. If $z = f(x, y), x = e^{2u} + e^{-2v}, y = e^{-2u} + e^{2v}$, then show that

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial u} - \frac{\partial z}{\partial v} = 2 \left[x \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} - y \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \right]$$

Q8. If $u = f(x^2 + 2yz, y^2 + 2zx)$ then prove that

$$(y^2 - zx) \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + (x^2 - yz) \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + (z^2 - xy) \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} = 0$$

Q9. Find the quadratic Taylor's series expansion of $e^x \cos y$ about the point $(1, \frac{\pi}{4})$

Ans: $\frac{e}{\sqrt{2}} + \left[(x-1) \frac{e}{\sqrt{2}} + (y - \frac{\pi}{4}) (-\frac{e}{\sqrt{2}}) \right] + \frac{1}{2!} \left[(x-1)^2 \frac{e}{\sqrt{2}} + 2(x-1)(y - \frac{\pi}{4}) (-\frac{e}{\sqrt{2}}) + (y - \frac{\pi}{4})^2 (-\frac{e}{\sqrt{2}}) \right]$

Q10. Using Taylor's series find a quadratic approximation of $\cos x \cos y$ at the origin.

Ans. $1 - \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{y^2}{2}.$

Q11. Expand $f(x, y) = \tan^{-1} xy$ in powers of $(x - 1)$ and $(y - 1)$ upto second degree terms using Taylor's series. Hence compute $f(1.1, 0.8)$.

Ans. $\tan^{-1} xy = 0.7854 + \frac{1}{2}(x - 1) + \frac{1}{2}(y - 1) - \frac{1}{4}(x - 1)^2 - \frac{1}{4}(y - 1)^2$; and ;
 $f(1.1, 0.8) = 0.7229.$

Q12. Find the shortest distance between the line $y = 10 - 2x$ and the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1.$

Ans. shortest distance is $\sqrt{5}.$

Q13. Find the points on the curve $x^2 + xy + y^2 = 16$, which are the nearest and farthest from the origin.

Ans. The points $(4, -4), (-4, 4)$ are farthest, $d^2 = 32$. The points $(\frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}), (-\frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}, -\frac{4}{\sqrt{3}})$ are nearest $d^2 = \frac{32}{3}.$

Q14. Find the smallest and the largest distance between the points P and Q such that P lies on the plane $x + y + z = 2a$ and Q lies on the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = a^2$, where a is any constant.

Ans. $P(\frac{2a}{3}, \frac{2a}{3}, \frac{2a}{3}), Q(\pm \frac{a}{\sqrt{3}}, \pm \frac{a}{\sqrt{3}}, \pm \frac{a}{\sqrt{3}}); \frac{a}{\sqrt{3}}\sqrt{(7 - 4\sqrt{3})}; \frac{a}{\sqrt{3}}\sqrt{(7 + 4\sqrt{3})}$

Q15. Show that $f(x, y) = y^2 + x^2y + x^4$, has a minimum at $(0, 0).$