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INSTRUCTIONS

Please, read the following instructions carefully:

- Questions 1 to 4 are multiple choice. These questions are worth 2 points each and no partial marks are possible.
- Questions 5 to 7 are long answer questions. Questions 5 and 7 are worth 6 marks each, and question 6 is worth 5 marks, so organize your time accordingly. **A correct answer requires a full, clearly-written and detailed solution.** Answer each question in the space provided, using backs of pages or the last page if necessary.
- The only calculators which are allowed are Texas Instruments TI-30, TI-34, Casio fx-260 and fx-300, scientific and non programmable.
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Question	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Total
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Question 1. Which of these expressions corresponds to the equation of the tangent plane to the graph of $z = f(x, y) = x^3 y^2$ at the point $(-1, 1, -1)$? (2 points)

cross (X) the correct answer:

☐ A $z = 3x - 2y - 1$

☐ B $z = 3x^2 y^2 (x + 1) + 2x^3 y (y - 1) - 1$

☐ C $z = 3(x + 1)i - 2(y - 1)j$

☐ D This function does not admit a tangent plane at the indicated point.

☐ E $z = 0$

☒ F $z = 3(x + 1) - 2(y - 1) - 1$

$(x_0, y_0, z_0) = (-1, 1, -1)$

Tangent plane: $z = z_0 + f_x(x_0, y_0)(x - x_0) + f_y(x_0, y_0)(y - y_0)$

$f_x(x, y) = 3x^2 y^2 \rightarrow f_x(-1, 1) = 3$

$f_y(x, y) = 2x^3 y \rightarrow f_y(-1, 1) = -2$

$z = 3(x + 1) - 2(y - 1) - 1$

Question 2. Which of the following statements is true concerning the critical points of the function $f(x, y) = x^3 + 18xy - 3y^2$? (2 points)

cross (X) the correct answer:

☒ A f has a saddle point at $(0, 0)$ and a local maximum at $(-18, -54)$.

☐ B f has a local minimum at $(0, 0)$ and a local maximum at $(-18, -54)$.

☐ C f does not have any critical points.

☐ D f has a saddle point at $(0, 0)$ and a local minimum at $(-18, -54)$.

☐ E f has a local maximum at $(0, 0)$.

☐ F f has a local maximum at $(0, 0)$ and a saddle point at $(-18, -54)$.

$f_x = 3x^2 + 18y = 0 \Rightarrow x^2 + 6y = 0 \Rightarrow x^2 + 18x = 0 \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x = 0, -18 \\ y = 0, -54 \end{cases}$

$f_y = 18x - 6y = 0 \Rightarrow 3x = y$

critical points

$f_{xx} = 6x, f_{xy} = 18$

$f_{yy} = -6$

$\Rightarrow D(x, y) = f_{xx}f_{yy} - [f_{xy}]^2$

$D(0, 0) < 0$ (saddle), $D(-18, -54) > 0$ & $f_{xx}(-18, -54) < 0$
local max.

Question 3. Consider the function $f(x, y) = x^3y + 2xy^2$. If you are at the point $(1, -1)$, in which direction \mathbf{u} should you move in order to get the largest possible value of the directional derivative $D_{\mathbf{u}}f(1, -1)$? (2 points)

cross (X) the correct answer:

☐ A $\mathbf{u} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}}\mathbf{i} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}}\mathbf{j}$

☐ B $\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{i}$

☐ C $\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{j}$

☐ D This function does not have directional derivatives.

☒ E $\mathbf{u} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{10}}\mathbf{i} - \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}}\mathbf{j}$

☐ F $\mathbf{u} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}}\mathbf{i} + \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}}\mathbf{j}$

$$D_{\vec{u}}f(x, y) = \vec{\nabla}f(x, y) \cdot \vec{u}$$

The max value of $D_{\vec{u}}f$ is $\|\vec{\nabla}f\|$, which occurs when \vec{u} and $\vec{\nabla}f$ are parallel.

$$\vec{\nabla}f(x, y) = \langle 3x^2y + 2y^2, x^3 + 4xy \rangle \Big|_{(1, -1)} = \langle -1, -3 \rangle$$

$$\vec{u} = \frac{1}{\|\vec{u}\|} (-\hat{i} - 3\hat{j}), \quad \|\vec{u}\| = \sqrt{(-1)^2 + (-3)^2} = \sqrt{10}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{u} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} (-\hat{i} - 3\hat{j})$$

Question 4. Let $z = f(x, y)$ be a function such that $f_x(2, 6) = 3$ and $f_y(2, 6) = 4$. Suppose that $x = x(u, v) = uv$ and $y = y(u, v) = u^2 + 2v^3$, and consider the composite function $z(u, v) = f(x(u, v), y(u, v))$. What is the value of $z_v(2, 1)$? (2 points)

cross (X) the correct answer:

☐ A 18

☐ B -18

☐ C 19

☐ D -19

☒ E 30

☐ F -30

$$z_v(u, v) = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial v} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial v}$$

$$(u, v) = (2, 1) \Rightarrow x(2, 1) = 2, y(2, 1) = 6$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \Big|_{(2, 6)} = f_x(2, 6) = 3, \quad \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \Big|_{(2, 6)} = f_y(2, 6) = 4$$

$$\frac{\partial x}{\partial v} \Big|_{(2, 1)} = u \Big|_{(2, 1)} = 2, \quad \frac{\partial y}{\partial v} \Big|_{(2, 1)} = 6v^2 \Big|_{(2, 1)} = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow z_v(2, 1) = 3 \times 2 + 4 \times 6 = 30$$

Question 5. Consider the function $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2 + 3$ defined over the disk

$$D = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid (x+1)^2 + (y-1)^2 \leq 8\}.$$

Find the absolute maximum and the absolute minimum of f on D . For part of your solution, you must use the method of Lagrange multipliers. (6 points)

(Clearly identify all steps of the optimization algorithm.)

$$\begin{cases} f_x = 2x = 0 \\ f_y = 2y = 0 \end{cases} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{c.p. inside } D : (0, 0) \Rightarrow f(0, 0) = 3. \end{array} \right. \quad (1)$$

To find the extreme values of f on the boundary of D , we use the method of Lagrange multipliers:

$$\vec{\nabla} f = \lambda \vec{\nabla} g \Rightarrow f_x = \lambda g_x \text{ and } f_y = \lambda g_y \quad (1)$$

$$g(x, y) = 0 \Rightarrow (x+1)^2 + (y-1)^2 = 8$$

$$\begin{aligned} (1) \quad 2x &= 2\lambda(x+1) \Rightarrow x - \lambda x = \lambda \Rightarrow x = \frac{\lambda}{1-\lambda} \\ (2) \quad 2y &= 2\lambda(y-1) \Rightarrow y - \lambda y = -\lambda \Rightarrow y = \frac{\lambda}{\lambda-1} \\ (3) \quad (x+1)^2 + (y-1)^2 &= 8 \end{aligned} \quad (1) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{plug} \\ \text{into (3)} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\left(\frac{\lambda}{1-\lambda} + 1 \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\lambda}{\lambda-1} - 1 \right)^2 = 8 \Rightarrow \frac{2}{(1-\lambda)^2} = 8 \Rightarrow \lambda = 1/2, 3/2$$

$$\text{If } \lambda = 1/2 \Rightarrow x = 1, y = -1 \text{ and if } \lambda = 3/2 \Rightarrow x = -3, y = 3 \quad (1)$$

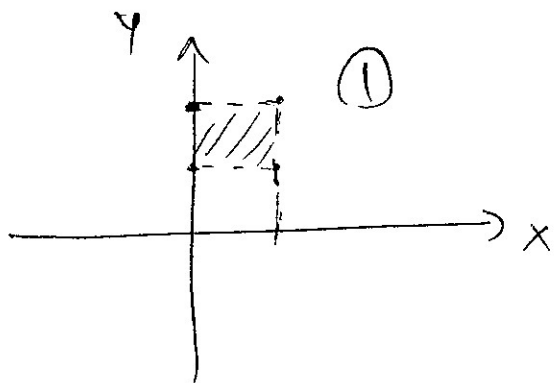
Hence, f has possible extreme values at $(1, -1)$ and $(-3, 3)$.

Evaluating f at these points and at $(0, 0)$, we find that:

$$\min: f(0, 0) = 3, \quad \max: f(-3, 3) = 21 \quad (1)$$

Question 6. Consider the function $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^3 - x$. Compute $\iint_D f(x, y) dA$, where D is the rectangular region defined by the inequalities (5 points)

$$0 \leq x \leq 1, \quad 1 \leq y \leq 2.$$



$$I = \int_0^1 \int_1^2 (x^2 + y^3 - x) dy dx \quad (1)$$

$$I = \int_0^1 \left(x^2 y + \frac{y^4}{4} - xy \right) \Big|_1^2 dx$$

$$(1) \quad 2x^2 + 4 - 2x - x^2 - \frac{1}{4} + x = x^2 - x + \frac{15}{4}$$

$$I = \int_0^1 \left(x^2 - x + \frac{15}{4} \right) dx = \left(\frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{15}{4}x \right) \Big|_0^1 \quad (1)$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{15}{4} = -\frac{1}{6} + \frac{15}{4}$$

$$= \frac{43}{12} \quad (1)$$

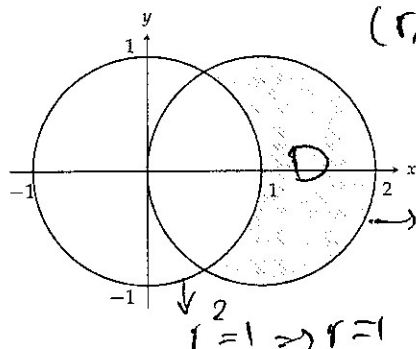
Question 7. Find the area inside the circle $(x-1)^2 + y^2 = 1$ and outside the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ (as shown below). (6 points)

Recall:

$$r^2 = x^2 + y^2$$

$$x = r \cos \theta$$

$$y = r \sin \theta$$



(r, θ) : Polar coordinates

(Hint: according to the double angle formula $\cos 2\theta = 2\cos^2 \theta - 1$).

parametrize D in polar coordinates: $x^2 + y^2 = 1 \Rightarrow r^2 = 1 \Rightarrow r = 1$ (1)

$$(x-1)^2 + y^2 = 1 \Rightarrow (r \cos \theta - 1)^2 + r^2 \sin^2 \theta = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 (\underbrace{\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta}_1) - 2r \cos \theta + 1 = 1 \Rightarrow r^2 = 2r \cos \theta \quad (2)$$

To find the bounds on (r, θ) we need to find the intersection of these two curves. From (1) we know that $r=1$ and if we replace it into (2), we have: $1 = 2 \cos \theta \Rightarrow \cos \theta = 1/2 \Rightarrow \theta = \pm \pi/3$ (1)

Also, for points inside the circle $r = 2 \cos \theta$, we have $r \leq 2 \cos \theta$ and for points outside the circle $r = 1$, we have $r \geq 1$. Hence, (1)

$1 \leq r \leq 2 \cos \theta$, and

$$A = \int_{-\pi/3}^{\pi/3} \int_1^{2 \cos \theta} dA = \int_{-\pi/3}^{\pi/3} \int_1^{2 \cos \theta} r dr d\theta = \int_{-\pi/3}^{\pi/3} \left. \frac{1}{2} r^2 \right|_1^{2 \cos \theta} d\theta \quad (1)$$

$$A = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\pi/3}^{\pi/3} (4 \cos^2 \theta - 1) d\theta = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\pi/3}^{\pi/3} (2(\cos 2\theta + 1) - 1) d\theta$$

$$A = \left(\frac{1}{2} \sin 2\theta + \frac{1}{2} \theta \right) \Big|_{-\pi/3}^{\pi/3} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{\pi}{3} = A \quad (1)$$