

UNIT 1: SCALAR FUNCTIONS

- Basic vocab:

- $f: A \rightarrow B$ associates each $a \in A$ to a unique $f(a) \in B$
- $f(a)$ is the image of a under f
- A is the domain, B is the codomain
- The subset of B consisting of all $f(a)$ is the range of f ($R(f)$)

- Scalar function: domain is \mathbb{R}^n and range is subset of \mathbb{R}

- Ex:// $f(x, y) = e^x + e^y$ ✓
- $P(L, K) = bL^\alpha K^{1-\alpha}$ ✓ $\Rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
- $g(x, y) = (\sin(x), \cos(y))$ ✗ $\Rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$
- $V(r, h) = \pi r^2 h$ ✓

• Evaluation: simply plug in values.

- Domain and range of scalar functions: examine NPU

- Ex:// Find domain and range of $f(x, y) = \sqrt{xy}$

Domain: $xy \geq 0$ so $\Rightarrow x \geq 0, y \geq 0$ or $x \leq 0, y \leq 0$

Range: $f(x, y) \geq 0$

- Ex:// Find domain and range of $g(x, y) = \frac{x^2 - y^2}{|x| + |y|}$

Domain: x and y cannot simultaneously be $(0, 0)$

\therefore Domain: $\mathbb{R}^2 - \{(0, 0)\}$

Range: Use variables + simple combos.

↳ Consider $(a, 0)$ where $a \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\therefore g(a, 0) = \frac{a^2 - 0}{|a| + 0} = |a| \Rightarrow \text{any positive val.}$$

Consider $(0, b)$ where $b \in \mathbb{R}$

$$g(0, b) = \frac{0^2 - b^2}{0 + |b|} = -|b| \Rightarrow \text{any negative val.}$$

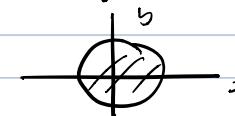
$$\therefore R(f) = \mathbb{R}$$

- Ex:// Find the domain and range of $f(x, y) = \ln(1 - x^2 - y^2)$

Domain: $1 - x^2 - y^2 \geq 0$

$$-x^2 - y^2 \geq -1 \Rightarrow$$

$$x^2 + y^2 \leq 1$$



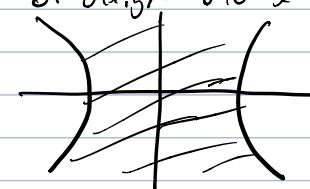
Range: $f(x, y) \leq \ln(1)$

$$f(x, y) \leq 0$$

- Ex:// Find the domain and range of $f(x, y) = \sqrt{16 - x^2 - y^2}$

Domain: $16 - x^2 - y^2 \geq 0$

$$x^2 + y^2 \leq 16$$



Range: Consider $(a, 0), (0, b)$

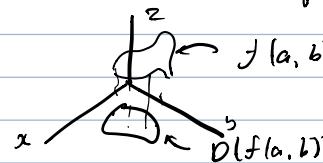
$(a, 0)$:

$$f(a, 0) = \sqrt{16 - a^2} \Rightarrow \text{spec from } 0 \rightarrow 4 \quad \left. \right\} \geq 0$$

$$f(0, b) = \sqrt{16 - b^2} \Rightarrow \text{spec from } 0 \rightarrow 4 \quad \left. \right\} \geq 0$$

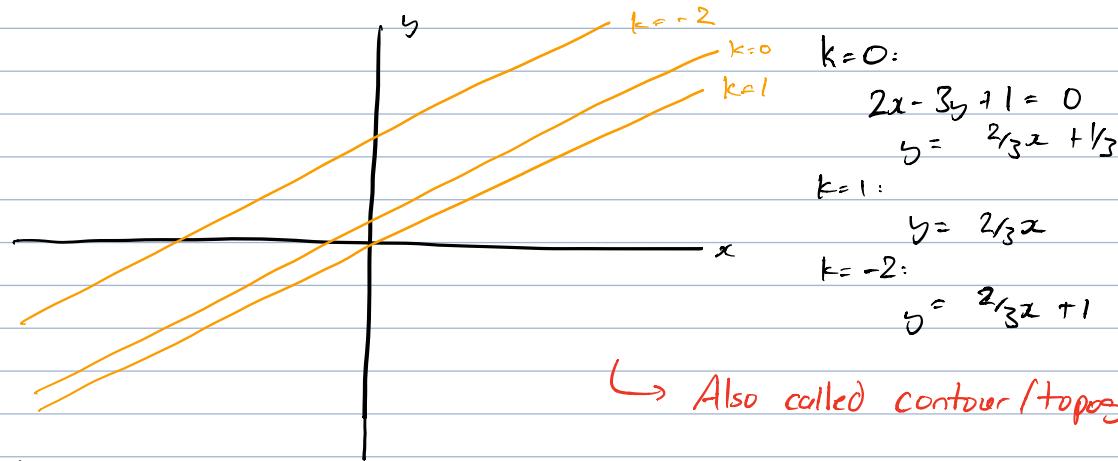
- Geometric interpretation of $f(x, y)$:

- The graph of $f(a, b)$ is simply:



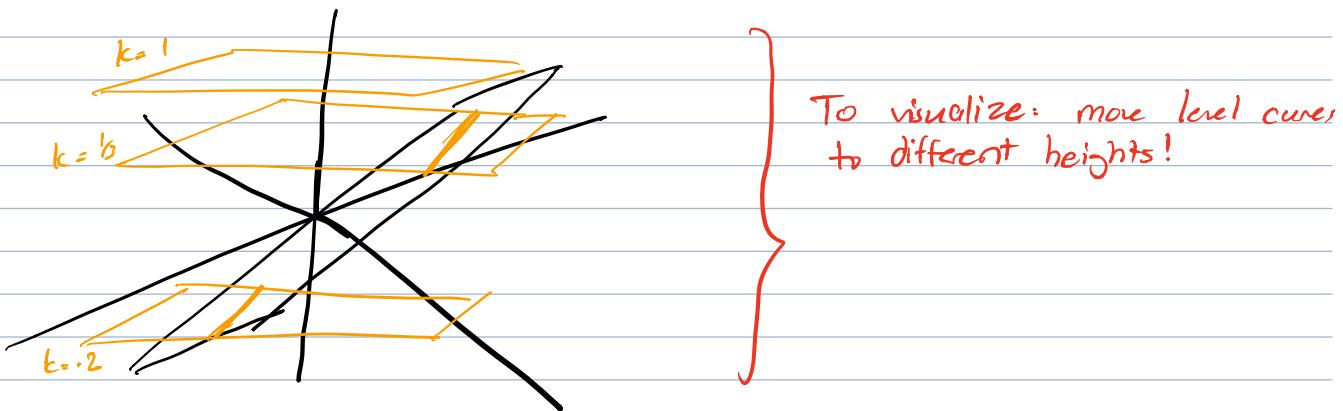
- Hard to draw 3D graph so we use level curves defined as:
 $f(x, y) = k$ ($k \in \mathbb{R}(f)$, k is constant)

- Ex:// Find the level curves of $f(x, y) = 2x - 3y + 1$

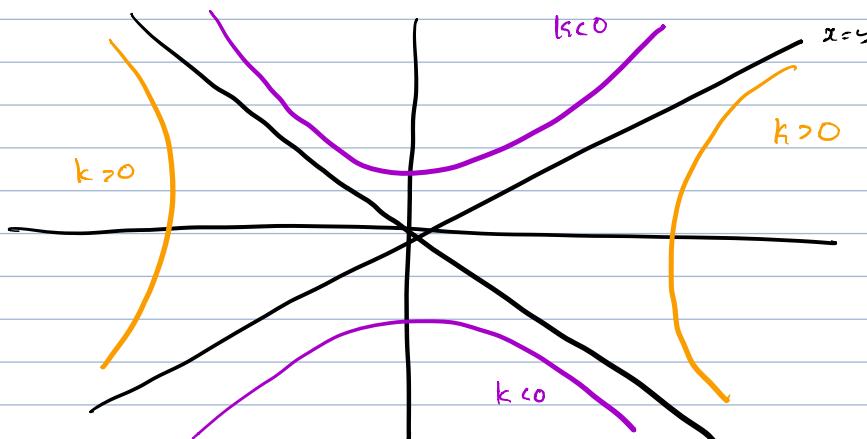


Note that $2x - 3y + 1 = k \Rightarrow 2x - 3y + (1-k) = 0$ so will give family of parallel lines.

- Think of level curves as horizontal intersection



- Ex:// Sketch level curves of $f(x, y) = x^2 - y^2$

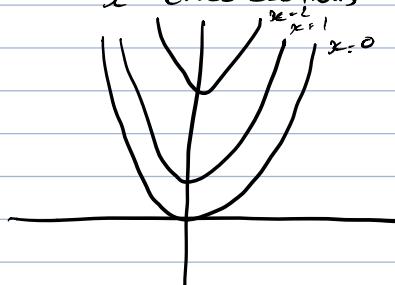


Visualize as a saddle surface or Pringle chip

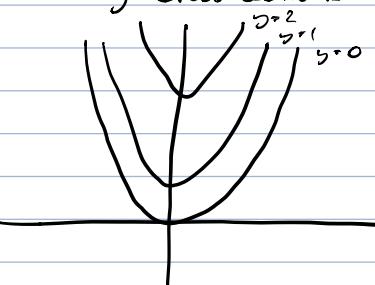
- We can also use vertical surfaces like $x=k$ or $y=k$ (cross-sections)

- Ex:// Create x and y cross-sections of $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2$

x cross-sections



y -cross-sections



- For n inputs, we can always use level curves.
- Level set: $\{\bar{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid f(\bar{x}) = k \text{ for } k \in \mathbb{R}(f)\}$

UNIT 2: LIMITS

Definition of a Limit

- Recall definition of single-variable limit.

$\forall \epsilon > 0, \exists \delta > 0 \text{ s.t.}$

$$0 < |x - a| < \delta \Rightarrow |f(x) - L| < \epsilon$$

which defines:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = L$$

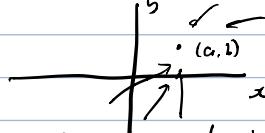
- Defining two-variable limit for $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} f(x,y) = L$

- Key difference: multiple ways of approaching (a,b)

Single var:

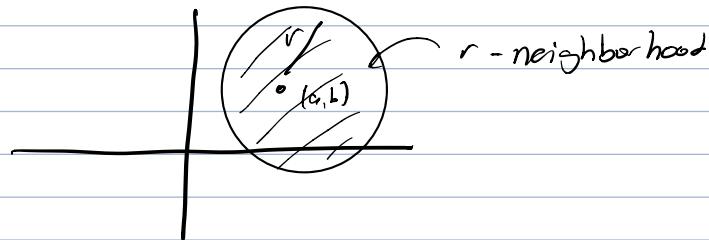


Multivariable



- r -neighborhood: r -neighborhood of point $(a,b) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ is the set:

$$N_r(a,b) = \{(x,y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid \text{Euclidean distance} \|(x,y) - (a,b)\| < r, r \in \mathbb{R}\}$$



- Formal definition:

Assume $f(x,y) \in N_r(a,b)$. If $\forall \epsilon > 0$, there exists a $\delta > 0$ s.t.

$$0 < \|(x,y) - (a,b)\| < \delta \Rightarrow |f(x,y) - L| < \epsilon$$

then

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} f(x,y) = L$$

- Visually: taking a circle centered at point (a,b) and radius δ and function outputs values $L - \epsilon < f(x,y) < L + \epsilon$ in this restricted domain

Limit Theorems

- If $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} f(x,y)$ and $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} g(x,y)$ exists then:

a) $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} [f(x,y) + g(x,y)] = \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} f(x,y) + \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} g(x,y)$] Limit of sums = sum of limits

b) $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} [f(x,y) g(x,y)] = \left[\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} f(x,y) \right] \left[\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} g(x,y) \right]$] Limit of products = product of limits

c) $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} \frac{f(x,y)}{g(x,y)} = \frac{\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} f(x,y)}{\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} g(x,y)}$ given $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} g(x,y) \neq 0$] Limit of division = division of limits

- Proof of a):

Call $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} f(x,y) = L_1$ and $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} g(x,y) = L_2$. Since both exist, by def., $\exists \delta > 0$ s.t.

$$0 < \|(x,y) - (a,b)\| < \delta \Rightarrow |f(x,y) - L_1| < \frac{\epsilon}{2} \wedge |g(x,y) - L_2| < \frac{\epsilon}{2}$$

Considering Original:

$$\begin{aligned}
 0 \leq \|f(x,y) - (a,b)\| < \delta &\Rightarrow |f(x,y) + g(x,y) - L_1 - L_2| \\
 &= |(f(x,y) - L_1) + (g(x,y) - L_2)| \\
 &\leq |f(x,y) - L_1| + |g(x,y) - L_2| \quad \text{by triangle inequality} \\
 &\leq \frac{\epsilon}{2} + \frac{\epsilon}{2} \\
 &< \epsilon \quad \square
 \end{aligned}$$

Ex:11 Find $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (1,1)} \frac{x^2 - xy + y^2}{x^2 + y^2}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (1,1)} \frac{x^2 - xy + y^2}{x^2 + y^2} &= \frac{\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (1,1)} x^2 - xy + y^2}{\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (1,1)} x^2 + y^2} \\
 &= \frac{1 - 1 + 1}{1 + 1} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

- If $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} f(x,y)$ exists, then it is unique.

o Proof: prove by contradiction.

Assume there exists 2 different limits L_1 and L_2 .

$$|L_1 - L_2| = \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} f(x,y) - \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} f(x,y) = \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} [f(x,y) - f(x,y)] = 0$$

This means L_1 and L_2 are the same, so it must be unique.

Proving Limit DNE

- In single-variable calc, we showed the left-hand and right-hand limit do not equal.

- Similarly, in multivariable limits, we approach point along **any smooth curve** and show that it does not equal

Ex:11 $f(x,y) = \frac{xy}{x^2 + y^2}$. Prove that $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x,y)$ DNE

Let's go along $y=0$ and $y=x$

1) $y=0$:

$$f(x,0) = 0 \Rightarrow \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x,0) = 0$$

2) $y=x$

$$f(x,x) = \frac{x^2}{2x^2} = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x,x) = \frac{1}{2}$$

Since $f(x,y)$ approaches diff. values as $(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)$ along different paths, limit DNE.

- We can introduce an arbitrary m constant for smooth curves. If limit depends on m , then DNE

Ex:11 Prove that $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{\sin(xy)}{x^2 + y^2}$ DNE

Along $y=mx$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x,mx) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(mx^2)}{x^2(1+m^2)} \\
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos(mx^2) \cdot 2mx}{2x(1+m^2)} \\
 &= \frac{m}{1+m^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

Note that x is controlling var

By L'Hopital

Ex:11 Let $f(x,y) = \frac{|x|}{|x| + y^2}$. Show that $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x,xy) = 1$ for all $m \in \mathbb{R}$, but

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x,y) \text{ DNE}$$

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x,y) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{|x|}{|x| + m^2 x^2}$$

As $x \rightarrow 0^+$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{x}{x + m^2 x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{1}{1 + 2m^2 x} = 1$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{-x}{-x + m^2 x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{-1}{-1 + 2m^2 x} = 1$$

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x,y) = 1$$

Consider $x=0$

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(0,y) = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{y^2} = 0$$

Since we approached $(0,0)$ on 2 paths and limits do not agree, $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x,y)$ DNE

Ex:11 Let $f(x,y) = \frac{x^2 y}{x^4 + y^2}$. Show that $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x,y)$ DNE

Consider $y=0$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = \frac{0}{x^4} = 0$$

Consider $y = x^2$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^4}{x^4 + x^4} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

∴ DNE

Ex:11 Prove that $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (1,0)} \frac{(x-1)(y+1)}{|x-1| + y}$

Consider $y=0$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} = \frac{x-1}{|x-1|} \begin{cases} \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{x-1}{|x-1|} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{x-1}{x-1} = 1 \\ \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{x-1}{|x-1|} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{x-1}{1-x} = -1 \end{cases}$$

∴ Limit DNE on x -axis.

Proving a Limit Exists

- Use the squeeze theorem to prove limits.

If there exists a function $B(x,y)$ such that

$$|f(x,y) - L| \leq B(x,y) \text{ for all } (x,y) \neq (a,b)$$

in some neighborhood of (a,b) and $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} B(x,y) = 0$, then $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} f(x,y) = L$

o Basically says that if we bound a function by something that goes to 0, then $f \rightarrow L$.

- Prof: Let $\delta > 0$. Since $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} B(x,y) = 0$, by the def. of a limit, $\exists \delta > 0$ s.t.

$$0 < |(x,y) - (a,b)| < \delta \Rightarrow |B(x,y) - 0| < \epsilon$$

Hence, if $0 < |(x,y) - (a,b)| < \delta$, then:

$$|f(x,y) - L| \leq B(x,y) < \epsilon$$

$$\therefore \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} f(x,y) = L$$

- Ex:11 Prove that $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2 y}{x^2 + y^2} = 0$.

1) Find $B(x,y)$ s.t. $B(x,y) > |f(x,y) - L|$

$$|f(x,y) - L| = \left| \frac{x^2 y}{x^2 + y^2} - 0 \right| = \frac{|x^2 y|}{x^2 + y^2}$$

Since $y^2 \geq 0$, then $x^2 \leq x^2 + y^2$

$$\therefore B(x, y) = \frac{(x^2 + y^2) |y|}{x^2 + y^2} = |y|$$

2) By inspection, $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} |y| = 0 \Rightarrow \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2 y}{x^2 + y^2} = 0$

- Ex:// Prove that

$$\frac{|2x^2 - y^2|}{|x| + |y|} \leq 2|x| + |y|$$

Try to manipulate numerator such that $|x| + |y|$ cancels.

$$\begin{aligned} |2x^2 - y^2| &= |2x^2 + (-y^2)| \\ &\leq 2|x|^2 + |-y^2| \quad \text{By } \Delta \text{ ineq.} \\ &\leq 2|x|^2 + |y|^2 \end{aligned}$$

Since $|x| \leq |x| + |y|$ and $|y| \leq |x| + |y| \Rightarrow \text{Clear step! } |x| \leq |x| + |y|$
↳ Use if $|x|^2$

$$\begin{aligned} 2|x|^2 + |y|^2 &\leq 2|x|(|x| + |y|) + |y|(|x| + |y|) \\ &\leq (2|x| + |y|)(|x| + |y|) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \frac{|2x^2 - y^2|}{|x| + |y|} \leq \frac{(2|x| + |y|)(|x| + |y|)}{(|x| + |y|)} \leq 2|x| + |y|$$

- Ex:// Determine if $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2 - |x| - |y|}{|x| + |y|}$ exists.

1) Linear lines: $y = mx$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 - |x| - |m||x|}{|x| + |m||x|} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{|x|(|x| - 1 - |m|)}{|x|(|x| + |m|)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{|x| - (1 + |m|)}{|x| + |m|} = -1$$

2) Prove via squeeze theorem:

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{x^2 - |x| - |y|}{|x| + |y|} - (-1) \right| &= \left| \frac{x^2 - |x| - |y| + |x| + |y|}{|x| + |y|} \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{x^2}{|x| + |y|} \right| \\ &= \frac{x^2}{|x| + |y|} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \frac{x^2}{|x| + |y|} = \frac{|x||x|}{|x| + |y|} \leq \frac{|x|(|x| + |y|)}{|x| + |y|} \leq |x|$$

Since $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} |x| = 0$, limit is -1 .

Inequalities and Absolute Values

- Use the following when dealing w/ multivariable limits

o Trichotomy: either $a < b$, $a = b$, or $a > b$

o Transitivity: $a < b \wedge b < c \Rightarrow a < c$

o Additivity: If $a < b$, then $\forall c$, $a + c < b + c$

o Multiplication: If $a < b$ and $c < 0$, then $bc < ac$

o Multiplication inverse: If $ab > 0$ with $a < b$, then $\frac{1}{b} < \frac{1}{a}$

- Absolute values:

o $|a| = \sqrt{a^2}$

o $|a| < b$ if $-b < a < b$

o $|a + b| \leq |a| + |b|$

o If $c > 0$, then $a < a + c$

• Cosine inequality $2|xy| \leq x^2 + y^2$

- Ex:// Prove

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{|x^3 - y^3|}{x^2 + y^2} &\leq |x| + |y| \\
 \frac{|x^3 - y^3|}{x^2 + y^2} &\leq \frac{|x^3| + |-y^3|}{x^2 + y^2} \\
 &\leq \frac{|x^3| + |y^3|}{x^2 + y^2} \\
 &\leq |x^2| |x| + |y^2| |y| \\
 &\leq \frac{(|x^2| + |y^2|) (|x| + |y|)}{x^2 + y^2} \\
 &\leq \frac{(x^2 + y^2) (|x| + |y|)}{x^2 + y^2} \\
 &\leq |x| + |y|
 \end{aligned}$$

$$|x| \leq |x| + |y|$$

$$|y| \leq |x| + |y|$$

Final Limits Lesson

- Ex:// $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (1,-2)} \frac{y^2 + 2xy}{y + 2x}$

1) Direct plug: Does not work

2) Factor + cancel:

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (1,-2)} \frac{y(y+2x)}{y+2x} = \lim_{y \rightarrow -2} y = -2$$

- Ex:// $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^4 - y^4}{x^2 + y^4}$

2) $x=0, y=0$

$$\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} -\frac{y^4}{y^4} = -y = 0 \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} y=0 \\ \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^4}{x^2} = 1 \end{array} \right.$$

UNIT 3: CONTINUITY

- From single-variable functions:

$f(x)$ is continuous at $x = a$ iff

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a^-} f(x) = f(a) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} f(x)$$

- For multivariable functions:

$f(x,y)$ is continuous at (a,b) iff

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} f(x,y) = f(a,b)$$

- Ex:// Let $f(x,y)$ be defined as

$$f(x,y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2y}{x^2+y^2} & \text{if } (x,y) \neq (0,0) \\ 0 & \text{if } (x,y) = (0,0) \end{cases} \quad \left\{ \text{Show that it's continuous at } (0,0) \right.$$

From before, we know

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2y}{x^2+y^2} = 0$$

∴ Continuous as $f(0,0) = 0$ as well

- Ex:1 Prove that $f(x,y) = \begin{cases} \frac{xy}{x^2+y^2} & \text{if } (x,y) \neq (0,0) \\ 0 & \text{if } (x,y) = (0,0) \end{cases}$ is not continuous at $(0,0)$

Examining

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x,y)$$

Consider $y=x \Rightarrow \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x,y) = \frac{1}{2} \neq 0 \therefore \text{not continuous}$

- Ex:11 Consider f defined by

$$f(x,y) = \frac{\sin(xy)}{x^2+y^2} \quad (x,y) \neq (0,0)$$

Is it possible for f to be defined at $(0,0)$ s.t. continuous at $(0,0)$?

Limit does not exist, so not possible.

- Ex:11 Let f be defined as

$$f(x,y) = \begin{cases} \frac{xy}{|x|+|y|} & \text{if } (x,y) \neq (0,0) \\ 0 & \text{if } (x,y) = (0,0) \end{cases}$$

Determine if continuous at $(0,0)$.

Consider path $y=x$

$$f(x) = \frac{x^2}{|x|+|x|} = \frac{x^2}{2|x|} = \frac{|x||x|}{2|x|} = \frac{|x|}{2} \rightarrow 0$$

Proving limit:

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{xy}{|x|+|y|} \right| &= \frac{|x||y|}{|x|+|y|} \\ &\leq \frac{(|x|+|y|)|x|}{|x|+|y|} \\ &= |x| \end{aligned}$$

Since $|x| \rightarrow 0$ as $x \rightarrow 0$, $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x,y) = 0$

\therefore Continuous?

Continuity Theorems

- Take the following as continuous: Constants, power function (x^n, y^n) , log, exp, trig, inv. trig, abs val

- Function operations:

$$1. (f+g)(x,y) = f(x,y) + g(x,y)$$

$$2. (fg)(x,y) = f(x,y)g(x,y)$$

$$3. (f/g)(x,y) = f(x,y) \div g(x,y) \text{ if } g(x,y) \neq 0$$

$$4. (g \circ f)(x,y) = g(f(x,y)) \text{ for all } (x,y) \in D(f) \text{ for which } f(x,y) \in D(g)$$

\hookrightarrow Make sure inner domain \subset outer domain

\hookrightarrow Also make sure that you are being careful w/ scalar vs. vector outputs!

- Theorem 1: f and g are continuous at $(a,b) \Rightarrow f+g$ and fg are continuous at a,b

- Theorem 2: f and g are continuous at (a,b) and $g(a,b) \neq 0 \Rightarrow f/g$

- Theorem 3: $f(x,y)$ continuous at (a,b) and $g(t)$ continuous at $f(a,b) \Rightarrow g \circ f$ continuous at (a,b)

- Ex:11 Prove $h(x,y) = \sin(6x^2y + 3xy^2)$ is continuous for all $(x,y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$

Applying theorem 1 and rules about constant and power function shows that

$$f(x,y) = 6x^2y + 3xy^2$$

is continuous for all $(x,y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$

Applying theorem 3 implies $h(x,y)$ also continuous for all $(x,y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$

- Remember: if function has separate definitions at a particular point, you need to use limit definitions to prove continuity at that point

UNIT 4: LINEAR APPROXIMATIONS & PARTIAL DERIVATIVES

Partial Derivatives

- A scalar function $f(x, y)$ can be differentiated in 2 ways:

1. Treat y as constant and differentiate w/ respect to x to obtain $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$
2. Treat x as constant and differentiate w/ respect to y to obtain $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$

- Formal definition:

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = f_x(x, y) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h, y) - f(x, y)}{h}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = f_y(x, y) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x, y+h) - f(x, y)}{h}$$

- Notation:

$$D_1 = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = f_x, \quad D_2 = \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = f_y$$

◦ Operator notation: $D_i \Rightarrow$ differentiate w/ respect to i^{th} variable (in position), keep all else constant

- Use standard diff. rules. If those don't work, use limit definition

- Ex:// Consider $f(x, y) = xe^{kxy}$ where k is a constant.

Determine f_x and f_y :

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} &= x'e^{kxy} + x(e^{kxy})' \\ &= e^{kxy} + x(e^{kxy})(ky) \\ &= e^{kxy}(1 + kxy) \end{aligned} \quad \begin{aligned} \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} &= xe^{kxy} \cdot xk \\ &= kx^2 e^{kxy} \end{aligned}$$

- Ex:// Consider $f(x, y) = \sin(x^2y^2)$

$$\therefore f_x = \cos(x^2y^2) \cdot 2x$$

$$f_y = \cos(x^2y^2) \cdot 2xy$$

- Ex:// Determine if $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(0, 0)$ exists for $f(x, y) = (x^3 + y^3)^{\frac{1}{3}}$

1. Determine $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} &= \frac{1}{3}(x^3 + y^3)^{-\frac{2}{3}} \cdot 3x^2 \\ &= \frac{x^2}{\sqrt[3]{(x^3 + y^3)^2}} \end{aligned}$$

2. $(0, 0)$ is not defined since $x^3 + y^3 \neq 0$

3. Use partial derivative definition

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h, y) - f(x, y)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h)^3 + y^3)^{\frac{1}{3}} - (x^3 + y^3)^{\frac{1}{3}}}{h}$$

At $(0, 0)$:

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(h^3 + 0^3)^{\frac{1}{3}} - 0^{\frac{1}{3}}}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h}{h} = 1$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(0, 0) \text{ exists} \Rightarrow \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(0, 0) = 1$$

- Same definition of differentiability holds: limit must exist!

- Ex:// Let $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{xy}{x^2 + y^2} & \text{if } (x, y) \neq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } (x, y) = 0. \end{cases}$ Calculate $f_x(0, 0)$ and $f_y(0, 0)$.

$$f_x = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h, 0) - f(0, 0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{0 - 0}{h} = 0$$

$$f'_x = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0, h) - f(0, 0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{h} = 0$$

- Differentiability $\not\Rightarrow$ continuity!

- Ex:// Let $f(x, y) = (x^3 + y^3)^{1/3}$. Find $f'_x(0, -a)$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(a+h, -a) - f(a, -a)}{h} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(a+h)^3 - a^3}{h}^{1/3} - 0 \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(a^3 + 3a^2h + 3ah^2 + h^3)^{1/3} - a}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3a^2h + 3ah^2 + h^3}{h}^{1/3} \\ &\stackrel{\text{L'Hopital}}{=} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{3}(3a^2 + 3ah^2 + h^3)^{-2/3} \cdot (3a^2 + 6ah + 3h^2) \\ &= +\infty \end{aligned}$$

DNE

- Ex:// $f(x, y) = |x(y-1)|$

Let $x(y-1) \geq 0$:

$$f(x, y) = xy - x$$

$$f'_x(x, y) = y - 1$$

Let $x(y-1) < 0$

$$f(x, y) = -xy + x$$

$$f'_x(x, y) = -y + 1$$

$$(0, 0) \Rightarrow \text{DNE}$$

$$(0, 1) \Rightarrow 0$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h, 1) - f(0, 1)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(h-h)}{h} = 0$$

- Generalizing to larger functions: simply keep all other variables as constants.

Higher Order Partial Derivatives

- Since partial derivatives are scalar functions, you can take the partial derivative of a partial derivative.

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right) = f_{xx} = D_1^2 f \quad \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right) = f_{xy} = D_1 D_2 f$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right) = f_{yx} = D_1 D_2 f \quad \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right) = f_{yy} = D_2^2 f$$

note order!

- Clairaut's theorem: If f_{xy} and f_{yx} are defined in neighborhood of (a, b) and are continuous at (a, b) : then $f_{xy}(a, b) = f_{yx}(a, b)$.

- Ex:// For $f(x, y) = x^y$ for $x > 0$, is

$$f_{xy} = f_{yx}?$$

$$f_x = yx^{y-1}$$

$$f_{yy} = x^{y-1} + y \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (x^{y-1})$$

$$= x^{y-1} + y (x^{y-1} \cdot \ln x)$$

$$= x^{y-1} (1 + y \ln x)$$

$$f_y = x^y \ln x$$

$$f_{xy} = (x^y)' \ln x + x^y (\ln x)'$$

$$= yx^{y-1} \ln x + x^y \frac{1}{x}$$

$$= yx^{y-1} \ln x + x^{y-1}$$

$$= x^{y-1} (1 + y \ln x)$$

- Clairaut's theorem extends for higher order partial derivatives

- If the k^{th} -partial order derivatives are continuous of some function f , we say:

$$f \in C^k \quad ("f \text{ in class } C^k")$$

• Important to check before applying Clairaut

The Tangent Plane

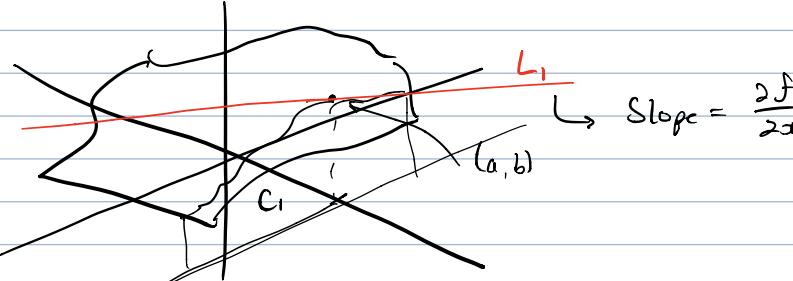
- Think of the tangent plane as the plane which best approximates surface at a point

- Geometric interpretation of partial derivative

Let $z = f(x, y)$. Let C_1 be the cross-section of surface at $y=b$ and C_2 be the cross-section of $z=a$.

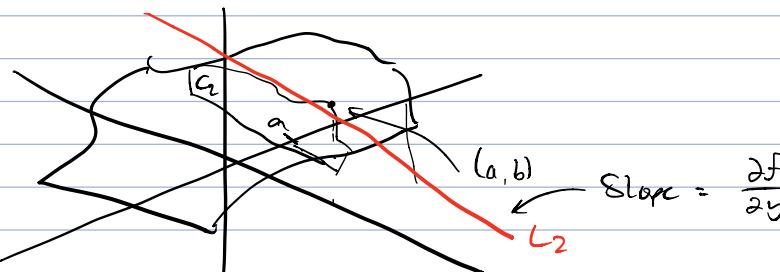
$$1. C_1: z = f(x, b)$$

$\therefore \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(a, b) = \text{slope of tangent line } L_1 \text{ of } C_1 \text{ at point } (a, b, f(a, b))$



$$2. C_2: z = f(a, y)$$

$\therefore \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(a, b) = \text{slope of tangent line } L_2 \text{ of } C_2 \text{ at point } (a, b, f(a, b))$



- We now define the tangent plane to be surface at $(a, b, f(a, b))$ to be plane that has L_1, L_2

o Note that any plane in form: $z = f(a, b) + m(x-a) + n(y-b)$

o $C_1: (x, b) = z = f(a, b) + m(x-a) \therefore m = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \text{ at } (a, b)$

o Similarly, $n = \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \text{ at } (a, b)$.

o Tangent plane at $(a, b, f(a, b))$:

$$z = f(a, b) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(a, b)(x-a) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(a, b)(y-b) \Rightarrow \text{Assumes function is differentiable}$$

- Ex:// Find tangent plane at $(3, -4, 5)$ for $f(x, y) = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} f(3, -4) = \frac{1}{2} (x^2 + y^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot 2x = \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} f(3, -4) = \frac{1}{2} (x^2 + y^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot 2y = \frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(3, -4) = \frac{3}{5}, \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(3, -4) = -\frac{4}{5}$$

$$\therefore z = 5 + \frac{3}{5}(x-3) - \frac{4}{5}(y+4)$$

Linear Approximation for $z = f(x, y)$

- Recall from single variable calculus: tangent line $L_a(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x-a)$ used to approximate a

o $L_a(x)$: linearization. Linear approximation: $f(x) \approx L_a(x)$

- Linearization in 2 variable case:

$$L_{(a, b)}(x, y) = f(a, b) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(a, b)(x-a) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(a, b)(y-b) \Rightarrow \text{Approximating } (x, y) \text{ with tangent plane defined by } (a, b)$$

- Linear approximation: $f(x, y) \approx L_{(a,b)}(x, y)$
- Ex:// Approximate $\sqrt{\sin(\frac{1}{10}) + \tan(\frac{\pi}{4})}$

Generally: $f(x, y) = \sqrt{\sin(x) + \tan(y)}$. Constructing tangent plane at $(0, \frac{\pi}{4})$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{2} (\sin(b) + \tan(y))^{-\frac{1}{2}} x \cos(x)$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \frac{1}{2} (\sin(x) + \tan(b))^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot \sec^2(b)$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(0, \frac{\pi}{4}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{0 + \tan(\frac{\pi}{4})}} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(0, \frac{\pi}{4}) &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{0+1}} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{\cos \frac{\pi}{4}}\right)^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore z = 1 + \frac{x}{2} + y - \frac{\pi}{4} \Rightarrow f(\frac{1}{10}, \frac{\pi}{4}) \approx 1.015$$

- Increment form: Define in change instead

$$\Delta f(x, y) \approx \Delta L_{(a,b)}(x, y) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(a, b) \Delta x + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(a, b) \Delta y$$

- o Ex:// Isosceles triangle has base 4 m, equal angles $\frac{\pi}{4}$. Base increased by 0.16 m and angle decreased by 0.16 rad, estimate change in area.

- ① Define function: we need to define area function f affected by base x and angle θ

$$\therefore f(x, \theta) = \frac{1}{2} x h = \frac{1}{2} x \left(\frac{x}{2} \tan \theta\right) = \frac{1}{4} x^2 \tan \theta$$

- ② Define increment tangent plane:

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{\tan \theta}{2} x \Rightarrow \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(4, \frac{\pi}{4}) = \frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 2$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial \theta} = \frac{x^2}{4} \sec^2 \theta \Rightarrow \frac{\partial f}{\partial \theta}(4, \frac{\pi}{4}) = \frac{16}{4} \times \left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 = 4 \times 2 = 8$$

$$\therefore \Delta f = \Delta L_{(a,b)}(x, \theta) = 2 \Delta x + 8 \Delta \theta$$

- ③ Plug in changes:

$$\Delta f \approx 2(0.16) + 8(-0.1) \approx -0.48$$

Area decreases by 0.48 m^2

Linear Approximation in Higher Dimensions

- We define the linearization of $f(x, y, z)$ at $\vec{a} = (a, b, c)$ by

$$L_{\vec{a}}(x, y, z) = f(\vec{a}) + f_x(\vec{a})(x-a) + f_y(\vec{a})(y-b) + f_z(\vec{a})(z-c)$$

- We can also write this in terms of the dot product of two vectors:

$$L_{\vec{a}}(x, y, z) = f(\vec{a}) + \begin{bmatrix} x-a \\ y-b \\ z-c \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} f_x \\ f_y \\ f_z \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{red}} \nabla f$$

- Gradient: vector of all possible first-order partial derivatives at some particular point \vec{a}

- We can now define linearization + linear approximation compactly.

- o Linearization: $L_{\vec{a}}(\vec{x}) = f(\vec{a}) + \nabla f(\vec{a}) \cdot (\vec{x} - \vec{a})$

- o Linear approximation: $f(\vec{x}) \approx f(\vec{a}) + \nabla f(\vec{a}) \cdot (\vec{x} - \vec{a})$

- Ex:// Consider $f(x, y, z) = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$. Find ∇f and linear approximation for f at $\vec{a} = (1, 2, -2)$

$$\nabla f(x, y, z) = \left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}}, \frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}}, \frac{z}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} \right)$$

Evaluate at \vec{a} :

$$\nabla f(\vec{a}) = \left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, -\frac{2}{3} \right)$$

Create linear approximation:

$$\begin{aligned}L_{\vec{a}}(\vec{x}) &= f(\vec{a}) + \nabla f(\vec{a}) \cdot (x-1, y-2, z+2) \\&= 3 + \left(\frac{1}{3}, 2, \frac{1}{3}, -2\right) \cdot (x-1, y-2, z+2) \\&= 3 + \frac{1}{3}(x-1) + 2(y-2) - 2\frac{1}{3}(z+2)\end{aligned}$$

- Ex:// Consider $f(x, y, z) = xyz$. Find $4.99 \times 7.01 \times 9.99$

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla f(x, y, z) &= (yz, xz, xy) \\ \nabla f(5, 7, 10) &= (70, 50, 35)\end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow \vec{x}$: actual vector you want to approximate
 $\Rightarrow \vec{a}$: vector to construct approximation
(should be simple!)

$$\begin{aligned}L_{\vec{a}}(\vec{x}) &= 350 + (70, 50, 35) \cdot (x-5, y-7, z-10) \\&= 350 + 70(x-5) + 50(y-7) + 35(z-10) \\&= 350 + 70(4.99-5) + 50(7.01-7) + 35(9.99-10) \\&= 350 - 0.7 + 0.5 - 0.35 \\&= 349.45\end{aligned}$$

- Vector notation generalizes quite well!

UNIT 5: DIFFERENTIABLE FUNCTIONS

Definition of Differentiability

- One variable definition of differentiability doesn't work too well: possible to have derivative at a non cont. pt.
- 1 variable differentiability:

o Let us define $R_{1,a} = g(x) - L_a(x)$ to be error for 1st order approx.

o Then:

Th. 1: If $g'(a)$ exists, then $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \left| \frac{R_{1,a}(x)}{|x-a|} \right| = 0$

o Proof:

$$\left| \frac{R_{1,a}(x)}{|x-a|} \right| = \left| \frac{g(x) - g(a) - g'(a)(x-a)}{|x-a|} \right| = \left| \frac{g(x) - g(a)}{|x-a|} - g'(a) \right| \Rightarrow 0 \text{ as } x \rightarrow a$$

o This tells us that the tangent line at $(a, g(a))$ with slope $g'(a)$ is the best straight line approx. at a .

- 2 variable differentiability

o $R_{1,(a,b)} = f(x, y) - L_{(a,b)}(x, y)$

o A function is differentiable at (a, b) if

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} \frac{|R_{1,(a,b)}(x, y)|}{\|(x, y) - (a, b)\|} = 0$$

o If a function $f(x, y)$ satisfies

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} \frac{|f(x, y) - f(a, b) - c(x-a) - d(y-b)|}{\|(x, y) - (a, b)\|} = 0$$

then $f_x(a, b) = c$, $f_y(a, b) = d$

o Proof: Since the limit is 0 along any path, approach on $y=b$

$$0 = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{|f(x, b) - f(a, b) - c(x-a)|}{|x-a|}$$

$$0 = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \left| \frac{f(x, b) - f(a, b)}{x-a} - c \right|$$

$$0 = f_x(a, b) - c$$

$$\therefore c = f_x(a, b)$$

o In other words, differentiable functions have a "good" linear approximation as defined above

o To prove differentiability: f_x, f_y exist and ratio of error + displacement tend to 0

- Ex:// Show $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2$ is differentiable at $(1, 0)$

$$f_x = 2x \Rightarrow f_x(1, 0) = 2 \quad f(1, 0) = 1$$

$$f_y = 2y \Rightarrow f_y(1, 0) = 0$$

$$\therefore L_{(1,0)}(x, y) = 1 + 2(x-1)$$

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (1,0)} \frac{|x^2 + y^2 - 1 - 2x + 2|}{\|(x,y) - (1,0)\|} = \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (1,0)} \frac{|(x-1)^2 + y^2|}{\|(x,y) - (1,0)\|} = \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (1,0)} \frac{(x-1)^2 + y^2}{\sqrt{(x-1)^2 + y^2}}$$

$$= \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (1,0)} \frac{(x-1)^2 + y^2}{\sqrt{(x-1)^2 + y^2}}$$

= 0 by continuity theorem

∴ Differentiable at $(1, 0)$

- Ex:// Determine if $f(x, y) = \sqrt{|xy|}$ is differentiable at $(0, 0)$

① Construct approximation

$$f(0,0) = 0$$

$$f_x(0,0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0+h,0) - f(0,0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{h} = 0$$

$$f_y(0,0) = 0$$

$$\therefore z = 0$$

② Construct error: $R_{1, (0,0)}(x, y) = \sqrt{|xy|}$

③ Limit

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} = \frac{\sqrt{|xy|}}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}$$

Along $y = x$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{|x|^2}}{\sqrt{2x^2}} = \frac{|x|}{\sqrt{2}|x|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \neq 0 \quad \therefore \text{Not differentiable}$$

- Ex:// Determine if $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} x^2 y / (x^2 + y^2) & \text{if } (x, y) \neq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } (x, y) = 0 \end{cases}$ is differentiable at $(0, 0)$

① Construct approximation

$$f_x(0,0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0+h,0) - f(0,0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{h} = 0$$

$$f_y(0,0) = 0$$

$$f(0,0) = 0$$

$$\therefore L_{(0,0)}(x, y) = 0$$

② Construct error: $\frac{x^2 y}{x^2 + y^2}$

③ Limit:

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{\frac{x^2 y}{x^2 + y^2}}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}$$

Approach at $y = x$:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^3}{2x^2 \sqrt{2x^2}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^3}{(2x^2)^{1/2}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{2^{3/2}}$$

$\neq 0 \Rightarrow \text{Not differentiable}$

- If $f(x, y)$ is differentiable at (a, b) , then it is continuous at (a, b)

Continuous Partial Derivatives and Differentiability

- Recall Mean Value Theorem: if $f(x)$ is continuous on interval $[x_1, x_2]$ and is differentiable, then there exists a $x_0 \in (x_1, x_2)$ s.t. $f(x_2) - f(x_1) = f'(x_0)(x_2 - x_1)$

- If f_x and f_y are continuous at (a, b) then $f(x, y)$ is differentiable at (a, b)

- Ex:// Determine at which points $f(x, y) = (x^2 + y^2)^{2/3}$ is differentiable.

① Find partial derivatives.

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{4x}{3(x^2 + y^2)^{1/3}} \text{ for } (x, y) \neq (0, 0)$$

Same for $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$

② Conclude: since they are continuous everywhere except $(0, 0)$, we can conclude it is differentiable

everywhere except $(0,0)$, which needs further investigation.

③ Further investigation using definition.

Need to determine if $f(x,y)$ is differentiable at $(0,0)$.

① Constructing approximation.

$$f(0,0) = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(0,0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(0+h)^{2/3} - 0}{h} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(0,0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(0+h)^{4/3} - 0}{h} = 0$$

$$\textcircled{2} \text{ Error: } R_{(0,0)}(x,y) = (x^2+y^2)^{1/3}$$

② Limit:

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{(x^2+y^2)^{1/3}}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}} = \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} (x^2+y^2)^{1/6} = 0 \Rightarrow \text{Differentiable}$$

- Strategy: use the partial derivatives to show function is differentiable. Use the error definition for hard points
- This also applies to checking if f_x is differentiable using f_{xx}, f_{xy}, f_{yy}
- These theorems are generalized to n -dimensional functions

Linear Approximation Revisited

- The error of $f(x,y)$ is said to be: $R_{(a,b)}(x,y) = f(x,y) - L_{(a,b)}(x,y)$

- Linear approximation: $L_{(a,b)}(x,y) = f(a,b) + \nabla f(a,b) \cdot (x-a, y-b)$

- Rearranging error formula:

$$f(x,y) = f(a,b) + \nabla f(a,b) \cdot (x-a, y-b) + R_{(a,b)}(x,y)$$

- Now, we can say that the linear approximation is good if we can neglect the error term

• We can neglect if we know $f(x,y)$ is differentiable at (a,b) since $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} \frac{|R_{(a,b)}(x,y)|}{\|(x,y) - (a,b)\|} = 0$

- Ex:// Is the following a valid approximation?

$$(xy)^{1/3} \approx 2 + \frac{1}{3}(x-2) + \frac{1}{6}(y-4)$$

① Construct linear approximation

Let $f(x,y) = (xy)^{1/3}$. Thus:

$$\nabla f = \left(\frac{1}{3}x^{-2/3}y^{1/3}, \frac{1}{3}x^{1/3}y^{-2/3} \right)$$

$$\text{At } \nabla f(2,4) = \left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{6} \right)$$

Thus:

$$(xy)^{1/3} \approx 2 + \frac{1}{3}(x-2) + \frac{1}{6}(y-4) + R_{(2,4)}(x,y)$$

② Determine if differentiable at point of interest

$f(x,y)$ has continuous partial derivatives at $(2,4)$, so

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (2,4)} \frac{|R_{(2,4)}(x,y)|}{\|(x,y) - (2,4)\|} = 0$$

Thus, we can neglect $R_{(2,4)}(x,y)$. So original approximation is valid

Putting it Together

- Ex:// Prove that $f(x,y) = x(|y|-1)$ is differentiable at $(0,0)$

① Find partials

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(0,0) = -1$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(0,0) = (x|y|-x)' = x \cdot \frac{y}{|y|}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(0,0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{h} = 0$$

② Linear approximation:

$$L_{(0,0)}(x,y) = -x$$

③ Error:

$$R_{(0,0)}(x,y) = x|y| - x + x = x|y|$$

④ Determining if differentiable

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{|xy|}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}} \Rightarrow \text{We want to prove differentiability so this must be 0!}$$

Proving:

$$\left| \frac{|xy|}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}} \right| \leq \frac{|x||y|}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}} \leq \frac{x^2+y^2}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}} = \sqrt{x^2+y^2}$$

Since $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \sqrt{x^2+y^2} = 0$, above limit is 0 \Rightarrow differentiable.

UNIT 6: CHAIN RULE

Basic Chain Rule in 2 Dimensions

- Recall from single-variable calculus $\Rightarrow f(t(x))' = f'(t(x)) \cdot t'(x)$

- If $f(x,y) = f(x(t), y(t))$

$$\frac{dT}{dt} = \frac{\partial T}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{\partial T}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{dy}{dt} \Rightarrow \text{Note the difference in } \partial \text{ (derivative of multivariable func.)}$$

and d (derivative of single-variable.)

o More precise:
Let $g(t) = f(x(t), y(t))$ and let $a = x(t_0)$ and $b = y(t_0)$. If f is differentiable at (a,b) and $x'(t_0)$ and $y'(t_0)$ exist, then $g'(t_0)$ exists and

$$g'(t_0) = f_x(a,b) x'(t_0) + f_y(a,b) y'(t_0)$$

- Ex:// Use the Chain Rule to find $\frac{df}{dt}$ for $f(x,y) = xy^3 - 2x^3y$ with $x(t) = t^2 + 1$ and $y(t) = t^2 - 1$ at $t_0 = 1$

① Find a and b

$$a = x(t_0) = 2, \quad b = y(t_0) = 0$$

② Find $x'(t_0)$ and $y'(t_0)$

$$x'(t) = 2t \quad y'(t) = 2t$$

$$x'(t_0) = 2 \quad y'(t_0) = 2$$

③ Find $g'(t)$:

$$\begin{aligned} g'(t) &= f_x(a,b) \cdot x'(t_0) + f_y(a,b) \cdot y'(t_0) \\ &= f_x(2,0) \cdot 2 + f_y(2,0) \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$$

④ Find $f_x(a,b)$ and $f_y(a,b)$

$$f_x = y^3 \cdot 3x^2y \Rightarrow f_x(a,b) = 0$$

$$f_y = 3x^2 - x^3 \Rightarrow f_y(a,b) = -8$$

⑤ Plug in:

$$g'(1) = -8 \cdot 2 = -16$$

- Ex:// $f(x,y) = (xy)^{1/3}$, $x(t) = t$, $y(t) = t^2$. $g(t) = f(x(t), y(t))$. Find $g'(0)$

① Finding (a,b) :

$$a = x(0) = 0, \quad b = y(0) = 0$$

① Make $g(t)$:

$$g = (xy)^{1/3}$$

$$= (t \cdot t^2)^{1/3}$$

$$= t$$

② Finding $x'(t)$, $y'(t)$

$$x'(t) = 1, \quad y'(t) = 2t$$

$$\therefore x'(0) = 1, \quad y'(0) = 0$$

Or

$$\therefore g'(t) = 1$$

$$g'(0) = 1$$

③ Finding $f_x(0,0)$, $f_y(0,0)$:

$$f_x = \frac{1}{3}(xy)^{-2/3} \cdot y \quad f_y = \frac{1}{3}(xy)^{-2/3} \cdot x$$

$$f_x(0,0) = 0$$

$$f_y(0,0) = 0$$

④ Plugging in:

$$\frac{dg}{dt} = \frac{\partial g}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{\partial g}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{dy}{dt} = 0$$

Discuss: $g(x(t), y(t))$ is not differentiable at $(0,0)$.

- Ex:// $T(x,y) = 10e^{-0.1(x^2+y^2)}$. $x(t) = 2\cos t$. $y(t) = 4\sin t$. Find rate of change of T at $t = \frac{3\pi}{4}$

① Point:

$$x\left(\frac{3\pi}{4}\right) = 2\cos \frac{3\pi}{4} = 2 \cdot -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} = -\sqrt{2}$$

$$y\left(\frac{3\pi}{4}\right) = 4\sin \frac{3\pi}{4} = 4 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} = 2\sqrt{2}$$

② Derivatives:

$$x'(t) = -2\sin t \Rightarrow x'(\frac{3\pi}{4}) = -2\sin \frac{3\pi}{4} = -2 \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} = -\sqrt{2}$$

$$y'(t) = 4\cos t \Rightarrow y'(\frac{3\pi}{4}) = 4\cos \frac{3\pi}{4} = 4 \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} = 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$T_x = 10e^{-0.1(x^2+y^2)} \cdot -0.1 \times 2x = -2xe^{-0.1(x^2+y^2)}$$

$$T_y = -2ye^{-0.1(x^2+y^2)}$$

$$T_x(-\sqrt{2}, 2\sqrt{2}) = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{e}, T_y(-\sqrt{2}, 2\sqrt{2}) = -\frac{4\sqrt{2}}{e}$$

② Chain rule:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dT}{dt}(\frac{3\pi}{4}) &= \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{e} \cdot -\sqrt{2} + \frac{-4\sqrt{2}}{e} \cdot -2\sqrt{2} \\ &= -\frac{4}{e} + \frac{16}{e} = \frac{12}{e} \end{aligned}$$

- Ex:// $g(t) = f(t^2 + 3, e^t)$. $\nabla f(3, 1) = (2, 5)$. Find $g'(0)$. What condition on f will guarantee validity?
 f must be differentiable at $(3, 1)$.

$$\frac{dg}{dt} = -2 \cdot 0 + 5 \cdot 1 = 5$$

- Ex:// $g(t) = f(x, y)$ where $x(t) = \cos t$, $y(t) = \sin t$. Calculate $g'(\frac{\pi}{3})$ if $\nabla f(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}) = (\sqrt{3}, 4)$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dg}{dt} &= \frac{\partial g}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{\partial g}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{dy}{dt} \\ &= \sqrt{3} \cdot (-\sin \frac{\pi}{3}) + 4 \cdot (\cos \frac{\pi}{3}) \\ &= -\sqrt{3} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + 4 \times \frac{1}{2} \\ &= -\frac{3}{2} + 2 \end{aligned}$$

- Re-writing in vector format:

$$\frac{dT}{dt} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{dy}{dt} = \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{dx}{dt}, \frac{dy}{dt} \right) = \nabla f \cdot \frac{d\vec{x}}{dt}$$

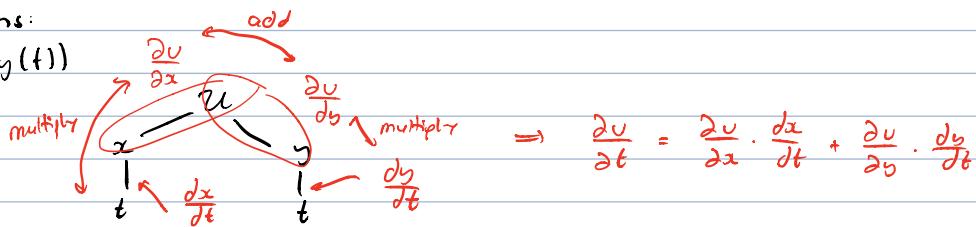
o Holds generally:

$$\frac{dT}{dt} = T_x \cdot x'(t) + T_y \cdot y'(t) + T_z \cdot z'(t)$$

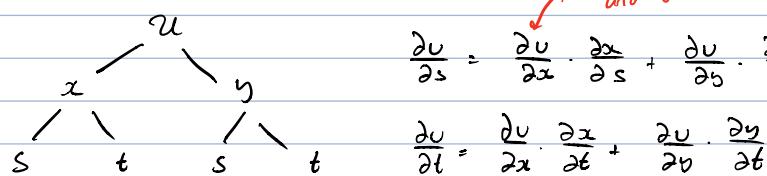
Extensions of Chain Rule

- Dependence diagrams:

o Ex:// $u = f(x(t), y(t))$



b) $u = f(x(s, t), y(s, t))$



- Algorithm:

1. Identify all variables in dependence tree

2. Take all possible paths from differentiated variable to differentiating variable

3. For each link in path, multiply derivatives \Rightarrow be careful if partial / not

4. Add products from 3

- Ex:// $z = f(x, y) = (x-y)^4$ where $x = st^4$ and $y = s^4t$. Find $\frac{\partial z}{\partial s}$, $\frac{\partial z}{\partial t}$

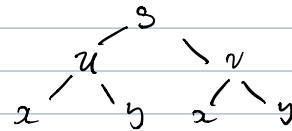
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial z}{\partial s} &= \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{\partial x}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} \\ &= 4(x-y)^3 \cdot t^4 + 4(x-y)^3 (-1) (4s^3 t) \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} = 4(x-y)^3 (4st^3) + 4(x-y)^3 (-1) \cdot s^4$$

- Ex:// Calculate $\frac{\partial g}{\partial x}(1,1)$ where $g(x,y) = f(2xy, x^2-y^2)$ and f is a differentiable function with $\nabla f(2,0) = (2,3)$

Note that f is a function of $u(x,y) = 2xy$ and $v(x,y) = x^2-y^2$

① Dependence tree:



② Construct partial derivatives

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial g}{\partial x} &= \frac{\partial g}{\partial u}(u(x,y), v(x,y)) \cdot \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x,y) + \frac{\partial g}{\partial v}(u(x,y), v(x,y)) \cdot \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x,y) \\ &= \frac{\partial g}{\partial u}(u(x,y), v(x,y)) \cdot (2y) + \frac{\partial g}{\partial v}(u(x,y), v(x,y)) \cdot (2x)\end{aligned}$$

③ Substitution $g(1,1) = (1,1)$ and $\nabla f(2,0) = (2,3)$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial g}{\partial x}(1,1) &= 2 \frac{\partial g}{\partial u}(2,0) + 2 \frac{\partial g}{\partial v}(2,0) \\ &= 2 \cdot 2 + 2 \cdot 3 \\ &= 10\end{aligned}$$

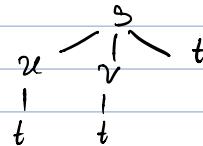
- Ex:// $g(t) = f(h(t)+t, h(t)-t)$. Chain rule?

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \begin{array}{c} g \\ u \quad v \\ h \quad t \quad h \quad t \\ | \quad | \quad | \quad | \end{array} & \Rightarrow & \frac{\partial g}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial g}{\partial u} \cdot \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial g}{\partial v} \cdot \frac{\partial v}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial g}{\partial h} \cdot \frac{\partial h}{\partial t} \\ & & \frac{\partial g}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial g}{\partial u}(h(t)+t, h(t)-t) \cdot (h'(t)+1) + \frac{\partial g}{\partial v}(h(t)+t, h(t)-t) \cdot (h'(t)-1) \end{array}$$

- Ex:// $f(3,2)=5$ and $\nabla f(3,2) = (4, -1)$. Let $g(t) = t^2 f(2t+1, 3t^2-t)$. Find $g'(1)$.

f is a function of two variables u and v where $u(t) = 2t+1$ and $v = 3t^2-t$

① Dependence tree:



② Create partial derivative:

$$\frac{dg}{dt} = \frac{dg}{dt} + \frac{\partial g}{\partial u} \cdot \frac{du}{dt} + \frac{\partial g}{\partial v} \cdot \frac{dv}{dt}$$

③ Calculate partial derivatives:

$$\frac{\partial g}{\partial u} = t^2 f_u(u, v), \quad \frac{\partial g}{\partial v} = t^2 f_v(u, v), \quad \frac{dg}{dt} = 2t f(u, v)$$

$$\frac{du}{dt} = 2, \quad \frac{dv}{dt} = 9t^2 - 1$$

④ Solve:

$$\begin{aligned}g'(1) &= 2f(3,2) + 2 \frac{\partial f}{\partial u}(3,2) \cdot 8 \frac{\partial f}{\partial v}(3,2) \\ &= 10 + 2 \cdot 4 + 8 \cdot (-1) \\ &= 10\end{aligned}$$

- Ex:// Use chain rule of $\frac{\partial u}{\partial s}$ for $u(s,t) = f(x(s,t), y(s,t), s, t)$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \begin{array}{c} u \\ x \quad y \\ s \quad t \quad s \quad t \\ | \quad | \quad | \quad | \end{array} & \Rightarrow & \frac{\partial u}{\partial s} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{\partial x}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial s} \cdot \frac{\partial s}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \cdot \frac{\partial t}{\partial s} \end{array}$$

Chain Rule for Second Partial Derivatives

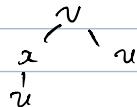
- Ex:// $z = f(x)$ where x is twice differentiable and $x = e^u$. Show: $z''(u) = x^2 f''(x) + x f'(x)$

① Find first order:

$$z'(u) = f'(x) \cdot u' = f'(x) \cdot e^u$$

② Use dependence tree for second order:

$$\text{Let } v(x, u) = f'(x) \cdot e^u. \text{ Thus } z'(u) = v(e^u, u)$$



③ Construct partial derivative again

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial u} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{\partial x}{\partial u} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial u}$$

④ Substitute:

$$\begin{aligned} z''(u) &= f''(x) e^u \cdot e^u + f'(x) e^u \\ &= x^2 f''(x) + 2x f'(x) \end{aligned}$$

- Ex:// $g(u, v) = f(u^2 - v^2, 2uv)$. Find g_{uu} , $(g_{uv})^2$ and $g_{vv} + g_{uu}$

$$\text{Let } x(u, v) = u^2 - v^2 \text{ and } y(u, v) = 2uv$$

① First order chain rule

$$\begin{aligned} g_u &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{\partial x}{\partial u} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{\partial y}{\partial u} = 2u f_x + 2v f_y \\ g_v &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{\partial x}{\partial v} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{\partial y}{\partial v} = -2v f_x + 2u f_y \end{aligned}$$

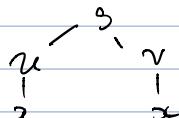
② Second order partials via product rule

$$g_{uu} = 2f_{xx} + 2u [2u f_{xx} + 2v f_{xy}] + 0 + 2v [2u f_{yx} + 2v f_{yy}]$$

- Ex:// Let $g(u, v) \in C^2$ and $f(x) = g(x, 2x)$. Find a, b, c s.t.

$$f''(x) = a g_{uu} + b g_{uv} + c g_{vv}$$

$$\therefore u(x) = x, v(x) = 2x$$

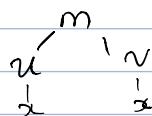


① First order g_x

$$\begin{aligned} g'(x) &= g_u \cdot u'(x) + g_v v'(x) \\ &= g_u(u, v) + 2g_v(u, v) \end{aligned}$$

② Second order:

$$\text{Let } m(u, v) = g_u(u, v) + 2g_v(u, v)$$



$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial m}{\partial u} &= \frac{\partial g_u}{\partial u} \cdot \frac{\partial u}{\partial u} + \frac{\partial g_u}{\partial v} \cdot \frac{\partial v}{\partial u} \\ g''(x) &= g_{uu} + 2g_{uv} + (g_{vu} + 2g_{vv}) \cdot 2 \\ &= g_{uu} + 2g_{uv} + 2g_{vu} + 4g_{vv} \\ &= g_{uu} + 4g_{uv} + 4g_{vv} \end{aligned}$$

Directional Derivatives

- We want to define a derivative in the direction of unit vector \vec{u}
- Directional derivative of $f(x,y)$ at (a,b) in direction of $\vec{u} = (u_1, u_2)$ is:

$$D_{\vec{u}} f(a,b) = \frac{d}{ds} f(a+su_1, b+su_2) \Big|_{s=0}$$

- Ex:// Find the directional derivative of $f(x,y) = x^2 - y^2$ at $(1,2)$ in direction of $\vec{u} = (\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}})$

$$\begin{aligned} D_{\vec{u}}(1,2) &= \frac{d}{ds} f\left(1 + \frac{s}{\sqrt{5}}, 2 + \frac{2s}{\sqrt{5}}\right) \Big|_{s=0} \\ &= \frac{d}{ds} \left[\left(1 + \frac{s}{\sqrt{5}}\right)^2 - \left(2 + \frac{2s}{\sqrt{5}}\right)^2 \right] \Big|_{s=0} \\ &= \left[\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \left(1 + \frac{s}{\sqrt{5}}\right) - \frac{4}{\sqrt{5}} \left(2 + \frac{2s}{\sqrt{5}}\right) \right] \Big|_{s=0} \\ &= -\frac{6}{\sqrt{5}} \end{aligned}$$

Calculate derivative, then evaluate $s=0$.

- Directional derivative theorem: $D_{\vec{u}} f(a,b) = \nabla f(a,b) \cdot \vec{u}$ (dot product)

- Ex:// $f(x,y) = 2x^3 + 4xy^2 + y$ at $(1,1)$ in direction $\vec{u} = (1,1)$

① Find $\nabla f(a,b)$:

$$\begin{aligned} f_x &= 6x^2 + 4y^2 \Rightarrow f_x(1,1) = 10 \\ f_y &= 8xy + 1 \Rightarrow f_y(1,1) = -7 \end{aligned}$$

② Convert to unit vector

$$\vec{u}^* = \frac{\vec{u}}{\|\vec{u}\|} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix}$$

③ Dot product

$$D_{\vec{u}^*}(1,1) = \frac{10}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{5}{2}$$

- If $f(x,y)$ not differentiable at (a,b) , you must use directional derivative definition

- If $\vec{u} = (1,0)$, then we get f_x . If $\vec{u} = (0,1)$, we get f_y

- Geometrically, the directional derivative is the rate of change of the function w/r respect to distance from (a,b) along in direction \vec{u}

Gradient Vector in 2 Dimensions

- If $f(x,y)$ is differentiable at (a,b) and $\nabla f(a,b) \neq 0$, then max ($D_{\vec{u}}(a,b)$) occurs when \vec{u} in direction of $\nabla f(a,b)$

- o Gradient vector is maximum directional derivative.

- o Proof:

$$D_{\vec{u}}(a,b) = \nabla f(a,b) \cdot \vec{u}$$

$$= \|\nabla f(a,b)\| \|\vec{u}\| \cos \theta$$

$$= \|\nabla f(a,b)\| \cos \theta \Rightarrow \text{max at } \theta = 0, \text{ or if } \vec{u} \text{ in same direction as } \nabla f$$

- Ex:// Find largest rate of change of $f(x,y) = \sqrt{x^2 + 2y^2}$ at $(1,2)$ and direction.

①: Find gradient:

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla f(x,y) &= \left(\frac{1}{2}(x^2 + 2y^2)^{-1/2} \cdot 2x, \frac{1}{2}(x^2 + 2y^2)^{-1/2} \cdot 4y \right) \\ \nabla f(1,2) &= \left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{4}{3} \right) \end{aligned}$$

②: Max:

$$\text{Max} = \|\nabla f(1,2)\| = \left\| \left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{4}{3} \right) \right\| = \sqrt{\frac{1}{9} + \frac{16}{9}} = \frac{\sqrt{17}}{3}$$

③: Direction:

$$\vec{u} = \nabla f(1,2) = \left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{4}{3} \right)$$

- Greatest rate of change theorem applies in any dimension

- Ex:// $f(x,y,z) = z^3 e^{x^2+y^2-2z}$. Find greatest rate of change + direction at $(1,1,1)$

① Find gradient:

$$f_x = z^3 e^{x^2+y^2-2z} \cdot (2x-2) \Rightarrow f_x(1,1,1) = 0$$

$$f_y = z^3 e^{x^2+y^2-2z} \cdot (2y) \Rightarrow f_y(1,1,1) = 2$$

$$f_2 = 3z^2 e^{x^2+y^2-2x} \Rightarrow f_2(1,1,1) = 3$$

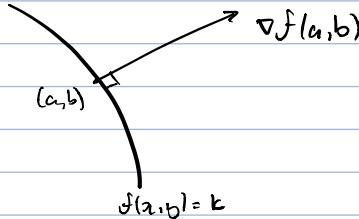
② Max:

$$\|\nabla f_2(1,1,1)\| = \sqrt{0^2+2^2+3^2} = \sqrt{13}$$

③ Direction:

$$\vec{u} \cdot \nabla f(1,1,1) = (0, 2, 3)$$

- Orthogonality theorem: $f(x,y) \in C^1$ in (a,b) neighborhood $\wedge \nabla f(a,b) \neq (0,0) \Rightarrow \nabla f(a,b) \perp$ level curve k



• This means that the greatest rate of change should be in direction orthogonal to level curve at the point (a,b)

- Ex:// Prove that $f(x,y) = \frac{y}{x^2}$ ($x \neq 0$) and $g(x,y) = x^2 + 2y^2$ intersect orthogonally. We need to show that

$$\nabla f \cdot \nabla g = 0 \Rightarrow \text{when they intersect, it should be orthogonal}$$

$$\nabla f = \left(-\frac{2y}{x^3}, \frac{1}{x^2} \right), \quad \nabla g = (2x, 4y)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \nabla f \cdot \nabla g &= -\frac{2y}{x^3} \cdot 2x + \frac{1}{x^2} \cdot 4y \\ &= -\frac{4y}{x^2} + \frac{4y}{x^2} \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Gradient Vector in 3 Dimensions

- Visualizing $f(x,y,z)$ is hard, but instead think about level surfaces $f(x,y,z) = k \in \mathbb{R}^3$

- Orthogonality theorem: $\nabla f(a,b,c)$ is orthogonal to level surface $f(x,y,z) = k$ through (a,b,c)

- We can use this to define tangent plane at any surface in \mathbb{R}^3 .

Let $\vec{x} \in \mathbb{R}^3$ and is on tangent plane to surface $f(x,y,z) = k$ at (a,b,c) . Since $\nabla f(a,b,c)$ is orthogonal to $\nabla f(a,b,c)$.

$$\nabla f(a,b,c) \cdot (\vec{x} - \vec{a}) = 0 \Rightarrow f_x(a,b,c)(x-a) + f_y(a,b,c)(y-b) + \dots = 0$$

- Ex:// Find equation of tangent plane to surface $z^3 e^{x^2+y^2-2x} = 1$ at $(1,1,1)$

$$\therefore \nabla f(1,1,1) \cdot (x-1, y-1, z-1) = 0$$

$$\text{Previously: } \nabla f(1,1,1) = (0, 2, 3)$$

$$\therefore 2y-2 + 3z-3 = 0$$

$$2y + 3z - 5 = 0$$

- Ex:// Find equation of tangent plane to $z^2 + 2y^2 + 3z^2 = 12$ at $(1,1,\sqrt{3})$

① Find gradient

$$f(x,y,z) = x^2 + 2y^2 + 3z^2$$

$$\nabla f(x,y,z) = (2x, 4y, 6z)$$

$$\nabla f(1,1,\sqrt{3}) = (2, 4, 6\sqrt{3})$$

② Constructing plane:

$$\nabla f(1,1,\sqrt{3}) \cdot (\vec{x} - (1,1,\sqrt{3})) = 0$$

$$2(x-1) + 4(y-1) + 6\sqrt{3}(z-\sqrt{3}) = 0$$

$$2x-2 + 4y-4 + 6\sqrt{3}z-18 = 0$$

$$2x + 4y + 6\sqrt{3}z = 24$$

Taylor Polynomial of Degree 2

- In single variable calculus, Taylor polynomial of deg. 2 at $x=a$ is

$$P_2(a) = f(a) + f'(a)(x-a) + \frac{1}{2} f''(a)(x-a)^2$$

• This is just: $P_2(a) = L_a(x) + \frac{1}{2} f''(a)(x-a)^2$

• Coefficient of $\frac{1}{2}$: from constraint that $P_2, a''(a) = f''(a)$

- 2 variable case:

• Taylor polynomial of deg. 2: $P_{2, (a,b)}(x, y)$

$$\therefore P_{2, (a,b)}(x, y) = L_{(a,b)}(x, y) + A(x-a)^2 + B(x-a)(y-b) + C(y-b)^2$$

Finding A, B, C :

$$\frac{\partial P_2(x, y)}{\partial x^2} = 2A \quad \frac{\partial^2 P_2(x, y)}{\partial y^2} = 2C \quad \frac{\partial^2 P_2(x, y)}{\partial x \partial y} = B$$

Using our constraint that second derivatives of P_2 and f should be same:

$$2A = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}, \quad 2C = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}, \quad B = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} \quad \text{→ evaluated at } (a, b)$$

Combining all together:

$$P_{2, (a,b)}(x, y) = f(a, b) + f_x(a, b)(x-a) + f_y(a, b)(y-b) + \frac{1}{2} \left[f_{xx}(a, b)(x-a)^2 + 2f_{xy}(a, b)(x-a)(y-b) + f_{yy}(a, b)(y-b)^2 \right]$$

• $f(x, y) \approx P_2(x, y)$ w/ better accuracy than linear approximation

- Hessian matrix:

$$Hf(x, y) = \begin{bmatrix} f_{xx}(x, y) & f_{xy}(x, y) \\ f_{yx}(x, y) & f_{yy}(x, y) \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow 2D \text{ version of gradient}$$

• Useful for finding coefficients.

• Ex:// Calculate Hessian matrix of $f(x, y) = \frac{1}{2} y^2 + x - \frac{1}{3} x^3$

$$\begin{aligned} f_x &= 1 - x^2 & f_{xx} &= -2x \\ & \quad \swarrow f_{xy} & & \\ f_y &= y & f_{yy} &= 1 \\ & \quad \swarrow f_{yx} & & \end{aligned} \quad \left. \right\} \quad Hf(x, y) = \begin{bmatrix} -2x & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Ex:// Use a Taylor polynomial to 2nd degree to approximate $\sqrt{10.95^3 + (1.98)^3}$

① Define function + approx. point

$$f(x, y) = \sqrt{x^3 + y^3} \quad \text{at } (a, b) = (1, 2)$$

② Find Hessian matrix and gradient at $(1, 2)$

$$Hf(1, 2) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{11}{12} & -\frac{1}{3} \\ -\frac{1}{3} & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \nabla f(1, 2) = \left(\frac{11}{6}, 2 \right)$$

③ Create Taylor equation:

$$P_{2, (1,2)}(x, y) = 3 + \frac{1}{2}(x-1) + 2(y-2) + \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{11}{12}(x-1)^2 - \frac{2}{3}(x-1)(y-2) + \frac{2}{3}(y-2)^2 \right]$$

④ Plug in actual points

$$\therefore P_{2, (1,2)}(10.95, 1.98) = \dots$$

- Recall in single variable calc:

If $f''(x)$ exists on $[a, x]$, then $\exists c \in a < c < x$ such that

$$f(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x-a) + R_{a,x}(x)$$

where $R_{a,x}(x) = \frac{1}{2} f''(c)(x-a)^2 \Rightarrow \text{error!}$

• We don't know c but we can estimate the upper bound

$$|f(x)| \leq B$$

$$\therefore |f(x) - L_a(x)| = |R_{a,x}(x)| \leq \frac{1}{2} B(x-a)^2$$

- Taylor's Theorem for 2 variables: If $f(x, y) \in C^2$ in neighborhood $N(a, b)$, then for all $(x, y) \in N(a, b)$, there exists a point (c, d) on the line between (a, b) and (x, y) s.t.

$$f(x, y) = f(a, b) + f_x(a, b)(x-a) + f_y(a, b)(y-b) + R_{a,b}(x, y)$$

where

$$R_{a,b}(x, y) = \frac{1}{2} [f_{xx}(c, d)(x-a)^2 + 2f_{xy}(c, d)(x-a)(y-b) + f_{yy}(c, d)(y-b)^2]$$

• Again, (c, d) exists. So we need to use some error bound analysis

- Ex: Let $f(x, y) = \sqrt{1+x+2y}$. Find the linear approx. near $(0, 0)$ and show that if $x \geq 0, y \geq 0$, then

$$|R_{(0,0)}(x, y)| \leq \frac{3}{4}(x^2 + y^2)$$

① Finding linearization:

$$\nabla f(x, y) = \left(\frac{1}{2}(1+x+2y)^{-1/2}, (1+x+2y)^{-1/2} \right)$$

$$\nabla f(0, 0) = \left(\frac{1}{2}, 1 \right)$$

$$f(0, 0) = 1$$

$$\therefore L_{(0,0)}(x, y) = 1 + \frac{1}{2}x + y$$

② Finding Hessian matrix

$$f_{xx} = -\frac{1}{4}(1+x+2y)^{-3/2}$$

$$f_{xy} = f_{yx} = -\frac{1}{2}(1+x+2y)^{-3/2}$$

$$f_{yy} = -\frac{1}{2}(1+x+2y)^{-3/2} \cdot 2$$

$$\therefore \begin{bmatrix} f_{xx} & f_{xy} \\ f_{yx} & f_{yy} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{4} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & -1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow A_{(0,0)}$$

③ Error Function:

$$R_{(0,0)}(x, y) = \frac{1}{2} [f_{xx}(c, d)(x-0)^2 + f_{xy}(c, d)(x-0)(y-0) + f_{yy}(c, d)(y-0)^2]$$

④ Upper bound:

$$\begin{aligned} |R_{(0,0)}(x, y)| &= \frac{1}{2} (|f_{xx}(c, d)|x^2 + 2|f_{xy}(c, d)|xy + |f_{yy}(c, d)|y^2) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{4}x^2 + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{2}xy + y^2 \right) \quad 2|xy| \leq x^2 + y^2 \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{4}x^2 + \frac{1}{2}(x^2 + y^2) + y^2 \right) \\ &\leq \frac{3}{8}x^2 + \frac{3}{4}y^2 \\ &\leq \frac{3}{4}x^2 + \frac{3}{4}y^2 \\ &\leq \frac{3}{4}(x^2 + y^2) \end{aligned}$$

- If $f(x, y) \in C^2$ in some neighborhood $N(a, b)$, then there exists a positive constant M s.t.

$$|R_{(a,b)}(x, y)| \leq M \| (x, y) - (a, b) \|^2 \quad \text{for all } (x, y) \in N(a, b)$$

Generalizations of Taylor Polynomial

- Multi-index: if $f \in C^k$ is a function of n variables, k^{th} order partial derivative is

$$\partial^\alpha f = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_1} \right)^{\alpha_1} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_2} \right)^{\alpha_2} \cdots \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_n} \right)^{\alpha_n} f$$

Where α is a multi-index $\Rightarrow \alpha = (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n)$ where $\alpha_i \in \mathbb{N}$.

Sum of α is $k \Rightarrow$ order of α

Ex:// $f(x, y, z) = x^2 y^4 z^5$ and $\alpha = (2, 1, 3)$.

$$\therefore \partial^\alpha = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x}\right)^2 \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y}\right)^1 \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial z}\right)^3 f$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \frac{\partial^3 f}{\partial z^3} = 8 \cdot 4 \cdot 3 x^2 y^4 z^2 = 60 x^2 y^4 z^2$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\frac{\partial^3 f}{\partial z^3} \right) = 240 x^2 y^3 z^2$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\frac{\partial^3 f}{\partial z^3} \right) \right) = 240 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 x y^3 z^2 \\ = 1440 x y^3 z^2$$

We can also write it like so:

$$\vec{x} = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n), \vec{a} = (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n), \alpha = (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n)$$

$$\therefore (\vec{x} - \vec{a})^\alpha = (x_1 - a_1)^{\alpha_1} (x_2 - a_2)^{\alpha_2} \cdots (x_n - a_n)^{\alpha_n}$$

Ex:// Let $\vec{x} = (x_1, x_2, x_3)$, $\vec{a} = (2, -1, 0)$, $\alpha = (2, 4, 1)$

$$\therefore (\vec{x} - \vec{a})^\alpha = (x_1 - 2)^2 (x_2 + 1)^4 (x_3)$$

- k^{th} degree polynomial of $f(x, y)$

$$P_k(a, b) = \sum_{|\alpha| \leq k} \partial^\alpha f(a, b) \frac{[(x, y) - (a, b)]^\alpha}{\alpha!}$$

Summing over $|\alpha| \leq k$ mean summing all partials whose order sum to k or less

Ex:// What is $P_2(a, b)(x, y)$?

We have

$$P_2(a, b)(x, y) = \sum_{|\alpha| \leq 2} \partial^\alpha f(a, b) \frac{[(x, y) - (a, b)]^\alpha}{\alpha!}$$

Since we have two variables $\Rightarrow \alpha = (\alpha_1, \alpha_2)$. We need to find all combos such that $\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 \leq 2$ and $\alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in \mathbb{N}$.

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \alpha = (0, 0) : f(a, b)$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \alpha = (1, 0) : f_x(a, b) (x - a)^1 (y - b)^0 = f_x(a, b) (x - a)$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \alpha = (0, 1) : f_y(a, b) (x - a)^0 (y - b)^1 = f_y(a, b) (y - b)$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad \alpha = (2, 0) : f_{xx}(a, b) (x - a)^2 \quad \text{w/ } \alpha_1 = 2$$

$$\textcircled{5} \quad \alpha = (1, 1) : f_{xy}(a, b) (x - a) (y - b) \quad \text{w/ } \alpha = 1$$

$$\textcircled{6} \quad \alpha = (0, 2) : f_{yy}(a, b) (y - b)^2 \quad \text{w/ } \alpha_1 = 2$$

All together:

$$P_2(a, b)(x, y) = f(a, b) + f_x(a, b)(x - a) + f_y(a, b)(y - b) + \frac{1}{2} f_{xx}(a, b)(x - a)^2 \\ + f_{xy}(a, b)(x - a)(y - b) + \frac{1}{2} f_{yy}(a, b)(y - b)^2$$

All previous theories will work

\textcircled{1}: Taylor's theorem but now error is of order k

\textcircled{2}: Good approximation

$$\lim_{(x, y) \rightarrow (a, b)} \frac{|f(x, y) - P_k(a, b)(x, y)|}{\|(x, y) - (a, b)\|^k} = 0$$

\textcircled{3}: Corollary on error term max bound

- For n variables:

$$P_{k, \vec{a}}(\vec{x}) = \sum_{|\alpha| \leq k} \partial^\alpha f(\vec{a}) \frac{(\vec{x} - \vec{a})^\alpha}{\alpha!}$$

UNIT 9: CRITICAL POINTS

Local Extrema + Critical Points

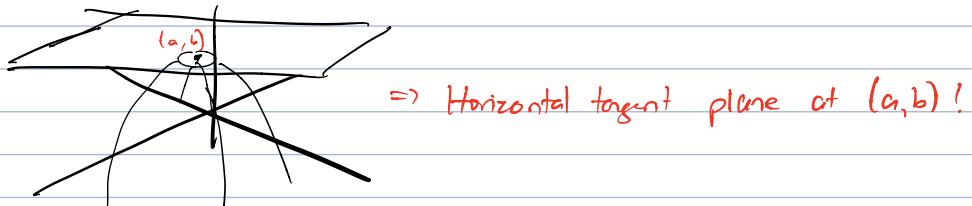
- Critical value of f : $f'(c) = 0$ or undefined.

• Remember: even though a point might be a critical point, it is not always a local extremum

- Local maximum: $f(a, b) \leq f(a, b)$ for some $N(a, b)$

- Local minimum: $f(a, b) \geq f(a, b)$ for some $N(a, b)$

- Graphically:



$$\therefore \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = 0 \text{ and } \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 0$$

- Theorem: if each partial derivative is 0 or DNE at (a, b) , the point is a local extrema

- Critical points: all partials are either 0/DNE at this point

• Being a critical point does not guarantee that you are at an extremum

- Ex:// Find critical points of $g(x, y) = -x^2 - y^2$

① Find partials:

$$g_x = -2x, \quad g_y = -2y$$

② Points where both g_x & $g_y = 0$ / DNE

$$\therefore \text{Only } (0, 0) \Rightarrow g_x = g_y = 0$$

③ Determine if actually max, min or neither through graphs.

$$g(x, y) = -(x^2 + y^2) \Rightarrow \text{upside down paraboloid at } (0, 0)$$

∴ Local max

- Ex:// Find critical points of $h(x, y) = x^2 - y^2$.

① Find partials

$$h_x = 2x \quad h_y = -2y$$

② Critical points:

$$(0, 0) \Rightarrow h_x = h_y = 0$$

③ Max, min or Saddle?

Inspecting level curves.

$$h(x, 0) = x^2 \Rightarrow \text{Saddle point at } (0, 0)$$

$$h(0, y) = -y^2$$

- Ex:// Find critical points of $f(x, y) = x^2y + 3xy^2 + xy$

① Partial

$$f_x = 2xy + 3y^2 + y$$

$$f_y = x^2 + 6xy + x$$

② Critical points

Factor out \rightarrow cases

$$f_x = y(2x + 3y + 1) = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$f_y = x(x + 6y + 1) = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Case 1: $y=0$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore f_y &= 2(x+1) = 0 \\ \therefore x &= -1 \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Two pts: } (0,0), (-1,0) \end{array} \right\}$$

Case 2: $2x+3y+1=0$

$$\therefore y = \frac{-2x-1}{3}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_y &= 2(x+2(-2x-1)+1) = 0 \\ &= x(-3x-1) = 0 \\ \therefore x &= 0, -\frac{1}{3} \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Two pts: } (0,0), (-\frac{1}{3}, -\frac{1}{3}) \end{array} \right\}$$

Second Derivative Test

- Single variable:

- $f''(c) > 0 \Rightarrow x=c$ is a min if $x=c$ is a critical point
- $f''(c) < 0 \Rightarrow x=c$ is a max if
- $f''(c) = 0 \Rightarrow$ conclude nothing

- Quadratic forms:

$$Q(u, v) = a_{11}u^2 + 2a_{12}uv + a_{22}v^2 \quad \text{= quadratic form on } \mathbb{R}^2$$

where a_{11}, a_{12}, a_{22} are constants

o Matrix notation

$$Q(u, v) = \begin{bmatrix} u & v \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{12} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u \\ v \end{bmatrix}$$

o 4 main quadratic classes: determined by symmetric constants matrix

1. Positive definite: $\forall u, v \neq (0,0) \sim Q(u, v) > 0$

2. Negative definite: $\forall u, v \neq (0,0) \sim Q(u, v) < 0$

3. Indefinite: $\exists u, v, u \neq 0 \sim Q(u, v) > 0 \sim Q(u, v) < 0$

4. Semidefinite: not in other 3 classes

a) Positive semi definite: $\forall u, v \sim Q(u, v) \geq 0$

b) Neg. semi: $\forall u, v \sim Q(u, v) \leq 0$

o Ex: // Classify

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Q(u, v) &= u^2 + 6uv + 2v^2 \\ &= (u^2 + 6uv + 9v^2) - 7v^2 \quad \text{complete square} \\ &= (u+3v)^2 - 7v^2 \end{aligned}$$

Indefinite!

Good checks! $\rightarrow [Q(u, 0) = u^2 > 0 \text{ for } u \neq 0]$
 $Q(-3v, v) = -7v^2 < 0 \text{ for } v \neq 0$

o Ex: // Classify $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{aligned} Q(u, v) &= 2u^2 - 2uv + v^2 \\ &= 2(u^2 - uv + \frac{1}{4}v^2) + \frac{3}{4}v^2 \\ &= 2(u - \frac{1}{2}v)^2 + \frac{3}{4}v^2 \\ &\quad \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{>0} \quad \xrightarrow{>0} \end{array} \\ \therefore \quad &\text{Positive definite} \end{aligned}$$

o Trick:

1. Positive definite: $\det(A) > 0 \wedge a_{ii} > 0$

2. Negative definite: $\det(A) > 0 \wedge a_{ii} < 0$

3. Indefinite if $\det(A) < 0$

4. Semidefinite if $\det(A) = 0$

- Second derivative test for 2 variables:

Suppose $f(x, y) \in C^2$ in some $N(a, b)$ and:

$$f_x(a, b) = 0 = f_y(a, b) \Rightarrow \text{critical point}$$

Then:

1. If $Hf(a, b)$ is positive definite $\Rightarrow (a, b)$ is local minimum
2. If $Hf(a, b)$ is negative definite $\Rightarrow (a, b)$ is local max
3. If $Hf(a, b)$ is indefinite $\Rightarrow (a, b)$ is saddle point
4. If $Hf(a, b)$ is semidefinite \Rightarrow inconclusive

Ex:// Find + classify critical points of $f(x, y) = x^3 - 4x^2 + 4x - 4xy^2$

① Find critical points

$$f_x = 3x^2 - 8x + 4 - 4y^2 \quad \textcircled{A}$$

$$f_y = -8xy \quad \textcircled{B}$$

From B:

Case 1: $x = 0$

$$f_x = 4 - 4y^2 = 0 \Rightarrow y = \pm 1$$

Case 2: $y = 0$

$$f_x = 3x^2 - 8x + 4 = 0 \Rightarrow x = 2, \frac{2}{3}$$

\therefore Critical points: $(0, 1), (0, -1), (2, 0), (\frac{2}{3}, 0)$

② Create Hessian matrix

$$f_{xx}(x, y) = 6x - 8$$

$$f_{xy}(x, y) = -8y$$

$$f_{yy}(x, y) = -8x$$

$$\begin{array}{llll} \text{At } (2, 0): & \text{At } (0, 1): & \text{At } (2, 0) & \text{At } (0, -1) \\ \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 0 \\ 0 & -16/3 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} -8 & -8 \\ -8 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & -16 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} -8 & 8 \\ 8 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{array}$$

③ Classify according to Hessian matrices

$(2, 0) \Rightarrow$ Negative definite \Rightarrow local maximum

$\{(0, 1), (0, -1), (2, 0)\} \Rightarrow$ indefinite \Rightarrow saddle points

- If Hessian matrix is semidefinite, consider $f(x, y) - f(a, b)$ + sign

Ex:// Show that $(0, 0)$ is a degenerate critical point of $f(x, y) = 2(x-y)^2 - x^4 - y^4 + 3$ + classify.

① Degenerate proof

$$\nabla f(0, 0) = (0, 0) \quad \text{and} \quad Hf(0, 0) = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -4 \\ -4 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

Quadratic form of Hessian matrix: $Q(u, v) = 4u^2 - 8uv + 4v^2 = 4(u-v)^2 \geq 0$

This is semidefinite, thus $(0, 0)$ is degenerate

② Classification:

$$f(x, y) - f(0, 0) = 2(x-y)^2 - x^4 - y^4$$

Try to substitute variables s.t. elements are cancelled:

Consider:

$$f(x, y) - f(0, 0) = -2x^4 < 0 \quad \text{for all } x \neq 0$$

Consider

$$f(x, 0) - f(0, 0) = 2x^2 - x^4 = x^2(2 - x^2) \geq 0 \quad \text{for all } x \text{ s.t. } 0 < x < 2$$

Since (x, y) is in $N(0, 0)$ and have both pos. + neg. signs, $\Rightarrow (0, 0)$ is saddle point

Convex Functions

- Convex function: f is convex if $f''(x) \geq 0$ for all x

- Strictly convex: $f''(x) > 0$

- Properties of convex 1 variable functions: If $f \in C^2$ and is strictly convex:

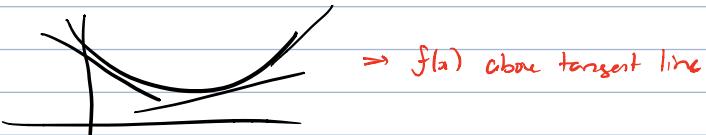
1. $f(a) > L_a(x)$

Proof:

From Taylor's Theorem: $f(x) = L_a(x) + \frac{f''(c)}{2}(x-a)^2$ where $a \leq c \leq x$

Since $f''(c) > 0$, $f(x) > L_c(x)$

Graphically:



$\Rightarrow f(x) \text{ above tangent line}$

2. For $a < b$,

$$f(x) < f(c) + \frac{f(b) - f(c)}{b-a}(x-a) \quad \text{for } x \in (a, b)$$

Proof:

$$\text{Let } g(x) = f(x) - \left[f(c) + \frac{f(b) - f(c)}{b-a}(x-a) \right]$$

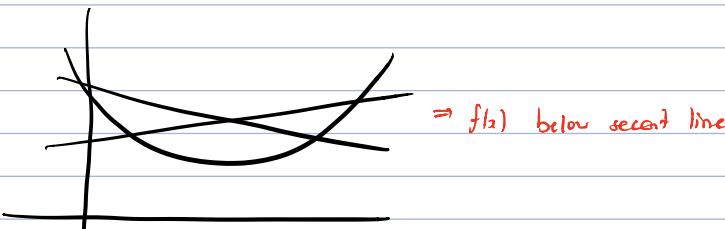
$g(a) = g(b) = 0$ and $g''(x) = f''(x) > 0$. We need to show $g'(x) < 0$ for some $x \in (a, b)$

By MVT: $\frac{f(b) - f(c)}{b-a} = f'(c)$ for some $c \in (a, b)$

$$\text{Note: } g'(x) = f'(x) - \frac{f(b) - f(c)}{b-a} = f'(x) - f'(c). \text{ Thus } g'(c) = 0.$$

Since $g''(x) > 0$, $g'(x)$ is strictly increasing. Thus, $g'(x) < 0$ on $[a, c)$ and $g'(x) > 0$ on $(c, b]$. This implies $g'(x)$ is decreasing on $[a, c]$. Since $g'(a) = 0$, then $g'(x) < 0$ on $(a, c]$. QED.

Graphically:



$\Rightarrow f(x) \text{ below secant line}$

- For 2 variables:

- Convex: $Hf(x, y)$ is positive semidefinite
- Strictly convex: $Hf(x, y)$ is positive definite $\Rightarrow f_{xx} > 0 \wedge f_{xx}f_{yy} - f_{xy}^2 > 0$ for all (x, y)
- Properties: If $f(x, y)$ is strictly convex
 - $f(x, y) > L(x, y)$ for all $(x, y) \neq (a, b) \Rightarrow$ Always above tangent plane
 - $f(a_1 + t(b_1 - a_1), a_2 + t(b_2 - a_2)) < f(a_1, a_2) + t[f(b_1, b_2) - f(a_1, a_2)]$ for $0 < t < 1$, $(a_1, a_2) \neq (b_1, b_2)$

\hookrightarrow Cross-section lies below secant line
- Critical point properties.
 - If $f(x, y)$ is convex \Rightarrow every critical point satisfies $f(x, y) \geq f(c, d)$ for all $(x, y) \neq (c, d)$
 - II strictly convex \Rightarrow critical point (c, d) satisfies $f(x, y) > f(c, d)$ for all $(x, y) \neq (c, d)$ + no other critical points

□ Proof of 2:

If (c, d) is a critical point, then $f_x = f_y = 0$. Thus, $L_{(c, d)}(x, y) = f(c, d)$.

Since $f(x, y) > L(x, y)$ for all $(x, y) \neq (c, d)$, then $f(x, y) > f(c, d)$ for all $(x, y) \neq (c, d)$.

To show uniqueness: Assume second critical point (c_1, d_1) s.t. $(c_1, d_1) \neq (c, d)$

Similarly: $f(x, y) > f(c_1, d_1)$

However, this implies $f(c, d) > f(c_1, d_1)$ and $f(c, d) > f(c_1, d_1)$. Contradiction □

UNIT 10: OPTIMIZATION

Extreme Value Theorem

- Extreme value theorem for one-variable calculus:

If $f(x)$ is continuous on a finite, closed interval I , there exists $c_1, c_2 \in I$ s.t.

$$f(c_1) \leq f(x) \leq f(c_2) \quad \forall x \in I$$

◦ Every continuous function has an absolute maximum + minimum

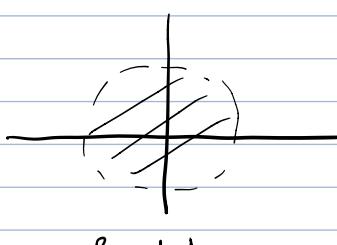
- Absolute max + min for 2-variable functions

o Absolute max: $(a, b) \in S \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$ is abs. max of $f(x, y)$ if $f(x, y) \leq f(a, b) \quad \forall (x, y) \in S$

o Absolute min: $(a, b) \in S \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$ is abs. min of $f(x, y)$ if $f(a, b) \leq f(x, y) \quad \forall (x, y) \in S$

- Extending "finite closed interval" to \mathbb{R}^2 :

o Bounded set ($S \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$): contained in some neighborhood of the origin



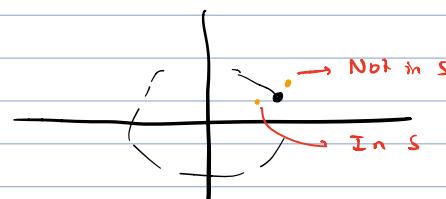
Bounded



Unbounded

▫ Bounded sets have finite distance from origin

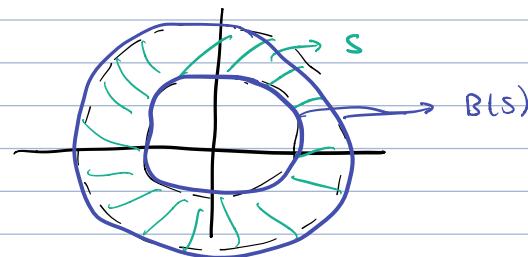
o Boundary point: given $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$, (a, b) is a boundary point \Leftrightarrow neighborhood of (a, b) contains one point in S and one point not in S



o Boundary: set of all boundary points

o Closed set ($S \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$): S contains all boundary points

▫ Ex:// Consider $S = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid \| (x, y) \| \leq 2\}$.



Boundary of S : $B(S) = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid \| (x, y) \| = 1 \vee \| (x, y) \| = 2\}$

Lower boundary of $\| (x, y) \| = 1$ is not included in boundary! Look at def. of S !
 \therefore Not closed

▫ Closed set = closed interval

- Extreme Value Theorem for 2-Variable Functions.

If $f(x, y)$ is continuous on a closed + bounded set $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$, then there exist points (a, b) and $(c, d) \in S$ such that

$$f(a, b) \leq f(x, y) \leq f(c, d) \quad \forall (x, y) \in S$$

o You can have abs. max/min even if EVT does not apply

▫ Ex:// $S = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid x > -1, y \in \mathbb{R}\}$

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } (x, y) \neq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } (x, y) = 0 \end{cases}$$

Not continuous function but $f(x, y)$ has max of 1 and min of 0.

Algorithm for Extreme Value

- In single-var calc, we just needed to compare points at critical pts + endpoints to determine max + min

- Similarly, we only need to compare critical pts + boundary points

- Algorithm:

1. Check if given set is closed and bounded

2. Check if $f(x,y)$ is continuous on set

3. Find all critical points of f contained in S

4. Evaluate f at each point

5. Find maximum + minimum values of f on the boundary $B(S)$

6. Determine max + min

- Ex:// Find maximum value of $f(x,y) = xy$ on $S = \{(x,y) \mid x^2 + y^2 \leq 1\}$

① Set is closed + bounded + $f(x,y)$ is continuous

② Find critical point:

$$\nabla f(x,y) = (y, 2)$$

\therefore Critical point = $(0,0)$

$$f(0,0) = 0$$

③ Find maximum on boundary.

Parameterizing boundary lead to

$$\begin{aligned} x &= \cos t \\ y &= \sin t \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{aligned} 0 &\leq t \leq 2\pi \end{aligned} \right.$$

Value of f on boundary

$$g(t) = f(\cos t, \sin t) = \frac{1}{2} \sin 2t$$

Maximize:

$$g'(t) = \cos 2t$$

Critical points:

$$2t = \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2}, \frac{5\pi}{2}, \frac{7\pi}{2}$$

$$t = \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4}, \frac{5\pi}{4}, \frac{7\pi}{4}$$

Evaluating at critical pts:

$$g\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \frac{1}{2}, \quad g\left(\frac{3\pi}{4}\right) = -\frac{1}{2}, \quad g\left(\frac{5\pi}{4}\right) = \frac{1}{2}, \quad g\left(\frac{7\pi}{4}\right) = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Also } g(0) = 0, \quad g(2\pi) = 0.$$

④ Maximum: $\frac{1}{2}$ at $(\pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})$

- Ex:// Find max + min of $f(x,y) = xy - 2x - y + 2$ on triangular region S with vertices $(0,0), (2,0), (0,3)$

① Checks: set is closed, bounded + $f(x,y)$ is continuous

② Critical points:

$$\nabla f(x,y) = (y-2, x-1)$$

\therefore Critical point is $(1,2)$ but outside of S

③ Boundary

Case 1: $x=0, \quad 0 \leq y \leq 3$

By inspection, max at $y=0$ (2) and min at $y=3$ (-1)

Case 2: $y=0, \quad 0 \leq x \leq 2$

By inspection, max at $x=0$ (2) and min at $x=2$ (-2)

Case 3: $y = 3 - \frac{3}{2}x, \quad 0 \leq x \leq 2$

$$g(x) = f(x, 3 - \frac{3}{2}x) = -\frac{3}{2}x^2 + \frac{9}{2}x - 1 \quad \left. \begin{aligned} &\text{COMMON FOR BOUNDARIES} \\ &g'(x) = -3x + \frac{9}{2} = 0 \end{aligned} \right.$$

$$\therefore (x_6, y_6) \text{ is critical point w/ } f(x_6, y_6) = \frac{1}{4}$$

④ Compare min + max

Max: 2 at $(0,0)$

Min: -2 at $(2,0)$

Optimization w/ Constraints

- Goal: find max/min of function $f(x,y)$ subject to constraint $g(x,y) = 1$

Geometrically, this is the same problem as finding critical points on boundaries! $g(x, y)$ is a level curve.

- Method of Lagrange Multipliers:

Critical points on constraint curve are exactly at

$$\nabla f(x, y) = \lambda \nabla g(x, y) \Rightarrow \text{gradient of function} + \text{constant in same direction}$$

Algorithm: find max/min at

$$1. \nabla f(x, y) = \lambda \nabla g(x, y) \wedge g(x, y) = k$$

$$2. \nabla g(x, y) = (0, 0) \wedge g(x, y) = k$$

3. (x, y) is endpoint of curve $g(x, y) = k$

Ex:// Find max of $6x + 4y - 7$ on $3x^2 + y^2 = 28$

① Check first condition:

$$f(x) = 6x + 4y - 7, \quad g(x, y) = 3x^2 + y^2 = 28$$

$$\nabla f(x, y) = (6, 4)$$

$$\nabla g(x, y) = (6x, 2y)$$

∴ Need to find points (x, y) s.t.:

$$(6, 4) = \lambda(6x, 2y)$$

∴ 3 equations:

$$6 = 6\lambda x - 1$$

$$4 = 2\lambda y - 2$$

$$3x^2 + y^2 = 28$$

Solving:

$$1: \lambda = \frac{1}{2} (x \neq 0)$$

$$2: y = 2x$$

$$3: 3x^2 + 4x^2 = 28$$

$$x = \pm 2 \quad \Rightarrow (2, 4), (-2, -4)$$

② Check second condition:

$$\nabla g(x, y) = 0 \wedge g(x, y) = 28$$

Not possible since $(0, 0)$ satisfies $\nabla g(x, y) = 0$ but not constraint

③ End point: No endpoints.

∴ Max of 21 at $(2, 4) \Rightarrow$ plug into $f(x, y)$

Ex:// Find max + min of $f(x, y) = y$ on curve $y^2 + x^4 - x^3 = 0$

① First condition:

$$\nabla f(x, y) = (0, 1) \quad \nabla g(x, y) = (4x^3 - 3x^2, 2y)$$

Equations:

$$A: \lambda(4x^3 - 3x^2) = 0$$

$$B: \lambda(2y) = 1$$

$$C: y^2 + x^4 - x^3 = 0$$

From A:

$$\lambda x^2 (4x - 3) = 0$$

$$\therefore x = 0, \frac{3}{4}$$

$x = 0 \Rightarrow$ C enforces $y = 0$ but violates B

$$x = \frac{3}{4} \Rightarrow y = \pm \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{16}$$

$$\therefore \left(\frac{3}{4}, \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{16}\right), \left(\frac{3}{4}, -\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{16}\right)$$

② Second condition:

$$A: 4x^3 - 3x^2 = 0$$

$$B: 2y = 0$$

$$C: y^2 + x^4 - x^3 = 0$$

$$A: x = 0, y = 0 \quad B: y = 0$$

$(0, 0)$ works.

③ Third condition: no endpoints.

④ Evaluate:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Max of } & \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{16} \text{ at } \left(\frac{3}{4}, \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{16}\right) \\ \text{Min of } & -\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{16} \text{ at } \left(\frac{3}{4}, -\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{16}\right) \end{aligned}$$

Ex:// R is region bounded by $x = \sqrt{1-y^2}$. Find max + min of $f(x, y) = x^2 - \frac{1}{2}x + y^2$ in R

① Critical points:

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla f(x, y) &= (2x - \frac{1}{2}, 2y) = (0, 0) \\ \therefore x &= \frac{1}{2}, y = 0 \end{aligned}$$

② Boundary:

Two boundaries, y-axis \Rightarrow semi-circle

On y-axis: $x = 0, -1 \leq y \leq 1$

$$f(0, y) = y^2 \Rightarrow \text{Max at } (0, 1), \text{ min at } (0, -1)$$

On semi-circle: $g(x, y) = x^2 + y^2 = 1 \quad (x \geq 0)$

$$\text{① } \nabla f(x, y) = \lambda g(x, y) \wedge g(x, y) = 1$$

$$\nabla f(x, y) = (2x - \frac{1}{2}, 2y), \quad \nabla g(x, y) = (2x, 2y)$$

$$\therefore A: 2x - \frac{1}{2} = 2\lambda x$$

$$B: 2y = 2\lambda y$$

$$C: x^2 + y^2 = 1$$

From B: $\lambda = 1$ or $y = 0$

If $y = 0$:

$$x = 1 \Rightarrow (1, 0) \text{ is a point}$$

If $\lambda = 1$: \Rightarrow No point.

$$\text{② } \nabla g(x, y) = (0, 0) \wedge g(x, y) = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} A: 2x &= 0 \\ B: 2y &= 0 \\ C: x^2 + y^2 &= 1 \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \\ \end{array} \right\} \text{No soln.}$$

③ Check end points:

$$(0, 1), (0, -1)$$

All critical points \Rightarrow evaluations:

$$\boxed{f(\frac{1}{2}, 0) = -\frac{1}{16}}, \boxed{f(0, 1) = 1}, \boxed{f(1, 0) = \frac{1}{2}}, \boxed{f(0, -1) = 1}$$

- Generalization:

Let \vec{a} be critical points. Then:

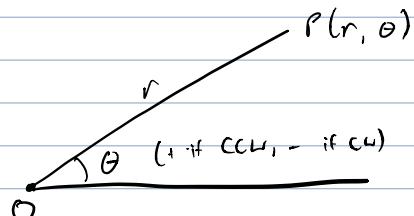
$$1. \nabla f(\vec{a}) = \lambda \nabla g(\vec{a}) \wedge g(\vec{a}) = k$$

$$2. g(\vec{a}) = 0 \wedge g(\vec{a}) = k$$

3. Boundary points

UNIT 11: COORDINATE SYSTEMS

Polar Coordinates



- Relationship to Cartesian coordinates:

$$x = r \cos \theta$$

$$r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$y = r \sin \theta$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{y}{x}$$

Ex:// Convert the following to Cartesian

a) $(2, -\pi/3)$

$$x = 2 \cos(-\pi/3) = 1$$

$$y = 2 \sin(-\pi/3) = -\sqrt{3}$$

b) $(1, 3\pi/4)$

$$x = \cos(3\pi/4) = -\sqrt{2}/2$$

$$y = \sin(3\pi/4) = \sqrt{2}/2$$

Ex:// Convert $(1, 1)$ to polar

$$r = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}(1) = \pi/4 + 2\pi k \Rightarrow \text{We know it has to be in 1st quadrant}$$

$$\therefore (\sqrt{2}, \pi/4 + 2\pi k) \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}$$

- Graphing polar functions

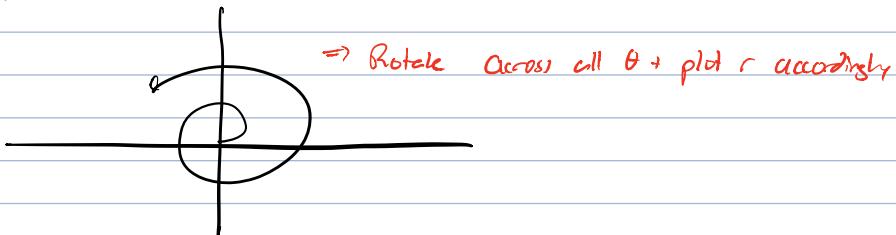
Best method: Draw $r - \theta$ graph \rightarrow convert to $x - y$ graph by considering all $\theta + \pi$

Ex:// Graph $r = 1/2\theta$

① $r - \theta$ graph

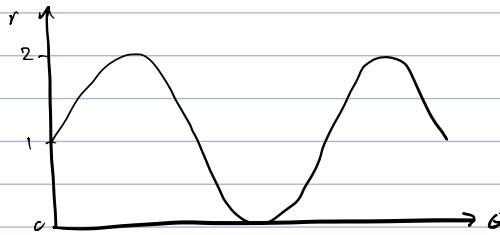


② $x - y$ graph

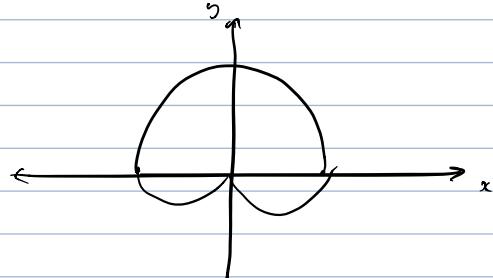


Ex:// Sketch $r = 1 + \sin\theta$

① $r - \theta$ graph



② $x - y$ graph



- We can also convert polar equations into Cartesian equations using formulas.

Ex:// Graph $r = \cos\theta$ on Cartesian plane

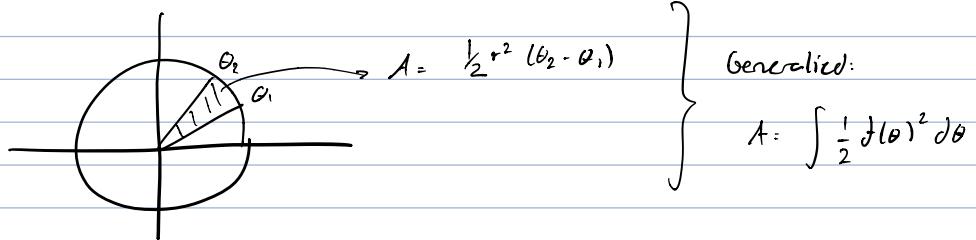
$$r = \cos\theta$$

$$r^2 = r\cos\theta$$

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

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

- Area of sector:



Generalized:

$$A = \int \frac{1}{2} r(\theta)^2 d\theta$$

- Area between curves in polar coordinates.

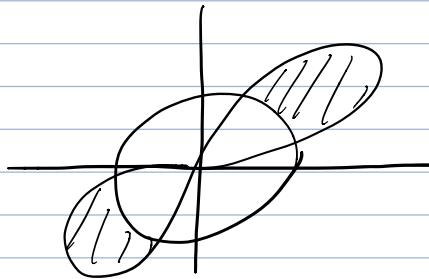
Algorithm:

1. Find points of intersection
 2. Graph curves + split into integrable regions
 3. Integrate
- Ex:// Find area inside $r = 2\sin(2\theta)$ but outside $r = 1$.

① Intersection points:

$$\begin{aligned} r &= 2\sin(2\theta) \\ 2\theta &= \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6} \\ \theta &= \frac{\pi}{12}, \frac{5\pi}{12} \end{aligned}$$

② Graphing:



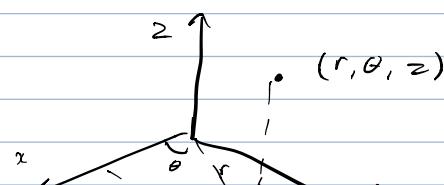
⇒ Since symmetric, we can find area in Q1 and double.

③ Integrating:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area} &= \frac{1}{2} (2\sin(2\theta) - 1)^2 d\theta \\ 2 \int_{\pi/12}^{\pi/12} \frac{1}{2} (2\sin(2\theta) - 1)^2 d\theta &= \int_{\pi/12}^{\pi/12} (4\sin^2(2\theta) - 4\sin(2\theta) + 1) d\theta \\ &= \int_{\pi/12}^{\pi/12} 4 \cdot \frac{1 - \cos(4\theta)}{2} d\theta - 4 \int_{\pi/12}^{\pi/12} \sin(2\theta) + \frac{\pi}{3} \\ &= 2 \left[\theta - \frac{\sin(4\theta)}{4} \right]_{\pi/12}^{\pi/12} - 4 \left[-\frac{\cos(2\theta)}{2} \right]_{\pi/12}^{\pi/12} + \frac{\pi}{3} \\ &= 2 \left(\frac{\pi\pi}{12} - \frac{1}{8} - \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{1}{8} \right) - 4 \left[\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \right] + \frac{\pi}{3} \\ &= \frac{2\pi}{3} - 2\sqrt{3} + \frac{\pi}{3} \\ &= \pi - 2\sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$

Cylindrical Coordinates

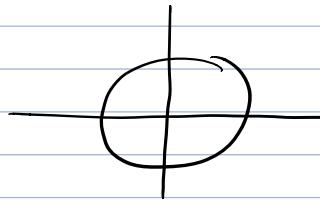
- Polar with z coordinate:



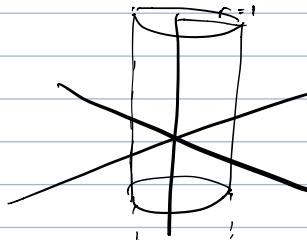
- Same graphing as polar

o Ex:// Graph $r=1$

① Draw x-y graph cross-section



② Extend across z axis

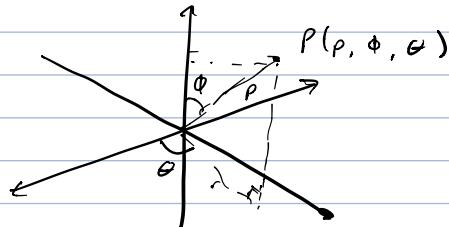


o To convert to x-y-z system, simply use polar formulas.

o Ex:// Convert $z = r^2 \cos \theta$ to cartesian

$$\begin{aligned} z &= r(\cos \theta) \\ &= x \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \end{aligned}$$

Spherical Coordinates



- ϕ is the tilt from the z axis s.t. $0 \leq \phi \leq \pi$

- Equations:

$$x = r \cos \theta$$

$$= \rho \sin \phi \cos \theta$$

$$y = r \sin \theta$$

$$= \rho \sin \phi \sin \theta$$

$$z = x \cos \theta$$

$$\rho = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$$

$$\tan \theta = y/x$$

$$\cos \phi = \frac{z}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}}$$

- Ex:// Convert spherical coordinates to Cartesian

a) $(1, \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4})$

$$\begin{aligned} x &= 1 \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \cos \frac{\pi}{4} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} z &= 1 \cos \frac{\pi}{4} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$y = 1 \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \\ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right)$$

b) $(1, \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{5\pi}{4})$

$$x = \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \cos \frac{5\pi}{4} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$y = \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \sin \frac{5\pi}{4} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$z = \cos \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$\left\{ \left(-\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right) \right.$$

- Ex:// Convert Cartesian to spherical

a) $(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \sqrt{3})$

$$\rho = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} + 3} = 2$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}(1) = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\phi = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\left(2, \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

b) $(-1, -1, -1)$

$$\rho = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1}\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$$

$$\theta = \frac{5\pi}{4} \Rightarrow \text{Locate at } x, y \text{ coordinate: In Q3} \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{5\pi}{4}$$

- Graphs:

• Be able to convert spherical functions w/ Cartesian functions and v.v.

• Let k be some constant:

$$\rho = k \Rightarrow \text{sphere of radius } k$$

$$\rho = k \Rightarrow \text{cone w/ tilt of } k$$

• Ex:// Convert $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 2x$ to spherical coordinates given $-\pi/2 \leq \theta \leq \pi/2$

$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 2x$$

$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 2\rho \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

$$\rho = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

UNIT 12: MAPPINGS

Geometry of Mappings

- Vector-valued functions: $\mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$

• Ex:// $(x, y) = F(t) = (f(t), g(t)) \Rightarrow$ parametric

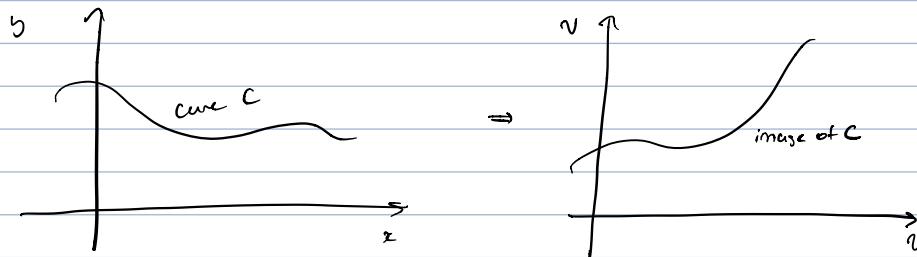
F maps from \mathbb{R} to \mathbb{R}^2

- Mapping: function that maps subset of \mathbb{R}^n to subset of \mathbb{R}^m

- Consider:

$$\begin{aligned} u &= f(x, y) \\ v &= g(x, y) \end{aligned} \quad \therefore \mathbb{R}^2_{(x,y)} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2_{(u,v)}$$

component functions



• Image is the resultant mapping from domain

- Ex:// Consider $(u, v) = F(x, y) = \left(\frac{1}{2}(x+y), \frac{1}{2}(-x+y)\right)$

a) Find image of line $x = k$ and $y = l$ under F

Solve for x and y in terms of u and v

$$u = \frac{1}{2}(x+y) \Rightarrow x = u - v$$

$$v = \frac{1}{2}(-x+y) \Rightarrow y = u + v$$

$$\therefore x = k \Rightarrow u - v = k$$

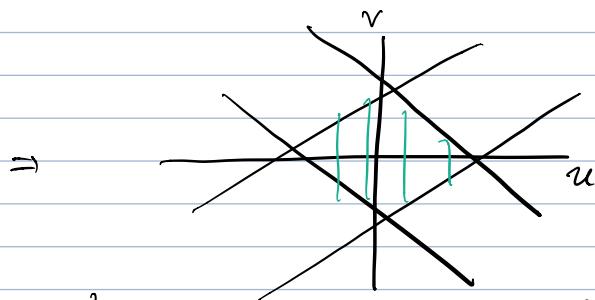
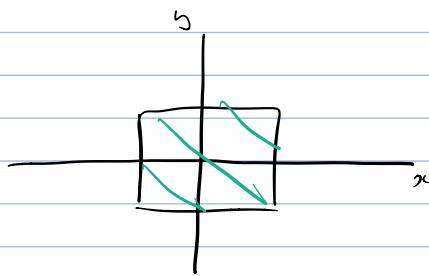
$$y = l \Rightarrow u + v = l$$

b) Find image of square $S = \{(x, y) \mid |x| \leq 1, |y| \leq 1\}$

Essentially need to find mapping of $x = \pm 1, y = \pm 1$

$$\therefore u-v=1, \quad v+u=1$$

Graphically:



- Ex:// Find image of $D = \{(x,y) \mid -1 \leq x \leq 3, 0 \leq y \leq 2\}$ under mapping $(u,v) = T(x,y) = (x^2-y^2, xy)$. We need to find image of boundaries. Cannot solve for x and y easily so substitute:

$$\begin{aligned} 1. \quad x = -1 \text{ from } y = 0 \leq y \leq 2 \\ u = 1 - y^2 \\ v = -y \end{aligned}$$

Eliminating y :

$$u = 1 - v^2$$

Constraint of $0 \leq y \leq 2$ maps to $-2 \leq v \leq 0$

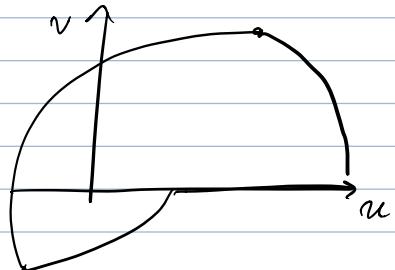
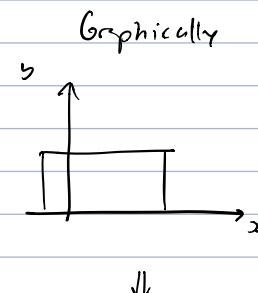
$$\begin{aligned} 2. \quad x = 3, \quad 0 \leq y \leq 2 \\ u = 9 - \frac{1}{4}v^2 \\ v = 3y \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Since } 0 \leq \frac{v}{3} \leq 2 \Rightarrow 0 \leq v \leq 6$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3. \quad y = 2, \quad -1 \leq x \leq 3 \\ u = \frac{1}{4}v^2 - 4 \\ v = 2x \Rightarrow -2 \leq v \leq 6 \end{aligned}$$

$$4. \quad y = 0, \quad -1 \leq x \leq 3$$

$$\begin{aligned} v = 0 \\ u = x^2 \end{aligned}$$



- Ex:// Image of rectangle $R = \{(r, \theta) \mid 1 \leq r \leq 2, \frac{\pi}{4} \leq \theta \leq \frac{3\pi}{4}\}$ under Cartesian mapping.

Finding image of boundary lines.

$$1. \quad r = 1, \quad \frac{\pi}{4} \leq \theta \leq \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

\therefore Unit circle from $\frac{\pi}{4} \leq \theta \leq \frac{3\pi}{4}$

$$2. \quad r = 2, \quad \frac{\pi}{4} \leq \theta \leq \frac{3\pi}{4}.$$

\therefore Circle w/ radius $\sqrt{2}$ from $\frac{\pi}{4} \leq \theta \leq \frac{3\pi}{4}$

$$3. \quad \theta = \frac{\pi}{4}, \quad 1 \leq r \leq 2:$$

$$x = r \cos \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}r, \quad y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}r$$

$$\therefore y = x$$

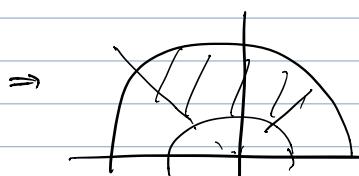
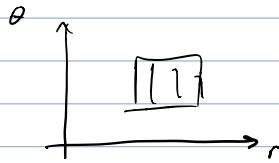
Since $r = \sqrt{2}x \Rightarrow 1 \leq \sqrt{2}x \leq 2 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \leq x \leq 2$

$$4. \quad \theta = \frac{3\pi}{4}, \quad 1 \leq r \leq 2:$$

$$x = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}r, \quad y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}r$$

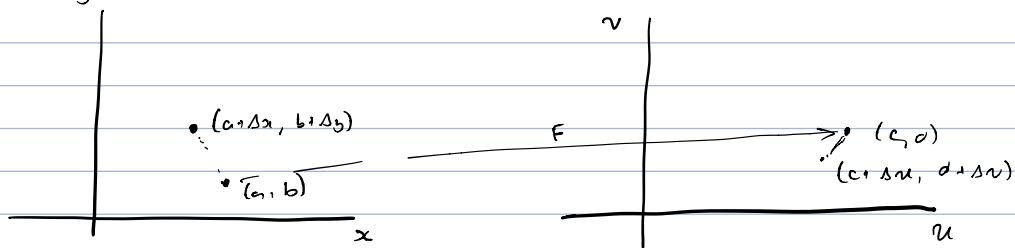
$$\therefore y = -x$$

$$-\sqrt{2} \leq x \leq -1$$



Linear Approximation of a Mapping

- Goal: approximate $(c + \Delta u, d + \Delta v)$ at point $(a + \Delta u, b + \Delta v)$ given $c = f(a, b)$, $d = g(a, b)$



- We can say

$$\Delta u = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(a, b) \Delta x + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(a, b) \Delta y$$

$$\Delta v = \frac{\partial g}{\partial x}(a, b) \Delta x + \frac{\partial g}{\partial y}(a, b) \Delta y$$

• In matrix form:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \Delta u \\ \Delta v \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(a, b) & \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(a, b) \\ \frac{\partial g}{\partial x}(a, b) & \frac{\partial g}{\partial y}(a, b) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Delta x \\ \Delta y \end{bmatrix}$$

← derivative matrix →

- Ex:// Find derivative matrix of $(u, v) = F(x, y) = (x^2 \sin y, y^2 \cos x)$

$$DF(x, y) = \begin{bmatrix} 2x \sin y & x^2 \cos y \\ -y^2 \sin x & 2y \cos x \end{bmatrix}$$

- Increment form of linear approximation for mappings:

$$\Delta \vec{u} = DF(x, y) \Delta \vec{x} \quad \text{where } \Delta \vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} \Delta u \\ \Delta v \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \Delta \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} \Delta x \\ \Delta y \end{bmatrix}$$

- Linear approximation:

$$F(x, y) \approx F(a, b) + DF(a, b) \Delta \vec{x}$$

- Derivative matrix is mapping of $\Delta \vec{x}$ to $\Delta \vec{u}$

- Ex:// Consider $(u, v) = F(x, y) = (-x + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}, x + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2})$. Find approximation of $(3.02, 3.99)$ under F .

① Find derivative matrix.

$$DF(x, y) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 + \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} & \frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \\ 1 + \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} & \frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \end{bmatrix}$$

② Approximate using reference point

$$DF(3, 4) = \begin{bmatrix} -2/5 & 4/5 \\ 8/5 & 4/5 \end{bmatrix}$$

③ Displacement vector:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \Delta u \\ \Delta v \end{bmatrix} \approx DF(3, 4) \begin{bmatrix} \Delta x \\ \Delta y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2/5 & 4/5 \\ 8/5 & 4/5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.02 \\ -0.01 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -0.016 \\ 0.024 \end{bmatrix}$$

④ Approximate:

$$F(3.02, 3.99) \approx (2, 8) + (-0.016, 0.024) = (1.984, 8.024)$$

↑ Plug in reference point into mapping

Composite Mappings + Chain Rule

- Consider successive mappings:

$$F: \begin{cases} p = p(u, v) \\ q = q(u, v) \end{cases}$$

$$G: \begin{cases} u = u(x, y) \\ v = v(x, y) \end{cases}$$

- Composite mapping:

$$F \circ G: \begin{cases} p = p(u(x, y), v(x, y)) \\ q = q(u(x, y), v(x, y)) \end{cases}$$

- Derivative matrix of composite:

$$D(F \circ G)(x, y) = DF(u, v) \cdot DG(x, y)$$

- Ex:// Consider following mappings:

$$(u, v) = g(x, y) = (xy, x+y)$$

$$(p, q) = F(u, v) = (u \cdot v, u^2)$$

a) Find composite mapping $F \circ g$

$$(p, q) = F(g(x, y)) = (xy \cdot (x+y), (xy)^2)$$

b) Find derivative matrices:

$$Dg(x, y) = \begin{bmatrix} y & x \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad DF(u, v) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2u & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad D(F \circ g) = \begin{bmatrix} y-1 & x-1 \\ 2xy^2 & 2x^2y \end{bmatrix}$$

Finding $D(F \circ g)(x, y)$ using matrix product:

$$\begin{aligned} D(F \circ g) &= DF(u, v) \cdot Dg(x, y) \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2u & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y & x \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} y-1 & x-1 \\ 2uy & 2x \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} y-1 & x-1 \\ 2xy^2 & 2x^2y \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

u = xy from $g(x, y)$

UNIT 13: JACOBIANS + INVERSE MAPPINGS

Inverse Mapping Theorem

- We want to find the condition that will guarantee $(u, v) = F(x, y)$ has an inverse
 - If F maps from D_{xy} to D_{uv} , then F^{-1} exists if $(x, y) = F^{-1}(u, v) \Leftrightarrow (u, v) = F(x, y)$
 - This also means:

$$(F^{-1} \circ F)(x, y) = (x, y)$$

$$(F \circ F^{-1})(u, v) = (u, v)$$

- Invertible function is like one-to-one function.

Function is one-to-one if $F(a, b) = F(c, d) \Rightarrow (a, b) = (c, d)$

- In fact: if F is one-to-one on D_{xy} , then F is invertible on D_{xy}

 ε In single variable $\Rightarrow f'(x) > 0$ to be one-to-one

- Inverse of derivative matrix

F maps from $D_{xy} \rightarrow D_{uv}$. If F has continuous partial derivatives at $\bar{x} \in D_{xy}$ and there exists inverse mapping F^{-1} which has

 ε $\frac{\partial F^{-1}}{\partial u}(\bar{u}) \neq 0$ at $\bar{u} \in D_{uv}$

then:

$$DF^{-1}(u) \cdot D F(\bar{x}) = I \Rightarrow \text{If } F \text{ is invertible, so is } DF$$

- Ex:// Consider $(u, v) = F(x, y) = (y + x^2, x)$. Solve for F^{-1} , find DF and DF^{-1} and verify that $DF^{-1}(u, v)$ is matrix inverse of $DF(x, y)$.

① Inverse of F : solve for x, y

$$u = y + x^2$$

$$v = x$$

$$\therefore x = v \Rightarrow y = u - v^2$$

$$\therefore (x, y) = F^{-1}(u, v) = (v, u - v^2)$$

② Derivative matrix:

$$DF = \begin{bmatrix} 2x & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad DF^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & -2v \end{bmatrix}$$

③ Verify:

$$DF \cdot DF^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & -2v \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2x & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2x - 2v & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$v = x$ sub.

- Jacobian:

Let mappings be $(u, v) = F(x, y) = (u(x, y), v(x, y))$. Jacobian denoted $\frac{\partial(u, v)}{\partial(x, y)}$ is

$$\frac{\partial(u, v)}{\partial(x, y)} = \det [DF(x, y)] = \det \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \end{bmatrix}$$

Ex:// Calculate Jacobian of:

$$(x, y) = F(r, \theta) = (r \cos \theta, r \sin \theta)$$

① DF:

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

② Jacobian

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

• We know from linear algebra that matrix invertible if determinant is non-zero

• Corollary: F invertible \Rightarrow Jacobian is non-zero (converse NOT true)

• Corollary: $\frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)} = \frac{1}{\det(DF)}$ if F^{-1} exists

- Inverse mapping theorem:

If mapping $(u, v) = F(x, y)$ has continuous partial derivatives in a neighborhood of (a, b) and Jacobian of F is non-zero, then F^{-1} exists in neighborhood provided F is one-to-one as well

- Ex:// Consider $(u, v) = F(x, y) = (xy - x^2, x + y)$. Show that F has an inverse in neighborhood of $(1, -2)$.

① DF

$$DF = \begin{bmatrix} y - 2x & x \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

② Jacobian

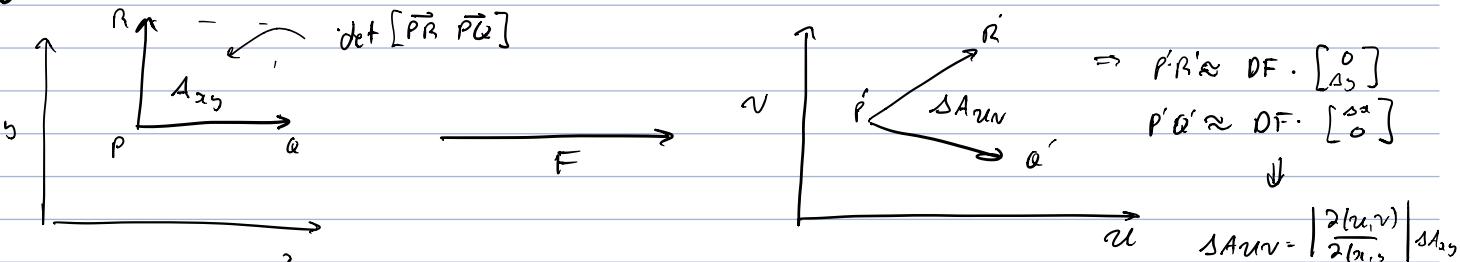
$$\det(DF) = y - 3x$$

③ Evaluate at point

$$\frac{\partial(u, v)}{\partial(x, y)}(1, -2) = 1 > 0 \Rightarrow \text{since continuous derivatives, neighborhood has inverse}$$

Geometric Interpretation of the Jacobian

- In 2D:



• Like a scaling factor of areas defined by vectors mapped by F

• Approximation unless linear mapping, where it is exact

• Ex:// Calculate area of rectangle ΔA_{xy} at $(3, 4)$ under $F \Rightarrow (u, v) = F(x, y) = (-2 + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}, 2 + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2})$

① Find DF

$$DF(3, 4) = \begin{bmatrix} -2/s & 4/s \\ 8/s & 4/s \end{bmatrix}$$

② Get Jacobian

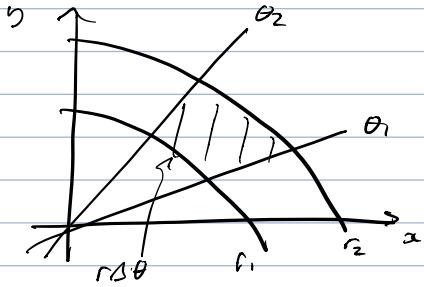
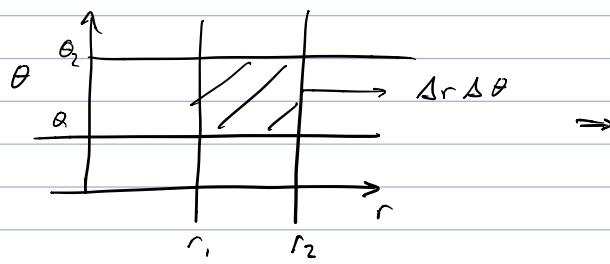
$$\frac{\partial(u, v)}{\partial(x, y)} = \det(DF(3, 4)) = -8/s$$

③ Approximate area:

$$\Delta A_{uv} = \left| \frac{\partial(u, v)}{\partial(x, y)} \right| \Delta A_{xy} = 8/s \Delta A_{xy}$$

• Ex:// $(x, y) = F(r, \theta) = (r \cos \theta, r \sin \theta)$. Find image of rectangle in rt plane + verify Jacobian mag.

① Use ECE 106 tricks to find area in r - θ plane



Area in r - θ : $\Delta r \Delta \theta$

Area in x - y : $r \Delta \theta \cdot \Delta r = \textcircled{1} \Delta A_{xy}$

② Jacobian:

$$\frac{\partial(u, v)}{\partial(x, y)} = r \Rightarrow \text{Scale of } r$$

- In 3D:

$$\Delta V_{uvw} = \left| \frac{\partial(u, v, w)}{\partial(x, y, z)} \right| \Delta A_{xyz}$$

- You can generalize Jacobian + inverse mapping to n dimensions

Constructing Mappings

- Ex:// Find mapping F to transform parallelogram D_{xy} with $(0,0), (2,1), (3,4)$ and $(1,3)$ into unit square $0 \leq u \leq 1 \wedge 0 \leq v \leq 1$ on (u, v) plane.

① Find equations of boundary line on x - y plane + u, v

$$\begin{aligned} 2y - x &= 0 \\ 2y - x &= 5 \\ 3x - y &= 0 \\ 3x - y &= 5 \end{aligned} \quad \left\{ \rightarrow F \right\} \quad \begin{cases} u = 0 & v = 0 \\ u = 1 & v = 1 \end{cases}$$

② Construct pairs $\rightarrow F$

$$\begin{array}{rcl} 2y - x = 0 & + & u = 0 \\ 2y - x = 5 & + & u = 1 \\ \hline & - & \end{array} \Rightarrow u = \frac{2y - x}{5}$$

$$\begin{array}{rcl} 3x - y = 0 & + & v = 0 \\ 3x - y = 5 & + & v = 1 \\ \hline & - & \end{array} \Rightarrow v = \frac{3x - y}{5}$$

$$F\left(\frac{2y - x}{5}, \frac{3x - y}{5}\right) \Rightarrow \text{Not unique.}$$

Calculate Jacobian:

$$(u, v) = F(x, y) = \left(\frac{2y - x}{5}, \frac{3x - y}{5} \right)$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial(u, v)}{\partial(x, y)} = -\frac{1}{5}$$

$$\therefore A_{uv} = \left| \frac{\partial(u, v)}{\partial(x, y)} \right| A_{xy}$$

$$A_{uv} = \frac{1}{5} A_{xy} \Rightarrow A_{xy} = 5 A_{uv} = 5$$

- Basically need to see how x - y equations can turn into u - v equations.

- Ex:// Find invertible mapping to transform $x_1 = 5, x_2 = 3, x^2 - y^2 = 2, x^2 - y^2 = 4$ into square.

Let $u = x_1, v = x^2 - y^2$

$$\therefore (u, v) = F(x, y) = (x_1, x^2 - y^2)$$

Proving that it is invertible.

Cannot solve for inverse but can use Inverse Mapping Theorem

$$\det DF(x, y) = \det \begin{bmatrix} 1 & x \\ 2x & -2y \end{bmatrix} = -2y^2 - 2x^2$$

Since this is non-zero on region D_{xy} + F has continuous partial deriv. F is invertible in neighborhood

for every point in D by Inverse Mapping Theorem

- Just because invertible in neighborhood of each point $\not\Rightarrow$ invertible in entire region

UNIT 14: DOUBLE INTEGRALS

Definition of Double Integrals

- Riemann sum for volumes:

$$\sum_{i=1}^n f(x_i, y_i) \Delta x_i \Delta y_i$$

- If all Riemann sums for a partition approach the same value, then the function is integrable

- If integrable:

$$\iint_D f(x, y) dA = \lim_{\Delta P \rightarrow 0} \sum_{i=1}^n f(x_i, y_i) \Delta A_i$$

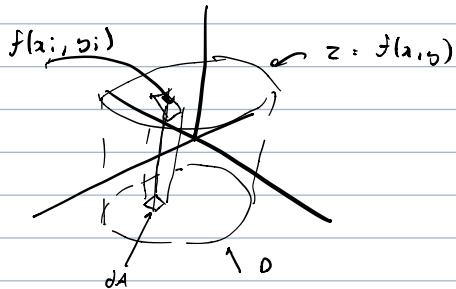
- All you really need to determine is whether the function is continuous in the region D

o If f is piece-wise continuous, continuous on D , but not on boundary, it's still integrable

- Interpretations:

o Area: $f(x, y) = 1$ for all $(x, y) \in D$. Thus, double integral calculates area

o Volume: If $f(x, y) \geq 0 \Rightarrow$ calculating volume



o Mass: If $f(x_i, y_i)$ is area density, then double integral can represent mass of entire object

o Probability:

$$P((x, y) \in D) = \iint_D f(x, y) dA$$

o Average value:

$$\bar{f}_{\text{ave}} = \frac{1}{A(D)} \iint_D f(x, y) dA$$

- Properties:

1. Linearity: If $D \subset \mathbb{R}^2$ is closed + bounded, f and g are both integrable, then for any constant c

$$\iint_D (f + g) dA = \iint_D f dA + \iint_D g dA$$

$$\iint_D c f dA = c \iint_D f dA$$

2. Inequality: $\forall (x, y) \in D, f(x, y) \leq g(x, y)$

$$\iint_D f(x, y) dA \leq \iint_D g(x, y) dA$$

3. Absolute value:

$$\left| \iint_D f dA \right| \leq \iint_D |f| dA$$

4. Decomposition: If $D_1 + D_2 = D$ via some smooth curve C

$$\iint_D f dA = \iint_{D_1} f dA + \iint_{D_2} f dA$$

Iterated Integrals

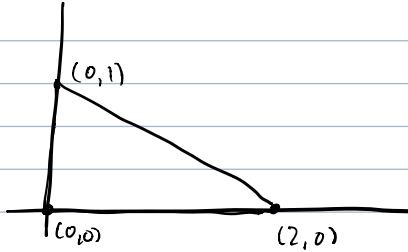
- Idea: write double integrals as succession of single integrals

$$\iint_D f(x, y) dA = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \left(\int_{y_1(x)}^{y_2(x)} f(x, y) dy \right) dx$$

o Inner integral must be partial integration \Rightarrow only integrating 1 variable

- Ex:// Find $\iint_D xy dA$ where D is triangular region from $(0, 0)$, $(2, 0)$ and $(0, 1)$

① Sketch



② Describe via inequalities of variables.

$$\begin{aligned} 0 \leq x \leq 2 \\ 0 \leq y \leq -\frac{1}{2}x + 1 \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Description of whole set } D \\ \text{ } \end{array} \right\}$$

1 variable should be bounded by constants, other variable bounded by function of other var

③ Set up integral

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_D xy dA &= \int_0^2 \int_0^{1-\frac{1}{2}x} xy dy dx = \int_0^2 \left[\frac{xy^2}{2} \right]_0^{1-\frac{1}{2}x} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^2 x \left(1 - \frac{1}{2}x \right)^2 dx \\ &= \frac{1}{6} \end{aligned}$$

- Ex:// Doing same problem but opposite constraints

$$D = \{(x, y) \mid 0 \leq y \leq 1, 0 \leq x \leq -2y + 2\}$$

$$\therefore \iint_D xy dA = \int_0^1 \int_0^{-2y+2} xy dx dy = 2 \int_0^1 y (1-y)^2 dy = \frac{1}{6}$$

- Ex:// Let D be bounded by $y=0$, $x=1$ and $y=x$. Find $\iint_D e^{x^2} dA$

Note that integration with respect to x first is not a good idea! Be strategic about order of integration

$$\iint_D e^{x^2} dA = \int_0^1 \int_0^x e^{x^2} dy dx = \int_0^1 x e^{x^2} dx = \frac{1}{2} (e-1)$$

- Ex:// Find volume of first octant bounded by cylinder $y^2 + z^2 = 16$ and planes $3y - 2z = 0$, $x = 0$, $z = 0$
Solid can be described as:

$$D = z \leq \sqrt{16 - y^2} \quad \text{and } (x, y) \in D$$

Defining D :

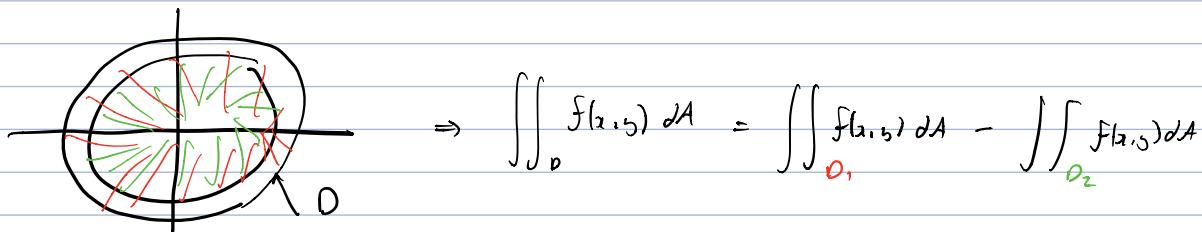
We want to integrate with respect to x first. Integrate y with constants for each

$\therefore D = \{(x, y) \mid 0 \leq x \leq 3z, 0 \leq y \leq 4\} \Rightarrow$ We know this from volume of solid!

Integral:

$$\iint_D \sqrt{16-y^2} \, dA = \int_0^4 \int_0^{\sqrt{16-y^2}} \sqrt{16-y^2} \, dx \, dy = \int_0^4 \frac{3y}{2} \sqrt{16-y^2} \, dy = -\frac{1}{2} (16-y^2)^{3/2} \Big|_0^4 = 32$$

- Use decomposed integrals for complex shapes that cannot be described via inequalities.



Change of Variable Theorem

- If integrating shape is too difficult, construct mapping $(u,v) = F(x,y)$

- This requires us to replace dA from $dx \, dy$ to $du \, dv$

• This conversion is the Jacobian?

- Theorem:

$$\iint_{D_{xy}} G(x,y) \, dx \, dy = \iint_{D_{uv}} G(f(u,v), g(u,v)) \left| \frac{\partial (x,y)}{\partial (u,v)} \right| \, du \, dv$$

- Ex:// Evaluate $\iint_{D_{xy}} (x+y) \, dx \, dy$ where D_{xy} is set bounded by parallelogram with vertices $(0,0), (2,1), (1,2)$ and $(3,0)$

① Mappings

$$(u,v) = F(x,y) = \left(\frac{1}{s}(2x-2), \frac{1}{s}(3x-y) \right) \Rightarrow \text{maps to unit square}$$

② Jacobian

$$\frac{\partial (u,v)}{\partial (x,y)} = -\frac{1}{s} \stackrel{\text{invert mapping!}}{\Rightarrow} \frac{\partial (x,y)}{\partial (u,v)} = -s$$

③ Convert integral:

$$\iint_{D_{xy}} (x+y) \, dx \, dy = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (4u+3v) \cdot -s \, du \, dv = \frac{3s}{2}$$

- Ex:// Use mapping $(u,v) = F(x,y) = (x+y, -x+y)$ to evaluate $\iint_{D_{xy}} (x+y) \cos(x-y) \, dx \, dy$

① Finding new region:

$$x=0, 0 \leq y \leq \pi \Rightarrow v=u, 0 \leq u \leq \pi$$

$$y=0, 0 \leq x \leq \pi \Rightarrow v=-u, 0 \leq u \leq \pi$$

$$x+y=\pi, 0 \leq x \leq \pi \Rightarrow u=\pi, u-v=2x \Rightarrow -\pi \leq v \leq \pi$$

② Jacobian:

$$\frac{\partial (u,v)}{\partial (x,y)} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 2 \Rightarrow \frac{\partial (x,y)}{\partial (u,v)} = \frac{1}{2}$$

③ Integral conversion + evaluate

$$\int_0^{\pi} \int_0^{\pi-y} (x+y) \cos(x-y) \, dx \, dy = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \int_{-u}^u u \cos(-v) \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot du \, dv$$

- Cartesian to polar: $dxdy = r dr d\theta$

o Ex:// Evaluate $\iint_D \frac{x}{x^2+y^2} dxdy$ where D_{xy} is half disc $(x-1)^2+y^2 \leq 1$, $x \geq 1$

① Convert to cartesian:

$$x=1 \Rightarrow r\cos\theta = 1$$

$$r = \sec\theta$$

$$x^2+y^2=2x \Rightarrow r^2 = 2r\cos\theta$$

$$r = 2\cos\theta$$

Intersections:

$$\frac{1}{\cos\theta} = 2\cos\theta$$

$$1 = \cos^2\theta$$

$$\theta = \pm \frac{\pi}{4}$$

② Convert integral

$$\iint_D \frac{x}{x^2+y^2} dxdy = \iint \frac{r\cos\theta}{r^2} r dr d\theta = \iint \cos\theta dr d\theta$$

$$\therefore \iint_{-\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \cos\theta dr d\theta = 1$$

- If integral cannot be written on set D , use change of variables or decomposition

- If integral can be written but stuck: change order of integration, remite D , use change of vars