

Monday, January 30

Friday, January 27, 2023 11:19

TA Help session 10:30 Fridays, Math library, JCC 574
Student hours with Todd 1:30-3:00 my office JCC 575 (end of hall)

Student hours will start on Friday at 2:00 and we can continue to 3:30 (because of AWM panel and lunch)

MATHEMATICAL CONTEST IN MODELING: February 16-20, 2023. TEAMS OF THREE UNDERGRADS

<https://www.contest.comap.com/undergraduate/contests/>

DIRECTED READING PROGRAM: grad student and undergrad read a math book or article and learn about it together

A list of projects and descriptions can be found

here: <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1ffvVid43yPtFP-9GiODrthf3ZIJ2Nc2S/view?usp=sharing>

Application: <https://forms.gle/P46BCsEKvdnzftLo9>

**Save the date! AWM Panel & Lunch with Malena Espanol
Friday February 3rd at 1pm in JCC 501**

Malena Espanol is an assistant professor in the school of Mathematical and Statistical Sciences at Arizona State University. She earned a Ph.D. in math from Tufts in 2009. The Tufts AWM chapter is excited to host Dr. Espanol for a Q&A over lunch! Everyone in the Tufts community is welcome to join.

Please RSVP at https://tufts.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_0cR5K8g15jJQ7eC



Review

Def. direction deriv $\partial \in \mathbb{R}^n$ on.

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Defn directional deriv $\Theta \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ open

$$f: \Theta \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad \bar{x} \in \Theta \quad \bar{h} \in \mathbb{R}^n \sim \{0\}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial \bar{h}}(\bar{x}) = D_{\bar{h}} f(\bar{x}) = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(\bar{x} + t\bar{h}) - f(\bar{x})}{t}$$
$$= \left. \frac{d}{dt} f(\bar{x} + t\bar{h}) \right|_{t=0}$$

if it is

std basis of \mathbb{R}^n

$$\bar{e}_j = (0, \dots, 0, 1, 0, \dots) \quad j \in \{1, \dots, n\}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_j} = D_{\bar{e}_j} f$$

dir deriv of f in dir \bar{e}_j

ex $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad f(x,y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2 y}{x^4 + y^2} & (x,y) \neq (0,0) \\ 0 & (x,y) = (0,0) \end{cases}$

recall f not cont at $(0,0)$

let $\bar{h} = (a,b)$ find $\frac{\partial f}{\partial \bar{h}}(0,0)$ if it is

$\bar{h} \neq (0,0)$

Use def

$$D_{\bar{h}} f(0,0) = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{f((0,0) + t(a,b)) - f(0,0)}{t}$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(ta, tb) - 0}{t} = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{t} \frac{(ta)^2 (tb)}{(ta)^4 + (tb)^2}$$
$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{t} \left(\frac{a^2 b}{t^2 (t^2 a^4 + b^2)} \right)$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{a^2 b}{t^2 a^4 + b^2} = \frac{a^2}{b} \quad \bar{h} = (a,b) \neq (0,0)$$

consider if $b=0$ get $\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} 0$

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$$D_{\vec{h}} f(0,0) = \begin{cases} \frac{0^2}{b} & b \neq 0 \\ 0 & b = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\vec{h} = (a,b)$$

Note: f has 1^{st} partials everywhere
but f is not cont at $(0,0)$

Def $f: \mathcal{O} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ \mathcal{O} open in \mathbb{R}^n
 f is continuously differentiable
 $f \in C^1(\mathcal{O})$ if f has all

1^{st} partial derivs on \mathcal{O} and
they are cont on \mathcal{O}

Thm $\mathcal{O} \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ open if $f \in C^1(\mathcal{O})$
then f is cont.

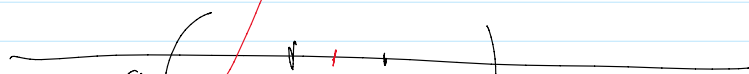
Ex $f(x,y) = \sin(xy)$ is in $C^1(\mathbb{R}^2)$
(cont, diff)
 $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = y \cos xy$
 $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = x \cos xy$ both cont.

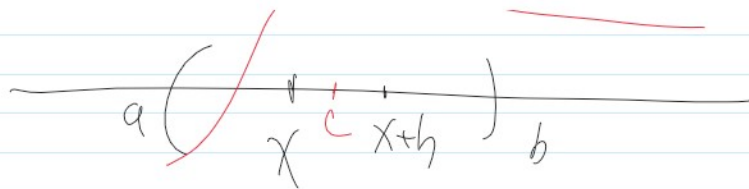
Ex $f(x,y)$ in last ex has all
 1^{st} partials everywhere but is
not C^1 as f is discont.
at $(0,0)$

Mean Value Thm in \mathbb{R}^n

real MVT in \mathbb{R} $f: (a,b) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$x \in (a,b)$ $h \neq 0$ $x+h$





$$f(x+h) - f(x) = f'(c)h \quad \text{for some } c \text{ between } x \text{ and } x+h$$

gen der \mathbb{R}^n $f': \mathcal{O} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$\bar{x} \in \mathcal{O} \quad \bar{h} \in \mathbb{R}^n \quad \bar{x} + \bar{h} \in \mathcal{O} \dots$$

write $f(\bar{x} + \bar{h}) - f(\bar{x}) = \text{derivative} \cdot \bar{h}$

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Mean value Proposition

$r > 0$ $\bar{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ assume $f: B_r(\bar{x}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

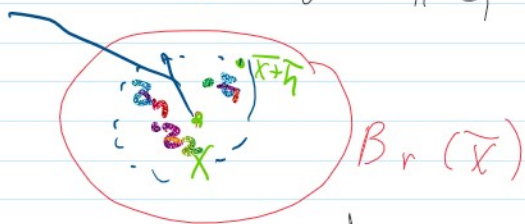
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then $0 < \|\bar{h}\| < r$ $\bar{h} \in \mathbb{R}^n$

in $B_r(\bar{x})$ s.t.

$$f(\bar{x} + \bar{h}) - f(\bar{x}) = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i}(\bar{z}_i) h_i$$

ball radius $\|\bar{h}\|$ and $\|\bar{z}_i - \bar{x}\| < \|\bar{h}\|$ $\bar{h} = (h_1, h_2, \dots, h_n)$



pl Big idea use 1 dim MVT in each variable of \mathbb{R}^2

$$\bar{x} = (x_1, x_2) \quad \bar{h} = (h_1, h_2)$$

$$f(\bar{x} + \bar{h}) - f(\bar{x}) = f(x_1 + h_1, x_2 + h_2) - f(x_1 + h_1, x_2) + f(x_1 + h_1, x_2) - f(x_1, x_2)$$

1 dim
do MVT in x_2
variable

do 1 dim MVT in x_1

A graph illustrating the approximation of a function $f(x)$ using the midpoint rule. The x-axis has points x_1 and $x_1 + h_1$. The y-axis has points x_2 and $x_2 + h_2$. A blue step function is shown, starting at (x_1, x_2) and ending at $(x_1 + h_1, x_2 + h_2)$. The function is constant at x_2 for the interval $[x_1, x_1 + h_1]$. The area under the function is shaded in yellow. The function is labeled $f(x)$ and the area is labeled A .

$$f(x_1+h_1, x_2+h_2) - f(x_1+h_1, x_2) \\ = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2}(x_1+h_1, x_2)(h_2)$$

some d between $x_2, x_2 + h_2$

Let $(x_1 + h, d) = \overline{z_2}$

$$f(x_1 + h_1, x_2 + h_2) \sim f(x_1 + h_1, x_2) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2}(\bar{z}_2) h_2$$

$$\text{Similark} \quad f(x_1 + h_1, x_2) - f(x_1, x_2) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1}(\bar{x}_1) h_1$$

$$f(x_1 + h_1, x_2 + h_2) - f(\bar{x}_1, \bar{x}_2) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1}(\bar{x}_1) h_1 + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2}(\bar{x}_2) h_2$$

and $\|z_j - \bar{x}\| < \|h\|$ $j = 1, 2$

Defn $f: \mathcal{O} \subset \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ open
 f has all 1st partial derivatives
gradient of f to be

$$\nabla f(\bar{x}) = \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1}(\bar{x}), \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2}(\bar{x}), \dots, \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_n}(\bar{x}) \right)$$

for $\bar{x} \in \mathcal{O}$

$$\text{ex } \nabla (x^2 y + \sin(xy)) = (2xy + y \cos(xy), x^2 + x \cos(xy))$$

Thm \mathcal{O} Open in \mathbb{R}^n $f: \mathcal{O} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^1$
continuously diff; $f \in C^1(\mathcal{O})$

continuously diff; $f \in C^1(\theta)$

then if $\bar{h} \in \mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\}$

$$D_{\bar{h}} f(\bar{x}) = \nabla f(\bar{x}) \cdot \bar{h}$$