

11 Years
Solved Papers
2009-2019



Civil Services Main Examination

TOPICWISE PREVIOUS YEARS' SOLVED PAPERS

Mathematics
Paper - I



1. Function of a Real Variable

- 1.1 Suppose that f'' is continuous on $[1, 2]$ and that f has three zeros in the interval $(1, 2)$. Show that f' has at least one zero in the interval $(1, 2)$.

(2009 : 12 Marks)

Solution:

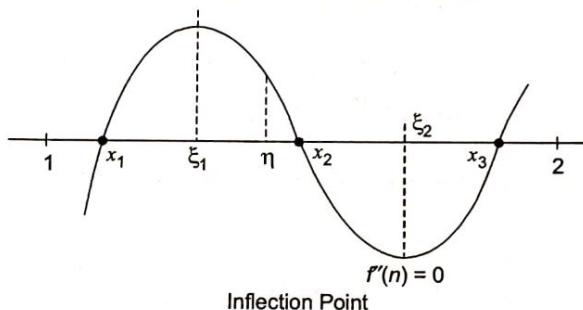
Insight : This question uses the fact that continuity of any derivative of a function ensures continuity and differentiability of lower order derivatives and the Rolle's theorem.

f'' is continuous on $[1, 2]$

$\Rightarrow f'$ is continuous and differentiable on $[1, 2]$

$\Rightarrow f$ is continuous and differentiable on $[1, 2]$

f has three zeros in $(1, 2)$. Let them be x_1, x_2, x_3 with $x_1 < x_2 < x_3$.



In the interval $[x_1, x_2]$, applying Rolle's theorem.

f is continuous on $[x_1, x_2]$.

f is differentiable on (x_1, x_2) .

$$f(x_1) = f(x_2) = 0$$

$\Rightarrow \exists \xi_1 \in (x_1, x_2)$ such that $f'(\xi_1) = 0$ by Rolle's theorem.

Similarly, applying Rolle's theorem in interval $[x_2, x_3]$, $\exists \xi_2 \in (x_2, x_3)$ such that $f'(\xi_2) = 0$.

As $\xi_1 < x_2$ and $\xi_2 > x_2 \Rightarrow \xi_1 < \xi_2$.

Applying Rolle's theorem on f in (ξ_1, ξ_2) .

f is continuous on $[\xi_1, \xi_2]$.

f is differentiable on (ξ_1, ξ_2) as f' is continuous on that interval.

$$f(\xi_1) = f(\xi_2) = 0$$

$\Rightarrow \exists \eta \in (\xi_1, \xi_2)$ so that $f'(\eta) = 0$ by Rolle's theorem.

Also, $(x_1, x_2) \subset (1, 2) \Rightarrow \eta \in (1, 2)$

- 1.2 If f is the derivative of some function defined on $[a, b]$ prove that there exists a number $\eta \in [a, b]$ such that

$$\int_a^b f(t) dt = f(\eta)(b - a)$$

(2009 : 12 Marks)

Solution:

Insight : This is the mean value theorem of integral calculus with the difference that f is not given as continuous but as derivative of some function. We use 2nd Fundamental Theorem of Calculus, f is derivative on some function

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = F(x) \text{ on } [a, b]$$

i.e., $f(x)$ has an anti-derivative $F(x)$ defined on $[a, b]$.

By 2nd Fundamental Theorem of Algebra, for any $x_1, x_2 \in [a, b]$

$$\int_{x_1}^{x_2} f(x) dx = F(x_2) - F(x_1)$$

Proof of 2nd Fundamental Theorem : $F(x)$ is an anti-derivative of $f(x)$.

Let

$$G(x) = \int_{x_1}^x f(x) dx \text{ where } x_1 \in (a, b)$$

Then $G(x)$ is an anti-derivative.

As two anti-derivatives differ by a constant

$$G(x) = F(x) + C$$

$$G(x_1) = F(x_1) + C$$

and

$$\int_{x_1}^{x_1} f(x) = G(x_1) = 0$$

\Rightarrow

$$F(x_1) + C = 0 \Rightarrow C = -F(x_1)$$

\therefore

$$G(x) = F(x) - F(x_1)$$

\therefore

$$\int_{x_1}^x f(x) dx = F(x) - F(x_1)$$

\Rightarrow

$$\int_{x_1}^{x_2} f(x) dx = F(x_2) - F(x_1)$$

Now, $F'(x) = f(x)$ on $[a, b]$ so $F(x)$ is continuous on $[a, b]$ as every differentiable function is continuous and $F(x)$ is differentiable on (a, b) .

So by Mean Value Theorem, $\exists \eta \in (a, b)$ such that

$$F'(\eta) = \frac{F(b) - F(a)}{b - a}$$

$$\Rightarrow F(b) - F(a) = (b - a)f(\eta)$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_a^b f(x) dx = (b - a)f(\eta)$$

- 1.3 A twice differentiable function $f(x)$ is such that $f(a) = 0 = f(b)$ and $f(c) > 0$ for $a < c < b$. Prove that there is at least one point x , $a < x < b$, for which $f''(x) < 0$.

(2010 : 12 Marks)

Solution:

Given $f(a) = f(b) = 0$ and $c \in (a, b)$ such that $f(c) > 0$.

By Lagrange's Mean Value Theorem (LMVT), $\exists \alpha \in (a, c)$ and $\beta \in (c, b)$:

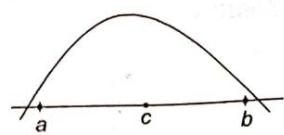
$$f'(\alpha) = \frac{f(c) - f(a)}{c - a} \text{ and } f'(\beta) = \frac{f(b) - f(c)}{b - c} \quad \dots(1)$$

Now let $\xi \in (\alpha, \beta)$

$$\therefore \xi \in (a, b) \text{ or } a < \xi < b$$

By Lagrange's Mean Value Theorem (LMVT)

$$f'(\xi) = \frac{f'(\beta) - f'(\alpha)}{\beta - \alpha}$$



Using values in eqn. (1), we get

$$f'(\xi) = \frac{\frac{f(b) - f(c)}{b - c} - \frac{f(c) - f(a)}{c - a}}{\beta - \alpha}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(\xi) = \frac{-\frac{f(c)}{b - c} - \frac{f(c)}{c - a}}{\beta - \alpha} \quad [f(a) = f(b) = 0]$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(\xi) = -\left[\frac{\frac{f(c)}{b - c} + \frac{f(c)}{c - a}}{\beta - \alpha} \right] < 0 \text{ as } \beta > \alpha, b > c, c > a$$

$\therefore \exists \xi$ such that $f'(\xi) < 0$, where $a < \xi < b$.

- 1.4 Show that a box (rectangular parallelopiped) of maximum volume V with prescribed surface area is a cube.

(2010 : 20 Marks)

Solution:

Let x, y, z be length of edges of given rectangular parallelopiped. Its surface area be S , volume be V . ($x, y, z \neq 0$).

$$\therefore S = 2xy + 2yz + 2zx, V = xyz$$

Let λ be the Lagrange's multiplier ($\lambda \neq 0$)

$$\text{So, } f = xyz + \lambda(2xy + 2yz + 2zx - S)$$

\therefore At extremum,

$$f_x = 0 \Rightarrow yz + \lambda(2y + 2z) = 0 \quad \dots(1)$$

$$f_y = 0 \Rightarrow xz + \lambda(2x + 2z) = 0 \quad \dots(2)$$

$$f_z = 0 \Rightarrow xy + \lambda(2y + 2x) = 0 \quad \dots(3)$$

Multiplying (1) by x and (2) by y and subtracting then, we get

$$xyz + \lambda(2xy + 2xz) - xyz - \lambda(2xy + 2yz) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda(2xz - 2yz) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2xz - 2yz = 0 \quad (\lambda \neq 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow x = y \text{ as } z \neq 0 \quad \dots(4)$$

Similarly, multiplying (2) by y and (3) by z and subtracting, we get

$$xyz + \lambda(2xy + 2yz) - xyz - \lambda(2yz + 2xz) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda(2xy - 2xz) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = z \quad (x \neq 0) \quad \dots(5)$$

\therefore from (4) and (5), it can be concluded $x = y = z$ which is a cube.

1d

- 1.5 Let f be a function defined on \mathbb{R} such that $f(0) = -3$ and $f(x) \leq 5$ for all values of x in \mathbb{R} . How long can $f(2)$ possibly be?

(2011 : 10 Marks)

Solution :

Let

$$f(x) \leq 5 \quad \forall x \in R$$

$$f(x) = 5 + g(x) \text{ where } g(x) \leq 0 \quad \forall x \in R$$

 \Rightarrow

$$f(x) = 5x + G(x) + C_1, h(x) = \int g(x)dx \text{ is a decreasing function}$$

 \Rightarrow

$$f(0) = G(0) + C_1 = -3$$

 \Rightarrow

$$C_1 = -3 - G(0)$$

 \Rightarrow

$$f(x) = 5x + G(x) - 3 - G(0)$$

 \Rightarrow

$$f(2) = 10 + G(2) - 3 - G(0)$$

$$= 7 + (G(2) - G(0))$$

$\leq 7 \quad (\because G \text{ is a decreasing function, } G(2) - G(0) < 0)$

 \therefore

$$f(2) \leq 7$$

1.6 Evaluate :

39

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x), \text{ where } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2 - 4}{x - 2}, & x \neq 2 \\ \pi, & x = 2 \end{cases}$$

1.8

(2011 : 8 Marks)

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^2 - 4}{x - 2} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{(x-2)(x+2)}{(x-2)} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} (x+2) = 2+2=4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x) = 4$$

Sol

1.7 Let p and q be positive real numbers such that $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$. Show that for real numbers, $a, b \geq 0$

$$ab \leq \frac{a^p}{p} + \frac{b^q}{q}$$

(2012 : 12 Marks)

Solution:

If $b^q = 0$, the inequality reduces to $0 \leq \frac{a^p}{p}$ which is true for $a \geq 0$.

If $b^q > 0$, put $t = a^p b^{-q}$, the inequality $ab \leq \frac{a^p}{p} + \frac{b^q}{q}$ or $\frac{ab}{b^q} \leq \frac{a^p}{b^q} \cdot \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$

or

$\frac{a}{b^{q-1}} \leq \frac{a^p}{b^q} \cdot \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$ reduces to

$$t^{1/p} \leq \frac{t}{p} + \frac{1}{q} \quad \left[\because t^{1/p} = \frac{a}{b^{q/p}} = \frac{a}{b^{q-1}} \text{ as } \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1 \right]$$

Let

$$f(t) = t^{1/p} - \frac{t}{p} - \frac{1}{q}$$

By the Mean Value Theorem, for fixed $t \geq 0$, there is θ between 1 and t such that

$$\begin{aligned} f(t) &= f(t) - f(1) \\ &= f'(\theta)(t-1) \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{p} \theta^{\frac{1}{p}-1} - \frac{1}{p} \right)(t-1) = \frac{1}{p} \left(\theta^{\frac{1}{p}-1} - 1 \right)(t-1) \\ &= \frac{1}{p} \left(\theta^{-\frac{1}{2}} - 1 \right)(t-1) = \frac{1}{p} \theta^{-\frac{1}{q}} \left(1 - \theta^{\frac{1}{2}} \right)(t-1) \end{aligned}$$

Thus for $t \geq 0$, $\frac{1}{p} \theta^{-\frac{1}{q}} (1 - \theta^{\frac{1}{2}})(t-1) \leq 0$

\therefore for $t \geq 0$, $f(t) \leq 0$. Hence the result.

1.8 Define a sequence s_n of real numbers by

$$s_n = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(\log(n+i) - \log n)^2}{n+i}$$

Does $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} s_n$ exist? If so, compute the value of this limit and justify your answer.

(2012 : 20 Marks)

Solution:

Given,

$$\begin{aligned} s_n &= \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(\log(n+i) - \log n)^2}{n+i} \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\left[\log\left(1 + \frac{i}{n}\right) \right]^2}{n+i} \\ &= \frac{\left[\log\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right) \right]^2}{n+1} + \frac{\left[\log\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right) \right]^2}{n+2} + \dots + \frac{\left[\log\left(1 + \frac{x}{n}\right) \right]^2}{x+n} \end{aligned}$$

From 1st term,

$$\begin{aligned} a_1 &= \frac{\left[\log\left(\frac{n+1}{n}\right) \right]^2}{n+1} \\ &= \frac{[\log(n+1) - \log n]^2}{n+1} \\ &= \frac{\log^2(n+1) + \log^2 n - 2\log n \log(n+1)}{n+1} \\ \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_1 &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{\log^2(n+1)}{n+1} + \frac{\log^2 n}{n+1} - \frac{2\log n \log(n+1)}{n+1} \right] \\ \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_1 &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{2\log^2(n+1)}{n+1} + \frac{2\log n}{n} - \frac{2\log n}{n+1} - \frac{2\log(n+1)}{n} \right] \text{ (L'Hospital's Rule)} \end{aligned}$$

(L'Hospital's Rule)

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{n+1} - \frac{2}{n} - \frac{2}{n} - \frac{2}{n+1}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} -\frac{4}{n} = 0$$

Similarly,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_2 = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_3 = \dots = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n = 0$$

- 1.9 Find all the real values of p and q so that the integral $\int_0^1 x^p \left(\log \frac{1}{x}\right)^q dx$ converges.

(2012 : 20 Marks)

Solution:

The given integral is $\int_0^1 x^p \left(\log \frac{1}{x}\right)^q dx$

Put $\log \frac{1}{x} = t$ or $x = e^{-t}$,

$$\int_0^1 x^p \left(\log \frac{1}{x}\right)^q dx = \int_0^\infty t^q e^{-(p+1)t} dt$$

The integrand of the last integral has a point of infinite discontinuity 0. So, let us write

$$\int_0^\infty t^q e^{-(p+1)t} dt = \int_0^1 t^q e^{-(p+1)t} dt + \int_1^\infty t^q e^{-(p+1)t} dt$$

Convergence at 0.

Let

$$f(t) = t^q \cdot e^{-(p+1)t} = \frac{e^{-(p+1)t}}{t^{-q}}$$

On comparing $\int_0^1 t^q \cdot e^{-(p+1)t} dt$ with $\int_0^1 \frac{dt}{t^{-q}}$, we can conclude that $\int_0^1 t^q e^{-(p+1)t} dt$ converges at 0 only if $-q < 1$ or $q > -1$, for all values of p.

[∴ the improper integral $\int_a^b \frac{dx}{(x-a)^n}$ converges if and only if $n < 1$.]

Convergence at ∞ :

Let

$$f(t) = t^q e^{-(p+1)t} = \frac{t^q}{e^{(p+1)t}}$$

Let

$$f(t) = \frac{1}{t^2}, \text{ so that}$$

$$\frac{f(t)}{g(t)} = \frac{t^{q+2}}{e^{(p+1)t}} \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } t \rightarrow \infty, \text{ for all values of } q \text{ and } p+1 > 0.$$

But $\int_1^\infty \frac{dt}{t^2}$ converges. [∴ $\int_a^\infty \frac{cdx}{x^n}$ where $a > 0, c > 0$ converges iff $n > 1$]

Hence, $\int_1^\infty t^2 e^{-(p+1)t} dt$ converges for all q and only if $p+1 > 0$.

[\because If f and g are positive in $[a, x]$ and $\frac{f}{g} \rightarrow 0$, $\int_a^{\infty} g dx$ converges then $\int_a^{\infty} f dx$ converges].

Hence, $\int_0^1 x^p \left(\log \frac{1}{x} \right) dx$ is convergent for $p > -1$, $q > -1$ and divergent for all other values of p and q .

1.10 Prove that between two real roots of $e^x \cos x + 1 = 0$ a real root of $e^x \sin x + 1 = 0$ lies.

(2014 : 10 Marks)

Solution:

1C

Let $x = a$ and $x = b$ be two distinct roots of the given equation

$$e^x \cos x + 1 = 0$$

\therefore

$$e^a \cos a = -1$$

and

$$e^b \cos b = -1$$

\Rightarrow

$$\cos a = -e^{-a}$$

and

$$\cos b = -e^{-b}$$

...(i)

Let

$$f(x) = -\cos x - e^{-x} \quad \forall x \in [a, b]$$

(i) Since $\cos x$ and e^{-x} are continuous in $[a, b]$

$\therefore f(x)$ is continuous in $[a, b]$.

(ii)

$$f'(x) = \sin x + e^{-x}$$

which exists for all $x \in (a, b)$

(iii)

$$f(a) = -\cos a - e^{-a} = 0 \quad (\text{by (i)})$$

$$f(b) = -\cos b - e^{-b} = 0 \quad (\text{by (ii)})$$

\therefore

$$f(a) = f(b) = 0$$

\therefore The conditions of Rolle's theorem are satisfied.

\therefore At least one point $c \in (a, b)$ such that $f'(c) = 0$.

\Rightarrow

$$f'(c) = \sin c + e^{-c} = 0$$

\Rightarrow

$$\sin c = -e^{-c}$$

\Rightarrow

$$e^c \sin c = -1$$

\Rightarrow

$$e^c \sin c + 1 = 0$$

\Rightarrow $x = c \in (a, b)$ is a root of the equation $e^x \sin x + 1 = 0$

$\therefore e^x \sin x + 1 = 0$ has a real root between any two roots of the equation $e^x \cos x + 1 = 0$

1.11 Find the height of the cylinder of maximum volume that can be inscribed in a sphere of radius a .

(2014 : 15 Marks)

Solution:

3Q

Let O be the centre of sphere of radius ' a '.

Let ' h ' be the height and ' r ' be the radius of the cylinder.

Then

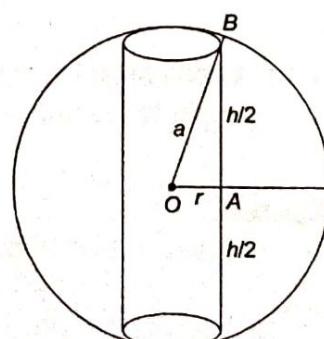
$$OA = r = \sqrt{a^2 - \frac{h^2}{4}}$$

The volume V of the cylinder

$$= \pi r^2 h$$

$$= \pi \left(a^2 - \frac{h^2}{4} \right) h$$

$$\therefore \frac{dv}{dh} = \pi \left(a^2 - \frac{3}{4} h^2 \right)$$



For v to be maximum or minimum, we must have

$$\frac{dv}{dh} = 0$$

i.e., $\pi \left(a^2 - \frac{3}{4} h^2 \right) = 0 \Rightarrow h = \frac{2a}{\sqrt{3}}$

Also, $\frac{d^2v}{dh^2} = \frac{-6h}{H} = \frac{-3}{2}h < 0$ at $h = \frac{2a}{\sqrt{3}}$

Hence, V is maximum when $h = \frac{2a}{\sqrt{3}}$

and maximum value

$$\begin{aligned} &= \pi \left(a^2 - \frac{h^2}{H} \right) h \\ &= \pi \left[a^2 - \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{2a}{\sqrt{3}} \right)^2 \right] \frac{2a}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{4\pi a^3}{\sqrt{3}} \end{aligned}$$

1.12 Evaluate the following limit : $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \left(2 - \frac{x}{a} \right)^{\tan\left(\frac{\pi x}{2a}\right)}$

(2015 : 10 Marks)

 Solution:

Let

$$L = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \left(2 - \frac{x}{a} \right)^{\tan\left(\frac{\pi x}{2a}\right)}$$

\Rightarrow

$$\log L = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \tan\left(\frac{\pi x}{2a}\right) \cdot \log\left(2 - \frac{x}{a}\right)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{\log\left(2 - \frac{x}{a}\right)}{\cot\left(\frac{\pi x}{2a}\right)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{\frac{-1}{a}}{\left(2 - \frac{x}{a}\right) \left(-\operatorname{cosec}^2\left(\frac{\pi x}{2a}\right) \cdot \frac{\pi}{2a}\right)} \quad (\text{Using L-Hospital Rule})$$

$$= \frac{\frac{2}{\pi}}{\left(-\operatorname{cosec}^2\left(\frac{\pi x}{2a}\right) \cdot \frac{\pi}{2a}\right)} \quad \left[\because \operatorname{cosec}\left(\frac{\pi x}{2a}\right) \rightarrow 1 \text{ as } x \rightarrow a \right]$$

$$L = e^{2/\pi}$$



1.13 A conical tent is of given capacity. For the least amount of canvas required for it, find the ratio of its height to the radius of its base.

(2015 : 13 Marks)

Solution:

Volume is fixed here.

$$\frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h = V$$

Surface Area (Lateral)

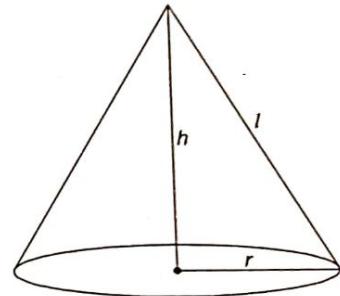
$$S = \pi r l = \pi r \sqrt{r^2 + h^2}$$

S is minimized whenever (S^2) is minimized (for non-negative values).
Hence, we take

$$\begin{aligned} S^2 &= \pi^2 r^2 (r^2 + h^2) \\ &= \pi^2 \cdot \frac{3V}{\pi h} \left[\frac{3V}{\pi h} + h^2 \right] \\ &= 3\pi V \left[\left(\frac{3V}{\pi} \right) \cdot \frac{1}{h^2} + h \right] \end{aligned} \quad \left[\text{from (i), } r^2 = \frac{3V}{\pi h} \right]$$

Differentiating w.r.t. h

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d(S^2)}{dh} &= 3\pi V \left[-\frac{6V}{\pi} \cdot \frac{1}{h^3} + 1 \right] \\ \frac{d^2(S^2)}{dh^2} &= 3\pi V \left[\frac{18V}{\pi} \cdot \frac{1}{h^4} \right] > 0 \end{aligned}$$



For critical points,

$$\frac{d(S^2)}{dh} = 0$$

$$3\pi V \left[-\frac{6V}{\pi h^3} + 1 \right] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 6V = \pi h^3$$

$$6 \cdot \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h = \pi h^3$$

$$\frac{h}{r} = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\text{and } \frac{d^2(S^2)}{dh^2} > 0. \text{ Hence Minima.}$$

1.14 For the cardioid, $r = a(1 + \cos \theta)$, show that the square of the radius of curvature at any point (r, θ) is proportional to r . Also find the radius of curvature if $\theta = 0, \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{2}$.

(2016 : 15 Marks)

Solution:

Cardioid :

$$r = a(1 + \cos \theta) \quad \dots(i)$$

Differentiating w.r.t. θ ,

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta} = -a \sin \theta = r_1$$

$$\frac{d^2r}{d\theta^2} = -a \cos \theta = r_2$$

Radius of curvature (in Polar Form) :

$$\rho = \frac{(r^2 + r_1^2)^{3/2}}{(r^2 + 2r_1^2 - rr_2)} \quad (\text{Standard Result})$$

$$= \frac{[a^2(1+\cos\theta)^2 + a^2\sin^2\theta]^{3/2}}{a^2(1+\cos\theta)^2 + 2a^2\sin^2\theta - a^2(1+\cos\theta)(-\sin\theta)}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{a^3[1+2\cos\theta+\cos^2\theta+\sin^2\theta]^{3/2}}{a^2[1+\cos^2\theta+2\cos\theta+2\sin^2\theta+\cos\theta+\cos^2\theta]} \\
 &= \frac{a(2(1+\cos\theta))^{3/2}}{3(1+\cos\theta)} = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}a\sqrt{1+\cos\theta}
 \end{aligned} \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$\rho^2 = \frac{8}{9}a(1+\cos\theta)$$

$$= \frac{8}{9}r$$

$$\rho^2 \propto r$$

$$\rho_{\theta=0} = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}a\sqrt{1+\cos 0^\circ} = \frac{4}{3}a$$

$$\rho_{\theta=\frac{\pi}{4}} = \frac{2}{3}a(\sqrt{2+\sqrt{2}})$$

$$\rho_{\theta=\frac{\pi}{2}} = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}a$$

...(from (ii))

1.15 Determine if $\lim_{z \rightarrow 1}(1-z)\tan\frac{\pi z}{2}$ exists or not. If the limit exists, then find its value.

(2018 : 10 Marks)

Solution:

If $\lim_{z \rightarrow 1}(1-z)\tan\frac{\pi z}{2}$ exists, then the given function should have finite value as $z \rightarrow 1$.

Now,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \lim_{z \rightarrow 1}(1-z)\tan\frac{\pi z}{2} &= \lim_{z \rightarrow 1} \frac{(1-z)}{\cos\frac{\pi z}{2}} \times \sin\left(\frac{\pi z}{2}\right)^1 \\
 &= \lim_{z \rightarrow 1} \frac{(1-z)}{\cos\left(\frac{\pi z}{2}\right)} \quad \left(\frac{0}{0} \text{ form}\right)
 \end{aligned}$$

Applying L-pital rule, we get

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow 1} \frac{(-1)}{-\frac{\pi}{2}\sin\left(\frac{\pi z}{2}\right)^1} = \frac{2}{\pi}$$

\therefore limit exists and is equal to $\frac{2}{\pi}$.

1.16 Find the limit $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{r=0}^{n-1} \sqrt{n^2 - r^2}$.

(2018 : 10 Marks)

Solution:

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{r=0}^{n-1} \sqrt{n^2 - r^2} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{n} \right) \sum_{r=0}^{n-1} \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{r}{n} \right)^2}$$

Consider the function $\sqrt{1-x^2}$ in the interval $[0, 1]$. Divide it into partitions of length $\frac{1}{n}$.

Therefore, given sum can be written in integral as limit of sum.

$$\text{i.e., } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{r=0}^{n-1} \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{r}{n}\right)^2} = \lim_{\delta_r \rightarrow 0} \sum f(\xi^2) \delta_r$$

$$\text{where } f(\xi) = \sqrt{1-\xi^2} \text{ and } \delta_r = \frac{1}{n}$$

\therefore given integral becomes

$$\int_0^1 \sqrt{1-x^2} dx = I$$

$$\text{Let } x = \sin \theta,$$

$$dx = \cos \theta d\theta$$

\therefore

$$I = \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{1-\sin^2 \theta} \cos \theta d\theta$$

$$= \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^2 \theta d\theta = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\pi/2} (1 + \cos 2\theta) d\theta$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\pi/2} d\theta + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos 2\theta d\theta$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{4} + 0$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{r=0}^{n-1} \sqrt{n^2 - r^2} = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

1.17 Let $f: \left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right] \rightarrow R$ be a continuous function such that

1a

$$f(x) = \frac{\cos^2 x}{4x^2 - \pi^2}, \quad 0 \leq x < \frac{\pi}{2}$$

Find the value of $f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$.

(2019 : 10 Marks)

Solution:

Given that $f: \left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right] \rightarrow R$ is a continuous function such that

$$f(x) = \frac{\cos^2 x}{4x^2 - \pi^2}$$

$$0 \leq x < \frac{\pi}{2}$$

Now, since f is continuous on $\left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$

We have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}^-} f(x) &= f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) \\
 &= f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}^-} \frac{\cos^2 x - \pi^2}{4x^2 - \pi^2} \left(0\atop 0\right) \\
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}^-} \frac{2\cos x(-\sin x)}{8x} \\
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}^-} \frac{-\sin 2x}{8x} \\
 &= \frac{-\sin 2\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)}{8\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)} = 0
 \end{aligned}$$

\therefore The value of $f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 0$.

1.18 Is $f(x) = |\cos x| + |\sin x|$ differentiable at $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$? If yes, find its derivative at $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$. If no, then give a proof of it.

(2019 : 15 Marks)

Solution:

Given function is

$$f(x) = |\cos x| + |\sin x|$$

Clearly $f(x)$ is continuous at $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$.

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}} f(x) = f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 1$$

Now, we inspect whether the given function is differentiable at $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$.

Consider,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{f(x) - f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)}{x - \frac{\pi}{2}} &= \lim_{n \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{f\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - n\right) - 1}{-h} \right] \\
 &= \lim_{n \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{|\sin h| + |\cos h| - 1}{-h} \right] \quad (\because \text{Both mod values are positive})
 \end{aligned}$$

So,

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \lim_{n \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin h + \cos h - 1}{-h} = \lim_{n \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos h - \sin h}{-1} \\
 &= -1
 \end{aligned}$$

Now, consider

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}^+} \left[\frac{f(x) - f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)}{x - \frac{\pi}{2}} \right] = \lim_{n \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{f\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + h\right) - 1}{h} \right]$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{|\cos h| + |\sin h| - 1}{h} \right] = \lim_{n \rightarrow 0} \frac{-\sin h + \cos h}{1}$$

$$= 1$$

\therefore Left hand derivative \neq Right hand derivative

The function $f(x) = |\cos x| + |\sin x|$ is not differentiable at $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$. Hence, the result.

3a

- 1.19 Find the maximum and the minimum value of the function $f(x) = 2x^3 - 9x^2 + 12x + 6$ on the interval $[2, 3]$.

(2019 : 13 Marks)

Solution:

Given :

$$f(x) = 2x^3 - 9x^2 + 12x + 6$$

$$f'(x) = 6x^2 - 18x + 12$$

Let

$$f'(x) = 0$$

$$6x^2 - 18x + 12 = 0$$

 \Rightarrow

$$x^2 - 3x + 2 = 0$$

 \Rightarrow

$$(x-1)(x-2) = 0$$

 \Rightarrow

$$x = 1, 2$$

These are the critical points of the $f(x)$ which $\notin [2, 3]$. Thus, $f(x)$ is monotonic on $[2, 3]$.

Now to check whether it is monotonic increasing or decreasing :

$$f'(2) = 6(4) - 18(2) + 12 = 24 - 36 + 12 = 0$$

$$f'(3) = 6(9) - 18(2) + 12 = 54 + 12 - 54 = 12 > 0$$

Since, $f'(2) = 0$, $f'(3) > 0$ and $f'(3) > f'(2)$.

Hence, $f(x)$ is monotonically increasing on $[2, 3]$.

Thus,

$$f_{\min} = f(x)|_{x=2} = 2 \times (2)^3 - 9 \times 4 + 12 \times 2 + 6$$

$$= 16 - 36 + 24 + 6$$

$$= 10$$

$$f_{\max} = f(x)|_{x=3} = 2 \times (3)^3 - 9 \times 9 + 12 \times 3 + 6$$

$$= 54 - 81 + 36 + 6$$

$$= 96 - 81$$

$$= 15$$

$$f_{\min} = 10 \text{ and } f_{\max} = 15. \text{ Hence, the result.}$$

+
~~5/20 2018~~
2(b)

2. Functions of Two and Three Variables

- 2.1 If $x = 3 \pm 0.01$ and $y = 4 \pm 0.01$ with approximately what accuracy can you calculate the polar coordinates r and θ of the point $P(x, y)$? Express your estimates as percentage changes of the value that r and θ have at point $(3, 4)$.

(2009 : 20 Marks)

Solution:

Approach : r and θ are functions of two variables x and y . We write the total derivative of each to calculate error from the error in the variables.

We have $x = 3$, $dx = 0.01$, $y = 4$, $dy = 0.01$

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

By definition

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x}$$

By total derivative

$$\begin{aligned} dr &= \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} dy \\ &= \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} dx + \frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} dy \\ &= \frac{3 \times 0.01}{5} + \frac{4}{5} \times 0.01 = \frac{7}{5} \times 0.01 \end{aligned}$$

Percentage error in r

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\Delta r}{r} \times 100 = \frac{\frac{7}{5} \times 0.01}{\sqrt{3^2 + 4^2}} \times 100 \\ &= \frac{7}{25} = 0.28\% \end{aligned}$$

Similarly,

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x} = \tan^{-1} \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\begin{aligned} d\theta &= \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y} dy \\ &= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{y^2}{x^2}} - \frac{y}{x^2} dx + \frac{1}{1 + \frac{y^2}{x^2}} - \frac{1}{x} dy \\ &= \frac{-y}{x^2 + y^2} dx + \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} dy \\ d\theta &= \frac{-4 \times 0.01}{25} + \frac{3}{25} \times 0.01 = \frac{-1}{25} \times 0.01 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Percentage error} = \frac{1}{\tan^{-1} \frac{4}{3}} \times 0.01 \times 100 = 0.043\%$$

2.2 Let $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be defined as

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{xy}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} & \text{if } (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & \text{if } (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$$

Is f continuous at $(0, 0)$? Compute partial derivatives of f at any point (x, y) if exist.

Solution:

(2009 : 20 Marks)

Approach : Using definition of continuity and partial derivative.

Function being rational is continuous at all (x, y) except possibly at $(0, 0)$.

Continuity at $(0, 0)$:

To check whether $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} = 0$.

Converting to polar coordinates with $x = r \cos \theta$, $y = r \sin \theta$, $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \sim \lim_{r \rightarrow 0}$

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{r^2 \sin \theta \cos \theta}{\sqrt{r^2 \cos^2 \theta + r^2 \sin^2 \theta}} = \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{r^2 \sin \theta \cos \theta}{r} \quad [r \text{ is always +ve}]$$

$$= \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} r \sin \theta \cos \theta = 0 \text{ for all values of } \theta.$$

$\therefore f(x, y)$ is cont. at $(0, 0)$ as well.

Partial derivative at $(x, y) \neq (0, 0)$.

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{y\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} - xy \cdot \frac{2x}{2}\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}{(x^2 + y^2)} = \frac{y(x^2 + y^2) - yx^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^{3/2}}$$

$$= \frac{y^3}{(x^2 + y^2)^{3/2}}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \frac{x\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} - xy \cdot \frac{2y}{2\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}}{(x^2 + y^2)} = \frac{x^3}{(x^2 + y^2)^{3/2}}$$

[Simply $x \leftrightarrow y$ as it is symmetrical function in x and y]

Partial derivative at $(0, 0)$

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

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0, k) - f(0, 0)}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{0 - 0}{k} = 0$$

- 2.3 A space probe in the shape of the ellipsoid $4x^2 + y^2 + 4z^2 = 16$ enters the earth's atmosphere and its surface begins to heat. After one hour the temperature at the point (x, y, z) on the probe surface is given by

$$T(x, y, z) = 8x^2 + 4yz - 16z + 600$$

Find hottest point on the probe surface.

(2009 : 20 Marks)

Solution:

Approach : Use Lagrange's multipliers.

$$\text{Max. } T(x, y, z) = 8x^2 + 4yz - 16z + 600 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{subject to } 4x^2 + y^2 + 4z^2 = 16 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Let

$$f = (8x^2 + 4yz - 16z + 600) + \lambda(4x^2 + y^2 + 4z^2 - 16)$$

Taking total derivative of f

$$df = (16 + 8\lambda)x dx + (4z + 2\lambda y) dy + (8\lambda z - 16) dz + 4y$$

For maximum/minimum

$$df = 0 \Rightarrow (16 + 8\lambda)x = 0; 4z + 2\lambda y = 0; 8\lambda z - 16 = 0 \quad \dots(iii)$$

Let $x \neq 0 \Rightarrow$

$$\lambda = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\begin{cases} 4z - y = 0 \\ -4z + 4y = 16 \end{cases} \quad y = \frac{16}{3}; z = \frac{4}{3}$$

Putting this in (iii)

$$x^2 = 4 - \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{256}{9} + \frac{64}{9} \right) = \frac{-44}{9} < 0$$

So this value is not possible.

$$\therefore x = 0$$

$$\begin{cases} 4z + 2\lambda y = 0 \\ 8\lambda z + 4y = 16 \end{cases} \quad (4\lambda^2 - 4)y = -16$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{4}{1-\lambda^2}$$

$$\text{and } z = \frac{-\lambda y}{2} = \frac{2\lambda}{\lambda^2 - 1}$$

Substituting in (ii)

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{16}{(1-\lambda^2)^2} + \frac{16\lambda^2}{(1-\lambda^2)^2} = 16 \\ \Rightarrow & 1 + \lambda^2 = (1-\lambda^2)^2 \\ \Rightarrow & 1 + \lambda^2 = \lambda^4 - 2\lambda^2 + 1 \\ \Rightarrow & \lambda^2(\lambda^2 - 3) = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & \lambda = 0; \lambda^2 = 3 \\ \Rightarrow & \lambda = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0, y = 4, z = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Let us consider x and y as independent and z as dependent variable.

(Note : We can do this because we have been given a relation between x , y and z)

From (ii) partially differentiating w.r.t. x .

$$\begin{aligned} 8x + 8z \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = 0 & \Rightarrow \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = -\frac{x}{z} \\ \therefore \frac{\partial T}{\partial x} &= 16x + 4y \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} - 16 \\ \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} &= 16x - \frac{4xy}{z} + \frac{16x}{z} \\ \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial x^2} &= 16 + (16-4y)\left(\frac{1}{z} - \frac{x}{z^2} \cdot \frac{\partial z}{\partial x}\right) \\ &= 16 + (16-4y)\left(\frac{1}{z} + \frac{x^2}{z^3}\right) \end{aligned}$$

At $y = 4$, $\frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial x^2} > 0$, so this cannot be maxima.

$$\lambda^2 = 3, \lambda = \pm\sqrt{3}$$

$$\lambda = \sqrt{3}, z = \sqrt{3}, y = -2, x = 0$$

Again $\frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial x^2} > 0$ so this can not be a maxima.

$$\lambda = -\sqrt{3}, z = -\sqrt{3}, y = -2, x = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial x^2} = 16 - \frac{24}{\sqrt{3}} < 0$$

So, this is a maxima.

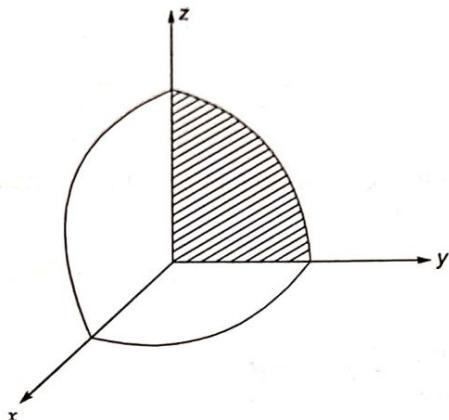
\therefore Hottest point is $(0, -2, -\sqrt{3})$.

2.4 Evaluate : $I = \iint_S xdydz + dzdx + xz^2 dxdy$ where S is the outer surface of the part of the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$ in the first quadrant.

(2009 : 20 Marks)

Solution:

Approach : Surface integral with two changing variables can be calculated by taking the projection of the surface in the required plane. Use of polar coordinates can simplify integration.



$$I = I_1 + I_2 + I_3$$

$$I_1 = \iint_S xdydz$$

$$I_2 = \iint_S dzdx$$

$$I_3 = \iint_S xz^2 dxdy$$

For I_1 the area of integration is projection on YZ plane, i.e., $y^2 + z^2 \leq 1$ in the first quadrant.

Also,

$$x = (1 - y^2 - z^2)^{1/2}$$

Converting to polar coordinates

$$y = r \cos \theta, z = r \sin \theta$$

$$x = (1 - r^2)^{1/2} = (1 - r^2)^{1/2}$$

$$I_1 = \iint_S xdydz = \int_{\theta=0}^{\pi/2} \int_{r=0}^1 (1-r^2)^{1/2} r dr d\theta$$

$$= \int_{\theta=0}^{\pi/2} \int_{r=0}^1 (1-t)^{1/2} \frac{dt}{2} d\theta \quad (r^2 = t)$$

$$= \int_{\theta=0}^{\pi/2} \left[\frac{-(1-t)^{3/2}}{3} \right]_{r=0}^1 d\theta = \frac{1}{2} \int_{\theta=0}^{\pi/2} d\theta = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

For I_2 the area of integration is $x^2 + z^2 \leq 1$ in first quadrant converting to polar coordinates.

$$I_2 = \int_{\theta=0}^{\pi/2} \int_{r=0}^1 r dr d\theta = \left[\frac{r^2}{2} \right]_0^1 [\theta]_{\theta=0}^{\pi/2} = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

For I_3 the area of integration is $x^2 + y^2 \leq 1$ in the first quadrant.

Take $x = r \cos \theta, y = r \sin \theta, dxdy = r dr d\theta$

$$z^2 = 1 - x^2 - y^2 = (1 - r^2)$$

$$\therefore I_3 = \int_{0=0}^{\pi/2} \int_{r=0}^1 r \cos \theta (1-r^2) r dr d\theta \\ = \int_{r=0}^1 r^2 - r^4 dr \int_{0=0}^{\pi/2} \cos \theta d\theta$$

Since r and θ are now explicitly separated so integration can now be done separately.

$$= \left[\frac{r^3}{3} - \frac{r^5}{5} \right]_0^1 \times 1 = \frac{2}{15} \\ \therefore I = \frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{2}{15} = \frac{5\pi}{12} + \frac{2}{15}$$

2.5 If $f(x, y)$ is a homogenous function of degree n in x and y and has continuous first and second order partial derivatives then show that

$$(i) x \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = nf \\ (ii) x^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + 2xy \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + y^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} = n(n-1)f$$

(2010 : 20 Marks)

Solution:

$$(i) \text{ Given } f(x, y) \text{ is a homogenous function, of degree } n. \\ \therefore f(\lambda x, \lambda y) = \lambda^n f(x, y)$$

Differentiating on both sides, we get

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial(x\lambda)} \times \frac{\partial(\lambda x)}{\partial \lambda} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial(y\lambda)} \times \frac{\partial(\lambda y)}{\partial \lambda} = n\lambda^{n-1}f(x, y) \\ \Rightarrow x \frac{\partial f}{\partial(\lambda x)} + y \frac{\partial f}{\partial(\lambda y)} = n\lambda^{n-1}f(x, y)$$

Putting $\lambda = 1$, we get

$$x \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = nf \quad (\text{It is called as Euler's Theorem})$$

$$(ii) x \frac{\partial f}{\partial(\lambda x)} + y \frac{\partial f}{\partial(\lambda y)} = n\lambda^{n-1}f(x, y) \\ \Rightarrow x \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial(\lambda x)^2} \times \frac{\partial \lambda x}{\partial \lambda} + y \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial(\lambda y)^2} \times \frac{\partial(\lambda y)}{\partial \lambda} + x \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial(\lambda x) \partial(\lambda y)} \times \frac{\partial \lambda y}{\partial \lambda} + y \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial(\lambda y) \partial(\lambda x)} \times \frac{\partial(\lambda x)}{\partial \lambda} = n(n-1)\lambda^{n-2}f(x, y) \\ \Rightarrow x^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial(\lambda x)^2} + y^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial(\lambda y)^2} + 2xy \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial(\lambda x) \partial(\lambda y)} = n(n-1)\lambda^{n-2}f(x, y)$$

Putting $\lambda = 1$, we get

$$x^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + y^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} + 2xy \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} = n(n-1)f(x, y) \\ \text{or} \quad x^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + 2xy \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + y^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} = n(n-1)f$$

2.6 Find $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2y}{x^3 + y^3}$ if it exists.

(2011 : 10 Marks)

Solution:

Let $(x, y) \rightarrow (0, 0)$ along the line $y = mx$.

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x,y) &= \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2y}{x^3 + y^3} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{mx^3}{x^3 + m^3x^3} = \frac{m}{1+m^3}\end{aligned}$$

which is not unique as it assumes different values for different values of m .

$\therefore \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x,y)$ does not exist.

2.7 Find the points on the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 4$ that are closest to and farthest from the point $(3, 1, -1)$.

(2011 : 20 Marks)

Solution:

Distance of the point $(3, 1, -1)$ from $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 4$ is given by

$$D = \sqrt{(x-3)^2 + (y-1)^2 + (z+1)^2}$$

Let

$$f(x, y, z) = D^2 = (x-3)^2 + (y-1)^2 + (z+1)^2$$

and

$$g(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 4$$

Then using

$$\nabla f = \lambda \nabla g$$

$$\text{i.e., } \left(\hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \left[(x-3)^2 + (y-1)^2 + (z+1)^2 \right] = \lambda \left(\hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) (x^2 + y^2 + z^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(x-3)\hat{i} + 2(y-1)\hat{j} + 2(z+1)\hat{k} = \lambda(2x\hat{i} + 2y\hat{j} + 2z\hat{k})$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{3}{1-\lambda}, y = \frac{1}{1-\lambda}, z = \frac{-1}{1-\lambda}$$

Putting these values in $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 4$, we get

$$\frac{9}{(1-\lambda)^2} + \frac{1}{(1-\lambda)^2} + \frac{1}{(1-\lambda)^2} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 1-\lambda = \pm \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2}$$

$$\text{For } 1-\lambda = \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2},$$

$$x = \frac{6}{\sqrt{\pi}}, y = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}}, z = \frac{-2}{\sqrt{\pi}}$$

$$\text{For } 1-\lambda = -\frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2},$$

$$x = -\frac{6}{\sqrt{\pi}}, y = -\frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}}, z = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}}$$

\therefore The point on the sphere that is closest to $(3, 1, -1)$ is $\left(\frac{6}{\sqrt{11}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{11}}, \frac{-2}{\sqrt{11}} \right)$ and the point on the sphere that

is farthest from $(3, 1, -1)$ is $\left(\frac{-6}{\sqrt{11}}, \frac{-2}{\sqrt{11}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{11}} \right)$.

2.8 Define a function f of two real variables in the xy -plane by

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^3 \cos \frac{1}{y} + y^3 \cos \frac{1}{x}}{x^2 + y^2} & \text{for } x, y \neq 0 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Check the continuity and differentiability of f at $(0, 0)$.

(2012 : 12 Marks)

Solution:

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^3 \cos \frac{1}{y} + y^3 \cos \frac{1}{x}}{x^2 + y^2}, & x, y \neq 0 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Let $\epsilon > 0$ be arbitrary, then

$$|x - 0| < \frac{\epsilon}{2}, |y - 0| < \frac{\epsilon}{2}, (x, y) \neq (0, 0)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow f(x, y) - 0 &= \left| \frac{x^3 \cos \frac{1}{y} + y^3 \cos \frac{1}{x}}{x^2 + y^2} \right| \\ &\leq |x| \left| \frac{x^2}{x^2 + y^2} \right| \left| \cos \frac{1}{y} \right| + |y| \left| \frac{y^2}{x^2 + y^2} \right| \left| \sin \frac{1}{x} \right| \\ &\quad [\because |a + b| \leq |a| + |b| \text{ and } |ab| = |a||b|] \\ &\leq |x| + |y| \quad \left[\because \left| \frac{x^2}{x^2 + y^2} \right| \leq 1, \left| \frac{y^2}{x^2 + y^2} \right| \leq 1 \text{ and } \left| \cos \frac{1}{y} \right|, \left| \sin \frac{1}{x} \right| \leq 1 \right] \\ &< \frac{\epsilon}{2} + \frac{\epsilon}{2} = \epsilon \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore |f(x, y) - f(0, 0)| < \epsilon$$

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

$\Rightarrow f$ is continuous at $(0, 0)$.

$$f_x(0, 0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h, 0) - f(0, 0)}{h} \text{ does not exist.}$$

$$f_y(0, 0) = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0, k) - f(0, 0)}{k} \text{ does not exist.}$$

$\therefore f$ is not differential at the origin.

2.9 Find the points of local extrema and saddle points of the function f of two variables defined by

$$f(x, y) = x^3 + y^3 - 63(x + y) + 12xy$$

(2012 : 20 Marks)

Solution:

Here

$$f(x, y) = x^3 + y^3 - 63(x + y) + 12xy$$

Then,

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = 3x^2 - 63 + 12y$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 3y^2 - 63 + 12x$$

Solving

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = 0, \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 0, \text{ we get}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3x^2 - 63 + 12y &= 0, 3y^2 - 63 + 12x = 0 \\ x^2 + 4y - 21 &= 0 \\ y^2 + 4x - 21 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

...(i)

...(ii)

Subtracting (ii) from (i), we get

$$(x^2 - y^2) + 4(y - x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - y)(x + y - 4) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Either } x - y = 0 \text{ or } x + y - 4 = 0$$

Solving $x - y = 0$ and $x^2 + 4y - 21 = 0$, we get

$$x = 3, -7 \text{ and } y = 3, -7$$

Again, solving $x + y - 4 = 0$ and $x^2 + 4y - 21 = 0$, we get

$$y = 5, -1 \text{ and } x = -1, 5$$

∴ There are four critical points namely $(3, 3), (-7, -7), (-1, 5), (5, -1)$.

Let

$$r = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = 6x$$

$$s = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} = 12$$

$$t = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} = 6y$$

At $(3, 3)$,

$$rt - s^2 = 36(3)(3) - 144 = 180 > 0$$

and

$$r = 6(3) = 18 > 0$$

∴ $f(x, y)$ is minimum at $(3, 3)$

and

$$\text{minimum value} = f(3, 3)$$

$$= 27 + 27 - 63(3 + 3) + 12(3)(3)$$

$$= -216$$

At $(-7, -7)$,

$$rt - s^2 = 1620 > 0$$

and

$$r = -42 < 0$$

∴ $f(x, y)$ is maximum at $(-7, -7)$

and

$$\text{maximum value} = f(-7, -7) = 784$$

At $(-1, 5)$,

$$rt - s^2 = -324 < 0$$

∴ at $(-1, 5)$, $f(x, y)$ is neither maximum nor minimum.

At $(5, -1)$,

$$rt - s^2 = -324 < 0$$

∴ at $(5, -1)$, $f(x, y)$ is neither maximum nor minimum.

2.10 Using Lagrange's multiplier method, find the shortest distance between the line $y = 10 - 2x$ and the

$$\text{ellipse } \frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1.$$

(2013 : 20 Marks)

Solution:

Approach : This problem can be solved geometrically. But to use Lagrange's multipliers we can parametrize or use geometric condition of either the ellipse or the line.
e.g., if we took $(2 \cos \theta, 3 \sin \theta)$ as general point on ellipse the question could be solved without Lagrange's multipliers.

Square of distance of any point from line $y = 10 - 2x$ is $\frac{(2x+y-10)^2}{5}$.

So, we have to minimise $(2x+y-10)^2$... (i)

$$\text{subject to } \frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1 \quad \dots (\text{ii})$$

Let

$$u = (2x+y-10)^2$$

$$f = (2x+y-10)^2 - \lambda \left(\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{9} - 10 \right) \quad \dots (\text{iii})$$

$$df = \left(4(2x+y-10) - \frac{\lambda x}{2} \right) dx + \left(2(2x+y-10) - \frac{2\lambda y}{9} \right) dy$$

For stationary point, we chose λ such that

$$4(2x+y-10) - \frac{\lambda x}{2} = 0$$

$$\text{and} \quad 2(2x+y-10) - \frac{2\lambda y}{9} = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{i.e., } & \left. \begin{aligned} \left(8 - \frac{\lambda}{2} \right)x + 4y = 40 \\ 4x + \left(2 - \frac{2\lambda}{9} \right)y = 20 \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow \left[16 - \left(8 - \frac{\lambda}{2} \right) \left(2 - \frac{2\lambda}{9} \right) \right] y \\ &= 160 - 20 \left(8 - \frac{\lambda}{2} \right) \\ \Rightarrow & \left[\frac{25\lambda}{9} - \frac{\lambda^2}{9} \right] y = 10\lambda \Rightarrow y = \frac{90}{25-\lambda} \\ \therefore & x = \frac{80}{25-\lambda} \end{aligned}$$

Putting this in (ii)

$$\frac{1600}{(25-\lambda)^2} + \frac{900}{(25-\lambda)^2} = 1 \Rightarrow 25-\lambda = \pm 50$$

$$x = \pm \frac{8}{5}, y = \pm \frac{9}{5}$$

Now

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 4(2x+y-10); \quad \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = 8$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 2(2x+y-10); \quad \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 2$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} = 4$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} \cdot \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} - \left(\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} \right)^2 = 16 - 16 = 0 \geq 0$$

And

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} > 0$$

So, given value is a minima.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Shortest distance} &= \frac{\left| 2 \cdot \frac{8}{5} + \frac{9}{5} - 10 \right|}{\sqrt{5}} \\ &= \frac{5}{\sqrt{5}} = \sqrt{5}\end{aligned}$$

2.11 Compute $f_{xy}(0, 0)$ and $f_{yx}(0, 0)$ for the function

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{xy^3}{x+y^2} & (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$$

Also discuss the continuity of f_{xy} and f_{yx} at $(0, 0)$.

(2013 : 15 Marks)

Solution:

We first compute f_x and f_y at all point.

f_x at $(x, y) \neq (0, 0)$

$$\begin{aligned}f_x &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{xy^3}{x+y^2} \right) = \frac{y^3(x+y^2) - xy^3}{(x+y^2)^2} = \frac{y^5}{(x+y^2)^2} \\ f_x(0, 0) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h, 0) - f(0, 0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{0 - 0}{h} = 0 \\ f_y(x, y) &= \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\frac{xy^3}{x+y^2} \right) = \frac{3y^2x(x+y^2) - 2y \cdot xy^3}{(x+y^2)^2} \\ &= \frac{xy^4 + 3x^2y^2}{(x+y^2)^2} \text{ when } (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ f_y(0, 0) &= \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0, k) - f(0, 0)}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{0 - 0}{k} = 0\end{aligned}$$

Now, we compute $f_{xy}(0, 0)$ and $f_{yx}(0, 0)$

$$f_{xy}(0, 0) = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{f_x(0, k) - f_x(0, 0)}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{k - 0}{k} = 1$$

$$\therefore f_{xy}(0, 0) = 1$$

$$f_{yx}(0, 0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f_y(h, 0) - f_y(0, 0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{0 - 0}{h} = 0$$

$$\therefore f_{yx}(0, 0) = 0$$

Now for continuity we compute f_{xy} and f_{yx} at other points.

$$\begin{aligned}f_{xy} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (f_x) = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\frac{y^5}{(x+y^2)^2} \right) \\ &= \frac{5y^4(x+y^2)^2 - y^5 \cdot 2(x+y^2) \cdot 2y}{(x+y^2)^4} \\ &= \frac{5y^4(x+y^2) - 4y^6}{(x+y^2)^3} = \frac{5xy^4 + y^6}{(x+y^2)^3}\end{aligned}$$

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f_{xy} = \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{5xy^4 + y^6}{(x+y^2)^3}$$

Let $(x, y) \rightarrow (0, 0)$ along $x = my^2$

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{5xy^4 + y^6}{(x+y^2)^3} &= \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{(5m+1)y^6}{(m+1)^3 y^6} \\ &= \frac{5m+1}{(m+1)^3} \text{ which depends on } m. \end{aligned}$$

So, limit does not exist and so f_{xy} is not continuous at $(0, 0)$. continuity of f_{yx} at $(0, 0)$.

$$\begin{aligned} f_{yx} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{xy^4 + 3x^2y^2}{(x+y^2)^2} \right) \\ &= \frac{(y^6 + 6xy^2)(x+y^2)^2 - 2(x+y^2)(xy^4 + 3x^2y^2)}{(x+y^2)^4} \\ &= \frac{y^6 + 5xy^4}{(x+y^2)^3} \end{aligned}$$

Again by taking $x = my^2$ we see that $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f_{yx}$ does not exist.

$\therefore f_{yx}$ is not continuous at $(0, 0)$.

- 2.12 Find the maximum or minimum values of $x^2 + y^2 + z^2$ subject to the conditions $ax^2 + by^2 + cz^2 = 1$ and $lx + my + nz = 0$. Interpret the result geometrically.

(2014 : 20 Marks)

Solution:

Given that

$$f(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \quad \dots(i)$$

subject to the conditions

$$ax^2 + by^2 + cz^2 = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

and

$$lx + my + nz = 0 \quad \dots(iii)$$

Let us consider a function F of independent variables x, y, z

where

$$F = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + l(ax^2 + by^2 + cz^2 - 1) + l^2(lx + my + nz) \quad \dots(iv)$$

$$\therefore dF = (2x + 2ax\lambda_1 + l\lambda_2)dx + (2y + 2by\lambda_1 + m\lambda_2)dy$$

$$+ (2z + 2cz\lambda_1 + n\lambda_2)dz \quad (\because dF = F_x dx + F_y dy + F_z dz) \quad \dots(v)$$

$$dF = 0$$

$$F_x = 0 \Rightarrow 2x + 2ax\lambda_1 + l\lambda_2 = 0$$

$$F_y = 0 \Rightarrow 2y + 2by\lambda_1 + m\lambda_2 = 0$$

$$F_z = 0 \Rightarrow 2z + 2cz\lambda_1 + n\lambda_2 = 0$$

Multiplying (vi) by x, y, z respectively and adding we get

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow 2(x^2 + y^2 + z^2) + 2(ax^2 + by^2 + cz^2)\lambda_1 + (lx + my + nz)\lambda_2 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow 2u + 2(1)\lambda_1 + 0(\lambda_2) &= 0 \quad \text{where } u = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \\ \Rightarrow \lambda_1 &= -u \end{aligned}$$

From (vi), we have

$$2x + 2ax(-u) + l\lambda_2 = 0 \Rightarrow x = \frac{l\lambda_2}{2(1-au)}$$

$$2y + 2by(-u) + m\lambda_2 = 0 \Rightarrow y = \frac{-m\lambda_2}{2(1-bu)}$$

$$2z + 2cz(-u) + n\lambda_2 = 0 \Rightarrow z = \frac{n\lambda_2}{2(1-cu)}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(iii)} &\equiv l\left(\frac{-l\lambda_2}{2(1-au)}\right) + m\left(\frac{-m\lambda_2}{2(1-bu)}\right) + n\left(\frac{-n\lambda_2}{2(1-cu)}\right) = 0 \\
 \Rightarrow &= \lambda_2 \left[\frac{l^2}{1-au} + \frac{m^2}{1-bu} + \frac{n^2}{1-cu} \right] = 0 \quad \dots(\text{vii})
 \end{aligned}$$

If $\lambda_2 = 0$ then we get $x = y = z = 0$ but $(x, y, z) = (0, 0, 0)$ does not satisfy one of the condition of the constraint (i).

From (vii), we have

$$\frac{l^2}{1-au} + \frac{m^2}{1-bu} + \frac{n^2}{1-cu} = 0$$

which gives the maxima and minima of u

$$\text{i.e., } u = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$$

2.13 Which point of the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$ is at the maximum distance from the point $(2, 1, 3)$?

(2015 : 13 Marks)

Solution:

Calculus Approach : Let (x, y, z) be such point.

Then maximize,

$$u = (x-2)^2 + (y-1)^2 + (z-3)^2 \quad \dots(\text{i})$$

such that,

$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1 \quad \dots(\text{ii})$$

Let

$$u = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 1$$

Consider,

$$F = u + \lambda u$$

$$F = (x-2)^2 + (y-1)^2 + (z-3)^2 + \lambda(x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 1)$$

$$dF = 0$$

$$2[(x-2) + \lambda x]dx + 2[(y-1) + \lambda y]dy + 2[(z-3) + \lambda z]dz = 0$$

$$(\lambda+1)x = 2 \Rightarrow x = \frac{2}{\lambda+1}, y = \frac{1}{\lambda+1}, z = \frac{3}{\lambda+1}$$

$$(\lambda+1)y = 1$$

$$(\lambda+1)z = 3$$

From (ii),

$$\frac{4+1+9}{(\lambda+1)^2} = 1 \Rightarrow \lambda+1 = \pm\sqrt{14}$$

Taking $\lambda+1 = \pm\sqrt{14}$,

$$(x, y, z) = \left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{14}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{14}}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{14}} \right)$$

$$u = \left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{14}} - 2 \right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{14}} - 1 \right)^2 + \left(\frac{3}{\sqrt{14}} - 3 \right)^2 = (\sqrt{14} - 1)^2$$

Taking $\lambda+1 = -\sqrt{14}$,

$$(x, y, z) = \left(\frac{-2}{\sqrt{14}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{14}}, \frac{-3}{\sqrt{14}} \right)$$

$$u = \left(\frac{-2}{\sqrt{14}} - 2 \right)^2 + \left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{14}} - 1 \right)^2 + \left(\frac{-3}{\sqrt{14}} - 3 \right)^2 = (\sqrt{14} + 1)^2$$

Hence, the point $\left(\frac{-2}{\sqrt{14}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{14}}, \frac{-3}{\sqrt{14}} \right)$ of the sphere is at the maximum distance from point $(2, 1, 3)$.

$$\text{Max. distance} = \sqrt{u} = (\sqrt{14} + 1)$$

Geometrical Approach : The equation of straight line through centre $(0, 0, 0)$ and point $(2, 1, 3)$ is $\frac{x}{2} = \frac{y}{1} = \frac{z}{3}$.

This line will cut the sphere in two points (one maximum, one minimum).

2.14 For the function

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2 - x\sqrt{y}}{x^2 + y}, & (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0, & (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$$

Examine the continuity and differentiability.

(2015 : 12 Marks)

Solution:

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2 - x\sqrt{y}}{x^2 + y}, & (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0, & (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$$

for continuity (0, 0)

check $f(x, y)$ along $x = M\sqrt{y}$ in the neighborhood of origin

$$\begin{aligned} f(x, y) &= f(M\sqrt{y}, y) = \frac{M^2 y - M\sqrt{y}\sqrt{y}}{M^2 y + y} \\ &= y \frac{(M^2 - M)}{(M^2 + 1)} = \frac{M^2 - M}{M^2 + 1} \end{aligned}$$

As the values of $f(x, y)$ depends on the values of m in the neighborhood of origin, so there will not be any unique values there. So, $f(x, y)$ is not continuous at origin.For differentiability at (0, 0): As $f(x, y)$ is not continuous at (0, 0) \Rightarrow It is not differentiable there.

For values other than (0, 0): As the function is continuous and one values everywhere, so it is differentiable also.

2.15 Find the maximum and minimum value of $x^2 + y^2 + z^2$ subject to the conditions $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{5} + \frac{z^2}{25} = 1$ and $x + y - z = 0$.

(2016 : 20 Marks)

Solution:

Let

$$F(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + \lambda \left(\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{5} + \frac{z^2}{25} - 1 \right) + \mu(x + y - z)$$

For stationary points,

$$dF = 0$$

$$dx = 2x + \frac{2x}{4}\lambda + \mu = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$dy = 2y + \frac{2y}{5}\lambda + \mu = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$dz = 2z + \frac{2z}{25}\lambda - \mu = 0 \quad \dots(iii)$$

Multiplying equations (i), (ii), (iii) with x, y, z and adding, we get

$$\begin{aligned} 2(x^2 + y^2 + z^2) + 2\lambda \left(\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{5} + \frac{z^2}{25} \right) + \mu(x + y - z) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow 2(x^2 + y^2 + z^2) + 2\lambda &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{5} + \frac{z^2}{25} = 1 \quad \dots(iv)$$

$$\therefore \begin{aligned} x + y - z &= 0 \\ x^2 + y^2 + z^2 &= -\lambda \end{aligned} \quad \dots(v) \quad \dots(vi)$$

From eqns. (i), (ii) and (iii)

$$x = \frac{-\mu}{1+\frac{\lambda}{4}}, y = \frac{-\mu}{1+\frac{\lambda}{5}}, z = \frac{\mu}{1+\frac{\lambda}{25}}$$

$$\text{Eqn. (v)} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{1+\frac{\lambda}{4}} + \frac{1}{1+\frac{\lambda}{5}} + \frac{1}{1+\frac{\lambda}{25}} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 17\lambda^2 + 245\lambda + 750 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = -10, -\frac{75}{17}$$

$$\therefore \text{Max}(x^2 + y^2 + z^2) = 10$$

$$\text{Min}(x^2 + y^2 + z^2) = \frac{75}{17} \quad (\text{from (vi)})$$

2.16 Let $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{2x^4y - 5x^2y^2 + y^5}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}, & (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0, & (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$. Find a $\delta > 0$ such that $|f(x, y) - f(0, 0)| < 0.01$, whenever $\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} < \delta$.

(2016 : 15 Marks)

Solution:

Here

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

$$\therefore |f(x) - f(0, 0)| = \left| \frac{2x^4y - 5x^2y^2 + y^5}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \right|$$

(Some printing mistake in the question, take either $5x^3y^2$ or $5x^2y^3$ in numerator)

$$|f(x) - f(0, 0)| \leq 2 \left| \frac{x^4y}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \right| + 5 \left| \frac{x^3y^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \right| + \left| \frac{y^5}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \right| \quad (\text{using triangle inequality})$$

Now, as $x \leq \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$, $y \leq \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$

$$\therefore x^p \cdot y^q \leq \left(\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \right)^{p+q}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore |f(x) - f(0, 0)| &\leq 2 \left| \frac{(x^2 + y^2)^{5/2}}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \right| + 5 \left| \frac{(x^2 + y^2)^{5/2}}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \right| + \left| \frac{(x^2 + y^2)^{5/2}}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \right| \\ &\leq 8(x^2 + y^2)^{1/2} \\ &< 0.01 \text{ if } \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} < \frac{0.01}{8} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{Take } \delta = \frac{0.01}{8} = 1.25 \times 10^{-3} \text{ so that } |f(x, y) - f(0, 0)| < 0.01$$

2.17 If $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{xy(x^2 - y^2)}{x^2 + y^2}, & (x, y) \neq (0, 0), \\ 0, & (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$, calculate $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y}$ and $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x}$ at $(0, 0)$.

(2017 : 15 Marks)

Solution:

By definition,

$$f_{xy}(0, 0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f_y(h, 0) - f_y(0, 0)}{h}$$

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

$$f_y(h, 0) = \lim_{K \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h, K) - f(h, 0)}{K} = \lim_{K \rightarrow 0} \frac{hK(h^2 - K^2)}{K(h^2 + K^2)} = h$$

$$\therefore f_{xy}(0, 0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h - 0}{h} = 1$$

$$f_{yx}(0, 0) = \lim_{K \rightarrow 0} \frac{f_x(0, K) - f_x(0, 0)}{K}$$

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

$$f_x(0, K) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h, K) + f(0, K)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{hK(h^2 - K^2)}{h(h^2 + K^2)} = -K$$

$$\therefore f_{yx}(0, 0) = \lim_{K \rightarrow 0} \frac{-K - 0}{K} = -1$$

$$\therefore f_{xy}(0, 0) \neq f_{yx}(0, 0)$$

2.18 Find the shortest distance from the point $(1, 0)$ to the parabola $y^2 = 4x$.

(2018 : 13 Marks)

Solution:

Let any point on parabola be (x, y) square of distance from given point $(1, 0)$ is $(x - 1)^2 + y^2$. (x, y) also lies on $y^2 = 4x$.

Let

At extremum,

i.e.,

From (ii),

i.e., either $y = 0$ or $\lambda = -1$ if $\lambda = -1$, then

∴

But $x = -1 \Rightarrow y^2 = -4$ which is not possible.

∴

So, $(x, y) \equiv (0, 0)$ is point of extremum.

Also,

$$f = (x - 1)^2 + y^2 + \lambda(y^2 - 4x), \text{ where } \lambda \text{ is Lagregian multiplier.}$$

$$f_x = f_y = 0$$

$$f_x = 2(x - 1) - 4\lambda = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$f_y = 2y + 2\lambda y = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$y(\lambda + 1) = 0$$

$$2(x - 1) = -4$$

$$x = -1$$

(from (ii))

$$\begin{aligned} f_{xx} &= 2, f_{yy} = 2 + 2\lambda, f_{xy} = 0 \\ d^2f &= f_{xx}dx + f_{yy}dy + f_x d^2x + f_y d^2y \\ &= 2xdx + 2(1 + \lambda)dy \\ &= 0 + (x + 1)dy = (x + 1)dy > 0 \end{aligned}$$

∴ Shortest distance from $(1, 0)$ is $\sqrt{(0-1)^2 + (0-0)^2}$.

2.19 Let

$$\begin{aligned} f(x, y) &= xy^2 \text{ if } y > 0 \\ &= -xy^2 \text{ if } y \leq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Determine which of $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(0, 1)$ and $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(0, 1)$ exists and which does not exist.

(2018 : 12 Marks)

Solution:

We have,

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(0, 1) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h, 1) - f(0, 1)}{h} = \lim_{n \rightarrow 0} \frac{n \times 1^2 - 0}{n} = 1$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(0, 1) = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0, 1+k) - f(0, 1)}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{0 - 0}{k} = 0$$

Thus,

So both exists.

$$f_x(0, 1) = 1 \text{ and } f_y(0, 1) = 0$$

2.20 (i) If

$$u = \sin^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{x^{1/3} + y^{1/3}}{x^{1/2} + y^{1/2}}}$$

then show that $\sin^2 u$ is a homogeneous function of x and y of degree $-\frac{1}{6}$. Hence show that

$$x^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + 2xy \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} + y^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = \frac{\tan u}{12} \left(\frac{13}{12} + \frac{\tan^2 u}{12} \right)$$

(2019 : 12 Marks)

(ii) Using the Jacobian method, show that if $f(x) = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$ and $f(0) = 0$, then

$$f(x) + f(y) = f\left(\frac{x+y}{1-xy}\right)$$

(2019 : 8 Marks)

Solution:

(i) Given that

$$u = \sin^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{x^{1/3} + y^{1/3}}{x^{1/2} + y^{1/2}}}$$

we can write

$$\begin{aligned} \sin u &= \left[\frac{x^{1/3} + y^{1/3}}{x^{1/2} + y^{1/2}} \right]^{1/2} = \frac{x^{1/6}}{x^{1/4}} \left[\frac{1 + (y/x)^{1/3}}{1 + (y/x)^{1/2}} \right]^{1/2} \\ &= x^{-1/2} f\left(\frac{y}{x}\right) \end{aligned}$$

\Rightarrow

$$\begin{aligned} \sin^2 u &= \left[\frac{x^{1/3} + y^{1/3}}{x^{1/2} + y^{1/2}} \right] = \frac{x^{1/3}}{x^{1/2}} \left[\frac{1 + \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^{1/3}}{1 + \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^{1/2}} \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$= x^{-1/6} f\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)$$

Thus, $z = \sin^2 u$ is a homogeneous function of x and y of degree $-\frac{1}{6}$ (1)

Now, by Euler's theorem,

$$\begin{aligned} x \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} &= \frac{-1}{12} z, \text{ where } z = \sin u \\ \Rightarrow x \cos u \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + y \cos u \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} &= \frac{-1}{12} \sin u \\ \Rightarrow x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} &= \frac{-1}{12} \tan u \end{aligned} \quad \dots(1)$$

Differentiating (1) partially w.r.t. x and y , respectively

$$x \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{-1}{12} \sec^2 u \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \quad \dots(2)$$

$$x \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} + y \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \frac{-1}{12} \sec^2 u \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \quad \dots(3)$$

Multiply (2) by (x) , (3) by y and add to get

$$\left(x^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + 2xy \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} + y^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} \right) + \left(x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \right) = \frac{-1}{12} \sec^2 u \left(x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \right) \quad \dots(4)$$

From (1) and (4), we get

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + 2xy \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} + y^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} &= \frac{1}{12} \tan u \left(1 + \frac{1}{12} (\sec^2 u) \right) \\ &= \frac{\tan u}{12} \left(\frac{12 + 1 + \sec^2 u}{12} \right) \\ &= \frac{\tan u}{12} \left(\frac{13}{12} + \frac{\tan^2 u}{12} \right). \text{ Hence Proved.} \end{aligned}$$

3.1

Sol

(ii) Given that :

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{1+x^2} \text{ and } f'(0) = 0$$

Let

$$u = f(x) + f(y) \quad \dots(1)$$

and

$$v = \frac{x+y}{1+xy} \quad \dots(2)$$

We have

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

$$= \begin{vmatrix} f'(x) & f'(y) \\ \frac{(1-xy)-(x+y)(-y)}{(1-xy)^2} & \frac{(1-xy)-(x+y)(-x)}{(1-xy)^2} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} \frac{1}{1+x^2} & \frac{1}{1+y^2} \\ \frac{1+y^2}{(1-xy)^2} & \frac{1+x^2}{(1-xy)^2} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(1-xy)^2} - \frac{1}{(1-xy)^2} = 0$$

Since,

$$\frac{\partial(u,v)}{\partial(x,y)} = 0$$

\therefore The given functions are not independent, i.e., the functions u and v are functionally related.

Let $u = \phi(v)$, then

$$f(x) + f(y) = \phi\left(\frac{x+y}{1-xy}\right)$$

For $y = 0$ gives

$$f(x) = \phi(x)$$

$$[\because f(0) = 0]$$

$\therefore f(x) + f(y) = f\left(\frac{x+y}{1-xy}\right)$. Hence, the result.

3. Riemann's Definition of Definite Integrals

3.1 Show that the function

$$f(x) = [x^2] + |x - 1|$$

is a Riemann-integrable in the interval $[0, 2]$, where $[\alpha]$ denotes the greatest integer less than or equal to α . Can you give an example of a function that is not Riemann integrable on $[0, 2]$? Compute

$$\int_0^2 f(x) dx, \text{ where } f(x) \text{ is as above.}$$

(2010 : 12 Marks)

Solution:

Given :

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1-x & \text{if } 0 \leq x < 1 \\ x & \text{if } 1 \leq x < \sqrt{2} \\ x+1 & \sqrt{2} \leq x < \sqrt{3} \\ x+2 & \sqrt{3} \leq x < 2 \end{cases}$$

Now, $f(x)$ is discontinuous at $x = 1, \sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}$, i.e., finite number of discontinuity.

$\therefore f(x)$ is Riemann integrable in $[0, 2]$.

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^2 f(x) dx &= \int_0^1 (1-x) dx + \int_1^{\sqrt{2}} x dx + \int_{\sqrt{2}}^{\sqrt{3}} (x+1) dx + \int_{\sqrt{3}}^2 (x+2) dx \\ &= [x]_0^1 - \left[\frac{x^2}{2} \right]_0^1 + \left[\frac{x^2}{2} \right]_1^{\sqrt{2}} + \left[\frac{x^2}{2} \right]_{\sqrt{2}}^{\sqrt{3}} + [x]_{\sqrt{2}}^{\sqrt{3}} + \left[\frac{x^2}{2} \right]_{\sqrt{3}}^2 + [2x]_{\sqrt{3}}^2 \\ &= 1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{2}{2} - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{2} - \frac{2}{2} + \sqrt{3} - \sqrt{2} + \frac{4}{2} - \frac{3}{2} + 2(2 - \sqrt{3}) \\ &= 6 - \sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$

~~Q3.~~ 3.2 Evaluate: $\int_0^1 \ln x dx$

(2011 : 12 Marks)

Solution:

We know that

$$\begin{aligned} \int uvdx &= u \int vdx - \int \left(\frac{du}{dx} \cdot \int vdx \right) dx \\ \therefore \int \ln(x)dx &= \ln x \int 1dx - \int \left(\frac{d}{dx} \ln(x) \right) \int 1dx dx \\ &= \ln x \cdot x - \int \frac{1}{x} \cdot x dx \\ &= x - \ln x - \int 1dx \\ &= x \ln x - x + C, \text{ where } C \text{ is the constant of integration.} \end{aligned}$$

~~Q4.~~ 3.3 Evaluate: $\int_0^1 \left(2x \sin \frac{1}{x} - \cos \frac{1}{x} \right) dx$

(2013 : 10 Marks)

Solution:Given integral $\int_0^1 \left(2x \sin \frac{1}{x} - \cos \frac{1}{x} \right) dx$

Let

$$\frac{1}{x} = t \Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{t} \Rightarrow dx = -\frac{1}{t^2} dt$$

when $x = 0, t = \infty; x = 1, t = 1$.

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore I &= \int_{\infty}^1 \left(\frac{2}{t} \sin t - \cos t \right) \left(-\frac{1}{t^2} dt \right) \\ &= \int_{\infty}^1 \left(\frac{2}{t^3} \sin t - \frac{1}{t^2} \cos t \right) dt \end{aligned}$$

Using integration by parts on 2nd term

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int_1^{\infty} \frac{2}{t^3} \sin t - \left\{ \left[\frac{1}{t^2} \sin t \right]_1^{\infty} - \int_1^{\infty} -\frac{2}{t^3} \sin t \right\} \\ &= - \left[\frac{1}{t^2} \sin t \right]_1^{\infty} = \sin 1 \end{aligned}$$

3.4 Evaluate: $\int_0^1 \frac{\log_e(1+x)}{1+x^2} dx$

1d

(2014 : 10 Marks)

Solution:

Let

$$I = \int_0^1 \frac{\log(1+x)}{1+x^2} dx$$

Put $x = \tan \theta \Rightarrow$

$$dx = \sec^2 \theta d\theta$$

when $x = 0, \theta = 0$ and when $x = 1, \theta = \frac{\pi}{C_1}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 I &= \int_0^{\pi/4} \frac{\log(1+\tan\theta)}{1+\tan^2\theta} \cdot \sec^2\theta d\theta \\
 &= \int_0^{\pi/4} \log(1+\tan\theta) d\theta \quad \dots(i) \\
 &= \int_0^{\pi/4} \log\left[1+\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4}-\theta\right)\right] d\theta \quad \left(\text{by the property } \int_0^a f(x)dx = \int_0^a f(a-x)dx\right) \\
 &= \int_0^{\pi/4} \log\left(1+\frac{1-\tan\theta}{1+\tan\theta}\right) d\theta \\
 &= \int_0^{\pi/4} \log\left(\frac{2}{1+\tan\theta}\right) d\theta \\
 &= \int_0^{\pi/4} \{\log 2 - \log(1+\tan\theta)\} d\theta \\
 &= \log 2 \int_0^{\pi/4} d\theta - \int_0^{\pi/4} \log(1+\tan\theta) d\theta \\
 I &= \log 2 \cdot [\theta]_0^{\pi/4} - I \quad (\text{from (i)})
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2I = \frac{\pi}{4} \log 2$$

$$\Rightarrow I = \frac{\pi}{8} \log 2$$

$$\therefore \int_0^{\pi/4} \frac{\log(1+x)}{1+x^2} dx = \frac{\pi}{8} \log 2$$

3.5 Evaluate the following integral : $\int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} \frac{\sqrt[3]{\sin x}}{\sqrt[3]{\sin x} + \sqrt[3]{\cos x}} dx$

1d

(2015 : 10 Marks)

Solution:

$$I = \int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} \frac{(\sin x)^{1/3}}{(\sin x)^{1/3} + (\cos x)^{1/3}} dx \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$= \int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} \frac{[\sin(\frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{\pi}{3} - x)]^{1/3} dx}{[\sin(\frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{\pi}{3} - x)]^{1/3} + [\cos(\frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{\pi}{3} - x)]^{1/3}}$$

$$I = \int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} \frac{(\cos x)^{1/3}}{(\cos x)^{1/3} + (\sin x)^{1/3}} dx \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$= \left[\int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^b f(a+b-x) dx \right]$$

Adding (i) and (ii)

$$\begin{aligned} 2I &= \int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} \frac{(\sin x)^{1/3} + (\cos x)^{1/3}}{(\sin x)^{1/3} + (\cos x)^{1/3}} dx \\ &= \int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} dx = [x]_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} = \left[\frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{6} \right] \\ I &= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{\pi}{12} \end{aligned}$$

3.6 Evaluate : $I = \int_0^1 3\sqrt{x \log\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)} dx$.

(2016 : 10 Marks)

Solution:

Improper integral as integrand becomes undefined at lower limit, i.e., $x = 0$.

$$\text{Let } \log \frac{1}{x} = y \Rightarrow x = e^{-y} \Rightarrow dx = -e^{-y} dy$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{limits, } &x = 0^+ \rightarrow y \rightarrow \infty \\ &x = 1 \rightarrow y = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$I = \int_{-\infty}^0 (e^{-y} y)^{1/3} \cdot e^{-y} dy = \int_0^{\infty} y^{1/3} \cdot e^{-\frac{4}{3}y} dy$$

$$\text{Putting } \frac{4}{3}y = t \Rightarrow dy = \frac{3}{4}dt$$

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int_0^{\infty} \left(\frac{3}{4}t \right)^{1/3} e^{-t} \cdot \frac{3}{4} dt \\ &= \frac{3}{4} \left(\frac{3}{4} \right)^{1/3} \int_0^{\infty} t^{1/3} \cdot e^{-t} dt \\ &= \left(\frac{3}{4} \right)^{4/3} \cdot \int_0^{\infty} t^{4/3-1} \cdot e^{-t} dt = \left(\frac{3}{4} \right)^{\frac{4}{3}} \cdot \left[\Gamma\left(\frac{4}{3}\right) \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$= \left(\frac{3}{4} \right)^{\frac{4}{3}} \cdot \left[\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) \right] = \frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{3}{4} \right)^{\frac{4}{3}} \cdot \left[\frac{1}{3} \right]$$

$$\left[\Gamma(m) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-x} \cdot x^{m-1} dx; \Gamma(m+1) = m\Gamma(m) \right]$$

4. Indefinite Integrals

4.1 Does the integral $\int_{-1}^1 \sqrt{\frac{1+x}{1-x}} dx$ exist? If so, find its value.

(2010 : 12 Marks)

Solution:

Given the integral is $\int_{-1}^1 \sqrt{\frac{1+x}{1-x}} dx$

Rationalizing integrand, we get

$$\int_{-1}^1 \frac{\sqrt{(1+x)^2}}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx = \int_{-1}^1 \frac{1+x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx$$

Let $x = \sin \theta, \therefore dx = \cos \theta d\theta$

$$\therefore \text{Integral becomes } \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \frac{1+\sin\theta}{\sqrt{1-\sin^2\theta}} \cos\theta \times \cos\theta d\theta$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \frac{1+\sin\theta}{|\cos\theta|} \times \cos\theta d\theta = \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} (1+\sin\theta) d\theta \\ &= [\theta]_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} + 0 = \pi \end{aligned}$$

5. Infinite and Improper Integrals

5.1 Examine if the improper integral $\int_0^3 \frac{2x dx}{(1-x^2)^{2/3}}$ exists.

(2017 : 10 Marks)

Solution:

Given integrand, $\frac{2x}{(1-x^2)^{2/3}}$ is undefined at $x = 1$.

Hence, we split the limit at $x = 1$.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^3 \frac{2x}{(1-x^2)^{2/3}} dx &= \int_0^1 \frac{2x}{(1-x^2)^{2/3}} dx + \int_1^3 \frac{2x}{(1-x^2)^{2/3}} dx \\ &= \lim_{a \rightarrow 1^-} \int_0^a \frac{2x}{(1-x^2)^{2/3}} dx + \lim_{a \rightarrow 1^+} \int_a^3 \frac{2x}{(1-x^2)^{2/3}} dx \\ &= \lim_{a \rightarrow 1^-} \left[-3(1-x^2)^{1/3} \right]_0^a + \lim_{a \rightarrow 1^+} \left[-3(1-x^2)^{1/3} \right]_a^3 \\ &= [0 - (-3)] + [-3(-2) - 0] \\ &= 3 + 6 = 9 \end{aligned}$$

5.2 Find the maximum and minimum values of $x^4 - 5x^2 + 4$ on the interval $[2, 3]$.

(2018 : 13 Marks)

Solution:

Let

Now,

$$f(x) = x^4 - 5x^2 + 4 \quad (\text{given})$$

$$f'(x) = 4x^3 - 10x + 4$$

$$f'(x) = 0 \text{ at } x_1 = 1.32, x_2 = -1.75, 0.43$$

Also,

$$f''(x) = 12x^2 - 10$$

In the interval $[2, 3]$, $f'(x)$ is monotonous increasing function as $f'(x) > 0$ for $x > 1.32$.

Therefore, in the interval $[2, 3]$, minimum value occurs at $x = 2$ and maximum value occurs at $x = 3$.

$$f(2) = 0 = \text{minimum value}$$

$$f(3) = 40 = \text{maximum value}$$

Thus, $f(x)$ has minimum value of 0 and maximum value of 40 in the interval $[2, 3]$.

6. Double and Triple Integrals

- 6.1 Let D be the region determined by the inequalities $x > 0, y > 0, z < 8$ and $z > x^2 + y^2$. Compute

$$\iiint_D 2x \, dxdydz$$

(2010 : 20 Marks)

Solution:

The given region is $x, y > 0$ and $z < 8$.

$$z > x^2 + y^2$$

∴ Integral,

$$I = \iiint_D 2x \, dxdydz$$

⇒

$$I = \iint_{z=x^2+y^2}^8 2x \, dxdydz$$

$$= \iint [z]_{x^2+y^2}^8 \cdot 2x \, dxdy = \iint (8 - x^2 - y^2) \cdot 2x \, dxdy$$

$$= 2 \iint (8x - x^3 - y^2 x) \, dxdy$$

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

θ varies from 0 to $\frac{\pi}{2}$ as $x, y > 0$ in given region.

Also, r varies from 0 to $2\sqrt{2}$ as $x^2 + y^2 < z$.

∴

$$I = 2 \iint (8 \cdot r \cos \theta - r^3 \cos^3 \theta - r^3 \sin^2 \theta \cdot \cos \theta) r dr d\theta$$

$$= 2 \iint \{8r \cos \theta - r^3 \cos \theta (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta)\} r dr d\theta$$

$$= 2 \int_{\theta=0}^{\pi/2} \int_{r=0}^{2\sqrt{2}} (8r^2 \cos \theta - r^4 \cos \theta) r dr d\theta$$

$$= 2 \left[8 \left[\frac{r^3}{3} \right]_0^{2\sqrt{2}} [\sin \theta]_0^{\pi/2} - \left[\frac{r^5}{5} \right]_0^{2\sqrt{2}} [\sin \theta]_0^{\pi/2} \right]$$

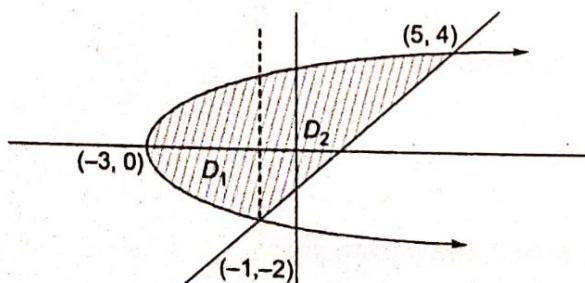
$$= 2 \left[8 \times \frac{16\sqrt{2}}{3} \times 1 - \frac{128\sqrt{2}}{5} \times 1 \right] = \frac{512\sqrt{2}}{15}$$

- 6.2 Evaluate $\iint_D xy \, dA$ where D is the region bounded by the line $y = x - 1$ and the parabola $y^2 = 2x + 6$.

(2013 : 15 Marks)

Solution:

The required areas is shown shaded in the diagram.



The points of intersection of the curves are

$$(x-1)^2 = 2x+6 \Rightarrow x^2 - 4x - 5 = 0$$

$$x = 5, -1$$

i.e., $(-1, -2)$ and $(5, 4)$

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \iint_D xy dA = \iint_{D_1} xy dA + \iint_{D_2} xy dA \\ &= \int_{x=-3}^{-1} \int_{y=-\sqrt{2x+6}}^{\sqrt{2x+6}} xy dy dx + \int_{x=-1}^{5} \int_{y=x-1}^{\sqrt{2x+6}} xy dy dx \\ &= \int_{x=-3}^{-1} \left[\frac{xy^2}{2} \right]_{y=-\sqrt{2x+6}}^{\sqrt{2x+6}} dx + \int_{x=-1}^{5} x \left[\frac{y^2}{2} \right]_{x-1}^{\sqrt{2x+6}} dx \\ &= \int_{x=-3}^{-1} \frac{x}{2} [(2x+6) - (x-1)^2] dx + \int_{x=-1}^{5} \frac{x}{2} [(2x+6) - (x-1)^2] dx \\ &= 0 + \int_{x=-1}^{5} \frac{x}{2} (4x+5-x^2) dx \\ &= \int_{x=-1}^{5} \left(2x^2 + \frac{5}{2}x - \frac{x^3}{2} \right) dx \\ &= \left[\frac{2x^3}{3} + \frac{5}{4}x^2 - \frac{x^4}{8} \right]_{x=-1}^{5} \\ &= 36 \end{aligned}$$

- 6.3 By using the transformation $x + y = \mu$, $y = uv$, evaluate the integral $\iint \{xy(1-x-y)\}^{1/2} dx dy$ taken over the area enclosed by the straight lines $x = 0$, $y = 0$ and $x + y = 1$.

(2014 : 15 Marks)

Solution:

Given:

$$x + y = u, y = uv$$

\Rightarrow

$$x = u - av$$

$$x = u(1-v)$$

Now

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial(x,y)}{\partial(u,v)} &= \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial v} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial v} \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} -v & -u \\ v & u \end{vmatrix} \\ &= u - vu + uv \\ &= u \end{aligned}$$

But

$$dx dy = \frac{\partial(x,y)}{\partial(u,v)} du dv$$

$$dx dy = u du dv$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{xy(1-x-y)} &= \sqrt{u(1-v)uv(1-u)} \\ &= uv^{1/2} \sqrt{(1-u)(1-v)} \end{aligned}$$

Clearly, the region of integration is OAB.

The integration formulae are $x + y = u$, $y = uv = (x + y)v$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{v}{1-v}x$$

i.e., clearly the area for new variable is to be divided by the lines parallel

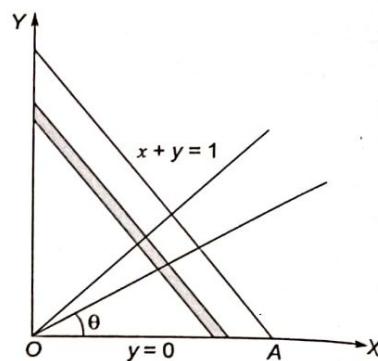
to $x + y = 1$ and by lines $y = \frac{v}{1-v}x$,

i.e.,

$$y = x \tan \theta$$

where

$$\tan \theta = \frac{v}{1-v}$$



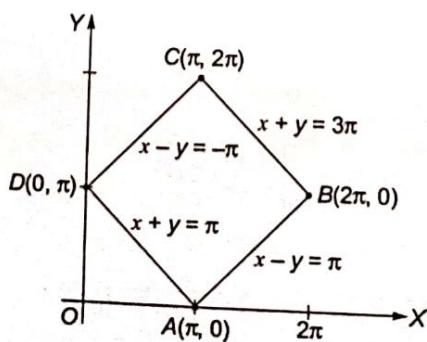
where θ varies from 0 to $\frac{\pi}{2}$ and so v varies from 0 to 1 and $u + x + y$ varies from 0 to 1.

i.e., limits of u are 0 to 1.

Hence, the given integral

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-u} uv^{1/2} \sqrt{(1-u)(1-v)} u du dv \\
 &= \int_0^1 u^2 (1-u)^{1/2} du \int_0^1 v^{1/2} (1-v)^{1/2} dv \\
 &= \int_0^1 u^{3-1} (1-u)^{\frac{3}{2}-1} du \int_0^1 v^{\frac{3}{2}-1} (1-v)^{\frac{3}{2}-1} dv \\
 &= B\left(\frac{3}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\right) B\left(\frac{3}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\right) \\
 &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)}} \\
 &= \frac{2\pi}{105}.
 \end{aligned}$$

6.4 Evaluate the integral: $\iint_R (x-y)^2 \cdot \cos^2(x+y) dx dy$ where R is the rhombus with successive vertices as $(\pi, 0)$, $(2\pi, \pi)$, $(\pi, 2\pi)$, $(0, \pi)$.



(2015 : 12 Marks)

Solution:

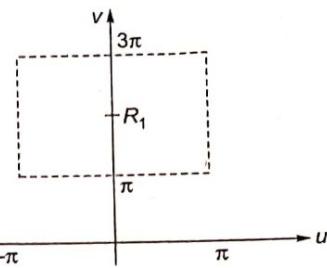
Using the transformation, $x - y = u$ and $x + y = v$

i.e.,

$$x = \frac{u+v}{2}, y = \frac{-u+v}{2}$$

Our region of integration gets transformed to a square.

Jacobian,



$$\frac{J(x,y)}{J(u,v)} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial v} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial v} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{vmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$$

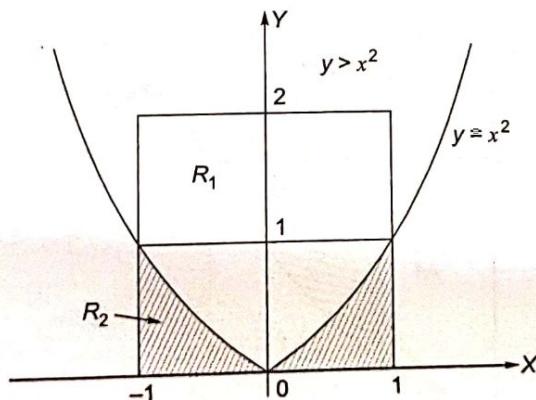
$$\begin{aligned} \iint_R f(x,y) dx dy &= \iint_{R_1} f_1(u,v) |J(u,v)| du dv \\ &= \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{3\pi} u^2 \cdot \cos^2 v \cdot \frac{1}{2} du dv \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} u^2 du \int_{\pi}^{3\pi} \frac{1}{2} (1 + \cos 2v) dv \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot 2 \cdot \frac{\pi^3}{3} \cdot \frac{2\pi}{2} = \frac{\pi^4}{3} \end{aligned}$$

6.5 Evaluate $\iint_R \sqrt{|y-x^2|} dx dy$ where $R = [-1, 1; 0, 2]$

(2015 : 13 Marks)

Solution:

We divide the domain R into two parts $R_1 \neq R_2$ in $R_1, y > x^2$



∴

In R_1 ,

∴

In R_2 ,

∴

$$|y - x^2| = (y - x^2)$$

$$y < x^2$$

$$|y - x^2| = (y - x^2)$$

$$y < x^2$$

$$|y - x^2| = -(y - x^2) = x^2 - y$$

$$\iint_R \sqrt{|y-x^2|} dx dy = \iint_{R_1} \sqrt{y-x^2} dx dy + \iint_{R_2} \sqrt{y-x^2} dx dy$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \int_{x=-1}^1 \int_{y=x^2}^2 \sqrt{y-x^2} dx dy + \int_{x=-1}^1 \int_{y=0}^{x^2} \sqrt{x^2-y} dx dy \\
 &= \int_{-1}^1 \frac{2}{3}(y-x^2)^{3/2} \Big|_{y=x^2}^{y=2} dx + \int_{-1}^1 -\frac{2}{3}(x^2-y)^{3/2} \Big|_{y=0}^{y=x^2} dx \\
 &= \frac{2}{3} \int_{-1}^1 (2-x^2)^{3/2} dx + \left(-\frac{2}{3}\right) \int_{-1}^1 (0-x^3) dx \\
 &= \frac{4}{3} \int_0^1 (2-x^2)^{3/2} dx + \frac{2}{3} \left[\frac{x^4}{4} \right]_{-1}^1 \\
 &\quad \left(\because \int_{-a}^a f(x) dx = 2 \int_0^a f(x) dx \text{ for even } f_x \right) \\
 &= \frac{16}{3} \int_0^{\pi/4} \cos^4 \theta d\theta, \text{ taking } x = \sqrt{2} \sin \theta \\
 &= \frac{4}{3} \int_0^{\pi/4} (1+\cos 2\theta)^2 d\theta = \frac{4}{3} + \frac{\pi}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

6.7

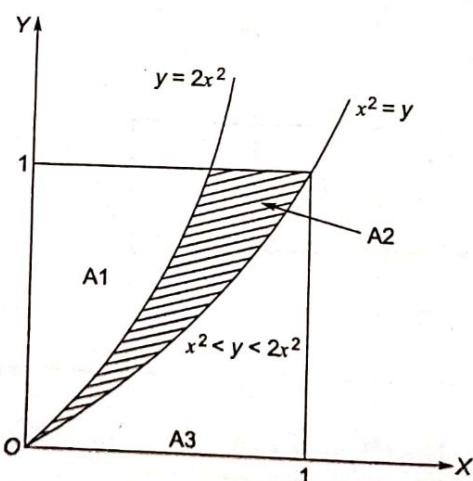
6.6 Evaluate $\iint_R f(x, y) dx dy$ over the rectangle $R = [0, 1; 0, 1]$ where

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} x+y, & \text{if } x^2 < y < 2x^2 \\ 0, & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

(2016 : 15 Marks)

Solution:

We split the region of integration R into three different regions A_1 , A_2 and A_3 as per the definition of $f(x, y)$.



$$A_2 : x^2 < y < 2x^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 I &= \iint_R f(x, y) dx dy \\
 &= \iint_{A_1} f(x, y) dx dy + \iint_{A_2} f(x, y) dx dy + \iint_{A_3} f(x, y) dx dy
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 0 + \int_{y=0}^1 \int_{x=\sqrt{\frac{y}{2}}}^{\sqrt{y}} (x+y) dx dy + 0 \\
 &= \int_{y=0}^1 \left[\frac{x^2}{2} + yx \right]_{x=\sqrt{\frac{y}{2}}}^{\sqrt{y}} dy = \int_0^1 \frac{1}{2} \left(y - \frac{y}{2} \right) + y \left(\sqrt{y} - \sqrt{\frac{y}{2}} \right) dy \\
 &= \int_0^1 \frac{1}{4} \cdot y + y^{3/2} \cdot \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}-1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) dy \\
 &= \left[\frac{y^2}{8} + y^{5/2} \cdot \frac{2}{5} \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}-1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \right]_0^1 = \frac{1}{8} + \left(\frac{2-\sqrt{2}}{5} \right) \\
 &= \frac{23-8\sqrt{2}}{40}
 \end{aligned}$$

6.7 Integrate the function $f(x, y) = xy(x^2 + y^2)$ over the domain $R : \{-3 \leq x^2 - y^2 \leq 3, 1 \leq xy \leq 4\}$

(2017 : 10 Marks)

Solution:

$$I = \iint_R xy(x^2 + y^2) dx dy$$

Put

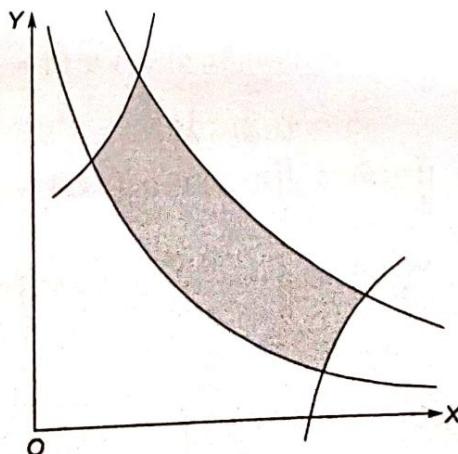
$$x^2 - y^2 = u$$

$$xy = v$$

\therefore Limits : $-3 \leq u \leq 3$

$1 \leq v \leq 4$ which bounds region R .

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



$$= 2(x^2 + y^2)$$

$$J(x, y) = \frac{1}{2(x^2 + y^2)} J(u, v)$$

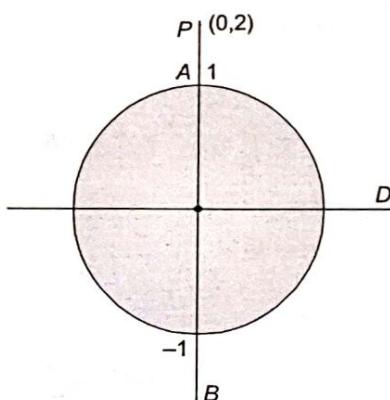
$$\begin{aligned} I &= \iint_D xy \cdot \frac{(x^2 + y^2)}{2(x^2 + y^2)} dudv \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{u=-3}^3 \int_{v=1}^4 v dudv = \frac{1}{2}(3 - (-3)) \left(\frac{v^2}{2} \right) \Big|_1^4 \\ &= \frac{6}{2} \left[\frac{16 - 1}{2} \right] = \frac{45}{2} \end{aligned}$$

6.8 Prove that $\frac{\pi}{3} \leq \iint_D \frac{dxdy}{\sqrt{x^2 + (y-2)^2}} \leq \pi$ where D is the unit disc.

(2017 : 10 Marks)

Solution:

Here, integrand $\frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + (y-2)^2}}$ [$= f(x, y)$] represents the reciprocal of the distance of fixed point $(0, 2)$, say P to another variable point (x, y) lying inside or on the disc D .



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

Let

$$M = \{\text{Max}\{f(x, y)\}; x, y \in D\} = \frac{1}{|PA|} = 1$$

$$m = \{\text{Min}\{f(x, y)\}; x, y \in D\} = \frac{1}{|PB|} = \frac{1}{3}$$

Hence,

$$m \leq f(x, y) \leq M$$

$$\iint_D m dA \leq \iint_D f(x, y) dA \leq \iint_D M dA$$

$$m \iint_D dA \leq \iint_D \frac{dxdy}{\sqrt{x^2 + (y-2)^2}} \leq M \iint_D dA$$

$$m(A) \leq I \leq M(A)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{3}(\pi \cdot 1^2) \leq I \leq 1(\pi \cdot 1^2)$$

i.e.,

$$\frac{\pi}{3} \leq \iint_D \frac{dxdy}{\sqrt{x^2 + (y-2)^2}} \leq \pi$$

6.9 Evaluate the integral $\int_0^a \int_{x/a}^x \frac{xy dy dx}{x^2 + y^2}$.

(2018 : 12 Marks)

Solution:

Given :

$$I = \int_0^a \int_{x/a}^x \frac{xy}{x^2 + y^2} dy dx$$

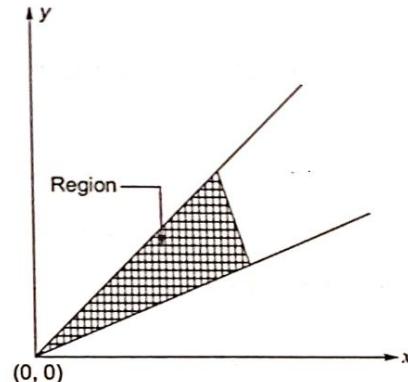
So,

$$I = \int_0^a \int_{x/a}^x \frac{x}{x^2 \left(1 + \left(\frac{y}{x} \right)^2 \right)} dy dx$$

$$= \int_0^a \frac{1}{x} \int_{x/a}^x \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{y}{x} \right)^2} dy dx = \int_0^a x \left[\tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x} \right]_{x/a}^x dx$$

$$\Rightarrow I = \int_0^a \left(\tan^{-1} 1 - \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{a} \right) dx$$

$$= \left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{a} \right) \int_0^a dx = a \left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{a} \right)$$



7. Area, Surface and Volume

7.1 Find the volume of the solid that lies under the paraboloid $z = x^2 + y^2$ above the xy -plane and inside the cylinder $x^2 + y^2 = 2x$.

(2011 : 20 Marks)

Solution:

The solid lies above the disk D whose boundary circle has the equation $x^2 + y^2 = 2x$ or $(x - 1)^2 + y^2 = 1$.

Its equation in polar co-ordinates is given by $r = 2 \cos \theta$ where θ is in $\left[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2} \right]$.

\therefore The volume of the solid is

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_D (x^2 + y^2) dA &= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \int_0^{2 \cos \theta} r^2 \cdot r dr d\theta && [\because x = r \cos \theta, y = r \sin \theta] \\ &= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \left[\frac{r^4}{4} \right]_0^{2 \cos \theta} d\theta = \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \frac{16 \cos^4 \theta}{4} d\theta \\ &= 4 \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \cos^4 \theta d\theta = 4 \cdot 2 \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^4 \theta d\theta \\ &&& \left[\because \int_{-a}^a f(x) dx = 2 \int_0^a f(x) dx \text{ if } f(-x) = f(x) \right] \\ &= 8 \cdot \frac{3 \cdot 1}{4 \cdot 2} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{3\pi}{2} \end{aligned}$$

7.2 Compute the volume of the solid enclosed between the surfaces $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ and $x^2 + z^2 = 9$.
(2012 : 20 Marks)

Solution:

The given surfaces are

$$\begin{aligned}x^2 + y^2 &= 9 \\ \text{and} \quad x^2 + z^2 &= 9\end{aligned}$$

The volume of the required solid is

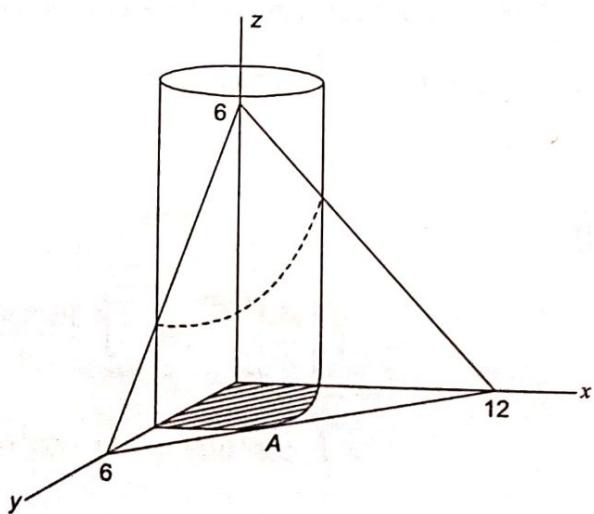
$$\begin{aligned}V &= \int_{x=-3}^{3} \int_{y=-\sqrt{9-x^2}}^{\sqrt{9-x^2}} \int_{z=-\sqrt{9-x^2}}^{\sqrt{9-x^2}} dz dy dx \\ &= 8 \int_{x=0}^{3} \int_{y=0}^{\sqrt{9-x^2}} \int_{z=0}^{\sqrt{9-x^2}} dz dy dx \left[\because \int_{-a}^a f(x) dx = 2 \int_0^a f(x) dx \text{ if } f(-x) = f(x) \right] \\ &= 8 \int_{x=0}^{3} \int_{y=0}^{\sqrt{9-x^2}} \sqrt{9-x^2} dy dx \\ &= 8 \int_{x=0}^{3} \sqrt{9-x^2} \cdot \sqrt{9-x^2} dx = 8 \int_{x=0}^{3} (9-x^2) dx \\ &= 8 \left(9x - \frac{x^3}{3} \right)_0^3 = 8(27 - 9) = 8 \times 18 = 144 \text{ cubic units}\end{aligned}$$

7.3 Find the surface area of the plane $x + 2y + 2z = 12$ cut off by $x = 0$, $y = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 = 16$.

(2016 : 15 Marks)

Solution:

Plane $x + 2y + 2z = 12$ or $\frac{x}{12} + \frac{y}{6} + \frac{z}{6} = 1$ cuts the co-ordinates at a distance of 12, 6 and 6 from origin.



Cylinder :

$$x^2 + y^2 = 16$$

Planes :

$$x = 0, y = 0$$

$$\text{Surface Area} = \iint_A \sqrt{1+z_x^2 + z_y^2} dx dy$$

$$= \iint_A \sqrt{1 + \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + (-1)^2} dx dy$$

$$\begin{cases} z = -\frac{x}{2} - y + 6 \\ z_x = -\frac{1}{2}, z_y = -1 \end{cases}$$

$$= \frac{3}{2} \iint_A dx dy$$

(A : Projection of surface on xy-plane $x^2 + y^2 \leq 16, x \geq 0, y \geq 0$)

$$= \frac{3}{2} \cdot \left[\frac{1}{4} \pi (4)^2 \right] = 6\pi$$

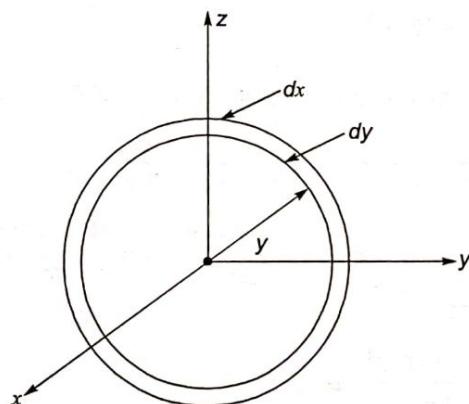
7.4 The ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ revolves about x-axis. Find the volume of solid of revolution.

(2018 : 13 Marks)

Solution:

$$\text{Given ellipse is } \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1.$$

If it is revolved around x-axis, then each cross-section is circular disc of radius y. Taking an element of thickness dx and length dy , we get area of this cross-section as $2\pi y dy dx$.



∴ Volume,

$$V = \int_{x=-a}^{x=a} \int_{y=0}^{y=b\sqrt{1-\frac{x^2}{a^2}}} 2\pi y dy dx$$

⇒

$$V = \int_{x=-a}^{x=a} 2\pi \left[\frac{y^2}{2} \right]_{y=0}^{y=b\sqrt{1-\frac{x^2}{a^2}}} dx$$

⇒

$$V = \pi \int_{x=-a}^{x=a} b^2 \left(1 - \frac{x^2}{a^2} \right) dx = \pi b^2 \left[2a - \frac{2a}{3} \right]$$

⇒

$$V = \frac{4\pi}{3} ab^2$$

