

Lecture 5: Vector calculus

Math 195 Section 91

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More on 14.2, 15.1

0.1 Functions of one variables

definition of derivative

why is this the definition?

derivative of vector-valued functions

derivative of dot product, cross product

0.2 Functions of many variables

examples of functions of many variables

what is the domain? what is the range? the book thinks of domain as “biggest domain possible for the given rule.” This is perhaps not the best way to define the domain.

linear functions; quadratic functions, etc.

level curves

level surfaces

Introduction to limits