

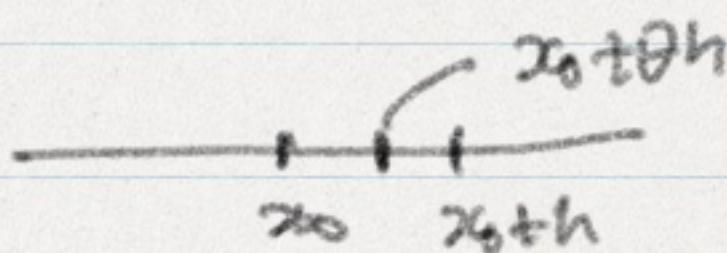
Taylor's Thm

Let f have derivatives of order n at x_0 . Then

$$f(x_0+h) = f(x_0) + hf'(x_0) + \frac{h^2}{2!} f''(x_0) + \dots +$$

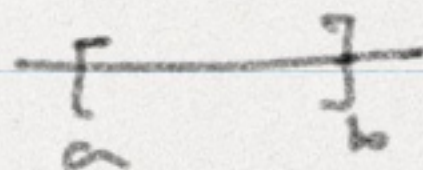
$$\frac{h^n}{n!} f^{(n)}(x_0 + \theta h)$$

for some $0 < \theta < 1$



MVT: $f(b) - f(a) = (b-a)f'(\xi)$

$$f(a+h) = f(a) + hf'(a+\theta h).$$



$$f(x_0+h) = f(x_0) + hf'(x_0) + \underbrace{\frac{h^2}{2!} f''(x_0 + \theta h)}_{\parallel 0}$$

Def: Let $f: E \subset \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$. Then a point $\vec{x}_0 \in E$ is said to be local maximum (minimum) if \exists a $\delta > 0$ s.t. $\forall \vec{x} \in B(\vec{x}_0, \delta)$,
 $f(\vec{x}) < f(\vec{x}_0)$ ($f(\vec{x}) > f(\vec{x}_0)$)

Defn: - - - - - Let $\vec{x}_0 \in E$. Then \vec{x}_0 is said to be a critical point of f if $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(\vec{x}_0) = 0 = \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(\vec{x}_0)$

Defn: - - - - - Then a point $\vec{x}_0 \in E$ is said to be a saddle point if \vec{x}_0 is a critical point but it is neither maximum nor minimum.

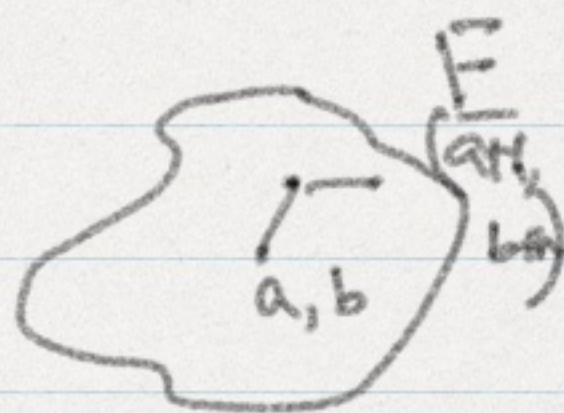
Cor: A local extremum is a critical point.

Ex: Find 3 positive numbers a, b, c s.t. $a+b+c=120$ and the sum $ab+bc+ca$ is maximum.

Let $f: E \subset \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$.

Let $(a, b) \in E$ and $(h, k) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ s.t. $(a+th, b+tk) \in E$.

~~Let $z = f(a+th, b+tk)$~~



~~where $t \in [0, 1]$~~

$$f(a+th, b+tk) = f(a, b) + \left(h \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + tk \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) f(a, b) + \frac{1}{2!} \left(h^2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + 2hk \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x \partial y} + k^2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} \right) f(a, b) + \dots$$

$$+ \frac{1}{n!} \left(h \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + tk \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right)^n f(a+\theta h, b+\theta k) \quad \therefore$$

for some $\theta \in (0, 1)$.

pf: $z = f(a+th, b+tk)$
 where $t \in [0,1]$.

$$\frac{dz}{dt} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \cdot h + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \cdot k$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{dz}{dt} \right) &= \frac{d}{dt} \left(h \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + k \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right) \\ &= h^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + 2hk \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + k^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right) &= h \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right) + k \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right) \\ &\quad h \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \quad k \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{d^2 z}{dt^2} \Rightarrow \left(h \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + k \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right)^2 f$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{d^{n-1} z}{dt^{n-1}} \right) = \left(h \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + k \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right)^n f$$

$$\frac{d^3 z}{dt^3} = \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{d^2 z}{dt^2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{d}{dt} \left(h \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + k \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right)^2 f$$

$$= \frac{d}{dt} \left(h^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + 2hk \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + k^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \right)$$

$$= \left(h \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + k \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right)^3 f$$

$$z = f(a+th, b+tk)$$

$$z: [0,1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

Apply Taylor's Thm for z , then

$$z(1) = z(0) + z'(0) + \frac{1}{2!} z''(0) + \dots + \frac{1}{n!} z^{(n)}(0+\theta)$$

for some $\theta \in (0,1)$

$$f(a+h, b+k) = f(a,b) + \left(h \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + k \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) f(a,b) + \dots + \frac{1}{n!} \left(h \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + k \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right)^n f(a+\theta h, b+\theta k)$$

For $n=2$,

$$f(a+h, b+k) = f(a,b) + \left(h \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + k \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) f(a,b) + \frac{1}{2} \left(h \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + k \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right)^2 f(a+\theta h, b+\theta k)$$

If (a,b) is a local extremum of f then

$$f(a+h, b+h) = f(a, b) + \frac{1}{2!} \left(h^2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + 2h \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x \partial y} + h^2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} \right) f(a, b) + \dots$$

One can derive from here that if $D = \det \begin{pmatrix} f_{xx} & f_{xy} \\ f_{xy} & f_{yy} \end{pmatrix} > 0$

Then (1) f has local maxima if $f_{xx} < 0$

(2) f has local minima if $f_{xx} > 0$

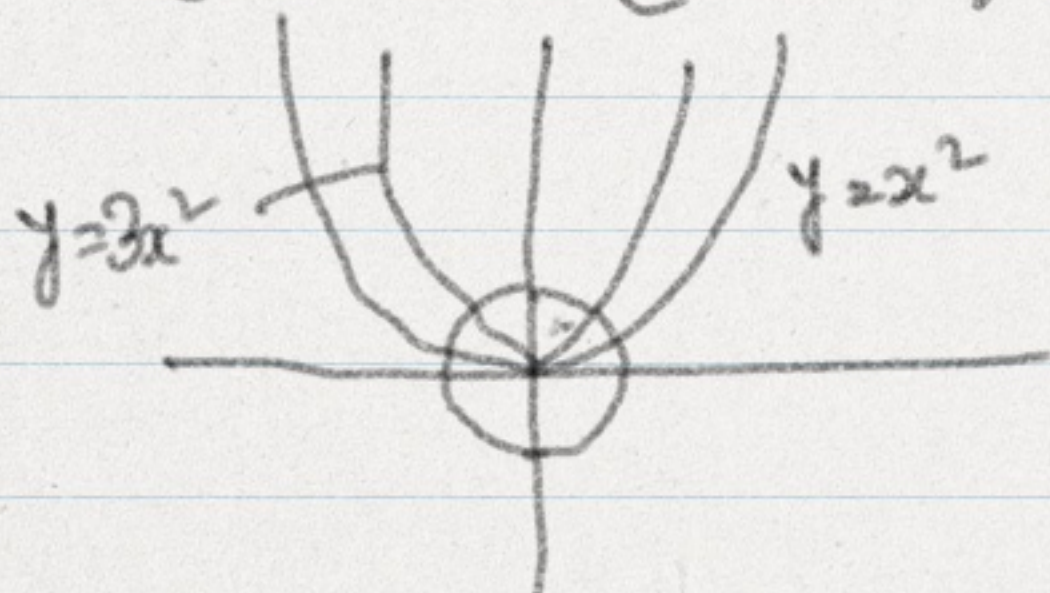
(3) f has saddle point if $f_{xx} = 0$.

Remark: If $D=0$ then this test is inconclusive

Remark: If $D < 0$ then f has a saddle point at (a, b) .

Ex: Let $f(x, y) = 3x^4 - 4x^2y + y^2$
Show that $(0, 0)$ is neither
maximum nor minimum for f .

Ex: $f(x, y) = (3x^2 - y)(x^2 - y)$



Ex: $f(x, y) = -x^4 - y^4$

$$\begin{pmatrix} f_{xx} & f_{xy} \\ f_{yx} & f_{yy} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$f(a+h, b+k) = f(a, b) + \underbrace{\left(h \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + k \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) f(a, b)}_{\text{}} + \left(h \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + k \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right)^2 f(c)$$

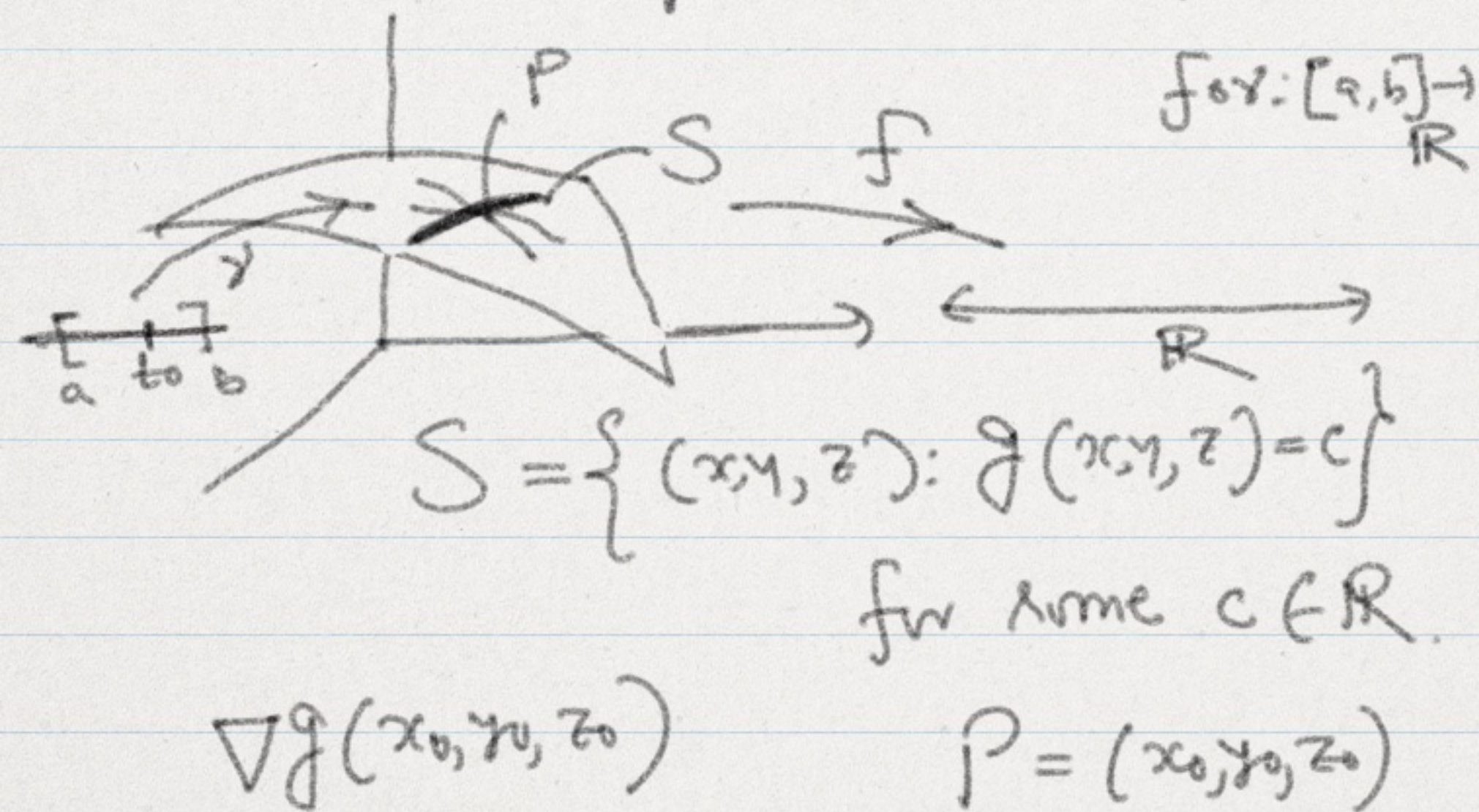
$$f(a+h, b+k) - f(a, b) = h^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}(c) + 2hk \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y}(c) + k^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}(c) = Q(c)$$

$$\text{LHS} \times 2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}(a, b) = Q(c) \times 2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}(a, b)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{RHS} = & \left(h f_{xx} + k f_{xy} \right) (c)^2 + \\ & k^2 \left(f_{xx} f_{yy} - f_{xy}^2 \right) (c) \end{aligned}$$

Let $D > 0$

Method of Lagrange Multiplier.



Let $f: S \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, where f
is a smooth scalar field

Consider the optimization problem

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Max } f(\vec{x}) \\ & \text{Sub. to } g(\vec{x}) = c. \end{aligned}$$

Hence $\exists \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ s.t

$$\nabla f(x_0, y_0, z_0) = \lambda \nabla g(x_0, y_0, z_0)$$

Ex: Consider the plane $2x + 3y + z = 1$
Find the distance from the
origin to this plane.

Ex: Consider the surface

$$S = \{ (x, y, z) : x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1 \}$$

and $f: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ s.t

$$f(x, y, z) = ax + by + cz.$$

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

$$(a, b, c) = \lambda (2x, 2y, 2z)$$

$$x = \frac{a}{2\lambda}, y = \frac{b}{2\lambda}, z = \frac{c}{2\lambda}$$

$$a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = 4\lambda^2$$

$$2\lambda = \pm \frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}}{2}$$

$$x = \pm \frac{a}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}}, y = \pm \frac{b}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}}, z = \pm \frac{c}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}}$$

$$\left(\frac{a}{\sqrt{}}, \frac{b}{\sqrt{}}, \frac{c}{\sqrt{}} \right) = (x_0, y_0, z_0)$$

Maximum value of f at (x_0, y_0, z_0)
 is $\frac{f}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}}.$

Ex: Let $S = \{(x, y, z) : |x|^3 + |y|^3 + |z|^3 = 1\}$

$$f: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$f(x, y, z) = ax + by + cz.$$

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

$$(a, b, c) = \lambda \left(3|x|^2 \operatorname{sgn}(x), 3|y|^2 \operatorname{sgn}(y), 3|z|^2 \operatorname{sgn}(z) \right)$$

$$|a| = 3|\lambda| |x|^2 \Rightarrow |x| = \left(\frac{|a|}{3|\lambda|} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \quad \times$$

$$|b| = 3|\lambda| |y|^2 \Rightarrow |y|$$

$$|c| = 3|\lambda| |z|^2 \Rightarrow |z|$$

$$|a|^{\frac{3}{2}} + |b|^{\frac{3}{2}} + |c|^{\frac{3}{2}} = (3|\lambda|)^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

$$3|\lambda| = \left(1^{\frac{3}{2}} + 1^{\frac{3}{2}} + 1^{\frac{3}{2}} \right)^{\frac{2}{3}}$$

Hence

$$|x| = \frac{|a|}{\left(|a|^{\frac{3}{2}} + |b|^{\frac{3}{2}} + |c|^{\frac{3}{2}} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}}}$$

$$|y| = \frac{|b|^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$|z| = \frac{|c|^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$f(x, y, z) = ax + by + cz$$

$$x = \frac{\operatorname{sgn}(a) |a|^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\left(\right)}$$

$$y = \frac{\operatorname{sgn}(b) |b|^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\left(\right)}$$

$$z = \frac{\left(|a|^{\frac{3}{2}} + |b|^{\frac{3}{2}} + |c|^{\frac{3}{2}} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}}}{\left(|a|^{\frac{3}{2}} + |b|^{\frac{3}{2}} + |c|^{\frac{3}{2}} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}}}$$