

Mathematical Analysis 2 – Call 2 – 24/02/2026

Part I – 9:30-11:00

Question 1. For each of the following functions, compute the gradient ∇f (i.e. $\nabla f = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}\mathbf{i} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}\mathbf{j}$).

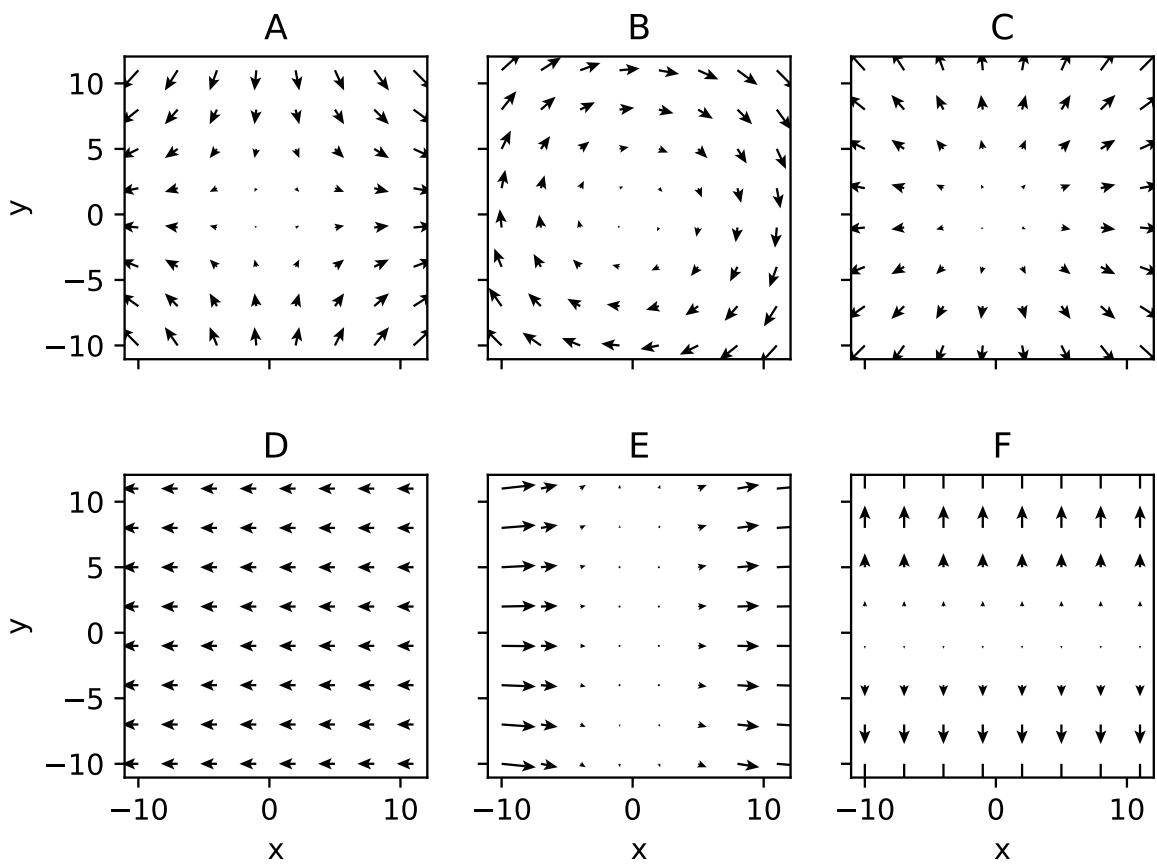
1. $f(x, y) = x^3 \ln(xy^2)$
2. $g(x, y) = e^{x^2-y} \sin(xy)$
3. $h(x, y) = \int_0^{xy^2} \sin(t^2) dt$

Question 2. Find all stationary points of $f(x, y) = x^4 + y^4 - 16xy$ and classify each as a local maximum, local minimum, or saddle point.

Question 3. Consider the following vector fields defined on \mathbb{R}^2 :

$$\begin{array}{lll} \mathbf{F}_1(x, y) = x\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j} & \mathbf{F}_2(x, y) = y\mathbf{i} - x\mathbf{j} & \mathbf{F}_3(x, y) = x^2\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j} \\ \mathbf{F}_4(x, y) = -\mathbf{i} & \mathbf{F}_5(x, y) = y\mathbf{j} & \mathbf{F}_6(x, y) = x\mathbf{i} - y\mathbf{j} \end{array}$$

1. Match each to one of the plots and briefly explain the logic/calculation for matching each.
2. Calculate the curl, $\nabla \times \mathbf{F}_n(x, y)$ for each of the vector fields.



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Part 2 – 11:30-13:00

Question 4. Verify Green's theorem for the vector field $\mathbf{F}(x, y) = P\mathbf{i} + Q\mathbf{j} = (x^2 - y)\mathbf{i} + (2xy + 3)\mathbf{j}$ and the region D which is the triangle with vertices $(0, 0)$, $(1, 0)$ and $(0, 1)$. That is, compute both sides of

$$\oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\alpha = \iint_D \left(\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) dA$$

where α denotes the path counter-clockwise around the boundary of D and verify that both sides they are equal.

Hint: The boundary C consists of three line segments. Parametrize each one separately.

Question 5. Evaluate the double integral

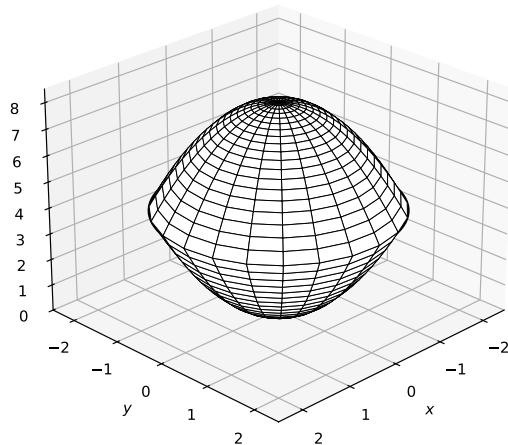
$$\iint_D xy \, dA$$

where D is the region in the first quadrant bounded by the curves $y = x$, $y = 3x$, $xy = 1$, and $xy = 4$.

Hint: Use the substitution $u = y/x$, $v = xy$.

Question 6. Compute the volume of the solid region bounded between the paraboloids $z = x^2 + y^2$ and $z = 8 - x^2 - y^2$.

Method: First find where the two surfaces intersect. Then set up and evaluate the appropriate integral using cylindrical coordinates.



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Question 1 Solution:

Version A:

1. $f(x, y) = x^3 \ln(xy^2)$

Note that $\ln(xy^2) = \ln x + 2 \ln y$ (for $x > 0, y > 0$). Using the product rule:

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = 3x^2 \ln(xy^2) + x^3 \cdot \frac{1}{x} = 3x^2 \ln(xy^2) + x^2$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = x^3 \cdot \frac{2y}{xy^2} = x^3 \cdot \frac{2}{y} = \frac{2x^3}{y}$$

$$\nabla f = (3x^2 \ln(xy^2) + x^2) \mathbf{i} + \frac{2x^3}{y} \mathbf{j}$$

2. $g(x, y) = e^{x^2-y} \sin(xy)$

Using the product rule and chain rule:

$$\frac{\partial g}{\partial x} = 2x e^{x^2-y} \sin(xy) + e^{x^2-y} \cdot y \cos(xy) = e^{x^2-y} (2x \sin(xy) + y \cos(xy))$$

$$\frac{\partial g}{\partial y} = (-1) e^{x^2-y} \sin(xy) + e^{x^2-y} \cdot x \cos(xy) = e^{x^2-y} (x \cos(xy) - \sin(xy))$$

$$\nabla g = e^{x^2-y} (2x \sin(xy) + y \cos(xy)) \mathbf{i} + e^{x^2-y} (x \cos(xy) - \sin(xy)) \mathbf{j}$$

3. $h(x, y) = \int_0^{xy^2} \sin(t^2) dt$

Using the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus with chain rule:

$$\frac{\partial h}{\partial x} = \sin((xy^2)^2) \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(xy^2) = y^2 \sin(x^2 y^4)$$

$$\frac{\partial h}{\partial y} = \sin((xy^2)^2) \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(xy^2) = 2xy \sin(x^2 y^4)$$

$$\nabla h = y^2 \sin(x^2 y^4) \mathbf{i} + 2xy \sin(x^2 y^4) \mathbf{j}$$

Version B:

1. $f(x, y) = x^3 \ln(x^2 y)$

Note that $\ln(x^2 y) = 2 \ln x + \ln y$ (for $x > 0, y > 0$). Using the product rule:

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = 3x^2 \ln(x^2 y) + x^3 \cdot \frac{2}{x} = 3x^2 \ln(x^2 y) + 2x^2$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = x^3 \cdot \frac{1}{y} = \frac{x^3}{y}$$

$$\nabla f = (3x^2 \ln(x^2 y) + 2x^2) \mathbf{i} + \frac{x^3}{y} \mathbf{j}$$

2. $g(x, y) = e^{x-y^2} \sin(xy)$

Using the product rule and chain rule:

$$\frac{\partial g}{\partial x} = e^{x-y^2} \sin(xy) + e^{x-y^2} \cdot y \cos(xy) = e^{x-y^2} (\sin(xy) + y \cos(xy))$$

$$\frac{\partial g}{\partial y} = (-2y) e^{x-y^2} \sin(xy) + e^{x-y^2} \cdot x \cos(xy) = e^{x-y^2} (x \cos(xy) - 2y \sin(xy))$$

$$\nabla g = e^{x-y^2} (\sin(xy) + y \cos(xy)) \mathbf{i} + e^{x-y^2} (x \cos(xy) - 2y \sin(xy)) \mathbf{j}$$

3. $h(x, y) = \int_0^{x^2 y} \sin(t^2) dt$

Using the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus with chain rule:

$$\frac{\partial h}{\partial x} = \sin((x^2 y)^2) \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(x^2 y) = 2xy \sin(x^4 y^2)$$

$$\frac{\partial h}{\partial y} = \sin((x^2 y)^2) \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(x^2 y) = x^2 \sin(x^4 y^2)$$

$$\nabla h = 2xy \sin(x^4 y^2) \mathbf{i} + x^2 \sin(x^4 y^2) \mathbf{j}$$

Question 2 Solution:

Both versions follow the same method. We find the stationary points by solving $\nabla f = \mathbf{0}$.

Version A: $f(x, y) = x^4 + y^4 - 4xy$.

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = 4x^3 - 4y = 0 \implies y = x^3$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 4y^3 - 4x = 0 \implies x = y^3$$

Substituting $y = x^3$ into $x = y^3$: $x = (x^3)^3 = x^9$, so $x^9 - x = 0$, i.e. $x(x^8 - 1) = 0$.

This gives $x = 0$ or $x^8 = 1$. The real solutions of $x^8 = 1$ are $x = 1$ and $x = -1$.

Critical points: $(0, 0)$, $(1, 1)$, and $(-1, -1)$.

The Hessian matrix is: $H = \begin{pmatrix} 12x^2 & -4 \\ -4 & 12y^2 \end{pmatrix}$

At $(0, 0)$: $\det(H) = 0 - 16 = -16 < 0 \Rightarrow$ saddle point.

At $(1, 1)$: $\det(H) = 144 - 16 = 128 > 0$, $f_{xx} = 12 > 0 \Rightarrow$ local minimum, $f(1, 1) = 1 + 1 - 4 = -2$.

At $(-1, -1)$: $\det(H) = 128 > 0$, $f_{xx} = 12 > 0 \Rightarrow$ local minimum, $f(-1, -1) = 1 + 1 - 4 = -2$.

Version B: $f(x, y) = x^4 + y^4 - 16xy$.

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = 4x^3 - 16y = 0 \implies y = x^3/4$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 4y^3 - 16x = 0 \implies x = y^3/4$$

Substituting $y = x^3/4$ into $x = y^3/4$: $x = (x^3/4)^3/4 = x^9/256$, so $x^9 - 256x = 0$, i.e. $x(x^8 - 256) = 0$.

This gives $x = 0$ or $x^8 = 256 = 2^8$, so $x = \pm 2$.

Critical points: $(0, 0)$, $(2, 2)$, and $(-2, -2)$.

The Hessian matrix is: $H = \begin{pmatrix} 12x^2 & -16 \\ -16 & 12y^2 \end{pmatrix}$

At $(0, 0)$: $\det(H) = 0 - 256 = -256 < 0 \Rightarrow$ saddle point.

At $(2, 2)$: $\det(H) = 48 \cdot 48 - 256 = 2048 > 0$, $f_{xx} = 48 > 0 \Rightarrow$ local minimum, $f(2, 2) = 16 + 16 - 64 = -32$.

At $(-2, -2)$: $\det(H) = 2048 > 0$, $f_{xx} = 48 > 0 \Rightarrow$ local minimum, $f(-2, -2) = 16 + 16 - 64 = -32$.

Question 3 Solution:

1. Matching:

- $\mathbf{F}_1 = x\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j}$ matches **C**: At any point (x, y) , the vector points radially outward from the origin with magnitude growing proportionally to the distance. This is the classic source field.
- $\mathbf{F}_2 = y\mathbf{i} - x\mathbf{j}$ matches **B**: At $(1, 0)$ the vector is $(0, -1)$ (pointing down), at $(0, 1)$ it is $(1, 0)$ (pointing right). This traces clockwise circles around the origin.
- $\mathbf{F}_3 = x^2\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j}$ matches **E**: The horizontal component x^2 is always non-negative, so all vectors have a rightward (or zero) horizontal component regardless of the sign of x . Near $x = 0$ the vertical component y dominates.
- $\mathbf{F}_4 = -\mathbf{i}$ matches **D**: A constant field where every vector points to the left with the same magnitude.
- $\mathbf{F}_5 = y\mathbf{j}$ matches **F**: Purely vertical vectors, pointing upward above the x -axis, downward below, with zero on the x -axis itself.
- $\mathbf{F}_6 = x\mathbf{i} - y\mathbf{j}$ matches **A**: Along the x -axis vectors point outward; along the y -axis vectors point toward the origin. This is a saddle pattern with expansion in the x -direction and contraction in the y -direction.

2. Curls (for $\mathbf{F} = P\mathbf{i} + Q\mathbf{j}$, the curl is $\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y}$):

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla \times \mathbf{F}_1(x, y) &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(y) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(x) = 0 - 0 = 0 \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{F}_2(x, y) &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(-x) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(y) = -1 - 1 = -2 \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{F}_3(x, y) &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(y) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(x^2) = 0 - 0 = 0 \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{F}_4(x, y) &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(0) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(-1) = 0 - 0 = 0 \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{F}_5(x, y) &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(y) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(0) = 0 - 0 = 0 \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{F}_6(x, y) &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(-y) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(x) = 0 - 0 = 0\end{aligned}$$

Question 4 Solution:

We verify Green's theorem: $\oint_C P dx + Q dy = \iint_D \left(\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) dA$.

The triangle D has vertices $(0, 0), (1, 0), (0, 1)$, so $0 \leq x \leq 1$ and $0 \leq y \leq 1 - x$.

Version A: $P = x^2 - y, Q = 2xy + 3$.

Right-hand side (double integral): $\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = 2y - (-1) = 2y + 1$.

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_D (2y + 1) dA &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} (2y + 1) dy dx = \int_0^1 [y^2 + y]_0^{1-x} dx \\ &= \int_0^1 ((1-x)^2 + (1-x)) dx = \int_0^1 (2 - 3x + x^2) dx \\ &= \left[2x - \frac{3x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^1 = 2 - \frac{3}{2} + \frac{1}{3} = \boxed{\frac{5}{6}} \end{aligned}$$

Left-hand side (line integral): The boundary consists of three segments.

$$C_1: (0, 0) \rightarrow (1, 0), y = 0, dy = 0: \quad \int_{C_1} = \int_0^1 x^2 dx = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$C_2: (1, 0) \rightarrow (0, 1), x = 1 - t, y = t, dx = -dt, dy = dt:$$

$$P = (1-t)^2 - t = 1 - 3t + t^2, \quad Q = 2(1-t)t + 3 = 2t - 2t^2 + 3$$

$$\int_{C_2} = \int_0^1 (2 + 5t - 3t^2) dt = 2 + \frac{5}{2} - 1 = \frac{7}{2}$$

$$C_3: (0, 1) \rightarrow (0, 0), x = 0, dx = 0: \quad \int_{C_3} = \int_1^0 3 dy = -3$$

$$\text{Total: } \frac{1}{3} + \frac{7}{2} - 3 = \boxed{\frac{5}{6}} \checkmark$$

Version B: $P = x^2 + y, Q = 2xy - 3$.

Right-hand side (double integral): $\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = 2y - 1$.

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_D (2y - 1) dA &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} (2y - 1) dy dx = \int_0^1 [y^2 - y]_0^{1-x} dx \\ &= \int_0^1 ((1-x)^2 - (1-x)) dx = \int_0^1 (-x + x^2) dx \\ &= \left[-\frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^1 = -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} = \boxed{-\frac{1}{6}} \end{aligned}$$

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$$C_1: (0, 0) \rightarrow (1, 0), y = 0, dy = 0: \quad \int_{C_1} = \int_0^1 x^2 dx = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$C_2: (1, 0) \rightarrow (0, 1), x = 1 - t, y = t, dx = -dt, dy = dt:$$

$$P = (1-t)^2 + t = 1 - t + t^2, \quad Q = 2(1-t)t - 3 = 2t - 2t^2 - 3$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{C_2} &= \int_0^1 [-(1-t+t^2) + (2t - 2t^2 - 3)] dt = \int_0^1 (-4 + 3t - 3t^2) dt \\ &= \left[-4t + \frac{3t^2}{2} - t^3 \right]_0^1 = -4 + \frac{3}{2} - 1 = -\frac{7}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$C_3: (0, 1) \rightarrow (0, 0), x = 0, dx = 0: \int_{C_3}^0 (-3) dy = 3$$

$$\text{Total: } \frac{1}{3} - \frac{7}{2} + 3 = \frac{2}{6} - \frac{21}{6} + \frac{18}{6} = \boxed{-\frac{1}{6}} \checkmark$$

Question 5 Solution:

We use the substitution $u = y/x, v = xy$. The Jacobian computation is the same for both versions.

Jacobian: We compute $\frac{\partial(u, v)}{\partial(x, y)}$:

$$\frac{\partial(u, v)}{\partial(x, y)} = \begin{vmatrix} -y/x^2 & 1/x \\ y & x \end{vmatrix} = \frac{-y}{x^2} \cdot x - \frac{1}{x} \cdot y = -\frac{2y}{x} = -2u$$

Therefore $\left| \frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)} \right| = \frac{1}{2u}$. The integrand is $xy = v$.

Version A: $y = x, y = 3x, xy = 1, xy = 4 \Rightarrow u \in [1, 3], v \in [1, 4]$.

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_D xy \, dA &= \int_1^3 \int_1^4 v \cdot \frac{1}{2u} \, dv \, du = \frac{1}{2} \int_1^3 \frac{du}{u} \cdot \int_1^4 v \, dv \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \ln 3 \cdot \frac{15}{2} = \boxed{\frac{15 \ln 3}{4}} \end{aligned}$$

Version B: $y = x, y = 3x, xy = 1, xy = 4 \Rightarrow u \in [1, 3], v \in [1, 3]$.

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_D xy \, dA &= \int_1^3 \int_1^3 v \cdot \frac{1}{2u} \, dv \, du = \frac{1}{2} \int_1^3 \frac{du}{u} \cdot \int_1^3 v \, dv \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \ln 3 \cdot 4 = \boxed{2 \ln 3} \end{aligned}$$

Question 6 Solution:

The two paraboloids are $z = x^2 + y^2$ (opening upward) and $z = 8 - x^2 - y^2$ (opening downward).

Intersection: Setting them equal: $x^2 + y^2 = 8 - x^2 - y^2$, so $2(x^2 + y^2) = 8$, giving $x^2 + y^2 = 4$, i.e. $r = 2$ in cylindrical coordinates. The surfaces meet at $z = 4$.

Using cylindrical coordinates (r, θ, z) , where z ranges from r^2 (lower paraboloid) to $8 - r^2$ (upper paraboloid):

$$\begin{aligned} V &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 \int_{r^2}^{8-r^2} r \, dz \, dr \, d\theta \\ &= 2\pi \int_0^2 r(8 - r^2 - r^2) \, dr = 2\pi \int_0^2 (8r - 2r^3) \, dr \\ &= 2\pi \left[4r^2 - \frac{r^4}{2} \right]_0^2 = 2\pi(16 - 8) = \boxed{16\pi} \end{aligned}$$