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1. Let

$$f(x, y, z) = \frac{x}{y} - yz.$$

Let  $P_0$  be the point with coordinates  $(-4, -1, 3)$ .

(a) Compute

$$\nabla f \Big|_{P_0}.$$

(b) i. In what direction does  $f$  increase most rapidly at  $P_0$ ?

ii. What is the derivative of  $f$  in this direction at  $P_0$ ?

(c) i. In what direction does  $f$  decrease most rapidly at  $P_0$ ?

ii. What is the derivative of  $f$  in this direction at  $P_0$ ?

2. Consider the surface defined by the equation

$$3 \cos(\pi x) - 2x^2y + 5e^{xz} + 3yz = 17.$$

At the point  $P_0(0, 3, 1)$ ,

- find an equation for the tangent plane to this surface, and
- find equations for the normal line to this surface.