

# PARTIAL DIFFERENTIATION

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\* Ques

If  $u = \log(x^3 + y^3 + z^3 - 3xyz)$ , then prove that :-

$$\textcircled{1} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} = \frac{3}{x+y+z}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right)^2 u = \frac{-9}{(x+y+z)^2}$$

Solve  $\textcircled{1}$  :- Given,  $u = \log(x^3 + y^3 + z^3 - 3xyz)$ ...

Partially diff w.r.t (x) in eq<sup>n</sup> (i),

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{3x^2 - 3yz}{x^3 + y^3 + z^3 - 3xyz} \dots \textcircled{ii}$$

Again, partially diff eq<sup>n</sup> in w.r.t (y),

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \frac{3y^2 - 3xz}{x^3 + y^3 + z^3 - 3xyz} \dots \textcircled{iii}$$

Again, partially diff w.r.t (z) in eq<sup>n</sup> (i) w.r.t (z),

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial z} = \frac{3z^2 - 3xy}{x^3 + y^3 + z^3 - 3xyz} \dots \textcircled{iv}$$

Adding eq<sup>n</sup> (ii), (iii) & (iv), we get,

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$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} = \frac{3x^2 - 3yz + 3y^2 - 3xz + 3z^2 - 3xy}{x^3 + y^3 + z^3 - 3xyz}$$

$$= \frac{3(x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - xy - yz - xz)}{x^3 + y^3 + z^3 - 3xyz}$$

$$= \frac{3(x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - xy - yz - xz)}{(x+y+z)(x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - xy - yz - xz)}$$

$$= \frac{3}{x+y+z}$$

Hence Proved

Solve  $\textcircled{2}$  :- Taking L.H.S,

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right)^2 u$$

$$= \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) u$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \left( \frac{3}{x+y+z} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \frac{3}{x+y+z} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( \frac{3}{x+y+z} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left( \frac{3}{x+y+z} \right)$$



$$\Rightarrow \frac{-3}{(x+y+z)^2} - \frac{3}{(x+y+z)^2} - \frac{3}{(x+y+z)^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-9}{(x+y+z)^2} \quad \text{Hence proved}$$

\*2 If  $x^x y^y z^z = C$ , then show that  $\frac{f_x^2}{f_x f_y} = -(\log x)^{-1}$

here  $z$  is a function of  $x$  &  $y$  and  $x=y=z$ .

\*3 If  $u = (x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{-1/2}$ ,  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \neq 0$ , then prove that :-

(i)  $\left( x \frac{f_x}{f_y} + y \frac{f_y}{f_z} + z \frac{f_z}{f_x} \right) = -4$

(ii)  $\frac{f_x^2}{f_x^2} + \frac{f_y^2}{f_y^2} + \frac{f_z^2}{f_z^2} = 0$

\*4 If  $u(x, y, z) = \log(\tan x + \tan y + \tan z)$ , then prove that

$$\sin 2x \cdot \frac{f_x}{f_y} + \sin 2y \cdot \frac{f_y}{f_z} + \sin 2z \cdot \frac{f_z}{f_x} = 2$$

\*5 If  $u = e^{xyz}$ , then show that  $\frac{f_x^3}{f_x f_y f_z} = (1 + 3xyz + x^2 y^2 z^2) e^{xyz}$

Solve 2\* given  $x^x y^y z^z = C$

Taking log both side,

$$\log(x^x y^y z^z) = \log C$$

$$x \log x + y \log y + z \log z = \log C \quad \dots (i)$$

Partially diff w.r.t  $x$  in eq (i),

$$\left( \frac{x}{x} + \log x \right) + 0 + \left( \frac{z}{z} + \log z \right) \frac{f_z}{f_x} = 0$$

$$1 + \log x + \frac{f_z}{f_x} = - \left( \frac{1 + \log x}{1 + \log z} \right) \dots (ii)$$

Again, partially diff. eq (ii) w.r.t  $y$ ,

$$\left( \frac{y}{y} + \log y \right) + \left( \frac{z}{z} + \log z \right) \frac{f_z}{f_y} = 0$$

$$\frac{f_z}{f_y} = - \left( \frac{1 + \log y}{1 + \log z} \right) \dots (iii)$$



Multiplying eq<sup>n</sup> (ii) & (iii), we get

~~$$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} = \left( \frac{1 + \log x}{1 + \log z} \right) \left( \frac{1 + \log y}{1 + \log z} \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{1 + \log x + \log y + \log x \cdot \log y}{1 + (\log z)^2 + 2 \log z}$$~~

Again partially diff eq<sup>n</sup> (iii) w.r.t (x),

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \right) = -(1 + \log y) \left\{ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} [(1 + \log z)^{-1}] \right\}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} = (1 + \log y) \frac{1}{(1 + \log z)^2} \left( 0 + \frac{1}{z} \right) \frac{\partial z}{\partial x}$$

$$= \frac{1 + \log y}{z (1 + \log z)^2} \left[ - \frac{(1 + \log x)}{(1 + \log z)} \right]$$

$$= - \frac{(1 + \log x) (1 + \log y)}{x (1 + \log x)^2 (1 + \log y)}$$

$$\therefore x = y = z$$

$$= \frac{-1}{x (1 + \log x)} = \frac{-1}{x \log(xe)}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{-1}{[x \log(xe)]^{-1}} \quad \text{Hence Proved}$$

Soluo 3\* Given:  $u = (x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{-1/2} \dots (i)$

(i) Partially diff eq<sup>n</sup> (i) w.r.t (x),

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{-1/2}$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \left( \frac{-1}{2} \right) (x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{-3/2} (2x)$$

$$x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{-x^2}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{3/2}} \dots (ii)$$

Similarly on diff eq<sup>n</sup> (i) w.r.t y & z, we get,

$$y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \frac{-y^2}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{3/2}} \dots (iii)$$

$$z \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} = \frac{-z^2}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{3/2}} \dots (iv)$$

Adding eq<sup>n</sup> (ii), (iii) & (iv), we have,

$$x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + z \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} = \frac{-x^2 - y^2 - z^2}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{3/2}}$$

$$x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + z \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} = u \quad \text{Hence Proved}$$



(ii) From eq<sup>n</sup> (ii),

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{-x}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{3/2}}$$

Partially diff. w.r.t (x),

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = - \left[ \frac{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{3/2} (1) - 3x \cdot 2x}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^3} \right]$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = - \left[ \frac{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{3/2} - 6x^2 (x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{1/2}}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^3} \right]$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = - \frac{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{1/2} (x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 3x^2)}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^3}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = - \frac{(y^2 + z^2 - 2x^2)}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{5/2}} \quad \dots (v)$$

Similarly, on <sup>again</sup> partially diff. eq<sup>n</sup> (iii) and (iv) w.r.t y & z respectively,

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = - \frac{(x^2 + z^2 - 2y^2)}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{5/2}} \quad \dots (vi)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial z^2} = - \frac{(x^2 + y^2 - 2z^2)}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{5/2}} \quad \dots (vii)$$

Adding eq<sup>n</sup> (v), (vi) & (vii),

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial z^2} = - \left[ \frac{y^2 + z^2 - 2x^2 + x^2 + y^2 - 2z^2 + x^2 + y^2 - 2y^2}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{5/2}} \right]$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial z^2} = 0 \quad \text{Hence Proved}$$

Solve 4\*  $u(x, y, z) = \log (\tan x + \tan y + \tan z)$  — (1)

Partially diff. w.r.t (x) in eq<sup>n</sup> (1),

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{\tan x + \tan y + \tan z} \quad (\sec^2 x)$$

$$\sin 2x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{2 \sin x \cos x}{(\tan x + \tan y + \tan z) (\cos^2 x)}$$

$$\sin 2x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{2 \tan x}{\tan x + \tan y + \tan z} \quad \dots (2)$$

Similarly, on <sup>partially</sup> diff. eq<sup>n</sup> (2) w.r.t y & z, we get,



$$\sin 2y \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{2 \tan y}{\tan x + \tan y + \tan z} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$\sin 2z \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} = \frac{2 \tan z}{\tan x + \tan y + \tan z} \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

Adding eq<sup>n</sup> (2), (3) & (4),

$$\sin 2x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \sin 2y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \sin 2z \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} = \frac{2 \tan x}{\tan x + \tan y + \tan z} + \frac{2 \tan y}{\tan x + \tan y + \tan z} + \frac{2 \tan z}{\tan x + \tan y + \tan z}$$

$$\sin 2x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \sin 2y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \sin 2z \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} = 2 \quad \text{Hence Proved}$$

Solve 5\*  $u = e^{xyz} \quad \dots (i)$

Partially diff eq<sup>n</sup> (i) w.r.t (x),

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = e^{xyz} (yz) \quad \dots (ii)$$

Similarly,  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = e^{xyz} (xz) \quad \dots (iii)$

And,  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial z} = e^{xyz} (xy) \quad \dots (iv)$

Partially diff eq<sup>n</sup> (ii) w.r.t (y), we get,

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right) = e^{xyz} (xz)(yz) + e^{xyz} (z)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} = e^{xyz} (xyz^2 + z)$$

Again partially diff eq<sup>n</sup> w.r.t (z), we get,

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y \partial z} = e^{xyz} (xy)(xyz^2 + z) + e^{xyz} (2xyz + 1)$$

$$= e^{xyz} [(xy)(xyz^2 + z) + 2xyz + 1]$$

$$= e^{xyz} [x^2 y^2 z^2 + xyz + 2xyz + 1]$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y \partial z} = (1 + 3xyz + x^2 + y^2 z^2) e^{xyz}$$

Hence proved