

## EXERCISE 13.3

### Partial Derivatives

**13.3:** Definition-13.3.1, Examples: 1-5, 10-14 **Exercise Set 13.3: 1-13, 25-52, 85-92, 95-104**

1. Let  $f(x, y) = 3x^3y^2$ . Find
  - (a)  $f_x(x, y)$
  - (b)  $f_y(x, y)$
  - (c)  $f_x(1, y)$
  - (d)  $f_x(x, 1)$
  - (e)  $f_y(1, y)$
  - (f)  $f_y(x, 1)$
  - (g)  $f_x(1, 2)$
  - (h)  $f_y(1, 2)$ .
2. Let  $z = e^{2x} \sin y$ . Find
  - (a)  $\partial z / \partial x$
  - (b)  $\partial z / \partial y$
  - (c)  $\partial z / \partial x|_{(0, y)}$
  - (d)  $\partial z / \partial x|_{(x, 0)}$
  - (e)  $\partial z / \partial y|_{(0, y)}$
  - (f)  $\partial z / \partial y|_{(x, 0)}$
  - (g)  $\partial z / \partial x|_{(\ln 2, 0)}$
  - (h)  $\partial z / \partial y|_{(\ln 2, 0)}$ .

### 3-10 Evaluate the indicated partial derivatives. ■

3.  $z = 9x^2y - 3x^5y$ ;  $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$
4.  $f(x, y) = 10x^2y^4 - 6xy^2 + 10x^2$ ;  $f_x(x, y), f_y(x, y)$
5.  $z = (x^2 + 5x - 2y)^8$ ;  $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$
6.  $f(x, y) = \frac{1}{xy^2 - x^2y}$ ;  $f_x(x, y), f_y(x, y)$
7.  $\frac{\partial}{\partial p}(e^{-7p/q}), \frac{\partial}{\partial q}(e^{-7p/q})$
8.  $\frac{\partial}{\partial x}(xe^{\sqrt{15xy}}), \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(xe^{\sqrt{15xy}})$
9.  $z = \sin(5x^3y + 7xy^2)$ ;  $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$
10.  $f(x, y) = \cos(2xy^2 - 3x^2y^2)$ ;  $f_x(x, y), f_y(x, y)$
11. Let  $f(x, y) = \sqrt{3x + 2y}$ .
  - (a) Find the slope of the surface  $z = f(x, y)$  in the  $x$ -direction at the point  $(4, 2)$ .
  - (b) Find the slope of the surface  $z = f(x, y)$  in the  $y$ -direction at the point  $(4, 2)$ .
12. Let  $f(x, y) = xe^{-y} + 5y$ .
  - (a) Find the slope of the surface  $z = f(x, y)$  in the  $x$ -direction at the point  $(3, 0)$ .
  - (b) Find the slope of the surface  $z = f(x, y)$  in the  $y$ -direction at the point  $(3, 0)$ .
13. Let  $z = \sin(y^2 - 4x)$ .
  - (a) Find the rate of change of  $z$  with respect to  $x$  at the point  $(2, 1)$  with  $y$  held fixed.
  - (b) Find the rate of change of  $z$  with respect to  $y$  at the point  $(2, 1)$  with  $x$  held fixed.

**25–30** Find  $\partial z/\partial x$  and  $\partial z/\partial y$ . ■

25.  $z = 4e^{x^2y^3}$       26.  $z = \cos(x^5y^4)$   
27.  $z = x^3 \ln(1 + xy^{-3/5})$       28.  $z = e^{xy} \sin 4y^2$   
29.  $z = \frac{xy}{x^2 + y^2}$       30.  $z = \frac{x^2y^3}{\sqrt{x+y}}$

**31–36** Find  $f_x(x, y)$  and  $f_y(x, y)$ . ■

31.  $f(x, y) = \sqrt{3x^5y - 7x^3y}$       32.  $f(x, y) = \frac{x+y}{x-y}$   
33.  $f(x, y) = y^{-3/2} \tan^{-1}(x/y)$   
34.  $f(x, y) = x^3e^{-y} + y^3 \sec \sqrt{x}$   
35.  $f(x, y) = (y^2 \tan x)^{-4/3}$   
36.  $f(x, y) = \cosh(\sqrt{x}) \sinh^2(xy^2)$

**37–40** Evaluate the indicated partial derivatives. ■

37.  $f(x, y) = 9 - x^2 - 7y^3$ ;  $f_x(3, 1)$ ,  $f_y(3, 1)$   
38.  $f(x, y) = x^2ye^{xy}$ ;  $\partial f/\partial x(1, 1)$ ,  $\partial f/\partial y(1, 1)$   
39.  $z = \sqrt{x^2 + 4y^2}$ ;  $\partial z/\partial x(1, 2)$ ,  $\partial z/\partial y(1, 2)$   
40.  $w = x^2 \cos xy$ ;  $\partial w/\partial x(\frac{1}{2}, \pi)$ ,  $\partial w/\partial y(\frac{1}{2}, \pi)$   
41. Let  $f(x, y, z) = x^2y^4z^3 + xy + z^2 + 1$ . Find  
(a)  $f_x(x, y, z)$       (b)  $f_y(x, y, z)$       (c)  $f_z(x, y, z)$   
(d)  $f_x(1, y, z)$       (e)  $f_y(1, 2, z)$       (f)  $f_z(1, 2, 3)$ .  
42. Let  $w = x^2y \cos z$ . Find  
(a)  $\partial w/\partial x(x, y, z)$       (b)  $\partial w/\partial y(x, y, z)$   
(c)  $\partial w/\partial z(x, y, z)$       (d)  $\partial w/\partial x(2, y, z)$   
(e)  $\partial w/\partial y(2, 1, z)$       (f)  $\partial w/\partial z(2, 1, 0)$ .

**43–46** Find  $f_x$ ,  $f_y$ , and  $f_z$ . ■

43.  $f(x, y, z) = z \ln(x^2y \cos z)$   
44.  $f(x, y, z) = y^{-3/2} \sec\left(\frac{xz}{y}\right)$   
45.  $f(x, y, z) = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{xy^2z^3}\right)$   
46.  $f(x, y, z) = \cosh(\sqrt{z}) \sinh^2(x^2yz)$

**47–50** Find  $\partial w/\partial x$ ,  $\partial w/\partial y$ , and  $\partial w/\partial z$ . ■

47.  $w = ye^z \sin xz$       48.  $w = \frac{x^2 - y^2}{y^2 + z^2}$   
49.  $w = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$       50.  $w = y^3e^{2x+3z}$   
51. Let  $f(x, y, z) = y^2e^{xz}$ . Find  
(a)  $\partial f/\partial x|_{(1,1,1)}$       (b)  $\partial f/\partial y|_{(1,1,1)}$       (c)  $\partial f/\partial z|_{(1,1,1)}$ .  
52. Let  $w = \sqrt{x^2 + 4y^2 - z^2}$ . Find  
(a)  $\partial w/\partial x|_{(2,1,-1)}$       (b)  $\partial w/\partial y|_{(2,1,-1)}$   
(c)  $\partial w/\partial z|_{(2,1,-1)}$ .

**85–92** Confirm that the mixed second-order partial derivatives of  $f$  are the same. ■

85.  $f(x, y) = 4x^2 - 8xy^4 + 7y^5 - 3$

86.  $f(x, y) = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$       87.  $f(x, y) = e^x \cos y$

88.  $f(x, y) = e^{x-y^2}$       89.  $f(x, y) = \ln(4x - 5y)$

90.  $f(x, y) = \ln(x^2 + y^2)$

91.  $f(x, y) = (x - y)/(x + y)$

92.  $f(x, y) = (x^2 - y^2)/(x^2 + y^2)$

95. Given  $f(x, y) = x^3y^5 - 2x^2y + x$ , find

(a)  $f_{xxy}$       (b)  $f_{yxy}$       (c)  $f_{yyy}$ .

96. Given  $z = (2x - y)^5$ , find

(a)  $\frac{\partial^3 z}{\partial y \partial x \partial y}$       (b)  $\frac{\partial^3 z}{\partial x^2 \partial y}$       (c)  $\frac{\partial^4 z}{\partial x^2 \partial y^2}$ .

97. Given  $f(x, y) = y^3 e^{-5x}$ , find

(a)  $f_{xyy}(0, 1)$       (b)  $f_{xxx}(0, 1)$       (c)  $f_{yyxx}(0, 1)$ .

98. Given  $w = e^y \cos x$ , find

(a)  $\frac{\partial^3 w}{\partial y^2 \partial x} \Big|_{(\pi/4, 0)}$       (b)  $\frac{\partial^3 w}{\partial x^2 \partial y} \Big|_{(\pi/4, 0)}$

99. Let  $f(x, y, z) = x^3y^5z^7 + xy^2 + y^3z$ . Find

(a)  $f_{xy}$       (b)  $f_{yz}$       (c)  $f_{xz}$       (d)  $f_{zz}$   
(e)  $f_{zyy}$       (f)  $f_{xxy}$       (g)  $f_{zyx}$       (h)  $f_{xxyz}$ .

100. Let  $w = (4x - 3y + 2z)^5$ . Find

(a)  $\frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x \partial z}$       (b)  $\frac{\partial^3 w}{\partial x \partial y \partial z}$       (c)  $\frac{\partial^4 w}{\partial z^2 \partial y \partial x}$ .

101. Show that the function satisfies **Laplace's equation**

$$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = 0$$

(a)  $z = x^2 - y^2 + 2xy$

(b)  $z = e^x \sin y + e^y \cos x$

(c)  $z = \ln(x^2 + y^2) + 2 \tan^{-1}(y/x)$

102. Show that the function satisfies the **heat equation**

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial t} = c^2 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} \quad (c > 0, \text{ constant})$$

(a)  $z = e^{-t} \sin(x/c)$       (b)  $z = e^{-t} \cos(x/c)$

103. Show that the function  $u(x, t) = \sin c\omega t \sin \omega x$  satisfies the wave equation [Equation (6)] for all real values of  $\omega$ .

104. In each part, show that  $u(x, y)$  and  $v(x, y)$  satisfy the **Cauchy–Riemann equations**

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$$

(a)  $u = x^2 - y^2$ ,       $v = 2xy$

(b)  $u = e^x \cos y$ ,       $v = e^x \sin y$

(c)  $u = \ln(x^2 + y^2)$ ,       $v = 2 \tan^{-1}(y/x)$