

MATHEMATICS FOR DATA SCIENCE - II

WEEK 11 - PRACTICE ASSIGNMENT

1. Max. directional derivative is along the direction of ∇f .

$$(1) f(x, y) = x^2 - xy + y^2$$

$$f_x = 2x - y \quad ; \quad f_y = -x + 2y$$

$$\nabla f|_{(0,0)} = (0, 0) \quad \text{--- (iii)}$$

$$(2) f(x, y) = 3x^2 + 3x + y$$

$$f_x = 6x + 3 \quad ; \quad f_y = 1$$

$$\nabla f|_{(0,0)} = (3, 1) \quad \text{--- (iv)}$$

$$(3) f(x, y) = e^{x+y} - 4y$$

$$f_x = e^{x+y} \quad ; \quad f_y = e^{x+y} - 4$$

$$\nabla f|_{(0,0)} = (1, -3) \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

$$(4) f(x, y) = \sin y + \cos x$$

$$f_x = -\sin x \quad ; \quad f_y = \cos y$$

$$\nabla f|_{(0,0)} = (0, 1) \quad \text{--- (v)}$$

2. Eqn of the tgt plane is
 $f_x(x_0, y_0)(x - x_0) + f_y(x_0, y_0)(y - y_0) + f_z(x_0, y_0)(z - z_0) = 0$
 The tgt plane should be parallel to
 $7x - 8y + 3z + 2 = 0$
 i.e., $-\frac{7}{3}x + \frac{8}{3}y - \frac{2}{3} = z$

A plane parallel to this will be of the form $-\frac{7}{3}x + \frac{8}{3}y + k = z$ for some constant k .

\therefore We want $f_x(x_0, y_0) = -\frac{7}{3}$, $f_y(x_0, y_0) = \frac{8}{3}$

$$f_x(x_0, y_0) = -\frac{7}{3}x_0 \quad (\because f(x, y) = -\frac{7}{6}x^2 + \frac{y^2}{3} + \frac{11}{6})$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{x_0 = 1}$$

$$f_y(x_0, y_0) = \frac{2}{3}y_0 \Rightarrow \boxed{y_0 = 4}$$

$$f(x_0, y_0) = z_0 \Rightarrow z_0 = -\frac{7}{6} + \frac{16}{3} + \frac{11}{6}$$

$$\boxed{z_0 = 6}$$

$\therefore (1, 4, 6)$ is the pt. where the tgt plane is \parallel to the given plane

3. Option 1: The directional derivatives does not exist at $(0,0)$.
In fact, f_x, f_y do not exist at $(0,0)$.

$$f_x = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0+h, 0) - f(0,0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{|h|}{h} \quad (\text{does not exist}).$$

Option 2: This is the geometrical interpretation of the tgt. plane .

Option 3: Not necessary. The example in option 1 is such that its partial derivatives do not exist at $(0,0)$.

Option 4: Tgt. plane parallel to XY -plane implies

$$f_x = 0 = f_y \quad (\text{Check problem 6}).$$

Thus at a point $P(a,b)$,

$$D_u f(a,b) = \nabla f(a,b) \cdot u \quad (\text{where } u \text{ is a unit vector})$$

$$= (f_x(a,b), f_y(a,b)) \cdot u$$

$$= (0,0) \cdot u = 0.$$

4. $f(x, y) = 6x^2 - 2x^3 + 3y^2 - 6xy$

$$f_x = 12x - 6x^2 - 6y$$

$$f_y = 6y - 6x$$

We want (x, y) s.t. $f_x = 0 = f_y$.

$$f_y = 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{y = x}$$

$$f_x = 0 \Rightarrow 12x - 6x^2 - 6x = 0 \quad (\because y = x)$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x^2 - 6x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \cancel{1}, 0$$

\therefore The critical pts. are $(0, 0)$ & $(1, 1)$.

$$5. \quad f_1(x, y, z) = \ln(x^2 + y^2 + 2z^2)$$

$$f_2(x, y, z) = \tan^{-1}(x^2 + y^2 + 2z^2).$$

$$L_f = f(x_0, y_0, z_0) + f_x(x_0, y_0, z_0)(x - x_0) \\ + f_y(x_0, y_0, z_0)(y - y_0) + f_z(x_0, y_0, z_0)(z - z_0)$$

$$(f_1)_x = \frac{1}{x^2 + y^2 + 2z^2} (2x) ; (f_1)_x(1, -1, 1) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$(f_1)_y = \frac{1}{x^2 + y^2 + 2z^2} (2y) ; (f_1)_y(1, -1, 1) = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$(f_1)_z = \frac{1}{x^2 + y^2 + 2z^2} (4z) ; (f_1)_z(1, -1, 1) = 1$$

$$L_{f_1} = \ln(4) + \frac{1}{2}(x - 1) - \frac{1}{2}(y + 1) + (z - 1) \\ = \frac{x}{2} - \frac{y}{2} + z + (\ln 4 - 2)$$

$$\nabla L_{f_1} = \left(\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}, 1 \right).$$

$$f_2(x, y, z) = \tan^{-1}(x^2 + y^2 + 2z^2)$$

$$(f_2)_x = \frac{1}{1+(x^2+y^2+2z^2)^2} (2x); (f_2)_x(1, -1, 1) = \frac{2}{17}$$

$$(f_2)_y = \frac{1}{1+(x^2+y^2+2z^2)^2} (2y); (f_2)_y(1, -1, 1) = \frac{-2}{17}$$

$$(f_2)_z = \frac{1}{1+(x^2+y^2+2z^2)^2} (4z); (f_2)_z(1, -1, 1) = \frac{4}{17}$$

$$L_{f_2} = \tan^{-1}(4) + \frac{2}{17}(x-1) - \frac{2}{17}(y+1) + \frac{4}{17}(z-1)$$

$$= \frac{2}{17}(x-1) - \frac{2}{17}y + \frac{4}{17}z + (\tan^{-1}4 - \frac{8}{17})$$

$$\nabla L_{f_2} = \left(\frac{2}{17}, -\frac{2}{17}, \frac{4}{17} \right)$$

$$\nabla L_{f_1} \cdot \nabla L_{f_2} = \frac{1}{17} + \frac{1}{17} + \frac{4}{17} = \frac{6}{17}$$

$$\therefore 17(\nabla L_{f_1} \cdot \nabla L_{f_2}) = 6$$

6. Similar to problem 2.

Eqn. of XY -plane is $z=0$.

So we want $f_x = 0 = f_y$ at (x_0, y_0) .

$$f(x, y) = x^3 + y^3 + 3x^2 - 9x - 12y + 20.$$

$$f_x = 3x^2 + 6x - 9 \quad ; \quad 3x_0^2 + 6x_0 - 9 = 0$$

$$f_y = 3y^2 - 12 \quad ; \quad 3y_0^2 - 12 = 0$$

\therefore There are 4 points where the
tgt plane is \parallel to the XY -plane.

$$[(-3, 2), (-3, -2), (1, 2), (1, -2)]$$

$$f(x, y) = x^3 + 3y^3 + 9xy$$

Tgt. plane at $(-1, 2)$ is

$$f_x(-1, 2)(x+1) + f_y(-1, 2)(y-2) + f(-1, 2) = z$$

$$f_x = 3x^2 + 9y \quad ; \quad f_y = 9y^2 + 9x$$

$$f_x(-1, 2) = 21 \quad ; \quad f_y = 27$$

$\therefore ax + by + cz = d_1$ is

$$21(x+1) + 27(y-2) + 5 = z$$

$$21x + 27y - z = 28$$

$$\therefore a=21, \quad b=27, \quad c=-1, \quad d_1=28$$

7. Tgt. plane at $(2, 1)$ is $ax + by + cz = d_2$

$$\therefore f_y(2, 1) = b \Rightarrow 9x + 9 = 27 \Rightarrow \boxed{d=2}$$

\therefore Tgt. plane at $(2, 1)$ is

$$21(x-2) + 27(y-1) + 29 = z$$

$$\Rightarrow 21x + 27y - z = 40 \Rightarrow \boxed{d_2=40}$$

$$\therefore |d_1 - d_2| = |28 - 40| = 12$$

$$8. \quad \frac{2a+b+c}{d_1+d_2} = \frac{42+27-1}{68} = \frac{1}{11}$$

$$f(x, y) = xe^y + \ln(x+y)$$

$$L(x, y) = f(1, 0) + f_x(1, 0)(x-1) + f_y(1, 0)(y)$$

$$f_x = e^y + \frac{1}{x+y} \quad ; \quad f_x(1, 0) = 2$$

$$f_y = xe^y + \frac{1}{x+y} \quad ; \quad f_y(1, 0) = 2$$

$$\therefore L(x, y) = 1 + 2(x-1) + 2y = 2x + 2y - 1$$

9. Option 2

$$10. \quad L(1.1, 0.1) = 2(1.1) + 2(0.1) - 1 = 1.4$$