

1 Calculus

1.1 Solution

1. We have

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{1}{x-2} - \frac{2(2x-3)}{x^3-3x^2+2x} \quad (1)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{1}{x-2} - \frac{2(2x-3)}{x(x-1)(x-2)} \quad (2)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x(x-1) - 2(2x-3)}{x(x-1)(x-2)} \quad (3)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^2 - 5x + 6}{x(x-1)(x-2)} \quad (4)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{(x-2)(x-3)}{x(x-1)(x-2)} [x-2 \neq 0] \quad (5)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x-3}{x(x-1)} \quad (6)$$

$$= \frac{-1}{2} \quad (7)$$

$$(8)$$

2. put $y = 2 + x$ so that when $x \rightarrow 0, y \rightarrow 2$. Then

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{2+x} - \sqrt{2}}{x} = \lim_{y \rightarrow 2} \frac{y^{\frac{1}{2}} - 2^{\frac{1}{2}}}{y - 2} \quad (9)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (2)^{\frac{1}{2}-1} \quad (10)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 2^{-\frac{1}{2}} \quad (11)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \quad (12)$$

$$(13)$$

3.

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} \quad (14)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{a(x+h)^2 + b(x+h) + c - ax^2 - bx - c}{h} \quad (15)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{bh + ah^2 + 2axh}{h} \quad (16)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} ah + 2ax + b \quad (17)$$

$$= 2ax + b \quad (18)$$

$$(19)$$

4.

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} \quad (20)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{h} \frac{1}{x+h} - \frac{1}{x} \quad (21)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-h}{h(x+h)x} \quad (22)$$

$$= \frac{-1}{x^2} \quad (23)$$

$$(24)$$

5.

$$f(x) = x^4 + x - 1 \quad (25)$$

$$f^{(1)}(x) = 4x^3 + 1 \quad (26)$$

$$f^{(2)}(x) = 12x^2 \quad (27)$$

$$f^{(3)}(x) = 24x \quad (28)$$

$$f^{(4)}(x) = 24 \quad (29)$$

$$(30)$$

And all other derivatives are zero, thus

$$x^4 + x - 2 = 0 + (x - 1) \times 5 + \frac{(x - 1)^2}{2!} \times 12 + \frac{(x - 1)^3}{3!} \times 24 + \frac{(x - 1)^4}{4!} \times 24 \quad (31)$$

$$= 5(x - 1) + 6(x - 1)^2 + 4(x - 1)^3 + (x - 1)^4 \quad (32)$$

$$(33)$$

6.

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} [(x^2 - 1)(y + 2)] \quad (34)$$

$$= (y + 2) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} [(x^2 - 1)] \quad (35)$$

$$= (y + 2) 2(x) \quad (36)$$

$$= 2(x)(y + 2) \quad (37)$$

$$(38)$$

Similarly

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} [(x^2 - 1)(y + 2)] \quad (39)$$

$$= (x^2 - 1) \frac{\partial}{\partial y} [(y + 2)] \quad (40)$$

$$= (x^2 - 1) \cdot 1 \quad (41)$$

$$= (x^2 - 1) \quad (42)$$

$$(43)$$

7. we observe that

$$e^{x+y+1} = e^x e^y e \quad (44)$$

$$(45)$$

So

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (ee^x e^y) \quad (46)$$

$$= ee^y \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (e^x) \quad (47)$$

$$= ee^y (e^x) \quad (48)$$

$$= e^{x+y+1} \quad (49)$$

$$(50)$$

Similarly

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (ee^x e^y) \quad (51)$$

$$= ee^x \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (e^y) \quad (52)$$

$$= ee^x (e^y) \quad (53)$$

$$= e^{x+y+1} \quad (54)$$

$$(55)$$

8. Using the product rule

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (e^{-x}) \sin(x+y) + e^{-x} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (\sin(x+y)) \quad (56)$$

$$= -e^{-x} \sin(x+y) + e^{-x} (1 \cdot \cos(x+y)) \quad (57)$$

$$= e^{-x} (\cos(x+y) - \sin(x+y)) \quad (58)$$

$$(59)$$

Similarly

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (e^{-x}) \sin(x+y) + e^{-x} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (\sin(x+y)) \quad (60)$$

$$= -0 + e^{-x} (1 \cdot \cos(x+y)) \quad (61)$$

$$= e^{-x} (\cos(x+y)) \quad (62)$$

$$(63)$$

9. The partial derivatives of the function $u(x, y) = e^x \sin y$ are

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = e^x \sin y, \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = e^x \cos y \quad (64)$$

$$(65)$$

Thus the Hessian is $\begin{pmatrix} e^x \sin y & e^x \cos y \\ e^x \cos y & -e^x \sin y \end{pmatrix}$

10. The gradient of Q is

$$\Delta(x^2 + 5y^2 + 4xy - 2yz) = (2x + 4y, 10y + 4x - 2z, -2y) \quad (66)$$

$$(67)$$

The Hessian matrix of Q is $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 & 0 \\ 4 & 10 & -2 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$