

Relative Maxima or Minima. (Absolute Extrema)

Ex-1: Let $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2 - 2xy - 6y + 14$. Then

Solution
 $f_x(x, y) = 2x - 2$

$$f_y(x, y) = 2y - 6$$

$$0 = 2x - 2$$

$$0 = 2y - 6$$

$$x = 2/2$$

$$y = 6/2$$

$$x = 1$$

$$y = 3$$

P.D.s are equal to 0 at $x=1$ & $y=3$, so the only critical point is $(1, 3)$.

By completing square.

$$f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 6y + 14$$

$$= x^2 - 2x + y^2 - 6y + 14$$

$$= x^2 - 2x + 1^2 - 1^2 + y^2 - 6y + (3)^2 - (3)^2 + 14$$

$$= (x-1)^2 - 1 + (y-3)^2 - 9 + 14$$

$$f(x, y) = (x-1)^2 + (y-3)^2 + 4$$

Since $(x-1)^2 \geq 0$ & $(y-3)^2 \geq 0$, we have $f(x, y) \geq 4$ for all values of x & y . Therefore $f(1, 3) = 4$ is a local minimum & in fact absolute minimum of f .

Ex-2: Find the local extreme values of $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2 - 4y + 9$.

Solution

$$f_x(x, y) = 2x$$

$$f_y(x, y) = 2y - 4$$

$$0 = 2x$$

$$0 = 2y - 4$$

$$x = 0$$

$$y = 4/2$$

$$(x, y) = (0, 2) \text{ critical points.}$$

$$y = 2$$

The only possibility is the point $(0, 2)$ where value of f is 5.
 e.g. $f(0, 2) = 0^2 + 2^2 - 4(2) + 9 = 5$

Since, $f(x, y) = x^2 - (y-2)^2 + 5$ is never less than 5, we see that the critical point $(0, 2)$ gives a local minimum.

Second derivative Test for local extreme values.

- (i) Local maximum at (a, b) if $f_{xx} < 0$ & $f_{xx}f_{yy} - f_{xy}^2 > 0$
- (ii) Local minimum at (a, b) if $f_{xx} > 0$ & $f_{xx}f_{yy} - f_{xy}^2 > 0$
- (iii) Saddle point at (a, b) if $f_{xx}f_{yy} - f_{xy}^2 < 0$
- (iv) Inconclusive at (a, b) if $f_{xx}f_{yy} - f_{xy}^2 = 0$

$$f_{xx}f_{yy} - f_{xy}^2 \rightarrow \text{Discriminant}$$

$$D = \begin{vmatrix} f_{xx} & f_{xy} \\ f_{xy} & f_{yy} \end{vmatrix}$$

Ex: 1. Find the local extreme values of the function.

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

Solution

$$f_x(x,y) = y - 2x - 2$$

$$y - 2x - 2 = 0$$

$$2(y - 2x - 2) = 0$$

$$2y - 4x - 4 = 0$$

$$-2y + x - 2 = 0$$

$$-3x - 6 = 0$$

$$3x = -6$$

$$\boxed{x = -2}$$

$$f_y(x,y) = x - 2y - 2$$

$$x - 2y - 2 = 0$$

$$y - 2x - 2 = 0$$

$$y - 2(-2) = 2$$

$$y = -4 + 2$$

$$\boxed{y = -2}$$

Critical points $(x,y) = (-2, -2)$.

Therefore, $(-2, -2)$ is the only point where f have extreme values. To find, whether these points are max or min.

$$f_{xx}(x,y) = -2, \quad f_{yy}(x,y) = -2, \quad f_{xy}(x,y) = 1$$

$$f_{xx} f_{yy} - f_{xy}^2 \Rightarrow (-2)(-2) - (1)^2 = 4 - 1 = \boxed{3}$$

Since we have $f_{xx} < 0$ or $f_{xx} f_{yy} - f_{xy}^2 > 0$

$(-2, -2)$ are local maximum for f .

The value f at this point

$$f(-2, -2) = (-2)(-2) + (-2)^2 - (-2)^2 - 2(-2) - 2(-2) + 4.$$

$$f(-2, -2) = 8.$$

Ex: 2. Find the local maximum and local minimum and saddle points of $f(x,y) = x^4 + y^4 - 4xy + 1$.

$$f(x,y) = x^4 + y^4 - 4xy + 1$$

$$f_x(x,y) = 4x^3 - 4y$$

$$4x^3 - 4y = 0$$

$$4(x^3 - y) = 0$$

$$x^3 - y = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$y = x^3 \text{ --- put in eq (2)}$$

$$x^9 - x = 0.$$

$$x(x^8 - 1) = 0$$

$$\boxed{x = 0}, \quad x^8 - 1 = 0 \rightarrow a^2 - b^2$$

$$(x^4)^2 - (1)^2 = 0$$

$$(x^4 + 1)(x^4 - 1) = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$f_y(x,y) = 4y^3 - 4x$$

$$4y^3 - 4x = 0.$$

$$4(y^3 - x) = 0$$

$$y^3 - x = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$(x^3)^3 - x = 0.$$

$$x^9 - x = 0.$$

$$\text{--- (1)} \quad x^4 + 1 = 0, \quad x^4 - 1 = 0.$$

$$x^4 = -1, \quad (x^2 + 1)(x^2 - 1) = 0$$

$$(x^2)^2 = -1$$

$$x^2 + 1 = 0, \quad x^2 - 1 = 0$$

$$\boxed{x^2 = -1}, \quad \boxed{x^2 = 1}$$

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$$x=0, x=1, x=-1$$

$$\text{eq (1) } x^3 - y = 0 \Rightarrow$$

$$\text{for } x=0 \Rightarrow y=0$$

$$\text{for } x=1 \Rightarrow y=1$$

$$\text{for } x=-1 \Rightarrow y=-1$$

There are three critical points $\rightarrow (0,0), (1,1), (-1,-1)$.

Finding which points are local values

$$f_{xx} = 12x^2$$

$$f_{yy} = 12y^2$$

$$f_{xy} = -4$$

$$|f_{xx} \cdot f_{yy} - f_{xy}^2| = D$$

for $(0,0)$

$$f_{xx}(0,0) = 12(0)^2 = 0$$

$$f_{yy}(0,0) = 12(0)^2 = 0$$

$$f_{xy}(0,0) = -4$$

$$D = 0 \cdot 0 - (-4)^2 = -16$$

for $(1,1)$

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C.P	f_{xx}	D	Conclusion
$(0,0)$	$0 < 0$	$-16 < 0$	S
$(1,1)$	$12 > 0$	$128 > 0$	Min
$(-1,-1)$	$12 > 0$	$128 > 0$	Min

for $(-1,-1)$

$$12 \times 12 - (-4)^2 = 128$$

Ex:3: Find the local extreme values of $f(x,y) = 3y^2 - 2y^3 - 3x^2 + 6xy$

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

$$f_x(x,y) = -6x + 6y$$

$$-6x + 6y = 0$$

$$6(x+y) = 0$$

$$-x + y = 0$$

$$x = y$$

as $x=y$

critical points are $(0,0), (2,2)$.

$$f_y(x,y) = 6y - 6y^2 + 6x$$

$$6y - 6y^2 + 6x = 0$$

$$\text{put } x = y$$

$$6y - 6y^2 + 6y = 0$$

$$12y - 6y^2 = 0$$

$$6(2y - y^2) = 0$$

$$2y - y^2 = 0$$

$$y(2-y) = 0$$

$$y=0, 2-y=0$$

$$y=2$$

$$f_{xx} = -6$$

for $(0,0)$

$$f_{xx} = -6$$

$$f_{yy} = 6$$

$$D = -36 - 36 = -72$$

$$f_{yy} = 6 - 12y$$

for $(2,2)$

$$f_{xx} = -6$$

$$f_{yy} = -18$$

$$D = 72$$

$$f_{xy} = 6$$

C.P

f_{xx}

D

Conclusion

$(0,0)$

$-6 < 0$

$-72 < 0$

Saddle

$(2,2)$

$-6 < 0$

$72 < 0$

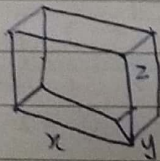
L.max.

Q. A rectangular box without lid is to be made from 12m^2 of card board. Find the maximum volume of such a box.

Let length = x , Breadth = y and height = z of the box, so its volume will be $V = xyz$ — (main)

V can be expressed as function of x & y by using the fact that area of four sides & bottom of box is

$$2xz + 2yz + xy = 12 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$



two sides each have area xz
two sides each have area yz
base has area xy .

Solving eq (1) for z .

$$2(xz + yz) = 12 - xy$$

$$z(x + y) = \frac{12 - xy}{2}$$

$$z = \frac{12 - xy}{2(x + y)}$$

put this in main eq.

$$V = xy \left(\frac{12 - xy}{2(x + y)} \right)$$

$$V = \frac{12xy - x^2y^2}{2(x + y)}$$

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial x} = \frac{\{2(y)(12 - 2xy)\} - \{12xy - x^2y^2\}(2)}{[2(x + y)]^2}$$

$$= \frac{\{2(y)(12 - 2xy)\} - \{12xy - x^2y^2\}(2)}{4(x + y)^2}$$

$$= \frac{12xy - 2x^2y^2 + 12y^2 - 2xy^3 - 12xy + x^2y^2}{2(x + y)^2}$$

$$= \frac{-x^2y^2 + 12y^2 - 2xy^3}{2(x + y)^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial x} = \frac{y^2(-x^2 + 12 - 2xy)}{2(x + y)^2} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial y} = \frac{\{2(x)(12 - 2x^2y)\} - \{12xy - x^2y^2\}(2)}{[2(x + y)]^2}$$

$$= \frac{\{2(x)(12 - 2x^2y)\} - \{12xy - x^2y^2\}(2)}{4(x + y)^2}$$

$$= \frac{12x^2 - 2x^3y + 12xy - 2x^2y^2 - 12xy + x^2y^2}{2(x + y)^2}$$

$$= \frac{12x^2 - 2x^3y - x^2y^2}{2(x + y)^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial y} = \frac{x^2(12 - 2xy - y^2)}{2(x + y)^2} \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial x} = \frac{y^2(12 - 2xy - x^2)}{2(x+y)^2}, \quad \frac{\partial V}{\partial y} = \frac{x^2(12 - 2xy - y^2)}{2(x+y)^2}$$

$$\frac{y^2(12 - 2xy - x^2)}{2(x+y)^2} = 0$$

$$12 - 2xy - x^2 = 0 \quad \text{---(i)}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \cancel{12} - \cancel{2xy} - x^2 = 0 \\ \cancel{12} - \cancel{2xy} - y^2 = 0 \\ + \quad + \quad + \\ \hline \cancel{12} - \cancel{2xy} - x^2 + y^2 = 0 \\ x^2 = y^2 \\ \boxed{x = y} \end{array}$$

$$\frac{x^2(12 - 2xy - y^2)}{2(x+y)^2} = 0$$

$$12 - 2xy - y^2 = 0 \quad \text{---(ii)}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{put } x = y \\ 12 - 2(y)y - y^2 = 0 \\ 12 - 2y^2 - y^2 = 0 \\ 12 - 3y^2 = 0 \\ 412 = 3y^2 \\ y^2 = 4 \\ \boxed{y = \pm 2} \end{array}$$

Since V can't be -ve
hence $y = 2$.

Critical points

$$x = 2, y = 2$$

$$(x, y) = (2, 2)$$

OR If we put $x = y$ in eq (i) or (ii)

$$\frac{y^2(12 - 2y \cdot y - y^2)}{2(y+y)^2} = 0$$

$$\frac{y^2(12 - 2y^2 - y^2)}{2(2y)^2} = 0$$

$$\frac{y^2(12 - 3y^2)}{8y^2} = 0$$

$$12 - 3y^2 = 0$$

$$412 = 3y^2$$

$$y^2 = 4$$

$$y = \pm 2$$

$$\boxed{y = 2}$$

$$\text{or } 12 - 3x^2 = 0$$

$$412 = 3x^2$$

$$x^2 = 4$$

$$x = \pm 2$$

$$\boxed{x = 2}$$

$$(x, y) = (2, 2)$$

$$\therefore \text{Max Volume} = \frac{12xy - x^2y^2}{2(x+y)^2} = \frac{12(2)(2) - (2)^2(2)^2}{2(2+2)^2}$$

$$= \frac{48 - 16}{8} = \frac{32}{8} = 4$$

$$\boxed{\text{Max. Volume} = 8}$$

1. SHORTEST DISTANCE FROM P. TO THE PLANE

Q. Find the shortest distance from the point $(1, 0, -2)$ to the plane $x + 2y + z = 4$.

Solution

The distance from any point (x, y, z) to the point $(1, 0, -2)$ is

$$d = \sqrt{(x-1)^2 + (y-0)^2 + (z+2)^2}$$

$$\text{let } (x_0, y_0, z_0) = (1, 0, -2).$$

$$d = \sqrt{(x-1)^2 + (y-0)^2 + (z+2)^2}.$$

$$d = \sqrt{(x-1)^2 + y^2 + (z+2)^2}$$

but if (x, y, z) lies on the plane $x + 2y + z = 4$ then

$$\boxed{z = 4 - x - 2y}$$

So, we have

$$d = \sqrt{(x-1)^2 + y^2 + (4-x-2y+2)^2}$$

$$d = \sqrt{(x-1)^2 + y^2 + (6-x-2y)^2} \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

we can minimize d by minimizing the simpler expression.

by taking square on both sides of eq (i).

$$\Rightarrow d^2 = (x-1)^2 + y^2 + (6-x-2y)^2$$

By taking its P.D with respect to x and y

$$\begin{aligned} f_x &= 2(x-1) + 2(6-x-2y) \\ &= 4x + 4y - 14 = 0. \quad \text{--- (ii)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_y &= 2y - 4(6-x-2y) \\ &= 4x + 10y - 24 = 0. \quad \text{--- (iii)} \end{aligned}$$

solving (ii) & (iii) by subtracting.

$$\begin{array}{r} 4x + 4y - 14 = 0 \\ 4x + 10y - 24 = 0 \\ \hline -6y + 10 = 0 \\ 6y = 10 \\ y = 10/6 \\ \boxed{y = 5/3} \end{array}$$

now put y in eq (i).

$$4x + 4\left(\frac{5}{3}\right) - 14 = 0$$

$$4x + \frac{20}{3} = 14$$

$$4x = 14 - \frac{20}{3}$$

$$4x = \frac{42 - 20}{3}$$

$$x = \frac{22}{3} \times \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\boxed{x = \frac{11}{6}}$$

critical points $\Rightarrow (x, y) = \left(\frac{11}{6}, \frac{5}{3}\right)$.

so, the critical points $(11/6, 5/3)$

$$f_{xx} = 4 > 0$$

$$f_{yy} = 10$$

$$f_{xy} = 4$$

$$\text{at } (x, y) = (11/6, 5/3)$$

local minimum.

$$D = (f_{xx})(f_{yy}) - (f_{xy})^2$$

$$D = 4 \times 10 - 4^2$$

$$D = 40 - 16$$

$$D = 24 > 0 \quad \checkmark$$

Since points are minimum, so we can find shortest distance using eq. (1).

$$d = \sqrt{(x-1)^2 + y^2 + (6-x-2y)^2}$$

$$d = \sqrt{\left(\frac{11}{6} - 1\right)^2 + \left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^2 + \left(6 - \frac{11}{6} - 2\left(\frac{5}{3}\right)\right)^2}$$

$$d = \frac{5\sqrt{6}}{6} = 2.041$$

We know that at C.P. $(11/6, 5/3)$ function of distance will be min.

So, we can find the S.D by using this point.

$$d = \frac{5}{6} \sqrt{6}$$

The shortest distance from $(1, 0, -2)$ to the plane.

$$x + 2y + z = 4 \quad \text{is } \frac{5}{6} \sqrt{6}.$$