

Real Analysis: Homework 2

1. (a) Let $f(x, y) = \cosh x \cosh y$, with $\vec{x} = (0, 0)$, $\vec{v} = (x, y)$,

$$F(h) := f(\vec{x} + h\vec{v}) = f(h\vec{v}) = \cosh hx \cosh hy$$

then

$$F'(h) = \langle \nabla f(h\vec{v}), \vec{v} \rangle = x \sinh hx \cosh hy + y \cosh hx \sinh hy$$

$$F''(h) = \nabla^2 f(h\vec{v})(\vec{v}, \vec{v}) = \begin{bmatrix} x & y \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \cosh hx \cosh hy & \sinh hx \sinh hy \\ \sinh hx \sinh hy & \cosh hx \cosh hy \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} F'''(h) &= \nabla^3 f(h\vec{v})(\vec{v}, \vec{v}, \vec{v}) = \sum_{i,j,k=1,2} \frac{f(h\vec{v})}{\partial e_i \partial e_j \partial e_k} v_i v_j v_k \\ &= (x^3 + 3xy^2)(\sinh hx \cosh hy) + (y^3 + 3x^2y)(\cosh hx \cosh hy) \end{aligned}$$

and

$$F(0) = 0 \quad F'(0) = 0 \quad F''(0) = x^2 + y^2 \quad F'''(0) =$$

Thus the polynomial of second degree that best approximate $f(x, y)$ is $\frac{1}{2}(x^2 + y^2)$.

- (b) Let $g(x, y) = \sin(x^2 + y^2)$, with $\vec{x} = (0, 0)$, $\vec{v} = (x, y)$,

$$F(h) := g(\vec{x} + h\vec{v}) = g(h\vec{v}) = \sin((hx)^2 + (hy)^2)$$

then

$$F'(h) = \langle \nabla g(h\vec{v}), \vec{v} \rangle = x(2hx \cos((hx)^2 + (hy)^2)) + y(2hy \cos((hx)^2 + (hy)^2))$$

$$\begin{aligned} F''(h) &= \nabla^2 g(h\vec{v})(\vec{v}, \vec{v}) \\ &= x^2(2 \cos((hx)^2 + (hy)^2) - 4(xh)^2 \sin((hx)^2 + (hy)^2)) \\ &\quad - 2xy(4xyh^2 \sin((hx)^2 + (hy)^2)) \\ &\quad + y^2(2 \cos((hx)^2 + (hy)^2) - 4(yh)^2 \sin((hx)^2 + (hy)^2)) \end{aligned}$$

and

$$F(0) = 0 \quad F'(0) = 0 \quad F''(0) = 2x^2 + 2y^2$$

Thus the polynomial of second degree that best approximate $g(x, y)$ is $x^2 + y^2$.

2. (a)

- (b)

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y}$$

3. We recall the geometric series,

$$\frac{1}{1-x} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} x^k, \quad \text{where } |x| < 1$$

$$\text{substituting } x \text{ with } -x, \frac{1}{1+x} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-1)^k x^k, \quad \text{where } |x| < 1$$

$$\text{substituting } x \text{ with } x^2, \frac{1}{1+x^2} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-1)^k x^{2k}, \quad \text{where } |x| < 1$$

we can then do integration term wise on the right hand side while integrating $\frac{1}{1+x^2}$,

$$\begin{aligned} \pi/4 = \tan^{-1}(1) &= \int_0^1 \frac{1}{1+t^2} dt = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-1)^k \int_0^1 t^{2k} dt \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-1)^k \frac{1}{2k+1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{thus } \pi = 4 \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-1)^k \frac{1}{2k+1} = 4 \left(1 - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{7} + \dots \right).$$

4. (a) We know that $e^x = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^k}{k!}$, then

$$\begin{aligned} H_n(x) &:= \frac{(-1)^n}{n!} e^{\frac{x^2}{2}} \frac{d^n}{dx^n} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}} \\ e^{tx - \frac{t^2}{2}} &= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(tx - \frac{t^2}{2})^k}{k!} \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} t^k \frac{(-1)^k}{k!} e^{\frac{x^2}{2}} \frac{d^k}{dx^k} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

(b) (i)

$$H'_n(x =)$$

(c)