



## Center for Academic Resources in Engineering (CARE) Peer Exam Review Session

Math 241 – Calculus III

### CBTF Midterm 3 Worksheet Solutions

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Session 1: Mar. 23, 6-8pm Meredith, Gabe

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Good luck with your exam!

1. Compute the double integral over the indicated rectangle. Confirm your answer by switching the order of integration and recomputing.

$$\iint_R 2x - 4y^3 \, dA \quad R = [-5, 4] \times [0, 3]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^3 \int_{-5}^4 2x - 4y^3 \, dx \, dy & \qquad \int_{-5}^4 \int_0^3 2x - 4y^3 \, dy \, dx \\ \int_0^3 -9 - 36y^3 \, dy & \qquad \int_{-5}^4 6x - 81 \, dx \\ -9y - 9y^4 \Big|_0^3 = \boxed{-756} & \qquad 3x^2 - 81x \Big|_{-5}^4 = \boxed{-756} \end{aligned}$$

2. Calculate the following derivatives:

(a) Find  $\frac{df}{dt}$  for  $f(x, y) = xe^{xy}$ ,  $x(t) = t^2$ ,  $y(t) = \frac{1}{t}$

(b) Find  $f_t$  for  $f(x, y) = 2xy$ ,  $x(s, t) = st$ ,  $y(s, t) = s^2t^2$

- (a) Applying the chain rule:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{df}{dt} &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{dy}{dt} \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} &= e^{xy} + x(ye^{xy}) & \frac{dx}{dt} &= 2t \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} &= x^2 e^{xy} & \frac{dy}{dt} &= -\frac{1}{t^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{df}{dt} = [e^{xy} + x(ye^{xy})](2t) + [x^2 e^{xy}] \left( -\frac{1}{t^2} \right)$$

$$\boxed{\frac{df}{dt} = 2te^t + t^2 e^t}$$

- (b) Applying Chain Rule:

$$\begin{aligned} f_t &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} &= 2y, \quad \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} = s, \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 2x, \quad \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} = 2ts^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{f_t = 6s^3 t^2}$$

3. Let  $f(x, y)$  be a differentiable function on the disk  $\{D : x^2 + y^2 \leq 400\}$ , where:
- (I)  $f(x, y) = 19$  for every point on the boundary of the disk  $x^2 + y^2 = 400$
  - (II)  $f(0, 0) = 7$
  - (III)  $f(x, y)$  has only one critical point which is at  $(-1, 2)$

Decide which statement is true:

- A)  $f(-1, 2) > 7$
- B)  $f(-1, 2) < 7$
- C)  $f(-1, 2) = 7$
- D) Not enough information is given

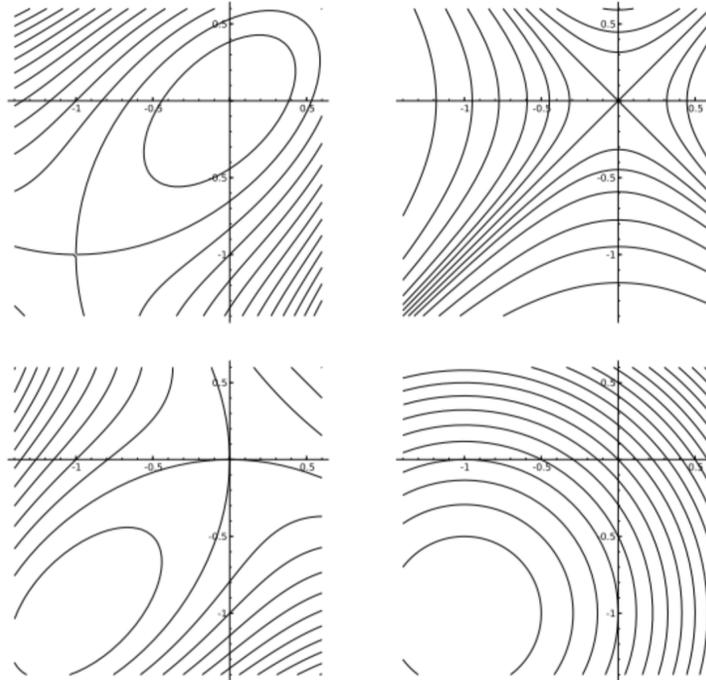
From the extreme value theorem we know that the maximum and minimum of the function in the domain  $D$  must (if they exist) be at the critical points or some points on the boundary.

Suppose  $f(-1, 2) \geq 7$ , then the minimum of the function is not at the point  $(-1, 2)$  since  $f(0, 0)$  has a smaller value. This would imply another critical point below  $f(-1, 2)$ , but the function only has one critical point.

The minimum is also not on the boundary since  $f(x, y) = 19 > 7$  for every point on the boundary of the disk.

Lastly, suppose  $f(-1, 2) = 7$ , then this implies that  $(0, 0)$  is also a critical point, which disagrees with the condition. So the only way to satisfy the condition that there is one critical point is make  $f(-1, 2) < 7$ . This means it is below the origin.

4. Consider the function  $f(x, y) = x^3 + y^3 + 3xy$
- (a) The critical points of  $f$  are  $(0, 0)$  and  $(-1, -1)$ . Classify them into local minima, local maxima and/or saddle points
- (b) Based on your answer in (a), identify the correct contour diagram of  $f$



$$(a) \quad f_x = 3x^2 + 3y$$

$$f_{xx} = 6x$$

$$f_y = 3y^2 + 3x$$

$$f_{yy} = 6y$$

$$f_{xy} = f_{yx} = 3$$

$$\text{At } (0, 0) \quad D = \begin{bmatrix} f_{xx} & f_{xy} \\ f_{yx} & f_{yy} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = -9 < 0 \rightarrow \text{SADDLE}$$

$$\text{At } (-1, -1) \quad D = \begin{bmatrix} f_{xx} & f_{xy} \\ f_{yx} & f_{yy} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -6 & 3 \\ 3 & -6 \end{bmatrix} = 36 - 9 = 27$$

$$27 > 0 \text{ and } f_{xx} = -6 < 0 \rightarrow \text{LOCAL MAX}$$

- (b) Bottom left is correct (max/min values have no level curves within it, and saddle points have cross-over shapes)

5. Find min/max of  $f(x,y,z) = 3x^2 + 8y^2 + z^2 - 2z$  defined on the domain  $x^2 + 4y^2 + 2z \leq 8$  and  $z \geq 0$
- (a) The domain is (select all that apply)
- I) open
  - II) closed
  - III) bounded
  - IV) unbounded
- (b) Where are the critical points inside the domain? Evaluate the function value on these points.
- (c) What is the minimum and maximum on  $x^2 + 4y^2 + 2z = 8$ ?
- (d) What is the minimum and maximum on  $z = 0$ ?
- (e) What is the global minimum and maximum of the whole domain?
- (a) The region includes *all* of its boundary points, therefore it's closed and bounded (II and III).
- (b) The critical points inside the domain are where  $\nabla f = 0$ .

$$\nabla f = \langle 6x, 16y, 2z - 2 \rangle = \langle 0, 0, 0 \rangle$$

Which gives us

$$x = 0, y = 0, z = 1$$

Critical Points:  $f(0, 0, 1) = -1$

- (c) Since we're dealing with the boundary now, we must use Lagrange multipliers. Start by defining  $g(x, y, z)$  as the boundary of the curve with  $g(x, y, z) = 8$ .

$$g(x, y, z) = x^2 + 4y^2 + 2z$$

$$\nabla f = \lambda \nabla g \rightarrow \langle 6x, 16y, 2z - 2 \rangle = \langle 2\lambda x, 8\lambda y, 2\lambda \rangle$$

Move  $\nabla f$  and  $\lambda \nabla g$  to the same side to solve for each variable.

$$\begin{aligned} 6x - 2\lambda x &= 0 \\ \lambda = 3 \text{ or } x &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 16y - 8\lambda y &= 0 \\ \lambda = 2 \text{ or } y &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2z - 2 - 2\lambda &= 0 \\ \lambda = z - 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$g(x, y, z) = x^2 + 4y^2 + 3z = 12$$

Solving these four equations for four unknowns, we have three solutions:

$$\lambda = 3, x = 0, y = 0, z = 4$$

$$\lambda = 2, x = 0, y = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, z = 3$$

$f(0, 0, 4) = 8 \quad f\left(0, \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, 3\right) = 7$

(d) We are using a new boundary now, so we have to define a new  $g(x, y, z)$ .

$$g(x, y, z) = z$$

$$\nabla f = \lambda \nabla g \rightarrow \langle 6x, 16y, 2z - 2 \rangle = \langle 0, 0, \lambda \rangle$$

$$g(x, y, z) = 0$$

There is one solution  $x = 0, y = 0, z = 0, \lambda = -2$

$$f(0, 0, 0) = 0$$

(e)

$$f(0, 0, 1) = -1 \quad f(0, 0, 4) = 8$$

6. If  $f(x, y, z) = xye^z$ , find the gradient of  $f$  and the directional derivative at  $(2, 5, 0)$  in the direction of  $\vec{v} = 2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}$ .

$$f_x = ye^z$$

$$f_y = xe^z$$

$$f_z = xye^z$$

The gradient of  $f$  is  $\nabla f(x, y, z) = \langle ye^z, xe^z, xye^z \rangle$

The unit vector of  $\vec{v}$  is

$$\vec{u} = \left\langle \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{6}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \right\rangle$$

At  $(2, 5, 0)$ ,

$$\nabla f(2, 5, 0) = \langle 5, 2, 10 \rangle$$

The directional derivative at  $(2, 5, 0)$  in the direction of  $\vec{v}$  is calculated to be

$$\begin{aligned} D_{\vec{u}}f(2, 5, 0) &= \nabla f(2, 5, 0) \cdot \vec{u} = \langle 5, 2, 10 \rangle \cdot \left\langle \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{6}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \right\rangle \\ &= \frac{18}{\sqrt{6}} = \boxed{3\sqrt{6}} \end{aligned}$$

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