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MAT 235 Y - TEST #2

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NAME: MODEL SOLUTIONS

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INSTRUCTIONS: Show and explain all your work in questions 1 to 8. Give your answers in the space provided. Use both sides of paper, if necessary. Do not tear out any pages. No calculators or other aids are permitted. Time allowed: 100 minutes

1. Given the surface  $x^2 e^z - y^3 = 8$ .

- a) Find an equation of the tangent plane to the surface at the point  $(-3, 1, 0)$ . (3 marks)
- b) At what points of the given surface is the tangent plane parallel to the plane  $y=0$ ? (3 marks)

a)  $F(x, y, z) = x^2 e^z - y^3 - 8$        $\nabla F(x, y, z) = (2x e^z, -3y^2, x^2 e^z)$

$\rightarrow \nabla F(-3, 1, 0) = (-6, -3, 9) = \vec{n}$

$\rightarrow$  An eq. of the tangent plane at  $(-3, 1, 0)$ :  $2x + y - 3z = -5$

b)  $\nabla F(x, y, z) \parallel (0, 1, 0)$

$\begin{cases} 2x e^z = 0 \\ -3y^2 = k \\ x^2 e^z = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow x=0, y=-2$

Answer: At any point  $(0, -2, z)$

2. Given the function  $f(x, y) = x^2 \sqrt{1+y}$ .

- a) Compute the directional derivate  $D_{\vec{u}} f(-2, 3)$ . Where  $\vec{u} = (2, -1)$ . (3 marks)
- b) Find the unit vector  $\vec{v}$  that minimizes the value of  $D_{\vec{v}} f(-2, 3)$ . (2 marks)

a)  $\nabla f(x, y) = (2x \sqrt{1+y}, \frac{x^2}{2\sqrt{1+y}})$        $\nabla f(-2, 3) = (-8, 1) \leftarrow 1 \text{ mark}$

$\rightarrow D_{\vec{u}} f(-2, 3) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} (2, -1) \cdot (-8, 1) = \boxed{-\frac{17}{\sqrt{5}} \text{ (or } -\frac{17\sqrt{5}}{5})}$

b)  $\vec{v} = -\frac{1}{\|\nabla f(-2, 3)\|} \nabla f(-2, 3) = \boxed{-\frac{1}{\sqrt{65}} (-8, 1) \text{ (or } \frac{\sqrt{65}}{65} (8, -1))}$

3. Let  $f(x, y) = y - x^5 e^y$ . Assume that  $x$  and  $y$  are defined implicitly in terms of  $t$  by the equations  $t^5 - tx^3 = 2$ , and  $t^3 + ty - 2y = 1$ .

Compute  $\frac{df}{dt}$  at  $t=1$ .

(5 marks)

$$\text{mark} \rightarrow \frac{df}{dt} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{dy}{dt}; \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \overbrace{-5x^4 e^y}^{\text{mark}} \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 1 - x^5 e^y$$

$$\text{mark} \rightarrow \frac{dx}{dt} = - \frac{5t^4 - x^3}{-3tx^2} = \frac{5t^4 - x^3}{3tx^2} \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = - \frac{3t^2 + y}{t - 2} = \frac{3t^2 + y}{2 - t}$$

$$\text{at } t=1: \quad x=-1, \quad \text{and} \quad y=0$$

$$\text{mark} \rightarrow \begin{cases} \frac{dx}{dt} \Big|_{t=1} = 2 & \frac{dy}{dt} \Big|_{t=1} = 3 \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \Big|_{\substack{x=-1 \\ y=0}} = -5 & \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \Big|_{\substack{x=-1 \\ y=0}} = 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{mark} \rightarrow \left( \frac{df}{dt} \right)_{t=1} = (-5)(2) + (2)(3) = \boxed{-4}$$

4. Given the function  $f(x, y) = \sin(x-y) + \cos(x+y)$ .

a) Find all critical points of this function on the region

$$0 < x < \pi, 0 < y < \pi.$$

(3 marks)

b) Use the second derivative test to classify the critical points found in part (a).

(3 marks)

c) Find the extreme values of the function  $f$  on the region

$$0 \leq x \leq \pi, 0 \leq y \leq \pi.$$

(3 marks)

a)  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \cos(x-y) - \sin(x+y)$        $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = -\cos(x-y) - \sin(x+y)$

1 mark } For  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = 0 = \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$ ;     $\sin(x+y) = 0 = \cos(x-y)$

2 marks } Then:  $x+y = \pi$  }  $x = \frac{3\pi}{4}$        $y = \frac{\pi}{4}$

b)  $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = -\sin(x-y) - \cos(x+y)$

$$D = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -2 \\ -2 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = -4 < 0$$

1 mark }  $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x} = \sin(x-y) - \cos(x+y)$

$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} = -\sin(x-y) - \cos(x+y)$

1 mark } Saddle pt  
at  $(\frac{3\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4})$

(c) When  $x=0$ :  $f(0, y) = \sin(-y) + \cos y = \cos y - \sin y$

When  $y=0$ :  $f(x, 0) = \sin x + \cos x$

When  $x=\pi$ :  $f(\pi, y) = \sin(\pi-y) + \cos(\pi+y)$   
 $= \sin y - \cos y$

When  $y=\pi$ :  $f(x, \pi) = \sin(x-\pi) + \cos(x+\pi)$   
 $= -\sin x - \cos x$

Abs max:  $\sqrt{2}$ , at  $(\frac{\pi}{4}, 0)$  and at  $(\frac{3\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4})$

Abs min:  $-\sqrt{2}$ , at  $(0, \frac{3\pi}{4})$  and at  $(\frac{\pi}{4}, \pi)$

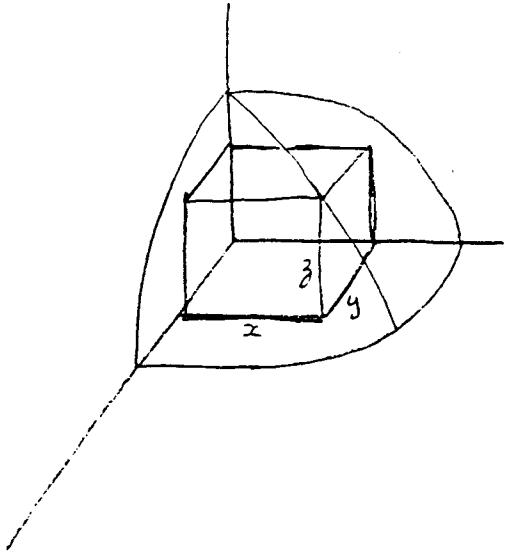
5. A rectangular box is placed inside the ellipsoid  $\frac{x^2}{12} + \frac{y^2}{27} + \frac{z^2}{3} = 1$  with sides parallel to the axes. What dimensions will give the box with the maximum possible volume? (7 marks)

$\begin{cases} \text{Maximize: } V = 8xyz \\ \text{Subject to: } \frac{x^2}{12} + \frac{y^2}{27} + \frac{z^2}{3} = 1 \end{cases}$

$$\nabla V = (8yz, 8xz, 8xy)$$

$$\nabla g = \left( \frac{2x}{12}, \frac{2y}{27}, \frac{2z}{3} \right)$$

$\begin{cases} 8yz \stackrel{\textcircled{1}}{=} \frac{2\lambda x}{12}, \quad 8xz \stackrel{\textcircled{2}}{=} \frac{2\lambda y}{27}, \quad 8xy \stackrel{\textcircled{3}}{=} \frac{2\lambda z}{3} \\ \frac{x^2}{12} + \frac{y^2}{27} + \frac{z^2}{3} \stackrel{\textcircled{4}}{=} 1 \end{cases}$



$\begin{cases} \text{From } \textcircled{1}, \textcircled{2}, \textcircled{3}: 24xyz = \lambda \left[ \frac{2x^2}{12} + \frac{2y^2}{27} + \frac{2z^2}{3} \right] = 2\lambda \\ \text{Then } xyz = \frac{\lambda}{12}. \text{ From } \textcircled{1}: x=2 \\ \text{From } \textcircled{2}: y=3 \\ \text{From } \textcircled{3}: z=1 \end{cases}$

$\begin{cases} \text{1 mark} \rightarrow \text{Optimal dimensions: } [4 \times 6 \times 2] \end{cases}$