

Quiz 2 Calculus 3 10/5/2012

Each problem is worth 5 points. Clear and complete justification is required for full credit.

1. Evaluate $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy}{x^2 + y^2}$.

Along $x=0 \rightarrow \lim_{(0,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{0 \cdot y}{0^2 + y^2} = \lim_{(0,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{0}{y^2} = 0$

Along $x=y \rightarrow \lim_{(x,x) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x \cdot x}{x^2 + x^2} = \lim_{(x,x) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2}{2x^2} = \frac{1}{2}$

Since the limit approaches different limits along different lines,
the limit doesn't exist.

Great

2. Find an equation for the plane tangent to $z = \frac{1}{3 + xy^2}$ at the point $(3, -2, 1/15)$.

$$z = \frac{1}{3 + xy^2} = (3 + xy^2)^{-1}$$

$$z_x = -1(3 + xy^2)^{-2} (xy^2)' = -1(3 + xy^2)^{-2} (y^2)$$

$$z_x = -1(y^2)(3 + xy^2)^{-2} = \frac{-y^2}{(3 + xy^2)^2}$$

$$z_y = -1(3 + xy^2)^{-2} (2xy) = -1(2xy)(3 + xy^2)^{-2}$$

$$= -1(2xy)(3 + xy^2)^{-2} = \frac{-2xy}{(3 + xy^2)^2}$$

$$z_x(3, -2) = \frac{-(-2)^2}{(3 + 3 \cdot (-2)^2)^2} = \frac{-4}{225}, \quad z_y(3, -2) = \frac{12}{225}$$

the equation for the plane tangent to z :

$$z - \frac{1}{15} = \frac{-4}{225}(x - 3) + \frac{12}{225}(y + 2)$$

Wonderful.

3. Find and classify all critical points of $V(x, y) = xy(24 - x - y) = 24xy - x^2y - xy^2$

$$\begin{aligned} V_x(x, y) &= 24y - 2xy - y^2 = 0 \\ V_y(x, y) &= 24x - x^2 - 2xy = 0 \end{aligned} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x^2 - 24x + 24y - y^2 = 0 \\ (x - y)(x + y - 24) = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} x = y \\ x = 24 - y \end{cases}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} 24y - 2y^2 - y^2 = 0 \\ 24y - 2y(24 - y) - y^2 = 0 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} y(24 - 3y) = 0 \\ y(y - 24) = 0 \end{cases} \quad \text{Excellent!}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} y = 0 = x & D(0, 0) = 0 \times 0 - 24^2 < 0 \rightarrow \text{saddle point } (0, 0) \\ y = 8 = x & D(8, 8) = 128 - (24 - 2 \cdot 8 - 2 \cdot 8)^2 > 0 \quad f_{xx}(x) < 0 \Rightarrow (8, 8) \text{ local maximum point} \\ y = 0, x = 24 & D(24, 0) = 0 \quad - (24 - 2 \cdot 24)^2 < 0 \Rightarrow (24, 0) - \text{saddle point} \\ y = 24, x = 0 & D(0, 24) = 0 \quad - (24 - 2 \cdot 24)^2 < 0 \Rightarrow (0, 24) - \text{saddle point} \end{cases}$$

$$V_{xx} = -2y, \quad V_{yy} = -2x$$

$$V_{xy} = 24 - 2x - 2y$$

4. Find and classify all critical points of $f(x, y) = e^y(y^2 - x^2)$.

$$\begin{aligned} f_x(x, y) &= -2e^y x = 0 \\ f_y(x, y) &= e^y(2y + e^y y^2 - x^2 e^y) = 0 \end{aligned} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x = 0 \\ e^y(2y + e^y y^2) = 0 \end{cases} = \begin{cases} x = 0, y = 0 \\ x = 0, y = -2 \end{cases}$$

$$f_{xx}(x, y) = -2e^y$$

$$f_{yy}(x, y) = 2(e^y + e^y y) + e^y(2y + e^y y^2 - x^2 e^y)$$

$$f_{xy}(x, y) = -2x e^y$$

$$\Rightarrow f_{xx}(0, 0) = -2; \quad f_{yy}(0, 0) = 2(1 + 0) + 0 + 0 - 0 = 2; \quad f_{xy}(0, 0) = 0$$

$$f_{xx}(0, -2) = -2e^{-2}; \quad f_{yy}(0, -2) = 2(e^{-2} - 2e^{-2}) + e^{-2} \times (-4) + e^{-2} \times 4 = -2e^{-2}; \quad f_{xy}(0, -2) = 0$$

$$D(0, 0) = -2 \times 2 - 0 < 0 \Rightarrow (0, 0) - \text{saddle point}$$

$$D(0, -2) = -2e^{-2} \times (-2e^{-2}) - 0 = 4e^{-4} > 0 \quad f_{xx}(0, -2) < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (0, -2) - \text{local maximum point}$$

well done!