

Recitation

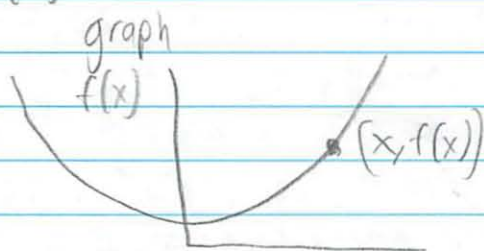
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I got 66 / ~~100~~⁹⁰
average 66 / 90
makeup < 55

~~some rounding stuff~~
~~160 I did not do as well~~

Function of 1 variable x

$$f(x) = x^2 + 1$$



Functions of several variables

$$f(x, y) = xy + x \quad \leftarrow \text{function of variables } x, y$$

$$f(x, y, z) = xe^{x+y} + x^2z \quad \leftarrow x, y, z$$

Today: Domain of definition + how to represent

always tried
on wed

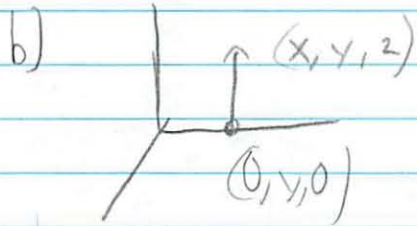
Ex 1

Find the function x, y, z giving

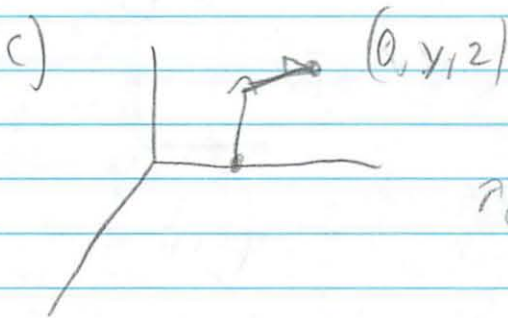
- the distance of (x, y, z) from origin
- from y axis
- from y, z plane



a) $f(x, y, z) = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$



$f(x, y, z) = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$



$f(x, y, z) = |x|$

absolute value

Domain of $f(x, y)$: set of (x, y) for which $f(x, y)$ makes sense

a) $f(x, y) = \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{y}$

$x \neq 0, y \neq 0$
everything except the axes

b) $f(x, y) = \sqrt{x+y}$

$x+y > 0$

not domain



c) $f(x, y) = \sqrt{1-x^2-y^2}$

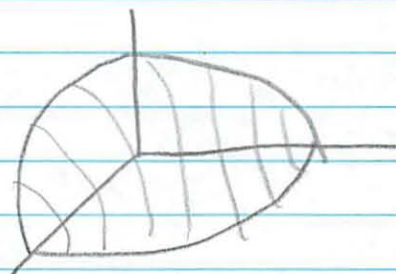
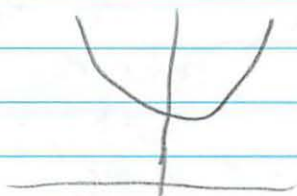
domain inside circle



Representing $f(x, y)$

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

1. Try normal graph



$$1 - x^2 - y^2$$

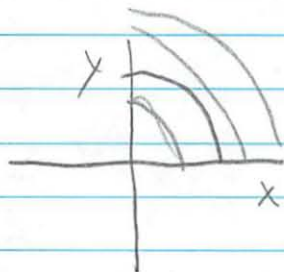
↑ 3D surface

Difficult to represent

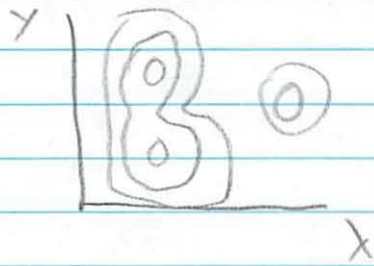
2. Level curves / equipotential lines / topo. map

- for volume c

- for set of x, y such that $f(x, y) = c$



like an architect looking at side view
but many curves as x changes



topo map
is 3 mountain peaks



Lecture 9

Partial Derivatives, Tangent Plane, Approx Formula 2/25

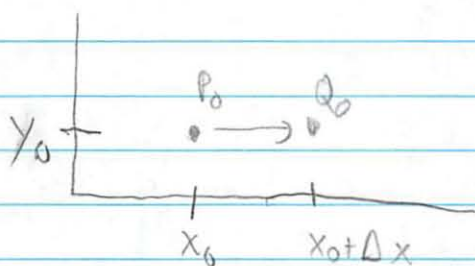
So apparently avg: 70/90
pass 60/90

Main topic of term: functions of several variables

Today will be working in 2D (identical for nD)

$$w = f(x, y)$$
$$w = f(x, y, z)$$

temp at pt (x, y) in plane
 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ (x, y, z) in space



$$W_0 = W(x_0, y_0)$$
$$W_1 = W(x_0, y_0, z_0)$$

$$\Delta W = W_1 - W_0$$

$$\left. \left(\frac{\partial W}{\partial x} \right) \right|_{\text{at pt } P_0} = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta W}{\Delta x}$$

(In this case it's a 18.01 problem - only x changes)
or fixed

$$= \frac{d}{dx} W(x, y_0)$$

partial function

"partial derivative
of $f(x, y)$ with
respect to x
at (x_0, y_0) "

$$\frac{\partial W}{\partial x} = \frac{d}{dx} w(x, y_0) \quad \text{if } y \text{ fixed}$$

$$\frac{\partial W}{\partial y} = \frac{d}{dy} w(x_0, y) \quad \text{if } x \text{ fixed}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} (x^4 y^2) = 4x^3 y^2$$

- hold y constant
- differentiate x like 18.01
- hold x constant
- differentiate y

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial y} \cos \frac{x}{y} = -\sin \left(\frac{x}{y} \right) \cdot \frac{-x}{y^2}$$

$$= \sin \left(\frac{x}{y} \right) \cdot \frac{x}{y^2}$$

2D Geometric



← level curves
- like topo map
 $w = f(x, y)$

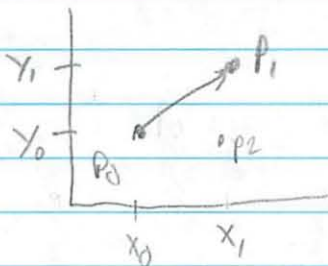
$$\left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right)_0 \quad \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \right)_0$$

approximate
need to define ← = unit 1

$$\left(\frac{\partial W}{\partial x}\right)_0 \approx \frac{\Delta W}{\Delta x} = \frac{2-1}{1} = \frac{-1}{1}$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial W}{\partial y}\right)_0 \approx \frac{\Delta W}{\Delta y} = \frac{3-2}{3/4} = \frac{1}{3/4} = \frac{4}{3}$$

* Most important formula *



By how much does temp change (ΔW)

Approx formula for ΔW from P_0 to P_1

Decompose the diagonal into horizontal + vertical line
- change in temp = same

$$\Delta W = \Delta W \uparrow + \Delta W \downarrow$$

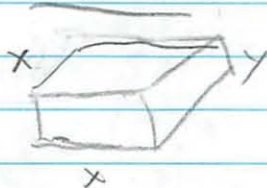
\downarrow at P_2

$$\Delta W \approx \left(\frac{\partial W}{\partial x}\right)_0 \Delta x + \left(\frac{\partial W}{\partial y}\right)_0 \Delta y$$

Approx formula

Note $\left(\frac{\partial W}{\partial y}\right)_{P_2} \approx \left(\frac{\partial W}{\partial y}\right)_0$ if continuous

Now 3D



$$y = x^2 z$$

$$x = 3\text{m} \pm 1\text{cm}$$

$$y = 1\text{m} \pm 1\text{cm}$$

What is the ^{possible} error in volume?

total possible error

$$\Delta V \approx \left(2xy\right)_{(3,1)} \Delta x + \left(x^2\right)_{(3,1)} \Delta y$$

$$\approx \left(2(3)(1)\right) \Delta x + \left(3^2\right) \Delta y$$

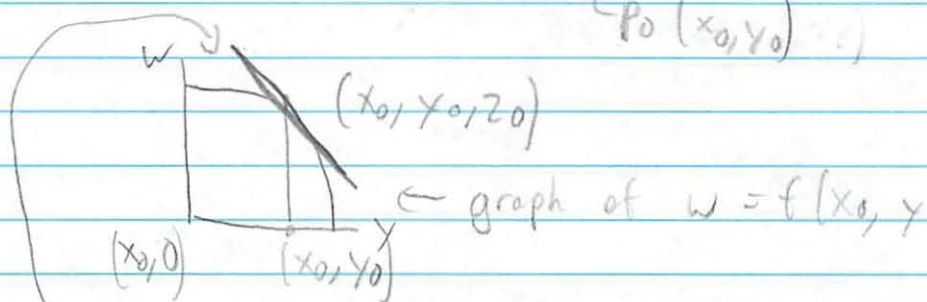
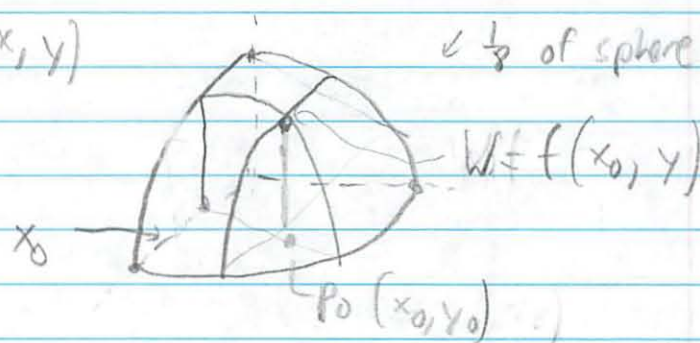
$$\approx 15 \text{ cubic cm}$$

Volume is more affected by Δy

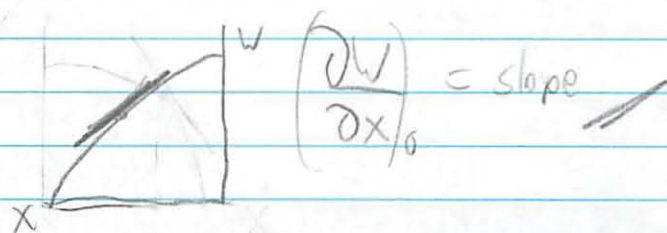
- so pay more attention to that
- b/c it has biggest coefficient

Geometric picture

$$w = f(x, y)$$



$$\left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial y}\right)_0 = \text{slope of partial function at } (y_0, w_0)$$



Alt method

tangent plane to graph $w = f(x, y)$ at (x_0, y_0, z_0)

= plane containing two tangents to the partial functions

$$w - w_0 = A(x - x_0) + B(y - y_0)$$

\uparrow \uparrow
 $\left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial x}\right)_0$ $\left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial y}\right)_0$

$$\Delta w \approx \Delta w = \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial x}\right)_0 \Delta x + \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial y}\right)_0 \Delta y$$

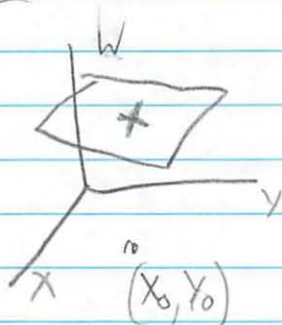
\uparrow \uparrow
change in $f(x, y)$ change in tan
plane function
from $p_0 - p_1$

Lecture 10

Directional derivative, gradient

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Review



plane through (x_0, y_0, w_0)

$$a(x-x_0) + b(y-y_0) + c(w-w_0) = 0$$

$c \neq 0 \rightarrow$ plane not vertical

$$w - w_0 = A(x - x_0) + B(y - y_0)$$

$A =$ slope in \uparrow dir

$$w - w_0 = A(x - x_0)$$

$$y = y_0$$

$B =$ slope in \uparrow dir

$$w - w_0 = B(y - y_0)$$

$$x = x_0$$

$$w - w_0 = \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial x}\right)_0 (x - x_0) + \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial y}\right)_0 (y - y_0)$$

tangent to plane $w = f(x, y)$

$$\Delta w = \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial x}\right)_0 \Delta x + \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial y}\right)_0 \Delta y$$

Approx
Formula

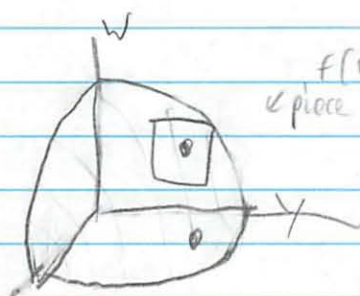
sphere x y w space (radius = 3)

$$\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + w^2} = 3$$

distance from 0

(1, 2, 2)

$$w = \sqrt{9 - x^2 - y^2}$$



$f(w, y)$
piece of circle

tan plane at (1, 2, 2)

$$\frac{\partial W}{\partial x} = \frac{-x}{w}$$

same as other stuff is constant drops at

$$\frac{\partial W}{\partial y} = \frac{-y}{w}$$

$$W - 2 = -\frac{1}{2}(x - x_0) - \frac{2}{2}(y - y_0)$$

$$\Delta W = -\frac{1}{2} \Delta x - \Delta y$$

$$x = 1.1$$

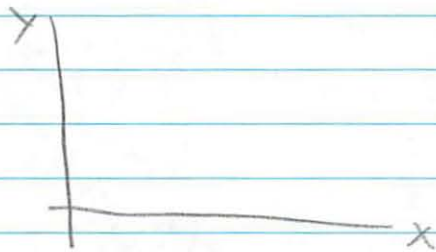
$$y = 2.1$$

$$\Delta W = -\frac{1}{2}(.1) - (.1)$$

$$= .15$$

$$w \approx 1.85$$

$$w = f(x, y)$$

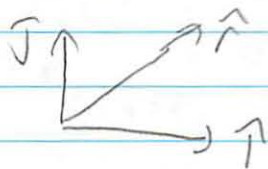


temp at (x, y) in plane
at P_0

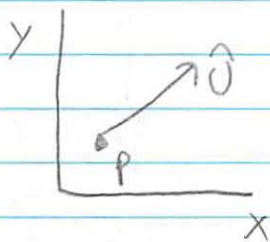
$\left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial x}\right)_0$ = rate of change
of w with respect
to x \uparrow dir

$\left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial y}\right)_0$ = rate of change
of w w/ respect
to y \uparrow dir

But who picks \uparrow and \uparrow direction



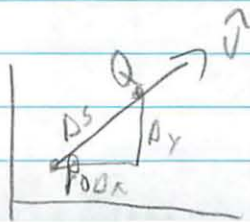
directional derivative of w in dir \hat{u}



$$w = w(x, y)$$

$$\left(\frac{dw}{ds}\right)_{P_0, \hat{u}} = \lim_{\Delta s \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta w}{\Delta s}$$

$$w = w(x, y)$$



approx formula

$$= \lim_{\Delta s \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{\partial W}{\partial x} \right)_0 \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta s} + \left(\frac{\partial W}{\partial y} \right)_0 \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta s}$$

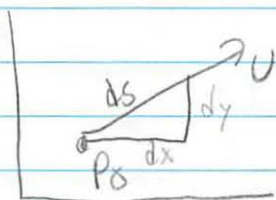
↑ constants

$$= \left(\frac{\partial W}{\partial x} \right)_0 \cdot \frac{dx}{ds} + \left(\frac{\partial W}{\partial y} \right)_0 \cdot \frac{dy}{ds}$$

$$\boxed{= \left(\frac{dW}{ds} \right)_{0, \hat{u}} = \left(\frac{\partial W}{\partial x} \right)_0 \frac{dx}{ds} + \left(\frac{\partial W}{\partial y} \right)_0 \frac{dy}{ds}}$$

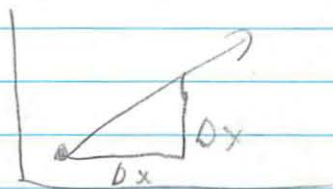
↑ look dot product of 2 vectors

$$\left(\frac{dW}{ds} \right)_{0, \hat{u}} = \left\langle \frac{\partial W}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial W}{\partial y} \right\rangle_0 \cdot \left\langle \frac{dx}{ds}, \frac{dy}{ds} \right\rangle$$



$$= \left\langle \frac{dx}{ds}, \frac{dy}{ds} \right\rangle$$

$$= 1$$



$$= \left\langle \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta s}, \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta s} \right\rangle \quad \text{as } \Delta s \rightarrow 0$$

$$= 1$$

↳ the unit vector you started with

$$\left\langle \frac{\partial w}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \right\rangle_0 \cdot \left\langle \frac{dx}{ds}, \frac{dy}{ds} \right\rangle$$

Gradient of w ∇w $\vec{0}$
 del nabla

- does not use a coord system
- just dir ant is traveling
- but left side in terms of \uparrow and \uparrow ?
- what is the invariant vector

Meaning of gradient ∇w

direction?
magnitude?



$$w = w(x, y)$$

direction $(\nabla w)_0$

\perp level curve through P_0

\uparrow unit tangent vector to curve at P_0

$$= \nabla w \cdot \vec{0} = \left(\frac{dw}{ds} \right)_{0, \vec{A}}$$

where $\vec{0} = \text{dir } \vec{A} = \frac{\vec{A}}{|\vec{A}|}$

because its a level curve
walking along curve - no change

magnitude of ∇w

$$\left(\frac{dw}{ds} \right)_{0, \vec{A}} = \nabla w \cdot \frac{\nabla w}{|\nabla w|} \quad \vec{A} \cdot \vec{A} = \text{square of length}$$

$$= |\nabla w| \quad \text{great backward ds}$$

$$|\nabla w| = \left(\frac{dw}{ds} \right)_{0, \vec{A}} \quad \text{both } \geq 0$$

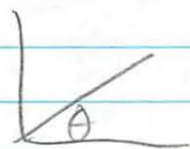
~~\times~~ P_0 the direction you choose is the \oplus one

So $(\nabla W)_0 \perp$ level curve through P_0
in \oplus dir

Skeleton of calculation

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)$$

polar angle



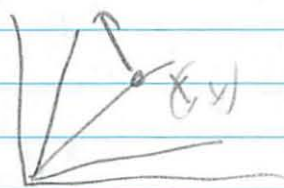
$$\nabla W = ?$$

- be patient

$$\nabla = \left\langle \frac{-y}{x^2+y^2}, \frac{x}{x^2+y^2} \right\rangle$$

check that compatible

level curves are the rays
 $\theta = \text{constant}$



which way is θ increasing

vector perpendicular

$$\langle x, y \rangle \perp \langle -y, x \rangle \quad \text{So it works out}$$

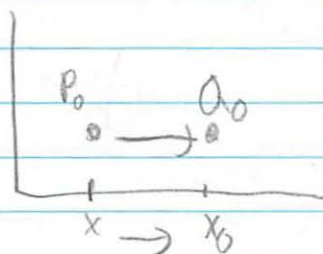
magnitude = $\frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}} = \frac{1}{r}$

Lectures 9+10 Review

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working in 2D
- same in 1D

have a temp at a pt in space



$$\left(\frac{\partial W}{\partial x}\right)_0 = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta W}{\Delta x}$$

at that pt T derivative

- So basically keep ^{the rest} constant while taking deriv of other 1

practically, very simple

- math describing it goofy as always
(don't be math major)

ask yourself - how much does temp change
topograph map

$$\Delta W = \Delta W_T + \Delta W_P$$

↳ at P_0

what does that mean?

but = if continuous

? So no practical implications??

Then imagine it in 3D
- slope of each section

Lecture 10

$$W - W_0 = A(x - x_0) + B(y - y_0)$$

- so basically same thing?

$$\text{Approx formula } \Delta W = \left(\frac{\partial W}{\partial x} \right)_0 \Delta x + \left(\frac{\partial W}{\partial y} \right)_0 \Delta y$$

but another way to write it

$$\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + w^2} = 3$$

radius

$$w = \sqrt{9 - x^2 - y^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial w}{\partial x} = \frac{-x}{w} \quad \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} = \frac{-y}{w}$$

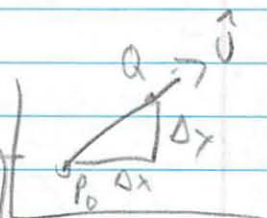
$$w - 2 = -\frac{1}{2}(x - x_0) - \frac{2}{2}(y - y_0)$$

but problem with $\uparrow \nabla$ is that who picks what is what

so directional derivative of w in dir \hat{j}

$$\left(\frac{dw}{ds} \right)_{P_0} \hat{j} = \lim_{\Delta s \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta w}{\Delta s}$$

$$\left(\frac{dw}{ds} \right)_{P_0} \hat{j} = \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right)_0 \frac{dx}{ds} + \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \right)_0 \frac{dy}{ds}$$



$$\left(\frac{dw}{ds}\right)_{\vec{0}} = \left\langle \frac{\partial w}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \right\rangle \cdot \left\langle \frac{dx}{ds}, \frac{dy}{ds} \right\rangle$$

$$= \left\langle \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta s}, \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta s} \right\rangle = 1$$

same vector started with

$$= \vec{\nabla} w \cdot \vec{0}$$

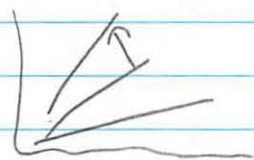
$$= \vec{\nabla} w \cdot \frac{\vec{\nabla} w}{|\vec{\nabla} w|}$$

$\vec{\nabla} w \perp$ level curve through P_0
↳ topo map

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)$$

$$\vec{\nabla} = -\left\langle \frac{-y}{x^2+y^2}, \frac{x}{x^2+y^2} \right\rangle$$

- level curves are the rays +
 θ constant



$$\text{magnitude} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}} = \frac{1}{r}$$

TA Course Notes

Reading

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$$w = f(x, y)$$

↳ fix $y = y_0$ get $w = f(x, y_0)$
slope at pt P $x = x_0$
 $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0)$

Can calc w/ tangent plane or approx formula

-section not helpful in showing
what f_{xy} or f_{yy} means.

Recitation

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Ex 0 $f(x, y)$ $P_0 = (x_0, y_0)$

	numbers	vectors
$f(P_0)$	✓	
$\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}\right)_{P_0}$	✓	
$\nabla f(P_0)$		✓
$\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}\right)_{P_0, \vec{j}}$	✓	

2 coords the 2 partial derivs

ex1 Calculate partial derivative

a. $f(x, y) = \frac{y}{x}$

b. $g(x, y) = \sin(3x + 2y)$

a. $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = y^{-1} x^{-2} = -\frac{y}{x^2}$ ✓

$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \frac{1}{x}$ ✓

b. $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \cos(3x + 2y) \cdot (3)$ chain rule
 ~~$\cos(3x + 2y) + (3 + 2y)$~~ $3 \cos(3x + 2y)$
constant

$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \cos(3x + 2y) \cdot (2)$ chain rule
 ~~$\cos(3x + 2y) + (3x + 2)$~~ $2 \cos(3x + 2y)$
constant

* do chain rule correctly

ex 2
2B-7

Assume $x=3$ with certain error 0.01
 $y=4$

a With what accuracy can the polar coordinate (r, θ) be calculated? Is it more sensitive on x or y edge

$$r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$
$$\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)$$

$$x = 3 + \Delta x \quad \text{with } |\Delta x| \leq 0.01$$

$$r(x, y) \approx r(3, 4) + \frac{\partial r}{\partial x}(3, 4) \Delta x + \frac{\partial r}{\partial y}(3, 4) \Delta y$$
$$\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = \sqrt{3^2 + 4^2} + \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \Delta x + \frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \Delta y$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (x^2 + y^2)^{1/2} = \frac{1}{2} (x^2 + y^2)^{-1/2} \cdot 2x$$

$$\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = 5 + \frac{3}{\sqrt{3^2 + 4^2}} \Delta x + \frac{4}{\sqrt{3^2 + 4^2}} \Delta y$$

$$\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = 5 + \frac{3}{5} \Delta x + \frac{4}{5} \Delta y$$

Know $|\Delta r| \leq \left| \frac{3}{5} \Delta x + \frac{4}{5} \Delta y \right| \leq \frac{3}{5} |\Delta x| + \frac{4}{5} |\Delta y|$
is at most this value

$$\leq .006 \cdot .001 + .08 \cdot .001 = .014$$

I actually
pretty much
solved it

hidden book
ml pay
ml printing
laminator

$$\theta(x, y) = \theta(3, 4) + \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x}(3, 4) \Delta x + \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y}(3, 4) \Delta y$$

Recall

$$(\tan(x))' = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{x}\right) = \frac{1}{1+(\frac{y}{x})^2} \cdot \frac{-y}{x^2} = \frac{-y}{(1+(\frac{y}{x})^2)x^2} = \frac{-y}{x^2+y^2}$$

keep the y constant
distribute & simplify

$$\frac{d}{dy} \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{x}\right) = \frac{1}{1+(\frac{y}{x})^2} \cdot \frac{1}{x} = \frac{1}{(1+(\frac{y}{x})^2)x} = \frac{x}{x^2+y^2}$$

keep the constant
multiply by x^2

$$\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x}(3, 4) = \frac{-4}{3^2+4^2} = \frac{-4}{25}$$

$$\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y}(3, 4) = \frac{3}{3^2+4^2} = \frac{3}{25}$$

$$\frac{1}{x} \cdot \frac{x^2}{x^2+y^2} = \frac{x}{x^2+y^2}$$

$$\Delta \theta = \frac{-4}{25} \Delta x + \frac{3}{25} \Delta y$$

$$\Delta \theta \leq \frac{4}{25} |\Delta x| + \frac{3}{25} |\Delta y| \leq \frac{4}{25} \cdot 0.001 + \frac{3}{25} \cdot 0.001 = 0.0028$$

Error is more sensitive on r to error on y
 θ to error on x

$$\frac{\partial r}{\partial y} > \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} \quad \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y} < \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x}$$

Ex 3

$$w = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

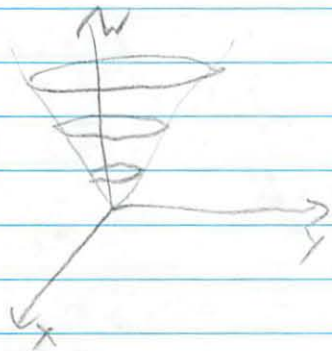
a) Find equation of tangent plane at $(0, 1, 1)$

$\frac{1}{\sqrt{0^2+1^2}}$ is on plane

b) More generally find the tangent plane at $A = (a, b, c)$

$$c = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$$

c) Show that the line OA is included in the tangent plane.



Formula for tangent plane
at $P_0 = (x_0, y_0, z_0)$

$$w - w_0 = \frac{\partial w}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0)(x - x_0) + \frac{\partial w}{\partial y}(x_0, y_0)(y - y_0)$$

$$\frac{\partial w}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{2}(x^2 + y^2)^{-1/2} \cdot 2x = \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} = \frac{x_0}{\sqrt{x_0^2 + y_0^2}} = \frac{0}{\sqrt{0^2 + 1^2}}$$

$$\frac{\partial w}{\partial y} = \frac{1}{2}(x^2 + y^2)^{-1/2} \cdot 2y = \frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} = \frac{y_0}{\sqrt{x_0^2 + y_0^2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{0^2 + 1^2}}$$

Equation of plane

$$w - 1 = 0(x - 0) + 1(y - 1)$$

$$w = y - 1 + 1$$

$$\boxed{w = y}$$

∴ simplify

b Now more generally at (a, b, c)

$$\frac{a}{\sqrt{a^2+b^2}}$$

$$\frac{b}{\sqrt{a^2+b^2}}$$

$$w - \sqrt{a^2+b^2} = \frac{a}{\sqrt{a^2+b^2}}(x-a) + \frac{b}{\sqrt{a^2+b^2}}(y-b)$$

$$w - c = \frac{a}{c}(x-a) + \frac{b}{c}(y-b)$$

simplify

$$cw - c^2 = ax - a^2 + by - b^2$$
$$\boxed{cw = ax + by}$$

↳ can check $1w = 0x + 1y$
 $w = y$ ✓

c We know O is in the plane
↳ $0w = 0x + 0y$
 $0 = 0$

We know A is in the plane

So we know OA is in the plane

Lecture 11

3D gradient, level surfaces, tan planes 3/2

$$w = f(x, y)$$

$$\vec{\nabla} w = \langle w_x, w_y \rangle$$

gradient vector = $\langle \frac{\partial w}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \rangle$

$$\left. \frac{dw}{ds} \right|_{p_0, \vec{0}} = \vec{\nabla} w \cdot \vec{0}$$

directional derivative

$$\left. \frac{dw}{ds} \right|_{p_0, \vec{A}} = \vec{\nabla} w \cdot \frac{\vec{A}}{|\vec{A}|}$$

Review



temp in a place

dir $\vec{\nabla} w \perp$ to level curve direction increasing w

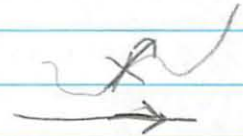
$$|\vec{\nabla} w| = \left. \frac{dw}{ds} \right|_{p_0, \vec{\nabla} w}$$

length: cdc directional derivative
 $\approx \frac{\Delta w}{\Delta s} \Big|_{\vec{\nabla} w} \approx \frac{1}{1/2} = 2$

$|\nabla w|$ big if level curves are close when level curves are close

Small when level curves are far apart

* gradient is on plane *
not on the mountain



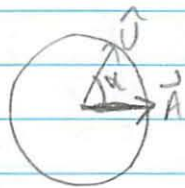
\rightarrow represents all possible directions at that point

$$\vec{A} \cdot \vec{U}$$

varies

when is it at max?
when \vec{U} is parallel and same direction as \vec{A}

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{max} \quad \vec{U} = \text{dir } \vec{A} \\ 0 \quad \vec{U} \perp \vec{A} \\ \text{min} \quad \vec{U} = -\text{dir } \vec{A} \end{array}$$



$\cos \alpha$ max when $\alpha = 0$

min $\alpha = \pi$

0 $\pi/2$

$\vec{A} \cdot \vec{U} = \text{scalar component of } \vec{A}$
in the direction \vec{U}

So how does this matter for gradient?

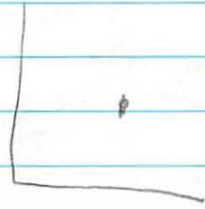
$$\frac{dw}{ds} \Big|_{\vec{U}}$$

$$\text{max} \quad \vec{U} = \text{dir } (\nabla w)$$

$$0 \quad \vec{U} \perp \nabla w$$

$$\text{min} \quad \vec{U} = -\text{dir } (\nabla w)$$

$$W = x^2 y \quad \text{at } (1, 1)$$



Which way and how far
does it go to raise temp 2°

- So walk in dir ∇W - but how far to go?

$$\nabla W = \langle 2xy, x^2 \rangle_{(1,1)} = \langle 2, 1 \rangle$$

↑ direction

$$|\nabla W| = \sqrt{5}$$

$$\left| \frac{dW}{ds} \right|_{\nabla W} = \sqrt{5}$$

SS SS

$$\left| \frac{\Delta W}{\Delta s} \right|_{\nabla W} = \frac{2}{\Delta s}$$

$$\frac{2}{\Delta s} \approx \sqrt{5}$$

$$\Delta s \approx \frac{2}{2.2} = .9$$

diff
pieces to
put together

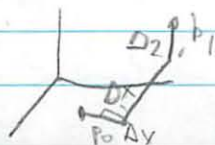
In 3-space

$$W = f(x, y, z)$$

can still use temp
instead of ant \rightarrow flea

$$\Delta W \approx W_x \Delta x + \dots + W_z \Delta z$$

- same reasoning as 2D



$$\frac{dw}{ds} = w_x \frac{dx}{ds} + \dots + w_z \frac{dz}{ds} = \vec{\nabla} w \cdot \vec{U}$$

$$\vec{\nabla} w = \langle w_x, w_y, w_z \rangle$$

$$\boxed{\left. \frac{dw}{ds} \right|_{\vec{U}} = \vec{\nabla} w \cdot \vec{U}} \quad \text{still works}$$

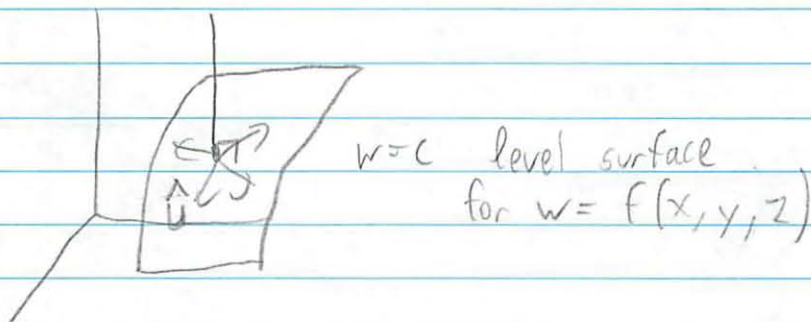
All of the rest of it is the same too

$\text{dir}(\vec{\nabla} w)_0 \perp$ level surface \leftarrow (not curves but surfaces through P_0)
 \uparrow means P_0

$$|\vec{\nabla} w| = \left. \frac{dw}{ds} \right|_{P_0, \vec{U}}$$

$$\vec{\nabla} w \perp \vec{U} \Rightarrow \vec{\nabla} w \cdot \vec{U} = 0$$

\hookrightarrow the unit vectors that lie along level surface



must be perpendicular to the little tangent vectors at that point

which \vec{U} is the dir derivative \vec{U} \nearrow the ones tangent to level surface

The ∇ which are tangent to level surface

Alternative calculation of tangent plane to a surface at $(1, 2, 1)$

$$\begin{aligned}x^2 + y^2 + 2z^2 &= \text{ellipsoid} \\ &= 1^2 + 2^2 + 2(1)^2 \\ &= 7\end{aligned}$$

Find tangent plane at $(1, 2, 1)$

This is a level surface of $w = x^2 + y^2 + 2z^2$
- need the normal vector to that surface

$\hookrightarrow (\nabla w)_{(1,2,1)}$ is the normal vector

$$\nabla w = \langle 2x, 2y, 4z \rangle$$

$$= \langle 2, 4, 4 \rangle \perp \text{ to surface}$$

$$= 2 \langle 1, 2, 2 \rangle$$

normal vector

So tan plane

$$1(x-1) + 2(y-2) + 2(z-2) = 0$$

| expand

Recitation

3/3

ex 1 $f(x, y, z) = \ln(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)$

$\left\langle \frac{2x}{x^2+y^2+z^2}, \frac{2y}{x^2+y^2+z^2}, \frac{2z}{x^2+y^2+z^2} \right\rangle$ take deriv right
↓ simplify
 $2 \langle x, y, z \rangle$
 $x^2 + y^2 + z^2$

a. Find volume + gradient at $(1, 2, -2)$

volume = $\ln(1^2 + 2^2 + (-2)^2)$

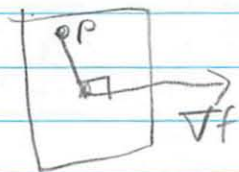
$\vec{\nabla} w = \left\langle \frac{2}{9}, \frac{4}{9}, \frac{-4}{9} \right\rangle$ or $\frac{2}{9} \langle 1, 2, -2 \rangle$

b. Find tangent plane equation of level curve $f(x, y, z) = \ln(4)$

∇f is \perp to the level curve
 so it is the tangent plane

↑
level curve
value -
extraneous

So want $\perp \frac{2}{9} \langle 1, 2, -2 \rangle$ and goes through $\langle 1, 2, -2 \rangle$
↑ can drop



$1 - (x-1) + 2(x-2) - 2(x+2) = 0$
 $\frac{2}{9} \langle 1, 2, -2 \rangle \cdot \langle x-1, y-2, z+2 \rangle = 0$
↑ right we are doing dot product to find normal vector
 ah ha!

c Find the directional derivative of f at P in dir $\uparrow +3\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}$

$$\left(\frac{df}{ds}\right)_{P, \vec{u}} = \nabla f \cdot \vec{u}$$

rate of change of f if one goes at speed 1 in the direction \vec{u}

$$\vec{u} = \text{dir}(\vec{A}) = \frac{\vec{A}}{|\vec{A}|} = \frac{\langle 1, 3, -1 \rangle}{\sqrt{1^2 + 3^2 + 1^2}} = \frac{\langle 1, 3, -1 \rangle}{\sqrt{11}}$$

$$\left(\frac{df}{ds}\right)_{P, \vec{u}} = \nabla f \cdot \vec{u} = \frac{2}{9} \langle 1, 2, -2 \rangle \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{11}} \langle 1, 3, -1 \rangle$$

d What are the min/max of directional deriv at P ,
What direction are they?

want to max $\frac{df}{ds}$

$$\left(\frac{2}{9\sqrt{11}}\right) (1+6+2) = \left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{11}}\right)$$

now do dot product
get this better now

max $\nabla f \cdot \vec{u}$ over all unit vector choices of \vec{u}

$\vec{u} \cdot \nabla f$ maximize when \vec{u} in dir (∇f) $|\nabla f| |\vec{u}| \cos \theta = |\nabla f|$
 $\vec{u} = \frac{\nabla f}{|\nabla f|}$

$$\text{has value } \nabla f \cdot \frac{\nabla f}{|\nabla f|} = \frac{|\nabla f|^2}{|\nabla f|} = |\nabla f|$$

$$\text{So } |\nabla f| = \frac{2}{9} |\langle 1, 2, -2 \rangle|$$

$$= \frac{2}{9} \sqrt{9}$$

\uparrow do manually

on calc will be weird decimal

min if $\vec{u} = -\frac{\nabla f}{|\nabla f|}$

has value $-|\nabla f|$

$$= -\frac{2}{9} \sqrt{9}$$

e In which direction should one travel to get largest increase of f at p
 What is the rate of increase if one goes in this dir at speed $= 7$,

To increase f , one should go in dir $\frac{\nabla f}{|\nabla f|}$

The rate of change of f for speed 7 in that dir is

$$7 \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial s} \right)_{p, \vec{v}} = 7 \cdot \frac{7}{7} \sqrt{9}$$

$\frac{\nabla f}{|\nabla f|}$ we found dir in last problem

ex 2

Let S be a surface given by $x^2 + y^2 + z = 0$

Let C be a parametric curve $\vec{r}(t) = \langle 2t, \dots \rangle$

Is C included in S (on surface)

- plug coords into equation
- must satisfy for all t

18.02 Problem Set 3B DUE, STAPLED
WITH 3A, ON THU. MAR. 4, 10:45 2-106

Part I (15 points)

✓ **Recit.** Wed. Feb. 24 Functions of several variables: examples, graphs, contour curves and level curves.

Read 19.1 Work: ~~2A-1bc~~

✓ **Lecture 9.** Thurs. Feb. 25 Partial derivatives; tangent plane, approximation formula

Read: 19.2, Notes TA Work: ~~2A-2ae, 3b, 5b; 2B-1b, 4, 6, 9~~

Lecture 10. Fri. Feb. 26 Directional derivative; gradient.

Read: 19.5 pp. 681-top 683 (lecture and exercises will use only two dimensions)

Work: 2D-1aed, ~~2a, 4, 7, 9bcde~~ (describe in words where B and C are)

✓ **Lecture 11.** Tues. Mar. 2 3D gradient: level surfaces; tan. planes.

Read: finish 19.5. Work: ~~2D-1b, 2b, 3a, 5bc, 8;~~

Lecture 12. Thurs. Mar. 4 Max-min problems. Least squares approximation.

Read 19.7 to bottom p.693; Notes LS

Part II (25 points)

Directions. Try each problem alone for 15 minutes. If you subsequently collaborate, solutions must be written up independently. It is illegal to consult problem sets from previous semesters. With each problem is the day it can be done.

Problem 1. (Wed., 9 pts: 4,3,2) This problem introduces you to MatLab's 3D plots of a surface, and the corresponding plot of its level curves. Do it all at the computer, using the sheet of general MatLab directions given out with this problem set. You will use the sections: Directions for 3D Graphs and Special MatLab Operators.

a) Plot the surface $z = x^2 - y^2$; adjust the viewpoint and the scale so that all the interesting features are best displayed. Include also a reasonable number of contour curves on the graph. Then print it out. (See Note at the end of this problem.)

b) Plot $f(x, y) = xy e^{x^2 - y^2}$; follow the same instructions as in (a). \

c) For the function in part (b), also make a 2D contour plot, using the same number of level curves on the 2D plot as you used for the contour curves on the 3D graph, and print that out also.

Note: In entering the functions, use parentheses freely, use * for multiplication, and use exp for the exponential function; don't forget the . for the array operation (see the directions for 3D Graphs).

Problem 2. (Thurs. 4 pts: 2,2) The surface $z = x^2 - y^2$ is a saddle-shaped surface, but even though it is curved everywhere, it contains two families of lines, each of which fills out the surface completely. (This is not so evident from the MatLab plot.)

To put it another way, two lines - one from each family - go through every $P_0 : (x_0, y_0, z_0)$ on the surface. They span the tangent plane at P_0 , and are the intersection of the surface

with the tangent plane.

Verify these facts for the point $P : (3, 2, 5)$ on the surface, as follows.

a) Write the parametric equations for a general non-horizontal line through P : i.e., one passing through P and parallel to the vector $a\mathbf{i} + b\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$.

Then show that there are exactly two sets of values for the pair (a, b) for which the resulting line lies entirely in the surface. (The line will lie in the surface if every point on the line satisfies the equation of the surface.)

b) Find the equation of the tangent plane to the surface at P .

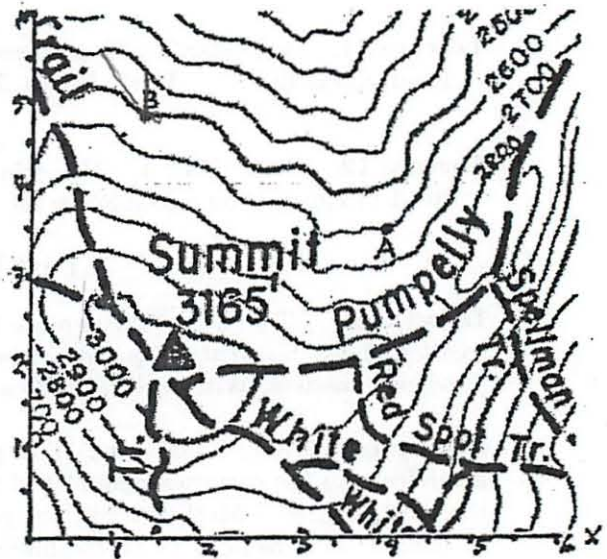
Then show that both of the lines you found in (a) also lie in this tangent plane. (Use the same method as in part (a).)

Problem 3. (Thurs. 3 pts.) Work 2B-8. (Use the law of cosines.)

Problem 4. (Fri., 5 pts.: 2,1,1,1)

The map shows a portion of the region around the summit of Mt. Monadnock, in southern N.H.. The level curves indicate height h above sea-level, in feet. Use as the horizontal scale: $1/4'' = 500$ feet, so the x and y scales are marked in kilofeet. In your answers, identify points by their approximate coordinates.

- Estimate h_x and h_y at the point B .
- Estimate dh/ds at B in the direction of the vector $\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{i}$.
- Find the points P and Q having the smallest y -coordinates such that $h(P) = h(Q) = 3000$, and $h_x(P) = 0$, $h_y(Q) = 0$.
- Find the R with the largest x -coordinate such that $h(R) = 2900$, and $dh/ds = 0$ at R in the direction $\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j}$.



Problem 5. (Tues. 4 pts) In the first octant of 3-space, the equation $xyz = a$, for a fixed constant $a > 0$, has as its graph a surface called a *hyperboloid*; this surface has the three coordinate planes as its asymptotes, i.e., it gets closer and closer to a coordinate plane as any of the variables goes to infinity.

At any point $P_0 : (x_0, y_0, z_0)$ on this surface, the tangent plane cuts off a tetrahedron from the first octant, having the origin as one vertex, and triangular portions of the three coordinate planes and the tangent plane as its four faces. As P_0 varies, the shape of this tetrahedron varies, but its volume remains constant.

Prove this, and find the volume.

(Think of $xyz = a$ as a level surface of $w = xyz$; use this to write the equation of its tangent plane at P_0 , find where this plane intersects the coordinate axes, then find the volume of the resulting tetrahedron.)

Volume of a tetrahedron = $\frac{1}{3}bh$, where b is the area of a face and h the length of the corresponding altitude – the line segment with one end perpendicular to the face and the other end at the opposite vertex.)

18.02 Pset
3B

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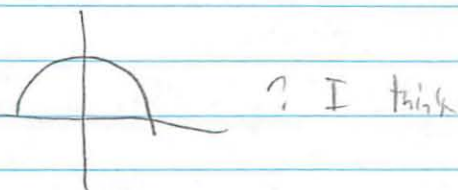
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Recitation + Function of several variables
Examples, graphs, contour + level curves

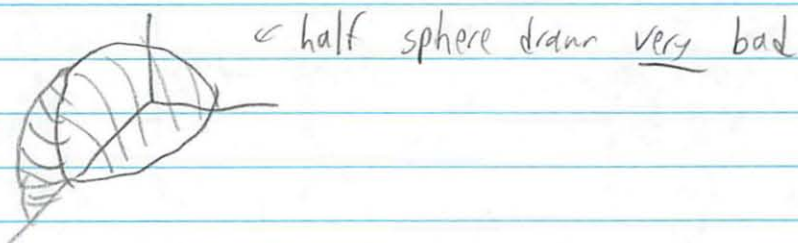
2A-1b Sketch level curves for functions

$$\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

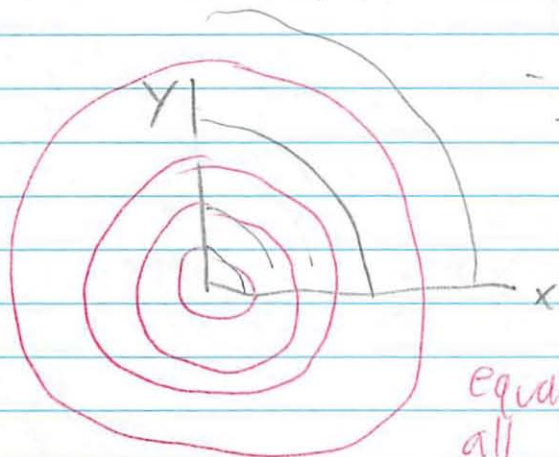
Step 1 try normal graph



Step 2 Try 3D graph



Step 3 Equipotential curves

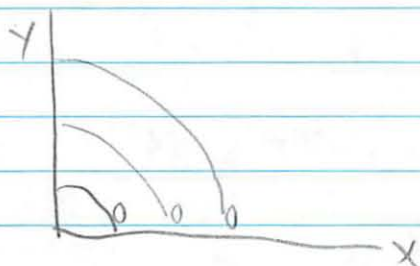


- can try points
- is there anything else?

equal spaced
all 4 quadrants

2A-1e

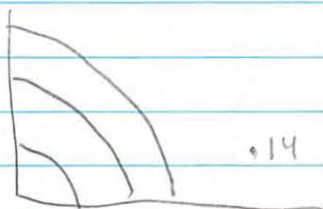
$$x^2 - y^2$$



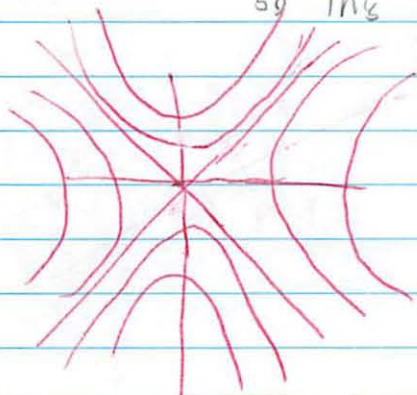
$$1^2 - 1^2 = 0$$

$$4^2 - 4^2$$

$$6^2 - 2^2 = 14$$



so this alternates? How to draw?



I am bad at visualizing
this - need more examples

Lecture 9 Partial derivatives, tangent plane, approx formula

2A-2a Calculate partial deriv

$$w = x^3 y - 3x y^2 + 2y^2$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{hold } y \text{ constant} \\ \text{differentiate } x \end{array} \quad f_x = 3x^2 y - 3 \cdot 1 y^2 + 0$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial y} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{hold } x \text{ constant} \\ \text{differentiate } y \end{array} \quad f_y = x^3 \cdot 1 - 3x \cdot 2y + 2 \cdot 2y$$

~~? now add~~
 ~~$3x^2 y - 3y^2 + x^3 - 6xy + 4y$~~

no just keep as 2 equations

e $z = x \ln(2x+y)$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \quad f_x = \ln(2x+y) + x \cdot \frac{1}{2x+y} \cdot 2$$

↙ product rule ↓ chain rule

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial y} = f_y = x \cdot \frac{1}{2x+y} \cdot 1$$

ⓧ

Cross derivative
 $f_x = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right)$
↑ 2nd ↑ do 1st

3b Verify $f_{xy} = f_{yx}$ for each

$\frac{x}{x+y} = x(x+y)^{-1}$
 ? what is $f_{xy} = (f_x)_y$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} = f_x = 1 \cdot \frac{1}{x+y} + x \cdot -1(x+y)^{-2} \cdot 1$$

$$= \frac{1}{x+y} - \frac{x}{(x+y)^2}$$

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

$$= \frac{y}{(x+y)^2} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial y} = f_y = x - (x+y)^{-2} \cdot 1$$

$$= -\frac{x}{(x+y)^2} \quad \checkmark$$

$(f_x)_y = \frac{x}{(x+y)^2} \rightarrow \frac{x}{(x+y)^2}$ → multiply across

→ over

did not do this right

~~$\frac{-xy}{(x+y)^4}$~~ \checkmark

they say $\frac{x-y}{(x+y)^3}$

$(f_y)_x = \frac{-x}{(x+y)^2} \rightarrow \frac{-x}{(x+y)^2}$

~~$\frac{-xy}{(x+y)^4}$~~

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

but why?

why?
see back

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial y} \frac{y}{(x+y)^2} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} y(x+y)^{-2} = 1(x+y)^{-2} + y \cdot -2(x+y)^{-3} \cdot 1$$

$$= \frac{1}{(x+y)^2} + \frac{2y}{(x+y)^3}$$

what did wrong?
just simplify

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right)$$

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

$$-1(x+y)^{-2} + -x \cdot -2(x+y)^{-3} \cdot 1$$

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

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

⊙ Does match

So it was simply more

oliver
OH

5b

Show $f(x, y)$ satisfies $w_{xx} + w_{yy} = 0$
 - the 2d Laplace equation

did not →
 know about
 WP; something
 w/ diff. eq

$$w = \ln(x^2 + y^2)$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{x^2 + y^2} \cdot 2x = \frac{2x}{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial y} = \frac{1}{x^2 + y^2} \cdot 2y = \frac{2y}{x^2 + y^2}$$

w_{xx} what does this mean? $\frac{2(y^2 - x^2)}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}$

if interchange x and y

$$w = \ln(x^2 + y^2) \text{ remains same}$$

yeah that makes sense

w_{xx} turns into w_{yy}

since interchange just changes right hand side
 sign

$$w_{yy} = -w_{xx}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \right) = - \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial y} \frac{2y}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} 2y(x^2 + y^2)^{-1} = 2(x^2 + y^2)^{-1} + 2y \cdot -1(x^2 + y^2)^{-2} \cdot 2y$$

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

$$\begin{aligned}
-\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \frac{2x}{x^2+y^2} &= -\frac{\partial}{\partial x} 2x(x^2+y^2)^{-1} \\
&= -2(x^2+y^2)^{-1} + 2x \cdot -1(x^2+y^2)^{-2} \cdot 2x \\
&= \frac{2}{x^2+y^2} - \frac{4x^2}{(x^2+y^2)^2} \\
&= \frac{2(x^2+y^2) - 4x^2}{(x^2+y^2)^2} \\
&= \frac{2y^2 - 2x^2}{(x^2+y^2)^2} \\
&= \frac{2x^2 - 2y^2}{(x^2+y^2)^2} \quad \text{①}
\end{aligned}$$

2B-1b

Give the equation of the tangent plane
at each surface indicated

$$w = \frac{y^2}{x} \quad (1, 2, 4)$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} = \cancel{x^2 \ln x} - \frac{y^2}{x^2}$$

remember rules - don't confuse
 $d\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = -\frac{1}{x^2}$ \downarrow \int

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial y} = \frac{1}{x} \cdot 2y = \frac{2y}{x} \checkmark$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x} = \ln x$$

what do we do with the points -
- plug them in?

$$w - w_0 = \underset{\left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial x}\right)_0}{A} (x - x_0) + \underset{\left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial y}\right)_0}{B} (y - y_0)$$

$$w - 4 = \left(\frac{-y^2}{x^2}\right)_{(1,2)} (x - 1) + \left(\frac{2y}{x}\right)_{(1,2)} (y - 2) \quad \text{Close}$$

$$w_x = -\frac{y^2}{x^2} = -\frac{2^2}{1^2} = -4 \quad \checkmark$$

$$w_y = \frac{2y}{x} = \frac{2 \cdot 2}{1} = 4 \quad \checkmark$$

tangent plane

$$w = 4 - 4(x - 1) + 4(y - 2)$$

$$w = -4x + 4y$$

+simplify

plug pts
in for FF

4. The combined resistance of 2 wires in parallel

$$\frac{1}{R} = \frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2}$$

If $R_1 = 1 \Omega$ with error $\pm 0.1 \Omega$
 $R_2 = 2 \Omega$

What is R and error window?

-remember doing I like this w/ box in lecture

R first off is $\frac{1}{1} + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{3}{2} \Omega$
 ? I thought $\Omega < 1$

total possible error

$$\Delta R = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \Delta x + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \Delta y$$

R_1 in this case R_2

$$-\frac{1}{R_1^2} + \frac{1}{R_2} \cdot (0.1) + -\frac{1}{R_2^2} + \frac{1}{R_1} \cdot (0.1)$$

$\left(\frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2}\right)^2$ →

$$\left(-\frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{2}\right) \cdot 0.1 + \left(-\frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{1}\right) \cdot (0.1)$$

$$-0.05 + 0.075$$

$(0.025) \Omega$ max error

$$\frac{1}{4} \Delta R_1 + \frac{1}{4} \Delta R_2$$

Hypothesis: $|\Delta R_i| \leq 0.1$ for $i=1,2$ so $|\Delta R| \leq \frac{1}{4}(0.1) + \frac{1}{4}(0.1)$
 $= 0.06$ possible error

just another way to write

$$R = \frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2}$$

but why is this diff then? (where mistake was)

$\left(\frac{R_1}{R_1 + R_2}\right)^2$

6. To determine volume of a cylinder



How accurately should radius + height be measured so volume error $< .1$

$$V = \pi r^2 h$$

$$V = \pi 2^2 \cdot 3$$

$$= 12\pi \pm .1$$

So basically last problem in reverse

$$.1 = \frac{\partial V}{\partial r} \Delta r + \frac{\partial V}{\partial h} \Delta h$$

$$.1 = \pi 2 r h \Delta r + \pi r^2 \Delta h$$

$$.1 = \pi 2(2)(3) \Delta r + \pi (2)^2 \Delta h$$

$$.1 = 12\pi \Delta r + 4\pi \Delta h$$

hold 0

$$\Delta r = \frac{.1}{(12\pi)} = .00265$$

$$\Delta h = \frac{.1}{(4\pi)} = .00795$$

but here

Assume same accuracy $|\Delta r| \leq \epsilon$ for both
 $|\Delta h| \leq \epsilon$ measurements

but why??

$$|\Delta V| \leq 12\pi \epsilon + 4\pi \epsilon = 16\pi \epsilon$$

is $< .1$ if $\epsilon < \frac{.1}{160\pi} < .002$ So basically what I found

9.a. Around the point $(1,0)$ is $w = x^2(y+1)$ ~~which~~ is more sensitive to changes in x or in y ?

-So this is just like example in class

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta \text{error} &= 2x(y+1) \Delta x + x^2(y+1) \cdot 1 \Delta y \\ &\text{plug in it} \\ &= 2 \cdot 1 \cdot (0+1) \Delta x + 1^2(0+1) \Delta y \\ &= 2\Delta x + 1\Delta y \\ &= 3 \uparrow \text{biggest in } x \text{ dir } \textcircled{1} \quad \leftarrow \text{not addition}\end{aligned}$$

b. What is the ratio $\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x}$ so that small changes

produce no changes in w ?

(ie first order only, changes a little like $(\Delta x)^2$ not Δx)
 \uparrow ?? what? very confusing

$$\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{1}{2} \quad \text{or will cancel out if } -\frac{1}{2} ?$$

$$\Delta w = 2\Delta x + \Delta y \quad \leftarrow \text{what I found above}$$

$$\text{For } \Delta w = 0 \rightarrow 2\Delta x + \Delta y = 0$$

$$\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = -2$$

was close - but thinking about it in wrong way

-So yeah have - to cancel

-and the $2\Delta x$ should make Δx smaller

Lecture 10 Directional derivatives, gradients (only in 2D)

20-1a

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

$$P = (1, 1)$$

$$\vec{A} = \vec{i} - \vec{j}$$

Calc gradient of f at a point

Directional deriv $\left. \frac{df}{ds} \right|_u$ at the pt in the dir u of given vector A

$$\vec{\nabla} w = \langle 3x^2 + 2y^3, x^3 + 6y^2 \rangle$$

① $\Delta w = \Delta w \vec{i} + \Delta w \vec{j}$

② approx formula

③ plane $w - w_0 =$

$$\frac{\partial w}{\partial x}(x - x_0) + \frac{\partial w}{\partial y}(y - y_0)$$

④ $\Delta w = \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \Delta x + \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \Delta y$

remember vector

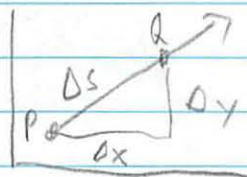
$$\langle 3(1)^2 + 2(1)^3, (1)^3 + 6(1)^2 \rangle$$

$$\langle 5, 7 \rangle$$

at pt $3\vec{i} + 6\vec{j}$

$$\frac{df}{ds} \Big|_u \leftarrow \text{what is that again. of } w \text{ in dir } \vec{u} = \lim_{\Delta s \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta w}{\Delta s}$$

$$w = w(x, y)$$



I guess I never actually found gradient.

* No did right *
constant = 0

$$= \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right)_0 \frac{dx}{ds} + \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \right)_0 \frac{dy}{ds}$$

$$= \left\langle \frac{\partial w}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \right\rangle_0 \cdot \left\langle \frac{dx}{ds}, \frac{dy}{ds} \right\rangle$$

$\vec{\nabla} w$ \vec{u}

$$= \langle 3, 6 \rangle \cdot \left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right\rangle$$

is this right

? then what - dot product

$$(5 \cdot 1) + (7 \cdot -1)$$

-2

do dot product

$$(3\mathbf{i} + 6\mathbf{j}) \cdot \frac{\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j}}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$- \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

why the $\sqrt{2}$? ↴

$$x^2 + y^2$$

~~guess it is a 45~~

c $z = x \sin y + y \cos x$ $(0, \frac{\pi}{2})$ $-3\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j}$

$$\nabla w = \langle \sin y - y \sin x, x \cos y + \cos x \rangle \odot$$

now at the pt

$$\langle \sin \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{2} \sin 0, 0 \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + \cos 0 \rangle$$

$$\langle 1 - \frac{\pi}{2} \cdot 0, 0 + 1 \rangle$$

$$\langle 1, 1 \rangle \odot$$

$\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j}$
they say

now directional derivative

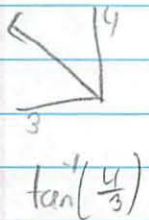
$$\langle 1, 1 \rangle \cdot \frac{\langle -3\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} \rangle}{5}$$

do dot product

$$\frac{1}{5}$$

where from?

$$\text{oh } \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$



given vector its pointing in

$$w = \ln(2x + 3y) \quad (-1, 1) \quad 4\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{j}$$

what is $\frac{d}{dx} \ln(x)$
 $= \frac{1}{x}$

$$\vec{\nabla} w = \left\langle \frac{2}{2x+3y}, \frac{3}{2x+3y} \right\rangle$$

$\frac{d}{dx} \ln(x^2) = \frac{2}{x}$
so how

$$\text{at pt } \left(\frac{2}{2(-1)+3(1)}, \frac{3}{2(-1)+3(1)} \right) = (2, 3)$$

$$\textcircled{\nabla} \frac{2\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j}}{2x+3y}$$

$$2\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j}$$

$$2\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} \cdot \frac{4\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{j}}{5}$$

$$\left(2 \cdot \frac{4}{5} \right) + \left(3 \cdot \frac{-3}{5} \right) \quad \text{not product } \textcircled{\nabla}$$

$$-\frac{1}{5} \textcircled{\nabla}$$

2a. Give max and min $\frac{df}{ds} \Big|_U$ as U varies

so this is actually lecture 11

max \hat{U} is when $\hat{U} = \text{dir}(\vec{\nabla} w)$

0 \hat{U} when $\perp \vec{\nabla} w$

min \hat{U} when $\hat{U} = -\text{dir}(\vec{\nabla} w)$

$$w = \ln(4x - 3y) \quad \text{at } (1, 1)$$

~~so we know from above~~
oops is different

$$\left(\frac{4}{2(1)+3(1)}, \frac{-3}{2(1)+3(1)} \right) = \left(\frac{4}{5}, \frac{-3}{5} \right) 4\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{j}$$

$$\text{dir of a vector} = \frac{\vec{\nabla} w}{|\vec{\nabla} w|}$$

~~$$\left\langle \frac{2}{5}, \frac{3}{5} \right\rangle$$~~
~~$$\sqrt{\frac{2}{5}^2 + \frac{3}{5}^2}$$~~

~~$$\langle .5547, .8320 \rangle$$~~

$$\frac{\langle 4, 3 \rangle}{\sqrt{4^2 + 3^2}} = \left\langle \frac{4}{5}, \frac{3}{5} \right\rangle$$

Or just just that

$$(4\hat{i} - 3\hat{j}) \cdot \mathbf{v} \text{ has max } 5$$

$$\text{in dir } \mathbf{v} = \frac{4\hat{i} - 3\hat{j}}{5}$$

4. The function $T = \ln(x^2 + y^2)$ gives temp at each pt in plane except $(0,0)$

a) At $(1,2)$ what dir to most rapid \uparrow in T

in dir $(\vec{\nabla} w)$

$$\vec{\nabla} w = \left\langle \frac{2x}{x^2 + y^2}, \frac{2y}{x^2 + y^2} \right\rangle = \left\langle \frac{2}{5}, \frac{4}{5} \right\rangle$$

mental mod th error

T increasing most rapidly in dir gradient

$$\left\langle \frac{2}{5}, \frac{4}{5} \right\rangle$$
~~$$\sqrt{\left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)^2}$$~~

Do the reduction manually

$$\sqrt{\frac{4}{25} + \frac{16}{25}} = \sqrt{\frac{20}{25}} = \sqrt{\frac{4}{5}} = \frac{2\sqrt{5}}{5}$$

$$\left\langle \frac{\frac{2}{5}}{\frac{2\sqrt{5}}{5}}, \frac{\frac{4}{5}}{\frac{2\sqrt{5}}{5}} \right\rangle$$

$$\left\langle \frac{2}{5}, \frac{5}{2\sqrt{5}}, \frac{4}{5}, \frac{5}{2\sqrt{5}} \right\rangle$$

$$\left\langle \frac{10}{10\sqrt{5}}, \frac{20}{10\sqrt{5}} \right\rangle$$

$$\left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \right\rangle \quad \textcircled{\text{D}}$$

$$\text{or } \frac{1\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j}}{\sqrt{5}}$$

b At P how far should you go in above to get increase of 12 in T?

$$|\nabla w| = 12$$

so just fill in Δw ? or where is this from?

$$\left| \frac{dw}{ds} \right|_{\nabla w} = 12 = \left| \frac{\Delta w}{\Delta s} \right|_{\nabla w} \quad \# \quad \boxed{\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \Delta s = 12}$$

$$\Delta s = \frac{12 \cdot \sqrt{5}}{2} = 6\sqrt{5} = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{10} \approx 2.22$$

Simp

→ other

~~Now got this?~~

See back

Other
OH

have a pt and a dir

dir. $\rightarrow \hat{u}$ \leftarrow increase in that direction (rate of increase)

$$= \nabla f \cdot \hat{u} = |\nabla f|$$

$$\nabla f = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j}$$
$$|\nabla f| = \sqrt{1^2 + 2^2} = \sqrt{5} = \text{rate of increase}$$

\approx approx increase of temp if 1 unit in dir $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j}$

But we want 12 increase (Δf)

$$\sqrt{5} = \frac{\Delta f}{\Delta s} \leftarrow 12$$
$$\Delta s = ?$$

$$\Delta s = \frac{12}{\sqrt{5}} \approx 5.22$$

\uparrow much clearer, since not reduced

c) At (1,2) ^{what dir} how far to go in $\uparrow + \uparrow$ to get increase of 1.2?

$$\nabla w = \left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \right\rangle$$

$$|\Delta w| = \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}\right)^2} = 1 \quad \text{What is } |\Delta s|?$$

$$|\Delta w| = 1.2 = |\nabla w| |\Delta s|$$

$$1.2 = \left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \right\rangle \cdot (\uparrow, \uparrow)$$

$$|\Delta w| = \frac{\Delta w}{\Delta s} \rightarrow 1 = \frac{1.2}{\Delta s} \quad (\Delta s = 1.2)$$

∴ is that it?

d) At (1,2) how far to go in $\uparrow - 2\uparrow + 2\uparrow$ for increase 1.0

$$1 = \frac{\Delta w}{\Delta s} \Delta s = \Delta w$$

$$\sqrt{1^2 + 2^2 + 2^2} = 3$$

~~$\Delta s = 3$~~ think I got this

$$\left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \right\rangle \cdot \langle 1, -2, 2 \rangle =$$

$$3 = \frac{\Delta F}{\Delta s} \cdot 1$$

$$\Delta s = \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{30}$$

-still can't really visualize - oh is it how far to travel on graph for 1 temp change?

?
no solutions
can re do
now still don't
get how all fit together
how about now

should be it

7. Suppose $\frac{dw}{ds}|_U = 2$ $\frac{dw}{ds}|_V = 1$ at P

where $U = \frac{\hat{i} + \hat{j}}{\sqrt{2}}$ $V = \frac{\hat{i} - \hat{j}}{\sqrt{2}}$ Find $(\nabla w)_P$

Gradient can be calculated knowing directional derivatives in any 2 non-parallel dir, not just \hat{i} and \hat{j}

At P $\nabla w = a\hat{i} + b\hat{j}$

$a\hat{i} + b\hat{j} \cdot \frac{\hat{i} + \hat{j}}{\sqrt{2}} = 2$

$a\hat{i} + b\hat{j} \cdot \frac{\hat{i} - \hat{j}}{\sqrt{2}} = 1$

$a + b = 2\sqrt{2}$

$a - b = \sqrt{2}$

$a = \frac{3}{2}\sqrt{2}$

$b = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{2}$

Oh $\left(\frac{dw}{ds}\right)_{U,V} = \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial x}\right) \frac{dx}{ds} + \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial y}\right) \frac{dy}{dx}$

↑ know
↑
↑ but how find this

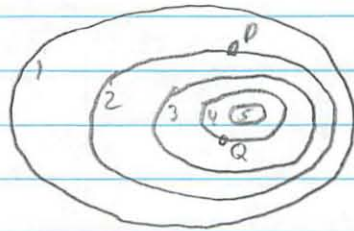
$\frac{dw}{ds} = \nabla w \cdot \hat{U}$
↑ know

↑ need - or do we have it as $\left\langle \frac{\partial w}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \right\rangle$
↑ don't have either

↑
did we do in class
↓
yeah just dir derivative

9b The picture shows level curve $w = f(x, y)$

w as marked



Find B where $w=3$ $\frac{\partial w}{\partial x} = 0$

Use $\frac{dw}{ds} \Big|_v \approx \frac{\Delta w}{\Delta s}$

travel in dir v from P to nearest curve
 \circ perpendicular

Δs = distance traveled

Δw = distance w changes estimate

Ok, so I get it now.

Got to the curve 3

Find where in x dir it $= 0$

\circ but what is x dir so when tangent $= 0$?

b) c)

$$\frac{\partial w}{\partial x} = \frac{dw}{ds} \Big|_i \quad \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} = \frac{dw}{ds} \Big|_j$$

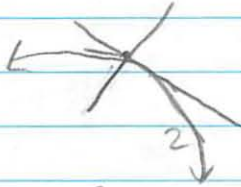
each
 perp to \uparrow
 \uparrow

So B is where \uparrow is tangent to level curve
 C " " " "

So yes \odot

c \odot

d At the point P estimate $\frac{\partial w}{\partial x}$ $\frac{\partial w}{\partial y}$



? so what am I looking for

redo

$$\frac{\partial w}{\partial x} = \frac{dw}{dx} \Big|_P \approx \frac{\Delta w}{\Delta s} \quad \text{? so in } \leftrightarrow \uparrow \text{ dir how far to a gradient change}$$

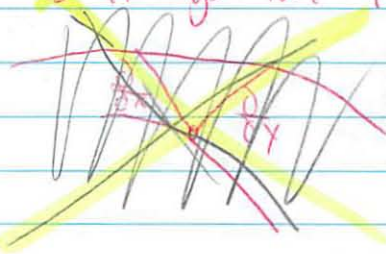
$$= \frac{-1}{5/6} = -1.6$$

$$\frac{\partial w}{\partial y} = \frac{dw}{dy} \Big|_P \approx \frac{\Delta w}{\Delta s} \quad \text{so in } \updownarrow \uparrow \text{ dir how often it changes}$$

$$= \frac{-1}{1} = -1$$

?

? or is it go tan from that pt

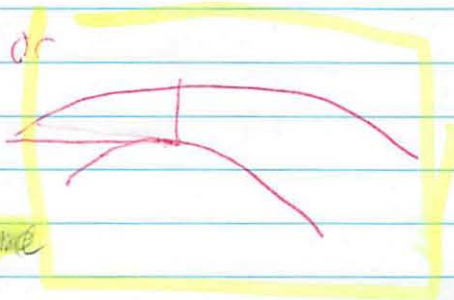


← I think that is it yeah it has to be



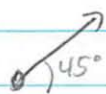
it's this one

-olive



can't be

e. At Q estimate $\frac{dw}{ds}$ in dir $T+J$



How much wr change in that dir

$$\frac{1}{1/2} = 2 \text{ (circled)}$$

Lecture 11 3D gradients, level surfaces, tan planes

20-1b $w = \frac{xy}{z}$ $(2, -1, 1)$ $\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k}$

~~$\vec{\nabla} w = \langle 1, 1, -z^{-2} \rangle$~~
~~at pt = $\langle 1, 1, -1 \rangle$~~

$\vec{\nabla} w = \langle \frac{y}{z} \mathbf{i} + \frac{x}{z} - \frac{xy}{z^2} \mathbf{k} \rangle$

$\vec{\nabla} w_{pt} = \langle -1, 2, 2 \rangle$

directional derivative

$\langle -1, 2, 2 \rangle \cdot \frac{\langle \mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k} \rangle}{\sqrt{1^2 + 2^2 + 2^2}}$

$\langle -1, 2, 2 \rangle \cdot \frac{1}{3} \langle \mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k} \rangle$

$(-1 \cdot \frac{1}{3}) + (2 \cdot \frac{2}{3}) + (2 \cdot \frac{-2}{3})$

$-\frac{1}{3} + \frac{4}{3} - \frac{4}{3}$

$-\frac{1}{3}$

\uparrow actually can put to 1 value

2b

$$W = xy + y^2 + x^2 \quad (1, -1, 2)$$

$$\max \hat{U} \text{ is } \hat{U} = \text{dir}(\nabla W)$$

$$\vec{W} = \langle y + 0 + 2, x + 2 + 0, 0 + y + x \rangle$$

or is it $x'y + y'x$
 $1 \cdot y + 0 \cdot x$
 so works at

$$\begin{aligned} x'y + y'x \\ 0 \cdot y + 0 \cdot x = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\langle -1 + 2, 1 + 2, -1 + 1 \rangle$$

$$\langle 1, 3, 0 \rangle \quad \ominus$$

$$\text{dir} = \left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{1^2 + 3^2 + 0^2}}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{1^2 + 3^2 + 0^2}}, 0 \right\rangle$$

$$\left\langle \frac{1}{10}, \frac{3}{10}, 0 \right\rangle \quad \ominus \quad \frac{1+3j}{10}$$

min is the \ominus of that

\ominus is when perpendicular $\frac{-3j + i}{10}$

$$\frac{-3j + i + ck}{\sqrt{10^2 + c^2}} \text{ for all } c$$

\uparrow ? how get ?

everything perp

- full cycle of possibilities

$$\nabla f \cdot v = 0$$

$$\langle 1, 3, 0 \rangle \quad \text{notice horiz}$$

side to switch, parametrise $c, + -$

$$\langle -3, 1, c \rangle$$

$$\frac{\langle -3, 1, c \rangle}{\sqrt{10^2 + c^2}}$$

-oliver had trouble finding -not a core theme
 of the class

how I
 understand
 this better

oliver
 off



3a. Find tangent pt

$$xy^2z^3 = 12 \quad (3, 2, 1)$$

↳ need the normal vector to the plane

$$\vec{\nabla} w = \langle y^2 z^3, 2xy z^3, 3xy^2 z^2 \rangle$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\vec{\nabla} w)_p &= \langle 2^2 \cdot 1^3, 2(3)(2)(1)^3, 3(3)(2)^2(1)^2 \rangle \\ &= \langle 4, 12, 36 \rangle \quad \text{Ⓢ} \end{aligned}$$

↳ So need to find normal vector

↳ is the gradient reduced $\langle 1, 3, 9 \rangle$

Now plug in

$$\begin{aligned} 3(x-1) + 2(y-3) + 1(z-1) &= 0 \\ 3x - 3 + 2y - 6 + z - 1 &= 0 \\ 3x + 2y + z &= 10 \quad \text{Ⓢ} \end{aligned}$$

5b $T = x^2 + 2y^2 + 2z^2$ temp in space

At $(1, 1, 1)$ where for most rapid decrease?

$$\vec{\nabla} w = \langle 2x, 4y, 4z \rangle \quad -\text{dir}(\vec{\nabla} w)$$

$$-\text{dir} = \frac{\langle 2x, 4y, 4z \rangle}{\sqrt{2^2 + 4^2 + 4^2}}$$

$$= - \left\langle \frac{1}{3}x, \frac{2}{3}y, \frac{2}{3}z \right\rangle$$

just more
practice
of last
section w/
extra work
3D

does not
do much

5c How far to get a \downarrow of 1.2 in T?

$$|\nabla w| = -1.2$$

$$-1.2 = \left| \frac{dw}{ds} \right| = \frac{\Delta w}{\Delta s}$$

$\Delta s = -1.20$
 $\Delta s \approx 1.2$
where is this from?

8. The atmospheric pressure $P = 30 + (x+1)(y+2)e^z$
Where is pt closest to origin where $P = 31.1$

$$P(0,0,0) = 32$$

↑ plug the pts in

want to travel to 31.1

Oh right want to go -dir (∇w) for the fastest \downarrow

$$\nabla w = \langle (y+2)e^x, (x+1)e^z, (x+1)(y+2)e^z \rangle$$

$$(\nabla w)|_{P_0} = \langle 2, 1, 2 \rangle$$

$$|\nabla w|_{P_0} = 3$$

$$-3 \cdot \Delta s = -1.9$$

$$\hookrightarrow \Delta s = .3$$

so travel .3 in dir $-\vec{w}$

$$|-\langle 2, 1, 2 \rangle| = 3$$

distance .3 is $\frac{1}{10}$ from $(0, 0, 0)$ to $(-2, -1, -2)$

$$\text{so } (-.2, -.1, -.2)$$

$$|BBP| = \frac{15}{15}$$

MatLab Directions for 18.02

Access MatLab by clicking on MatLab on the Athena screen, or by typing:

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% add matlab [return]    % matlab [return]
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Entering matrices and vectors; Basic operations

In MatLab the variables represent matrices and vectors. The symbol = is used to assign values to the variables. To see how this works, type each of these lines in order; remember: **always hit [return] or [enter] to end a line.**

```
A = [1 2 3; 4 5 6; 7 8 9]    (you can use commas instead of spaces: 1,2,3;)
b = [1 0 1]
b'
eye(3)    (eye = I, the identity matrix)
```

Try a mistake: $C = [1, 2, 3; 4, 5]$; to correct it, press any arrow key to get the line back.

```
Sum, difference    A + B, A - B    (matrices must be same size)
Product            A*B    (matrices must be compatibly sized)
Powers             A^n    (A times itself n times; A must be square)
Quotient           left: A\b    (the solution to Ax = b)
                   right: b/A    (the solution to xA = b)
Transpose          A'
Inverse            inv(A)
```

Try typing (use the values of A and b above): $A + \text{eye}(3)$ $A*b$ $A*(b')$ $A*b'$ $3*b$

Special MatLab Operators

Array Operators: Use dots to make component-wise operations. Let $x = [x_1 \ x_2 \ \dots \ x_n]$.

```
x.^m = [x1^m ... xn^m]    (m can be 0)
x.*y = [x1y1 ... xnyn]
f(x) = [f(x1) ... f(xn)],    f = sin, cos, log, polynomials, etc.
```

Colon operator This generates a vector with equally spaced entries; for example,

```
[0 : 2 : 12] = [0 2 4 6 8 10 12];    [2 : -.1 : 1.6] = [2.0 1.9 1.8 1.7 1.6]
```

Two-dimensional plots in MatLab

Let $x = [x_1 \ x_2 \ \dots \ x_n]$, and $y = [y_1 \ \dots \ y_n]$; then

```
plot(x, y)    (plots the n points (xi, yi), joined by solid line segments)
plot(x, y, '--')    (plots the n points, joined by dashed line segments)
plot(x, y, '*')    (plots the n points as individual stars (or dots or circles, etc))
hold    (toggles between on and off (at the start it's off); when off, the new
plot replaces the old; when on, the new
plot is superimposed on the old)
print    (gives a print-out of the current screen plot)
```

Try in order (read L to R; commands are separated by spaces; press [return] after each):

```
x = [0 : .1 : 2]    plot(x, sin(x))    plot(x, cos(x), '*')    hold
plot(x, sin(x), '- -')    hold
plot(x, 4 * x.^ 3)    (plots y = 4x^3; note the need for the array operator)
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Directions for 3D Graphs in MatLab

To plot the 3D graph of $z = f(x, y)$, you specify:

the grid (x_i, y_j) of lattice points: give the vectors $x = [x_1 \dots x_n]$ and $y = [y_1 \dots y_n]$.

Example: To make a grid with spacing .1, over the interval $[-2, 2]$ on both axes, type (in what follows, \gg is the matlab prompt; don't type it — type the semicolon at the end so Matlab won't print out all the numbers — remember [return] at the end)

$\gg x = [-2 : .1 : 2];$ *min interval max*
 $\gg y = [-2 : .1 : 2];$
 $\gg [x, y] = \text{meshgrid}(x, y);$ *emake the grid*

the function $z = f(x, y)$ For example, to graph the function $f(x, y) = x^2 - y^2$, type

$\gg z = x.^2 - y.^2;$ *sh the pt just means 2.0*

plot the graph either as a mesh of lines, or as a filled-in surface (the color indicates the value of z , i.e., the height of the graph above the xy -plane); type first

$\gg \text{mesh}(x, y, z)$ then $\gg \text{surf}(x, y, z)$

change the viewpoint To change the viewpoint (i.e., rotate the graph left or right, up or down), type

$\gg \text{rotate3d}$

then place the mouse cursor in the graph region, hold down left button, move mouse, release button. The two numbers on the screen are the *azimuth*: angle in degrees from the negative y -axis to the line of sight, and the *elevation*, the angle in degrees from the xy -plane to the line of sight. To turn off rotation, type again: $\gg \text{rotate3d}$

hidden lines Try typing: $\gg \text{hidden}$ (type it again to change back)

changing scale To change the x -axis scale to $[-4, 4]$, the y -axis to $[-5, 5]$, and the z -axis to $[-20, 20]$, type

$\gg \text{axis}([-4 \ 4 \ -5 \ 5 \ -20 \ 20])$

level curves To get a 2D plot with 20 level curves, type: $\gg \text{contour}(x, y, z, 20)$

contour curves To get a 3D plot with 20 contour curves, type: $\gg \text{contour3}(x, y, z, 20)$

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