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Test 3

The length of the test is 1hr and 45min. The test consists of 9 questions. You may use a nonprogrammable, nongraphing scientific calculator. Remember to clearly show all of your work and to use correct notation. Do not use decimals unless otherwise stated.

Question 1. (5 marks) Show that $u = \sin(x - at) + \ln(x + at)$ is a solution of the wave equation

$$u_{tt} = a^2 u_{xx}$$

$$\begin{aligned} u_t &= -a \cos(x - at) + \frac{a}{x+at} \\ u_{tt} &= -a[-\sin(x - at) \cdot (-a)] + a[-(x+at)^{-2} \cdot a] \\ &= -a^2 \sin(x - at) - \frac{a^2}{(x+at)^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} u_x &= \cos(x - at) \cdot (1) + \frac{1}{x+at} \cdot 1 \\ u_{xx} &= -\sin(x - at) \cdot 1 + [- (x+at)^{-2} \cdot 1] \\ &= -\sin(x - at) - \frac{1}{(x+at)^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$a^2 u_{xx} = -a^2 \sin(x - at) - \frac{a^2}{(x+at)^2} = u_{tt}$$

Question 2. (4 marks) Find the tangent plane to the surface $z = 3(x-1)^2 + 2(y+3)^2 + 7$ at the point $(2, -2, 12)$.

Let $z = f(x, y) \Rightarrow f_x = 6(x-1), f_y = 4(y+3)$
 $f_x(2, -2) = 6(2-1) = 6 \quad f_y(2, -2) = 4(-2+3) = 4$

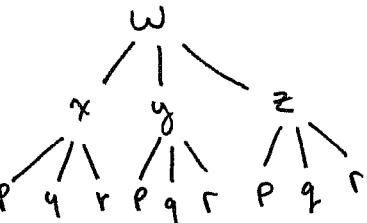
$$z - z_0 = f_x(2, -2)(x - x_0) + f_y(2, -2)(y - y_0)$$

$$z - 12 = 6(x - 2) + 4(y - (-2))$$

$$z = 6x - 12 + 4y + 8 + 12$$

$$0 = 6x + 4y - z + 8$$

Question 3. (4 marks) Given $w = e^{x^2} \cos(z-y)$ and $x = x(p, q, r)$, $y = y(p, q, r)$, and $z = z(p, q, r)$. find an expression for $\frac{\partial w}{\partial q}$.



$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial w}{\partial q} &= \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{\partial x}{\partial q} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{\partial y}{\partial q} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial z} \cdot \frac{\partial z}{\partial q} \\ &= 2x e^{x^2} \cos(x-y) \cdot \frac{\partial x}{\partial q} \\ &\quad + e^{x^2} \sin(x-y) \cdot \frac{\partial y}{\partial q} \\ &\quad - e^{x^2} \sin(x-y) \frac{\partial z}{\partial q} \end{aligned}$$

Question 4. Let $f(x,y) = x^2 - 3xy + 4y^3$, $\vec{v} = \vec{i} + 2\vec{j}$, and let P be the point $P(-2,0)$.

(a) (4 marks) Find the directional derivative of $f(x,y)$ at P in the direction of \vec{v} .

$$f_x = 2x - 3y, \quad f_y = -3x + 12y^2 \Rightarrow \nabla f(x,y) = \langle 2x - 3y, -3x + 12y^2 \rangle$$

$$\nabla f(-2,0) = \langle 2(-2) - 3(0), -3(-2) + 12(0)^2 \rangle = \langle -4, 6 \rangle$$

$$\text{LET } \vec{u} = \frac{\vec{v}}{\|\vec{v}\|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+4}} \langle 1, 2 \rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \langle 1, 2 \rangle$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore D_{\vec{u}} f(-2,0) &= \nabla f(-2,0) \cdot \vec{u} = \langle -4, 6 \rangle \cdot \left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \right\rangle \\ &= -\frac{4}{\sqrt{5}} + \frac{12}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{8}{\sqrt{5}} \end{aligned}$$

(b) (2 marks) Find the parametric equations of the tangent line to the function $f(x,y)$ at P in the direction of \vec{v} .

$$\text{DIRECTION VECTOR: } \left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}, \frac{8}{\sqrt{5}} \right\rangle \text{ or } \langle 1, 2, 8 \rangle$$

$$f(-2,0) = (-2)^2 - 0 + 0 = 4$$

$$x = -2 + t, \quad y = 2t, \quad z = 4 + 8t, \quad t \in \mathbb{R}.$$

Question 5. (3 marks) Using the function $f(x,y)$ and the point P from question 4 find the maximum rate of change of f at P and the direction in which it occurs.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{MAXIMUM RATE OF CHANGE} &= |\nabla f(-2,0)| = \sqrt{(-4)^2 + (6)^2} = \sqrt{52} \\ &= 2\sqrt{13} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{DIRECTION: } \vec{v} = \nabla f(-2,0) = \langle -4, 6 \rangle$$

Question 6.

For the following question your explanations must be clear for full marks.

(a) (1 mark) Define what is meant by a critical point (a, b) of a function $f(x, y)$.

A POINT (a, b) SUCH THAT $f_x(a, b) = 0$ AND $f_y(a, b) = 0$
OR ONE OF THESE PARTIAL DERIVATIVES DOES NOT EXIST.

(b) (2 mark) If (a, b) a critical point of a function $f(x, y)$ what can you say about $D_{\vec{u}}f(a, b)$ for any unit vector \vec{u} ? Why?

$$D_{\vec{u}} f(a, b) = 0 \quad \text{SINCE} \quad D_{\vec{u}} f(a, b) = \nabla f(a, b) \cdot \vec{u} \\ = \langle f_x(a, b), f_y(a, b) \rangle \cdot \vec{u} \\ = \langle 0, 0 \rangle \cdot \vec{u} \\ = 0$$

(c) (1 mark) If $D_{\vec{u}}f(a, b) = 0$ for a unit vector \vec{u} is (a, b) a critical point of $f(x, y)$? Why or why not?

NO, LET $f(x, y) = x^2$ THEN $f_x = 2x$ AND $f_y = 0$

LET $\vec{u} = \vec{i} = \langle 1, 0 \rangle$ AND $\vec{v} = \vec{j} = \langle 0, 1 \rangle$

$$\text{THE } D_{\vec{u}} f(1, 1) = \langle 2, 0 \rangle \cdot \langle 1, 0 \rangle = 2 \quad \text{AND} \quad D_{\vec{v}} f(1, 1) = \langle 2, 0 \rangle \cdot \langle 0, 1 \rangle \\ = 0$$

$$\text{SO } D_{\vec{v}} f(1, 1) = f_y(1, 1) = 0 \quad \text{BUT } D_{\vec{u}} f(1, 1) = f_x(1, 1) \neq 0 \quad \text{SO } (1, 1) \text{ IS NOT A C.P.}$$

(d) (2 mark) $D_{\vec{u}}f(a, b) = 0$ and $D_{\vec{v}}f(a, b) = 0$ for non-parallel unit vectors \vec{u}, \vec{v} is (a, b) a critical point of $f(x, y)$. Why or why not? (Hint: all tangent lines at (a, b) lie in the tangent plane at (a, b)).

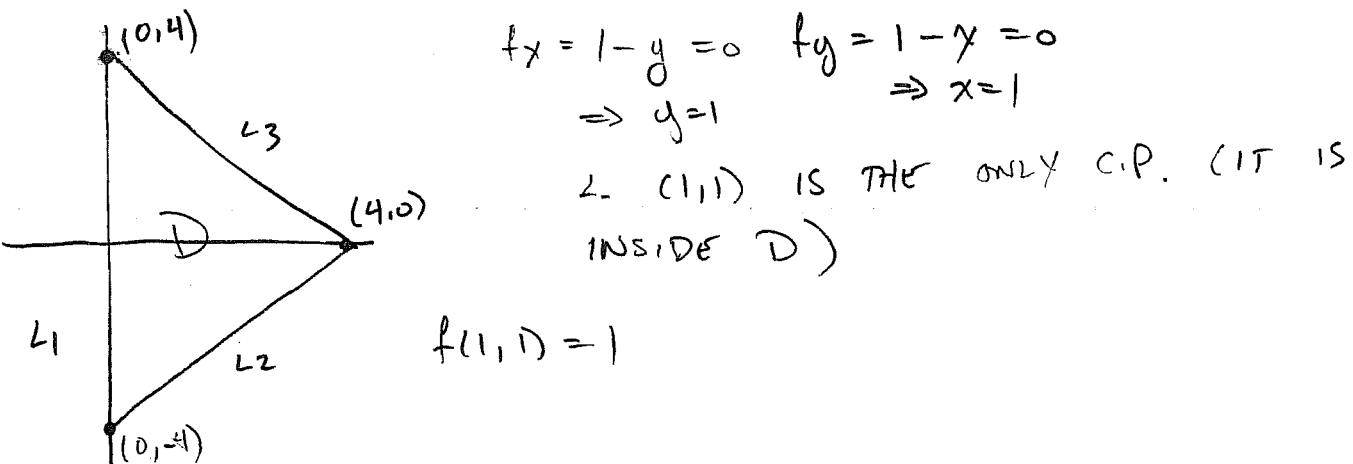
YES. SINCE $D_{\vec{u}} f(a, b) = D_{\vec{v}} f(a, b) = 0$ THE (NON-PARALLEL)
TANGENT LINES IN THE DIRECTIONS OF \vec{u} AND \vec{v}
AT (a, b) ARE HORIZONTAL \Rightarrow THE TANGENT PLANE AT (a, b) IS
HORIZONTAL $\Rightarrow f_x(a, b) = f_y(a, b) = 0$.

continuous
Question 7. (5 marks) Suppose $(1, 1)$, $(0, 3)$ and $(-1, 1)$ are critical points of the function $f(x, y)$. Given $f_{xx}(x, y) = 3xy$, $f_{yy}(x, y) = 2x + y$ and $f_{xy}(x, y) = y^2$ state whether each critical point yields a local maximum, local minimum or saddle points.

$$\begin{aligned} D(x, y) &= f_{xx} \cdot f_{yy} - (f_{xy})^2 \\ &= (3xy)(2x+y) - (y^2)^2 \end{aligned}$$

(x, y)	f_{xx}	D	CONCLUSION
$(1, 1)$	$3 > 0$	$8 > 0$	LOCAL MINIMUM.
$(0, 3)$	0	$-81 < 0$	SADDLE POINT
$(-1, 1)$	$-3 < 0$	$2 > 0$	LOCAL MAXIMUM

Question 8. (6 marks) Find the absolute maximum and minimum values of the function $f(x,y) = xy - xy^2$ on the closed triangular region with vertices $(0,4)$, $(4,0)$ and $(0,-4)$.



ALONG L_1 : $x=0 \Rightarrow f(0,y) = y \quad -4 \leq y \leq 4$

$$\text{MAX: } f(0,4) = 4, \quad \text{MIN: } f(0,-4) = -4$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ALONG } L_2: \quad y &= x-4 \Rightarrow f(x, x-4) = x + (x-4) - x(x-4) \\ &= x + x - 4 - x^2 + 4x \\ &= -x^2 + 6x - 4 \quad 0 \leq x \leq 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now } \frac{df}{dx}[-x^2 + 6x - 4] = -2x + 6 = 0 \Rightarrow x = 3$$

$$\text{AND SO } f(3, -1) = -(3)^2 + 6(3) - 4 = 5$$

$$f(0, -4) = -4$$

$$f(4, 0) = 4$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ALONG } L_3: \quad y &= -x+4 \Rightarrow f(x, -x+4) = x + (-x+4) - x(-x+4) \\ &= x - x + 4 + x^2 - 4x \\ &= x^2 - 4x + 4 \quad \text{on } 0 \leq x \leq 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now } \frac{df}{dx}[x^2 - 4x + 4] = 2x - 4 = 0 \Rightarrow x = 2$$

$$\text{SO } f(2, 2) = (2)^2 - 4(2) + 4 = 0$$

$$f(0, 4) = 4$$

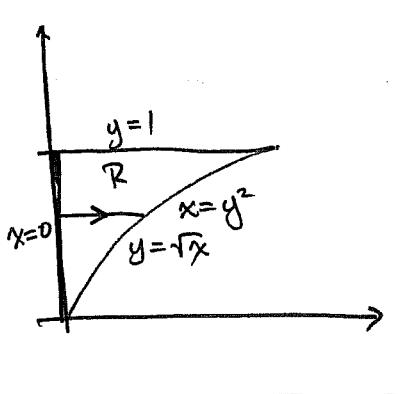
$$f(4, 0) = 4$$

$$\therefore \text{ABS MAX: } f(3, -1) = 5 \quad \text{ABS MIN: } f(0, -4) = -4$$

Question 9. (6 marks) Carefully sketch the region R in the xy -plane bounded by the lines $x = 0$, $y = 1$ and the curve $y = \sqrt{x}$. Evaluate

$$\iint_R e^{x/y^2} dA$$

(Hint: carefully choose your order of integration.)



$$R = \{(x, y) \mid 0 \leq y \leq 1, 0 \leq x \leq y^2\}$$

$$\therefore \iint_R e^{x/y^2} dA = \int_0^1 \int_0^{y^2} e^{x/y^2} dx dy$$

$$\text{Now } \int e^{x/y^2} dx$$

$$= \int e^u y^2 du$$

$$= y^2 e^u + C = y^2 e^{x/y^2} + C$$

$$\text{so } \int_0^1 \int_0^{y^2} e^{x/y^2} dx dy = \int_0^1 [y^2 e^{x/y^2}]_{x=0}^{x=y^2} dy$$

$$= \int_0^1 y^2 e^{y^2/y^2} - y^2 e^{0/y^2} dy = \int_0^1 y^2 e^{-y^2} dy$$

$$= \int_0^1 (e-1) y^2 dy = \left. \frac{(e-1)y^3}{3} \right|_0^1 = \frac{e-1}{3} \cdot 1^3 - 0$$

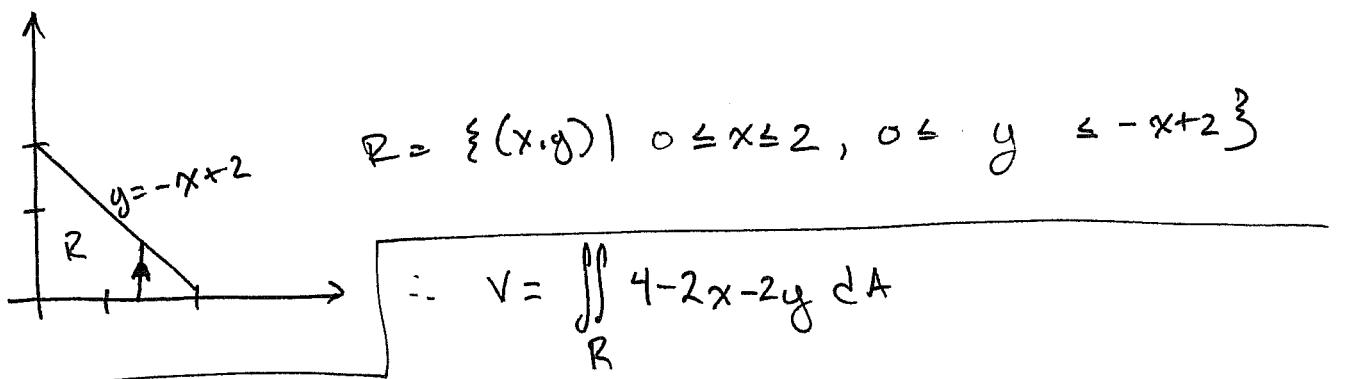
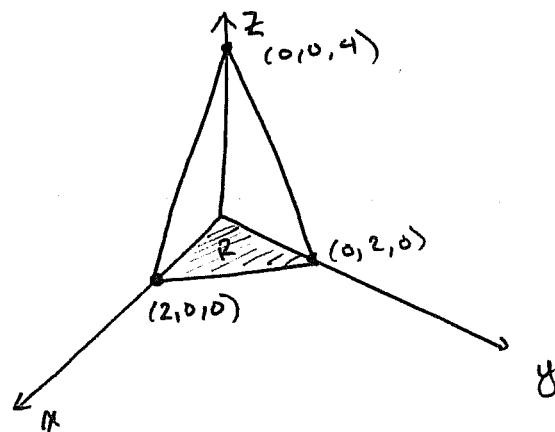
$$= \frac{e-1}{3}$$

Question 10. (5 marks) Sketch the graph (in three dimensions) of the graph of the plane $z = 4 - 2x - 2y$ in the first octant ($x \geq 0, y \geq 0, z \geq 0$). (Hint: find all the intercepts with the x, y and z -axis). Find the volume of the solid in the first octant bounded above by this plane and below by the xy -plane.

$$x = y = 0 \Rightarrow z = 4$$

$$x = z = 0 \Rightarrow y = 2$$

$$y = z = 0 \Rightarrow x = 2$$



$$= \int_0^2 \int_0^{-x+2} 4 - 2x - 2y \, dy \, dx = \int_0^2 \left[4y - 2xy - \frac{2y^2}{2} \right]_{y=0}^{-x+2} \, dx$$

$$= \int_0^2 [4(-x+2) - 2x(-x+2) - (-x+2)^2] - [0] \, dx$$

$$= \int_0^2 -4x + 8 + 2x^2 - 4x - (x^2 - 2x + 4) \, dx$$

$$= \int_0^2 x^2 - 4x + 4 \, dx = \left[\frac{x^3}{3} - 2x^2 + 4x \right]_0^2$$

$$= \left[\frac{2^3}{3} - 2(2)^2 + 4(2) \right] - [0] = \frac{8}{3} - 8 + 8 = \frac{8}{3}$$