

EXAM 2

Math 212, 2017 Summer Term 1, Clark Bray.

You have 75 minutes.

No notes, no books, no calculators.

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All answers must be simplified. All of the policies and guidelines on the class webpages are in effect on this exam.

Good luck!

Name Solutions

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1. (25 pts) The function $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^1$, with $f(x, y) = 3e^{-(x^2+3y^2)}$, represents altitude (in miles) in terms of coordinates x and y (representing distances in miles, east and north (respectively) of a given fixed point) on a particular hill.

(a) Compute $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$ at $(2, 1)$.
$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = 3(-2x)e^{-(x^2+3y^2)} = -6xe^{-(x^2+3y^2)}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(2, 1) = -6(2)e^{-(2^2+3(1)^2)} = -12e^{-7}$$

- (b) Find the unit vector indicating the “uphill” direction on the map at $(2, 1)$.

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = -18ye^{-(x^2+3y^2)} \quad \text{So } \nabla f(2, 1) = \begin{pmatrix} -12e^{-7} \\ -18e^{-7} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(2, 1) = -18e^{-7} \quad \text{The uphill direction is } \nabla f / \|\nabla f\|,$$

$$\nabla f / \|\nabla f\| = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} / \sqrt{13}$$

- (c) Bob is walking along a trail on this hill, and at the moment he comes to the point $(2, 1)$ his velocity is $(3, 2)$ (in units of miles per hour). How fast is he gaining altitude at that moment?

$$\frac{df}{dt} = D_{\vec{v}}f(2, 1) = \nabla f \cdot \vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} -12e^{-7} \\ -18e^{-7} \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = -72e^{-7}$$

- (d) How steep is the trail that Bob is walking on at $(2, 1)$?

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Trail steepness} &= D_{\vec{\mu}}f(2, 1) \quad \left(\text{with } \vec{\mu} = \frac{\vec{v}}{\|\vec{v}\|} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} / \sqrt{13}\right) \\ &= \nabla f \cdot \vec{\mu} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} -12e^{-7} \\ -18e^{-7} \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} / \sqrt{13} = \frac{-72e^{-7}}{\sqrt{13}} \end{aligned}$$

- (e) How steep is the hillside itself (independent of the trail) at $(2, 1)$?

$$\text{Hill steepness} = \|\nabla f\| = 6e^{-7} \|(-2, -3)\| = 6e^{-7} \sqrt{13}$$

2. (15 pts)

(a) Show that the function $g : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ below is differentiable. (Be sure to explain your reasoning fully.)

$$g(x, y, z) = \begin{pmatrix} xye^z \\ \sin x - 3y - 4z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} g_1 \\ g_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x} = ye^z \quad \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial y} = xe^z \quad \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial z} = xye^z$$

$$\frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x} = \cos x \quad \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial y} = -3 \quad \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial z} = -4$$

All of these partials are continuous, so g is continuously differentiable, and thus it must also be differentiable.

(b) Find the matrix M that computes directional derivatives of g at the origin, by

$$D_{\vec{v}}g(\vec{0}) = M\vec{v}$$

M is the Jacobian matrix $J_{g, \vec{0}}$, whose elements are the partials above, evaluated at $\vec{0}$. So

$$M = J_{g, \vec{0}} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -3 & -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

3. (20 pts) Use the information below to compute $\frac{\partial p_1}{\partial y}(0,0)$.

$$f(x,y) = \begin{pmatrix} 3x+y+1 \\ 2x-3y-2 \\ 3xy \end{pmatrix} \quad g(x,y,z) = \begin{pmatrix} 2x-z \\ 4x+y+2z \end{pmatrix} \quad h(x,y) = \begin{pmatrix} y^2-x \\ x+2y \end{pmatrix}$$

$$p(x,y) = (h \circ g \circ f)(x,y) = (p_1, p_2)$$

To avoid confusion of variables, we rewrite the functions g and h as:

$$g(u,v,w) = \begin{pmatrix} 2u-w \\ 4u+v+2w \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} s \\ t \end{pmatrix}, \quad h(s,t) = \begin{pmatrix} t^2-s \\ s+2t \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} p_1 \\ p_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

making the composition

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} & & & & p & & \\ & & & & \curvearrowright & & \\ \mathbb{R}^2 & \xrightarrow{f} & \mathbb{R}^3 & \xrightarrow{g} & \mathbb{R}^2 & \xrightarrow{h} & \mathbb{R}^2 \\ \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} & & \begin{pmatrix} u \\ v \\ w \end{pmatrix} & & \begin{pmatrix} s \\ t \end{pmatrix} & & \begin{pmatrix} p_1 \\ p_2 \end{pmatrix} \end{array}$$

Then the chain rule gives us

$$J_p = J_h J_g J_f = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2t \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 4 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 2 & -3 \\ 3y & 3x \end{pmatrix}$$

and

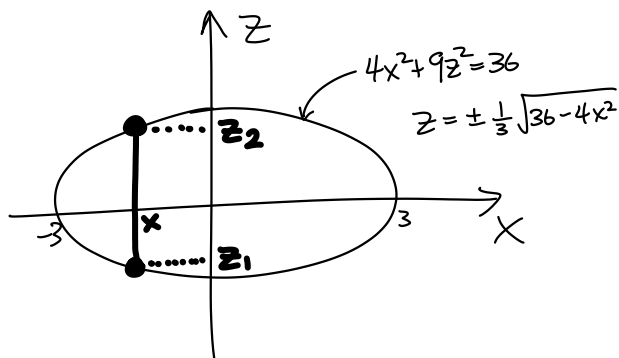
$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} u \\ v \\ w \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} s \\ t \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{so } J_{p,(0,0)} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 4 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 2 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 50 & 2 \\ 34 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

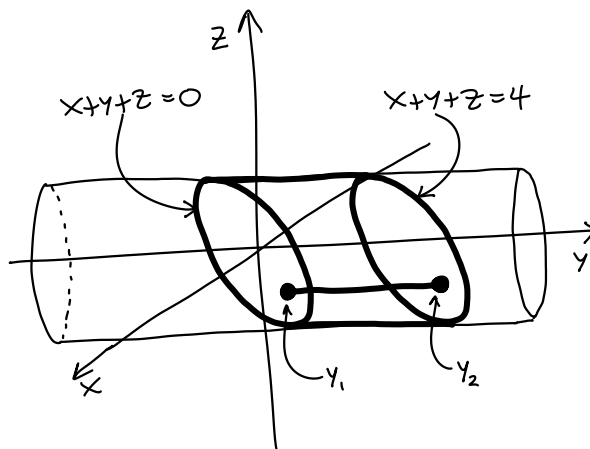
$$\text{and } \frac{\partial p_1}{\partial y}(0,0) = \text{entry in 1st row, 2nd col} = \boxed{2}$$

4. (20 pts) Express as an iterated triple integral (but do not evaluate!) the mass in the region R bounded by the surfaces $4x^2 + 9z^2 = 36$, $x + y + z = 0$, and $x + y + z = 4$, with $\delta(x, y, z) = e^z$.

Projection to xz -plane:



R :



Choosing to slice as indicated by " $dy dz dx$ ", we can find the bounds on x and z from the projection, and on y from the solid. Then

$$m = \iiint \delta \, dV$$

$$= \int_{-3}^3 \int_{-\frac{1}{3}\sqrt{36-4x^2}}^{\frac{1}{3}\sqrt{36-4x^2}} \int_{-x-z}^{4-x-z} e^z \, dy \, dz \, dx$$

Or, slicing by " $dy dx dz$ ",

$$= \int_{-2}^2 \int_{-\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{36-9z^2}}^{\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{36-9z^2}} \int_{-x-z}^{4-x-z} e^z \, dy \, dx \, dz$$

5. (5 pts) Your friend Bob is interested in computing the volume of the half of the unit ball with $y \geq 0$. First he computes

$$\int_0^\pi \int_0^\pi \int_0^1 (1)\rho^2 \sin \phi \, d\rho \, d\phi \, d\theta$$

and gets $2\pi/3$. But then he decides to compute again using alternative spherical coordinates for the same domain, and computes

$$\int_\pi^{2\pi} \int_\pi^{2\pi} \int_0^1 (1)\rho^2 \sin \phi \, d\rho \, d\phi \, d\theta$$

and gets $-2\pi/3$. Can you help Bob resolve his apparent contradiction?

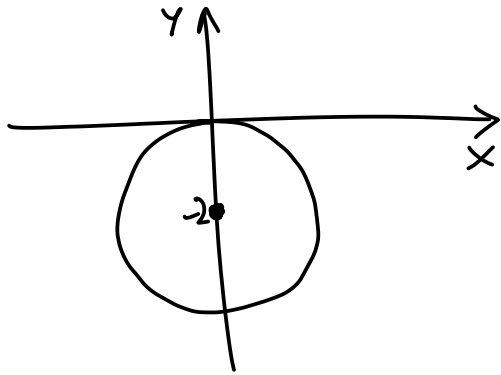
The stretching factor is $|\rho^2 \sin \phi|$. In his second calculation $\sin \phi$ is negative, so $|\rho^2 \sin \phi| = -\rho^2 \sin \phi$, not $\rho^2 \sin \phi$.

So his integral should be

$$\int_\pi^{2\pi} \int_\pi^{2\pi} \int_0^1 (1)(-\rho^2 \sin \phi) \, d\rho \, d\phi \, d\theta$$

which is $\frac{2\pi}{3}$, as expected.

6. (15 pts) Express as an iterated integral in polar coordinates (but do not evaluate!) the integral $\iint_D x^2 - y^2 \, dx \, dy$, where D is the disk bounded by the circle of radius 2 with center at $(0, -2)$.



$$x^2 + (y+2)^2 = 2^2$$

$$x^2 + y^2 + 4y + 4 = 4$$

$$r^2 + 4r \sin \theta = 0$$

$$r = -4 \sin \theta$$

$$\iint_D x^2 - y^2 \, dx \, dy = \int_\pi^{2\pi} \int_0^{-4 \sin \theta} ((r \cos \theta)^2 - (r \sin \theta)^2) r \, dr \, d\theta$$

$$= \int_\pi^{2\pi} \int_0^{-4 \sin \theta} r^3 \cos 2\theta \, dr \, d\theta$$