

Practice Final Examination #1

Math 20E – Vector Calculus

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Allotted time – 3 hours

Answers are to be written clearly and legibly
Calculators are allowed
State clearly any theorems used without proof
Total 50 points

Question 1.

(a) Define $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = L$ when $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$.

(b) Prove that the following limit does not exist:

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

(a) BOOKWORK

(b) Let $y = mx$. Then

$$\frac{xy}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{mx^2}{x^2 + m^2x^2} = \frac{m}{1 + m^2}$$

$$\text{so } \lim_{(x, mx) \rightarrow (0,0)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{m}{1 + m^2} = \frac{m}{1 + m^2}$$

which depends on m . So the limit does not exist

Question 2.

Find the *minimum value* of the function $f(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$ subject to the constraint $2x + y + z = 1$.

Use Lagrange Multiplier:

$$\phi(x, y, z, \lambda) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + \lambda(1 - 2x - y - z)$$

$$\nabla \phi = 0 \Rightarrow$$

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} = 0 \Rightarrow 2x - 2\lambda = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} = 0 \Rightarrow 2y - \lambda = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} = 0 \Rightarrow 2z - \lambda = 0$$

$$\text{So } y = \frac{\lambda}{2}, \quad z = \frac{\lambda}{2}, \quad x = \lambda$$

$$\text{Since } 2x + y + z = 1$$

$$\text{we get } 2\lambda + \frac{\lambda}{2} + \frac{\lambda}{2} = 1$$

$$\text{so } \lambda = \frac{1}{3} \quad \text{which means}$$

$$x = \frac{1}{3}, \quad z = \frac{1}{6}, \quad y = \frac{1}{6}.$$

Now

$$f\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{6}, \frac{1}{6}\right) = \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{36} + \frac{1}{36}$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \quad \text{is the minimum of } f$$

Question 3.

State *Fubini's Theorem* for a continuous function $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ on a rectangle $[a, b] \times [c, d]$. Then evaluate the double integral

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \sin(x + y^2) dy dx.$$

Fubini's Theorem : BOOKWORK

Since $\sin(x + y^2)$ is continuous on $[0, 2\pi] \times [0, 2\pi]$,
Fubini's Theorem applies: we can interchange
the order of integration:

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \sin(x + y^2) dy dx \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \sin(x + y^2) dx dy \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \left[-\cos(x + y^2) \right]_0^{2\pi} dy \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \left(\cos y^2 - \cos(2\pi + y^2) \right) dy \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} 0 dy = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Question 4.

Consider the transformation from Cartesian coordinates (X, Y) to coordinates (u, v) given by the following equations:

$$X = u^2 \cos^4 v \quad \text{and} \quad Y = u^2 \sin^4 v$$

valid for $u > 0$ and $0 < v < \pi/2$. Show that the *Jacobian determinant* for this transformation is $(u \sin 2v)^3$.

Jacobian matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial X}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial X}{\partial v} \\ \frac{\partial Y}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial Y}{\partial v} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2u \cos^4 v & -4u^2 \cos^3 v \sin v \\ 2u \sin^4 v & 4u^2 \sin^3 v \cos v \end{pmatrix}$$

Jacobian determinant.

$$= 8u^3 \cos^5 v \sin^3 v + 8u^3 \cos^3 v \sin^5 v$$

$$= 8u^3 \sin^3 v \cos^3 v (\cos^2 v + \sin^2 v)$$

$$= 8u^3 \sin^3 v \cos^3 v$$

$$= (u \sin 2v)^3$$

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Question 5.

(a) Use the transformation in the last question to show that

$$\int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty e^{-\sqrt{X} - \sqrt{Y}} dY dX = 4.$$

(b) Then find

$$\int_0^\infty e^{-\sqrt{t}} dt.$$

$$\sqrt{X} = u \cos^2 v \quad \sqrt{Y} = u \sin^2 v$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{so } -\sqrt{X} - \sqrt{Y} &= -u (\cos^2 v + \sin^2 v) \\ &= -u \end{aligned}$$

Using Q4 we get

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^\infty e^{-u} \cdot (u \sin 2v)^3 du dv$$

$$= \left(\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (\sin 2v)^3 dv \right) \cdot \left(\int_0^\infty u^3 e^{-u} du \right)$$

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$$= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (\sin 2v)(1 - \cos^2 2v) dv \quad \cdot \quad 6$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \cos 2v \Big|_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{3} \cos^3 2v \Big|_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \quad \cdot \quad 6$$

$$= \left(\left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \right) - \frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{6} \right) \quad \cdot \quad 6$$

$$= \frac{2}{2} \cdot 6 = 4.$$

$$(b) \int_0^\infty e^{-\sqrt{t}} dt = \sqrt{\int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty e^{-\sqrt{X} - \sqrt{Y}} dY dX} = 2.$$

Question 6.

(a) Prove that the vector field $f(x, y) = (ye^{xy}, xe^{xy})$ is conservative.

(b) Evaluate the line integral $\int_{\gamma} f \cdot dr$ when γ is a curve joining $(0, 0)$ to $(1, 1)$.

(a) We can show $\text{curl}(f) = \nabla \times f = 0$ or
we can find a potential function F :

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial x} = ye^{xy} \Rightarrow F(x, y) = y \cdot \frac{e^{xy}}{y} + \text{constant}$$

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial y} = xe^{xy} \Rightarrow F(x, y) = x \cdot \frac{e^{xy}}{y} + \text{constant}$$

so we can take $F(x, y) = e^{xy}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Or } \text{curl}(f) = \nabla \times f &= \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ ye^{xy} & xe^{xy} & 0 \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \hat{k} \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial y} (ye^{xy}) - \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (xe^{xy}) \right] \\ &= \hat{k} (e^{xy} + xye^{xy} - (e^{xy} + xye^{xy})) \\ &= \hat{k} \cdot 0 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore f is conservative.

(b) Since f is conservative, if F is any potential function then (using $F = e^{xy}$)

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\gamma} f \cdot dr &= F(1, 1) - F(0, 0) \\ &= e^{1 \cdot 1} - e^{0 \cdot 0} \\ &= e - 1 \end{aligned}$$

Question 7.

(a) State the *divergence theorem*.

(b) Let Σ denote the surface of the box $[1, 2] \times [1, 2] \times [1, 2]$ with outward orientation. Determine

$$\iint_{\Sigma} f \cdot dR$$

where

$$f(x, y, z) = (x^2 + y^y, y^2 + z^z, z^2 + x^x).$$

(a) BOOKWORK

(b) The divergence theorem gives

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_{\Sigma} f \cdot dR &= \iiint_V \operatorname{div}(f) \\ &= \int_1^2 \int_1^2 \int_1^2 (f_x + f_y + f_z) \, dx \, dy \, dz \\ &= \int_1^2 \int_1^2 \int_1^2 \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} (x^2 + y^y) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (y^2 + z^z) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (z^2 + x^x) \right) \, dx \, dy \, dz \\ &= \int_1^2 \int_1^2 \int_1^2 (2x + 2y + 2z) \, dx \, dy \, dz \\ &= \int_1^2 \int_1^2 (3 + 2y + 2z) \, dy \, dz \\ &= \int_1^2 (6 + 2z) \, dz \\ &= 9 \end{aligned}$$

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