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Math 201
Exam II
Term 131
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Net Time Allowed: 120 minutes

MASTER VERSION

Key

(10 pts)

1. Find an equation for the plane passing through the point $Q(-1, -4, 5)$ and containing the line with parametric equations

$$x = 1 - t, y = 2t - 3, z = t.$$

The line contains the point $P(1, -3, 0)$ (1 pt)
and has direction vector $\vec{u} = \langle -1, 2, 1 \rangle$ (1 pt)

A normal vector \vec{n} to the plane is given by

$$\vec{n} = \vec{PQ} \times \vec{u} \quad (2 \text{ pts})$$

$$\vec{PQ} = \langle -2, -1, 5 \rangle \quad (2 \text{ pts})$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ -2 & -1 & 5 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \langle -11, -3, -5 \rangle \quad (2 \text{ pts})$$

Thus an equation of the plane is given by

$$-11(x-1) - 3(y+3) - 5(z-0) = 0 \quad (2 \text{ pts})$$

$$\Leftrightarrow -11x - 3y - 5z = -2$$

$$\Leftrightarrow 11x + 3y + 5z = 2$$

(5 pts)

2. A) Find $\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$ if z is defined implicitly as a function of x and y by the equation

$$\sin(xyz) = x + 2y + 3z$$

$$\text{Let } F(x, y, z) = \sin(xyz) - x - 2y - 3z \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = \frac{-F_y}{F_z} = - \frac{xz \cos(xyz) - 2}{xy \cos(xyz) - 3}$$

$$= \frac{2 - xz \cos(xyz)}{xy \cos(xyz) - 3} \quad (1)$$

$$(2 \text{ pts})$$

(5 pts)

B) Give an equation for the tangent plane to the surface $x^2 + y^3 + z^2 = 0$ at the point $(2, -2, 2)$.

Let $F(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^3 + z^2$. The equation of the tangent line is given by

$$F_x(2, -2, 2)(x-2) + F_y(2, -2, 2)(y+2) + F_z(2, -2, 2)(z-2) = 0 \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

$$F_x = 2x, \quad F_y = 3y^2, \quad F_z = 2z$$

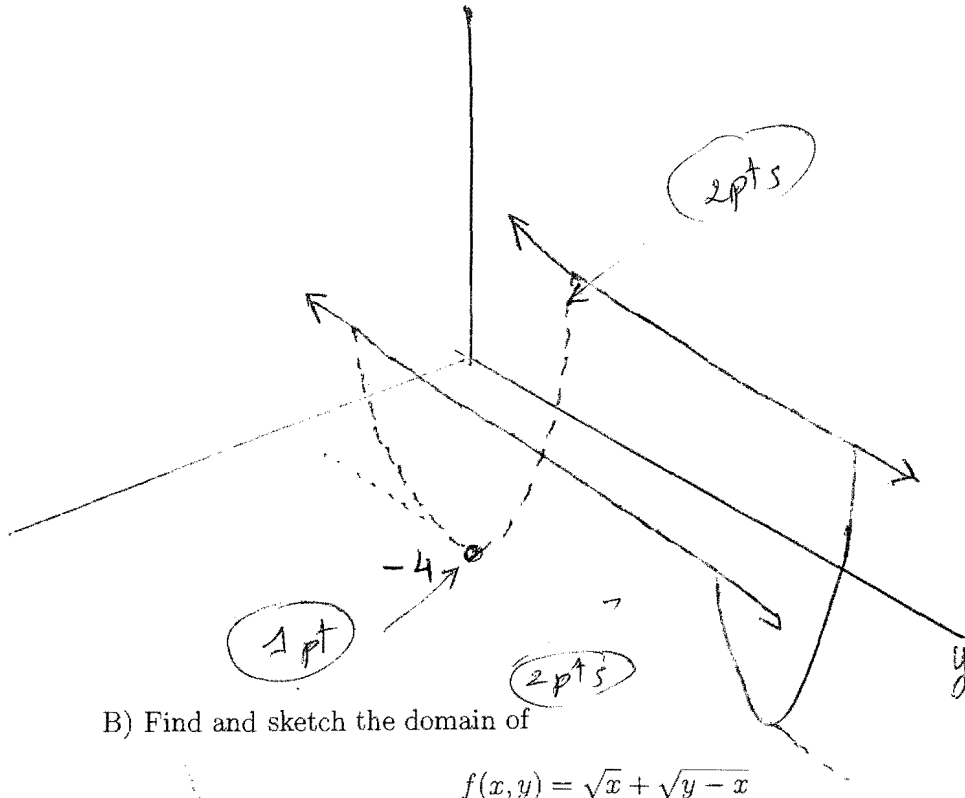
$$F_x(2, -2, 2) = 4 \quad (1 \text{ pt}), \quad F_y(2, -2, 2) = 12 \quad (1 \text{ pt}), \quad F_z(2, -2, 2) = 4 \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

the equation of the tangent line is

$$4(x-2) + 12(y+2) + 4(z-2) = 0 \quad \Leftrightarrow$$

$$x + 3y + z = -2 \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

3. A) Sketch the surface given by $z = x^2 - 4$

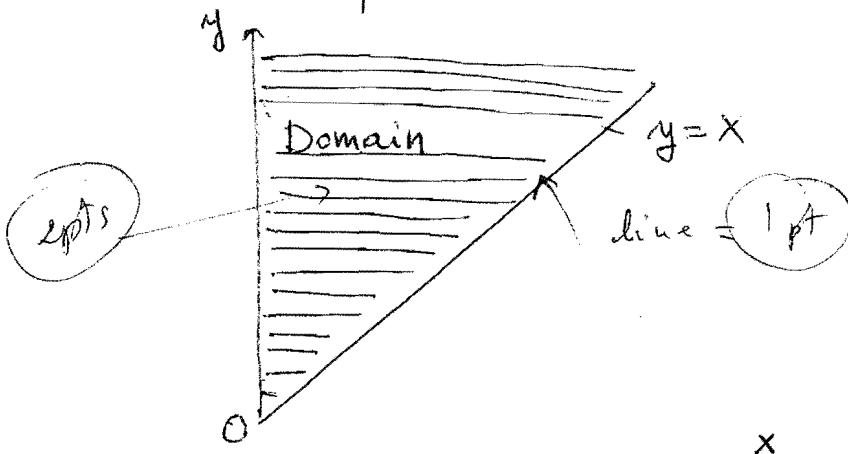


B) Find and sketch the domain of

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

$$\text{Domain} = \{(x,y) \mid x \geq 0, y-x \geq 0\}$$

$$= \{(x,y) \mid x \geq 0, y \geq x\}$$



4. Let $f = f(x, y)$ such that $(D_{\vec{j}}f)|_{(1,1)} = -\sqrt{2}$ and $(D_{\vec{u}}f)|_{(1,1)} = 3$ where $\vec{u} = \left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right\rangle$. Find $(D_{\vec{v}}f)|_{(1,1)}$ if $\vec{v} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(1, \sqrt{2})$.

(1 pt) $f_{xy}(1,1) = -\sqrt{2}$ and $\leftarrow D_{\vec{j}}f|_{(1,1)} = -\sqrt{2}$

(2 pts) $f_x(1,1) \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + f_y(1,1) \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = 3 \quad \leftarrow (D_{\vec{u}}f)|_{(1,1)} = 3$

$f_x(1,1) \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} - 1 = 3 \quad \leftarrow$

(3 pts) $f_x(1,1) = 4\sqrt{2}$

Thus

(2 pts) $(D_{\vec{v}}f)|_{(1,1)} = f_x(1,1) \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} + f_y(1,1) \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}}$

$= \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}} - \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$

(2 pts)

$= \frac{4\sqrt{2} - 2}{\sqrt{3}}$

5. Consider the function

$$f(x, y) = 3x^2 - xy + y^3$$

(5 pts)

A) In what direction (unit vector) does f decrease most rapidly at $(-1, 1)$?

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla f(-1, 1) &= \langle f_x(-1, 1), f_y(-1, 1) \rangle && \text{1 pt} \\ &= \langle -7, 4 \rangle && \text{1 pt} \end{aligned}$$

The direction of rapid decrease is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{-\nabla f(-1, 1)}{|\nabla f(-1, 1)|} &= -\frac{1}{\sqrt{65}} \langle -7, 4 \rangle \\ &= \left\langle \frac{7}{\sqrt{65}}, \frac{-4}{\sqrt{65}} \right\rangle && \text{1 pt} \end{aligned}$$

(10 pts)

B) In what direction is the rate of change of f at $(-1, 1)$ equal to zero. (Find all directions).

The directions of zero change are

$$\text{3 pts } \vec{u}_1 = \left\langle \frac{4}{\sqrt{65}}, \frac{7}{\sqrt{65}} \right\rangle \text{ and}$$

$$\text{2 pts } \vec{u}_2 = -\vec{u}_1 = \left\langle \frac{-4}{\sqrt{65}}, \frac{-7}{\sqrt{65}} \right\rangle$$

Q	MM	V1	V2	V3	V4
1	a	a	d	c	e
2	a	e	a	c	e
3	a	e	e	a	a
4	a	e	a	a	e
5	a	e	d	b	c
6	a	a	e	d	c
7	a	d	b	d	d
8	a	a	e	b	a
9	a	a	a	a	e
10	a	d	a	d	b
