

# METU - NCC

## CALCULUS FOR FUNCTIONS OF SEVERAL VARIABLES MIDTERM 2

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	7 QUESTIONS ON 7 PAGES TOTAL 100 POINTS
1. (10)	2. (10)
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Please draw a **box** around your answers. No calculators, cell-phones, notes, etc. allowed.

1. (10pts) Find an equation of the tangent plane to the surface  $2x^2 + 3y^2 + \sin z = 1$  at the point  $(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, 0, \pi)$ .

The point  $P(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, 0, \pi)$  is on the surface, for  
 $2\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 + 3 \cdot 0^2 + \sin(\pi) = 1$ . If  $f(x, y, z) = 2x^2 + 3y^2 + \sin(z)$ ,  
we have

$$\nabla f = \langle 4x, 6y, \cos(z) \rangle \text{ and } (\nabla f)_P = \left\langle \frac{4}{\sqrt{2}}, 0, -1 \right\rangle.$$

Taking into account that  $(\nabla f)_P$  is a normal vector to the tangent plane at  $P$ , we derive that

$$\frac{4}{\sqrt{2}} \left( x - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) - (z - \pi) = 0$$

is the plane equation sought.

$$z = \frac{4}{\sqrt{2}} x + \pi - 2$$

2. (5+5=10pts) Consider the function  $f(x, y) = \sqrt{xy} + 24$

(a) Find the directional derivative of  $f$  at the point  $P(1, 1)$  in the direction of the vector  $v = \langle 3, 4 \rangle$ .

The direction of the vector  $\vec{v}$  is  $\vec{u} = \frac{\vec{v}}{\|\vec{v}\|} = \left\langle \frac{3}{5}, \frac{4}{5} \right\rangle$ .

Further,  $\nabla f = \left\langle \frac{y}{2\sqrt{xy}}, \frac{x}{2\sqrt{xy}} \right\rangle$  and  $(\nabla f)_P = \left\langle \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle$ .

Since  $(D_{\vec{u}} f)_P = (\nabla f)_P \cdot \vec{u}$ , we obtain that

$$(D_{\vec{u}} f)_P = \left\langle \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle \cdot \left\langle \frac{3}{5}, \frac{4}{5} \right\rangle = \frac{3}{10} + \frac{4}{10} = \frac{7}{10},$$

that is,

$$\boxed{(D_{\vec{u}} f)_P = \frac{7}{10}}$$

(b) At the point  $Q(1, 4)$  in what direction does  $f$  have the highest rate of change? What is the rate of change in this direction.

The function  $f$  increases most rapidly in the direction of  $(\nabla f)_Q$  and its rate of change equals to  $\|(\nabla f)_Q\|$ . Thus

$$(\nabla f)_Q = \left\langle \frac{4}{2\sqrt{4}}, \frac{1}{2\sqrt{4}} \right\rangle = \left\langle 1, \frac{1}{4} \right\rangle, \quad \|(\nabla f)_Q\| = \frac{\sqrt{17}}{4}$$

and  $\boxed{\vec{u} = \frac{(\nabla f)_Q}{\|(\nabla f)_Q\|} = \left\langle \frac{4}{\sqrt{17}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{17}} \right\rangle}$

3. (15pts) Consider the function

$$f(x, y) = x^2y + \frac{1}{9}y^3 - 2xy + 19$$

(a) Find all critical points of  $f$ . We need to solve the system

$$\begin{cases} f_x = 2y(x-1) = 0 \\ f_y = x^2 + \frac{1}{3}y^2 - 2x = 0 \end{cases}$$

But Eqn 1 implies that

$y=0$  or  $x=1$

$\downarrow$                      $\downarrow$

$x(x-2)=0$              $\frac{1}{3}y^2 - 1 = 0 \rightarrow y = \pm\sqrt{3}$

$\downarrow$                      $\downarrow$

$(0,0)$                  $(2,0)$                      $(1, \sqrt{3})$                  $(1, -\sqrt{3})$

$$C.P.(f) = \{(0,0), (2,0), (1,\sqrt{3}), (1,-\sqrt{3})\}.$$

(b) Classify the critical points of  $f$  as local maximum, local minimum or saddle.

Apply Second Derivative Test:

$$\Delta(x,y) = \begin{vmatrix} f_{xx} & f_{xy} \\ f_{yx} & f_{yy} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 2y & 2(x-1) \\ 2(x-1) & \frac{2}{3}y \end{vmatrix} = 4 \begin{vmatrix} y & x-1 \\ x-1 & \frac{1}{3}y \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 4 \left( \frac{1}{3}y^2 - (x-1)^2 \right)$$

Since  $\Delta(0,0) = -4 < 0$ ,  $\Delta(2,0) = -4 < 0$ , the points  $(0,0)$  and  $(2,0)$  are saddle points. But

$\Delta(1, \pm\sqrt{3}) = 4 > 0$ , that is,  $(1, \pm\sqrt{3})$  are extreme points,

$$f_{xx}(1, \sqrt{3}) = 2\sqrt{3} > 0 \rightarrow (1, \sqrt{3}) \text{ is a local min. point}$$

$$f_{xx}(1, -\sqrt{3}) = -2\sqrt{3} < 0 \rightarrow (1, -\sqrt{3}) \text{ is a local max. point.}$$

4. (15pts) Using the method of Lagrange Multipliers find the maximum and minimum values of the function  $f(x, y, z) = x^2 + x + 2y^2 + 3z^2$  on the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$ .

We have to solve the following nonlinear system

$$\begin{cases} 2x+1 = \lambda \cdot 2 \cdot x \\ 2y = \lambda \cdot y \\ 3z = \lambda \cdot z \\ x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1 \end{cases}$$

Note that  $\lambda \neq 0$ , for in this case  $x = -\frac{1}{2}, y = 0, z = 0$  is a point out of the sphere.

$$(\text{Eqn 2}) (\lambda - 2)y = 0 \rightarrow \lambda = 2 \quad \text{or} \quad y = 0$$

$$y = 0 \rightarrow (\text{Eqn 3}) (\lambda - 3)z = 0$$

$$\lambda = 3$$

$$(\text{Eqn 1}) x = \frac{1}{4}, (\text{Eqn 4}) z = \pm \frac{\sqrt{15}}{4};$$

$$\left( \frac{1}{4}, 0, \pm \frac{\sqrt{15}}{4} \right)$$

$$z = 0 \rightarrow (\text{Eqn 4})$$

$$x = \pm 1$$

$$(\text{Eqn 1}) \lambda = \frac{\pm 2+1}{\pm 2}$$

$$(\pm 1, 0, 0)$$

$$\lambda = 2 \rightarrow (\text{Eqn 3}) z = 0, (\text{Eqn 1}) x = \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow (\text{Eqn 4}) y = \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}.$$

$$\left( \frac{1}{2}, \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, 0 \right).$$

$$\text{So, C.P.}(f) = \left\{ \left( \frac{1}{4}, 0, \pm \frac{\sqrt{15}}{4} \right), (\pm 1, 0, 0), \left( \frac{1}{2}, \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, 0 \right) \right\}.$$

$$\text{Moreover } f(1, 0, 0) = 2, f(-1, 0, 0) = 0, f\left(\frac{1}{4}, 0, \pm \frac{\sqrt{15}}{4}\right) = \frac{50}{16}$$

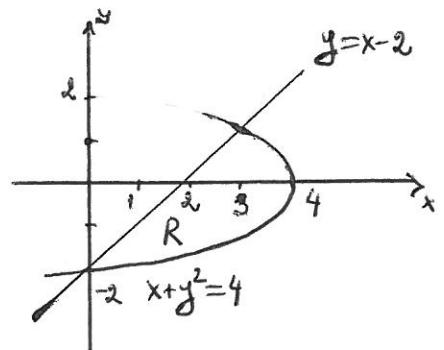
and  $f\left(\frac{1}{2}, \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, 0\right) = \frac{36}{16}$ . Thus  $f$  attains its abs. min. at  $(-1, 0, 0)$  and abs. max. at the points  $\left(\frac{1}{4}, 0, \pm \frac{\sqrt{15}}{4}\right)$ .

5.  $(10+10+10=30\text{pts})$

- (a) Using double integrals, find the area of the region  $R$  bounded by the curves  $x + y^2 = 4$  and  $y = x - 2$ .

$$A(R) = \iint_R dA = \int_{-2}^1 \left( \int_{y+2}^{4-y^2} dx \right) dy = - \int_{-2}^1 (y^2 + y - 2) dy \\ = \frac{9}{2}, \text{ that is,}$$

$$\boxed{A(R) = \frac{9}{2}}$$



- (b) Reverse the order of integration in the following iterated integral. (Do not evaluate the integral)

$$I = \int_{-2}^1 \int_{y+2}^{4-y^2} \sin(x^2) dx dy$$

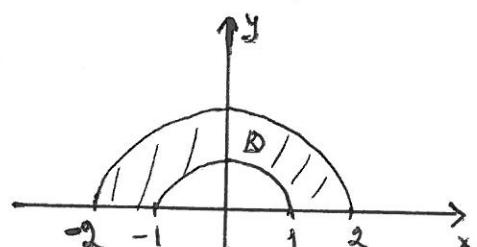
$$I = \int_0^3 \left( \int_{-\sqrt{4-x}}^{x-2} \sin(x^2) dy \right) dx + \int_3^4 \left( \int_{-\sqrt{4-x}}^{\sqrt{4-x}} \sin(x^2) dy \right) dx$$

- (c) Evaluate

$$I = \iint_D \ln(\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}) dA$$

where  $D$  is the region above the  $x$ -axis between the circles  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  and  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ . (Hint: Use polar coordinates).

$$I = \int_0^\pi \left( \int_1^2 \ln(r) r dr \right) d\theta = \\ = \int_0^\pi \left( \frac{r^2}{2} \ln(r) \Big|_1^2 - \frac{1}{2} \int_1^2 r^2 \frac{1}{r} dr \right) d\theta$$



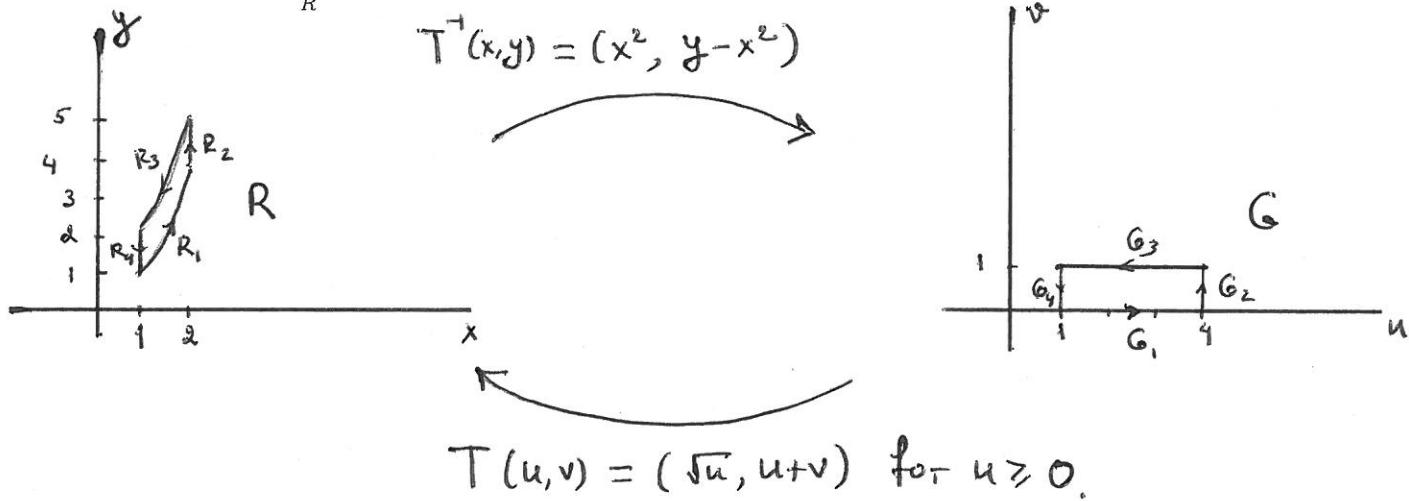
$$= \int_0^\pi \left( 2 \ln(2) - \frac{1}{4} \cdot 3 \right) d\theta = \boxed{\left( 2 \ln(2) - \frac{3}{4} \right) \pi}$$

6. (10pts)

Using the substitution

$$u = x^2, v = y - x^2$$

evaluate the integral  $\iint_R 2x^3 \, dA$  where  $R$  is the region bounded by  $x = 1, x = 2, y = x^2, y = x^2 + 1$ .



Note that

$$T^{-1}(R_1) = \{(x^2, 0) : 1 \leq x \leq 2\} = \{(u, 0) : 1 \leq u \leq 4\} = G_1,$$

$$T^{-1}(R_2) = \{(4, y-4) : 4 \leq y \leq 5\} = \{(4, v) : 0 \leq v \leq 1\} = G_2,$$

$$T^{-1}(R_3) = \{(x^2, 1) : 1 \leq x \leq 2\} = \{(u, 1) : 1 \leq u \leq 4\} = G_3,$$

$$T^{-1}(R_4) = \{(1, y-1) : 1 \leq y \leq 2\} = \{(1, v) : 0 \leq v \leq 1\} = G_4,$$

and  $J(u, v) = \frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{u} & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{u}$ , which

is positive inside of  $G$ .

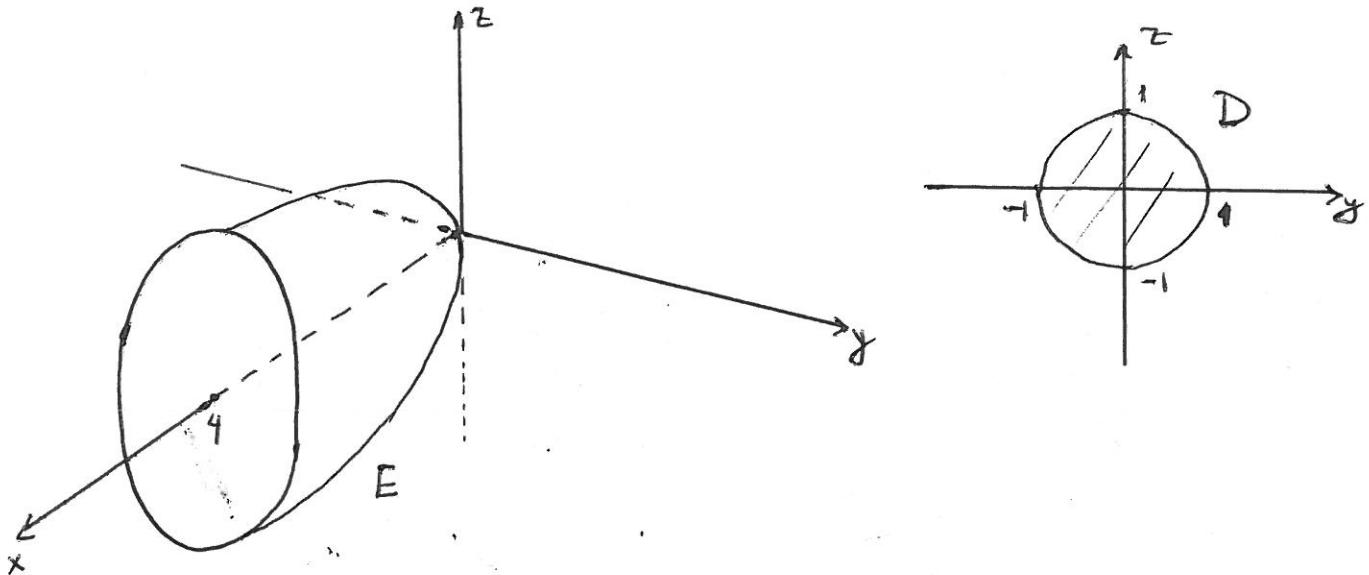
Using Change of Variables Formula, we derive that

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_R 2x^3 \, dA &= \iint_G 2u^{3/2} \frac{1}{2\sqrt{u}} \, du \, dv = \int_0^1 \left( \int_1^4 u \, du \right) \, dv = \\ &= \boxed{\frac{15}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

7. (10pts) Find

$$\iiint_E x \, dV$$

where  $E$  is the region bounded by the paraboloid  $x = 4y^2 + 4z^2$  and the plane  $x = 4$ .



First note that  $D$  is the projection of the domain  $E$  onto  $yz$ -plane. Using Fubini's Theorem, we derive that

$$\begin{aligned} \iiint_E x \, dV &= \iint_D \left( \int_{4y^2+4z^2}^4 x \, dx \right) dy \, dz = \frac{1}{2} \iint_D x^2 \Big|_{4y^2+4z^2}^4 dy \, dz \\ &= 8 \iint_D (1 - (y^2 + z^2)^2) dy \, dz = 8 \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 r (1 - r^4) dr \, d\theta \\ &= 8 \int_0^{2\pi} \left( \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{6} \right) d\theta = \boxed{\frac{16\pi}{3}} \end{aligned}$$