

1. Determine whether each of the following statements is **TRUE** or **FALSE**. Justify your answer. (This problem has **four** parts.)

(a) The graph of  $\rho = 1 - \sin(\phi)$  describes a sphere.

Answer: **False**

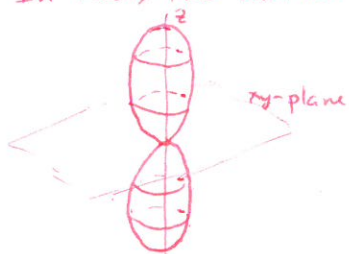
$\theta$  is not in the equation, so all  $\theta$ -cross sections are the same, so this is a surface of revolution.

However, it contains 3 collinear points:

$\phi$	$\sin \phi$	$\rho = 1 - \sin \phi$	$(x, y, z)$
0	0	1	(0, 0, 1)
$\pi/2$	1	0	(0, 0, 0)
$\pi$	0	1	(0, 0, -1)

so it cannot be a sphere.

In fact, the surface looks like:



(b) There exist numbers  $k$  and  $l$  such that level sets of the functions  $f(x, y, z) = x + y + z$  and  $g(x, y, z) = x + y + z + 1$  at levels  $k$  and  $l$ , respectively, are the same surface.

Answer: **True**

Let  $k=0 \Rightarrow f(x, y, z) = k = 0 = x + y + z$   
 and  $l=1 \Rightarrow g(x, y, z) = l = 1 = x + y + z + 1$   
 $\quad \quad \quad -1 \quad \quad \quad -1$   
 $\quad \quad \quad \underline{\quad \quad \quad}$   
 $\quad \quad \quad 0 = x + y + z$

these are the same surface!

In fact, if  $f(x, y, z) = k = x + y + z$

then  $k+1 = x + y + z + 1 = g(x, y, z)$

so for  $l = k+1$ , the surfaces  $f(x, y, z) = k$  and  $g(x, y, z) = l$

describe the same surface.

(c) There is a  $C^2$  function  $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  such that

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(x, y) = xy = \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(x, y).$$

Answer: FALSE

If there were a  $C^2$  function  $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  such that

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(x, y) = xy = \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(x, y),$$

then by Clairaut's Theorem,

$$x = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x}(x, y) = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y}(x, y) = y$$

which is not true for some  $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ .

(d) There is a differentiable function  $f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  such that the directional derivative  $D_{\mathbf{u}}f(\mathbf{0}) > 0$  for every unit vector  $\mathbf{u} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ .

Answer: FALSE

If there were a differentiable function  $f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  such that  $D_{\hat{\mathbf{u}}}f(\hat{\mathbf{0}}) > 0$  for each unit vector  $\hat{\mathbf{u}} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , then for each unit vector  $\hat{\mathbf{u}} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $-\hat{\mathbf{u}}$  is a unit vector, and

$$\begin{aligned} D_{-\hat{\mathbf{u}}}f(\hat{\mathbf{0}}) &= \nabla f(\hat{\mathbf{0}}) \cdot (-\hat{\mathbf{u}}) \\ &= -\nabla f(\hat{\mathbf{0}}) \cdot \hat{\mathbf{u}} \\ &= -D_{\hat{\mathbf{u}}}f(\hat{\mathbf{0}}) \\ &< 0 \end{aligned}$$

This contradicts  $D_{\hat{\mathbf{u}}}f(\hat{\mathbf{0}}) > 0$ .

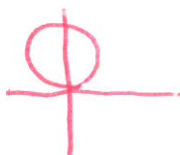
2. Determine whether each of the following statements is **ALWAYS** true, **SOMETIMES** true, or **NEVER** true. Justify your answer. (This problem has **four** parts.)

(a) For a function  $f(\theta)$ , the polar graphs of  $r = f(\theta)$  and  $r = f(-\theta)$  are different.

Answer: Sometimes

True if  $f(\theta) = \sin(\theta)$

$$r = \sin(\theta)$$

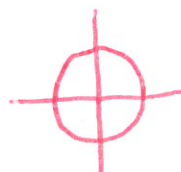


$$r = \sin(-\theta) = -\sin\theta$$



False if  $f(\theta) = 1$

$$r = 1 \quad (\text{independent of } \theta)$$



(b) For  $a \geq 0$ ,  $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{|x|^a y^3 + x^2 y}{x^2 + y^2}$  exists.

Answer: Always

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{|x|^a y^3 + x^2 y}{x^2 + y^2} &= \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{r^{\alpha+3} |\cos\theta| \sin^3\theta + r^3 \cos^2\theta \sin\theta}{r^2} \\ &= \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{r^{\alpha+1} \underbrace{|\cos\theta| \sin^3\theta}_{\text{bounded}} + r \underbrace{\cos^2\theta \sin\theta}_{\text{bounded}}}{1} \\ &\quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \\ &\quad 0 \quad \text{if } \alpha+1 > 0 \end{aligned}$$

$= 0$  as long as  $\alpha > -1$ ,  
so always for  $\alpha \geq 0$ .

- (c) For a  $C^2$  function  $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  where  $x = x(t)$  and  $y = y(t)$  are each twice-differentiable functions of a variable  $t$ ,

$$\frac{d^2 f}{dt^2} = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \frac{d^2 y}{dt^2}.$$

Answer: **SOMETIMES**

True example:  $f(x,y) = 0$   $x=0$   $y=0$

then both sides are 0

False example:  $f(x,y) = xy$   $x=t$   $y=t$

$$f(x(t), y(t)) = t^2$$

$$\text{so } \frac{d^2 f}{dt^2} = 2 \neq 0 \cdot 0 + 0 \cdot 0$$

- (d) For a point  $(a,b)$  in  $\mathbb{R}^2$ , the tangent plane to the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$  at  $(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}})$  is parallel to the tangent plane to the graph of  $f(x,y) = -xy^2 - x + 2y$  at  $(a,b, f(a,b))$ .

Answer: **NEVER**

tangent plane to graph  $f$ :  $z = f(a,b) + f_x(a,b)(x-a) + f_y(a,b)(y-b)$

$$\text{so normal} = (-f_x(a,b), -f_y(a,b), 1)$$

$$= (b^2 + 1, 2ab - 2, 1)$$

normal to sphere =  $\nabla$  of  $g(x,y,z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$

$$= (2(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}), 2(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}), 2(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}))$$

For normals to be parallel need

$$b^2 + 1 = 2ab - 2 = 1, \text{ but } b^2 + 1 = 1 \Rightarrow b = 0$$

and then  $2a(0) - 2 \neq 1$  for all  $a$

3. Consider the function  $F : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  given by  $F(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + 2\sqrt{2}xz$ . For which numbers  $k$  does  $F(x, y, z) = k$  describe a two-sheeted hyperboloid?

Change coordinates so that the ~~equation~~ <sup>quadratic form</sup> is in a more familiar form:

This amounts to diagonalizing  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & \sqrt{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \sqrt{2} & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Solve: } 0 &= \det(A - \lambda I) \\ &= \det \begin{pmatrix} 1-\lambda & 0 & \sqrt{2} \\ 0 & 1-\lambda & 0 \\ \sqrt{2} & 0 & -\lambda \end{pmatrix} \\ &= (1-\lambda) \begin{vmatrix} 1-\lambda & \sqrt{2} \\ \sqrt{2} & -\lambda \end{vmatrix} \\ &= (1-\lambda) [(1-\lambda)(-\lambda) - 2] \\ &= (1-\lambda)(\lambda-2)(\lambda+1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\lambda = 2, \pm 1$$

In new coordinates,  $F(c_1, c_2, c_3) = c_1^2 + 2c_2^2 - c_3^2 = k$

$$c_1^2 + 2c_2^2 = k + c_3^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{k < 0} \text{ for a } 2\text{-sheeted hyperboloid}$$



4. Let  $f : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be the function defined by

$$f(x, y, z) = \begin{cases} (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) \sin\left(\frac{1}{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}\right) & (x, y, z) \neq (0, 0, 0) \\ k & (x, y, z) = (0, 0, 0). \end{cases}$$

Find a value of  $k$  which makes  $f$  continuous at  $(0, 0, 0)$ .

If  $f(0, 0, 0) = \lim_{(x, y, z) \rightarrow (0, 0, 0)} f(x, y, z)$ , then  $f$  is continuous at  $(0, 0, 0)$ .

Want:  $k = \lim_{(x, y, z) \rightarrow (0, 0, 0)} (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) \sin\left(\frac{1}{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}\right)$

$$= \lim_{\rho \rightarrow 0^+} \rho^2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{\rho^2}\right) \quad \text{convert to spherical}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} \forall \rho > 0 : -\rho^2 \leq \rho^2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{\rho^2}\right) \leq \rho^2 \\ \lim_{\rho \rightarrow 0^+} -\rho^2 \leq \lim_{\rho \rightarrow 0^+} \rho^2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{\rho^2}\right) \leq \lim_{\rho \rightarrow 0^+} \rho^2 \\ 0 \leq \lim_{\rho \rightarrow 0^+} \rho^2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{\rho^2}\right) \leq 0 \end{array} \right]$$

OR: It is enough to say that sine is bounded between  $-1$  and  $1$  and  $\rho^2 \rightarrow 0$  as  $\rho \rightarrow 0$ .

$\Rightarrow$  Squeeze

$$k = \lim_{\rho \rightarrow 0^+} \rho^2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{\rho^2}\right) = 0$$

5. Find a linear approximation to the function  $g(x, y, z) = (2^{x+y+z}, \sin(x+y-2z))$  at  $(1, 1, 1)$  and use it to approximate  $g(1, 0.9, 1.1)$ . (Recall that the derivative of  $f(x) = 2^x$  with respect to  $x$  is  $2^x \ln 2$ .)

15 points

Let  $g = (f, h)$ .

Then,  $f_x = 2^{x+y+z} \ln 2$

$$f_y = 2^{x+y+z} \ln 2$$

$$f_z = 2^{x+y+z} \ln 2$$

$$h_x = \cos(x+y-2z)$$

$$h_y = \cos(x+y-2z)$$

$$h_z = -2\cos(x+y-2z)$$

$$Dg =$$

$$Df(x, y, z) = \begin{bmatrix} 2^{x+y+z} \ln 2 & 2^{x+y+z} \ln 2 & 2^{x+y+z} \ln 2 \\ \cos(x+y-2z) & \cos(x+y-2z) & -2\cos(x+y-2z) \end{bmatrix}$$

Best linear approximation at  $(1, 1, 1)$ :

$$g(1, 1, 1) + Df(1, 1, 1) \begin{bmatrix} x-1 \\ y-1 \\ z-1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= (8, 0) + \begin{bmatrix} 8 \ln 2 & 8 \ln 2 & 8 \ln 2 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x-1 \\ y-1 \\ z-1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= (8, 0) + (8 \ln 2 (x+y+z-3), x+y-2z)$$

$$= (8 + 8 \ln 2 (x+y+z-3), x+y-2z)$$

$$g(1, 0.9, 1.1) \approx (8 + 8 \ln 2 (1 + 0.9 + 1.1 - 3), 1 + 0.9 - 2 \cdot 1)$$

$$= (8 + 8 \ln 2 (0), -0.3)$$

$$= (8, -0.3)$$

6. (This problem has **two** parts.) The function  $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  defined by

$$f(x, y) = \frac{1}{69\pi} \sin((3x^2 + 5y^2)\pi) - 7$$

describes the air temperature in degrees Celsius on a patch of ice at position  $(x, y)$ . Wally the Walrus is wallowing in some snow at position  $(2, -1)$ .

- (a) In which direction should Wally waddle to warm up most quickly? Give your answer as a (not necessarily unit) vector.

$$\cancel{df} \quad f_x = \frac{6x\pi \cos((3x^2 + 5y^2)\pi)}{69\pi}$$

$$= \frac{2x}{23} \cos((3x^2 + 5y^2)\pi)$$

$$f_y = \frac{10y\pi \cos((3x^2 + 5y^2)\pi)}{69\pi}$$

$$= \frac{10y}{69} \cos((3x^2 + 5y^2)\pi)$$

$$\nabla f(2, -1) = \left( \frac{4}{23} \cos(17\pi), \frac{-10}{69} \cos(17\pi) \right)$$

$$= \left( -\frac{4}{23}, \frac{10}{69} \right)$$

Warm up quickest in direction of  $\left( -\frac{4}{23}, \frac{10}{69} \right)$ .



(b) At some time, Wally waddles through the point  $(3, 2)$  following the curve with parametric equations

$$(x(t), y(t)) = (t + 2, 3t^2 - 1),$$

where  $t$  is measured in hours. What is the rate of change in air temperature with respect to time that Wally experiences as he waddles through the position  $(3, 2)$ ? The air temperature is described by the same function  $f(x, y) = \frac{1}{69\pi} \sin((3x^2 + 5y^2)\pi) - 7$  as before.

Note that Wally waddles through  $(3, 2)$  when  $t=1$ .

Method 1: Chain Rule

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{df}{dt}(1) &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(3, 2) \frac{dx}{dt}(1) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(3, 2) \frac{dy}{dt}(1) \\ &= \frac{6(3)\pi}{69\pi} \cos(47\pi)(1) + \frac{10(2)\pi}{69\pi} \cos(47\pi)(6 \cdot 1) \\ &= -\frac{18}{69} - \frac{120}{69} = -\frac{138}{69} = \boxed{-2 \text{ \% / hr}} \end{aligned}$$

Method 2: Substitution

$$\begin{aligned} f(t) &= \frac{1}{69\pi} \sin((3(t+2)^2 + 5(3t^2-1)^2)\pi) - 7 \\ &= \frac{1}{69\pi} \sin((45t^4 - 27t^2 + 12t + 17)\pi) - 7 \\ f'(t) &= \frac{1}{69} (180t^3 - 54t + 12) \cos((45t^4 - 27t^2 + 12t + 17)\pi) \\ f'(1) &= \frac{1}{69} (138) \cos(47\pi) = -\frac{138}{69} = \boxed{-2 \text{ \% / hr}} \end{aligned}$$