Math 203 - Fall 2018 Practice Problems for the Second Exam

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1. A function z = f(x, y) is defined implicitly by the equation

$$z^{2}(1+x^{2}y^{2}) - 8ze^{y^{2}-4x} = y - 2x + 4,$$

and it is known that f(1,2) is positive. Compute $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}$ at (x,y) = (1,2).

2. Consider the surface

$$S = \{(x, y, z) ; e^{xz} + (x^2 + y^2)z = 3\}.$$

- (a) Find the equation for the plane tangent to S at the point (0, 1, 2).
- (b) Find the vector equation for the line perpendicular to S at the point (0, 1, 2).
- (c) Let z = f(x, y) be a function defined implicitly by the requirement that $(x, y, z) \in S$. Compute

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(0,1)$$
 and $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(0,1)$.

3. Consider the function

$$f(x,y) = e^{2x^2(1+y)}.$$

- (a) Find the directional derivative of f at the point (1, -1) along the direction $\mathbf{u}_o = \left\langle \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle$.
- (b) Find the maximum value of $D_{\mathbf{u}}f(1,-1)$ among all unit vectors \mathbf{u} .
- 4. Find all of the critical points of the function

$$f(x,y) = \frac{6}{7}x^7 + 4(y^2 - 1)x - \frac{1}{2}x^4.$$

5. Find the absolute minimum and maximum values of the function

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

on the filled-in ellipse

$$\mathbf{E} = \{ (x, y) \ ; \ 2x^2 + y^2 \le 6 \}$$

and the points at which the minimum and maximum are achieved.

6. Let (x, y, z) be coordinates in three dimensional space, with the vector $\langle 0, 0, 1 \rangle$ defining the positive vertical direction (as usual). Find the highest point on the surface

$$(x-y)^{2} + 2(y-z)^{2} + (x+z)^{2} = 10.$$

7. Compute the iterated integral

$$\int_{0}^{2} \int_{y}^{\sqrt{8-y^{2}}} e^{x^{2}+y^{2}} dx dy.$$

- 8. A conical cup has radius 1.5 inches and height 4 inches. The conical cup is used to transfer water from a reservoir to a cylindrical cup of radius 3 inches and height 6 inches. How many trips are needed to completely fill the cylindrical cup?
- 9. Find the integral of the function

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

over the half-ball

$$C: x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \le 4$$
, and $z \ge 0$.

10. Find the mass of a conical ellipsoid

 $K = \{(x,y,z) \ ; \ z^2 \leq a^2 x^2 + b^2 y^2, \ 0 \leq z \leq 4\}$

whose mass density is

$$\rho(x,y,z) = \frac{2z}{\sqrt{a^2x^2 + b^2y^2}}.$$