

Math 114 Practice Questions for Midterm 2

- For each of the following functions f , find $f_x, f_y, f_{xx}, f_{xy}, f_{yy}$.
 - $f(x, y) = e^{2x+3y+1}$
 - $f(x, y) = e^{\frac{y}{x}} + xy + y^2$
 - $f(x, y) = \ln(xy) + \cos(x^3 + 3xy) + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$
- If $z = \cos(xy) + xy^2$, $x = u + v^2$, and $y = uv$, then find the value of $\frac{\partial z}{\partial u}$ when $u = 1$ and $v = 1$.
- Find the directional derivative of the function $g(x, y, z) = x^2 + 3y^2 + 5z^2$ at the point $(1, 2, -1)$ in the direction of the vector $\vec{v} = 2\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$.
- Let $f(x, y) = x^2 + 5xy + y^3$. At the point $(-2, 1)$, find the directions \vec{u} (unit vectors) in which $D_{\vec{u}}f$ is largest and smallest.
- In what directions is the directional derivative of $f(x, y) = \frac{1}{x^2 + y^2}$ at point $(1, -1)$ equal to zero?
- Find the equations of the tangent plane and normal line to the surface $x^2 + xy + y^2 - yz + z^2 = 13$ at the point $(2, 1, 3)$.
- For the sphere of radius 2 centered at $(1, 3, -2)$, find the point(s) on it where the tangent plane is parallel to the plane $x + y = 5$.
- For the function $f(x, y) = x^4 + y^4 + 4xy$, find all critical points and classify them as points of local maximum, minimum and saddle points.
- Find and identify all critical points of $g(x, y) = \frac{1}{x} + xy + \frac{1}{y}$.
- Find the absolute maximum and minimum of $f(x, y) = 3x - y + 7$ on the disk $x^2 + y^2 \leq 4$.
- Find the maximum volume of a rectangular (solid) box of side lengths a, b and c under the constraint that $a + b^2 + c \leq 25$.

For the chapter on Multiple Integrals it would be helpful to do the following problem numbers from the textbook.

- Section 15.1 : 8, 16, 21
- Section 15.2 : 37, 42, 45, 50, 52
- Section 15.3 : 4, 8, 9, 11, 12

15. Section 15.4 : 11, 12, 17, 20
16. Section 15.5 : 15, 21, 26, 27
17. Section 15.7 : 14, 34, 38, 43
18. Section 15.8 : 1, 2, 6, 9, 10