

Solutions

Math 2D Quiz 6 Morning, November 10th

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Show all of your work. *There is a question on the back side.*

1. [8pts] Find the equation of the tangent plane to the surface $xyz = 6$ at the point $(1, 2, 3)$.
What is the equation of the normal line to the surface at the point?

14.6 Perspective (Best)

+2

$$\nabla f(x, y, z) = \langle yz, xz, xy \rangle$$

$$\Rightarrow \nabla f(1, 2, 3) = \langle 6, 3, 2 \rangle \quad +2$$

Thus, the tan. plane eqn:

$$6(x-1) + 3(y-2) + 2(z-3) = 0 \quad +2$$

And the normal line:

$$\frac{x-1}{6} = \frac{y-2}{3} = \frac{z-3}{2} \quad +2$$

V, z too.

2. [4pts] Let $f(x, y) = xe^{xyz}$. Find the maximum rate of change of f at $(2, 1, 0)$ and find the unit direction vector in which it occurs.

$$\nabla f(x, y, z) = \langle e^{xyz} + xyze^{xyz}, x^2ze^{xyz}, x^2ye^{xyz} \rangle \quad +1$$

$$\text{At } (2, 1, 0) \Rightarrow \nabla f(2, 1, 0) = \langle 1, 0, 4 \rangle \quad +1$$

Thus, the max rate of change is $\|\nabla f(2, 1, 0)\| = \sqrt{17}$

and the direction it occurs is the direction of the gradient, (\pm) ,

$$\hat{d} = \frac{\nabla f}{\|\nabla f\|} = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{17}} \langle 1, 0, 4 \rangle \quad +1$$

14.4 Perspective (for practice)

+1

$$\text{write } z = 6/xy, \text{ so } f(x, y) = \frac{6}{xy}.$$

$$\text{Then } f_x = -\frac{6}{x^2y}, \quad f_y = -\frac{6}{xy^2} \quad +1$$

$$\text{At } (1, 2), \quad f_x(1, 2) = -3, \quad f_y(1, 2) = -\frac{3}{2} \quad +2$$

\therefore The Linearization of z is

$$z - 3 = -3(x-1) - \frac{3}{2}(y-2)$$

\Rightarrow Tan plane is $+2$

$$3(x-1) + \frac{3}{2}(y-2) + (z-3) = 0$$

And the Normal line is

$$\frac{x-1}{3} = \frac{y-2}{\frac{3}{2}} = \frac{z-3}{3} \quad +1$$

+1

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3. (a) [4pts] Find $\frac{\partial x}{\partial y}$ for the equation $y \cos x + e^{z^2+z} = x^2 + y^2 + \arctan(z)$.

+1

We know $\frac{\partial x}{\partial y} = -\frac{F_y}{F_x}$ when $F(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + \tan^{-1} z - e^{-z^2-z} - y \cos x$

$$F_y = 2y - \cos x \quad +1$$

$$F_x = 2x + y \sin x \quad +1$$

$$\frac{\partial x}{\partial y} = -\frac{2y - \cos x}{2x + y \sin x} \quad +1$$

* But will dock heavy.

Note: This is only valid when $F_x \neq 0$

- (b) [4pts] Let $f(x, y) = (x - y)^5 + (x + y)^7$ where $x = u + w$ and $y = u - w$.
Compute, using the Chain Rule, the derivatives $\frac{\partial f}{\partial u}$ and $\frac{\partial f}{\partial w}$

[Note: $f \sim (2w)^5 + (2u)^7$]

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial u} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{\partial x}{\partial u} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{\partial y}{\partial u}$$

$$= \left[5(x-y)^4 + 7(x+y)^6 \right] \cdot 1 + \left[-5(x-y)^4 + 7(x+y)^6 \right] \cdot 1$$

$$= \boxed{14(x+y)^6} \quad +2 \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Note: This is } \boxed{14 \cdot (2u)^6} \\ \text{makes sense} \end{array}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial w} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{\partial x}{\partial w} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{\partial y}{\partial w}$$

$$= \left[5(x-y)^4 + 7(x+y)^6 \right] \cdot 1 + \left[-5(x-y)^4 + 7(x+y)^6 \right] \cdot (-1)$$

$$= \boxed{10(x-y)^4} \quad +2 \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Note: This is } \boxed{10 \cdot (2u)^2} \\ \text{also sensible} \end{array}$$

(-1) Not simplifying.