

MA 271: Several Variable Calculus

EXAM II (practice)

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1. Find the radius of convergence of the power series

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-3)^n \sqrt{n+1} (x+1)^{2n+1}$$

Answer: $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

2. Find the second degree Taylor polynomial of $f(x) = \frac{1 - \cos(2x)}{3x^2}$ with center $x_0 = 0$.

Answer: $\frac{2}{3} - \frac{2}{9}x^2$

3. Find the second degree Taylor polynomial of $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$ with center $x_0 = 4$.

Answer: $2 + \frac{1}{4}(x-4) - \frac{1}{32\sqrt{2}}(x-4)^2$

4. If $L = \lim_{(x,y,z) \rightarrow (0,3,4)} \frac{x + 5y - 5z}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}}$, then

- A. $L = -3$
- B. $L = -2$
- C. $L = -1$
- D. $L = 0$
- E. the limit does not exist

5. If $L = \lim_{(x,y,z) \rightarrow (0,0,0)} \frac{x + 2y - 3z}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}}$, then

- A. $L = 1$
- B. $L = -2$
- C. $L = -3$
- D. $L = 0$
- E. the limit does not exist

6. If $f(x, y) = \ln(x + 2y^2)$, then the partial derivative f_{xy} equals

- A. $\frac{-2x}{(x + 2y^2)^2}$
- B. $\frac{-4y}{(x + 2y^2)^2}$
- C. $\frac{4xy}{(x + 2y^2)^2}$
- D. $\frac{-8xy}{(x + 2y^2)^2}$
- E. $\frac{4(x^2 - y^2)}{(x + 2y^2)^2}$

7. Find $\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$ at $(-2, 2, 2)$ if $z(x, y)$ is defined by the equation

$$xe^y + ye^z = 0$$

- A. -1
- B. $-\frac{1}{2}$
- C. 0
- D. $\boxed{\frac{1}{2}}$
- E. 1

8. Find $\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$ at $(1, \ln 2, \ln 3)$ if $z(x, y)$ is defined by the equation

$$xe^y + ye^z + 2 \ln x - 2 - 3 \ln 2 = 0.$$

- A. $2 + \ln 2$
- B. $\frac{4}{3 \ln 2}$
- C. $-\frac{5}{3 \ln 2 + 1}$
- D. $\boxed{-\frac{5}{3 \ln 2}}$
- E. 1

9. Let

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{y^2}{x^2 + y^2}, & (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0, & (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$$

Find $f_x(0, 0)$ and $f_y(0, 0)$.

Answer: $f_x(0, 0) = 0$ and $f_y(0, 0)$ does not exist.

10. Suppose $z = f(x, y)$, where $x = e^t$ and $y = t^2 + 3t + 2$. Given that $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = x - y$ and $\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = -x$, find $\frac{dz}{dt}$ when $t = 0$.

A. -6

B.

C. 6

D. 9

E. 15

11. Let $\mathbf{F} = f(x, y, z)\mathbf{i} + g(x, y, z)\mathbf{j} + h(x, y, z)\mathbf{k}$ and $\nabla = \partial_x \mathbf{i} + \partial_y \mathbf{j} + \partial_z \mathbf{k}$, which of the followings are NOT defined?

I. $\nabla \mathbf{F}$

II. $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F}$

III. $\nabla \times \mathbf{F}$

IV. $\nabla(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F})$

V. $\nabla \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{F})$

A.

B. II and III

C. IV and V

D. I, II and IV

E. III and V

12. Find the directional derivative of the function $f(x, y, z) = x^2 y^2 z^6$ at the point $(1, 1, 1)$ in the direction of the vector $\langle 2, 1, -2 \rangle$.

A. -6

B.

C. 0

D. 2

E. 6

13. Find the direction in which the function $z = x^2 + 3xy - \frac{1}{2} y^2$ is increasing most rapidly at $(-1, -1)$.

A. $3i$

B. $5\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - \vec{k}$

C. $\boxed{-5\vec{i} - 2\vec{j}}$

D. $2\vec{i} - 5\vec{j}$

E. $\sqrt{29}$

14. Consider the function $f(x, y) = 2x^2 - 3xy + y^2$. Find two unit vectors such that the directional derivative of f at the point $(1, 1)$ in these two directions is 1.

Answer: $(1, 0)$ and $(0, -1)$

15. By using a linear approximation of $f(x, y) = \sqrt{x^2 + y}$ at $(4, 9)$, compute the approximate value of $f(5, 8)$.

A. 5.2

B. 5.3

C. 5.5

D. $\boxed{5.7}$

E. 5.9

16. The volume of a right circular cone with base radius r and height h is $V = \frac{\pi}{3}r^2h$. Suppose the radius is measured to be $6m \pm .2m$, and the height is measured to be $12m \pm .3m$. The volume calculated use differentials is $a \pm b m^3$. What are the values of a and b ?

Answer: $a = 144\pi, b = 13.2\pi$

17. Let

$$S: x = u - v, y = uv, z = u + v^2$$

If $(0, b, 5)$ is a point on the tangent plane to S at $(0, 1, 2)$ on S , then $b =$

- A. 3
- B. 1
- C. -2
- D. 0
- E. 2

18. Find a equation for the tangent plane of

$$\cos(\pi x) - x^2y + e^{xz} + yz = 4 \quad \text{at} \quad (0, 1, 2)$$

Answer: $2x + 2y + z - 4 = 0$

19. Find a parametric equation for the line passing through $P = (5, 2, 0)$, and normal to the tangent plane of

$$y^2 + z^2 = 4$$

at P .

- A. $x = 0, y = t, z = 0$
 - B. $x = 5, y = 4t, z = 3t$
 - C. $x = 5t, y = 2t, z = 3t$
 - D. $x = 5, y = 4t + 2, z = 0$
 - E. $x = 5t + 5, y = 2t + 2, z = 3t$
20. For the function $f(x, y) = x^3 + 2y^2 + xy - 2x + 5y$, the point $(-1, -1)$ yields
- A. a local minimum
 - B. a local maximum
 - C. a saddle point
 - D. $\nabla f(-1, -1) \neq 0$
 - E. The Second Derivative Test gives no information at $(-1, -1)$

21. Find absolute maximum and minimum values of

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

on the disc $x^2 + y^2 \leq 1$.

Answer: $\max = \frac{9}{4}$, $\min = -\frac{1}{4}$

22. The function $f(x, y) = y \sin(x)$ has

- A. infinitely many local maximum points.
- B. infinitely many local minimum points.
- C. infinitely many saddle points.
- D. exactly one local minimum point and one maximum point.
- E. no critical point.

23. The max and min values of $f(x, y, z) = xyz$ on the surface $2x^2 + 2y^2 + z^2 = 2$ are

- A. $\pm \frac{\sqrt{2}}{9}$
- B. $\pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{9}$
- C. $\pm \frac{\sqrt{6}}{9}$
- D. $\pm \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{9}$
- E. $\pm \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{9}$

24. If we use the method of Lagrange multipliers to find the maximum of $f(x, y) = 2x^2 - y^2 - y$ subject to the constraint $x^2 + y^2 = 1$, the Lagrange multipliers λ that we find are:

- A. $\lambda = 2$
- B. $\lambda = 0$
- C. $\lambda = -1$
- D. $\lambda = 2$ and $\lambda = -1$
- E. $\lambda = 0$ and $\lambda = -1$

25. Find the minimum value of $x^2 + y^2 + z^2$ subject to the constraint $2x + y - z - 6 = 0$.

- A. $\frac{25}{6}$
- B. 2
- C. 4
- D. 6
- E. 16

26. A rectangular box is to have volume 48 cubic feet, and is made of three different grades of material. The material for the front and back costs \$1 per square foot, the material for the top and bottom costs \$2 per square foot, and the material for the two ends costs \$3 per square foot. What are the dimensions of the box of minimal cost? Answer: 2 by 4 by 6

27. Find $\left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial y}\right)_x$, that is with x and y independent, at $(w, x, y, z) = (4, 2, 1, -1)$ if

$$w = x^2y^2 + yz - z^3, \quad x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 6$$

- A. -1
- B. 1
- C. 3
- D. 5
- E. 7

28. Find cubic approximation of $f(x, y) = \frac{1}{1 - x - y + xy}$ near the origin.

Answer: $1 + x + y + x^2 + xy + y^2 + x^3 + x^2y + xy^2 + y^3$

29. Evaluate $\int_0^\pi \int_x^\pi \frac{\sin(y)}{y} dy dx$.

A. -1

B. 0

C. 1

D. $\boxed{2}$

E. $\frac{\pi^2}{2}$