

Solutions to Final Exam for Analytic Geometry and Calculus III – MATH 2421
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(#1) Clues.

- (i) When \mathbf{u} and \mathbf{v} are perpendicular, the value of $\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}$ is **(a)**. The angle of separation is $\alpha = \frac{\pi}{2}$, so the dot product must be zero.
- (ii) If $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z)$ is a conservative vector field, then the value of $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F}$ is **(c)**. The CURL is the zero vector. Conservative fields are irrotational. The divergence could be just about anything.
- (iii) If $\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{w}$, then the value of $\text{Proj}_{\mathbf{v}} \mathbf{u}$ is **(b)**. We have that $\frac{(\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{w}) \cdot \mathbf{v}}{\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{v}}$ must equal zero. So the vector projection must be the zero vector.

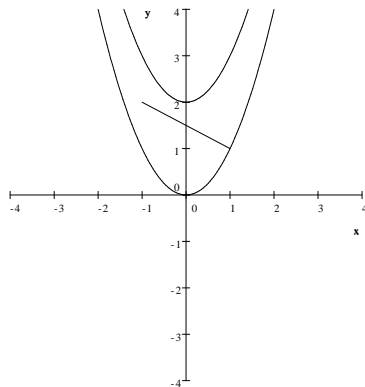
(#2) An object is moved from $P(1, 3, -5)$ to $Q(4, 4, -4)$ along a straight line segment.

- (a) Give the parameterization of the path (from P to Q) using $0 \leq t \leq 1$.
 $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle 3t + 1, 1t + 3, 1t - 5 \rangle$.
- (b) If the force vector is constant, $\mathbf{F} = \langle 3, 6, 5 \rangle$, then how much work does \mathbf{F} accomplish moving the object from P to Q ?
 $\langle 3, 6, 5 \rangle \cdot \langle 3, 1, 1 \rangle = 9 + 6 + 5 = 20$ work units.
- (c) Suppose \mathbf{F} is the force field $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = \langle x^2, -y, z \rangle$.
 $d\mathbf{r} = \langle 3, 1, 1 \rangle dt$
Work = $\int \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_0^1 \langle (3t + 1)^2, -(t + 3), t - 5 \rangle \cdot \langle 3, 1, 1 \rangle dt$
In case anyone cares, the actual answer is

$$\int_0^1 (3(3t + 1)^2 - (t + 3) + t - 5) dt = 13 \text{ work units.}$$

(#3) Suppose we have a 2-variable function $f(x, y) = y - x^2 = k \Rightarrow y = x^2 + k$.

- (a) On the axes below, sketch in the level curves $f(x, y) = k$ for $k = 0$ and $k = 2$.



The upper parabola corresponds to $k = 2$.

As the parabolas move down the y-axis, the values of k DECREASE. This is a significant observation for later...

(b) It should be clear to you that the point $(1, 1)$ must lie on the level curve associated with $k = 0$, since $f(1, 1) = 0$. Sketch in $\nabla f(1, 1)$ at the point $(1, 1)$.

$$\nabla f = \langle -2x, 1 \rangle \Rightarrow \nabla f(1, 1) = \langle -2, 1 \rangle.$$

The gradient vector should be normal to the parabola (level curve) and, in this case, its length should be $\sqrt{5}$.

(c) Suppose we wanted to find the relative extrema for f .

Show that f has NO critical points.

$$f_x = 2x = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0.$$

$f_y = 1 \neq 0$. Thus, f has no critical points.

(d) Now suppose that our domain of interest (D) is the area $0 \leq y \leq -x^2 + 4x$.

$$x = t$$

$$y = -t^2 + 4t, \text{ for } 0 \leq t \leq 4.$$

$$f(t, -t^2 + 4t) = -t^2 + 4t - t^2 = -2t^2 + 4t.$$

$$f' = -4t + 4 = 0 \Rightarrow t = 1.$$

$f'' = -4$ so it is relative maximum along this boundary.

(e) It was a relative maximum along that boundary.

Since f is differentiable everywhere and no relative extrema was found in D , then it must be true that the absolute extrema must be found on the boundaries of D . In this case, the point $(1, 3)$ must be the absolute MAXIMUM of f in D .

(#4) Suppose f is a function of u , v , and w .

Suppose $u(r, \theta) = r\theta$ and $v(r) = e^r$ and $w(r, \theta) = \frac{\theta}{r}$.

Which expression below is equivalent to $\frac{\partial f}{\partial \theta}$?

$$\text{The basic Chain Rule is } \frac{\partial f}{\partial \theta} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial u} \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial v} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial w} \frac{\partial w}{\partial \theta},$$

but v doesn't depend on θ , so the correct answer is **(c)**.

(#5) We already know that the function $f(x, y) = 3x^2 + 3xy + y^2$ has a critical point at $(0, 0)$.

What is the classification of this critical point? We already know that $f_x = 0$ and $f_y = 0$ at $(0, 0)$.

At $(0, 0)$, we have $f_{xx} = 6$, $f_{yy} = 2$, and $f_{xy} = 3$.

$d = f_{xx}f_{yy} - (f_{xy})^2 = 12 - 9 = 3 > 0$. Since both f_{xx} and f_{yy} are also positive, we have a relative minimum.

The correct answer is **(a)**.

(#6) If $\mathbf{F} = \left\langle x - z, xz^2, \frac{y}{z} \right\rangle$, what is the value of $\nabla \times \mathbf{F}$?

$$P = x - z, \quad Q = xz^2, \quad R = \frac{y}{z}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla \times \mathbf{F} &= \langle R_y - Q_z, P_z - R_x, Q_x - P_y \rangle \\ &= \left\langle \frac{1}{z} - 2zx, -1 - 0, z^2 - 0 \right\rangle. \end{aligned}$$

The correct answer is **(b)**.

(#7) If $(x, y, z) = (-4, 4, -4\sqrt{2})$, then $(\rho, \theta, \phi) = ???$

$$\rho = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2} = \sqrt{(-4)^2 + 4^2 + (-4\sqrt{2})^2} = \sqrt{16 + 16 + 32} = 8.$$

$$\tan(\theta) = \frac{y}{x} = \frac{4}{-4} = -1 \text{ and } \theta \text{ is in Quad. II} \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{3\pi}{4}.$$

$$\cos(\phi) = \frac{z}{\rho} = \frac{-4\sqrt{2}}{8} = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} = \frac{3\pi}{4}.$$

The correct answer is **(d)**.

(#8) If the unit tangent vector is $\mathbf{T}(t) = \left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+t^2}}, \frac{t}{\sqrt{1+t^2}} \right\rangle$, then the unit normal vector $\mathbf{N}(t) = ???$

We have

$$\mathbf{N}(t) = \frac{\mathbf{T}'(t)}{|\mathbf{T}'(t)|}$$

and we notice that all we need to know is the sign of the horizontal and vertical components of $\mathbf{N}(t)$.

(It is easy to verify that they are all unit vectors.)

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{T}'(t) &= \frac{d}{dt} \left[\left\langle (1+t^2)^{-1/2}, \frac{t}{\sqrt{1+t^2}} \right\rangle \right] \\ &= \left\langle \left(-\frac{1}{2} \right) (1+t^2)^{-3/2} (2t), \frac{\sqrt{1+t^2}(1) - t \left(\frac{1}{2} * \frac{2t}{\sqrt{1+t^2}} \right)}{\left(\sqrt{1+t^2} \right)^2} \right\rangle \\ &= \left\langle -\frac{t}{(1+t^2)^{3/2}}, \frac{\sqrt{1+t^2} - \frac{t^2}{\sqrt{1+t^2}}}{1+t^2} \right\rangle = \left\langle -\frac{t}{(1+t^2)^{3/2}}, \frac{\left(\frac{1+t^2-t^2}{\sqrt{1+t^2}} \right)}{1+t^2} \right\rangle \\ &= \left\langle -\frac{t}{(1+t^2)^{3/2}}, \frac{1}{(1+t^2)^{3/2}} \right\rangle = \left(\frac{1}{(1+t^2)^{3/2}} \right) \langle -t, 1 \rangle. \end{aligned}$$

When we factor out the denominators for $\mathbf{N}(t)$, they disappear.

$$\mathbf{N}(t) = \frac{\left(\frac{1}{(1+t^2)^{3/2}} \right) \langle -t, 1 \rangle}{\left| \frac{1}{(1+t^2)^{3/2}} \right| * |\langle -t, 1 \rangle|} = \frac{\langle -t, 1 \rangle}{\sqrt{1+t^2}}.$$

The correct answer is **(c)**.

(#9) Examine the two vector fields below. One of them is a good representation of

$$\mathbf{F}(x, y) = \left\langle \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}, \frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \right\rangle. \text{ The other one is unreasonable, considering the}$$

magnitudes displayed.

Circle the one which best represents \mathbf{F} and give a one-sentence justification for your choice. We notice that all vectors in \mathbf{F} are unit vectors. The configuration is radial outward. It must be the field on the left.

(#10) Suppose we have the surface $x \sin(z) - \cos(yz) = 2 - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$. Find $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}$ evaluated at $\left(2, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$.

We need the implicit differentiation formula. We create the “parent” function by moving everything to the left side.

$$F(x, y, z) = x \sin(z) - \cos(yz) - 2 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}.$$

We must calculate

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = - \left(\frac{F_x}{F_z} \right).$$

We have

$$F_x = \sin(z), \quad F_z = x \cos(z) + y \sin(yz).$$

This gives us

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = - \left(\frac{\sin(z)}{x \cos(z) + y \sin(yz)} \right)$$

and substitute in the values for x , y , and z .

$$\left[\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \right]_{\left(2, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)} = - \left(\frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)}{2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) + \frac{1}{3} \sin\left(\frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)\right)} \right) = - \left(\frac{1}{2(0) + \frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)} \right) = -6.$$

(#11) Let $\mathbf{F}(x, y) = \langle xe^x + 2xy, x^2 + y^3 \rangle$.

(a) Show that \mathbf{F} is conservative. If $Q_x = P_y$, then \mathbf{F} is conservative.

$$Q_x = 2x$$

$$P_y = 2x. \checkmark$$

$$f(x, y) =$$

(b) Evaluate $\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$ for any simple path which begins at $P(0, 0)$ and ends at $Q(\ln(2), 1)$.

The Fundamental Theorem for Line Integrals applies. Find the potential function by integrations.

$$\int P dx = \int (xe^x + 2xy) dx = xe^x - e^x + x^2y + \alpha(y).$$

$$\int Q dy = \int (x^2 + y^3) dy = x^2y + \frac{y^4}{4} + \beta(x).$$

Any terms with x and y must match in both integrations. \checkmark

Now collect one of each other term (no duplications).

$$f(x, y) = x^2y + xe^x - e^x + \frac{y^4}{4}.$$

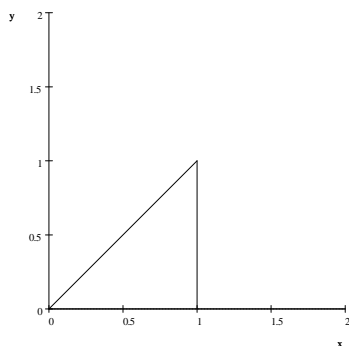
The Fundamental Theorem says that the amount of work performed by \mathbf{F} is path independent.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} &= f(\ln(2), 1) - f(0, 0) \\ &= (\ln(2))^2(1) + (\ln(2))e^{\ln(2)} - e^{\ln(2)} + \frac{1^4}{4} - (0 + 0 - 1 + 0) \\ &= (\ln(2))^2 + 2\ln(2) - 2 + \frac{1}{4} + 1 = (\ln(2))^2 + 2\ln(2) - \frac{3}{4}. \end{aligned}$$

(#12) As is stands, the following double integral is impossible to evaluate...

$$\int_0^1 \int_y^1 e^{x^2} dx dy = ???$$

(a) First, sketch the region of integration R .



$dx dy$
left \rightarrow *right*
 $x : y \rightarrow 1$
 $y : 0 \rightarrow 1$
 This becomes:
 $dy dx$
lower \rightarrow *upper*
 $y : 0 \rightarrow x$
 $x : 0 \rightarrow 1$.

(b) Now use Fubini to evaluate the double integral.

$$\int_0^1 \int_0^x e^{x^2} dy dx = \frac{1}{2}e - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}(e - 1).$$

Inner:

$$e^{x^2} \int_0^x dy = xe^{x^2}.$$

Outer:

$$\int_0^1 xe^{x^2} dx \Rightarrow u = x^2, du = 2x dx \Rightarrow x dx = \frac{1}{2}du.$$

This gives us

$$\frac{1}{2} \int e^u du \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}e^u \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} [e^{x^2}]_0^1 = \frac{1}{2}(e - 1). \checkmark$$

(#13) If $f(x, y, z) = xy + xz + yz$, find the value of the total differential df if x moves from 2 to 2.2, y moves from 3 to 2.9, and z moves from 4 to 4.01.

$$df = f_x dx + f_y dy + f_z dz = (y + z) dx + (x + z) dz + (x + y) dz$$

We have $dx = +0.2$, $dy = -0.1$, and $dz = +0.01$.

We substitute in $x = 2$, $y = 3$, and $z = 4$.

$$df = (3 + 4)(0.2) + (2 + 4)(-0.1) + (2 + 3)(0.01) = +0.85.$$

We expect f to increase by about 0.85 units.

(#14) Find the (rectangular coordinates) equation of the plane which is perpendicular to the yz -plane and contains the origin and the point $(0, 1, 2)$.

If the plane is perpendicular to the yz -plane, then the equation only contains y and z .

Thus, the normal vector is $\mathbf{n} = \langle 0, b, c \rangle$. If it contains the origin, then the standard form must be

$$\begin{aligned}0(x - 0) + b(y - 0) + c(z - 0) &= 0 \\by + cz &= 0\end{aligned}$$

If it contains $(0, 1, 2)$, then we must have

$$\begin{aligned}b(1) + c(2) &= 0 \\b &= -2c.\end{aligned}$$

Any pair satisfying this condition will give us the correct plane, so we choose $c = 1$ and $b = -2$.

$$-2y + z = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad z = 2y.$$

As an alternative, we could use the normal definitions for a plane.

The normal vector to our plane must be perpendicular to the normal of the yz -plane, and it must be perpendicular to vector which connects $(0, 0, 0)$ and $(0, 1, 2)$. Sounds like the cross product.

The normal to the yz -plane is $\langle 1, 0, 0 \rangle$ since the equation of the plane is $x = 0$.

$$\langle 1, 0, 0 \rangle \times \langle 0, 1, 2 \rangle = \langle 0, -2, 1 \rangle.$$

Thus, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}0(x - 0) - 2(y - 0) + 1(z - 0) &= 0 \\z &= 2y.\checkmark\end{aligned}$$

(#15) Evaluate $\oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$ if $\mathbf{F} = \left\langle \sin(x^3), \frac{x^3}{3} + xy^2 + \ln(1 + y) \right\rangle$ and C is the closed path which bounds the semicircle $x^2 + y^2 \leq 1$ with $y \geq 0$.

Sounds like a job for Green's Theorem! The circulation density is

$$Q_x - P_y = x^2 + y^2 - 0 = x^2 + y^2 = r^2.$$

Our region is clearly polar.

$r \, dr \, d\theta$

$r : 0 \rightarrow 1$

$\theta : 0 \rightarrow \pi \quad [y \geq 0].$

$$\int_0^\pi \int_0^1 r^2 r \, dr \, d\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}.$$

(#16) The region of integration R is the portion of the circle in Quadrant I whose center is located at $(0, 1)$ with radius 1.

If $z = g(x, y) = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$ (the upper cone), and the density function is $\sigma(x, y, z) = x = r \cos(\theta)$. Find the mass for the portion of the cone which is above R .

I hope you remember that the polar equation of the curve is $r = 2 \sin(\theta)$, $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi/2$.

We need the surface area differential.

$$\begin{aligned} dS &= \sqrt{1 + (g_x)^2 + (g_y)^2} dA \\ &= \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}\right)^2} dA \\ &= \sqrt{1 + \frac{x^2 + y^2}{x^2 + y^2}} dA = \sqrt{2} dA. \end{aligned}$$

We insert the density function in the integrand also.

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \iint_R x \sqrt{2} dA \\ &= \sqrt{2} \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^{2 \sin(\theta)} r \cos(\theta) r dr d\theta \\ &= \sqrt{2} \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^{2 \sin(\theta)} r^2 \cos(\theta) dr d\theta \end{aligned}$$

Inner:

$$\sqrt{2} * \cos(\theta) \int_0^{2 \sin(\theta)} r^2 dr = \frac{8\sqrt{2}}{3} \sin^3(\theta) \cos(\theta).$$

Outer:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{8\sqrt{2}}{3} \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^3(\theta) \cos(\theta) d\theta &= \frac{8\sqrt{2}}{3} \left[\frac{\sin^4(\theta)}{4} \right]_0^{\pi/2} \\ &= \frac{8\sqrt{2}}{3} \left(\frac{1}{4} \right) = \frac{2}{3} \sqrt{2}. \end{aligned}$$

The Outer integral is a u -substitution, $u = \sin(\theta)$, $du = \cos(\theta) d\theta$.

$$\int u^3 du \Rightarrow \frac{u^4}{4} \Rightarrow \left[\frac{\sin^4(\theta)}{4} \right]_0^{\pi/2} = \frac{1}{4}.$$

(#17) Let S be the portion of the hyperbolic paraboloid $z = x^2 - y^2$ inside the right circular cylinder $x^2 + y^2 = 1$.

The field is

$$\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = \left\langle \frac{1}{2}x, 3y, z \right\rangle.$$

We want

$$\int_S (\mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n}) dS$$

where n is the *upward* normal with respect to S .

We have $P = \frac{1}{2}x$, $Q = 3y$, and $R = z$.

Our surface is $z = g(x, y) = x^2 - y^2$.

$$g_x = 2x \quad \text{and} \quad g_y = -2y.$$

We are evaluating $(\mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n})$ over S . We smash S down onto the xy -plane and obtain the circle R .

$r \, dr \, d\theta$

$r : 0 \rightarrow 1$

$\theta : 0 \rightarrow 2\pi$.

$$\int_S (\mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n}) dS = \int_R (-Pg_x - Qg_y + R) dA$$

First, we substitute in rectangular, remembering to also substitute $z = x^2 - y^2$.

$$\int_R \left(-\left(\frac{1}{2}x\right)(2x) - (3y)(-2y) + (x^2 - y^2) \right) dA = 5 \int_R y^2 dA.$$

Now change to polar.

$$5 \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 r^2 \sin^2(\theta) r \, dr \, d\theta = \frac{5}{4}\pi.$$

Inner:

$$\int_0^1 r^3 dr = \frac{1}{4}.$$

Outer:

$$5 \int_0^{2\pi} \sin^2(\theta) d\theta = 5 \left[\frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{\sin(2\theta)}{4} \right]_0^{2\pi} = 5\pi.$$

The product is $\frac{5}{4}\pi$. ✓

(#18) Let Q be the solid hemisphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \leq 1$ with $z \geq 0$, and let S be its surface. Let $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = \langle xze^z, -yze^z, z^2 \rangle$ and \mathbf{n} = the outward normal with respect to S . Evaluate the outward flux integral $\oint_S (\mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n}) dS$. We use the Divergence Theorem.

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F} = ze^z - ze^z + 2z = 2z.$$

We integrate the flux density over the interior of S .

$$\rho^2 \sin(\phi) d\rho d\phi d\theta$$

$$\rho: 0 \rightarrow 1$$

$$\phi: 0 \rightarrow \pi/2 \quad [\text{since } z \geq 0]$$

$$\theta: 0 \rightarrow 2\pi.$$

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^1 2\rho \cos(\phi) \rho^2 \sin(\phi) d\rho d\phi d\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

We note that $2z = 2\rho \cos(\phi)$.

The triple integral factors neatly into the three integrals.

$$\int_0^1 2\rho^3 d\rho = \frac{1}{2}.$$

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin(\phi) \cos(\phi) d\phi = \frac{1}{2}.$$

We let $u = \sin(\phi)$, $du = \cos(\phi) d\phi$, etc.

The integral in θ is equal to 2π . The product is

$$\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) (2\pi) = \frac{\pi}{2} \checkmark$$