

MA 271: Several Variable Calculus

EXAM II

Oct. 30, 2007

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1. Use the degree two Taylor polynomial of $\ln(x)$ centered at $x_0 = 1$ to estimate

$$I = \int_{0.7}^{1.3} \ln(x) dx.$$

The approximate value of I is

- A. 0
B. $0.6(\ln(1.3) - \ln(0.7))$
C. 0.008
D. -0.009
E. -0.012
2. If $L = \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}$, then

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

3. Find $f_x(0,0)$ when

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

Recall:

$$f_x(x_0, y_0) = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x_0 + \Delta x, y_0) - f(x_0, y_0)}{\Delta x}$$

- A. $L = -3$
B. $L = -2$
C. $L = -1$
D. $L = 0$
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4. If $f(x, y) = \ln(x^2 + 2y^2)$, then the partial derivative f_{xy} equals

A. $\boxed{\frac{-8xy}{(x^2 + 2y^2)^2}}$

B. $\frac{4xy}{(x^2 + 2y^2)^2}$

C. $\frac{4(x^2 - y^2)}{(x^2 + 2y^2)^2}$

D. $\frac{-4y}{(x^2 + 2y^2)^2}$

E. $\frac{-2x}{(x^2 + 2y^2)^2}$

5. If $xz + y \ln x - x^2 + 4 = 0$ defines x as a function of two independent variables y and z , find $\frac{\partial x}{\partial z}$ at $(x, y, z) = (1, -1, -3)$.

A. 0

B. $\boxed{\frac{1}{6}}$

C. $\frac{1}{5}$

D. $\frac{1}{3}$

E. $\frac{1}{2}$

6. The directional derivative of $f(x, y) = x^3e^{-2y}$ in the direction of greatest increase of f at the point $(1, 0)$ is

A. $\sqrt{5}$

B. $\boxed{\sqrt{13}}$

C. 5

D. 6

E. 13

7. In what direction is the derivative of $z = x^2 + 3xy - \frac{1}{2}y^2$ at $(-1, -1)$ equal to zero.

- A. $3\vec{i}$
- B. $5\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - \vec{k}$
- C. $\boxed{2\vec{i} - 5\vec{j}}$
- D. $2\vec{i} + 5\vec{j}$
- E. $\sqrt{29}$

8. Find an equation for the tangent plane of $z = x^2 + 3xy - \frac{1}{2}y^2$ at $(-1, -1)$.

- A. $5x + 2y + z - \frac{7}{2} = 0$
- B. $5x + 2y - z - 2 = 0$
- C. $\boxed{5x + 2y + z + \frac{7}{2} = 0}$
- D. $5x - 2y + z - \frac{7}{2} = 0$
- E. $5x - 2y - z + \frac{7}{2} = 0$

9. By using a linear approximation of $f(x, y) = x^2 - x + \sin(y)$ at $(2, 0)$, compute the approximate value of $f(1.9, 0.1)$.

- A. $\boxed{1.8}$
- B. 1.85
- C. 1.9
- D. 2
- E. 3.5

10. Find $\frac{\partial z}{\partial u}$ if $z = x^2 + xy^3$ where $x = uv^2 + w^3$ and $y = u + ve^w$ at $u = 2, v = 1, w = 0$.

- A. 30
- B. 42
- C. 53
- D. 64
- E. 85

11. Find the largest product the positive numbers x, y and z can have if

$$x + y + z^2 = 5.$$

- A. 0
- B. 3
- C. 4
- D. 5
- E. ∞

12. Find $\left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial x}\right)_y - \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial x}\right)_z$ at $(w, x, y, z) = (6, 1, 1, 2)$ if

$$w = x^2 + y^2 + z^2, \quad z = x^2 + y^2$$

- A. -4
- B. 0
- C. 4
- D. 10
- E. 12

13. Evaluate $\int_3^0 \int_1^{-1} x^2 + xy^2 dy dx$.

- A. $\frac{38}{3}$
- B. $\frac{35}{2}$
- C. 24
- D. 21
- E. $-\frac{7}{2}$

14. Evaluate $\int_0^1 \int_y^1 x^2 e^{xy} dx dy$.

- A. $\frac{e+2}{2}$
- B. $\frac{e}{2}$
- C. 1
- D. $\frac{e-2}{2}$
- E. $\frac{e^{xy}}{2}$

15. Find all the values of x , such that the following series converges (do not forget the end values)

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{(n+1)(x+5)^n}{n^2}.$$

Your Answer: For x satisfying _____, the series converges.

Answer: $-6 < x \leq -4$

16. Find the degree three Taylor polynomial of $f(x, y) = e^x \ln(y)$ near $(x_0, y_0) = (0, 1)$.

Answer: $P_3(x, y) = (y - 1) - \frac{(y-1)^2}{2} + x(y - 1) + \frac{(y-1)^3}{3} - \frac{x(y-1)^2}{2} + x^2(y - 1)$

17. Find and classify (local maximum, local minimum, saddle) all the critical points of

$$f(x, y) = 2x^3 + xy^2 + 6x^2 + y^2$$

Answer: $(0, 0)$ local minimum, $(-2, 0)$ local max, $(-1, \pm\sqrt{6})$ saddle