MAC 2313 Calculus 3

Mini-Test 3

Directions: Show **ALL** work for credit; Give **EXACT** answers when possible; Start each problem on a **SEPARATE** page; Use only **ONE** side of each page; Be neat; Leave margins on the left and top for the **STAPLE**; Calculators can be used for graphing and calculating only; Nothing written on this page will be graded;

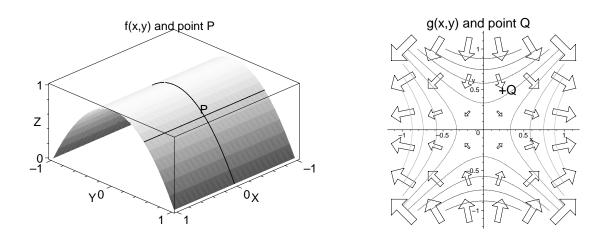
1. Find the equation of the tangent plane to F(x, y, z) = 0 at the point (9,5,7) where the function F(x, y, z) is given by $x^3 + 3y^2 + xz - 867$.

Gradient is $\langle 3x^2 + z, 6y, x \rangle$ which at (9, 5, 7) is $\langle 250, 30, 9 \rangle$ so the equation is 250(x - 9) + 30(y - 5) + 9(z - 7) = 0.

2. Use the chain rule (as shown in class) to find $\partial z/\partial u$ and $\partial z/\partial v$ when $z = (x + y) \ln(xy)$, $x = \sin(uv)$ and $y = \sqrt{u/v}$.

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial u} = (1 + \frac{y}{x} + \ln(xy))(v\cos(uv)) + (1 + \frac{x}{y} + \ln(xy))(\frac{1}{2\sqrt{uv}})$$
$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial v} = (1 + \frac{y}{x} + \ln(xy))(u\cos(uv)) + (1 + \frac{x}{y} + \ln(xy))(\frac{-\sqrt{u}}{2v\sqrt{v}})$$

- 3. Use the pictures below to determine if the various derivatives are positive, negative or zero. The unit vector \vec{u} is given by $\langle -1/\sqrt{2}, -1/\sqrt{2} \rangle$.
 - (a) Use the graph (below left) to determine $f_x(P)$, $f_y(P)$, $f_{xx}(P)$, $f_{yy}(P)$ and $f_{\vec{u}}(P)$.
 - (b) Use the graph (below right) to determine $g_x(Q)$, $g_y(Q)$, $g_{xx}(Q)$, $g_{yy}(Q)$ and $g_{\vec{u}}(Q)$.



Answers: f_x and f_{xx} are zero, f_y , f_{yy} , g_y and g_{yy} are negative and the rest are positive.

- 4. The values of various derivatives of f at the point (e, 1) have been found to be: $f(e, 1) = 5, f_x(e, 1) = e^{-1}, f_y(e, 1) = e, f_{xx}(e, 1) = 1 + e, f_{xy}(e, 1) = 1 + e^{-1}$ and $f_{yy}(e, 1) = 1 - e$.
 - (a) Find Q(x, y), the quadratic Taylor polynomial for f at the point (e, 1). $f(x, y) \approx 5 + e^{-1}(x - e) + e(y - 1) + ((1 + e)(x - e)^2 + 2(1 + e^{-1})(x - e)(y - 1) + (1 - e)(y - 1)^2)/2$
 - (b) Find parametric equations of the normal line to the surface of z = f(x, y) at the point (e, 1). $x = e + e^{-1}t$ y = 1 + et z = 5 - t
 - (c) Find a direction \vec{u} (unit vector) so that $f_{\vec{u}}(e, 1) = 0$. $\pm \langle e^2/\sqrt{e^4 + 1}, -1/\sqrt{e^4 + 1} \rangle$
- 5. The relative density of the earth (centered at the origin with radius 1) is given by $\sqrt{1 \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}}$. Find the directional derivative as you leave P(5/26, 12/26, 0) heading away from the center of the earth. Do your derivatives by hand and simplify your exact answer. Use the calculator to check.

The unit vector $\vec{u} = \langle 5/13, 12/13, 0 \rangle$. At the point P, the value of $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1/4$. The partial derivative with respect to x is $\frac{1}{2}(1 - \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2})^{-\frac{1}{2}}(-\frac{1}{2})(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}}2x$ so the gradient at P is $\langle -5\sqrt{2}/26, -12\sqrt{2}/26, 0 \rangle$ so the directional derivative is $-1/\sqrt{2}$.