

MA225B Mock Mid-Term Test 2

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TRUE/FALSE. Write 'T' if the statement is true and 'F' if the statement is false. (8 marks)

1) The directional derivative of a function $f(x,y)$ at a local minimum is positive in every direction. 1) _____

2) If $r(t)=(x(t),y(t),z(t))$ is a curve on the surface $g(x,y,z) = 1$, then $\nabla g(r(t)) \cdot r'(t) = 1$. 2) _____

3) If $f(x, y) = g(x)$ is a function of x only, then the discriminant $\left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}\right)\left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}\right) - \left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y}\right)^2 = 0$ at every critical point. 3) _____

4) Given a function $f(x, y)$ and a curve $r(t)=(x(t),y(t))$ which satisfies $r'(t) = \nabla f|_{r(t)}$, then $\frac{d}{dt} (f(r(t))) \geq 0$. 4) _____

5) If $f(x,y)$ is a linear function in x, y , then $\nabla f(x,y)$ is independent of (x,y) . 5) _____

6) $\|\nabla f\|$ at a critical point is positive if the discriminant $\left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}\right)\left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}\right) - \left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y}\right)^2$ is strictly positive. 6) _____

7) For any two functions $f(x,y,z)$ and $g(x,y,z)$ and any vector v we have $\nabla_v(f + g) = \nabla_v f + \nabla_v g$. 7) _____

8) The surfaces $x + y + z = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - x - y - z = 0$ have the same tangent plane at $(0, 0, 0)$. 8) _____

MULTIPLE CHOICE. (14 marks)

9) Evaluate $\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}$ at $(x, y, z) = (4, 2, 0)$ for the function $u = e^{pq} \cos(r)$; $p = \frac{1}{x}$, $q = x^2 \ln y$, $r = z$. 9) _____
A) 64 B) 0 C) 2 D) 32

10) Find the linearization of $f(x,y) = 4 + x^3 + y^3$ at $(0, 0)$. 10) _____
A) $L(x,y) = 4 + 3x^2 + 3y^2$. B) $L(x,y) = 4$.
C) $L(x,y) = 4 + x + y$. D) $L(x,y) = 4 + x^3 + y^3$.

11) Find the tangent plane of the surface $x^2y^2z^2 = 1$ at the point $(x,y,z) = (1,1,1)$. 11) _____
A) $x^2y^2z^2 = 0$. B) $x+y+z=1$. C) $x+y+z = 3$. D) $x=y=z=1$.

12) Find the absolute maxima and minima of $f(x, y) = x^2 + 8x + y^2 + 14y + 8$ on the rectangular region $-1 \leq x \leq 1, -2 \leq y \leq 2$ 12) _____
A) Absolute maximum: 60 at (2, 2); absolute minimum: 8 at (0, 0)
B) Absolute maximum: 49 at (1, 2); absolute minimum: -23 at (-1, -2)
C) Absolute maximum: 49 at (1, 2); absolute minimum: 8 at (0, 0)
D) Absolute maximum: 60 at (2, 2); absolute minimum: -23 at (-1, -2)

13) Find $\partial_v f(-1,1)$ for $f(x,y) = \cos(xy)$ and $v = (2,1)$. 13) _____
A) $\sin(1)$. B) $-\sin(1)$. C) 0. D) $(\sin(1), -\sin(1))$.

14) Find $\frac{\partial w}{\partial r}$ when $r = -2$ and $s = -1$ if $w(x, y, z) = xz + y^2$, $x = 4r + 2$, $y = r + s$, and $z = r - s$. 14) _____
A) $\frac{\partial w}{\partial r} = -4$ B) $\frac{\partial w}{\partial r} = -16$ C) $\frac{\partial w}{\partial r} = -10$ D) $\frac{\partial w}{\partial r} = -7$

Find all the local maxima, local minima, and saddle points of the function.

15) $f(x, y) = 2xy + 2x + 6y$ 15) _____
A) $f(-3, 1) = -6$, local minimum; $f(3, -1) = -6$, local minimum
B) $f(-3, 1) = -6$, saddle point; $f(3, -1) = -6$, saddle point
C) $f(3, 1) = 18$, local maximum
D) $f(-3, -1) = -6$, saddle point

SHORT QUESTIONS.

16) Given a curve $r(t) = (t-t^3, 3t^2-3t, t)$ and a function $f(x,y,z)$. Suppose $\nabla f(0,0,0) = (2,-1,1)$. Find $\left. \frac{d}{dt} \right|_{t=0} f(r(t))$.

(5 marks)

17) Suppose $\cos xy + x^3 = y^3$. Find dy/dx .

(5 marks)

18) Find the global maximum and minimum values of the function

(8 marks)

$$f(x, y, z) = x^3 + y^3 + z^3$$

subject to the constraint

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

19) Let $f(x,y) = 2xy^2 + 4x^2 - 3xy - 7x + 2y + 9$.

Find $f(0,0)$, $\partial_x f(0,0)$, $\partial_y f(0,0)$, $\partial_{xx}^2 f(0,0)$, $\partial_{xy}^2 f(0,0)$, $\partial_{yy}^2 f(0,0)$, $\partial_{xyy}^3 f(0,0)$.

What are their relations with the coefficients of $f(x,y)$?