

考試時間 120 分鐘，題目卷為兩張紙，共三頁，滿分 120 分。所有題目的答案都請依題號順序依序寫在答案卷上，而非與填充題必須寫在第一頁。答案卷務必寫學號、姓名，題目卷不必繳回。考試開始 30 分鐘後不得入場，開始 40 分鐘前不得離場。考試期間禁止使用字典、計算機及任何通訊器材，監試人員不得回答任何關於試題的疑問。

是非題 (30 points)，請答 T (True) 或 F (False)。每題 3 分。(請依題號順序依序寫在答案卷第一頁上)

1. $\mathbf{r}(t) = t^3\mathbf{i} - 7t^3\mathbf{j} + t^3\mathbf{k}$ is a parametrization of a line.

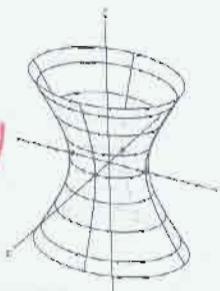
T It's convenient to represent the particle's path by the vector-valued function
 $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle x(t), y(t), z(t) \rangle = x(t)\hat{\mathbf{i}} + y(t)\hat{\mathbf{j}} + z(t)\hat{\mathbf{k}}$.
In this case, $x(t) = t^3$, $y(t) = -7t^3$ and $z(t) = t^3$.

2. Two different level curves of $f(x, y)$ never intersect.

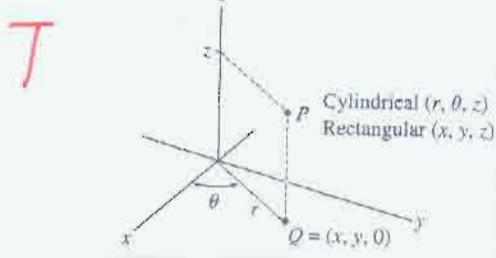
T Suppose the curves intersect at (x_0, y_0) , then
 $f(x_0, y_0) = C_1$ and $f(x_0, y_0) = C_2$.
 $\Rightarrow C_1 = C_2 \rightarrow \leftarrow$
Therefore, two different level curves of $f(x, y)$ never intersect.

3. All traces of a hyperboloid are hyperbolas.

F From the figure, we observe that the horizontal traces are ellipse.

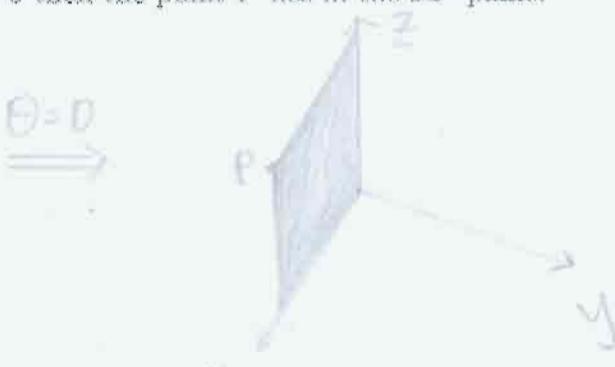


4. For the cylindrical coordinates, if $\theta = 0$ then the point P lies in the xz -plane.



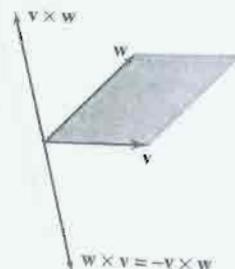
$$\Theta = 0$$

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5. Let \mathbf{v} and \mathbf{w} be vectors. $\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{w} = \mathbf{w} \times \mathbf{v}$.

F $\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{w}$ and $\mathbf{w} \times \mathbf{v}$ point in opposite directions by the right-hand rule and thus $\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{w} = -\mathbf{w} \times \mathbf{v}$.



6. The curvature of a circle of radius R is $1/R$.

T Refer to the example 2 of section 14.4 in your textbook. (page 744)

7. Let $f(x, y)$ be a function of two variables. If the partial derivative $f_x(a, b)$ and $f_y(a, b)$ exist, $f(x, y)$ is differentiable at (a, b) .

F Let $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} 0, & xy \neq 0 \\ 1, & xy = 0 \end{cases}$
 $\Rightarrow f_x(0, 0) = 0, f_y(0, 0) = 0$
but $f(x, y)$ is not continuous at $(0, 0)$
 $\Rightarrow f(x, y)$ is not differentiable at $(0, 0)$

8. \mathbf{w} is orthogonal to \mathbf{u} and \mathbf{v} , then \mathbf{w} is orthogonal to $\mathbf{u} \times \mathbf{v}$.

F Counterexample:

Let $\mathbf{u} = \langle 1, 4, 5 \rangle, \mathbf{v} = \langle -2, -1, 2 \rangle$
 $\mathbf{w} = \langle 26, -24, 14 \rangle$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{w} \perp \mathbf{u}$ and $\mathbf{w} \perp \mathbf{v}$
And $\mathbf{u} \times \mathbf{v} = \langle 13, -12, 7 \rangle$
But $\mathbf{w} \parallel \mathbf{u} \times \mathbf{v}$.

9. $\mathbf{r}(t)$ and $\mathbf{r}'(t)$ are orthogonal to each other.

F Refer to the example 6 of section 14.2
in your textbook. (page 732)

Counterexample:

$$\vec{r}(t) = (t, t), \vec{r}'(t) = (1, 1)$$

$$\vec{r}(t) \cdot \vec{r}'(t) = 2t \neq 0 \text{ if } t \neq 0$$

10. A differentiable function increases at the rate $\|\nabla f_p\|$ in the direction of ∇f_p .

T $D_u f(p) = \|\nabla f_p\| \cos \theta$, where θ is the angle between u and ∇f_p .

If u is the direction of ∇f_p then $\theta=0$ and

$$D_u f(p) = \|\nabla f(p)\|.$$

填充題 (40 points), 每題 5 分。(請依題號順序依序寫在答案卷第一頁上)

1. Compute the derivative $g_{yyx}(1, 0)$ with $g(x, y) = xye^{-y}$.

Answer : -2

$$\therefore g_y(x, y) = xe^{-y}(1-y)$$

$$g_{yy}(x, y) = xe^{-y}(y-2)$$

$$g_{yyx}(x, y) = e^{-y}(y-2)$$

$$\therefore g_{yyx}(1, 0) = e^{-0}(0-2) = -2$$

2. Assume that $f(2, 3) = 8$, $f_x(2, 3) = 5$, and $f_y(2, 3) = 7$. Estimate $f(2, 3.1)$.

Answer : 8.7

The linear approximation at $(2, 3)$ is

$$\begin{aligned} f(2+h, 3+k) &\approx f(2, 3) + f_x(2, 3)h + f_y(2, 3)k \\ &\approx 8 + 5h + 7k \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow f(2, 3.1) &\approx 8 + 5 \cdot 0 + 7 \cdot 0.1 \\ &\approx 8.7 \end{aligned}$$

3. What is the largest value that the directional derivative of $f(x, y, z) = xyz$ can have at the point $(1, 1, 1)$? Answer : $\sqrt{3}$.

By the properties of the dot product,

$D_u f(1, 1, 1) = \nabla f_p \cdot u = \|\nabla f_p\| \cos \theta$, where u is unit vector and θ is the angle between $\nabla f(1, 1, 1)$ and u . Therefore, $D_u f(1, 1, 1)$ has the largest possible value when $\theta = 0$, that is, when u points in the direction of ∇f_p .

$$\therefore \nabla f = \langle yz, xz, xy \rangle \Rightarrow \nabla f(1, 1, 1) = \langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle$$

$$\therefore D_u f(1, 1, 1) = \sqrt{1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2} \cdot \cos 0 = \sqrt{3}$$

4. Find the area of the triangle with vertices $P(1, 1, 5)$, $Q(3, 4, 3)$ and $R(1, 5, 7)$.

Answer : $\sqrt{69}$.

$$\vec{PQ} = (2, 3, -2)$$

$$\vec{PR} = (0, 4, 2)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta PQR &= \frac{1}{2} \|\vec{PQ} \times \vec{PR}\| \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \|(14, -4, 8)\| \\ &= \sqrt{69}\end{aligned}$$

5. Find the decomposition $\mathbf{a} = \mathbf{a}_{\parallel} + \mathbf{a}_{\perp}$ with respect to \mathbf{b} where $\mathbf{a} = \langle 3, 1, 1 \rangle$ and $\mathbf{b} = \langle 5, 2, 1 \rangle$. Answer : _____.

$$\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = \langle 3, 1, 1 \rangle \cdot \langle 5, 2, 1 \rangle = 18$$

$$\vec{b} \cdot \vec{b} = \langle 5, 2, 1 \rangle \cdot \langle 5, 2, 1 \rangle = 30$$

$$\vec{a}_{\parallel} = \left(\frac{\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}}{\vec{b} \cdot \vec{b}} \right) \vec{b} = \frac{18}{30} \langle 5, 2, 1 \rangle = \langle 3, \frac{6}{5}, \frac{3}{5} \rangle$$

$$\vec{a}_{\perp} = \vec{a} - \vec{a}_{\parallel}$$

$$= \langle 3, 1, 1 \rangle - \langle 3, \frac{6}{5}, \frac{3}{5} \rangle = \langle 0, -\frac{1}{5}, -\frac{2}{5} \rangle$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{a} = \vec{a}_{\parallel} + \vec{a}_{\perp} = \langle 3, \frac{6}{5}, \frac{3}{5} \rangle + \langle 0, -\frac{1}{5}, -\frac{2}{5} \rangle$$

6. Find the intersection of the line $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle 2, -1, -1 \rangle + t \langle 1, 2, -4 \rangle$ and the plane $2x + y = 3$. Answer : (2, -1, -1)

\therefore The parametric equations of the line are
 $x = 2 + t, y = -1 + 2t, z = -1 - 4t$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore 2x + y &= 3 \Rightarrow 2(2+t) + (-1+2t) = 3 \\ &\Rightarrow 4t = 0 \\ &\Rightarrow t = 0\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Thus } x = 2, y = -1, z = -1.$$

7. Let $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle 3t+1, 4t-5, 2t \rangle$. Find the arc length parametrization of $\mathbf{r}(t)$.

Answer : $\langle \frac{3s}{\sqrt{29}} + 1, \frac{4s}{\sqrt{29}} - 5, \frac{2s}{\sqrt{29}} \rangle$

$$\because \mathbf{r}'(t) = \langle 3, 4, 2 \rangle \rightarrow \|\mathbf{r}'(t)\| = \sqrt{29}$$

\therefore the arc length function is

$$s(t) = \int_0^t \|\mathbf{r}'(t)\| dt = \int_0^t \sqrt{29} dt = \sqrt{29}t$$

The inverse of $s(t) = \sqrt{29}t$ is $t = \varphi(s) = \frac{s}{\sqrt{29}}$

\therefore We obtain the following arc length parametrization

$$\mathbf{r}_1(s) = \mathbf{r}\left(\frac{s}{\sqrt{29}}\right) = \left\langle \frac{3s}{\sqrt{29}} + 1, \frac{4s}{\sqrt{29}} - 5, \frac{2s}{\sqrt{29}} \right\rangle$$

As a check, we verify that $\mathbf{r}_1(s)$ has unit speed:

$$\mathbf{r}'_1(s) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{29}} \langle 3, 4, 2 \rangle \text{ and } \|\mathbf{r}'_1(s)\| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{29}} \|\langle 3, 4, 2 \rangle\| = 1$$

8. Find the directional derivative of $f(x, y, z) = xy + z^3$ at $p = (3, -2, -1)$ in the direction pointing to the origin. Answer : $\frac{15}{\sqrt{14}}$.

The direction vector $V = \vec{PO} = \langle -3, 2, 1 \rangle$

$$\Rightarrow U = \frac{V}{\|V\|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{14}} \langle -3, 2, 1 \rangle$$

$$\because \nabla f = \langle y, x, 3z^2 \rangle \Rightarrow \nabla f_{(3, -2, -1)} = \langle -2, 3, 3 \rangle$$

\therefore the directional derivative is

$$D_u f_{(3, -2, -1)} = \nabla f_{(3, -2, -1)} \cdot U = \langle -2, 3, 3 \rangle \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{14}} \langle -3, 2, 1 \rangle$$

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$$= \frac{15}{\sqrt{14}}$$

計算問答證明題(50 points)，每題 10 分，請依題號順序依序寫在答案卷上，可以用中文或英文作答。請詳列計算過程，否則不予計分。需標明題號但不必抄題。

1. (10 points) Find an equation of the plane determined by the points $(1, 0, -1)$, $(2, 2, 1)$, and $(4, 1, 2)$.

Let $P = (1, 0, -1)$

$Q = (2, 2, 1)$

$R = (4, 1, 2)$

$\therefore \overrightarrow{PQ} = \langle 1, 2, 2 \rangle$

$\overrightarrow{PR} = \langle 3, 1, 3 \rangle$

$n = \overrightarrow{PQ} \times \overrightarrow{PR} = \begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = \langle 4, 3, -5 \rangle$

Thus the equation of the plane is

$4x + 3y - 5z = d$,

where $d = n \cdot \vec{OP} = \langle 4, 3, -5 \rangle \cdot \langle 1, 0, -1 \rangle$
 $= 9$

\therefore The equation is $4x + 3y - 5z = 9$.

(or $4(x-1) + 3(y-0) - 5(z+1) = 0$)

2. (10 points) Let $f(x, y) = \frac{xy^2}{x^2 + y^2}$ for $(x, y) \neq (0, 0)$. Is it possible to define $f(0, 0)$ in a way that makes f continuous at the origin? Explain your answer and show your reasons. (Hint: Let $x = r \cos \theta$ and $y = r \sin \theta$.)

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x, y) = \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy^2}{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let } x &= r \cos \theta \\ y &= r \sin \theta \end{aligned} \quad \begin{aligned} \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} & \frac{r \cos \theta (r \sin \theta)^2}{(r \cos \theta)^2 + (r \sin \theta)^2} \\ &= \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} r \cos \theta \sin^2 \theta \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x, y) = 0$$

∴ We define $f(0, 0) = 0$

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

is continuous at the origin.

3. (10 points) Find an equation of tangent plane to the surface $x^2 + 3y^2 + 4z^2 = 20$ at $P = (2, 2, 1)$.

Let $F(x, y, z) = x^2 + 3y^2 + 4z^2$.

Then $\nabla F = \langle 2x, 6y, 8z \rangle$

$\nabla F_P = \nabla F(2, 2, 1) = \langle 4, 12, 8 \rangle$

The vector ∇F_P is normal to $F(x, y, z) = 20$.

so the tangent plane has equation

$$4(x-2) + 12(y-2) + 8(z-1) = 0$$

i.e. $x + 3y + 2z = 10$

4. (10 points) Let $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle x(t), y(t), z(t) \rangle$ be a path with curvature $k(t)$ and define the scaled path $\mathbf{r}_1(t) = \langle \lambda x(t), \lambda y(t), \lambda z(t) \rangle$, where $\lambda > 0$ is a constant. $k_1(t)$ is the curvature of $\mathbf{r}_1(t)$. Prove that $k_1(t) = \frac{1}{\lambda} k(t)$.

By the Theorem 1 in Section 14.4 (Page 754)

If $\vec{r}(t)$ is a regular parametrization, then the curvature at $\vec{r}(t)$ is $k(t) = \frac{\|\vec{r}'(t) \times \vec{r}''(t)\|}{\|\vec{r}'(t)\|^3}$

We use the above equation:

$$k_1(t) = \frac{\|\vec{r}_1'(t) \times \vec{r}_1''(t)\|}{\|\vec{r}_1'(t)\|^3} \quad \text{and} \quad k(t) = \frac{\|\vec{r}'(t) \times \vec{r}''(t)\|}{\|\vec{r}'(t)\|^3}$$

$$\because \vec{r}_1'(t) = \lambda \vec{r}'(t)$$

$$\vec{r}_1''(t) = \lambda \vec{r}''(t)$$

$$\therefore \|\vec{r}_1'(t) \times \vec{r}_1''(t)\| = \|\lambda \vec{r}'(t) \times \lambda \vec{r}''(t)\| = \lambda^2 \|\vec{r}'(t) \times \vec{r}''(t)\|$$

$$\|\vec{r}_1'(t)\| = |\lambda| \|\vec{r}'(t)\|$$

Thus we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} k_1(t) &= \frac{\|\vec{r}_1'(t) \times \vec{r}_1''(t)\|}{\|\vec{r}_1'(t)\|^3} = \frac{\lambda^2 \|\vec{r}'(t) \times \vec{r}''(t)\|}{|\lambda|^3 \|\vec{r}'(t)\|^3} \\ &= \frac{1}{|\lambda|} \frac{\|\vec{r}'(t) \times \vec{r}''(t)\|}{\|\vec{r}'(t)\|^3} \\ &= \frac{1}{|\lambda|} k(t) \underset{(\lambda > 0)}{=} \frac{1}{\lambda} k(t). \end{aligned}$$

5. (10 points) Find the points on the graph of $z = 3x^2 - 4y^2$ at which the vector $\mathbf{n} = \langle 3, 2, 2 \rangle$ is normal to the tangent plane and the equation of that tangent plane.

Let $P = (a, b, f(a, b))$

\Rightarrow the tangent plane at P on $z = f(x, y)$ is

$$z = f(a, b) + f_x(a, b)(x-a) + f_y(a, b)(y-b)$$

$$\Rightarrow f_x(a, b)(x-a) + f_y(a, b)(y-b) - z + f(a, b) = 0$$

Let $V = \langle f_x(a, b), f_y(a, b), -1 \rangle$ be the normal vector to the tangent plane at P

Since we want $\mathbf{n} = \langle 3, 2, 2 \rangle$ to be normal to the plane

$$\therefore V \parallel \mathbf{n}$$

$$\because f_x(x, y) = 6x \Rightarrow f_x(a, b) = 6a$$

$$f_y(x, y) = -8y \Rightarrow f_y(a, b) = -8b$$

$$\therefore \frac{6a}{3} = \frac{-8b}{2} = \frac{-1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow a = -\frac{1}{4}, b = \frac{1}{8}$$

$$\therefore z = 3(-\frac{1}{4})^2 - 4(\frac{1}{8})^2 = \frac{1}{8}$$

Thus $P = (-\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{8})$ and the equation of the tangent plane is $3(x + \frac{1}{4}) + 2(y - \frac{1}{8}) + 2(z - \frac{1}{8}) = 0$
 (i.e. $3x + 2y + 2z = -\frac{1}{4}$)

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