

21-268 (Spring) Multidimensional Calculus Lec.1
Midterm #2

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This exam has 6 independent questions. You are only required to chose and answer 5 of them to get a full 50/50. If you do more, one third of your lowest question score will be added as bonus to your grade.

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All answers should be justified, unless otherwise stated. Clarity of your statements and care taken in your writing and presentation will be taken into account when grading.

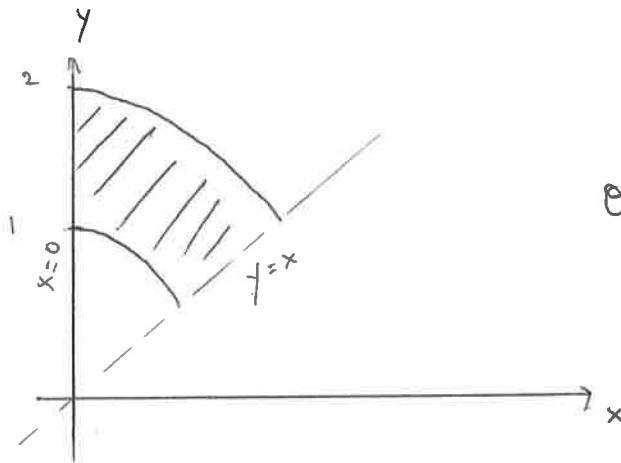
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Question	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Points	10	10	10	10	10	10	50
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1. (10 points) Let R be the region in the first quadrant of the plane that is bounded by the curves $y = x$, $x = 0$, $x^2 + y^2 = 1$, and $x^2 + y^2 = 4$. Compute the integral

$$\iint_R (x^2 + y^2)^{1/4} x \, dA.$$



$$r \in (1, 2)$$

$$\theta \in \left(\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \iint_R (x^2 + y^2)^{1/4} x \, dA \\ &= \int_1^2 \int_{\pi/4}^{\pi/2} r^{1/2} r \cos \theta \, r \, d\theta \, dr \\ &= \left[\sin \theta \right]_{\pi/4}^{\pi/2} \left[\frac{2}{7} r^{7/2} \right]_1^2 \\ &= \frac{2}{7} \left(1 - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right) (2^{7/2} - 1). \end{aligned}$$

2. Let $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$ and $[a, b] = [0.1, 2]$. Assume that $x_0 = 0.1 < x_1 < \dots < x_n = 2$ and let $h = \max(x_1 - x_0, x_2 - x_1, \dots, x_n - x_{n-1})$.

(a) (4 points) Let $m_i = \sqrt{x_{i-1}x_i}$. Show that

$$\sum_{i=1}^n f(m_i)(x_i - x_{i-1}) = 9.5.$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{x_i - x_{i-1}}{x_{i-1}x_i} = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{x_{i-1}} - \frac{1}{x_i} = \frac{1}{x_0} - \frac{1}{x_1} + \frac{1}{x_1} - \frac{1}{x_2} + \dots - \frac{1}{x_n} = \frac{1}{x_0} - \frac{1}{x_n}$$

$$= \frac{1}{a} - \frac{1}{b}$$

$$= 10 - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= 9.5$$

(b) (6 points) Let $x_i^* \in [x_{i-1}, x_i]$ for $i = 1, \dots, n$. For any $\epsilon > 0$ find $\delta > 0$ such that $0 < h < \delta$ implies

$$\left| \sum_{i=1}^n f(x_i^*)(x_i - x_{i-1}) - 9.5 \right| < \epsilon.$$

Remark for fun: this proves that $\int_{0.1}^2 x^{-2} dx = 9.5 = [-1/x]_{0.1}^2$ as we already knew.

$$\left| \sum_{i=1}^n f(x_i^*)(x_i - x_{i-1}) - 9.5 \right|$$

$$= \left| \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{x_i^{*2}} (x_i - x_{i-1}) - \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{x_{i-1}x_i} (x_i - x_{i-1}) \right|$$

$$= \left| \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{x_i^{*2}} - \frac{1}{x_{i-1}x_i} \right) (x_i - x_{i-1}) \right| \quad (*)$$

$$| \leq \frac{x_{i-1}x_i - (x_i^*)^2}{(x_i^{*2})(x_{i-1}x_i)} \leq \frac{x_{i-1}x_i - (x_i^*)^2}{a^4}$$

$$\leq \frac{x_i^2 - (x_{i-1})^2}{a^4}$$

$$\leq \frac{(x_i - x_{i-1})(x_i + x_{i-1})}{a^4} \leq 4$$

$$\text{so } (*) \leq \frac{4h}{a^4} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i - x_{i-1} = \frac{4h}{a^4} (b-a).$$

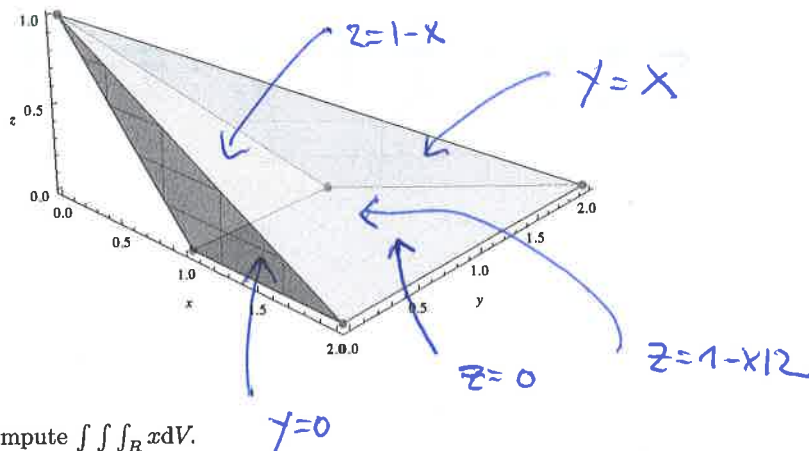
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$$\text{So } (*) < \epsilon \text{ provided } h < \frac{a^4 \epsilon}{4(b-a)}$$

3. Let R be the region in the first octant (i.e. $x, y, z \geq 0$) bounded by the planes

$$z = 1 - x, \quad z = 1 - x/2, \quad y = 0, \quad y = x.$$

(a) (2 points) Below is a picture of R . Identify clearly to which plane each face corresponds



(b) (8 points) Compute $\iiint_R x \, dV$.

The easiest order seems to be $\iiint \dots \, dy \, dx \, dz$ (or $dx \, dy \, dz$)

• z takes values between 0 and 1.

• Once z is fixed there, x goes between 1 and $2-2z$

• Once x is fixed there, y goes between 0 and x .

$$\text{So } \iiint_R x \, dV = \int_0^1 \int_{1-z}^{2-2z} \int_0^x x \, dy \, dx \, dz$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_{1-z}^{2-2z} x^2 \, dx \, dz = \frac{1}{3} \int_0^1 ((2-2z)^3 - (1-z)^3) \, dz$$

$$= \frac{7}{3} \int_0^1 (1-z)^3 \, dz$$

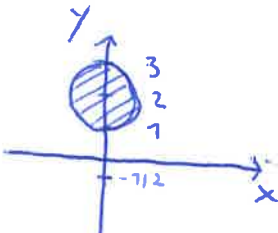
$$= -\frac{7}{12} [(1-z)^4]_0^1 = \frac{7}{12}$$

4. Let $f(x, y) = x^2 + 2y^2 + 2y$ and $D = \{(x, y) : x^2 + (y - 2)^2 \leq 1\}$.

(a) (2 points) Why does f have points of absolute minimum and absolute maximum on D ?

Because f is continuous on D compact (closed & bdd).

(b) (8 points) Find them and their corresponding values.


We first look for critical points. $\vec{\nabla} f(x, y) = \begin{pmatrix} 2x \\ 4y+2 \end{pmatrix}$ 

so critical points are $\{(0, -\frac{1}{2})\}$ but this is not in D so extrema cannot be reached in the interior of D .

We now investigate the boundary of D : $x^2 + (y-2)^2 = 1$, can be parametrized by $x = \pm \sqrt{1 - (y-2)^2}$, $y \in [1, 3]$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{There, } f(x, y) &= f(\pm \sqrt{1 - (y-2)^2}, y) = 1 - (y-2)^2 + 2y^2 + 2y \\ &= 1 - y^2 + 4y - 4 + 2y^2 + 2y \\ &= -3 + 6y + y^2 \\ &=: g(y) \end{aligned}$$

$$g'(y) = 6 + 2y$$

y	1	3
$g'(y)$	+	
$g(y)$		

So it only remains

$$\begin{aligned} \min_D f &= g(1) = f(0, 1) \\ &= 4. \end{aligned}$$

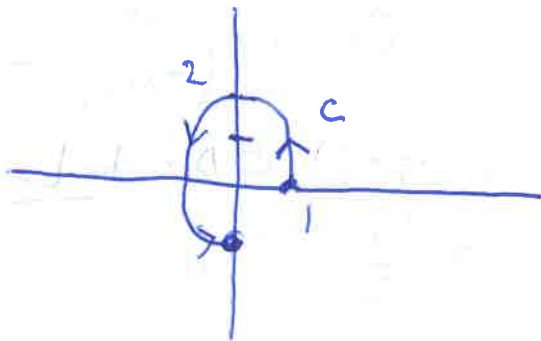
$$\begin{aligned} \max_D f &= g(3) = f(0, 3) \\ &= 24. \end{aligned}$$

5. (10 points) Let

$$C = \left\{ (x, y) : x^2 + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1 \right\} \setminus \{ (x, y) : x > 0 > y \}.$$

oriented from $(1, 0)$ towards $(0, -2)$. Let $\vec{F}(x, y) = xy\vec{i} + 3y^2\vec{j}$. Compute

$$\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}.$$



Param. of C : $\vec{r}(\theta) = \overbrace{\cos\theta}^{x(\theta)}\vec{i} + \overbrace{2\sin\theta}^{y(\theta)}\vec{j}$, $\theta \in (0, \frac{3\pi}{2})$

so that $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_C xy dx + \int_C 3y^2 dy$

$$= \int_0^{\frac{3\pi}{2}} 2\cos\theta \sin\theta \underbrace{(-\sin\theta)}_{x'(\theta)} d\theta + \int_0^{\frac{3\pi}{2}} 12\sin^2\theta \times \underbrace{2\cos\theta}_{y'(\theta)} d\theta$$

$$= 2 \int_0^{\frac{3\pi}{2}} \cos\theta \sin\theta (-\sin\theta + 12\sin\theta) d\theta$$

$$= 22 \int_0^{\frac{3\pi}{2}} \underbrace{\cos\theta}_{u'} \underbrace{\sin^2\theta}_{u^2} d\theta = \frac{22}{3} [\sin^3\theta]_0^{\frac{3\pi}{2}} = -\frac{22}{3}.$$

6. (10 points) Assume that $g(t, x)$ defines a C^1 function and let

$$u(t, x) = \int_{xe^{-t}}^x \underbrace{g(t + \ln(y) - \ln(x), y)}_{\text{called } F(t, y, x)} \frac{1}{y} dy$$

for $t \in \mathbb{R}, x > 0$. Show that

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t}(t, x) + x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(t, x) = g(t, x).$$

Remark for fun: in the context of partial differential equations, we solved a 1D transport equation with velocity x , with initial data $u(0, \cdot) \equiv 0$ and source term g .

By the short extension of Leibniz's rule as in #w#10, applied twice

x is fixed here

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}(t, x) &= \underbrace{\left(\frac{\partial x}{\partial t} \right)}_{=0} \left(\int_{xe^{-t}}^x \dots \right) - \frac{\partial(xe^{-t})}{\partial t} \underbrace{g(t + \ln(xe^{-t}) - \ln(x), xe^{-t})}_{\text{what is inside the integral with } y = xe^{-t}, \text{ i.e. } F(t, xe^{-t}, x)} \frac{1}{xe^{-t}} \\ &\quad + \int_{xe^{-t}}^x \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left(g(t + \ln(y) - \ln(x), y) \frac{1}{y} \right) dy \\ &= \cancel{xe^{-t} g(t-t, xe^{-t}) \frac{1}{xe^{-t}}} + \int_{xe^{-t}}^x \frac{\partial g}{\partial t}(t + \ln(\frac{y}{x}), y) \frac{1}{y} dy. \end{aligned}$$

t is fixed here

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(t, x) &= 1 \times \underbrace{g(t, x) \frac{1}{x}}_{F(t, x, x)} - \cancel{e^{-t} g(t-t, xe^{-t}) \frac{1}{xe^{-t}}} \underbrace{F(t, xe^{-t}, x)} \\ &\quad + \int_{xe^{-t}}^x \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(g(t + \ln(y) - \ln(x), y) \frac{1}{y} \right) dy \\ &= \frac{g(t, x)}{x} - \frac{g(0, xe^t)}{x} + \int_{xe^{-t}}^x \frac{\partial g}{\partial x}(t + \ln(\frac{y}{x}), y) \left(-\frac{1}{x} \right) \frac{1}{y} dy \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{so } \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right)(t, x) &= \cancel{g(0, xe^t) - g(0, xe^t)} + \int - \int \\ &\quad + g(t, x) = g(t, x) \end{aligned}$$

