

**FALL 2012 — MA 227 — FINAL EXAM**  
**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 08, 2012**

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THERE ARE 10 QUESTIONS, EACH WORTH 11 POINTS; 100 (OR MORE) POINTS IS EQUIVALENT TO 100% FOR THE EXAM. PARTIAL CREDIT IS AWARDED WHERE APPROPRIATE. SHOW ALL WORKING; YOUR SOLUTION MUST INCLUDE ENOUGH DETAIL TO JUSTIFY ANY CONCLUSIONS YOU REACH IN ANSWERING THE QUESTION.

1. (a) Find the equation of the plane containing the points  $(1, -1, 2)$ ,  $(1, 1, -1)$  and  $(-1, 0, 1)$ .  
(b) Let  $\mathbf{r}(t) = (t^3, 1, e^{t^2-1})$ . Find the unit tangent vector at the point on the curve corresponding to  $t = 1$ .

2. (a) Find the directional derivative of the function  $f(x, y, z) = xz - yz^2$  in the direction of the vector  $\vec{v} = \vec{i} + \vec{j} - 2\vec{k} = \langle 1, 1, -2 \rangle$  at the point  $(-1, 0, 1)$ .
- (b) Find the maximum rate of change of  $f(x, y) = xy^3 - 4\sqrt{x}$  at the point  $(1, -1)$ . In which direction does it occur?

3. (a) Let  $z = y^2 - x^3y$ . Find the equation of the tangent plane at the point  $(1, -2)$ .  
(b) Find equation of the tangent plane to the surface  $x^2 + 2y - xz^2 = 4$  at the point  $(1, 2, 1)$ .

4. Find the local maximum, minimum and saddle points (if any) of the function

$$f(x, y) = x^2 - 4xy + y^2 - 2y + 2.$$

5. (a) Find the linear approximation for the function

$$f(x, y) = ye^{x-2} - x^2y^3$$

near the point  $(2, 1)$ .

- (b) Let  $f(x, y) = x^2y - e^y$  and  $x = s - t$ ,  $y = s^2t$ . Find the partial derivatives  $\partial f/\partial s$  and  $\partial f/\partial t$ . You don't need to simplify your answer!

6. Find the absolute maximum and absolute minimum points of the function

$$f(x, y) = x^2 - y^2 + y$$

on the region  $0 \leq x \leq 1$ ,  $-1 \leq y \leq 1$ . Be sure to provide the coordinates of the points and the values of absolute maximum and minimum.

7. Evaluate the integral

$$\iint_D (x - y)^3 \sin(x + 2y) \, dA$$

where  $D$  is the parallelogram enclosed by the lines  $x - y = 0$ ,  $x - y = 1$ ,  $x + 2y = 0$ , and  $x + 2y = \frac{\pi}{4}$ . Use the change of the variables  $u = x - y$ ,  $v = x + 2y$ .

8. (a) Switch the order of integration in the iterated integral

$$\int_0^1 \left[ \int_{x^2}^x f(x, y) dy \right] dx.$$

- (b) Using a double integral, find the area of the triangle with vertices  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(1, 1)$ ,  $(0, 2)$ .



9. (a) Change  $(1, -\sqrt{3}, -2\sqrt{3})$  from rectangular into spherical coordinates.  
(b) Using spherical coordinates evaluate

$$\int \int \int_E (x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^2 dV,$$

where  $E$  is the half-ball  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \leq 1$ ,  $x \leq 0$ .

10. Use polar coordinates to find the mass of the lamina that lies within the region  $x^2 + y^2 \leq 4$ ,  $0 \leq x \leq y$ , if the material in the lamina has density (mass per unit volume) given by  $\rho(x, y) = x^2 + y^2$ .