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Problem 1) TF questions (20 points) No justifications needed

- 1) T F The length of the sum of two vectors is always the sum of the length of the vectors.

Solution:

There is a triangle inequality in general. But equality only holds for parallel vectors pointing in the same direction

- 2) T F For any three vectors, $\vec{v} \times (\vec{w} + \vec{u}) = \vec{w} \times \vec{v} + \vec{u} \times \vec{v}$.

Solution:

The cross product is distributive but not commutative.

- 3) T F The set of points which satisfy $x^2 + 2x + y^2 - z^2 = 0$ is a cone.

Solution:

$x^2 + y^2 - z^2 = 0$ is a cone. Completion of the square adds an other constant and the surface is a one sheeted hyperboloid.

- 4) T F The functions $\sqrt{x + y - 1}$ and $\log(x + y - 1)$ have the same domain of definition.

Solution:

The square root is defined for 0, but the logarithm is not defined at 0.

- 5) T F If P, Q, R are 3 different points in space that don't lie in a line, then $\vec{PQ} \times \vec{RQ}$ is a vector orthogonal to the plane containing P, Q, R .

Solution:

The vectors \vec{PQ} and \vec{RQ} are both in the plane. The cross product is perpendicular to the plane.

- 6) T F The line $\vec{r}(t) = \langle 1 + 2t, 1 + 3t, 1 + 4t \rangle$ hits the plane $2x + 3y + 4z = 9$ at a right angle.

Solution:

The vector $\langle 2, 3, 4 \rangle$ is in the line and perpendicular to the plane.

- 7) T F The graph of $f(x, y) = \cos(xy)$ is a level surface of a function $g(x, y, z)$.

Solution:

Yes, it is the surface $g(x, y, z) = c$ for the function $g(x, y, z) = z - \cos(xy)$ and the constant $c = 0$.

- 8) T F For any two vectors, $\vec{v} \times \vec{w} = \vec{w} \times \vec{v}$.

Solution:

The cross product is anti commutative.

- 9) T F If $|\vec{v} \times \vec{w}| = 0$ for all vectors \vec{w} , then $\vec{v} = \vec{0}$.

Solution:

Assume \vec{v} is not $\vec{0}$, then take \vec{w} as a vector which is perpendicular to \vec{v} .

- 10) T F If \vec{u} and \vec{v} are orthogonal vectors, then $(\vec{u} \times \vec{v}) \times \vec{u}$ is parallel to \vec{v} .

Solution:

The vector in question is perpendicular to \vec{u} and perpendicular to $\vec{u} \times \vec{v}$. Also \vec{v} is perpendicular to \vec{u} and \vec{v} .

- 11) T F Every vector contained in the line $\vec{r}(t) = \langle 1 + 2t, 1 + 3t, 1 + 4t \rangle$ is parallel to the vector $\langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle$.

Solution:

The line contains the point $(1, 1, 1)$ and a vector $\langle 2, 3, 4 \rangle$.

- 12) T F The curvature of the curve $2\vec{r}(4t)$ at $t = 0$ is twice the curvature of the curve $\vec{r}(t)$ at $t = 0$.

Solution:

The curvature of the first curve is $1/2$ of the curvature of the second curve.

- 13) T F The set of points which satisfy $x^2 - 2y^2 - 3z^2 = 0$ form an ellipsoid.

Solution:

The surface is an elliptical cone.

- 14) T F If $\vec{v} \times \vec{w} = (0, 0, 0)$, then $\vec{v} = \vec{w}$.

Solution:

The two vectors can be parallel and nonzero.

- 15) T F Every vector contained in the line $\vec{r}(t) = \langle 1 + 2t, 1 + 3t, 1 + 4t \rangle$ is parallel to the vector $\langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle$.

Solution:

It is parallel to $\langle 2, 3, 4 \rangle$

- 16) T F Two nonzero vectors are parallel if and only if their cross product is $\vec{0}$.

Solution:

You can use the formula $|\vec{v} \times \vec{w}| = |\vec{v}||\vec{w}|\sin(\alpha)$. If this is zero, then either one of the vectors is the zero vector or $\sin(\alpha) = 0$. In all cases, this can be considered parallel.

- 17) T F The function $u(x, t) = x^2/2 + t$ satisfies the heat equation $u_t = u_{xx}$.

Solution:

Just differentiate.

- 18) T F Any function of three variables $f(x, y, z)$ satisfies the partial differential equation $f_{xyz} + f_{yzx} = 2f_{zxy}$.

Solution:

By Clairot's theorem

- 19) T F If $f_x(x, y) = f_y(x, y)$ for all x, y , then $f(x, y)$ is a constant.

Solution:

$f_x = f_y$ is an example of a PDE called a transport equation. It has solutions like for example $f(x, y) = x + y$. Any function which stays invariant by replacing x with y is a solution: like $f(x, y) = \sin(xy) + x^5y^5$.

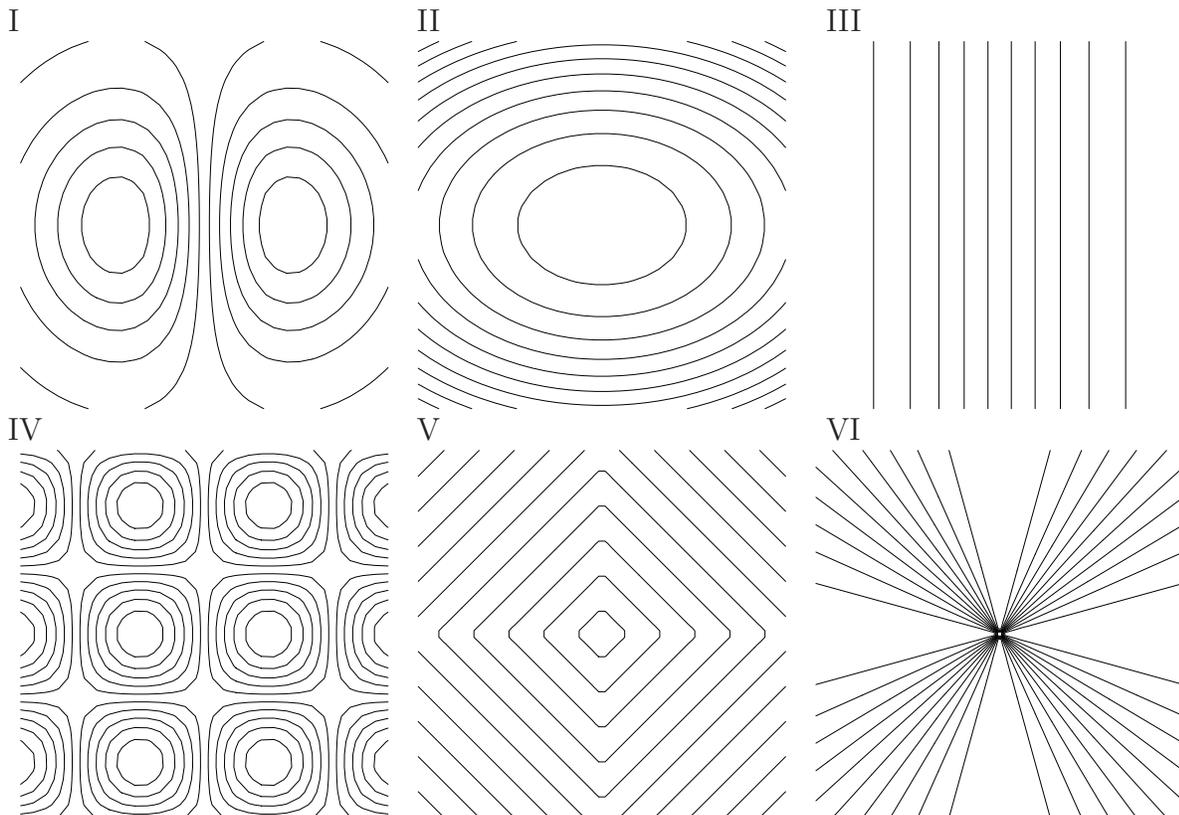
- 20) T F The value of the function $f(x, y) = \sin(-x + 2y)$ at $(0.001, -0.002)$ can by linear approximation be estimated as -0.003 .

Solution:

The correct approximation would be $f(0, 0) + 0.001(-1) - 0.002(2) = -0.005$.

Problem 2a) (5 points)

Match the contour maps with the corresponding functions $f(x, y)$ of two variables. No justifications are needed.



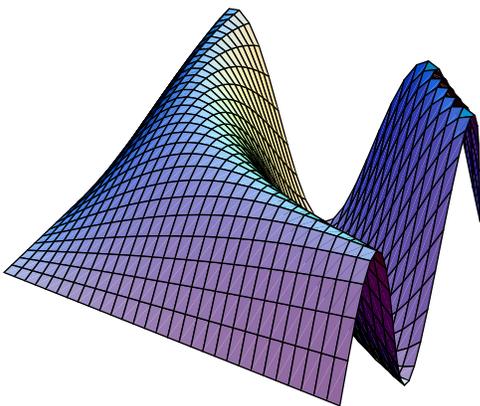
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	$f(x, y) = \sin(x) \cos(y)$
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Solution:

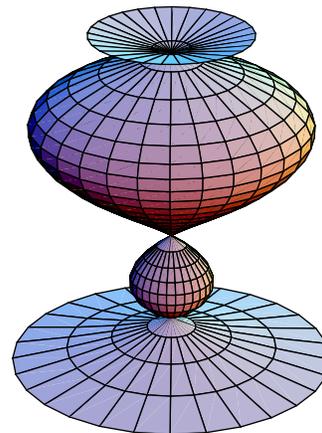
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Problem 2b) (5 points)

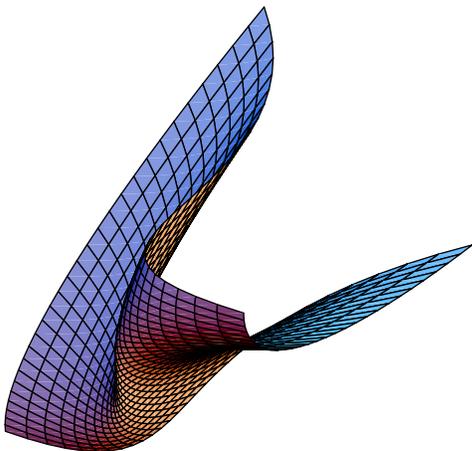
Match the parametric surfaces with their parameterization. No justification is needed.



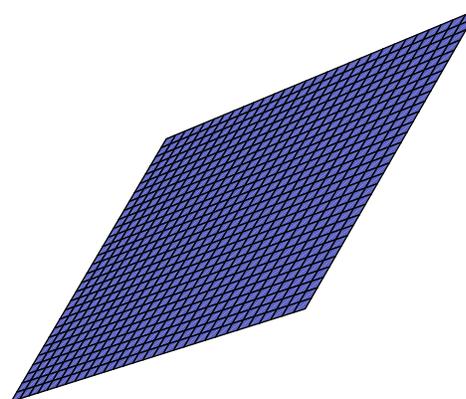
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IV

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	$(u, v) \mapsto (u, v, u + v)$
	$(u, v) \mapsto (u, v, \sin(uv))$
	$(u, v) \mapsto (0.2 + u(1 - u^2)) \cos(v), (0.2 + u(1 - u^2)) \sin(v), u$
	$(u, v) \mapsto (u^3, (u - v)^2, v)$

Solution:

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IV	$(u, v) \mapsto (u, v, u + v)$
I	$(u, v) \mapsto (u, v, \sin(uv))$
II	$(u, v) \mapsto (0.2 + u(1 - u^2)) \cos(v), (0.2 + u(1 - u^2)) \sin(v), u$
III	$(u, v) \mapsto (u^3, (u - v)^2, v)$

Surface *I* is a graph.

Surface *II* is a surface of revolution.

Surface *III* is algebraic. One of the traces is (u^3, u^2) , an other trace is the parabola (v^2, v) .

Surface *IV* is a plane.

Problem 3) (10 points)

Use the technique of linear approximation to estimate $f(\log(2) + 0.001, 0.006)$ for $f(x, y) = e^{2x-y}$. (Here, log means the natural logarithm).

Solution:

$$L(x, y) = f(x_0, y_0) + f_x(x_0, y_0)(x - x_0) + f_y(x_0, y_0)(y - y_0)$$

$$f(x_0, y_0) = e^{2 \log 2} = 4$$

$$f_x(x_0, y_0) = 8$$

$$f_y(x_0, y_0) = -4$$

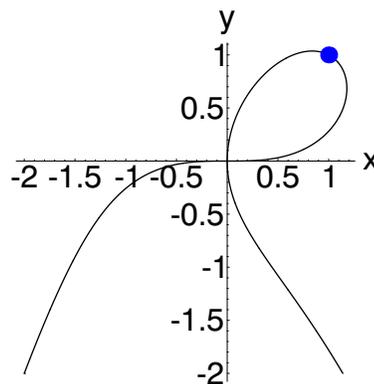
$$L(x, y) = 4 + 0.001 \cdot 8 - 4 \cdot 0.006 = \boxed{3.984}$$

Problem 4) (10 points)

Consider the equation

$$f(x, y) = 2y^3 + x^2y^2 - 4xy + x^4 = 0$$

It defines a curve, which you can see in the picture. Near the point $x = 1, y = 1$, the function can be written as a graph $y = y(x)$. Find the slope of that graph at the point $(1, 1)$.



Solution:

Use the formula for implicit differentiation which is derived from the chain rule $f_x(x, y(x)) \cdot 1 + f_y(x, y(x)) \cdot y'(x) = 0$. The slope is $y'(x) = -f_x(x, y)/f_y(x, y)_{(x,y)} = (1, 1) = -1/2$.

An other possibility to solve this problem is to find the equation of the tangent line which is $f_x(1, 1)(x - 1) + f_y(1, 1)(y - 1) = 0$ and find the slope m by writing this equation as $y = mx + b$. It gives of course the same result.

Problem 5) (10 points)

a) (6 points) Find a parameterization of the line of intersection of the planes $3x - 2y + z = 7$ and $x + 2y + 3z = -3$.

b) (4 points) Find the symmetric equations

$$\frac{x - x_0}{a} = \frac{y - y_0}{b} = \frac{z - z_0}{c}$$

representing that line.

Solution:

a) The line of intersection has the direction $(3, -2, 1) \times (1, 2, 3) = 8(-1, -1, 1)$. The parameterization is $\vec{r}(t) = (1, -2, 0) + t(-1, -1, 1)$.

b) If a line contains the point (x_0, y_0, z_0) and a vector $\langle a, b, c \rangle$, then the symmetric equation is

$$(x - x_0)/a = (y - y_0)/b = (z - z_0)/c .$$

In our case, where $(x_0, y_0, z_0) = (1, -2, 0)$ and $(a, b, c) = (-1, -1, 1)$, the symmetric equations are $x - 1 = y + 2 = -z$.

Problem 6) (10 points)

a) (4 points) Find the area of the parallelogram with vertices $P = (1, 0, 0)$ $Q = (0, 2, 0)$, $R = (0, 0, 3)$ and $S = (-1, 2, 3)$.

b) (3 points) Verify that the triple scalar product has the property $[\vec{u}+\vec{v}, \vec{v}+\vec{w}, \vec{w}+\vec{u}] = 2[\vec{u}, \vec{v}, \vec{w}]$.

c) (3 points) Verify that the triple scalar product $[\vec{u}, \vec{v}, \vec{w}] = \vec{u} \cdot (\vec{v} \times \vec{w})$ has the property

$$|[\vec{u}, \vec{v}, \vec{w}]| \leq \|\vec{u}\| \cdot \|\vec{v}\| \cdot \|\vec{w}\|$$

Solution:

a) One has to realize which vectors form the sides of the parallelogram. The solution is $|\vec{PQ} \times \vec{PR}| = 7$.

b) $[u + v, v + w, w + u] = [u, v, w] + [u, v, u] + [u, w, w] + [u, w, u] + [v, v, w] + [v, v, u] + [v, w, w] + [v, w, u]$. Any term, where two parallel vectors appear is zero. So, only $2[u, v, w]$ remains on the right hand side.

c) Build the parallelepiped spanned by u, v, w and note that one can shear it in such a way that it is contained in the box of size $\|\vec{u}\|$ and $\|\vec{v}\|$ and $\|\vec{w}\|$. You can also see the identity by using angle formulas for the dot product $\vec{v} \cdot \vec{w} = \|\vec{v}\|\|\vec{w}\|\cos(\alpha)$ and the length of the cross product $|\vec{v} \times \vec{w}| = \|\vec{v}\|\|\vec{w}\|\sin(\beta)$

$$|[\vec{u}, \vec{v}, \vec{w}]| \leq \|\vec{u}\|\|\vec{v}\|\|\vec{w}\|\cos(\alpha)\|\sin(\beta)\|$$

where β is the angle between \vec{v} and \vec{w} and where α is the angle $\vec{v} \times \vec{w}$ and \vec{u} .

Problem 7) (10 points)

Find the distance between the two lines

$$\vec{r}_1(t) = \langle t, 2t, -t \rangle$$

and

$$\vec{r}_2(t) = \langle 1 + t, t, t \rangle .$$

Solution:

The point $P = (0, 0, 0)$ is on the first line. The point $Q = (1, 0, 0)$ on the second line. The vector $\vec{v} = \langle 1, 2, -1 \rangle$ in the first line and $\vec{w} = \langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle$ in the second line. We have $\vec{n} = \langle 3, -2, -1 \rangle$. Now, the distance is $3/\sqrt{14}$. $(Q - P) \cdot \vec{n} / |\vec{n}| = \langle 1, 0, 0 \rangle \cdot \langle 3, -2, -1 \rangle / |n| = 3/\sqrt{14}$.

Problem 8) (10 points)

Find an equation for the plane that passes through the origin and whose normal vector is parallel to the line of intersection of the planes $2x + y + z = 4$ and $x + 3y + z = 2$.

Solution:

The line of intersection is parallel to the crossed product of $\vec{v} = \langle 2, 1, 1 \rangle$ and $\vec{w} = \langle 1, 3, 1 \rangle$ which is $\langle -2, -1, 5 \rangle$. This vector is perpendicular to the plane we are looking for. The equation of the plane is $-2x - y + 5z = 0$.

Problem 9) (10 points)

The intersection of the two surfaces $x^2 + \frac{y^2}{2} = 1$ and $z^2 + \frac{y^2}{2} = 1$ consists of two curves.

- a) (4 points) Parameterize each curve in the form $\vec{r}(t) = (x(t), y(t), z(t))$.
- b) (3 points) Set up the integral for the arc length of one of the curves.
- c) (3 points) What is the arc length of this curve?

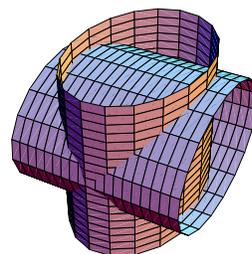
Solution:

a) Fix first $x(t), y(t)$ to satisfy the first equation then get $z(t) = \cos(t)$ by solving the second equation for z .
 $\vec{r}(t) = (\cos(t), \sqrt{2} \sin(t), \pm \cos(t))$.

b) We find the velocity $\vec{r}'(t) = (-\sin(t), \sqrt{2} \cos(t), -\sin(t))$ and then the speed $|\vec{r}'(t)| = \sqrt{\sin^2(t) + 2 \cos^2(t) + \sin^2(t)} = \sqrt{2}$. The length is $\int_0^{2\pi} |\vec{r}'(t)| dt = \int_0^{2\pi} \sqrt{2} dt$. Also an expression like

$\int_0^{2\pi} \sqrt{\sin^2(t) + 2 \cos^2(t) + \sin^2(t)} dt$ is here correct at this stage.

c) Evaluate the integral $2\sqrt{2}\pi$.



Problem 10) (10 points)

- a) (6 points) Find the curvature $\kappa(t)$ of the space curve $\vec{r}(t) = \langle -\cos(t), \sin(t), -2t \rangle$ at the point $\vec{r}(0)$.
- b) (4 points) Find the curvature $\kappa(t)$ of the space curve $\vec{r}(t) = \langle -\cos(5t), \sin(5t), -10t \rangle$ at the point $\vec{r}(0)$.

Hint. Use one of the two formulas for the curvature

$$\kappa(t) = \frac{|\vec{T}'(t)|}{|\vec{r}'(t)|} = \frac{|\vec{r}'(t) \times \vec{r}''(t)|}{|\vec{r}'(t)|^3},$$

where $\vec{T}(t) = \vec{r}'(t)/|\vec{r}'(t)|$. The curvatures in b) can be derived from the curvature in a). There is no need to redo the calculation, but we need a justification.

Solution:

a) We use the second formula for the curvature: $\vec{r}'(t) = \langle \sin(t), \cos(t), -2 \rangle$. $\vec{r}''(t) = \langle \cos(t), -\sin(t), 0 \rangle$. The speed of the curve satisfies $|\vec{r}'(t)| = \sqrt{5}$. The vector $\vec{r}'(t) \times \vec{r}''(t)$ is $(-2\sin(t), -2\cos(t), -1)$ which has length $\sqrt{5}$. therefore, the curvature is constant

$$\boxed{\kappa(t) = 1/5}.$$

b) Because the curvature is independent of the parametrization, the curvature is again $1/5$.