

- 1 Find the maximum and minimum of  $f(x, y, z) = xyz^2$  on the filled ellipsoid  $x^2 + 4y^2 + z^2 \leq 16$  in the following way:
- (a) Find the values of  $f(x, y, z)$  at the critical points inside the ellipsoid (so for points  $(x, y, z)$  with  $x^2 + 4y^2 + z^2 < 16$ ).  
**Hint:** You don't need to describe the set of all critical points, just find the value of  $f(x, y, z)$  at these points.
  - (b) Use the technique of Lagrange multipliers to find the maximum and minimum value of  $f(x, y, z)$  on the ellipsoid  $x^2 + 4y^2 + z^2 = 16$ .
  - (c) Combine your answers to parts (a) and (b) to find the maximum and minimum of  $f(x, y, z)$  on the filled ellipsoid  $x^2 + 4y^2 + z^2 \leq 16$ .