

7/23/2015 SECOND HOURLY PRACTICE III Maths 21a, O.Knill, Summer 2015

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- Provide details to all computations except for problems 1-3.
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- No notes, books, calculators, computers, or other electronic aids can be allowed.
- You have 90 minutes time to complete your work.

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Problem 1) True/False questions (20 points). No justifications needed.

Mark for each of the 20 questions the correct letter. No justifications are needed.

- 1) ☐ T ☒ F The partial differential equation $u_{tt} = u_{xx}$ is an example of a heat equation.

Solution:

Knowledge question. It is the wave equation

- 2) ☒ T ☐ F The level curve $f = 0$ of $f(x, y) = x^2 - y^2$ intersects with the unit circle in 4 points.

Solution:

- 3) ☐ T ☒ F The critical points of D are called the discriminants of $f(x, y)$.

Solution:

This is nonsense. D is the discriminant of the critical point.

- 4) ☒ T ☐ F The relation $f_{xyx}(x, y) = f_{yxx}(x, y)$ holds for all points (x, y) if f is the function $f(x, y) = y^9 \sin(\sin(\cos(\sin(yx^4))))$.

Solution:

This is a consequence of Clairot's theorem.

- 5) ☒ T ☐ F The tangent plane to the surface $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$ at the point $(1, 0, 0)$ is $x = 1$.

Solution:

No need to compute the gradient. This is the unit sphere and at $(1, 0, 0)$ the plane $x = 1$ is tangent. Of course, no harm done by computing the gradient $(2, 0, 0)$ at $(1, 0, 0)$ and get $2x = d$ with finding d by plugging in the point $x = 1$ so that $2x = 2$.

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 Fubini's theorem implies that for any function $f(x, y)$ of two variables, we have $\int_0^1 \int_3^4 f(x, y) \, dx dy = \int_0^1 \int_3^4 f(x, y) \, dy dx$.

Solution:

A counter example is $f(x, y) = y$.

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 If a function $f(x, y)$ has a saddle point at $(0, 0)$ then $D_{\vec{v}}f(0, 0)$ takes positive and negative values at $(0, 0)$.

Solution:

It is constant zero.

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 The integral $\int_{-1}^1 \int_{-\sqrt{1-x^2}}^{\sqrt{1-x^2}} 1 \, dy dx$ is the area of the unit disc.

Solution:

Yes. This is the area in Cartesian coordinates.

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 There is a function $f(x, y)$ for which the linearization at $(0, 0)$ is $L(x, y) = 1 + x^2 + 2y$.

Solution:

The linearization is a linear function and not quadratic.

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 The height of the Mont Blanc is $f(x, y) = 4810 - 2x^2 - y^2$. At height 4810 meters, the directional derivative in the direction $(1, 0)$ is negative.

Solution:

It is a local maximum so that the directional derivatives are zero

- 11)

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 If $\vec{r}(t)$ is a curve on the hyperbolic paraboloid $g(x, y, z) = x^2 - y^2 + z = 10$ then $\nabla g(\vec{r}(t)) \cdot \vec{r}'(t) = 0$.

Solution:

Use the chain rule and the fact that $g(\vec{r}(t))$ is constant so that $d/dtg(\vec{r}(t))$ is zero.

- 12) ☒ T ☐ F If the length $|\nabla f(0, 0)|$ of the gradient is equal to 1, then there is a direction for which the slope of the graph of f at $(0, 0)$ is 1.

Solution:

It is the direction of the gradient

- 13) ☐ T ☒ F If $f(x, y)$ has a local minimum at $(0, 0)$, then the discriminant satisfies $D > 0$ and furthermore $f_{xx} < 0$.

Solution:

Not necessarily. A counter example is $f(x, y) = x^4 + y^4$.

- 14) ☐ T ☒ F $\int_0^1 \int_0^x f(x, y) \, dy dx = \int_0^1 \int_0^y f(x, y) \, dy dx$.

Solution:

The integrals can not be switched.

- 15) ☒ T ☐ F The area of the half disk of radius L in the half plane above the x -axis is $\int_0^\pi \int_0^L r \, dr d\theta$.

Solution:

Yes this is a polar integral.

- 16) ☐ T ☒ F If $f_{xy}(0, 0) = 0$, then f has a local maximum or a local minimum at $(0, 0)$.

Solution:

The example $x^2 - y^2$ is already a counter example.

- 17) ☐ T ☒ F The gradient vector $\nabla f(x, y)$ is a vector in space perpendicular to the graph of $f(x, y)$.

Solution:

Big misconception. This gradient vector is a vector in the plane, not in space.

- 18) T F The surface area of the Gabriel trumpet $r = 1/z, 1 \leq r < \infty$ is finite because the volume of the inside is finite.

Solution:

We have seen in class that it is infinite.

- 19) T F If the directional derivative at a point $(0,0)$ is known in the direction $\langle 1, 1 \rangle / \sqrt{2}$ and $\langle 1, 2 \rangle / \sqrt{5}$ then the gradient $\nabla f(0,0)$ is known.

Solution:

We can compute the gradient $\langle a, b \rangle$ by solving a small system of equations.

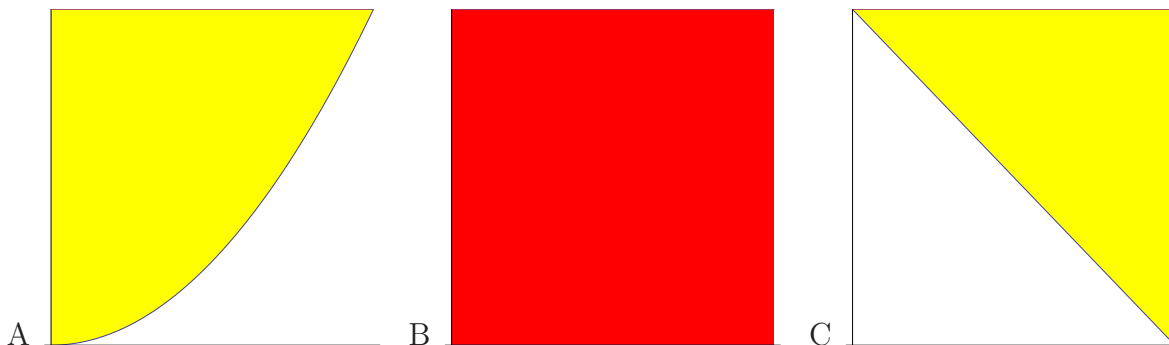
- 20) T F If $f_x(x, y) = f_y(x, y)$ then every critical point (x_0, y_0) of f has zero discriminant $D = 0$.

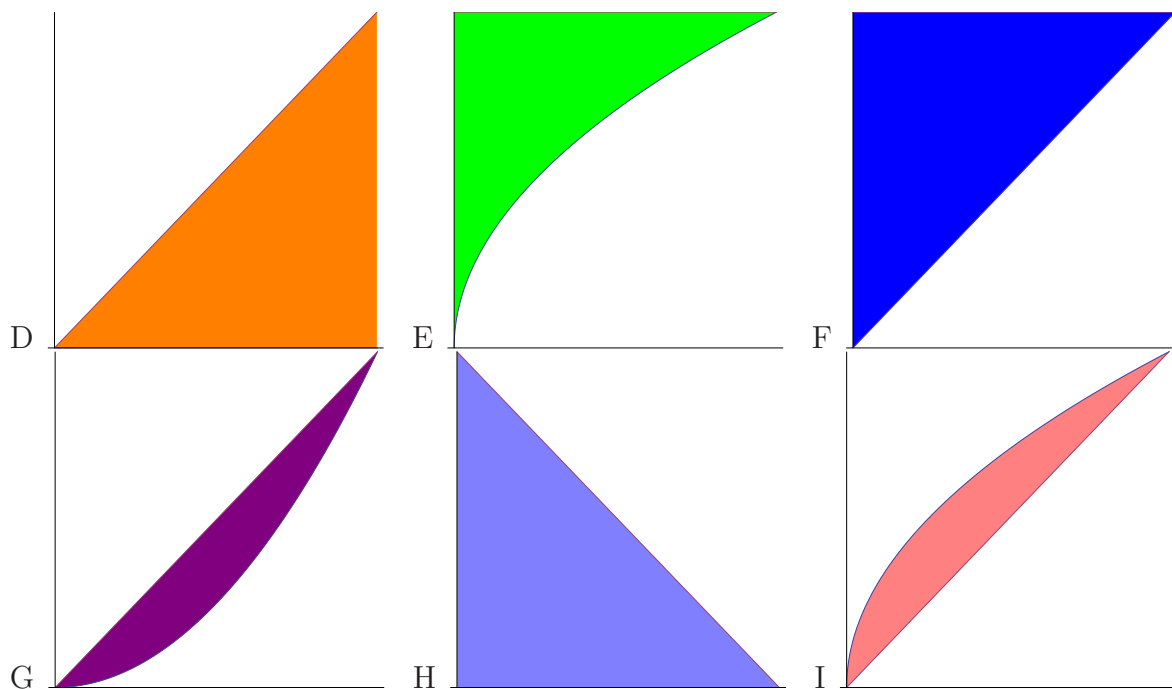
Solution:

As discussed in the review, you can directly check that $D = 0$ because $f_{xy} = f_{xx}$ and $f_{yx} = f_{yy}$.

Problem 2) (10 points) No justifications are needed

(10 points) Match the regions with the double integrals.





A-I	Integral	A-I	Integral	A-I	Integral
	$\int_0^2 \int_{x^2/2}^2 f(x,y) \, dydx$		$\int_0^2 \int_0^{y^2/2} f(x,y) \, dx dy$		$\int_0^2 \int_{x^2/2}^x f(x,y) \, dydx$
	$\int_0^2 \int_0^x f(x,y) \, dydx$		$\int_0^2 \int_0^y f(x,y) \, dx dy$		$\int_0^2 \int_0^{2-x} f(x,y) \, dydx$
	$\int_0^2 \int_0^2 f(x,y) \, dydx$		$\int_0^2 \int_{y^2/2}^y f(x,y) \, dx dy$		$\int_0^2 \int_{2-x}^2 f(x,y) \, dydx$

Solution:

A E G
D F H
B I C

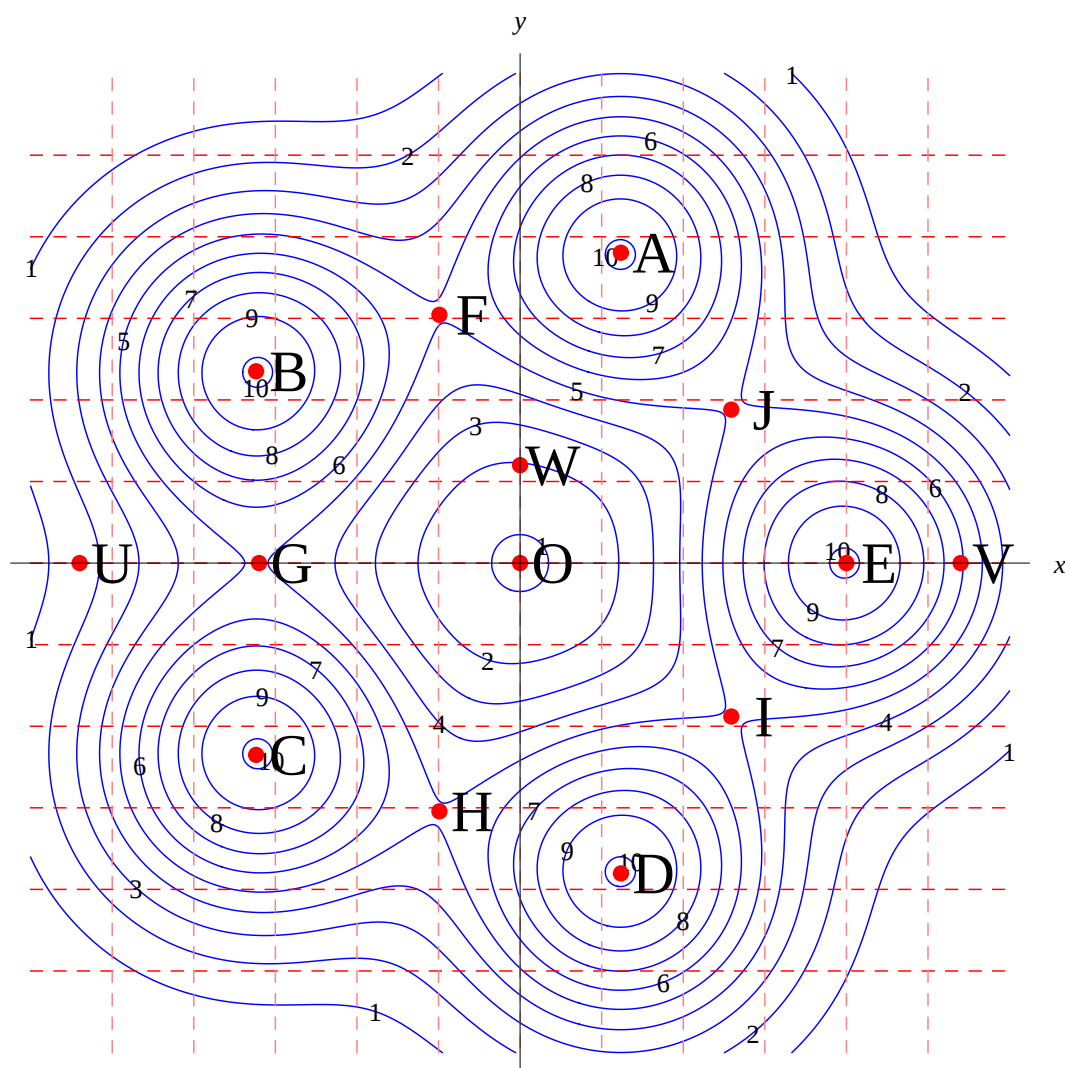
Problem 3) (10 points) (No justifications are needed.)

a) (6 points) A function $f(x, y)$ of two variables is shown as a contour map. Check what applies

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	O	U	V	W
Local maximum														
Local minimum														
Saddle point														
Maximal steepness among A-W														
$f_x = 0, f_y \neq 0$.														
$f_y = 0, f_x \neq 0$.														

b) (4 points) Answer the following 4 questions.

What is the maximal height f reached when walking straight from U to V ?	
What is the minimal height f reached when walking straight from U to V ?	
There is a path from G to F on which height f is constant. True or False?	
There is a path from A to B on which height f is constant. True or False?	



Solution:

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	O	U	V	W
Local maximum	*	*	*	*	*									
Local minimum											*			
Saddle point						*	*	*	*	*				
Maximal steepness among A-W													*	
$f_x = 0, f_y \neq 0$.														*
$f_y = 0, f_x \neq 0$.												*	*	

What is the maximal height f reached when walking straight from U to V ?	10 at E
What is the minimal height f reached when walking straight from U to V ?	0 at O
There is a path from G to F on which height f is constant. True or False?	True
There is a path from A to B on which height f is constant. True or False?	False

Problem 4) (10 points)

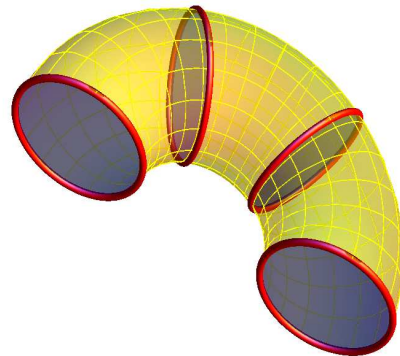
Maximize the volume of the half torus

$$f(x, y) = \pi^2 x^2 y$$

if the surface area of the torus including two disc dividers

$$g(x, y) = 4\pi x^2 + 2\pi^2 xy = \pi$$

is fixed.



Solution:

The Lagrange equations are

$$\begin{aligned} 2xy\pi^2 &= \lambda(8\pi x + 2\pi^2 y) \\ \pi^2 x^2 &= \lambda(2\pi^2 x) \\ 4\pi x^2 + 2\pi^2 xy &= \pi . \end{aligned}$$

Getting rid of λ from the first two equations gives $y = 4x/\pi$. Plugging this into the third equation allows to solve for x, y :

$$x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{12}}, y = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}\pi} .$$

The maximal volume is $\boxed{\pi/(6\sqrt{3})}$.

Problem 5) (10 points)

Find all the critical points of the function

$$f(x, y) = x^3 - 3x + 1 + y^3 - 12y$$

and classify them. Also note whether any global maxima or minima are present.

Solution:

x	y	D	f_{xx}	Type	f
-1	-2	72	-6	maximum	19
-1	2	-72	-6	saddle	-13
1	-2	-72	6	saddle	15
1	2	72	6	minimum	-17

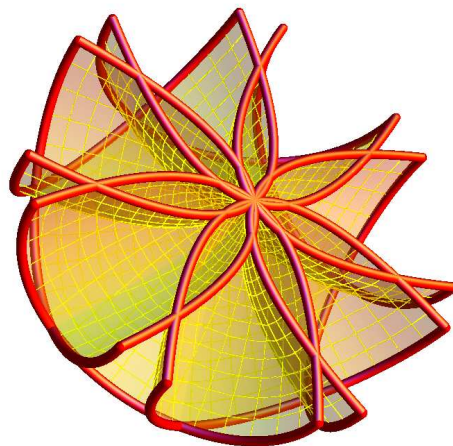
There are neither global maxima, nor global minima as for $y = 0$ already the function becomes unbounded above and below.

Problem 6) (10 points)

For an art project, we build a flower with 7 petals in which each petal is a paraboloid parametrized by

$$\vec{r}(u, v) = \langle u \cos(v), u \sin(v), u^2/2 \rangle$$

with $0 \leq v \leq \pi$ and $0 \leq u \leq 1$. Find the surface area of the flower. You have to find the area A of one petal and multiply by 7.



Solution:

In order to find the surface area $\int \int_R |\vec{r}_u \times \vec{r}_v| \, du \, dv$, we first compute

$$\vec{r}_u \times \vec{r}_v = \langle \cos(v), \sin(v), u \rangle \times \langle -u \sin(v), u \cos(v), 0 \rangle = \langle -u^2 \cos(v), -u^2 \sin(v), u \rangle$$

which has length $\sqrt{u^2 + u^4} = u\sqrt{1 + u^2}$. We integrate

$$7 \int_0^\pi \int_0^1 u \sqrt{u^2 + 1} \, du \, dv = \frac{7\pi}{3} (u^2 + 1)^{3/2} \Big|_0^1 = \frac{7\pi}{3} (2^{3/2} - 1) .$$

The final answer is $\boxed{\frac{7\pi}{3} (2^{3/2} - 1)}$.

Problem 7) (10 points)

- a) (5 points) Estimate $f(0.003, 0.98) = \sin(0.003) \cdot 0.98^5 + 3 \cdot 0.98$ by linear approximation.
- b) (3 points) Find $D_{\vec{v}} f(0, 1)$ if $\vec{v} = \langle 1, 1 \rangle / \sqrt{2}$.
- c) (2 points) If $\vec{r}(t) = \langle t, 1 - t \rangle$ is a path, express

$$\frac{d}{dt} f(\vec{r}(t))$$

at $t = 0$ as a dot product of a vector with the vector $\vec{r}'(0) = \langle 1, -1 \rangle$.

Solution:

a) The function

$$f(x, y) = \sin(x)y^5 + 3y$$

has the gradient

$$\nabla f(x, y) = \langle \cos(x)y^5, 5\sin(x)y^4 + 3 \rangle$$

which is at $(0, 1)$ equal to

$$\nabla f(0, 1) = \langle 1, 3 \rangle .$$

We have therefore

$$L(x, y) = 3 + 1(0.003) + 3(-0.02) = 2.943 .$$

The actual value is 2.94271. The linearization $\boxed{2.943}$ got the first three digits right.

b) This is a definition. The directional derivative is the scalar

$$D_{\vec{v}}f(0, 1) = \langle 1, 3 \rangle \langle 1, 1 \rangle / \sqrt{2} = 4/\sqrt{2} .$$

The answer is $\boxed{2\sqrt{2}}$.

c) By the chain rule, we have

$$\vec{r}'(0) = \nabla f(\vec{r}(0)) \cdot \vec{r}'(0) = \langle 1, 3 \rangle \cdot \langle 1, 1 \rangle = -2 .$$

The answer is $\boxed{\langle 1, 3 \rangle \cdot \langle 1, 1 \rangle = -2}$.

Problem 8) (10 points)

a) (5 points) Find the tangent line to $x + 2y^2 = 3$ at the point $P = (1, 1)$.

b) (5 points) Find the tangent plane to $x^2 - y^2 + z^2 = 4$ at the point $(1, 1, 2)$.

Solution:

a) $\nabla f(x, y) = \langle 1, 4y \rangle$ and $\nabla f(1, 1) = \langle 1, 4 \rangle$. The tangent line is $x + 4y = d$, where d can be obtained by plugging in the point $(1, 1)$. The solution is

$\boxed{x + 4y = 5}$. b) $\nabla f(x, y, z) = \langle 2x, -2y, 2z \rangle$ and $\nabla f(1, 1, 2) = \langle 2, -2, 4 \rangle$. The tangent plane is $2x - 2y + 4z = d$ where d can be obtained by plugging in the point $(1, 1, 2)$. The solution is

$$\boxed{2x - 2y + 4z = 8} .$$

Problem 9) (10 points)

a) (6 points) Integrate

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} \int_x^{\pi/2} \frac{\cos(y)}{y} dy dx$$

b) (4 points) Find the moment of inertia

$$\iint_R (x^2 + y^2) dy dx ,$$

where R is the ring $1 \leq x^2 + y^2 \leq 9$.

Solution:

a) To change the order of integration, make a figure. The integration region is the upper left triangle in the square $[0, \pi/2] \times [0, \pi/2]$. We get

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^y \cos(y)/y dx dy = \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos(y) dy = \sin(y)_0^{\pi/2} = 1 .$$

The answer is $\boxed{1}$.

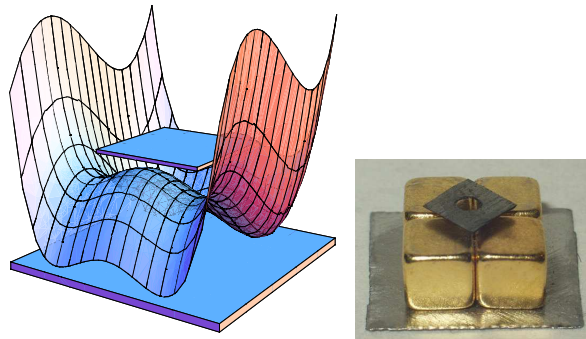
b) This is a polar integration problem

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \int_1^3 r^2 r dr d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{r^4}{4} \Big|_1^3 d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} 20 d\theta = 40\pi .$$

The answer is $\boxed{40\pi}$.

Problem 10) (10 points)

Oliver got a diamagnetic kit, where strong magnets produce a force field in which pyrolytic graphite floats. The gravitational field produces a well of the form $f(x, y) = x^4 + y^3 - 2x^2 - 3y$. Find all critical points of this function and classify them. Is there a global minimum?



Right picture credit: Wikipedia.

Solution:

To find the critical points, we have to solve the system of equations $f_x = 4x^3 - 4x = 0$, $f_y = 3y^2 - 3 = 0$. The first equation gives $x = 0$ or $x = \pm 1$. The second equation $f_y = 3y^2 - 3 = 0$ gives $y = \pm 1$. There are $3 \cdot 2 = 6$ critical points. We compute the discriminant $D = 6y(12x^2 - 4)$ and $f_{xx} = 12x^2 - 4$ at each of the 6 points and use the second derivative test to determine the nature of the critical point.

point	D	f_{xx}	nature	value
(-1, -1)	-48	8	saddle	1
(-1, 1)	48	8	min	-3
(0, -1)	24	-4	max	2
(0, 1)	-24	-4	saddle	-2
(1, -1)	-48	8	saddle	1
(1, 1)	48	8	min	-3

There is no global minimum, nor any global maximum since for $x = 0$, the function is $f(0, y) = y^3 - 3y$ which is unbounded from above and from below (it goes to $\pm\infty$ for $y \rightarrow \pm\infty$).