

1. Find the minimum value and the maximum value obtained by the function

$$f(x, y) = xy$$

on the disk  $x^2 + y^2 \leq 1$ .

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Find critical points of  $f$  in open disk  $x^2 + y^2 < 1$ .

$$f_x = y \quad f_y = x \quad \text{For a critical pt, } f_x = f_y = 0$$

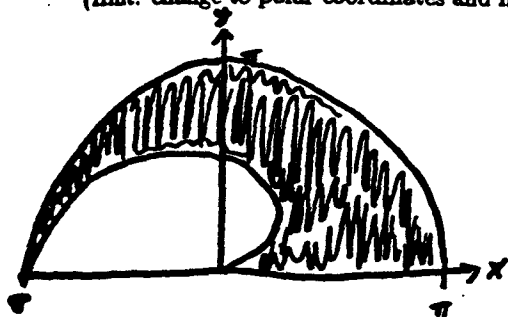
ie.  $x = y = 0$ .  $f_{xx} = 0 \quad f_{yy} = 0 \quad f_{xy} = 1$

$D(0,0) = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = -1 < 0$  so  $(0,0)$ , the only critical pt, is a saddle point (hence not a max or min). So max/min occur on the unit circle. Parameterize this circle by  $x = \cos \theta$ ,  $y = \sin \theta$  ( $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$ ). Then  $f(x, y) = \cos \theta \sin \theta = \frac{1}{2} \sin 2\theta$ . It is thus clear that the maximum value of  $f$  is  $\frac{1}{2}$  (attained at  $\theta = \pi/4$ , ie.  $(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})$ ) and the minimum value of  $f$  is  $-\frac{1}{2}$  (attained at  $\theta = 3\pi/4$ , ie.  $(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})$ ). //

4. Consider the region  $R$  drawn below, its boundary curves being the positive  $x$  axis, the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = \pi^2$ , and the spiral  $r = \theta$ . Compute

$$I = \iint_R e^{(x^2+y^2)^{3/2}} dx dy.$$

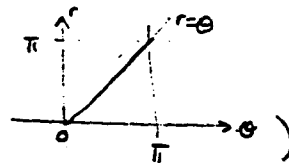
(Hint: change to polar coordinates and integrate with respect to  $\theta$  first.)



$$I = \iint_R e^{(x^2+y^2)^{3/2}} dx dy$$

$$= \iint_{R'} e^{r^3} r dr d\theta$$

(where  $R'$  is region



$$= \int_0^\pi r e^{r^3} \left( \int_0^r 1 d\theta \right) dr$$

$$= \int_0^\pi r^2 e^{r^3} dr$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} e^{r^3} \Big|_{r=0}^{r=\pi}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} (e^{\pi^3} - 1). //$$

2. Consider the function

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

defined on the whole  $x$ - $y$ -plane.

a. Find all the critical points of  $f$ .

b. For each critical point, determine whether it is a local minimum, a local maximum, or a saddle.

$$(a) \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} f_x = 6x^2 + 6x \\ f_y = 3y^2 - 3 \end{array} \right\} \text{ for e.p. } f_x = f_y = 0$$

$$\text{But } f_x = 0 \Leftrightarrow 6x(x+1) = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow x = 0 \text{ or } x = -1$$

$$\text{and } f_y = 0 \Leftrightarrow y = 1 \text{ or } -1$$

So the critical points of  $f$  are:  $(0, 1)$ ,  $(0, -1)$ ,  
 $(-1, 1)$ ,  $(-1, -1)$ .

$$(b) \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} f_{xx} = 12x + 6 \\ f_{xy} = 0 = f_{yx} \\ f_{yy} = 6y \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow D(x, y) = \begin{vmatrix} 12x+6 & 0 \\ 0 & 6y \end{vmatrix} = (12x+6)(6y)$$

Now  $D(0, 1) = (6)(6) = 36 > 0$  and  $f_{yy} = 6 > 0$  so  $(0, 1)$  is a local max.

$D(0, -1) = (6)(-6) < 0$  so  $(0, -1)$  is a saddle point.

$D(-1, 1) = (-6)(6) < 0$  so  $(-1, 1)$  is a saddle point.

$D(-1, -1) = (-6)(-6) > 0$  and  $f_{yy} = -6 < 0$  and  $f_{xx} = -6 < 0$  so  $(-1, -1)$  is a local min.

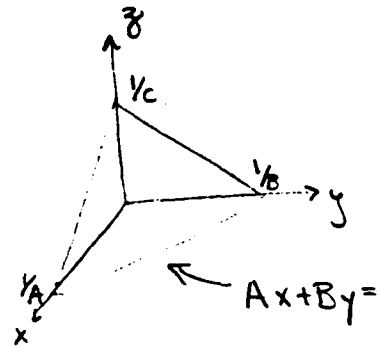
3. Find the equation

$$Ax + By + Cz = 1$$

of the plane that passes through the point  $(x, y, z) = (1, 2, 3)$  such that the tetrahedron that the plane cuts off in the first octant  $x, y, z \geq 0$  has the smallest volume. (Note that the variables here are  $A, B,$  and  $C$  and they are required to be positive!)

Let  $V(A, B, C)$  be the volume of the tetrahedron:

$$\begin{aligned} V(A, B, C) &= \int_0^{1/B} \int_0^{\frac{1-By}{A}} \frac{1-Ax-By}{C} dx dy \\ &= \frac{1}{C} \int_0^{1/B} (1-By)x - \frac{A}{2}x^2 \Big|_0^{\frac{1-By}{A}} dy \\ &= \frac{1}{2CA} \int_0^{1/B} (1-By)^2 dy \\ &= \frac{-1}{2ABC} \frac{1}{3} (1-By)^3 \Big|_0^{1/B} \\ &= \frac{1}{6ABC} \end{aligned}$$



We want to minimize  $V(A, B, C)$  subject to  $g(A, B, C) = A + 2B + 3C = 0$ .

and  $A, B, C > 0$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Set } \left. \begin{aligned} V_A &= \lambda g_A \\ V_B &= \lambda g_B \\ V_C &= \lambda g_C \\ g &= 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \Leftrightarrow \left. \begin{aligned} \frac{-1}{6BCA^2} &= \lambda \\ \frac{-1}{6B^2CA} &= 2\lambda \\ \frac{-1}{6ABC^2} &= 3\lambda \\ g &= 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} \frac{-2}{6BCA^2} &= \frac{-1}{6B^2CA} \Rightarrow 2B = \\ \frac{2}{3} &= \frac{6ABC^2}{6B^2CA} \Rightarrow 2B = 3C \end{aligned}$$

so  $A = 2B = 3C$  for critical points. Substituting in  $g=0$  gives  $C = 1/9, B = 1/6, A = 1/3$ . Geometrically, it is clear that this gives a (the) minimum value for  $V$  subject to the constraint. So the plane desired is  $1/3x + 1/6y + 1/9z = 1$



6. Find the surface area of the part of the saddle  $z = xy + 100$  which lies in the solid cylinder  $x^2 + y^2 \leq 9$ .

Let  $R$  be the region  $x^2 + y^2 \leq 9$ .

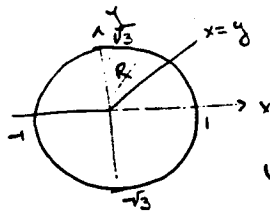
$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then S.A.} &= \iint_R \sqrt{1 + f_x^2 + f_y^2} \, dx \, dy \\ &= \iint_R \sqrt{1 + y^2 + x^2} \, dx \, dy \end{aligned}$$

set  $\left. \begin{aligned} x &= r \cos \theta \\ y &= r \sin \theta \\ 0 &\leq r \leq 3 \\ 0 &\leq \theta < 2\pi \end{aligned} \right\}$

$$\begin{aligned} &\xrightarrow{\text{polar}} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^3 r \sqrt{1+r^2} \, dr \, d\theta \\ &= 2\pi \cdot \frac{1}{3} (1+r^2)^{3/2} \Big|_0^3 \\ &= \frac{2\pi}{3} (10^{3/2} - 1) // \end{aligned}$$

7. Find the area of the region given by

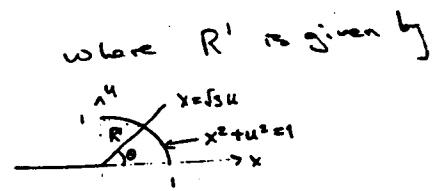
$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + \frac{y^2}{3} &\leq 1 \\ x &\geq y \\ y &\geq 0. \end{aligned}$$



$$A = \iint_R dx \, dy$$

let  $u = \frac{y}{\sqrt{3}}$   
 $du = \frac{dy}{\sqrt{3}}$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{substitution}} \iint_{R'} \sqrt{3} \, dx \, du$$



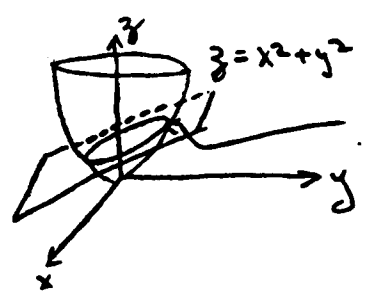
set  $\left. \begin{aligned} x &= r \cos \theta \\ y &= r \sin \theta \\ 0 &\leq r \leq 1 \\ 0 &\leq \theta < 2\pi \end{aligned} \right\}$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{polar}} \sqrt{3} \int_{\pi/3}^{\pi/2} \int_0^1 r \, dr \, d\theta$$

note  $\theta = \pi/3$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (\sqrt{3}) \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{3} \right) \left( \frac{r^2}{2} \Big|_0^1 \right) \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{3} \pi}{12} // \end{aligned}$$

6. Find the volume of the region bounded by the paraboloid  $z = x^2 + y^2$  and the plane  $z = 2y$ .



The two surfaces meet here because their intersection is where  $\begin{cases} z = x^2 + y^2 \\ z = 2y \end{cases}$

$$\begin{cases} x^2 + (y-1)^2 = 1 \\ z = 2y \end{cases}$$

ie.  $\begin{cases} 2y = x^2 + y^2 \\ z = 2y \end{cases}$

ie.  $\begin{cases} x^2 + (y^2 - 2y + 1) - 1 = 0 \\ z = 2y \end{cases}$

So the projection of the region they bound onto the  $xy$ -plane is  $x^2 + (y-1)^2 \leq 1$ .  
Let  $R$  be the disk  $x^2 + (y-1)^2 \leq 1$ .

Then  $V = \iint_R [2y - (x^2 + y^2)] dx dy$

$$= - \iint_R [x^2 + (y-1)^2 - 1] dx dy$$

$$= - \iint_{R'} (x^2 + u^2 - 1) dx du$$

$R'$  = unit disk in  $xu$ -plane

where  $u = y - 1$   
 $du = dy$

set  $x = r \cos \theta$   
 $u = r \sin \theta$   
 $r \leq 1$   
 $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$

$$= - \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 (r^2 - 1) r dr d\theta$$

$$= -2\pi \cdot \left( \frac{r^4}{4} - \frac{r^2}{2} \right) \Big|_0^1$$

$$= -2\pi \cdot \left( \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$= \pi/2$$

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