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Multiple Choice: (6 points each. No part credit.)

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1. A triangle has vertices at $P = (9, -6, 10)$, $Q = (6, 6, 6)$ and $R = (10, 6, 3)$. Find the angle at Q .

- a. 0°
- b. 30°
- c. 45°
- d. 60°
- e. 90° Correct Choice

$$\vec{QP} = P - Q = (-3, 12, -4) \quad \vec{QR} = R - Q = (4, 0, -3)$$

$$\left| \vec{QP} \right| = \sqrt{9 + 144 + 16} = 13 \quad \left| \vec{QR} \right| = \sqrt{16 + 9} = 5 \quad \vec{QP} \cdot \vec{QR} = -12 + 0 + 12 = 0$$

$$\cos \theta = 0 \quad \theta = 90^\circ$$

2. Find the tangential acceleration of the curve $\vec{r}(t) = (t^2, 2t, \ln t)$.

- a. $a_T = 2 + \frac{1}{t^2}$
- b. $a_T = 2 - \frac{1}{t^2}$ Correct Choice
- c. $a_T = 2t + \frac{1}{t}$
- d. $a_T = 2t - \frac{1}{t}$
- e. $a_T = t^2 + \ln t$

$$\vec{v} = \left(2t, 2, \frac{1}{t} \right) \quad |\vec{v}| = \sqrt{4t^2 + 4 + \frac{1}{t^2}} = \sqrt{\frac{4t^4 + 4t^2 + 1}{t^2}} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{2t^2 + 1}{t} \right)^2} = \frac{2t^2 + 1}{t} = 2t + \frac{1}{t}$$

$$a_T = \frac{d|\vec{v}|}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt} \left(2t + \frac{1}{t} \right) = 2 - \frac{1}{t^2}$$

3. A jet fighter flies directly East at a constant altitude directly above the Equator. In what direction does the unit binormal vector \hat{B} point?

- a. North Correct Choice
- b. South
- c. West
- d. Up
- e. Down

\hat{T} points East. \hat{N} points Down. So $\hat{B} = \hat{T} \times \hat{N}$ points North.

4. Find the plane tangent to the graph of the equation $z \ln(y) + x \ln(z) = 3e^2$ at the point $(x, y, z) = (e^2, e, e^2)$. Write the equation of the plane in the form $z = Ax + By + C$. What is $A \cdot B \cdot C$?
- $6e^3$
 - $10e^3$
 - $\frac{3}{4}e^3$
 - $\frac{5}{4}e^3$ Correct Choice
 - $4e$

$$P = (e^2, e, e^2) \quad \vec{\nabla}F = \left(\ln(z), \frac{z}{y}, \ln(y) + \frac{x}{z} \right) \quad \vec{N} = \vec{\nabla}F|_P = (2, e, 2) \quad X = (x, y, z)$$

$$\vec{N} \cdot X = \vec{N} \cdot P \quad 2x + ey + 2z = 2e^2 + ee + 2e^2 = 5e^2 \quad z = -x - \frac{e}{2}y + \frac{5}{2}e^2$$

$$A \cdot B \cdot C = (-1) \left(-\frac{e}{2} \right) \left(\frac{5}{2}e^2 \right) = \frac{5}{4}e^3$$

5. Find the plane tangent to the graph of the function $f(x, y) = xy^2 - x^3y$ at the point $(x, y) = (1, 2)$. Write the equation of the plane in the form $z = Ax + By + C$. What is $A \cdot B \cdot C$?
- 3
 - 12 Correct Choice
 - 2
 - 3
 - 12

$$f(x, y) = xy^2 - x^3y \quad f(1, 2) = 2^2 - 2 = 2$$

$$f_x(x, y) = y^2 - 3x^2y \quad f_x(1, 2) = 2^2 - 3 \cdot 2 = -2$$

$$f_y(x, y) = 2xy - x^3 \quad f_y(1, 2) = 2 \cdot 2 - 1 = 3$$

$$z = f(1, 2) + f_x(1, 2)(x - 1) + f_y(1, 2)(y - 2) = 2 - 2(x - 1) + 3(y - 2) = -2x + 3y - 2$$

$$A \cdot B \cdot C = (-2)(3)(-2) = 12$$

6. Consider the function $f(x, y) = 3(x + y)^3$. Find the set of **all** points (x, y) where $\vec{\nabla}f = 0$.
- The point $(x, y) = (0, 0)$.
 - The point $(x, y) = (1, -1)$.
 - The line $(x, y) = (t, t)$.
 - The line $(x, y) = (t, -t)$. Correct Choice
 - The circle $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{1}{9}$.

$$\vec{\nabla}f = (9(x + y)^2, 9(x + y)^2) = 0 \quad \text{when} \quad x + y = 0 \quad \text{which is the line} \quad y = -x$$

which may be parametrized as $(x, y) = (t, -t)$.

7. The dimensions of a closed rectangular box are measured as 75 cm, 50 cm and 25 cm with a possible error of 0.2 cm in each dimension. Use differentials to estimate the maximum error in the calculated surface area of the box.
- 30 cm²
 - 60 cm²
 - 120 cm² **Correct Choice**
 - 150 cm²
 - 1375 cm²

$$A = 2xy + 2xz + 2yz$$

$$dA = \frac{\partial A}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial A}{\partial y} dy + \frac{\partial A}{\partial z} dz = (2y + 2z)dx + (2x + 2z)dy + (2x + 2y)dz$$

$$= (100 + 50).2 + (150 + 50).2 + (150 + 100).2 = 120$$

8. Find the unit vector direction in which the function $f(x,y) = x^3y^2$ **decreases** most rapidly at the point $(x,y) = (2,-1)$.

- $\left(-\frac{3}{5}, \frac{4}{5}\right)$ **Correct Choice**
- $\left(\frac{3}{5}, -\frac{4}{5}\right)$
- $\left(-\frac{4}{5}, \frac{3}{5}\right)$
- $\left(\frac{4}{5}, -\frac{3}{5}\right)$
- $\left(-\frac{4}{5}, -\frac{3}{5}\right)$

$$\vec{\nabla}f = (3x^2y^2, 2x^3y) \quad \vec{v} = -\vec{\nabla}f(2,-1) = -(12, -16) = (-12, 16) \quad \hat{v} = \frac{\vec{v}}{|\vec{v}|} = \frac{1}{20}(-12, 16) = \left(-\frac{3}{5}, \frac{4}{5}\right)$$

9. The point $(0,1)$ is a critical point of the function $f(x,y) = x^2y - 3x^2 + 3y^2 - 2y^3$. Classify the point $(0,1)$ using the Second Derivative Test.

- Local Minimum
- Local Maximum **Correct Choice**
- Saddle Point
- Inflection Point
- Test Fails

$$f_x = 2xy - 6x \quad f_x(0,1) = 0 \quad f_y = x^2 + 6y - 6y^2 \quad f_y(0,1) = 0$$

$$f_{xx} = 2y - 6 \quad f_{xx}(0,1) = -4 < 0 \quad f_{yy} = 6 - 12y \quad f_{yy}(0,1) = -6 \quad f_{xy} = 2x \quad f_{xy}(0,1) = 0$$

$$D = f_{xx}f_{yy} - f_{xy}^2 \quad D(0,1) = (-4)(-6) - 0^2 = 24 > 0 \quad \text{Local Maximum}$$

10. Suppose $p = p(x, y)$, while $x = x(u, v)$ and $y = y(u, v)$.

Further, you know the following information:

$$\begin{array}{cccc}
 x(1, 2) = 3 & y(1, 2) = 4 & p(1, 2) = 5 & p(3, 4) = 6 \\
 \frac{\partial p}{\partial x}(1, 2) = 7 & \frac{\partial p}{\partial y}(1, 2) = 8 & \frac{\partial p}{\partial x}(3, 4) = 9 & \frac{\partial p}{\partial y}(3, 4) = 10 \\
 \frac{\partial x}{\partial u}(1, 2) = 11 & \frac{\partial x}{\partial v}(1, 2) = 12 & \frac{\partial x}{\partial u}(3, 4) = 13 & \frac{\partial x}{\partial v}(3, 4) = 14 \\
 \frac{\partial y}{\partial u}(1, 2) = 15 & \frac{\partial y}{\partial v}(1, 2) = 16 & \frac{\partial y}{\partial u}(3, 4) = 17 & \frac{\partial y}{\partial v}(3, 4) = 18
 \end{array}$$

Write out the chain rule for $\frac{\partial p}{\partial v}$. Then use it and the above information to compute $\frac{\partial p}{\partial v}(1, 2)$.

- a. 134
- b. 198
- c. 212
- d. 249
- e. 268 **Correct Choice**

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{\partial p}{\partial v} &= \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial v} + \frac{\partial p}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial v} = \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} \Big|_{(x(u,v), y(u,v))} \frac{\partial x}{\partial v} + \frac{\partial p}{\partial y} \Big|_{(x(u,v), y(u,v))} \frac{\partial y}{\partial v} \\
 &= \frac{\partial p}{\partial x}(3, 4) \frac{\partial x}{\partial v}(1, 2) + \frac{\partial p}{\partial y}(3, 4) \frac{\partial y}{\partial v}(1, 2) = 9 \cdot 12 + 10 \cdot 16 = 268
 \end{aligned}$$

11. A wire has the shape of the helix $\vec{r}(t) = (4 \cos t, 4 \sin t, 3t)$. It's linear mass density is given by $\rho = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$. Find the total mass of **2 loops** of the wire from $(4, 0, 0)$ to $(4, 0, 12\pi)$.

- a. $200\pi + 360\pi^3$
- b. $320\pi + 960\pi^3$ **Correct Choice**
- c. $320\pi + 48\pi^3$
- d. $360\pi + 200\pi^3$
- e. $960\pi + 320\pi^3$

$$\vec{v} = (-4 \sin t, 4 \cos t, 3) \quad |\vec{v}| = \sqrt{16 \sin^2 t + 16 \cos^2 t + 9} = 5 \quad \rho(\vec{r}(t)) = 16 \sin^2 t + 16 \cos^2 t + 9t^2 = 16 + 9t^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 M &= \int \rho ds = \int \rho(\vec{r}(t)) |\vec{v}| dt = \int_0^{4\pi} (16 + 9t^2) 5 dt = 5 \left[16t + 3t^3 \right]_0^{4\pi} \\
 &= 5(16 \cdot 4\pi + 3 \cdot 64\pi^3) = 320\pi + 960\pi^3
 \end{aligned}$$

Work Out: (Points indicated. Part credit possible. Show all work.)

12. (10 points) An object moves around **2 loops** of the helix $\vec{r}(t) = (4 \cos t, 4 \sin t, 3t)$ from $(4, 0, 0)$ to $(4, 0, 12\pi)$ under the action of a force $\vec{F} = (-y, x, z)$.

Find the work done by the force.

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{v} &= (-4 \sin t, 4 \cos t, 3) & \vec{F}(\vec{r}(t)) &= (-4 \sin t, 4 \cos t, 3t) \\ W &= \int_0^{4\pi} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{s} = \int_0^{4\pi} \vec{F}(\vec{r}(t)) \cdot \vec{v} dt = \int_0^{4\pi} (16 \sin^2 t + 16 \cos^2 t + 9t) dt = \int_0^{4\pi} (16 + 9t) dt \\ &= \left[16t + \frac{9}{2}t^2 \right]_0^{4\pi} = 64\pi + 72\pi^2\end{aligned}$$

13. (10 points) A cylinder is changing in size.

Currently, the radius is $r = 10$ cm and decreasing at 2 cm/sec.

while the height is $h = 25$ cm and increasing at 4 cm/sec.

Find the current volume. Is it increasing or decreasing and at what rate?

The volume is $V = \pi r^2 h = \pi 10^2 25 = 2500\pi$. By the chain rule,

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = \frac{\partial V}{\partial r} \frac{dr}{dt} + \frac{\partial V}{\partial h} \frac{dh}{dt} = 2\pi r h \frac{dr}{dt} + \pi r^2 \frac{dh}{dt} = 2\pi 10 \cdot 25 \cdot (-2) + \pi 10^2 (4) = -600\pi \quad \text{decreasing}$$

14. (10 points) Find the dimensions and volume of the largest rectangular box in the first octant with three faces in the coordinate planes and one vertex in the paraboloid $9x^2 + 4y^2 + z = 36$.

You must solve by the Lagrange Multiplier method.

Maximize $V = xyz$ subject to the constraint $g = 9x^2 + 4y^2 + z = 36$.

$$\vec{\nabla}V = (yz, xz, xy) \quad \vec{\nabla}g = (18x, 8y, 1)$$

$$\text{Lagrange equations: } yz = \lambda 18x \quad xz = \lambda 8y \quad xy = \lambda$$

$$\text{Substitute the third equation into the first two: } yz = 18x^2y \quad xz = 8xy^2$$

$$\text{Since } x \neq 0 \text{ and } y \neq 0, \text{ we cancel: } z = 18x^2 \quad z = 8y^2$$

$$\text{Substitute into the constraint: } 9x^2 = \frac{z}{2} \quad 4y^2 = \frac{z}{2} \quad \frac{z}{2} + \frac{z}{2} + z = 36. \quad 2z = 36$$

$$z = 18 \quad 9x^2 = 9 \quad x = 1 \quad 4y^2 = 9 \quad y = \frac{3}{2}$$

So the dimensions are $x = 1$, $y = \frac{3}{2}$, $z = 18$, and the volume is $V = 1\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)(18) = 27$.

15. (10 points) Determine if each limit exists. If it exists, find it and prove it. If it does not exist, prove it.

a. $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2 - 4y^4}{x^2 + 4y^4}$

$$\text{Along } x\text{-axis: } \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2 - 4y^4}{x^2 + 4y^4} = \lim_{\substack{y=0 \\ x \rightarrow 0}} \frac{x^2 - 4y^4}{x^2 + 4y^4} = \lim_{\substack{y=0 \\ x \rightarrow 0}} \frac{x^2 - 0}{x^2 + 0} = 1$$

$$\text{Along } y\text{-axis: } \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2 - 4y^4}{x^2 + 4y^4} = \lim_{\substack{x=0 \\ y \rightarrow 0}} \frac{x^2 - 4y^4}{x^2 + 4y^4} = \lim_{\substack{y=0 \\ x \rightarrow 0}} \frac{0 - 4y^4}{0 + 4y^4} = -1$$

Limit does not exist.

b. $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy^2}{x^2 + y^2}$

Limit does exist. Use polar: $x = r \cos \theta$ $y = r \sin \theta$

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy^2}{x^2 + y^2} = \lim_{\substack{r \rightarrow 0 \\ \theta \text{ arbitrary}}} \frac{r^3 \cos \theta \sin^2 \theta}{r^2} = \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} r \cos \theta \sin^2 \theta = 0$$

because r goes to zero and $\cos \theta \sin^2 \theta$ is bounded between -1 and 1 .