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Multiple Choice: (4 points each. No part credit.)

1. For the triangle with vertices $A = (\sqrt{2}, 2, -2)$, $B = (\sqrt{2}, -1, 1)$ and $C = (3\sqrt{2}, -3, 3)$ find the angle at B .

- a. 45°
- b. 60°
- c. 120°
- d. 135° correct choice
- e. 150°

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{BA} &= A - B = (0, 3, -3) & \vec{BC} &= C - B = (2\sqrt{2}, -2, 2) \\ \vec{BA} \cdot \vec{BC} &= -6 - 6 = -12 & |\vec{BA}| &= \sqrt{9+9} = 3\sqrt{2} & |\vec{BC}| &= \sqrt{8+4+4} = 4 \\ \cos \theta &= \frac{\vec{BA} \cdot \vec{BC}}{|\vec{BA}| |\vec{BC}|} = \frac{-12}{3\sqrt{2} \cdot 4} = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}} & \theta &= 135^\circ \end{aligned}$$

2. For the triangle with vertices $A = (\sqrt{2}, 2, -2)$, $B = (\sqrt{2}, -1, 1)$ and $C = (3\sqrt{2}, -3, 3)$ find the area.

- a. 144
- b. 72
- c. 12
- d. $\sqrt{72}$
- e. 6 correct choice

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{BA} &= (0, 3, -3) & \vec{BA} \times \vec{BC} &= \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 0 & 3 & -3 \\ 2\sqrt{2} & -2 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = \hat{i}(6 - 6) - \hat{j}(0 + 6\sqrt{2}) + \hat{k}(0 - 6\sqrt{2}) = (0, -6\sqrt{2}, -6\sqrt{2}) \\ \vec{BC} &= (2\sqrt{2}, -2, 2) \\ \text{Area} &= \frac{1}{2} |\vec{BA} \times \vec{BC}| = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{72 + 72} = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{144} = 6 \end{aligned}$$

Problems 3 through 8 refer to the curve $\vec{r}(t) = (t^2, 2t, \ln t)$:

3. Find the line tangent to the curve at the point $(1, 2, 0)$.

- a. $(x, y, z) = (2 + t, 2 + 2t, 1)$
- b. $(x, y, z) = (2 + t, 2 - 2t, 1)$
- c. $(x, y, z) = (2 + t, -2 - 2t, 1)$
- d. $(x, y, z) = (1 + 2t, 2 + 2t, t)$ correct choice
- e. $(x, y, z) = (1 + 2t, 2 - 2t, t)$

$$\vec{r}(t) = (t^2, 2t, \ln t) \quad \vec{v}(t) = \left(2t, 2, \frac{1}{t}\right) \quad \vec{r}(1) = (1, 2, 0) \quad \vec{v}(1) = (2, 2, 1)$$

$$X = P + t\vec{v} \quad (x, y, z) = \vec{r}(1) + t\vec{v}(1) = (1, 2, 0) + t(2, 2, 1) = (1 + 2t, 2 + 2t, t)$$

4. Find the arc length of the curve between $(1, 2, 0)$ and $(4, 4, \ln 2)$.

HINT: Look for a perfect square.

- a. $3 + \ln 2$ correct choice
- b. $4 + \ln 2$
- c. $3 + \ln 4$
- d. $4 + \ln 4$
- e. $1 + \ln 4$

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

$$(1, 2, 0) = \vec{r}(1) \quad (4, 4, \ln 2) = \vec{r}(2)$$

$$L = \int_1^2 |\vec{v}| dt = \int_1^2 \left(2t + \frac{1}{t}\right) dt = [t^2 + \ln|t|]_1^2 = (4 + \ln 2) - (1) = 3 + \ln 2$$

5. Find the tangential acceleration a_T of the curve.

- a. $\frac{2t^2 + 1}{t^2}$
- b. $\frac{2t^2 - 1}{t^2}$ correct choice
- c. $\frac{4t^4 + 1}{t^2}$
- d. $\frac{4t^4 - 1}{t^2}$
- e. $2 + \ln t$

$$a_T = \vec{a} \cdot \hat{T} = \frac{1}{|\vec{v}|} \vec{a} \cdot \vec{v} = \frac{t}{2t^2 + 1} \left(2, 0, -\frac{1}{t^2}\right) \cdot \left(2t, 2, \frac{1}{t}\right) = \frac{t}{2t^2 + 1} \left(4t - \frac{1}{t^3}\right) = \frac{t(4t^4 - 1)}{t^3(2t^2 + 1)} = \frac{2t^2 - 1}{t^2}$$

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

6. Find the binormal vector \hat{B} of the curve.

a. $\left(\frac{-1}{2t^2+1}, \frac{-2t}{2t^2+1}, \frac{-2t^2}{2t^2+1}\right)$

b. $\left(\frac{-1}{2t^2+1}, \frac{2t}{2t^2+1}, \frac{-2t^2}{2t^2+1}\right)$ correct choice

c. $\left(\frac{-2}{t^2}, \frac{-4}{t}, -4\right)$

d. $\left(\frac{-2}{t^2}, \frac{4}{t}, -4\right)$

e. $(-2, -4t, -4t^2)$

$$\vec{v}(t) = \left(2t, 2, \frac{1}{t}\right) \quad \vec{v} \times \vec{a} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 2t & 2 & \frac{1}{t} \\ 2 & 0 & -\frac{1}{t^2} \end{vmatrix} = \hat{i}\left(-\frac{2}{t^2}\right) - \hat{j}\left(-\frac{2}{t} - \frac{2}{t}\right) + \hat{k}(-4) = \left(-\frac{2}{t^2}, \frac{4}{t}, -4\right)$$

$$\vec{a}(t) = \left(2, 0, -\frac{1}{t^2}\right)$$

$$|\vec{v} \times \vec{a}| = \sqrt{\frac{4}{t^4} + \frac{16}{t^2} + 16} = \sqrt{4 \frac{1+4t^2+4t^4}{t^4}} = 2 \frac{2t^2+1}{t^2}$$

$$\hat{B} = \frac{\vec{v} \times \vec{a}}{|\vec{v} \times \vec{a}|} = \frac{t^2}{2(2t^2+1)} \left(-\frac{2}{t^2}, \frac{4}{t}, -4\right) = \left(\frac{-1}{2t^2+1}, \frac{2t}{2t^2+1}, \frac{-2t^2}{2t^2+1}\right)$$

7. Find the mass of a wire in the shape of the curve between $(1, 2, 0)$ and $(4, 4, \ln 2)$, if its linear mass density is $\rho = x + \frac{y}{2}e^z$.

a. 8

b. 12

c. 16

d. 18 correct choice

e. 20

$$\rho = x + \frac{y}{2}e^z = t^2 + te^{\ln t} = 2t^2 \quad |\vec{v}| = 2t + \frac{1}{t}$$

$$M = \int_1^2 \rho |\vec{v}| dt = \int_1^2 2t^2 \left(2t + \frac{1}{t}\right) dt = \int_1^2 (4t^3 + 2t) dt = [t^4 + t^2]_1^2 = (16 + 4) - (1 + 1) = 18$$

8. Find the work done to move an object along the curve from $(1, 2, 0)$ to $(4, 4, \ln 2)$, under the action of the force $\vec{F} = (y, x, xy)$.

a. $\frac{28}{3}$

b. $\frac{32}{3}$

c. $\frac{56}{3}$ correct choice

d. $\frac{64}{3}$

e. 27

$$\vec{F} = (y, x, xy) = (2t, t^2, 2t^3) \quad \vec{v}(t) = \left(2t, 2, \frac{1}{t}\right) \quad \vec{F} \cdot \vec{v} = 4t^2 + 2t^2 + 2t^2 = 8t^2$$

$$W = \int_1^2 \vec{F} \cdot \vec{v} dt = \int_1^2 8t^2 dt = \left[\frac{8}{3}t^3\right]_1^2 = \frac{8}{3}(8 - 1) = \frac{56}{3}$$

9. Find the plane which passes through the point $P = (2, 4, -1)$ and is perpendicular to the line $(x, y, z) = (1 + 3t, 2 + t, 3 + 2t)$. Its z -intercept is
- 8
 - 4
 - 2
 - 4 correct choice
 - 8

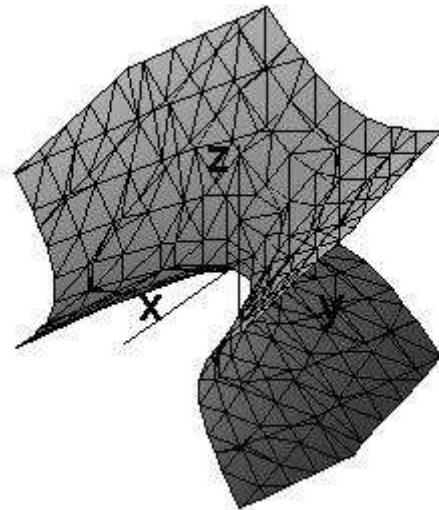
The normal to the plane is the tangent to the line: $\vec{N} = \vec{v} = (3, 1, 2)$
 $\vec{N} \cdot X = \vec{N} \cdot P \quad 3x + y + 2z = 3(2) + (4) + 2(-1) = 8 \quad z = -\frac{3}{2}x - \frac{1}{2}y + 4$

10. Find the point where the line $(x, y, z) = (1 - 3t, 2 + t, 1 - 2t)$ intersects the plane $2x + 3y - 3z = -1$. At this point $x + y + z =$
- 12 correct choice
 - 6
 - 5
 - 4
 - 1

Plug the line into the plane: $2(1 - 3t) + 3(2 + t) - 3(1 - 2t) = -1 \quad 5 + 3t = -1 \quad t = -2$
 Plug $t = -2$ into the line: $(x, y, z) = (1 - 3(-2), 2 + (-2), 1 - 2(-2)) = (7, 0, 5) \quad \text{So} \quad x + y + z = 12$

11. Which of the following is the equation of the surface?

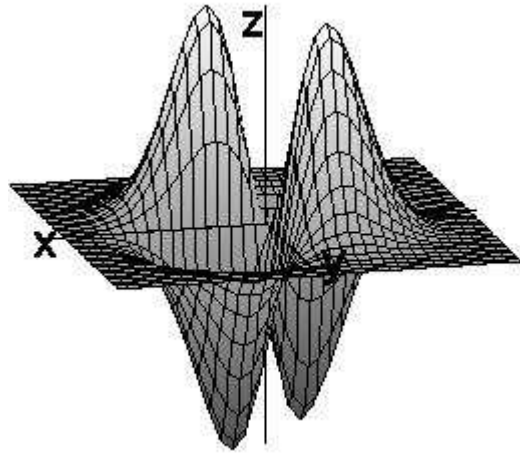
- $x^2 - y^2 - z^2 = 0$
- $x - y^2 + z^2 = 0$ correct choice
- $x + y^2 - z^2 = 0$
- $x - y^2 - z^2 = 0$
- $x + y^2 + z^2 = 0$



This is a hyperbolic paraboloid.
 (a) is a cone. (d) and (e) are elliptic paraboloids.
 This hyperbolic paraboloid opens up in the xy -plane and down in the xz -plane, as in (b).

12. Which of the following is the function graphed?

- a. $z = x^2y^2e^{-x^2-y^2}$
- b. $z = (x^2 - y^2)e^{-x^2-y^2}$
- c. $z = (y^2 - x^2)e^{-x^2-y^2}$
- d. $z = xye^{-x^2-y^2}$
- e. $z = -xye^{-x^2-y^2}$ correct choice



The graph is zero on the axes, negative in quadrants I and III, and positive in quadrants II and IV. (a) is everywhere positive. (b) and (c) are non-zero on the axes. (d) is positive in quadrant I.

13. If $f(x, y) = y \sin(xy)$, which of the following is FALSE?

- a. $f_x(1, 2) = 4 \cos(2)$
- b. $f_y(1, 2) = \sin(2) + 2 \cos(2)$
- c. $f_{xx}(1, 2) = -4 \sin(2) + 4 \cos(2)$ correct choice
- d. $f_{xy}(1, 2) = 4 \cos(2) - 4 \sin(2)$
- e. $f_{yy}(1, 2) = 2 \cos(2) - 2 \sin(2)$

$$f_x(x, y) = y^2 \cos(xy) \quad f_y(x, y) = \sin(xy) + xy \cos(xy)$$

$$f_{xx}(x, y) = -y^3 \sin(xy) \quad f_{xy}(x, y) = 2y \cos(xy) - xy^2 \sin(xy) \quad f_{yy}(x, y) = 2x \cos(xy) - x^2y \sin(xy)$$

$$f_x(1, 2) = 4 \cos(2) \quad f_y(1, 2) = \sin(2) + 2 \cos(2)$$

$$f_{xx}(1, 2) = -8 \sin(2) \quad f_{xy}(1, 2) = 4 \cos(2) - 4 \sin(2) \quad f_{yy}(1, 2) = 2 \cos(2) - 2 \sin(2)$$

14. A function $f(x, y)$ satisfies: $f(3, 4) = 2$, $f_x(3, 4) = -2$, $f_y(3, 4) = 3$.
Use the linear approximation to estimate $f(3.2, 3.9)$.

- a. -0.7
- b. 1.3 correct choice
- c. 2.7
- d. 5.3
- e. 7.3

$$f(x, y) \approx f(3, 4) + f_x(3, 4)(x - 3) + f_y(3, 4)(y - 4) = 2 - 2(x - 3) + 3(y - 4)$$

$$f(3.2, 3.9) \approx 2 - 2(3.2 - 3) + 3(3.9 - 4) = 2 - .4 - .3 = 1.3$$

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

15. (12 points) Duke Skywater is flying across the galaxy in the Millenium Eagle when he find himself passing through a dangerous polaron field. He is currently at the point $\vec{r} = (-1, 1, 2)$ and has velocity $\vec{v} = (0.1, -0.2, 0.2)$ and the polaron density is $\rho = xz^2 + yz^3$.

- a. (8 pts) What is the polaron density and its rate of change as currently seen by Duke?

$$\rho(-1, 1, 2) = -4 + 8 = 4$$

$$\vec{\nabla}\rho = (z^2, z^3, 2xz + 3yz^2) \quad \vec{\nabla}\rho(-1, 1, 2) = (4, 8, 8)$$

$$\frac{d\rho}{dt} = \vec{v} \cdot \vec{\nabla}\rho = (0.1, -0.2, 0.2) \cdot (4, 8, 8) = 0.4 - 1.6 + 1.6 = 0.4$$

- b. (4 pts) In what unit vector direction should Duke travel to **reduce** the polaron density as fast as possible?

The polaron decreases fastest in the direction opposite to the gradient:

$$\vec{w} = -\vec{\nabla}\rho(-1, 1, 2) = (-4, -8, -8) \quad |\vec{w}| = \sqrt{16 + 64 + 64} = \sqrt{144} = 12$$

The unit vector direction is

$$\hat{w} = \frac{\vec{w}}{|\vec{w}|} = \frac{1}{12}(-4, -8, -8) = \left(-\frac{1}{3}, -\frac{2}{3}, -\frac{2}{3}\right)$$

16. (12 points) The temperature around a candle is given by $T = 110 - x^2 - y^2 - 2z^2$.

Find the maximum temperature on the plane $4x + 6y + 8z = 42$ and the point where it occur.

METHOD 1: Lagrange Multipliers:

$$\vec{\nabla}T = (-2x, -2y, -4z) \quad g = 4x + 6y + 8z \quad \vec{\nabla}g = (4, 6, 8)$$

$$\text{Lagrange equations: } \vec{\nabla}T = \lambda \vec{\nabla}g \quad (-2x, -2y, -4z) = \lambda(4, 6, 8)$$

$$-2x = 4\lambda \quad -2y = 6\lambda \quad -4z = 8\lambda$$

$$x = -2\lambda \quad y = -3\lambda \quad z = -2\lambda \quad \text{Plug into constraint, } g = 42:$$

$$4(-2\lambda) + 6(-3\lambda) + 8(-2\lambda) = 42 \quad -42\lambda = 42 \quad \lambda = -1$$

$$(x, y, z) = (2, 3, 2) \quad T = 110 - 4 - 9 - 8 = 89$$

METHOD 2: Eliminate a variable:

$$4x + 6y + 8z = 42 \quad x = \frac{21}{2} - \frac{3}{2}y - 2z \quad T = 110 - \left(\frac{21}{2} - \frac{3}{2}y - 2z\right)^2 - y^2 - 2z^2$$

$$T_y = -2\left(\frac{21}{2} - \frac{3}{2}y - 2z\right)\left(-\frac{3}{2}\right) - 2y = 0 \quad T_z = -2\left(\frac{21}{2} - \frac{3}{2}y - 2z\right)(-2) - 4z = 0$$

$$\frac{63}{2} - \frac{13}{2}y - 6z = 0 \quad 42 - 6y - 12z = 0$$

$$13y + 12z = 63 \quad 6y + 12z = 42 \quad \text{subtract} \quad 7y = 21 \quad y = 3$$

$$12z = 42 - 6y = 42 - 18 = 24 \quad z = 2$$

$$x = \frac{21}{2} - \frac{3}{2}y - 2z = \frac{21}{2} - \frac{9}{2} - 4 = 2$$

$$(x, y, z) = (2, 3, 2) \quad T = 110 - 4 - 9 - 8 = 89$$

17. (12 points) Find an equation of the plane tangent to the graph of the function $f(x, y) = 2x^2y - xy^2$ at $(x, y) = (2, 1)$. Then find its z -intercept.

$$f(x, y) = 2x^2y - xy^2 \quad f_x(x, y) = 4xy - y^2 \quad f_y(x, y) = 2x^2 - 2xy$$

$$f(2, 1) = 8 - 2 = 6 \quad f_x(2, 1) = 8 - 1 = 7 \quad f_y(2, 1) = 8 - 4 = 4$$

$$z = f(2, 1) + f_x(2, 1)(x - 2) + f_y(2, 1)(y - 1) = 6 + 7(x - 2) + 4(y - 1) = 7x + 4y - 12$$

The z -intercept is $c = -12$.

18. (12 points) Find an equation of the plane tangent to the surface $x^4 + x^2y^2 + y^2z^2 = 21$ at the point $(x, y, z) = (1, -2, 2)$. Then find its z -intercept.

$$F = x^4 + x^2y^2 + y^2z^2 \quad \vec{\nabla}F = (4x^3 + 2xy^2, 2x^2y + 2yz^2, 2y^2z) \quad \vec{N} = \vec{\nabla}F(1, -2, 2) = (12, -20, 16)$$

$$\vec{N} \cdot X = \vec{N} \cdot P \quad 12x - 20y + 16z = 12(1) - 20(-2) + 16(2) = 84 \quad 3x - 5y + 4z = 21$$

The z -intercept is $c = \frac{21}{4}$.