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Prob # 1. (6 pts)

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

$$f(1, 4) = 3$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(1, 4) = 5, \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(1, 4) = 2$$

$$\text{Put: } h(x, y, z) = z - f(x, y)$$

$$\vec{\nabla} h = \left\langle -\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}, -\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}, 1 \right\rangle$$

The tangent plane
of h @ $(1, 4, 3)$

is

$$\vec{N} = \vec{\nabla} h(1, 4, 3)$$

$$= \langle -5, -2, 1 \rangle$$

$$(T): \vec{N} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} x-1 \\ y-4 \\ z-3 \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

\Rightarrow

$$-5(x-1) - 2(y-4) + z - 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -\frac{2}{5}(y-4) + \frac{z}{5} - \frac{3}{5} + 1$$

$$= -\frac{2}{5}(y-4) + \frac{z}{5} + \frac{2}{5}$$

1 pt

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial x}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial y}{\partial y} = -\frac{2}{5}$$

1 pt



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Pb#2 (8 pts)

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

$$g(x, y) = \frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$$

Applying Lagrange's method

$$\nabla f = \lambda \nabla g \quad \dots \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \nabla f \times \nabla g = \langle 0, 0, 0 \rangle$$

$$\vec{\nabla} f = \langle y, x \rangle$$

$$\vec{\nabla} g = \langle \frac{x}{2}, \frac{2}{9}y \rangle$$

$$\vec{\nabla} f \times \vec{\nabla} g = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ y & x & 0 \\ \frac{x}{2} & \frac{2}{9}y & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \left(\frac{2}{9}y^2 - \frac{x^2}{2} \right) \mathbf{k} \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

$$= \langle 0, 0, 0 \rangle$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \frac{2}{9}y^2 - \frac{x^2}{2} = 0 \dots (1) \\ \frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1 \dots (2) \end{cases}$$

From (1): $\boxed{\frac{x^2}{4} = \frac{y^2}{9}}$ (1pt)

Plug into (2):

$$2 \frac{y^2}{9} = 1 \Rightarrow \boxed{y = \pm \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}}$$
 (1pt)

For $y = -\frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}$

$$x^2 = \frac{4}{9} \left(-\frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{x = \pm \sqrt{2}}$$
 (1pt)

$$\Rightarrow \begin{aligned} &(-\sqrt{2}, -\frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}) \\ &(\sqrt{2}, -\frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}) \end{aligned}$$

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for $y = \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = \frac{4}{9} \left(\frac{3}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^2 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{x = \pm\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\begin{array}{l} (-\sqrt{2}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}) \\ (\sqrt{2}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}) \end{array} \right) \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$



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

$$f\left(\sqrt{2}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}\right) = f\left(-\sqrt{2}, -\frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}\right) \\ = 3 > 0$$

$$f\left(-\sqrt{2}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}\right) = f\left(\sqrt{2}, -\frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}\right) \\ = -3 < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow f \text{ has a max} \\ \text{@ } \left(\begin{array}{l} (\sqrt{2}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}) \\ (-\sqrt{2}, -\frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}) \end{array} \right) \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

And f has a min

@ $(-\sqrt{2}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}})$ --- (1 pt)

and $(\sqrt{2}, -\frac{3}{\sqrt{2}})$



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Prob #3: 6 pts

(a)

$$V(x,y) = \underbrace{2x e^{3y}}_{P(x,y)} + \underbrace{(3x^2 e^{3y} + 5)}_{Q(x,y)}$$

By theorem,

$V = \nabla f$ if and only if

$$\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} \quad ? \quad \dots \quad \text{1 pt}$$

$$\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = 6x e^{3y} \quad \dots \quad \text{1 pt}$$

$$\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} = 6x e^{3y} = \frac{\partial P}{\partial y}$$

$$\Rightarrow V = \nabla f \quad \dots \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

Answer

$$\begin{cases} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = P \quad \dots \quad (1) \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = Q \quad \dots \quad (2) \end{cases}$$

From (1)

$$f(x, y) = \int p(x, y) dx$$

$$= \int 2x e^{3y} dx$$

$$= e^{3y} x^2 + h(y) \quad \text{--- (1 pt)}$$

Verification:

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = 2x e^{3y} = p \quad \checkmark$$



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Using (*) and (2)

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 3x^2 e^{3y} + h'(y)$$

$$= 3x^2 e^{3y} + 5 \quad \text{--- (1 pt)}$$

$$\Rightarrow h'(y) = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow h(y) = 5y + C \quad \text{--- (1 pt)}$$

$C \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\Rightarrow f(x, y) = x^2 e^{3y} + 5y + C$$

$C \in \mathbb{R}$

b # 3 : 6 pts

b

$$u(x,y) = \underbrace{2y e^{3x}}_P i + \underbrace{(3y^2 e^{3x} + 5)}_Q j$$

\vec{u} is the gradient of a

function ϕ

i.e. $\vec{u} = \nabla \phi$

iff $\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x}$

$$\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = 2 e^{3x}$$

$$\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} = 9 y^2 e^{3x}$$

$$\neq \frac{\partial P}{\partial y}$$

$\Rightarrow \vec{u}$ is not the gradient of a ϕ .

(1 pt)



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