

MATH 2010E TUTO 7

(1) Let γ be the (parametrized) curve given by

$$\gamma(t) = \left(t^2, \frac{t^3}{3} - t\right), t \in [-\sqrt{3}, \sqrt{3}].$$

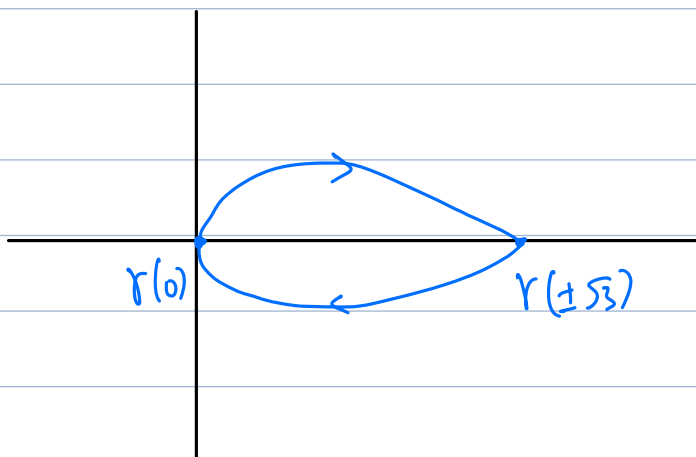
(a) (5 points) Sketch the curve γ .

(b) (5 points) Show that it is a simple closed curve.

(c) (2 points) Calculate the tangent vector of γ at t for all $t \in (-\sqrt{3}, \sqrt{3})$.

(d) (4 points) Calculate the arc-length of γ .

Ans: a)



$$b) \gamma(\sqrt{3}) = \gamma(-\sqrt{3}) \Rightarrow \gamma \text{ is closed}$$

Suppose $t_1, t_2 \in (-\sqrt{3}, \sqrt{3})$ s.t. $t_1 \neq t_2$ and $\gamma(t_1) = \gamma(t_2)$

$$\text{Then } t_1^2 = t_2^2 \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{1}{3}t_1^3 - t_1 = \frac{1}{3}t_2^3 - t_2$$

$$\Rightarrow t_1 = \pm t_2$$

$$\Rightarrow t_1 = -t_2, \text{ then } \frac{1}{3}t_2^3 - t_2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t_2 = 0 \text{ since } t_2 \neq \pm\sqrt{3}$$

Hence $t_1 = t_2 = 0$, contradiction

$\therefore \gamma$ is simple.

$$c) \gamma'(t) = (2t, t^2 - 1)$$

$$d) \text{ arc length} = \int_{-\sqrt{3}}^{\sqrt{3}} \|\gamma'(t)\| dt = \int_{-\sqrt{3}}^{\sqrt{3}} \sqrt{(2t)^2 + (t^2 - 1)^2} dt = \int_{-\sqrt{3}}^{\sqrt{3}} (t^2 + 1) dt$$

(2) Let P be the plane passing through the points

$(1, -1, 1)$, $(2, 2, 0)$, and $(0, 1, -2)$.

(a) (4 points) Find a normal vector to P .

(b) (4 points) Find an equation of P of the form

$$ax + by + cz = d,$$

where a , b , c , d are constants.

(c) (2 points) Find a parametrization of the line passing through the point $(0, 0, 1)$ and perpendicular to P in the following form

$$\vec{x} = \vec{a} + t\vec{v},$$

for some $\vec{a}, \vec{v} \in \mathbb{R}^3$.

(d) (6 points) Using your result in previous parts, find the exact distance from the point $(0, 0, 1)$ to the plane P .

Ans: a) let $\vec{u} = (1, -1, 1) - (0, 1, -2) = (1, -2, 3)$

$$\vec{v} = (2, 2, 0) - (0, 1, -2) = (2, 1, 2)$$

Then $\vec{u} \times \vec{v} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & -2 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$

$$= (-7, 4, 5) \text{ is normal to } P.$$

b) By a) the eqn of P has the form

$$-7x + 4y + 5z = d \quad (*)$$

Put $(1, -1, 1)$ into $(*)$,

$$d = -6$$

The eqn of P is $-7x + 4y + 5z = -6$ =

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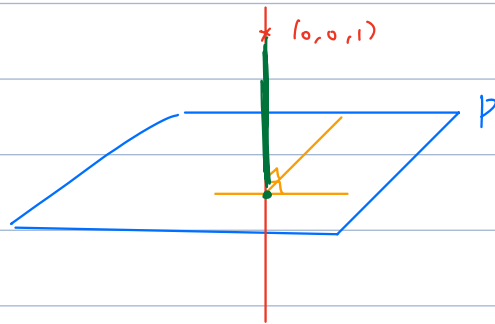
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c) $\vec{x} = (0, 0, 1) + t(-7, 4, 5)$

d)



Put $\vec{x} = (0, 0, 1) + t(-7, 4, 5)$

into $-7x + 4y + 5z = -6$

Then $49t + 16t + 5(5t + 1) = -6$

$$90t = -11$$

$$t = \frac{-11}{90}$$

Intersection pt is $\left(\frac{77}{90}, \frac{-44}{90}, \frac{35}{90} \right)$

$$\text{Distance} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{77}{90} - 0\right)^2 + \left(\frac{-44}{90} - 0\right)^2 + \left(\frac{35}{90} - 1\right)^2}$$

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(3) (a) (4 points) Find the limit of $f(x, y) = \frac{2xy}{x^2 + y^2}$ as $(x, y) \rightarrow (0, 0)$ along the line with slope m .

(b) (4 points) Does $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x, y)$ exist? Justify your answer.

(c) (4 points) Find the limit of $g(x, y) = \frac{2x^2y}{x^4 + y^2}$ as $(x, y) \rightarrow (0, 0)$ along the line with slope m .

(d) (4 points) Does $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} g(x, y)$ exist? Justify your answer.

a) Along $y = mx$,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x, mx) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2x(mx)}{x^2 + (mx)^2} = \frac{2m}{1+m^2}$$

b) Different limits along different paths (different m)
 \Rightarrow limit DNE

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d) Along $y = kx^2$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} g(x, kx^2) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2x^4(kx^2)}{x^4 + (kx^2)^2} = \frac{2k}{1+k^2}$$

Different k , different limits

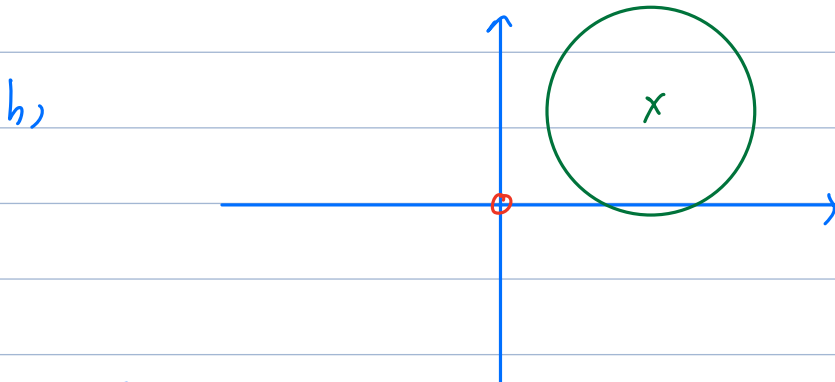
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(4) Consider rational function

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- (a) (2 points) Let A be the domain of definition of f , find A .
- (b) (6 points) Find, without justification, the interior $\text{Int}(A)$, exterior $\text{Ext}(A)$, and boundary ∂A of A .
- (c) (4 points) Is A open? Is A closed? Justify your answers.
- (d) (4 points) Can f be extended to a function continuous on \mathbb{R}^2 ? Justify your answer and, if so, find the value of the extended function $f(\vec{a})$ at those $\vec{a} \notin A$.

Ans: a) $A = \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{x^2 + y^2 = 0\} = \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{(0, 0)\}$.



$$\text{Int}(A) = A$$

$$\text{Ext}(A) = \text{Int}(\{(0, 0)\}) = \emptyset$$

$$\partial A = \{(0, 0)\}$$

(c) A is open since $\text{Int}(A) = A$

A is not closed since $\mathbb{R}^2 \setminus A = \{(0, 0)\}$ is not open

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$$\begin{aligned} d) \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x,y) &= \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{2r^2 \cos^2 \theta + 3r^2 \cos^2 \theta \cdot r^2 \sin^2 \theta + 2r^2 \sin^2 \theta}{r^2} \\ &= \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} (2 + 3r^2 \cos^2 \theta \sin^2 \theta) \\ &= 2 \quad (0 \leq \cos^2 \theta \sin^2 \theta \leq 1 \text{ by squeeze thm}) \end{aligned}$$

So f can be extended to a continuous function on \mathbb{R}^2 with $f(0,0) = 2$

(5) Let

$$f(x, y, z) = xy \ln(x^2 z^2)$$

- (a) (2 points) Find the domain of definition of f .
- (b) (3 points) Find all 3 first-order partial derivatives of f .
- (c) (9 points) Find all 9 second-order partial derivatives of f .
- (d) (2 points) Clairaut's theorem (mixed derivative theorem) reduces the calculation of all 27 third-order partial derivatives of f to the calculation of a smaller number of third-order partial derivatives. What is this smaller number? Justify your answer.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) Domain of } f &= \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{x^2 z^2 = 0\} \\ &= \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : x \neq 0, z \neq 0\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b) } f_x &= y \ln(x^2 z^2) + xy \cdot \frac{1}{x^2 z^2} \cdot 2xz^2 \\ &= y \ln(x^2 z^2) + 2y \end{aligned}$$

$$f_y = x \ln(x^2 z^2)$$

$$f_z = xy \cdot \frac{1}{x^2 z^2} \cdot 2x^2 z = \frac{2xy}{z}$$

$$\text{c) } f_{xx} = y \cdot \frac{1}{x^2 z^2} \cdot 2xz^2 + 0 = \frac{2y}{x}$$

$$f_{yy} = 0$$

$$f_{zz} = -\frac{2xy}{z^2}$$

$$f_{xy} = \ln(x^2 z^2) + 2 = f_{yx} \quad (\text{by Clairaut's})$$

$$f_{xz} = \frac{2y}{z} = f_{zx} \quad (\text{by Clairaut's})$$

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a) By Clairaut's Thm, only need to compute

$$f_{xxx}, f_{yyy}, f_{zzz}$$

$$f_{xxy}, f_{xxz}, f_{xyy}, f_{yyz}, f_{xzz}, f_{yzz}$$

$$f_{xyz}$$

So the smaller number is 10

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$$f(x, y, z) = \begin{cases} \frac{z \sin(x^3 + y^4)}{x^2 + y^2}, & \text{if } x^2 + y^2 \neq 0 \\ 0, & \text{if } x^2 + y^2 = 0. \end{cases}$$

(a) (6 points) Using definition of partial derivatives, find $f_x(0, 0, 1)$, $f_y(0, 0, 1)$, and $f_z(0, 0, 1)$.

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$$\begin{aligned} a) \quad f_x(0, 0, 1) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h, 0, 1) - f(0, 0, 1)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{\sin h^3}{h^2} - 0}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin h^3}{h^3} = 1 \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} f_z(0, 0, 1) &= \dots \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

b)

$$f_{zx}(0, 0, 1) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f_z(h, 0, 1) - f_z(0, 0, 1)}{h}$$

For $(x, y) \neq (0, 0)$,

$$f_z(x, y, z) = \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left(\frac{z \sin(x^3 + y^4)}{x^2 + y^2} \right) = \frac{\sin(x^3 + y^4)}{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$\text{So } f_z(h, 0, 1) = \frac{\sin(h^3)}{h^2} \quad \text{if } h \neq 0$$

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