
203 Fall 2008 Group Final Solutions

1a: Take cross products of the normal to get the direction of the line:

$$\mathbf{Cross}[\{2, -1, 1\}, \{1, 0, -3\}]$$
$$\{3, 7, 1\}$$

Then parameterize the line using the point and the direction to get:

$$x = 4 + 3t, y = -7t, z = -3 + t$$

1b: The desired plane contains the normals of the two specified plane, so its normal is the same cross product as in 1a. That gives an equation of the plane as $3(x - 4) + 7(y + 2) + (z - 3) = 0$

2a: the gradient is:

$$\mathbf{f} = x^2 \mathbf{y} + y^2 \mathbf{z}$$
$$x^2 \mathbf{y} + y^2 \mathbf{z}$$
$$\{\mathbf{D}[\mathbf{f}, x], \mathbf{D}[\mathbf{f}, y], \mathbf{D}[\mathbf{f}, z]\}$$
$$\{2xy, x^2 + 2yz, y^2\}$$

2b: the gradient will give a normal vector, so evaluating at the point gives:

$$\{2xy, x^2 + 2yz, y^2\} /. \{x \rightarrow 2, y \rightarrow -1, z \rightarrow 3\}$$
$$\{-4, -2, 1\}$$

So an equation of the tangent plane is $-4(x - 2) - 2(y + 1) + (z - 3) = 0$

2c: we just want $D_v f = \nabla f \cdot v$ to be negative, so there are many correct answers. For example, moving in the direction given by i gives:

$$\{-4, -2, 1\} \cdot \{1, 0, 0\}$$
$$-4$$

3: First, sketch the triangular region to reverse the order, giving an integral which goes easily by substitution:

$$\int_0^1 \int_0^x \sqrt{1+x^2} \, dy \, dx$$
$$\frac{1}{3} (-1 + 2\sqrt{2})$$

4a: Absolutely convergent by the ratio test

4b: Convergent by the alternating series test, and then absolutely convergent by the integral test:

$$\int_2^{\infty} \frac{1}{x \text{Log}[x]^2} \, dx$$
$$\frac{1}{\text{Log}[2]}$$

4c: Convergent by the alternating series test, and then divergent by limit comparison with $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k^{1/2}}$ so it is conditionally convergent

5: use the ratio test to get convergence on the interval $-2 < x < 2$. For $x=2$, divergent by comparison with the harmonic series. For $x=-2$, convergent by the alternating series test.

6a: Taking the first partials and setting them to zero and solving gives:

$$\mathbf{T} = \mathbf{x}^3 + \mathbf{y}^3 - 3 \mathbf{x} \mathbf{y}$$

$$\mathbf{x}^3 - 3 \mathbf{x} \mathbf{y} + \mathbf{y}^3$$

$$\mathbf{Solve}[\{\mathbf{D}[\mathbf{T}, \mathbf{x}] = \mathbf{0}, \mathbf{D}[\mathbf{T}, \mathbf{y}] = \mathbf{0}\}]$$

$$\{\{\mathbf{x} \rightarrow \mathbf{0}, \mathbf{y} \rightarrow \mathbf{0}\}, \{\mathbf{x} \rightarrow \mathbf{1}, \mathbf{y} \rightarrow \mathbf{1}\}, \{\mathbf{x} \rightarrow -(-\mathbf{1})^{1/3}, \mathbf{y} \rightarrow (-\mathbf{1})^{2/3}\}, \{\mathbf{x} \rightarrow (-\mathbf{1})^{2/3}, \mathbf{y} \rightarrow -(-\mathbf{1})^{1/3}\}\}$$

At the two points with real coordinates (0,0) and (1,1), we evaluate the discriminant to get:

$$\mathbf{D}[\mathbf{T}, \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}] \mathbf{D}[\mathbf{T}, \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y}] - \mathbf{D}[\mathbf{T}, \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}]^2$$

$$-9 + 36 \mathbf{x} \mathbf{y}$$

$$-9 + 36 \mathbf{x} \mathbf{y} /. \{\mathbf{x} \rightarrow \mathbf{0}, \mathbf{y} \rightarrow \mathbf{0}\}$$

$$-9$$

$$-9 + 36 \mathbf{x} \mathbf{y} /. \{\mathbf{x} \rightarrow \mathbf{1}, \mathbf{y} \rightarrow \mathbf{1}\}$$

$$27$$

$$\mathbf{D}[\mathbf{T}, \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}] /. \{\mathbf{x} \rightarrow \mathbf{1}, \mathbf{y} \rightarrow \mathbf{1}\}$$

$$6$$

So there is a relative min at (1,1) and a saddle at (0,0).

6b: we consider the two points from part a) together with the edges:

$$\mathbf{T} /. \{\mathbf{x} \rightarrow \mathbf{0}, \mathbf{y} \rightarrow \mathbf{t}\}$$

$$\mathbf{t}^3$$

$$\mathbf{Solve}[\mathbf{D}[\mathbf{T} /. \{\mathbf{x} \rightarrow \mathbf{0}, \mathbf{y} \rightarrow \mathbf{t}\}, \mathbf{t}] = \mathbf{0}]$$

$$\{\{\mathbf{t} \rightarrow \mathbf{0}\}, \{\mathbf{t} \rightarrow \mathbf{0}\}\}$$

$$\mathbf{Solve}[\mathbf{D}[\mathbf{T} /. \{\mathbf{x} \rightarrow \mathbf{2}, \mathbf{y} \rightarrow \mathbf{t}\}, \mathbf{t}] = \mathbf{0}]$$

$$\{\{\mathbf{t} \rightarrow -\sqrt{2}\}, \{\mathbf{t} \rightarrow \sqrt{2}\}\}$$

$$\mathbf{Solve}[\mathbf{D}[\mathbf{T} /. \{\mathbf{x} \rightarrow \mathbf{t}, \mathbf{y} \rightarrow \mathbf{0}\}, \mathbf{t}] = \mathbf{0}]$$

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That gives potential critical points at the four corners, the interior point (1,1) and the points $(\sqrt{2}, 2)$ and $(\sqrt{2}, 0)$. Checking all of them, we get:

T /. {**x** → 1, **y** → 1}
T /. {**x** → 0, **y** → 3}
T /. {**x** → 2, **y** → 3}
T /. {**x** → 2, **y** → 0}
T /. {**x** → 0, **y** → 0}
T /. {**x** → $\sqrt{2}$, **y** → 3}
T /. {**x** → $\sqrt{2}$, **y** → 0}

-1

27

17

8

0

$27 - 7\sqrt{2}$

$2\sqrt{2}$

So the hottest point is (0,3) with temperature 27.

7: set up the integral in polar, to get

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^a r (a - \sqrt{r^2}) \, dr \, d\theta$$

$$\frac{1}{3} a^2 \pi (3a - 2 \text{Abs}[a])$$

8. So $f(x,y)$ is of the form $f(r) = f(x^2 + y^2)$. Using the chain rule, we get $f_x = 2x f_r$ and $f_y = 2y f_r$ and the desired result.

9a. Use the geometric series with $r = -t^2$ to get the function as $1 - t^2 + t^4 - t^6 + \dots$ which converges for $-1 < t < 1$.

9b. Integrating gives $t - \frac{t^3}{3} + \frac{t^5}{5} - \dots$ and then evaluating gives $\frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} - \frac{1}{3^{3/2}} + \frac{1}{5^{3/2}} - \dots$

For the desired error, using the alternating series analysis, we want $1/k(\text{Sqrt}[3])^{2k+1}$ to be less than .01, which happens when $k=3$, so the first 3 terms are sufficient

$$\text{Table}\left[\mathbf{N}\left[\frac{1}{(2k+1)(\sqrt{3})^{2k+1}}\right], \{\mathbf{k}, 1, 4\}\right]$$

$$\{0.06415, 0.01283, 0.00305476, 0.000791976\}$$

10. To find the mass, we integrate the density which is $\rho = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = r$ to get, using polar coordinates:

$$\int_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^2 r r dr d\theta$$

$$\frac{8\pi}{3}$$

For the x-coordinate of the center of mass:

$$\bar{x} = \frac{1}{\frac{8\pi}{3}} \int_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^2 r \cos[\theta] r r dr d\theta$$

$$\frac{3}{\pi}$$

$$\bar{y} = \frac{1}{\frac{8\pi}{3}} \int_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^2 r \sin[\theta] r r dr d\theta$$

$$0$$

11. Using the shadow technique and integrating $\sqrt{1 + f_x^2 + f_y^2}$, we get:

$$f = \sqrt{9 - x^2 - y^2}$$

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$$\text{Simplify}[1 + D[f, x]^2 + D[f, y]^2]$$

$$-\frac{9}{-9 + x^2 + y^2}$$

Converting to polar and doubling (there is a top piece and a bottom piece):

$$2 \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 \sqrt{\frac{9}{9 - r^2}} r dr d\theta$$

$$-12 \left(-3 + \sqrt{5} \right) \pi$$

12. a) changing to polar gives the quantity as $\frac{r^3 \cos(\theta) \sin(\theta)}{r^2}$ which goes to zero as r goes to zero, independent of θ . So the limit exists and is zero.

12. b) Taking derivatives and evaluating:

$$\text{Table}\left[D\left[\frac{1}{x}, \{x, i\}\right], \{i, 1, 6\}\right]$$

$$\left\{-\frac{1}{x^2}, \frac{2}{x^3}, -\frac{6}{x^4}, \frac{24}{x^5}, -\frac{120}{x^6}, \frac{720}{x^7}\right\}$$

which gives the series:

Series $\left[\frac{1}{x}, \{x, 2, 5\} \right]$

$$\frac{1}{2} - \frac{x-2}{4} + \frac{1}{8} (x-2)^2 - \frac{1}{16} (x-2)^3 + \frac{1}{32} (x-2)^4 - \frac{1}{64} (x-2)^5 + O[x-2]^6$$

Knowing that e is between 2 and 3 gives an error estimate of:

$$\mathbf{R}_5(e) = \mathbf{f}^{(6)} \frac{(z)}{(5+1)!} (e-2)^6$$

which is less than if we let $z=3$ and note that $(e-2)^6 < 1$:

$$\left| \mathbf{R}_5(e) \right| < \frac{\frac{720}{2^7}}{720} 1 = \frac{1}{2^7} = \frac{1}{128}$$



so the error would be less than .01