

**Question 1:** Let  $f(x, y) = \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2 + y^2) - e^{y/x}$ . Calculate  $f_x(1, 0) + f_y(1, 0)$

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**Question 2:** Let  $w(x, y, z) = 4x^3y^2z + \sec(x - \sqrt{1 + z^2})$ . Determine  $w_{xzy}$ . [You may assume that Clairaut's Theorem applies.]

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**Question 3:** Let  $f(x, y, z) = xy + yz + xz$  where  $x = \cos(u^2v)$ ,  $y = \sin(v/u)$  and  $z = u + v - 1$ . Find  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial u}$  at the point where  $(u, v) = (1, \pi/2)$ .

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**Question 4:** Determine  $\frac{\partial x}{\partial z}$  at the point  $(x, y, z) = (1, -1, -3)$  if

$$xz + y \ln(x) - x^2 + 4 = 0$$

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**Question 5:**

(i) Determine the directional derivative of  $f(x, y) = x^2 e^{-2y}$  at the point  $P(2, 0)$  in the direction of  $\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j}$ .

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(ii) If starting at the point  $P(2, 0)$ , in which direction in the  $xy$ -plane should one proceed so that  $f(x, y)$  increases most rapidly? State your answer as a unit vector.

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(iii) If starting at the point  $P(2, 0)$ , in which direction in the  $xy$ -plane should one proceed so that  $f(x, y)$  neither increases nor decreases? State your answer as a unit vector. (There are two possible directions; give one.)

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**Question 6:** Use a linear approximation to estimate  $f(4.1, -0.2)$  where  $f(x, y) = \sqrt{x + \sin(4y)}$ .

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**Question 7:** Find all points, if any, on the surface  $z^2 - e^{xy} = 3$  at which the tangent plane is horizontal.

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**Question 8:** Find all critical points of  $f(x, y) = x^3 + 3xy + y^3$  and classify each as either a local maximum, local minimum or a saddle point. Carefully calculate all required derivatives and keep your work organized.

**Question 9:**

Find the volume of the largest rectangular box in the first octant having three faces on the coordinate planes and one vertex on the plane  $x + 2y + 3z = 6$ . You may assume that the solution you find corresponds to the maximum— there is no need to justify it.