

(1a.) Rational function,  $(1, -1, 2)$  is in its domain  $\Rightarrow \lim_{(x,y,z) \rightarrow (1,-1,2)} \frac{x^2yz - 2xyz}{x^2 + y^2 - z^2} = \frac{-2 + 4}{1 + 1 - 4} = -1$

(b.) Note:  $\frac{-x^2 \sin x}{x^2} \leq \frac{x^2 \sin x}{x^2 + y^2} \leq \frac{x^2 \sin x}{x^2} \Rightarrow -\sin x \leq \frac{x^2 \sin x}{x^2 + y^2} \leq \sin x$ . As  $\sin x \rightarrow 0$  as  $x \rightarrow 0$ ,  
 $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2 \sin x}{x^2 + y^2} = 0$  by the squeeze theorem.

(c.) DNE: the limit along  $y = x$  is  $1/2$  and the limit along  $y = -x$  is  $-1/2$ .

(2a.)  $f_x = 2 \ln(x^2 + 2xy) \frac{1}{x^2 + 2xy} (2x + 2y)$   $f_y = 2 \ln(x^2 + 2xy) \frac{1}{x^2 + 2xy} (2x)$

(b.)  $f_x = \sqrt{xyz}(2x) + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{xyz}}(yz)(x^2 - 2z)$   $f_y = \sqrt{xyz}(0) + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{xyz}}(xz)(x^2 - 2z)$

$f_z = \sqrt{xyz}(2) + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{xyz}}(xy)(x^2 - 2z)$

(c.)  $f_x = \frac{\cos(x^2y)(2xy)(x^2 - y) - \sin(x^2y)(2x)}{(x^2 - y)^2}$   $f_x = \frac{\cos(x^2y)(x^2)(x^2 - y) - \sin(x^2y)(-1)}{(x^2 - y)^2}$

(3a.)  $\frac{dw}{dt} = \frac{\partial w}{\partial u} \frac{du}{dt} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial v} \frac{dv}{dt} = (2u + 2v^2)(3t^2) + (4uv)(2 + 1/t) = [2t^3 + 2(2t + \ln t)^2](3t^2) + 4t^3(2t + \ln t)(2 + 1/t)$

(b.)  $\frac{\partial w}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial w}{\partial u} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial v} \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = [\cos(uv)(v) + \sin(2uv)(2v)](2x + y) + [\cos(uv)(u) + \sin(2uv)(2u)](2y)$

$\frac{\partial w}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial w}{\partial u} \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial v} \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = [\cos(uv)(v) + \sin(2uv)(2v)](x) + [\cos(uv)(u) + \sin(2uv)(2u)](2y + x)$

Note: substitute  $u = x^2 + xy$ ,  $v = y^2 + 2xy$  in the above to get the complete answer.

(c.)  $f_{xx} = 2$   $f_{yy} = 2$   $f_{xy} = f_{yx} = -2$

(4.) Let  $r = x - y$ ,  $s = y - z$  and  $t = z - x$ . Then  $w = f(r, s, t)$  and  $\frac{\partial w}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial s} \frac{\partial s}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial t} \frac{\partial t}{\partial x}$ ,  
 $\frac{\partial w}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial s} \frac{\partial s}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial t} \frac{\partial t}{\partial y}$  and  $\frac{\partial w}{\partial z} = \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \frac{\partial r}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial s} \frac{\partial s}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial t} \frac{\partial t}{\partial z}$ . Now note that  $\frac{\partial r}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial s}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial t}{\partial z} = 1$ ,  
 $\frac{\partial r}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial s}{\partial z} = \frac{\partial t}{\partial x} = -1$  and  $\frac{\partial r}{\partial z} = \frac{\partial s}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial t}{\partial y} = 0$  and then just substitute and add.

(5.)  $D_{\mathbf{u}}f(-1, 0, 0) = \nabla f(-1, 0, 0) \cdot \frac{\mathbf{u}}{\|\mathbf{u}\|} = \frac{3f_x(-1,0,0) - f_y(-1,0,0) - 2f_z(-1,0,0)}{\sqrt{14}}$ . Since  $f_x = -2x$ ,  $f_y = 6y + 1$  and  $f_z = 1 \Rightarrow D_{\mathbf{u}}f(-1, 0, 0) = \frac{3(2) - 1 - 2}{\sqrt{14}} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{14}}$

(6.)  $\nabla f(2, 3, 0) = f_x(2, 3, 0)\mathbf{i} + f_y(2, 3, 0)\mathbf{j} + f_z(2, 3, 0)\mathbf{k}$  and  $f_x = ye^z$ ,  $f_y = xe^z$ ,  $f_z = xye^z \Rightarrow \nabla f(2, 3, 0) = 3\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + 6\mathbf{k}$ .

(7.) Let  $f(x, y) = x^2 - 3x^2y + 2y^3$ . Then  $\nabla f(-1, 2)$  will be normal to the curve  $f(x, y) = 11$  at the point  $(-1, 2)$  where  $\nabla f(-1, 2) = f_x(-1, 2)\mathbf{i} + f_y(-1, 2)\mathbf{j}$ . As  $f_x = 2x - 6xy$  and  $f_y = -3x^2 + 6y^2 \Rightarrow \nabla f(-1, 2) = 10\mathbf{i} + 93\mathbf{j}$

(8.) The equation of the tangent plane at  $(0, 1, 1)$  is given by  $f_x(0, 1)(x - 0) + f_y(0, 1)(y - 1) + f_z(0, 1)(z - 1) = 0 \Rightarrow f_x(0, 1)(x - 0) + f_y(0, 1)(y - 1) - 1(z - 1) = 0$ . So normal vector is  $f_x(0, 1)\mathbf{i} + f_y(0, 1)\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}$  where  $f_x = ye^x$  and  $f_y = e^x$ . Therefore  $\mathbf{i} + b\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}$  is a normal vector.

(9.) Let  $w = x^2 - y^2 - z^2$ , then eq. of tangent space at  $(3, -2, -2)$  is  $w_x(3, -2, -2)(x - 3) + w_y(3, -2, -2)(y + 2) + w_z(3, -2, -2)(z + 2) + w(3, -2, -2) = w$ . So the eq. of the tangent plane to the level surface  $w = 1$  is  $w_x(3, -2, -2)(x - 3) + w_y(3, -2, -2)(y + 2) + w_z(3, -2, -2)(z + 2) = 0$ . Now  $w_x = 2x, w_y = -2y$  and  $w_z = -2z$  so eq. of tangent plane is  $6(x - 3) + 4(y + 2) + 4(z + 2) = 0$ .

(10a.)  $f_x = 2x$  and  $f_y = 1 + 1/y^3$ . Note that  $f_y$  is undefined at  $(x, 0)$ , but this point is not in the domain. So the only critical points occur where  $f_x = f_y = 0$ . In particular  $x = 0$  and  $y = -1$ . Now check the discriminant:  $D(0, -1) = f_{xx}(0, -1)f_{yy}(0, -1) - [f_{xy}(0, -1)]^2$ . As  $f_{xx} = 2, f_{yy} = -3/y^4, f_{xy} = 0 \Rightarrow D(0, -1) = -6 > 0$ . Therefore there is a saddle point at  $(0, -1)$ .

(b.)  $f_x = -4x + y - 4$  and  $f_y = x + 2y + 3$ . Solving for  $f_x = f_y = 0$ , we get  $x = -11/9$  and  $y = -8/9$ . Since  $f_{xx} = -4, f_{yy} = 2$  and  $f_{xy} = 1, D(-11/9, -8/9) = -7 < 0$ , so  $(-11/9, -8/9)$  is a saddle point.

(11.) Since  $f_x = 2x - 2$  and  $f_y = 2y - 4$ , the only critical point in the given disk is  $(1, 2)$ . Note that  $f(1, 2) = -11$ . Now we need to check  $f(x, y)$  on the boundary of the disk, which is  $x^2 + y^2 = 16$ . Parameterizing this curve, we get  $x(t) = 4 \cos t$  and  $y(t) = 4 \sin t$ . So, on the boundary,  $f(x, y) = 16 - 8 \cos t - 16 \sin t$ . Since  $\frac{df}{dt} = 8 \sin t - 16 \cos t$ , the maximum and minimum of  $f(x, y)$  will occur where  $\frac{df}{dt} = 8 \sin t - 16 \cos t = 0$ . In particular  $\tan t = 2$ . In terms of  $x, y$ , we have possible max/min's at  $(4/\sqrt{5}, 8/\sqrt{5})$  and  $(-4/\sqrt{5}, -8/\sqrt{5})$ . Now check  $f(4/\sqrt{5}, 8/\sqrt{5}) = -7.9$  and  $f(-4/\sqrt{5}, -8/\sqrt{5}) = 20.73$ . Therefore the minimum is at  $(1, 2)$  and the maximum is at  $(-4/\sqrt{5}, -8/\sqrt{5})$ .

(12.) From the picture, the equation of the line connecting  $(1, 0)$  and  $(0, 1)$  is  $y = 1 - x$ . In particular  $b = 1 - a$  and  $d = 1 - c$ . The area of box 1 is  $ab = a(1 - a) = a - a^2$  and the area of box 2 is  $c(d - b) = c(1 - c - 1 + a) = c^2 + ac$ . Therefore the total area of the boxes is given by  $A(a, c) = a - a^2 + c^2 + ac$ . Note that it is clear that  $0 < c < a < 1$ . We now maximize  $A(a, c)$ :

$A_a = 1 - 2a + c$  and  $A_c = 2c + a$ . Solving for  $A_a = 0$  and  $A_c = 0$  simultaneously gives  $(a, c) = (2/3, 1/3)$  as the only critical point. So we have  $A(2/3, 1/3) = 1/3$ . Since  $0 < c < a < 1$ , there is no boundary to consider, so the maximal total area is  $1/3$ .