

- 1:** (a) Define $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ by $f(0,0) = 0$ and $f(x,y) = \frac{x^3 - xy^2}{x^2 + y^2}$ for $(x,y) \neq (0,0)$. Determine whether f is differentiable at $(0,0)$.
- (b) Suppose $f : U \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is differentiable and f has a local maximum at $a \in U$. Show that $Df(a) = 0$ (this is Exercise 6.15 in the lecture notes).
- (c) Let $f : U \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$. Suppose the partial derivatives $\frac{\partial f_k}{\partial x_\ell}(x)$ exist and are bounded in U . Prove that f is continuous.
- 2:** (a) Let $(u,v) = f(x,y) = \left(x \ln(y - x^4), \left(2 + \frac{y}{x}\right)^{3/2}\right)$. Explain why f is locally invertible in a neighbourhood of $(1,2)$ and find the linearization of its inverse at $(0,8)$.
- (b) Define $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ by $f(x,y) = 2x^3 - 3x^2 + 2y^3 + 3y^2$ and let $C = \text{Null}(f)$. Use the Implicit Function Theorem to find all the points on C at which C is locally equal to the graph of a function $y = g(x)$, or locally equal to the graph of a function $x = h(y)$.
- 3:** Define $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ by $(u,v) = f(x,y) = (x + y, xy)$.
- (a) Sketch the level sets $u = 0, \pm 2, \pm 4$ and the level sets $v = 0, \pm 1, \pm 4$ (all on the same grid).
- (b) Sketch the image under f of each of the lines $x = 0, \pm \frac{1}{2}, \pm 1, \pm \frac{3}{2}, \pm 2$ (all on the same grid).
- (c) Let $A = \{(x,y) \mid \det(Df(x,y)) = 0\}$ and $B = f(A)$. Find a function $y = y(x)$ whose graph is A and a function $v = v(u)$ whose graph is B . Add A to your sketch in Part (a) and add B to your sketch in Part (b).
- (d) Show that for $U = \{(x,y) \mid y < x\}$ and $V = \{(u,v) \mid 4v < u^2\}$ the map $f : U \rightarrow V$ is invertible and find a formula for $g = f^{-1} : V \rightarrow U$.
- (e) Note that $f(2,1) = (3,2)$. Find $Dg(3,2)$ in two ways: first use the Inverse Function Theorem, then use your formula for g from Part (d).
- 4:** (a) Let $U = \{(x,y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid x^2 > y^2\}$. Find the 2nd Taylor polynomial of the map $f : U \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, which is given by $f(x,y) = \sqrt{x^2 - y^2}$, at the point $(5,4)$.
- (b) Define $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ by $f(x,y) = 2x + x^2 + y^2 - xy^2$. Find the absolute maximum and minimum values of $f(x,y)$ in the region $D = \{(x,y) \mid y^2 - 4 \leq 2x \leq 4\}$.