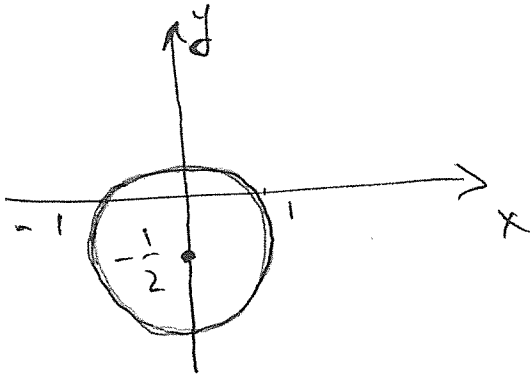


1. A curve  $C$  is defined by the equations  $z = x^2 + y^2$  and  $y + z = 1$ .

(a) (3 points) Find equations for the projection of  $C$  to the  $xy$ -plane and sketch the resulting curve.

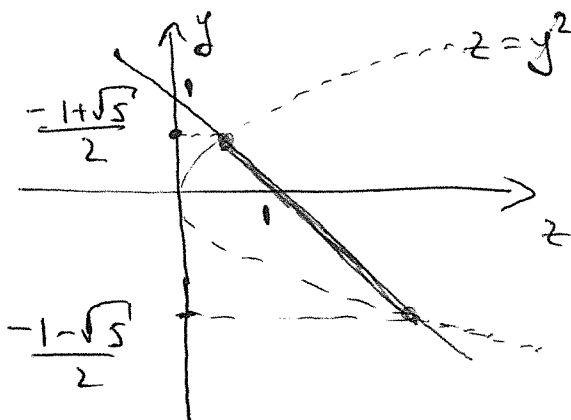
$S = \{(x, y) \mid \text{there is } z \text{ corresponding to } (x, y)\}$   
 $z = 1 - y$  and  $1 - y = x^2 + y^2 \Leftrightarrow x^2 + y^2 + y = 1 \Leftrightarrow x^2 + (y + \frac{1}{2})^2 = \frac{5}{4}$   
 circle of radius  $\frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}$ .

$\therefore S = \{(x, y) \mid x^2 + (y + \frac{1}{2})^2 = \frac{5}{4}\}$



(b) (4 points) Find equations for the projection of  $C$  to the  $yz$ -plane and sketch the resulting curve.

$S = \{(y, z) \mid \text{there is } x \text{ corresponding to } (y, z)\}$ , i.e.,  
 $y + z = 1$  and  $x^2 = z - y^2$ , i.e.,  $z - y^2 \geq 0$



$z = 1 - y$  and so  
 $z - y^2 \geq 0 \Leftrightarrow 1 - y - y^2 \geq 0$   
 $\Leftrightarrow y^2 + y - 1 \leq 0$   
 $y^2 + y - 1 = 0 \Leftrightarrow y = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$   
 $\therefore \frac{-1 - \sqrt{5}}{2} \leq y \leq \frac{-1 + \sqrt{5}}{2}$

2. (a) (3 points) Find an equation defining the tangent plane to the surface  $x^2 + 2y^2 = 4 - 3z^2$  at the point  $(1, 0, 1)$ .

$$F(x, y, z) = x^2 + 2y^2 + 3z^2 - 4 \quad \text{Surface: } F(x, y, z) = 0$$
$$\nabla F = (2x, 4y, 6z) \quad \text{and } \nabla F(1, 0, 1) = (2, 0, 6) = 2(1, 0, 3)$$

$\therefore \vec{n} = (1, 0, 3)$  is a normal vector to this surface at  $(1, 0, 1)$ .

Tangent plane:  $\underline{1(x-1) + 0(y-0) + 3(z-1) = 0}$

$$\Leftrightarrow x - 1 + 3z - 3 = 0 \quad \Leftrightarrow \underline{x + 3z - 4 = 0}$$

- (b) (2 points) Show that the tangent plane from part (a) does not intersect the line  $x = 1 + 3t, y = 2, z = 2 - t$ .

Line:  $\vec{r}(t) = (1 + 3t, 2, 2 - t) = (1, 2, 2) + t(3, 0, -1), t \in \mathbb{R}$

$\therefore \vec{v} = (3, 0, -1)$  is  $\parallel$  to this line

$$\vec{v} \cdot \vec{n} = (3, 0, -1) \cdot (1, 0, 3) = 3 - 3 = 0$$

$$\therefore \vec{v} \perp \vec{n}$$

Also,  $(1, 2, 2)$  does not satisfy  $x^2 + 2y^2 = 4 - 3z^2$   
 $\therefore$  this point is not on the plane from (a).  $\therefore$  Line and plane do not intersect.

- (c) (2 points) Find the shortest distance between the line from part (b) and the plane from part (a).

$$\text{Distance} = \text{dist}((1, 2, 2), \text{plane } x + 3z - 4 = 0) =$$

$$= \frac{|1 + 3 \cdot 2 - 4|}{\sqrt{1 + 3^2}} = \underline{\underline{\frac{3}{\sqrt{10}}}}$$

3. (4 points) Find parametric equations for the curve  $C$  defined by

$$x^2 + 4y^2 = 4, \quad x + z = 1,$$

directed so that  $x$  is **increasing** when  $y$  is positive.

$$\begin{cases} x^2 + 4y^2 = 4 \\ x + z = 1 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^2 + y^2 = 1 \\ z = 1 - x \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} \frac{x}{2} = \cos t \\ y = \sin t \\ z = 1 - x \end{cases}, \quad \text{for } 0 \leq t \leq 2\pi.$$

$y \geq 0$  if  $\sin t \geq 0$ , i.e.,  $0 \leq t \leq \pi$ .

$x = 2 \cos t$  is decreasing on  $[0, \pi]$ , i.e., we need to change direction/orientation of the curve.

$$\begin{cases} x = 2 \cos(-t) \\ y = \sin(-t) \\ z = 1 - x \end{cases}, \quad 0 \leq t \leq 2\pi \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \begin{cases} x = 2 \cos t \\ y = -\sin t \\ z = 1 - 2 \cos t \end{cases}, \quad 0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$$

4. (5 points) Suppose that equations  $xyuv = 1$  and  $x + y + u + v = 0$  define  $y$  and  $v$  as functions of  $x$  and  $u$ . Find  $\frac{\partial y}{\partial x}$ .

Method 1:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \cancel{F(x, y, u, v)} \quad F(x, u, y, v) = xyuv - 1 \\
 & \quad \quad \quad G(x, u, y, v) = x + y + u + v \\
 \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} &= - \frac{\frac{\partial(F, G)}{\partial(x, v)}}{\frac{\partial(F, G)}{\partial(y, v)}} \quad \therefore \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} = - \frac{\begin{vmatrix} yuv & xyu \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} xuv & xyu \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}} = \\
 &= - \frac{(yuv - xyu)}{(xuv - xyu)} = - \frac{yu(v-x)}{xu(v-y)} = \boxed{-\frac{y}{x} \cdot \frac{v-x}{v-y}} \\
 & \text{(note: } u \neq 0)
 \end{aligned}$$

Method 2:  $v = -(x+y+u) \quad \therefore xyu(x+y+u) = -1$

$$\Leftrightarrow x^2yu + xuy^2 + xu^2y + 1 = 0$$

Diff. wrt  $x$  (note:  $y = y(x, u)$  and  $x$  and  $u$  are independent)

$$2xyu + x^2u \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} + uy^2 + 2xuy \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} + u^2y + xu^2 \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} &= - \frac{2xyu + uy^2 + u^2y}{x^2u + 2xuy + xu^2} = - \frac{yu(2x+y+u)}{xu(x+2y+u)} = \\
 &= \boxed{-\frac{y}{x} \cdot \frac{2x+y+u}{x+2y+u}}
 \end{aligned}$$

Remark:  $\frac{\partial(F, G)}{\partial(y, v)} = xu(v-y)$  is 0 if  $u=0$ , and so  $y$  and  $v$  cannot be defined as f-s of  $x$  and  $u$  near such a point. Hence, we can assume that  $u \neq 0$ .

5. Find the limit or show that it does not exist:

(a) (4 points)  $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{\sin(xy)}{x^2+y^2}$

$$\lim_{\substack{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0) \\ \text{along } y=0}} \frac{\sin(xy)}{x^2+y^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 0}{x^2+0^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{x^2} = 0 = 0$$

$$\lim_{\substack{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0) \\ \text{along } x=y}} \frac{\sin(xy)}{x^2+y^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(x^2)}{2x^2} = \frac{1}{2} \lim_{u \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin u}{u} = \frac{1}{2}$$

Since limits along  $y=0$  and  $y=x$  are not the same, we conclude that

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{\sin(xy)}{x^2+y^2} \text{ DNE}$$

(b) (2 points)  $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{\sin(x^2-y^2)}{\cos(x^2+y^2)}$

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \sin(x^2-y^2) = \sin 0 = 0$$

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \cos(x^2+y^2) = \cos 0 = 1$$

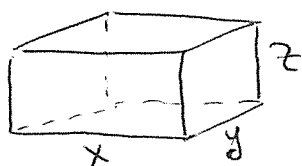
$$\therefore \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{\sin(x^2-y^2)}{\cos(x^2+y^2)} = \frac{0}{1} = \boxed{0}$$

6. Find the dimensions of the rectangular box  $R$  with no top such that:

1. the volume of  $R$  is  $1 \text{ m}^3$ ,
2. none of the sides of  $R$  is longer than  $2 \text{ m}$ ,
3.  $R$  has the least possible total surface area of its five faces.

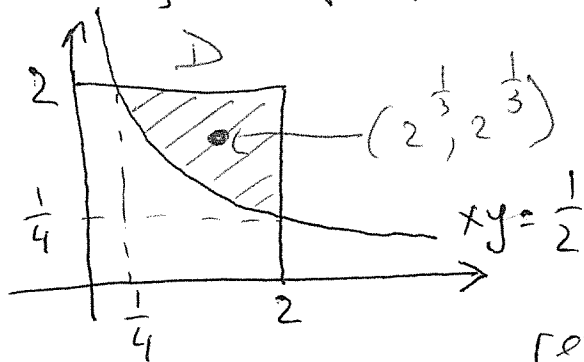
**Instructions:**

- (a) (4 points) Restate this problem as a minimization problem of a function  $f = f(x, y)$  on some region  $D$ .
- (b) (3 points) Solve this problem assuming that it is known that the values of  $f$  at all critical points inside  $D$  are smaller than its values on the boundary of  $D$ .



Volume =  $xyz (= 1 \text{ m}^3)$ , where  $0 \leq x, y, z \leq 2 \text{ (m)}$   
 Surface area =  $xy + 2xz + 2yz$  is minimal.  
 $\therefore z = \frac{1}{xy}$ ,  $0 \leq x, y \leq 2$  and  $\frac{1}{xy} \leq 2 \Rightarrow xy \geq \frac{1}{2}$

Hence, surface area is  $f(x, y) = xy + \frac{2}{x} + \frac{2}{y}$ ,  $x, y \leq 2$  and  $xy \geq \frac{1}{2}$



a) we need to find the abs. minimum value of  $f(x, y) = xy + \frac{2}{x} + \frac{2}{y}$  on the region  $D = \{(x, y) \mid x \leq 2, y \leq 2, xy \geq \frac{1}{2}\}$ .

b)  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = y - \frac{2}{x^2}$ ,  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = x - \frac{2}{y^2}$  and  
 $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 0 \Rightarrow \begin{cases} y = \frac{2}{x^2} \\ x = \frac{2}{y^2} \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} y = \frac{2}{x^2} \\ x = \frac{2x^4}{4} \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} y = \frac{2}{x^2} \\ x^3 = 2 \end{cases} \Rightarrow x = y = 2^{1/3}$ .

$\therefore$  Critical point of  $f$  is  $(2^{1/3}, 2^{1/3})$  (it is inside  $D$ ),

$f(2^{1/3}, 2^{1/3}) = 3 \cdot 2^{2/3}$   
 $\therefore$  Abs. minimum value is  $3 \cdot 2^{2/3}$  (attained when  $x = y = 2^{1/3} \text{ (m)}$  and  $z = 2^{-2/3} \text{ (m)}$ ).