

Derivability and Differentiability

L2 Maths

Module: Analysis 4

Remark

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The exercise marked by (★) or supplementary will not be corrected in the sience of **TD**.

Exercise

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Calculate all the first partial derivatives of the following functions.

1. $f(x, y) = x^2 + 3xy^2 - 4y^5$

3. $f(x, y, z) = x \sin(yz) - \ln(3 - e^{x+y}).$

2. $f(x, y) = y \cos(e^{xy+3y}).$

Exercise

2



1. Calculate the directional derivative of the function defined by $f(x, y) = 3x^2y - 4xy$ at the point $(1, 2)$ along the direction $\vec{v} = \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\right).$

2. Check the equality $D_v f(1, 2) = \nabla f(1, 2) \cdot v = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(1, 2) \cdot v_1 + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(1, 2) \cdot v_2.$

Exercise

3



Let the function $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be defined by $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^5}{(y-x^2)^2 + x^4} & : (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & : (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$

1. Show that the function f is continuous at $(0, 0).$

2. Prove that the function f has a derivative according to any non-zero vector $h = (h_1, h_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ at the point $(0, 0).$

Exercise

4



Let the function $f : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be defined by, $f(x, y, z) = x + y^2 + z^3.$

Calculate the directional derivative at the point $(1, 1, 1)$ according to the direction of the following vectors,

1. $\vec{v} = (2, 1, 3)$

2. $\vec{v} = (1, -1, 1).$

Exercise

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Let f be the function defined on $\mathbb{R}^2$ by $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} xy \left(\frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2} \right) & : (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & : (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$

1. Prove that f is continuous on $\mathbb{R}^2(\star).$

2. Calculate $\nabla f(x, y).$

3. Show that f has second partial derivatives at all points.

4. What can be deduced from the calculation of $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y}(0, 0)$, $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x}(0, 0)$?

Exercise 6

Let the function $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be defined by $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2 y^2}{x^2 + y^2} & : (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & : (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$

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| 1. Is f continuous on $\mathbb{R}^2$? | 3. Is f of class $C^1(\mathbb{R}^2)$? |
| 2. Calculate $\nabla f(x, y)$. | 4. Is f differentiable on $\mathbb{R}^2$? |

Exercise 7

Using the definition, check that the following functions $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are differentiable at the given point.

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| 1. $f(x, y) = xy - 3x^2$, $(1, 2)$. | 3. $f(x, y) = y\sqrt{x}$, $(4, 1)$, $(\star)$. |
| 2. $f(x, y) = xy - 2y^2$, $(-2, 3)$. $(\star)$ | |

Exercise 8

The function f on $\mathbb{R}^2$ is defined by, $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^3 - y^3}{x^2 + y^2} & : (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & : (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$

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| 1. Show that f has a partial derivatives in $\mathbb{R}^2$. | 2. Study the continuity of f on $\mathbb{R}^2$. |
| | 3. Is f differentiable on $\mathbb{R}^2$? |

Exercise 9

Let the function $f : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be defined by, $f(x, y, z) = xy + yz + zx$.
Check that f is differentiable and give it's differential.

Exercise 10

Knowing that the function $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is differentiable and that

$$f(2, 5) = 6, \quad \partial_x f(2, 5) = 1, \quad \text{and} \quad \partial_y f(2, 5) = -1,$$

give an approximate value of $f(2.2, 4.9)$.

Exercise 11

Let be the function $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ of class $C^1(\mathbb{R}^2)$, such that,

$$f(u, v) = u + v, \quad \text{where} \quad u(x, y) = e^{x+y} \quad \text{and} \quad v(x, y) = x^2 + y^2.$$

Calculate the partial derivatives of the first order of the function f .

Exercise 12

Give the limited development of order 2 in $(0, 0)$ of the following functions

$$1. f(x, y) = \frac{\cos x}{\cos y}.$$

$$2. f(x, y) = \frac{e^x}{2 + y}.$$

$$3. f(x, y) = e^{\cos(x+y)}, (\star).$$

$$4. f(x, y) = e^y \cos x, (\star).$$

Exercise 13

We consider the plane curve with equation

$$xe^y + e^x \sin(2y) = 0. \quad (1)$$

1. Check that the equation (1) defines one and only one function $y = \varphi(x)$ in the neighbourhood of $(0, 0)$.
2. Calculate $\varphi'(0)$ and write the equation of the tangent to the graph of the function φ at the point $(0, \varphi(0))$.
3. Deduce the limit of $\frac{y}{x}$ when (x, y) tends to $(0, 0)$ on the curve

Supplementary exercise 1

Consider the plane curve with equation

$$2x^3y + 2x^2 + y^2 = 0. \quad (2)$$

1. Check that the equation (2) defines one and only one function $y = \varphi(x)$ in the neighbourhood of $(1, 1)$.
2. Calculate $\varphi'(0)$ and write the equation of the tangent to the graph of the function φ at the point $(1, \varphi(1))$.
3. Calculate the Taylor expansion of φ for order 1 centred on 1.

Supplementary exercise 2

Consider the equation

$$x^3 + 4xy + z^2 - 3yz^2 - 3 = 0. \quad (3)$$

1. Check that the equation (3) defines one and only one function $z = \varphi(x, y)$ in the neighbourhood of $(1, 1, 1)$.
2. Calculate $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}(1, 1)$ and $\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}(1, 1)$.