## Math 250

## Practice test 2 - Answers

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1. The limit along the x-axis is  $\lim_{(x,0)\to(0,0)} \frac{x(x-0)}{x^2+0^2} = 1$ , but the limit along the y-axis is  $\lim_{(0,y)\to(0,0)} \frac{0(0-y)}{0^2+y^2} = 0$ . Since these two limits are not equal, the limit  $\lim_{(x,y)\to(0,0)} \frac{x(x-y)}{x^2+y^2}$  does not exist.

2. 
$$f_x(x,y) = \cos x + ye^{xy}, \quad f_y(x,y) = -\sin y + xe^{xy};$$
  
 $f_{xx}(x,y) = -\sin x + y^2 e^{xy}, \quad f_{yy}(x,y) = -\cos y + x^2 e^{xy}, \quad f_{xy} = f_{yx} = e^{xy} + xye^{xy}$   
3. (a)  $z - 3 = \frac{1}{6}(x - 8) + \frac{1}{3}(y - 1), \text{ or } z = \frac{x}{6} + \frac{1}{3}y + \frac{4}{3}$   
(b)  $L(x,y) = \frac{x}{6} + \frac{1}{3}y + \frac{4}{3}$ 

4. (a) 
$$2\left(\ln(x+y) + \frac{x}{x+y}\right)t + \frac{3xt^2}{x+y}$$
  
(b)  $\frac{\partial z}{\partial t} = \frac{4t^3}{1+x^2} - 3y^2s, \quad \frac{\partial z}{\partial s} = \frac{2}{1+x^2} - 3y^2t$   
(c) 12

5. (a) 
$$<\sqrt{y}, \frac{x}{2\sqrt{y}} >$$
  
(b)  $<2, \frac{3}{4} >$   
(c)  $\frac{5}{4}$ 

(d) the maximum rate of change of f is  $\frac{\sqrt{73}}{4}$ , occurs in the direction of the unit vector  $<\frac{8}{\sqrt{73}}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{73}}>$ 

6. (a) (-1, -1), (-1, 1), (1, -1), (1, 1)

(b) a local maximum value is f(-1, -1) = 4, a local minimum value is f(1, 1) = -4
(c) none

- (d) the absolute maximum value is  $f\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) = \frac{5}{\sqrt{2}};$ the absolute minimum value is  $f\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) = -\frac{5}{\sqrt{2}}$
- (e) same as in (d)

- 7. (a) approximately 22.5 (Note: one reasonable approach is to use the Midpoint Rule with m = 2 or m = 4, and n = 3 or n = 6; larger values of m and n would be too much work, but would not give a much better estimate since we do not know precise values of f.)
  - (b) approximately 1.9
- 8. (a) 6

(b) 192  
(c) 
$$\frac{7}{6}$$
  
(d)  $\frac{(1-\cos 9)\pi}{4}$   
9.  $m = \frac{\pi}{2}; \quad (\overline{x}, \overline{y}) = \left(\frac{\pi^2 - 8}{2\pi - 4}, \frac{\pi + 2}{16}\right)$   
10.  $8\pi$