

Math 241, Spring 1998, exam 2

There are 10 problems on 5 pages. Each problem is worth 10 points. SHOW your work. CIRCLE your answer. **NO CALCULATORS!** CHECK your answer, whenever possible.

1. Graph and label the level sets of $f(x, y) = y^2 - x^2$ which correspond to $c = 1$, $c = 0$, and $c = -1$.
2. Graph $z = y^2 - x^2$ in 3-space.
3. Graph $x^2 + y^2 - z^2 = 0$ in 3-space.
4. **(There is no partial credit for this problem. Make sure your answer is correct.)** Find the equation of the plane through $(0, 1, 1)$, $(1, 3, -2)$, and $(3, 1, 4)$.
5. Find the equations of the line tangent to $\vec{r}(t) = 2t\vec{i} + 3t^2\vec{j} + 4t^3\vec{k}$ at $t = 1$.
6. Find the intersection of $\frac{x-3}{1} = \frac{y+1}{-2} = \frac{z-10}{3}$ and $2x + 3y = z$.
7. Find the length of the curve $\vec{r}(t) = \sqrt{6}t^2\vec{i} + \frac{2}{3}t^3\vec{j} + 6t\vec{k}$ for $3 \leq t \leq 6$.
8. Find the point on $2x + y + 2z = 4$ which is closest to $(1, 2, 3)$.
9. **(There is no partial credit for this problem. Make sure your answer is correct.)** Let $\vec{a} = 1\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 3\vec{k}$ and $\vec{b} = 2\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$. Find vectors \vec{u} and \vec{v} with $\vec{b} = \vec{u} + \vec{v}$, \vec{u} parallel to \vec{a} , and \vec{v} perpendicular to \vec{a} .
10. Let $f(x, y) = x \cos y + (\ln x) \sin(xy)$. Find f_x .