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There are 20 points possible on this quiz. This is a closed book quiz and closed note quiz. Calculators are not allowed. If you have any questions, please raise your hand.

1. (4 points) Use the Chain Rule to find  $\partial z / \partial t$  if  $z = y^2 \arctan(2x)$ ,  $x = e^{st}$ ,  $y = t^2 + s^3$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial z}{\partial t} &= \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} = \left( \frac{2y^2}{1+4x^2} \right) (se^{st}) + (2y \arctan(2x)) (2t) \\ &= \frac{2y^2 se^{st}}{1+4x^2} + 4yt \arctan(2x) \end{aligned}$$

2. (6 points) The temperature at a point  $(x, y)$  is  $T(x, y)$ , measured in degrees Celsius. A bug crawls so that its position after  $t$  seconds is given by  $x = 3 \cos(2\pi t)$ ,  $y = 4 + \sqrt{t}$  where  $x$  and  $y$  are measured in centimeters. The temperature function satisfies  $T_x(3, 5) = 8$  and  $T_y(3, 5) = -6$ .

- (a) In the context of the problem (temperature, crawling bug), explain the meaning of  $T_x(3, 5) = 8$  in language your parents could understand.

If the bug is at position  $(3, 5)$  and moves in the positive  $x$  direction, it can expect the temperature to rise at a rate of  $8^\circ\text{C}$  per cm.

- (b) How fast is the temperature changing on the bug's path after 1 second? (Give units with your answer.)

$$\frac{dT}{dt} = \frac{\partial T}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{\partial T}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{\partial T}{\partial x} \cdot (-6\pi \sin(2\pi t)) + \frac{\partial T}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{1}{2} t^{-1/2}$$

$$\text{at } t=1, \quad x=3, \quad y=5$$

$$\left. \frac{dT}{dt} \right|_{t=1} = 8(0) + (-6)\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = -3^\circ\text{C/sec}$$

3. (4 points) Find the equation of the tangent plane to the surface  $x = y^2 + z^2 + 1$  at the point  $(14, 2, 3)$ .

point

$$\rightarrow 0 = -x + y^2 + z^2 + 1 = f(x, y, z)$$

$$\nabla f(x, y, z) = \langle -1, 2y, 2z \rangle$$

$$\nabla f(14, 2, 3) = \langle -1, 4, 6 \rangle \\ = \vec{n}$$

plane:

$$-1(x-14) + 4(y-2) + 6(z-3) = 0$$

$$\text{or } 12 = -x + 4y + 6z$$

4. (6 points) Suppose that over a certain region of space the electrical potential  $V$  is given by the following equation:

$$V(x, y, z) = xy^2 + yz.$$

- (a) Find the rate of change of the potential at the point  $P(-1, 2, 4)$  in the direction of the vector  $\mathbf{v} = 2\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$ .

$$|\vec{v}| = 3. \text{ So, } \vec{u} = \left\langle \frac{2}{3}, -\frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{3} \right\rangle$$

$$\nabla V = \langle y^2, 2xy + z, y \rangle$$

$$\nabla V(-1, 2, 4) = \langle 4, -4 + 4, 2 \rangle \\ = \langle 4, 0, 2 \rangle$$

$$D_{\vec{u}}V(-1, 2, 4) = \nabla V \cdot \vec{u}$$

$$= 4 \cdot \frac{2}{3} + 0 \cdot \left(-\frac{2}{3}\right) + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{3} = \frac{8}{3} + \frac{2}{3} = \frac{10}{3}$$

answer

- (b) In which direction does  $V$  change most rapidly at  $P$ ?

$$\langle 4, 0, 2 \rangle = \nabla V(-1, 2, 4)$$

- (c) What is the maximum rate of change of  $V$  at  $P$ ?

$$|\nabla V| = \sqrt{4^2 + 0^2 + 2^2} = \sqrt{20} = 2\sqrt{5}$$