

Panel 1

Least time

$f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ eq. $f(t, s) = \cos(s) \cdot \sin(t) = z$

$f: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ eq. $f(x, y, z) = xyz$

Graphs + Slices
 Level Curves
 Contour Plots

$f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ in a surface
 fix x
 fix y

Graph of $f: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ (4D objects)

~~Limits~~

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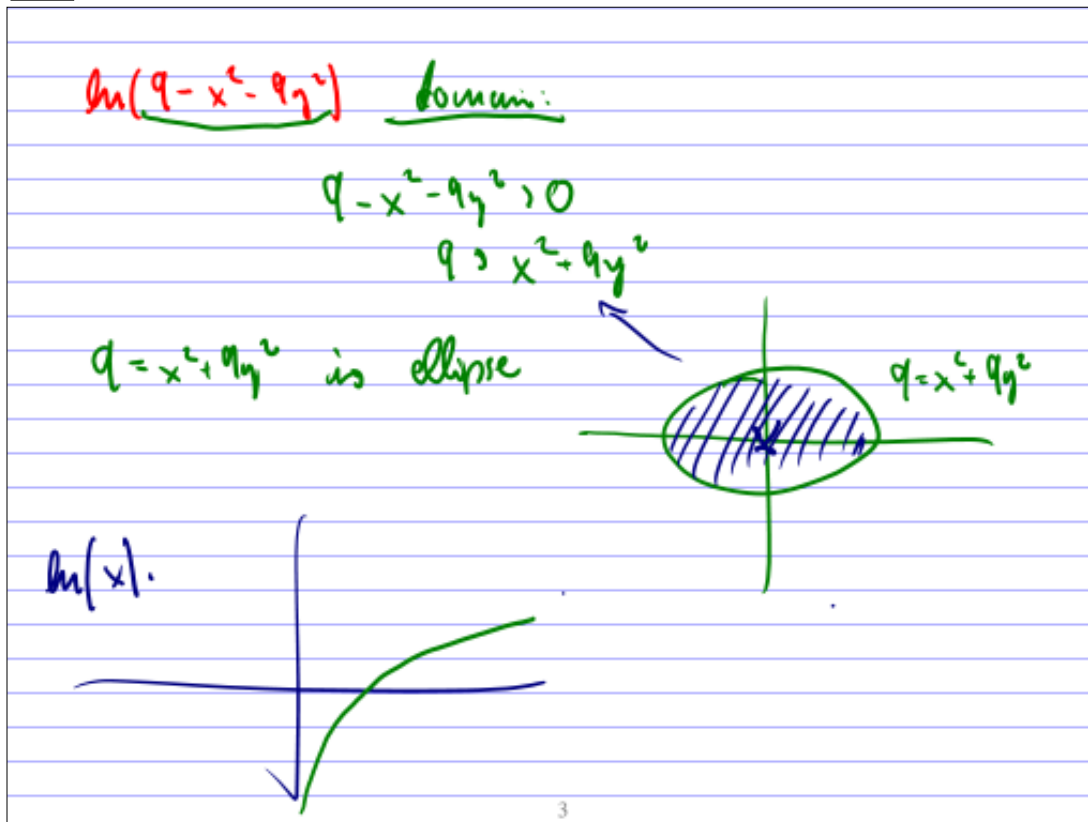
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Match Contour plots to Graphs

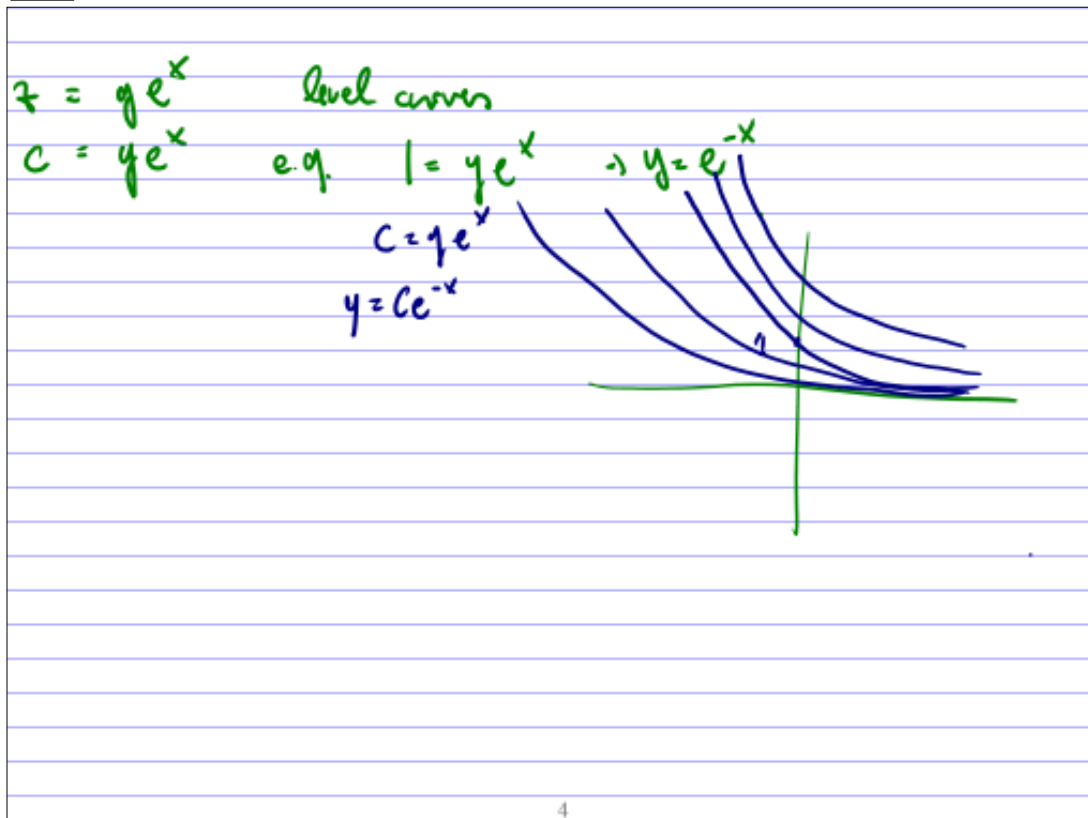
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Limits: $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (x_0,y_0)} f(x,y) = L$

Def: Given any $\epsilon > 0$ there is a $\delta > 0$ such that
 Whenever $\|(x,y) - (x_0,y_0)\| < \delta$ then $|f(x,y) - L| < \epsilon$

How to really find limits

- 1.) Substn (x_0, y_0) and hope for the best!
- 2.) $\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{fix } x=x_0, y \rightarrow y_0 \\ y=y_0, x \rightarrow x_0 \\ x=y \\ x=y^2, y=x^2 \end{array} \right\}$ if any of these are different \Rightarrow Limit d.n.e. (sad face)
- 3.) limit might exist \Rightarrow prove it! (Hard)

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Ex 1 $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (1,1)} \frac{xy}{x^2+y^2} = \frac{1}{2}$

$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy}{x^2+y^2} = \frac{0}{0}$ i.e. more work!

I: $y=0, x \rightarrow 0: \lim_{(x,0) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x \cdot 0}{x^2 + 0^2} = 0$

II: $x=0, y \rightarrow 0: \lim_{(0,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{0}{0^2 + y^2} = 0$

III: $y=x \rightarrow 0: \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2}{x^2 + x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$

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Ex: Find $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x y^2}{x^2 + y^4}$ if it exists None


$x=0, y \rightarrow 0: \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{y^4} = 0$

$y=0, x \rightarrow 0: \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{x^2} = 0$

$x=y \rightarrow 0$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^3}{x^2 + x^4} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2}{x^2(1+x^2)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x}{1+x^2} = 0$$

$x=y^2$

$$\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{y^4}{2y^4} = 1/2$$


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Ex: $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{3x^2 y}{x^2 + y^2} = 0$

$x=0, y \rightarrow 0: 0$

$y=0, x \rightarrow 0: 0$

$y=x$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3x^3}{2x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3}{2} x = 0$$

$x=y^2$

$$\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{3y^5}{y^4 + y^2} = 0 \quad (\text{l'Hospital works})$$

$y=x^2$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3x^4}{x^2 + x^4} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3x^2}{1+x^2} = 0$$

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Prove that $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{3x^2y}{x^2+y^2} = 0$

Using different approach paths can only show that a limit does not exist!!

To prove a limit exists requires the def. (unfortunately)

Take $\varepsilon > 0$ there is $\delta > 0$ st. if $\|(x,y) - (0,0)\| < \delta$
 $\Rightarrow |f(x,y) - 0| < \varepsilon$

$$\left| \frac{3x^2y}{x^2+y^2} \right| < \varepsilon \text{ if } \sqrt{x^2+y^2} < \delta$$

Key $x^2 \leq x^2+y^2 \Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{x^2+y^2} \leq 1 \Rightarrow \frac{3x^2}{x^2+y^2} < 3 \Rightarrow \frac{3x^2|y|}{x^2+y^2} \leq 3|y| \leq$

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$$\left| \frac{3x^2y}{x^2+y^2} \right| < \varepsilon \text{ if } \sqrt{x^2+y^2} < \delta$$

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But $|y| = \sqrt{y^2} \leq \sqrt{x^2+y^2}$

Now $\frac{3x^2|y|}{x^2+y^2} \leq 3\sqrt{x^2+y^2} \cdot \delta \cdot \frac{\varepsilon}{3} = \varepsilon \Rightarrow \sqrt{x^2+y^2} < \frac{\varepsilon}{3} = \delta$

Proof: Take $\varepsilon > 0$. I pick $\delta = \varepsilon/3$. Now if

$0 < \delta = \varepsilon$
 $0 < \sqrt{x^2+y^2} < \delta \Rightarrow \sqrt{x^2+y^2} < \varepsilon/3$
 $\| (x,y) - (0,0) \| \leq \sqrt{x^2+y^2} < \varepsilon/3 = \varepsilon$

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Ex: $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2}{x^2 + y^2}$ (sad face)

$x=0, y \rightarrow 0: \lim \frac{0}{y^2} = 0 \neq$
 $y=0, x \rightarrow 0: \lim \frac{x^2}{x^2} = 1$

\neq

Ex: $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{2x^2y}{x^4 + y^2}$ (sad face)

$x=0, y \rightarrow 0: \lim 0 = 0$
 $y=0, x \rightarrow 0: \lim 0 = 0$
 $y=x \rightarrow 0: \lim \frac{2x^3}{x^4 + x^2} = 0$

$x=y^2$
 $y=x^2$
 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2x^4}{x^4 + x^4} = 1$

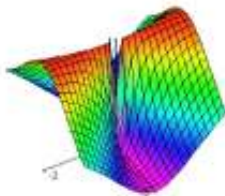
Ex: $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^3}{x^2 + y^2} =$

$x=0, y \rightarrow 0$
 $y=0, x \rightarrow 0$
 $y=x \rightarrow 0$
 $y=x^2$
 $x=y^2$

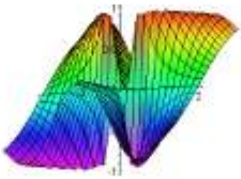
lim is 0!

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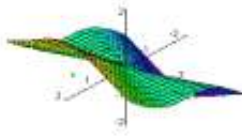
$f(x,y) = \frac{x^2}{x^2 + y^2}$



$f(x,y) = \frac{2x^2y}{x^4 + y^2}$



$f(x,y) = \frac{x^3}{x^2 + y^2}$



Prove this

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Prove $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^3}{x^2+y^2} = 0$

$\left| \frac{x^3}{x^2+y^2} \right| = \frac{x^2}{x^2+y^2} |x| < |x| \leq \sqrt{x^2+y^2}$ ← scrap paper

Given $\epsilon > 0$, pick $\delta = \epsilon$. Then, if $\|(x,y)\| < \delta$ then $\sqrt{x^2+y^2} < \epsilon$

$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{x^3}{x^2+y^2} \right| < \sqrt{x^2+y^2} < \epsilon \Rightarrow$

$\Rightarrow |f(x,y)| < \epsilon$ ✓

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Continuity

As usual, continuity is just rephrased limit question!

Def. $f(x,y)$ is continuous at (x_0, y_0) if

- (i) $f(x_0, y_0)$ exists
- (ii) $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (x_0, y_0)} f(x,y)$ exist

(i), (ii) = (i)

Ex: $f(x,y) = \begin{cases} \frac{3x^2y}{x^2+y^2} & \text{if } (x,y) \neq (0,0) \\ 0 & \text{if } (x,y) = (0,0) \end{cases}$ Not $\frac{0}{0}$ see below

f cont. at $(0,0)$? $f(0,0) = 0 \neq \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x,y) = 0$

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Derivatives: $\frac{d}{dx}$

If $f(x,y)$ is a function of 2 variables, define

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h, y) - f(x, y)}{h} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = f_x \quad \text{partial deriv w. resp. to } x$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x, y+h) - f(x, y)}{h} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = f_y \quad \text{partial deriv w. resp. to } y$$

Same in \mathbb{R}^3 :

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = f_x$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = f_y$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial z} = f_z$$

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Ex1 Find (f_x) if $f(x,y) = x^2y + y^2$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h, y) - f(x, y)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{[(x+h)^2y + y^2] - [x^2y + y^2]}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cancel{x^2y} + \cancel{y^2} + \cancel{2hy} + \cancel{h^2y} + \cancel{y^2} - \cancel{x^2y} - \cancel{y^2}}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h(2xy + hy)}{h} = 2xy$$

$f_y = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x, y+h) - f(x, y)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{[x^2(y+h) + (y+h)^2] - [x^2y + y^2]}{h}$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cancel{x^2y} + \cancel{x^2h} + \cancel{y^2} + \cancel{2yh} + \cancel{h^2} - \cancel{x^2y} - \cancel{y^2}}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h(x^2 + 2y + h)}{h} = x^2 + 2y$$

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How to Really find partial derivatives

f_x : keeps y const., differentiate as usual for x

f_y : keeps x const., diff. as usual for y

chain, product, quotient

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Ex: $f(x,y) = x^3 + x^2y^3 - 2y^2$. Find

$$f_x(2,1): f_x(x,y) = 3x^2 + 2xy^3$$

$$\Rightarrow f_x(2,1) = 3 \cdot 2^2 + 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 1^3 = 12 + 4 = \underline{\underline{16}}$$

$$f_y(2,1): f_y(x,y) = 3y^2x^2 - 4y$$

$$f_y(2,1) = 3 \cdot 1^2 \cdot 2^2 - 4 \cdot 1 = \underline{\underline{8}}$$

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3D Example: $f(x, y, z) = xz e^{x^2+y^2}$. Find

$$f_x(x, y, z) = z e^{x^2+y^2} + xz \cdot e^{x^2+y^2} \cdot 2x$$

$$f_y(x, y, z) = xz \cdot e^{x^2+y^2} \cdot 2y$$

 $\frac{\partial f}{\partial z}$

$$f_z(x, y, z) = x e^{x^2+y^2}$$