

271 HW #12

15.6 21, 30, 40a

15.7 5, 8

15.6 #21 $f(x,y) = y/x = x^{-1}y^2$ at $(2,4)$

The direction is $\nabla f(2,4) = \langle -x^{-2}y^2, 2x^{-1}y \rangle$

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{matrix} x=2 \\ y=4 \end{matrix} &\longrightarrow \left\langle -\frac{16}{4}, 2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot 4 \right\rangle \\ &= \langle -4, 4 \rangle \end{aligned}$$

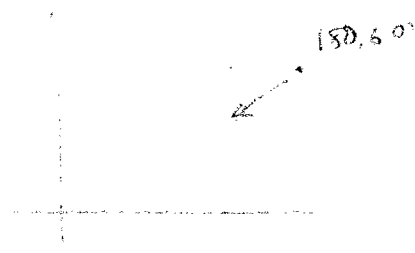
The rate of change is $|\nabla f| = \sqrt{16+16} = \sqrt{32} = 4\sqrt{2}$

15.6 #30

$$z = 200 + .02x^2 - .001y^3$$

The direction of travel is $\langle -80, -60 \rangle$

$$\vec{u} = \langle -80, -60 \rangle$$



$$D_{\vec{u}} = \nabla f(80, 60) \cdot \vec{u}$$

$$\nabla f = \langle .04x, -.003y^2 \rangle$$

$$\begin{matrix} x=80 \\ y=60 \end{matrix} \quad = \langle 3.2, -10.8 \rangle$$

$$D_{\vec{u}} = \langle 3.2, -10.8 \rangle \cdot \langle -80, -60 \rangle$$

$$= 392$$

regardless, so z is increasing
so it's getting deeper.

Technically \vec{u} should be a unit vector, but we only care about the sign of $D_{\vec{u}}$, so it doesn't matter.

15.6 #40a $y = x^2 - z^2$ tgt plane at $(4, 7, 3)$

it's a level curve for $f(x, y, z) = x^2 - y - z^2$

The normal vector is $\nabla f(4, 7, 3)$

$$\nabla f(4, 7, 3) = \langle 2x, -1, -2z \rangle$$

$$\text{at } (4, 7, 3) \rightarrow \langle 8, -1, -6 \rangle$$

this is the normal vec, so the plane is

$$8(x-4) - 1(y-7) - 6(z-3) = 0$$

15.7 #5 $f(x, y) = 9 - 2x + 4y - x^2 - 4y^2$

crit pts: $f_x = -2 - 2x$ $-2 - 2x = 0 \rightarrow x = -1$

$$f_y = 4 - 8y$$

$4 - 8y = 0 \rightarrow y = 1/2$

so $(-1, 1/2)$ is a crit pt.

$$f_{xx} = -2 \quad f_{xy} = 0 \quad f_{yy} = -8$$

$$D = f_{xx}f_{yy} - f_{xy}^2 = 16 > 0$$

$f_{xx} < 0$ so $(-1, 1/2)$ is a local max.

15, 7 #8

$$f(x,y) = e^{4y-x^2-y^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{crit pts: } f_x &= e^{4y-x^2-y^2} \cdot -2x && \rightarrow -2x = 0 && x=0 \\ f_y &= e^{4y-x^2-y^2} \cdot (4-2y) && \rightarrow 4-2y = 0 && y=2 \end{aligned}$$

$(0,2)$ is the crit pt.

$$f_{xx} = e^{4y-x^2-y^2} \cdot -2 + -2x \cdot e^{4y-x^2-y^2} \cdot -2x$$

$$f_{yy} = e^{4y-x^2-y^2} \cdot -2 + (4-2y) e^{4y-x^2-y^2} \cdot (4-2y)$$

$$f_{xy} = -2x e^{4y-x^2-y^2} \cdot (4-2y)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{at } (0,2): \quad f_{xx} &= -2e^4 && f_{xy} = 0 \\ f_{yy} &= -2e^4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{so } D = f_{xx} f_{yy} - f_{xy}^2 = 4e^8 > 0$$

and $f_{xx} < 0$ so $(0,2)$ is a max