

Math 11 Fall 2004

Multivariable Calculus for Two-Term Advanced Placement First-Year Students

First Midterm Exam

Wednesday October 20, 3:30-4:45 PM

Your name (please print): _____

Instructions: This is a closed book, closed notes exam. **Use of calculators is not permitted.** You are allowed to bring one A4 size sheet of paper with any data you want written on it. You must justify all of your answers to receive credit, unless instructed otherwise in a given problem. On the multiple choice questions, only the answer you mark on the scantron form will be counted and justifications can be minimal.

You have **one hour and fifteen minutes** to work on all **15** problems. Please do all your work in this exam booklet.

The Honor Principle requires that you neither give nor receive any aid on this exam.

Grader's use only

1-10: Multiple Choice: _____ /50

11. _____ /10

12. _____ /10

13. _____ /10

14. _____ /10

15. _____ /10

Total: _____ /100

(1) Let $\vec{v} = \langle 1, 2, 4 \rangle$ and $\vec{u} = \langle 2, 3, \sqrt{8} \rangle$. Which one of the following statements is true.

- (a): the length of \vec{v} is 23,
- (b): \vec{u} is shorter than \vec{v} ,
- (c): \vec{v} is shorter than \vec{u} ,
- (d): \vec{v} and \vec{u} have equal lengths.

(2) Let $\vec{v} = \langle 1, 2, 0 \rangle$ and $\vec{u} = \langle -2, 1, 3 \rangle$. Then the angle between the vectors \vec{v} and \vec{u} is:

- (a): $\frac{\pi}{3}$,
- (b): 0,
- (c): π ,
- (d): $\frac{\pi}{2}$.

(3) Let $\vec{r}(t) = \langle x(t), y(t), z(t) \rangle$, $1 \leq t \leq 3$. Which one of the following statements is true (only one of the statements is true):

- (a): $\int_1^3 \vec{r}'(t) dt$ is the distance between $\vec{r}(1)$ and $\vec{r}(3)$;
- (b): $|\int_1^3 \vec{r}'(t) dt|$ is the length of the curve $\vec{r}(t)$ between $\vec{r}(1)$ and $\vec{r}(3)$;
- (c): $\int_1^3 |\vec{r}'(t)| dt$ is the distance between $\vec{r}(1)$ and $\vec{r}(3)$;
- (d): $\int_1^3 \vec{r}'(t) dt$ is the vector from $\vec{r}(1)$ to $\vec{r}(3)$.

(4) The

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \left\langle \frac{\sin 3t}{t}, \frac{e^t - 1}{t}, \frac{t^3 + t^2}{t^5 + 2t^2} \right\rangle =$$

- (a): $\langle 1, 1, 1 \rangle$,
- (b): $\langle 3, 1, \frac{1}{2} \rangle$,
- (c): $\langle 3, 1, 1 \rangle$,
- (d): $\langle 1, 1, \frac{1}{2} \rangle$

(5) State whether the following are true or false for all the three-dimensional vectors $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$ in the order (1), (2), (3).

(1): $(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b})\vec{c} = (\vec{b} \cdot \vec{a})\vec{c}$;

(2): $(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \times \vec{c} = (\vec{b} \times \vec{a}) \times \vec{c}$;

(3): $(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \cdot \vec{a} = 0$.

(a): TFF

(b): TFT

(c): TTF

(d): TTT

(6) Consider the three planes given by the equations

$$P_1 : x + 3y - z + 10 = 0,$$

$$P_2 : 2x + 6y = 17 - 2z;$$

$$P_3 : 3x + 3z = 5.$$

Which one of the following statements is true? (Only one of the statements is true.)

(a): none of these planes are perpendicular to each other;

(b): two of these planes are perpendicular to each other and two of the planes are parallel to each other;

(c): two of the planes are perpendicular to each other and none of the planes are parallel to each other;

(d): two of the planes are parallel to each other and non of the planes are perpendicular to each other.

(7) Let $\vec{c}(t) = (t^2, -2t + 3, 2 \sin t)$ be a curve. Which one of the following is the equation of the tangent line to $\vec{c}(t)$ at the point $\vec{c}(1)$?

- (a): $\vec{r}(t) = \langle 1, 1, 2 \sin 1 \rangle + t \langle 2, -2, 2 \sin 1 \rangle$;
- (b): $\vec{r}(t) = \langle -1, -1, 2 \sin 1 \rangle + t \langle 2, -2, 2 \cos 1 \rangle$;
- (c): $x = 1 - t, y = 1 + t, z = 2 \sin 1 - t(\cos 1)$;
- (d): $\langle 2, -2, 2 \cos 1 \rangle \cdot (\langle x, y, z \rangle - \langle 1, 1, 2 \sin 1 \rangle) = 0$.

(8) Let $f(x, y)$ be a differentiable function of two variables. Let $x = g(t), y = h(t)$ where $g(t)$ and $h(t)$ are also differentiable functions. Find $\frac{df}{dt}$ at $t = 1$, provided that $g(1) = 3, h(1) = 5, g'(1) = 4, h'(1) = 1, f_x(3, 5) = 1, f_y(3, 5) = 3, f_x(5, 3) = 4, f_y(5, 3) = 7$. (**You will not need some of this data.**) Answer is $\frac{df}{dt}(1) =$

- (a): 23,
- (b): 11,
- (c): 4,
- (d): 7.

(9) Let $f(x, y, z) = x^2 + yx + e^z$. Then the function $f(x, y, z)$ at the point $P(1, 1, 0)$ **decreases** most rapidly in the direction of:

- (a): $\langle 0, \frac{3}{5}, \frac{4}{5} \rangle$
- (b): $\langle 1, 1, 0 \rangle$
- (c): $\langle -3, -1, -1 \rangle$
- (d): $\langle 3, 1, 1 \rangle$

(10) Let $f(x, y) = x^2 + 3y^3 - 2x - y + 17$. Then the point $(1, \frac{1}{3})$ is

- (a): not a critical point;
- (b): is a saddle point;
- (c): is a local minimum point;
- (d): is a local maximum point.

- (11) Find the directional derivative of $f(x, y, z) = (x^2 + y^3 + z^4)$ in the direction of the vector $\langle 1, 2, 3 \rangle$ at the point $P(1, -1, 0)$.

- (12) Find the trajectory $\vec{r}(t)$ of a point moving with acceleration $e^t\vec{k}$ provided that the initial velocity $\vec{v}(0) = 2\vec{i} + \vec{k}$ and the initial position $\vec{r}(0) = \vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + \vec{k}$.

(13) Find the volume of the parallelepiped determined by the vectors

$$\vec{\mathbf{a}} = \langle 0, 1, 0 \rangle,$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{b}} = \langle 0, 1, 1 \rangle,$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{c}} = \langle 3, 1, 0 \rangle.$$

(14) Find the length of the curve $\vec{\mathbf{r}}(t) = (\frac{1}{2}t^2, \ln t, t\sqrt{2})$, for $1 \leq t \leq 3$.

- (15) Find the parametric equation of the line through $P(1, 2, 3)$ that is perpendicular to the plane $x + y + z = 17$.