

# Exercise Problems for Advanced Calculus

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## §5.1 Pointwise and Uniform Convergence, §5.2 The Weierstrass $M$ -Test, §5.3 Integration and Differentiation of Series

**Problem 1.** Let  $(M, d)$  be a metric space,  $A \subseteq M$ , and  $f_k : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a sequence of functions (not necessary continuous) which converges uniformly on  $A$ . Suppose that  $a \in \text{cl}(A)$  and

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f_k(x) = A_k$$

exists for all  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ . Show that  $\{A_k\}_{k=1}^{\infty}$  converges, and

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} f_k(x) = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \lim_{x \rightarrow a} f_k(x).$$

**Problem 2.** Let  $(M, d)$  and  $(N, \rho)$  be metric spaces,  $A \subseteq M$ , and  $f_k : A \rightarrow N$  be uniformly continuous functions, and  $\{f_k\}_{k=1}^{\infty}$  converges uniformly to  $f : A \rightarrow N$  on  $A$ . Show that  $f$  is uniformly continuous on  $A$ .

**Problem 3.** Determine which of the following real series  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} g_k$  converge (pointwise or uniformly). Check the continuity of the limit in each case.

1.  $g_k(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x \leq k, \\ (-1)^k & \text{if } x > k. \end{cases}$
2.  $g_k(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{k^2} & \text{if } |x| \leq k, \\ \frac{1}{x^2} & \text{if } |x| > k. \end{cases}$
3.  $g_k(x) = \left(\frac{(-1)^k}{\sqrt{k}}\right) \cos(kx)$  on  $\mathbb{R}$ .
4.  $g_k(x) = x^k$  on  $(0, 1)$ .

**Problem 4.** Complete the following.

(a) Suppose that  $f_k, f, g : [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  are functions such that

1.  $\forall R > 0$ ,  $f_k$  and  $g$  are Riemann integrable on  $[0, R]$ ;
2.  $|f_k(x)| \leq g(x)$  for all  $k \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $x \in [0, \infty)$ ;
3.  $\forall R > 0$ ,  $\{f_k\}_{k=1}^{\infty}$  converges to  $f$  uniformly on  $[0, R]$ ;
4.  $\int_0^{\infty} g(x)dx \equiv \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^R g(x)dx < \infty$ .

Show that  $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^{\infty} f_k(x)dx = \int_0^{\infty} f(x)dx$ ; that is,

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^R f_k(x)dx = \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^R f_k(x)dx.$$

(b) Let  $f_k(x)$  be given by  $f_k(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } k-1 \leq x < k, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$  Find the (pointwise) limit  $f$  of the sequence  $\{f_k\}_{k=1}^\infty$ , and check whether  $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^\infty f_k(x) dx = \int_0^\infty f(x) dx$  or not. Briefly explain why one can or cannot apply (a).

(c) Let  $f_k : [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be given by  $f_k(x) = \frac{x}{1+kx^4}$ . Find  $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^\infty f_k(x) dx$ .

**Problem 5.** Construct the function  $g(x)$  by letting  $g(x) = |x|$  if  $x \in [-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}]$  and extending  $g$  so that it becomes periodic (with period 1). Define

$$f(x) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{g(4^{k-1}x)}{4^{k-1}}.$$

1. Use the Weierstrass  $M$ -test to show that  $f$  is continuous on  $\mathbb{R}$ .
2. Prove that  $f$  is differentiable at no point.

(So there exists a continuous which is nowhere differentiable!)

**Hint:** Google Blancmange function!

## §5.4 The Space of Continuous Functions §5.5 The Arzela-Ascoli Theorem

**Problem 6.** Let  $(M, d)$  be a metric space, and  $K \subseteq M$  be a compact subset.

1. Show that the set  $U = \{f \in \mathcal{C}(K; \mathbb{R}) \mid a < f(x) < b \text{ for all } x \in K\}$  is open in  $(\mathcal{C}(K; \mathbb{R}), \|\cdot\|_\infty)$  for all  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ .
2. Show that the set  $F = \{f \in \mathcal{C}(K; \mathbb{R}) \mid a \leq f(x) \leq b \text{ for all } x \in K\}$  is closed in  $(\mathcal{C}(K; \mathbb{R}), \|\cdot\|_\infty)$  for all  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ .
3. Let  $A \subseteq M$  be a subset, not necessarily compact. Prove or disprove that the set  $B = \{f \in \mathcal{C}_b(A; \mathbb{R}) \mid f(x) > 0 \text{ for all } x \in A\}$  is open in  $(\mathcal{C}_b(A; \mathbb{R}), \|\cdot\|_\infty)$ .

**Problem 7.** Let  $\delta : \mathcal{C}([0, 1]; \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be defined by  $\delta(f) = f(0)$ . Show that  $\delta$  is linear and continuous.

**Problem 8.** Let  $(M, d)$  be a metric space,  $(\mathcal{V}, \|\cdot\|)$  be a normed space, and  $A \subseteq M$  be a subset. Suppose that  $B \subseteq \mathcal{C}_b(A; \mathcal{V})$  be equi-continuous. Prove or disprove that  $\text{cl}(B)$  is equi-continuous.

**Problem 9.** Let  $\mathcal{C}^{0,\alpha}([0, 1]; \mathbb{R})$  denote the “space”

$$\mathcal{C}^{0,\alpha}([0, 1]; \mathbb{R}) \equiv \left\{ f \in \mathcal{C}([0, 1]; \mathbb{R}) \mid \sup_{x,y \in [0,1]} \frac{|f(x) - f(y)|}{|x - y|^\alpha} < \infty \right\},$$

where  $\alpha \in (0, 1]$ . For each  $f \in \mathcal{C}^{0,\alpha}([0, 1]; \mathbb{R})$ , define

$$\|f\|_{\mathcal{C}^{0,\alpha}} = \sup_{x \in [0,1]} |f(x)| + \sup_{\substack{x,y \in [0,1] \\ x \neq y}} \frac{|f(x) - f(y)|}{|x - y|^\alpha}.$$

1. Show that  $(\mathcal{C}^{0,\alpha}([0, 1]; \mathbb{R}), \|\cdot\|_{\mathcal{C}^{0,\alpha}})$  is a complete normed space.
2. Show that the set  $B = \{f \in \mathcal{C}([0, 1]; \mathbb{R}) \mid \|f\|_{\mathcal{C}^{0,\alpha}} < 1\}$  is equi-continuous.
3. Show that  $\text{cl}(B)$  is compact in  $(\mathcal{C}([0, 1]; \mathbb{R}), \|\cdot\|_{\infty})$ .

**Problem 10.** Assume that  $\{f_k\}_{k=1}^{\infty}$  is a sequence of monotone increasing functions on  $\mathbb{R}$  with  $0 \leq f_k(x) \leq 1$  for all  $x$  and  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ .

1. Show that there is a subsequence  $\{f_{k_j}\}_{j=1}^{\infty}$  which converges **pointwise** to a function  $f$  (This is usually called the Helly selection theorem).
2. If the limit  $f$  is continuous, show that  $\{f_{k_j}\}_{j=1}^{\infty}$  converges uniformly to  $f$  on any compact set of  $\mathbb{R}$ .

### §5.6 The Contraction Mapping Principle and its Applications

**Problem 11.** Suppose that  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is twice continuous differentiable; that is,  $f', f'' : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  are continuous, and  $f(a) < 0 = f(c) < f(b)$ , and  $f'(x) \neq 0$  for all  $x \in [a, b]$ . Consider the function

$$\Phi(x) = x - \frac{f(x)}{f'(x)}.$$

1. Show that  $\Phi : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  satisfies

$$|\Phi(x) - \Phi(y)| \leq k|x - y| \quad \forall x, y \in [a, b]$$

for some  $k \in [0, 1)$  if  $|b - a|$  are small enough.

2. Suppose that  $f''(x) > 0$  for all  $x \in [a, b]$ . Show that there exists  $a \leq \tilde{a} < c$  such that  $\Phi : [\tilde{a}, b] \rightarrow [\tilde{a}, b]$ .
3. Under the condition of 2, show that if  $x_0 \in [\tilde{a}, b]$ , then the iteration

$$x_{k+1} = \Phi(x_k) \quad \forall k \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$$

provides a convergent sequence  $\{x_k\}_{k=1}^{\infty}$  with limit  $c$ .

(The iteration scheme above of finding the zero  $c$  of  $f$  is called the Newton method.)

**Problem 12.** Let  $(M, d)$  be a metric space,  $K \subseteq M$  be a compact subset, and  $\Phi : K \rightarrow K$  be such that  $d(\Phi(x), \Phi(y)) < d(x, y)$  for all  $x, y \in K$ ,  $x \neq y$ .

1. Show that  $\Phi$  has a unique fixed-point.
2. Show that 1 is false if  $K$  is not compact.

### §5.7 The Stone-Weierstrass Theorem

**Problem 13.** Suppose that  $f$  is continuous on  $[0, 1]$  and

$$\int_0^1 f(x)x^n dx = 0 \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}.$$

Show that  $f = 0$  on  $[0, 1]$ .

**Problem 14.** Put  $p_0 = 0$  and define

$$p_{k+1}(x) = p_k(x) + \frac{x^2 - p_k^2(x)}{2} \quad \forall k \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}.$$

Show that  $\{p_k\}_{k=1}^\infty$  converges uniformly to  $|x|$  on  $[-1, 1]$ .

**Hint:** Use the identity

$$|x| - p_{k+1}(x) = [|x| - p_k(x)] \left[ 1 - \frac{|x| + p_k(x)}{2} \right]$$

to prove that  $0 \leq p_k(x) \leq p_{k+1}(x) \leq |x|$  if  $|x| \leq 1$ , and that

$$|x| - p_k(x) \leq |x| \left( 1 - \frac{|x|}{2} \right)^k < \frac{2}{k+1}$$

if  $|x| \leq 1$ .

**Problem 15.** A function  $g : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is called simple if we can divide up  $[0, 1]$  into sub-intervals on which  $g$  is constant, except perhaps at the endpoints (see Definition 5.88 in the lecture note). Let  $f : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be continuous and  $\varepsilon > 0$ . Prove that there is a simple function  $g$  such that  $\|f - g\|_\infty < \varepsilon$ .

**Problem 16.** (挑戰自我之期中考不考題) Suppose that  $p_n$  is a sequence of polynomials converging uniformly to  $f$  on  $[0, 1]$  and  $f$  is not a polynomial. Prove that the degrees of  $p_n$  are not bounded.

**Hint:** An  $N$ th-degree polynomial  $p$  is uniquely determined by its values at  $N + 1$  points  $x_0, \dots, x_N$  via Lagrange's interpolation formula

$$p(x) = \sum_{k=0}^N \pi_k(x) \frac{p(x_k)}{\pi_k(x_k)},$$

where  $\pi_k(x) = (x - x_0)(x - x_1) \cdots (x - x_N) / (x - x_k) = \prod_{\substack{1 \leq j \leq N \\ j \neq k}} (x - x_j)$ .

**Problem 17.** (挑戰自我之期中考不考題) Consider the set of all functions on  $[0, 1]$  of the form

$$h(x) = \sum_{j=1}^n a_j e^{b_j x},$$

where  $a_j, b_j \in \mathbb{R}$ . Is this set dense in  $\mathcal{C}([0, 1]; \mathbb{R})$ ?

## §6.1 Bounded Linear Maps

**Problem 18.** Let  $(X, \|\cdot\|_X)$  and  $(Y, \|\cdot\|_Y)$  be two normed spaces.

1. Show that  $(\mathcal{B}(X, Y), \|\cdot\|_{\mathcal{B}(X, Y)})$  is a normed space.
2. Show that  $(\mathcal{B}(X, Y), \|\cdot\|_{\mathcal{B}(X, Y)})$  is complete if  $(Y, \|\cdot\|_Y)$  is complete.

**Problem 19.** Let  $\mathcal{P}((0, 1)) \subseteq \mathcal{C}_b((0, 1); \mathbb{R})$  be the collection of all polynomials defined on  $(0, 1)$ .

1. Show that the operator  $\frac{d}{dx} : \mathcal{P}((0, 1)) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}_b((0, 1))$  is linear.
2. Show that  $\frac{d}{dx} : (\mathcal{P}((0, 1)), \|\cdot\|_\infty) \rightarrow (\mathcal{C}_b((0, 1)), \|\cdot\|_\infty)$  is unbounded; that is, show that

$$\sup_{\|p\|_\infty=1} \|p'\|_\infty = \infty.$$

## §6.2 Definition of Derivatives and the Matrix Representation of Derivatives

**Problem 20.** Let  $(X, \|\cdot\|_X)$  and  $(Y, \|\cdot\|_Y)$  be normed spaces,  $\mathcal{U} \subseteq X$  be open, and  $f : \mathcal{U} \subseteq X \rightarrow Y$  be a map. Show that  $f$  is differentiable at  $a \in \mathcal{U}$  if and only if there exists  $L \in \mathcal{B}(X, Y)$  such that

$$\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists \delta > 0 \ni \|f(x) - f(a) - L(x - a)\|_Y \leq \varepsilon \|x - a\|_X \text{ whenever } x \in D(a, \delta).$$

**Problem 21.** Let  $f : \text{GL}(n) \rightarrow \text{GL}(n)$  be given by  $f(L) = L^{-1}$ . In class we have shown that  $f$  is continuous on  $\text{GL}(n)$ . Show that  $f$  is differentiable at each “point” (or more precisely, linear map) of  $\text{GL}(n)$ .

**Hint:** In order to show the differentiability of  $f$  at  $L \in \text{GL}(n)$ , we need to figure out what  $(Df)(L)$  is. So we need to compute  $f(L + h) - f(L)$ , where  $h \in \mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^n)$  is a “small” linear map. Compute  $(L + h)^{-1} - L^{-1}$  and make a conjecture what  $(Df)(L)$  should be.

**Problem 22.** Let  $I : \mathcal{C}([0, 1]; \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be defined by

$$I(f) = \int_0^1 f(x)^2 dx.$$

Show that  $I$  is differentiable at every “point”  $f \in \mathcal{C}([0, 1]; \mathbb{R})$ .

**Hint:** Figure out what  $(DI)(f)$  is by computing  $I(f + h) - I(f)$ , where  $h \in \mathcal{C}([0, 1]; \mathbb{R})$  is a “small” continuous function.

**Remark.** A map from a space of functions such as  $\mathcal{C}([0, 1]; \mathbb{R})$  to a scalar field such as  $\mathbb{R}$  or  $\mathbb{C}$  is usually called a **functional**. The derivative of a functional  $I$  is usually denoted by  $\delta I$  instead of  $DI$ .

**Problem 23.** Let  $\mathcal{U} = \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{(x, 0) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid x \geq 0\}$ . Check the differentiability of the function  $f : \mathcal{U} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  given by

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \cos^{-1} \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} & \text{if } y > 0, \\ \pi & \text{if } y = 0, \\ 2\pi - \cos^{-1} \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} & \text{if } y < 0, \end{cases}$$

at point  $(-1, 0)$  by the definition of differentiability of a function.

### §6.3 Continuity of Differentiable Mappings, §6.4 Conditions for Differentiability

**Problem 24.** Investigate the differentiability of

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{xy}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} & \text{if } (x, y) \neq (0, 0), \\ 0 & \text{if } (x, y) = (0, 0). \end{cases}$$

**Problem 25.** Let  $\mathcal{U} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$  be open, and  $f : \mathcal{U} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ . Suppose that the partial derivatives  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1}, \dots, \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_n}$  are bounded on  $\mathcal{U}$ ; that is, there exists a real number  $M > 0$  such that

$$\left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_j}(x) \right| \leq M \quad \forall x \in \mathcal{U} \text{ and } j = 1, \dots, n.$$

Show that  $f$  is continuous on  $\mathcal{U}$ .

**Hint:** Mimic the proof of Theorem 6.31 in 共筆。

**Problem 26.** Investigate the differentiability of

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{xy}{x + y^2} & \text{if } x + y^2 \neq 0, \\ 0 & \text{if } x + y^2 = 0. \end{cases}$$

**Problem 27. (True or false)** Let  $\mathcal{U} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$  be open. Then  $f : \mathcal{U} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is differentiable at  $a \in \mathcal{U}$  if and only if each directional derivative  $(D_u f)(a)$  exists and

$$(D_u f)(a) = \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_j}(a) u_j = \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1}(a), \dots, \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_n}(a) \right) \cdot u$$

where  $u = (u_1, \dots, u_n)$  is a unit vector.

**Hint:** Consider the function

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^3 y}{x^4 + y^2} & \text{if } (x, y) \neq (0, 0), \\ 0 & \text{if } (x, y) = (0, 0). \end{cases}$$

### §6.5 The Chain Rule

**Problem 28.** Verify the chain rule for

$$u(x, y, z) = xe^y, \quad v(x, y, z) = yz \sin x$$

and

$$f(u, v) = u^2 + v \sin u$$

with  $h(x, y, z) = f(u(x, y, z), v(x, y, z))$ .

**Problem 29.** Let  $(r, \theta, \varphi)$  be the spherical coordinate of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  so that

$$x = r \cos \theta \sin \varphi, \quad y = r \sin \theta \sin \varphi, \quad z = r \cos \varphi.$$

1. Find the Jacobian matrices of the map  $(x, y, z) \mapsto (r, \theta, \varphi)$  and the map  $(r, \theta, \varphi) \mapsto (x, y, z)$ .
2. Suppose that  $f(x, y, z)$  is a differential function in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Express  $|\nabla f|^2$  in terms of the spherical coordinate.

### §6.6 The Product Rules and Gradients, §6.7 The Mean Value Theorem

**Problem 30.** Let  $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be differentiable. Assume that for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $0 \leq f'(x) \leq f(x)$ . Show that  $g(x) = e^{-x}f(x)$  is decreasing. If  $f$  vanishes at some point, conclude that  $f$  is zero.

### §6.8 Higher Derivatives and Taylor's Theorem

**Problem 31.** Let  $f(x, y, z) = (x^2 + 1) \cos(yz)$ , and  $a = (0, \frac{\pi}{2}, 1)$ ,  $u = (1, 0, 0)$ ,  $v = (0, 1, 0)$  and  $w = (2, 0, 1)$ .

1. Compute  $(Df)(a)(u)$ .
2. Compute  $(D^2f)(a)(v)(u)$ .
3. Compute  $(D^3f)(a)(w)(v)(u)$ .

**Problem 32.** 1. If  $f : A \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$  and  $g : B \subseteq \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^\ell$  are twice differentiable and  $f(A) \subseteq B$ , then for  $x_0 \in A$ ,  $u, v \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , show that

$$\begin{aligned} D^2(g \circ f)(x_0)(u, v) \\ = (D^2g)(f(x_0))((Df)(x_0)(u), Df(x_0)(v)) + (Dg)(f(x_0))((D^2f)(x_0)(u, v)). \end{aligned}$$

2. If  $p : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$  is a linear map plus some constant; that is,  $p(x) = Lx + c$  for some  $L \in \mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^m)$ , and  $f : A \subseteq \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^s$  is  $k$ -times differentiable, prove that

$$D^k(f \circ p)(x_0)(u^{(1)}, \dots, u^{(k)}) = (D^k f)(p(x_0))((Dp)(x_0)(u^{(1)}), \dots, (Dp)(x_0)(u^{(k)})).$$

**Problem 33.** Let  $f(x, y)$  be a real-valued function on  $\mathbb{R}^2$ . Suppose that  $f$  is of class  $\mathcal{C}^1$  (that is, all first partial derivatives are continuous on  $\mathbb{R}^2$ ) and  $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y}$  exists and is continuous.

Show that  $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x}$  exists and  $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x}$ .

**Hint:** Mimic the proof of Theorem 6.74.

**Problem 34.** Let  $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$  be differentiable, and  $Df$  is a constant map in  $\mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^m)$ ; that is,  $(Df)(x_1)(u) = (Df)(x_2)(u)$  for all  $x_1, x_2 \in \mathbb{R}^n$  and  $u \in \mathbb{R}^n$ . Show that  $f$  is a linear term plus a constant and that the linear part of  $f$  is the constant value of  $Df$ .

**Problem 35.** Let  $\mathcal{U} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$  be open, and  $f : \mathcal{U} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is of class  $\mathcal{C}^k$  and  $(D^j f)(x_0) = 0$  for  $j = 1, \dots, k-1$ , but  $(D^k f)(x_0)(u, u, \dots, u) < 0$  for all  $u \in \mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $u \neq 0$ . Show that  $f$  has a local maximum at  $x_0$ ; that is,  $\exists \delta > 0$  such that

$$f(x) \leq f(x_0) \quad \forall x \in D(x_0, \delta).$$

## §6.9 Maxima and Minima

**Problem 36.** Let  $f(x, y) = x^3 + x - 4xy + 2y^2$ ,

1. Find all critical points of  $f$ .
2. Find the corresponding quadratic form  $Q(x, y, h, k)$  (or  $(D^2 f(x, y))((h, k), (h, k))$ ) at these critical points, and determine which of them is positive definite.
3. Find all relative extrema and saddle points.
4. Find the maximal value of  $f$  on the set

$$A = \{(x, y) \mid 0 \leq x \leq 1, 0 \leq y \leq 1, x + y \leq 1\}.$$

**Problem 37.** Let  $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be given by

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} x^2 + y^2 - 2x^2y - \frac{4x^6y^2}{(x^4 + y^2)^2} & \text{if } (x, y) \neq (0, 0), \\ 0 & \text{if } (x, y) = (0, 0). \end{cases}$$

1. Show that  $f$  is continuous (at  $(0, 0)$ ) by showing that for all  $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ ,

$$4x^4y^2 \leq (x^4 + y^2)^2.$$

2. For  $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$ ,  $-\infty < t < \infty$ , define

$$g_\theta(t) = f(t \cos \theta, t \sin \theta).$$

Show that each  $g_\theta$  has a strict local minimum at  $t = 0$ . In other words, the restriction of  $f$  to each straight line through  $(0, 0)$  has a strict local minimum at  $(0, 0)$ .



3. Show that  $(0, 0)$  is not a local minimum for  $f$ .

### §7.1 The Inverse Function Theorem

**Problem 38.** Prove Corollary 7.4; that is, show that if  $\mathcal{U} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$  is open,  $f : \mathcal{U} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$  is of class  $\mathcal{C}^1$ , and  $(Df)(x)$  is invertible for all  $x \in \mathcal{U}$ , then  $f(\mathcal{W})$  is open for every open set  $\mathcal{W} \subseteq \mathcal{U}$ .

**Problem 39.** Let  $\mathcal{D} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$  be a bounded open convex set, and  $f : \mathcal{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$  be of class  $\mathcal{C}^1$  such that

1.  $f$  and  $Df$  are continuous on  $\overline{\mathcal{D}}$ ;
2. the Jacobian  $\det([(Df)(x)]) \neq 0$  for all  $x \in \overline{\mathcal{D}}$ ;
3.  $f : \partial\mathcal{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$  is one-to-one.

Show that  $f : \overline{\mathcal{D}} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$  is one-to-one by completing the following:

1. Define  $E = \{x \in \overline{\mathcal{D}} \mid \exists y \in \overline{\mathcal{D}}, y \neq x \ni f(x) = f(y)\}$ . Then  $E$  is open relative to  $\overline{\mathcal{D}}$ .
2. Show that  $E$  is closed.
3. By the previous step, conclude that  $E = \emptyset$  or  $E = \mathcal{D}$ . Also show that  $E \neq \mathcal{D}$  (thus  $E = \emptyset$  is the only possibility which suggests that  $f$  is injective on  $\mathcal{D}$ ).

**Problem 40.** Let  $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be of class  $\mathcal{C}^1$ , and for some  $(a, b) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ ,  $f(a, b) = 0$  and  $f_y(a, b) \neq 0$ . Show that there exist open neighborhoods  $\mathcal{U} \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  of  $a$  and  $\mathcal{V} \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  of  $b$  such that every  $x \in \mathcal{U}$  corresponds to a unique  $y \in \mathcal{V}$  such that  $f(x, y) = 0$ . In other words, there exists a function  $y = y(x)$  such that  $y(a) = b$  and  $f(x, y(x)) = 0$  for all  $x \in \mathcal{U}$ .

### §7.2 The Implicit Function Theorem

**Problem 41.** Assume that one proves the implicit function theorem without applying the inverse theorem. Show the inverse function using the implicit function theorem.

**Problem 42.** Suppose that  $F(x, y, z) = 0$  is such that the functions  $z = f(x, y)$ ,  $x = g(y, z)$ , and  $y = h(z, x)$  all exist by the implicit function theorem. Show that  $f_x \cdot g_y \cdot h_z = -1$ .

**Problem 43.** Suppose that the implicit function theorem applies to  $F(x, y) = 0$  so that  $y = f(x)$ . Find a formula for  $f''$  in terms of  $F$  and its partial derivatives. Similarly, suppose that the implicit function theorem applies to  $F(x_1, x_2, y) = 0$  so that  $y = f(x_1, x_2)$ . Find formulas for  $f_{x_1x_1}$ ,  $f_{x_1x_2}$  and  $f_{x_2x_2}$  in terms of  $F$  and its partial derivatives.

### §8.1 Integrable Functions

**Problem 44.** Let  $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$  be bounded, and  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be Riemann integrable.

1. Let  $\mathcal{P}$  be a partition of  $A$ , and  $m \leq f(x) \leq M$  for all  $x \in A$ . Show that  $m\nu(A) \leq L(f, \mathcal{P}) \leq U(f, \mathcal{P}) \leq M\nu(A)$ .
2. Show that  $L(f, \mathcal{P}_1) \leq U(f, \mathcal{P}_2)$  if  $\mathcal{P}_1$  and  $\mathcal{P}_2$  are two partitions of  $A$ .

## §8.2 Volume and Sets of Measure Zero

**Problem 45.** Complete the following.

1. Show that if  $A$  is a set of volume zero, then  $A$  has measure zero. Is it true that if  $A$  has measure zero, then  $A$  also has volume zero?
2. Let  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $a < b$ . Show that the interval  $[a, b]$  does not have measure zero (in  $\mathbb{R}$ ).
3. Let  $A \subseteq [a, b]$  be a set of measure zero (in  $\mathbb{R}$ ). Show that  $[a, b] \setminus A$  does not have measure zero (in  $\mathbb{R}$ ).
4. Show that the Cantor set (defined in Exercise Problem 34 in fall semester) has volume zero.

## §8.3 Lebesgue's Theorem

**Problem 46. (True or false)** If  $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$  is a bounded set, and  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be bounded continuous. Then  $f$  is Riemann integrable over  $A$ .

**Problem 47.** Let  $A = \bigcup_{k=1}^{\infty} D\left(\frac{1}{k}, \frac{1}{2^k}\right) = \bigcup_{k=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{k} - \frac{1}{2^k}, \frac{1}{k} + \frac{1}{2^k}\right)$  be a subset of  $\mathbb{R}$ . Does  $A$  have volume?

**Problem 48.** Prove the following statements.

1. The function  $f(x) = \sin \frac{1}{x}$  is Riemann integrable over  $(0, 1)$ .
2. Let  $f : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be given by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{p} & \text{if } x = \frac{q}{p} \in \mathbb{Q}, (p, q) = 1, \\ 0 & \text{if } x \text{ is irrational.} \end{cases}$$

Then  $f$  is Riemann integrable over  $[0, 1]$ . Find  $\int_0^1 f(x)dx$  as well.

3. Let  $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$  be a bounded set, and  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is Riemann integrable. Then  $f^k$  ( $f$  的  $k$  次方) is integrable for all  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ .

**Problem 49. (True or false)** Let  $A, B \subset \mathbb{R}$  be bounded, and  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  and  $g : f(A) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be Riemann integrable. Then  $g \circ f$  is Riemann integrable over  $A$ .

## §8.4 Properties of the Integrals

**Problem 50. (True or false)** Let  $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$  be bounded,  $B \subseteq A$ , and  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be bounded. If  $f1_B$  is Riemann integrable over  $A$ , then  $f$  is Riemann integrable over  $B$ . Moreover,

$$\int_A (f1_B)(x)dx = \int_B f(x)dx.$$

### §8.5 Fubini's Theorem

**Problem 51.** Let  $A = [a, b] \times [c, d]$  be a rectangle in  $\mathbb{R}^2$ , and  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be Riemann integrable. Show that the sets

$$\left\{ x \in [a, b] \mid \int_c^d f(x, y)dy \neq \int_c^d f(x, y)dy \right\} \quad \text{and} \quad \left\{ y \in [c, d] \mid \int_a^b f(x, y)dx \neq \int_a^b f(x, y)dx \right\}$$

have measure zero (in  $\mathbb{R}^1$ ).

**Problem 52.** Let  $f : [0, 1] \times [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be given by

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x = 0 \text{ or if } x \text{ or } y \text{ is irrational,} \\ \frac{1}{p} & \text{if } x, y \in \mathbb{Q} \text{ and } x = \frac{q}{p} \text{ with } (p, q) = 1. \end{cases}$$

1. Show that  $f(\cdot, y) : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is Riemann integrable for each  $y \in [0, 1]$ .
2. Show that  $f(x, \cdot) : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is Riemann integrable if  $x \notin \mathbb{Q}$ .
3. Find  $\int_0^1 f(x, y)dy$  and  $\int_0^1 f(x, y)dy$  if  $x = \frac{q}{p}$  in reduced form.
4. Show that  $f$  is Riemann integrable over  $[0, 1] \times [0, 1]$ . Find  $\int_{[0,1] \times [0,1]} f(x, y)d\mathbb{A}$ .

**Problem 53.** Let  $f : [0, 1] \times [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be given by

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } (x, y) = \left(\frac{k}{2^n}, \frac{\ell}{2^n}\right), 0 < k, \ell < 2^n \text{ odd numbers, } n \in \mathbb{N}, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Show that

$$\int_0^1 \int_0^1 f(x, y)dydx = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 f(x, y)dx dy$$

but  $f$  is not Riemann integrable.

**Problem 54.**

1. Draw the region corresponding to the integral  $\int_0^1 \left( \int_1^{e^x} (x + y)dy \right) dx$  and evaluate.
2. Change the order of integration of the integral in 1 and check if the answer is unaltered.