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UNIT 4-Functions of several variables

Taylor's series Expansion

Taylor's Series Expansion:

$$f(x, y) = f(a, b) + \frac{1}{1!} [(x-a)f_x(a, b) + (y-b)f_y(a, b)]$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2!} [(x-a)^2 f_{xx}(a, b) + 2(x-a)(y-b)f_{xy}(a, b) + (y-b)^2 f_{yy}(a, b)]$$

$$+ \frac{1}{3!} [(x-a)^3 f_{xxx}(a, b) + 3(x-a)^2(y-b)f_{xxy}(a, b) + 3(x-a)(y-b)^2 f_{xyy}(a, b) + (y-b)^3 f_{yyy}(a, b)] \dots$$

Example: 1:

Expand $e^x \cos y$ in terms of x and y near the origin by Taylor's series expansion upto third degree terms

Soln:



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Formula:

$$f(x, y) = f(a, b) + \frac{1}{1!} [(x-a)f_x(a, b) + (y-b)f_y(a, b)]$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2!} [(x-a)^2 f_{xx}(a, b) + 2(x-a)(y-b)f_{xy}(a, b) + (y-b)^2 f_{yy}(a, b)]$$

$$+ \frac{1}{3!} [(x-a)^3 f_{xxx}(a, b) + 3(x-a)^2(y-b)f_{xxy}(a, b) + 3(x-a)(y-b)^2 f_{xyy}(a, b) + (y-b)^3 f_{yyy}(a, b)] \dots$$

$$f(x, y) = e^x \cos y$$

$$f_x(x, y) = e^x \cos y$$

$$f_{xx}(x, y) = e^x \cos y$$

$$f_{xxx}(x, y) = e^x \cos y$$

$$f_{xy}(x, y) = -e^x \sin y$$

$$f_{xyy}(x, y) = -e^x \sin y$$

$$f_y(x, y) = -e^x \sin y$$

$$f_{yy}(x, y) = -e^x \cos y$$

$$f_{yyy}(x, y) = e^x \sin y$$

$$f_{xyy}(x, y) = -e^x \cos y$$

$$f(0, 0) = 1 \quad \begin{matrix} \cos 0 = 1 \\ \sin 0 = 0 \end{matrix}$$

$$f_x(0, 0) = 1$$

$$f_{xx}(0, 0) = 1$$

$$f_{xy}(0, 0) = 0$$

$$f_{xyy}(0, 0) = 0$$

$$f_y(0, 0) = 0$$

$$f_{yy}(0, 0) = -1$$

$$f_{yyy}(0, 0) = 0$$

$$f_{xyy}(0, 0) = -1$$

$$f(x, y) = f(0, 0) + \frac{1}{1!} [(x-0)f_x(0, 0) + (y-0)f_y(0, 0)]$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2!} [(x-0)^2 f_{xx}(0, 0) + 2(x-0)(y-0)f_{xy}(0, 0) + (y-0)^2 f_{yy}(0, 0)]$$

$$+ \frac{1}{3!} [(x-0)^3 f_{xxx}(0, 0) + 3(x-0)^2(y-0)f_{xxy}(0, 0) + 3(x-0)(y-0)^2 f_{xyy}(0, 0) + (y-0)^3 f_{yyy}(0, 0)] \dots$$

$$= 1 + \frac{1}{1} [x(1) + y(0)] + \frac{1}{2} [x^2(1) + 2(x)(y)(0) + y^2(-1)]$$

$$+ \frac{1}{6} [x^3(1) + 3(x^2)(y)(0) + 3xy^2(-1) + y^3(0)]$$



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$$= 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{6} - \frac{3xy^2}{6}$$

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Example : 3

Find Taylor's series expansion $e^x \sin y$ near the terms $(-1, \pi/4)$ upto 2^o degree

Soln:

$$f(x, y) = f(a, b) + \frac{1}{1!} [(x-a)f_x(a, b) + (y-b)f_y(a, b)]$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2!} [(x-a)^2 f_{xx}(a, b) + 2(x-a)(y-b)f_{xy}(a, b) + (y-b)^2 f_{yy}(a, b)]$$

$$f(x, y) = e^x \sin y$$

$$f_x(x, y) = e^x \sin y$$

$$f_{xx}(x, y) = e^x \sin y$$

$$f_{xy}(x, y) = e^x \cos y$$

$$f_y(x, y) = e^x \cos y$$

$$f_{yy}(x, y) = -e^x \sin y$$

$$f(-1, \pi/4) = \frac{1}{e\sqrt{2}}$$

$$f_x(-1, \pi/4) = \frac{1}{e\sqrt{2}}$$

$$f_{xx}(-1, \pi/4) = \frac{1}{e\sqrt{2}}$$

$$f_{xy}(-1, \pi/4) = \frac{1}{e\sqrt{2}}$$

$$f_y(-1, \pi/4) = \frac{1}{e\sqrt{2}}$$

$$f_{yy}(-1, \pi/4) = -\frac{1}{e\sqrt{2}}$$

$$f(x, y) = \frac{1}{e\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{1!} [(x+1)f_x(-1, \pi/4) + (y - \pi/4)f_y(-1, \pi/4)]$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2!} [(x+1)^2 f_{xx}(-1, \pi/4) + 2(x+1)(y - \pi/4)f_{xy}(-1, \pi/4) + (y - \pi/4)^2 f_{yy}(-1, \pi/4)]$$

$$= \frac{1}{e\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{1} [(x+1)\frac{1}{e\sqrt{2}} + (y - \frac{\pi}{4})\frac{1}{e\sqrt{2}}] + \frac{1}{2} [(x+1)^2 \frac{1}{e\sqrt{2}}$$

$$+ 2(x+1)(y - \frac{\pi}{4})\frac{1}{e\sqrt{2}} - (y - \frac{\pi}{4})^2 \frac{1}{e\sqrt{2}}]$$

$$= \frac{1}{e\sqrt{2}} [1 + (x+1) + (y - \frac{\pi}{4}) + \frac{(x+1)^2}{2} + (x+1)(y - \frac{\pi}{4}) - \frac{(y - \frac{\pi}{4})^2}{2}]$$