

FUNCTIONS OF SEVERAL VARIABLE

Differential Equation

* ODE

* PDE. \rightarrow Partial Differential Equation

PARTIAL DIFFERENTIATION:

Let $u = f(x, y)$ be a function of two independent variable.

Differentiate 'u' w.r.t 'x', containing 'y' as constant is known as partial differential coefficient of 'u' w.r.t x. It is denoted by

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}$$

Similarly if we differentiate u w.r.t 'y' considering x as constant is known as partial differential coefficient of u with respect to y. It is denoted by

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}$$

$$\frac{\partial r}{\partial z} = \frac{z-c}{r}$$

Again diff w.r.t. z

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^2 r}{\partial z^2} &= \frac{r - (z-c) \left(\frac{dr}{dz} \right)}{r^2} \\ &= \frac{r - (z-c) \frac{(z-c)}{r}}{r^2} = \frac{r^2 - (z-c)^2}{r^3} \\ &= \frac{r^2 - (z-c)^2}{r^3} = \frac{1}{r} - \frac{(z-c)^2}{r^3} \quad \text{--- (4)} \end{aligned}$$

Adding (2) + (3) + (4)

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^2 r}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 r}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 r}{\partial z^2} &= \frac{1}{r} - \frac{(x-a)^2}{r^3} + \frac{1}{r} - \frac{(y-b)^2}{r^3} + \frac{1}{r} - \frac{(z-c)^2}{r^3} \\ &= \frac{3}{r} - \frac{(x-a)^2}{r^3} - \frac{(y-b)^2}{r^3} - \frac{(z-c)^2}{r^3} \\ &= \frac{3}{r} - \frac{1}{r^3} [(x-a)^2 + (y-b)^2 + (z-c)^2] \end{aligned}$$

from (1)

$$= \frac{3}{r} - \frac{1}{r^3} (r^2)$$

$$= \frac{3}{r} - \frac{1}{r} = \frac{2}{r}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 r}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 r}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 r}{\partial z^2} = \frac{2}{r} \quad \therefore \text{Hence proved.}$$

$$= \frac{r^2}{r^3} - \frac{(x-a)^2}{r^3}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 r}{\partial x^2} = \frac{1}{r} - \frac{(x-a)^2}{r^3} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Diff (1) w.r.t. 'y'

$$2(y-b) = 2r \frac{\partial r}{\partial y}$$

$$\frac{\partial r}{\partial y} = \frac{2(y-b)}{2r}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 r}{\partial y} = \frac{(y-b)}{r}$$

Again diff w.r.t. 'y'

$$\frac{\partial^2 r}{\partial y^2} = \frac{r - (y-b) \frac{\partial r}{\partial y}}{r^2}$$

$$= \frac{r - (y-b) \left(\frac{y-b}{r} \right)}{r^2} = \frac{r^2 - (y-b)^2}{r^2}$$

$$= \frac{r^2 - (y-b)^2}{r^3} = \frac{r^2}{r^3} - \frac{(y-b)^2}{r^3}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 r}{\partial y^2} = \frac{1}{r} - \frac{(y-b)^2}{r^3} \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Diff (1) w.r.t. 'z'

$$2(z-c) = 2r \frac{\partial r}{\partial z}$$

$$\frac{\partial r}{\partial z} = \frac{2(z-c)}{2r}$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = e^y + ye^x$$

$$d(x) = 1$$

$$d(e^x) = e^x$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = xe^y + e^x$$

3.

If $(x-a)^2 + (y-b)^2 + (z-c)^2 = v^2$ show

(X)

that $\frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial z^2} = \frac{2}{v}$

Given:-

$$(x-a)^2 + (y-b)^2 + (z-c)^2 = v^2 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Diff (1) w.r.t. 'x'

$$2(x-a) = 2v \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v^2}{\partial x}$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \frac{2(x-a)}{2v}$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \frac{(x-a)}{v}$$

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Again Diff w.r.t. 'x'

$$\frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial x^2} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left[\frac{(x-a)}{v} \right]$$

$$= \frac{v - (x-a) \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}}{v^2}$$

$$= \frac{v - (x-a) \left(\frac{x-a}{v} \right)}{v^2}$$

$$= \frac{v^2 - (x-a)^2}{v^3}$$

$$= \frac{v^2 - (x-a)^2}{v^3}$$

$$= \frac{2}{v}$$

1. Find the 1st and 2nd derivative of



$$u = x^3 + y^3 - 3axy$$

Given:-

$$u = x^3 + y^3 - 3axy$$

$$d(x^n) = nx^{n-1}$$

$$d(x) = 1$$

Ist order

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 3x^2 - 3ay$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 3y^2 - 3ax$$

IInd order

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right) = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (3x^2 - 3ay)$$
$$= 6x$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \right) = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (3y^2 - 3ax)$$
$$= 6y$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \right) = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (3y^2 - 3ax)$$
$$= -3a$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y \partial x} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right) = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (3x^2 - 3ay)$$
$$= -3a$$

2. Find the first order derivation of

$$u = xe^y + ye^x$$

Given: $u = xe^y + ye^x$

4. If $z = f(x+ct) + g(x-ct)$ then



✓ prove. $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial t^2} = c^2 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2}$

Soln:-

Given:- $z = f(x+ct) + g(x-ct)$ — (1)

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial t} = f'(x+ct)c + g'(x-ct)(-c)$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial t} = cf'(x+ct) - cg'(x-ct)$$

Again differentiating.

$$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial t^2} = cf''(x+ct)c - cg''(x-ct)(-c)$$

$$= c^2 f''(x+ct) + c^2 g''(x-ct) \text{ — (2)}$$

Diff (1) w.r.t. x

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = f'(x+ct) + g'(x-ct)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} = f''(x+ct) + g''(x-ct) \text{ — (3)}$$

From (2)

$$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial t^2} = c^2 [f''(x+ct) + g''(x-ct)]$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial t^2} = c^2 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2}$$

Hence proved.

5.
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Verify that $U_{xy} = U_{yx}$, $u = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{y}\right)$



Given:- $u = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{y}\right)$

$$d(\tan^{-1}x) = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$$

$$U_x = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{x}{y}\right)^2} \left(\frac{1}{y}\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\frac{y^2 + x^2}{y^2}} \left(\frac{1}{y}\right)$$

$$= \frac{y^2}{y^2 + x^2} \left(\frac{1}{y}\right)$$

$$= \frac{y}{y^2 + x^2}$$

$$U_x = \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$U_y = \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{x}{y}\right)^2} \left(-\frac{x}{y^2}\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{x^2}{y^2}} \left(\frac{-x}{y^2}\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\frac{y^2 + x^2}{y^2}} \left(\frac{-x}{y^2}\right)$$

$$= \frac{y^2}{y^2 + x^2} \left(\frac{-x}{y^2}\right)$$

$$= -\frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$d\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) = xy^{-1}$$

$$= -1xy^{-2}$$

$$= -\frac{x}{y^2}$$

$$U_{xy} = \frac{\partial^2 U}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{\partial U}{\partial y} \right)$$

$$= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{-x}{x^2 + y^2} \right) \quad \frac{\partial \left(\frac{u}{v} \right)}{\partial x} = \frac{u'v - uv'}{v^2}$$

$$= - \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} \right)$$

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

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

$$= - \left[\frac{-x^2 + y^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \right] = \frac{x^2 - y^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$U_{yx} = \frac{\partial^2 U}{\partial y \partial x} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\frac{\partial U}{\partial x} \right)$$

$$= \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\frac{y}{x^2 + y^2} \right)$$

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

$$= \frac{y^2 - x^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} = \frac{x^2 - y^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

From (3) and (4)

$$U_{xy} = U_{yx}$$

Hence proved.

6. If $U = e^{xy}$ prove $U_{xx} + U_{yy} = \frac{1}{U} [U_x^2 + U_y^2]$



Given $U = e^{xy}$

$$U_x = \frac{\partial U}{\partial x} = e^{xy} \cdot y$$

$$U_{xx} = \frac{\partial^2 U}{\partial x^2} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{\partial U}{\partial x} \right) = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (y \cdot e^{xy}) \\ = y^2 \cdot e^{xy} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$U_y = \frac{\partial U}{\partial y} = e^{xy} \cdot x$$

$$U_{yy} = \frac{\partial^2 U}{\partial y^2} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\frac{\partial U}{\partial y} \right) = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (x e^{xy}) \\ = x^2 e^{xy} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Adding (1) + (2)

$$U_{xx} + U_{yy} = y^2 e^{xy} + x^2 e^{xy} \\ = e^{xy} [x^2 + y^2] \\ = U (x^2 + y^2) \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$\frac{1}{U} [U_x^2 + U_y^2] = \frac{1}{e^{xy}} [(y e^{xy})^2 + (x e^{xy})^2] \\ = \frac{1}{e^{xy}} [y^2 e^{2xy} + x^2 e^{2xy}] \\ = \frac{e^{2xy}}{e^{xy}} [x^2 + y^2] \\ = e^{xy} [x^2 + y^2] \\ = U [x^2 + y^2] \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

From (3) & (4) $U_{xx} + U_{yy} = \frac{1}{U} [U_x^2 + U_y^2]$
Hence proved.