

Section 14.4 Problems I want to see you do some computer graphs on.

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I want to see graphs:

The graph of the function, 2 tangent lines, 1 tangent plane, and one big fat point.

Section 14.5 The Chain Rule

14.5 #s 1, 4, 7, 10, 13, (17-20 (optional)), 24, 27, 32, 35, 43*, 45*

2 The Chain Rule (Case 1) Suppose that $z = f(x, y)$ is a differentiable function of x and y , where $x = g(t)$ and $y = h(t)$ are both differentiable functions of t . Then z is a differentiable function of t and

$$\frac{dz}{dt} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{dy}{dt} \implies z_t = z_x x'(t) + z_y y'(t)$$

Note the interplay of d -vs- ∂ $\implies z_t = z_x x_t + z_y y_t$

$$\frac{dz}{dt} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \frac{dy}{dt}$$

$$g(x, y) = x^2 - 2y^2$$

$$x(t) = 5 \cos t, \quad y(t) = 5 \sin t$$

$$x'(t) = -5 \sin t, \quad y'(t) = 5 \cos t$$

$$\begin{aligned} g_x &= 2x & \implies \frac{dz}{dt} &= (2x)(-5 \sin t) - (4y)(5 \cos t) \\ g_y &= -4y & &= (10 \cos t)(-5 \sin t) - (20 \sin t)(5 \cos t) \end{aligned}$$

3 The Chain Rule (Case 2) Suppose that $z = f(x, y)$ is a differentiable function of x and y , where $x = g(s, t)$ and $y = h(s, t)$ are differentiable functions of s and t . Then

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial s} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} \qquad \frac{\partial z}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial t}$$

Note that we're no longer talking about a space curve, but a surface, now. When x and y both depended on one (the same) parameter t , the function was a 1-dimensional object embedded in 3-space. When they each depend on 2 parameters, you get a 2-dimensional object embedded in 3-space (a surface).

In the 2-parameter case, we say that s and t are **independent** variables, x and y are **intermediate** variables, and z is the **dependent** variable.

This upgrades to arbitrary number of intermediate and independent variables in the natural way:

4 The Chain Rule (General Version) Suppose that u is a differentiable function of the n variables x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n and each x_j is a differentiable function of the m variables t_1, t_2, \dots, t_m . Then u is a function of t_1, t_2, \dots, t_m and

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t_i} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x_1} \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial t_i} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial x_2} \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial t_i} + \dots + \frac{\partial u}{\partial x_n} \frac{\partial x_n}{\partial t_i}$$

for each $i = 1, 2, \dots, m$.

$u(x_1(t_1, t_2, t_3), x_2(t_1, t_2, t_3), x_3(t_1, t_2, t_3))$
 $m = n = 3$ is what this
 u looks like.

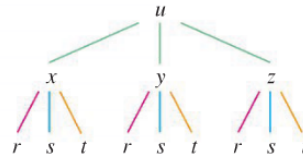


FIGURE 4

EXAMPLE 5 If $u = x^4y + y^2z^3$, where $x = rse^t$, $y = rs^2e^{-t}$, and $z = r^2s \sin t$, find the value of $\partial u / \partial s$ when $r = 2, s = 1, t = 0$.

$$\frac{du}{ds} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{\partial x}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} \cdot \frac{\partial z}{\partial s}$$

$$u_x = 4x^3y, \quad u_y = x^4 + 2yz^3, \quad u_z = 3y^2z^2$$

$$x_s = re^t, \quad y_s = 2rse^{-t}, \quad z_s = r^2 \sin t \implies$$

$$u_s = (4x^3y)(re^t) + (x^4 + 2yz^3)(2rse^{-t}) + (3y^2z^2)(r^2 \sin t)$$

Want $\left. \frac{du}{ds} \right|_{\substack{r=2 \\ s=1 \\ t=0}} = u_s \Big|_{\substack{r=2 \\ s=1 \\ t=0}} = (4(2)^3(2))(2e^0) + (2^4 + 2(2)(0)^3)(2(2)(1)e^{-0}) + (3(2)^2(0)^2)(2^2 \sin(0))$
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$x(2, 1, 0) = (2)(1)e^0 = 2$
 $y(2, 1, 0) = 2(1)^2e^{-0} = 2$
 $z(2, 1, 0) = 2^2(1)(\sin(0)) = 0$
 $(x, y, z) = (2, 2, 0)$

EXAMPLE 7 If $z = f(x, y)$ has continuous second-order partial derivatives and $x = r^2 + s^2$ and $y = 2rs$, find (a) $\partial z / \partial r$ and (b) $\partial^2 z / \partial r^2$.

Chain Rule

Suppose $F(x, y) = 0$ and assume that y is (at least locally) a function of x .

Differentiating both sides w.r.t. x gives $\frac{\partial F}{\partial x} \frac{dx}{dx} + \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$

and we obtain a slick formula for $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{\frac{\partial F}{\partial x}}{\frac{\partial F}{\partial y}} = -\frac{F_x}{F_y}$ (Cheat sheet material)

At first, this seems a bit odd way to do things, but it deepens our understanding of some of our techniques for implicit differentiation, and shortens up a lot of the repetitive work involved in using implicit differentiation to say things about curves that are *not* functions.

EXAMPLE 8 Find y' if $x^3 + y^3 = 6xy$.

$x^3 + y^3 - 6xy = 0$
 ~~$3x^2 + 3y^2 y' - 6y - 6xy' = 0$~~
 $3x^2 x' + \text{No} \quad \text{No}$

y is NOT implicitly a function of x , here, Steve!

$3x + 2y = 6$
 $y' = -\frac{3}{2}$
 $2y = -3x + 6$
 $y = -\frac{3}{2}x + 3$
 $y' = -\frac{3}{2}$

$\frac{d}{dx} [3x + 2y - 6 = 0]$

$3 + 2y' = 0$
 $2y' = -3$
 $y' = -\frac{3}{2}$

$3x^2 - 6y = F_x$

$F_y = 3y^2 - 6x$

$\frac{F_x}{F_y} = -\frac{3x^2 - 6y}{3y^2 - 6x}$

$$F(x, y, z) = 0$$

$$z = f(x, y)$$

$$F(x, y, f(x, y)) = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial F}{\partial z} \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial F}{\partial z} \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = -\frac{\frac{\partial F}{\partial x}}{\frac{\partial F}{\partial z}} \quad \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = -\frac{\frac{\partial F}{\partial y}}{\frac{\partial F}{\partial z}}$$

Here, we do not assume that y is locally a function of x .

45-48 Assume that all the given functions are differentiable.

45. If $z = f(x, y)$, where $x = r \cos \theta$ and $y = r \sin \theta$, (a) find $\partial z / \partial r$ and $\partial z / \partial \theta$ and (b) show that

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

Stewart has a way of referring back to these exercises for future exercises or to get some of the work involved in proving theorems out of the way, so they can just point you back to previous work.

Very underhanded.

$$z_r = z_x \frac{\cos \theta}{r} + z_y \frac{\sin \theta}{r}$$

$$z_\theta = z_x (-r \sin \theta) + z_y (r \cos \theta)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & z_r^2 + \frac{1}{r^2} z_\theta^2 & \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial r}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{r^2} \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta}\right)^2 = \\ & = z_x^2 \cos^2 \theta + 2 z_x z_y \sin \theta \cos \theta + z_y^2 \sin^2 \theta \\ & + \left(z_x^2 \sin^2 \theta - 2 z_x z_y \sin \theta \cos \theta + z_y^2 \cos^2 \theta \right) \\ & = z_x^2 (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta) + z_y^2 (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta) \\ & = z_x^2 + z_y^2 = \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}\right)^2 \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

$$(a+b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$$

$$(a-b)^2 = a^2 - 2ab + b^2$$

45. (a) By the Chain Rule, $\frac{\partial z}{\partial r} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \cos \theta + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \sin \theta$, $\frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} (-r \sin \theta) + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} r \cos \theta$.

$$(b) \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial r}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}\right)^2 \cos^2 \theta + 2 \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \cos \theta \sin \theta + \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}\right)^2 \sin^2 \theta,$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}\right)^2 r^2 \sin^2 \theta - 2 \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} r^2 \cos \theta \sin \theta + \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}\right)^2 r^2 \cos^2 \theta. \text{ Thus}$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial r}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{r^2} \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta}\right)^2 = \left[\left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}\right)^2\right] (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta) = \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}\right)^2.$$