

Chapter 4 Exercises

1. $F(x, y) = x^2 - y^2$. Find

- a) $F(0,4)$ b) $F(4,0)$ c) $F(x,4)$ d) $F(4, y)$
 e) $F(800,800)$ f) $F(x, x)$ g) $F(x, -x)$

2. $g(s, t) = \sqrt{st^2}$. Find

- a) $g(1,9)$ b) $g(9,1)$ c) $g(1, t)$ d) $g(s, 9)$ e) $g(w, z + 1)$

3. Let $f(x, y, z, w) = x^2 - \frac{1}{zw} + xyz^2$. Evaluate $f(1, 2, 3, 4)$.

4. Let $f(x, y, z, w) = \sqrt{xy} - w^2 + 102yz$. Evaluate $f(1, 2, 3, 4)$.

5. Here is a table showing the function $A(t, r)$

t ↓	r →	.03	.04	.05	.06	.07
1		30.45	40.81	51.27	61.84	72.51
2		61.84	83.29	105.17	127.50	150.27
3		94.17	127.50	161.83	197.22	233.68

- a) Find $A(2, .05)$
 b) Find $A(.05, .2)$
 c) Is $A(t, .06)$ an increasing or decreasing function of t ?
 d) Is $A(3, r)$ an increasing or decreasing function of r ?

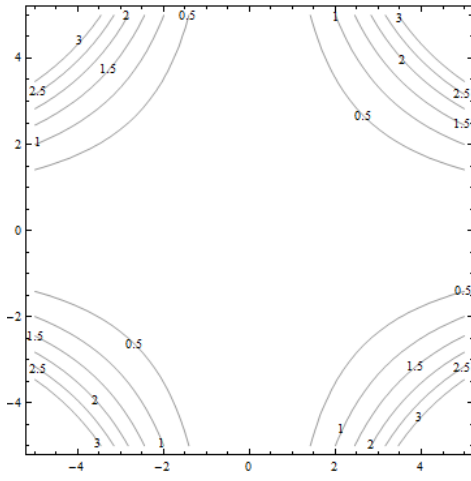
6. Here is a table showing values for the function $H(t, h)$.

t ↓	h →	100	150	200
0		100	150	200
1		110.1	160.1	210.1
2		110.4	160.4	210.4
3		100.9	150.9	200.9
4		81.6	131.6	181.6
5		52.5	102.5	152.5

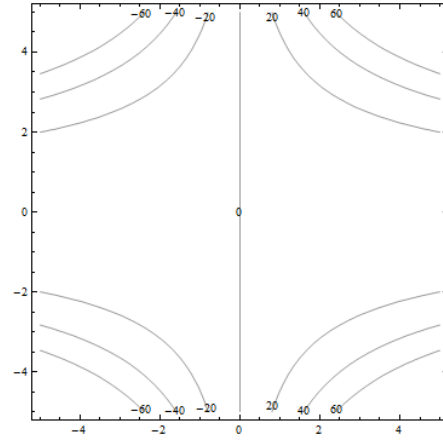
- a) Is $H(t, 150)$ an increasing or decreasing function of t ?
 b) Is $H(4, h)$ an increasing or decreasing function of h ?
 c) Fill in the blanks: The maximum value shown on this table is $H(_, _) = _.$
 d) Fill in the blanks: The minimum value shown on this table is $H(_, _) = _.$

For problems 7 through 12. Match the contour diagram to the computer-generated, perspective drawing (a through f) it matches. Briefly explain your answer.

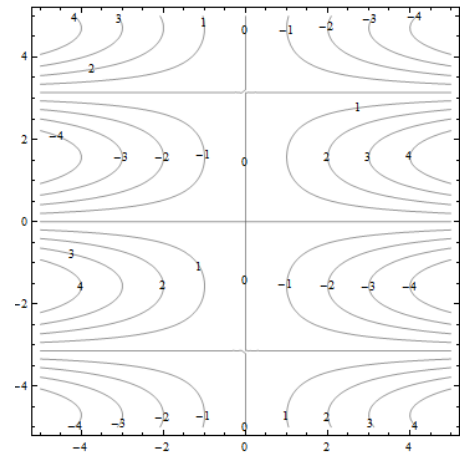
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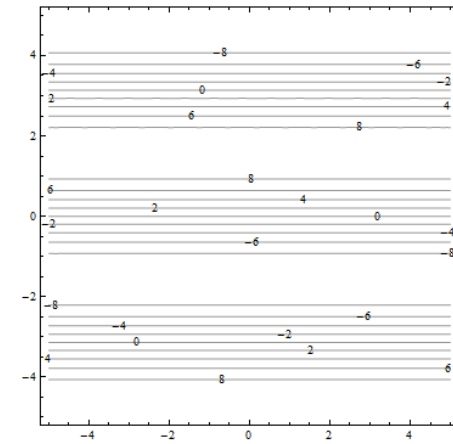
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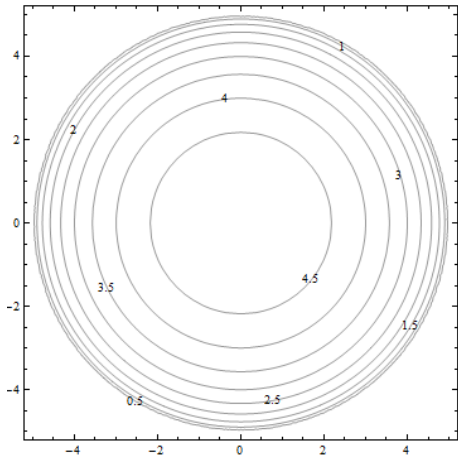
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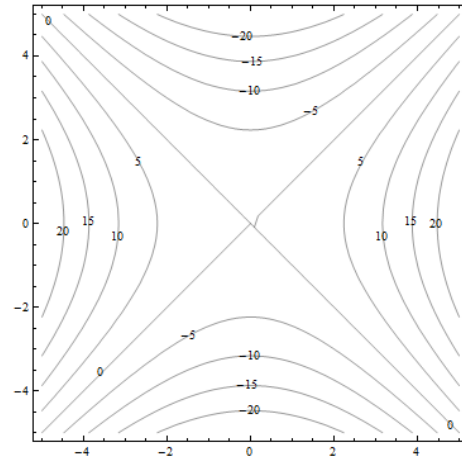
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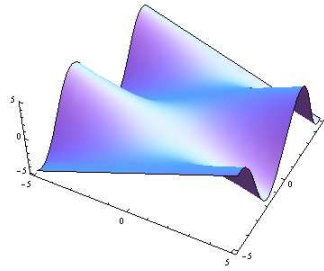
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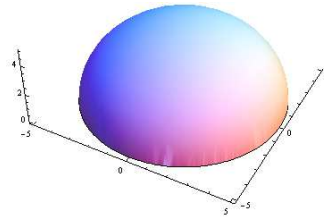
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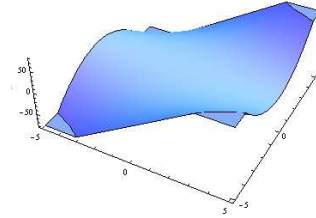
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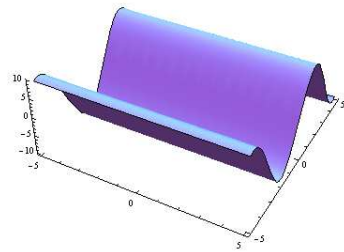
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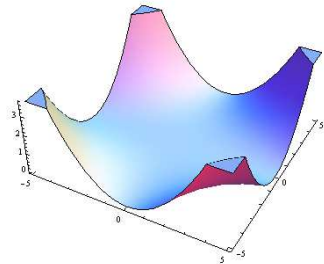
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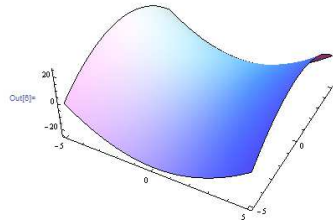
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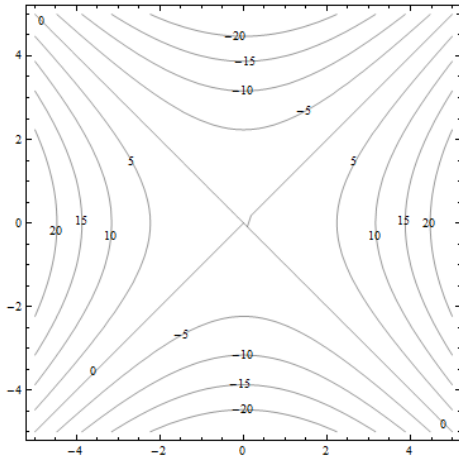


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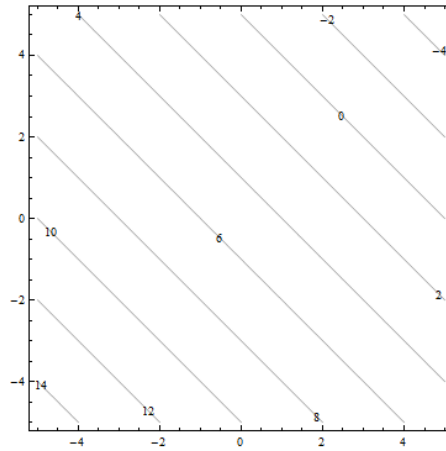


For problems 13 through 18. Match the contour diagram to the equation (a through f) it matches. Briefly explain your answer.

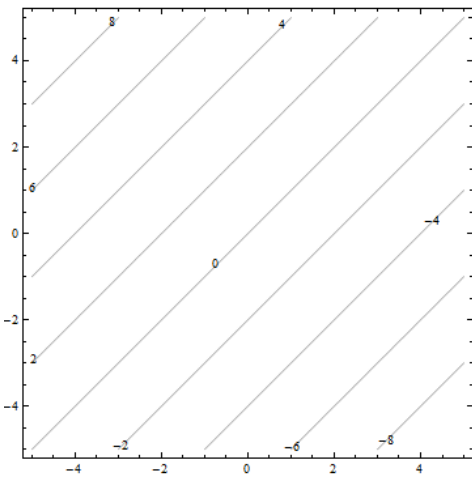
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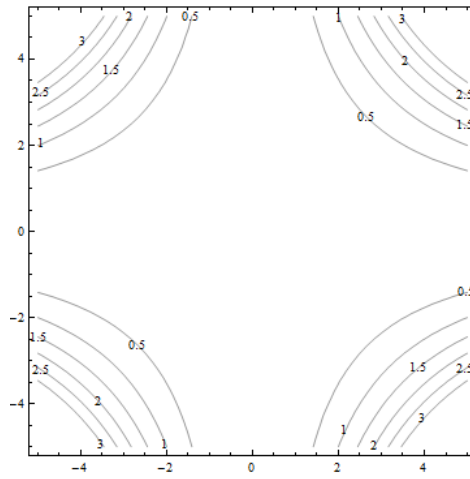
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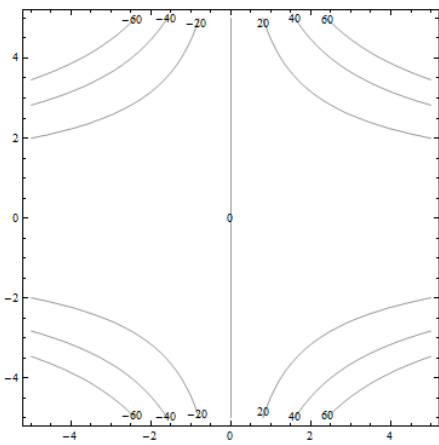
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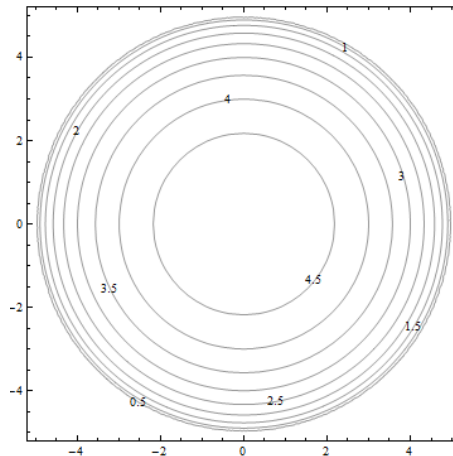
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18.



a. $f(x, y) = y - x$

b. $f(x, y) = xy^2$

c. $f(x, y) = \sqrt{25 - x^2 - y^2}$

d. $f(x, y) = 5 - x - y$

e. $f(x, y) = 0.01x^2y^2$

f. $f(x, y) = x^2 - y^2$

19. The contour diagram shown is for a function $M(x, y)$. Use the diagram to answer the following:

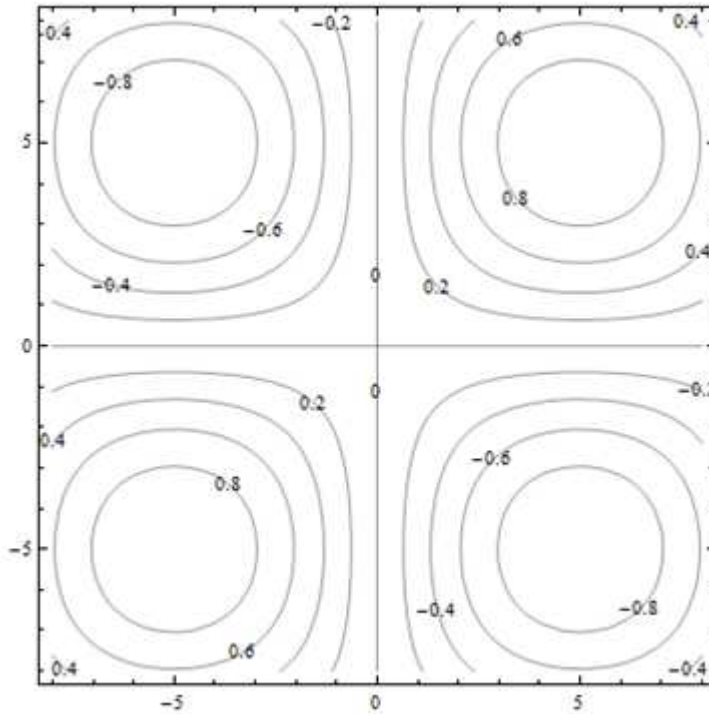


Figure 1

- Estimate $M(1, 3)$
- Estimate $M(3, 1)$
- Is $M(x, 3)$ an increasing or decreasing function of x ?
- Is $M(3, y)$ an increasing or decreasing function of y ?
- Find a value of c so that $M(c, y)$ is a constant function of y .

20. The contour diagram shown is for a function $G(x, y)$. Use the diagram to answer the following:

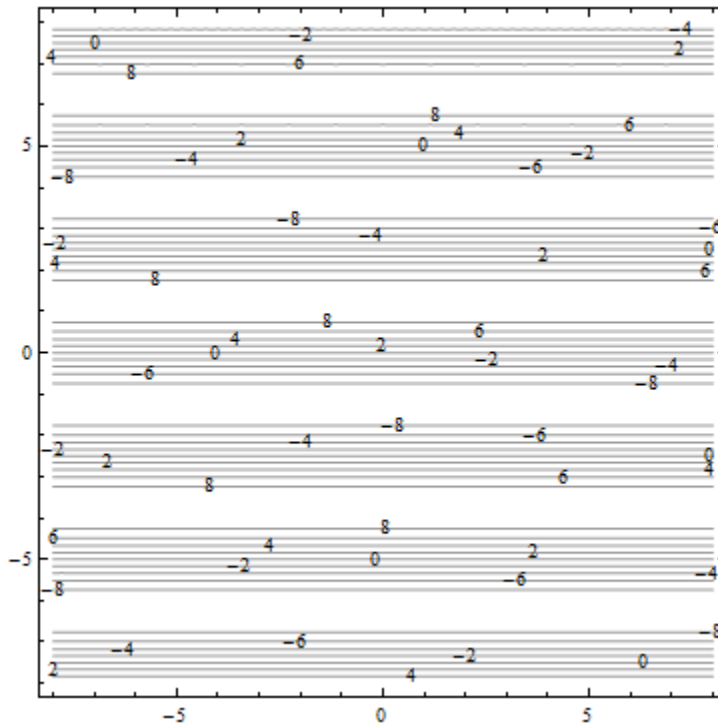


Figure 2

- Estimate $G(2, 3)$
- Suppose you travel north (in the direction of increasing y) along the surface, starting above $(2, 3)$. Describe your journey.
- Suppose you travel east (in the direction of increasing x) along the surface, starting above $(2, 3)$. Describe your journey.

For problems 21 through 35, find f_x and f_y for the function given

21. $f(x, y) = x^2 - 5y^2$

22. $f(x, y) = \frac{x^2 - 5y^2}{x + 4}$

23. $f(x, y) = e^{x+6y}$

24. $f(x, y) = (x^2 - 5y^2)e^x$

25. $f(x, y) = (x^2 - 5y^2) \left(\frac{1}{3y} + 4 \right)$

26. $f(x, y) = x$

27. $f(x, y) = 6$

28. $f(x, y) = \ln(xy + 2x - 6y)$

29. $f(x, y) = \frac{x^2 - 5y^2}{y^4 - 5x^4}$

30. $f(x, y) = e^{\sqrt{x-4y}}(x - 4y)$

31. $f(x, y) = y^5 e^x$

32. $f(x, y) = \frac{1}{16xy}$

33. $f(x, y) = (x + e^y)^7$

34. $f(x, y) = x^4 + 4x^3y - 6x^2y^2 - 4xy^3 + y^4$

35. $f(x, y) = \sqrt{x + \sqrt{y}}$

For problems 36 through 46, find f_{xx} , f_{yy} , f_{xy} and f_{yx} for the function given. Confirm that $f_{xy} = f_{yx}$.

$$36. f(x, y) = x^2 - 5y^2$$

$$37. f(x, y) = x^4 + 4x^3y - 6x^2y^2 - 4xy^3 + y^4$$

$$38. f(x, y) = 5x^2y^2$$

$$39. f(x, y) = e^{x+6y}$$

$$40. f(x, y) = \ln(xy + 2x - 6y)$$

$$41. f(x, y) = \frac{x^2}{y^4 - 5}$$

42. Given the function $g(x, y) = (x^4 - e^x) \left(x - \frac{1}{x} \right) y^2$, find g_{xyyy} . Hint – think about which order to find these partial derivatives in; is there a way to save yourself some work?

43. Here is a table showing the function $A(t, r)$

t ↓	r →	.03	.04	.05	.06	.07
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a. Estimate $A_t(2, .05)$.

b. Estimate $A_r(2, .05)$

c. Use your answers to parts a and b to estimate the value of $A(2.5, .054)$

d. The values in the table came from $A(t, r) = 1000(e^{rt} - 1)$, which shows the interest earned if 1000 dollars is deposited in an account earning r annual interest, compounded continuously, and left there for t years. How close are your estimates from parts a, b, and c?

44. Here is a table showing values for the function $H(t, h)$.

t ↓	h →	100	150	200
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- a. Estimate the value of $\frac{\partial H}{\partial t}$ at $(3, 150)$.
- b. Estimate the value of $\frac{\partial H}{\partial h}$ at $(3, 150)$.
- c. Use your answers to parts a and b to estimate the value of $H(2.6, 156)$.
- d. The values in the table came from $H(t, h) = h + 15t - 4.9t^2$, which gives the height in meters above the ground after t seconds of an object that is thrown upward from an initial height of h meters with an initial velocity of 15 meters per second. How close are your estimates from parts a, b, and c?
45. Find the critical points of $f(x, y) = y^3 - x^3 + 15x^2 - 12y + 12$ and use the Second Derivative Test to classify them. If the test fails, say “the test fails.”
46. Find the critical points of $f(x, y) = 2xy - x^2 - 2y^2 + 6x + 4$ and use the Second Derivative Test to classify them. If the test fails, say “the test fails.”
47. Find the critical points of $f(x, y) = y^2 - 4\ln(x) + 4x$ and use the Second Derivative Test to classify them. If the test fails, say “the test fails.”
48. Find the critical points of $f(x, y) = xy - 6x^2 + 3x - y + 2$ and use the Second Derivative Test to classify them. If the test fails, say “the test fails.”
49. The origin is a critical point for the function $f(x, y) = x^3 + y^3$, and $D = 0$ there. That is, the Second Derivative Test fails. Use what you know about shapes of functions to decide if there is a local minimum, local maximum, or saddle point for this function at $(0, 0)$.
50. The origin is a critical point for the function $f(x, y) = 15 - x^2y^2$, and $D = 0$ there. That is, the Second Derivative Test fails. Use what you know about shapes of functions to decide if there is a local minimum, local maximum, or saddle point for this function at $(0, 0)$.

For problems 51 through 56, find all local maxima, minima, and saddle points for the function.

51. $f(x, y) = xy - 5x^2 - 5y^2 + 33y$

52. $f(x, y) = 10xy - x^2 - y^2 + 3x$

53. $f(x, y) = x^3 + y^3 - 3xy$

54. $f(x, y) = 5x^2 - 4xy + 2y^2 + 4x - 4y + 10$

55. $f(x, y) = y^2e^x + x^2$

56. $f(x, y) = xy + 2x - \ln(x^2y)$, for $x > 0$ and $y > 0$.

57. The demand functions for two products are given below. p_1 , p_2 , q_1 , and q_2 are the prices (in dollars) and quantities for products 1 and 2.

$$q_1 = 200 - 3p_1 + p_2$$

$$q_2 = 150 + p_1 - 2p_2$$

- Are these two products complementary goods or substitute goods?
- What is the quantity demanded for each when the price for product 1 is \$20 per item and the price for product 2 is \$30 per item?
- Write a function $R(p_1, p_2)$ that expresses the total revenue from these two products.
- Find the price and quantity for each product that maximizes the total revenue.

58. Suppose the demand functions for two products are $q_1 = f(p_1, p_2)$ and $q_2 = g(p_1, p_2)$, where p_1 , p_2 , q_1 , and q_2 are the prices (in dollars) and quantities for products 1 and 2. Consider the four partial derivatives $\frac{\partial q_1}{\partial p_1}$, $\frac{\partial q_1}{\partial p_2}$, $\frac{\partial q_2}{\partial p_1}$, and $\frac{\partial q_2}{\partial p_2}$. Tell the sign of each of these partial

derivatives if

- a. the products are complementary goods.
- b. the products are substitute goods.