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# Analysis III for Engineering Students Homework sheet 4

### Exercise 1 [12 points] Given a function

 $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}$ ,  $f(x,y) = x \cdot \arctan(y) + e^{x+y} - 1$ .

- a) Compute the second degree Taylor polynomial  $T_2$  of f centered at a point  $(0,0)^{\mathrm{T}}$ .
- b) Show that for the remainder  $R_2(x, y) = f(x, y) T_2(x, y)$  in the area  $|x| \le 0.1, |y| \le 0.1$  the following estimate holds:

$$|R_2(x,y)| \leq 0.006$$
.

c) Find the stationary point of  $T_2$  and check, whether it is minimum, maximum or a saddle point.

**Hints:**  $(\arctan(y))' = \frac{1}{1+y^2}, \arctan(0) = 0.$ 

Solution:

a) [4 points]

Value at  $(0,0)^T$ 

$$f(x,y) := x \cdot \arctan(y) + e^{x+y} - 1 \qquad 0$$

$$f_x(x,y) = \arctan(y) + e^{x+y}$$
 1

$$f_y(x,y) = \frac{x}{1+y^2} + e^{x+y}$$
 1

$$f_{xx}(x,y) = e^{x+y} \tag{1}$$

$$f_{xy}(x,y) = \frac{1}{1+y^2} + e^{x+y}$$
 2

$$f_{yy}(x,y) = \frac{-2xy}{(1+y^2)^2} + e^{x+y}$$
 1

$$T_2(x,y) = x + y + \frac{1}{2}x^2 + 2xy + \frac{1}{2}y^2.$$

## b) [4 points]

$$\begin{aligned} |f_{xxx}(x,y)| &= |e^{x+y}| & \leq e^{0.2} \\ |f_{xxy}(x,y)| &= |e^{x+y}| & \leq e^{0.2} \\ |f_{xyy}(x,y)| &= \left| \frac{-2y}{(1+y^2)^2} + e^{x+y} \right| & \leq 0.2 + e^{0.2} \\ |f_{yyy}(x,y)| &= \left| \frac{-2x}{(1+y^2)^2} - 4y^2(1+y^2) + e^{x+y} \right| & \leq 0.3 + e^{0.2} \end{aligned}$$

For the last derivative for example one computes

$$\left| 2x \cdot \frac{(1+y^2)^2 - 4y^2(1+y^2)}{(1+y^2)^4} \right| \le 0.2 \left( \frac{1}{(1+y^2)^2} + \frac{4|y|^2}{(1+y^2)^3} \right) \le 0.2 \left( 1 + \frac{0.04}{1} \right) = 0.208.$$

Overall, the values of the third-order derivatives can be selected as an upper bound  $C = 3 > 2.3 = \sqrt{4} + 0.3 > \sqrt{e} + 0.3 > e^{0.2} + 0.208$ 

Substituting into an estimate we have

$$|R_2(x,y)| \leq \frac{2^3}{3!} \cdot C \cdot || \boldsymbol{x} - \boldsymbol{x}_0 ||_{\infty}^3 \leq \frac{8}{6} \cdot 3 \cdot 0.1^3 = 0.004 < 0.006.$$

Note: When we estimate  $e^{0.2}$  as 3 and C = 4, the bound is 0.00533333.

### c) [4 points]

The stationary point P of

$$T_2(x,y) = x + y + \frac{1}{2}x^2 + 2xy + \frac{1}{2}y^2.$$
  
grad  $T_2 = (1 + x + 2y, 1 + 2x + y) \stackrel{!}{=} (0,0) \Longrightarrow x = y = -\frac{1}{3}.$ 

The Hessian matrix  $\boldsymbol{H}(x,y) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  is indefinite, because the determinant is negative.

Alternatively one can compute eigenvalues

$$(1-\lambda)^2 - 4 = 0 \iff \lambda = 1 \pm 2$$
. Hence  $\mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{3} \\ -\frac{1}{3} \end{pmatrix}$  is a saddle point of  $T_2$ .

**Exercise 2:** Given a function  $f(x, y) := x^4 + y^4 + 8xy = 0$ .

a) (i) Show using the implicit function theorem that f(x, y) can be solved for y near the point  $(x_0, y_0)^T := (2, -2)^T$ . It means that there exists a function g(x) with g(2) = -2, such that in some neighbourhood of  $x_0$  and  $y_0$  the following equivalence holds

$$f(x,y) = 0 \iff y = g(x)$$
 .

- (ii) Compute the first-order Taylor polynomial of function g from the part a) centered at a point  $x_0 = 2$ .
- b) Using the implicit function theorem show that the solution set of

$$f(x, y, z) := (x^2 - 2e^{xy})z + 2 = 0$$

in a neighbourhood of the point  $P_0 := (x_0, y_0, z_0)^T := (0, 1, 1)^T$  can be solved for x. It means that there is a function g(y, z) with g(1, 1) = 0 such that in a neighbourhood of  $x_0, y_0, z_0$  it holds

$$f(x, y, z) = 0 \iff x = g(y, z)$$
.

Using the implicit function theorem for which other variable(s) one can solve the problem?

#### Solution sketch for Exercise 2:

- a) (i) f(2,-2) = 0.  $\boldsymbol{J} f(x,y) = \begin{pmatrix} 4x^3 + 8y \\ 4y^3 + 8x \end{pmatrix}^T \implies \boldsymbol{J} f(2,-2) = \begin{pmatrix} 32 - 16 \\ -32 + 16 \end{pmatrix}^T \implies \text{One can solve}$ for y or for x near the point  $(2,-2)^T$ .
  - (ii)  $T_1(x;2) = g(2) + g'(2)(x-2)$  For the first-order Taylor polynomial we also need g'(2). Following the implicit function theorem we have

$$g'(x) = -f_x/f_y = -\frac{4x^3 + 8y}{4y^3 + 8x} \implies g'(2) = -\frac{16}{-16} = 1.$$

Alternatively : implicit differentiation

$$f(x, y(x)) = x^{4} + (y(x))^{4} + 8xy(x) = 0$$
  

$$f'(x, y(x)) = 4x^{3} + 4y^{3}y' + 8y + 8xy' = (4x^{3} + 8y) + (4y^{3} + 8x)y' = 0$$
  

$$\implies y'(x) = -\frac{4x^{3} + 8y}{4y^{3} + 8x}$$
  

$$T_{1}(x; 2) = y(2) + y'(2)(x - 2) = -2 + (x - 2)$$



b) As Jacobian matrix of f we have

$$\mathbf{J}f(x,y,z) = \left( (2x - 2ye^{xy})z, -2xze^{xy}, x^2 - 2e^{xy} \right)$$

and hence it holds  $\mathbf{J}f(0,1,1) = (-2,0,-2)$ .

Since  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = -2$  and  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial z} = -2$  as  $1 \times 1$ -matrices are invertible, from the implicit function theorem it follows that in some neighbourhood of  $P_0$  there exist the functions x(y, z) and z(x, y) with x(1, 1) = 0 and f(x(y, z), y, z) = 0 as well as z(0, 1) = 1 and f(x, y, z(x, y)) = 0. The theorem does not provide the information whether it is possible to solve locally for y. An explicit form of the formula for f to y is

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

This expression is not defined in any neighborhood of  $x = (0, 1, 1)^T$ !

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