

## Recitation Week 2

SECTIONS 12.2, 12.3

1. Find the limit or show that it does not exist:

a.  $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (1,1)} \frac{xy^2 - 1}{y - 1}$

b.  $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \cos\left(\frac{x^3 - y^3}{x^2 + y^2}\right)$

c.  $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{1 - \cos(xy)}{xy}$  Hint: Recall Taylor polynomials.

d.  $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{2x}{x^2 + x + y^2}$

2. At what points  $(x, y)$  in the plane is the following function continuous?

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sin(x^2 + y^2)}{x^2 + y^2}, & (x, y) \neq (0, 0), \\ 0, & (x, y) = (0, 0). \end{cases}$$

3. Find all the second-order partial derivatives of  $f(x, y) = x \sin(2x - y^2)$ .

4. Use the limit definition of partial derivative to compute the partial derivatives of the functions at the specified points:

- $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$  and  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$  at  $(1, 2)$  for  $f(x, y) = 1 - x + xy^2$ .
- $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$  and  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$  at  $(0, 0)$  for  $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sin(x^3 + y^4)}{x^2 + y^2} & (x, y) \neq (0, 0), \\ 0 & (x, y) = (0, 0). \end{cases}$