

APPM 2450 Calculus 3 Computer Lab  
Lab Exercise 6

Create a Mathematica notebook that does all of the following. Feel free to ask your neighbor or your lab instructor for help if you get stuck. Items with a  $\blacktriangleright$  are required, items with a  $\star$  are optional.

- $\star$  Define the function  $f(x, y) = 2 + 2x + 2y - x^2 - y^2 + \sin(0.99\pi x - 4) + 15$ . We will consider this function on the rectangular domain  $0 \leq x \leq 5$ ,  $-3 \leq y \leq 3$ .
- $\star$  Make a nice 3D plot of  $f$  on the domain. Remember you can use `RealTime3D` to rotate your graph. Type `Default3D` to return to the normal graphing style with axes labels and all.
- $\star$  Make a nice contour plot of  $f$  on the domain,
- $\star$  Find all interior points where  $\nabla f = 0$ . There are two. You will have to use `FindRoot`, which means you need an initial guess. You can either (i) use the contour plot to find approximate values of the critical points, or (ii) do something like the following

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<<Graphics`ImplicitPlot`
p1=ImplicitPlot[D[f[x,y],x]==0,{x,0,5},{y,-3,3},PlotStyle->Hue[1]]
p2=ImplicitPlot[D[f[x,y],y]==0,{x,0,5},{y,-3,3},PlotStyle->Hue[0.4872]]
Show[p1,p2,AxesLabel->{"x","y"}]
```

If you do this, you have critical points where the red and blue lines intersect.

- $\star$  Use the second derivative test to determine if the critical points are local maxima, local minima, or saddles (you should find one is a max, the other is a saddle).
- $\star$  Plot  $f(x, y)$  near these critical points. For example, if you found a critical point at (1,2), you could do something like

```
Plot3D[f[x,y],{x,0.9,1.1},{y,1.9,2.1},AxesLabel->{"x","y","f(x,y)"}]
```

- $\star$  Consider the boundary where  $x = 5$ . On this boundary we have  $g(x) = f(5, y)$ . This is a function of only one variable. Use what you know from Calc I to find any critical points along the boundary.
- $\star$  Plot  $f(x, y)$  near these critical points; be careful to not plot any part of  $f$  that is outside of the domain! For example, if you found a critical point at  $y = 2.1783$ , this would mean the point you are interested in is (5,2.1783). You could do something like

```
Plot3D[f[x,y],{x,4.8,5},{y,2.0783,2.2783},AxesLabel->{"x","y","f(x,y)"}]
```

- $\star$  Remember the definition of a local max/min. Look at your plot carefully. Is the point(s) you found really a local max/min?
- $\star$  Yup, you guessed it, now you have to do the above 3 steps for the other three boundaries!

- $\star$  Once you have found all interior local extrema, and all possible extrema on the boundaries, evaluate  $f$  at all of these points and pick out the global max and min.

- $\star$  If (and only if) you complete all of the above, congratulations! Go to 'Kernel', then 'Delete All Output' before you save. Save your notebook as *YourLastName.Rocks.nb* and email as an attachment to your instructor; he will be quite impressed, and you will be ready to tackle Lab 2.