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 $y = \pi t$ 
 $\text{at } (\ln 2, \pi/4)$

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$t = \frac{1}{4}$

$$\ln(xy) = \ln x + \ln y$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 x\left(\frac{1}{4}\right) &= -\ln\left(\frac{2}{4}\right) \\
 &= -\ln\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \\
 &= \ln 2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\log_{10}(100) = 2$$

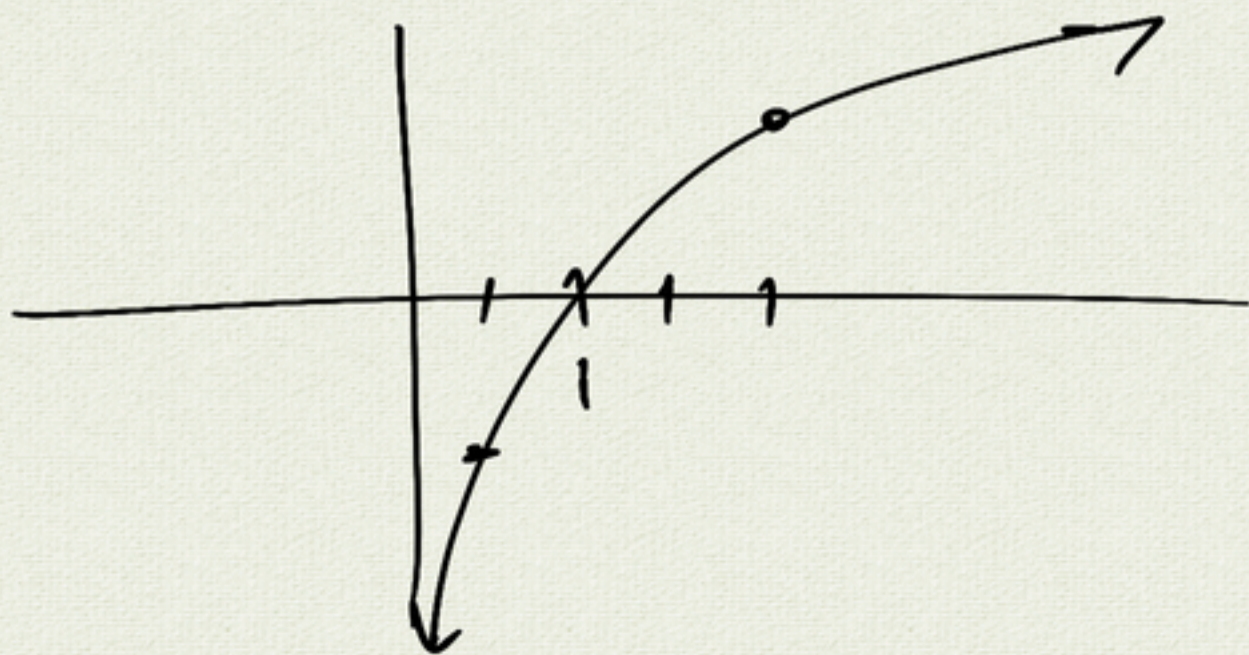
$$\log_{10}(1000) = 3$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \log_{10}(100,000) &= 5 \\
 &= 10^5
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \log_{10}(100) = 2 \\ \log_{10}(1000) = 3 \end{array} \right\} \log_{10}(100 \cdot 1000) = 2 + 3$$

$$\ln(x^n) = n \ln x$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \ln\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) &= \ln(2^{-1}) \\
 &= -\ln 2
 \end{aligned}$$



(229)  $u = e^x \sin y$   $x = -\ln 2t$  at  $x = \ln 2$   
 $y = \pi t$   $y = \pi/4$

find  $\frac{du}{dt} \left( \frac{1}{4} \right)$

$t = \frac{1}{4}$

$$\frac{du}{dt} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \frac{dy}{dt}$$
$$= \underbrace{e^x \sin y}_{\frac{2}{2}} \underbrace{\left( -\frac{1}{t} \right)}_{-4} + \underbrace{e^x \cos y}_{\frac{2}{2}} \underbrace{\pi}_{\sqrt{2}/2}$$

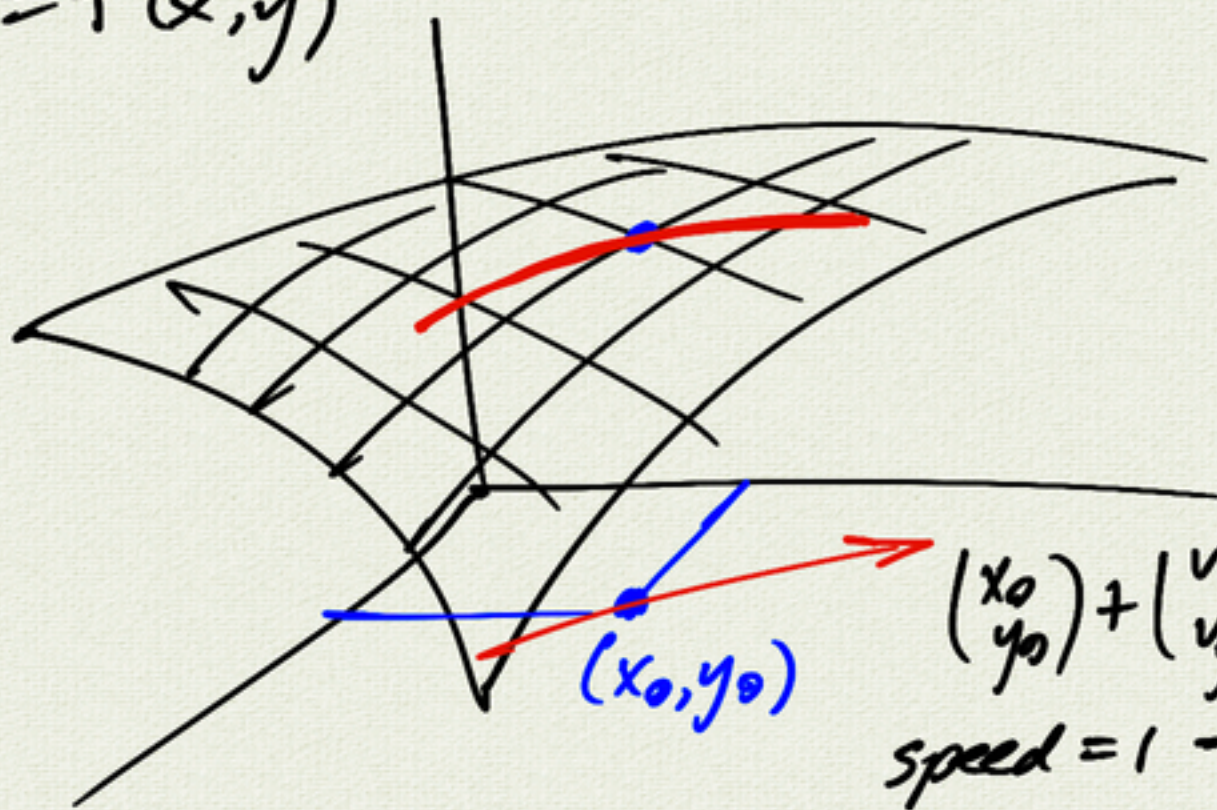
$$= \sqrt{2} (\pi - 4)$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} &= e^x \sin y & \frac{dx}{dt} &= -\frac{1}{2t} \cdot 2 \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} &= e^x \cos y & \frac{dy}{dt} &= \pi \end{aligned} \right|$$

$= -1/t$

### 3.7 Directional derivatives

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



$$\begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ y_0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} v_x \\ v_y \end{pmatrix} t = \vec{r}(t)$$

$$\text{speed} = 1 \rightarrow |\vec{v}| = 1$$

$$v_x^2 + v_y^2 = 1$$

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

$$f'(t) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{dy}{dt}$$

$$= \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \end{pmatrix}}_{df} \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix} \leftarrow \vec{r}'(t)$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} f_x \\ f_y \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix} \quad |\vec{r}'(t)| = 1$$

$\nabla f$   
"del" gradient

$$= |\nabla f| |\vec{r}'(t)| \cos \theta$$

$$f'(t) = |\nabla f| \underbrace{\cos \theta}_{\text{in } [-1, 1]}$$

$$\Rightarrow |f'(t)| \leq |\nabla f|$$

(magnitude of)  
gradient is the  
largest the  
derivative can be  
(when  $\vec{r}(t)$  is in direction  
of  $\nabla f$ )

$$\nabla f = \begin{pmatrix} f_x \\ f_y \end{pmatrix} \text{ gradient}$$

(1) direction of greatest change  
(and magnitude)

(2) define directional derivative

$$D_{\vec{u}}(f) = \nabla f \cdot \vec{u}$$

$\vec{u}$  unit vector  
 $|\vec{u}| = 1$

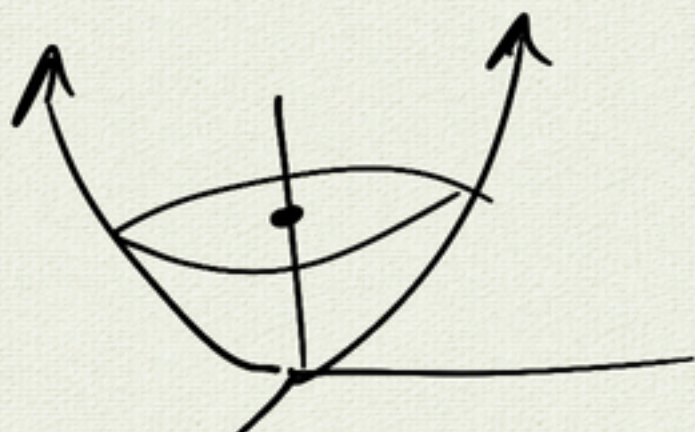
example:  $\vec{u} = \vec{i}$

$$D_{\vec{i}}(f) = \nabla f \cdot \vec{i} = f_x$$

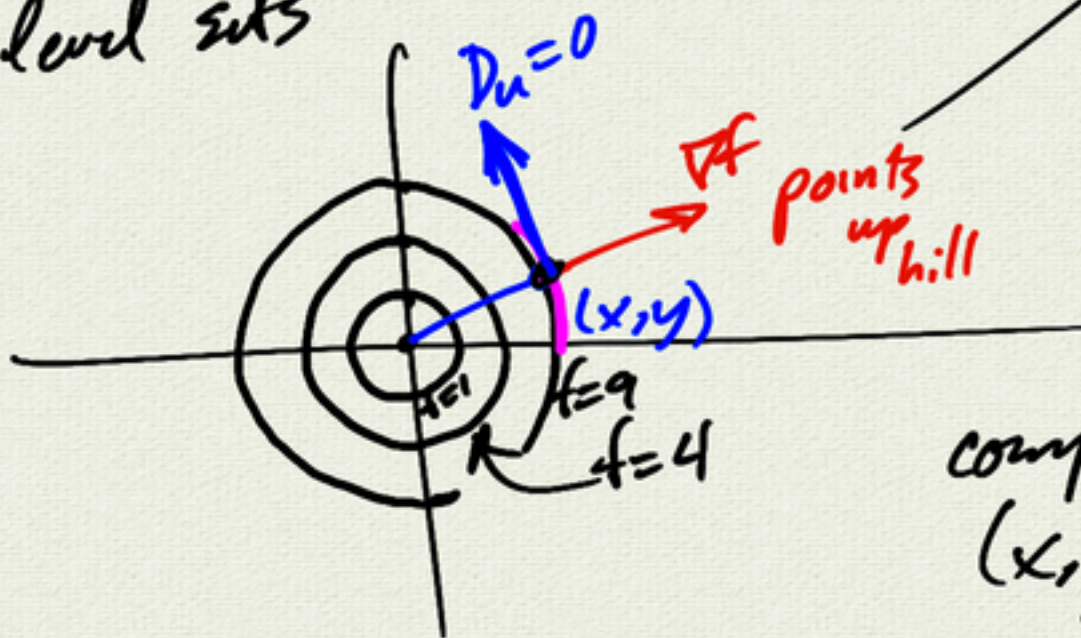
Example:

$$f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2$$

paraboloid



level sets



$$\nabla f = \begin{pmatrix} 2x \\ 2y \end{pmatrix}$$

compute:

$$(x, y) = 3 \left\langle \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle$$

$$= \left\langle \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2} \right\rangle$$

$$\vec{u} = \left\langle \frac{1}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right\rangle$$

compute:

$$D_{\vec{u}}(f) \text{ at } \left\langle \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2} \right\rangle$$

$$\nabla f \left( \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2} \right) = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \left( \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) \\ 2 \left( \frac{3}{2} \right) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 3\sqrt{3} \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$D_{\vec{u}}(f) = \nabla f \cdot \vec{u}$$

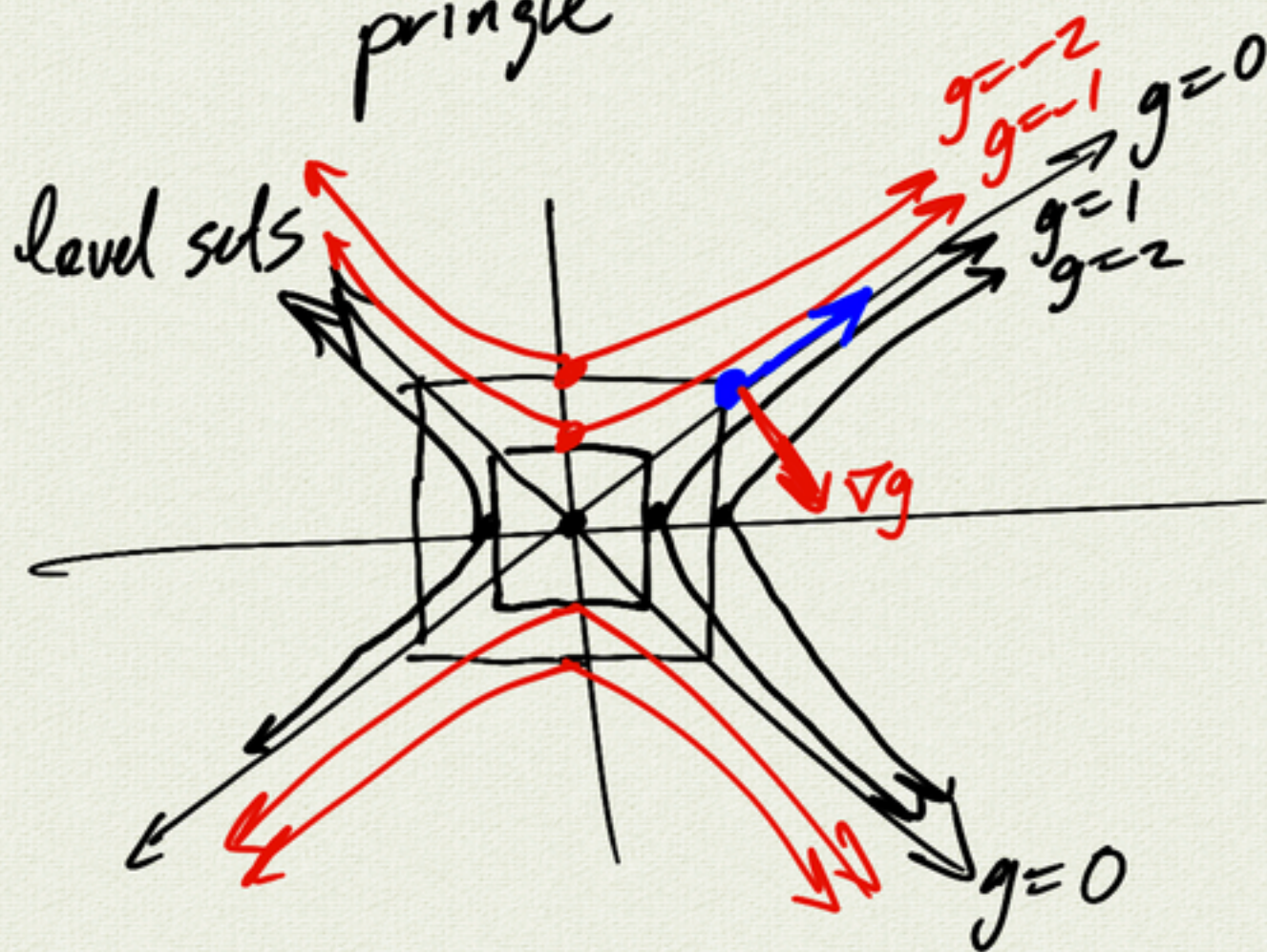
$$= \begin{pmatrix} 3\sqrt{3} \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= 0$$

example:

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

pringle



$$\begin{aligned} g=1 \\ x^2 - y^2 = 1 \\ \hline g=4 \\ x^2 - y^2 = 4 \\ \frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1 \\ \hline g=-1 \\ x^2 - y^2 = -1 \\ y^2 - x^2 = 1 \end{aligned}$$

calculate  $D_{\bar{u}}(g)$   $\bar{u} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$   
at  $(2,2)$

$$\nabla g = \begin{pmatrix} 2x \\ -2y \end{pmatrix} \quad \nabla g(2,2) = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} \leftarrow$$

$$\begin{aligned} D_{\bar{u}}(g)(2,2) &= \nabla g \cdot \bar{u} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$