

Homework 8**Exercise 1** Consider the map

$$f : \mathbb{R}^2 \ni (x, y) \mapsto x^3 - 2xy + 2y^2 - 1 \in \mathbb{R}.$$

- (i) Show that the implicit function theorem can be applied at the point $(1, 1) \in \mathbb{R}^2$,
- (ii) Compute the tangent at the point $(1, 1)$ of the curve of equation $f(x, y) = 0$, and determine the position of this curve with respect to the tangent line at this point.

Exercise 2 Let $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be of class C^1 and let $(x_0, y_0) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ be a solution of $f(x_0, y_0) = 0$. Suppose that $\partial_y f(x_0, y_0) \neq 0$. Let $\phi : (x_0 - \varepsilon, x_0 + \varepsilon) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be the implicit function of class C^1 satisfying $f(x, \phi(x)) = 0$ for any $x \in (x_0 - \varepsilon, x_0 + \varepsilon)$ and satisfying $\phi(x_0) = y_0$. Show that

$$\phi'(x) = -\frac{[\partial_x f](x, \phi(x))}{[\partial_y f](x, \phi(x))}$$

whenever the denominator is not 0

Exercise 3 Compute the curve integrals in the following situations:

- (i) $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \ni (x, y) \mapsto (x^2 - xy, y^2 - 2xy) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ and the curve defined by the parabola $y = x^2$ from $(-2, 4)$ to $(1, 1)$,
- (ii) $f : \mathbb{R}^3 \ni (x, y, z) \mapsto (x, z, xz - y) \in \mathbb{R}^3$ and the curve defined by the segment between $(0, 0, 0)$ and $(1, 2, 4)$.

Exercise 4 a) Consider the vector field $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \ni (x, y) \mapsto (2xy, x^2 + y^2) \in \mathbb{R}^2$. Compute the curve integral along the following curves: (i) The segment between $(0, 0)$ and $(1, 1)$, (ii) The parabola of equation $y = x^2$ from the point $(0, 0)$ to the point $(1, 1)$. What do you observe ?