

**Math 340, Jeffrey Adams**  
Review, Chapters 4-6, November 15, 2010

1. Chapter 4

- (a) Section 1: Derivative of  $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ , parametrized curves, velocity, speed and acceleration
- (b) Section 2: Graph of  $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
- (c) Section 3: Partial derivatives of  $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
- (d) Section 4: Parametrized surfaces,  $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

2. Chapter 5

- (a) Section 1: Topology: open/closed sets, interior, boundary, limits; Definition of continuous function  $f : \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$
- (b) Section 2: Definition of differentiable function  $\mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , derivative of  $f(\vec{x})$ , gradient, tangent approximation
- (c) Section 3: Directional derivative of  $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\frac{\partial Rf}{\partial \vec{u}} = \nabla(f) \cdot \vec{u}$ ; mean value theorem
- (d) Section 4: Differentiable functions  $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ , derivative is an  $m \times n$  matrix; tangent approximations

3. Chapter 6

- (a) Section 1: vector fields, gradient vector fields
- (b) Section 2: chain rule for  $\mathbb{R}^n \xrightarrow{f} \mathbb{R}^m \xrightarrow{g} \mathbb{R}^p$ ,  $(g \circ f)(\vec{x}) = g'(f(\vec{x}))f'(\vec{x})$
- (c) Section 3: Implicit differentiation,  $F(\vec{x}, G(\vec{y})) = 0, \dots$
- (d) Section 4: Critical points  $\nabla f(\vec{x}) = 0$ , local min/max, absolute min/max; local min/max in the interior; local min/max with constraints, Lagrange method; second derivative
- (e) Section 6: polar, spherical, and cylindrical coordinates