Practice exercises 6.

- 1. Find the local extrema of the following functions:
- a) $f(x, y) = 2x^3 6x + 5 + y^3 12y$
- b) $f(x, y) = (x 3y + 3)^2 + (x y 1)^2$
- c) $f(x, y) = (x y + 1)^2 (x^2 2)^2$
- 2. Let $f(x, y) = x^3 y^5$
- a) Find the absolute (global) extrema of f on the following set:

$$A = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : 0 \le x \le 1, \ 0 \le y \le x\}$$

b) Does f have a local extremum if $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$?

3. Least squares method:

Some physical quantity *y* is assumed to be directly proportional to another quantity *x*, that is, y = Ax + b. The two quantities are measured *n* times, that is, we have the measurement data (x_1, y_1) , (x_2, y_2) , ..., (x_n, y_n) . How should we choose *A* and *B* so that the straight line y = Ax + B is closest to the measured points, by which we mean that the expression is minimal?

$$f(A, B) = \sum_{k=1}^{n} (y_k - (A x_k + B))^2$$

Homework:

4. Find the local extrema of the following functions:

a)
$$f(x, y) = 2x + y + \frac{4}{xy}$$

b) $f(x, y) = x^4 + y^4 - x^2 - 2xy - y^2$

5. Find the absolute (global) extrema of *f* on the given set: a) $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y$, $H = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x \ge 0, y \ge 0, y \le 9 - x\}$ b) $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2 - xy - 3x$, $H = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x^2 + y^2 \le 3\}$ c) $f(x, y) = \frac{xy}{x^2 + y^2}$, $H = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x^2 + y^2 \le 1\}$ d) $f(x, y) = x^3 + y^3 - 9xy + 27$, $H = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : 0 \le x \le 4, 0 \le y \le 4\}$