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1. Compute $\dfrac{\partial f}{\partial y}$ if

$$f(x, y, z) = e^{-x^2 y} + \ln(y + z) + \sin\left(\frac{x}{z}\right)$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = -x^2 e^{-x^2 y} + \frac{1}{y+z}$$

2. For a function $f(x, y)$ you know that

$$f(2, 3) = 9$$
$$f_x(2, 3) = 3$$
$$f_y(2, 3) = -1.$$

Use this information to estimate $f(2.1, 3.2)$.

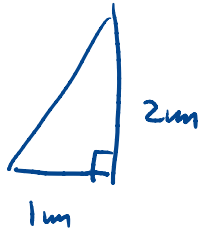$$L(x,y) = f(2,3) + f_x(2,3)(x-2) + f_y(2,3)(y-3)$$

$$f(2.1, 3.2) \approx L(2.1, 3.2)$$

$$= 9 + 3(2.1-2) - (3.2-3)$$

$$= 9 + \frac{3}{10} - \frac{2}{10}$$

$$= 9 + \frac{1}{10}$$

3. A right triangle has width 1m and height 2m with an error in the measurements of ±0.02m. Estimate the error in the area using a differential.

2m

1m

$$A = xy$$

$$dA = (dx)y + x\,dy$$

$$= (0.02)\cdot 2 + 1\cdot(0.02)$$

$$= 0.04 + 0.02$$

$$= \boxed{0.06 \text{ m}^2}$$