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**Total Points: 100. Calculation and Proofs. Show your derivation.**

1. (10 pts) Find the maximum and minimum values of  $f(x, y) = 4x^2 + 10y^2$  on the disk  $x^2 + y^2 \leq 4$ .

2. (24 pts) Given  $x \geq 0$ ,  $k$  a constant, and  $y^+ = \max\{0, y\}$ , prove each inequality (three inequalities)

$$x - k \leq (x - k)^+ \leq \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (xe^{\frac{-1}{2}+z} - k)^+ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{\frac{-z^2}{2}} dz \leq x.$$

3. (24 pts) On a domain  $[0, T]$  with the partition  $\Pi = \{t_0 = 0, t_1, \dots, t_n = T > 0\}$  and its length  $\|\Pi\| = \max_{i=0, \dots, n-1} (t_{j+1} - t_j)$ , two definitions of variation are given below

(1) The total variation of  $f$ , denoted by  $TV_T(f)$  is

$$TV_T(f) = \lim_{\|\Pi\| \rightarrow 0} \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} |f(t_{j+1}) - f(t_j)|.$$

(2) The quadratic variation of  $f$ , denoted by  $\langle f, f \rangle_T$  is

$$\langle f, f \rangle_T = \lim_{\|\Pi\| \rightarrow 0} \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} [f(t_{j+1}) - f(t_j)]^2.$$

Now, suppose  $f \in C^1([0, T])$  meaning that its first-order derivative is continuous on  $[0, T]$ . Answer the following questions:

(a) State the mean value theorem.

(b) Apply this theorem to prove  $TV_T(f) = \int_0^T |f'(t)| dt$ .

(c) Prove  $\langle f, f \rangle_T = 0$ .

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4.(24 pts) Given two sets of probabilities  $P = \{p_i, i = 1, \dots, n\}$  and  $Q = \{q_i, i = 1, \dots, n\}$ , the relative entropy between  $P$  and  $Q$  is

$$\mathcal{E}(P|Q) = \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \ln \frac{p_i}{q_i}$$

Remark:  $0 \log \frac{0}{q} = 0$ ,  $p \log \frac{p}{0} = \infty$  for any nonnegative  $p$  and  $q$ .

- (a) Prove that  $\mathcal{E}(P|P) = 0$
- (b) Prove that  $\mathcal{E}(P|Q) \geq 0$
- (c) Prove that  $\mathcal{E}(P|Q) = 0$  if and only if  $P = Q$  ( $p_i = q_i, i = 1, \dots, n$ )
- (d) Provide a counterexample to demonstrate that  $\mathcal{E}(Q|P) \neq \mathcal{E}(P|Q)$

5.(18 pts) Assume that the real-valued function  $f(x)$ , is continuous and bounded, and  $0 \leq t \leq T$ ,  $-\infty < x < \infty$ .

(a) Check that  $u(t, x) = f(x - kt)$  is a solution to

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t}(t, x) + k \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(t, x) = 0,$$

where  $k$  is any constant.

(b) Check that  $u(t, x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi(r-t)}} e^{\frac{-x^2}{2(r-t)}} dx$  is a solution to

$$\begin{cases} \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}(t, x) + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}(t, x) = 0 \\ u(t, x) = f(x). \end{cases}$$