Class Worksheet 2/17/22

Example 1:

(a) Let $f(x,y) = 3x^2y - 2x^3y^4$ find the partial derivative functions $f_x(x,y)$ and $f_y(x,y)$. Find $f_y(x,y)$.

(b) Let $f(x,y) = xe^{x^2y}$ find the partial derivative functions $f_x(x,y)$ and $f_y(x,y)$.

(c) Let $h(x,y) = \frac{x^2y}{x^3 + y^2}$ find the partial derivative function $h_x(x,y)$.

Example 2: The graph of a function z = g(x, y) is shown below. Is $g_x(1, 1)$ positive or negative? Is $g_y(1, 1)$ positive or negative? Explain your answers.

