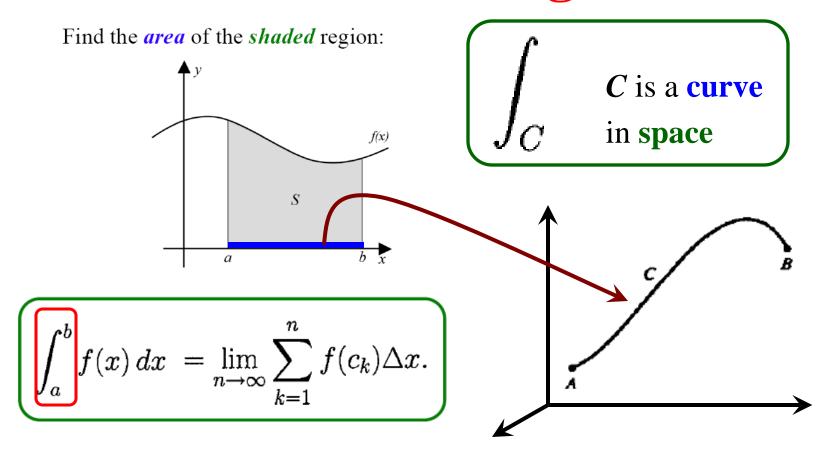
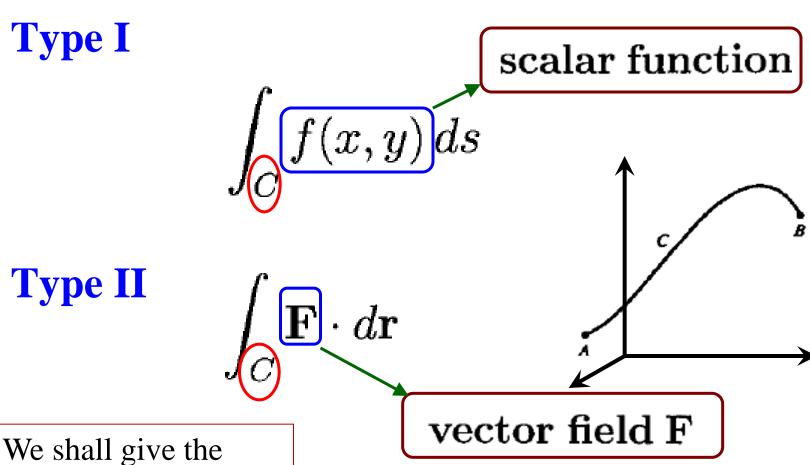
# **CH 9 Line Integrals**



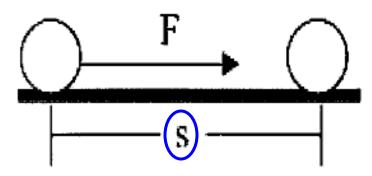
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We shall give the motivation of type II linear integral first in Sections 9.1,9.2

## 9.1 Introduction

#### Work Done I

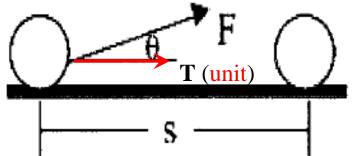


(i) Let **F** be a **constant** force acting on a particle in the displacement direction as shown. If the distance moved by the particle is **s**, then the **work done** is:

$$W = ||\mathbf{F}|| \times s$$
.

(ii) Let  $\mathbf{F}$  be a constant force acting on a particle in the direction which forms an angle  $\theta$  against the displacement direction

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \mathbf{v}_2}{||\mathbf{v}_1|| \ ||\mathbf{v}_2||}$$



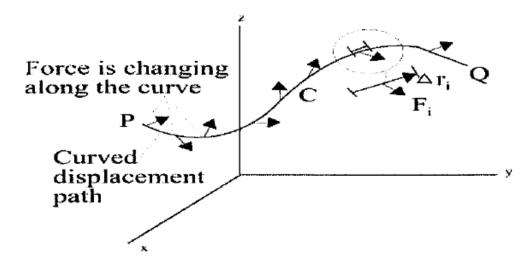
If the distance moved by the particle is s, then the work done is:

$$W = \|\mathbf{F}\|\cos\theta \times s = (\mathbf{F}\cdot\mathbf{T})\times s = \mathbf{F}\cdot s\mathbf{T}$$

where  $\mathbf{T}$  is the unit vector in the displacement direction.  $W = \mathbf{F} \cdot s\mathbf{T}$ 

#### Work Done II

Let  $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z)$  be a variable force acting on a particle which moves along the curve C with vector equation  $\mathbf{r}(t) = x(t)\mathbf{i} + y(t)\mathbf{j} + z(t)\mathbf{k}$ .

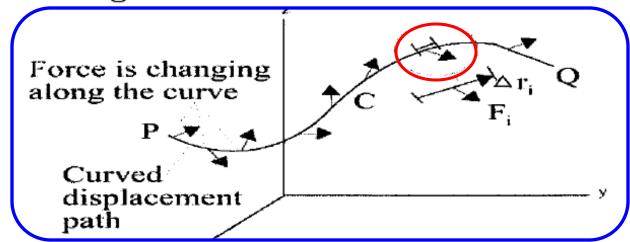


If the particle moves from *P* to *Q*, what is the work done?

We divide C into n segments. As each one is small, each can be treated as a **line segment** & the force within which assumed to be **constant**  $\mathbf{F}_i$ . Then the **work done** for such a segment is approximately

$$W_i \approx \mathbf{F}_i \cdot \Delta \mathbf{r}_i$$

where  $\mathbf{r}_i = s\mathbf{T}_i$  and  $\mathbf{T}_i$  is the unit tangent vector along this segment.



• Thus the total work done is approximately

$$W_{\mathrm{total}} pprox \sum_{1}^{n} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot \Delta \mathbf{r}_{i}.$$

As  $n \to \infty$ , we write this as

$$(\clubsuit) \qquad \int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$$

which gives the actual total work done.

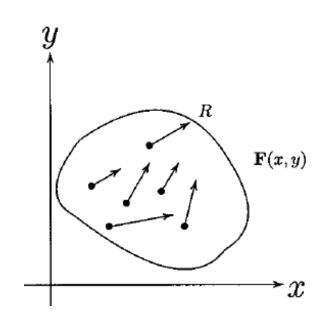
The integral  $(\clubsuit)$  is called the *line integral* of **F** along the curve C.

### 9.2 Vector Fields

Vector fields (2 variables)

Let **R** be a region in xy-plane.

A *vector field* on R is a vector fn  $\mathbf{F}$  that assigns to each point (x, y) in R a 2-D vector  $\mathbf{F}(x, y)$ .



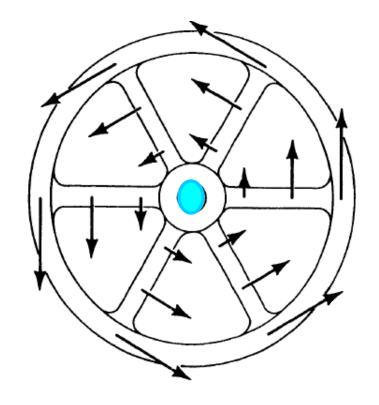
We may write  $\mathbf{F}(x,y)$ , which is a vector, in component form:

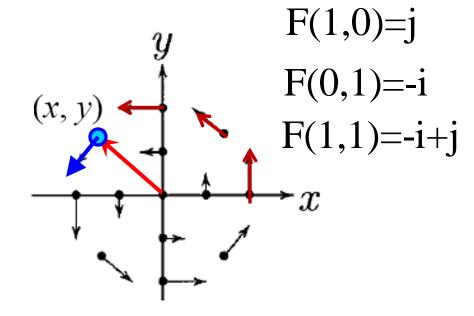
$$\mathbf{F}(x,y) = P(x,y)\mathbf{i} + Q(x,y)\mathbf{j}$$

$$\mathbf{F} = P\mathbf{i} + Q\mathbf{j}$$
.

$$\mathbf{F}(x,y) = (-y)\mathbf{i} + x\mathbf{j}$$

$$(-y, x) \bullet (x, y) = 0$$





This Velocity field determined by a wheel rotating about an axle

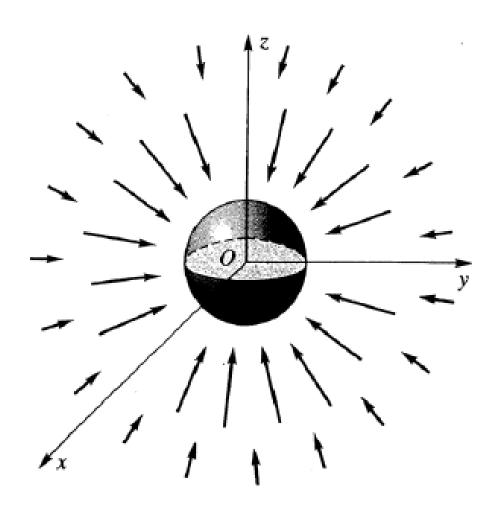
Vector field (3 variables)

Let D be a solid region in xyz-space. A vector field on D is a vector function  $\mathbf{F}$  that assigns to each point (x, y, z) in D a three-dimensional vector  $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z)$ .

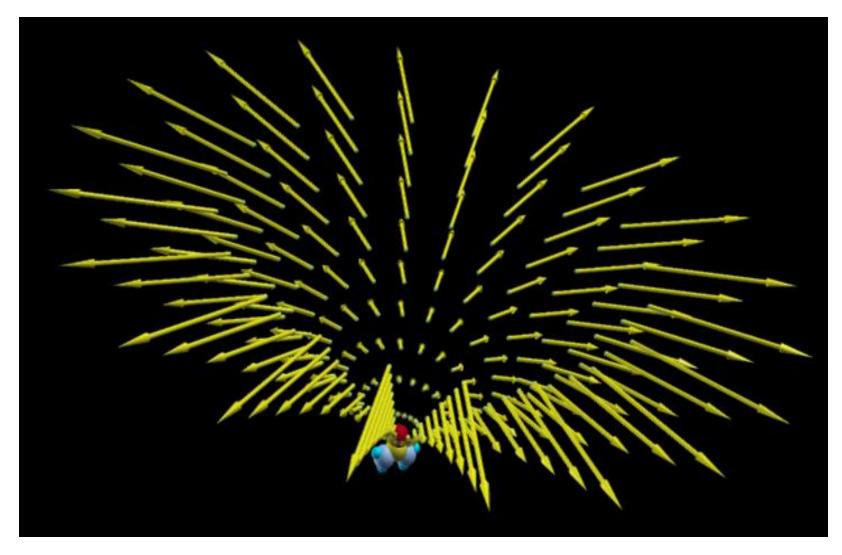
$$\mathbf{F}(x,y,z) = P(x,y,z)\mathbf{i} + Q(x,y,z)\mathbf{j} + R(x,y,z)\mathbf{k}.$$

• VFs are used to model the strength & direction of certain *force* (magnetic or gravitational) or the speed & direction of a moving *fluid* in space.

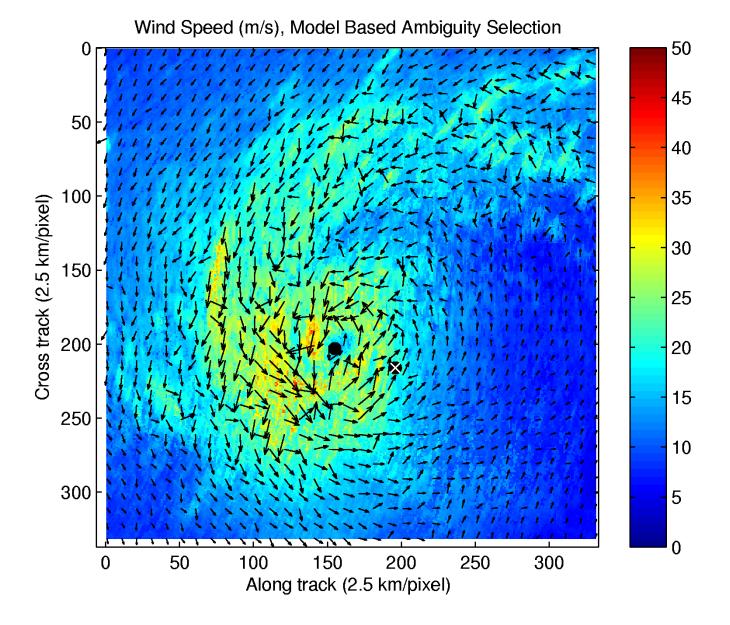
#### Gravitational field of force



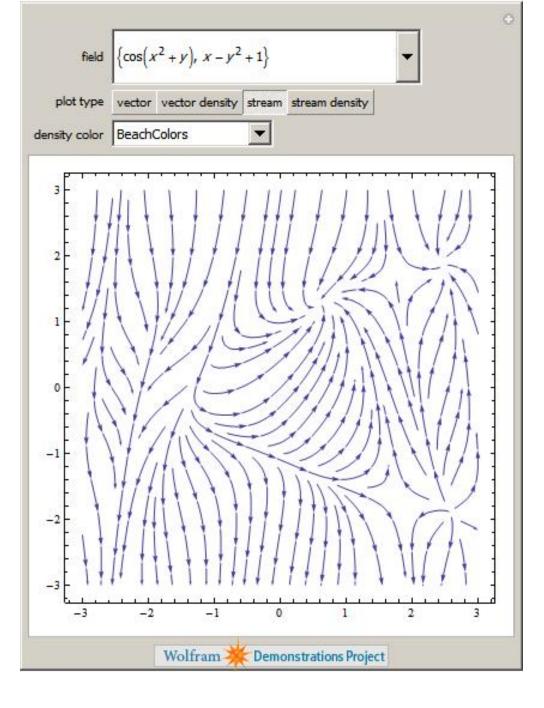




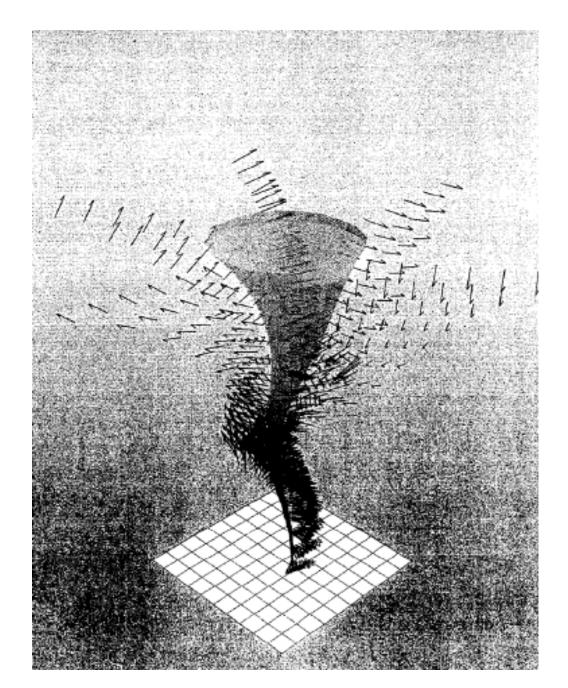




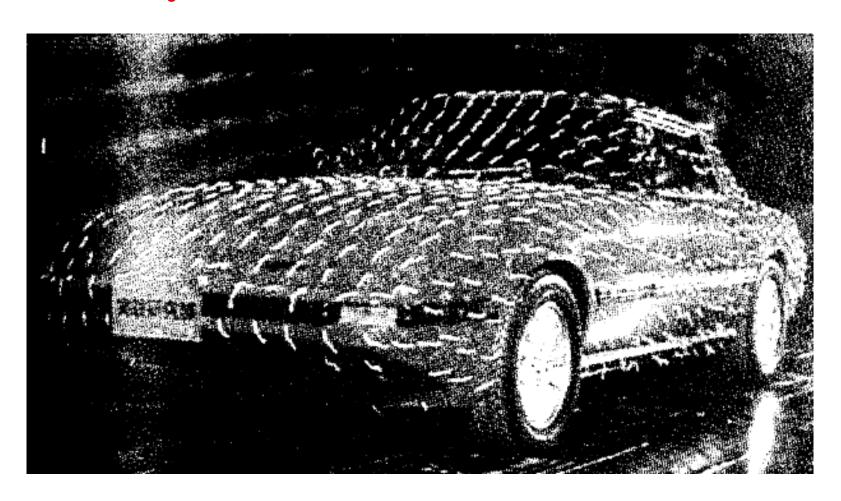




### **♣** Tornado



### ❖ Velocity vector field for airflow around a car



#### • Gradient fields (see CH 7 7.5.4)

The **gradient** (**field**) of f(x, y) is

$$\nabla f(x,y) = f_x(x,y)\mathbf{i} + f_y(x,y)\mathbf{j}$$

a **vector field** in *xy*-plane

The **gradient** (**field**) of f(x, y, z) is

$$\nabla f(x,y,z) = f_x(x,y,z)\mathbf{i} + f_y(x,y,z)\mathbf{j} + f_z(x,y,z)\mathbf{k}$$

a vector field in space

The gradient field of  $f(x,y) = xy^2 + x^3$  is  $\nabla f(x,y) = (y^2 + 3x^2)\mathbf{i} + (2xy)\mathbf{j}.$ 

• A relation between  $D_u f(a,b)$ 

&  $\nabla f(a,b)$  where  $\mathbf{u} = u_1 \mathbf{i} + u_2 \mathbf{j}$  is a **unit** vector

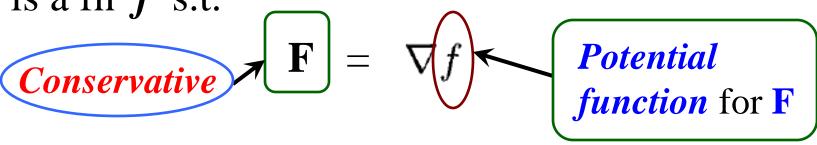
$$D_{\underline{u}}f(a,b) = f_{x}(a,b)u_{1} + f_{y}(a,b)u_{2}$$
$$= \nabla f(a,b) \cdot (u_{1}\underline{i} + u_{2}\underline{j})$$
$$= \nabla f(a,b) \cdot \underline{u}$$

$$D_{\underline{u}}f(a,b) = \nabla f(a,b) \cdot \underline{u}$$

Conservative fields

$$\nabla f(x,y) = f_x(x,y)\mathbf{i} + f_y(x,y)\mathbf{j}$$

A vector field **F** is *conservative* if it is the gradient of some (scalar) function. That is, there is a fn f s.t.



ightharpoonup The vector field  $\mathbf{F}(x,y) = (y^2 + 3x^2)\mathbf{i} + (2xy)\mathbf{j}$ is *conservative* as it has a *potential fn* 

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$$\nabla f(x,y) = f_x(x,y)\mathbf{i} + f_y(x,y)\mathbf{j}$$

Let  $\mathbf{F}(x,y) = (3+2xy)\mathbf{i} + (x^2-3y^2)\mathbf{j}$ . Find a potential function f for  $\mathbf{F}$ .

$$\nabla f = \mathbf{F} \Rightarrow f_x(x,y) = 3 + 2xy$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x,y) = \int f_x(x,y)dx = 3x + x^2y + g(y)$$

$$\Rightarrow f_y(x,y) = x^2 + g'(y)$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 3y^2 = x^2 + g'(y)$$

$$\Rightarrow g'(y) = -3y^2$$

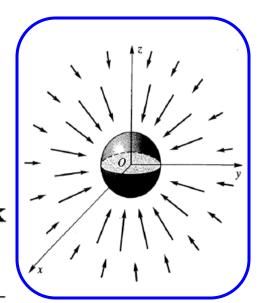
$$\Rightarrow g(y) = -y^3 + K$$

Thus,  $f(x,y) = 3x + x^2y - y^3 + K$ 

The gravitational field given by

$$\mathbf{G} = \left(\frac{-m_1 m_2 K x}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}\right) \mathbf{i}$$

$$+ \left(\frac{-m_1 m_2 K y}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}\right) \mathbf{j} + \left(\frac{-m_1 m_2 K z}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}\right) \mathbf{k}$$



is conservative because it is the gradient of the gravitational potential function

$$g(x, y, z) = \frac{m_1 m_2 K}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}},$$

where K is the gravitational constant,  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  are the masses of two objects.

#### • Criteria of conservative fields

(a) Let  $\mathbf{F}(x,y) = P(x,y)\mathbf{i} + Q(x,y)\mathbf{j}$  be a vector field on the xy-plane. Then

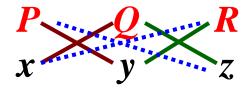
**F** is conservative 
$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x}$$



(b) Let  $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = P(x, y, z)\mathbf{i} + Q(x, y, z)\mathbf{j} + R(x, y, z)\mathbf{k}$  be a vector field on the xyz-space. Then

 $\mathbf{F}$  is conservative  $\Leftrightarrow$ 

$$\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x}, \quad \frac{\partial P}{\partial z} = \frac{\partial R}{\partial x}, \quad \frac{\partial Q}{\partial z} = \frac{\partial R}{\partial y}$$



The vector field

$$\mathbf{F}(x,y) = (3 + 2xy)\mathbf{i} + (x^2 - 3y^2)\mathbf{j}$$

is *conservative* as

$$\frac{\partial (x^2 - 3y^2)}{\partial x} = 2x = \frac{\partial (3 + 2xy)}{\partial y}$$

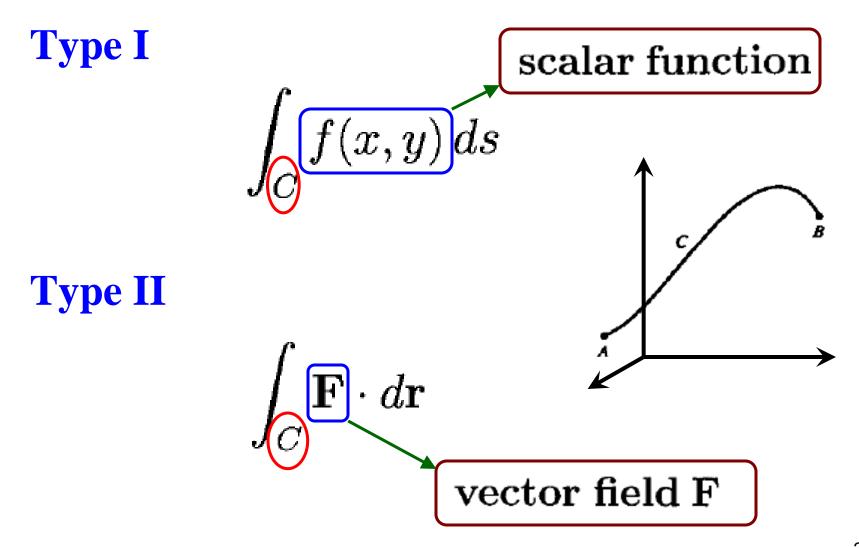
$$\mathbf{F}(x,y,z) = xz\mathbf{i} + xyz\mathbf{j} - y^2\mathbf{k}$$

is not conservative 
$$\left[\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial P}{\partial z} = \frac{\partial R}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial Q}{\partial z} = \frac{\partial R}{\partial y}\right]$$

as

$$\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad yz = \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x}$$

# 9.3 Line Integrals



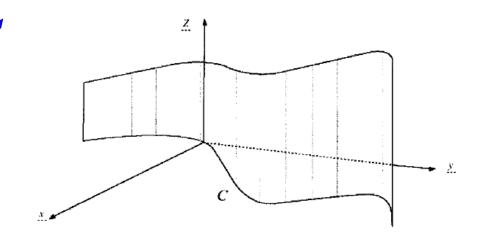
## **♣** Line integrals of scalar fns (2 variables)

**Problem** Find the area of the surface with

base: a smooth curve C

on xy-plane

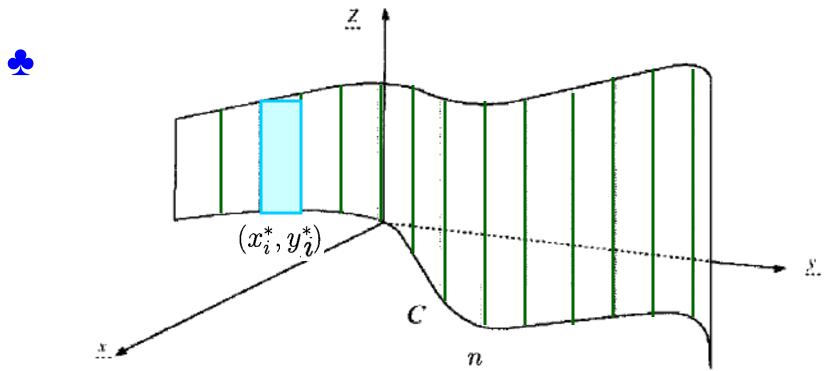
top: described by f(x,y)



$$C: \mathbf{r}(t) = x(t)\mathbf{i} + y(t)\mathbf{j}, \ a \le t \le b$$

The *arc length* of *C* is (see Ch 6):

$$s = \int_a^b \|\mathbf{r}'(t)\| dt.$$



The surface area is

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \sum_{i=1}^{n} f(x_i^*, y_i^*) \triangle s_i$$

the *line integral* of the scalar fn f,

Here, s denotes the arc length of C.

& denoted by 
$$\int_C f(x,y) \, ds$$

•  $\mathbf{r}(t) = x(t)\mathbf{i} + y(t)\mathbf{j}$ : vector fn of a curve C,  $a \le t \le b$ .

The arc length of C:

$$s = \int_a^b \|\mathbf{r}'(t)\| dt.$$

If we replace the endpoint b by a variable t, then

$$s(t) = \int_a^t \|\mathbf{r}'(u)\| du.$$

By FTC, 
$$\frac{ds}{dt} = \|\mathbf{r}'(t)\|.$$

Thus 
$$\int_C f(x,y) ds = \int_a^b f(x(t),y(t)) ||\mathbf{r}'(t)|| dt$$

$$= \int_{a}^{b} f(x(t), y(t)) \sqrt{\left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right)^{2} + \left(\frac{dy}{dt}\right)^{2}} dt$$

**Evaluation** of 
$$\int_C f(x,y) ds$$

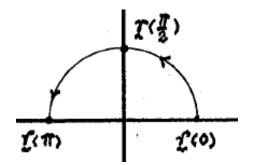
(1) Find a parametrization of C:

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = x(t)\mathbf{i} + y(t)\mathbf{j}$$
  $a \le t \le b$ 

- (2) Compute  $\|\mathbf{r}'(t)\|$
- (3) Apply the formula

$$\int_{C} f(x, y) \, ds = \int_{a}^{b} f(x(t), y(t)) \|\mathbf{r}'(t)\| dt$$

- Evaluate  $\int_C (2y + x^2y)ds$ , where C is the upper half of the unit circle centered at the origin.
- (1)  $C: \mathbf{r}(t) = \underline{\cos t}\mathbf{i} + \underline{\sin t}\mathbf{j}$ with  $0 \le t \le \pi$ .



**(2)** Then  $\|\mathbf{r}'(t)\| = \sqrt{\sin^2 t + \cos^2 t} = \mathbf{1}$ 

Thus
$$\int_{C}^{b} f(x(t), y(t)) \|\mathbf{r}'(t)\| dt$$

$$\int_{C} (2y + x^{2}y) ds = \int_{0}^{\pi} (2\sin t + \cos^{2} t \sin t) dt$$

$$= \left[ -2\cos t - \frac{1}{3}\cos^{3} t \right]_{0}^{\pi} = \frac{14}{3}$$

# Line integral: $\int_C f(x, y, z) ds$ .

• For line integral of a function f(x, y, z) along a space curve C, we have  $C : x(t)\mathbf{i} + y(t)\mathbf{j} + z(t)\mathbf{k},$   $a \le t \le b$ 

$$\int_C f(x,y,z)\,ds =$$

$$\int_{a}^{b} f(x(t), y(t), z(t)) \sqrt{\left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right)^{2} + \left(\frac{dy}{dt}\right)^{2} + \left(\frac{dz}{dt}\right)^{2}} dt$$

Evaluate  $\int_C xy \sin z \, ds$ , where C is the circular helix  $\mathbf{r}(t) = \underline{\cos t} \mathbf{i} + \underline{\sin t} \mathbf{j} + t \mathbf{k}, \ t \in [0, \pi/2].$ 

$$\int_{C} xy \sin z \, ds \qquad \left[ \int_{a}^{b} f(x(t), y(t), z(t)) \sqrt{\left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right)^{2} + \left(\frac{dy}{dt}\right)^{2} + \left(\frac{dz}{dt}\right)^{2}} \, dt \right]$$

$$= \int_{0}^{\pi/2} (\cos t) (\sin t) (\sin t) \sqrt{\sin^{2} t + \cos^{2} t + 1} \, dt$$

$$= \sqrt{2} \int_{0}^{\pi/2} \cos t \sin^{2} t \, dt \qquad = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3} \left[ \sin^{3} t \right]_{0}^{\pi/2}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}$$

## Piecewise smooth curves

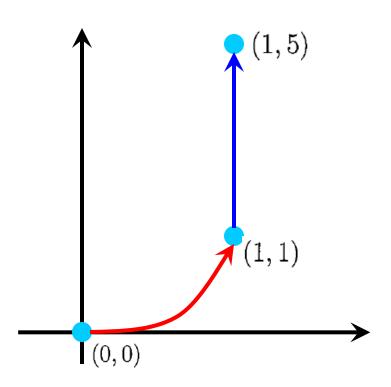
• If *C* is a *piecewise smooth* curve obtained by joining *n smooth* curves

$$C_1, C_2, \cdots, C_n$$

we denote it by  $C = C_1 + C_2 + \cdots + C_n$ . The *line integral* of f along C is:

$$\int_C f(x,y) \, ds = \int_{C_1} f(x,y) \, ds + \dots + \int_{C_n} f(x,y) \, ds.$$

Evaluate  $\int_C 9y \, ds$ , where C consists of the arc  $C_1$  of the cubic  $y = x^3$  from (0,0) to (1,1) followed by the vertical line segment  $C_2$  from (1,1) to (1,5).



$$\begin{array}{c}
\bullet \left( C_1 : y = x^3 \\ (0,0) \text{ to } (1,1) \end{array} \right)$$

$$\begin{cases} x = t \\ y = t^3 \end{cases} \quad 0 \le t \le 1$$

$$\mathbf{r}_1(t) = t\mathbf{i} + t^3\mathbf{j}$$

$$\|\mathbf{r}'_1(t)\| = \sqrt{1 + (3t^2)^2}$$

$$\int_C f(x, y) ds$$

$$= \int_a^b f(x(t), y(t)) \|\mathbf{r}'(t)\| dt$$

$$\int_{C_1} 9y ds = \int_0^1 9t^3 \sqrt{1 + 9t^4} dt$$
$$= \frac{1}{6} \left[ (1 + 9t^4)^{3/2} \right]_0^1$$
$$= \frac{1}{6} (10\sqrt{10} - 1).$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} C_2 : x = 1 \\ (1,1) \text{ to } (1,5) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 x &= 1 \\
 y &= t
 \end{aligned}
 \quad 1 \le t \le 5$$

$$\mathbf{r}_2(t) = \mathbf{i} + t\mathbf{j}$$
$$\|\mathbf{r}'_2(t)\| = \sqrt{0+1}$$

$$\int_{C_2} 9y ds = \int_1^5 9t \, dt = 108$$

Hence 
$$\int_C 9y \, ds = \int_{C_1} 9y \, ds + \int_{C_2} 9y \, ds$$
$$= \frac{1}{6} (10\sqrt{10} + 647).$$

**Evaluation** of 
$$\int_C f(x,y) ds$$

(1) Find a parametrization of C:

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# Line integral: $\int_C f(x, y, z) ds$ .

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$$C: x(t)i + y(t)j + z(t)k$$
,  
 $a \le t \le b$ 

$$\int_{C} f(x, y, z) ds =$$

$$\int_{a}^{b} f(x(t), y(t), z(t)) \sqrt{\left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right)^{2} + \left(\frac{dy}{dt}\right)^{2} + \left(\frac{dz}{dt}\right)^{2}} dt$$

## Piecewise smooth curves

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## Line integrals of vector fields

### Recall

• Thus the total work done is approximately

$$W_{\mathrm{total}} pprox \sum_{1}^{\infty} \mathbf{F}_{i} \cdot \Delta \mathbf{r}_{i}.$$

As  $n \to \infty$ , we write this as

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which gives the actual total work done.

### • Smooth curve C:

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = x(t)\mathbf{i} + y(t)\mathbf{j} + z(t)\mathbf{k} \qquad a \le t \le b$$

 $\mathbf{F}(x,y,z)$ : vector field (vf) defined on C

$$\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{r}(t)) = \mathbf{F}(x(t), y(t), z(t))$$

Then

$$\int_{C} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_{a}^{b} \underline{\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{r}(t))} \cdot \underline{\mathbf{r}'(t)} dt$$

Evaluate 
$$\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$$
, where  $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = x\mathbf{i} + xy\mathbf{j} + xyz\mathbf{k}$  and  $C$  is the curve  $\mathbf{r}(t) = t\mathbf{i} + t^2\mathbf{j} + t^3\mathbf{k}$ ,  $t \in [0, 2]$ 

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = x(t)\mathbf{i} + y(t)\mathbf{j} + z(t)\mathbf{k}$$
$$\mathbf{r}(t) = t\mathbf{i} + t^2\mathbf{j} + t^3\mathbf{k}$$

$$\mathbf{r}'(t) = \mathbf{i} + 2t\mathbf{j} + 3t^2\mathbf{k}$$

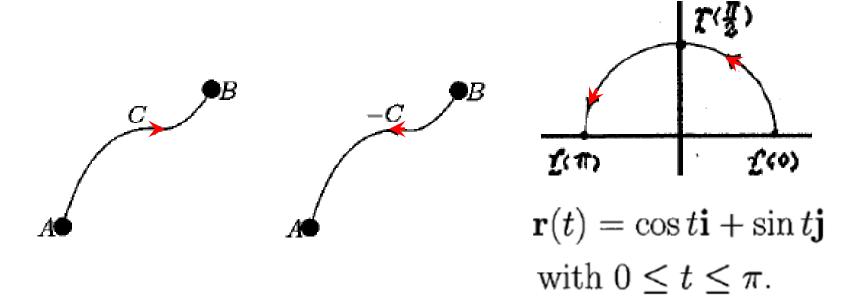
$$\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{r}(t)) \cdot \mathbf{r}'(t) = (t\mathbf{i} + t \cdot t^2\mathbf{j} + t \cdot t^2 \cdot t^3\mathbf{k}) \cdot (\mathbf{i} + 2t\mathbf{j} + 3t^2\mathbf{k})$$
$$= t + 2t^4 + 3t^8$$

So 
$$\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_0^2 \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{r}(t)) \cdot \mathbf{r}'(t) dt$$

$$= \int_{0}^{2} (t + 2t^{4} + 3t^{8}) dt$$

## Orientation of curves

• The vector equation of a curve C determines an **orientation** (direction) of C. The same curve with the opposite orientation of C is denoted by -C.



We have:

$$\int_{-C} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = -\int_{C} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$$

as  $\mathbf{r}'(t)$  changes sign in -C.

**Note** that for *scalar* functions,

$$\int_{-C} f(x, y, z) ds = \int_{C} f(x, y, z) ds$$

since the arc length is always positive.

$$\int_{C} (x + 4xy) \, ds \qquad \int_{C} xy \sin z \, ds$$

$$\int_C xy\sin z\,ds$$

$$\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$$

$$\int_C 2xy \, dx + (x^2 + z) \, dy + y \, dz \quad ???$$

# Line integrals in component form

• Suppose  $\mathbf{F}(x,y) = P(x,y)\mathbf{i} + Q(x,y)\mathbf{j}$  $C: \mathbf{r}(t) = x(t)\mathbf{i} + y(t)\mathbf{j}, t \in [a,b].$ 

## Then

$$\int_{C} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_{a}^{b} \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{r}(t)) \cdot \mathbf{r}'(t) dt$$

$$= \int_{a}^{b} \left[ P(\mathbf{r}(t))\mathbf{i} + Q(\mathbf{r}(t))\mathbf{j} \right] \cdot \left[ \frac{dx}{dt} \mathbf{i} + \frac{dy}{dt} \mathbf{j} \right] dt$$

$$= \int_{a}^{b} \left[ P(\mathbf{r}(t)) \frac{dx}{dt} + Q(\mathbf{r}(t)) \frac{dy}{dt} \right] dt$$

$$= \int_{C} Pdx + Qdy.$$

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• Thus for  $\mathbf{F}(x,y) = P(x,y)\mathbf{i} + Q(x,y)\mathbf{j}$ 

$$\int_{C} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_{C} P dx + Q dy.$$

Similarly, for vf

$$\mathbf{F} = P\mathbf{i} + Q\mathbf{j} + R\mathbf{k},$$

$$\int_{C} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_{C} Pdx + Qdy + Rdz.$$

$$\int_{C} (x + 4xy) \, ds \qquad \int_{C} xy \sin z \, ds$$

$$\int_C xy\sin z\,ds$$

$$\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$$

$$\int_C 2xy \, dx + (x^2 + z) \, dy + y \, dz \quad ???$$

How to *compute*, for instance,

$$\int_C y^2 dx + x dy$$
?

$$\int_{C} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_{a}^{b} \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{r}(t)) \cdot \mathbf{r}'(t) dt$$

$$= \int_{a}^{b} \left[ P(\mathbf{r}(t)) \frac{dx}{dt} + Q(\mathbf{r}(t)) \frac{dy}{dt} \right] dt$$

$$= \int_{C} Pdx + Qdy.$$

• Evaluate 
$$\int_C y^2 dx + x dy$$
, where

 $C = C_1$  is the line segment from (-5, -3) to (0, 2)

 $C_1$  is a line passing through the point (-5, -3)and parallel to the vector  $(2\mathbf{j}) - (-5\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{j}) = 5\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j}$ .

$$C_1: \mathbf{r}(t) = (-5\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{j}) + t(5\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j})$$

$$= (5t-5)\mathbf{i} + (5t-3)\mathbf{j}$$
 with  $0 \le t \le 1$ 

Thus,  $\int_{\Omega} y^2 dx + x dy$ 

$$= \int_0^1 (5t - 3)^2 \frac{dx}{dt} dt + \int_0^1 (5t - 5) \frac{dy}{dt} dt$$

$$= \int_0^1 (5t-3)^2 5dt + \int_0^1 (5t-5) 5dt = -5/6.$$

(0,2)

The equation of the st line is

$$y = x + 2$$

You may use r(s) = si + (s+2)j

$$-5 \le s \le 0$$

• Evaluate 
$$\int_C y^2 dx + x dy$$
, where

 $C = C_2$  is the arc of the parabola  $x = 4 - y^2$ from (-5, -3) to (0, 2)

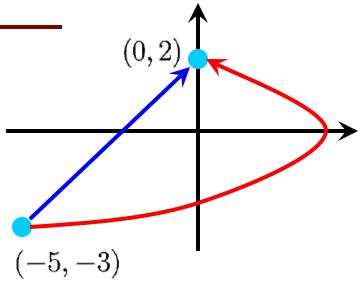
Let y = t.

$$C_2$$
:  $\mathbf{r}(t) = (4 - t^2)\mathbf{i} + t\mathbf{j}$ 

$$\int_{C_2} y^2 dx + x dy$$

$$= \int_{-3}^{2} t^{2} \frac{dx}{dt} dt + \int_{-3}^{2} (4 - t^{2}) \frac{dy}{dt} dt$$

$$= \int_{0}^{2} t^{2}(-2t)dt + \int_{0}^{2} (4-t^{2})dt = 245/6.$$



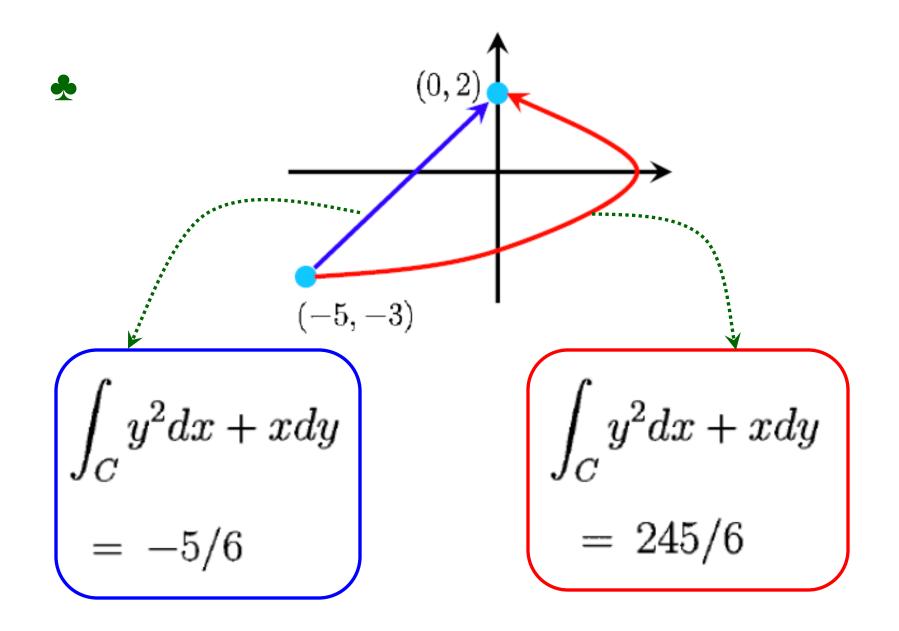
# Evaluation of Line integrals in Summary component form

• Suppose  $\mathbf{F}(x,y) = P(x,y)\mathbf{i} + Q(x,y)\mathbf{j}$  $C: \mathbf{r}(t) = x(t)\mathbf{i} + y(t)\mathbf{j}, t \in [a,b].$ 

### Then

$$\int_{C} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_{C} P dx + Q dy$$

$$= \int_{a}^{b} \left[ P(\mathbf{r}(t)) \frac{dx}{dt} + Q(\mathbf{r}(t)) \frac{dy}{dt} \right] dt$$



# The Fundamental Theorem for *line integrals*

• FTC  $\int_a^b F'(x) dx = F(b) - F(a).$ 

Generalization for line integrals

Let f be a function defined on a smooth curve  $C: \mathbf{r}(t)$ ,  $a \le t \le b$  s.t.  $\nabla f$  is continuous. Then

$$\int_{C} \nabla f \cdot d\mathbf{r} = f(\mathbf{r}(b)) - f(\mathbf{r}(a)).$$

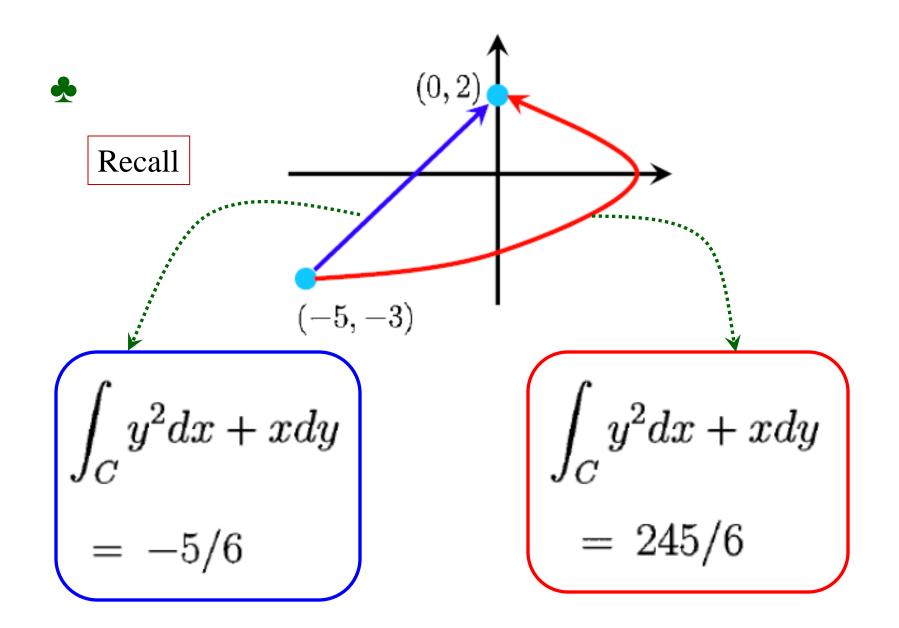
Find the work done by the (earth) gravitational field (see Example 9.2.9) in moving a particle of mass m from the point (3.4.12) to the point (1.0.0) along a

(see Example 9.2.9) in moving a particle of mass n from the point (3, 4, 12) to the point (1, 0, 0) along a curve C.

$$W \equiv \int_C \mathbf{G} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_C \nabla g \cdot d\mathbf{r}$$
$$= g(1, 0, 0) - g(3, 4, 12).$$

Recall that

$$g(x,y,z)=rac{mMK}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2+z^2}}$$



(I) If **F** is a conservative vector field, then  $\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$  is independent of path,

i.e. 
$$\int_{C_1} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_{C_2} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$$
 for any 2 paths  $C_1$  and

 $C_2$  that have the same initial and terminal points.

(II) If **F** is a conservative vector field,

then 
$$\oint_{\ell} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = 0$$

for any closed curve  $\ell$ 



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Let  $\mathbf{F}(x,y) = (y^2 + 3x^2)\mathbf{i} + (2xy)\mathbf{j}$ . Show that the line integral  $\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$  is independent of path and evaluate this integral over the curve C where C is

- (i) given by  $\mathbf{r}(t) = \cos t\mathbf{i} + e^t \sin t\mathbf{j}, \ t \in [0, \pi];$
- (ii) the unit circle.

Note that (see Ex 9.2.5)

$$\nabla f = \mathbf{F}$$

where  $f(x,y) = xy^2 + x^3$ .

So  $\mathbf{F}$  is conservative, and

**F** is conservative

$$\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x}$$

$$\int_{C} \nabla f \cdot d\mathbf{r} = f(\mathbf{r}(b)) - f(\mathbf{r}(a))$$

 $\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$  is independent of path.

(i) 
$$C: \mathbf{r}(t) = \cos t \mathbf{i} + e^t \sin t \mathbf{j}, \ t \in [0, \pi]$$

$$\mathbf{r}(0) = \mathbf{i} = \mathbf{i} + 0\mathbf{j} \longrightarrow (1,0)$$

$$\mathbf{r}(\pi) = -\mathbf{i} = -\mathbf{i} + 0\mathbf{j} \rightarrow (-1,0)$$
$$f(x,y) = xy^2 + x^3$$

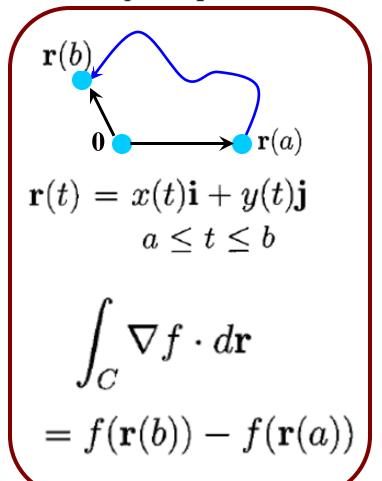
By FT,

$$\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = f(-1,0) - f(1,0)$$
$$= -2.$$

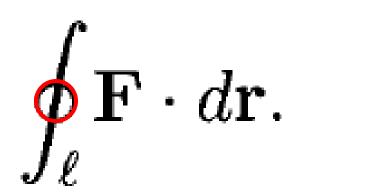
(ii) As the unit circle is *closed* 

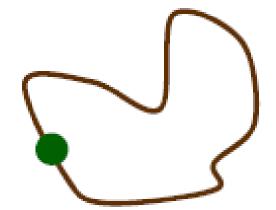
& F is conservative,

$$\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = 0.$$



Note. If the curve  $\ell$  is closed, the line integral is denoted by





• Let  $\mathbf{F} = P\mathbf{i} + Q\mathbf{j}$ . Then

$$\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_C Pdx + Qdy.$$

Let \( \ext{be a closed curve in the plane.} \)

If **F** is *conservative*, then

$$\boxed{\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x}}$$

What can be said of

$$\oint_{\ell} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = 0$$

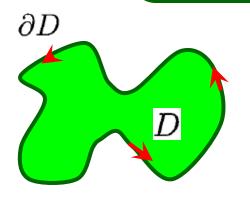
$$\oint_{\ell} Pdx + Qdy$$

if **F** is **not** conservative?

## 4. Green's Theorem

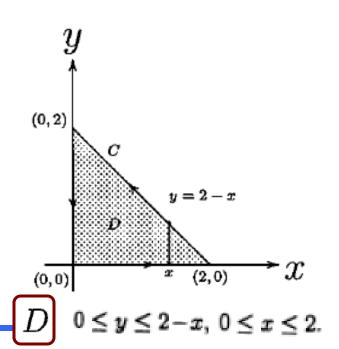
Let D be a bounded region in the xy-plane &  $\partial D$  the boundary of D. Assume both P(x, y) & Q(x, y) have continuous partial derivatives on D.

$$\oint_{\partial D} P dx + Q dy = \iint_{D} \left( \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) dA.$$



We move along  $\partial D$  in the direction that the region D always on the left. This direction is called positive direction.

Positive directions, for many cases, always anticlockwise. However for some special cases, they are clockwise, see last example Evaluate  $\oint_C 2xy \, dx + xy^2 dy$ , where C is the triangular curve consisting of  $(0,0) \rightarrow (2,0)$ ,  $(2,0) \rightarrow (0,2) & (0,2) \rightarrow (0,0)$ .



$$\oint_C 2xy \ dx + xy^2 dy = \oint_{\partial D} P dx + Q dy$$

$$= \iint_{D} \left( \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) dA = \iint_{D} (y^2 - 2x) \, dy dx$$

$$= \int_0^2 \int_0^{2-x} (y^2 - 2x) \, dy dx = -\frac{4}{3}.$$

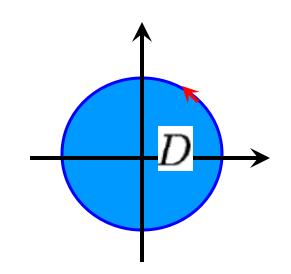
**Evaluate** (\*)  $\oint_C (4y - e^{x^2}) dx + (9x + \sin(y^2 - 1)) dy$ , where C is the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ with positive orientation.

(\*) 
$$= \iint_D \left[ \frac{\partial (9x + \sin y^2 - 1)}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial (4y - e^{x^2})}{\partial y} \right] dA$$

$$= \iint_D 5 dA = 5 \iint_D dA$$

$$= 5 \times (\text{area of } D)$$

$$= 5(\pi 2^2) = 20\pi.$$



## **Problems**

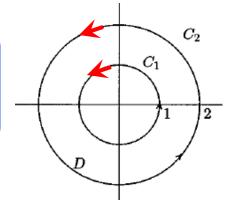
• Evaluate by Green's Theorem

$$\oint_C e^{-x} \sin y \, dx + e^{-x} \cos y \, dy$$

where C is the rectangle with vertices at (0,0),  $(\pi,0)$ ,  $(\pi,\pi/2)$ ,  $(0,\pi/2)$ . [Answer:  $2(e^{-\pi}-1)$ ]

Let  $\mathbf{F}(x,y) = y\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j}$  and D a region in xy-plane bounded by the two circles centered at the origin with radius 1 and 2. Verify Green's Theorem.

$$\int_{\partial D} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \oint_{\partial D} P dx + Q dy = \iint_{D} \left( \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) dA$$



(i) Compute  $\int_{\partial D} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$  directly:

$$C_1: \mathbf{r}_1 = \cos t \mathbf{i} + \sin t \mathbf{j}$$

$$C_2$$
:  $\mathbf{r}_2 = 2\cos t\mathbf{i} + 2\sin t\mathbf{j}$ 

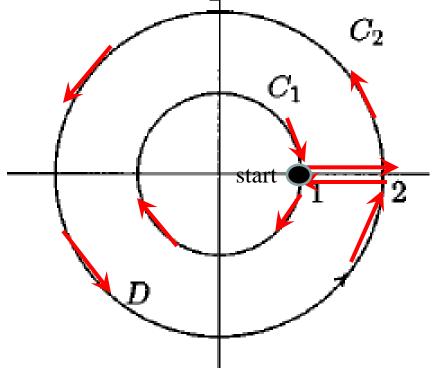
$$t \in [0, 2\pi]$$

Note that 
$$\partial D = C_2 - C_1$$
.

WHY? See next slide

## Region enclosed by

 $C_1$  and  $C_2$ . How to choose positive direction



$$\partial D = -C_1 + l + C_2 - l = C_2 - C_1$$

 $C_1$ ,  $C_2$  anticlockwise by given l bridge form left to right

$$\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_a^b \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{r}(t)) \cdot \mathbf{r}'(t) dt$$
 $\mathbf{F}(x,y) = y\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j}$   $C_1: \mathbf{r}_1$ 

$$\mathbf{F}(x,y) = y\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j}$$
  $C_1: \mathbf{r}_1 = \cos t\mathbf{i} + \sin t\mathbf{j}$   $t \in [0, 2\pi]$ 

$$\int_{C_1} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_0^{2\pi} (\sin t \mathbf{i} + \sin t \mathbf{j}) \cdot (-\sin t \mathbf{i} + \cos t \mathbf{j}) dt$$

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} (-\sin^2 t + \sin t \cos t) dt$$

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1}{2} (\cos 2t - 1 + \sin 2t) dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{\sin 2t}{2} - t - \frac{\cos 2t}{2} \right]_0^{2\pi} = -\pi$$

• Likewise, 
$$\int_{C_2} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = -4\pi$$

& so

$$\int_{\partial D} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_{C_2 - C_1} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_{C_2} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} + \int_{-C_1} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_{C_2} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} - \int_{C_1} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$$

$$\int_{\partial D} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_{C_2} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} - \int_{C_1} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = -3\pi.$$

(ii) Using Green's Theorem, we have

$$\int_{\partial D} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \oint_{\partial D} P dx + Q dy = \iint_{D} \left( \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) dA$$

$$= \iint_{D} \left( \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial y}{\partial y} \right) dA \qquad \mathbf{F}(x, y) = y\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j}$$

$$= \iint_{D} (-1) dA.$$

 $= (-1) \cdot \text{Area of } D = -\pi(2^2 - 1^2) = -3\pi$ .