

Q Find $\iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot d\vec{S}$ on $S = \{(x, y, z) \mid x^2 + y^2 + 10z^2 = 1\}$

Sol No boundary, by Stokes' thm, integrate to 0

Q2 Show $\int_C (f \nabla g) \cdot d\vec{S} = \iint_S (\nabla f \times \nabla g) \cdot d\vec{S}$

Sol

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int_C (f \nabla g) \cdot d\vec{S} &= \iint_S \nabla \times (f \nabla g) \cdot d\vec{S} & f \nabla g &= (fg_x, fg_y, fg_z) \\
 &= \iint_S (fg_z)_y - (fg_y)_z - ((fg_z)_x - (fg_x)_z) + (fg_y)_x - (fg_x)_y \, d\vec{S} \\
 &= \iint_S (f_y g_z + \cancel{g_{zy} f}) - (f_z g_y + \cancel{g_{yz} f}) - (f_x g_z + \cancel{g_{zx} f}) \\
 &\quad + (f_z g_x + \cancel{g_{xz} f}) + (f_x g_y + \cancel{g_{yx} f}) - (f_y g_x + \cancel{g_{xy} f}) \, d\vec{S} \\
 &= \iint_S (f_y g_z - f_z g_y) - (f_x g_z - f_z g_x) + (f_x g_y - f_y g_x) \cdot d\vec{S} \\
 &= \iint_S (\nabla f \times \nabla g) \cdot d\vec{S}
 \end{aligned}$$

Prop $\nabla \times (f \nabla g) = f(\nabla \times \nabla g) + \nabla f \times \nabla g \quad \text{curl}(fF) = f \text{curl} F + \nabla f \times F$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= f \times 0 + \nabla f \times \nabla g & \text{curl}(\nabla f) &= 0 \\
 &= \nabla f \times \nabla g
 \end{aligned}$$

M&T §8.2 Q26b

Question

Suppose that S is a closed and orientable surface with boundary c . Show:

$$\int_c (f \nabla g + g \nabla f) \cdot ds = 0$$

pick parametrization $c: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ s.t. $c(b) = c(a)$ b.c. S is closed.

(p. 55, 3) $\nabla(fg) = f \nabla g + g \nabla f$ let $h = fg$ and $H = \nabla h$, H is a gradient

$$\int_c (f \nabla g + g \nabla f) \cdot ds = \int_c \nabla(fg) \cdot ds = \int_c \nabla h \cdot ds = h(c(b)) - h(c(a)) = 0$$

$$\text{method 2: } = \underbrace{\int_S \text{curl}(H) \cdot ds}_0 = 0 \quad (\text{By Stoke's Thm})$$

Q3

M&T §8.3 Q9

Question

Suppose that $f(x)$ is a C^1 -function of one variable.
Must $\mathbf{F}(x, y) = f(x)\mathbf{i} + f(y)\mathbf{j}$ be a gradient?

check $\text{curl } \mathbf{F} \stackrel{?}{=} \mathbf{0}$.

$$\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = (f(x), f(y), 0) \iff f(x, y) = (f(x), f(y))$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ f(x) & f(y) & 0 \end{vmatrix} = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y} \cdot 0 - \frac{\partial}{\partial z} f(y), -\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \cdot 0 + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} f(x), \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f(y) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y} f(x) \right)$$

$$= (0, 0, 0)$$

$\Rightarrow \mathbf{F}(x, y) = f(x)\mathbf{i} + f(y)\mathbf{j}$ must be a gradient.

Q4

M&T §8.3 Q17

Question

Determine which of the following vector fields are gradients.
For each field which is a gradient find f such that $\mathbf{F} = \nabla f$.

- $\mathbf{F}_1(x, y) = (x \cos(y), x \sin(y))$
- $\mathbf{F}_2(x, y) = (2x \cos(y), -x^2 \sin(y))$
- $\mathbf{F}_3(x, y, z) = (x^2 e^y, xyz, e^z)$

$$\begin{aligned} 1. \quad \mathbf{F}_1(x, y, z) &= (x \cos(y), x \sin(y), 0) \\ \text{curl}(\mathbf{F}_1) &= \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ x \cos(y) & x \sin(y) & 0 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= (0, 0, \sin(y) + x \sin(y)) \\ &\neq (0, 0, 0) \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore \mathbf{F}_1$ is not a gradient.

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{F}_2 &= (2x \cos(y), -x^2 \sin(y), 0) \\ \text{curl}(\mathbf{F}_2) &= \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ 2x \cos(y) & -x^2 \sin(y) & 0 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= (0, 0, 0) \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore \mathbf{F}_2$ is a gradient

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{F}_2 &= \nabla f = \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \right) \\ &= (2x \cos(y), -x^2 \sin(y), 0) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} &= 2x \cos(y) \quad \textcircled{1} \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} &= -x^2 \sin(y) \quad \textcircled{2} \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} &= 0 \quad \textcircled{3} \\ \textcircled{1} \quad \int \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} dx &= \int 2x \cos(y) \\ f &= x^2 \cos(y) + g(y) \\ \textcircled{2} \quad \int \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} dy &= \int -x^2 \sin(y) \\ f &= -x^2 \cos(y) + h(x) \\ \therefore f_1 &= f_2 \\ \therefore g(y) &= h(x) = 0 \\ \therefore f &= x^2 \cos(y) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3. \quad \mathbf{F}_3 &= (x^2 e^y, xyz, e^z) \\ \text{curl}(\mathbf{F}_3) &= \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ x^2 e^y & xyz & e^z \end{vmatrix} \\ &= (-xy, 0, yz - x^2 e^y) \\ &\neq (0, 0, 0) \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore \mathbf{F}_3$ is not a gradient

Q5

M&T §8.3 Q22 + Q25

Question

For each vector field verify that $\text{div}(\mathbf{F}) = 0$ and find \mathbf{G} such that $\mathbf{F} = \text{curl}(\mathbf{G})$.

1. $\mathbf{F}_1 = xz\mathbf{i} - yz\mathbf{j} + y\mathbf{k}$

2. $\mathbf{F}_2 = (x \cos(y))\mathbf{i} - \sin(y)\mathbf{j} + \sin(x)\mathbf{k}$

Suppose $\mathbf{G} = (G_1, G_2, G_3)$

1. $\mathbf{F}_1 = (xz, -yz, y)$
 $\text{div}(\mathbf{F}_1) = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial}{\partial z}\right) \cdot (xz, -yz, y)$
 $= z + (-z) + 0$
 $= 0$

$\text{curl}(\mathbf{G}) = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ G_1 & G_2 & G_3 \end{vmatrix}$
 $= \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y} G_3 - \frac{\partial}{\partial z} G_2, -\frac{\partial}{\partial x} G_3 + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} G_1, \frac{\partial}{\partial x} G_2 - \frac{\partial}{\partial y} G_1\right)$
 $= (xz, -yz, y)$

$G_1 = xz, G_2 = -yz, G_3 = yz$
 $\mathbf{G} = (gz(x), xy, xyz)$

2. $\mathbf{F}_2 = (x \cos(y), -\sin(y), \sin(x))$

$\text{div}(\mathbf{F}_2) = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial}{\partial z}\right) \cdot (x \cos(y), -\sin(y), \sin(x))$
 $= \cos(y) + (-\cos(y)) + 0$
 $= 0$

$\text{curl}(\mathbf{G}) = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y} G_3 - \frac{\partial}{\partial z} G_2, -\frac{\partial}{\partial x} G_3 + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} G_1, \frac{\partial}{\partial x} G_2 - \frac{\partial}{\partial y} G_1\right)$
 $= (x \cos(y), -\sin(y), \sin(x))$

$G_1 = -y \sin(x), G_2 = g(y), G_3 = x \sin(y)$

$\mathbf{G} = (-y \sin(x), g(y), x \sin(y))$

$\star \mathbf{G}$ is not unique !!!

Building a Path

$$\begin{aligned} \text{set } G_2 &= xy \\ \Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial y} G_1 &= 0 \\ \therefore G_1 &= q(x) \end{aligned}$$

Question

In the proof of the Classification of Conservative Vector Fields (M&T Thm 7. p. 453) there is an elaborate construction of a path from $(0, 0, 0)$ to (x, y, z) such that: $\partial f / \partial z = F_3$. In lecture, we gave a path for $\partial f / \partial y = F_2$.

Find the corresponding path for $\partial f / \partial x = F_1$.

Suppose that $\int_c \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{s}$ only depends on the endpoints of c .

We must construct a function f such that $\mathbf{F} = \nabla f$.

Pick a path c from $(0, 0, 0)$ to (x, y, z) .

We define $f(x, y, z) = \int_c \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{s}$.

One particular path is:

- ▶ Travel from $(0, 0, 0)$ to $(x, 0, 0)$ parallel to the x -axis.
- ▶ Travel from $(x, 0, 0)$ to $(x, 0, z)$ parallel to the z -axis.
- ▶ Travel from $(x, 0, z)$ to (x, y, z) parallel to the y -axis.

This gives the following:

$$f = \int_0^x F_1(t, 0, 0) dt + \int_0^z F_3(x, 0, t) dt + \int_0^y F_2(x, t, z) dt$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left[\int_0^x F_1(t, 0, 0) dt + \int_0^z F_3(x, 0, t) dt + \int_0^y F_2(x, t, z) dt \right] \\ &\stackrel{\text{FTC}}{=} F_1 \end{aligned}$$

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TA Reference: Building a Path

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We obtain:

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left[\int_0^x F_1(t, 0, 0) dt + \int_0^z F_3(x, 0, t) dt + \int_0^y F_2(x, t, z) dt \right] = F_2$$