

**Module – 2 Vector Calculus**

Review of vectors in 2, 3 dimensions – Gradient, divergence, curl – Solenoidal, Irrotational fields – Vector identities (without proof) – Directional derivatives – Line integrals, Surface integrals, Volume integrals – Green's theorem (without proof) – Gauss divergence theorem (without proof), Verification, Applications to Cubes, parallelopiped only – Stoke's theorem (without proof) – Verification, Applications to Cubes, parallelopiped only – Applications of Line and Volume integrals in Engineering.

**Basic Formulae**

$$1. \nabla = \vec{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \vec{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \vec{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z}$$

$$2. \nabla \phi = \text{grad } \phi = \vec{i} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} + \vec{j} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} + \vec{k} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z}$$

$$3. \text{Directional derivative} = \nabla \phi \bullet \frac{\vec{a}}{|\vec{a}|}$$

$$4. \text{Normal derivative} = |\nabla \phi|$$

$$5. \text{Unit normal vector } \hat{n} = \frac{\nabla \phi}{|\nabla \phi|}$$

$$6. \text{Angle between the surfaces } \cos \theta = \frac{\nabla \phi_1 \bullet \nabla \phi_2}{|\nabla \phi_1| |\nabla \phi_2|}$$

$$7. \text{Let } \vec{r} = x\vec{i} + y\vec{j} + z\vec{k}$$

$$|\vec{r}| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$$

$$r^2 = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$$

**Differentiate partially w.r.t. x**

$$2r \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} = 2x$$

$$\frac{\partial r}{\partial x} = \frac{x}{r}$$

$$\text{Differentiate partially w.r.t. y } \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} = \frac{y}{r}$$

$$\text{Differentiate partially w.r.t. z } \frac{\partial r}{\partial z} = \frac{z}{r}$$

1. **Find  $\nabla\phi$  if  $\phi = \log(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)$ .**

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla\phi &= \vec{i} \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial x} + \vec{j} \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial y} + \vec{k} \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial z} \\ &= \vec{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \log(x^2 + y^2 + z^2) \right) + \vec{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \log(x^2 + y^2 + z^2) + \vec{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \log(x^2 + y^2 + z^2) \\ &= \vec{i} \frac{2x}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)} + \vec{j} \frac{2y}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)} + \vec{k} \frac{2z}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)} \\ &= \frac{2}{x^2 + y^2 + z^2} (x\vec{i} + y\vec{j} + z\vec{k}) = \frac{2\vec{r}}{r^2} \quad \because (\vec{r} = x\vec{i} + y\vec{j} + z\vec{k} \text{ \& } r^2 = x^2 + y^2 + z^2)\end{aligned}$$

2. **Find  $\nabla\phi$  if  $\phi = xyz$  at the point (1, 2, 3).**

**Solution:**

$$\nabla\phi = \text{grad } \phi = \vec{i} \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial x} + \vec{j} \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial y} + \vec{k} \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial z}$$

$$\nabla\phi = \vec{i} yz + \vec{j} xz + \vec{k} xy$$

$$\nabla\phi \text{ at } (1, 2, 3) = 6\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$$

3. **Find  $\nabla r$ .**

**Solution:**

$$\nabla r = \vec{i} \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} + \vec{j} \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} + \vec{k} \frac{\partial r}{\partial z}$$

$$\nabla r = \vec{i} \frac{x}{r} + \vec{j} \frac{y}{r} + \vec{k} \frac{z}{r} = \frac{\vec{r}}{r}$$

4. **Find the unit normal vector to the surface  $x^2 + xy + z^2 = 4$  at the point (1, -1, 2).**

**Solution:**

$$\text{Let } \phi = x^2 + xy + z^2 - 4$$

$$\nabla\phi = \text{grad } \phi = \vec{i} \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial x} + \vec{j} \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial y} + \vec{k} \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial z}$$

$$\frac{\partial\phi}{\partial x} = 2x + y, \quad \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial y} = x, \quad \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial z} = 2z$$

$$[\nabla\phi]_{(1,-1,2)} = [(2x+y)\vec{i} + x\vec{j} + 2z\vec{k}]_{(1,-1,2)} = \vec{i} + \vec{j} + 4\vec{k}$$

The unit normal vector is

$$\therefore \hat{n} = \frac{\nabla\phi}{|\nabla\phi|} = \frac{\vec{i} + \vec{j} + 4\vec{k}}{\sqrt{1^2 + 1^2 + 4^2}} = \frac{\vec{i} + \vec{j} + 4\vec{k}}{\sqrt{18}}.$$

5. Find the unit normal vector to the surface  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$  at the point  $(1, 1, 1)$ .

**Ans**  $\hat{n} = \frac{i + j + k}{\sqrt{3}}$

6. Find the directional derivative of  $\phi = 3x^2 + 2y - 3z$  at  $(1, 1, 1)$  in the direction  $2\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - \vec{k}$ .

**Solution:** The gradient of  $\phi$  is  $\nabla\phi = \vec{i} \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial x} + \vec{j} \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial y} + \vec{k} \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial z}$

$$\frac{\partial\phi}{\partial x} = 6x, \quad \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial y} = 2, \quad \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial z} = -3$$

$$\nabla\phi = 6xi + 2j - 3k$$

Directional derivative of  $\phi$  is

$$\vec{a} = 2\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - \vec{k}$$

$$|\vec{a}| = \sqrt{2^2 + 2^2 + (-1)^2} = \sqrt{9} = 3$$

$$\nabla\phi \cdot \frac{\vec{a}}{|\vec{a}|} = \left[ (6xi + 2j - 3k) \cdot \left( \frac{2\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - \vec{k}}{3} \right) \right]_{(1,1,1)} = \frac{19}{3}$$

7. Find the directional derivative of  $\phi = 2xy + z^2$  at  $(1, -1, 3)$  in the direction  $i + 2j + 2k$ .

**Ans**  $\frac{14}{3}$

8. Find the directional derivative of  $\phi = x^2 + y^2 + 4xyz$  at  $(1, -2, 2)$  in the direction  $2i - 2j + k$ .

**Ans**  $-\frac{44}{3}$

9. Find the directional derivative of  $\phi = x^2 - y^2 + 2z^2$  at P  $(1, 2, 3)$  in the direction of line PQ where Q is  $(5, 0, 4)$ .

**Solution:**

$$\nabla\phi = \text{grad } \phi = \vec{i} \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial x} + \vec{j} \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial y} + \vec{k} \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial z}$$

$$\nabla \phi = \text{grad } \phi = \vec{i} 2x + \vec{j}(-2y) + \vec{k} 4z$$

$$\nabla \phi \text{ at } (1, 2, 3) = 2\vec{i} - 4\vec{j} + 12\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{a} = OQ - OP = (5\vec{i} + 0\vec{j} + 4\vec{k}) - (\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}) = 4\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$$

$$\text{Directional derivative} = \nabla \phi \bullet \frac{\vec{a}}{|\vec{a}|}$$

$$= (2\vec{i} - 4\vec{j} + 12\vec{k}) \bullet \frac{4\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}}{\sqrt{21}} = \frac{28}{\sqrt{21}}$$

10. In what direction from  $(3, 1, -2)$  is the directional derivative of  $\phi = x^2 y^2 z^4$  a maximum? Find the magnitude of this maximum.

**Solution:** Given  $\phi = x^2 y^2 z^4$

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} = 2xy^2 z^4, \quad \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} = 2x^2 y z^4, \quad \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} = 4x^2 y^2 z^3$$

$$\nabla \phi = (2x y^2 z^4)\vec{i} + (2x^2 y z^4)\vec{j} + (4x^2 y^2 z^3)\vec{k}$$

$$[\nabla \phi]_{(3, 1, -2)} = 96\vec{i} + 288\vec{j} - 288\vec{k} = 96(\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} - 3\vec{k})$$

$\therefore$  The maximum directional derivative occurs in the direction of  $\nabla \phi = 96(\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} - 3\vec{k})$

The magnitude of this maximum directional derivative is

$$|\nabla \phi| = 96\sqrt{1^2 + 3^2 + (-3)^2} = 96\sqrt{1+9+9} = 96\sqrt{19}.$$

11. In what direction from  $(1, 1, -2)$  is the directional derivative of  $\phi = x^2 - 2y^2 + 4z^2$  a maximum? Find the magnitude of this maximum.

**Ans** Directional derivative is maximum in the direction of  $2\vec{i} - 4\vec{j} - 16\vec{k}$

$$\text{Maximum directional derivative} = \sqrt{276}$$

12. Find the angle between the surfaces  $x \log z = y^2 - 1$  and  $x^2 y = 2 - z$  at the point  $(1, 1, 1)$ .

**Solution:** Let  $\phi_1 = y^2 - x \log z - 1$

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} = -\log z, \quad \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} = 2y, \quad \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} = -\frac{x}{z}$$

$$\nabla \phi_1 = -\log z \vec{i} + 2y\vec{j} - \frac{x}{z}\vec{k}, \quad (\nabla \phi_1)_{(1,1,1)} = 2\vec{j} - \vec{k} \quad \text{and} \quad |\nabla \phi_1| = \sqrt{2^2 + (-1)^2} = \sqrt{5}$$

Let  $\phi_2 = x^2y - 2 + z$

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} = 2xy, \quad \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} = x^2, \quad \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} = 1$$

$$\nabla \phi_2 = (2xy)\vec{i} + x^2\vec{j} + (1)\vec{k}, \quad (\nabla \phi_2)_{(1,1,1)} = 2\vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k} \quad \text{and} \quad |\nabla \phi_2| = \sqrt{2^2 + 1^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{6}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\nabla \phi_1 \cdot \nabla \phi_2}{|\nabla \phi_1| |\nabla \phi_2|} = \frac{(2\vec{j} - \vec{k}) \cdot (2\vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k})}{(\sqrt{5})(\sqrt{6})} = \frac{0 + 2 - 1}{\sqrt{30}} \Rightarrow \theta = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{30}} \right).$$

13. Find the angle between the surfaces  $z = x^2 + y^2 - 3$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 9$  at the point  $(2, -1, 2)$ .

**Ans**  $\cos \theta = \frac{8}{3\sqrt{21}}$

14. Find the angle between the normals to the surface  $x^2 = yz$  at the points  $(1, 1, 1)$  and  $(2, 4, 1)$ .

**Solution:**

Given  $\phi = x^2 - yz$

$$\nabla \phi = 2x\vec{i} - z\vec{j} - y\vec{k}$$

$$\nabla \phi_1 / (1,1,1) = 2\vec{i} - \vec{j} - \vec{k}$$

$$\nabla \phi_2 / (2,4,1) = 4\vec{i} - \vec{j} - 4\vec{k}$$

$$|\nabla \phi_1| = \sqrt{4+1+1} = \sqrt{6}$$

$$|\nabla \phi_2| = \sqrt{16+1+16} = \sqrt{33}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\nabla \phi_1 \cdot \nabla \phi_2}{|\nabla \phi_1| |\nabla \phi_2|} = \frac{(2\vec{i} - \vec{j} - \vec{k}) \cdot (4\vec{i} - \vec{j} - 4\vec{k})}{\sqrt{6}\sqrt{33}} = \frac{13}{\sqrt{6}\sqrt{33}}$$

15. Find 'a' and 'b' so that the surfaces  $ax^3 - by^2z = (a+3)x^2$  and  $4x^2y - z^3 = 11$  cut orthogonally at  $(2, -1, -3)$ .

**Solution:**

Let  $\phi_1 = ax^3 - by^2z - (a+3)x^2$

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} = 3ax^2 - (a+3)2x, \quad \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} = -2byz, \quad \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} = -by^2$$

$$\therefore \nabla \phi_1 = [3ax^2 - (a+3)2x]\vec{i} - 2byz\vec{j} - by^2\vec{k}$$

$$\text{At } (2, -1, -3) \nabla \phi_1 = (8a - 12)\vec{i} - 6b\vec{j} - b\vec{k}$$

$$\text{Let } \phi_2 = 4x^2y - z^3 - 11$$

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} = 8xy, \quad \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} = -4x^2, \quad \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} = -3z^2$$

$$\therefore \nabla \phi_2 = 8xy\vec{i} - 4x^2\vec{j} - 3z^2\vec{k}$$

$$\text{At } (2, -1, -3) \nabla \phi_2 = 16\vec{i} - 16\vec{j} - 27\vec{k}$$

Since the surfaces cut orthogonally at  $(2, -1, -3)$ ,

$$\nabla \phi_1 \cdot \nabla \phi_2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -16(8a - 12) - 16(6b) + 27b = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -128a + 192 - 69b = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 128a + 69b = 192 \quad \rightarrow (1)$$

Since the point  $s(2, -1, -3)$  lies on the surface  $\phi_1(x, y, z) = 0$ , we have

$$8a + 3b - 4a = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a + 3b = 12 \quad \rightarrow (2)$$

$$\text{Solving (1) \& (2) we get } a = -2.333 \quad b = 7.111$$

16. Find a and b such that the surfaces  $ax^2 - byz = (a+2)x$  and  $4x^2y + z^3 = 4$  cut orthogonally at  $(1, -1, 2)$ .

**Solution:**

$$\text{Let } \phi_1 = ax^2 - byz - (a+2)x$$

$$\nabla \phi_1 = \vec{i}[2ax - (a+2)] + \vec{j}(-bz) + \vec{k}(-by)$$

$$\nabla \phi_1 \text{ at } (1, -1, 2) = \vec{i}[a - 2] - 4b\vec{j} + b\vec{k}$$

$$|\nabla \phi_1| = \sqrt{(a-2)^2 + 17b^2}$$

$$\phi_2 = 4x^2y + z^3 - 4$$

$$\nabla \phi_2 = 8xy\vec{i} + 4x^2\vec{j} + 3z^2\vec{k}$$

$$\nabla \phi_2 \text{ at } (1, -1, 2) = -8\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} + 12\vec{k}$$

$$|\nabla \phi_2| = \sqrt{64 + 16 + 144} = \sqrt{224}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\cos \theta &= \frac{\nabla \phi_1 \cdot \nabla \phi_2}{|\nabla \phi_1| |\nabla \phi_2|} \\ &= \frac{-8(a-2) - 16b + 12b}{\sqrt{(a-2)^2 + 17b^2} \sqrt{224}}\end{aligned}$$

Given  $\theta = 90^\circ$ ,  $\cos 90^\circ = 0$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore 0 &= \frac{-8a + 16 - 16b + 12b}{\sqrt{(a-2)^2 + 17b^2} \sqrt{224}} \\ &= -8a + 16 - 16b + 12b = 0 \\ &= 2a + b - 4 = 0 \quad \dots (1)\end{aligned}$$

Since the point (1,-1,2) lies on the surface  $\phi_1(x,y,z) = 0$ ,

$$a - 2b - (a+2) = 0$$

$$b = -1$$

$$\therefore (1) \Rightarrow 2a + (-1) - 4 = 0 \quad a = \frac{5}{2}$$

17. **Find**  $\nabla(r^n)$

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla(r^n) &= \vec{i} \frac{\partial(r^n)}{\partial x} + \vec{j} \frac{\partial(r^n)}{\partial y} + \vec{k} \frac{\partial(r^n)}{\partial z} \\ &= \vec{i} \, nr^{n-1} \frac{x}{r} + \vec{j} \, nr^{n-1} \frac{y}{r} + \vec{k} \, nr^{n-1} \frac{z}{r} \\ &= \vec{i} \, nr^{n-2} x + \vec{j} \, nr^{n-2} y + \vec{k} \, nr^{n-2} z \\ &= nr^{n-2} (x\vec{i} + y\vec{j} + z\vec{k}) \quad (\because \vec{r} = x\vec{i} + y\vec{j} + z\vec{k}) \\ \therefore \nabla(r^n) &= nr^{n-2} \vec{r}.\end{aligned}$$

**DIVERGENCE, CURL, SOLENOIDAL, IRRROTATIONAL**

Let  $\vec{F} = F_1 \vec{i} + F_2 \vec{j} + F_3 \vec{k}$

$$1. \operatorname{div} \vec{F} = \nabla \cdot \vec{F} = \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial z}$$

$$2. \operatorname{Curl} \vec{F} = \nabla \times \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ F_1 & F_2 & F_3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$3. \text{Solenoidal } \nabla \cdot \vec{F} = 0$$

$$4. \text{Irrotational } \nabla \times \vec{F} = \vec{0}$$

$$18. \text{ Find } \operatorname{curl} \vec{F} \text{ if } \vec{F} = xy\vec{i} + yz\vec{j} + zx\vec{k}.$$

**Solution:**

$$\text{Given } \vec{F} = xy\vec{i} + yz\vec{j} + zx\vec{k}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{curl} \vec{F} = \nabla \times \vec{F} &= \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ xy & yz & zx \end{vmatrix} = \vec{i}(0 - y) - \vec{j}(z - 0) + \vec{k}(0 - x) \\ &= -y\vec{i} - z\vec{j} - x\vec{k} \end{aligned}$$

$$19. \text{ Find 'a', such that } \vec{F} = (3x - 2y + z)\vec{i} + (4x + ay - z)\vec{j} + (x - y + 2z)\vec{k} \text{ is solenoidal.}$$

**Solution:** We know that  $\vec{F}$  is Solenoidal if  $\operatorname{div} \vec{F} = 0$  or  $\nabla \cdot \vec{F} = 0$

$$\left( \vec{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \vec{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \vec{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \cdot [(3x - 2y + z)\vec{i} + (4x + ay - z)\vec{j} + (x - y + 2z)\vec{k}] = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x}(3x - 2y + z) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(4x + ay - z) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(x - y + 2z) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 + a + 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 5 + a = 0 \therefore a = -5.$$



20. Find the constant **a, b, c** so that  $\vec{F} = (x + 2y + az)\vec{i} + (bx - 3y - z)\vec{j} + (4x + cy + 2z)\vec{k}$  is irrotational.

**Solution:**

**Given**  $\vec{F}$  is irrotational i.e.,  $\nabla \times \vec{F} = \vec{0}$

$$\begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ x+2y+az & bx-3y-z & 4x+cy+2z \end{vmatrix} = \vec{0}$$

$$\vec{i} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (4x + cy + 2z) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (bx - 3y - z) \right) - \vec{j} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (4x + cy + 2z) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (x + 2y + az) \right) \\ + \vec{k} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (bx - 3y - z) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (x + 2y + az) \right) = \vec{0}$$

$$= \text{i.e., } \vec{i}(c+1) - \vec{j}(4-a) + \vec{k}(b-2) = \vec{0}$$

$$= \therefore c+1=0, 4-a=0, \text{ and } b-2=0$$

$$\Rightarrow a=4, b=2, c=-1$$

21. Find the constant **a, b, c** so that  $\vec{F} = (axy + bz^3)\vec{i} + (3x^2 - cz)\vec{j} + (3xz^2 - y)\vec{k}$  is irrotational.

**Ans**  $a = 6, b = 1, c = 1$

22. Prove that  $r^n \vec{r}$  is an irrotational vector for any value of 'n' but is solenoidal only if  $n = -3$ .

**Solution:**

$$\vec{r} = x\vec{i} + y\vec{j} + z\vec{k}$$

$$r = |\vec{r}| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial r}{\partial x} = \frac{2x}{2\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} = \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} = \frac{x}{r}$$

Similarly

$$\frac{\partial r}{\partial y} = \frac{2y}{2\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} = \frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} = \frac{y}{r}$$

$$\frac{\partial r}{\partial z} = \frac{2z}{2\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} = \frac{z}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} = \frac{z}{r}$$

$$r^n = (x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{n/2}$$

$$r^n \vec{r} = r^n (x\vec{i} + y\vec{j} + z\vec{k})$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\nabla \times (r^n \vec{r}) &= \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ r^n x & r^n y & r^n z \end{vmatrix} \\
&= \vec{i} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (r^n z) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (r^n y) \right) - \vec{j} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (r^n z) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (r^n x) \right) + \vec{k} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (r^n y) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (r^n x) \right) \\
&= \vec{i} \left( znr^{n-1} \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} - ynr^{n-1} \frac{\partial r}{\partial z} \right) - \vec{j} \left( znr^{n-1} \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} - xnr^{n-1} \frac{\partial r}{\partial z} \right) + \vec{k} \left( ynr^{n-1} \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} - xnr^{n-1} \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} \right) \\
&= \vec{i} \left( znr^{n-1} \frac{y}{r} - ynr^{n-1} \frac{z}{r} \right) - \vec{j} \left( znr^{n-1} \frac{x}{r} - xnr^{n-1} \frac{z}{r} \right) + \vec{k} \left( ynr^{n-1} \frac{x}{r} - xnr^{n-1} \frac{y}{r} \right) \\
&= 0\vec{i} + 0\vec{j} + 0\vec{k} = 0
\end{aligned}$$

$\therefore r^n \vec{r}$  is irrotational for all values of  $n$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{div}(r^n \vec{r}) &= \nabla \cdot (r^n \vec{r}) = \left( \vec{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \vec{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \vec{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) (r^n (x\vec{i} + y\vec{j} + z\vec{k})) \\
&= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (r^n x) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (r^n y) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (r^n z) \\
&= r^n + xnr^{n-1} \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} + r^n + ynr^{n-1} \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} + r^n + znr^{n-1} \frac{\partial r}{\partial z} \\
&= 3r^n + nr^{n-2} (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) = 3r^n + nr^{n-2} (r^2) = 3r^n + nr^n = (3+n)r^n
\end{aligned}$$

If  $n = -3$  then  $\nabla \cdot (r^n \vec{r}) = 0$ .

$\therefore r^n \vec{r}$  is solenoidal only if  $n = -3$ .

23. If  $\vec{F} = x^3 \vec{i} + y^3 \vec{j} + z^3 \vec{k}$ , then find  $\text{div curl } \vec{F}$ .

**Solution:**  $\text{div curl } \vec{F} = \nabla \cdot (\nabla \times \vec{F})$

$$\nabla \times \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ x^3 & y^3 & z^3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \vec{i}(0-0) - \vec{j}(0-0) + \vec{k}(0-0) = \vec{0}$$

$$\nabla \times \vec{F} = \vec{0}$$

$$\therefore \nabla \cdot (\nabla \times \vec{F}) = 0$$

24. If  $\nabla \phi = (y^2 - 2xyz^3)\vec{i} + (3 + 2xy - x^2z^3)\vec{j} + (6z^3 - 3x^2yz^2)\vec{k}$  find  $\phi$ .

**Solution:**

$$\nabla \phi = \vec{i} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} + \vec{j} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} + \vec{k} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \quad \text{_____} \quad (1)$$

$$\nabla \phi = (y^2 - 2xyz^3)\vec{i} + (3 + 2xy - x^2z^3)\vec{j} + (6z^3 - 3x^2yz^2)\vec{k} \quad \text{_____} \quad (2)$$

**Comparing (1) and (2)**

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} = y^2 - 2xyz^3 \quad \text{_____} \quad (3)$$

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} = 3 + 2xy - x^2z^3 \quad \text{_____} \quad (4)$$

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} = 6z^3 - 3x^2yz^2 \quad \text{_____} \quad (5)$$

**Integrating (3) w.r.t.  $x$  (keeping  $y$  and  $z$  as constant)**

$$\phi = y^2 x - x^2 y z^3 + f_1(y, z)$$

**Integrating (4) w.r.t.  $y$  (keeping  $x$  and  $z$  as constant)**

$$\phi = 3y + x y^2 - x^2 y z^3 + f_2(x, z)$$

**Integrating (5) w.r.t.  $z$  (keeping  $x$  and  $y$  as constant)**

$$\phi = \frac{3}{2} z^4 - x^2 y z^3 + f_3(x, y)$$

Hence  $\phi = y^2 x - x^2 y z^3 + 3y + \frac{3}{2} z^4 + c$  where  $c$  is a constant,  $c = f_1(y, z) + f_2(x, z) + f_3(x, y)$

25. If  $\nabla\phi = 2xyz^3\vec{i} + x^2z^3\vec{j} + 3x^2yz^2\vec{k}$  find  $\phi(x, y, z)$  given that  $\phi(1, -2, 2) = 4$ .

**Solution:**

$$\nabla\phi = \vec{i} \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial x} + \vec{j} \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial y} + \vec{k} \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial z} \rightarrow (1)$$

$$\text{Given } \nabla\phi = 2xyz^3\vec{i} + x^2z^3\vec{j} + 3x^2yz^2\vec{k} \rightarrow (2)$$

$\therefore$  comparing (1) & (2)

$$\frac{\partial\phi}{\partial x} = 2xyz^3 \rightarrow (3)$$

$$\frac{\partial\phi}{\partial y} = x^2z^3 \rightarrow (4)$$

$$\frac{\partial\phi}{\partial z} = 3x^2yz^2 \rightarrow (5)$$

**Integrating (3) w.r.t. x (keeping y and z as constant)**

$$\phi = x^2 y z^3 + f_1(y, z)$$

**Integrating (4) w.r.t. y (keeping x and z as constant)**

$$\phi = x^2 y z^3 + f_2(x, z)$$

**Integrating (5) w.r.t. z (keeping x and y as constant)**

$$\phi = x^2 y z^3 + f_3(x, y)$$

Hence  $\phi = x^2 y z^3 + c$  where  $c$  is a constant,  $c = f_1(y, z) + f_2(x, z) + f_3(x, y)$

**Given**  $\phi(1, -2, 2) = 4$

$$\phi(1, -2, 2) = -16 + c = 4$$

$$c = 20$$

Hence  $\phi = x^2 y z^3 + 20$

26. Show that the vector  $\vec{F} = (y^2 \cos x + z^3)\vec{i} + (2y \sin x - 4)\vec{j} + 3xz^2\vec{k}$  is irrotational and find the scalar potential function.

**Solution:**

$$\text{curl} \vec{F} = \nabla \times \vec{F} = \vec{0}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla \times \vec{F} &= \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ y^2 \cos x + z^3 & 2y \sin x - 4 & 3xz^2 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \vec{i} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (3xz^2) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (2y \sin x - 4) \right) - \vec{j} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (3xz^2) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (y^2 \cos x + z^3) \right) \\ &\quad + \vec{k} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (y^2 \cos x + z^3) - \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (2y \sin x - 4) \right) \\ &= \vec{i} (0 - 0) - \vec{j} (3z^2 - 3z^2) + \vec{k} (2y \cos x - 2y \cos x) = \vec{0} \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore \vec{F}$  is irrotational.

To find Scalar potential  $\phi$  we assume  $\vec{F} = \nabla \phi$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{F} = \nabla \phi &= (y^2 \cos x + z^3)\vec{i} + (2y \sin x - 4)\vec{j} + 3xz^2\vec{k} \\ \left( \vec{i} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} + \vec{j} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} + \vec{k} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right) &= (y^2 \cos x + z^3)\vec{i} + (2y \sin x - 4)\vec{j} + 3xz^2\vec{k} \end{aligned}$$

comparing coefficient of  $\vec{i}, \vec{j}$  &  $\vec{k}$

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} = y^2 \cos x + z^3 \quad \rightarrow (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} = 2y \sin x - 4 \quad \rightarrow (2)$$

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} = 3xz^2 \quad \rightarrow (3)$$

**Integrating (1) w.r.t.  $x$  (keeping  $y$  and  $z$  as constant)**

$$\phi = y^2 (\sin x) + xz^3 + f_1(y, z)$$

**Integrating (2) w.r.t.  $y$  (keeping  $x$  and  $z$  as constant)**

$$\phi = y^2 \sin x - 4y + f_2(x, z)$$

**Integrating (3) w.r.t.  $z$  (keeping  $x$  and  $y$  as constant)**

$$\phi = xz^3 + f_3(x, y)$$

Hence  $\varphi = y^2 \sin x + xz^3 - 4y + c$  where  $c$  is a constant,  $c = f_1(y, z) + f_2(x, z) + f_3(x, y)$

27. Show that the vector  $\vec{F} = (6xy + z^3)\vec{i} + (3x^2 - z)\vec{j} + (3xz^2 - y)\vec{k}$  is irrotational and find the scalar potential function.

**Solution:**

**Given**  $\vec{F} = (6xy + z^3)\vec{i} + (3x^2 - z)\vec{j} + (3xz^2 - y)\vec{k}$

$$\text{curl}\vec{F} = \nabla \times \vec{F} = \vec{0}$$

$$\nabla \times \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ 6xy + z^3 & 3x^2 - z & 3xz^2 - y \end{vmatrix} = \vec{i}(-1+1) - \vec{j}(3z^2 - 3z^2) + \vec{k}(6x - 6x) = \vec{0}$$

$\therefore \vec{F}$  is irrotational.

To find scalar potential  $\phi$  we assume  $\vec{F} = \nabla \phi$

$$\vec{F} = \nabla \phi = (6xy + z^3)\vec{i} + (3x^2 - z)\vec{j} + (3xz^2 - y)\vec{k}$$

$$\left( \vec{i} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} + \vec{j} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} + \vec{k} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right) = (6xy + z^3)\vec{i} + (3x^2 - z)\vec{j} + (3xz^2 - y)\vec{k}$$

comparing coefficient of  $\vec{i}, \vec{j}$  &  $\vec{k}$

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} = (6xy + z^3) \rightarrow (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} = (3x^2 - z) \rightarrow (2)$$

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} = (3xz^2 - y) \rightarrow (3)$$

**Integrating (1) w.r.t.  $x$  (keeping  $y$  and  $z$  as constant)**

$$\varphi = 3x^2 y + xz^3 + f_1(y, z)$$

**Integrating (2) w.r.t.  $y$  (keeping  $x$  and  $z$  as constant)**

$$\varphi = 3x^2 y - yz + f_2(x, z)$$

**Integrating (3) w.r.t.  $z$  (keeping  $x$  and  $y$  as constant)**

$$\varphi = xz^3 - yz + f_3(x, y)$$

Hence  $\varphi = 3x^2 y + xz^3 - yz + c$  where  $c$  is a constant,  $c = f_1(y, z) + f_2(x, z) + f_3(x, y)$

28. If  $\vec{A}$  and  $\vec{B}$  are irrotational, then prove that  $\vec{A} \times \vec{B}$  is solenoidal.

**Solution:**

$\vec{A}$  and  $\vec{B}$  are irrotational.

$$\therefore \nabla \times \vec{A} = \vec{0} \text{ and } \nabla \times \vec{B} = \vec{0}$$

$$\text{Now } \nabla \bullet (\vec{A} \times \vec{B}) = (\nabla \times \vec{A}) \bullet \vec{B} - (\nabla \times \vec{B}) \bullet \vec{A} = 0 - 0 = 0$$

$\therefore \vec{A} \times \vec{B}$  is solenoidal.

29. Prove that (i)  $\text{div } \vec{r} = 3$  (ii)  $\text{curl } \vec{r} = 0$ .

**Solution:**

$$\vec{r} = x\vec{i} + y\vec{j} + z\vec{k}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{div } \vec{r} &= \nabla \bullet \vec{r} = \left( \vec{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \vec{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \vec{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \bullet (x\vec{i} + y\vec{j} + z\vec{k}) \\ &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(x) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(y) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(z) = 1 + 1 + 1 = 3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Curl } \vec{r} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ x & y & z \end{vmatrix} = 0\vec{i} + 0\vec{j} + 0\vec{k}$$

30. If  $\phi = x^2 - y^2$ , then prove that  $\nabla^2 \phi = 0$ .

**Solution:**

$$\nabla^2 \phi = \nabla \bullet \nabla \phi$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \left( \vec{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \vec{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \vec{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \bullet \left( \vec{i} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} + \vec{j} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} + \vec{k} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right) \\ &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left( \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right) \\ &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(2x) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(-2y) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(0) = 2 - 2 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

31. Prove that  $\text{curl}(\text{grad } \varphi) = 0$ .

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Curl}(\text{grad } \varphi) &= \nabla \times \nabla \varphi = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial z} \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \vec{i} \left( \frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial y \partial z} - \frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial z \partial y} \right) - \vec{j} \left( \frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial x \partial z} - \frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial z \partial x} \right) + \vec{k} \left( \frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial x \partial y} - \frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial y \partial x} \right) \\ &= 0\vec{i} + 0\vec{j} + 0\vec{k} \quad (\text{Since mixed partial derivatives are equal.})\end{aligned}$$

32. State Green's Theorem.

**Statement:** If  $P(x, y)$  and  $Q(x, y)$  are continuous functions of  $x, y$  with continuous partial derivatives

$\frac{\partial P}{\partial y}$  and  $\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x}$  in a region  $R$  of the  $xy$  plane bounded by a simple closed curve  $C$ , then

$$\oint_C (P dx + Q dy) = \iint_R \left( \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) dx dy \quad \text{where } C \text{ is the curve traversed in the counter clockwise}$$

direction.

33. Verify Green's theorem for  $\int_C [x^2(1+y)dx + (x^3 + y^3)dy]$  where  $C$  is the boundary of the region defined by the lines  $x = \pm 1$  and  $y = \pm 1$ .

**Solution:**

**By Green's theorem**

$$\oint_C (P dx + Q dy) = \iint_R \left( \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) dx dy$$

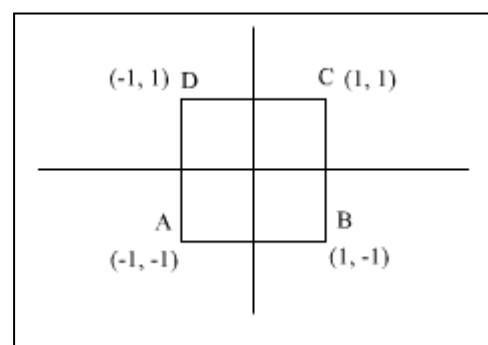
$$\text{Given } \int_C x^2(1+y)dx + (y^3 + x^3)dy$$

$$P = x^2(1+y)$$

$$Q = y^3 + x^3$$

$$\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = x^2$$

$$\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} = 3x^2$$





Consider

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \iint_R \left( \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) dx dy \\
 &= \int_{-1}^1 \int_{-1}^1 (3x^2 - x^2) dy dx \\
 &= \int_{-1}^1 \int_{-1}^1 (2x^2) dy dx \\
 &= \int_{-1}^1 2 \left[ \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_{-1}^1 dy \\
 &= \int_{-1}^1 \frac{2}{3} [1^3 - (-1)^3] dy = \int_{-1}^1 \frac{2}{3} 2 dy = \int_{-1}^1 \left[ \frac{4}{3} \right] dy \\
 &= \left[ \frac{4}{3} y \right]_{-1}^1 = \left[ \frac{4}{3} \right] [1 - (-1)] = \frac{8}{3} \quad \rightarrow (1)
 \end{aligned}$$

Consider

$$\int_c P dx + Q dy = \int_{AB} + \int_{BC} + \int_{CD} + \int_{DA}$$

Along AB,  $y = -1$ ,  $dy = 0$  and  $x$  varies from  $-1$  to  $1$

$$\therefore \int_{AB} P dx + Q dy = \int_{-1}^1 x^2(1+y) dx = \int_{-1}^1 x^2(1-1) dx = 0$$

Along BC,  $x = 1$ ,  $dx = 0$  and  $y$  varies from  $-1$  to  $1$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore \int_{BC} P dx + Q dy &= \int_{-1}^1 (x^3 + y^3) dy = \int_{-1}^1 (1 + y^3) dy \\
 &= \left[ y + \frac{y^4}{4} \right]_{-1}^1 = \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{4} \right] - \left[ -1 + \frac{1}{4} \right] \\
 &= 1 + \frac{1}{4} + 1 - \frac{1}{4} = 2
 \end{aligned}$$

Along CD,  $y = 1$ ,  $dy = 0$  and  $x$  varies from  $1$  to  $-1$

$$\therefore \int_{CD} P dx + Q dy = \int_{-1}^1 x^2(1+y) dx = \int_{-1}^1 2x^2 dx = \left[ \frac{2x^3}{3} \right]_1^{-1} = \frac{2}{3} [(-1)^3 - (1)^3] = \frac{2}{3} [-1 - 1] = -\frac{4}{3}$$

Along DA,  $x = -1$ ,  $dx = 0$  and  $y$  varies from  $1$  to  $-1$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore \int_{DA} P dx + Q dy &= \int_1^{-1} (x^3 + y^3) dy = \int_1^{-1} (-1 + y^3) dy \\
 &= \left[ \frac{y^4}{4} - y \right]_1^{-1} = \frac{1}{4} + 1 - \frac{1}{4} + 1 = 2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_C Pdx + Qdy = 0 + 2 - \frac{4}{3} + 2 = 4 - \frac{4}{3} = \frac{8}{3} \rightarrow (2)$$

$$\therefore (1) = (2)$$

Hence the theorem is verified.

34. Using Green's theorem, evaluate  $\int_C (y - \sin x)dx + \cos x dy$  where C is the triangle bounded by the lines  $y = 0$ ,  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$  and  $y = \left(\frac{2}{\pi}\right)x$

**Solution:**

Green's theorem states that

$$\int_C Pdx + Qdy = \iint_R \left( \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) dx dy$$

$$\text{Given } \int_C (y - \sin x)dx + \cos x dy$$

$$P = y - \sin x$$

$$Q = \cos x$$

$$\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = 1$$

$$\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} = -\sin x$$

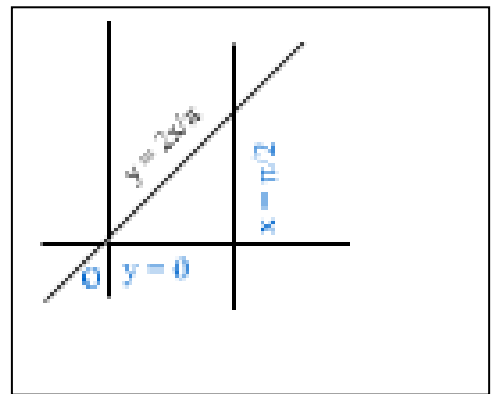
$$\int_C (y - \sin x)dx + \cos x dy = \iint_R (-\sin x - 1) dx dy$$

$$\iint_R (-\sin x - 1) dx dy = \int_0^1 \int_{\frac{\pi y}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (-\sin x - 1) dx dy$$

$$= \int_0^1 \left[ \cos x - x \right]_{\frac{\pi y}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} dy$$

$$= \int_0^1 \left[ \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{2} \right) - \left( \cos \frac{\pi y}{2} - \frac{\pi y}{2} \right) \right] dy$$

$$= \left[ -\frac{\pi y}{2} - \frac{\sin \frac{\pi y}{2}}{\frac{\pi}{2}} + \frac{\pi y^2}{4} \right]_0^1 = \left[ -\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\sin \frac{\pi}{2}}{\frac{\pi}{2}} + \frac{\pi}{4} \right] - [0] = -\left( \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{2}{\pi} \right)$$



35. Verify Green's theorem for  $\int_C (3x^2 - 8y^2)dx + (4y - 6xy)dy$  where C is the boundary of the region defined by the lines  $x = 0$ ,  $y = 0$  and  $x + y = 1$ .

**Solution:**

Green's theorem states that

$$\text{Given } \int_C (3x^2 - 8y^2)dx + (4y - 6xy)dy$$

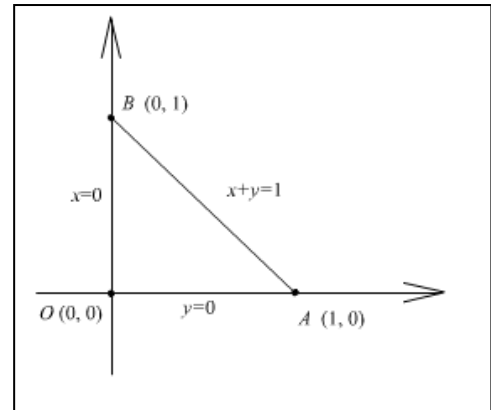
$$\int_C Pdx + Qdy = \iint_R \left( \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) dxdy$$

$$P = 3x^2 - 8y^2$$

$$\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = -16y$$

$$Q = 4y - 6xy$$

$$\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} = -6y$$



Evaluation of RHS:

$$\iint_R \left( \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) dxdy = \iint_R (-6y + 16y) dxdy$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-y} 10y dxdy = \int_0^1 10y [x]_0^{1-y} dy$$

$$= \int_0^1 10y(1-y) dy$$

$$= 10 \int_0^1 (y - y^2) dy$$

$$= 10 \left[ \frac{y^2}{2} - \frac{y^3}{3} \right]_0^1$$

$$= 10 \left[ \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3} \right] = \frac{10}{6}$$

$$= \frac{5}{3}$$

Evaluation of LHS:

$$\int_C (Pdx + Qdy) = \int_{OA} (Pdx + Qdy) + \int_{AB} (Pdx + Qdy) + \int_{BO} (Pdx + Qdy)$$

Along  $OA$ :  $y = 0 \Rightarrow dy = 0$

$$\int_{OA} Pdx + Qdy = \int_{OA} (3x^2) dx$$

$$= \left[ \frac{3x^3}{3} \right]_0^1 = 1 - 0 = 1$$

Along  $AB$ :

$$\begin{aligned} x + y = 1 &\Rightarrow y = 1 - x \\ &\Rightarrow dy = -dx \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_{AB} Pdx + Qdy = \int_{AB} (3x^2 - 8y^2) dx + (4y - 6xy) dy$$

$$= \int_{AB} [3x^2 - 8(1-x)^2] dx + [4(1-x) - 6x(1-x)](-dx)$$

$$= \int_1^0 (-11x^2 + 26x - 12) dx$$

$$= \left[ \frac{-11x^3}{3} + \frac{26x^2}{2} - 12x \right]_1^0 = (0) - \left( \frac{-11}{3} + \frac{26}{2} - 12 \right) = \frac{11}{3} - 1 = \frac{8}{3}$$

Along  $BO$ :  $x = 0 \Rightarrow dx = 0$

$$\int_{BO} Pdx + Qdy = \int_{BO} 4y dy$$

$$= \left[ \frac{4y^2}{2} \right]_1^0 = 2[0 - (1)]$$

$$= -2$$

$$\therefore \int_C Pdx + Qdy = 1 + \frac{8}{3} - 2 = \frac{5}{3}$$

Hence Green's theorem is verified.

**36. Prove that the area bounded by a simple closed curve C is given by**

$$\frac{1}{2} \int_C (x dy - y dx). \text{ Hence find area of the ellipse } x = a \cos \theta, y = b \sin \theta.$$

**Solution:** W.K.T. Green's theorem is

$$\int_C (u dx + v dy) = \iint_R \left( \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \right) dx dy \quad \dots 1$$

Here  $v = \frac{x}{2} \quad u = -\frac{y}{2}$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{2} \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$(1) \Rightarrow \int_C \left( \frac{x}{2} dy - \frac{y}{2} dx \right) = \iint_R \left( \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \right) dx dy$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \int_C (x dy - y dx) = \iint_R dx dy$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \int_C x dy - y dx = \text{Area of the ellipse} \quad \dots 2$$

Given  $x = a \cos \theta, \quad y = b \sin \theta$

$$dx = -a \sin \theta d\theta, \quad dy = b \cos \theta d\theta$$

$\theta$  varies from 0 to  $2\pi$ .

$$(2) \Rightarrow \text{Area of the ellipse} = \frac{1}{2} \int_C x dy - y dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} (a \cos \theta)(b \cos \theta d\theta) - (b \sin \theta)(-a \sin \theta d\theta)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} [ab \cos \theta \cos \theta + ab \sin \theta \sin \theta] d\theta$$

$$= \frac{ab}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta) d\theta = \frac{ab}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta = \frac{ab}{2} [\theta]_{\theta=0}^{\theta=2\pi}$$

$$\text{Area of the ellipse} = \frac{ab}{2} [2\pi] = \pi ab$$

### 37. State Stoke's theorem (Relation between Line and Surface Integrals).

**Statement:** If  $S$  is an open surface bounded by a simple closed curve  $C$  and if a vector function  $\vec{F}$  is continuous and has continuous first order partial derivatives in  $S$  and on  $C$ , then

$$\iint_S \text{curl} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds = \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} \quad \text{where } \hat{n} \text{ is the outward unit normal vector at any point of } S.$$

### 38. Verify Stoke's theorem for the vector $\vec{F} = xy\vec{i} - 2yz\vec{j} - xz\vec{k}$ , where $S$ is the open surface of the rectangular parallelopiped formed by the planes $x = 0$ , $y = 0$ , $x = 1$ , $y = 2$ and $z = 3$ above the XOY plane.

**Solution:**

By Stoke's theorem

$$\oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_S \nabla \times \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} dS$$

$$\oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = x y dx - 2 y z dy - x z dz$$

Evaluation of L.H.S :

$$\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_{OA} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} + \int_{AB} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} + \int_{BD} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} + \int_{DO} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$$

Along OA :  $y = 0$ ,  $z = 0$ ,  $dy = 0$ ,  $dz = 0$

$$\int_{OA} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = 0$$

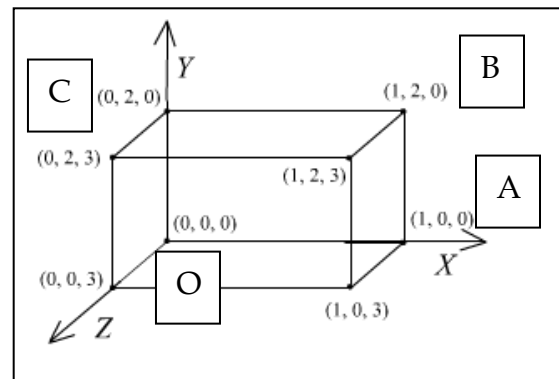
Along AB :  $x = 1$ ,  $z = 0$ ,  $dx = 0$ ,  $dz = 0$

$$\int_{AB} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_{AB} 0 = 0$$

Along BC :  $y = 2$ ,  $z = 0$ ,  $dy = 0$ ,  $dz = 0$

$$\int_{BC} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_{BC} (2x) dx = \int_1^0 2x dx = \left[ \frac{2x^2}{2} \right]_1^0 = 0 - 1 = -1$$

Along CO:  $x = 0$ ,  $z = 0$ ,  $dx = 0$ ,  $dz = 0$



$$\int_{co} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_{co} 0 = 0$$

$$\therefore \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = 0 + 0 - 1 + 0 = -1$$

Evaluation of RHS:

$$\iint_S \nabla \times \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} \, ds = \iint_{S_1} + \iint_{S_2} + \iint_{S_3} + \iint_{S_4} + \iint_{S_5}$$

$$\text{Given, } \vec{F} = xy\vec{i} - 2yz\vec{j} - xz\vec{k}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla \times \vec{F} &= \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ xy & -2yz & -xz \end{vmatrix} = \vec{i}[0 - (-2y)] - \vec{j}[-z - 0] + \vec{k}[0 - x] \\ &= 2y\vec{i} + (z)\vec{j} - x\vec{k} \end{aligned}$$

Over  $S_1$ :  $x = 0$ ,  $\vec{n} = -\vec{i}$

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_{S_1} (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \vec{n} \, ds &= \int_0^3 \int_0^2 [2y\vec{i}] \cdot (-\vec{i}) \, dy \, dz \\ &= \int_0^3 \int_0^2 -2y \, dy \, dz \\ &= \int_0^3 \int_0^2 -2y \, dy \, dz = \int_0^3 \left[ \frac{-2y^2}{2} \right]_0^2 \, dz \\ &= -4(z)_0^3 = -12 \end{aligned}$$

Over  $S_2$ :  $x = 1$ ,  $\vec{n} = \vec{i}$

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_{S_2} (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \vec{n} \, ds &= \int_0^3 \int_0^2 [2y\vec{i}] \cdot (\vec{i}) \, dy \, dz \\ &= \int_0^3 \int_0^2 2y \, dy \, dz = \int_0^3 \left[ \frac{2y^2}{2} \right]_0^2 \, dz = 12 \end{aligned}$$

Over  $S_3$ :  $y=0$  ,  $n = -\vec{j}$

$$\iint_{S_3} (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot n \, ds = \int_0^3 \int_0^1 [z\vec{j}] \cdot (-\vec{j}) \, dx dz = - \int_0^3 \int_0^1 (z) \, dx dz$$

$$= - \int_0^3 (xz)_0^1 = - \int_0^3 (z) \, dz = - \left( \frac{z^2}{2} \right)_0^3 = -\frac{9}{2}$$

Over  $S_4$ :  $y = 1$  ,  $n = \vec{j}$

$$\iint_{S_4} (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot n \, ds = \int_0^3 \int_0^1 z\vec{j} \cdot \vec{j} \, dx dz$$

$$= \int_0^3 \int_0^1 (z) \, dx dz = \int_0^3 (xz)_0^1 \, dz$$

$$= \left( \frac{z^2}{2} \right)_0^3 = \frac{9}{2}$$

Over  $S_5$  :  $z = 1$  ,  $n = \vec{k}$

$$\iint_{S_5} (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot n \, ds = \int_0^2 \int_0^1 (-x\vec{k}) \cdot \vec{k} \, dx dy$$

$$= \int_0^2 \int_0^1 (-x) \, dx dy = \int_0^2 \left( -\frac{x^2}{2} \right)_0^1 \, dy$$

$$= \int_0^2 \left( \frac{-1}{2} \right) \, dy = \left( \frac{-1}{2} \right) (y)_0^2 = -1$$

$$\iint_S = \iint_{S_1} + \iint_{S_2} + \iint_{S_3} + \iint_{S_4} + \iint_{S_5} = -12 + 12 - \frac{9}{2} + \frac{9}{2} - 1 = -1$$

$\therefore$  L.H.S = R.H.S.

Hence Stoke's theorem is verified.

39. Verify Stoke's theorem for  $\vec{F} = (x^2 + y^2)\vec{i} - 2xy\vec{j}$  in the rectangular region bounded by the lines  $x = 0$ ,  $x = a$ ,  $y = 0$  and  $y = b$ .



**Solution:**

Given  $\vec{F} = (x^2 + y^2)\vec{i} - 2xy\vec{j}$

By Stoke's theorem  $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_S \text{curl } \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} \, ds$

Evaluation of LHS:

$$\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_{OA} + \int_{AB} + \int_{BC} + \int_{CO}$$

Along OA :  $y = 0 \Rightarrow dy = 0$ ,  $x$  varies from 0 to  $a$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \int_{OA} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \int_0^a (x^2) dx \\ &= \left( \frac{x^3}{3} \right)_0^a = \frac{a^3}{3} \end{aligned}$$

Along AB:  $x = a \Rightarrow dx = 0$ ,  $y$  varies from 0 to  $b$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{AB} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \int_0^b -2ay \, dy \\ &= -2a \left( \frac{y^2}{2} \right)_0^b = -ab^2 \end{aligned}$$

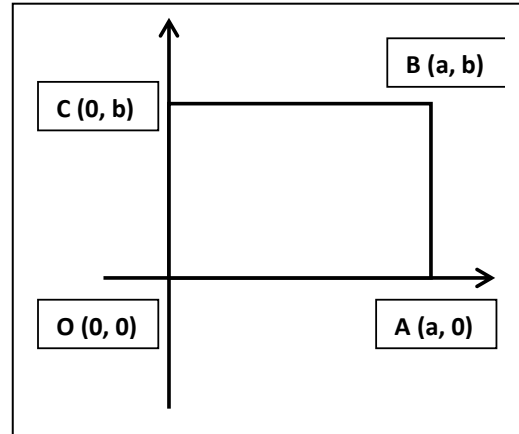
Along BC:  $y = b$ ,  $dy = 0$ ,  $x$  varies from  $a$  to 0

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{BC} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \int_a^0 (x^2 + b^2) dx \\ &= \left( \frac{x^3}{3} + b^2 x \right)_a^0 \\ &= -\frac{a^3}{3} - ab^2 \end{aligned}$$

Along CO:  $x = 0$ ,  $dx = 0$ ,  $y$  varies from  $b$  to 0

$$\int_{CO} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_b^0 (0 + y^2) 0 + 0 = 0$$

$$\therefore \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \frac{a^3}{3} - ab^2 - \frac{a^3}{3} - ab^2 + 0 = -2ab^2$$



Evaluation of RHS:

$$\text{curl } \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ x^2 + y^2 & -2xy & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \vec{i}[0-0] - \vec{j}[0-0] + \vec{k}[-2y-2y] = -4y\vec{k}$$

As the region is in the  $xy$  plane we can take  $\vec{n} = \vec{k}$  and  $ds = dxdy$

$$\iint_S \text{curl } \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} ds = \iint -4y\vec{k} \cdot \vec{k} dxdy$$

$$= -4 \int_0^b \int_0^a y dxdy$$

$$= -4 \left( \frac{y^2}{2} \right)_0^b (x)_0^a$$

$$= -2ab^2$$

$$\therefore \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_S \text{curl } \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} ds$$

Hence Stoke's theorem is verified.

#### 40. State Gauss Divergence Theorem (Relation between Surface and Volume Integrals).

**Statement:** If  $V$  is the volume bounded by a closed surface  $S$  and if a vector function  $\vec{F}$  is having continuous first order partial derivatives on  $S$ , then  $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds = \iiint_V \text{div} \vec{F} dV$ .

where  $\hat{n}$  is the outward unit normal vector to the surface.

41. Verify Gauss divergence theorem for  $\vec{F} = 4xz\vec{i} - y^2\vec{j} + yz\vec{k}$  taken over the cube bounded by the planes  $x=0, x=1, y=0, y=1, z=0, z=1$ .

**Solution:**

$$\vec{F} = 4xz\vec{i} - y^2\vec{j} + yz\vec{k}$$

$$\nabla \circ \vec{F} = \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial z}$$

$$\nabla \circ \vec{F} = 4z - 2y + y = 4z - y$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 RHS &= \iiint_V \nabla \circ \vec{F} dv = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (4z - y) dx dy dz = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 [4zx - yx]_0^1 dy dz = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 [4z - y] dy dz \\
 &= \int_0^1 \left[ 4zy - \frac{y^2}{2} \right]_0^1 dz = \int_0^1 \left[ 4z - \frac{1}{2} \right] dz = \left[ 4 \frac{z^2}{2} - \frac{z}{2} \right]_0^1 = \frac{4}{2} - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{3}{2} \dots\dots\dots(1)
 \end{aligned}$$

Surface	$\hat{n}$	$\vec{F} \circ \hat{n}$	Equation	$\vec{F} \circ \hat{n}$ on S	$dS$	$\iint_S \vec{F} \circ \hat{n} dS$
$S_1$	$\vec{i}$	$4xz$	$x=1$	$4z$	$dydz$	$\int_0^1 \int_0^1 4z dy dz$
$S_2$	$-\vec{i}$	$-4xz$	$x=0$	$0$	$dydz$	$0$
$S_3$	$\vec{j}$	$-y^2$	$y=1$	$-1$	$dx dz$	$\int_0^1 \int_0^1 (-1) dx dz$
$S_4$	$-\vec{j}$	$y^2$	$y=0$	$0$	$dx dz$	$0$
$S_5$	$\vec{k}$	$yz$	$z=1$	$y$	$dx dy$	$\int_0^1 \int_0^1 y dx dy$
$S_6$	$-\vec{k}$	$-yz$	$z=0$	$0$	$dx dy$	$0$

$$\begin{aligned}
 LHS &= \iint_S \vec{F} \circ \hat{n} dS = \left( \iint_{S_1} + \iint_{S_2} + \iint_{S_3} + \iint_{S_4} + \iint_{S_5} + \iint_{S_6} \right) \vec{F} \circ \hat{n} dS \\
 &= \int_0^1 \int_0^1 4z dy dz + \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (0) dy dz + \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (-1) dx dz + \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (0) dx dz + \int_0^1 \int_0^1 y dx dy + \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (0) dx dy \\
 &= 4 \int_0^1 \int_0^1 z dy dz + 0 - \int_0^1 \int_0^1 dx dz + 0 + \int_0^1 \int_0^1 y dx dy + 0 \\
 &= 4 \int_0^1 z(y)_0^1 dz - \int_0^1 (x)_0^1 dz + \int_0^1 y(x)_0^1 dy = 4 \int_0^1 z dz - \int_0^1 dz + \int_0^1 y dy = \left( 4 \frac{z^2}{2} \right)_0^1 - (z)_0^1 + \left( \frac{y^2}{2} \right)_0^1 \\
 &= \frac{4}{2} - 1 + \frac{1}{2} = 2 - 1 + \frac{1}{2} = 1 + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{3}{2} \dots\dots\dots(2)
 \end{aligned}$$

From (1) and (2),

$$\iiint_V \nabla \circ \vec{F} dv = \left( \iint_{S_1} + \iint_{S_2} + \iint_{S_3} + \iint_{S_4} + \iint_{S_5} + \iint_{S_6} \right) \vec{F} \circ \hat{n} dS$$

Hence Gauss Divergence theorem is verified.

42. Verify Gauss divergence theorem for  $\vec{F} = x^2 \vec{i} + y^2 \vec{j} + z^2 \vec{k}$  taken over the cube bounded by the planes  $x=0, x=1, y=0, y=1, z=0, z=1$ .

**Solution:**

$$\vec{F} = x^2 \vec{i} + y^2 \vec{j} + z^2 \vec{k}$$

$$\nabla \circ \vec{F} = \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial z} = 2x + 2y + 2z = 2(x + y + z)$$

$$\begin{aligned} RHS = \iiint_V \nabla \circ \vec{F} dv &= 2 \int_0^1 \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (x + y + z) dx dy dz = 2 \int_0^1 \int_0^1 \left[ \frac{x^2}{2} + xy + xz \right]_0^1 dy dz = 2 \int_0^1 \int_0^1 \left[ \frac{1}{2} + y + z \right] dy dz \\ &= 2 \int_0^1 \left[ \frac{y}{2} + \frac{y^2}{2} + yz \right]_0^1 dz = 2 \int_0^1 \left[ \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} + z \right] dz = 2 \int_0^1 [1 + z] dz = 2 \left[ z + \frac{z^2}{2} \right]_0^1 \\ &= 2 \left( 1 + \frac{1}{2} \right) = 2 \left( \frac{3}{2} \right) = 3 \dots\dots\dots(1) \end{aligned}$$

Surface	$\hat{n}$	$\vec{F} \circ \hat{n}$	Equation	$\vec{F} \circ \hat{n}$ on S	$dS$	$\iint_S \vec{F} \circ \hat{n} dS$
$S_1$	$\vec{i}$	$x^2$	$x=1$	1	$dydz$	$\int_0^1 \int_0^1 dydz$
$S_2$	$-\vec{i}$	$-x^2$	$x=0$	0	$dydz$	0
$S_3$	$\vec{j}$	$y^2$	$y=1$	1	$dx dz$	$\int_0^1 \int_0^1 dx dz$
$S_4$	$-\vec{j}$	$-y^2$	$y=0$	0	$dx dz$	0
$S_5$	$\vec{k}$	$z^2$	$z=1$	1	$dx dy$	$\int_0^1 \int_0^1 dx dy$
$S_6$	$-\vec{k}$	$-z^2$	$z=0$	0	$dx dy$	0

$$\begin{aligned}
 LHS &= \iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} dS = \left( \iint_{S_1} + \iint_{S_2} + \iint_{S_3} + \iint_{S_4} + \iint_{S_5} + \iint_{S_6} \right) \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} dS \\
 &= \int_0^1 \int_0^1 dy dz + \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (0) dy dz + \int_0^1 \int_0^1 dx dz + \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (0) dx dz + \int_0^1 \int_0^1 dx dy + \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (0) dx dy \\
 &= 1 + 1 + 1 = 3 \dots \dots \dots (2)
 \end{aligned}$$

From (1) and (2),

$$\iiint_V \nabla \cdot \vec{F} dv = \left( \iint_{S_1} + \iint_{S_2} + \iint_{S_3} + \iint_{S_4} + \iint_{S_5} + \iint_{S_6} \right) \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} dS$$

Hence Gauss Divergence theorem is verified.

43. **Verify Gauss divergence theorem for  $\vec{F} = x^3\vec{i} + y^3\vec{j} + z^3\vec{k}$  taken over the cube bounded by  $x = 0, x = a, y = 0, y = a, z = 0$  and  $z = a$ .**

**Solution:**

By Gauss Divergence theorem  $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds = \iiint_V \text{div} \vec{F} dV$

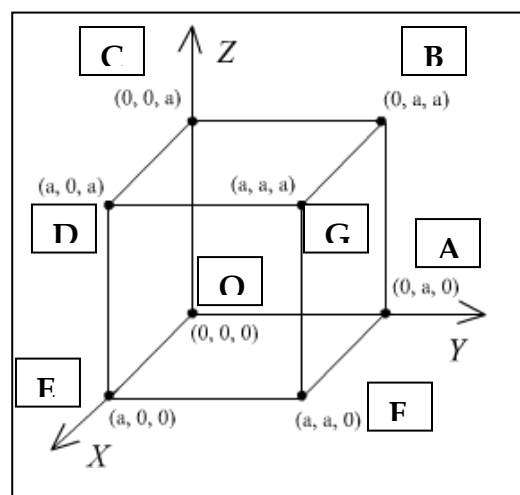
$S_1$	OABC
$S_2$	DEFG
$S_3$	OCDE
$S_4$	ABGF
$S_5$	OEFA
$S_6$	CDGB

Evaluation of LHS:

$$\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds = \iint_{S_1} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds + \iint_{S_2} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds + \dots + \iint_{S_6} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds$$

Over  $S_1$ :  $x = 0, \hat{n} = -\vec{i}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \iint_{S_1} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds &= \int_0^a \int_0^a (x^3\vec{i} + y^3\vec{j} + z^3\vec{k}) \cdot (-\vec{i}) dy dz = \int_0^a \int_0^a -x^3 dy dz \\
 &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$



Over  $S_2$ :  $x = a$ ,  $\hat{n} = \vec{i}$

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_{S_2} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \int_0^a \int_0^a (x^3 \vec{i} + y^3 \vec{j} + z^3 \vec{k}) \cdot (\vec{i}) \, dy \, dz = \int_0^a \int_0^a x^3 \, dy \, dz \\ &= \int_0^a \int_0^a a^3 \, dy \, dz = a^3 \int_0^a [y]_0^a \, dz = a^3 \int_0^a a \, dz \\ &= a^4 [z]_0^a = a^4(a) = a^5\end{aligned}$$

Over  $S_3$ :  $y = 0$ ,  $\hat{n} = -\vec{j}$

$$\iint_{S_3} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \int_0^a \int_0^a (x^3 \vec{i} + y^3 \vec{j} + z^3 \vec{k}) \cdot (-\vec{j}) \, dx \, dz = \int_0^a \int_0^a -y^3 \, dx \, dz = 0$$

Over  $S_4$ :  $y = a$ ,  $\hat{n} = \vec{j}$

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_{S_4} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \int_0^a \int_0^a (x^3 \vec{i} + y^3 \vec{j} + z^3 \vec{k}) \cdot (\vec{j}) \, dx \, dz = \int_0^a \int_0^a y^3 \, dx \, dz \\ &= \int_0^a \int_0^a a^3 \, dx \, dz = a^3 \int_0^a [x]_0^a \, dz = a^3 \int_0^a [a - 0] \, dz = a^4 [z]_0^a = a^4(a) = a^5\end{aligned}$$

Over  $S_5$ :  $z = 0$ ,  $\hat{n} = -\vec{k}$

$$\iint_{S_5} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \int_0^a \int_0^a (x^3 \vec{i} + y^3 \vec{j} + z^3 \vec{k}) \cdot (-\vec{k}) \, dx \, dy = \int_0^a \int_0^a -z^3 \, dx \, dy = 0$$

Over  $S_6$ :  $z = a$ ,  $\hat{n} = \vec{k}$

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_{S_6} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \int_0^a \int_0^a (x^3 \vec{i} + y^3 \vec{j} + z^3 \vec{k}) \cdot (\vec{k}) \, dx \, dy = \int_0^a \int_0^a z^3 \, dx \, dy \\ &= a^3 \int_0^a [x]_0^a \, dy = a^3 \int_0^a a \, dy = a^4 [y]_0^a = a^4(a) = a^5\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = 0 + a^5 + 0 + a^5 + 0 + a^5 = 3a^5$$

Evaluation of RHS:

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{F} = \left( \vec{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \vec{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \vec{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) (x^3 \vec{i} + y^3 \vec{j} + z^3 \vec{k})$$

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{F} = 3x^2 + 3y^2 + 3z^2$$

$$\iiint_V \nabla \cdot \vec{F} \, dV = \int_0^a \int_0^a \int_0^a 3x^2 + 3y^2 + 3z^2 \, dx \, dy \, dz$$

$$= 3 \int_0^a \int_0^a \int_0^a x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \, dx \, dy \, dz$$

$$= 3 \int_0^a \int_0^a \left[ \frac{x^3}{3} + (y^2 + z^2)x \right]_0^a \, dy \, dz$$

$$= 3 \int_0^a \int_0^a \left[ \frac{a^3}{3} + (y^2 + z^2)a \right] \, dy \, dz$$

$$= 3 \int_0^a \left[ \frac{a^3}{3} y + a \frac{y^3}{3} + az^2 y \right]_0^a \, dz$$

$$= 3 \int_0^a \left[ \frac{a^4}{3} + \frac{a^4}{3} + a^2 z^2 \right] \, dz$$

$$= 3 \left[ \frac{a^4}{3} z + \frac{a^4}{3} z + a^2 \frac{z^3}{3} \right]_0^a$$

$$= 3 \left[ \frac{a^5}{3} + \frac{a^5}{3} + \frac{a^5}{3} \right]$$

$$= \frac{9a^5}{3} = 3a^5$$

Hence Gauss Divergence theorem is verified.

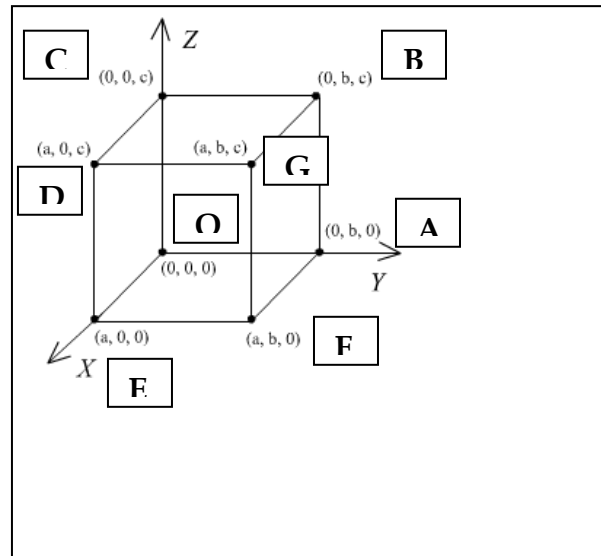
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- 44. rectangular parallelopiped bounded by the planes  $x = 0$ ,  $x = a$ ,  $y = 0$ ,  $y = b$ ,  $z = 0$ , and  $z = c$ .**

**Solution:**

By Gauss Divergence theorem

$$\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iiint_V \text{div} \vec{F} \, dV$$

S1	OABC
S2	DEFG
S3	OCDE
S4	ABGF
S5	OEFA
S6	CDGB



Evaluation of LHS:

$$\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iint_{S_1} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds + \iint_{S_2} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds + \dots + \iint_{S_6} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$$

Over  $S_1$ :  $x = 0$ ,  $\hat{n} = -\vec{i}$ 

$$\iint_{S_1} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \int_0^c \int_0^b (0 - yz)(-1) \, dy \, dz = \int_0^c \int_0^b (yz) \, dy \, dz = \int_0^c \left[ z \left( \frac{y^2}{2} \right)_0^b \right] dz = \frac{b^2}{2} \left( \frac{z^2}{2} \right)_0^c = \frac{b^2 c^2}{4}$$

Over  $S_2$ :  $x = a$ ,  $\hat{n} = \vec{i}$ 

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_{S_2} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \int_0^c \int_0^b (-yz + a^2) \, dy \, dz = \int_0^c \left[ -y \left( \frac{z^2}{2} \right)_0^b + a^2 [z]_0^c \right] dz \\ &= -\frac{c^2}{2} \left( \frac{y^2}{2} \right)_0^b + ca^2 [y]_0^b = a^2 bc - \frac{b^2 c^2}{4} \end{aligned}$$

Over  $S_3$ :  $y = 0$ ,  $\hat{n} = -\vec{j}$ 

$$\iint_{S_3} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \int_0^c \int_0^a (xz) \, dx \, dz = \int_0^c \left( \frac{x^2}{2} z \right)_0^a dz = \frac{a^2}{2} \left( \frac{z^2}{2} \right)_0^c = \frac{a^2 c^2}{4}$$



Over  $S_4$ :  $y = b$ ,  $\hat{n} = \vec{j}$

$$\iint_{S_4} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \int_0^c \int_0^a (-xz + b^2) \, dx \, dz = \int_0^c \left[ -z \left( \frac{a^2}{2} \right) + b^2 a \right] dz = ab^2 c - \frac{a^2 c^2}{4}$$

Over  $S_5$ :  $z = 0$ ,  $\hat{n} = -\vec{k}$

$$\iint_{S_5} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \int_0^b \int_0^a (xy) \, dx \, dy = \int_0^b \left[ y \left( \frac{x^2}{2} \right)_0^a \right] dy = \frac{a^2 b^2}{4}$$

Over  $S_6$ :  $z = c$ ,  $\hat{n} = \vec{k}$

$$\iint_{S_6} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \int_0^b \int_0^a (-xy + c^2) \, dx \, dy = \int_0^b \left[ -y \left( \frac{a^2}{2} \right) + c^2 a \right] dy = abc^2 - \frac{a^2 b^2}{4}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \frac{b^2 c^2}{4} + a^2 bc - \frac{b^2 c^2}{4} + \frac{a^2 c^2}{4} + a b^2 c - \frac{a^2 c^2}{4} + \frac{a^2 b^2}{4} + a bc^2 - \frac{a^2 b^2}{4} \\ &= a^2 bc + ab^2 c + abc^2 = abc(a + b + c) \end{aligned}$$

Evaluation of RHS:

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{F} = 2(x + y + z)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \iiint_V \nabla \cdot \vec{F} \, dV &= \int_0^c \int_0^b \int_0^a 2(x + y + z) \, dx \, dy \, dz \\ &= 2 \int_0^c \int_0^b \left[ \frac{x^2}{2} + xy + xz \right]_0^a dy \, dz \\ &= 2 \int_0^c \int_0^b \left[ \frac{a^2}{2} + ay + az \right] dy \, dz \\ &= 2 \int_0^c \left[ \frac{a^2}{2} y + a \frac{y^2}{2} + ayz \right]_0^b dz \\ &= 2 \left[ \frac{a^2 bz}{2} + \frac{ab^2 z}{2} + \frac{abz^2}{2} \right]_0^c \end{aligned}$$

$$= 2 \left[ \frac{a^2bc}{2} + \frac{ab^2c}{2} + \frac{abc^2}{2} \right] = a^2bc + ab^2c + abc^2 = abc(a+b+c)$$

Hence Gauss divergence theorem is verified.

45. Evaluate  $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds$  where  $\vec{F} = 4x\vec{i} - 2y^2\vec{j} + z^2\vec{k}$  and  $S$  is the surface bounding the region  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ ,  $z = 0$  and  $z = 3$ .

**Solution:**

Gauss divergence theorem is

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds &= \iiint_V \nabla \cdot \vec{F} dv \\ &= \iiint_V \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(4x) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(-2y^2) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(z^2) \right] dv \\ &= \iiint_V [4 - 4y + 2z] dv = \int_{-2}^2 \int_{\sqrt{4-x_2}}^{\sqrt{4-x_2}} \int_0^3 (4 - 4y + 2z) dz dy dx \\ &= \int_{-2}^2 \int_{\sqrt{4-x_2}}^{\sqrt{4-x_2}} \int_0^3 \left[ 4x - 4yz + \frac{2z^2}{2} \right]_0^3 dy dx = \int_{-2}^2 \int_{\sqrt{4-x_2}}^{\sqrt{4-x_2}} [(12 - 12y + 9) - 0] dy dx \\ &= \int_{-2}^2 \int_{\sqrt{4-x_2}}^{\sqrt{4-x_2}} [21 - 12y] dx = \int_{-2}^2 \left[ 21y - 12 \frac{y^2}{2} \right]_{\sqrt{4-x_2}}^{\sqrt{4-x_2}} dx \\ &= \int_{-2}^2 42\sqrt{4-x^2} dx = (42)(2) \int_0^2 \sqrt{4-x^2} dx = 84 \left[ \frac{x}{2} \sqrt{4-x^2} + \frac{4}{2} \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{x}{2} \right) \right]_0^2 \\ &= 84\pi \end{aligned}$$

46. If  $F = ax\vec{i} + by\vec{j} + cz\vec{k}$ ,  $a, b, c$  are constants, show that  $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds = \frac{4\pi}{3}(a+b+c)$  where  $S$  is the surface of a unit sphere.

**Solution:**

W.K.T. Gauss's divergence theorem

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds &= \iiint_V \nabla \cdot \vec{F} dV = \iiint_V \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(ax) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(by) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(cz) \right) dV \\ &= \iiint_V (a+b+c) dV = (a+b+c)V = (a+b+c) \frac{4}{3} \pi (1)^3\end{aligned}$$

$$\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds = \frac{4}{3} \pi (a+b+c)$$

47. Evaluate  $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$  where  $\vec{F} = 3x^2\vec{i} + (2xz - y)\vec{j} + z\vec{k}$  and C is the straight line from A (0, 0, 0) to B (2, 1, 3).

**Solution:**

Given  $\vec{F} = 3x^2\vec{i} + (2xz - y)\vec{j} + z\vec{k}$

$$d\vec{r} = dx\vec{i} + dy\vec{j} + dz\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = 3x^2 dx + (2xz - y) dy + z dz$$

The equation of AB is  $\frac{x}{2} = \frac{y}{1} = \frac{z}{3} = t$  (say)  $\left( \because \frac{x-x_1}{x_2-x_1} = \frac{y-y_1}{y_2-y_1} = \frac{z-z_1}{z_2-z_1} \right)$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2t \Rightarrow dx = 2dt$$

$$y = t \Rightarrow dy = dt, \quad \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_0^1 3x^2 dx + (2xz - y) dy + z dz$$

$$z = 3t \Rightarrow dz = 3dt$$

$$= \int_0^1 (36t^2 + 8t) dt = \left[ 36 \frac{t^3}{3} + 8 \left( \frac{t^2}{2} \right) \right]_0^1 = 16$$

48. Find the work done when a force  $\vec{F} = (x^2 - y^2 + x)\vec{i} - (2xy + y)\vec{j}$  moves a particle in the XY - plane from (0, 0) to (1,1) along the parabola  $y^2 = x$ .

**Solution:**

Given  $\vec{F} = (x^2 - y^2 + x)\vec{i} - (2xy + y)\vec{j}$

$$d\vec{r} = dx\vec{i} + dy\vec{j} + dz\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = (x^2 - y^2 + x) dx - (2xy + y) dy.$$

Given  $y^2 = x$

$$2ydy = dx$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} &= (x^2 - x + x)dx - (2y^3 + y)dy \\ &= x^2dx - (2y^3 + y)dy\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \int_0^1 x^2 dx - \int_0^1 (2y^3 + y) dy \\ &= \left[ \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^1 - \left[ \frac{2y^4}{4} + \frac{y^2}{2} \right]_0^1 \\ &= \left( \frac{1}{3} - 0 \right) - \left[ \left( \frac{2}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \right) - (0 + 0) \right] = \frac{-2}{3}\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{Work done} = \frac{2}{3}$$

49. If  $F = (3x^2 + 6y)\vec{i} - 14yz\vec{j} + 20xz^2\vec{k}$ , evaluate  $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$  from  $(0,0,0)$  to  $(1,1,1)$  along the curve  $\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{t}, \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{t}^2, \mathbf{z} = \mathbf{t}^3$ .

**Solution:**

The end points are  $(0,0,0)$  and  $(1,1,1)$ .

These points correspond to  $t = 0$  and  $t = 1$ .

$$\therefore dx = dt, \quad dy = 2t dt, \quad dz = 3t^2 dt$$

$$\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_C (3x^2 + 6y)dx - 14yzdy + 20xz^2dz$$

$$= \int_0^1 (3t^2 + 6t^2)dt - 14t^5(2tdt) + 20t^7(3t^2)dt = \int_0^1 (9t^2 - 28t^6 + 60t^9)dt = 5$$

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