

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla \times \frac{(\vec{a} \times \vec{r})}{r^n} &= \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ \frac{a_2 z - a_3 y}{r^n} & \frac{a_3 x - a_1 z}{r^n} & \frac{a_1 y - a_2 x}{r^n} \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \hat{i} \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( \frac{a_1 y - a_2 x}{r^n} \right) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left( \frac{a_3 x - a_1 z}{r^n} \right) \right] - \hat{j} \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \frac{a_1 y - a_2 x}{r^n} \right) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left( \frac{a_2 z - a_3 y}{r^n} \right) \right] \\ &\quad + \hat{k} \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \frac{a_3 x - a_1 z}{r^n} \right) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( \frac{a_2 z - a_3 y}{r^n} \right) \right]\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now, } r^2 = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \Rightarrow 2r \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} = 2x \Rightarrow \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} = \frac{x}{r}$$

$$\text{Similarly, } \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} = \frac{y}{r}, \quad \frac{\partial r}{\partial z} = \frac{z}{r}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \nabla \times \left( \frac{\vec{a} \times \vec{r}}{r^n} \right) &= \hat{i} \left[ \left\{ -nr^{-n-1} \left( \frac{y}{r} \right) (a_1 y - a_2 x) + \frac{1}{r^n} a_1 \right\} \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \left\{ -nr^{-n-1} \left( \frac{z}{r} \right) (a_3 x - a_1 z) + \frac{1}{r^n} (-a_1) \right\} \right] + \text{two similar terms} \\ &= \hat{i} \left[ -\frac{n}{r^{n+2}} (a_1 y^2 - a_2 xy) + \frac{a_1}{r^n} + \frac{n}{r^{n+2}} (a_3 xz - a_1 z^2) + \frac{a_1}{r^n} \right] + \text{two similar terms} \\ &= \hat{i} \left[ \frac{2a_1}{r^n} - \frac{n}{r^{n+2}} a_1 (y^2 + z^2) + \frac{n}{r^{n+2}} (a_2 xy + a_3 xz) \right] + \text{two similar terms}\end{aligned}$$

Adding and subtracting  $\frac{n}{r^{n+2}} a_1 x^2$  to third and from second term, we get

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{\nabla} \times \left( \frac{\vec{a} \times \vec{r}}{r^n} \right) &= \hat{i} \left[ \frac{2a_1}{r^n} - \frac{na_1}{r^{n+2}} (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) + \frac{n}{r^{n+2}} (a_1 x^2 + a_2 xy + a_3 xz) \right] \\ &\quad + \text{two similar terms} \\ &= \hat{i} \left[ \frac{2a_1}{r^n} - \frac{na_1}{r^{n+2}} r^2 + \frac{n}{r^{n+2}} x(a_1 x + a_2 y + a_3 z) \right] + \text{two similar terms} \\ &= \hat{i} \left[ \frac{2a_1}{r^n} - \frac{na_1}{r^n} + \frac{n}{r^{n+2}} x(a_1 x + a_2 y + a_3 z) \right] + \hat{j} \left[ \frac{2a_2}{r^n} - \frac{na_2}{r^n} + \frac{n}{r^{n+2}} y(a_2 y + a_3 z + a_1 x) \right] \\ &\quad + \hat{k} \left[ \frac{2a_3}{r^n} - \frac{na_3}{r^n} + \frac{n}{r^{n+2}} z(a_3 z + a_1 x + a_2 y) \right] \\ &= \frac{2}{r^n} (a_1 \hat{i} + a_2 \hat{j} + a_3 \hat{k}) - \frac{n}{r^n} (a_1 \hat{i} + a_2 \hat{j} + a_3 \hat{k}) + \frac{n}{r^{n+2}} (a_1 x + a_2 y + a_3 z) (x \hat{i} + y \hat{j} + z \hat{k}) \\ &= \frac{2-n}{r^n} (a_1 \hat{i} + a_2 \hat{j} + a_3 \hat{k}) + \frac{n}{r^{n+2}} (a_1 x + a_2 y + a_3 z) (x \hat{i} + y \hat{j} + z \hat{k}) \\ &= \frac{2-n}{r^n} \vec{a} + \frac{n}{r^{n+2}} (\vec{a} \cdot \vec{r}) \vec{r}\end{aligned}$$

**Proved.**

**Example 63.** If  $f$  and  $g$  are two scalar point functions, prove that

$$\operatorname{div} (f \nabla g) = f \nabla^2 g + \nabla f \cdot \nabla g. \quad (\text{U.P., I Semester, compartment, Winter 2001})$$

**Solution.** We have,  $\nabla g = \frac{\partial g}{\partial x} \hat{i} + \frac{\partial g}{\partial y} \hat{j} + \frac{\partial g}{\partial z} \hat{k}$

$$\Rightarrow f \nabla g = f \frac{\partial g}{\partial x} \hat{i} + f \frac{\partial g}{\partial y} \hat{j} + f \frac{\partial g}{\partial z} \hat{k}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \operatorname{div} (f \nabla g) &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( f \frac{\partial g}{\partial x} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( f \frac{\partial g}{\partial y} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left( f \frac{\partial g}{\partial z} \right) \\ &= f \left( \frac{\partial^2 g}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 g}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 g}{\partial z^2} \right) + \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial g}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial g}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \frac{\partial g}{\partial z} \right) \\ &= f \left( \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial z^2} \right) g + \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \hat{i} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \hat{j} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \hat{k} \right) \cdot \left( \frac{\partial g}{\partial x} \hat{i} + \frac{\partial g}{\partial y} \hat{j} + \frac{\partial g}{\partial z} \hat{k} \right) \\ &= f \nabla^2 g + \nabla f \cdot \nabla g \end{aligned} \quad \text{Proved.}$$

**Example 64.** For a solenoidal vector  $\vec{F}$ , show that  $\operatorname{curl} \operatorname{curl} \operatorname{curl} \operatorname{curl} \vec{F} = \nabla^4 \vec{F}$ .  
(M.D.U., Dec. 2009)

**Solution.** Since vector  $\vec{F}$  is solenoidal, so  $\operatorname{div} \vec{F} = 0$  ... (1)

We know that  $\operatorname{curl} \operatorname{curl} \vec{F} = \operatorname{grad} \operatorname{div} (\vec{F}) - \nabla^2 \vec{F}$  ... (2)

Using (1) in (2),  $\operatorname{grad} \operatorname{div} \vec{F} = \operatorname{grad} (0) = 0$  ... (3)

On putting the value of  $\operatorname{grad} \operatorname{div} \vec{F}$  in (2), we get

$$\operatorname{curl} \operatorname{curl} \vec{F} = -\nabla^2 \vec{F} \quad \dots (4)$$

Now,  $\operatorname{curl} \operatorname{curl} \operatorname{curl} \operatorname{curl} \vec{F} = \operatorname{curl} \operatorname{curl} (-\nabla^2 \vec{F})$  [Using (4)]

$$= -\operatorname{curl} \operatorname{curl} (\nabla^2 \vec{F}) = -[\operatorname{grad} \operatorname{div} (\nabla^2 \vec{F}) - \nabla^2 (\nabla^2 \vec{F})] \quad \text{[Using (2)]}$$

$$= -\operatorname{grad} (\nabla \cdot \nabla^2 \vec{F}) + \nabla^2 (\nabla^2 \vec{F}) = -\operatorname{grad} (\nabla^2 \nabla \cdot \vec{F}) + \nabla^4 \vec{F} \quad [\nabla \cdot \vec{F} = 0]$$

$$= 0 + \nabla^4 \vec{F} = \nabla^4 \vec{F} \quad \text{[Using (1)]} \quad \text{Proved.}$$

### EXERCISE 5.9

- Find the divergence and curl of the vector field  $V = (x^2 - y^2) \hat{i} + 2xy \hat{j} + (y^2 - x^2) \hat{k}$ .

**Ans.** Divergence =  $4x$ , Curl =  $(2y - x) \hat{i} + y \hat{j} + 4y \hat{k}$

- If  $a$  is constant vector and  $r$  is the radius vector, prove that

$$(i) \nabla(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{r}) = \vec{a} \quad (ii) \operatorname{div} (\vec{r} \times \vec{a}) = 0 \quad (iii) \operatorname{curl} (\vec{r} \times \vec{a}) = -2\vec{a}$$

where  $\vec{r} = x \hat{i} + y \hat{j} + z \hat{k}$  and  $\vec{a} = a_1 \hat{i} + a_2 \hat{j} + a_3 \hat{k}$ .

- Prove that:

$$(i) \nabla(\phi A) = \nabla \phi \cdot A + \phi (\nabla \cdot A)$$

$$(ii) \nabla(A \cdot B) = (A \cdot \nabla) B + (B \cdot \nabla) A + A \times (\nabla \times B) + B \times (\nabla \times A) \quad \text{(R.G.P.V. Bhopal, June 2004)}$$

$$(iii) \nabla \times (A \times B) = (B \cdot \nabla) A - B(\nabla \cdot A) - (A \cdot \nabla) B + A(\nabla \cdot B)$$

- If  $F = (x + y + 1) \hat{i} + \hat{j} - (x + y) \hat{k}$ , show that  $F \cdot \operatorname{curl} F = 0$ .

(R.G.P.V. Bhopal, Feb. 2006, June 2004)

**Prove that**

$$5. \nabla \times (\phi \vec{F}) = (\nabla \phi) \times \vec{F} + \phi (\nabla \times \vec{F})$$

$$6. \nabla \cdot (\vec{F} \times \vec{G}) = \vec{G} \cdot (\nabla \times \vec{F}) - \vec{F} \cdot (\nabla \times \vec{G})$$

$$7. \text{Evaluate } \operatorname{div} (\vec{A} \times \vec{r}) \text{ if } \operatorname{curl} \vec{A} = 0.$$

$$8. \text{Prove that } \operatorname{curl} (\vec{a} \times \vec{r}) = 2\vec{a}$$

9. Find  $\text{div } \vec{F}$  and  $\text{curl } F$  where  $F = \text{grad } (x^3 + y^3 + z^3 - 3xyz)$ . (R.G.P.V. Bhopal Dec. 2003)

**Ans.**  $\text{div } \vec{F} = 6(x + y + z)$ ,  $\text{curl } \vec{F} = 0$

10. Find out values of  $a, b, c$  for which  $\vec{v} = (x + y + az)\hat{i} + (bx + 3y - z)\hat{j} + (3x + cy + z)\hat{k}$  is irrotational.

**Ans.**  $a = 3, b = 1, c = -1$

11. Determine the constants  $a, b, c$ , so that  $\vec{F} = (x + 2y + az)\hat{i} + (bx - 3y - z)\hat{j} + (4x + cy + 2z)\hat{k}$  is irrotational. Hence find the scalar potential  $\phi$  such that  $\vec{F} = \text{grad } \phi$ .

(R.G.P.V. Bhopal, Feb. 2005) **Ans.**  $a = 4, b = 2, c = 1$

Potential  $\phi = \left( \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{3y^2}{2} + z^2 + 2xy - yz + 4zx \right)$

**Choose the correct alternative:**

12. The magnitude of the vector drawn in a direction perpendicular to the surface  $x^2 + 2y^2 + z^2 = 7$  at the point  $(1, -1, 2)$  is

(i)  $\frac{2}{3}$  (ii)  $\frac{3}{2}$  (iii) 3 (iv) 6 (A.M.I.E.T.E., Summer 2000) **Ans.** (iv)

13. If  $u = x^2 - y^2 + z^2$  and  $\vec{V} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$  then  $\nabla(u\vec{V})$  is equal to

(i)  $5u$  (ii)  $5|\vec{V}|$  (iii)  $5(u - |\vec{V}|)$  (iv)  $5(u + |\vec{V}|)$  (A.M.I.E.T.E., June 2007)

14. A unit normal to  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 5$  at  $(0, 1, 2)$  is equal to

(i)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}(\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k})$  (ii)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}(\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k})$  (iii)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}(\hat{j} + 2\hat{k})$  (iv)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}(\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k})$  (A.M.I.E.T.E., Dec. 2008)

15. The directional derivative of  $\phi = x y z$  at the point  $(1, 1, 1)$  in the direction  $\hat{i}$  is:

(i) -1 (ii)  $-\frac{1}{3}$  (iii) 1 (iv)  $\frac{1}{3}$  **Ans.** (iii)  
(R.G.P.V. Bhopal, II Sem., June 2007)

16. If  $\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$  and  $r = |\vec{r}|$  then  $\nabla\phi(r)$  is:

(i)  $\phi'(r)\vec{r}$  (ii)  $\frac{\phi(r)\vec{r}}{r}$  (iii)  $\frac{\phi'(r)\vec{r}}{r}$  (iv) None of these **Ans.** (iii)  
(R.G.P.V. Bhopal, II Semester, Feb. 2006)

17. If  $\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$  is position vector, then value of  $\nabla(\log r)$  is (U.P., I Sem, Dec 2008)

(i)  $\frac{\vec{r}}{r}$  (ii)  $\frac{\vec{r}}{r^2}$  (iii)  $-\frac{\vec{r}}{r^3}$  (iv) none of the above. **Ans.** (ii)

18. If  $\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$  and  $|\vec{r}| = r$ , then  $\text{div } \frac{\vec{r}}{r}$  is:

(i) 2 (ii) 3 (iii) -3 (iv) -2 **Ans.** (ii)  
(R.G.P.V. Bhopal, II Semester, Feb. 2006)

19. If  $\vec{V} = xy^2\hat{i} + 2yx^2z\hat{j} - 3yz^2\hat{k}$  then  $\text{curl } \vec{V}$  at point  $(1, -1, 1)$  is

(i)  $-(\hat{j} + 2\hat{k})$  (ii)  $(\hat{i} + 3\hat{k})$  (iii)  $-(\hat{i} + 2\hat{k})$  (iv)  $(\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k})$  (R.G.P.V. Bhopal, II Semester, Feb 2006)  
**Ans.** (iii)

20. If  $\vec{A}$  is such that  $\nabla \times \vec{A} = 0$  then  $\vec{A}$  is called

(i) Irrotational (ii) Solenoidal (iii) Rotational (iv) None of these (A.M.I.E.T.E., Dec. 2008)

21. If  $\vec{F}$  is a conservative force field, then the value of  $\text{curl } \vec{F}$  is

(i) 0 (ii) 1 (iii)  $\nabla F$  (iv) -1 (A.M.I.E.T.E., June 2007)

22. If  $\nabla^2 [(1-x)(1-2x)]$  is equal to  
 (i) 2 (ii) 3 (iii) 4 (iv) 6 (A.M.I.E.T.E., Dec. 2009) **Ans.** (iii)
23. If  $\vec{R} = xi + yj + zk$  and  $\vec{A}$  is a constant vector,  $\text{curl} (\vec{A} \times \vec{R})$  is equal to  
 (i)  $\vec{R}$  (ii)  $2\vec{R}$  (iii)  $\vec{A}$  (iv)  $2\vec{A}$  (A.M.I.E.T.E., Dec. 2009) **Ans.** (iv)
24. If  $r$  is the distance of a point  $(x, y, z)$  from the origin, the value of the expression  $\hat{j} \times \text{grad} \frac{1}{2}$  equals  
 (i)  $(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{-\frac{3}{2}} (\hat{j}z - \hat{k}x)$  (ii)  $(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{-\frac{3}{2}} (\hat{j}z - \hat{i}x)$   
 (iii) zero (iv)  $(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{-\frac{3}{2}} (\hat{j}y - \hat{k}x)$   
 (A.M.I.E.T.E., Dec. 2010) **Ans.** (ii)

### 5.33 LINE INTEGRAL

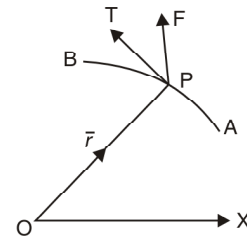
Let  $\vec{F}(x, y, z)$  be a vector function and a curve  $AB$ .

Line integral of a vector function  $\vec{F}$  along the curve  $AB$  is defined as integral of the component of  $\vec{F}$  along the tangent to the curve  $AB$ .

Component of  $\vec{F}$  along a tangent  $PT$  at  $P$

$$= \text{Dot product of } \vec{F} \text{ and unit vector along } PT$$

$$= \vec{F} \cdot \frac{d\vec{r}}{ds} \left( \frac{d\vec{r}}{ds} \text{ is a unit vector along tangent } PT \right)$$



$$\text{Line integral} = \sum \vec{F} \cdot \frac{d\vec{r}}{ds} \text{ from A to B along the curve}$$

$$\therefore \text{Line integral} = \int_c \left( \vec{F} \cdot \frac{d\vec{r}}{ds} \right) ds = \int_c \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$$

**Note (1) Work.** If  $\vec{F}$  represents the variable force acting on a particle along arc  $AB$ , then the total work done  $= \int_A^B \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$

**(2) Circulation.** If  $\vec{V}$  represents the velocity of a liquid then  $\oint_c \vec{V} \cdot d\vec{r}$  is called the circulation of  $V$  round the closed curve  $c$ .

If the circulation of  $V$  round every closed curve is zero then  $V$  is said to be irrotational there.

**(3)** When the path of integration is a closed curve then notation of integration is  $\oint$  in place of  $\int$ .

**Example 65.** If a force  $\vec{F} = 2x^2y\hat{i} + 3xy\hat{j}$  displaces a particle in the  $xy$ -plane from  $(0, 0)$  to  $(1, 4)$  along a curve  $y = 4x^2$ . Find the work done.

$$\text{Solution. Work done} = \int_c \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$$

$$= \int_c (2x^2y\hat{i} + 3xy\hat{j}) \cdot (dx\hat{i} + dy\hat{j})$$

$$= \int_c (2x^2y dx + 3xy dy)$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} \vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} \\ d\vec{r} = dx\hat{i} + dy\hat{j} \end{array} \right]$$

Putting the values of  $y$  and  $dy$ , we get

$$\begin{pmatrix} y = 4x^2 \\ dy = 8x dx \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int_0^1 [2x^2 (4x^2) dx + 3x (4x^2) 8x dx] \\ &= 104 \int_0^1 x^4 dx = 104 \left( \frac{x^5}{5} \right)_0^1 = \frac{104}{5} \end{aligned}$$

**Ans.**

**Example 66.** Evaluate  $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$  where  $\vec{F} = x^2\hat{i} + xy\hat{j}$  and  $C$  is the boundary of the square in the plane  $z = 0$  and bounded by the lines  $x = 0$ ,  $y = 0$ ,  $x = a$  and  $y = a$ .

(Nagpur University, Summer 2001)

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

Here  $\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j}$ ,  $d\vec{r} = dx\hat{i} + dy\hat{j}$ ,  $\vec{F} = x^2\hat{i} + xy\hat{j}$

$$\vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = x^2 dx + xy dy \quad \dots(1)$$

On  $OA$ ,  $y = 0$

$$\therefore \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = x^2 dx$$

$$\int_{OA} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_0^a x^2 dx = \left[ \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^a = \frac{a^3}{3} \quad \dots(2)$$

On  $AB$ ,  $x = a$   
(1) becomes

$$\therefore dx = 0$$

$$\therefore \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = ay dy$$

$$\int_{AB} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_0^a ay dy = a \left[ \frac{y^2}{2} \right]_0^a = \frac{a^3}{2} \quad \dots(3)$$

On  $BC$ ,  $y = a$

$$\therefore dy = 0$$

$\Rightarrow$  (1) becomes

$$\vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = x^2 dx$$

$$\int_{BC} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_a^0 x^2 dx = \left[ \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_a^0 = -\frac{a^3}{3} \quad \dots(4)$$

On  $CO$ ,  $x = 0$ ,  
(1) becomes

$$\therefore \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = 0$$

$$\int_{CO} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = 0 \quad \dots(5)$$

On adding (2), (3), (4) and (5), we get  $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \frac{a^3}{3} + \frac{a^3}{2} - \frac{a^3}{3} + 0 = \frac{a^3}{2}$

**Ans.**

**Example 67.** A vector field is given by

$$\vec{F} = (2y + 3)\hat{i} + xz\hat{j} + (yz - x)\hat{k}. \text{ Evaluate } \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} \text{ along the path } c \text{ is } x = 2t,$$

$$y = t, z = t^3 \text{ from } t = 0 \text{ to } t = 1.$$

(Nagpur University, Winter 2003)

**Solution.**  $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_C (2y + 3) dx + (xz) dy + (yz - x) dz$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} \text{Since } x = 2t \quad y = t \quad z = t^3 \\ \therefore \frac{dx}{dt} = 2 \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = 1 \quad \frac{dz}{dt} = 3t^2 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \int_0^1 (2t+3)(2 dt) + (2t)(t^3) dt + (t^4 - 2t)(3t^2 dt) = \int_0^1 (4t + 6 + 2t^4 + 3t^6 - 6t^3) dt \\
 &= \left[ 4 \frac{t^2}{2} + 6t + \frac{2}{5} t^5 + \frac{3}{7} t^7 - \frac{6}{4} t^4 \right]_0^1 = \left[ 2t^2 + 6t + \frac{2}{5} t^5 + \frac{3}{7} t^7 - \frac{3}{2} t^4 \right]_0^1 \\
 &= 2 + 6 + \frac{2}{5} + \frac{3}{7} - \frac{3}{2} = 7.32857.
 \end{aligned}$$

Ans.

**Example 68.** The acceleration of a particle at time  $t$  is given by

$$\vec{a} = 18 \cos 3t \hat{i} - 8 \sin 2t \hat{j} + 6t \hat{k}.$$

If the velocity  $\vec{v}$  and displacement  $\vec{r}$  be zero at  $t = 0$ , find  $\vec{v}$  and  $\vec{r}$  at any point  $t$ .

**Solution.** Here,  $\vec{a} = \frac{d^2 \vec{r}}{dt^2} = 18 \cos 3t \hat{i} - 8 \sin 2t \hat{j} + 6t \hat{k}$ .

On integrating, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \vec{v} &= \frac{d\vec{r}}{dt} = \hat{i} \int 18 \cos 3t dt + \hat{j} \int -8 \sin 2t dt + \hat{k} \int 6t dt \\
 \Rightarrow \vec{v} &= 6 \sin 3t \hat{i} + 4 \cos 2t \hat{j} + 3t^2 \hat{k} + \vec{c} \quad \dots(1)
 \end{aligned}$$

At  $t = 0$ ,  $\vec{v} = \vec{0}$

Putting  $t = 0$  and  $\vec{v} = \vec{0}$  in (1), we get

$$\vec{0} = 4\hat{j} + \vec{c} \Rightarrow \vec{c} = -4\hat{j}$$

$$\therefore \vec{v} = \frac{d\vec{r}}{dt} = 6 \sin 3t \hat{i} + 4(\cos 2t - 1) \hat{j} + 3t^2 \hat{k}$$

Again integrating, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \vec{r} &= \hat{i} \int 6 \sin 3t dt + \hat{j} \int 4(\cos 2t - 1) dt + \hat{k} \int 3t^2 dt \\
 \Rightarrow \vec{r} &= -2 \cos 3t \hat{i} + (2 \sin 2t - 4t) \hat{j} + t^3 \hat{k} + \vec{c}_1 \quad \dots(2)
 \end{aligned}$$

At,  $t = 0$ ,  $\vec{r} = \vec{0}$

Putting  $t = 0$  and  $\vec{r} = \vec{0}$  in (2), we get

$$\therefore \vec{0} = -2\hat{i} + \vec{C}_1 \Rightarrow \vec{C}_1 = 2\hat{i}$$

$$\text{Hence, } \vec{r} = 2(1 - \cos 3t) \hat{i} + 2(\sin 2t - 2t) \hat{j} + t^3 \hat{k} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

**Example 69.** If  $\vec{A} = (3x^2 + 6y) \hat{i} - 14yz \hat{j} + 20xz^2 \hat{k}$ , evaluate the line integral  $\oint_C \vec{A} \cdot d\vec{r}$  from  $(0, 0, 0)$  to  $(1, 1, 1)$  along the curve  $C$ .

$$x = t, y = t^2, z = t^3.$$

(Uttarakhand, I Semester, Dec. 2006)

**Solution.** We have,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int_C \vec{A} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \int_C [(3x^2 + 6y) \hat{i} - 14yz \hat{j} + 20xz^2 \hat{k}] \cdot [\hat{i} dx + \hat{j} dy + \hat{k} dz] \\
 &= \int_C [(3x^2 + 6y) dx - 14yz dy + 20xz^2 dz]
 \end{aligned}$$

If  $x = t, y = t^2, z = t^3$ , then points  $(0, 0, 0)$  and  $(1, 1, 1)$  correspond to  $t = 0$  and  $t = 1$  respectively.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Now, } \int_C \vec{A} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \int_{t=0}^{t=1} [(3t^2 + 6t^2) d(t) - 14t^2 \cdot t^3 d(t^2) + 20t(t^3)^2 d(t^3)] \\
 &= \int_{t=0}^{t=1} [9t^2 dt - 14t^5 \cdot 2t dt + 20t^7 \cdot 3t^2 dt] = \int_0^1 (9t^2 - 28t^6 + 60t^9) dt
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= \left[ 9 \left( \frac{t^3}{3} \right) - 28 \left( \frac{t^7}{7} \right) + 60 \left( \frac{t^{10}}{10} \right) \right]_0^1 = 3 - 4 + 6 = 5 \quad \text{Ans.}$$

**Example 70.** Evaluate  $\iint_S \vec{A} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$  where  $\vec{A} = (x + y^2)\hat{i} - 2x\hat{j} + 2yz\hat{k}$  and  $S$  is the surface of the plane  $2x + y + 2z = 6$  in the first octant. (Nagpur University, Summer 2000)

**Solution.** A vector normal to the surface “S” is given by

$$\nabla (2x + y + 2z) = \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) (2x + y + 2z) = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$$

And  $\hat{n}$  = a unit vector normal to surface  $S$

$$= \frac{2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}}{\sqrt{4+1+4}} = \frac{2}{3}\hat{i} + \frac{1}{3}\hat{j} + \frac{2}{3}\hat{k}$$

$$\hat{k} \cdot \hat{n} = \hat{k} \cdot \left( \frac{2}{3}\hat{i} + \frac{1}{3}\hat{j} + \frac{2}{3}\hat{k} \right) = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\therefore \iint_S \vec{A} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iint_R \vec{A} \cdot \hat{n} \frac{dx \, dy}{\hat{k} \cdot \hat{n}}$$

Where  $R$  is the projection of  $S$ .

$$\text{Now, } \vec{A} \cdot \hat{n} = [(x + y^2)\hat{i} - 2x\hat{j} + 2yz\hat{k}] \cdot \left( \frac{2}{3}\hat{i} + \frac{1}{3}\hat{j} + \frac{2}{3}\hat{k} \right)$$

$$= \frac{2}{3}(x + y^2) - \frac{2}{3}x + \frac{4}{3}yz = \frac{2}{3}y^2 + \frac{4}{3}yz \quad \dots(1)$$

Putting the value of  $z$  in (1), we get

$$\vec{A} \cdot \hat{n} = \frac{2}{3}y^2 + \frac{4}{3}y \left( \frac{6-2x-y}{2} \right) \left( \because \text{on the plane } 2x + y + 2z = 6, \right. \\ \left. z = \frac{(6-2x-y)}{2} \right)$$

$$\vec{A} \cdot \hat{n} = \frac{2}{3}y(y + 6 - 2x - y) = \frac{4}{3}y(3 - x) \quad \dots(2)$$

$$\text{Hence, } \iint_S \vec{A} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iint_R \vec{A} \cdot \hat{n} \frac{dx \, dy}{|\hat{k} \cdot \hat{n}|} \quad \dots(3)$$

Putting the value of  $\vec{A} \cdot \hat{n}$  from (2) in (3), we get

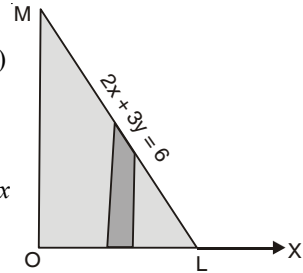
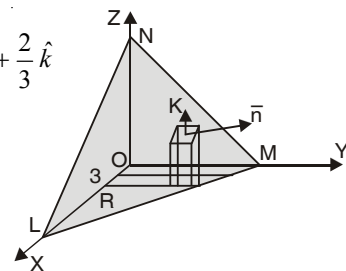
$$\iint_S \vec{A} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iint_R \frac{4}{3}y(3 - x) \cdot \frac{3}{2} dx \, dy = \int_0^3 \int_0^{6-2x} 2y(3 - x) \, dy \, dx$$

$$= \int_0^3 2(3 - x) \left[ \frac{y^2}{2} \right]_0^{6-2x} dx$$

$$= \int_0^3 (3 - x)(6 - 2x)^2 dx = 4 \int_0^3 (3 - x)^3 dx$$

$$= 4 \left[ \frac{(3 - x)^4}{4(-1)} \right]_0^3 = -(0 - 81) = 81 \quad \text{Ans.}$$

**Example 71.** Compute  $\int_c \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$ , where  $\vec{F} = \frac{\hat{y} - \hat{x}}{x^2 + y^2}$  and  $c$  is the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$  traversed counter clockwise.



**Solution.**  $\vec{r} = \hat{i}x + \hat{j}y + \hat{k}z, d\vec{r} = \hat{i}dx + \hat{j}dy + \hat{k}dz$

$$\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_C \frac{\hat{i}y - \hat{j}x}{x^2 + y^2} \cdot (\hat{i}dx + \hat{j}dy + \hat{k}dz)$$

$$= \int_C \frac{ydx - xdy}{x^2 + y^2} = \int_C (ydx - xdy) \quad \dots(1) [\because x^2 + y^2 = 1]$$

Parametric equation of the circle are  $x = \cos \theta, y = \sin \theta$ .

Putting  $x = \cos \theta, y = \sin \theta, dx = -\sin \theta d\theta, dy = \cos \theta d\theta$  in (1), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \int_0^{2\pi} \sin \theta (-\sin \theta d\theta) - \cos \theta (\cos \theta d\theta) \\ &= -\int_0^{2\pi} (\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta) d\theta = -\int_0^{2\pi} d\theta = -(\theta)_0^{2\pi} = -2\pi \quad \text{Ans.} \end{aligned}$$

**Example 72.** Show that the vector field  $\vec{F} = 2x(y^2 + z^3)\hat{i} + 2x^2y\hat{j} + 3x^2z^2\hat{k}$  is conservative. Find its scalar potential and the work done in moving a particle from  $(-1, 2, 1)$  to  $(2, 3, 4)$ .  
(A.M.I.E.T.E. June 2010, 2009)

**Solution.** Here, we have

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

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

$$= \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ 2x(y^2 + z^3) & 2x^2y & 3x^2z^2 \end{vmatrix} = (0-0)\hat{i} - (6xz^2 - 6xz^2)\hat{j} + (4xy - 4xy)\hat{k} = 0$$

Hence, vector field  $\vec{F}$  is irrotational.

To find the scalar potential function  $\phi$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{F} &= \nabla \phi \\ d\phi &= \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} dy + \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} dz = \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right) \cdot (\hat{i}dx + \hat{j}dy + \hat{k}dz) \\ &= \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \phi \cdot \left( d\vec{r} \right) = \nabla \phi \cdot d\vec{r} = \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} \\ &= [2x(y^2 + z^3)\hat{i} + 2x^2y\hat{j} + 3x^2z^2\hat{k}] \cdot (\hat{i}dx + \hat{j}dy + \hat{k}dz) \\ &= 2x(y^2 + z^3)dx + 2x^2ydy + 3x^2z^2dz \\ \phi &= \int [2x(y^2 + z^3)dx + 2x^2ydy + 3x^2z^2dz] + C \\ &= \int (2xy^2dx + 2x^2ydy) + \int (2xz^3dx + 3x^2z^2dz) + C = x^2y^2 + x^2z^3 + C \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the scalar potential is  $x^2y^2 + x^2z^3 + C$

Now, for conservative field

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Work done} &= \int_{(-1,2,1)}^{(2,3,4)} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_{(-1,2,1)}^{(2,3,4)} d\phi = [\phi]_{(-1,2,1)}^{(2,3,4)} = [x^2y^2 + x^2z^3 + C]_{(-1,2,1)}^{(2,3,4)} \\ &= (36 + 256) - (2 - 1) = 291 \quad \text{Ans.} \end{aligned}$$



**Example 73.** A vector field is given by  $\vec{F} = (\sin y) \hat{i} + x(1 + \cos y) \hat{j}$ . Evaluate the line integral over a circular path  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2, z = 0$ . (Nagpur University, Winter 2001)

**Solution.** We have,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Work done} &= \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} \\ &= \int_C [(\sin y) \hat{i} + x(1 + \cos y) \hat{j}] \cdot [dx \hat{i} + dy \hat{j}] \quad (\because z = 0 \text{ hence } dz = 0) \\ \Rightarrow \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \int_C \sin y \, dx + x(1 + \cos y) \, dy = \int_C (\sin y \, dx + x \cos y \, dy + x \, dy) \\ &= \int_C d(x \sin y) + \int_C x \, dy \end{aligned}$$

(where  $d$  is differential operator).

The parametric equations of given path

$$x^2 + y^2 = a^2 \text{ are } x = a \cos \theta, y = a \sin \theta,$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \int_0^{2\pi} d[a \cos \theta \sin(a \sin \theta)] + \int_0^{2\pi} a \cos \theta \cdot a \cos \theta \, d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} d[a \cos \theta \sin(a \sin \theta)] + \int_0^{2\pi} a^2 \cos^2 \theta \, d\theta \\ &= [a \cos \theta \sin(a \sin \theta)]_0^{2\pi} + \int_0^{2\pi} a^2 \cos^2 \theta \, d\theta \\ &= 0 + a^2 \int_0^{2\pi} \left( \frac{1 + \cos 2\theta}{2} \right) d\theta = \frac{a^2}{2} \left[ \theta + \frac{\sin 2\theta}{2} \right]_0^{2\pi} \\ &= \frac{a^2}{2} \cdot 2\pi = \pi a^2 \end{aligned}$$

**Ans.**

**Example 74.** Determine whether the line integral

$\int (2xyz^2) \, dx + (x^2z^2 + z \cos yz) \, dy + (2x^2yz + y \cos yz) \, dz$  is independent of the path of

integration? If so, then evaluate it from  $(1, 0, 1)$  to  $\left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}, 1\right)$ .

**Solution.**  $\int_C (2xyz^2) \, dx + (x^2z^2 + z \cos yz) \, dy + (2x^2yz + y \cos yz) \, dz$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int_C [(2xyz^2 \hat{i}) + (x^2z^2 + z \cos yz) \hat{j} + (2x^2yz + y \cos yz) \hat{k}] \cdot (\hat{i} dx + \hat{j} dy + \hat{k} dz) \\ &= \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} \end{aligned}$$

This integral is independent of path of integration if

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{F} = \nabla \phi &\Rightarrow \nabla \times \vec{F} = 0 \\ \nabla \times \vec{F} &= \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ 2xyz^2 & x^2z^2 + z \cos yz & 2x^2yz + y \cos yz \end{vmatrix} \\ &= (2x^2z + \cos yz - yz \sin yz - 2x^2z - \cos yz + yz \sin yz) \hat{i} - (4xyz - 4xyz) \hat{j} + (2xz^2 - 2xz^2) \hat{k} \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the line integral is independent of path.

$$d\phi = \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} dy + \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} dz \quad (\text{Total differentiation})$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right) \cdot (\hat{i} dx + \hat{j} dy + \hat{k} dz) = \nabla \phi \cdot d\vec{r} = \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} \\
 &= [(2xyz^2) \hat{i} + (x^2z^2 + z \cos yz) \hat{j} + (2x^2yz + y \cos yz) \hat{k}] \cdot (\hat{i} dx + \hat{j} dy + \hat{k} dz) \\
 &= 2xyz^2 dx + (x^2z^2 + z \cos yz) dy + (2x^2yz + y \cos yz) dz \\
 &= [(2x dx) yz^2 + x^2 (dy) z^2 + x^2 y (2z dz)] + [(\cos yz dy) z + (\cos yz dz) y] \\
 &= d(x^2yz^2) + d(\sin yz) \\
 \phi &= \int d(x^2yz^2) + \int d(\sin yz) = x^2yz^2 + \sin yz \\
 [\phi]_A^B &= \phi(B) - \phi(A) \\
 &= [x^2yz^2 + \sin yz]_{(0, \frac{\pi}{2}, 1)} - [x^2yz^2 + \sin yz]_{(1, 0, 1)} = \left[ 0 + \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} \times 1\right) \right] - [0 + 0] \\
 &= 1
 \end{aligned}$$

Ans.

**Example 75.** Evaluate  $\iint_S \vec{A} \cdot \hat{n} dS$ , where  $\vec{A} = 18z\hat{i} - 12\hat{j} + 3y\hat{k}$  and  $S$  is the part of the plane  $2x + 3y + 6z = 12$  included in the first octant. (Uttarakhand, I semester, Dec. 2006)

**Solution.** Here,  $\vec{A} = 18z\hat{i} - 12\hat{j} + 3y\hat{k}$   
 Given surface  $f(x, y, z) = 2x + 3y + 6z - 12$

$$\text{Normal vector} = \nabla f = \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) (2x + 3y + 6z - 12) = 2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 6\hat{k}$$

$\hat{n}$  = unit normal vector at any point  $(x, y, z)$  of  $2x + 3y + 6z = 12$

$$= \frac{2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 6\hat{k}}{\sqrt{4 + 9 + 36}} = \frac{1}{7} (2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 6\hat{k})$$

$$dS = \frac{dx dy}{\hat{n} \cdot \hat{k}} = \frac{dx dy}{\frac{1}{7} (2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 6\hat{k}) \cdot \hat{k}} = \frac{dx dy}{\frac{6}{7}} = \frac{7}{6} dx dy$$

$$\text{Now, } \iint_S \vec{A} \cdot \hat{n} dS = \iint (18z\hat{i} - 12\hat{j} + 3y\hat{k}) \cdot \frac{1}{7} (2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 6\hat{k}) \frac{7}{6} dx dy$$

$$= \iint (36z - 36 + 18y) \frac{dx dy}{6} = \iint (6z - 6 + 3y) dx dy$$

Putting the value of  $6z = 12 - 2x - 3y$ , we get

$$= \int_0^6 \int_0^{\frac{1}{3}(12-2x)} (12 - 2x - 3y - 6 + 3y) dx dy$$

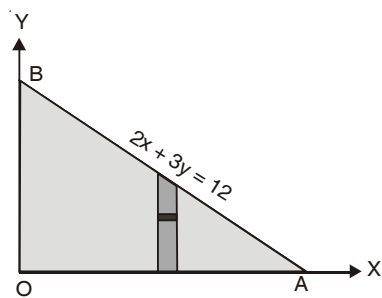
$$= \int_0^6 \int_0^{\frac{1}{3}(12-2x)} (6 - 2x) dx dy$$

$$= \int_0^6 (6 - 2x) dx \int_0^{\frac{1}{3}(12-2x)} dy$$

$$= \int_0^6 (6 - 2x) dx (y)_0^{\frac{1}{3}(12-2x)}$$

$$= \int_0^6 (6 - 2x) \frac{1}{3} (12 - 2x) dx = \frac{1}{3} \int_0^6 (4x^2 - 36x + 72) dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \left[ \frac{4x^3}{3} - 18x^2 + 72x \right]_0^6 = \frac{1}{3} [4 \times 36 \times 2 - 18 \times 36 + 72 \times 6] = \frac{72}{3} [4 - 9 + 6] = 24 \text{ Ans.}$$



## EXERCISE 5.10

- Find the work done by a force  $y\hat{i} + x\hat{j}$  which displaces a particle from origin to a point  $(\hat{i} + \hat{j})$ . **Ans.** 1
- Find the work done when a force  $\vec{F} = (x^2 - y^2 + x)\hat{i} - (2xy + y)\hat{j}$  moves a particle from origin to  $(1, 1)$  along a parabola  $y^2 = x$ . **Ans.**  $\frac{2}{3}$
- Show that  $\vec{V} = (2xy + z^3)\hat{i} + x^2\hat{j} + 3xz^2\hat{k}$  is a conservative field. Find its scalar potential  $\phi$  such that  $\vec{V} = \text{grad } \phi$ . Find the work done by the force  $\vec{V}$  in moving a particle from  $(1, -2, 1)$  to  $(3, 1, 4)$ . **Ans.**  $x^2y + xz^3, 202$
- Show that the line integral  $\int_c (2xy + 3) dx + (x^2 - 4z) dy - 4y dz$  where  $c$  is any path joining  $(0, 0, 0)$  to  $(1, -1, 3)$  does not depend on the path  $c$  and evaluate the line integral. **Ans.** 14
- Find the work done in moving a particle once round the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1, z = 0$ , under the field of force given by  $F = (2x - y + z)\hat{i} + (x + y - z^2)\hat{j} + (3x - 2y + 4z)\hat{k}$ . Is the field of force conservative? (A.M.I.E.T.E., Winter 2000) **Ans.**  $40\pi$
- If  $\vec{\nabla}\phi = (y^2 - 2xyz^3)\hat{i} + (3 + 2xy - x^2z^3)\hat{j} + (z^3 - 3x^2yz^2)\hat{k}$ , find  $\phi$ . **Ans.**  $3y + \frac{z^4}{4} + xy^2 - x^2yz^3$
- $\int_C \vec{R} \cdot d\vec{R}$  is independent of the path joining any two point if it is. (A.M.I.E.T.E., June 2010) **Ans.** (i) irrotational field (ii) solenoidal field (iii) rotational field (iv) vector field.

## 5.34 SURFACE INTEGRAL

A surface  $r = f(u, v)$  is called smooth if  $f(u, v)$  possesses continuous first order partial derivative.

Let  $\vec{F}$  be a vector function and  $S$  be the given surface.

Surface integral of a vector function  $\vec{F}$  over the surface  $S$  is defined as the integral of the components of  $\vec{F}$  along the normal to the surface.

Component of  $\vec{F}$  along the normal

$= \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n}$ , where  $\hat{n}$  is the unit normal vector to an element  $ds$  and

$$\hat{n} = \frac{\text{grad } f}{|\text{grad } f|} \quad ds = \frac{dx dy}{(\hat{n} \cdot \hat{k})}$$

Surface integral of  $F$  over  $S$

$$= \sum \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} = \iint_S (\vec{F} \cdot \hat{n}) ds$$

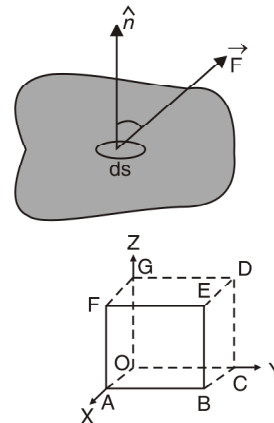
**Note.** (1) Flux  $= \iint_S (\vec{F} \cdot \hat{n}) ds$  where,  $\vec{F}$  represents the velocity of a liquid.

If  $\iint_S (\vec{F} \cdot \hat{n}) ds = 0$ , then  $\vec{F}$  is said to be a *solenoidal* vector point function.

**Example 76.** Evaluate  $\iint_S (yz\hat{i} + zx\hat{j} + xy\hat{k}) \cdot d\vec{s}$  where  $S$  is the surface of the sphere

$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = a^2 \text{ in the first octant. (U.P., I Semester, Dec. 2004)}$$

**Solution.** Here,  $\phi = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - a^2$



$$\begin{aligned}\text{Vector normal to the surface} &= \nabla \phi = \hat{i} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \\ &= \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) (x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - a^2) = 2x\hat{i} + 2y\hat{j} + 2z\hat{k} \\ \hat{n} &= \frac{\nabla \phi}{|\nabla \phi|} = \frac{2x\hat{i} + 2y\hat{j} + 2z\hat{k}}{\sqrt{4x^2 + 4y^2 + 4z^2}} = \frac{x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} \\ &= \frac{x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}}{a} \quad [\because x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = a^2]\end{aligned}$$

Here,

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

$$\vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} = (yz\hat{i} + zx\hat{j} + xy\hat{k}) \cdot \left( \frac{x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}}{a} \right) = \frac{3xyz}{a}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Now, } \iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \iint_S (\vec{F} \cdot \hat{n}) \frac{dx \, dy}{|\hat{k} \cdot \hat{n}|} = \int_0^a \int_0^{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} \frac{3xyz \, dx \, dy}{a \left( \frac{z}{a} \right)} \\ &= 3 \int_0^a \int_0^{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} xy \, dy \, dx = 3 \int_0^a x \left( \frac{y^2}{2} \right)_0^{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} dx \\ &= \frac{3}{2} \int_0^a x (a^2 - x^2) \, dx = \frac{3}{2} \left( \frac{a^2 x^2}{2} - \frac{x^4}{4} \right)_0^a = \frac{3}{2} \left( \frac{a^4}{2} - \frac{a^4}{4} \right) = \frac{3a^4}{8} \quad \text{Ans.}\end{aligned}$$

**Example 77.** Show that  $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \frac{3}{2}$ , where  $\vec{F} = 4xz\hat{i} - y^2\hat{j} + yz\hat{k}$

and  $S$  is the surface of the cube bounded by the planes,

$$x = 0, x = 1, y = 0, y = 1, z = 0, z = 1.$$

$$\text{Solution. } \iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iint_{OABC} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$$

$$+ \iint_{DEFG} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds + \iint_{OAGF} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$$

$$+ \iint_{BCED} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds + \iint_{ABDG} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$$

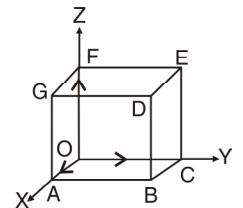
$$+ \iint_{OCEF} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds \quad \dots(1)$$

S.No.	Surface	Outward normal	$ds$	
1	OABC	$-k$	$dx \, dy$	$z = 0$
2	DEFG	$k$	$dx \, dy$	$z = 1$
3	OAGF	$-j$	$dx \, dz$	$y = 0$
4	BCED	$j$	$dx \, dz$	$y = 1$
5	ABDG	$i$	$dy \, dz$	$x = 1$
6	OCEF	$-i$	$dy \, dz$	$x = 0$

$$\text{Now, } \iint_{OABC} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iint_{OABC} (4xz\hat{i} - y^2\hat{j} + yz\hat{k}) \cdot (-k) \, dx \, dy = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 -yz \, dx \, dy = 0 \quad (\text{as } z = 0)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_{DEFG} (4xz\hat{i} - y^2\hat{j} + yz\hat{k}) \cdot \hat{k} \, dx \, dy \\ &= \iint_{DEFG} yz \, dx \, dy = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 y(1) \, dx \, dy \\ &= \int_0^1 dx \left[ \frac{y^2}{2} \right]_0^1 = [x]_0^1 \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}\end{aligned}$$

$$\iint_{OAGF} (4xz\hat{i} - y^2\hat{j} + yz\hat{k}) \cdot (-j) \, dx \, dz = \iint_{OAGF} y^2 \, dx \, dz = 0$$



(as  $y = 0$ )

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_{BCED} (4xz\hat{i} - y^2\hat{j} + yz\hat{k}) \cdot \hat{j} \, dx \, dz &= \iint_{BCED} (-y^2) \, dx \, dz \\ &= -\int_0^1 dx \int_0^1 dz = -(x)_0^1 (z)_0^1 = -1 \quad (\text{as } y = 1)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_{ABDG} (4xz\hat{i} - y^2\hat{j} + yz\hat{k}) \cdot \hat{i} \, dy \, dz &= \iint 4xz \, dy \, dz = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 4(1)z \, dy \, dz \\ &= 4(y)_0^1 \left( \frac{z^2}{2} \right)_0^1 = 4(1) \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) = 2\end{aligned}$$

$$\iint_{OCEF} (4xz\hat{i} - y^2\hat{j} + yz\hat{k}) \cdot (-\hat{i}) \, dy \, dz = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 -4xz \, dy \, dz = 0 \quad (\text{as } x = 0)$$

On putting these values in (1), we get

$$\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = 0 + \frac{1}{2} + 0 - 1 + 2 + 0 = \frac{3}{2} \quad \text{Proved.}$$

### EXERCISE 5.11

1. Evaluate  $\iint_S \vec{A} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$ , where  $\vec{A} = (x + y^2)\hat{i} - 2x\hat{j} + 2yz\hat{k}$  and  $S$  is the surface of the plane  $2x + y + 2z = 6$  in the first octant. **Ans. 81**
2. Evaluate  $\iint_S \vec{A} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$ , where  $\vec{A} = z\hat{i} + x\hat{j} - 3y^2z\hat{k}$  and  $S$  is the surface of the cylinder  $x^2 + y^2 = 16$  included in the first octant between  $z = 0$  and  $z = 5$ . **Ans. 90**
3. If  $\vec{r} = t\hat{i} - t^2\hat{j} + (t-1)\hat{k}$  and  $\vec{S} = 2t^2\hat{i} + 6t\hat{k}$ , evaluate  $\int_0^2 \vec{r} \cdot \vec{S} \, dt$ . **Ans. 12**
4. Evaluate  $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, dS$ , where,  $\vec{F} = 18z\hat{i} - 12\hat{j} + 3y\hat{k}$  and  $S$  is the surface of the plane  $2x + 3y + 6z = 12$  in the first octant. **Ans. 24**
5. Evaluate  $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$ , where,  $F = 2yx\hat{i} - yz\hat{j} + x^2\hat{k}$  over the surface  $S$  of the cube bounded by the coordinate planes and planes  $x = a$ ,  $y = a$  and  $z = a$ . **Ans.  $\frac{1}{2}a^4$**
6. If  $\vec{F} = 2y\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + x^2\hat{k}$  and  $S$  is the surface of the parabolic cylinder  $y^2 = 8x$  in the first octant bounded by the planes  $y = 4$ , and  $z = 6$ , then evaluate  $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, dS$ . **Ans. 132**

### 5.35 VOLUME INTEGRAL

Let  $\vec{F}$  be a vector point function and volume  $V$  enclosed by a closed surface.

The volume integral =  $\iiint_V \vec{F} \, dv$

**Example 78.** If  $\vec{F} = 2z\hat{i} - x\hat{j} + y\hat{k}$ , evaluate  $\iiint_V \vec{F} \, dv$  where,  $v$  is the region bounded by the surfaces

$$x = 0, \quad y = 0, \quad x = 2, \quad y = 4, \quad z = x^2, \quad z = 2.$$

**Solution.**  $\iiint_V \vec{F} \, dv = \iiint (2z\hat{i} - x\hat{j} + y\hat{k}) \, dx \, dy \, dz$

$$\begin{aligned}&= \int_0^2 dx \int_0^4 dy \int_{x^2}^2 (2z\hat{i} - x\hat{j} + y\hat{k}) \, dz = \int_0^2 dx \int_0^4 dy [z^2\hat{i} - xz\hat{j} + yz\hat{k}]_{x^2}^2 \\ &= \int_0^2 dx \int_0^4 dy [4\hat{i} - 2x\hat{j} + 2y\hat{k} - x^4\hat{i} + x^3\hat{j} - x^2y\hat{k}]\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \int_0^2 dx \left[ 4y\hat{i} - 2xy\hat{j} + y^2\hat{k} - x^4y\hat{i} + x^3y\hat{j} - \frac{x^2y^2}{2}\hat{k} \right]_0^4 \\
 &= \int_0^2 (16\hat{i} - 8x\hat{j} + 16\hat{k} - 4x^4\hat{i} + 4x^3\hat{j} - 8x^2\hat{k}) dx \\
 &= \left[ 16x\hat{i} - 4x^2\hat{j} + 16x\hat{k} - \frac{4x^5}{5}\hat{i} + x^4\hat{j} - \frac{8x^3}{3}\hat{k} \right]_0^2 \\
 &= 32\hat{i} - 16\hat{j} + 32\hat{k} - \frac{128}{5}\hat{i} + 16\hat{j} - \frac{64}{3}\hat{k} = \frac{32}{5}\hat{i} + \frac{32}{3}\hat{k} = \frac{32}{15}(3\hat{i} + 5\hat{k}) \quad \text{Ans.}
 \end{aligned}$$

### EXERCISE 5.12

1. If  $\vec{F} = (2x^2 - 3z)\hat{i} - 2xy\hat{j} - 4x\hat{k}$ , then evaluate  $\iiint_V \vec{F} dV$ , where  $V$  is bounded by the plane  $x = 0, y = 0, z = 0$  and  $2x + 2y + z = 4$ . Ans.  $\frac{8}{3}$
2. Evaluate  $\iiint_V \phi dV$ , where  $\phi = 45x^2y$  and  $V$  is the closed region bounded by the planes  $4x + 2y + z = 8, x = 0, y = 0, z = 0$ . Ans. 128
3. If  $\vec{F} = (2x^2 - 3z)\hat{i} - 2xy\hat{j} - 4x\hat{k}$ , then evaluate  $\iiint_V \nabla \times \vec{F} dV$ , where  $V$  is the closed region bounded by the planes  $x = 0, y = 0, z = 0$  and  $2x + 2y + z = 4$ . Ans.  $\frac{8}{3}(\hat{j} - \hat{k})$
4. Evaluate  $\iiint_V (2x + y) dV$ , where  $V$  is closed region bounded by the cylinder  $z = 4 - x^2$  and the planes  $x = 0, y = 0, y = 2$  and  $z = 0$ . Ans.  $\frac{80}{3}$
5. If  $\vec{F} = 2xz\hat{i} - x\hat{j} + y^2\hat{k}$ , evaluate  $\iiint \vec{F} dV$  over the region bounded by the surfaces  $x = 0, y = 0, y = 6$  and  $z = x^2, z = 4$ . Ans.  $(16\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 48\hat{k})$

### 5.36 GREEN'S THEOREM (For a plane)

**Statement.** If  $\phi(x, y), \psi(x, y), \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y}$  and  $\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x}$  be continuous functions over a region  $R$  bounded by simple closed curve  $C$  in  $x - y$  plane, then

$$\oint_C (\phi dx + \psi dy) = \iint_R \left( \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} \right) dx dy \quad (\text{AMIETE, June 2010, U.P., I Semester, Dec. 2007})$$

**Proof.** Let the curve  $C$  be divided into two curves  $C_1 (ABC)$  and  $C_2 (CDA)$ .

Let the equation of the curve  $C_1 (ABC)$  be  $y = y_1(x)$  and equation of the curve  $C_2 (CDA)$  be  $y = y_2(x)$ .

Let us see the value of

$$\begin{aligned}
 \iint_R \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} dx dy &= \int_{x=a}^{x=c} \left[ \int_{y=y_1(x)}^{y=y_2(x)} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} dy \right] dx = \int_a^c [\phi(x, y)]_{y=y_1(x)}^{y=y_2(x)} dx \\
 &= \int_a^c [\phi(x, y_2) - \phi(x, y_1)] dx = - \int_c^a \phi(x, y_2) dx - \int_a^c \phi(x, y_1) dx \\
 &= - \left[ \int_c^a \phi(x, y_2) dx + \int_a^c \phi(x, y_1) dx \right] \\
 &= - \left[ \int_{C_2} \phi(x, y) dx + \int_{C_1} \phi(x, y) dx \right] = - \oint_C \phi(x, y) dx
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus, 
$$\oint_C \phi \, dx = - \iint_R \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} \, dx \, dy \quad \dots(1)$$

Similarly, it can be shown that

$$\oint_C \psi \, dy = \iint_R \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} \, dx \, dy \quad \dots(2)$$

On adding (1) and (2), we get

$$\oint_C (\phi \, dx + \psi \, dy) = \iint_R \left( \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} \right) \, dx \, dy \quad \text{Proved.}$$

**Note.** Green's Theorem in vector form

$$\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_R (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{k} \, dR$$

where,  $\vec{F} = \phi \hat{i} + \psi \hat{j}$ ,  $\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j}$ ,  $\hat{k}$  is a unit vector along z-axis and  $dR = dx \, dy$ .

**Example 79.** A vector field  $\vec{F}$  is given by  $\vec{F} = \sin y \hat{i} + x(1 + \cos y) \hat{j}$ .

Evaluate the line integral  $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$  where  $C$  is the circular path given by  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ .

**Solution.**  $\vec{F} = \sin y \hat{i} + x(1 + \cos y) \hat{j}$

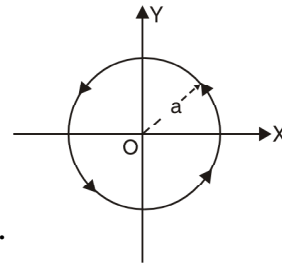
$$\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_C [\sin y \hat{i} + x(1 + \cos y) \hat{j}] \cdot (\hat{i}dx + \hat{j}dy) = \int_C \sin y \, dx + x(1 + \cos y) \, dy$$

On applying Green's Theorem, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \oint_C (\phi \, dx + \psi \, dy) &= \iint_s \left( \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} \right) \, dx \, dy \\ &= \iint_s [(1 + \cos y) - \cos y] \, dx \, dy \end{aligned}$$

where  $s$  is the circular plane surface of radius  $a$ .

$$= \iint_s dx \, dy = \text{Area of circle} = \pi a^2. \quad \text{Ans.}$$

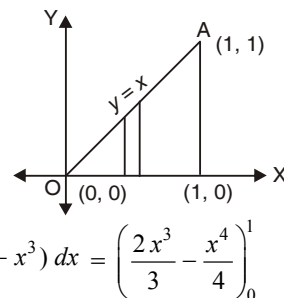


**Example 80.** Using Green's Theorem, evaluate  $\int_C (x^2 y \, dx + x^2 \, dy)$ , where  $c$  is the boundary described counter clockwise of the triangle with vertices  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(1, 0)$ ,  $(1, 1)$ .

(U.P., I Semester, Winter 2003)

**Solution.** By Green's Theorem, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_C (\phi \, dx + \psi \, dy) &= \iint_R \left( \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} \right) \, dx \, dy \\ \int_C (x^2 y \, dx + x^2 \, dy) &= \iint_R (2x - x^2) \, dx \, dy \\ &= \int_0^1 (2x - x^2) \, dx \int_0^x dy = \int_0^1 (2x - x^2) \, dx [y]_0^x \\ &= \int_0^1 (2x - x^2) (x) \, dx = \int_0^1 (2x^2 - x^3) \, dx = \left( \frac{2x^3}{3} - \frac{x^4}{4} \right)_0^1 \\ &= \left( \frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{4} \right) = \frac{5}{12} \end{aligned}$$



**Ans.**

**Example 81.** State and verify Green's Theorem in the plane for  $\oint (3x^2 - 8y^2) \, dx + (4y - 6xy) \, dy$  where  $C$  is the boundary of the region bounded by  $x \geq 0$ ,  $y \leq 0$  and  $2x - 3y = 6$ .

(Uttarakhand, I Semester, Dec. 2006)

**Solution. Statement:** See Article 24.4 on page 576.

Here the closed curve  $C$  consists of straight lines  $OB$ ,  $BA$  and  $AO$ , where coordinates of  $A$  and  $B$  are  $(3, 0)$  and  $(0, -2)$  respectively. Let  $R$  be the region bounded by  $C$ .

Then by Green's Theorem in plane, we have

$$\oint [(3x^2 - 8y^2) dx + (4y - 6xy) dy] = \iint_R \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (4y - 6xy) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (3x^2 - 8y^2) \right] dx dy \quad \dots(1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \iint_R (-6y + 16y) dx dy = \iint_R 10y dx dy \\ &= 10 \int_0^3 dx \int_{\frac{1}{3}(2x-6)}^0 y dy = 10 \int_0^3 dx \left[ \frac{y^2}{2} \right]_{\frac{1}{3}(2x-6)}^0 = -\frac{5}{9} \int_0^3 dx (2x-6)^2 \\ &= -\frac{5}{9} \left[ \frac{(2x-6)^3}{3 \times 2} \right]_0^3 = -\frac{5}{54} (0+6)^3 = -\frac{5}{54} (216) = -20 \quad \dots(2) \end{aligned}$$

Now we evaluate L.H.S. of (1) along  $OB$ ,  $BA$  and  $AO$ .

Along  $OB$ ,  $x = 0$ ,  $dx = 0$  and  $y$  varies from  $0$  to  $-2$ .

Along  $BA$ ,  $x = \frac{1}{2}(6+3y)$ ,  $dx = \frac{3}{2} dy$  and  $y$  varies from  $-2$  to  $0$ .

and along  $AO$ ,  $y = 0$ ,  $dy = 0$  and  $x$  varies from  $3$  to  $0$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{L.H.S. of (1)} &= \oint [(3x^2 - 8y^2) dx + (4y - 6xy) dy] \\ &= \int_{OB} [(3x^2 - 8y^2) dx + (4y - 6xy) dy] + \int_{BA} [(3x^2 - 8y^2) dx + (4y - 6xy) dy] \\ &\quad + \int_{AO} [(3x^2 - 8y^2) dx + (4y - 6xy) dy] \\ &= \int_0^{-2} 4y dy + \int_{-2}^0 \left[ \frac{3}{4} (6+3y)^2 - 8y^2 \right] \left( \frac{3}{2} dy \right) + [4y - 3(6+3y)y] dy + \int_3^0 3x^2 dx \\ &= [2y^2]_0^{-2} + \int_{-2}^0 \left[ \frac{9}{8} (6+3y)^2 - 12y^2 + 4y - 18y - 9y^2 \right] dy + (x^3)_3^0 \\ &= 2[4] + \int_{-2}^0 \left[ \frac{9}{8} (6+3y)^2 - 21y^2 - 14y \right] dy + (0 - 27) \\ &= 8 + \left[ \frac{9}{8} \frac{(6+3y)^3}{3 \times 3} - 7y^3 - 7y^2 \right]_{-2}^0 - 27 = -19 + \left[ \frac{216}{8} + 7(-2)^3 + 7(-2)^2 \right] \\ &= -19 + 27 - 56 + 28 = -20 \quad \dots(3) \end{aligned}$$

With the help of (2) and (3), we find that (1) is true and so Green's Theorem is verified.

**Example 82.** Apply Green's Theorem to evaluate  $\int_C [(2x^2 - y^2) dx + (x^2 + y^2) dy]$ , where  $C$  is the boundary of the area enclosed by the  $x$ -axis and the upper half of circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ .  
(M.D.U. Dec. 2009, U.P., I Sem., Dec. 2004)

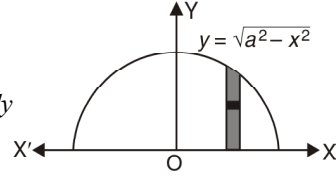
**Solution.**  $\int_C [(2x^2 - y^2) dx + (x^2 + y^2) dy]$

By Green's Theorem, we've  $\int_C (\phi dx + \psi dy) = \iint_S \left( \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} \right) dx dy$



$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \int_{-a}^a \int_0^{\sqrt{a^2-x^2}} \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (x^2 + y^2) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (2x^2 - y^2) \right] dx dy \\
 &= \int_{-a}^a \int_0^{\sqrt{a^2-x^2}} (2x + 2y) dx dy = 2 \int_{-a}^a dx \int_0^{\sqrt{a^2-x^2}} (x + y) dy \\
 &= 2 \int_{-a}^a dx \left( xy + \frac{y^2}{2} \right) \Big|_0^{\sqrt{a^2-x^2}} = 2 \int_{-a}^a \left( x\sqrt{a^2-x^2} + \frac{a^2-x^2}{2} \right) dx \\
 &= 2 \int_{-a}^a x\sqrt{a^2-x^2} dx + \int_{-a}^a (a^2-x^2) dx \quad \left[ \int_{-a}^a f(x) dx = 2 \int_0^a f(x) dx, f \text{ is even} \right. \\
 &\quad \left. = 0, f \text{ is odd} \right] \\
 &= 0 + 2 \int_0^a (a^2-x^2) dx = 2 \left( a^2x - \frac{x^3}{3} \right) \Big|_0^a = 2 \left( a^3 - \frac{a^3}{3} \right) = \frac{4a^3}{3}
 \end{aligned}$$

**Ans.**

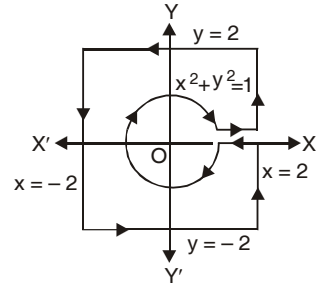


**Example 83.** Evaluate  $\oint_C -\frac{y}{x^2+y^2} dx + \frac{x}{x^2+y^2} dy$ , where  $C = C_1 \cup C_2$  with  $C_1 : x^2 + y^2 = 1$  and  $C_2 : x = \pm 2, y = \pm 2$ . (Gujarat, I Semester, Jan 2009)

**Solution.**  $\oint_C -\frac{y}{x^2+y^2} dx + \frac{x}{x^2+y^2} dy$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \iint \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \frac{x}{x^2+y^2} + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \frac{y}{x^2+y^2} \right) dx dy \\
 &= \iint \left[ \frac{(x^2+y^2)1 - 2x(x)}{(x^2+y^2)^2} + \frac{(x^2+y^2)1 - 2y(y)}{(x^2+y^2)^2} \right] dx dy \\
 &= \iint \left[ \frac{x^2+y^2-2x^2}{(x^2+y^2)^2} + \frac{x^2+y^2-2y^2}{(x^2+y^2)^2} \right] dx dy \\
 &= \iint \left[ \frac{y^2-x^2}{(x^2+y^2)^2} + \frac{x^2-y^2}{(x^2+y^2)^2} \right] dx dy = \iint \frac{0}{(x^2+y^2)^2} dx dy = 0
 \end{aligned}$$

**Ans.**



### 5.37 AREA OF THE PLANE REGION BY GREEN'S THEOREM

**Proof.** We know that

$$\int_C Mdx + Ndy = \iint_A \left( \frac{\partial N}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial M}{\partial y} \right) dx dy \quad \dots(1)$$

On putting  $N = x \left( \frac{\partial N}{\partial x} = 1 \right)$  and  $M = -y \left( \frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = 1 \right)$  in (1), we get

$$\int_C -y dx + x dy = \iint_A [1 - (-1)] dx dy = 2 \iint_A dx dy = 2A$$

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

**Example 84.** Using Green's theorem, find the area of the region in the first quadrant bounded by the curves

$$y = x, y = \frac{1}{x}, y = \frac{x}{4} \quad \text{(U.P. I, Semester, Dec. 2008)}$$

**Solution.** By Green's Theorem Area A of the region bounded by a closed curve C is given by

$$A = \frac{1}{2} \oint_C (x dy - y dx)$$

Here,  $C$  consists of the curves  $C_1 : y = \frac{x}{4}$ ,  $C_2 : y = \frac{1}{x}$  and  $C_3 : y = x$  So

$$\left[ A = \frac{1}{2} \oint_C = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \int_{C_1} + \int_{C_2} + \int_{C_3} \right] = \frac{1}{2} (I_1 + I_2 + I_3) \right]$$

Along  $C_1 : y = \frac{x}{4}, dy = \frac{1}{4} dx, x : 0 \text{ to } 2$

$$I_1 = \int_{C_1} (x dy - y dx) = \int_{C_1} \left( x \frac{1}{4} dx - \frac{x}{4} dx \right) = 0$$

Along  $C_2 : y = \frac{1}{x}, dy = -\frac{1}{x^2} dx, x : 2 \text{ to } 1$

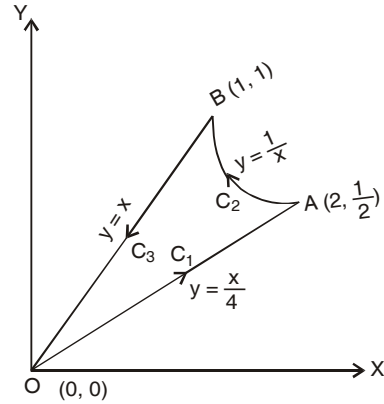
$$I_2 = \int_{C_2} (x dy - y dx) = \int_2^1 \left[ x \left( -\frac{1}{x^2} \right) dx - \frac{1}{x} dx \right] = [-2 \log x]_2^1 = 2 \log 2$$

Along  $C_3 : y = x, dy = dx; x : 1 \text{ to } 0$ ;

$$I_3 = \int_{C_3} (x dy - y dx) = \int_{C_3} (x dx - x dx) = 0$$

$$A = \frac{1}{2} (I_1 + I_2 + I_3) = \frac{1}{2} (0 + 2 \log 2 + 0) = \log 2$$

**Ans.**



### EXERCISE 5.13

- Evaluate  $\int_C [(3x^2 - 6yz) dx + (2y + 3xz) dy + (1 - 4xyz^2) dz]$  from  $(0, 0, 0)$  to  $(1, 1, 1)$  along the path  $c$  given by the straight line from  $(0, 0, 0)$  to  $(0, 0, 1)$  then to  $(0, 1, 1)$  and then to  $(1, 1, 1)$ .
- Verify Green's Theorem in plane for  $\int_C (x^2 + 2xy) dx + (y^2 + x^3y) dy$ , where  $c$  is a square with the vertices  $P(0, 0)$ ,  $Q(1, 0)$ ,  $R(1, 1)$  and  $S(0, 1)$ .  
**Ans.**  $-\frac{1}{2}$
- Verify Green's Theorem for  $\int_C (x^2 - 2xy) dx + (x^2y + 3) dy$  around the boundary  $c$  of the region  $y^2 = 8x$  and  $x = 2$ .
- Use Green's Theorem in a plane to evaluate the integral  $\int_C [(2x^2 - y^2) dx + (x^2 + y^2) dy]$ , where  $c$  is the boundary in the  $xy$ -plane of the area enclosed by the  $x$ -axis and the semi-circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$  in the upper half  $xy$ -plane.  
**Ans.**  $\frac{4}{3}$
- Apply Green's Theorem to evaluate  $\int_C [(y - \sin x) dy + \cos x dx]$ , where  $c$  is the plane triangle enclosed by the lines  $y = 0$ ,  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$  and  $y = \frac{2x}{\pi}$ .  
**Ans.**  $-\frac{\pi^2 + 8}{4\pi}$
- Either directly or by Green's Theorem, evaluate the line integral  $\int_C e^{-x} (\cos y dx - \sin y dy)$ , where  $c$  is the rectangle with vertices  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(\pi, 0)$ ,  $(\pi, \frac{\pi}{2})$  and  $(0, \frac{\pi}{2})$ .  
**Ans.**  $2(1 - e^{-\pi})$   
(AMIE TE II Sem June 2010)
- Verify the Green's Theorem to evaluate the line integral  $\int_C (2y^2 dx + 3x dy)$ , where  $c$  is the boundary of the closed region bounded by  $y = x$  and  $y = x^2$ .

(U.P., I Semester, Dec. 20005, AMIETE Summer 2004, Winter 2001) **Ans.**  $\frac{27}{4}$

8. Evaluate  $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds$ , where  $\vec{F} = xy\hat{i} - x^2\hat{j} + (x+z)\hat{k}$  and  $s$  is the region of the plane  $2x + 2y + z = 6$  in the first octant. (A.M.I.E.T.E., Summer 2004, Winter 2001) **Ans.**  $\frac{27}{4}$

9. Verify Green's Theorem for  $\int_C [(xy + y^2) dx + x^2 dy]$  where  $C$  is the boundary by  $y = x$  and  $y = x^2$ . (A.M.I.E.T.E., June 2010)

### 5.38 STOKES'S THEOREM (Relation between Line Integral and Surface Integral)

(Uttarakhand, I Sem. 2008, U.P., Ist Semester, Dec. 2006)

**Statement.** Surface integral of the component of  $\text{curl } \vec{F}$  along the normal to the surface  $S$ , taken over the surface  $S$  bounded by curve  $C$  is equal to the line integral of the vector point function  $\vec{F}$  taken along the closed curve  $C$ .

Mathematically

$$\oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_S \text{curl } \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds$$

where  $\hat{n} = \cos \alpha \hat{i} + \cos \beta \hat{j} + \cos \gamma \hat{k}$  is a unit external normal to any surface  $ds$ ,

**Proof.** Let

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{r} &= x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k} \\ d\vec{r} &= \hat{i} dx + \hat{j} dy + \hat{k} dz \\ F &= F_1 \hat{i} + F_2 \hat{j} + F_3 \hat{k} \end{aligned}$$

On putting the values of  $\vec{F}$ ,  $d\vec{r}$  in the statement of the theorem

$$\begin{aligned} &\oint_C (F_1 \hat{i} + F_2 \hat{j} + F_3 \hat{k}) \cdot (\hat{i} dx + \hat{j} dy + \hat{k} dz) \\ &= \iint_S \left( i \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + j \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + k \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \times (F_1 \hat{i} + F_2 \hat{j} + F_3 \hat{k}) \cdot (\cos \alpha \hat{i} + \cos \beta \hat{j} + \cos \gamma \hat{k}) ds \\ &\oint_C (F_1 dx + F_2 dy + F_3 dz) = \iint_S \left[ \left( \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial z} \right) \hat{i} + \left( \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial x} \right) \hat{j} + \left( \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \right) \hat{k} \right] \cdot (\hat{i} \cos \alpha + \hat{j} \cos \beta + \hat{k} \cos \gamma) ds \\ &= \iint_S \left[ \left( \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial z} \right) \cos \alpha + \left( \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial x} \right) \cos \beta + \left( \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \right) \cos \gamma \right] ds \quad \dots(1) \end{aligned}$$

Let us first prove

$$\oint_C F_1 dx = \iint_S \left[ \left( \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial z} \cos \beta - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \cos \gamma \right) \right] ds \quad \dots(2)$$

Let the equation of the surface  $S$  be  $z = g(x, y)$ . The projection of the surface on  $x - y$  plane is region  $R$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \oint_C F_1(x, y, z) dx &= \oint_C F_1[x, y, g(x, y)] dx \\ &= - \iint_R \frac{\partial}{\partial y} F_1(x, y, g) dx dy \quad [\text{By Green's Theorem}] \\ &= - \iint_R \left( \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial z} \frac{\partial g}{\partial y} \right) dx dy \quad \dots(3) \end{aligned}$$

The direction cosines of the normal to the surface  $z = g(x, y)$  are given by

$$\frac{\cos \alpha}{-\frac{\partial g}{\partial x}} = \frac{\cos \beta}{-\frac{\partial g}{\partial y}} = \frac{\cos \gamma}{1}$$

And  $dx dy = \text{projection of } ds \text{ on the } xy\text{-plane} = ds \cos \gamma$

Putting the values of  $ds$  in R.H.S. of (2)

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_S \left( \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial z} \cos \beta - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \cos \gamma \right) ds &= \iint_R \left( \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial z} \cos \beta - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \cos \gamma \right) \frac{dx dy}{\cos \gamma} \\ &= \iint_R \left( \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial z} \frac{\cos \beta}{\cos \gamma} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \right) dx dy = \iint_R \left( \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial z} \left( -\frac{\partial g}{\partial y} \right) - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \right) dx dy \\ &= - \iint_R \left( \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial z} \frac{\partial g}{\partial y} \right) dx dy \end{aligned} \quad \dots(4)$$

From (3) and (4), we get

$$\oint_C F_1 dx = \iint_S \left( \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial z} \cos \beta - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \cos \gamma \right) ds \quad \dots(5)$$

Similarly,  $\oint_C F_2 dy = \iint_S \left( \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} \cos \gamma - \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial z} \cos \alpha \right) ds \quad \dots(6)$

and  $\oint_C F_3 dz = \iint_S \left( \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial y} \cos \alpha - \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial x} \cos \beta \right) ds \quad \dots(7)$

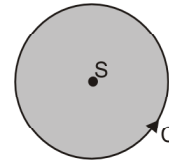
On adding (5), (6) and (7), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \oint_C (F_1 dx + F_2 dy + F_3 dz) &= \iint_S \left( \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial z} \cos \beta - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \cos \gamma + \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} \cos \gamma - \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial z} \cos \alpha \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial y} \cos \alpha - \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial x} \cos \beta \right) ds \quad \text{Proved.} \end{aligned}$$

### 5.39 ANOTHER METHOD OF PROVING STOKES'S THEOREM

The circulation of vector  $F$  around a closed curve  $C$  is equal to the flux of the curve of the vector through the surface  $S$  bounded by the curve  $C$ .

$$\oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_S \text{curl } \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} d\vec{s} = \iint_S \text{curl } \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S}$$



**Proof :** The projection of any curved surface over  $xy$ -plane can be treated as kernel of the surface integral over actual surface

Now,  $\iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{k} d\vec{S} = \iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot (\vec{i} \times \vec{j}) dx dy \quad [\hat{k} = \hat{i} \times \hat{j}]$

$$= \iint_S [(\nabla \cdot \hat{i})(\vec{F} \cdot \hat{j}) - (\nabla \cdot \hat{j})(\vec{F} \cdot \hat{i})] dx dy = \iint_S \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (F_y) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (F_x) \right] dx dy$$

$$= \iint_S [F_x dx + F_y dy] \quad [\text{By Green's theorem}]$$

$$= \iint_S [\hat{i} F_x + \hat{j} F_y] \cdot (\hat{i} dx + \hat{j} dy) = \oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$$

$$\iint_S \text{curl } \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} dS = \oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}.$$

where,  $\vec{F} = F_x \hat{i} + F_y \hat{j} + F_z \hat{k}$  and  $d\vec{r} = dx \hat{i} + dy \hat{j} + dz \hat{k}$

**Example 85.** Evaluate by Stokes theorem  $\oint_C (yz dx + zx dy + xy dz)$  where  $C$  is the curve  $x^2 + y^2 = 1, z = y^2$ . (M.D.U., Dec 2009)

**Solution.** Here we have  $\oint_C yz dx + zx dy + xy dz$   
 $= \int (yz\hat{i} + zx\hat{j} + xy\hat{k}) \cdot (\hat{i}dx + \hat{j}dy + \hat{k}dz)$

$$= \oint F \cdot dx$$

$$\text{Curl } \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ yz & zx & xy \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \int \text{curl } F \cdot \vec{n} \, ds$$

$$= (x-x)\hat{i} + (y-y)\hat{j} + (z-z)\hat{k}$$

$$= 0 = 0$$

**Ans.**

**Example 86.** Using Stoke's theorem or otherwise, evaluate

$$\int_c [(2x-y) dx - yz^2 dy - y^2 z dz]$$

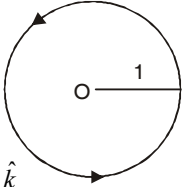
where  $c$  is the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ , corresponding to the surface of sphere of unit radius.  
(U.P., I Semester, Winter 2001)

**Solution.**  $\int_c [(2x-y) dx - yz^2 dy - y^2 z dz]$

$$= \int_c [(2x-y)\hat{i} - yz^2\hat{j} - y^2z\hat{k}] \cdot (\hat{i} dx + \hat{j} dy + \hat{k} dz)$$

By Stoke's theorem  $\oint \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_S \text{Curl } \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} \, ds$  ... (1)

$$\text{Curl } \vec{F} = \nabla \times \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ 2x-y & -yz^2 & -y^2z \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (-2yz + 2yz)\hat{i} - (0-0)\hat{j} + (0+1)\hat{k} = \hat{k}$$


Putting the value of curl  $\vec{F}$  in (1), we get

$$= \iint \hat{k} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iint \hat{k} \cdot \hat{n} \frac{dx \, dy}{\hat{n} \cdot \hat{k}} = \iint dx \, dy = \text{Area of the circle} = \pi$$

$$\left[ \because ds = \frac{dx \, dy}{(\hat{n} \cdot \hat{k})} \right]$$

**Example 87.** Evaluate  $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$ , where  $F(x, y, z) = -y^2\hat{i} + x\hat{j} + z^2\hat{k}$  and  $C$  is the curve of intersection of the plane  $y + z = 2$  and the cylinder  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ . (Gujarat, I sem. Jan. 2009)

**Solution.**  $\oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_S \text{curl } \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iint_S \text{curl } (-y^2\hat{i} + x\hat{j} + z^2\hat{k}) \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$  ... (1)

$$F(x, y, z) = -y^2\hat{i} + x\hat{j} + z^2\hat{k} \quad (\text{By Stoke's Theorem})$$

$$\text{Curl } \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ -y^2 & x & z^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

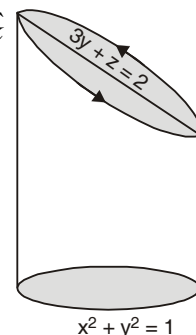
$$= \hat{i}(0-0) - \hat{j}(0-0) + \hat{k}(1+2y) = (1+2y)\hat{k}$$

Normal vector  $= \nabla \vec{F}$

$$= \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) (y+z-2) = \hat{j} + \hat{k}$$

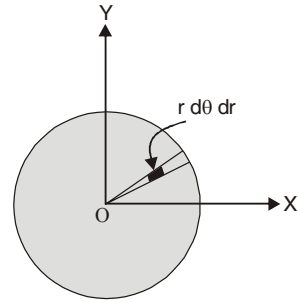
Unit normal vector  $\hat{n} = \frac{\hat{j} + \hat{k}}{\sqrt{2}}$

$$ds = \frac{dx \, dy}{\hat{n} \cdot \hat{k}}$$



On putting the values of  $\text{curl } \vec{F}$ ,  $\hat{n}$  and  $ds$  in (1), we get

$$\begin{aligned}\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \iint_S (1+2y) \hat{k} \cdot \frac{\hat{j}+\hat{k}}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{dx dy}{\left(\frac{\hat{j}+\hat{k}}{\sqrt{2}}\right) \cdot \hat{k}} \\&= \iint_S \frac{1+2y}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} dx dy = \iint_S (1+2y) dx dy = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 (1+2r \sin \theta) r d\theta dr \\&= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 (r+2r^2 \sin \theta) d\theta dr \\&= \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta \left[ \frac{r^2}{2} + \frac{2r^3}{3} \sin \theta \right]_0^1 = \int_0^{2\pi} \left[ \frac{1}{2} + \frac{2}{3} \sin \theta \right] d\theta \\&= \left[ \frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{2}{3} \cos \theta \right]_0^{2\pi} = \left( \pi - \frac{2}{3} - 0 + \frac{2}{3} \right) = \pi \quad \text{Ans.}\end{aligned}$$



**Example 88.** Apply Stoke's Theorem to find the value of

$$\int_C (y dx + z dy + x dz)$$

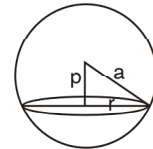
where  $c$  is the curve of intersection of  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = a^2$  and  $x + z = a$ . (Nagpur; Summer 2001)

**Solution.**  $\int_C (y dx + z dy + x dz)$

$$\begin{aligned}&= \int_C (y\hat{i} + z\hat{j} + x\hat{k}) \cdot (\hat{i} dx + \hat{j} dy + \hat{k} dz) = \int_C (y\hat{i} + z\hat{j} + x\hat{k}) \cdot d\vec{r} \\&= \iint_S \text{curl} (y\hat{i} + z\hat{j} + x\hat{k}) \cdot \hat{n} ds \quad (\text{By Stoke's Theorem}) \\&= \iint_S \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \times (y\hat{i} + z\hat{j} + x\hat{k}) \cdot \hat{n} ds = \iint_S -(\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}) \cdot \hat{n} ds \quad \dots(1)\end{aligned}$$

where  $S$  is the circle formed by the intersection of  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = a^2$  and  $x + z = a$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{n} &= \frac{\nabla \phi}{|\nabla \phi|} = \frac{\left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) (x + z - a)}{|\nabla \phi|} = \frac{\hat{i} + \hat{k}}{\sqrt{1+1}} \\ \therefore \hat{n} &= \frac{\hat{i}}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\hat{k}}{\sqrt{2}}\end{aligned}$$



Putting the value of  $\hat{n}$  in (1), we have

$$\begin{aligned}&= \iint_S -(\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}) \cdot \left( \frac{\hat{i}}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\hat{k}}{\sqrt{2}} \right) ds \\&= \iint_S -\left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) ds \quad \left[ \text{Use } r^2 = R^2 - p^2 = a^2 - \frac{a^2}{2} = \frac{a^2}{2} \right] \\&= \frac{-2}{\sqrt{2}} \iint_S ds = \frac{-2}{\sqrt{2}} \pi \left( \frac{a}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^2 = -\frac{\pi a^2}{\sqrt{2}} \quad \text{Ans.}\end{aligned}$$

**Example 89.** Directly or by Stoke's Theorem, evaluate  $\iint_S \text{curl } \vec{v} \cdot \hat{n} ds$ ,  $\vec{v} = \hat{i}y + \hat{j}z + \hat{k}x$ ,  $S$  is the surface of the paraboloid  $z = 1 - x^2 - y^2$ ,  $z^3 \geq 0$  and  $\hat{n}$  is the unit vector normal to  $S$ .

**Solution.** 
$$\nabla \times \vec{v} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ y & z & x \end{vmatrix} = -\hat{i} - \hat{j} - \hat{k}$$

Obviously  $\hat{n} = \hat{k}$ .

Therefore  $(\nabla \times \vec{v}) \cdot \hat{n} = (-\hat{i} - \hat{j} - \hat{k}) \cdot \hat{k} = -1$

Hence 
$$\iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{v}) \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iint_S (-1) \, dx \, dy = - \iint_S dx \, dy$$
  

$$= -\pi (1)^2 = -\pi. \quad (\text{Area of circle} = \pi r^2) \text{ Ans.}$$

**Example 90.** Use Stoke's Theorem to evaluate  $\int_c \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{r}$ , where  $\vec{v} = y^2\hat{i} + xy\hat{j} + xz\hat{k}$ , and  $c$  is the bounding curve of the hemisphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 9, z > 0$ , oriented in the positive direction.

**Solution.** By Stoke's theorem

$$\int_c \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_S (\text{curl } \vec{v}) \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{v}) \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$$

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

$$= -z\hat{j} - y\hat{k}$$

$$\hat{n} = \frac{\nabla \phi}{|\nabla \phi|} = \frac{\left(i \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + j \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + k \frac{\partial}{\partial z}\right)(x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 9)}{|\nabla \phi|}$$

$$= \frac{2x\hat{i} + 2y\hat{j} + 2z\hat{k}}{\sqrt{4x^2 + 4y^2 + 4z^2}} = \frac{x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} = \frac{x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}}{3}$$

$$(\nabla \times \vec{v}) \cdot \hat{n} = (-z\hat{j} - y\hat{k}) \cdot \frac{x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}}{3} = \frac{-yz - yz}{3} = \frac{-2yz}{3}$$

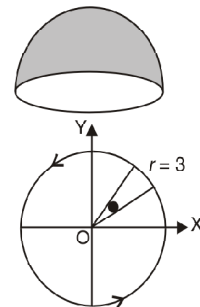
$$\hat{n} \cdot \hat{k} \, ds = dx \, dy \Rightarrow \frac{x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}}{3} \cdot \hat{k} \, dx \, dy = dx \, dy \Rightarrow \frac{z}{3} \, ds = dx \, dy$$

$$\therefore ds = \frac{3}{z} \, dx \, dy$$

$$\iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{v}) \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iint_S \left(\frac{-2yz}{3}\right) \left(\frac{3}{z} \, dx \, dy\right) = - \iint_S 2y \, dx \, dy$$

$$= - \iint_S 2r \sin \theta \, r \, d\theta \, dr = -2 \int_0^{2\pi} \sin \theta \, d\theta \int_0^3 r^2 \, dr$$

$$= -2(-\cos \theta)_0^{2\pi} \cdot \left[\frac{r^3}{3}\right]_0^3 = -2(-1+1)9 = 0 \quad \text{Ans.}$$



**Example 91.** Evaluate the surface integral  $\iint_S \text{curl } \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, dS$  by transforming it into a line integral,  $S$  being that part of the surface of the paraboloid  $z = 1 - x^2 - y^2$  for which  $z \geq 0$  and  $\vec{F} = y\hat{i} + z\hat{j} + x\hat{k}$ . (K. University, Dec. 2008)

**Solution.** 
$$\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ y & z & x \end{vmatrix} = -\hat{i} - \hat{j} - \hat{k}$$

Obviously  $\hat{n} = \hat{k}$ .

Therefore  $(\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{n} = (-\hat{i} - \hat{j} - \hat{k}) \cdot \hat{k} = -1$

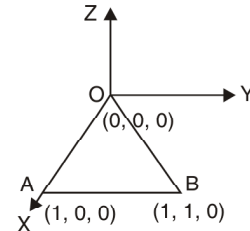
Hence 
$$\iint_S (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iint_S (-1) \, dx \, dy = - \iint_S dx \, dy$$
  

$$= -\pi (1)^2 = -\pi. \quad (\text{Area of circle} = \pi r^2) \text{ Ans.}$$

**Example 92.** Evaluate  $\oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$  by Stoke's Theorem, where  $\vec{F} = y^2 \hat{i} + x^2 \hat{j} - (x+z) \hat{k}$  and  $C$  is the boundary of triangle with vertices at  $(0, 0, 0)$ ,  $(1, 0, 0)$  and  $(1, 1, 0)$ .  
 (U.P., I Semester; Winter 2000)

**Solution.** We have,  $\text{curl } \vec{F} = \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{F}$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ y^2 & x^2 & -(x+z) \end{vmatrix} = 0 \cdot \hat{i} + \hat{j} 2(x-y) \hat{k}.$$



We observe that  $z$  co-ordinate of each vertex of the triangle is zero. Therefore, the triangle lies in the  $xy$ -plane.

$$\therefore \hat{n} = \hat{k}$$

$$\therefore \text{curl } \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} = [\hat{j} + 2(x-y)\hat{k}] \cdot \hat{k} = 2(x-y).$$

In the figure, only  $xy$ -plane is considered.

The equation of the line  $OB$  is  $y = x$

By Stoke's theorem, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \iint_S (\text{curl } \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n}) \, ds \\ &= \int_{x=0}^1 \int_{y=0}^x 2(x-y) \, dx \, dy = 2 \int_0^1 \left[ xy - \frac{y^2}{2} \right]_0^x dx \\ &= 2 \int_0^1 \left[ x^2 - \frac{x^2}{2} \right] dx = 2 \int_0^1 \frac{x^2}{2} dx = \int_0^1 x^2 dx = \left[ \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^1 = \frac{1}{3}. \end{aligned} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

**Example 93.** Evaluate  $\oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$  by Stoke's Theorem, where  $\vec{F} = (x^2 + y^2) \hat{i} - 2xy \hat{j}$  and  $C$  is the boundary of the rectangle  $x = \pm a$ ,  $y = 0$  and  $y = b$ . (U.P., I Semester; Winter 2002)

**Solution.** Since the  $z$  co-ordinate of each vertex of the given rectangle is zero, hence the given rectangle must lie in the  $xy$ -plane.

Here, the co-ordinates of  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$  and  $D$  are  $(a, 0)$ ,  $(a, b)$ ,  $(-a, b)$  and  $(-a, 0)$  respectively.

$$\therefore \text{Curl } \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ x^2 + y^2 & -2xy & 0 \end{vmatrix} = -4y \hat{k}$$



Here,  $\hat{n} = \hat{k}$ , so by Stoke's theorem, we've

$$\begin{aligned}\oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \iint_S \text{curl } \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds \\ &= \iint_S (-4y\hat{k}) \cdot (\hat{k}) \, dx \, dy = -4 \int_{x=-a}^a \int_{y=0}^b y \, dx \, dy \\ &= -4 \int_{-a}^a \left[ \frac{y^2}{2} \right]_0^b dx = -2b^2 \int_{-a}^a dx = -4ab^2\end{aligned}$$

**Ans.**

**Example 94.** Apply Stoke's Theorem to calculate  $\int_C 4y \, dx + 2z \, dy + 6y \, dz$  where  $c$  is the curve of intersection of  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 6z$  and  $z = x + 3$ .

**Solution.**

$$\begin{aligned}\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \int_C 4y \, dx + 2z \, dy + 6y \, dz \\ &= \int_C (4y\hat{i} + 2z\hat{j} + 6y\hat{k}) \cdot (\hat{i}dx + \hat{j}dy + \hat{k}dz) \\ \vec{F} &= 4y\hat{i} + 2z\hat{j} + 6y\hat{k} \\ \nabla \times \vec{F} &= \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ 4y & 2z & 6y \end{vmatrix} = (6-2)\hat{i} - (0-0)\hat{j} + (0-4)\hat{k} \\ &= 4\hat{i} - 4\hat{k}\end{aligned}$$

$S$  is the surface of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 6z$ ,  $z = x + 3$ ,  $\hat{n}$  is normal to the plane  $x - z + 3 = 0$

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{n} &= \frac{\nabla \phi}{|\nabla \phi|} = \frac{\left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) (x - z + 3)}{|\nabla \phi|} = \frac{\hat{i} - \hat{k}}{\sqrt{1+1}} = \frac{\hat{i} - \hat{k}}{\sqrt{2}} \\ (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{n} &= (4\hat{i} - 4\hat{k}) \cdot \frac{\hat{i} - \hat{k}}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{4+4}{\sqrt{2}} = 4\sqrt{2}\end{aligned}$$

$$\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_S (\text{curl } \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iint_S 4\sqrt{2} \, (dx \, dz) = 4\sqrt{2} \, (\text{area of circle})$$

Centre of the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + (z-3)^2 = 9$ ,  $(0, 0, 3)$  lies on the plane  $z = x + 3$ . It means that the given circle is a great circle of sphere, where radius of the circle is equal to the radius of the sphere.

Radius of circle = 3, Area =  $\pi (3)^2 = 9\pi$

$$\iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = 4\sqrt{2}(9\pi) = 36\sqrt{2} \, \pi$$

**Ans.**

**Example 95.** Verify Stoke's Theorem for the function  $\vec{F} = z\hat{i} + x\hat{j} + y\hat{k}$ , where  $C$  is the unit circle in  $xy$ -plane bounding the hemisphere  $z = \sqrt{(1-x^2-y^2)}$ . (U.P., I Semester Comp. 2002)

**Solution.** Here  $\vec{F} = z\hat{i} + x\hat{j} + y\hat{k}$ . ...(1)

Also,  $\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k} \Rightarrow d\vec{r} = dx\hat{i} + dy\hat{j} + dz\hat{k}$ .

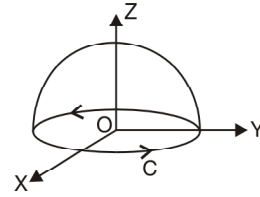
$\therefore \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = z \, dx + x \, dy + y \, dz$ .

$\therefore \oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \oint_C (z \, dx + x \, dy + y \, dz)$ . ...(2)

On the circle  $C$ ,  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ ,  $z = 0$  on the  $xy$ -plane. Hence on  $C$ , we have  $z = 0$  so that  $dz = 0$ . Hence (2) reduces to

$$\oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \oint_C x \, dy. \quad \dots(3)$$

Now the parametric equations of  $C$ , i.e.,  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$  are  
 $x = \cos \phi$ ,  $y = \sin \phi$ .  $\dots(4)$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{Using (4), (3) reduces to } \oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \int_{\phi=0}^{2\pi} \cos \phi \cos \phi \, d\phi = \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1 + \cos 2\phi}{2} \, d\phi \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \phi + \frac{\sin 2\phi}{2} \right]_0^{2\pi} = \pi \end{aligned} \quad \dots(5)$$

Let  $P(x, y, z)$  be any point on the surface of the hemisphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$ ,  $O$  origin is the centre of the sphere.

$$\text{Radius} = OP = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k} \quad \text{Normal} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$$

$$\hat{n} = \frac{x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$$

(Radius is  $\perp$  to tangent i.e. Radius is normal)

$$x = \sin \theta \cos \phi, \quad y = \sin \theta \sin \phi, \quad z = \cos \theta \quad \dots(6)$$

$$\hat{n} = \sin \theta \cos \phi \hat{i} + \sin \theta \sin \phi \hat{j} + \cos \theta \hat{k}$$

$$\text{Also, } \text{Curl } \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \partial/\partial x & \partial/\partial y & \partial/\partial z \\ z & x & y \end{vmatrix} = \hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k} \quad \dots(7)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Curl } \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} &= (\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}) \cdot (\sin \theta \cos \phi \hat{i} + \sin \theta \sin \phi \hat{j} + \cos \theta \hat{k}) \\ &= \sin \theta \cos \phi + \sin \theta \sin \phi + \cos \theta \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \iint_S \text{Curl } \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, dS &= \int_{\theta=0}^{\pi/2} \int_{\phi=0}^{2\pi} (\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}) \cdot (\sin \theta \cos \phi \hat{i} + \sin \theta \sin \phi \hat{j} + \cos \theta \hat{k}) \sin \theta \, d\theta \, d\phi \\ &= \int_{\theta=0}^{\pi/2} \sin \theta \, d\theta \int_{\phi=0}^{2\pi} (\sin \theta \cos \phi + \sin \theta \sin \phi + \cos \theta) \, d\phi \\ &\quad [\because dS = \text{Elementary area on hemisphere} = \sin \theta \, d\theta \, d\phi] \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin \theta \, d\theta [\sin \theta \sin \phi + \sin \theta (-\cos \phi) + \phi \cos \theta]_0^{2\pi} = \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin \theta \, d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} (0 + 0 + 2\pi \sin \theta \cos \theta) \, d\theta = \pi \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin 2\theta \, d\theta = \pi \left[ -\frac{\cos 2\theta}{2} \right]_0^{\pi/2} \\ &= -(\pi/2) [-1 - 1] = \pi. \end{aligned}$$

From (5) and (8),  $\oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_S \text{curl } \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, dS$ , which verifies Stokes's theorem.

**Example 96.** Verify Stoke's theorem for the vector field  $\vec{F} = (2x - y)\hat{i} - yz^2\hat{j} - y^2z\hat{k}$  over the upper half of the surface  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$  bounded by its projection on  $xy$ -plane.

(Nagpur University, Summer 2001)

**Solution.** Let  $S$  be the upper half surface of the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$ . The boundary  $C$  or  $S$  is a circle in the  $xy$  plane of radius unity and centre  $O$ . The equation of  $C$  are  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ ,  $z = 0$  whose parametric form is

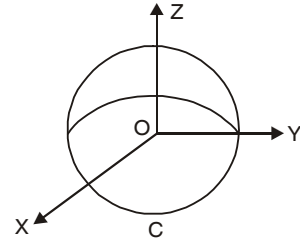
$$x = \cos t, \quad y = \sin t, \quad z = 0, \quad 0 < t < 2\pi$$

$$\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_C [(2x - y)\hat{i} - yz^2\hat{j} - y^2z\hat{k}] \cdot [\hat{i} \, dx + \hat{j} \, dy + \hat{k} \, dz]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \int_C [(2x - y) dx - yz^2 dy - y^2 z dz] = \int_C (2x - y) dx, \text{ since on } C, z = 0 \text{ and } 2z = 0 \\
&= \int_0^{2\pi} (2 \cos t - \sin t) \frac{dx}{dt} dt = \int_0^{2\pi} (2 \cos t - \sin t) (-\sin t) dt \\
&= \int_0^{2\pi} (-\sin 2t + \sin^2 t) dt = \int_0^{2\pi} \left( -\sin 2t + \frac{1 - \cos 2t}{2} \right) dt \\
&= \left[ \frac{\cos 2t}{2} + \frac{t}{2} - \frac{\sin 2t}{4} \right]_0^{2\pi} = \frac{1}{2} + \pi - \frac{1}{2} = \pi \quad \dots(1)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Curl } \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ 2x - y & -yz^2 & -y^2 z \end{vmatrix} = (-2yz + 2yz)\hat{i} + (0 - 0)\hat{j} + (0 + 1)\hat{k} = \hat{k}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Curl } \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} &= \hat{k} \cdot \hat{n} = \hat{n} \cdot \hat{k} \\
\iint_S \text{Curl } \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds &= \iint_S \hat{n} \cdot \hat{k} ds = \iint_R \hat{n} \cdot \hat{k} \cdot \frac{dx}{\hat{n}} \cdot \frac{dy}{\hat{k}} \\
\text{Where } R \text{ is the projection of } S \text{ on } xy\text{-plane.} \\
&= \int_{-1}^1 \int_{-\sqrt{1-x^2}}^{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx dy = \int_{-1}^1 2\sqrt{1-x^2} dx = 4 \int_0^1 \sqrt{1-x^2} dx \\
&= 4 \left[ \frac{x}{2} \sqrt{1-x^2} + \frac{1}{2} \sin^{-1} x \right]_0^1 = 4 \left[ \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} \right] = \pi \quad \dots(2)
\end{aligned}$$



From (1) and (2), we have

$$\therefore \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint \text{Curl } \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds \text{ which is the Stoke's theorem.}$$

**Ans.**

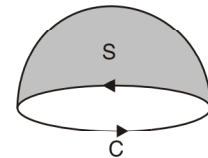
**Example 97.** Verify Stoke's Theorem for  $\vec{F} = (x^2 + y - 4)\hat{i} + 3xy\hat{j} + (2xz + z^2)\hat{k}$  over the surface of hemisphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 16$  above the  $xy$ -plane.

**Solution.**  $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$ , where  $c$  is the boundary of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 16$  (bounding the hemispherical surface)

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \int_C [(x^2 + y - 4)\hat{i} + 3xy\hat{j} + (2xz + z^2)\hat{k}] \cdot (\hat{i}dx + \hat{j}dy) \\
&= \int_C [(x^2 + y - 4) dx + 3xy dy]
\end{aligned}$$

Putting  $x = 4 \cos \theta$ ,  $y = 4 \sin \theta$ ,  $dx = -4 \sin \theta d\theta$ ,  $dy = 4 \cos \theta d\theta$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \int_0^{2\pi} [(16 \cos^2 \theta + 4 \sin \theta - 4)(-4 \sin \theta d\theta) + (192 \sin \theta \cos^2 \theta d\theta)] \\
&= 16 \int_0^{2\pi} [-4 \cos^2 \theta \sin \theta - \sin^2 \theta + \sin \theta + 12 \sin \theta \cos^2 \theta] d\theta \\
&= 16 \int_0^{2\pi} (8 \sin \theta \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta + \sin \theta) d\theta \\
&= -16 \int_0^{2\pi} \sin^2 \theta d\theta \\
&= -16 \times 4 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^2 \theta d\theta = -64 \left( \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} \right) = -16\pi.
\end{aligned}$$



$$\text{To evaluate surface integral } \nabla \times \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ x^2 + y - 4 & 3xy & 2xz + z^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= (0-0)\hat{i} - (2z-0)\hat{j} + (3y-1)\hat{k} = -2z\hat{j} + (3y-1)\hat{k} \\
 \hat{n} &= \frac{\nabla \phi}{|\nabla \phi|} = \frac{\left(\hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z}\right)(x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 16)}{|\nabla \phi|} \\
 &= \frac{2x\hat{i} + 2y\hat{j} + 2z\hat{k}}{\sqrt{4x^2 + 4y^2 + 4z^2}} = \frac{x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} = \frac{x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}}{4} \\
 (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{n} &= [-2z\hat{j} + (3y-1)\hat{k}] \cdot \frac{x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}}{4} = \frac{-2yz + (3y-1)z}{4} \\
 \hat{k} \cdot \hat{n} \cdot ds &= dx dy \Rightarrow \frac{x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}}{4} \cdot k ds = dx dy \Rightarrow \frac{z}{4} ds = dx dy \\
 \therefore ds &= \frac{4}{z} dx dy \\
 \iint (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{n} ds &= \iint \frac{-2yz + (3y-1)z}{4} \left(\frac{4}{z} dx dy\right) = \iint [-2y + (3y-1)] dx dy = \iint (y-1) dx dy \\
 \text{On putting } x &= r \cos \theta, y = r \sin \theta, dx dy = r d\theta dr, \text{ we get} \\
 &= \iint (r \sin \theta - 1) r d\theta dr = \int d\theta \int (r^2 \sin \theta - r) dr \\
 &= \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta \left( \frac{r^3}{3} \sin \theta - \frac{r^2}{2} \right)_0^4 = \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta \left( \frac{64}{3} \sin \theta - 8 \right) \\
 &= \left( -\frac{64}{3} \cos \theta - 8\theta \right)_0^{2\pi} = -\frac{64}{3} - 16\pi + \frac{64}{3} = -16\pi
 \end{aligned}$$

The line integral is equal to the surface integral, hence Stoke's Theorem is verified. **Proved.**

**Example 98.** Verify Stoke's theorem for a vector field defined by  $\vec{F} = (x^2 - y^2)\hat{i} + 2xy\hat{j}$  in the rectangular in  $xy$ -plane bounded by lines  $x = 0, x = a, y = 0, y = b$ .  
(Nagpur University, Summer 2000)

**Solution.** Here we have to verify Stoke's theorem  $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} = \iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{n} ds$   
Where 'C' be the boundary of rectangle (ABCD) and S be the surface enclosed by curve C.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \vec{F} &= (x^2 - y^2)\hat{i} + (2xy)\hat{j} \\
 \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} &= [(x^2 - y^2)\hat{i} + 2xy\hat{j}] \cdot [\hat{i} dx + \hat{j} dy] \\
 \Rightarrow \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} &= (x^2 + y^2) dx + 2xy dy \quad \dots(1)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now, } \int_C \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} = \int_{OA} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} + \int_{AB} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} + \int_{BC} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} + \int_{CO} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} \quad \dots(2)$$

Along OA, put  $y = 0$  so that  $k dy = 0$  in (1) and  $\vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} = x^2 dx$ ,  
Where  $x$  is from 0 to  $a$ .

$$\therefore \int_{OA} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} = \int_0^a x^2 dx = \left[ \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^a = \frac{a^3}{3} \quad \dots(3)$$

Along AB, put  $x = a$  so that  $dx = 0$  in (1), we get  $\vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} = 2ay dy$   
Where  $y$  is from 0 to  $b$ .

$$\therefore \int_{AB} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} = \int_0^b 2ay dy = [ay^2]_0^b = ab^2 \quad \dots(4)$$

Along BC, put  $y = b$  and  $dy = 0$  in (1) we get  $\vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} = (x^2 - b^2) dx$ , where  $x$  is from  $a$  to 0.

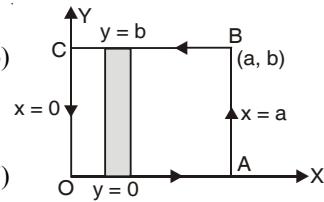
$$\therefore \int_{BC} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} = \int_a^0 (x^2 - b^2) dx = \left[ \frac{x^3}{3} - b^2 x \right]_a^0 = \frac{-a^3}{3} + b^2 a \quad \dots(5)$$

Along CO, put  $x = 0$  and  $dx = 0$  in (1), we get  $\vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} = 0$

$$\therefore \int_{CO} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} = 0 \quad \dots(6)$$

Putting the values of integrals (3), (4), (5) and (6) in (2), we get

$$\int_C \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} = \frac{a^3}{3} + ab^2 - \frac{a^3}{3} + ab^2 + 0 = 2ab^2 \quad \dots(7)$$



Now we have to evaluate R.H.S. of Stoke's Theorem i.e.  $\iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{n} ds$   
We have,

$$\nabla \times \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ x^2 - y^2 & 2xy & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (2y + 2y) \hat{k} = 4y \hat{k}$$

Also the unit vector normal to the surface  $S$  in outward direction is  $\hat{n} = \hat{k}$

( $\because$   $z$ -axis is normal to surface  $S$ )

Also in  $xy$ -plane  $ds = dx dy$

$$\therefore \iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{n} ds = \iint_R 4y \hat{k} \cdot \hat{k} dx dy = \iint_R 4y dx dy.$$

Where  $R$  be the region of the surface  $S$ .

Consider a strip parallel to  $y$ -axis. This strip starts on line  $y = 0$  (i.e.  $x$ -axis) and end on the line  $y = b$ . We move this strip from  $x = 0$  ( $y$ -axis) to  $x = a$  to cover complete region  $R$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{n} ds &= \int_0^a \left[ \int_0^b 4y dy \right] dx = \int_0^a [2y^2]_0^b dx \\ &= \int_0^a 2b^2 dx = 2b^2 [x]_0^a = 2ab^2 \end{aligned} \quad \dots(8)$$

$\therefore$  From (7) and (8), we get

$$\int_C \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} = \iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{n} ds \text{ and hence the Stoke's theorem is verified.}$$

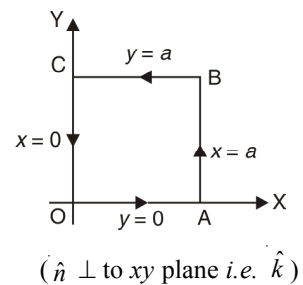
**Example 99.** Verify Stoke's Theorem for the function

$$\vec{F} = x^2 \hat{i} - xy \hat{j}$$

integrated round the square in the plane  $z = 0$  and bounded by the lines  $x = 0, y = 0, x = a, y = a$ .

**Solution.** We have,  $\vec{F} = x^2 \hat{i} - xy \hat{j}$

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



$$\begin{aligned}\iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \iint_S (-yk) \cdot k \, dx \, dy \\ &= \int_0^a dx \int_0^a -y \, dy = \int_0^a dx \left[ -\frac{y^2}{2} \right]_0^a = -\frac{a^2}{2} (x)_0^a = -\frac{a^3}{2} \quad \dots(1)\end{aligned}$$

To obtain line integral

$$\begin{aligned}\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \int_C (x^2 \hat{i} - xy\hat{j}) \cdot (\hat{i} \, dx + \hat{j} \, dy) = \int_C (x^2 \, dx - xy \, dy) \\ \text{where } c \text{ is the path } \vec{OABCO} \text{ as shown in the figure.} \\ \text{Also, } \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \int_{OABCO} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_{OA} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} + \int_{AB} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} + \int_{BC} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} + \int_{CO} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} \quad \dots(2) \\ \text{Along } OA, \, y = 0, \, dy = 0\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\int_{OA} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \int_{OA} (x^2 \, dx - xy \, dy) \\ &= \int_0^a x^2 \, dx = \left[ \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^a = \frac{a^3}{3} \\ \text{Along } AB, \, x = a, \, dx = 0 \\ \int_{AB} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \int_{AB} (x^2 \, dx - xy \, dy) \\ &= \int_0^a -a \, y \, dy = -a \left[ \frac{y^2}{2} \right]_0^a = -\frac{a^3}{2}\end{aligned}$$

line	Eq. of line		Lower limit	Upper limit
OA	y = 0	dy = 0	x = 0	x = a
AB	x = a	dx = 0	y = 0	y = a
BC	y = a	dy = 0	x = a	x = 0
CO	x = 0	dx = 0	y = a	y = 0

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Along } BC, \, y = a, \, dy = 0 \\ \int_{BC} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \int_{BC} (x^2 \, dx - xy \, dy) = \int_a^0 x^2 \, dx = \left[ \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_a^0 = -\frac{a^3}{3} \\ \text{Along } CO, \, x = 0, \, dx = 0\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\int_{CO} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \int_{CO} (x^2 \, dx - xy \, dy) = 0 \\ \text{Putting the values of these integrals in (2), we have}\end{aligned}$$

$$\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \frac{a^3}{3} - \frac{a^3}{2} - \frac{a^3}{3} + 0 = -\frac{a^3}{2} \quad \dots(3)$$

$$\text{From (1) and (3), } \iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$$

Hence, Stoke's Theorem is verified.

**Ans.**

**Example 100.** Verify Stoke's Theorem for  $\vec{F} = (x + y) \hat{i} + (2x - z) \hat{j} + (y + z) \hat{k}$  for the surface of a triangular lamina with vertices (2, 0, 0), (0, 3, 0) and (0, 0, 6).

(Nagpur University 2004, K. U. Dec. 2009, 2008, A.M.I.E.T.E., Summer 2000)

**Solution.** Here the path of integration  $c$  consists of the straight lines AB, BC, CA where the co-ordinates of A, B, C and (2, 0, 0), (0, 3, 0) and (0, 0, 6) respectively. Let  $S$  be the plane surface of triangle ABC bounded by  $C$ . Let  $\hat{n}$  be unit normal vector to surface  $S$ . Then by Stoke's Theorem, we must have

$$\oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_S \text{curl } \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds \quad \dots(1)$$

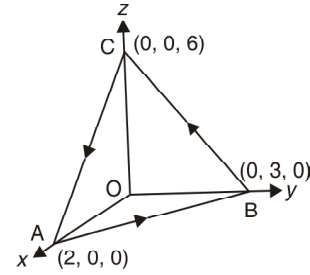
$$\text{L.H.S. of (1)} = \int_{ABC}^c \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} = \int_{AB} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} + \int_{BC} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} + \int_{CA} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr}$$

Along line  $AB$ ,  $z = 0$ , equation of  $AB$  is  $\frac{x}{2} + \frac{y}{3} = 1$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{3}{2}(2 - x), dy = -\frac{3}{2}dx$$

At  $A$ ,  $x = 2$ , At  $B$ ,  $x = 0$ ,  $\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j}$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{AB} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} &= \int_{AB} [(x + y)\hat{i} + 2x\hat{j} + y\hat{k}] \cdot (\hat{i}dx + \hat{j}dy) \\ &= \int_{AB} (x + y)dx + 2xdy \\ &= \int_{AB} \left(x + 3 - \frac{3x}{2}\right)dx + 2x\left(-\frac{3}{2}dx\right) \\ &= \int_2^0 \left(-\frac{7x}{2} + 3\right)dx = \left(-\frac{7x^2}{4} + 3x\right)_2^0 \\ &= (7 - 6) = +1 \end{aligned}$$



line	Eq. of line		Lower limit	Upper limit
$AB$	$\frac{x}{2} + \frac{y}{3} = 1$ $z = 0$	$dy = -\frac{3}{2}dx$	At $A$ $x = 2$	At $B$ $x = 0$
$BC$	$\frac{y}{3} + \frac{z}{6} = 1$ $x = 0$	$dz = -2dy$	At $B$ $y = 3$	At $C$ $y = 0$
$CA$	$\frac{x}{2} + \frac{z}{6} = 1$ $y = 0$	$dz = -3dx$	At $C$ $x = 0$	At $A$ $x = 2$

Along line  $BC$ ,  $x = 0$ , Equation of  $BC$  is  $\frac{y}{3} + \frac{z}{6} = 1$  or  $z = 6 - 2y$ ,  $dz = -2dy$

At  $B$ ,  $y = 3$ , At  $C$ ,  $y = 0$ ,  $\vec{r} = y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{BC} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} &= \int_{BC} [yi + zj + (y + z)k] \cdot (jdy + kdz) = \int_{BC} -zdy + (y + z)dz \\ &= \int_3^0 (-6 + 2y)dy + (y + 6 - 2y)(-2dy) \\ &= \int_3^0 (4y - 18)dy = (2y^2 - 18y)_3^0 = 36 \end{aligned}$$

Along line  $CA$ ,  $y = 0$ , Eq. of  $CA$ ,  $\frac{x}{2} + \frac{z}{6} = 1$  or  $z = 6 - 3x$ ,  $dz = -3dx$

At  $C$ ,  $x = 0$ , at  $A$ ,  $x = 2$ ,  $\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + z\hat{k}$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{CA} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} &= \int_{CA} [x\hat{i} + (2x - z)\hat{j} + z\hat{k}] \cdot [dx\hat{i} + dz\hat{k}] = \int_{CA} (xdx + zdz) \\ &= \int_0^2 xdx + (6 - 3x)(-3dx) = \int_0^2 (10x - 18)dx = [5x^2 - 18x]_0^2 = -16 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{L.H.S. of (1)} = \int_{ABC} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_{AB} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} + \int_{BC} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} + \int_{CA} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = 1 + 36 - 16 = 21 \quad \dots(2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Curl } \vec{F} &= \nabla \times \vec{F} = \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \times [(x+y)\hat{i} + (2x-z)\hat{j} + (y+z)\hat{k}] \\ &= \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ x+y & 2x-z & y+z \end{vmatrix} = (1+1)\hat{i} - (0-0)\hat{j} + (2-1)\hat{k} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{k} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Equation of the plane of ABC is } \frac{x}{2} + \frac{y}{3} + \frac{z}{6} = 1$$

Normal to the plane ABC is

$$\nabla \phi = \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \left( \frac{x}{2} + \frac{y}{3} + \frac{z}{6} - 1 \right) = \frac{\hat{i}}{2} + \frac{\hat{j}}{3} + \frac{\hat{k}}{6}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Unit Normal Vector} &= \frac{\frac{\hat{i}}{2} + \frac{\hat{j}}{3} + \frac{\hat{k}}{6}}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{36}}} \\ \hat{n} &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{14}} (3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{R.H.S. of (1)} &= \iint_s \text{curl } \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iint_s (2\hat{i} + \hat{k}) \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{14}} (3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}) \frac{dx \, dy}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{14}} (3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}) \cdot \hat{k}} \\ &= \iint_s \frac{(6+1)}{\sqrt{14}} \frac{dx \, dy}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{14}}} = 7 \iint_s dx \, dy = 7 \text{ Area of } \Delta \text{ OAB} \\ &= 7 \left( \frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times 3 \right) = 21 \quad \dots(3) \end{aligned}$$

with the help of (2) and (3) we find (1) is true and so Stoke's Theorem is verified.

**Example 101.** Verify Stoke's Theorem for

$$\vec{F} = (y-z+2)\hat{i} + (yz+4)\hat{j} - (xz)\hat{k}$$

over the surface of a cube  $x=0, y=0, z=0, x=2, y=2, z=2$  above the XOY plane (open the bottom).

**Solution.** Consider the surface of the cube as shown in the figure. Bounding path is OABCO shown by arrows.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_c \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \int [(y-z+2)\hat{i} + (yz+4)\hat{j} - (xz)\hat{k}] \cdot (\hat{i}dx + \hat{j}dy + \hat{k}dz) \\ &= \int_c (y-z+2)dx + (yz+4)dy - xzdz \end{aligned}$$

$$\int \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_{OA} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} + \int_{AB} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} + \int_{BC} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} + \int_{CO} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} \quad \dots(1)$$

(1) Along OA,  $y=0, dy=0, z=0, dz=0$



	Line	Equ. of line		Lower limit	Upper limit	$\vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$
1	$OA$	$y = 0$ $z = 0$	$dy = 0$ $dz = 0$	$x = 0$	$x = 2$	$2 dx$
2	$AB$	$x = 2$ $z = 0$	$dx = 0$ $dz = 0$	$y = 0$	$y = 2$	$4 dy$
3	$BC$	$y = 2$ $z = 0$	$dy = 0$ $dz = 0$	$x = 2$	$x = 0$	$4 dx$
4	$CO$	$x = 0$ $z = 0$	$dx = 0$ $dz = 0$	$y = 2$	$y = 0$	$4 dy$

$$\int_{OA} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_0^2 2 dx = [2x]_0^2 = 4$$

(2) Along  $AB$ ,  $x = 2$ ,  $dx = 0$ ,  $z = 0$ ,  $dz = 0$

$$\int_{AB} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_0^2 4 dy = 4(y)_0^2 = 8$$

(3) Along  $BC$ ,  $y = 2$ ,  $dy = 0$ ,  $z = 0$ ,  $dz = 0$

$$\int_{BC} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_0^2 (2 - 0 + 2) dx = (4x)_2^0 = -8$$

(4) Along  $CO$ ,  $x = 0$ ,  $dx = 0$ ,  $z = 0$ ,  $dz = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{CO} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} &= \int (y - 0 + 2) \times 0 + (0 + 4) dy - 0 \\ &= 4 \int dy = 4(y)_2^0 = -8 \end{aligned}$$

On putting the values of these integrals in (1), we get

$$\int_c \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = 4 + 8 - 8 - 8 = -4$$

To obtain surface integral

$$\nabla \times \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ y - z + 2 & yz + 4 & -xz \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (0 - y) \hat{i} - (-z + 1) \hat{j} + (0 - 1) \hat{k} = -y \hat{i} + (z - 1) \hat{j} - \hat{k}$$

Here we have to integrate over the five surfaces,  $ABDE$ ,  $OCGF$ ,  $BCGD$ ,  $OAEF$ ,  $DEFG$ .

Over the surface  $ABDE$  ( $x = 2$ ),  $\hat{n} = \hat{i}$ ,  $ds = dy dz$

$$\begin{aligned} \iint (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{n} ds &= \iint [-y \hat{i} + (z - 1) \hat{j} - \hat{k}] \cdot \hat{i} dx dz = \iint -y dy dz \\ &= \iint_R [F_3(x, y, z)]_{z=f_1(x, y)}^{z=f_2(x, y)} dx dy \end{aligned}$$

	Surface	Outward normal	$ds$	
1	$ABDE$	$i$	$dy dz$	$x = 2$
2	$OCGF$	$-i$	$dy dz$	$x = 0$
3	$BCGD$	$j$	$dx dz$	$y = 2$
4	$OAEF$	$-j$	$dx dz$	$y = 0$
5	$DEFG$	$k$	$dx dy$	$z = 2$

$$= - \int_0^2 y dy \int_0^2 dz = - \left[ \frac{y^2}{2} \right]_0^2 [z]_0^2 = -4$$

Over the surface  $OCGF$  ( $x = 0$ ),  $\hat{n} = -i$ ,  $ds = dy dz$

$$\begin{aligned} \iint (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{n} ds &= \iint [-y\hat{i} + (z-1)\hat{j} - \hat{k}] \cdot (-\hat{i}) dy dz \\ &= \iint y dy dz = \int_0^2 y dy \int_0^2 dz = 2 \left[ \frac{y^2}{2} \right]_0^2 = 4 \end{aligned}$$

(3) Over the surface  $BCGD$ , ( $y = 2$ ),  $\hat{n} = j$ ,  $ds = dx dz$

$$\begin{aligned} \iint (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{n} ds &= \iint [-y\hat{i} + (z-1)\hat{j} - \hat{k}] \cdot \hat{j} dx dz \\ &= - \iint (z-1) dx dz = - \int_0^2 dx \int_0^2 (z-1) dz = -(x)_0^2 \left( \frac{z^2}{2} - z \right)_0^2 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

(4) Over the surface  $OAEF$ , ( $y = 0$ ),  $\hat{n} = -\hat{j}$ ,  $ds = dx dz$

$$\begin{aligned} \iint (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{n} ds &= \iint [-y\hat{i} + (z-1)\hat{j} - \hat{k}] \cdot (-\hat{j}) dx dz \\ &= - \iint (z-1) dx dz = - \int_0^2 dx \int_0^2 (z-1) dz = -(x)_0^2 \left( \frac{z^2}{2} - z \right)_0^2 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

(5) Over the surface  $DEFG$ , ( $z = 2$ ),  $\hat{n} = k$ ,  $ds = dx dy$

$$\begin{aligned} \iint (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{n} ds &= \iint [-y\hat{i} + (z-1)\hat{j} - \hat{k}] \cdot \hat{k} dx dy = - \iint dx dy \\ &= - \int_0^2 dx \int_0^2 dy = -[x]_0^2 [y]_0^2 = -4 \end{aligned}$$

Total surface integral  $= -4 + 4 + 0 + 0 - 4 = -4$

$$\text{Thus } \iint_S \text{curl } \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds = \int_c \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = -4$$

which verifies Stoke's Theorem.

**Ans.**

## EXERCISE 5.14

- Use the Stoke's Theorem to evaluate  $\int_C y^2 dx + xy dy + xz dz$ ,  
where  $C$  is the bounding curve of the hemisphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$ ,  $z \geq 0$ , oriented in the positive direction. **Ans.** 0
- Evaluate  $\int_S (\text{curl } F) \cdot \hat{n} dA$ , using the Stoke's Theorem, where  $\vec{F} = y\hat{i} + z\hat{j} + x\hat{k}$  and  $S$  is the paraboloid  $z = f(x, y) = 1 - x^2 - y^2$ ,  $z \geq 0$ . **Ans.**  $\pi$
- Evaluate the integral for  $\int_C y^2 dx + z^2 dy + x^2 dz$ , where  $C$  is the triangular closed path joining the points  $(0, 0, 0)$ ,  $(0, a, 0)$  and  $(0, 0, a)$  by transforming the integral to surface integral using Stoke's Theorem. **Ans.**  $\frac{a^3}{3}$ .
- Verify Stoke's Theorem for  $\vec{A} = 3y\hat{i} - xz\hat{j} + yz^2\hat{k}$ , where  $S$  is the surface of the paraboloid  $2z = x^2 + y^2$  bounded by  $z = 2$  and  $c$  is its boundary traversed in the clockwise direction. **Ans.**  $-20\pi$
- Evaluate  $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dR}$  where  $\vec{F} = y\hat{i} + xz^3\hat{j} - zy^3\hat{k}$ ,  $C$  is the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ ,  $z = 1.5$  **Ans.**  $\frac{19}{2}\pi$
- If  $S$  is the surface of the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 9$ . Prove that  $\int_S \text{curl } \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{s} = 0$ .
- Verify Stoke's Theorem for the vector field  $\vec{F} = (2y + z)\hat{i} + (x - z)\hat{j} + (y - x)\hat{k}$   
over the portion of the plane  $x + y + z = 1$  cut off by the co-ordinate planes.
- Evaluate  $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$  by Stoke's Theorem for  $\vec{F} = yz\hat{i} + zx\hat{j} + xy\hat{k}$  and  $C$  is the curve of intersection of  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$  and  $y = z^2$ . **Ans.** 0
- If  $\vec{F} = (x - z)\hat{i} + (x^3 + yz)\hat{j} + 3xy^2\hat{k}$  and  $S$  is the surface of the cone  $z = a - \sqrt{(x^2 + y^2)}$  above the  $xy$ -plane, show that  $\iint_S \text{curl } \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} = 3\pi a^4 / 4$ .
- If  $\vec{F} = 3y\hat{i} - xy\hat{j} + yz^2\hat{k}$  and  $S$  is the surface of the paraboloid  $2z = x^2 + y^2$  bounded by  $z = 2$ , show by using Stoke's Theorem that  $\iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot d\vec{S} = 20\pi$ .
- If  $\vec{F} = (y^2 + z^2 - x^2)\hat{i} + (z^2 + x^2 - y^2)\hat{j} + (x^2 + y^2 - z^2)\hat{k}$ , evaluate  $\int \text{curl } \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds$  integrated over the portion of the surface  $x^2 + y^2 - 2ax + az = 0$  above the plane  $z = 0$  and verify Stoke's Theorem; where  $\hat{n}$  is unit vector normal to the surface. (A.M.I.E.T.E., Winter 20002) **Ans.**  $2\pi a^3$
- Evaluate by using Stoke's Theorem  $\int_C [\sin z dx - \cos x dy + \sin y dz]$  where  $C$  is the boundary of rectangle  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$ ,  $0 \leq y \leq 1$ ,  $z = 3$ . (AMIETE, June 2010)

## 5.40 GAUSS'S THEOREM OF DIVERGENCE

(Relation between surface integral and volume integral)

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**Statement.** The surface integral of the normal component of a vector function  $F$  taken around a closed surface  $S$  is equal to the integral of the divergence of  $F$  taken over the volume  $V$  enclosed by the surface  $S$ .

Mathematically

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

**Proof.** Let  $\vec{F} = F_1\hat{i} + F_2\hat{j} + F_3\hat{k}$ .

Putting the values of  $\vec{F}, \hat{n}$  in the statement of the divergence theorem, we have

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_S F_1\hat{i} + F_2\hat{j} + F_3\hat{k} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \iiint_V \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) (F_1\hat{i} + F_2\hat{j} + F_3\hat{k}) \, dx \, dy \, dz. \\ &= \iiint_V \left( \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial z} \right) \, dx \, dy \, dz \quad \dots(1)\end{aligned}$$

We require to prove (1).

Let us first evaluate  $\iiint_V \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial z} \, dx \, dy \, dz$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\iiint_V \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial z} \, dx \, dy \, dz &= \iint_R \left[ \int_{z=f_1(x,y)}^{z=f_2(x,y)} \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial z} \, dz \right] \, dx \, dy \\ &= \iint_R [F_3(x, y, f_2) - F_3(x, y, f_1)] \, dx \, dy \quad \dots(2)\end{aligned}$$

For the upper part of the surface i.e.  $S_2$ , we have

$$dx \, dy = ds_2 \cos r_2 = \hat{n}_2 \cdot \hat{k} \, ds_2$$

Again for the lower part of the surface i.e.  $S_1$ , we have,

$$dx \, dy = -\cos r_1 \, ds_1 = \hat{n}_1 \cdot \hat{k} \, ds_1$$

$$\iint_R F_3(x, y, f_2) \, dx \, dy = \iint_{S_2} F_3 \hat{n}_2 \cdot \hat{k} \, ds_2$$

$$\text{and} \quad \iint_R F_3(x, y, f_1) \, dx \, dy = -\iint_{S_1} F_3 \hat{n}_1 \cdot \hat{k} \, ds_1$$

Putting these values in (2), we have

$$\iiint_V \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial z} \, dv = \iint_{S_2} F_3 \hat{n}_2 \cdot \hat{k} \, ds_2 + \iint_{S_1} F_3 \hat{n}_1 \cdot \hat{k} \, ds_1 = \iint_S F_3 \hat{n} \cdot \hat{k} \, ds \quad \dots(3)$$

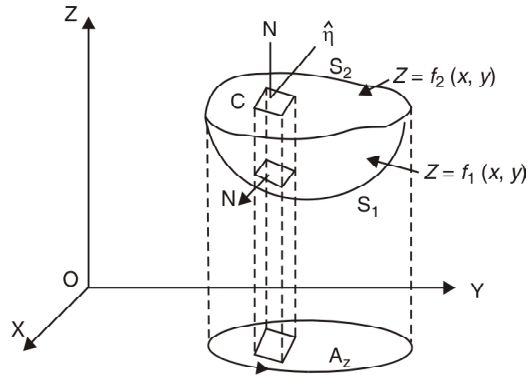
Similarly, it can be shown that

$$\iiint_V \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial y} \, dv = \iint_S F_2 \hat{n} \cdot \hat{j} \, ds \quad \dots(4)$$

$$\iiint_V \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial x} \, dv = \iint_S F_1 \hat{n} \cdot \hat{i} \, ds \quad \dots(5)$$

Adding (3), (4) & (5), we have

$$\begin{aligned}\iiint_V \left( \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial z} \right) \, dv \\ = \iint_S (F_1\hat{i} + F_2\hat{j} + F_3\hat{k}) \cdot \hat{n} \, ds \\ \Rightarrow \iiint_V (\nabla \cdot \vec{F}) \, dv = \iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds \quad \text{Proved.}\end{aligned}$$



**Example 102.** State Gauss's Divergence theorem  $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iiint_V \text{Div } \vec{F} \, dv$  where  $S$  is the

surface of the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 16$  and  $\vec{F} = 3x\hat{i} + 4y\hat{j} + 5z\hat{k}$ .

(Nagpur University, Winter 2004)

**Solution.** Statement of Gauss's Divergence theorem is given in Art 24.8 on page 597.

Thus by Gauss's divergence theorem,

$$\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iiint_V \nabla \cdot \vec{F} \, dv \quad \text{Here } \vec{F} = 3x\hat{i} + 4y\hat{j} + 5z\hat{k}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla \cdot \vec{F} &= \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \cdot (3x\hat{i} + 4y\hat{j} + 5z\hat{k}) \\ \nabla \cdot \vec{F} &= 3 + 4 + 5 = 14\end{aligned}$$

Putting the value of  $\nabla \cdot \vec{F}$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \iiint_V 14 \, dv && \text{where } v \text{ is volume of a sphere} \\ &= 14 \, v \\ &= 14 \frac{4}{3} \pi (4)^3 = \frac{3584\pi}{3} && \text{Ans.}\end{aligned}$$

**Example 103.** Evaluate  $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$  where  $\vec{F} = 4xz\hat{i} - y^2\hat{j} + yz\hat{k}$  and  $S$  is the surface of the cube bounded by  $x = 0, x = 1, y = 0, y = 1, z = 0, z = 1$ .

(U.P., Ist Semester, 2009, Nagpur University, Winter 2003)

**Solution.** By Divergence theorem,

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \iiint_V (\nabla \cdot \vec{F}) \, dv \\ &= \iiint_V \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \cdot (4xz\hat{i} - y^2\hat{j} + yz\hat{k}) \, dv \\ &= \iiint_V \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (4xz) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (-y^2) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (yz) \right] \, dx \, dy \, dz \\ &= \iiint_V (4z - 2y + y) \, dx \, dy \, dz \\ &= \iiint_V (4z - y) \, dx \, dy \, dz = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 \left( \frac{4z^2}{2} - yz \right) \, dx \, dy \\ &= \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (2z^2 - yz) \, dx \, dy = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (2 - y) \, dx \, dy \\ &= \int_0^1 \left( 2y - \frac{y^2}{2} \right) \, dy = \frac{3}{2} \int_0^1 dy = \frac{3}{2} [y]_0^1 = \frac{3}{2} (1) = \frac{3}{2} \quad \text{Ans.}\end{aligned}$$

**Note:** This question is directly solved as on example 14 on Page 574.

**Example 104.** Find  $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$ , where  $\vec{F} = (2x + 3z)\hat{i} - (xz + y)\hat{j} + (y^2 + 2z)\hat{k}$  and  $S$  is the surface of the sphere having centre  $(3, -1, 2)$  and radius 3.

(AMIE TE, Dec. 2010, U.P., I Semester, Winter 2005, 2000)

**Solution.** Let  $V$  be the volume enclosed by the surface  $S$ .

By Divergence theorem, we've

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

$$\text{Now, } \text{div } \vec{F} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (2x + 3z) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} [-(xz + y)] + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (y^2 + 2z) = 2 - 1 + 2 = 3$$

$$\therefore \iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iiint_V 3 \, dv = 3 \iiint_V dv = 3V.$$

Again  $V$  is the volume of a sphere of radius 3. Therefore

$$V = \frac{4}{3} \pi r^3 = \frac{4}{3} \pi (3)^3 = 36 \pi.$$

$$\therefore \iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = 3V = 3 \times 36 \pi = 108 \pi \quad \text{Ans.}$$

**Example 105.** Use Divergence Theorem to evaluate  $\iint_S \vec{A} \cdot \vec{ds}$ ,

where  $\vec{A} = x^3 \hat{i} + y^3 \hat{j} + z^3 \hat{k}$  and  $S$  is the surface of the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = a^2$ .

(AMIEETE, Dec. 2009)

**Solution.**  $\iint_S \vec{A} \cdot \vec{ds} = \iiint_V \text{div } \vec{A} dV$

$$= \iiint_V \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \cdot (x^3 \hat{i} + y^3 \hat{j} + z^3 \hat{k}) dV$$

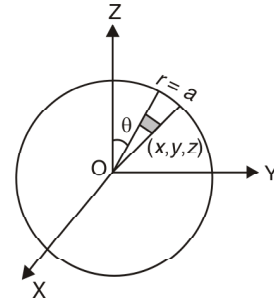
$$= \iiint_V (3x^2 + 3y^2 + 3z^2) dV = 3 \iiint_V (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) dV$$

On putting  $x = r \sin \theta \cos \phi$ ,  $y = r \sin \theta \sin \phi$ ,  $z = r \cos \theta$ , we get

$$= 3 \iiint_V r^2 (r^2 \sin \theta dr d\theta d\phi) = 3 \times 8 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} d\phi \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin \theta d\theta \int_0^a r^4 dr$$

$$= 24 (\phi)_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (-\cos \theta)_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left( \frac{r^5}{5} \right)_0^a = 24 \left( \frac{\pi}{2} \right) (-0 + 1) \left( \frac{a^5}{5} \right) = \frac{12\pi a^5}{5}$$

**Ans.**



**Example 106.** Use divergence Theorem to show that

$$\iint_S \nabla (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) d\vec{s} = 6 V$$

where  $S$  is any closed surface enclosing volume  $V$ .

(U.P., I Semester, Winter 2002)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Solution. Here } \nabla (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) &= \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \cdot (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) \\ &= 2x \hat{i} + 2y \hat{j} + 2z \hat{k} = 2(x \hat{i} + y \hat{j} + z \hat{k}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \iint_S \nabla (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) \cdot d\vec{s} = \iint_S \nabla (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) \cdot \hat{n} ds$$

$\hat{n}$  being outward drawn unit normal vector to  $S$

$$= \iint_S 2(x \hat{i} + y \hat{j} + z \hat{k}) \cdot \hat{n} ds$$

$$= 2 \iiint_V \text{div} (x \hat{i} + y \hat{j} + z \hat{k}) dv$$

...(1)

(By Divergence Theorem)  
( $V$  being volume enclosed by  $S$ )

$$\text{Now, } \text{div} (x \hat{i} + y \hat{j} + z \hat{k}) = \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \cdot (x \hat{i} + y \hat{j} + z \hat{k})$$

$$= \frac{\partial x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial y}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial z} = 3$$

...(2)

From (1) & (2), we have

$$\iint_S \nabla (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) \cdot d\vec{s} = 2 \iiint_V 3 dv = 6 \iiint_V dv = 6 V$$

**Proved.**

**Example 107.** Evaluate  $\iint_S (y^2 z^2 \hat{i} + z^2 x^2 \hat{j} + x^2 y^2 \hat{k}) \cdot \hat{n} dS$ , where  $S$  is the part of the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$  above the  $xy$ -plane and bounded by this plane.

**Solution.** Let  $V$  be the volume enclosed by the surface  $S$ . Then by divergence Theorem, we have

$$\iint_S (y^2 z^2 \hat{i} + z^2 x^2 \hat{j} + x^2 y^2 \hat{k}) \cdot \hat{n} dS = \iiint_V \text{div} (y^2 z^2 \hat{i} + z^2 x^2 \hat{j} + x^2 y^2 \hat{k}) dV$$

$$= \iiint_V \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (y^2 z^2) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (z^2 x^2) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (x^2 y^2) \right] dV = \iiint_V 2z y^2 dV = 2 \iiint_V z y^2 dV$$

Changing to spherical polar coordinates by putting

$$x = r \sin \theta \cos \phi, \quad y = r \sin \theta \sin \phi, \quad z = r \cos \theta, \quad dV = r^2 \sin \theta \, dr \, d\theta \, d\phi$$

To cover  $V$ , the limits of  $r$  will be 0 to 1, those of  $\theta$  will be 0 to  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  and those of  $\phi$  will be 0 to  $2\pi$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore 2 \iiint_V zy^2 \, dV &= 2 \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^1 (r \cos \theta) (r^2 \sin^2 \theta \sin^2 \phi) r^2 \sin \theta \, dr \, d\theta \, d\phi \\ &= 2 \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^1 r^5 \sin^3 \theta \cos \theta \sin^2 \phi \, dr \, d\theta \, d\phi \\ &= 2 \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^3 \theta \cos \theta \sin^2 \phi \left[ \frac{r^6}{6} \right]_0^1 d\theta \, d\phi \\ &= \frac{2}{6} \int_0^{2\pi} \sin^2 \phi \cdot \frac{2}{4.2} d\phi = \frac{1}{12} \int_0^{2\pi} \sin^2 \phi \, d\phi = \frac{\pi}{12} \quad \text{Ans.} \end{aligned}$$

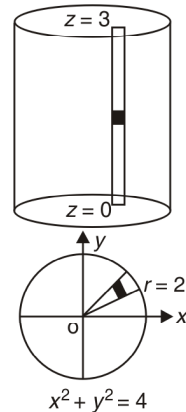
**Example 108.** Use Divergence Theorem to evaluate  $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S}$  where  $\vec{F} = 4x\hat{i} - 2y^2\hat{j} + z^2\hat{k}$  and  $S$  is the surface bounding the region  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ ,  $z = 0$  and  $z = 3$ .  
(A.M.I.E.T.E., Summer 2003, 2001)

**Solution.** By Divergence Theorem,

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_S \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} &= \iiint_V \text{div } \vec{F} \, dV \\ &= \iiint_V \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \cdot (4x\hat{i} - 2y^2\hat{j} + z^2\hat{k}) \, dV \\ &= \iiint_V (4 - 4y + 2z) \, dx \, dy \, dz \\ &= \iint dx \, dy \int_0^3 (4 - 4y + 2z) \, dz = \iint dx \, dy [4z - 4yz + z^2]_0^3 \\ &= \iint (12 - 12y + 9) \, dx \, dy = \iint (21 - 12y) \, dx \, dy \end{aligned}$$

Let us put  $x = r \cos \theta$ ,  $y = r \sin \theta$

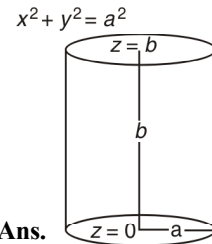
$$\begin{aligned} &= \iint (21 - 12r \sin \theta) r \, d\theta \, dr = \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta \int_0^2 (21r - 12r^2 \sin \theta) \, dr \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta \left[ \frac{21r^2}{2} - 4r^3 \sin \theta \right]_0^2 = \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta (42 - 32 \sin \theta) = (42\theta + 32 \cos \theta)_0^{2\pi} \\ &= 84\pi + 32 - 32 = 84\pi \quad \text{Ans.} \end{aligned}$$



**Example 109.** Apply the Divergence Theorem to compute  $\iint_S \vec{u} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$ , where  $s$  is the surface of the cylinder  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  bounded by the planes  $z = 0$ ,  $z = b$  and where  $\vec{u} = \hat{i}x - \hat{j}y + \hat{k}z$ .

**Solution.** By Gauss's Divergence Theorem

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_S \vec{u} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \iiint_V (\nabla \cdot \vec{u}) \, dv \\ &= \iiint_V \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \cdot (\hat{i}x - \hat{j}y + \hat{k}z) \, dv \\ &= \iiint_V \left( \frac{\partial x}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial y}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial z} \right) \, dv = \iiint_V (1 - 1 + 1) \, dv \\ &= \iiint_V dv = \iiint_V dx \, dy \, dz = \text{Volume of the cylinder} = \pi a^2 b \quad \text{Ans.} \end{aligned}$$



**Example 110.** Apply Divergence Theorem to evaluate  $\iiint_V \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$ , where  $\vec{F} = 4x^3\hat{i} - x^2y\hat{j} + x^2z\hat{k}$  and  $S$  is the surface of the cylinder  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  bounded by the planes  $z = 0$  and  $z = b$ .  
(U.P. Ist Semester, Dec. 2006)

**Solution.** We have,

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{F} &= 4x^3\hat{i} - x^2y\hat{j} + x^2z\hat{k} \\ \therefore \operatorname{div} \vec{F} &= \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \cdot (4x^3\hat{i} - x^2y\hat{j} + x^2z\hat{k}) \\ &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (4x^3) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (-x^2y) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (x^2z) = 12x^2 - x^2 + x^2 = 12x^2 \\ \text{Now, } \iiint_V \operatorname{div} \vec{F} \, dV &= 12 \int_{x=-a}^a \int_{y=-\sqrt{a^2-x^2}}^{\sqrt{a^2-x^2}} \int_{z=0}^b x^2 \, dz \, dy \, dx \\ &= 12 \int_{x=-a}^a \int_{y=-\sqrt{a^2-x^2}}^{\sqrt{a^2-x^2}} x^2 (z)_0^b \, dy \, dx = 12b \int_{-a}^a x^2 (y)_{-\sqrt{a^2-x^2}}^{\sqrt{a^2-x^2}} \, dx \\ &= 12b \int_{-a}^a x^2 \cdot 2\sqrt{a^2-x^2} \, dx = 24b \int_{-a}^a x^2 \sqrt{a^2-x^2} \, dx \\ &= 48b \int_0^a x^2 \sqrt{a^2-x^2} \, dx \quad [\text{Put } x = a \sin \theta, dx = a \cos \theta \, d\theta] \\ &= 48b \int_0^{\pi/2} a^2 \sin^2 \theta \, a \cos \theta \, a \cos \theta \, d\theta \\ &= 48ba^4 \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^2 \theta \cdot \cos^2 \theta \, d\theta = 48ba^4 \frac{\frac{3}{2} \frac{3}{2}}{2 \cdot 3} \\ &= 48ba^4 \frac{\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\pi} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\pi}}{2 \cdot 2} = 3b a^4 \pi \end{aligned}$$

**Ans.**

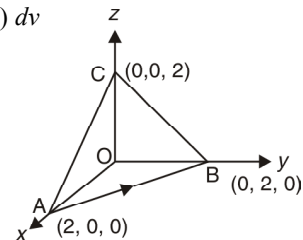
**Example 111.** Evaluate surface integral  $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$ , where  $\vec{F} = (x^2 + y^2 + z^2)(\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k})$ ,  $S$  is the surface of the tetrahedron  $x = 0, y = 0, z = 0, x + y + z = 2$  and  $n$  is the unit normal in the outward direction to the closed surface  $S$ .

**Solution.** By Divergence theorem

$$\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iiint_V \operatorname{div} \vec{F} \, dv$$

where  $S$  is the surface of tetrahedron  $x = 0, y = 0, z = 0, x + y + z = 2$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \iiint_V \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \cdot (x^2 + y^2 + z^2)(\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}) \, dv \\ &= \iiint_V (2x + 2y + 2z) \, dv \\ &= 2 \iiint_V (x + y + z) \, dx \, dy \, dz \\ &= 2 \int_0^2 dx \int_0^{2-x} dy \int_0^{2-x-y} (x + y + z) \, dz \\ &= 2 \int_0^2 dx \int_0^{2-x} dy \left( xz + yz + \frac{z^2}{2} \right)_0^{2-x-y} \end{aligned}$$





$$\begin{aligned}
&= 2 \int_0^2 dx \int_0^{2-x} dy \left[ 2x - x^2 - xy + 2y - xy - y^2 + \frac{(2-x-y)^2}{2} \right] \\
&= 2 \int_0^2 dx \left[ 2xy - x^2y - xy^2 + y^2 - \frac{y^3}{3} - \frac{(2-x-y)^3}{6} \right]_0^{2-x} \\
&= 2 \int_0^2 dx \left[ 2x(2-x) - x^2(2-x) - x(2-x)^2 + (2-x)^2 - \frac{(2-x)^3}{3} + \frac{(2-x)^3}{6} \right] \\
&= 2 \int_0^2 \left( 4x - 2x^2 - 2x^2 + x^3 - 4x + 4x^2 - x^3 + (2-x)^2 - \frac{(2-x)^3}{3} + \frac{(2-x)^3}{6} \right) dx \\
&= 2 \left[ 2x^2 - \frac{4x^3}{3} + \frac{x^4}{4} - 2x^2 + \frac{4x^3}{3} - \frac{x^4}{4} - \frac{(2-x)^3}{3} + \frac{(2-x)^4}{12} - \frac{(2-x)^4}{24} \right]_0^2 \\
&= 2 \left[ -\frac{(2-x)^3}{3} + \frac{(2-x)^4}{12} - \frac{(2-x)^4}{24} \right]_0^2 = 2 \left[ \frac{8}{3} - \frac{16}{12} + \frac{16}{24} \right] = 4 \quad \text{Ans.}
\end{aligned}$$

**Example 112.** Use the Divergence Theorem to evaluate

$$\iint_S (x \, dy \, dz + y \, dz \, dx + z \, dx \, dy)$$

where  $S$  is the portion of the plane  $x + 2y + 3z = 6$  which lies in the first Octant.

(U.P., I Semester, Winter 2003)

**Solution.**  $\iint_S (f_1 \, dy \, dz + f_2 \, dz \, dx + f_3 \, dx \, dy)$

$$= \iiint_V \left( \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial z} \right) dx \, dy \, dz$$

where  $S$  is a closed surface bounding a volume  $V$ .

$$\therefore \iint_S (x \, dy \, dz + y \, dz \, dx + z \, dx \, dy)$$

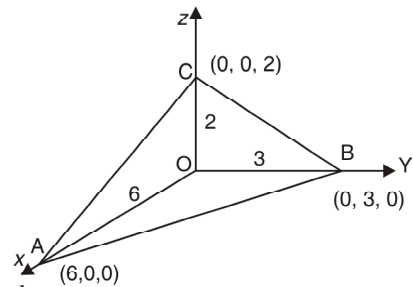
$$= \iiint_V \left[ \frac{\partial x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial y}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial z} \right] dx \, dy \, dz$$

$$= \iiint_V (1 + 1 + 1) dx \, dy \, dz = 3 \iiint_V dx \, dy \, dz$$

$$= 3 \text{ (Volume of tetrahedron } OABC)$$

$$= 3 \left[ \left( \frac{1}{3} \text{ Area of the base } \triangle OAB \right) \times \text{height } OC \right]$$

$$= 3 \left[ \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{1}{2} \times 6 \times 3 \right) \times 2 \right] = 18 \quad \text{Ans.}$$



**Example 113.** Use Divergence Theorem to evaluate :  $\iiint_V (x \, dy \, dz + y \, dz \, dx + z \, dx \, dy)$

over the surface of a sphere radius  $a$ .

(K. University, Dec. 2009)

**Solution.** Here, we have

$$\iiint_S [x \, dy \, dz + y \, dz \, dx + z \, dx \, dy]$$

$$= \iiint_V \left( \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial z} \right) dx \, dy \, dz = \iiint_V \left( \frac{\partial x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial y}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial z} \right) dx \, dy \, dz$$

$$= \iiint_V (1 + 1 + 1) dx \, dy \, dz = 3 \text{ (volume of the sphere)}$$

$$= 3 \left( \frac{4}{3} \pi a^3 \right) = 4 \pi a^3 \quad \text{Ans.}$$

**Example 114.** Using the divergence theorem, evaluate the surface integral  $\iint_S (yz \, dy \, dz + zx \, dz \, dx + xy \, dx \, dy)$  where  $S: x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 4$ .

(AMETE, Dec. 2010, UP, I Sem., Dec 2008)

**Solution.**  $\iint_S (f_1 \, dy \, dz + f_2 \, dz \, dx + f_3 \, dx \, dy)$

$$= \iiint_V \left( \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial z} \right) dx \, dy \, dz$$

where  $S$  is closed surface bounding a volume  $V$ .

$$\therefore \iint_S (yz \, dy \, dz + zx \, dz \, dx + xy \, dx \, dy)$$

$$= \iiint_V \left( \frac{\partial (yz)}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial (zx)}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial (xy)}{\partial z} \right) dx \, dy \, dz = \iiint_V (0 + 0 + 0) dx \, dy \, dz = 0$$

**Ans.**

**Example 115.** Evaluate  $\iint_S xz^2 \, dy \, dz + (x^2y - z^3) \, dz \, dx + (2xy + y^2z) \, dx \, dy$  where  $S$  is the surface of hemispherical region bounded by

$$z = \sqrt{a^2 - x^2 - y^2} \text{ and } z = 0.$$

**Solution.**  $\iint_S (f_1 \, dy \, dz + f_2 \, dz \, dx + f_3 \, dx \, dy) = \iiint_V \left( \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial z} \right) dx \, dy \, dz$

where  $S$  is a closed surface bounding a volume  $V$ .

$$\therefore \iint_S xz^2 \, dy \, dz + (x^2y - z^3) \, dz \, dx + (2xy + y^2z) \, dx \, dy$$

$$= \iiint_V \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (xz^2) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (x^2y - z^3) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (2xy + y^2z) \right] dx \, dy \, dz$$

(Here  $V$  is the volume of hemisphere)

$$= \iiint_V (z^2 + x^2 + y^2) dx \, dy \, dz$$

Let  $x = r \sin \theta \cos \phi$ ,  $y = r \sin \theta \sin \phi$ ,  $z = r \cos \theta$

$$= \iiint_V r^2 (r^2 \sin \theta \, dr \, d\theta \, d\phi) = \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin \theta \, d\theta \int_0^a r^4 \, dr$$

$$= (\phi)_0^{2\pi} (-\cos \theta)_0^{\pi/2} \left( \frac{r^5}{5} \right)_0^a = 2\pi (-0 + 1) \frac{a^5}{5} = \frac{2\pi a^5}{5}$$

**Ans.**

**Example 116.** Evaluate  $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$  over the entire surface of the region above the  $xy$ -plane

bounded by the cone  $z^2 = x^2 + y^2$  and the plane  $z = 4$ , if  $F = 4xz \hat{i} + xyz^2 \hat{j} + 3z \hat{k}$ .

**Solution.** If  $V$  is the volume enclosed by  $S$ , then  $V$  is bounded by the surfaces  $z = 0$ ,  $z = 4$ ,  $z^2 = x^2 + y^2$ .

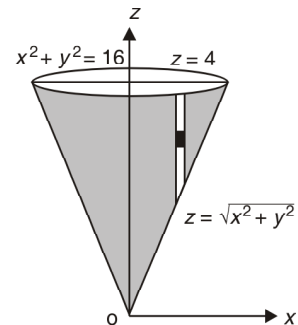
By divergence theorem, we have

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

$$= \iiint_V \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (4xz) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (xyz^2) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (3z) \right] dx \, dy \, dz$$

$$= \iiint_V (4z + xz^2 + 3) dx \, dy \, dz$$

Limits of  $z$  are  $\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$  and  $4$ .



$$\begin{aligned}
\iiint \frac{4}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}} (4z + xz^2 + 3) dz dy dx &= \iint \left[ 2z^2 + \frac{xz^3}{3} + 3z \right]_{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}}^4 dy dx \\
&= \iint \left[ \left( 32 + \frac{64x}{3} + 12 \right) - \{ 2(x^2 + y^2) + x(x^2 + y^2)^{3/2} + 3\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \} \right] dy dx \\
&= \iint \left( 44 + \frac{64x}{3} - 2(x^2 + y^2) - x(x^2 + y^2)^{3/2} - 3\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \right) dy dx
\end{aligned}$$

Putting  $x = r \cos \theta$  and  $y = r \sin \theta$ , we have

$$= \iint \left( 44 + \frac{64r \cos \theta}{3} - 2r^2 - r \cos \theta r^3 - 3r \right) r d\theta dr$$

Limits of  $r$  are 0 to 4.

and limits of  $\theta$  are 0 to  $2\pi$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^4 \left( 44r + \frac{64r^2 \cos \theta}{3} - 2r^3 - r^5 \cos \theta - 3r^2 \right) d\theta dr \\
&= \int_0^{2\pi} \left[ 22r^2 + \frac{64 \times r^3 \cos \theta}{9} - \frac{r^4}{2} - \frac{r^6}{6} \cos \theta - r^3 \right]_0^4 d\theta \\
&= \int_0^{2\pi} \left[ 22(4)^2 + \frac{64 \times (4)^3 \cos \theta}{9} - \frac{(4)^4}{2} - \frac{(4)^6}{6} \cos \theta - (4)^3 \right] d\theta \\
&= \int_0^{2\pi} \left[ 352 + \frac{64 \times 64}{9} \cos \theta - 128 - \frac{(4)^6}{6} \cos \theta - 64 \right] d\theta \\
&= \int_0^{2\pi} \left[ 160 + \left( \frac{64 \times 64}{9} - \frac{(4)^6}{6} \right) \cos \theta \right] d\theta \\
&= \left[ 160\theta + \left( \frac{64 \times 64}{9} - \frac{(4)^6}{6} \right) \sin \theta \right]_0^{2\pi} = 160(2\pi) + \left( \frac{64 \times 64}{9} - \frac{(4)^6}{6} \right) \sin 2\pi \\
&= 320\pi
\end{aligned}$$

**Ans.**

**Example 117.** The vector field  $\vec{F} = x^2\hat{i} + z\hat{j} + yz\hat{k}$  is defined over the volume of the cuboid given by  $0 \leq x \leq a$ ,  $0 \leq y \leq b$ ,  $0 \leq z \leq c$ , enclosing the surface  $S$ . Evaluate the surface integral

$$\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \vec{ds} \quad (U.P., I Semester; Winter 2001)$$

**Solution.** By Divergence Theorem, we have

$$\iint_S (x^2\hat{i} + z\hat{j} + yz\hat{k}) \cdot \vec{ds} = \iiint_V \text{div} (x^2\hat{i} + z\hat{j} + yz\hat{k}) dv,$$

where  $V$  is the volume of the cuboid enclosing the surface  $S$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \iiint_V \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \cdot (x^2\hat{i} + z\hat{j} + yz\hat{k}) dv \\
&= \iiint_V \left\{ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (x^2) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (z) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (yz) \right\} dx dy dz \\
&= \int_{x=0}^a \int_{y=0}^b \int_{z=0}^c (2x + y) dx dy dz = \int_0^a dx \int_0^b dy \int_0^c (2x + y) dz \\
&= \int_0^a dx \int_0^b [2xz + yz]_0^c dy = \int_0^a dx \int_0^b (2xc + yc) dy
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= c \int_0^a dx \int_0^b (2x + y) dy = c \int_0^a \left[ 2xy + \frac{y^2}{2} \right]_0^b dx = c \int_0^a \left( 2bx + \frac{b^2}{2} \right) dx \\
 &= c \left[ \frac{2bx^2}{2} + \frac{b^2x}{2} \right]_0^a = c \left[ a^2b + \frac{ab^2}{2} \right] = abc \left( a + \frac{b}{2} \right) \quad \text{Ans.}
 \end{aligned}$$

**Example 118.** Verify the divergence Theorem for the function  $\vec{F} = 2x^2y\hat{i} - y^2\hat{j} + 4xz^2\hat{k}$  taken over the region in the first octant bounded by  $y^2 + z^2 = 9$  and  $x = 2$ .

**Solution.**  $\iiint_V \nabla \cdot \vec{F} dV = \iiint_V \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \cdot (2x^2y\hat{i} - y^2\hat{j} + 4xz^2\hat{k}) dV$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \iiint_V (4xy - 2y + 8xz) dx dy dz = \int_0^2 dx \int_0^3 dy \int_0^{\sqrt{9-y^2}} (4xy - 2y + 8xz) dz \\
 &= \int_0^2 dx \int_0^3 dy (4xyz - 2yz + 4xz^2) \Big|_0^{\sqrt{9-y^2}} \\
 &= \int_0^2 dx \int_0^3 [4xy\sqrt{9-y^2} - 2y\sqrt{9-y^2} + 4x(9-y^2)] dy \\
 &= \int_0^2 dx \left[ -\frac{4x}{2} \frac{2}{3} (9-y^2)^{3/2} + \frac{2}{3} (9-y^2)^{3/2} + 36xy - \frac{4xy^3}{3} \right]_0^3 \\
 &= \int_0^2 (0 + 0 + 108x - 36x + 36x - 18) dx = \int_0^2 (108x - 18) dx = \left[ 108 \frac{x^2}{2} - 18x \right]_0^2 \\
 &= 216 - 36 = 180 \quad \dots(1)
 \end{aligned}$$

Here  $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds = \iint_{OABC} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds + \iint_{OACE} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds + \iint_{OADE} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds + \iint_{ABDE} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds + \iint_{BDEC} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds$

$\iint_{BDEC} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds = \iint_{BDEC} (2x^2y\hat{i} - y^2\hat{j} + 4xz^2\hat{k}) \cdot \hat{n} ds$

Normal vector

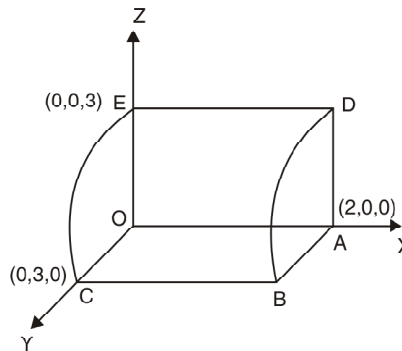
$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \nabla \phi = \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) (y^2 + z^2 - 9) \\
 &= 2y\hat{j} + 2z\hat{k}
 \end{aligned}$$

Unit normal vector  $= \hat{n} = \frac{2y\hat{j} + 2z\hat{k}}{\sqrt{4y^2 + 4z^2}} = \frac{y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}}{\sqrt{y^2 + z^2}}$

$$= \frac{y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}}{\sqrt{9}} = \frac{y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}}{3}$$

$\iint_{BDEC} (2x^2y\hat{i} - y^2\hat{j} + 4xz^2\hat{k}) \cdot \frac{y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}}{3} ds = \frac{1}{3} \iint_{BDEC} (-y^3 + 4xz^3) ds$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\left[ dx dy = ds (\hat{n} \cdot \hat{k}) = ds \left( \frac{y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}}{3} \cdot \hat{k} \right) = ds \frac{z}{3} \text{ or } ds = \frac{dx dy}{\frac{z}{3}} \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{3} \iint_{BDEC} (-y^3 + 4xz^3) \frac{dx dy}{\frac{z}{3}} = \int_0^2 dx \int_0^3 \left( -\frac{y^3}{z} + 4xz^2 \right) dy \quad \left( \begin{array}{l} y = 3 \sin \theta \\ z = 3 \cos \theta \end{array} \right) \\
 &= \int_0^2 dx \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left[ \frac{-27 \sin^3 \theta}{3 \cos \theta} + 4x (9 \cos^2 \theta) \right]
 \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \int_0^2 dx \left( -27 \times \frac{2}{3} + 108x \times \frac{2}{3} \right) = \int_0^2 (-18 + 72x) dx \\
 &= \left[ -18x + 36x^2 \right]_0^2 = 108 \quad \dots(2)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \iint_{OABC} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \iint_{OABC} (2x^2 y \hat{i} - y^2 \hat{j} + 4xz^2 \hat{k}) \cdot (-\hat{k}) \, ds \\
 &= \iint_{OABC} -4xz^2 \, ds = 0 \quad \dots(3) \text{ because in } OABC \text{ } xy\text{-plane, } z = 0
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\iint_{OADE} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iint_{OADE} (2x^2 y \hat{i} - y^2 \hat{j} + 4xz^2 \hat{k}) \cdot (-\hat{j}) \, ds = \iint_{OADE} y^2 \, ds = 0 \quad \dots(4)$$

because in  $OADE$   $xz$ -plane,  $y = 0$

$$\iint_{OCE} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iint_{OCE} (2x^2 y \hat{i} - y^2 \hat{j} + 4xz^2 \hat{k}) \cdot (-\hat{i}) \, ds = \iint_{OCE} -2x^2 y \, ds = 0 \quad \dots(5)$$

because in  $OCE$   $yz$ -plane,  $x = 0$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \iint_{ABD} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \iint_{ABD} (2x^2 y \hat{i} - y^2 \hat{j} + 4xz^2 \hat{k}) \cdot (\hat{i}) \, ds = \iint_{ABD} 2x^2 y \, ds \\
 &= \iint_{ABD} 2x^2 y \, dy \, dz = \int_0^3 dz \int_0^{\sqrt{9-z^2}} 2(2)^2 y \, dy \quad \text{because in } ABD \text{ plane, } x = 2 \\
 &= 8 \int_0^3 dz \left[ \frac{y^2}{2} \right]_0^{\sqrt{9-z^2}} = 4 \int_0^3 dz (9 - z^2) = 4 \left[ 9z - \frac{z^3}{3} \right]_0^3 = 4 [27 - 9] = 72 \quad \dots(6)
 \end{aligned}$$

On adding (2), (3), (4), (5) and (6), we get

$$\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = 108 + 0 + 0 + 0 + 0 + 72 = 180 \quad \dots(7)$$

From (1) and (7), we have  $\iiint_V \nabla \cdot \vec{F} \, dV = \iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$

Hence the theorem is verified.

**Example 119.** Verify the Gauss divergence Theorem for

$\vec{F} = (x^2 - yz) \hat{i} + (y^2 - zx) \hat{j} + (z^2 - xy) \hat{k}$  taken over the rectangular parallelepiped  $0 \leq x \leq a, 0 \leq y \leq b, 0 \leq z \leq c$ . (U.P., I Semester, Compartment 2002)

**Solution.** We have

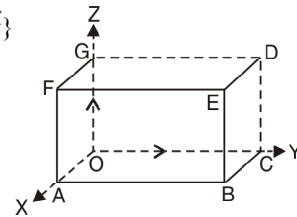
$$\begin{aligned}
 \operatorname{div} \vec{F} &= \nabla \cdot \vec{F} = \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \cdot [(x^2 - yz) \hat{i} + (y^2 - zx) \hat{j} + (z^2 - xy) \hat{k}] \\
 &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (x^2 - yz) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (y^2 - zx) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (z^2 - xy) = 2x + 2y + 2z
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore \text{Volume integral} &= \iiint_V \nabla \cdot \vec{F} \, dV = \iiint_V 2(x + y + z) \, dV \\
 &= 2 \int_{x=0}^a \int_{y=0}^b \int_{z=0}^c (x + y + z) \, dx \, dy \, dz = 2 \int_0^a dx \int_0^b dy \int_0^c (x + y + z) \, dz \\
 &= 2 \int_0^a dx \int_0^b dy \left( xz + yz + \frac{z^2}{2} \right)_0^c = 2 \int_0^a dx \int_0^b dy \left( cx + cy + \frac{c^2}{2} \right) \\
 &= 2 \int_0^a dx \left( cxy + c \frac{y^2}{2} + \frac{c^2 y}{2} \right)_0^b = 2 \int_0^a dx \left( bcx + \frac{b^2 c}{2} + \frac{bc^2}{2} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= 2 \left[ \frac{bcx^2}{2} + \frac{b^2cx}{2} + \frac{bc^2x}{2} \right]_0^a = [a^2bc + ab^2c + abc^2] \\ = abc(a + b + c) \quad \dots(A)$$

To evaluate  $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$ , where  $S$  consists of six plane surfaces.

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \iint_{OABC} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds + \iint_{DEFG} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds + \iint_{OAFG} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds \\ &+ \iint_{BCDE} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds + \iint_{ABEF} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds + \iint_{OCDG} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds \\ \iint_{OABC} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \iint_{OABC} \{(x^2 - yz)\hat{i} + (y^2 - xz)\hat{j} + (z^2 - xy)\hat{k}\} \\ &= - \int_0^a \int_0^b (z^2 - xy) \, dx \, dy \\ &= - \int_0^a \int_0^b (0 - xy) \, dx \, dy = \frac{a^2 b^2}{4} \quad \dots(1) \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned} \iint_{DEFG} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \iint_{DEFG} \{(x^2 - yz)\hat{i} + (y^2 - xz)\hat{j} + (z^2 - xy)\hat{k}\} (\hat{k}) \, dx \, dy \\ &= \int_0^a \int_0^b (z^2 - xy) \, dx \, dy = \int_0^a \int_0^b (c^2 - xy) \, dx \, dy \\ &= \int_0^a \left[ c^2 y - \frac{xy^2}{2} \right]_0^b \, dx = \int_0^a \left( c^2 b - \frac{xb^2}{2} \right) \, dx \\ &= \left[ c^2 bx - \frac{x^2 b^2}{4} \right]_0^a = abc^2 - \frac{a^2 b^2}{4} \quad \dots(2) \end{aligned}$$

S.No.	Surface	Outward normal	$ds$	
1	OABC	$-\hat{k}$	$dx \, dy$	$z = 0$
2	DEFG	$\hat{k}$	$dx \, dy$	$z = c$
3	OAFG	$-\hat{j}$	$dx \, dz$	$y = 0$
4	BCDE	$\hat{j}$	$dx \, dz$	$y = b$
5	ABEF	$\hat{i}$	$dy \, dz$	$x = a$
6	OCDG	$-\hat{i}$	$dy \, dz$	$x = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_{OAFG} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \iint_{OAFG} \{(x^2 - yz)\hat{i} + (y^2 - xz)\hat{j} + (z^2 - xy)\hat{k}\} (-\hat{j}) \, dx \, dz \\ &= - \iint_{OAFG} (y^2 - xz) \, dx \, dz \\ &= - \int_0^a dx \int_0^c (0 - xz) \, dz = \int_0^a dx \left( \frac{xz^2}{2} \right)_0^c = \int_0^a \frac{xc^2}{2} \, dx = \left[ \frac{x^2 c^2}{4} \right]_0^a = \frac{a^2 c^2}{4} \quad \dots(3) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_{BCDE} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \iint_{BCDE} \{(x^2 - yz)\hat{i} + (y^2 - xz)\hat{j} + (z^2 - xy)\hat{k}\} \cdot \hat{j} \, dx \, dz = \iint_{BCDE} (y^2 - xz) \, dx \, dz \\ &= - \int_0^a dx \int_0^c (b^2 - xz) \, dz = \int_0^a \left( b^2 z - \frac{xz^2}{2} \right)_0^c \, dx = \int_0^a \left( b^2 c - \frac{xc^2}{2} \right) \, dx \\ &= \left[ b^2 cx - \frac{x^2 c^2}{4} \right]_0^a = ab^2 c - \frac{a^2 c^2}{4} \quad \dots(4) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_{ABEF} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \iint_{ABEF} \{(x^2 - yz)\hat{i} + (y^2 - xz)\hat{j} + (z^2 - xy)\hat{k}\} \cdot \hat{i} \, dy \, dz \\ &= \iint_{ABEF} (x^2 - yz) \, dy \, dz = \int_0^b dy \int_0^c (a^2 - yz) \, dz = \int_0^b dy \left( a^2 z - \frac{yz^2}{2} \right)_0^c \end{aligned}$$

$$= \int_0^b \left( a^2 c - \frac{y c^2}{2} \right) dy = \left[ a^2 c y - \frac{y^2 c^2}{4} \right]_0^b = a^2 b c - \frac{b^2 c^2}{4} \quad \dots(5)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_{OCDE} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \iint_{OCDE} \{ (x^2 - yz) \hat{i} + (y^2 - zx) \hat{j} + (z^2 - xy) \hat{k} \} \cdot (-\hat{i}) \, dy \, dz \\ &= - \int_0^b \int_0^c (x^2 - yz) \, dy \, dz = - \int_0^b dy \int_0^c (-yz) \, dz = - \int_0^b dy \left[ \frac{-y z^2}{2} \right]_0^c \\ &= \int_0^b \frac{y c^2}{2} \, dy = \left[ \frac{y^2 c^2}{4} \right]_0^b = \frac{b^2 c^2}{4} \quad \dots(6) \end{aligned}$$

Adding (1), (2), (3), (4), (5) and (6), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \iint \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \left( \frac{a^2 b^2}{4} \right) + \left( abc^2 - \frac{a^2 b^2}{4} \right) + \left( \frac{a^2 c^2}{4} \right) + \left( ab^2 c - \frac{a^2 c^2}{4} \right) \\ &\quad + \left( \frac{b^2 c^2}{4} \right) + \left( a^2 b c - \frac{b^2 c^2}{4} \right) \\ &= abc^2 + ab^2 c + a^2 bc \\ &= abc (a + b + c) \quad \dots(B) \end{aligned}$$

From (A) and (B), Gauss divergence Theorem is verified.

**Verified.**

**Example 120.** Verify Divergence Theorem, given that  $\vec{F} = 4xz\hat{i} - y^2\hat{j} + yz\hat{k}$  and  $S$  is the surface of the cube bounded by the planes  $x = 0, x = 1, y = 0, y = 1, z = 0, z = 1$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Solution. } \nabla \cdot \vec{F} &= \left( \hat{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \cdot (4xz\hat{i} - y^2\hat{j} + yz\hat{k}) \\ &= 4z - 2y + y \\ &= 4z - y \end{aligned}$$

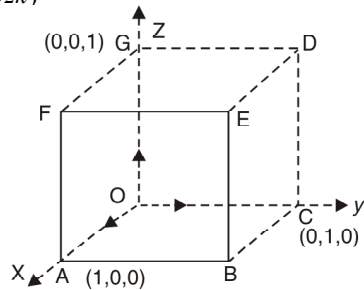
$$\text{Volume Integral} = \iiint \nabla \cdot \vec{F} \, dv$$

$$= \iiint (4z - y) \, dx \, dy \, dz$$

$$= \int_0^1 dx \int_0^1 dy \int_0^1 (4z - y) \, dz$$

$$= \int_0^1 dx \int_0^1 dy (2z^2 - yz)_0^1 = \int_0^1 dx \int_0^1 dy (2 - y)$$

$$= \int_0^1 dx \left( 2y - \frac{y^2}{2} \right)_0^1 = \int_0^1 dx \left( 2 - \frac{1}{2} \right) = \frac{3}{2} \int_0^1 dx = \frac{3}{2} (x)_0^1 = \frac{3}{2} \quad \dots(1)$$



To evaluate  $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$ , where  $S$  consists of six plane surfaces.

Over the face  $OABC$ ,  $z = 0, dz = 0, \hat{n} = -\hat{k}, ds = dx \, dy$

$$\iint \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (-y^2 \hat{j}) \cdot (-\hat{k}) \, dx \, dy = 0$$

Over the face  $BCDE$ ,  $y = 1, dy = 0$

$$\iint \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (4xz\hat{i} - \hat{j} + z\hat{k}) \cdot (\hat{j}) \, dx \, dz$$

$$\hat{n} = \hat{j}, \, ds = dx \, dz = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 -dx \, dz$$

$$= - \int_0^1 dx \int_0^1 dz = -(x)_0^1 (z)_0^1 = -(1)(1) = -1$$

Over the face  $DEFG$ ,  $z = 1$ ,  $dz = 0$ ,  $\hat{n} = \hat{k}$ ,  $ds = dx \, dy$

$$\begin{aligned} \iint \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \int_0^1 \int_0^1 [4x(1) - y^2\hat{j} + y(1)\hat{k}] \cdot (\hat{k}) \, dx \, dy \\ &= \int_0^1 \int_0^1 y \, dx \, dy = \int_0^1 dx \int_0^1 y \, dy = (x)_0^1 \left( \frac{y^2}{2} \right)_0^1 = \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

Over the face  $OCDG$ ,  $x = 0$ ,  $dx = 0$ ,  $\hat{n} = -\hat{i}$ ,  $ds = dy \, dz$

$$\iint \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (0\hat{i} - y^2\hat{j} + yz\hat{k}) \cdot (-\hat{i}) \, dy \, dz = 0$$

Over the face  $AOGF$ ,  $y = 0$ ,  $dy = 0$ ,  $\hat{n} = -\hat{j}$ ,  $ds = dx \, dz$

$$\iint \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (4xz\hat{i}) \cdot (-\hat{j}) \, dx \, dz = 0$$

Over the face  $ABEF$ ,  $x = 1$ ,  $dx = 0$ ,  $\hat{n} = \hat{i}$ ,  $ds = dy \, dz$

$$\begin{aligned} \iint \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds &= \int_0^1 \int_0^1 [(4z\hat{i} - y^2\hat{j} + yz\hat{k}) \cdot (\hat{i})] \, dy \, dz = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 4z \, dy \, dz \\ &= \int_0^1 dy \int_0^1 4z \, dz = \int_0^1 dy (2z^2)_0^1 = 2 \int_0^1 dy = 2(y)_0^1 = 2 \end{aligned}$$

On adding we see that over the whole surface

$$\iint \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \left( 0 - 1 + \frac{1}{2} + 0 + 0 + 2 \right) = \frac{3}{2} \quad \dots(2)$$

From (1) and (2), we have  $\iiint_V \nabla \cdot \vec{F} \, dv = \iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$

**Verified.**

### EXERCISE 5.15

1. Use Divergence Theorem to evaluate  $\iint_S (y^2z^2\hat{i} + z^2x^2\hat{j} + x^2y^2\hat{k}) \cdot \overline{ds}$ ,

where  $S$  is the upper part of the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 9$  above  $xy$ - plane.

**Ans.**  $\frac{243\pi}{8}$

2. Evaluate  $\iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$ , where  $S$  is the surface of the paraboloid  $x^2 + y^2 + z = 4$  above the  $xy$ -plane and  $\vec{F} = (x^2 + y - 4)\hat{i} + 3xy\hat{j} + (2xz + z^2)\hat{k}$ .

**Ans.**  $-4\pi$

3. Evaluate  $\iint_S [xz^2 \, dy \, dz + (x^2y - z^3) \, dz \, dx + (2xy + y^2z) \, dx \, dy]$ , where  $S$  is the surface enclosing a region bounded by hemisphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 4$  above  $XY$ -plane.

4. Verify Divergence Theorem for  $\vec{F} = x^2\hat{i} + z\hat{j} + yz\hat{k}$ , taken over the cube bounded by  $x = 0, x = 1, y = 0, y = 1, z = 0, z = 1$ .

5. Evaluate  $\iint_S (2xy\hat{i} + yz^2\hat{j} + xz\hat{k}) \cdot \overline{ds}$  over the surface of the region bounded by

$$x = 0, y = 0, y = 3, z = 0 \text{ and } x + 2z = 6$$

**Ans.**  $\frac{351}{2}$



6. Verify Divergence Theorem for  $\vec{F} = (x + y^2)\hat{i} - 2xy\hat{j} + 2yz\hat{k}$  and the volume of a tetrahedron bounded by co-ordinate planes and the plane  $2x + y + 2z = 6$ .  
(Nagpur, Winter 2000, A.M.I.E.T.E., Winter 2000)

7. Verify Divergence Theorem for the function  $\vec{F} = y\hat{i} + x\hat{j} + z^2\hat{k}$  over the region bounded by  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ ,  $z = 0$  and  $z = 2$ .

8. Use the Divergence Theorem to evaluate  $\iint_S x^3 dy dz + x^2 y dz dx + x^2 z dx dy$ , where  $S$  is the surface of the region bounded by the closed cylinder

$$x^2 + y^2 = a^2, (0 \leq z \leq b) \text{ and } z = 0, z = b. \quad \text{Ans. } \frac{5\pi a^4 b}{4}$$

9. Evaluate the integral  $\iint_S (z^2 - x) dy dz - xy dx dz + 3z dx dy$ , where  $S$  is the surface of closed region bounded by  $z = 4 - y^2$  and planes  $x = 0$ ,  $x = 3$ ,  $z = 0$  by transforming it with the help of Divergence Theorem to a triple integral. **Ans. 16**

10. Evaluate  $\iint_S \frac{ds}{\sqrt{a^2 x^2 + b^2 y^2 + c^2 z^2}}$  over the closed surface of the ellipsoid  $ax^2 + by^2 + cz^2 = 1$  by applying Divergence Theorem. **Ans.**  $\frac{4\pi}{\sqrt{abc}}$

11. Apply Divergence Theorem to evaluate  $\iint_S (lx^2 + my^2 + nz^2) ds$  taken over the sphere  $(x - a)^2 + (y - b)^2 + (z - c)^2 = r^2$ ,  $l, m, n$  being the direction cosines of the external normal to the sphere. (AMIE TE June 2010, 2009) **Ans.**  $\frac{8\pi}{3}(a + b + c)r^3$

12. Show that  $\iiint_V (u \nabla \cdot \vec{V} + \nabla u \cdot \vec{V}) dv = \iint_S u \vec{V} \cdot d\vec{s}$ .

13. If  $E = \text{grad } \phi$  and  $\nabla^2 \phi = 4\pi\rho$ , prove that  $\iint_S \vec{E} \cdot \vec{n} dS = -4\pi \iiint_V \rho dv$  where  $\vec{n}$  is the outward unit normal vector, while  $dS$  and  $dV$  are respectively surface and volume elements.

**Pick up the correct option from the following:**

14. If  $\vec{F}$  is the velocity of a fluid particle then  $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$  represents.  
(a) Work done (b) Circulation (c) Flux (d) Conservative field.  
(U.P. Ist Semester, Dec 2009) **Ans. (b)**

15. If  $\vec{f} = ax\hat{i} + by\hat{j} + cz\hat{k}$ ,  $a, b, c$ , constants, then  $\iint_S f \cdot d\vec{S}$  where  $S$  is the surface of a unit sphere is  
(a)  $\frac{\pi}{3}(a + b + c)$  (b)  $\frac{4}{3}\pi(a + b + c)$  (c)  $2\pi(a + b + c)$  (d)  $\pi(a + b + c)$   
(U.P. Ist Semester, 2009) **Ans. (b)**

16. A force field  $\vec{F}$  is said to be conservative if  
(a)  $\text{Curl } \vec{F} = 0$  (b)  $\text{grad } \vec{F} = 0$  (c)  $\text{Div } \vec{F} = 0$  (d)  $\text{Curl } (\text{grad } \vec{F}) = 0$   
(AMIE TE, Dec. 2006) **Ans. (a)**

17. The line integral  $\int_C x^2 dx + y^2 dy$ , where  $C$  is the boundary of the region  $x^2 + y^2 < a^2$  equals  
(a) 0, (b)  $a$  (c)  $\pi a^2$  (d)  $\frac{1}{2}\pi a^2$   
(AMIE TE, Dec. 2006) **Ans. (b)**