

Math 2401

Quiz 8

Section B

1. Find a smooth parametrization for the curve \mathcal{C} given by the intersection of the surfaces $x^2 + z^2 = 4$ and $y = 3$. Set up, but do not integrate, $\int_{\mathcal{C}} f \, ds$, with $f(x, y, z) = x^2 + y - 3$.

Solution:

$$\vec{r}(t) = (2 \cos t)\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + (2 \sin t)\vec{k}, \quad 0 \leq t \leq 2\pi.$$

$$\vec{r}'(t) = (-2 \sin t)\vec{i} + (2 \cos t)\vec{k}, \quad \|\vec{r}'(t)\| = \sqrt{(2 \sin t)^2 + (2 \cos t)^2} = \sqrt{4} = 2.$$

$$ds = \|\vec{r}'(t)\| \, dt = 2 \, dt, \quad f(\vec{r}(t)) = (2 \cos t)^2 + 3 - 3 = 4 \cos^2 t.$$

$$\int_{\mathcal{C}} f \, ds = \int_0^{2\pi} f(\vec{r}(t)) \, dt = \int_0^{2\pi} 8 \cos^2 t \, dt.$$

2. Find the work done by $\vec{F}(x, y, z) = xy\vec{i} + yz\vec{j} + x\vec{k}$, over the curve $\vec{r}(t) = t\vec{i} + t^2\vec{j} + t^3\vec{k}$, $0 \leq t \leq 2$ in the direction of increasing t .

Solution:

$$\vec{F}(\vec{r}(t)) = t^3\vec{i} + t^5\vec{j} + t\vec{k}, \quad d\vec{r} = \vec{r}'(t) \, dt = (\vec{i} + 2t\vec{j} + 3t^2\vec{k}) \, dt.$$

$$W = \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_0^2 \vec{F}(\vec{r}(t)) \cdot \vec{r}'(t) \, dt = \int_0^2 (t^3\vec{i} + t^5\vec{j} + t\vec{k}) \cdot (\vec{i} + 2t\vec{j} + 3t^2\vec{k}) \, dt = \int_0^2 2t^6 + 4t^3 \, dt = \frac{368}{7}.$$

3. Find a smooth parametrization of the curve \mathcal{C} given by the intersection of the surfaces $2x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 2$ and $y = z$. Find $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$, where $\vec{F}(x, y, z) = -y\vec{i} + z^2\vec{j} + y^3\vec{k}$.

Solution:

If $y = z$, then $2x^2 + y^2 + y^2 = 2 \Rightarrow 2x^2 + 2y^2 = 2 \Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 = 1$. A parametrization is $x = \cos t$, $y = \sin t$, $z = y = \sin t$, i.e., $\vec{r}(t) = (\cos t)\vec{i} + (\sin t)\vec{j} + (\sin t)\vec{k}$, $0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$.

$$\vec{F}(\vec{r}(t)) = (-\sin t)\vec{i} + (\sin^2 t)\vec{j} + (\sin^3 t)\vec{k}, \quad d\vec{r} = \vec{r}'(t) \, dt = ((-\sin t)\vec{i} + (\cos t)\vec{j} + (\cos t)\vec{k}) \, dt.$$

$$\vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \vec{F}(\vec{r}(t)) \cdot \vec{r}'(t) \, dt = ((-\sin t)\vec{i} + (\sin^2 t)\vec{j} + (\sin^3 t)\vec{k}) \cdot ((-\sin t)\vec{i} + (\cos t)\vec{j} + (\cos t)\vec{k}) \, dt = (\sin^2 t + \sin^2 t \cos t + \sin^3 t \cos t) \, dt.$$

$$\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_0^{2\pi} (\sin^2 t + \sin^2 t \cos t + \sin^3 t \cos t) \, dt = \pi.$$