

Basics

- dot product: $\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} = a_1b_1 + a_2b_2 + \dots = |\underline{a}||\underline{b}| \cos \theta$, $W = \underline{F} \cdot \underline{d}$ where F is force and d is distance
- Cross Product: $\underline{v} \times \underline{w} = \begin{vmatrix} i & -j & k \\ v_1 & v_2 & v_3 \\ w_1 & w_2 & W_3 \end{vmatrix}$
- The area of the quadrilateral which the vectors are enclosing is the determinant of the cross product
- Vector equation of line : $(x,y,z) = (x_0,y_0,z_0) + t(a,b,c)$; where (a,b,c) is a vector parallel to the line and (x_0,y_0,z_0) is a point on the line
- Standard equation of line/plane: $\underline{n} \cdot ((x,y,z) - (x_0,y_0,z_0)) = 0$, where \underline{n} is a vector normal to the line/plane
- **projection \underline{a} onto \underline{b} :** $Proj_{\underline{b}}(\underline{a}) = \underline{a_b} = (\underline{a} \cdot \frac{\underline{a}}{|\underline{b}|}) \frac{\underline{b}}{|\underline{b}|}$

Parametrization and Tangents to planes ...

- **Curve:** R^2 : $\underline{r} = (x(t),y(t))$; R^3 : $\underline{r} = (x(t),y(t),z(t))$
- **Tangent line at $t = t_0$:** $L(s) = \underline{r}(t_0) + s\underline{r}'(t_0)$
- **Tangent plane of graph at $(a,b,f(a,b))$:** $z = f(a,b) + f_x(a,b)(x - a) + f_x(a,b)(y - b)$

Parametrized Surface ($\underline{r}(u,v)$) and Curve and regular parametrization

- $\underline{r}(u,v) = (x(u,v),y(u,v),z(u,v))$
- $\underline{r_u}(u_0,v_0)$ and $\underline{r_v}(u_0,v_0)$ are two vectors parallel to the plane tangent to the surface at $\underline{r}(u_0,v_0)$
- $\underline{n} = \underline{r_u}(u_0,v_0) \times \underline{r_v}(u_0,v_0)$ is a vector normal to the above tangent plane, if $\underline{n} \neq \underline{0}$ then the parametrization is regular at $\underline{r}(u_0,v_0)$
- Tangent plane can be written in two ways:
 - As a parametrization: $(x,y,z) = \underline{r}(u_0,v_0) + a\underline{r_u}(u_0,v_0) + b\underline{r_v}(u_0,v_0)$
 - As a level set (Standard equation): $\underline{n} \cdot ((x,y,z) - \underline{r}(u_0,v_0)) = 0$
- **Parametrization of special surfaces**
 - **cylinder:** $\underline{r}(\theta,z) = (R \cos(\theta), R \sin(\theta), z)$
 - **sphere:** $\underline{r}(\theta,\phi) = (R \sin(\phi) \cos(\theta), R \sin(\phi) \sin(\theta), R \cos(\phi))$
 - **graph $y = f(x)$:** $\underline{r}(x) = (x,f(x))$
- **Parametrization of curves**
 - **line segment:** $\underline{r}(t) = \underline{a} + t(\underline{b} - \underline{b})$
 - **circle in R^2 :** $\underline{r}(t) = (R \cos(t), R \sin(t))$
 - **graph $z = f(x,y)$:** $\underline{r}(x,y) = (x,y,f(x,y))$

Surfaces and Gradient vectors

- **Common surfaces:**
 - **Bowl/cup:** $z = x^2 + y^2$
 - **Cone:** $z = \pm c\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$
 - **Saddle:** $z = x^2 - y^2$
 - **Cylinder:** $x^2 + y^2 = R^2$
 - **Sphere:** $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = R^2$
 - **Plane:** $ax + by + cz = d$

Level sets

- **level set of $f(x,y)$ is a curve in the xy-plane:** $f(x,y) = const$
- **level set of $f(x,y,z)$ is a graph in the xyz-plane:** $f(x,y,z) = const$

Gradient Vector $\nabla f = (f_{x_1}, f_{x_2}, ..., f_{x_n})$

- Maximum increase: the direction: direction of ∇f ; the rate: $|\nabla f|$
- Minimum increase: opposite direction of ∇f ; the rate: $-|\nabla f|$
- No change: the normal to ∇f
- Rate of change in direction \hat{u} : **directional derivative** $D_{\hat{u}}f(\underline{p}) = \nabla f(\underline{p}) \cdot \hat{u}$
- ∇f is normal to level sets
- Tangent set to level set at \underline{p} : $\nabla f(\underline{p}) \cdot (\underline{x} - \underline{p}) = 0$

Linear approximation, tangent plane, Local minimum and Maximum (optimization)

- **Linearization:** $L(\underline{x}) = f(\underline{p}) + \nabla f(\underline{p}) \cdot (\underline{x} - \underline{p})$
- **Linear Approximation :** $f(\underline{x}) = L(\underline{x})$
- **Critical Points:** $\nabla f(\underline{p}) = \underline{0}$
- **Second derivative test:** $D = f_{xx}f_{yy} - (f_{xy})^2$ at point \underline{p}
 - If $D > 0$ and $(f_{xx} > 0$ or $f_{yy} > 0)$, then \underline{p} is a local min
 - If $D > 0$ and $(f_{xx} < 0$ or $f_{yy} < 0)$, then \underline{p} is a local max
 - If $D < 0$ then \underline{p} is a saddle point

- **chain rule:** $f = f(\underline{x}), x_i = x_i(t)$ then $\frac{\partial f}{\partial t_i} = \nabla f(\underline{x}) \cdot \frac{\partial \underline{x}}{\partial t_i}$

Coordinate systems

- **Rectangular Coordinates (x,y,z)**
 - **to cylindrical :** $x = r \cos \theta$, $y = r \sin \theta$, $z = z$
 - **from cylindrical :** $r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$, $\theta = \tan^{-1}(\frac{y}{x})$, $z = z$
- **Cylinder Coordinates (θ,r,z)**
 - **from spherical :** $r = \rho \cos \phi$, $z = \rho \sin \phi$, $\theta = \theta$
 - **to spherical :** $\rho = \sqrt{r^2 + z^2}$, $\phi = \tan^{-1}(\frac{r}{z})$, $\theta = \theta$
- **Spherical Coordinates (ϕ,θ,ρ)**
 - **from rectangular :** $\rho = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$, $\phi = \tan^{-1}(\frac{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}}{z})$, $\theta = \tan^{-1}(\frac{y}{x})$
 - **to rectangular :** $x = \rho \sin \phi \cos \theta$, $y = \rho \sin \phi \sin \theta$, $z = \rho \cos \phi$

Surface Area, Area, Volume, Mass, ...

- R^2 Area elements dA
 - **Cartesian** (x,y) $dA = dx dy$
 - **Polar** (θ,r) $dA = r dr d\theta$
- R^3 Volume elements dV
 - **Cartesian** $(x,y),z$ $dV = dx dy dz$
 - **Cylindrical** (θ,r,z) $dV = r dr d\theta dz$
 - **Spherical** (θ,ρ,ϕ) $dV = \rho^2 \sin \phi d\rho d\phi d\theta$
- **Surface Area element (dS) / Surface Area**
 - **Surface Area element:** $dS = |\underline{r_u} \times \underline{r_v}| du dv$
 - * **Graph $z = f(x,y)$:** $\underline{r}(x,y) = (x,y,f(x,y))$ $dS = \sqrt{f_x^2 + f_y^2 + 1}$
 - * **Sphere** $\underline{r}(\theta,\phi) = (R \sin(\phi) \cos(\theta), R \sin(\phi) \sin(\theta), R \cos(\phi))$: $dS = R^2 \sin \phi d\phi d\theta$
 - * **Cylinder** $\underline{r}(\theta,z) = (R \cos(\theta), R \sin(\theta), z)$: $dS = R dz d\theta$
 - **Surface Area:** $\int \int_D dS = \int \int_D dS \int \int_D |\underline{r_u} \times \underline{r_v}| du dv$
- **Mass** given a density $\delta_a r(x,y)$ in R^2 or $\delta(x,y,z)$ in R^3 the mass is:
 - $M = \int \int_R \delta_a r(x,y) dA$ $M = \int \int \int_R \delta(x,y,z) dV$

Vector Fields, Line Integral (work), Conservative Field, Flux

- **Vector Field :** R^2 : $\underline{F}(\underline{x}) = (P(x,y),Q(x,y))$ R^3 : $\underline{F}(\underline{x}) = (P(x,y,z),Q(x,y,z),R(x,y,z))$
- **Divergence:** $div \underline{F} = \nabla \cdot \underline{F}$, **curl:** $curl \underline{F} = \nabla \times \underline{F}$ in 2d : $curl = Q_x - P_y$
- **Line integral (work)** of $\underline{F} = (P, Q, R)$ along a path (C) and parametrized by $\underline{r}(t) = (x(t),y(t))$ $t : a \rightarrow b$

$$\int_c \underline{F} \cdot d\underline{r} = \int_a^b \underline{F}(\underline{r}(t)) \cdot \underline{r}'(t) dt$$

- **Conservative Field $\nabla \cdot \underline{F} = \underline{0}$ (curl is 0) :**
 - * $\underline{F} = \nabla f$ where f is called the potential function , find f by integrating
 - * **line integral** becomes path independent (fundamental theorem of line integrals) $\int_c \underline{F} \cdot d\underline{r} = f(\underline{b}) - f(\underline{a})$ where a and b are the points that path starts and ends from

- **Flux of a vector field \underline{F} through surface M:**

$$Flux = \int \int_M \underline{V} \cdot d\underline{S} = \int \int_M \underline{V} \cdot \hat{n} dS = \int \int_D \underline{V}(\underline{r}(u,v)) \cdot |\underline{r_u} \times \underline{r_v}| du dv$$

The three theorems for calculating work (line integral) and flux (all assume closed integrals)

Green's Theorem (line integral) : $\int_{\partial R} \underline{F} \cdot d\underline{r} = \int \int_R (Q_x - P_y) dA$
Divergence Theorem (flux) : $\int \int_{\partial E} \underline{F} \cdot \hat{n} dS = \int \int_E (\nabla \cdot \underline{F}) dV$
Stoke's Theorem (line integral) : $\int_{\partial R} \underline{F} \cdot d\underline{r} = \int \int_M (\nabla \times \underline{F}) \cdot \hat{n} dS$

- For green's theorem, may have to add paths to close the path, for divergence theorem, may have to add surfaces
- Corollary to stoke's theorem: two surfaces sharing the same boundary have the same line integral