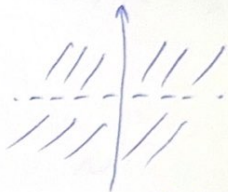
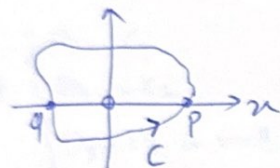


Lecture 13

EXP) $\vec{F} = \frac{(-y, x)}{(x^2+y^2)}$, show $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = 2\pi$?

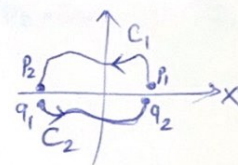
Can we use potential $\phi = -\arctan(x/y)$ on ? Yes!



→ This potential can be used everywhere on the curve except point p & q.

Consider we have points: p_1, p_2, q_1, q_2 (close to p & q)

Then C_1, C_2 are both in domain of ϕ , so we can use it:

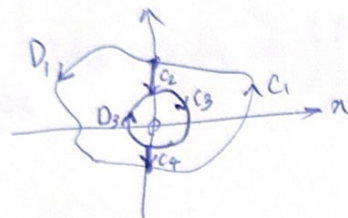


$$\int_{C_1} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \phi(p_2) - \phi(p_1) = (\frac{\pi}{2}) - (-\frac{\pi}{2}) = \pi$$

$$\int_{C_2} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \phi(q_2) - \phi(q_1) = (\frac{\pi}{2}) - (-\frac{\pi}{2}) = \pi$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \lim_{\substack{\downarrow \\ \text{as } p_1, q_2 \rightarrow p}} \int_{C_1} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} + \lim_{\substack{\downarrow \\ \text{as } p_2, q_1 \rightarrow q}} \int_{C_2} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \pi + \pi = 2\pi$$

Another way:



$$\begin{cases} D_2 = -C_4 \\ D_4 = -C_2 \\ D_3 + C_3 \text{ is small circle around origin} \\ C_1 + D_1 = C \text{ original loop} \end{cases}$$

Then we have ① $\int_{C_1+C_2+C_3+C_4} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = 0$

since curve lies in a simply connected domain where $(F_1)_y = (F_2)_x$!

② $\int_{D_1+D_2+D_3+D_4} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{C_1+C_3} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} \stackrel{①}{=} - \int_{C_2+C_4} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} \stackrel{②}{=} \int_{D_2+D_4} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} \stackrel{②}{=} - \int_{D_1+D_3} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{C_1+D_1} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = - \int_{C_3+D_3} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = 2\pi$$

by using parametrization:

$$r(t) = \langle \cos t, \sin t \rangle$$

$$r'(t) = \langle -\sin t, \cos t \rangle$$

We now state our most general 2D Theory:

Theorem (Green's theorem)

Let $R \subset \mathbb{R}^2$ be a region (plane) with boundary ∂R consisting of finitely many simple closed curves

Let $F = \langle F_1, F_2 \rangle$ have cont. partials. Then,

$$\int_{\partial R} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_R ((F_2)_x - (F_1)_y) dA$$

(a double integral)

∂R consists of 3 simple closed curves (closed + non self intersecting) Eg)



positively oriented:
outside loop (counter-clockwise)
inside (clockwise)


Alternative notation for statement of Greens theorem:


$$\int_{\partial R} P dx + Q dy = \iint_R (Q_x - P_y) dA. \quad \text{or} \quad \int_{\partial R} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_R ("2D \text{ curl } \vec{F}") dA$$

Greens theorem gives:

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 2D \text{ curl } \vec{F} = 0 \\ \text{in } U \end{array} \right\} \xLeftrightarrow{A} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = 0 \\ C \text{ closed loop in } U \end{array} \right\}$$

(when U is open + simply connected)

Proof: (\Rightarrow) • If C is simple closed loop  then $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_R (2D \text{ curl } \vec{F}) dA = 0$ since R must lie in U by assumption U is S.C. (Green's theorem)

• If C is not simple:  Then apply above to each simple closed part of C .

Proof (\Leftarrow): Suppose not, so that $2D \text{ curl } \vec{F}(p) \neq 0$ for some point p in U .

Then there is a small disk D around p so that
 i) D in U
 ii) $|2D \text{ curl } \vec{F}| > 0$ in D
 if ∂D is boundary of D ,

Greens theorem gives $\int_{\partial D} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_D (2D \text{ curl } \vec{F}) dA \neq 0$ (contradiction assumptions)

Therefore, we could not suppose $2D \text{ curl } \vec{F}(p) \neq 0 \Rightarrow 2D \text{ curl } \vec{F} = 0$ at all points in U

