

4–8 CALCULATION OF CURL

Find $\text{curl } \mathbf{v}$ for \mathbf{v} given with respect to right-handed Cartesian coordinates. Show the details of your work.

4. $\mathbf{v} = [2y^2, 5x, 0]$

5. $\mathbf{v} = xyz[x, y, z]$

6. $\mathbf{v} = (x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{-3/2}[x, y, z]$

7. $\mathbf{v} = [0, 0, e^{-x} \sin y]$

8. $\mathbf{v} = [e^{-z^2}, e^{-x^2}, e^{-y^2}]$

9–13 FLUID FLOW

Let \mathbf{v} be the velocity vector of a steady fluid flow. Is the flow irrotational? Incompressible? Find the streamlines (the paths of the particles). *Hint.* See the answers to Probs. 9 and 11 for a determination of a path.

9. $\mathbf{v} = [0, 3z^2, 0]$

10. $\mathbf{v} = [\sec x, \csc x, 0]$

11. $\mathbf{v} = [y, -2x, 0]$

12. $\mathbf{v} = [-y, x, \pi]$

13. $\mathbf{v} = [x, y, -z]$

14. **PROJECT. Useful Formulas for the Curl.** Assuming sufficient differentiability, show that

(a) $\text{curl}(\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}) = \text{curl } \mathbf{u} + \text{curl } \mathbf{v}$

(b) $\text{div}(\text{curl } \mathbf{v}) = 0$

(c) $\text{curl}(f\mathbf{v}) = (\text{grad } f) \times \mathbf{v} + f \text{curl } \mathbf{v}$

(d) $\text{curl}(\text{grad } f) = \mathbf{0}$

(e) $\text{div}(\mathbf{u} \times \mathbf{v}) = \mathbf{v} \cdot \text{curl } \mathbf{u} - \mathbf{u} \cdot \text{curl } \mathbf{v}$

15–20 DIV AND CURL

With respect to right-handed coordinates, let $\mathbf{u} = [y, z, x]$, $\mathbf{v} = [yz, zx, xy]$, $f = xyz$, and $g = x + y + z$. Find the given expressions. Check your result by a formula in Proj. 14 if applicable.

15. $\text{curl}(\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v})$, $\text{curl } \mathbf{v}$

16. $\text{curl}(g\mathbf{v})$

17. $\mathbf{v} \cdot \text{curl } \mathbf{u}$, $\mathbf{u} \cdot \text{curl } \mathbf{v}$, $\mathbf{u} \cdot \text{curl } \mathbf{u}$

18. $\text{div}(\mathbf{u} \times \mathbf{v})$

19. $\text{curl}(g\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v})$, $\text{curl}(g\mathbf{u})$

20. $\text{div}(\text{grad}(fg))$