

vv255\_Assignment 7: Line Integrals. Green Theorem.

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Problem 1:

A. Evaluate the line integrals

- $\int_C \cos z \, ds$ ,  $C: x(t) = \sin t, y(t) = \cos t, z(t) = t, t \in [0, 2\pi]$
- $\int_C (2x + y)dx + (x^2 + y^2)dy$ ,  $C$ : the arc of  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  from  $(2,0)$  to  $(0,2)$  followed by the line segment from  $(0,2)$  to  $(4,3)$
- $\int_C yz \, dx + xz \, dy + xy \, dz$ ,  $C$ : line segments joining  $(1,0,0)$  to  $(0,1,0)$  to  $(0,0,1)$
- $\int_C x^2 dx - xy \, dy + dz$ ,  $C$ :  $z = x^2, y = 0$  from  $(-1,0,1)$  to  $(1,0,1)$ .

B.

- Show that the line integral of  $f(x, y)$  along a path given in polar coordinates by  $r = r(\theta)$ ,  $\theta_1 < \theta < \theta_2$ ,

is

$$\int_{\theta_1}^{\theta_2} f(r \cos \theta, r \sin \theta) \sqrt{r^2 + \left(\frac{\partial r}{\partial \theta}\right)^2} d\theta$$

- Compute the arc length of the path  $r = 1 + \cos \theta$ ,  $0 < \theta < 2\pi$ .

Problem 2

A. Let  $C$  be a smooth path.

- Suppose  $F$  is perpendicular to  $C'(t)$  at the point  $C(t)$ . Show that  $\int_C F \, dr = 0$
- If  $F$  is parallel to  $C'(t)$  at  $C(t)$ , show that  $\int_C F \, dr = \int_C |F| \, dr$

B. Suppose  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  are two paths with the same endpoints and  $F$  is a vector field. Show that

$$\int_{C_1} F \, dr = \int_{C_2} F \, dr$$

is equivalent to  $\int_C F \, dr = 0$ , where  $C$  is the closed curve obtained by first moving along  $C_1$  and then moving along  $C_2$  in the opposite direction.

### Problem 3

A. Evaluate the integral

$$\int_C 2xyz \, dx + x^2z \, dy + x^2y \, dz,$$

where  $C$  is an oriented simple curve from  $(1,1,1)$  to  $(1,2,4)$ .

B. Find a function  $f$  such that  $F = \nabla f$  and evaluate  $\int_C F \, dr$  along the given curve  $C$ .

$$F = (\sin y, x \cos y + \cos z, -y \sin z), \quad C: \bar{r}(t) = (\sin t, t, 2t), \quad t \in [0, \frac{\pi}{2}]$$

C. Let  $\nabla f(x, y, z) = 2xyze^{x^2}\bar{i} + ze^{x^2}\bar{j} + ye^{x^2}\bar{k}$ . If  $f(0,0,0) = 5$ , find  $f(1,1,2)$ .

D. A mass  $M$  at the origin in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  exerts a force on a mass  $m$  located at  $\bar{r}(x, y, z)$  with magnitude  $\frac{GmM}{r^2}$  and directed toward the origin. Here,  $G$  is the gravitational constant, which depends on the units of measurement, and  $r = \|\bar{r}\| = (x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ .

Consider the gravitational force field (with  $G = m = M = 1$ ) defined [for  $(x, y, z) \neq (0, 0, 0)$ ] by

$$F(x, y, z) = -\frac{1}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}} (x\bar{i} + y\bar{j} + z\bar{k}).$$

Show that the work done by the gravitational force as a particle moves from  $(x_1, y_1, z_1)$  to  $(x_2, y_2, z_2)$  along any path depends only on the radii  $R_1 = \sqrt{x_1^2 + y_1^2 + z_1^2}$  and  $R_2 = \sqrt{x_2^2 + y_2^2 + z_2^2}$ .

E. Let  $F = xe^{y}\bar{i} - (x \cos z)\bar{j} - ze^{y}\bar{k}$ . Find  $G$  such that  $F = \nabla \times G$ .

### Problem 4

A. Use Green's Theorem to evaluate  $\int_C F \, dr$ .

1.  $F(x, y) = (x^2 + y^2, x^2 - y^2)$ ,  $C$ : line segments joining  $(0,0)$  to  $(2,1)$  to  $(0,1)$  to  $(0,0)$ .
2.  $F(x, y) = (y \cos x - xy \sin x, xy + x \cos x)$ ,  $C$ : line segments joining  $(0,0)$  to  $(0,4)$  to  $(2,0)$  to  $(0,0)$ .

B. Under the conditions of Green's theorem, prove that

$$\int_{\partial R} PQ \, dx + PQ \, dy = \iint_R Q \left( \frac{\partial P}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) + P \left( \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial Q}{\partial y} \right) \, dxdy$$