

## 16.6 Surface Integrals

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- Recall that the line integral is computed over a curve (16.1).
- Now we extend line integral to surface integral over surface.
- This helps to compute flow of liquid across membrane (sic) or upward force on a falling parachute (äbte)
- Suppose there is an electrical charge over a surface  $S$ .
- Suppose  $\rho(x, y, z)$  is the function that gives charge density (per unit area) at each point on  $S$ .
- We need to calculate the total charge on  $S$ .
- Assume, as in section 16.5, that the surface  $S$  is defined parametrically on region  $R$  in the  $uv$ -plane by:

$$\vec{r}(u, v) = f(u, v) \hat{i} + g(u, v) \hat{j} + h(u, v) \hat{k}, \quad (u, v) \in R$$

- The subdivisions of  $R$  divides  $S$  into surface elements with area

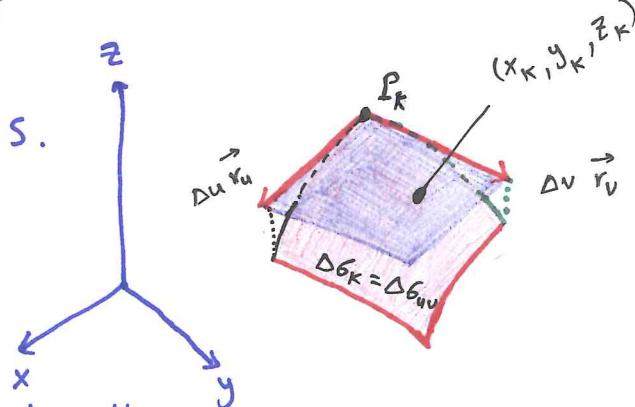
$$\Delta S_K = \Delta S_{uv} = |\vec{r}_u \times \vec{r}_v| du dv$$

- Choose a point  $(x_K, y_K, z_K)$  in the  $K^{\text{th}}$  surface element (not plane).
- Multiply the value of the function  $\rho$  at  $(x_K, y_K, z_K)$  by the area  $\Delta S_K$  and form Riemann sum over  $S$ :

$$\sum_{K=1}^n \rho(x_K, y_K, z_K) \Delta S_K$$

- Take limit as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  ( $\Delta u \rightarrow 0$  and  $\Delta v \rightarrow 0$ ). This limit, if it exists, define the surface integral of  $\rho$  over the surface  $S$  as

$$\iint_S \rho(x, y, z) dS = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{K=1}^n \rho(x_K, y_K, z_K) \Delta S_K$$



Note The formula for evaluating the surface integral 177 depends on whether  $S$  is parametrically, implicitly or explicitly described.

① For a smooth surface  $S$  defined parametrically as

$$\vec{r}(u,v) = f(u,v)\vec{i} + g(u,v)\vec{j} + h(u,v)\vec{k}, \quad (u,v) \in R$$

and a continuous function  $G(x,y,z)$  defined on  $S$ , the surface integral of  $G$  over  $S$  is the double integral over  $R$

$$\iint_S G(x,y,z) dS = \iint_R G(f(u,v), g(u,v), h(u,v)) |\vec{r}_u \times \vec{r}_v| du dv$$

② For a surface  $S$  given implicitly by  $F(x,y,z) = c$ , where  $F$  is a continuously diff function and  $S$  lying above its closed and bounded shadow region  $R$ , the surface integral of the continuous function  $G$  over  $S$  is the double integral over  $R$

$$\iint_S G(x,y,z) dS = \iint_R G(x,y,z) \frac{|\nabla F|}{|\nabla f \cdot \vec{P}|} dA,$$

where  $\vec{P}$  is a unit vector normal to  $R$  and  $\nabla F \cdot \vec{P} \neq 0$ .

③ For a surface given explicitly as  $z = f(x,y)$ , where  $f$  is a continuously diff function over a region  $R$  in the  $xy$ -plane, the surface integral of the continuous function  $G$  over  $S$  is the double integral over  $R$

$$\iint_S G(x,y,z) dS = \iint_R G(x,y, f(x,y)) \sqrt{f_x^2 + f_y^2 + 1} dx dy$$

Remark: If  $S$  is partitioned by smooth curves  $s_1, s_2, \dots, s_n$  nonoverlapping, then

$$\iint_S G dS = \iint_{s_1} G dS + \iint_{s_2} G dS + \dots + \iint_{s_n} G dS$$

Ex Integrate the given function over the given surface:

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$F(x, y, z) = z$  over the portion of the plane  $x+y+z=4$  that lies above the square  $0 \leq x \leq 1$  and  $0 \leq y \leq 1$  in the  $xy$ -plane.

• Parametrization  $\vec{r}(x, y) = x\vec{i} + y\vec{j} + (4-x-y)\vec{k}$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{r}_x &= \vec{i} - \vec{k} \\ \vec{r}_y &= \vec{j} - \vec{k} \end{aligned} \quad \left| \begin{aligned} \vec{r}_x \times \vec{r}_y &= \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = \vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k} \\ |\vec{r}_x \times \vec{r}_y| &= \sqrt{1+1+1} = \sqrt{3} \end{aligned} \right.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_S F(x, y, z) dS &= \iint_R F(x, y, z) |\vec{r}_x \times \vec{r}_y| dx dy \\ &= \sqrt{3} \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (4-x-y) dx dy = \int_0^1 \sqrt{3} \left( \frac{7}{2} - y \right) dy = 3\sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$

Ex Integrate  $G(x, y, z) = x+y+z$  over the portion of the plane  $2x+2y+z=2$  that lies in the first octant.

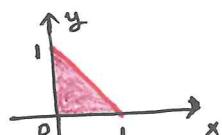
$$f(x, y, z) = 2x + 2y + z \Rightarrow \nabla f = 2\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$$

$$\begin{aligned} z &= 2 - 2x - 2y \Rightarrow G(x, y, z) = x + y + (2 - 2x - 2y) \\ &= 2 - x - y \Rightarrow \vec{P} = \vec{k} \end{aligned}$$

$$|\nabla f| = \sqrt{4+4+1} = 3 \quad \text{and} \quad |\nabla f \cdot \vec{k}| = |1| = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_S G(x, y, z) dS &= \iint_R (2 - x - y) \frac{|\nabla f|}{|\nabla f \cdot \vec{P}|} dA \\ &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} (2 - x - y) 3 dy dx \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{when } z &= 0 \Rightarrow \\ x+y &= 1 \Rightarrow \\ y &= 1-x \end{aligned}$$

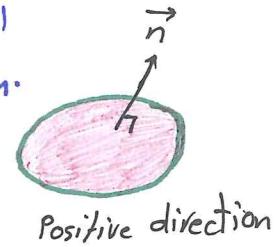


$$= 3 \int_0^1 \left( \frac{3}{2} - 2x + \frac{x^2}{2} \right) dx = 2$$

## Orientation

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- A smooth surface  $S$  is **orientable** (or two-sided) if it is possible to define a field  $\vec{n}$  of unit normal vectors on  $S$  that varies continuously with position.
- Any patch or subportion of an orientable surface is orientable.
- Spheres and smooth closed surfaces (enclose solids) like cones are orientable.
- The surface together with its normal field is called an **oriented surface**.
- The vector  $\vec{n}$  at any point is called the **positive direction** at that point.

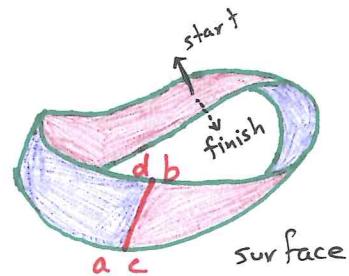


Exp Give an example of nonorientable (or one-sided) surface.

- The Möbius band is not orientable



$\Rightarrow$  Match a with c  
and b with d



- No matter where we start to construct a continuous unit normal field, moving the vector continuously around the surface will return the vector to the starting point with a direction opposite to the one we start with.
- The vector at that point can not point both ways
- Hence, no such field exists.

## Surface Integral for Flux

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- Recall that, from section 16.2, the flux of a two-dimensional field  $\vec{F}$  across a plane curve  $C$  is  $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} ds$ .

Def The flux of a three-dimensional vector field  $\vec{F}$  across an oriented surface  $S$  in the direction of  $\vec{n}$  is

$$\text{Flux} = \iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} dS$$

- If  $\vec{F}$  is the velocity field of a three-dimensional fluid flow, then the flux of  $F$  across  $S$  is the net rate at which fluid is crossing  $S$  in the chosen positive direction

Exp\* Find the flux  $\vec{F} = z^2 \vec{i} + x \vec{j} - 3z \vec{k}$  outward (normal away from the  $x$ -axis) through the surface cut from the parabolic cylinder  $z = 4 - y^2$  by the planes  $x=0$ ,  $x=1$ ,  $z=0$ .

S. Parametrization:  $\vec{r}(x, y) = x \vec{i} + y \vec{j} + (4-y^2) \vec{k}$ ,  $0 \leq x \leq 1$

$$\text{when } z=0 \Rightarrow 0=4-y^2 \Rightarrow y = \pm 2 \Rightarrow -2 \leq y \leq 2$$

$$\vec{r}_x = \vec{i} \text{ and } \vec{r}_y = \vec{j} - 2y \vec{k}$$

$$\vec{r}_x \times \vec{r}_y = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2y \end{vmatrix} = 2y \vec{j} + \vec{k}$$

$$\vec{n} = \frac{\vec{r}_x \times \vec{r}_y}{|\vec{r}_x \times \vec{r}_y|}$$

$$\text{Flux} = \iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} dS = \int_0^1 \int_{-2}^2 \vec{F} \cdot \frac{\vec{r}_x \times \vec{r}_y}{|\vec{r}_x \times \vec{r}_y|} |\vec{r}_x \times \vec{r}_y| dy dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_{-2}^2 [2xy - 3(4-y^2)] dy dx = \int_0^1 -32 dx = -32$$

S<sub>2</sub> • The gradient of  $g(x, y, z) = y^2 + z = 4$  is 181

$$\nabla g = zy \vec{j} + \vec{k} \text{ with } |\nabla g| = \sqrt{4y^2 + 1}$$

• The outward normal field on  $S$  is

$$\vec{n} = \frac{\nabla g}{|\nabla g|} = \frac{zy \vec{j} + \vec{k}}{\sqrt{4y^2 + 1}}$$

• With  $\vec{p} = \vec{k}$ , we have  $|\nabla g \cdot \vec{p}| = |1| = 1$

$$\bullet \text{ Flux} = \iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} dA = \iint_R \vec{F} \cdot \frac{\nabla g}{|\nabla g|} \frac{|\nabla g|}{|\nabla g \cdot \vec{p}|} dA$$

$$= \iint_R (2xy - 3z) dA$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_{-2}^2 (2xy - 12 + 3y^2) dy dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 -32 dx$$

$$= -32$$

•  $\vec{F} = z^2 \vec{i} + x \vec{j} - 3z \vec{k}$   
 $= (4-y^2)^2 \vec{i} + x \vec{j} - 3(4-y^2) \vec{k}$   
 •  $\vec{F} \cdot \nabla g = 2xy - 3(4-y^2)$   
 • when  $z = 0 \Rightarrow y^2 = 4 \Rightarrow y = \pm 2$

## Moments and Masses of Thin Shells (similar to section 16.1) 182

Thin shells like bowl (أَكْوَبَة), drums (دُنْدُلَات), dome (كُوبَة) ...

- Mass  $M = \iint_S \delta d\sigma$  where  $\delta = \delta(x, y, z)$  is density at  $(x, y, z)$  as mass per unit area.

- First moments about the coordinate planes

$$M_{yz} = \iint_S x \delta d\sigma, \quad M_{xz} = \iint_S y \delta d\sigma, \quad M_{xy} = \iint_S z \delta d\sigma$$

- Coordinates of center of mass

$$\bar{x} = \frac{M_{yz}}{M}, \quad \bar{y} = \frac{M_{xz}}{M}, \quad \bar{z} = \frac{M_{xy}}{M}$$

- Moments of inertia about coordinate axes

$$I_x = \iint_S (y^2 + z^2) \delta d\sigma, \quad I_y = \iint_S (x^2 + z^2) \delta d\sigma$$

$$I_z = \iint_S (x^2 + y^2) \delta d\sigma, \quad I_L = \iint_S r^2 \delta d\sigma \text{ where}$$

$r(x, y, z)$  is the distance from point  $(x, y, z)$  to line  $L$ .

Notes [1] These formulas are like those for line integrals in section 16.1

[2] Their derivations are similar to those in section 6.6

Ex Find the centroid  $(\bar{x}, \bar{y}, \bar{z})$  of the portion of the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = a^2$  that lies in the first octant. 183

- $f(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = a^2 \Rightarrow \nabla f = 2x \vec{i} + 2y \vec{j} + 2z \vec{k}$   
 $|\nabla f| = \sqrt{4x^2 + 4y^2 + 4z^2} = 2a$

- To find the integral for  $M_{xy}$ , we take  $\vec{p} = \vec{k}$   
 $\Rightarrow |\nabla f \cdot \vec{p}| = |2z| = 2z$

- Since  $z \geq 0 \Rightarrow d\sigma = \frac{|\nabla f|}{|\nabla f \cdot \vec{p}|} dA = \frac{2a}{2z} dA = \frac{a}{z} dA$

- Mass  $M = \iint_S \delta d\sigma = \delta \iint_S d\sigma = a\delta \iint_R \frac{1}{z} dA$   
 $= a\delta \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^a \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 - r^2}} r dr d\theta = a\delta \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^a d\theta = \frac{\delta\pi a^2}{2}$

- $M_{xy} = \iint_S z \delta d\sigma = \delta \iint_R z \frac{a}{z} dA = a\delta \iint_R dA$   
 $= a\delta \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^a r dr d\theta = \frac{\delta\pi a^3}{4}$

- $\bar{z} = \frac{M_{xy}}{M} = \frac{\delta\pi a^3}{4} \cdot \frac{2}{\delta\pi a^2} = \frac{a}{2}$

- Because of symmetry  $\bar{x} = \bar{y} = \bar{z} = \frac{a}{2} \Rightarrow \text{centroid} = \left(\frac{a}{2}, \frac{a}{2}, \frac{a}{2}\right)$

Ex Find the moment of inertia about z-axis of a thin shell of constant density  $\delta$  cut from the cone  $4x^2 + 4y^2 - z^2 = 0$ ,  $z \geq 0$  by the circular cylinder  $x^2 + y^2 = 2x$

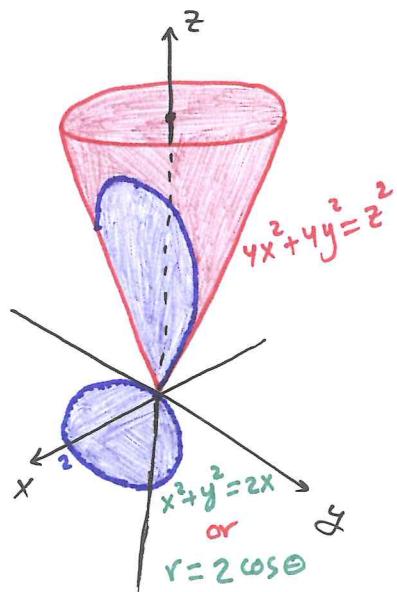
$$\bullet f(x, y, z) = 4x^2 + 4y^2 - z^2 = 0$$

$$\nabla f = 8x \vec{i} + 8y \vec{j} - 2z \vec{k}$$

$$|\nabla f| = \sqrt{64x^2 + 64y^2 + 4z^2}$$

$$= 2\sqrt{16x^2 + 16y^2 + z^2}$$

$$= 2\sqrt{4z^2 + z^2} = 2\sqrt{5} z$$



$$\bullet \text{Take } \vec{p} = \vec{k} \Rightarrow |\nabla f \cdot \vec{p}| = |-2z| = 2z$$

$$\bullet d\delta = \frac{|\nabla f|}{|\nabla f \cdot \vec{p}|} dA = \frac{2\sqrt{5} z}{2z} dA = \sqrt{5} dA$$

$$\bullet I_z = \iiint_S (x^2 + y^2) \delta d\delta = \sqrt{5} \delta \iint_R (x^2 + y^2) dx dy$$

$$= \sqrt{5} \delta \int_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^{2\cos\theta} r^2 r dr d\theta$$

$$= \frac{3\sqrt{5}\pi\delta}{2}$$