

Assignment 8 (MATH 215, Q1)

1. Evaluate the surface integral $\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} \, dS$ for the given vector field $\mathbf{F}$ and the oriented surface S . In other words, find the *flux* of $\mathbf{F}$ across S .

(a) $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = xy\mathbf{i} + yz\mathbf{j} + zx\mathbf{k}$, S is the part of the paraboloid $z = 4 - x^2 - y^2$ that lies above the square $-1 \leq x \leq 1$, $-1 \leq y \leq 1$, and has the upward orientation.

Solution. The surface S can be represented by the vector form

$$\mathbf{r}(x, y) = x\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j} + (4 - x^2 - y^2)\mathbf{k}, \quad -1 \leq x \leq 1, -1 \leq y \leq 1.$$

It follows that $\mathbf{r}_x = \mathbf{i} - 2x\mathbf{k}$ and $\mathbf{r}_y = \mathbf{j} - 2y\mathbf{k}$. Consequently,

$$\mathbf{r}_x \times \mathbf{r}_y = 2x\mathbf{i} + 2y\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}.$$

Hence, with $Q := \{(x, y) : -1 \leq x \leq 1, -1 \leq y \leq 1\}$ we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} \, dS &= \iint_Q \mathbf{F} \cdot (\mathbf{r}_x \times \mathbf{r}_y) \, dA \\ &= \int_{-1}^1 \int_{-1}^1 [2x^2y + 2y^2(4 - x^2 - y^2) + x(4 - x^2 - y^2)] \, dx \, dy \\ &= \int_{-1}^1 \left(\frac{4}{3}y + 16y^2 - \frac{4}{3}y^2 - 4y^4 \right) \, dy \\ &= \left[\frac{2}{3}y^2 + \frac{44}{3} \frac{y^3}{3} - 4 \frac{y^5}{5} \right]_{-1}^1 = \frac{368}{45}. \end{aligned}$$

(b) $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = -y\mathbf{i} + x\mathbf{j} + 3z\mathbf{k}$, S is the hemisphere $z = \sqrt{16 - x^2 - y^2}$ with upward orientation.

Solution. The surface S has parametric equations

$$\mathbf{r}(\phi, \theta) = x(\phi, \theta)\mathbf{i} + y(\phi, \theta)\mathbf{j} + z(\phi, \theta)\mathbf{k} = 4 \sin \phi \cos \theta \mathbf{i} + 4 \sin \phi \sin \theta \mathbf{j} + 4 \cos \phi \mathbf{k},$$

where $0 \leq \phi \leq \pi/2$, $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$. We have

$$\mathbf{r}_\phi \times \mathbf{r}_\theta = 16 \sin \phi (\sin \phi \cos \theta \mathbf{i} + \sin \phi \sin \theta \mathbf{j} + \cos \phi \mathbf{k}).$$

Moreover,

$$\mathbf{F} = -4 \sin \phi \sin \theta \mathbf{i} + 4 \sin \phi \cos \theta \mathbf{j} + 12 \cos \phi \mathbf{k}.$$

Consequently,

$$\mathbf{F} \cdot (\mathbf{r}_\phi \times \mathbf{r}_\theta) = 192 \sin \phi \cos^2 \phi.$$

Therefore, with $Q := \{(\phi, \theta) : 0 \leq \phi \leq \pi/2, 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi\}$ we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} dS &= \iint_Q \mathbf{F} \cdot (\mathbf{r}_\phi \times \mathbf{r}_\theta) dA \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} 192 \sin \phi \cos^2 \phi d\phi d\theta \\ &= 2\pi \cdot 192 \left[-\frac{\cos^3 \phi}{3} \right]_0^{\pi/2} = 128\pi.\end{aligned}$$

2. Let S be the conical surface $z = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$, $z \leq 2$.

(a) Find the center of mass of S , if it has constant density.

Solution. The surface has parametric equations

$$x = z \cos t, \quad y = z \sin t, \quad z = z, \quad (t, z) \in Q,$$

where $Q := \{(t, z) : 0 \leq t \leq 2\pi, 0 \leq z \leq 2\}$. Let $\mathbf{r}(t, z) := z \cos t \mathbf{i} + z \sin t \mathbf{j} + z \mathbf{k}$. Then

$$\mathbf{r}_t \times \mathbf{r}_z = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ -z \sin t & z \cos t & 0 \\ \cos t & \sin t & 1 \end{vmatrix} = z \cos t \mathbf{i} + z \sin t \mathbf{j} - z \mathbf{k}.$$

Note that $\mathbf{r}_t \times \mathbf{r}_z$ gives the *downward* orientation. Moreover,

$$|\mathbf{r}_t \times \mathbf{r}_z| = \sqrt{(z \cos t)^2 + (z \sin t)^2 + (-z)^2} = \sqrt{2} z.$$

Suppose the density is k . Then $M = \iint_S k dS$ and $M_{xy} = \iint_S kz dS$. The center of mass is $(0, 0, \bar{z})$, where $\bar{z} = M_{xy}/M$. We have

$$M = \iint_S k dS = k \iint_Q |\mathbf{r}_t \times \mathbf{r}_z| dA = k \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 \sqrt{2} z dz dt = 4\sqrt{2} \pi k.$$

Moreover,

$$M_{xy} = \iint_S kz dS = k \iint_Q z |\mathbf{r}_t \times \mathbf{r}_z| dA = k \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 z \sqrt{2} z dz dt = \frac{16\sqrt{2} \pi k}{3}.$$

Therefore, the center of mass is $(0, 0, 4/3)$.

(b) A fluid has density 15 and velocity $\mathbf{v} = x \mathbf{i} + y \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$. Find the rate of flow **downward** through S .

Solution. We have

$$\mathbf{F} = \rho \mathbf{v} = 15(x \mathbf{i} + y \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}) = 15(z \cos t \mathbf{i} + z \sin t \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}).$$

Consequently,

$$\mathbf{F} \cdot (\mathbf{r}_t \times \mathbf{r}_z) = 15(z^2 \cos^2 t + z^2 \sin^2 t - z) = 15(z^2 - z).$$

Hence, the rate of flow downward through S is

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} dS &= \iint_Q \mathbf{F} \cdot (\mathbf{r}_t \times \mathbf{r}_z) dA \\ &= 15 \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 (z^2 - z) dz dt \\ &= 30\pi \left[\frac{z^3}{3} - \frac{z^2}{2} \right]_0^2 = 20\pi. \end{aligned}$$

3. Use the divergence theorem to find $\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} dS$.

(a) $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = x^3 \mathbf{i} + 2xz^2 \mathbf{j} + 3y^2 z \mathbf{k}$; S is the surface of the solid bounded by the paraboloid $z = 4 - x^2 - y^2$ and the xy -plane.

Solution. The divergence of $\mathbf{F}$ is

$$\operatorname{div} \mathbf{F} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(x^3) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(2xz^2) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(3y^2 z) = 3x^2 + 3y^2.$$

Let E be the region $\{(x, y, z) : 0 \leq z \leq 4 - x^2 - y^2\}$. By the divergence theorem, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} dS &= \iiint_E \operatorname{div} \mathbf{F} dV = \iiint_E (3x^2 + 3y^2) dV \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 \int_0^{4-r^2} 3r^2 r dz dr d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 (4 - r^2) 3r^3 dr d\theta \\ &= 2\pi \int_0^2 (12r^3 - 3r^5) dr = 32\pi. \end{aligned}$$

(b) $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = (x^2 + \sin(yz)) \mathbf{i} + (y - xe^{-z}) \mathbf{j} + z^2 \mathbf{k}$; S is the surface of the region bounded by the cylinder $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ and the planes $x + z = 2$ and $z = 0$.

Solution. The divergence of $\mathbf{F}$ is

$$\operatorname{div} \mathbf{F} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(x^2 + \sin(yz)) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(y - xe^{-z}) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(z^2) = 2x + 1 + 2z.$$

Let E be the region $\{(x, y, z) : 0 \leq z \leq 2 - x, x^2 + y^2 \leq 4\}$. By the divergence theorem, we have

$$\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} dS = \iiint_E \operatorname{div} \mathbf{F} dV = \iiint_E (2x + 1 + 2z) dV.$$

Converting to cylindrical coordinates, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \iiint_E (2x + 1 + 2z) dV &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 \int_0^{2-r\cos\theta} (2r\cos\theta + 1 + 2z)r dz dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 (-r^2\cos^2\theta - r\cos\theta + 6)r dr d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} (-4\cos^2\theta - 8\cos\theta/3 + 12) d\theta \\ &= 20\pi. \end{aligned}$$

4. Use the divergence theorem to calculate $\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} dS$, where

$$\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = z^2 x \mathbf{i} + (y^3/3 + \tan z) \mathbf{j} + (x^2 z + y^2) \mathbf{k}$$

and S is the top half of the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$ oriented upward. (Hint: Note that S is not a closed surface. Let S_1 be the disk $\{(x, y, 0) : x^2 + y^2 \leq 1\}$ oriented downward and let $S_2 = S \cup S_1$. The surface integral over S can be derived from integrals over S_1 and S_2 .)

Solution. Let E be the semi-ball $\{(x, y, z) : x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \leq 1, z \geq 0\}$. Then S_2 is the boundary of E . Hence, the divergence theorem applies to the surface integral $\iint_{S_2} \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} dS$:

$$\iint_{S_2} \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} dS = \iiint_E \operatorname{div} \mathbf{F} dV.$$

The divergence of $\mathbf{F}$ is given by

$$\operatorname{div} \mathbf{F} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(z^2 x) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(y^3/3 + \tan z) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(x^2 z + y^2) = z^2 + y^2 + x^2.$$

Hence, we obtain

$$\iint_{S_2} \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} dS = \iiint_E \operatorname{div} \mathbf{F} dV = \iiint_E (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) dV.$$

The triple integral can be calculated by using the spherical coordinates:

$$\iiint_E (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) dV = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^1 \rho^2(\rho^2 \sin\phi) d\rho d\phi d\theta = \frac{2\pi}{5}.$$

For the surface integral $\iint_{S_1} \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} dS$ we note that $\mathbf{n} = -\mathbf{k}$ and $z = 0$ on S_1 . It follows that $\mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} = -y^2$. Consequently,

$$\iint_{S_1} \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} dS = \iint_{x^2+y^2 \leq 1} -y^2 dA = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 -(r^2 \sin^2 \theta) r dr d\theta = -\frac{\pi}{4}.$$

Therefore,

$$\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} \, dS = \iint_{S_2} \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} \, dS - \iint_{S_1} \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} \, dS = \frac{2\pi}{5} - \frac{-\pi}{4} = \frac{13\pi}{20}.$$

5. Use Stokes' theorem to evaluate the line integral $\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$. In each case C is oriented counterclockwise as viewed from above.

- (a) $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = z^2 \mathbf{i} + y^2 \mathbf{j} + xy \mathbf{k}$, C is the triangle with vertices $(1, 0, 0)$, $(0, 1, 0)$, and $(0, 0, 2)$.

Solution. The curl of $\mathbf{F}$ is

$$\text{curl} \mathbf{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ z^2 & y^2 & xy \end{vmatrix} = x \mathbf{i} + (2z - y) \mathbf{j}.$$

The plane that passes through the points $(1, 0, 0)$, $(0, 1, 0)$, and $(0, 0, 2)$ has an equation $z = 2 - 2x - 2y$. Hence, $\mathbf{r}_x \times \mathbf{r}_y = 2\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$. By Stokes' theorem we obtain

$$\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \iint_S \text{curl} \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} \, dS = \iint_Q \text{curl} \mathbf{F} \cdot (\mathbf{r}_x \times \mathbf{r}_y) \, dA,$$

where

$$Q = \{(x, y) : 0 \leq x \leq 1, 0 \leq y \leq 1 - x\}.$$

Consequently,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} (2x + 4(2 - 2x - 2y) - 2y) \, dy \, dx \\ &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} (-6x - 10y + 8) \, dy \, dx = \int_0^1 (x^2 - 4x + 3) \, dx = 4/3. \end{aligned}$$

- (b) $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = x \mathbf{i} + y \mathbf{j} + (x^2 + y^2) \mathbf{k}$, C is the boundary of the part of the paraboloid $z = 1 - x^2 - y^2$ in the first octant.

Solution. The curl of $\mathbf{F}$ is

$$\text{curl} \mathbf{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ x & y & x^2 + y^2 \end{vmatrix} = 2y \mathbf{i} - 2x \mathbf{j}.$$

The surface S can be represented as $\mathbf{r} = x \mathbf{i} + y \mathbf{j} + (1 - x^2 - y^2) \mathbf{k}$, $x \geq 0$, $y \geq 0$, $x^2 + y^2 \leq 1$. It follows that

$$\mathbf{r}_x \times \mathbf{r}_y = 2x \mathbf{i} + 2y \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}.$$

Consequently,

$$\text{curl} \mathbf{F} \cdot (\mathbf{r}_x \times \mathbf{r}_y) = 4xy - 4xy = 0.$$

Therefore, by Stokes's theorem, we have

$$\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \iint_S (\text{curl} \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n}) \, dS = 0.$$