

Solution to HW6

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Thomas' Calculus (12th Ed.)

§16.1 : 14, 17, 20, 23

§16.2 : 10, 15, 20, 31, 45, 53

§ 16.1

Evaluating Line Integrals over Space Curves

14. Find the line integral of $f(x, y, z) = \sqrt{3}/(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)$ over the curve $\mathbf{r}(t) = t\mathbf{i} + t\mathbf{j} + t\mathbf{k}$, $1 \leq t \leq \infty$.

Sol) $\vec{r}(t) = t\vec{i} + t\vec{j} + t\vec{k}$; $\vec{r}'(t) = \vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k}$; $|\vec{r}'(t)| = \sqrt{1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{3}$.

$$f(x, y, z) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}; \quad f(\vec{r}(t)) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{t^2 + t^2 + t^2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{t^2}$$

$$\therefore \int_C f(x, y, z) ds = \int_1^{\infty} \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{t^2}\right) (\sqrt{3} dt) = \int_1^{\infty} \frac{1}{t^2} dt = \left(\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \left(-\frac{1}{t}\right)\right) - \left(-\frac{1}{t}\right)\Big|_{t=1} = 1 //$$

17. Integrate $f(x, y, z) = (x + y + z)/(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)$ over the path $\mathbf{r}(t) = t\mathbf{i} + t\mathbf{j} + t\mathbf{k}$, $0 < a \leq t \leq b$.

Sol) $\vec{r}(t) = t\vec{i} + t\vec{j} + t\vec{k}$; $\vec{r}'(t) = \vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k}$; $|\vec{r}'(t)| = \sqrt{1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{3}$.

$$f(x, y, z) = \frac{x+y+z}{x^2+y^2+z^2}; \quad f(\vec{r}(t)) = \frac{t+t+t}{t^2+t^2+t^2} = \frac{1}{t}$$

$$\therefore \int_C f(x, y, z) ds = \int_a^b \left(\frac{1}{t}\right) (\sqrt{3} dt) = \sqrt{3} \int_a^b \frac{1}{t} dt = \sqrt{3} [\ln|t|]_a^b = \sqrt{3} (\ln|b| - \ln|a|) = \sqrt{3} \ln \frac{b}{a} //$$

(since $a, b > 0$)

Line Integrals over Plane Curves

20. Evaluate $\int_C \sqrt{x+2y} ds$, where C is

- the straight-line segment $x = t, y = 4t$, from $(0, 0)$ to $(1, 4)$.
- $C_1 \cup C_2$; C_1 is the line segment from $(0, 0)$ to $(1, 0)$ and C_2 is the line segment from $(1, 0)$ to $(1, 2)$.

Sol) (a) $\vec{r}(t) = t\vec{i} + 4t\vec{j}$, where $0 \leq t \leq 1$; $\vec{r}'(t) = \vec{i} + 4\vec{j}$; $|\vec{r}'(t)| = \sqrt{1^2 + 4^2} = \sqrt{17}$.

$$f(x, y) = \sqrt{x+2y}; \quad f(\vec{r}(t)) = \sqrt{t+8t} = 3\sqrt{t}$$

$$\therefore \int_C f(x, y) ds = \int_0^1 (3\sqrt{t})(\sqrt{17} dt) = 3\sqrt{17} \int_0^1 \sqrt{t} dt = 3\sqrt{17} \left[\frac{t^{3/2}}{3/2} \right]_0^1 = 2\sqrt{17} //$$

(b) C_1 : $\vec{r}_1(t) = t\vec{i}$, where $0 \leq t \leq 1$; $\vec{r}'_1(t) = \vec{i}$; $|\vec{r}'_1(t)| = \sqrt{1^2} = 1$.

C_2 : $\vec{r}_2(t) = \vec{i} + t\vec{j}$, where $0 \leq t \leq 2$; $\vec{r}'_2(t) = \vec{j}$; $|\vec{r}'_2(t)| = \sqrt{1^2} = 1$.

$$f(x, y) = \sqrt{x+2y}; \quad f(\vec{r}_1(t)) = \sqrt{t}; \quad f(\vec{r}_2(t)) = \sqrt{1+2t}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \int_C f(x, y) ds &= \int_{C_1} f(x, y) ds + \int_{C_2} f(x, y) ds = \int_0^1 (\sqrt{t})(dt) + \int_0^2 (\sqrt{1+2t})(dt) \\ &= \left[\frac{t^{3/2}}{3/2} \right]_0^1 + \left[\frac{1}{2} \frac{(1+2t)^{3/2}}{3/2} \right]_0^2 = \frac{2}{3} + \frac{1}{3} (5\sqrt{5} - 1) = \frac{1+5\sqrt{5}}{3} // \end{aligned}$$

23. Evaluate $\int_C \frac{x^2}{y^{4/3}} ds$, where C is the curve $x = t^2, y = t^3$, for $1 \leq t \leq 2$.

Sol) $\vec{r}(t) = t^2\vec{i} + t^3\vec{j}$; $\vec{r}'(t) = 2t\vec{i} + 3t^2\vec{j}$; $|\vec{r}'(t)| = \sqrt{(2t)^2 + (3t^2)^2} = t\sqrt{4+9t^2}$.

$$f(x, y) = \frac{x^2}{y^{4/3}}; \quad f(\vec{r}(t)) = \frac{(t^2)^2}{(t^3)^{4/3}} = 1.$$

$$\therefore \int_C f(x, y) ds = \int_1^2 (1)(t\sqrt{4+9t^2} dt) = \left[\frac{1}{18} \cdot \frac{(4+9t^2)^{3/2}}{3/2} \right]_1^2 = \frac{1}{27} [80\sqrt{10} - 13\sqrt{13}] //$$

§ 6.2

Line Integrals of Vector Fields

In Exercises 7–12, find the line integrals of \mathbf{F} from $(0, 0, 0)$ to $(1, 1, 1)$ over each of the following paths in the accompanying figure.

10. $\mathbf{F} = xyi + yzj + xzk$

Sol) (a) $C_1: \vec{r}(t) = t\vec{i} + t\vec{j} + t\vec{k};$

$$\vec{r}'(t) = \vec{i} + \vec{j} + \vec{k}.$$

$$\vec{F}(\vec{r}(t)) = t^2\vec{i} + t^2\vec{j} + t^2\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{F}(\vec{r}(t)) \cdot \vec{r}'(t) = t^2 + t^2 + t^2 = 3t^2$$

$$\therefore \int_{C_1} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_0^1 3t^2 dt = [t^3]_0^1 = 1 //$$

(b) $C_2: \vec{r}(t) = t\vec{i} + t^2\vec{j} + t^3\vec{k}; \vec{r}'(t) = \vec{i} + 2t\vec{j} + 3t^2\vec{k}.$

$$\vec{F}(\vec{r}(t)) = t^3\vec{i} + t^6\vec{j} + t^9\vec{k}; \vec{F}(\vec{r}(t)) \cdot \vec{r}'(t) = t^3 + 2t^7 + 3t^9.$$

$$\therefore \int_{C_2} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_0^1 (t^3 + 2t^7 + 3t^9) dt = \left[\frac{t^4}{4} + \frac{2t^8}{8} + \frac{3t^{10}}{10} \right]_0^1 = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{3}{10} = \frac{17}{20} //$$

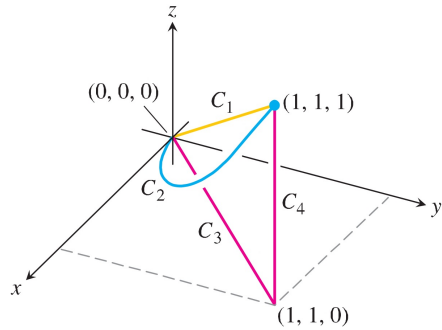
(c) $C_3: \vec{r}_3(t) = t\vec{i} + t\vec{j},$ where $0 \leq t \leq 1; \vec{r}'_3(t) = \vec{i} + \vec{j}.$ $\vec{F}(\vec{r}_3(t)) = t^2\vec{i}; \vec{F}(\vec{r}_3(t)) \cdot \vec{r}'_3(t) = t^2.$

$C_4: \vec{r}_4(t) = \vec{i} + \vec{j} + t\vec{k},$ where $0 \leq t \leq 1; \vec{r}'_4(t) = \vec{k}.$

$$\vec{F}(\vec{r}_4(t)) = \vec{i} + t\vec{j} + t\vec{k}; \vec{F}(\vec{r}_4(t)) \cdot \vec{r}'_4(t) = t$$

$$\therefore \int_{C_3 \cup C_4} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_{C_3} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}_3 + \int_{C_4} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}_4 = \int_0^1 t^2 dt + \int_0^1 t dt = \left[\frac{t^3}{3} \right]_0^1 + \left[\frac{t^2}{2} \right]_0^1 = \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{5}{6} //$$

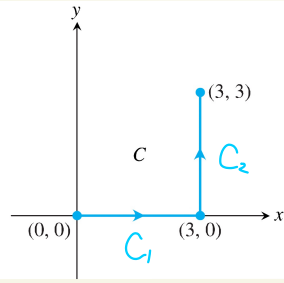
- The straight-line path $C_1: \mathbf{r}(t) = t\mathbf{i} + t\mathbf{j} + t\mathbf{k}, \quad 0 \leq t \leq 1$
- The curved path $C_2: \mathbf{r}(t) = t\mathbf{i} + t^2\mathbf{j} + t^3\mathbf{k}, \quad 0 \leq t \leq 1$
- The path $C_3 \cup C_4$ consisting of the line segment from $(0, 0, 0)$ to $(1, 1, 0)$ followed by the segment from $(1, 1, 0)$ to $(1, 1, 1)$



Line Integrals with Respect to x , y , and z

In Exercises 13–16, find the line integrals along the given path C .

15. $\int_C (x^2 + y^2) dy$, where C is given in the accompanying figure.



Sol) $C_1: \vec{r}_1(t) = t\vec{i}$, where $0 \leq t \leq 3$; $dy = 0$

$C_2: \vec{r}_2(t) = 3\vec{i} + t\vec{j}$, where $0 \leq t \leq 3$; $dy = dt$.

$f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2$; $f(\vec{r}_2(t)) = 9 + t^2$.

$$\therefore \int_C f(x, y) dy = \int_{C_1} f(x, y) dy + \int_{C_2} f(x, y) dy = 0 + \int_0^3 (9 + t^2) dt = \left[9t + \frac{t^3}{3} \right]_0^3 = 36 //$$

Work

In Exercises 19–22, find the work done by \mathbf{F} over the curve in the direction of increasing t .

20. $\mathbf{F} = 2y\mathbf{i} + 3x\mathbf{j} + (x + y)\mathbf{k}$

$\mathbf{r}(t) = (\cos t)\mathbf{i} + (\sin t)\mathbf{j} + (t/6)\mathbf{k}$, $0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$

Sol) $C: \vec{r}(t) = (\cos t)\vec{i} + (\sin t)\vec{j} + \left(\frac{t}{6}\right)\vec{k}$, where $0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$; $\vec{r}'(t) = -(\sin t)\vec{i} + (\cos t)\vec{j} + \frac{1}{6}\vec{k}$.

$\vec{F}(\vec{r}(t)) = (2 \sin t)\vec{i} + (3 \cos t)\vec{j} + (\cos t + \sin t)\vec{k}$;

$\vec{F}(\vec{r}(t)) \cdot \vec{r}'(t) = -2 \sin^2 t + 3 \cos^2 t + \frac{1}{6}(\cos t + \sin t)$.

\therefore Work done by $\vec{F} = \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_0^{2\pi} (-2 \sin^2 t + 3 \cos^2 t + \frac{1}{6}(\cos t + \sin t)) dt$

$= \left[-2\left(\frac{t}{2} - \frac{\sin 2t}{4}\right) + 3\left(\frac{t}{2} + \frac{\sin 2t}{4}\right) + \frac{1}{6}(\sin t - \cos t) \right]_0^{2\pi} = \pi //$

Work, Circulation, and Flux in the Plane

In Exercises 31–34, find the circulation and flux of the field \mathbf{F} around and across the closed semicircular path that consists of the semicircular arch $\mathbf{r}_1(t) = (a \cos t)\mathbf{i} + (a \sin t)\mathbf{j}$, $0 \leq t \leq \pi$, followed by the line segment $\mathbf{r}_2(t) = t\mathbf{i}$, $-a \leq t \leq a$.

31. $\mathbf{F} = x\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j}$

Sol | $\vec{r}_1(t) = (a \cos t)\vec{i} + (a \sin t)\vec{j}$; $\vec{r}_1'(t) = (-a \sin t)\vec{i} + (a \cos t)\vec{j}$;

$$\vec{F}(\vec{r}_1(t)) = (a \cos t)\vec{i} + (a \sin t)\vec{j}; \quad \vec{F}(\vec{r}_1(t)) \cdot \vec{r}_1'(t) = -a^2 \cos t \sin t + a^2 \sin t \cos t = 0$$

$$\therefore \text{Circulation along } \vec{r}_1 = 0$$

$$\text{Flux along } \vec{r}_1 = \int_0^\pi ((a \cos t)(a \cos t) - (a \sin t)(-a \sin t)) dt = \int_0^\pi a^2 dt = \pi a^2$$

$$\vec{r}_2(t) = t\vec{i}; \quad \vec{r}_2'(t) = \vec{i}$$

$$\vec{F}(\vec{r}_2(t)) = t\vec{i}; \quad \vec{F}(\vec{r}_2(t)) \cdot \vec{r}_2'(t) = t$$

$$\therefore \text{Circulation along } \vec{r}_2 = \int_{-a}^a t dt = \left[\frac{t^2}{2} \right]_{-a}^a = 0$$

$$\text{Flux along } \vec{r}_2 = \int_{-a}^a ((t)(0) - (0)(1)) dt = 0$$

$$\therefore \text{Total circulation} = 0 + 0 = 0_{//}$$

$$\text{Total Flux} = \pi a^2 + 0 = \pi a^2_{//}$$

Vector Fields in the Plane

45. **Work and area** Suppose that $f(t)$ is differentiable and positive for $a \leq t \leq b$. Let C be the path $\mathbf{r}(t) = t\mathbf{i} + f(t)\mathbf{j}$, $a \leq t \leq b$, and $\mathbf{F} = y\mathbf{i}$. Is there any relation between the value of the work integral

$$\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$$

and the area of the region bounded by the t -axis, the graph of f , and the lines $t = a$ and $t = b$? Give reasons for your answer.

Sol) Yes by the following claim:

Claim $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_a^b f(t) dt$ (= area in question, since $f(t)$ is positive for any $a \leq t \leq b$)

Proof) $C: \vec{r}(t) = t\vec{i} + f(t)\vec{j}; \vec{r}'(t) = \vec{i} + f'(t)\vec{j}$.

$\vec{F}(\vec{r}(t)) = f(t)\vec{j}; \vec{F}(\vec{r}(t)) \cdot \vec{r}'(t) = f(t)$

$\therefore \text{LHS} = \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_a^b f(t) dt = \text{RHS}$.

Flow Integrals in Space

53. **Flow along a curve** The field $\mathbf{F} = xy\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j} - yz\mathbf{k}$ is the velocity field of a flow in space. Find the flow from $(0, 0, 0)$ to $(1, 1, 1)$ along the curve of intersection of the cylinder $y = x^2$ and the plane $z = x$. (Hint: Use $t = x$ as the parameter.)

Sol) Let $x = t$, then $y = t^2$; $z = t$

\therefore The curve of intersection is given by

$\vec{r}(t) = t\vec{i} + t^2\vec{j} + t\vec{k}$, where $0 \leq t \leq 1$.

$\vec{r}'(t) = \vec{i} + 2t\vec{j} + \vec{k}; \vec{F}(\vec{r}(t)) = t^3\vec{i} + t^2\vec{j} - t^3\vec{k}; \vec{F}(\vec{r}(t)) \cdot \vec{r}'(t) = t^3 + 2t^2 - t^3 = 2t^2$.

$\therefore \text{Flow} = \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_0^1 2t^2 dt = \left[\frac{2t^3}{3} \right]_0^1 = \frac{2}{3}$

