

PHYSICS 110A, WINTER 2017
ELECTRICITY AND MAGNETISM

Assignment Two, Due Friday, January 19, 5:00 pm.

[1.] Compute the divergence of the vector field

$$\mathbf{v} = C \mathbf{r}$$

In a week or so we will prove this is the electric field inside a sphere with uniform charge density ρ , if we define $C = 4\pi k\rho/3$. (You probably saw this problem in lower division E&M.) Using that statement, discuss the consistency of your result with the Maxwell Equation $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{E} = 4\pi k\rho$ which tells us the divergence of \mathbf{E} measures the charge density.

[2.] Compute the curl of the vector field

$$\mathbf{v} = C(x\hat{\mathbf{y}} - y\hat{\mathbf{x}})$$

In Physics 110B you will prove this is the magnetic field inside a long straight wire with uniform current density J , if we define $C = \mu_0 J/2$. (You probably saw this problem in lower division E&M.) Using that statement, discuss the consistency of your result with the Maxwell Equation $\nabla \times \mathbf{B} = \mu_0 J$ which tells us the curl of \mathbf{B} measures the current density.

[3.] Griffiths Problem 54, Chapter 1.

[4.] Griffiths Problem 55, Chapter 1.

[5.] Griffiths Problem 56, Chapter 1.

[6.] Griffiths Problem 57, Chapter 1.

[7.] Griffiths Problem 61, Chapter 1.

[8.] It is straightforward to compute the gradient of a given scalar function. In this problem we attempt the reverse process. Verify the force

$$\mathbf{F} = (3x^2yz - 3y)\hat{\mathbf{x}} + (x^3z - 3x)\hat{\mathbf{y}} + (x^3y + 2z)\hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

is conservative, and find a potential ϕ such that $\mathbf{F} = -\nabla\phi$.

[9.] It is straightforward to compute the curl of a given vector function. In this problem we attempt the reverse process. Find the vector field \mathbf{A} such that $\mathbf{v} = \nabla \times \mathbf{A}$ for

$$\mathbf{v} = (y + z)\hat{\mathbf{x}} + (x - z)\hat{\mathbf{y}} + (x^2 + y^2)\hat{\mathbf{z}}$$

[10.] Compute the integral of $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}$ over the region $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \leq 25$ for the vector field

$$\mathbf{v} = (x^2 + y^2 + z^2)(x\hat{\mathbf{x}} + y\hat{\mathbf{y}} + z\hat{\mathbf{z}})$$

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$$\boxed{1} \quad \vec{v} = C \hat{r} = C(x \hat{x} + y \hat{y} + z \hat{z})$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v} = \frac{\partial v_x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial v_y}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v_z}{\partial z} = C(1+1+1) = 3C$$

$$\#f \quad c = \frac{4\pi k p}{3} \quad \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v} = 3 \left(\frac{4\pi k p}{3} \right) = 4\pi k p$$

which is consistent with Maxwell.

$$\boxed{2} \quad \vec{v} = C(x \hat{y} - y \hat{x})$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{x} & \hat{y} & \hat{z} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ -yC & xC & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 2\hat{z}C$$

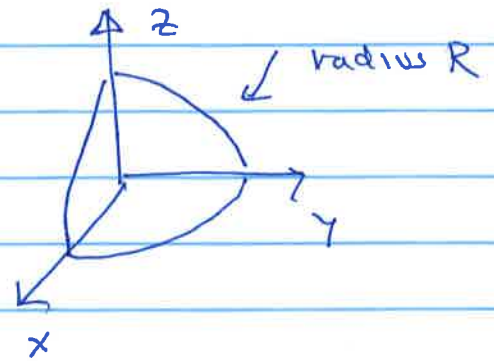
$$|\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v}| = 2C = 2(\mu_0 J / 2) = \mu_0 J \quad \text{if } C = \frac{\mu_0 J}{2}$$

This is consistent with $\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{B} = \mu_0 \vec{J}$.

2.

3. (Griffiths 54)

$$\int_V \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v} d\tau = \int_S \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{a}$$



$$\vec{v} = (r^2 \cos \theta) \hat{r} + (r^2 \cos \phi) \hat{\theta}$$

$$- r^2 \cos \theta \sin \phi \hat{\phi}$$

Spherical coordinates:
 $\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v} = \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (r^2 v_r)$

$$+ \frac{1}{r \sin \theta} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} (\sin \theta v_\theta)$$

$$+ \frac{1}{r \sin \theta} \frac{\partial v_\phi}{\partial \phi}$$

First do left hand side

$$\int_V \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v} d\tau$$

$$= \int_V \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (r^4 \cos \theta) + \frac{1}{r \sin \theta} r^2 \cos \theta \cos \phi + \frac{1}{r \sin \theta} (-r^2 \cos \theta \sin \phi)$$

cancel...

$$= \int_V \frac{1}{r^2} 4r^3 \cos \theta d\tau = \int_0^R r^2 dr \int_0^{\pi/2} d\phi \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin \theta d\theta \cos \theta \underbrace{4r}_{\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v}}$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \int_0^R 4r^3 dr = \frac{\pi}{4} r^4 \Big|_0^R = \frac{\pi}{4} R^4$$

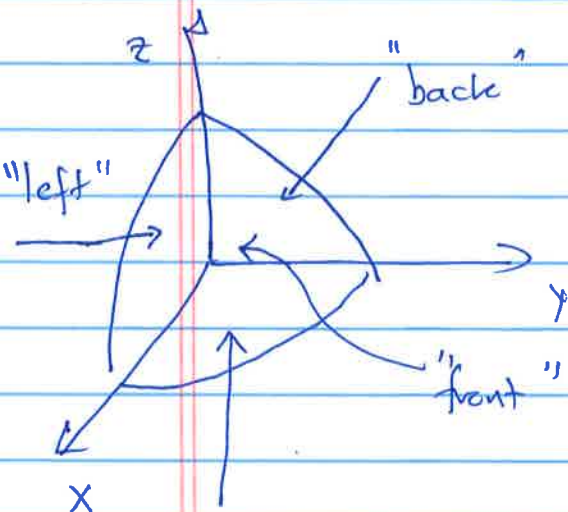
ϕ integral
 θ integral

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin \theta \cos \theta d\theta = \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{2} \Big|_0^{\pi/2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

3.

(3 cont'd) Now tackle right hand side.

There are four surfaces



Along the "left" surface we have a normal equal to $-\hat{y}$.

We also have $\phi = 0$. Looking at Eq 64 for $\phi = 0$ we see

$$\hat{r} = \sin\theta \hat{x} + \cos\theta \hat{z}$$

$$\hat{\theta} = \cos\theta \hat{x} - \sin\theta \hat{z}$$

$$\hat{\phi} = \hat{y}$$

see "aside" for general principle

So the normal to the left surface is $-\hat{y} = -\hat{\phi}$.

(This can also be seen geometrically). Then, along "left"

$$\int_{S_{\text{left}}} \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{a} = \int_{S_{\text{left}}} (-r^2 \cos\theta \sin\phi) da = \phi$$

\uparrow
 v_{ϕ}

but $\phi = 0$

so $\sin\phi = 0$.

(3 cont'd) Along the "back" the normal is $-\hat{x}$ and $\phi = \pi/2$

again using (64) we see

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{r} &= \sin\theta \hat{y} + \cos\theta \hat{z} \\ \hat{\theta} &= \cos\theta \hat{y} - \sin\theta \hat{z} \\ \hat{\phi} &= -\hat{x}\end{aligned}$$

once again normal is $\hat{\phi}$. (This can also be seen geometrically...)

$$\int_{S_{\text{back}}} \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{a} = \int_{S_{\text{back}}} (-r^2 \cos\theta \sin\phi) |d\vec{a}|$$

\uparrow \uparrow
 v_{ϕ} 1 since $\phi = \pi/2$

S_{back} has $0 < \theta < \pi/2$
 $\phi = \pi/2$
 $0 < r < R$

$$d\vec{a} = \underbrace{r r d\theta}_{|d\vec{a}|} \hat{\phi}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\int_{S_{\text{back}}} \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{a} &= \int_0^R dr \int_0^{\pi/2} r d\theta (-r^2 \cos\theta) \\ &= - \int_0^R r^3 dr \underbrace{\int_0^{\pi/2} \cos\theta d\theta}_1 \\ &= -R^4/4\end{aligned}$$

(3 cont'd) "bottom" surface is $\theta = \pi/2$ ←

the direction of normal is $-\hat{z}$

$$\hat{r} = \cos\phi \hat{x} + \sin\phi \hat{y}$$

$$\hat{\theta} = -\hat{z}$$

$$\hat{\phi} = -\sin\phi \hat{x} + \cos\phi \hat{y}$$

← So normal is $\hat{\theta}$

See "aside" for
general principle

$$\int_{S_{\text{bottom}}} \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{a} = \int r^2 \cos\phi |d\vec{a}|$$

↑
 v_{θ}

↑ $r \sin\theta d\phi dr$
← $\sin\theta = 1$

$$= \int_0^R r dr \int_0^{\pi/2} d\phi r^2 \cos\phi$$

$$= \underbrace{\int_0^R r^3 dr}_{R^4/4} \underbrace{\int_0^{\pi/2} \cos\phi d\phi}_1 = +R^4/4$$

"bottom" cancels "back"! "left" vanishes. So it all comes

down to "front"

(3 cont'd) "front" has $r=R$ $\vec{d}\vec{a} = \underbrace{r \sin\theta d\phi r d\theta}_{\text{see "Aside"}}$ \hat{r}

$$\int_{S_{\text{front}}} \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{a} = \int_{S_{\text{front}}} r^2 \cos\theta |d\vec{a}|$$

\uparrow
 v_r

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi \int_0^{\pi/2} d\theta \underbrace{r^2}_{r=R} \sin\theta \underbrace{r^2}_{r=R} \cos\theta$$

$$= R^4 \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin\theta \cos\theta d\theta$$

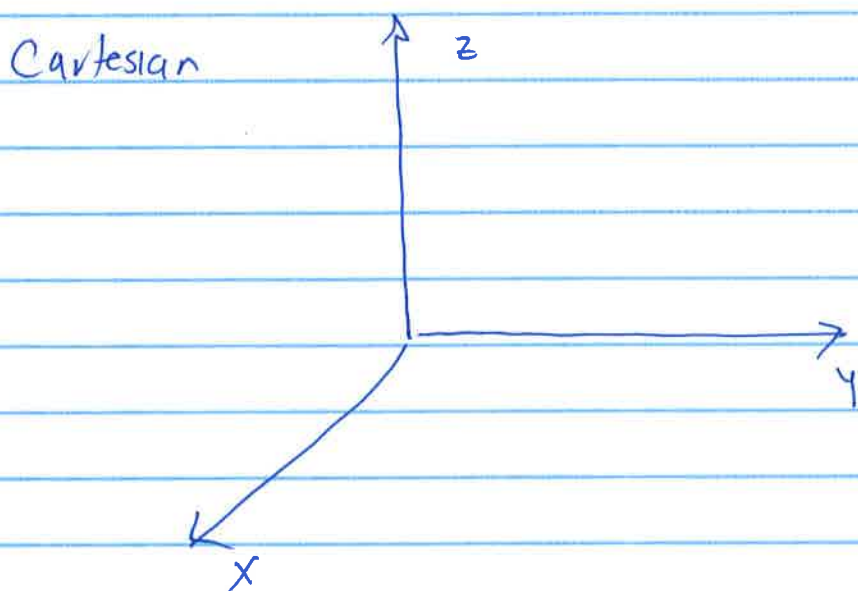
$$\underbrace{\int_0^{2\pi} d\phi}_{\pi/2} \underbrace{\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin\theta \cos\theta d\theta}_{\frac{\sin^2\theta}{2} \Big|_0^{\pi/2} = 1/2} = 1/2$$

$$= \pi/4 R^4 \quad \text{At last!}$$

ASIDE - 1

7.

Generally Useful Rule :



$x = \text{constant}$: plane parallel to yz plane

normal is \hat{x} $|\vec{da}| = dydz$ $\vec{da} = \hat{x} dydz$

Similarly:

$y = \text{constant}$: $\vec{da} = \hat{y} dx dz$

$z = \text{constant}$ $\vec{da} = \hat{z} dx dy$

giving direction of \vec{da}

Notice unit vector $\hat{\quad}$ in each case is same

variable as that being held constant! The magnitude

$|\vec{da}|$ is comprised of the "d" factors of the

two variables which are not constant

ASIDE-2

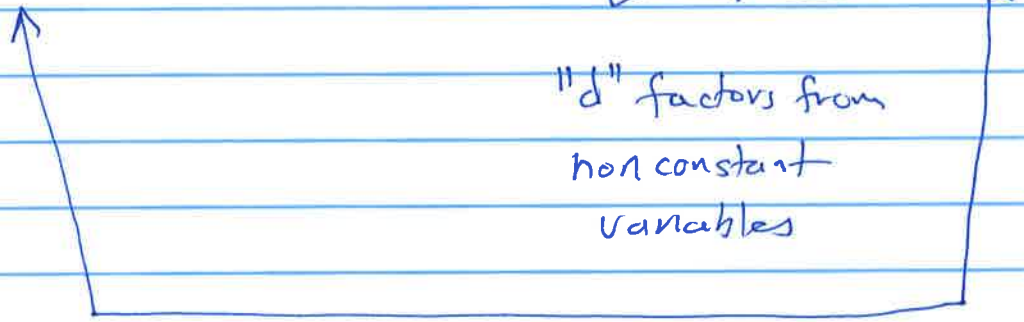
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The same rule works in spherical coordinates i.e.

if $\theta = \text{constant}$ $\vec{da} = dr r \sin\theta d\phi$ $\hat{\theta}$

$\phi = \text{constant}$ $\vec{da} = dr r d\theta$ $\hat{\phi}$

$r = \text{constant}$ $\vec{da} = r d\theta r \sin\theta d\phi$ \hat{r}



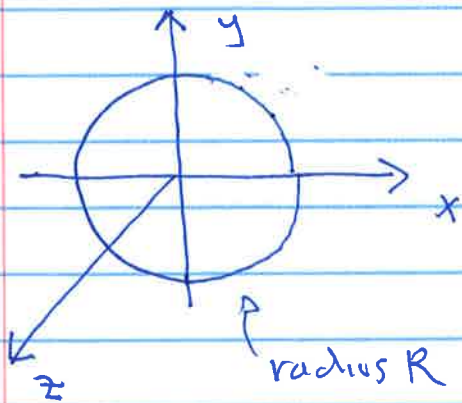
direction matches
variable which is
constant.

See if you can prove this prescription always works!

9.

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(Griffiths 55) $\vec{v} = ay\hat{x} + bx\hat{y}$



$$\int_S \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{a} = \int_{\mathcal{P}} \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{\ell}$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{x} & \hat{y} & \hat{z} \\ \partial_x & \partial_y & \partial_z \\ ay & bx & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (b-a)\hat{z}$$

$$d\vec{a} = \hat{z} dx dy \quad (\text{assuming we go around } \mathcal{P} \text{ counterclockwise})$$

Since $\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v} = \text{constant} = b-a$

$$\int_S \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{a} = (b-a) \underbrace{\pi R^2}_{\text{area of } S}$$

$$\int_{\mathcal{P}} \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{\ell} = \int_{-R}^R dx \underbrace{ay dx}_{v_x dx} + bx \underbrace{\left(\frac{-x}{\sqrt{R^2-x^2}} \right) dx}_{v_y dy} dx$$

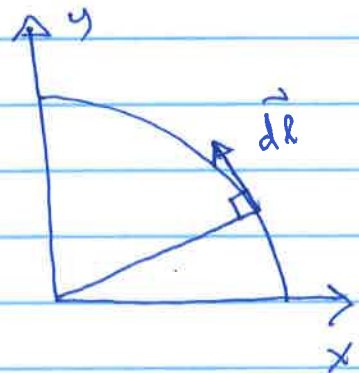
$dx\hat{x} + dy\hat{y}$

along \mathcal{P} $x^2 + y^2 = R^2$

so that $y = (R^2 - x^2)^{1/2}$

$$dy = \frac{1}{2}(R^2 - x^2)^{-1/2} (-2x) dx$$

$$= -x / \sqrt{R^2 - x^2} dx$$



10.

$$(4 \text{ cont'd}) \quad \int_P \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{e} = \int_P a(R^2 - x^2)^{1/2} dx - \frac{bx^2}{(R^2 - x^2)^{1/2}} dx$$

$$x = R \sin \theta$$

$$(R^2 - x^2)^{1/2} = R \cos \theta$$

$$dx = R \cos \theta d\theta$$

$$aR^2 \int_P \cos^2 \theta d\theta$$

$$-bR^2 \int_P \sin^2 \theta d\theta$$

to traverse P counter-clockwise

θ goes from 2π to ϕ
and $\cos^2 \theta$ has average
value $1/2$

same for
 $\langle \sin^2 \theta \rangle = 1/2$

$$\Rightarrow aR^2 (-2\pi) \frac{1}{2}$$

$$-bR^2 (-2\pi) \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow -\pi aR^2$$

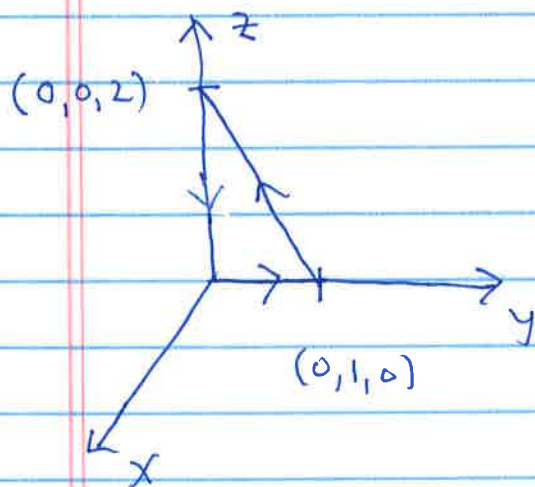
$$+\pi bR^2$$

✓

11.

[5] Griffiths 56

$$\vec{v} = 6\hat{x} + yz^2\hat{y} + (3y+z)\hat{z}$$



$$\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{x} & \hat{y} & \hat{z} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ 6 & yz^2 & 3y+z \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (3-2yz)\hat{x} + 0\hat{y} + 0\hat{z}$$

$$\vec{da} = dydz \hat{x} \quad (\text{see "aside"})$$

$$\int_S \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v} \cdot \vec{da} = \int_0^1 dy \int_0^{2-2y} dz (3-2yz)$$

$$= \int_0^1 dy \left\{ \underset{\int dz = z}{3(2-2y)} - y \underset{\int 2z = z^2}{(2-2y)^2} \right\}$$

$$= 6y - 3y^2 - 4 \left(\frac{y^2}{2} - \frac{2y^3}{3} + \frac{y^4}{4} \right) \Big|_0^1$$

$$= 6 - 3 - 4 \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{2}{3} + \frac{1}{4} \right) = 6 - 3 - \frac{1}{3} = \frac{8}{3}$$

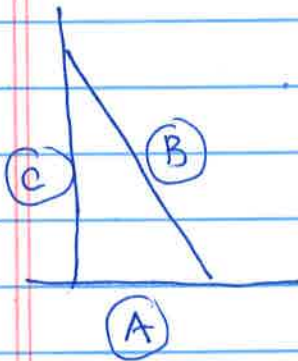
$$\cdot \frac{1}{2}(6-8+3)$$

12.

5 cont'd(A)
↓(B) $z = 2 - 2y$
 $dz = -2dy$
↓

$$\int_P \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{e} = \int_0^1 y z^2 dy + \int_1^0 y z^2 dy + (3y+z)(-2dy)$$

$z = 0$ along A



$$+ \int_2^0 (3y+z) dz$$

$y = 0$ along C

$$\int_1^0 y(2-2y)^2 dy + \int_1^0 (3y+2-2y)(-2dy) + \int_2^0 z dz$$

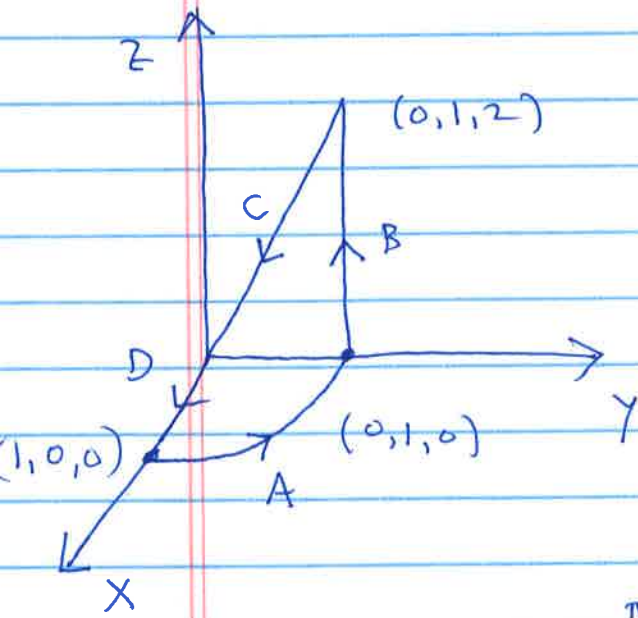
$4 \left(\frac{y^2}{2} - \frac{2y^3}{3} + \frac{y^4}{4} \right) \Big _1^0$	$-2 \left(2y + \frac{y^2}{2} \right) \Big _1^0$	$\frac{z^2}{2} \Big _2^0$
$= -4 \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{2}{3} + \frac{1}{4} \right)$	$+ 2 \left(2 + \frac{1}{2} \right)$	$- 2$
$= -4 \frac{1}{12} (6 - 8 + 3)$		
$= -\frac{1}{3}$	$+ 5$	

combines to $\frac{8}{3}$ again! \square

13.

[6] Griffiths 57

$$\vec{V} = r \cos^2 \theta \hat{r} - r \cos \theta \sin \theta \hat{\theta} + 3r \hat{\phi}$$



PATH (A)

$$\theta = \pi/2$$

$$r = 1$$

$$0 < \phi < \pi/2$$

$$\vec{d\ell} = \hat{\phi} r \sin \theta d\phi$$

↑
since
 $\theta = \pi/2$

$$\int_{P_A} \vec{V} \cdot \vec{d\ell} = \int_0^{\pi/2} \underbrace{r d\phi}_{r=1} 3r = 3\pi/2$$

along A

convenient
to keep track of units
 $a = 1$ units "length"

PATH (B)

$$\phi = \pi/2$$

$$\sin \theta = a/r$$

$$\cos \theta d\theta = \frac{-a}{r^2} dr$$

$$1 < r < \sqrt{5}$$

$$\cos \theta = \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 \theta}$$

$$= \sqrt{1 - a^2/r^2}$$

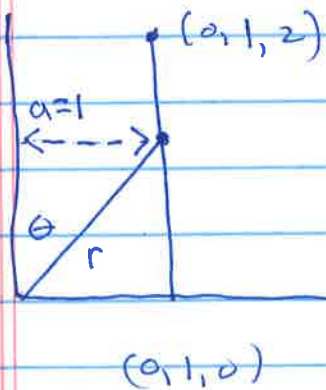
$$\vec{d\ell} = \hat{r} dr + \hat{\theta} r d\theta$$

$$= \hat{r} dr + \hat{\theta} r \left(\frac{-a dr}{r^2 \cos \theta} \right)$$

$$\vec{d\ell} \cdot \vec{V}$$

$$= r \cos^2 \theta dr$$

$$+ r \cos \theta \sin \theta \frac{dr}{r \cos \theta}$$



(0,1,0)

path (D)

$$\theta = \pi/2$$

$$\phi = 0$$

$$0 < r < 1$$

$$d\vec{e} = \hat{r} dr$$

$$\int_{P_0} \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{e} = \int_0^1 r \cos^2 \theta dr$$

↑

 ϕ since $\theta = \pi/2$

Adding $\frac{3\pi}{2} + 2 - 2 + \phi = \frac{3\pi}{2}$.

Now we need to do with $\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v}$!

Two surfaces!

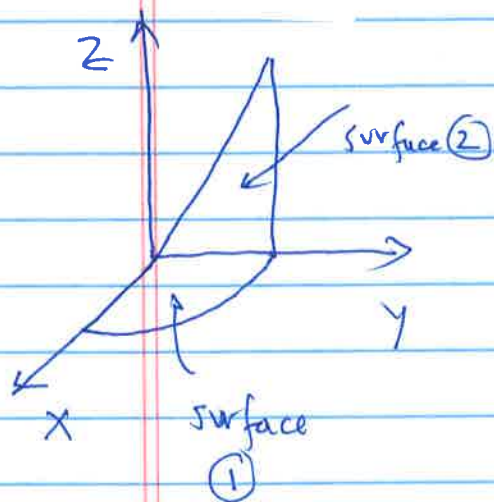
Surface (1) has $\theta = \pi/2$

So (see "aside") the normal $d\vec{a}$ is in $\hat{\theta}$ direction

← Actually $-\hat{\theta}$

we need $(\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v})_{\theta}$

by right hand rule



$$\frac{1}{r} \left[\frac{1}{\sin \theta} \frac{\partial v_r}{\partial \phi} - \frac{\partial}{\partial r} r v_{\phi} \right]$$

$$\frac{1}{r} \left[\frac{1}{\sin \theta} \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} r \cos^2 \theta - \frac{\partial}{\partial r} 3r^2 \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{r} (-6r) = -6$$

$(\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v})_\theta$ is constant on surface ① so

$$\int \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{a} = +6 (\text{Area}) = +6 \frac{1}{4} \pi (1)^2 = \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

Consider, finally, surface ②. It has $\phi = \pi/2$

so, from "aside" normal $d\vec{a}$ is in $\hat{\phi}$ direction.

we need $(\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v})_\phi$

$$= \frac{1}{r} \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial r} r v_\theta - \frac{\partial v_r}{\partial \theta} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{r} \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial r} (-r^2 \cos\theta \sin\theta) - \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} r \cos^2\theta \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{r} \left[-2r \cos\theta \sin\theta + 2r \cos\theta \sin\theta \right] = 0$$

So we get $3\pi/2$ which checks!

[7] (Griffiths 61)

← scalar function

a) If $\vec{v}(\vec{r}) = \vec{c} T(r)$

↑
constant
vector, indep of \vec{r}

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v} = T(r) \underbrace{\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{c}}_{\phi} + \vec{c} \cdot \vec{\nabla} T$$

$$\int_V \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v} d\tau = \int_V \vec{c} \cdot \vec{\nabla} T d\tau = \int_V \vec{c} T(r) \cdot \vec{d}\vec{a}$$

$$\vec{c} \cdot \int_V \vec{\nabla} T d\tau = \vec{c} \cdot \int_V T(r) \vec{d}\vec{a}$$

Since true for all \vec{c}

$$\int_V \vec{\nabla} T d\tau = \int_V T(r) \vec{d}\vec{a}$$

Consider $\vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} v_x \\ v_y \\ v_z \end{pmatrix}$ $\vec{w} = \begin{pmatrix} w_x \\ w_y \\ w_z \end{pmatrix}$

If $\vec{c} \cdot \vec{v} = \vec{c} \cdot \vec{w}$ for all \vec{c} we can choose

$$\vec{c} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \text{ to prove } v_x = w_x \text{ and } \vec{c} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

to prove $v_y = w_y$ etc. This shows $\vec{v} = \vec{w}$!

7 cont'd

$$(b) \int_V \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v} \, d\tau = \int_S \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{a}$$

plug in $\vec{v} \rightarrow \vec{v} \times \vec{c}$

$$\text{and use } \vec{\nabla} \cdot (\vec{v} \times \vec{c}) = \vec{c} \cdot (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v}) - \vec{v} \cdot (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{c})$$

$$\uparrow$$

$$\neq$$
since $\vec{c} = \text{const}$

$$\int_V \vec{c} \cdot (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v}) \, d\tau = \int_S (\vec{v} \times \vec{c}) \cdot d\vec{a}$$

$$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}$$

rewrite triple product

$$\int_S \vec{c} \cdot (d\vec{a} \times \vec{v}) = - \int_S \vec{c} \cdot (\vec{v} \times d\vec{a})$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{c} \cdot \int_V (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v}) \, d\tau = - \vec{c} \cdot \int_S (\vec{v} \times d\vec{a})$$

$$\text{For any } \vec{c} \Rightarrow \int_V (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v}) \, d\tau = - \int_S \vec{v} \times d\vec{a}$$

(7 cont'd)

$$(c) \quad \int_V \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v} \, d\tau = \int_S \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{a}$$

Letting $\vec{v} = T \vec{\nabla} U$

Use $\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v} = \vec{\nabla} T \cdot \vec{\nabla} U + T \cdot \nabla^2 U$

and you are done

(d) Use (c) twice, once with $\vec{v} = T \vec{\nabla} U$
and once with $\vec{v} = U \vec{\nabla} T$
and subtract!

$$(e) \quad \int_S \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{a} = \int_V \vec{\nabla} \cdot d\vec{e}$$

Let $\vec{v} = \vec{c} T$

$$\vec{\nabla} \times (\vec{c} T) = T (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{c}) - \vec{c} \times \vec{\nabla} T$$

$$(\vec{c} \times \vec{\nabla} T) \cdot d\vec{a}$$

$$= -\vec{c} \cdot (\vec{\nabla} T \times d\vec{a})$$

↑
Triple product
rewrite

$$-\int_S (\vec{c} \times \vec{\nabla} T) \cdot d\vec{a}$$

$$= \vec{c} \cdot \int_S \vec{\nabla} T \cdot d\vec{a} = c \cdot \int_V \nabla^2 T \, d\tau$$

$$\boxed{8} \quad \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{x} & \hat{y} & \hat{z} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ 3x^2yz & x^3z & x^3y \\ -3y & -3x & +2z \end{vmatrix}$$

Conservative

$$\Leftrightarrow \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{F} = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \int_{\vec{a}}^{\vec{b}} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{\ell}$$

is path independent

$$= \hat{x} [x^3 - x^3] - \hat{y} [3x^2y - 3x^2y] + \hat{z} [3x^2z - 3 - 3x^2z + 3]$$

$$= \vec{0} \quad \checkmark \checkmark$$

We know $\int_{\vec{a}}^{\vec{b}} \vec{\nabla} \phi \cdot d\vec{\ell} = \phi(\vec{b}) - \phi(\vec{a})$

So if $\vec{F} = -\vec{\nabla} \phi$

$$\int_{\vec{a}}^{\vec{b}} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{\ell} = \phi(\vec{a}) - \phi(\vec{b})$$

choose $\vec{a} = (0, 0, 0)$ and $\phi(\vec{a}) = 0$

← This is an arbitrary choice of the "constant of integration"

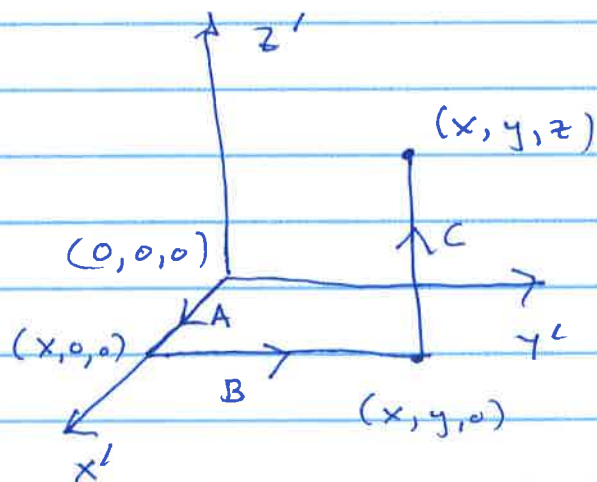
$$\vec{b} = (x, y, z)$$

Then $\phi(x, y, z) = - \int_{(0,0,0)}^{(x,y,z)} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{\ell}$

Choose to get to (x, y, z) by path along axes

(since answer is path independent, can pick any path...)

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(8 cont'd) Choose path from $(0,0,0)$ to (x,y,z) to $(x,y,0)$ to (x,y,z) :

along A:

$$\vec{d\ell} = dx' \hat{x}' \Rightarrow \vec{F} \cdot \vec{d\ell} = F_x dx' = (3x'^2 y' z' - 3y') dy' = \phi$$

$$y' = z' = 0$$

along B:

$$\vec{d\ell} = dy' \hat{y}' \Rightarrow \vec{F} \cdot \vec{d\ell} = F_y dy' = (x'^3 z' - 3x') dy'$$

$$x' = x \quad = -3x dy'$$

$$z' = 0$$

$$\text{contribution to } \phi: - \int_0^y -3 dy' = +3xy$$

along C

$$\vec{d\ell} = dz' \hat{z}'$$

$$\vec{F} \cdot \vec{d\ell} = (x'^3 y' + 2z') dz'$$

$$= (x^3 y + 2z') dz'$$

$$x' = x$$

$$y' = y$$

$$\text{contribution to } \phi: - \int_0^z (x^3 y + 2z') dz' = -x^3 y z - \frac{z^2}{2}$$

(8 cont'd)

$$A+B+C \quad \phi(x,y,z) = 3xy - x^3yz - \frac{z^2}{2}$$

$$\text{check} \quad -\frac{d\phi}{dx} = -3y + 3x^2yz$$

$$-\frac{d\phi}{dy} = -3x + x^3z$$

$$-\frac{d\phi}{dz} = x^3y + \frac{1}{2}z$$

$$\Rightarrow -\vec{\nabla}\phi = \vec{F} = (-3y + 3x^2yz)\hat{x} + (-3x + x^3z)\hat{y} + (x^3y + \frac{1}{2}z)\hat{z} \quad \checkmark$$

9 First check \vec{v} is solenoidal:

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v} = \frac{\partial v_x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial v_y}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v_z}{\partial z}$$

$$= \phi + \phi + \phi = \phi \quad \checkmark$$

$$\text{We want } \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{A} = \begin{pmatrix} \hat{x} & \hat{y} & \hat{z} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ A_x & A_y & A_z \end{pmatrix} = \vec{v}$$

$$\text{So } \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial A_y}{\partial z} = y + z$$

$$-\frac{\partial A_z}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial A_x}{\partial z} = x - z$$

$$\frac{\partial A_y}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial A_x}{\partial y} = x^2 + y^2$$

Can use gauge freedom to choose any component of \vec{A}

to vanish. Let's select $A_x = 0$. Then

$$\frac{\partial A_y}{\partial x} = x^2 + y^2 \Rightarrow A_y = \frac{1}{3}x^3 + y^2x + f(y, z)$$

$$\frac{\partial A_z}{\partial x} = z - x \Rightarrow A_z = zx - \frac{x^2}{2} + g(y, z)$$

$$\text{and } \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial A_y}{\partial z} = \frac{\partial g}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} = y + z$$

(9 cont'd) Can pick many choices for f, g .

One that works is $g = \frac{1}{2}y^2$ and $f = -\frac{z^2}{2}$

$$A_x = 0$$

$$A_y = \frac{1}{3}x^3 + y^2x - \frac{z^2}{2}$$

$$A_z = zx - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{1}{2}y^2$$

Then, to be sure, check

$$\frac{\partial A_z}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial A_y}{\partial z} = y + z = v_x \quad \checkmark$$

$$\frac{\partial A_x}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial x} = 0 - (z - x) = x - z = v_y \quad \checkmark$$

$$\frac{\partial A_y}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial A_x}{\partial y} = x^2 + y^2 - 0 = x^2 + y^2 = v_z \quad \checkmark$$

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$$\int_V \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v} \, d\tau = \int_S \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{a}$$

\uparrow
 $V: x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \leq 25$ is sphere of radius
 $R = 5$ with center
 at origin

on surface S of this sphere

$$\vec{v} = \underbrace{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)}_{25} \underbrace{(x\hat{x} + y\hat{y} + z\hat{z})}_{\vec{r} = |\vec{r}|\hat{r} = 5\hat{r}} = 125\hat{r}$$

$$d\vec{a} = |da|\hat{r}$$

$$\text{so } \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{a} = 125 |da| \underbrace{\hat{r} \cdot \hat{r}}_1$$

$$\int_S \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{a} = 125 \int_S |d\vec{a}| = 125 \underbrace{4\pi(25)}_{\substack{\uparrow \\ R^2}} = 12500\pi$$

Surface area of sphere

(10 cont'd) Can check by doing original $\int_V \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v} d\tau$

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v} = \frac{\partial v_x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial v_y}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v_z}{\partial z}$$

$$= (3x^2 + y^2 + z^2) + (x^2 + 3y^2 + z^2) + (x^2 + y^2 + 3z^2)$$

$$= 5(x^2 + y^2 + z^2) = 5r^2$$

$$\int_V \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v} d\tau = \int_0^R r^2 dr \underbrace{\int_0^\pi d\theta \sin\theta \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi}_{4\pi} 5r^2$$

$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v}$

$$= 4\pi \cdot 5 \int_0^{R=5} r^4 dr$$

$$= 20\pi \left. \frac{r^5}{5} \right|_0^5$$

$$= 20\pi \cdot 5^4 = 12500\pi \quad \checkmark$$