

Vector Calculus Lecture 3b

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§5.3 Example 0 let S be a surface

$$\Phi(x, y) = (x, y, f(x, y))$$

with boundary the curve ∂S given by

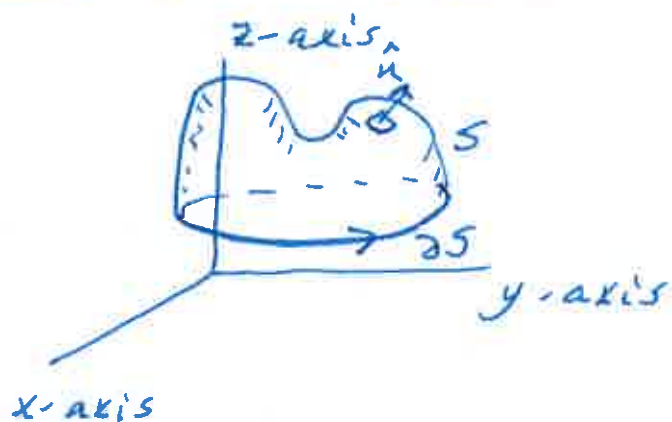
$$z(t) = (x(t), y(t), z(t))$$

and let

$$\vec{F} = F_1 \hat{i} + F_2 \hat{j} + F_3 \hat{k}.$$

Verify Stokes' theorem.

Solution Stokes' theorem is $\int_{\partial S} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{s} = \iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot d\vec{S}$.



Right hand side: $d\vec{S} = (\vec{T}_x \times \vec{T}_y) dx dy$

$$\vec{T}_x = (1, 0, \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}) \text{ and } \vec{T}_y = (0, 1, \frac{\partial f}{\partial y})$$

$$\vec{T}_x \times \vec{T}_y = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & 0 & \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \end{vmatrix} = \hat{i}(0 - \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}) - \hat{j}(\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} - 0) + \hat{k}(1 - 0) = -\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \hat{i} - \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \hat{j} + \hat{k}$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ F_1 & F_2 & F_3 \end{vmatrix} = \hat{i} \left(\frac{\partial F_3}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial z} \right) - \hat{j} \left(\frac{\partial F_3}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial z} \right) + \hat{k} \left(\frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \right)$$

$$= \left(\frac{\partial F_3}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial z} \right) \hat{i} + \left(\frac{\partial F_1}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial x} \right) \hat{j} + \left(\frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \right) \hat{k}$$

$$\int_S (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{F}) \cdot d\vec{S} = \int_S \left(\begin{aligned} & - \left(\frac{\partial F_3}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial z} \right) \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \\ & + \left(\frac{\partial F_1}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial x} \right) \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \\ & + \left(\frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \right) \end{aligned} \right) dx dy$$

$$= \int_S \left(\begin{aligned} & \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial y} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial z} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \\ & - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial z} \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial x} \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \end{aligned} \right) dx dy$$

Left Hand side $d\vec{S} = \left(\frac{dx}{dt}, \frac{dy}{dt}, \frac{dz}{dt} \right)$

$$\int_{\partial S} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} = \int_{\partial S} (F_1, F_2, F_3) \cdot \left(\frac{dx}{dt}, \frac{dy}{dt}, \frac{dz}{dt} \right) dt$$

$$= \int_{\partial S} \left(F_1 \frac{dx}{dt} + F_2 \frac{dy}{dt} + F_3 \frac{dz}{dt} \right) dt$$

$$= \int_{\partial S} \left(F_1 \frac{dx}{dt} + F_2 \frac{dy}{dt} + F_3 \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{dy}{dt} \right) \right) dt$$

$$= \int_{\partial S} \left(\left(F_1 + F_3 \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right) \frac{dx}{dt} + \left(F_2 + F_3 \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right) \frac{dy}{dt} \right) dt$$

$$= \int_{\partial S} \left(F_1 + F_3 \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right) dx + \left(F_2 + F_3 \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right) dy$$

$$= \iint_S \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(F_2 + F_3 \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(F_1 + F_3 \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right) \right) dx dy \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{by} \\ \text{Green's} \\ \text{theorem} \end{array} \right)$$

$$= \iint_S \left(\begin{array}{l} \left(\frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial z} \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \right) \\ + \left(\frac{\partial F_3}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial z} \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \right) \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \\ + F_3 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} \\ - \left(\frac{\partial F_1}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial z} \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \right) \\ - \left(\frac{\partial F_3}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial z} \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \right) \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \\ - F_3 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x} \end{array} \right) dx dy$$

since $z=f$

$$= \iint_S \left(\frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial z} \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial x} \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial z} \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial y} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right) dx dy$$

$$= \iint_S \left(\frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial y} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial z} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial z} \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial x} \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right) dx dy$$

§5.4 Example D Let

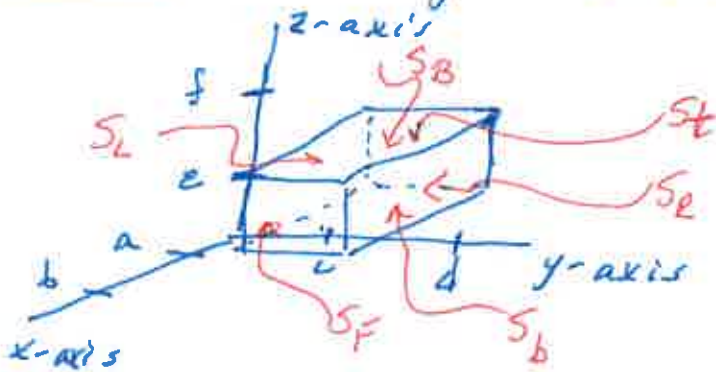
$$\vec{F} = F_1 \hat{i} + F_2 \hat{j} + F_3 \hat{k}.$$

Let V be the rectangular region bounded by the planes

$$x=a, x=b, y=c, y=d, z=e, z=f$$

where $a, b, c, d, e, f \in \mathbb{R}$ with $a < b$, $c < d$ and $e < f$.
Verify the Divergence theorem.

Solution The Divergence theorem is $\iint_{\partial V} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} = \iiint_V (\nabla \cdot \vec{F}) dV$.



$$\begin{aligned} \iint_{\partial V} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} &= \iint_{S_F} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} dS + \iint_{S_B} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} dS + \iint_{S_L} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} dS + \iint_{S_R} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} dS + \iint_{S_b} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} dS + \iint_{S_t} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} dS \\ &= \iint_{S_F} (\vec{F} \cdot \hat{i}) dS + \iint_{S_B} \vec{F} \cdot (-\hat{i}) dS \\ &\quad + \iint_{S_L} \vec{F} \cdot (-\hat{j}) dS + \iint_{S_R} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{j} dS \\ &\quad + \iint_{S_b} \vec{F} \cdot (-\hat{k}) dS + \iint_{S_t} \vec{F} \cdot \hat{k} dS \end{aligned}$$

$$= \iint_{S_F} F_1 dS + \iint_{S_B} -F_1 dS + \iint_{S_L} -F_2 dS + \iint_{S_R} F_2 dS$$

$$+ \iint_{S_b} -F_3 dS + \iint_{S_t} F_3 dS$$

$$= \iint_{S_F} F_1(b, y, z) dy dz + \iint_{S_B} -F_1(a, y, z) dy dz$$

$$+ \iint_{S_L} -F_2(x, c, z) dx dz + \iint_{S_R} F_2(x, d, z) dx dz$$

$$+ \iint_{S_b} -F_3(x, y, e) dx dy + \iint_{S_t} F_3(x, y, f) dx dy$$

$$= \int_{z=e}^{z=f} \int_{y=c}^{y=d} (F_1(b, y, z) - F_1(a, y, z)) dy dz$$

$$+ \int_{z=e}^{z=f} \int_{x=a}^{x=b} (F_2(x, d, z) - F_2(x, c, z)) dx dz$$

$$+ \int_{y=c}^{y=d} \int_{x=a}^{x=b} (F_3(x, y, f) - F_3(x, y, e)) dx dy$$

$$= \int_{z=e}^{z=f} \int_{y=c}^{y=d} \int_{x=a}^{x=b} \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial x}(x, y, z) dx dy dz$$

$$+ \int_{z=e}^{z=f} \int_{x=a}^{x=b} \int_{y=c}^{y=d} \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial y}(x, y, z) dx dy dz + \int_{y=c}^{y=d} \int_{x=a}^{x=b} \int_{z=e}^{z=f} \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial z} dx dy dz$$

$$= \iiint_V \left(\frac{\partial F_1}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial z} \right) dx dy dz$$

$$= \iiint_V (\nabla \cdot \vec{F}) dV.$$

Note

To prove the divergence theorem for a general region V , divide V into a union of rectangular boxes and apply the previous calculation.

§6.2 Example 0 Assume $\hat{u}, \hat{v}, \hat{w}$ are orthogonal.

Compute $\vec{\nabla} f$ in terms of $\hat{u}, \hat{v}, \hat{w}$.

Solution Since $\hat{u}, \hat{v}, \hat{w}$ are orthogonal,

$$\hat{i} = (\hat{i} \cdot \hat{u}) \hat{u} + (\hat{i} \cdot \hat{v}) \hat{v} + (\hat{i} \cdot \hat{w}) \hat{w}$$

$$\hat{j} = (\hat{j} \cdot \hat{u}) \hat{u} + (\hat{j} \cdot \hat{v}) \hat{v} + (\hat{j} \cdot \hat{w}) \hat{w}$$

$$\hat{k} = (\hat{k} \cdot \hat{u}) \hat{u} + (\hat{k} \cdot \hat{v}) \hat{v} + (\hat{k} \cdot \hat{w}) \hat{w}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{\nabla} f &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \hat{i} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \hat{j} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \hat{k} \\ &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \left((\hat{i} \cdot \hat{u}) \hat{u} + (\hat{i} \cdot \hat{v}) \hat{v} + (\hat{i} \cdot \hat{w}) \hat{w} \right) \\ &\quad + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \left((\hat{j} \cdot \hat{u}) \hat{u} + (\hat{j} \cdot \hat{v}) \hat{v} + (\hat{j} \cdot \hat{w}) \hat{w} \right) \\ &\quad + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \left((\hat{k} \cdot \hat{u}) \hat{u} + (\hat{k} \cdot \hat{v}) \hat{v} + (\hat{k} \cdot \hat{w}) \hat{w} \right) \\ &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \left(\frac{1}{h_u} \frac{\partial x}{\partial u} \hat{u} + \frac{1}{h_v} \frac{\partial x}{\partial v} \hat{v} + \frac{1}{h_w} \frac{\partial x}{\partial w} \hat{w} \right) \\ &\quad + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \left(\frac{1}{h_u} \frac{\partial y}{\partial u} \hat{u} + \frac{1}{h_v} \frac{\partial y}{\partial v} \hat{v} + \frac{1}{h_w} \frac{\partial y}{\partial w} \hat{w} \right) \\ &\quad + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \left(\frac{1}{h_u} \frac{\partial z}{\partial u} \hat{u} + \frac{1}{h_v} \frac{\partial z}{\partial v} \hat{v} + \frac{1}{h_w} \frac{\partial z}{\partial w} \hat{w} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{h_u} \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial u} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial u} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \frac{\partial z}{\partial u} \right) \hat{u} \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{h_v} \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial v} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial v} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \frac{\partial z}{\partial v} \right) \hat{v} \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{h_w} \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial w} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial w} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \frac{\partial z}{\partial w} \right) \hat{w} = \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{1}{h_u} \frac{\partial f}{\partial u} \hat{u} + \frac{1}{h_v} \frac{\partial f}{\partial v} \hat{v} + \frac{1}{h_w} \frac{\partial f}{\partial w} \hat{w}.$$