

MAT235 Additional Problems in Vector Calculus

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- Let T be a torus centered at the origin of major radius $r_1 = 6$ in the xy -plane and minor radius $r_2 = 2$.
 - Parametrize T .
 - Calculate the surface area of T .
 - Let $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = \langle 2x, 3y, -z \rangle$. Show that the divergence theorem holds for $\mathbf{F}$ fluxing through T .
- Consider a gravitational field specified by $\mathbf{G}(x, y, z) = \langle x^7 + xy^2z^2, x^2yz^2, x^2y^2z \rangle$. A drive flies in the field along a path C parametrized by $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle t \cos t, t \sin t, t(5\pi - t) \rangle$ for $t \in [0, 5\pi]$. Calculate the work $\int_C \mathbf{G} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$.
- Let $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = \langle -y^2, x, z^2 \rangle$ be a vector field and let C be the curve defined by the intersection between the cylinder $\{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : x^2 + y^2 = 9\}$ and the plane $\{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : y + z = 5\}$. Compute $\oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$.
- Consider two arbitrary, second order continuously differentiable vector fields $\mathbf{A}$ and $\mathbf{B}$ in $\mathbb{R}^3$. Prove that

$$\nabla \cdot (\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}) = (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) \cdot \mathbf{B} - \mathbf{A} \cdot (\nabla \times \mathbf{B}).$$

- Find the positively oriented, simple closed curve L such that the line integral

$$\oint_L (y^3 - y) dx - 2x^3 dy$$

is a maximum.

- Calculate the volume of the intersection of two cylinders of radius r . From the volume, determine the surface area.
- Find parametric equations for each of the following objects and, where applicable, calculate their unit tangent vectors and unit normal vectors:
 - Sphere of radius 6 centered at $(2, 5, -\pi)$.
 - Helix of radius 2 along the y -axis interval $[-3, 1]$ with 3 rotations every horizontal unit.
 - Ellipse of minimum radius $\frac{1}{2}$ and maximum radius $\sqrt{2}$ centered at $(-2, 5)$.
 - The surface specified by $z = f(x, y) = x^3 - \log(y)$ on the domain $\{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : y > 0\}$.

Note: For additional practice on volume integrals, Lagrange multipliers, multivariable Taylor expansions, or partial derivatives, I suggest visiting <https://tutorial.math.lamar.edu/Problems/CalcIII/CalcIII.aspx>.