Week 14-Lab 1: Worksheet 20: Section 17.1

Fundamental Theorems of Line Integrals:

Section 16.3: Fundamental Theorem for Conservative Vector Fields: Assume that $\vec{\mathbf{F}} = \nabla f$ on a domain \mathcal{D} . For any curve \mathcal{C} from P to Q in \mathcal{D} ,

$$\int_{\mathcal{C}} \vec{\mathbf{F}} \cdot d\vec{\mathbf{r}} = f(Q) - f(P).$$



Definition: A curve is *simple* if it does not intersect itself. It is *closed* if it begins and ends at the same point. A parameterization of a simple, closed curve is *positively oriented* if the point moves counterclockwise.

Section 17.1: Green's Theorem: If \mathcal{D} is a domain whose boundary $\partial \mathcal{D}$ is a simple, closed curve with positive orientation, then

$$\int_{\partial \mathcal{D}} \vec{\mathbf{F}} \cdot d\vec{\mathbf{r}} = \int_{\partial \mathcal{D}} P \, dx + Q \, dy = \iint_{\mathcal{D}} \left(\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) \, dA = \iint_{\mathcal{D}} \operatorname{Curl}(\vec{\mathbf{F}})_z \, dA$$

The *boundary* of a surface S is denoted ∂S . When S is oriented, the induced boundary orientation is the direction which keeps the surface on the left if you were to walk along the boundary with your feet on the curve and your head pointed in the direction of the orientation of the surface.





- 1. When finding a contour vector line integral is complicated but finding the double integral of $\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} \frac{\partial P}{\partial x}$ on the region is easy. That is, you calculate the right hand side to find the left hand side.
- 2. When finding the area of a region is complicated but computing the vector line integral is possible. That is, you calculate the left hand side to find the right hand side.

The type of Problems to Expect in This Section:

- 1. Verification of the theorem by computing both the line integral and the double integral.
- 2. Using the double integral to compute the line integral.
- 3. Finding an appropriate vector field vector field where curl is one. For example, $\vec{\mathbf{F}} = \langle -y/2, x/2 \rangle$, $\vec{\mathbf{G}} = \langle 0, x \rangle$, and $\vec{\mathbf{H}} = \langle -y, 0 \rangle$. Then computing the line integral which then will be equal to the enclosed area.
- 4. Regions with holes where "outside" boundaries go with + if they are oriented counterclockwise and - if otherwise; the "inside" boundaries go with + if they are oriented clockwise and - otherwise.

We also discuss the vortex vector field where the curl is zero but the field is not conservative. This is not a typical example but a good counter example.

Group Work Portion of Worksheet

Names:

Work in groups to do this portion of the worksheet. Make sure to take parts in solving the problems. Your participation score is a combination of being prepared, willing to explore the problem, working in groups and contributing toward the solution.

1. Background Story: If $\operatorname{curl}(\vec{\mathbf{F}})$ is easy to compute; computing a contour vector line integral by Green's Theorem is advised.

Question(s): A particle starts at the point (4,0), moves along the x-axis to (-4,0), and the along the semicircle to $y = \sqrt{16 - x^2}$ to the starting point. How much work was done by the vector field $\vec{F}(x,y) = \langle -5x^2y, 5xy^2 + \ln(y^2 + 1) \rangle$ in moving the particle along the path.



2. Background Story: This question serves two purposes: ① how to find the direction of the curve if the parameterization is given and ② how to use Green's Theorem to find the area.

Let \mathcal{C} be the simply closed curve defined by

$$C: \vec{r}(t) = \langle t(t-1)(t-2), t(t-1)(t+1) \rangle \text{ for } 0 \le t \le 1.$$

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(A) Find $\vec{\mathbf{r}}(0)$, $\vec{\mathbf{r}}(0.25)$ and $\vec{\mathbf{r}}(0.5)$. Then confirm that the parameterization transverses the curve in clockwise orientation.

(B) For
$$\vec{F}(x,y) = \langle 0,x \rangle$$
, compute $\oint_{\partial D} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$.¹

(C) For $\vec{F}(x,y) = \langle 0,x \rangle$, find $\operatorname{curl}(\vec{\mathbf{F}})$; use the value to simplify $\iint_{\mathcal{D}} \operatorname{curl}_{z}(\vec{\mathbf{F}}) dA^{2}$.

(D) Use Green's Theorem ³ to find the area entrapped in the simple closed curve \mathcal{C} .

¹Take the line integral of $\vec{\mathbf{F}}$ on $\vec{\mathbf{r}}(t)$ for $0 \le t \le 1$; then multiply by -1 since $\vec{\mathbf{r}}(t)$ is in clockwise direction. ²Note $\vec{\mathbf{F}}$ is a placeholder vector field and many vector fields exists with the property that $\operatorname{curl}_z(\vec{\mathbf{F}}) = 1$. ³ $\oint_{\mathcal{C}} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_{\mathcal{D}} \operatorname{curl}_z(\vec{\mathbf{F}}) dA$

3. Background Story: In Section 16.3, we discuss the vortex vector field and then we discussed it again in Section 17.1 in regions with holes. In Section 17.1, we showed an easy way to compute all contour integrals for the vortex field. We said if the curve goes around origin counterclockwise once, the contour integral is 2π . If the curve does not go around origin at all, the contour integral is 0. This is a good example where having simply connected domains is one of the sufficient conditions for conservative fields.

Example 3 from the lecture, Section 16.3: Is $\vec{\mathbf{F}}(x,y) = \left\langle \frac{-y}{x^2 + y^2}, \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} \right\rangle$ conservative?

<u>Answer:</u> No, because it is not path-independent. If C_1 is the unit circle, with standard parametrization $\vec{\mathbf{r}}_1(t) = \langle \cos(t), \sin(t) \rangle$ for $0 \le t \le 2\pi$, then

$$\int_{\mathcal{C}_1} \vec{\mathbf{F}} \cdot d\vec{\mathbf{r}} = \int_0^{2\pi} \underbrace{\langle -\sin(t), \cos(t) \rangle}_{\langle -\sin(t), \cos(t) \rangle} \cdot \underbrace{\langle -\sin(t), \cos(t) \rangle}_{\langle -\sin(t), \cos(t) \rangle} dt = \int_0^{2\pi} dt = 2\pi.$$
In the other hand,
$$\frac{dF_1}{dy} = \frac{dF_2}{dx} = \frac{y^2 - x^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \quad \therefore \quad \operatorname{Curl}(\vec{\mathbf{F}}) = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{\mathbf{i}} & \vec{\mathbf{j}} & \vec{\mathbf{k}} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ F_1 & F_2 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = \vec{\mathbf{0}}.$$

What is going on here? The domain of $\vec{\mathbf{F}}$ is $\mathbb{R}^2 - \{(0,0)\}$, which is not simply connected! Question(s):

(A) Use Green's Theorem for regions with holes and the curl computed above computed above to compute $\int_{C_2} \vec{\mathbf{F}} \cdot d\vec{\mathbf{r}}$.

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GroupWork Rubrics:

Preparedness: ____/0.5, Contribution: ____/0.5, Correct Answers: ____/0.5

Individual Portion of Worksheet

Name:

Upload this section individually on canvas or turn it in to your instructor on the 2^{nd} lab day of the week. You can ask questions in class and work in groups but you turn in the individual work. Start before the class so you can ask questions during the class. If you didn't complete the work in class, make sure to work on it outside the class and complete it. Show all your work; your score depends on the work you have shown.

GroupWork Rubrics day 2:

Preparedness: --/0.5, Contribution: --/0.5, Correct Answers: --/0.5

4. Background Story: Verify the Green's theorem for $\vec{F}(x, y) = \langle xy, x - y \rangle$ over the region \mathcal{D} whose boundary is the rectangle with vertices (0, 0), (6, 0), (6, 5), (0, 5) by following answering Items (A)-(D).



Question(s):

(A) (1 point) Parameterize each line segment. C_1 : $\vec{\mathbf{r}}_1(t)$ the line segment from (0,0) to (6,0), C_2 : $\vec{\mathbf{r}}_2(t)$ the line segment from (6,0) to (6,5), C_3 : $\vec{\mathbf{r}}_3(t)$ the line segment from (6,5) to (0,5), and C_4 : $\vec{\mathbf{r}}_4(t)$ the line segment from (0,5) to (0,0). (As shown in the picture.) (B) (2 points) Compute each $\int_{\mathcal{C}_1} \vec{\mathbf{F}} \cdot d\vec{\mathbf{r}}, \int_{\mathcal{C}_2} \vec{\mathbf{F}} \cdot d\vec{\mathbf{r}}, \int_{\mathcal{C}_3} \vec{\mathbf{F}} \cdot d\vec{\mathbf{r}}$ and $\int_{\mathcal{C}_4} \vec{\mathbf{F}} \cdot d\vec{\mathbf{r}}$.

(C) (0.5 points) Let $C = C_1 + C_2 + C_3 + C_4$. Use Part (B) to compute $\oint_C \vec{\mathbf{F}} \cdot d\vec{\mathbf{r}}$.

(D) (0.5 points) Compute $\iint_{\mathcal{D}} \operatorname{curl}(\vec{\mathbf{F}}) dA$.

5. Consider the following region with three holes, \mathcal{D} . Let $\operatorname{curl}\left(\vec{F}\right)_{z} = -5$ and

$$\int_{\mathcal{C}_2} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = 8 \qquad \int_{\mathcal{C}_3} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = 5 \qquad \int_{\mathcal{C}_4} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = 3.$$

(A) (1 point) Write the boundary of $C = \partial D$ as a sum or difference of C_1, C_2, C_3 , and C_4 .⁴

(B) (1 point) Use Part (A) to write the generalized statement of Green's theorem.

(C) (1 point) Use Part (B) to compute $\int_{\mathcal{C}_1} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$.



⁴Remember in Green's Theorem's with holes, each piece must be oriented to keep the region on the left.

[•] Outside boundary: counterclockwise. • Inside boundary: clockwise.