

Math 23B, Multivariable Calculus II
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Final

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All 5 questions and the bonus problem must be answered on this exam using the backs of the sheets if necessary. Show all your work.

Do your best!!

Presentation	2	/2
1	8	/8
2	7	/7
3	8	/8
4	7	/7
5	8	/8
Bonus	5	/5
Total	40 + 5	/40+5

1. (8 points) For each of the questions below, indicate if the statement is *true* or *false*. Briefly justify your answer. Each correct answer is worth 1 point.

a	F
b	T
c	T
d	F

e	T
f	F
g	F
h	T

- (a) The flux of a tangent vector field across the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = a^2$ is positive.

False. A vector field \vec{F} tangent to the sphere $S : x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = a^2$ is perpendicular to the normal vector field \vec{n} representing the orientation of the sphere; namely, $\vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} = 0$ which implies $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} = \iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} dS = 0$.

- (b) The divergence of a vector field at a point is a number that can be interpreted as the outflow of the vector field per unit volume at that point.

True. By definition, the divergence of a vector field \vec{F} at a point p is

$$\operatorname{div} \vec{F}(p) = \lim_{\text{vol} \rightarrow 0} \frac{\text{flux of } \vec{F} \text{ across } S}{\text{volume of } S},$$

where S is a sphere centered at p contained in the domain of \vec{F} .

- (c) Let $\vec{a} = (a_1, a_2, a_3)$ be a constant vector and $\vec{F} = \vec{a} \times \vec{r}$, where \vec{r} is the usual position vector (x, y, z) . Then \vec{F} is conservative.

True. The vector field $\vec{F} = \vec{a} \times \vec{r} = (a_2z - a_3y, a_3x - a_1z, a_1y - a_2x)$ has curl $\nabla \times \vec{F} = (a_1 + a_1, a_2 + a_2, a_3 + a_3) = 2(a_1, a_2, a_3)$. Therefore, \vec{F} is not conservative.

- (d) There is a vector field \vec{F} such that $\text{curl } \vec{F} = (x^2, z, y)$.

False. We have $\text{div}(\text{curl } \vec{F}) = \text{div}(x^2, z, y) = 2x \neq 0$. Recall that the divergence of the curl of any vector field is always zero.

- (e) The Jacobian of the transformation $x = \frac{\rho}{bc} \sin \varphi \cos \theta$, $y = \frac{\rho}{ac} \sin \varphi \sin \theta$, $z = \frac{\rho}{ab} \cos \varphi$ is $\frac{\partial(x, y, z)}{\partial(\rho, \theta, \varphi)} = -\frac{\rho^2}{a^2 b^2 c^2} \sin \varphi$.

True. We have

$$\frac{\partial(x, y, z)}{\partial(\rho, \theta, \varphi)} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\sin \varphi \cos \theta}{bc} & -\frac{\rho}{bc} \sin \varphi \sin \theta & \frac{\rho}{bc} \cos \varphi \cos \theta \\ \frac{\sin \varphi \sin \theta}{ac} & \frac{\rho}{ac} \sin \varphi \cos \theta & \frac{\rho}{ac} \cos \varphi \sin \theta \\ \frac{\cos \varphi}{ab} & 0 & -\frac{\rho}{ab} \sin \varphi \end{vmatrix} = -\frac{\rho^2}{a^2 b^2 c^2} \sin \varphi$$

- (f) Let D be a y -simple (type I) region in \mathbb{R}^2 ; namely, $D = \{(x, y) \mid a \leq x \leq b, \phi_1(x) \leq y \leq \phi_2(x)\}$.

$$\text{Then } \iint_D f(x)g(y) \, dx \, dy = \left(\int_a^b f(x) \, dx \right) \left(\int_{\phi_1(a)}^{\phi_2(b)} g(y) \, dy \right)$$

False. See Lecture notes from Week #2, Wednesday.

- (g) Let D be a simple region in \mathbb{R}^2 and let $F = (P, Q)$ be an arbitrary vector field of class C^1 in \mathbb{R}^2 . Then the area of D is equal to $\frac{1}{2} \oint_{\partial D} P \, dy - Q \, dx$.

False. Only when $\vec{F} = (P, Q) = (x, y)$ we have $\text{Area}(D) = \frac{1}{2} \oint_{\partial D} P \, dy - Q \, dx$.

- (h) The area of the ellipse $x^2 + y^2/4 = 1$ is given by the iterated integral

$$\int_{-1}^1 \int_{-2\sqrt{1-x^2}}^{2\sqrt{1-x^2}} dy \, dx.$$

True. Since $y^2 = 4(1 - x^2)$, we conclude that the integration above is the right set-up to get the area of the ellipse.

2. (7 points) Prove that the surface area of a sphere of radius R centered at $(0, 0, 0)$ is $4\pi R^2$. Show in detail your computations.

See question 1 from Quiz #3.

3. (8 points) Evaluate $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S}$, where $F(x, y, z) = \vec{i} + \vec{j} + z(x^2 + y^2)\vec{k}$ and S is the surface of the cylinder $x^2 + y^2 \leq 1$, $0 \leq z \leq 1$ including the top and the bottom.

I will show two ways of doing the computation.

First way. The vector field $\vec{F} = (1, 1, z(x^2 + y^2))$ is C^1 everywhere in \mathbb{R}^3 . We can use Gauss' theorem without any problem. Let B denote the solid cylinder whose boundary ∂B is S . We have

$$\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} = \iiint_B \text{div } \vec{F} \, dV = \iiint_B (x^2 + y^2) \, dV = \iiint_D (x^2 + y^2) \, dz \, dx \, dy,$$

where $D = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid x^2 + y^2 \leq 1\}$. Then

$$\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} = \iint_D (x^2 + y^2) dx dy.$$

It is convenient to use polar coordinates at this point. We have

$$\iint_D (x^2 + y^2) dx dy = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 r^2 \left| \frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(r, \theta)} \right| dr d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 r^2 r dr d\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

Second way. We also have

$$\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} = \iint_{side} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} + \iint_{top} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} + \iint_{bottom} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S},$$

where *side*, *top* and *bottom* are the three obvious parts of S . Now, providing S with the outward orientation, the lateral side of the cylinder has normal vector $\vec{n}_1 = (x, y, 0)$, the top part has normal vector $\vec{n}_2 = (0, 0, 1)$ and the bottom part normal vector $\vec{n}_3 = (0, 0, -1)$. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_S \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} &= \iint_{side} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} + \iint_{top} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} + \iint_{bottom} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} \\ &= \iint_{side} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n}_1 dS + \iint_{top} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n}_2 dS + \iint_{bottom} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n}_3 dS \\ &= \iint_{side} (x + y) dS + \iint_{top} 1(x^2 + y^2) dS + \iint_{bottom} -0(x^2 + y^2) dS \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 (\cos \theta + \sin \theta) dz d\theta + \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 r^2 r dr d\theta + 0 \\ &= 0 + \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{\pi}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

4. (a) (3 points) Let $f(x, y, z) = 3xyez^2$ and let $\vec{c}(t) = (3 \cos^3 t, \sin^2 t, e^t)$, with $0 \leq t \leq \pi$. Evaluate $\int_c \nabla f \cdot d\vec{s}$.

By the fundamental theorem of line integrals,

$$\int_c \nabla f \cdot d\vec{s} = f(\vec{c}(\pi)) - f(\vec{c}(0)) = f(-3, 0, e^\pi) - f(3, 0, 1) = 0 - 0 = 0.$$

- (b) (4 points) Evaluate $\iint_D \sin(x^2 + y^2) dx dy$, where D is the region in the first quadrant lying between the arcs of the circles $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{\pi}{2}$ and $x^2 + y^2 = \pi$.

It is convenient to use polar coordinates, with $\sqrt{\pi/2} \leq r \leq \sqrt{\pi}$ and $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi/2$. We have

$$\iint_D \sin(x^2 + y^2) dx dy = \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_{\sqrt{\pi/2}}^{\sqrt{\pi}} \sin(r^2) r dr d\theta = \frac{\pi}{2} \left(-\frac{\cos(r^2)}{2} \right) \Big|_{\sqrt{\pi/2}}^{\sqrt{\pi}} = \frac{\pi}{4}.$$

5. (8 points) Is there a function $h(x, y, z)$ such that the vector field $\vec{F} = (3x^2y^2z + z, 2x^3yz, h(x, y, z))$ is conservative? If so, then find one such h .

If \vec{F} is conservative, then $\vec{F} = \nabla f$ for some function f . Therefore,

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

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 2x^3yz, \quad (2)$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial z} = h(x, y, z). \quad (3)$$

We integrate (1) with respect to x and get

$$f(x, y, z) = x^3y^2z + xz + g(y, z), \quad (4)$$

for some function g which does not depend on x . Now, we differentiate (4) with respect to y and compare with (2). We have

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 2x^3yz + \frac{\partial g}{\partial y}(y, z) = 2x^3yz.$$

Then $\frac{\partial g}{\partial y}(y, z) = 0$, which implies that g does not depend on y either. Thus, $g = g(z)$ and

$$f(x, y, z) = x^3y^2z + xz + g(z). \quad (5)$$

Finally, we differentiate (5) with respect to z and compare with (3). We have

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial z}(x, y, z) = x^3y^2 + x + \frac{d}{dz}g(z) = h(x, y, z).$$

Therefore, we can choose $g(z) \equiv 0$ (or any constant) and set $h(x, y, z) = x^3y^2 + x$. This function h makes \vec{F} a conservative vector field. (You can also check that $\nabla \times \vec{F} = \vec{0}$.)

6. (Bonus 5 points) Let S be the surface given by $z = e^{-(x^2+y^2)}$ and $z \geq e^{-1}$. Let $\vec{F} = (e^{y+z} - 2y)\vec{i} + (xe^{y+z} + y)\vec{j} + e^{x+y}\vec{k}$. Compute the circulation $\oint_{\partial S} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{s}$ of \vec{F} around ∂S .

In this problem we need to use Stokes' theorem and work with the flat disk $x^2 + y^2 \leq 1, z = e^{-1}$, instead of S . The answer is $\oint_{\partial S} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{s} = 2\pi$. See Lecture Notes from Week #4, Wednesday.