

MODULE - VECTOR CALCULUSAssignment 02 - Solutions (Sample)Q.1

$$\vec{r}(t) = a \cos(t) \cdot \hat{i} + b \sin(t) \cdot \hat{j}$$

$$\text{velocity: } \vec{v} = \frac{d\vec{r}}{dt} = -a \sin(t) \cdot \hat{i} + b \cos(t) \cdot \hat{j}$$

$$\text{acceleration: } \vec{a} = \frac{d\vec{v}}{dt} = -a \cos(t) \cdot \hat{i} - b \sin(t) \cdot \hat{j} (= -\vec{r}(t))$$

Q.2

$$\vec{f} = x^2 \hat{i} + y^2 \hat{j}$$

A) Direction opposite to \vec{f} will have most resistance.

$$\therefore \vec{u} = -\vec{f} = -x^2 \hat{i} - y^2 \hat{j}$$

B) direction of movement caused by force field

$$\vec{v} = \vec{f} = x^2 \hat{i} + y^2 \hat{j}$$

c) work done by force will be zero if displacement

is perpendicular to it. Say $\vec{w} = f(x,y) \hat{i} + g(x,y) \hat{j}$

is \perp^{er} to \vec{f} . $\Rightarrow \vec{w} \cdot \vec{f} = 0$.

$$\therefore x^2 f(x,y) + y^2 g(x,y) = 0 \quad \text{--- (2c)}$$

if $f(x,y) = -y^2$ & $g(x,y) = x^2$ eqn (2c) will be obeyed.

$$\therefore \perp^{\text{er}} \text{ direction } \vec{w} = -y^2 \hat{i} + x^2 \hat{j}$$

Q.3

Find unit surface normal

a) $ax + by + cz + d = 0$ at $P(x_p, y_p, z_p)$

b) $x^2 + y^2 + 2z^2 = 26$ at $P(2, 2, 3)$

a) It is clearly a plane in 3D space.

normal to this plane is $a\hat{i} + b\hat{j} + c\hat{k}$

$$\therefore \text{unit surface normal} = \frac{a\hat{i} + b\hat{j} + c\hat{k}}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}}$$

b) $F(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + 2z^2 - 26$

for $F(x, y, z)$ at (a, b, c) , tangent plane is given by,

$$\frac{\partial F(a, b, c)}{\partial x} (x - a) + \frac{\partial F(a, b, c)}{\partial y} (y - b) + \frac{\partial F(a, b, c)}{\partial z} (z - c) = 0$$

Here, $(a, b, c) = (2, 2, 3)$ &

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial x}(a, b, c) = 2x \Big|_{(a, b, c)} = 2a = 4$$

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial y}(a, b, c) = 2y \Big|_{(a, b, c)} = 2b = 4$$

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial z}(a, b, c) = 4z \Big|_{(a, b, c)} = 4c = 12$$

$$\therefore 4(x - 2) + 4(y - 2) + 12(z - 3) = 0$$

$$4x + 4y + 12z = 52$$

$$x + y + 3z = 13$$

$$\therefore \text{direction of the normal} = \underline{x + y} (\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 3\hat{k})$$

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$$f = xyz$$

$$\nabla f = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \hat{i} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \hat{j} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \hat{k}$$
$$= yz \hat{i} + xz \hat{j} + xy \hat{k}$$

At P(-1, 1, 3),

$$\nabla f|_P = 3 \hat{i} + (-3) \hat{j} - \hat{k}$$

$$\therefore D_v f = (3 \hat{i} - 3 \hat{j} - \hat{k}) \cdot (\hat{i} - 2 \hat{j} + 2 \hat{k}) = 3 + 6 - 2 = +7$$

∴ Directional derivative of $f = xyz$ at $P(-1, 1, 3) = 7$
along $\vec{v} = \hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$

Q.5

$$\vec{v} = (y \hat{i} + z \hat{j} + x \hat{k}), \quad \vec{v} \cdot \vec{v} = 0$$

Flow is incompressible

$$\left(\frac{\partial u_x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u_y}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial u_z}{\partial z} \right)$$
$$= 0 + \frac{\partial(y)}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial(z)}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial(x)}{\partial z}$$
$$= 0$$

Q.6

$$\vec{v} \cdot \nabla f = \vec{v} \cdot \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \hat{i} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \hat{j} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \hat{k} \right) = \vec{v} \cdot \left(2e^{2x} \sin(2y) \hat{i} + 2e^{2x} \cos(2y) \hat{j} \right)$$

$$= \vec{v} \cdot \left(2e^{2x} \sin(2y) \hat{i} + 2e^{2x} \cos(2y) \hat{j} + 0 \hat{k} \right)$$
$$= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (2e^{2x} \sin(2y)) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (2e^{2x} \cos(2y))$$
$$= 4e^{2x} \sin(2y) - 4e^{2x} \sin(2y) = 0$$

$\vec{v} \cdot \nabla f = 0$

Q.7

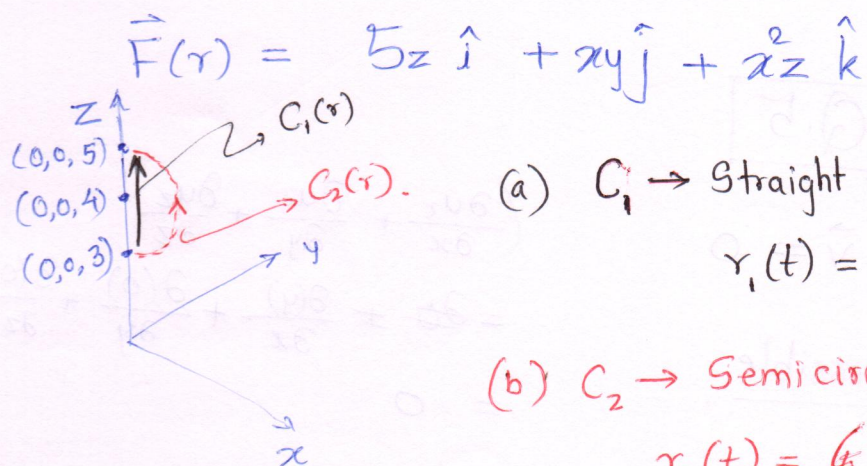
$$\vec{v} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} - z\hat{k}$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v} = \frac{\partial(x)}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial(y)}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial(-z)}{\partial z} = 1 + 1 - 1 = 1$$

\therefore As $\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v} \neq 0 \Rightarrow$ Flow is NOT incompressible

$$\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ x & y & -z \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow \text{Flow is irrotation.}$$

Q.8



$$\vec{F}(r) = 5z\hat{i} + xy\hat{j} + x^2z\hat{k}$$

(a) $C_1 \rightarrow$ Straight line segment

$$r_1(t) = (0, 0, 3+2t)$$

$$0 \leq t \leq 1$$

(b) $C_2 \rightarrow$ Semicircle in x - z plane

$$r_2(t) = (\sin(\pi t), 0, 4 - \cos(\pi t))$$

$$0 \leq t \leq 1$$

$$(a) \int_{C_1} \vec{F}(r) \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_0^1 \vec{F}(r_1(t)) \cdot r_1'(t) dt$$

$$= \int_0^1 (5(3+2t)\hat{i} + 0\hat{j} + 0\hat{k}) \cdot (0\hat{i} + 0\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) dt$$

$$= \int_0^1 0 dt = 0.$$

$$\boxed{\int_{C_1} \vec{F}(r) \cdot d\vec{r} = 0}$$

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$$(b) \int_{C_2} \vec{F}(r) \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_0^1 (5(4-\cos(\pi t)) \hat{i} + \sin^2(\pi t) \cdot (4-\cos(\pi t)) \hat{j} + (\pi \cos(\pi t) \hat{i} + \pi \sin(\pi t) \hat{k})) \cdot (\pi \cos(\pi t) \hat{i} + \pi \sin(\pi t) \hat{j}) dt$$

$$= \int_0^1 (\pi \cos(\pi t) \hat{i} + \pi \sin(\pi t) \hat{j}) dt$$

$$= \int_0^1 (5\pi(4\cos(\pi t) - \cos^2(\pi t)) \hat{i} + \pi \sin^3(\pi t)(4-\cos(\pi t)) \hat{j}) dt$$

$$= \int_0^1 (20\pi \cos(\pi t) - 5\pi \cos^2(\pi t) + 4\pi \sin^3(\pi t) - \pi \sin^3(\pi t) \cdot \cos(\pi t)) dt$$

$$= \int_0^\pi 20 \cos \theta \cdot d\theta - \frac{5}{2} \int_0^\pi 2\cos^2 \theta \cdot d\theta + 4 \int_0^\pi \sin^3 \theta \cdot d\theta$$

$$- \int_0^\pi \sin^3 \theta \cdot \cos \theta \cdot d\theta \quad \dots \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{put } \theta = \pi t \\ d\theta = \pi dt \end{array} \right)$$

$$= \left[20 \sin \theta \right]_0^\pi - \frac{5}{2} \int_0^\pi (\cos 2\theta + 1) d\theta + 4 \int_0^\pi \sin^3 \theta \cdot d\theta$$

$$- \int_0^\pi y^3 \cdot dy \quad \dots \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{putting } y = \sin \theta \\ \therefore dy = \cos \theta \cdot d\theta \end{array} \right)$$

$$= -\frac{5}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} [\sin 2\theta]_0^\pi - \frac{5}{2} [\theta]_0^\pi + 4 \int_0^\pi \sin^3 \theta \cdot d\theta$$

when $\theta = 0 \Rightarrow y = 0$
 $\theta = \pi \Rightarrow y = 0$

$$= -\frac{5\pi}{2} + 4 \int_0^\pi \sin^3 \theta \cdot d\theta = -\frac{5\pi}{2} + 4 \int_0^\pi (1 - \cos^2 \theta) \sin \theta \cdot d\theta$$

$$= -\frac{5\pi}{2} + 4 \left[-\cos(\theta) + \frac{1}{3} \cos^3(\theta) \right]_0^\pi$$

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$$= -\frac{5\pi}{2} + 4 \left[2 - \frac{2}{3} \right] = \frac{32 - 15\pi}{6}$$

$$\therefore \int_{C_2} \vec{F}(\vec{r}) \cdot d\vec{r} = \frac{32 - 15\pi}{6}$$

Q.9

$$\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} dA = \iiint_R \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{F} dV$$

Given $\vec{F} = x^3 \hat{i} + y^3 \hat{j} + z^3 \hat{k}$

$$\therefore \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{F} = 3x^2 + 3y^2 + 3z^2$$

$$\therefore \iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} dA = 3 \iiint_R \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{F} dV = 3 \iiint_R (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) dV$$

Note that the region 'R' for volume integration is a sphere of radius '3' with center at (0,0,0). If this volume is considered as collection of spherical surfaces of radius 'r' going from 0 to R=3, above function $(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)$, say $\phi(r) = r^2 = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$ is constant across surface of the sphere. As area it can be taken outside surface integral & integral along radial direction can proceed. Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} dA &= 3 \int_0^3 r^2 \cdot (4\pi r^2) \cdot dr = 12\pi \int_0^3 r^4 dr = 12\pi \left(\frac{r^5}{5} \right)_0^3 \\ &= \frac{12\pi}{5} [3^5 - 0^5] = \frac{2916\pi}{5} \end{aligned}$$