

Please *write* this week's workshop with at most one other person. Be sure to acknowledge any and all help you receive with your write-up. As usual, you can *think* with other people but you should not *write* with more than one other person. Please write your answer in complete English sentences. Helpful figures are always welcome.

Problem 7.1. (Found on an exam review of Prof. Greenfield's.) Evaluate the line integral $\int_C (x - 2y^2) dy$ where C is the arc of the parabola $y = x^2$ with $-2 \leq x \leq 1$. Give a picture.

Problem 7.2. (Likewise.) Evaluate the integral $\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$ where $\mathbf{F}(x, y) = \langle x^2y^3, -y\sqrt{x} \rangle$ and $\mathbf{r}(t) = (t^2, -t^3)$ for $0 \leq t \leq 1$.

Problem 7.3. (Likewise.) The constraint $x^4 + x^2y^2 + 2y^4 + z^4 = 1$ defines a closed and bounded set in \mathbb{R}^3 and thus the function $f(x, y, z) = xyz$ attains a maximum value on that set. What is this maximum value? Be sure to analyze carefully and completely any system of equations you solve.

Problem 7.4. We say that a vector field $\mathbf{F}(x, y) = \langle P(x, y), Q(x, y) \rangle$ is *conservative* if $\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = 0$ for all closed plane curves $C: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$. (A plane curve C is *closed* if $C(a) = C(b)$.)

- Show that the *tangential* field $\mathbf{F}(x, y) = \langle -y, x \rangle$ is not conservative by finding a closed curve C , explicitly computing $\int_C \mathbf{F}$, and noting that the integral is not zero.
- Show that the *constant* field $\mathbf{G}(x, y) = \langle 1, 0 \rangle$ is conservative. What is the integral of $\int_C \mathbf{G}$ if C is not closed? (Say, if C begins at the origin and ends at the point $(1, 0)$.)
- Decide whether or not the *radial* field $\mathbf{H}(x, y) = \langle x, y \rangle$ is conservative or not. Explain your answer.

In addition, given a sketch of each of the above fields.