

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.

Recall Stokes' Theorem:

$$\int_{\partial D} \omega = \int_D d\omega.$$

It follows that there are two easy ways for an integral to vanish. That is, if asked to integrate the left hand side then check if  $d\omega = 0$ . If asked to integrate the right hand side then check if  $\partial D = \emptyset$ .

**Problem 9.1.** Compute the integral  $\int_S x \, dydz + 2y \, dx dz + z \, dx dy$  where  $S$  is the unit sphere in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

**Problem 9.2.** Compute the integral  $\int_C yz \, dx + xz \, dy + xy \, dz$  where  $C$  is the intersection of the plane  $P : x + y + z = 0$  and the cylinder  $Y : x^2 + y^2 = 1$  in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

Three of the following problems (on variants of Green's Theorem) were shamelessly stolen from Prof. Teixeira's second practice midterm.

**Problem 9.3.** Find a positively oriented simple closed curve  $C$  in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  which maximizes the line integral

$$\int_C (y^3 - y) \, dx - 2x^3 \, dy.$$

Give a sketch.

**Problem 9.4.** Let  $\mathbf{F} = \frac{\langle -y, x \rangle}{x^2 + y^2}$ . Sketch  $\mathbf{F}$ . Show that this field is closed ( $\text{curl } \mathbf{F} = 0$ ). Is the field conservative in  $\mathbb{R}^2 - \mathbf{0}$ ? Is it exact? Why does this not contradict the fundamental theorem of line integrals? Explain. (For further exploration, you should compare the behaviour of  $\mathbf{F}$  with the behaviour of the field  $\mathbf{G} = \langle -y, x \rangle$  or, more generally, with the field  $\frac{\langle -y, x \rangle}{(x^2 + y^2)^n}$  for various exponents  $n$ . Which of these is closed?)

**Problem 9.5.** Let  $\mathbf{F}$  be a closed vector field on  $\mathbb{R}^2 - \mathbb{B}$ . That is,  $\mathbf{F}$  is defined on the set  $\{p \in \mathbb{R}^2 \text{ such that } |p| > 1\}$ . Suppose that

$$\lim_{|p| \rightarrow \infty} |p| \mathbf{F}(p) = 0.$$

Show that  $\mathbf{F}$  is conservative in  $\mathbb{R}^2 - \mathbb{B}$ : for any simple closed curve in  $\mathbb{R}^2 - \mathbb{B}$  the line integral  $\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = 0$ . (Hint: there are two kinds of simple closed curve in  $\mathbb{R}^2 - \mathbb{B}$ .) Give a sketch.

**Problem 9.6.** Let  $\mathbf{F}$  be a vector field defined on  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Suppose that there is a constant  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$  so that

$$\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \lambda$$

for every simple closed curve  $C$ . Show that  $\mathbf{F}$  is conservative on  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Give a sketch.