

Math 6A Practice Problems III

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Answers

1. -3

2. $171\sqrt{14}$

3. $\frac{\pi}{2}$

4. 0

5. (a) 80π
(b) 80π

6. $\frac{9}{2}$

7. $\frac{32\pi}{3}$

Detailed Solutions

1. Use the transformation $x = 2u + v, y = u + 2v$ to evaluate the integral $\iint_R (x - 3y) dA$, where R is the triangular region with vertices $(0, 0), (2, 1), (1, 2)$.

Solution. The equations of the lines (edges) of the triangle are $y = 2x, y = \frac{1}{2}x, y = 3 - x$. Plug the given transformations into these lines. When $y = 2x$:

$$u + 2v = 2(2u + v) \Rightarrow u + 2v = 4u + 2v \Rightarrow u = 0.$$

When $y = \frac{1}{2}x$:

$$u + 2v = \frac{1}{2}(2u + v) \Rightarrow u + 2v = u + \frac{1}{2}v \Rightarrow v = 0.$$

When $y = 3 - x$:

$$u + 2v = 3 - (2u + v) \Rightarrow u + 2v = 3 - 2u - v \Rightarrow 3u + 3v = 3 \Rightarrow u + v = 1.$$

The region that defines u, v can be described as $\{(u, v) : 0 \leq u \leq 1, 0 \leq v \leq 1 - u\}$, or $\{(u, v) : 0 \leq v \leq 1, 0 \leq u \leq 1 - v\}$.

We now calculate the Jacobian:

$$J = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial v} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial v} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 4 - 1 = 3.$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_R (x - 3y) dA &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-u} [2u + v - 3(u + 2v)] |3| dv du = 3 \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-u} (-u - 5v) dv du \\ &= 3 \int_0^1 \left(-uv - \frac{5}{2}v^2 \right) \Big|_{v=0}^{1-u} du = 3 \int_0^1 \left(-u(1-u) - \frac{5}{2}(1-u)^2 \right) du \\ &= 3 \int_0^1 \left(-\frac{3}{2}u^2 + 4u - \frac{5}{2} \right) du = 3 \left(-\frac{1}{2}u^3 + 2u^2 - \frac{5}{2}u \right) \Big|_0^1 \\ &= -3 \end{aligned}$$

□

2. Evaluate the surface integral $\iint_S x^2 y z dS$ where S is the part of the plane $z = 1 + 2x + 3y$ that lies above the rectangle $[0, 3] \times [0, 2]$.

Solution. $\iint_S x^2 y z dS = \iint_D x^2 y z \|\mathbf{n}\| dA$. We need to find a parametrization \mathbf{r} to find the normal \mathbf{n} and the region D . Start off with

$$\mathbf{r} = \langle x, y, z \rangle.$$

We need to narrow this down to two variables. Our surface is the plane $z = 1 + 2x + 3y$, plug this for z in our parametrization:

$$\mathbf{r}(x, y) = \langle x, y, 1 + 2x + 3y \rangle.$$

We are given that we are above the rectangle $[0, 3] \times [0, 2]$, which is $0 \leq x \leq 3, 0 \leq y \leq 2$. This is our region D .

Now we calculate the normal vector $\mathbf{n} = \mathbf{r}_x \times \mathbf{r}_y$ and take the magnitude:

$$\mathbf{r}_x = \langle 1, 0, 2 \rangle$$

$$\mathbf{r}_y = \langle 0, 1, 3 \rangle$$

$$\mathbf{n} = \mathbf{r}_x \times \mathbf{r}_y = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = \langle -2, -3, 1 \rangle$$

$$\|\mathbf{n}\| = \sqrt{(-2)^2 + (-3)^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{14}.$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_S x^2 y z dS &= \int_0^3 \int_0^2 x^2 y (1 + 2x + 3y) \sqrt{14} dy dx = \sqrt{14} \int_0^3 \int_0^2 (x^2 y + 2x^3 y + 3x^2 y^2) dy dx \\ &= \sqrt{14} \int_0^3 \left(\frac{x^2 y^2}{2} + x^3 y^2 + x^3 y^3 \right) \Big|_{y=0}^2 dx = \sqrt{14} \int_0^3 (10x^2 + 4x^3) dx \\ &= \sqrt{14} \left(\frac{10}{3} x^3 + x^4 \right) \Big|_0^3 = 171\sqrt{14}.\end{aligned}$$

□

3. Evaluate $\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S}$ where $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = y\mathbf{i} + x\mathbf{j} + z\mathbf{k}$ and S is the boundary of the solid region E enclosed by the paraboloid $z = 1 - x^2 - y^2$ and the plane $z = 0$.

Solution. You can also evaluate this surface integral using Divergence Theorem, but we will instead calculate the surface integral directly.

We have two surfaces: the paraboloid, call it S_1 , and the plane $z = 0$, call it S_2 . We need to calculate the surface integral for each surface then add them together at the end:

$$\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \iint_{S_1} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S} + \iint_{S_2} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S}.$$

We will assume that S has positive (outward) orientation. This means that S_1 has upward orientation and S_2 has downward orientation.

Recall that $\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \iint_D \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} dA$ where \mathbf{n} is the normal of our parametrization vector \mathbf{r} .

S_1 : Start off with the parametrization

$$\mathbf{r} = \langle x, y, z \rangle$$

We need to narrow this down to two variables. Our surface is the paraboloid $z = 1 - x^2 - y^2$, plug this in for z in our parametrization:

$$\mathbf{r}(x, y) = \langle x, y, 1 - x^2 - y^2 \rangle.$$

The region D is the range of x, y , which we can find when the paraboloid intersects with the plane $z = 0$. When $z = 0$, we have the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1$, which can be described as $\{(r, \theta) : 0 \leq r \leq 1, 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi\}$.

Now we calculate the normal vector $\mathbf{n} = \mathbf{r}_x \times \mathbf{r}_y$ and take the magnitude:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{r}_x &= \langle 1, 0, -2x \rangle \\ \mathbf{r}_y &= \langle 0, 1, -2y \rangle \\ \mathbf{n} = \mathbf{r}_x \times \mathbf{r}_y &= \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ 1 & 0 & -2x \\ 0 & 1 & -2y \end{vmatrix} = \langle 2x, 2y, 1 \rangle\end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_{S_1} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S} &= \iint_D \langle y, x, z \rangle \cdot \langle 2x, 2y, 1 \rangle dA = \iint_D (4xy + z) dA = \iint_D (4xy + 1 - x^2 - y^2) dA \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 (4r^2 \cos \theta \sin \theta + 1 - r^2) r dr d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 (2r^3 \sin 2\theta + r - r^3) dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \left(\frac{r^4}{2} \sin 2\theta + \frac{r^2}{4} - \frac{r^4}{4} \right) \Big|_0^1 d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} \left(\frac{\sin 2\theta}{2} + \frac{1}{4} \right) d\theta = -\frac{\cos 2\theta}{4} + \frac{\theta}{4} \Big|_0^{2\pi} = \frac{\pi}{2}.\end{aligned}$$

S_2 : We can use the parametrization $\mathbf{r} = \langle x, y, 0 \rangle$ to find the normal vector, but we can also do so by observation. Since S_2 has downward orientation, the normal vector to $z = 0$ is $\mathbf{n} = -\mathbf{k} = \langle 0, 0, -1 \rangle$. Then

$$\iint_{S_2} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \iint_D \langle y, x, z \rangle \cdot \langle 0, 0, -1 \rangle dA = \iint_D 0 dA = 0.$$

Thus

$$\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \iint_{S_1} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S} + \iint_{S_2} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \frac{\pi}{2} + 0 = \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

□

4. Use Stokes' Theorem to evaluate $\iint_S \text{curl } \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S}$ where $\mathbf{F} = x^2z^2\mathbf{i} + y^2z^2\mathbf{j} + xyz\mathbf{k}$ and S is the part of the paraboloid $z = x^2 + y^2$ that lies inside the cylinder $x^2 + y^2 = 4$.

Solution. We need to find a parametrization $\mathbf{r}(t)$ to evaluate $\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$. The closed curve of intersection of the paraboloid and cylinder is the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ at $z = 4$, which can be parametrized by

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = (2 \cos t, 2 \sin t, 4), \quad 0 \leq t \leq 2\pi.$$

Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} &= \int_0^{2\pi} \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{r}(t)) \cdot \mathbf{r}'(t) dt = \int_0^{2\pi} (64 \cos^2 t, 64 \sin^2 t, 16 \cos t \sin t) \cdot (-2 \sin t, 2 \cos t, 0) dt \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} (-128 \sin t \cos^2 t + 128 \sin^2 t \cos t) dt = 128 \left(\frac{1}{3} \cos^3 t + \frac{1}{3} \sin^3 t \right) \Big|_0^{2\pi} = 0. \end{aligned}$$

□

5. Consider the vector field $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = yz\mathbf{i} + 2xz\mathbf{j} + e^{xy}\mathbf{k}$, where C is circle $x^2 + y^2 = 16$, $z = 5$ oriented counterclockwise when viewed from above.

- (a) Calculate $\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$ by finding an appropriate parametrization vector $\mathbf{r}(t)$.

Solution. The parametrization for the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 16$, $z = 5$ is given by

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = (4 \cos t, 4 \sin t, 5), \quad 0 \leq t \leq 2\pi.$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} \int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} &= \int_0^{2\pi} \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{r}(t)) \cdot \mathbf{r}'(t) dt = \int_0^{2\pi} (20 \sin t, 40 \cos t, e^{16 \cos t \sin t}) \cdot (-4 \sin t, 4 \cos t, 0) dt \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} (-80 \sin^2 t + 160 \cos^2 t) dt = \int_0^{2\pi} (-40(1 - \cos 2t) + 80(1 + \cos 2t)) dt \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} (40 + 120 \cos 2t) dt = (40t + 60 \sin 2t) \Big|_0^{2\pi} = 80\pi. \end{aligned}$$

□

- (b) Calculate $\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$ using Stokes' Theorem, and verify it is equal to your solution in part (a).

Solution. We need to evaluate $\iint_S \text{curl } \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S}$. The normal to the surface is the normal to $z = 5$, which is $\mathbf{n} = \mathbf{k}$. The curl of F is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \text{curl } \mathbf{F} &= \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ yz & 2xz & e^{xy} \end{vmatrix} = \mathbf{i} \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ 2xz & e^{xy} \end{vmatrix} - \mathbf{j} \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ yz & e^{xy} \end{vmatrix} + \mathbf{k} \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \\ yz & 2xz \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \mathbf{i}(xe^{xy} - 2x) - \mathbf{j}(ye^{xy} - y) + \mathbf{k}(2z - z). \end{aligned}$$

Then $\text{curl } \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} = z$, but on our surface $z = 5$, hence

$$\iint_S \text{curl } \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \iint_D z dA = \iint_D 5 dA = 5 \cdot \pi \cdot 4^2 = 80\pi.$$

□

6. Verify that the Divergence Theorem is true for the vector field $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = 3x\mathbf{i} + xy\mathbf{j} + 2xz\mathbf{k}$ where E is the cube bounded by the planes $x = 0, x = 1, y = 0, y = 1, z = 0, z = 1$.

Note: to verify the theorem is true you need to show that $\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \iiint_E \text{div } \mathbf{F} dV$; that is, you need to calculate both integrals and show they are equal.

Solution. We will evaluate $\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S}$ on each of the different faces of the cube then take their sum.

On $x = 0$, $\mathbf{n} = -\mathbf{i}$, $D = \{(y, z) : 0 \leq y \leq 1, 0 \leq z \leq 1\}$ and

$$\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \iint_D -3x dA = \iint_D 0 dA = 0.$$

On $x = 1$, $\mathbf{n} = \mathbf{i}$, $D = \{(y, z) : 0 \leq y \leq 1, 0 \leq z \leq 1\}$ and

$$\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \iint_D 3x dA = \iint_D 3 dA = 3.$$

On $y = 0$, $\mathbf{n} = -\mathbf{j}$, $D = \{(x, z) : 0 \leq x \leq 1, 0 \leq z \leq 1\}$ and

$$\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \iint_D -xy dA = \iint_D 0 dA = 0.$$

On $y = 1$, $\mathbf{n} = \mathbf{j}$, $D = \{(x, z) : 0 \leq x \leq 1, 0 \leq z \leq 1\}$ and

$$\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \iint_D xy dA = \iint_D x dA = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 x dx dz = \frac{1}{2}.$$

On $z = 0$, $\mathbf{n} = -\mathbf{k}$, $D = \{(x, y) : 0 \leq x \leq 1, 0 \leq y \leq 1\}$ and

$$\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \iint_D -2xz dA = \iint_D 0 dA = 0.$$

On $z = 1$, $\mathbf{n} = \mathbf{k}$, $D = \{(x, y) : 0 \leq x \leq 1, 0 \leq y \leq 1\}$ and

$$\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \iint_D 2xz dA = \iint_D 2x dA = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 2x dx dy = 1.$$

Therefore

$$\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = 0 + 3 + 0 + \frac{1}{2} + 0 + 1 = \frac{9}{2}.$$

Now we will evaluate $\iiint_E \text{div } \mathbf{F} dV$ where $E = \{(x, y, z) : 0 \leq x \leq 1, 0 \leq y \leq 1, 0 \leq z \leq 1\}$. The divergence of F is given by

$$\text{div } \mathbf{F} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(3x) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(xy) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(2xz) = 3 + x + 2x = 3x + 3.$$

Therefore

$$\iiint_E \text{div } \mathbf{F} dV = \iiint_E (3x + 3) dV = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (3x + 3) dx dy dz = \left(\frac{3}{2}x^2 + 3x \right) \Big|_0^1 = \frac{3}{2} + 3 = \frac{9}{2}.$$

□

7. Use the Divergence Theorem to calculate the surface integral $\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S}$; that is, calculate the flux of \mathbf{F} across S where $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = (\cos z + xy^2)\mathbf{i} + xe^{-z}\mathbf{j} + (\sin y + x^2z)\mathbf{k}$, and S is the surface of the solid bounded by the paraboloid $z = x^2 + y^2$ and the plane $z = 4$.

Solution. We will evaluate $\iiint_E \operatorname{div} \mathbf{F} dV$ where $E = \{(x, y, z) : x^2 + y^2 \leq z \leq 4\} = \{(r, \theta, z) : 0 \leq r \leq 2, 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi, r^2 \leq z \leq 4\}$. The divergence of F is given by

$$\operatorname{div} \mathbf{F} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(\cos z + xy^2) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(xe^{-z}) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(\sin y + x^2z) = y^2 + x^2.$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} \iiint_E \operatorname{div} \mathbf{F} dV &= \iiint_E (x^2 + y^2) dV = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 \int_{r^2}^4 r^2 \cdot r dz dr d\theta = 2\pi \int_0^2 \int_0^{2\pi} r^3 dz dr = 2\pi \int_0^2 r^3 z \Big|_{z=r^2}^{z=4} dr \\ &= 2\pi \int_0^2 r^3(4 - r^2) dr = 2\pi \int_0^2 (4r^3 - r^5) dr = 2\pi \left(r^4 - \frac{1}{6}r^6 \right) \Big|_0^2 = 2\pi \left(16 - \frac{64}{6} \right) \\ &= \frac{32\pi}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

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