



2) Verify divergence theorem for $\vec{F} = (x^2 - yz)\vec{i} + (y^2 - zx)\vec{j} + (z^2 - xy)\vec{k}$ taken over the rectangle Parallelopiped $0 \leq x \leq a, 0 \leq y \leq b, 0 \leq z \leq c$.

(or)

Verify Gauss divergence theorem for $\vec{F} = (x^2 - yz)\vec{i} + (y^2 - zx)\vec{j} + (z^2 - xy)\vec{k}$ and S is the surface of the rectangular Parallelopiped bounded by $x=0, x=a, y=0, y=b, z=0, z=c$.

Sol: By Gauss-divergence theorem,

$$\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iiint_V \nabla \cdot \vec{F} \, dv$$

RHS ::

$$\vec{F} = (x^2 - yz)\vec{i} + (y^2 - zx)\vec{j} + (z^2 - xy)\vec{k}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{F} = \left(\vec{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \vec{j} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \vec{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \cdot \left((x^2 - yz)\vec{i} + (y^2 - zx)\vec{j} + (z^2 - xy)\vec{k} \right)$$

$$= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (x^2 - yz) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (y^2 - zx) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (z^2 - xy)$$

$$= 2x + 2y + 2z$$

$$= 2(x + y + z)$$

$$\boxed{\nabla \cdot \vec{F} = 2(x + y + z)}$$



Stoke's theorem:

If $\vec{F}$ is any continuous differentiable vector function and S is a surface enclosed by a curve C then,

$$\oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_S \nabla \times \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$$

where $\hat{n}$ is the unit normal vector at any point of S .

Note:

1. If $\vec{F}$ is irrotational, $\nabla \times \vec{F} = 0$

$\oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_S \nabla \times \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = 0$ and hence $\vec{F}$ is conservative.

2. Let $\vec{F} = P\vec{i} + Q\vec{j} + R\vec{k}$

$$\oint_C Pdx + Qdy + Rdz = \iint_S \left(\frac{\partial R}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial Q}{\partial z} \right) dydz + \left(\frac{\partial P}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial R}{\partial x} \right) dzdx + \left(\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) dxdy$$

Problems:

1) Verify Stoke's theorem for a vector field defined by

$\vec{F} = (x^2 - y^2)\vec{i} + 2xy\vec{j}$ in the rectangular region in the xy plane bounded by the lines $x=0$, $x=a$, $y=0$ and $y=b$.

Sol: By Stoke's theorem,

$$\oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_S \nabla \times \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$$

RHS:-

Given: $\vec{F} = (x^2 - y^2)\vec{i} + 2xy\vec{j}$



$$\nabla \times \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ x^2 - y^2 & 2xy & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \vec{i}(0) - \vec{j}(0) + \vec{k}(2y + 2y)$$

$$= 4y\vec{k}$$

$$\boxed{\nabla \times \vec{F} = 4y\vec{k}}$$

Here the Surface S denotes the rectangle $OABC$ and the unit outward normal vector is $\vec{k}$.

$$\text{i.e., } \hat{n} = \vec{k}$$

$$\text{Curl } \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = 4y\vec{k} \cdot \vec{k} \, dxdy \\ = 4y \, dxdy$$

$$\therefore \iint_S \nabla \times \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = \iint_S 4y \, dxdy$$

$$= \int_0^b \int_0^a 4y \, dxdy$$

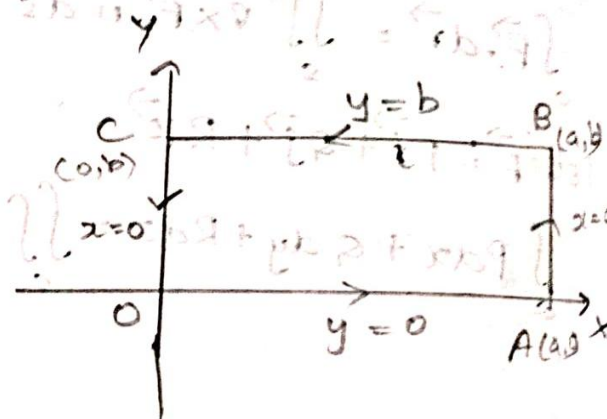
$$= 4 \int_0^b [x]_0^a y \, dy$$

$$= 4a \left[\frac{y^2}{2} \right]_0^b$$

$$= \frac{4ab^2}{2}$$

$$= 2ab^2 \rightarrow (1)$$

$$\boxed{\iint_S \nabla \times \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = 2ab^2}$$





L.H.S

$$\vec{F} = (x^2 - y^2)\vec{i} + 2xy\vec{j}$$

$$d\vec{r} = dx\vec{i} + dy\vec{j}$$

$$\vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = (x^2 - y^2)dx + 2xydy$$

$$\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_C [(x^2 - y^2)dx + 2xydy]$$
$$= \int_{OA} + \int_{AB} + \int_{BC} + \int_{CO}$$

Along OA (y=0) ∴

$$\int_{OA} (x^2 - y^2)dx + 2xydy = \int_0^a x^2 dx$$

$$= \left[\frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^a$$

$$= \frac{a^3}{3}$$

[∴ y=0 ⇒ dy=0
Along OA, x → 0 to a]

$$\boxed{\int_{OA} (x^2 - y^2)dx + 2xydy = \frac{a^3}{3}}$$

Along AB (x=a) ∴

$$\int_{AB} (x^2 - y^2)dx + 2xydy = \int_0^b 2aydy$$

$$= 2a \left[\frac{y^2}{2} \right]_0^b$$

$$= 2a \left[\frac{b^2}{2} \right]$$

[∴ x=a ⇒ dx=0
Along AB, y → 0 to b]

$$\boxed{\int_{AB} (x^2 - y^2)dx + 2xydy = ab^2}$$



Along Bc ($y=b$) $\therefore$

$$\int_{Bc} (x^2 - y^2) dx + 2xy dy = \int_a^0 (x^2 - b^2) dx$$
$$= \left[\frac{x^3}{3} - b^2 x \right]_a^0$$
$$= -\frac{a^3}{3} + ab^2$$

$\therefore [y=b \Rightarrow dy=0]$

Along Bc $x \rightarrow a \text{ to } 0$

$$\boxed{\int_{Bc} (x^2 - y^2) dx + 2xy dy = -\frac{a^3}{3} + ab^2}$$

Along Co ($x=0$) $\therefore$

$$\int_{Co} (x^2 - y^2) dx + 2xy dy = \int_{co} 0 + 0 = 0 \quad (\because x=0, dx=0)$$

$$\boxed{\int_{Co} (x^2 - y^2) dx + 2xy dy = 0}$$

$$\text{Hence } \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_{OA} + \int_{AB} + \int_{Bc} + \int_{Co}$$

$$= \frac{a^3}{3} + ab^2 - \frac{a^3}{3} + ab^2 + 0$$
$$= ab^2 + ab^2$$

$$\boxed{\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = 2ab^2} \rightarrow (2)$$

$$\text{From (1) \& (2), } \boxed{\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_S \nabla \times \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} ds}$$

Hence Stoke's theorem is verified.

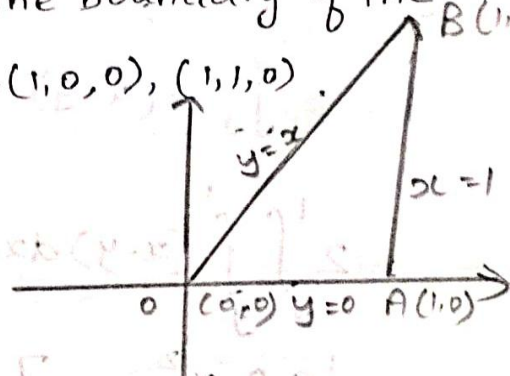


2) Evaluate $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$ by Stoke's theorem where

$\vec{F} = y^2 \vec{i} + x^2 \vec{j} - (x+z) \vec{k}$ and C is the boundary of the triangle with vertices at $(0,0,0)$, $(1,0,0)$, $(1,1,0)$.

Sol: By Stoke's theorem

$$\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_S \nabla \times \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$$



Since z coordinate is zero in all the three vertices of the given triangle, the triangle lies on the xy plane.

$$\vec{F} = y^2 \vec{i} + x^2 \vec{j} - (x+z) \vec{k}$$

$$\nabla \times \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ y^2 & x^2 & -(x+z) \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \vec{i}(0) - \vec{j}(-1-0) + \vec{k}(2x-2y)$$

$$= \vec{j} + 2(x-y) \vec{k}$$

$$\boxed{\nabla \times \vec{F} = \vec{j} + 2(x-y) \vec{k}}$$

Since the triangle lies on xy plane and hence the unit vector normal to the surface OAB is $\vec{k}$.

$$\text{i.e., } \hat{n} = \vec{k}$$

$$\nabla \times \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} = [\vec{j} + 2(x-y) \vec{k}] \cdot \vec{k} = 2(x-y)$$

$$\therefore \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_S \nabla \times \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$$



$$\therefore \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_S \nabla \times \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$$

$$= \iint_S 2(x-y) \, dx \, dy$$

($\therefore S$ lies on xy plane
 $ds = dx \, dy$)

$$= 2 \int_0^1 \int_y^1 (x-y) \, dx \, dy$$

$$= 2 \int_0^1 \left[\frac{x^2}{2} - xy \right]_y^1 \, dy$$

$$= 2 \int_0^1 \left[\frac{1}{2} - y - \frac{y^2}{2} + y^2 \right] \, dy$$

$$= 2 \left[\frac{1}{2}y - \frac{y^2}{2} - \frac{y^3}{6} + \frac{y^3}{3} \right]_0^1$$

$$= 2 \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{3} \right)$$

$$= 2 \left(-\frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{3} \right)$$

$$= 2 \left(\frac{-1+2}{6} \right)$$

$$= 2 \left(\frac{1}{6} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\boxed{\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \frac{1}{3}}$$