

Warm-up — 18 November 2021

1. Evaluate

$$\int_C x e^{yz} ds,$$

where  $C$  is the line segment from  $(0, 0, 0)$  to  $(1, 2, 3)$ .

**Solution:** The parameterization of this line is

$$\langle x(t), y(t), z(t) \rangle = \mathbf{r}(t) = (1-t)\langle 0, 0, 0 \rangle + t\langle 1, 2, 3 \rangle = \langle t, 2t, 3t \rangle.$$

Hence we compute

$$\int_C x e^{yz} ds = \int_0^1 t e^{(2t)(3t)} \sqrt{1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2} dt = \boxed{\frac{\sqrt{14}}{12} (e^6 - 1)}.$$

2. Evaluate

$$\int_C x^4 dx + xy dy,$$

where  $C$  is the positively oriented triangular curve consisting of the line segments from  $(0, 0)$  to  $(1, 0)$ , from  $(1, 0)$  to  $(0, 1)$ , and from  $(0, 1)$  to  $(0, 0)$ .

**Solution:** By Green's theorem,

$$\int_C x^4 dx + xy dy = \iint_D \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x} [xy] - \frac{\partial}{\partial y} [x^4] \right) dA = \iint_D y dA$$

where  $D$  is the triangular region enclosed by  $C$ . Hence we get

$$\iint_D y dA = \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} y dy dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 (1-x)^2 dx = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{u^3}{3} \right]_{u=0}^{u=1} = \boxed{\frac{1}{6}}.$$

3. Evaluate

$$\int_C (3y - e^{\sin x}) dx + (7x + \sqrt{y^4 - 1}) dy,$$

where  $C$  is the positively oriented circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ .

**Solution:** By Green's theorem,

$$\int_C (3y - e^{\sin x}) dx + (7x + \sqrt{y^4 - 1}) dy = \iint_D (7 - 3) dA$$

where  $D$  is the disk bounded by  $C$ . Hence we get

$$\iint_D 4 dA = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^3 4r dr d\theta = \boxed{36\pi.}$$

4. Find the work done by the force field  $\mathbf{F}(x, y) = \langle x^2, -xy \rangle$  in moving a particle along the quarter-circle  $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle \cos t, \sin t \rangle$  with  $0 \leq t \leq \pi/2$ .

**Solution:** We have that

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Work} &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{r}(t)) \cdot \mathbf{r}'(t) dt \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} -2 \cos^2 t \sin t dt \\ &= - \int_0^1 2u^2 du \\ &= \left[ -\frac{2}{3}u^3 \right]_{u=0}^{u=1} = \boxed{-\frac{2}{3}.} \end{aligned}$$