

Vector Analysis
Math 21D, Fall 2002

Final Exam

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- Answer all problems.
- Read each problem carefully, and show all work clearly to receive full credit.
- No calculators
- Denote all vectors with an arrow (like \vec{A})
- Total points: 100.

1. (20 points) $f(x, y) = x^2 + 2y^2$.

(a) (3 points) Find the critical point(s) of f .

(b) (12 points) Find the maximum and minimum values of f on the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1$.

(c) (5 points) Determine the absolute maximum and minimum values of f on the disk $x^2 + y^2 \leq 1$.

2. (20 points) The plane $y + z = 3$ intersects the cylinder $x^2 + y^2 = 5$ in a simple closed curve C (an ellipse).

(a) (3 points) Verify that the point $(1, 2, 1)$ lies on the curve C .

(b) (5 points) Find (i) a vector normal to the plane $y + z = 3$, and (ii) a vector normal to the cylinder $x^2 + y^2 = 5$ at $(1, 2, 1)$.

(c) (6 points) Find a vector which is tangent to the curve C at $(1, 2, 1)$.

(d) (6 points) Find an equation to the tangent line to the curve C at $(1, 2, 1)$.

3. (15 points) Let $\mathbf{F}(x, y) = \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} \mathbf{i} + \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2} \mathbf{j}$ be a vector field defined on the region D between the circle (C_1), $x^2 + y^2 = 1$, and the boundary (C_2) of the square with vertices $(2, 2)$, $(-2, 2)$, $(-2, -2)$ and $(2, -2)$. Both C_1 and C_2 are oriented counterclockwise.

(a) (4 points) Compute $(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F})$.

(b) (6 points) Evaluate $\oint_{C_1} \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} \, ds$ where \mathbf{n} is the unit external normal to C_1 .

(c) (5 points) Using your results in (a) and (b) as well as Green's theorem, evaluate $\oint_{C_2} \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} \, ds$ where \mathbf{n} is the unit external normal to C_2 .

4. (25 points) $\mathbf{F}(x, y) = y^2 \mathbf{i} + 2xy \mathbf{j}$.

(a) (6 points) Evaluate $\int_{C_1} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$ where C_1 is the line segment from $(0, 0)$ to $(1, 2)$.

(b) (8 points) Evaluate $\int_{C_2} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$ where the path C_2 , from $(0, 0)$ to $(1, 2)$, consists of two pieces: the line segment α , from $(0, 0)$ to $(1, 0)$ and the line segment β , from $(1, 0)$ to $(1, 2)$.

(c) (5 points) Using Green's theorem, show that the vector field $\mathbf{F}(x, y)$ is conservative: $\oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = 0$ for **any** simple closed curve in the XY -plane.

(d) (6 points) Construct a scalar field $f(x, y)$ such that $\mathbf{F}(x, y) = \nabla f(x, y)$.

5. (20 points) Let \mathcal{S} be the surface defined by $z = f(x, y) = 2 - y$ where (x, y) is on the disk (D), $x^2 + y^2 \leq 1$, in the $z = 0$ plane. Thus, \mathcal{S} is a portion of the plane $y + z = 2$, bounded by a simple closed curve C . Let $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = -y^2 \mathbf{i} + x \mathbf{j} + z^2 \mathbf{k}$ be a vector field on \mathcal{S} .

(a) (3 points) Compute $(\nabla \times \mathbf{F})$.

(b) (12 points) Orient \mathcal{S} such that the induced orientation on its boundary C is counterclockwise when viewed from above. Evaluate $\oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$, using Stokes' theorem.

(c) (5 points) Using the formula, $(\text{Area of } \mathcal{S}) = \int_{\mathcal{S}} 1 \, dS$, find the area of \mathcal{S} .