

Question 1: At time $t = 1$ a particle is located at position $(1, 3)$ and moves according to the velocity field $\mathbf{F}(x, y) = \langle xy - 2, y^2 - 10 \rangle$. Estimate the particle's position at time $t = 1.05$.

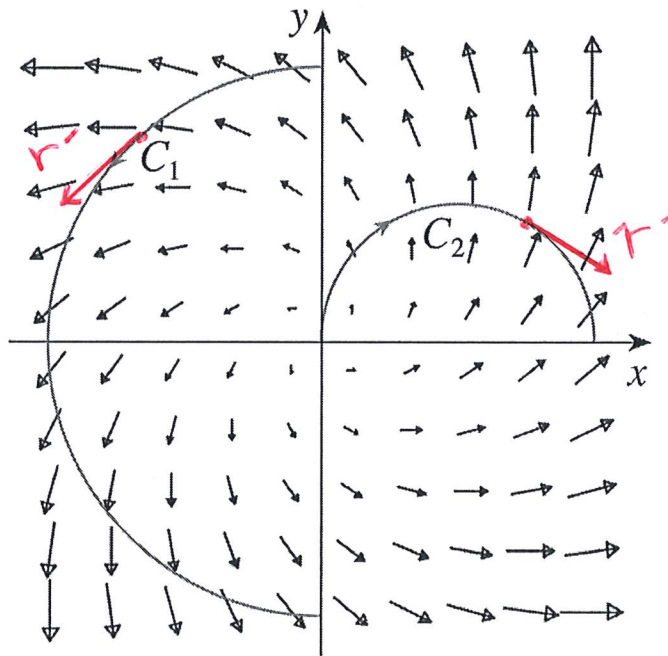
$$\text{At } t=1, \vec{r}(1) = \langle 1, 3 \rangle \text{ and } \vec{r}'(1) = \vec{F}(1, 3) = \langle (1)(3) - 2, 3^2 - 10 \rangle = \langle 1, -1 \rangle.$$

$$\text{So } \vec{r}(1 + \Delta t) \approx \vec{r}(1) + \vec{r}'(1) \Delta t$$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{r}(1.05) &\approx \langle 1, 3 \rangle + \langle 1, -1 \rangle (0.05) \\ &= \langle 1.05, 2.95 \rangle \end{aligned}$$

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Question 2: For this question use the following plot of the vector field $\mathbf{F}(x, y)$:



(a) Is $\int_{C_1} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$ positive, negative or zero? Give a brief explanation to support your answer.

Positive: Along C_1 , the angles between \vec{F} and \vec{r}' are less than $\frac{\pi}{2}$, so $\vec{F} \cdot \vec{r}' > 0$, so $\int_{C_1} \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} > 0$.

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(b) Is $\int_{C_2} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$ positive, negative or zero? Again, give a brief explanation to support your answer.

Negative: $|\vec{F}|$ increases along C_2 , and starting about halfway along C_2 , the angles between \vec{F} and \vec{r}' exceed $\frac{\pi}{2}$, so that $\vec{F} \cdot \vec{r}' < 0$ along this part of the curve. Over the first half of C_2 where $\vec{F} \cdot \vec{r}' > 0$, $|\vec{F}|$ is small and \vec{F} is nearly perpendicular to \vec{r}' , resulting in a comparatively smaller contribution to the integral.

Question 3: Determine $\int_C xyz^2 ds$ where C is the line segment from $(-1, 5, 0)$ to $(1, 6, 4)$.

$$\vec{r}(t) = (1-t)\langle -1, 5, 0 \rangle + t\langle 1, 6, 4 \rangle = \langle -1+2t, 5+t, 4t \rangle, \quad 0 \leq t \leq 1$$

$$\therefore \int_C xyz^2 ds = \int_0^1 (-1+2t)(5+t)(4t)^2 \sqrt{2^2 + 1^2 + 4^2} dt$$

$$= 16\sqrt{21} \int_0^1 2t^4 + 9t^3 - 5t^2 dt$$

$$= 16\sqrt{21} \left(\frac{2}{5} [t^5]_0^1 + \frac{9}{4} [t^4]_0^1 - \frac{5}{3} [t^3]_0^1 \right)$$

$$= 16\sqrt{21} \left(\frac{2}{5} + \frac{9}{4} - \frac{5}{3} \right)$$

$$= \cancel{16}\sqrt{21} \left(\frac{24+135-100}{60} \right) = \boxed{\frac{236\sqrt{21}}{15}}$$

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Question 4: Determine the work done by the force field $\mathbf{F}(x, y) = \langle x^2, ye^x \rangle$ on a particle that moves along the parabola $x = y^2 + 1$ from $(1, 0)$ to $(2, 1)$.

$$\vec{r}(t) = \langle t^2+1, t \rangle, \quad 0 \leq t \leq 1.$$

$$W = \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_0^1 \langle (t^2+1)^2, te^{t^2+1} \rangle \cdot \langle 2t, 1 \rangle dt$$

$$= \int_0^1 (t^2+1)^2 (2t) + te^{t^2+1} dt$$

$$= \left[\frac{(t^2+1)^3}{3} \right]_0^1 + \left[\frac{e^{t^2+1}}{2} \right]_0^1$$

$$= \left[\frac{8}{3} - \frac{1}{3} \right] + \left[\frac{e^2}{2} - \frac{e}{2} \right] = \boxed{\frac{7}{3} + \frac{e^2 - e}{2}}$$

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Question 5: Let $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = \sin(y)\mathbf{i} + [x \cos(y) + \cos(z)]\mathbf{j} - y \sin(z)\mathbf{k}$.

(a) Find a potential function f for \mathbf{F} (that is, a function f such that $\nabla f = \mathbf{F}$).

$$\nabla f = \langle f_x, f_y, f_z \rangle = \langle \sin(y), x \cos(y) + \cos(z), -y \sin(z) \rangle$$

$$\therefore f_x = \sin(y) \Rightarrow f = \int \sin(y) dx = x \sin(y) + g(y, z)$$

$$f_z = -y \sin(z) \Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial z} [x \sin(y) + g(y, z)] = -y \sin(z)$$

$$\Rightarrow g_z(y, z) = -y \sin(z)$$

$$\Rightarrow g(y, z) = y \cos(z) + h(y)$$

$$\therefore f = x \sin(y) + y \cos(z) + h(y).$$

$$f_y = x \cos(y) + \cos(z) \Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial y} [x \sin(y) + y \cos(z) + h(y)] = x \cos(y) + \cos(z)$$

$$\Rightarrow h'(y) = 0 \Rightarrow h(y) = K.$$

$$\therefore f(x, y, z) = x \sin(y) + y \cos(z) + K$$

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(b) Calculate $\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$ where C is given by $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle \sin(t), t, 2t \rangle$, $0 \leq t \leq \pi/2$.

$$\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_C (\nabla f) \cdot d\vec{r}$$

$$= f(\vec{r}(\frac{\pi}{2})) - f(\vec{r}(0))$$

$$= f(1, \frac{\pi}{2}, \pi) - f(0, 0, 0)$$

$$= (1) \sin(\frac{\pi}{2}) + (\frac{\pi}{2}) \cos(\pi) - (0) \sin(0) - (0) \cos(0)$$

$$= \boxed{1 - \frac{\pi}{2}}$$

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Question 6: Is $\mathbf{F}(x, y) = e^x \cos(y)\mathbf{i} + e^x \sin(y)\mathbf{j}$ conservative? Explain.

$$= \langle P, Q \rangle.$$

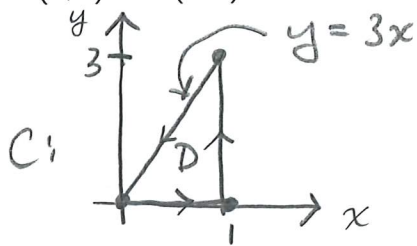
$$\text{If so then } (Q_x - P_y) = 0.$$

$$\text{But } Q_x - P_y = e^x \sin(y) + e^x \sin(y) \neq 0,$$

so \vec{F} is not conservative.

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Question 7: Evaluate $\int_C \sqrt{1+x^3} dx + 2xy dy$ where C is the positively oriented triangle with vertices $(0, 0)$, $(1, 0)$ and $(1, 3)$.



$$\text{Let } P = \sqrt{1+x^3}, \quad Q = 2xy$$

$$\int_C \sqrt{1+x^3} dx + 2xy dy$$

$$= \int_C P dx + Q dy$$

$$= \iint_D (Q_x - P_y) dA \quad \text{by Green's Thm.}$$

$$= \int_{x=0}^1 \int_{y=0}^{3x} (2y - 0) dy dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 [y^2]_0^{3x} dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 9x^2 dx$$

$$= \frac{9}{3} [x^3]_0^1$$

$$= \boxed{3}$$

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Question 8: Let $\mathbf{F} = \langle f(x), g(y) \rangle$ where f and g are differentiable and suppose C is a simple smooth positively oriented closed curve. Determine $\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$.

$$\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_C f(x) dx + g(y) dy$$

$$= \iint_D \left(\frac{\partial g(y)}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial f(x)}{\partial y} \right) dA \quad \text{by Green's Thm.}$$

$$= \boxed{0}$$

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Question 9: Let $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = e^{-x} \sin(y) \mathbf{i} + e^{-y} \sin(z) \mathbf{j} + e^{-z} \sin(x) \mathbf{k}$. Calculate

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a) } \operatorname{div}(\mathbf{F}) &= \nabla \cdot \vec{F} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} [e^{-x} \sin(y)] + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} [e^{-y} \sin(z)] + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} [e^{-z} \sin(x)] \\ &= \boxed{-e^{-x} \sin(y) - e^{-y} \sin(z) - e^{-z} \sin(x)} \end{aligned} \quad [2]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(b) } \operatorname{curl}(\mathbf{F}) &= \nabla \times \vec{F} \\ &= \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ e^{-x} \sin(y) & e^{-y} \sin(z) & e^{-z} \sin(x) \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \boxed{-e^{-y} \cos(z) \hat{i} - e^{-z} \cos(x) \hat{j} - e^{-x} \cos(y) \hat{k}} \end{aligned} \quad [2]$$

Question 10: Is $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = xyz^2 \mathbf{i} + x^2yz^2 \mathbf{j} + x^2y^2z \mathbf{k}$ conservative? Explain.

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{curl}(\vec{F}) &= \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ xyz^2 & x^2yz^2 & x^2y^2z \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \langle 2x^2yz - 2x^2yz, 2xy^2z - 2xy^2z, 2xy^2z^2 - xz^2 \rangle \\ &\neq 0, \text{ so } \boxed{\text{not conservative}} \end{aligned} \quad [3]$$

Question 11: Let $\mathbf{F} = \langle xyz, -y^2z, yz^2 \rangle$. Could $\mathbf{F} = \operatorname{curl}(\mathbf{G})$ for some vector field \mathbf{G} ? Explain.

If so, then $\operatorname{div}(\vec{F}) = \operatorname{div}(\operatorname{curl}(\vec{G})) = 0$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{But } \operatorname{div}(\vec{F}) &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} [xyz] + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} [-y^2z] + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} [yz^2] \\ &= yz - 2yz + 2yz \\ &\neq 0 \end{aligned}$$

So $\boxed{\text{no}}$, \vec{F} can't be the curl of some vector field \vec{G} . [3]