

Section 8.4.

Gauss' Theorem
(Divergence Theorem).

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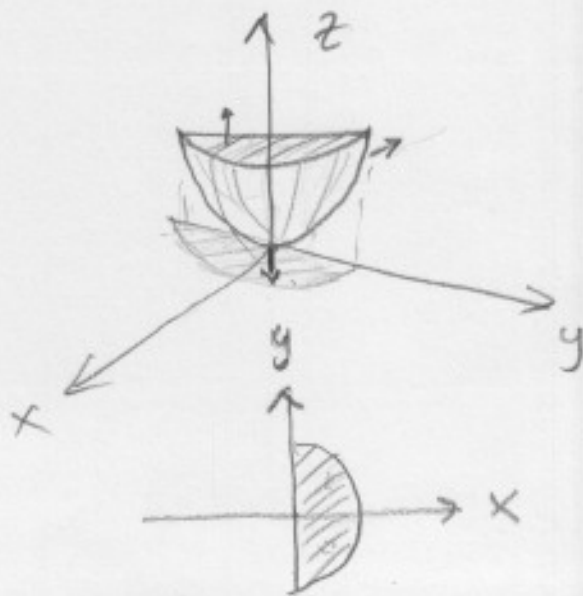
Suppose that a surface S encloses a volume Ω . Let \vec{n} be the outer normal vector field on S .



Then, if \vec{F} is a C^1 vector field on Ω and S , then.

$$\boxed{\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} \, dS = \iiint_{\Omega} \operatorname{div} \vec{F} \, dx \, dy \, dz}$$

Ex: Let $\vec{F} = (y, z, xz)$ and Ω be the set $x^2 + y^2 \leq z \leq 1, x \geq 0$.



Evaluate $\iint_{\partial\Omega} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} \, dS$
where $\partial\Omega$ is the whole boundary of Ω with outward normal.

$$\iint_{\partial\Omega} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} \, dS = \iint_{\text{Top}} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} \, dS + \iint_{\text{Back}} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} \, dS + \iint_{\text{Front}} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} \, dS.$$

① Top: $\Phi(x, y) = (x, y, 1),$
 $(x, y) \in D = x^2 + y^2 \leq 1, x \geq 0.$
 $\vec{T}_x \times \vec{T}_y = (0, 0, 1).$

$$\iint_{\substack{x^2+y^2 \leq 1 \\ x \geq 0}} (y, 1, x) \cdot (0, 0, 1) \, dx \, dy = \iint_{\substack{x^2+y^2 \leq 1 \\ x \geq 0}} x \, dx \, dy.$$

$$= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \int_0^1 (r \cos \theta) r \, dr \, d\theta = \frac{1}{3} [\sin \theta]_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2}$$

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

② Back: $\Phi(y, z) = (0, y, z)$
 $y^2 \leq z \leq 1 \quad \vec{T}_y \times \vec{T}_z = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$
 $= \vec{i}(1) - \vec{j}(0) + \vec{k}(0)$

$$\iint_{y^2 \leq z \leq 1} (y, z, 0) \cdot \frac{\vec{T}_z \times \vec{T}_y}{\|\vec{T}_z \times \vec{T}_y\|} \, dz \, dy = (1, 0, 0).$$

$$= \iint_{y^2 \leq z \leq 1} (y, z, 0) \cdot (-1, 0, 0) \, dz \, dy = \int_{-1}^1 \int_{y^2}^1 -y \, dz \, dy$$

$$= \int_{-1}^1 -y [z]_{y^2}^1 \, dy = \int_{-1}^1 (-y + y^3) \, dy = 0$$

③ Front: $\Phi(x, y) = (x, y, \overset{f(x,y)}{x^2+y^2})$.

$$\vec{T}_x \times \vec{T}_y = \left(-\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}, -\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}, 1 \right) = (-2x, -2y, 1)$$

Back $\iint \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} \, dS = \iint_{\substack{x^2+y^2 \leq 1 \\ x \geq 0}} (y, x^2+y^2, x(x^2+y^2)) \cdot \frac{\vec{T}_y \times \vec{T}_x}{\|\vec{T}_y \times \vec{T}_x\|} \cdot \|\vec{T}_y \times \vec{T}_x\| \, dx \, dy$

$$= \iint_{\substack{x^2+y^2 \leq 1 \\ x \geq 0}} (y, x^2+y^2, x(x^2+y^2)) \cdot (2x, 2y, -1) \, dx \, dy$$

$$= \iint_{\substack{x^2+y^2 \leq 1 \\ x \geq 0}} [2xy + 2y(x^2+y^2) - x(x^2+y^2)] \, dx \, dy$$

$$= - \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \int_0^1 (r \cos \theta) r^2 \cdot r \, dr \, d\theta$$

$$= - \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{5} \cos \theta \, d\theta = -\frac{1}{5} [\sin \theta]_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} = -\frac{2}{5}$$

$$\therefore \iint_{\partial \Omega} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} \, dS = \frac{2}{3} + 0 - \frac{2}{5} = \frac{10-6}{15} = \frac{4}{15}$$

Second Solution.

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Use divergence Theorem:

$$\iint_{\partial\Omega} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} \, dS = \iiint_{\Omega} \operatorname{div} \vec{F} \, dx \, dy \, dz.$$

$$\vec{F} = (y, z, xz)$$

$$\operatorname{div} \vec{F} = 0 + 0 + x = x.$$

$$= \iiint_{\Omega} x \, dx \, dy \, dz.$$

$$= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \int_0^1 \int_{r^2}^1 (r \cos \theta) \cdot r \, dz \, dr \, d\theta$$

$$= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \int_0^1 r^2 \cos \theta (1-r^2) \, dr \, d\theta$$

$$= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \int_0^1 r^2 \cos \theta \, dr \, d\theta - \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \int_0^1 r^4 \cos \theta \, dr \, d\theta$$

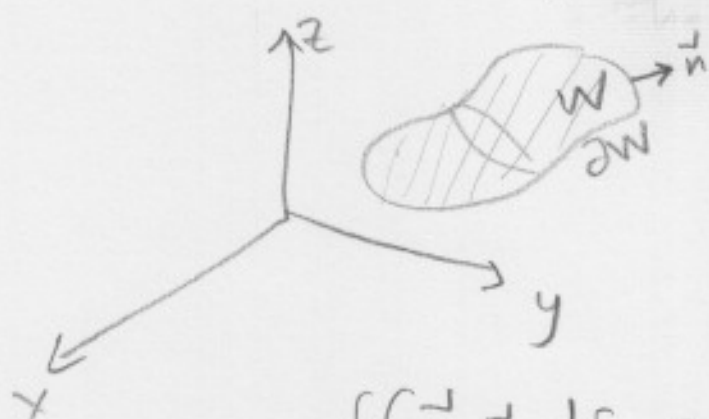
$$= \frac{1}{3} [\sin \theta]_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} - \frac{1}{5} [\sin \theta]_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2}$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} - \frac{2}{5} = \frac{10-6}{15} = \left(\frac{4}{15} \right) \text{ Same answer.}$$

Section 8.4, continuation

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Divergence theorem

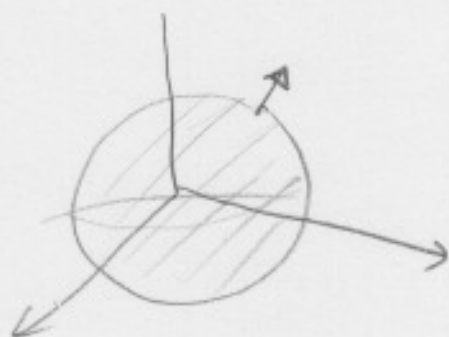


\vec{n} outer normal.

$$\iint_{\partial W} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} \, dS = \iiint_W \operatorname{div} \vec{F} \, dx \, dy \, dz$$

Ex: Let $\vec{F} = (x^3, y^3, z^3)$ and S the sphere of radius 1, \vec{n} outer normal. Compute

$$\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} \, dS.$$



$$\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} \, dS = \iiint_{x^2+y^2+z^2 \leq 1} \operatorname{div} \vec{F} \, dx \, dy \, dz.$$

$$= \iiint_{x^2+y^2+z^2 \leq 1} (3x^2 + 3y^2 + 3z^2) \, dx \, dy \, dz.$$

$$= 3 \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \int_0^1 \rho^2 \rho^2 \sin \varphi \, d\rho \, d\varphi \, d\theta.$$

$$= \frac{3}{5} (2\pi) \left[\int_0^{\pi} \sin \varphi \, d\varphi \right] = \frac{6\pi}{5} \left[-\cos \varphi \right]_0^{\pi} = \frac{6\pi}{5} (1 - (-1)) = \frac{12\pi}{5}$$

Physical meaning of divergence.

We now use the Gauss' theorem to show that $\text{div } \vec{v}$ gives a measure of the compressibility of the fluid.



Let P be a point in the domain Ω of \vec{v} , and B_r a ball of radius r centered at P in Ω . Let ∂B_r denote the boundary of B_r and \vec{n} the outward normal on ∂B_r

$$\iint_{\partial B_r} \vec{v} \cdot \vec{n} \, dS = \iiint_{B_r} \text{div } \vec{v} = (\text{div } \vec{v})(Q_r) V(B_r) \quad \text{MVT} \quad \exists Q_r$$

$$\text{div } \vec{v}(Q_r) = \frac{1}{V(B_r)} \iint_{\partial B_r} \vec{v} \cdot \vec{n} \, dS$$

let $r \rightarrow 0$.

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \text{div } \vec{v}(Q_r) = \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{V(B_r)} \iint_{\partial B_r} \vec{v} \cdot \vec{n} \, dS$$

$$\text{div } \vec{v}(P) = \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{V(B_r)} \iint_{\partial B_r} \vec{v} \cdot \vec{n} \, dS$$

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Thus, if $\text{div } \vec{v}(P) > 0$ we say that P is a source and if $\text{div } \vec{v}(P) < 0$ it is a sink.

If $\text{div } \vec{v} = 0$, we say that the fluid is incompressible and there are no sources and sinks.