

## 17.8 The Divergence Theorem (part 2)

$$\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} = \iiint_D \operatorname{div} \vec{F} dV$$

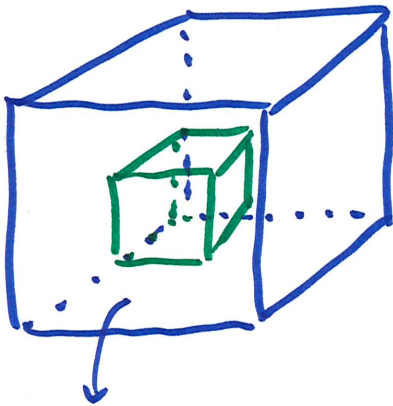
$D$ : space enclosed by  $S$

assumed  $\vec{n}$  pointing outward

if  $\vec{n}$  is inward, then flip sign

$$- \iiint_D \operatorname{div} \vec{F} dV$$

this is useful if the enclosed space has another hollow space



$D$ : space / volume between  
cubes

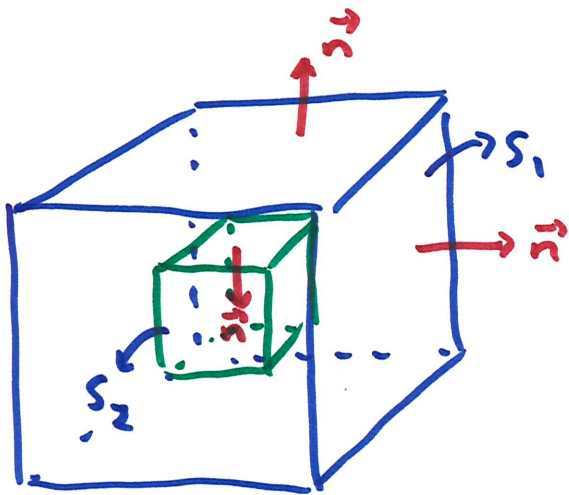
remove a smaller cube from inside the big cube

$S$ : surface bounding  $D$  is the six outer faces and the six inner faces (that bound the small cube)

$S_1$ : the outside surface (blue cube)

$S_2$ : the inside surface (green)

normal vector, as usual, is outward pointing



↳ away from the enclosed volume

on outside, pointing away from volume → out

on inside pointing away from volume → in

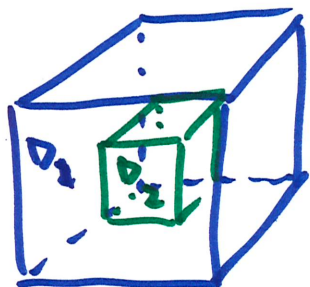
↓  
between cubes

the flux integral: 
$$\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} = \iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} dS = \iint_{S_1} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} dS_1 - \iint_{S_2} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} dS_2$$

↓  
due to inward normal  
on inside

the Divergence Theorem then gives

$$\iiint_D \operatorname{div} \vec{F} dV = \iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} dS = \iint_{S_1} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} dS_1 - \iint_{S_2} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} dS_2$$



$D_1$ : space inside big cube

$D_2$ : space inside small cube

apply Divergence Theorem again

$$\iint_{S_1} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} dS_1 = \iiint_{D_1} \text{div} \vec{F} dV$$

$$\iint_{S_2} \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} dS_2 = \iiint_{D_2} \text{div} \vec{F} dV$$

plus these into the equation on previous page, we get

$$\boxed{\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} = \iiint_{D_1} \text{div} \vec{F} dV - \iiint_{D_2} \text{div} \vec{F} dV}$$

flux of hollow volume: volume integral of  $\text{div} \vec{F}$  of outer volume

- volume integral of  $\text{div} \vec{F}$  of inner volume



$$\operatorname{div} \vec{F} = \vec{\nabla} \cdot \langle x, y, z \rangle = \frac{\partial x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial y}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial z} = 3$$

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \int_1^2 \underbrace{3 \cdot \rho^2 \sin \phi \, d\rho \, d\phi \, d\theta}_{dV}$$

$$= 3 \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \left. \frac{1}{3} \rho^3 \right|_1^2 \sin \phi \, d\phi \, d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi} 7 \sin \phi \, d\phi \, d\theta$$

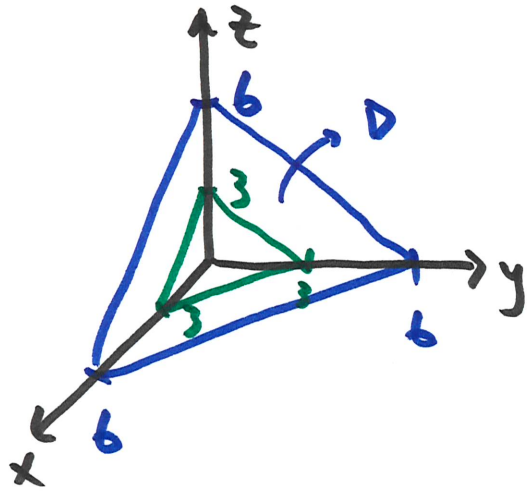
$$= 14\pi \int_0^{\pi} \sin \phi \, d\phi = 14\pi \left( -\cos \phi \right) \Big|_0^{\pi} = \boxed{28\pi}$$

alternative:  $\iiint_{D_1} \operatorname{div} \vec{F} \, dV - \iiint_{D_2} \operatorname{div} \vec{F} \, dV \quad \operatorname{div} \vec{F} = 3$

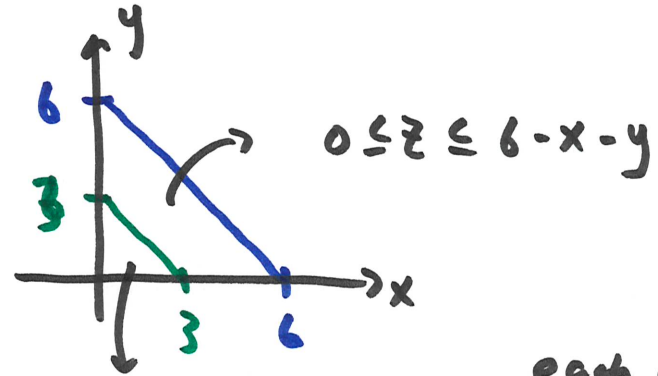
$$= 3 \underbrace{\iiint_{D_1} dV}_{\substack{\text{volume} \\ \text{of big sphere} \\ \rho=2}} - 3 \underbrace{\iiint_{D_2} dV}_{\substack{\text{volume of} \\ \text{small} \\ \rho=1}} = 3 \left( \frac{4}{3} \pi (2)^3 - \frac{4}{3} \pi (1)^3 \right) = \boxed{28\pi}$$

example  $\vec{F} = \langle x^2, -y^2, z^2 \rangle$

$D$ : space bounded by  $z = 6 - x - y$  and  $z = 3 - x - y$  in first octant



bound for  $D$ :



$$3 - x - y \leq z \leq 6 - x - y$$

each w/ their own  $x, y$  bounds

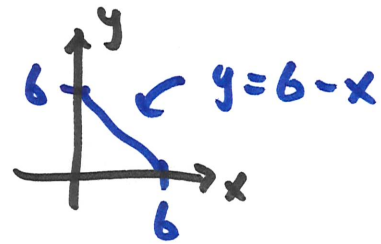
two integrals needed here, with bounds not simple to set up

alternative:  $\iiint_{D_1} \text{div } \vec{F} \, dV - \iiint_{D_2} \text{div } \vec{F} \, dV$

$D_1$   
↓  
volume enclosed by higher plane alone

$D_2$   
↪ volume enclosed by lower plane alone

the second way seems a little easier



$$D_1: \quad 0 \leq x \leq 6 \\ 0 \leq y \leq 6-x \\ 0 \leq z \leq 6-x-y$$

$$D_2: \quad 0 \leq x \leq 3 \\ 0 \leq y \leq 3-x \\ 0 \leq z \leq 3-x-y$$

$$\operatorname{div} \vec{F} = 2x - 2y + 2z$$

$$\underbrace{\int_0^6 \int_0^{6-x} \int_0^{6-x-y} (2x - 2y + 2z) dz dy dx}_{D_1}$$

minus because  $D_2$  is inner volume

$$\underbrace{\int_0^3 \int_0^{3-x} \int_0^{3-x-y} (2x - 2y + 2z) dz dy dx}_{D_2}$$

$$= \dots = \boxed{\frac{405}{4}}$$

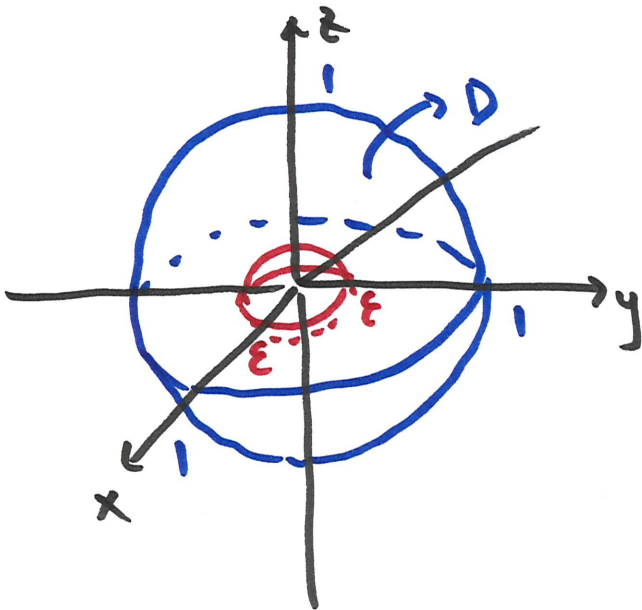
$\iiint_D \operatorname{div} \vec{F} \, dV$  requires  $\vec{F}$  to be defined throughout  $D$

if not, then Div. Theorem cannot be used directly

example  $\vec{F} = \frac{\langle x, y, z \rangle}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}}$

$S$ : sphere radius 1, centered at origin

at origin,  $\vec{F}$  does not exist, so not  $\operatorname{div} \vec{F}$ , so can't use  
Div. Theorem  
directly



work around: make another smaller  
sphere enclosing origin,  
then take the limit as  
its radius  $\rightarrow 0$

radius =  $\epsilon$ , then  $\lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0}$

in  $D$ ,  $\vec{F}$  exists everywhere



$$\operatorname{div} \vec{F} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2+z^2}} = \frac{2}{\rho} \text{ in spherical}$$

$$D: \quad \varepsilon \leq \rho \leq 1$$

$$0 \leq \phi \leq \pi$$

$$0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$$

$$\iiint_D \operatorname{div} \vec{F} \, dV = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^\pi \int_\varepsilon^1 \frac{2}{\rho} \underbrace{\rho^2 \sin \phi \, d\rho \, d\phi \, d\theta}_{dV}$$

$$= \dots = 4\pi(1 - \varepsilon^2)$$

$$\text{now } \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} 4\pi(1 - \varepsilon^2) = \boxed{4\pi}$$