



# LESSON 28

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(Spring 22 Exam 2 #11)

Given the force field  $\vec{F}(x, y, z) = \langle y, z, x \rangle$ , find the work required to move an object along the straight-line segment from  $(0,0,0)$  to  $(2,3,4)$ .

$$\vec{v} = \langle 2, 3, 4 \rangle$$

$$\vec{r}(t) = \langle 2t, 3t, 4t \rangle \quad 0 \leq t \leq 1$$

a) 13

b) 9

c) 29

d) 26

e) 18

$$\begin{aligned} W &= \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_0^1 \langle 3t, 4t, 2t \rangle \cdot \langle 2, 3, 4 \rangle dt \\ &= \int_0^1 6t + 12t + 8t dt = 26 \int_0^1 t dt \\ &= 26 \left[ \frac{t^2}{2} \right]_0^1 = 13 \end{aligned}$$

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Exam 2 is Tue Nov 7 at 8:00 – 9:00pm**
  - Similar format as Exam 1
  - Study Guide and Practice Exams posted on Brightspace
  
- **HW 29 is now due Fri Nov 10 at 11:59pm**
  - Course calendar is now up to date

Using the Fundamental Theorem of Line Integrals, evaluate

$\int_C \vec{\nabla} f \cdot d\vec{r}$  where  $f(x, y) = \frac{x^2}{y}$  and  $C$  is the curve parameterized by  $\vec{r}(t) = \langle t^2, t \rangle$  for  $1 \leq t \leq e$

$a = 1$        $b = e$

a)  $e^4 - 1$

b)  $e^3 - 1$

c)  $e^3$

d)  $e^4$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_C \vec{\nabla} f \cdot d\vec{r} &= f(\vec{r}(b)) - f(\vec{r}(a)) \\ &= f(\vec{r}(e)) - f(\vec{r}(1)) \\ &= f(\langle e^2, e \rangle) - f(\langle 1, 1 \rangle) \\ &= \frac{(e^2)^2}{e} - \frac{1^2}{1} = e^3 - 1 \end{aligned}$$

Which of the following vector fields  $\vec{F}(x, y)$  is not conservative?

$\vec{F} = \langle P, Q \rangle \quad \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x}$

a)  $\vec{F}(x, y) = \langle x, y \rangle$

b)  $\vec{F}(x, y) = \langle -y, x \rangle$

c)  $\vec{F}(x, y) = \langle 2xy, x^2 \rangle$   
 $\langle P, Q \rangle$

$\frac{\partial}{\partial y}(-y) = -1 \stackrel{?}{=} \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(x) = 1$   
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$2x = \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(2xy) = \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(x^2) = 2x \checkmark$   
 is conservative

Which of the following is a potential function  $f$  for the vector field  $\vec{F} = \langle e^x \cos(y), -e^x \sin(y) + 3y^2 \rangle$ ?

a)  $f = -e^x \sin(y) + y^3$

b)  $f = e^x \cos(y) + 1$

c)  $f = e^x \cos(y) + y^3 + 5$

$$\int e^x \cos(y) dx = e^x \cos(y) + a(y)$$

$$\int (-e^x \sin(y) + 3y^2) dy$$

$$= e^x \cos(y) + y^3 + b(x) = e^x \cos(y) + y^3 + C$$

$$f(x, y) = e^x \cos(y) + y^3 + C$$

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Let  $\vec{F}(x, y, z) = \langle 3x^2yz - 3y, x^3z - 3x, x^3y + 2z \rangle$ , you may assume  $\vec{F}$  is conservative. Calculate the work done by  $\vec{F}$  moving an object along C where C is the straight-line segment from  $(0,0,2)$  to  $(0,3,0)$ .

a) 0

b) -9

c) 5

d) 12

e) -4

# MUDDIEST POINT

What was the muddiest point from today's lecture?

- a) Fundamental Theorem of Line Integrals
- b) Independent of Path
- c) Checking if a vector field is conservative
- d) Finding the potential function
- e) None – understood everything today