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**3.** Let  $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = z\mathbf{i} + x\mathbf{j} + y\mathbf{k}$  and let  $S$  be that portion of the plane  $2x + y + 2z = 6$  that is in the first quadrant (draw a figure). Assuming that  $S$  is oriented upward, we would like to verify the Stokes theorem i.e.

$$\oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int \int_S (\text{curl}\mathbf{F}) \cdot \mathbf{n} \, dS. \quad (1)$$

$S$  is defined by the equation  $z = f(x, y) = 3 - x - \frac{1}{2}y$ . So the unit normal vector to  $S$  is given by

$$\mathbf{n} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + f_x^2 + f_y^2}} (-f_x\mathbf{i} - f_y\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + f_x^2 + f_y^2}} (\mathbf{i} + \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}). \quad (2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{curl}\mathbf{F} &= \nabla \times \mathbf{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ z & x & y \end{vmatrix} \\ &= (1 - 0)\mathbf{i} - (0 - 1)\mathbf{j} + (1 - 0)\mathbf{k} \\ &= \mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}. \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

Now let  $R$  be the projection of  $S$  on the  $xy$ -plane. Taking into account (2) and (3), we obtain for the right-hand side of (1)

$$\begin{aligned} \int \int_S (\text{curl}\mathbf{F}) \cdot \mathbf{n} \, dS &= \int \int_S (\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}) \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + f_x^2 + f_y^2}} (\mathbf{i} + \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}) \, dS \\ &= \int \int_R (\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}) \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + f_x^2 + f_y^2}} (\mathbf{i} + \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}) \sqrt{1 + f_x^2 + f_y^2} \, dx \, dy \\ &= \int \int_R (1 + \frac{1}{2} + 1) \, dx \, dy = \frac{5}{2} \int \int_R \, dx \, dy = \frac{5}{2} \text{Area}(R). \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

Since  $R$  is bounded by the triangle with vertices  $(3, 0, 0)$ ,  $(0, 6, 0)$  and  $(0, 0, 0)$ , we have  $\text{Area}(R) = (3)(6)/2 = 9$  and hence we get from (4)

$$\int \int_S (\text{curl} \mathbf{F}) \cdot \mathbf{n} \, dS = \frac{45}{2}. \quad (5)$$

Now to evaluate the left-hand side of (1), notice that  $C = C_1 \cup C_2 \cup C_3$ , where  $C_1$  is the line segment joining the points  $(3, 0, 0)$  and  $(0, 6, 0)$ ,  $C_2$  is the line segment joining the points  $(0, 6, 0)$  and  $(0, 0, 3)$ , and where  $C_3$  is the line segment joining the points  $(0, 0, 3)$  and  $(3, 0, 0)$ .  $C_1$ ,  $C_2$  and  $C_3$  have the parameterizations

$$C_1 : \begin{cases} x = 3 - \frac{1}{2}t \\ y = t, \\ z = 0, \end{cases} \quad t \in [0, 6] \quad C_2 : \begin{cases} x = 0 \\ y = 6 - 2t, \\ z = t, \end{cases} \quad t \in [0, 3]$$

and  $C_3 : \begin{cases} x = t \\ y = 0, \\ z = 3 - t. \end{cases} \quad t \in [0, 3]$

Then we have

$$\oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \oint_C zdx + xdy + ydz = \int_{C_1} zdx + xdy + ydz + \int_{C_2} zdx + xdy + ydz + \int_{C_3} zdx + xdy + ydz. \quad (6)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{C_1} zdx + xdy + ydz &= \int_{C_1} zdx + \int_{C_1} xdy + \int_{C_1} ydz \\ &= \int_0^6 (0) \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) dt + \int_0^6 \left(3 - \frac{1}{2}t\right) dt + \int_0^6 t(0) dt \\ &= \int_0^6 \left(3 - \frac{1}{2}t\right) dt = \left[3t - \frac{1}{4}t^2\right]_0^6 = 18 - 9 = 9. \end{aligned} \quad (7)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{C_2} zdx + xdy + ydz &= \int_{C_2} zdx + \int_{C_2} xdy + \int_{C_2} ydz \\ &= \int_0^3 t(0) dt + \int_0^3 0(-2) dt + \int_0^3 (6 - 2t) dt \\ &= \int_0^3 (6 - 2t) dt = \left[6t - t^2\right]_0^3 = 9. \end{aligned} \quad (8)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\int_{C_3} zdx + xdy + ydz &= \int_{C_3} zdx + \int_{C_3} xdy + \int_{C_3} ydz \\
&= \int_0^3 (3-t)dt + \int_0^3 t(0)dt + \int_0^3 (0)(-1)dt \\
&= \int_0^3 (3-t)dt = [3t - \frac{1}{2}t^2]_0^3 = 9 - \frac{9}{2} = \frac{9}{2}. \quad (9)
\end{aligned}$$

Using (6)-(9), we get

$$\oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = 9 + 9 + \frac{9}{2} = \frac{45}{2}. \quad (10)$$

Finally by comparing (5) and (10), we conclude that (1) is satisfied.  $\square$

**6.** Let  $\mathbf{F} = z^2y \cos(xy)\mathbf{i} + z^2x(1 + \cos(xy))\mathbf{j} + 2z \sin(xy)\mathbf{k}$  and let  $S$  be the portion of the plane  $z = 1 - y$  in the first octant that is located within the planes  $x = 0$  and  $x = 2$  (see the figure). The components of the vector field  $\mathbf{F}$  are continuous and have partial derivatives continuous on any domain. Therefore we have by Stokes' theorem

$$\oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int \int_S \text{curl}(\mathbf{F}) \cdot \mathbf{n} dS, \quad (1)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{curl}\mathbf{F} &= \nabla \times \mathbf{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ z^2y \cos(xy) & z^2x(1 + \cos(xy)) & 2z \sin(xy) \end{vmatrix} \\
&= (2xz \cos(xy) - 2xz(1 + \cos(xy)))\mathbf{i} - (2yz \cos(xy) - 2yz \cos(xy))\mathbf{j} \\
&\quad + ((z^2(1 + \cos(xy)) - z^2xy \sin(xy)) - (z^2 \cos(xy) - z^2xy \sin(xy)))\mathbf{k} \\
&= -2xz\mathbf{i} + z^2\mathbf{k}. \quad (2)
\end{aligned}$$

$S$  is defined by the equation  $z = f(x, y) = 1 - y$ . So the unit normal vector to  $S$  is given by

$$\mathbf{n} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + f_x^2 + f_y^2}}(-f_x \mathbf{i} - f_y \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}). \quad (3)$$

Now let  $R$  be the projection of  $S$  on the  $xy$ -plane. Then we get by using (1), (2) and (3)

$$\begin{aligned} \oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} &= \int \int_S \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} z^2 dS = \int \int_R \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{2} (1-y)^2 dx dy \\ &= \int_0^2 \left( \int_0^1 (1-y)^2 dy \right) dx = \int_0^2 \left[ -\frac{1}{3} (1-y)^3 \right]_0^1 dx \\ &= \int_0^2 \frac{1}{3} dx = \frac{2}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

□

**14.** Let  $\mathbf{F} = y\mathbf{i} + (y-x)\mathbf{j} + z^2\mathbf{k}$  and let  $S$  be the portion of the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + (z-4)^2 = 25$  that is above the  $xy$ -plane. We would like to evaluate the surface integral  $\int \int_S \text{curl}(\mathbf{F}) \cdot \mathbf{n} dS$ . The components of the vector field  $\mathbf{F}$  are continuous and have partial derivatives continuous everywhere. Therefore we have by Stokes' theorem

$$\int \int_S \text{curl}(\mathbf{F}) \cdot \mathbf{n} dS = \oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}, \quad (1)$$

where  $C$  is the circle of the  $xy$ -plane of radius 3 (take  $z = 0$  in the equation of the sphere) centered at the point  $(0, 0, 0)$ .  $C$  has the parameterization

$$C_1 : \begin{cases} x = 3 \cos t \\ y = 3 \sin t, & t \in [0, 2\pi] \\ z = 0, \end{cases}$$

Then we have from (1)

$$\begin{aligned}
\int \int_S \text{curl}(\mathbf{F}) \cdot \mathbf{n} dS &= \int_C y dx + \int_C (y-x) dy + \int_C z^2 dz \\
&= \int_0^{2\pi} 3 \sin t (-3 \sin t) dt + \int_0^{2\pi} 3(\sin t - \cos t)(3 \cos t) dt + \int_0^{2\pi} 0^2(0) dt \\
&= \int_0^{2\pi} (-9 \sin^2(t) + 9 \sin t \cos t - 9 \cos^2(t)) dt \\
&= \int_0^{2\pi} (-9 + 9 \sin t \cos t) dt = \left[ -9t + \frac{9}{2} \sin^2 t \right]_0^{2\pi} = -18\pi.
\end{aligned}$$

□

17. We would like to evaluate the line integral  $\oint_C z^2 e^{x^2} dx + xy^2 dy + \tan^{-1} y dz$ , where  $C$  is the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  located on the plane  $z = 0$ . Let  $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = z^2 e^{x^2} \mathbf{i} + xy^2 \mathbf{j} + \tan^{-1} y \mathbf{k}$  and  $S$  be the portion of the plane  $z = 0$  that is bounded by  $C$ . We assume that  $S$  is oriented upward and  $C$  is oriented accordingly. We are going to use Stokes' theorem

$$\oint_C z^2 e^{x^2} dx + xy^2 dy + \tan^{-1} y dz = \oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int \int_S \text{curl}(\mathbf{F}) \cdot \mathbf{n} dS. \quad (1)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{curl} \mathbf{F} &= \nabla \times \mathbf{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ z^2 e^{x^2} & xy^2 & \tan^{-1} y \end{vmatrix} \\
&= \frac{1}{1+y^2} \mathbf{i} + 2ze^{x^2} \mathbf{j} + y^2 \mathbf{k}.
\end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

$S$  is defined by  $z = f(x, y) = 0$ . So the unit normal vector to  $S$  is given by  $\mathbf{n} = \mathbf{k}$ . Let  $R$  be the projection of  $S$  on the  $xy$ -plane. Then we deduce from (2)

$$\begin{aligned}
\int \int_S \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} \, dS &= \int \int_S \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + f_x^2 + f_y^2}} y^2 \, dS \\
&= \int \int_R \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + f_x^2 + f_y^2}} y^2 \sqrt{1 + f_x^2 + f_y^2} \, dx dy \\
&= \int \int_R y^2 \, dx dy.
\end{aligned} \tag{3}$$

Since  $R$  is bounded by the circle centered at the origin and with radius 3, we can use the polar coordinates. We obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
\int \int_R y^2 \, dx dy &= \int_0^3 \left( \int_0^{2\pi} r^3 \sin^2 \theta \, d\theta \right) dr \\
&= \int_0^3 \left( \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{r^3}{2} (1 - \cos(2\theta)) \, d\theta \right) dr \\
&= \int_0^3 \left[ \frac{r^3}{2} \left( \theta - \frac{1}{2} \sin(2\theta) \right) \right]_0^{2\pi} dr \\
&= \int_0^3 \pi r^3 \, dr = \left[ \frac{\pi}{4} r^4 \right]_0^3 = \frac{81\pi}{4}.
\end{aligned} \tag{4}$$

Taking into account (1), (3) and (4), we get

$$\oint_C z^2 e^{x^2} dx + xy^2 dy + \tan^{-1} y dz = \frac{81\pi}{4}.$$

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