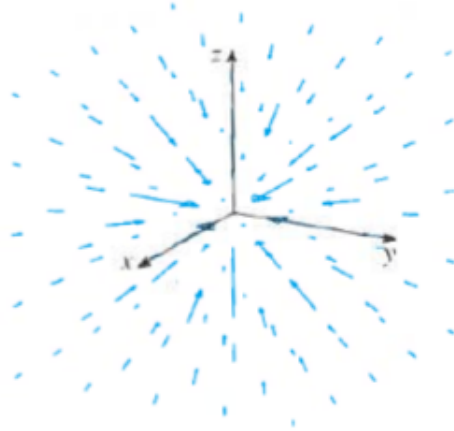


Math 1321    Week 11 Lab Worksheet    Due Thursday 04/17

1. Any physical interpretation of a line integral  $\int_C f(x, y, z) ds$  depends on the physical interpretation of the function  $f$ . Suppose that  $\rho(x, y, z)$  represents the linear density at a point  $(x, y, z)$  of a thin wire shaped like a curve  $C$ . Then the mass,  $m$ , of the wire may be obtained by  $\int_C \rho(x, y, z) ds$ .

**(2 points)** Find the mass of a spring in the shape of the helix defined parametrically by  $x = 2 \cos(t)$ ,  $y = t$ ,  $z = 2 \sin(t)$  for  $0 \leq t \leq 6\pi$ , with density  $\rho(x, y, z) = 2y$ .

Many forces can be modeled with *conservative* force fields. Gravitational fields can be modeled this way. This fact allows us to estimate the total work done by a force field on an object passing through the field.



2. (2 points) Suppose that  $\mathbf{F}$  is an inverse square force field, that is

$$\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{c\mathbf{r}}{|\mathbf{r}|^3}$$

for some constant  $c$  and  $\mathbf{r} = x\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j} + z\mathbf{k}$ . Determine a formula for the work done by moving an object from a point  $P_1$  to the point  $P_2$  in terms of the distances  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  of these points from the origin. *Hint: If  $\mathbf{F}$  is conservative, then line integrals are independent of the path.*

3. (1 point) The gravitational force field is modeled by

$$\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{-mM\mathbf{G}\mathbf{r}}{|\mathbf{r}|^3}$$

Using your answer to part (1), determine the work done by the gravitational field when the earth moves from *aphelion* to *perihelion*. These correspond to the earth's maximum distance of  $1.52 \times 10^8$  km from the sun, and its minimum distance of  $1.47 \times 10^8$  km from the sun respectively. Use the values of  $m = 5.97 \times 10^{24}$  kg,  $M = 1.99 \times 10^{30}$  kg, and  $G = 6.67 \times 10^{-11}$  N · m<sup>2</sup>/kg<sup>2</sup>.

4. **(1 point)** Determine the volume of the solid bounded by the cone  $z^2 = x^2 + y^2$  and the paraboloid  $z = x^2 + y^2$ .

5. **extra practice (1 make-up point)** Determine the volume of the solid bounded by the circular cylinder  $(x - a)^2 + y^2 = a^2$ , the cone  $z = x^2 + y^2$  and the plane  $z = 0$ . (Hint: Use cylindrical coordinates).