

Sheet 4 Solutions

1. $(u, v) = (1, 0) \Rightarrow (x, y) = (1, 1)$. Consider

$$J = \frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)} = \begin{pmatrix} \partial x / \partial u & \partial x / \partial v \\ \partial y / \partial u & \partial y / \partial v \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3u^2 + v & u + 3v^2 \\ 2u & -2v \end{pmatrix}.$$

Then

$$\det(J) = -2v(3u^2 + v) - 2u(u + 3v^2) = -2$$

when $(u, v) = (1, 0)$. Since $\det(J) \neq 0$ at this point, the inverse function theorem tells us that locally the expressions for x and y can be inverted.

To find u_x and v_x , differentiate the expressions for x and y implicitly with respect to x to get

$$1 = 3u^2 u_x + v u_x + u v_x + 3v^2 v_x, \quad 0 = 2u u_x - 2v v_x.$$

This can be rewritten as

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3u^2 + v & u + 3v^2 \\ 2u & -2v \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u_x \\ v_x \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

(Note that the matrix on the left is the Jacobian calculated earlier). Thus, after substituting $(u, v) = (1, 0)$:

$$\begin{pmatrix} u_x \\ v_x \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1/2 \\ 1 & -3/2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Similarly, by differentiating with respect to y and setting $(u, v) = (1, 0)$:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u_y \\ v_y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix},$$

from which we obtain

$$\begin{pmatrix} u_y \\ v_y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1/2 \\ 1 & -3/2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1/2 \\ -3/2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

2. (i) First we differentiate our expressions implicitly with respect to x . This gives

$$2u u_x + 4v v_x = 2x, \quad v y u_x + u y v_x - x y v_x = v y,$$

which can be written in matrix form as

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2u & 4v \\ v y & u y - x y \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u_x \\ v_x \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2x \\ v y \end{pmatrix}.$$

Differentiating the original expressions with respect to y :

$$2u u_y + 4v v_y = -2y, \quad v y u_y + u y v_y - x y v_y = v x - u v,$$

i.e.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2u & 4v \\ v y & u y - x y \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u_y \\ v_y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2y \\ v x - u v \end{pmatrix}.$$

In both cases the derivatives exist at (x_0, y_0, u_0, v_0) provided

$$\det(J) = \det \begin{pmatrix} 2u_0 & 4v_0 \\ v_0 y_0 & u_0 y_0 - x_0 y_0 \end{pmatrix} \neq 0$$

as required.

Consider $(x, y, u, v) = (1, 1, 2, 1)$. Then $u^2 + 2v^2 + y^2 - x^2 = 6$ and $u v y - v x y = 1$ so that both equations are satisfied. In this case

$$\det(J) = \det \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 4 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

and so the partial derivatives are undefined at this point.

Now let $(x, y, u, v) = (1 + \sqrt{2}, -1 - \sqrt{2}, 2, 1)$. Then $u^2 + 2v^2 + y^2 - x^2 = 2^2 + 2 + (1 + \sqrt{2})^2 - (1 + \sqrt{2})^2 = 6$ and $uvy - vxy = -2(1 + \sqrt{2}) + (1 + \sqrt{2})^2 = 1$, so that again both equations are satisfied. This time

$$\det(J) = \det \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 4 \\ -1 - \sqrt{2} & 1 \end{pmatrix} \neq 0$$

and so at this point the partial derivatives u_x, v_x, u_y, v_y do exist.

(ii) Here $F_1(x, y, u, v) = u^2 + 2v^2 + y^2 - x^2 - 6$ and $F_2(x, y, u, v) = uvy - vxy - 1$, and so (with x, y, u, v treated as independent quantities):

$$\begin{pmatrix} \partial F_1 / \partial u & \partial F_1 / \partial v \\ \partial F_2 / \partial u & \partial F_2 / \partial v \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2u & 4v \\ vy & uy - xy \end{pmatrix},$$

and so the determinant of this matrix at (x_0, y_0, u_0, v_0) is indeed the determinant derived in part (i).

(iii) We saw in part (i) that two distinct points (x_0, y_0) map to the same (u_0, v_0) . This would mean for example that two particles occupying different locations in the $x - y$ plane would occupy the same location in the $u - v$ plane.

3. To show that the system is orthogonal we have to work out $\partial \mathbf{r} / \partial \xi$ and $\partial \mathbf{r} / \partial \eta$ and show that these vectors are orthogonal.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial \xi} &= \frac{\partial x}{\partial \xi} \mathbf{i} + \frac{\partial y}{\partial \xi} \mathbf{j} \\ &= \left(\frac{c \cosh \xi}{\cosh \xi - \cos \eta} - \frac{c \sinh^2 \xi}{(\cosh \xi - \cos \eta)^2} \right) \mathbf{i} - \frac{c \sin \eta \sinh \xi}{(\cosh \xi - \cos \eta)^2} \mathbf{j}. \\ \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial \eta} &= \frac{\partial x}{\partial \eta} \mathbf{i} + \frac{\partial y}{\partial \eta} \mathbf{j} \\ &= \frac{-c \sin \eta \sinh \xi}{(\cosh \xi - \cos \eta)^2} \mathbf{i} + \left(\frac{c \cos \eta}{\cosh \xi - \cos \eta} - \frac{c \sin^2 \eta}{(\cosh \xi - \cos \eta)^2} \right) \mathbf{j}. \end{aligned}$$

So then we see that

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial \xi} \cdot \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial \eta} &= \frac{-c \sin \eta \sinh \xi}{(\cosh \xi - \cos \eta)^2} \left(\frac{c \cosh \xi}{\cosh \xi - \cos \eta} - \frac{c \sinh^2 \xi}{(\cosh \xi - \cos \eta)^2} + \frac{c \cos \eta}{\cosh \xi - \cos \eta} - \frac{c \sin^2 \eta}{(\cosh \xi - \cos \eta)^2} \right) \\ &= \dots = 0, \end{aligned}$$

so that the system is indeed orthogonal.

To find the scale factors, first simplify

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial x}{\partial \xi} &= \frac{c \cosh^2 \xi - c \cosh \xi \cos \eta - c \sinh^2 \xi}{(\cosh \xi - \cos \eta)^2} \\ &= \frac{c(1 - \cosh \xi \cos \eta)}{(\cosh \xi - \cos \eta)^2}. \end{aligned}$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\frac{\partial x}{\partial \xi} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial y}{\partial \xi} \right)^2 &= \frac{c^2}{(\cosh \xi - \cos \eta)^4} \{ (1 - \cosh \xi \cos \eta)^2 + \sin^2 \eta \sinh^2 \xi \} \\ &= \frac{c^2}{(\cosh \xi - \cos \eta)^4} (\cosh \xi - \cos \eta)^2 \\ &= \frac{c^2}{(\cosh \xi - \cos \eta)^2} \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$h_1 = \left| \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial \xi} \right| = \sqrt{\left(\left(\frac{\partial x}{\partial \xi} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial y}{\partial \xi} \right)^2 \right)} = \frac{c}{(\cosh \xi - \cos \eta)}.$$

Similarly:

$$h_2 = \left| \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial \eta} \right| = \sqrt{\left(\left(\frac{\partial x}{\partial \eta} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial y}{\partial \eta} \right)^2 \right)} = \dots = \frac{c}{(\cosh \xi - \cos \eta)}.$$

Finally:

$$h_3 = \left| \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial z} \right| = 1.$$

4. First we work out

$$\partial \mathbf{r} / \partial u = u \mathbf{i} + v \mathbf{j} = h_1 \hat{\mathbf{e}}_1, \quad \partial \mathbf{r} / \partial v = -v \mathbf{i} + u \mathbf{j} = h_2 \hat{\mathbf{e}}_2.$$

Then

$$h_1 = h_2 = \left| \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial u} \right| = \left| \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial v} \right| = (u^2 + v^2)^{1/2}, \quad h_3 = \left| \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial z} \right| = 1.$$

It then follows that

$$\hat{\mathbf{e}}_1 = (u \mathbf{i} + v \mathbf{j}) / (u^2 + v^2)^{1/2}, \quad \hat{\mathbf{e}}_2 = (-v \mathbf{i} + u \mathbf{j}) / (u^2 + v^2)^{1/2}, \quad \hat{\mathbf{e}}_3 = \mathbf{k}.$$

5. (i) Using our expression for div in curvilinear coordinates, with the values of h_1, h_2, h_3 calculated in the previous question, along with $F_1 = u(u^2 + v^2)^{3/2}, F_2 = -v(u^2 + v^2)^{3/2}, F_3 = 0$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{div} \mathbf{F} &= \frac{1}{h_1 h_2 h_3} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial u} (h_2 h_3 F_1) + \frac{\partial}{\partial v} (h_3 h_1 F_2) \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{(u^2 + v^2)} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial u} (u(u^2 + v^2)^2) - \frac{\partial}{\partial v} (v(u^2 + v^2)^2) \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{(u^2 + v^2)} ((u^2 + v^2)^2 + 4u^2(u^2 + v^2) - (u^2 + v^2)^2 - 4v^2(u^2 + v^2)) \\ &= 4(u^2 - v^2), \text{ as required.} \end{aligned}$$

(ii) Using the curvilinear formula for curl:

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{curl} \mathbf{F} &= \frac{1}{h_1 h_2 h_3} \begin{vmatrix} h_1 \hat{\mathbf{e}}_1 & h_2 \hat{\mathbf{e}}_2 & h_3 \hat{\mathbf{e}}_3 \\ \partial / \partial u & \partial / \partial v & \partial / \partial z \\ h_1 F_1 & h_2 F_2 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{\hat{\mathbf{e}}_3}{(u^2 + v^2)} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial u} (-v(u^2 + v^2)^2) - \frac{\partial}{\partial v} (u(u^2 + v^2)^2) \right) \\ &= \hat{\mathbf{e}}_3 (-4uv - 4uv) = -8uv \hat{\mathbf{e}}_3. \end{aligned}$$

(iii) Using the expressions found for the unit vectors in Q4, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{F} &= u(u^2 + v^2)^{3/2} \hat{\mathbf{e}}_1 - v(u^2 + v^2)^{3/2} \hat{\mathbf{e}}_2 \\ &= [u(u^2 + v^2)^{3/2} (u \mathbf{i} + v \mathbf{j}) - v(u^2 + v^2)^{3/2} (-v \mathbf{i} + u \mathbf{j})] / (u^2 + v^2)^{1/2} \\ &= \mathbf{i} (u^2 + v^2) (u^2 + v^2) \\ &= \mathbf{i} [(u^2 - v^2)^2 + 4u^2 v^2] \\ &= \mathbf{i} (4x^2 + 4y^2), \end{aligned}$$

as required. Given the Cartesian form of \mathbf{F} we can then calculate that

$$\operatorname{div} \mathbf{F} = \partial / \partial x (4x^2 + 4y^2) = 8x = 4(u^2 - v^2),$$

which agrees with the earlier calculation. We can also calculate

$$\operatorname{curl} \mathbf{F} = -\mathbf{k} \partial / \partial y (4x^2 + 4y^2) = -8y \mathbf{k} = -8uv \mathbf{k},$$

which agrees with the previous result since $\hat{\mathbf{e}}_3 = \mathbf{k}$.

6. We have

$$\widehat{\mathbf{r}} = \cos \phi \mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} \sin \phi, \widehat{\phi} = -\mathbf{i} \sin \phi + \mathbf{j} \cos \phi, \widehat{\mathbf{z}} = \mathbf{k}.$$

Rearranging:

$$\mathbf{i} = \widehat{\mathbf{r}} \cos \phi - \widehat{\phi} \sin \phi, \mathbf{j} = \widehat{\mathbf{r}} \sin \phi + \widehat{\phi} \cos \phi.$$

Since $x = r \cos \phi, y = r \sin \phi$ we have

$$\mathbf{F} = y\mathbf{i} + z\mathbf{j} + x\mathbf{k} = r \sin \phi (\widehat{\mathbf{r}} \cos \phi - \widehat{\phi} \sin \phi) + z(\widehat{\mathbf{r}} \sin \phi + \widehat{\phi} \cos \phi) + (r \cos \phi)\mathbf{k},$$

so that

$$F_r = r \sin \phi \cos \phi + z \sin \phi, F_\phi = -r \sin^2 \phi + z \cos \phi, F_z = r \cos \phi.$$

7. We need to work out the Jacobian determinant

$$\det J = \begin{vmatrix} \partial u / \partial x & \partial u / \partial y \\ \partial v / \partial x & \partial v / \partial y \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} -2x & 2y \\ 2y & 2x \end{vmatrix} = -4(x^2 + y^2).$$

Then we know that $|\det J| dx dy = du dv \Rightarrow 4(x^2 + y^2) dx dy = du dv$. Also note that $(x^2 + y^2)^2 = u^2 + v^2$. Then:

$$\int_R (x^2 + y^2)^3 dx dy = \int_R (x^2 + y^2)^2 \frac{1}{4} du dv = \frac{1}{4} \int_R (u^2 + v^2) du dv.$$

We now have to work out the limits in terms of u and v . The region is bounded by $x^2 - y^2 = 1 \Rightarrow u = -1$ and $y^2 - x^2 = 1 \Rightarrow u = 1$, together with $xy = 1, xy = 2$ which translate to $v = 2$ and $v = 4$. The required integral is therefore

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{4} \int_{v=2}^{v=4} \int_{u=-1}^{u=1} (u^2 + v^2) du dv \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \int_{v=2}^{v=4} \left[\frac{u^3}{3} + v^2 u \right]_{u=-1}^{u=1} dv \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \int_{v=2}^{v=4} \left(\frac{2}{3} + 2v^2 \right) dv \\ &= \dots = 29/3. \end{aligned}$$

8. In plane polars (r, θ) we have $x = r \cos \theta, y = r \sin \theta$. The relevant Jacobian determinant is

$$\det J = \begin{vmatrix} \partial x / \partial r & \partial x / \partial \theta \\ \partial y / \partial r & \partial y / \partial \theta \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \cos \theta & -r \sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & r \cos \theta \end{vmatrix} = r \cos^2 \theta + r \sin^2 \theta = r.$$

Thus we have $dx dy = r dr d\theta$ (a result we have made use of in earlier questions). We also have $x^4 + y^4 = r^4 \cos^4 \theta + r^4 \sin^4 \theta$. In plane polars the circular disc is the region $0 \leq r \leq 1, 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$. The required integral transforms to

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 (r^4 \cos^4 \theta + r^4 \sin^4 \theta) r dr d\theta &= \int_0^{2\pi} (\cos^4 \theta + \sin^4 \theta) \left[\frac{r^6}{6} \right]_0^1 d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{6} \int_0^{2\pi} (1 - 2 \cos^2 \theta \sin^2 \theta) d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{6} \int_0^{2\pi} \left(\frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{4} \cos 4\theta \right) d\theta \\ &= \pi/4. \end{aligned}$$

9. The Jacobian determinant is

$$\det J = \begin{vmatrix} \partial u / \partial x & \partial u / \partial y \\ \partial v / \partial x & \partial v / \partial y \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 2.$$

Thus we have $2dx dy = du dv$. We note that the integrand $(x+y)^2 \cos(x^2 - y^2)$ can be written as $v^2 \cos uv$. It's also useful to observe that $u + v = 2x$ and $v - u = 2y$. The boundaries of the region therefore become

$u = \pm v$ (which intersect at $v = 0$) and $v = 1$. The integral is transformed to

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 \int_{-v}^v v^2 \cos(uv) \frac{1}{2} du dv &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 [v \sin(uv)]_{u=-v}^{u=v} dv \\ &= \int_0^1 v \sin v^2 dv \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \sin t dt = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos(1)). \end{aligned}$$

10. We calculate

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial \lambda} &= \left(\frac{\partial x}{\partial \lambda}, \frac{\partial y}{\partial \lambda}, \frac{\partial z}{\partial \lambda} \right) = (\cos s, \sin s, 0) \\ \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial s} &= \left(\frac{\partial x}{\partial s}, \frac{\partial y}{\partial s}, \frac{\partial z}{\partial s} \right) = (-\lambda \sin s, \lambda \cos s, 1), \end{aligned}$$

and so

$$\mathbf{J} = \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial \lambda} \times \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial s} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ \cos s & \sin s & 0 \\ -\lambda \sin s & \lambda \cos s & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (\sin s, -\cos s, \lambda).$$

Thus $|\mathbf{J}| = \sqrt{1 + \lambda^2}$ and hence

$$S = \int_S dS = \int_S |\mathbf{J}| d\lambda ds = \int_{s=0}^{2\pi} \int_{\lambda=0}^1 (1 + \lambda^2)^{1/2} d\lambda ds.$$

Solve using the substitution $\lambda = \sinh t$ to get

$$S = 2\pi \left[\frac{1}{2}t + \frac{1}{4} \sinh 2t \right]_0^{t_1}, \text{ where } \sinh t_1 = 1.$$

Finally, $\sinh 2t_1 = 2 \sinh t_1 \cosh t_1 = 2 \sinh t_1 \sqrt{1 + \sinh^2 t_1} = 2\sqrt{2}$, and so

$$S = \pi(\sinh^{-1}(1) + \sqrt{2}).$$

11. We start by calculating

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial t} &= (-b \sin t \cos \theta, -b \sin t \sin \theta, b \cos t) \\ \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial \theta} &= (-(a + b \cos t) \sin \theta, (a + b \cos t) \cos \theta, 0), \end{aligned}$$

and then

$$\mathbf{J} = \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial t} \times \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial \theta} = (-(a + b \cos t)(b \cos t \cos \theta), (a + b \cos t)(b \cos t \sin \theta), -(a + b \cos t)(b \sin t)(\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta))$$

and so

$$|\mathbf{J}| = b(a + b \cos t) \sqrt{\cos^2 t \cos^2 \theta + \cos^2 t \sin^2 \theta + \sin^2 t} = b(a + b \cos t).$$

The required integral is

$$\begin{aligned} \int_S z^2 dS &= \int_{\theta=0}^{2\pi} \int_{t=0}^{2\pi} (b^3 \sin^2 t)(a + b \cos t) dt d\theta \\ &= 2\pi b^3 \int_0^{2\pi} (a \sin^2 t + b \sin^2 t \cos t) dt \\ &= 2\pi^2 ab^3. \end{aligned}$$