

## 13.4 Green's Theorem

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**1–4** ■ Evaluate the line integral by two methods: (a) directly and (b) using Green's Theorem.

- $\oint_C x^2 y \, dx + xy^3 \, dy$ ,  
 $C$  is the square with vertices  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(1, 0)$ ,  $(1, 1)$ , and  $(0, 1)$
- $\oint_C x \, dx - x^2 y^2 \, dy$ ,  
 $C$  is the triangle with vertices  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(1, 1)$ , and  $(0, 1)$
- $\oint_C (x + 2y) \, dx + (x - 2y) \, dy$ ,  
 $C$  consists of the arc of the parabola  $y = x^2$  from  $(0, 0)$  to  $(1, 1)$  followed by the line segment from  $(1, 1)$  to  $(0, 0)$
- $\oint_C (x^2 + y^2) \, dx + 2xy \, dy$ ,  
 $C$  consists of the arc of the parabola  $y = x^2$  from  $(0, 0)$  to  $(2, 4)$  and the line segments from  $(2, 4)$  to  $(0, 4)$  and from  $(0, 4)$  to  $(0, 0)$

**5–16** ■ Use Green's Theorem to evaluate the line integral along the given positively oriented curve.

- $\int_C xy \, dx + y^5 \, dy$ ,  
 $C$  is the triangle with vertices  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(2, 0)$ , and  $(2, 1)$
- $\int_C x^2 y \, dx + xy^5 \, dy$ ,  
 $C$  is the square with vertices  $(\pm 1, \pm 1)$
- $\int_C x^2 \, dx + y^2 \, dy$ ,  $C$  is the curve  $x^6 + y^6 = 1$
- $\int_C x^2 y \, dx - 3y^2 \, dy$ ,  $C$  is the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$
- $\int_C 2xy \, dx + x^2 \, dy$ ,  $C$  is the cardioid  $r = 1 + \cos \theta$
- $\int_C (xy + e^{x^2}) \, dx + (x^2 - \ln(1 + y)) \, dy$ ,  
 $C$  consists of the line segment from  $(0, 0)$  to  $(\pi, 0)$  and the curve  $y = \sin x$ ,  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$

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- $\int_C (y^2 - \tan^{-1} x) \, dx + (3x + \sin y) \, dy$ ,  
 $C$  is the boundary of the region enclosed by the parabola  $y = x^2$  and the line  $y = 4$
- $\int_C xy \, dx + 2x^2 \, dy$ ,  
 $C$  consists of the line segment from  $(-2, 0)$  to  $(2, 0)$  and the top half of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$
- $\int_C (x^3 - y^3) \, dx + (x^3 + y^3) \, dy$ ,  
 $C$  is the boundary of the region between the circles  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$  and  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$
- $\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$ , where  $\mathbf{F}(x, y) = (y^2 - x^2 y) \mathbf{i} + xy^2 \mathbf{j}$  and  
 $C$  consists of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  from  $(2, 0)$  to  $(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2})$  and the line segments from  $(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2})$  to  $(0, 0)$  and from  $(0, 0)$  to  $(2, 0)$
- $\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$ , where  $\mathbf{F}(x, y) = y^6 \mathbf{i} + xy^5 \mathbf{j}$  and  
 $C$  is the ellipse  $4x^2 + y^2 = 1$
- $\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$ , where  $\mathbf{F}(x, y) = x^3 y \mathbf{i} + x^4 \mathbf{j}$  and  
 $C$  is the curve  $x^4 + y^4 = 1$

**17–18** ■ Find the area of the given region using one of the formulas in Equations 5.

- The region bounded by the hypocycloid with vector equation  $\mathbf{r}(t) = \cos^3 t \mathbf{i} + \sin^3 t \mathbf{j}$ ,  $0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$
- The region bounded by the curve with vector equation  $\mathbf{r}(t) = \cos t \mathbf{i} + \sin^3 t \mathbf{j}$ ,  $0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$

 Answers

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1.  $-\frac{1}{12}$
2.  $-\frac{1}{5}$
3.  $-\frac{1}{6}$
4. 0
5.  $-\frac{4}{3}$
6.  $-\frac{4}{3}$
7. 0
8.  $-\frac{\pi}{4}$
9. 0

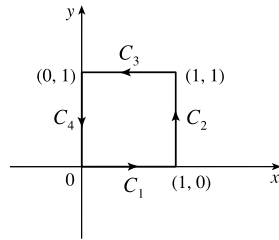
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10.  $\pi$
11.  $-\frac{96}{5}$
12. 0
13.  $120\pi$
14.  $\pi + \frac{8}{3}(\sqrt{2} - 2)$
15. 0
16. 0
17.  $\frac{3}{8}\pi$
18.  $\frac{3}{4}\pi$

## Solutions

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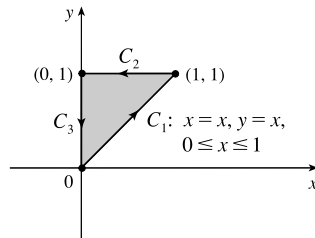
1. (a)



$$\begin{aligned}\oint_C x^2 y \, dx + xy^3 \, dy &= \oint_{C_1+C_2+C_3+C_4} x^2 y \, dx + xy^3 \, dy \\ &= \int_0^1 0 \, dx + \int_0^1 y^3 \, dy + \int_1^0 x^2 \, dx + \int_1^0 0 \, dy \\ &= \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{3} = -\frac{1}{12}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{(b)} \quad \oint_C x^2 y \, dx + xy^3 \, dy &= \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (y^3 - x^2) \, dx \, dy \\ &= \int_0^1 (y^3 - \frac{1}{3}) \, dy = \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{3} = -\frac{1}{12}\end{aligned}$$

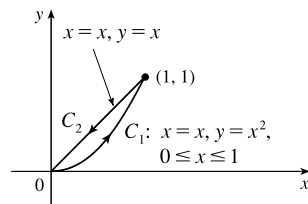
2. (a)



$$\begin{aligned}\oint_C x \, dx - x^2 y^2 \, dy &= \oint_{C_1+C_2+C_3} x \, dx - x^2 y^2 \, dy \\ &= \int_0^1 (x - x^4) \, dx + \int_1^0 x \, dx + \int_1^0 0 \, dy \\ &= \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{2} = -\frac{1}{5}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{(b)} \quad \oint_C x \, dx - x^2 y^2 \, dy &= \int_0^1 \int_x^1 (-2xy^2 - 0) \, dy \, dx \\ &= \int_0^1 \frac{2}{3} (x^4 - x) \, dx = \frac{2}{3} \left(-\frac{3}{10}\right) = -\frac{1}{5}\end{aligned}$$

3. (a)

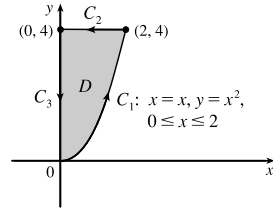


$$\begin{aligned}\oint_C (x+2y) \, dx + (x-2y) \, dy &= \oint_{C_1+C_2} (x+2y) \, dx + (x-2y) \, dy \\ &= \int_0^1 [x+2x^2 + (x-2x^2)(2x)] \, dx \\ &\quad + \int_1^0 [3x + (-x)] \, dx \\ &= \int_0^1 (x+4x^2-4x^3) \, dx + \int_1^0 2x \, dx \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{4}{3} - 1\right) - 1 = -\frac{1}{6}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{(b)} \quad \oint_C (x+2y) \, dx + (x-2y) \, dy &= \int_0^1 \int_{x^2}^x (1-2) \, dy \, dx \\ &= \int_0^1 (x^2 - x) \, dx = \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{2} = -\frac{1}{6}\end{aligned}$$

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4. (a)



$$\begin{aligned}\oint_C (x^2 + y^2) \, dx + 2xy \, dy &= \oint_{C_1+C_2+C_3} (x^2 + y^2) \, dx + 2xy \, dy \\ &= \int_0^2 [(x^2 + x^4) + (2x^3)(2x)] \, dx \\ &\quad + \int_2^0 (x^2 + 16) \, dx + \int_4^0 0 \, dy \\ &= \frac{8}{3} + 32 - \frac{8}{3} - 32 = 0\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{(b)} \quad \oint_C (x^2 + y^2) \, dx + 2xy \, dy &= \iint_D \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (2xy) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (x^2 + y^2) \right] \, dA \\ &= \iint_D (2y - 2y) \, dA = \iint_D (0) \, dA = 0\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}5. \quad \oint_C xy \, dx + y^5 \, dy &= \int_0^2 \int_0^{x/2} (0-x) \, dy \, dx \\ &= \int_0^2 \left(-\frac{1}{2}x^2\right) \, dx = -\frac{4}{3}\end{aligned}$$

$$6. \quad \int_{-1}^1 \int_{-1}^1 (y^5 - x^2) \, dy \, dx = \int_{-1}^1 \left(-\frac{2}{3}\right) \, dx = -\frac{4}{3}$$

$$7. \quad \iint_D (0-0) \, dA = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned}8. \quad \iint_{x^2+y^2 \leq 1} (0-x^2) \, dA &= -\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 r^3 \cos^2 \theta \, dr \, d\theta \\ &= -\pi \left(\frac{1}{4}\right) = -\frac{\pi}{4}\end{aligned}$$

$$9. \quad \iint_D (2x-2x) \, dA = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned}10. \quad \iint_D (2x-x) \, dA &= \int_0^\pi \int_0^{\sin x} x \, dy \, dx = \int_0^\pi x \sin x \, dx \\ &= [-x \cos x + \sin x]_0^\pi = \pi\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}11. \quad \iint_D \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (3x + \sin y) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (y^2 - \tan^{-1} x) \right] \, dA &= \int_{-2}^2 \int_{x^2}^4 (3-2y) \, dy \, dx \\ &= \int_{-2}^2 (-4-3x^2+x^4) \, dx = -\frac{96}{5}\end{aligned}$$

12. The region  $D$  enclosed by  $C$  is given by

$\{(x, y) \mid -2 \leq x \leq 2, -\sqrt{4-x^2} \leq y \leq \sqrt{4-x^2}\}$  or, in polar coordinates,  $\{(r, \theta) \mid 0 \leq \theta \leq \pi, 0 \leq r \leq 2\}$ . Thus,

$$\begin{aligned}\int_C xy \, dx + 2x^2 \, dy &= \iint_D \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (2x^2) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (xy) \right] \, dA \\ &= \iint_D (4x-x) \, dA = \int_0^\pi \int_0^2 (3r \cos \theta) r \, dr \, d\theta \\ &= 3 \int_0^\pi \cos \theta \, d\theta \int_0^2 r^2 \, dr = 3 [\sin \theta]_0^\pi \left[\frac{1}{3}r^3\right]_0^2 \\ &= 3(0) \left(\frac{8}{3}\right) = 0\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
13. \int_C (x^3 - y^3) dx + (x^3 + y^3) dy &= \iint_{1 \leq x^2 + y^2 \leq 9} \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (x^3 + y^3) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (x^3 - y^3) \right] dA \\
&= \iint_{1 \leq x^2 + y^2 \leq 9} (3x^2 + 3y^2) dA \\
&= 3 \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \int_1^3 r^3 dr d\theta = 6\pi \left( \frac{81}{4} - \frac{1}{4} \right) = 120\pi
\end{aligned}$$

14. The region  $D$  enclosed by  $C$  is given, in polar coordinates, by  $\{(r, \theta) \mid 0 \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{4}, 0 \leq r \leq 2\}$ . Thus

$$\begin{aligned}
\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} &= \int_C (y^2 - x^2y) dx + xy^2 dy \\
&= \iint_D (y^2 - 2y + x^2) dA \\
&= \int_0^{\pi/4} \int_0^2 (r^2 - 2r \sin \theta) r dr d\theta \\
&= \int_0^{\pi/4} \left[ 4 - \frac{16}{3} \sin \theta \right] d\theta \\
&= \left[ 4\theta + \frac{16}{3} \cos \theta \right]_0^{\pi/4} = \pi + \frac{8}{3} (\sqrt{2} - 2)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
15. \int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} &= \int_C y^6 dx + xy^5 dy \\
&= \iint_D \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (xy^5) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (y^6) \right] dA \\
&= \iint_D -5y^5 dA = 0
\end{aligned}$$

because  $-5y^5$  is an odd function of  $y$  and  $D$  is symmetric with respect to the  $y$ -axis.

$$\begin{aligned}
16. \int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} &= \int_C x^3y dx + x^4 dy \\
&= \iint_{0 \leq x^4 + y^4 \leq 1} (4x^3 - x^3) dA \\
&= \int_{-1}^1 \int_{-\sqrt[4]{1-y^4}}^{\sqrt[4]{1-y^4}} 3x^3 dx dy \\
&= \int_{-1}^1 \left[ \frac{3}{4} x^4 \right]_{-\sqrt[4]{1-y^4}}^{\sqrt[4]{1-y^4}} dx = 0
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
17. A &= \oint_C x dy = \int_0^{2\pi} (\cos^3 t) (3 \sin^2 t \cos t) dt \\
&= 3 \int_0^{2\pi} (\cos^4 t \sin^2 t) dt \\
&= 3 \left[ -\frac{1}{6} (\sin t \cos^5 t) \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \frac{1}{6} \left[ \frac{1}{4} (\sin t \cos^3 t) + \frac{3}{8} (\cos t \sin t) + \frac{3}{8} t \right] \right]_0^{2\pi} \\
&= 3 \left( \frac{1}{6} \right) \left( \frac{6}{8} \pi \right) = \frac{3}{8} \pi
\end{aligned}$$

Or:

$$\begin{aligned}
&3 \int_0^{2\pi} (\cos^4 t \sin^2 t) dt \\
&= 3 \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1}{8} \left[ \frac{1}{2} (1 - \cos 4t) + \sin^2 2t \cos 2t \right] dt = \frac{3}{8} \pi
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
18. A &= \oint_C x dy = \int_0^{2\pi} (\cos t) (3 \sin^2 t \cos t) dt \\
&= 3 \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1}{8} (1 - \cos 4t) dt = \frac{3}{4} \pi
\end{aligned}$$