

**APPM 2350—Section Exam 3—140 points**  
 Wednesday November 28, 6:00pm – 7:30pm, 2018

ON THE FRONT OF YOUR BLUEBOOK write: (1) your name, (2) your student ID number, (3) lecture section/time (4) your instructor's name, and (5) a grading table. Text books, class notes, and calculators are NOT permitted. A one-page one-sided crib sheet is allowed.

**Problem 1 – True/False:** (20 points)

For the following true/false questions, write TRUE (for always true) or FALSE (if not always true). Your work will not be graded.

- (a) The force field  $\mathbf{F}(x, y) = \langle -16 - 5y - 3x^2, -7 - 5x - 4y^2 \rangle$  acts mostly against the movement of a particle that travels once counterclockwise around the triangle with corners  $(1, 0)$ ,  $(0, 1)$ ,  $(-1, 0)$  because the work done is negative.
- (b) For any function  $f(x, y)$  continuous on all of  $\mathbb{R}^2$ ,  $\int_0^1 \int_0^x f(x, y) dy dx = \int_0^1 \int_0^y f(x, y) dx dy$ .
- (c) A line parallel to the  $y$ -axis through the center of mass of a closed, connected, two-dimensional lamina in the  $x$ - $y$  plane divides the lamina into subregions of equal area.
- (d) Suppose the curve  $C$  is the straight line path from the origin to the point  $(\pi, \pi)$ , then the line integral  $\int_C f(x, y) ds$  can be written  $\int_0^\pi f(t, t) dt$ .

**Problem 2 – Short Answer Questions:** (40 points)

For the questions in this problem, show all your work and clearly box your final answer. Partial credit may be given.

- (a) The integral

$$I = \int_0^{\sqrt{2}} \int_y^{\sqrt{4-y^2}} \int_0^{\sqrt{4-x^2-y^2}} dz dx dy$$

calculates the volume of a 3D object in Cartesian coordinates. However, it's difficult to evaluate in these coordinates. Convert the integral  $I$  to an equivalent integral (or integrals) in spherical coordinates. (You DO NOT need to evaluate).

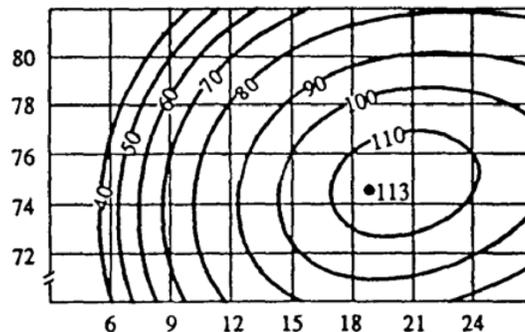


FIGURE 1. **Problems 2b, 2c, and 2d utilize this level curve (contour) graph of the function  $g(x, y)$ . In all these problems, the vector field  $\mathbf{G}(x, y) = \nabla g(x, y)$  is used.**

- (b) Let  $C$  be the level curve defined by  $g(x, y) = 110$  and oriented counter-clockwise. Determine whether the work done by  $\mathbf{G}$  around  $C$  is positive, zero, or negative. Justify your answer.
- (c) Let  $C$  be the level curve defined by  $g(x, y) = 110$  and oriented counter-clockwise. Determine whether the total flux of  $\mathbf{G}$  out of  $C$  is positive, zero, or negative. Justify your answer.
- (d) Let  $C'$  be the straight line path  $\mathbf{r}(t)$  from  $(x, y) = (18, 76)$  to  $(x, y) = (9, 80)$ . Evaluate the work integral  $\int_{C'} \mathbf{G} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$ .

**Problem 3:** (40 points)

On a certain day, the density of lightning strikes in the Colorado Rocky Mountains was found to be well-approximated by the function

$$\delta(x, y) = (x^2 + y^2)^{3/2} [1 + 12 \tan^{-1}(y/x)]$$

strikes per unit area. Some colleagues of yours need to calculate the total number of lightning strikes  $N$  that day in a certain area to help determine the risk of new forest fires. They have decided that this can be accomplished by computing the value of

$$N = \int_{\sqrt{3}/2}^1 \int_{\sqrt{1-x^2}}^{x/\sqrt{3}} \delta(x, y) \, dy \, dx + \int_1^{\sqrt{3}} \int_0^{x/\sqrt{3}} \delta(x, y) \, dy \, dx + \int_{\sqrt{3}}^2 \int_0^{\sqrt{4-x^2}} \delta(x, y) \, dy \, dx.$$

However, since they took Calculus 3 many moons ago, they cannot recall how to do this calculation. Come to their assistance by determining the total number  $N$  of lightning strikes in their area of interest, simplifying your final answer. *Hint: draw the region of integration. Another coordinate system will be useful.*

**Problem 4:** (40 points)

Your mechanical engineering friend designs a new part using CAD software. An important component of the part is determined by the curve  $C$  that is given by the intersection of the surfaces  $y = x^2 + 9$  and  $z = 3$  in three dimensions.

- A wire is placed along the curve  $C$  from  $(2, 13, 3)$  to  $(3, 18, 3)$  whose density at a point on the wire is given by its  $x$ -coordinate. Unfortunately, the CAD software is not capable of determining the mass of the wire so, your friend needs your help. Find the mass of the wire.
- Let  $\mathbf{G}(x, y, z) = 2xy\mathbf{i} + (x^2 + 2z)\mathbf{j} + 2y\mathbf{k}$  be a vector force field. Show that  $\mathbf{G}$  is conservative and find its potential function  $g(x, y, z)$  so that  $\mathbf{G}(x, y, z) = \nabla g(x, y, z)$ .
- Find the work done on the particle by the force field  $\mathbf{G}$  when moving along  $C$  from  $(0, 9, 3)$  to  $(2, 13, 3)$ .