

It's our last Fun Friday! (sniff)

Application of Stokes' Thm to Physics:
Maxwell's Equations

① Gauss's Law for Electricity If Ω is a region in $\mathbb{R}^3$,

$$\iint_{\partial\Omega} \mathbf{E} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}} dA = \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \iiint_{\Omega} \rho dV$$

$\uparrow$ Electric Field $\uparrow$ vacuum permittivity $\uparrow$ charge density

$$= \iiint_{\Omega} (\operatorname{div} \mathbf{E}) dV = \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \iiint_{\Omega} \rho dV$$

Since this is true for any region Ω ,

this means $\operatorname{div} \mathbf{E} = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$ at every point

derivative version of Gauss' Law. $\rightarrow$

② Gauss' Law of Magnetism.

If Ω is a region in $\mathbb{R}^3$,

$$\iint_{\partial\Omega} \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{n} dA = 0 \iff \iiint_{\Omega} \operatorname{div} \mathbf{B} dV = 0$$

$\uparrow$ magnetic field

$\iff$ $\operatorname{div} \mathbf{B} = \nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0$ at every pt.

derivative version of Gauss' Law of Magnetism. $\rightarrow$

③ Faraday's Law of Induction
If Σ_1 is a surface in $\mathbb{R}^3$,



$$\oint_{\partial \Sigma_1} \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{s} = - \frac{d}{dt} \iint_{\Sigma_1} \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{n} dA$$

Stokes

$$\iint_{\Sigma_1} (\nabla \times \mathbf{E}) \cdot \mathbf{n} dA = - \frac{d}{dt} \iint_{\Sigma_1} \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{n} dA$$

Since this true for any surface

$\Rightarrow$

$$\boxed{\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = - \frac{d}{dt} \mathbf{B}}$$

derivative version of Faraday's

④ Ampere's Law: for any surface Σ_1

$$\oint_{\partial \Sigma_1} \mathbf{B} \cdot d\mathbf{s} = \mu_0 \iint_{\Sigma_1} \mathbf{J} \cdot \mathbf{n} dA + \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \iint_{\Sigma_1} \mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{n} dA$$

total current through Σ_1

magnetic field

vacuum permeability

current density

speed of light

$\epsilon_0 \mu_0 = \frac{1}{c^2}$



$$\iint_{\Sigma_1} (\nabla \times \mathbf{B}) \cdot \mathbf{n} dA = "$$

Since this is true for all surfaces Σ_1 ,

$\Rightarrow$

$$\boxed{\nabla \times \mathbf{B} = \mu_0 \mathbf{J} + \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial \mathbf{E}}{\partial t}}$$

derivative version of Ampere's Law.

Maxwell Eqs :

$$\nabla \cdot E = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\nabla \cdot B = 0$$

$$\nabla \times E = -\frac{\partial B}{\partial t}$$

$$\nabla \times B = \mu_0 J + \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial E}{\partial t}$$

Form version:

$$E = E_1 dx + E_2 dy + E_3 dz$$

$$B = B_1 dy_1 dz + B_2 dz_1 dx + B_3 dy_1 dz$$

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Let $F = B + E_1 dt +$

$$\boxed{dF = 0}$$
 First two equations

$$J = \rho dt + \dots$$

$$\boxed{*d*F = J}$$

conversion between
1-form $\Leftrightarrow$ 2-form
form