# Summer 2019 Math 225 Topics covered for Exam 2

#### Section 17.4 Flow of a vector field Know:

- ➤ Definition of a flow line and how to verify is a given parametric curve is a flow line of a given vector field.
- $\succ$  How to find flow lines for a given simple vector field (for example for a field with one component constant).

## Section 18.1 The idea of a line integral Know:

- $\succ$  The definition of a line integral
- ➤ How to estimate and compare line integrals for a given vector field and given curves without calculating them
- $\succ$  Two important applications of line integrals: work and circulation
- $\succ$  Properties of line integrals

### Section 18.2 Computing line integrals over parameterized curves Know:

- ➤ How to parameterize familiar curves (circles, lines, helices, ...)
- $\succ$  How to compute line integrals over parameterized curve
- $\succ$  The differential notation for line integrals

#### Section 18.3 Gradient fields and path-independent fields Know:

- > Fundamental Theorem of Calculus for line integrals
- $\succ$  How to calculate line integrals for gradient fields
- > That a continuous vector field  $\mathbf{F}$  defined on an open region R is path-independent if and only if there exists f such that  $\mathbf{F} = \operatorname{grad} f$ .

#### Section 18.4 Path independent vector fields and Green's theorem Know:

- $\succ$  Green's theorem
- > How to use Green's theorem to calculate line integrals over simple piecewise closed curves
- $\succ$  The curl test for vector fields in 2-space
- $\succ$  The curl test for vector fields in 3-space

#### Section 19.1 The idea of a flux integral Know:

- > How to calculate flux of a constant vector field through a flat surface (the idea of the area vector)
- $\succ$  The definition of a flux integral
- ➤ How to determine if the flux of a given vector field through a given oriented surface is positive, negative or zero (without calculating it)
- $\succ$  How to compare two flux of given vector fields through given oriented surfaces (without calculating them)

## Section 19.2 Know:

> How to calculate flux of a given vector field  $\mathbf{F}(x, y, z)$  through a surface S given as the graph of z = f(x, y) where  $(x, y) \in D$ :

$$\iint_{S} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{A} = \iint_{D} \mathbf{F}(x, y, f(x, y)) \cdot (-f_{x}\mathbf{i} - f_{y}\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}) dx dy$$