EXERCISES, Week 8 (submit by 06.12.2017)

1. Let S be the smooth boundary of a solid object in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  and  $\nu$  its outward unit normal. Let  $\ell$  be a fixed vector of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Prove that  $\iint_S \cos(\hat{\ell}, \nu) \, dS = 0$ .

(Here  $\widehat{\ell, \nu}$  denotes the angle between  $\ell$  and  $\nu$ .)

- 2. Use the Stokes theorem to compute the following line integrals.
  - (a)  $\int_{\gamma} (x+z)dx + (x-y)dy + xdz$ , where  $\gamma$  is the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , z = 1 oriented counter-clockwise viewed from the point (0, 0, 0).
  - (b)  $\int_{\gamma} y^2 dx + z^2 dy + x^2 dz$ , where  $\gamma$  is the triangle with vertices (a, 0, 0), (0, a, 0), (0, 0, 0), (0, 0, 0), (0, 0, 0).
  - (c)  $\int_{\gamma} y dx + z dy + x dz$ , where  $\gamma$  is the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = R^2$ , x + y + z = 0 oriented counter-clockwise viewed from the point (0, 0, 1).
  - (d)  $\int_{\gamma} z^2 dy + x^2 dz$ , where  $\gamma$  is the curve  $y^2 + z^2 = 9$ , 4x + 3z = 5 oriented clockwise viewed from the point (0, 0, 0).
- 3. (a) Let u and v be scalar fields on  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Let  $F = u\nabla v$ . Prove that  $\nabla \times F$  is orthogonal to F.
  - (b) Let F be an arbitrary vector field on  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Is  $\nabla \times F$  orthogonal to F?