

VECTOR ANALYSIS

II.1 VECTOR TRANSFORMATIONS

In this appendix we will indicate the vector transformations from rectangular-tocylindrical (and vice versa), from cylindrical-to-spherical (and vice versa), and from rectangular-to-spherical (and vice versa). The three coordinate systems are shown in Figure II-1.

II.1.1 Rectangular-to-Cylindrical (and Vice Versa)

The coordinate transformation from rectangular (x, y, z) to cylindrical (ρ, ϕ, z) is given, referring to Figure II-1(b):

$$\begin{aligned} x &= \rho \cos \phi \\ y &= \rho \sin \phi \\ z &= z \end{aligned} \tag{II-1}$$

In the rectangular coordinate system we express a vector A as

$$\mathbf{A} = \hat{a}_x A_x + \hat{a}_y A_y + \hat{a}_z A_z \tag{II-2}$$

where \hat{a}_x , \hat{a}_y , \hat{a}_z are the unit vectors and A_x , A_y , A_z are the components of the vector **A** in the rectangular coordinate system. We wish to write **A** as

$$\mathbf{A} = \hat{a}_{\rho}A_{\rho} + \hat{a}_{\phi}A_{\phi} + \hat{a}_{z}A_{z} \tag{II-3}$$

where \hat{a}_{ρ} , \hat{a}_{ϕ} , \hat{a}_z are the unit vectors and A_{ρ} , A_{ϕ} , A_z are the vector components in the cylindrical coordinate system. The z axis is common to both of them.

Referring to Figure II-2, we can write

$$\hat{a}_{x} = \hat{a}_{\rho} \cos \phi - \hat{a}_{\phi} \sin \phi$$
$$\hat{a}_{y} = \hat{a}_{\rho} \sin \phi + \hat{a}_{\phi} \cos \phi$$
$$\hat{a}_{z} = \hat{a}_{z}$$
(II-4)



(a)





(c)

FIGURE II-1 (a) Rectangular, (b) cylindrical, and (c) spherical coordinate systems. (Source: C. A. Balanis, Antenna Theory: Analysis and Design; copyright © 1982, John Wiley & Sons, Inc.; reprinted by permission of John Wiley & Sons, Inc.)

Using (II-4) reduces (II-2) to

$$\mathbf{A} = (\hat{a}_{\rho}\cos\phi - \hat{a}_{\phi}\sin\phi)A_x + (\hat{a}_{\rho}\sin\phi + \hat{a}_{\phi}\cos\phi)A_y + \hat{a}_zA_z$$
$$\mathbf{A} = \hat{a}_{\rho}(A_x\cos\phi + A_y\sin\phi) + \hat{a}_{\phi}(-A_x\sin\phi + A_y\cos\phi) + \hat{a}_zA_z \quad (\text{II-5})$$

which when compared with (II-3) leads to

$$A_{\rho} = A_{x} \cos \phi + A_{y} \sin \phi$$
$$A_{\phi} = -A_{x} \sin \phi + A_{y} \cos \phi$$
$$A_{z} = A_{z}$$
(II-6)





In matrix form, (II-6) can be written as

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_{\rho} \\ A_{\phi} \\ A_{z} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \phi & \sin \phi & 0 \\ -\sin \phi & \cos \phi & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} A_{x} \\ A_{y} \\ A_{z} \end{pmatrix}$$
(II-6a)

where

$$[A]_{rc} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\phi & \sin\phi & 0\\ -\sin\phi & \cos\phi & 0\\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
(II-6b)

is the transformation matrix for rectangular-to-cylindrical components.

Since $[A]_{rc}$ is an orthonormal matrix (its inverse is equal to its transpose), we can write the transformation matrix for cylindrical-to-rectangular components as

$$[A]_{cr} = [A]_{rc}^{-1} = [A]_{rc}^{t} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\phi & -\sin\phi & 0\\ \sin\phi & \cos\phi & 0\\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
(II-7)

or

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_x \\ A_y \\ A_z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \phi & -\sin \phi & 0 \\ \sin \phi & \cos \phi & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} A_\rho \\ A_\phi \\ A_z \end{pmatrix}$$
(II-7a)

or

$$A_{x} = A_{\rho} \cos \phi - A_{\phi} \sin \phi$$
$$A_{y} = A_{\rho} \sin \phi + A_{\phi} \cos \phi$$
$$A_{z} = A_{z}$$
(II-7b)

II.1.2 Cylindrical-to-Spherical (and Vice Versa)

Referring to Figure II-1(c), we can write that the cylindrical and spherical coordinates are related by

$$\rho = r \sin \theta$$

$$z = r \cos \theta$$
(II-8)

In a geometrical approach similar to the one employed in the previous section, we can show that the cylindrical-to-spherical transformation of vector components is given by

$$A_{r} = A_{\rho} \sin \theta + A_{z} \cos \theta$$
$$A_{\theta} = A_{\rho} \cos \theta - A_{z} \sin \theta$$
$$A_{\phi} = A_{\phi}$$
(II-9)

or in matrix form by

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_r \\ A_{\theta} \\ A_{\phi} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \sin \theta & 0 & \cos \theta \\ \cos \theta & 0 & -\sin \theta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} A_{\rho} \\ A_{\phi} \\ A_{z} \end{pmatrix}$$
(II-9a)

Thus the cylindrical-to-spherical transformation matrix can be written as

$$[A]_{cs} = \begin{bmatrix} \sin\theta & 0 & \cos\theta\\ \cos\theta & 0 & -\sin\theta\\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
(II-9b)

The $[A]_{cs}$ matrix is also orthonormal so that its inverse is given by

$$[A]_{sc} = [A]_{cs}^{-1} = [A]_{cs}^{t} = \begin{bmatrix} \sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0\\ 0 & 0 & 1\\ \cos\theta & -\sin\theta & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
(II-10)

and the spherical-to-cylindrical transformation is accomplished by

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_{\rho} \\ A_{\phi} \\ A_{z} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ \cos\theta & -\sin\theta & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} A_{r} \\ A_{\theta} \\ A_{\phi} \end{pmatrix}$$
(II-10a)

or

$$A_{\rho} = A_{r} \sin \theta + A_{\theta} \cos \theta$$
$$A_{\phi} = A_{\phi}$$
$$A_{z} = A_{r} \cos \theta - A_{\theta} \sin \theta \qquad (\text{II-10b})$$

This time the component A_{ϕ} and coordinate ϕ are the same in both systems.

II.1.3 Rectangular-to-Spherical (and Vice Versa)

Many times it may be required that a transformation be performed directly from rectangular-to-spherical components. By referring to Figure II-1, we can write that the rectangular and spherical coordinates are related by

$$x = r \sin \theta \cos \phi$$

$$y = r \sin \theta \sin \phi$$

$$z = r \cos \theta$$
 (II-11)

and the rectangular and spherical components by

$$A_{r} = A_{x} \sin \theta \cos \phi + A_{y} \sin \theta \sin \phi + A_{z} \cos \theta$$
$$A_{\theta} = A_{x} \cos \theta \cos \phi + A_{y} \cos \theta \sin \phi - A_{z} \sin \theta$$
$$A_{\phi} = -A_{x} \sin \phi + A_{y} \cos \phi$$
(II-12)

which can also be obtained by substituting (II-6) into (II-9). In matrix form, (II-12) can be written as

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_r \\ A_{\theta} \\ A_{\phi} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \sin\theta\cos\phi & \sin\theta\sin\phi & \cos\theta \\ \cos\theta\cos\phi & \cos\theta\sin\phi & -\sin\theta \\ -\sin\phi & \cos\phi & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} A_x \\ A_y \\ A_z \end{pmatrix}$$
(II-12a)

with the rectangular-to-spherical transformation matrix being

$$[A]_{rs} = \begin{bmatrix} \sin\theta\cos\phi & \sin\theta\sin\phi & \cos\theta\\ \cos\theta\cos\phi & \cos\theta\sin\phi & -\sin\theta\\ -\sin\phi & \cos\phi & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
(II-12b)

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The transformation matrix of (II-12b) is also orthonormal so that its inverse can be written as

$$[A]_{sr} = [A]_{rs}^{-1} = [A]_{rs}^{t} = \begin{bmatrix} \sin\theta\cos\phi & \cos\theta\cos\phi & -\sin\phi\\ \sin\theta\sin\phi & \cos\theta\sin\phi & \cos\phi\\ \cos\theta & -\sin\theta & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
(II-13)

and the spherical-to-rectangular components related by

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_x \\ A_y \\ A_z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \sin\theta\cos\phi & \cos\theta\cos\phi & -\sin\phi \\ \sin\theta\sin\phi & \cos\theta\sin\phi & \cos\phi \\ \cos\theta & -\sin\theta & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} A_r \\ A_\theta \\ A_\phi \end{pmatrix}$$
(II-13a)

or

$$A_{x} = A_{r} \sin \theta \cos \phi + A_{\theta} \cos \theta \cos \phi - A_{\phi} \sin \phi$$
$$A_{y} = A_{r} \sin \theta \sin \phi + A_{\theta} \cos \theta \sin \phi + A_{\phi} \cos \phi$$
$$A_{z} = A_{r} \cos \theta - A_{\theta} \sin \theta$$
(II-13b)

II.2 VECTOR DIFFERENTIAL OPERATORS

The differential operators of gradient of a scalar $(\nabla \psi)$, divergence of a vector $(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A})$, curl of a vector $(\nabla \times \mathbf{A})$, Laplacian of a scalar $(\nabla^2 \psi)$, and Laplacian of a vector $(\nabla^2 \mathbf{A})$ frequently encountered in electromagnetic field analysis will be listed in the rectangular, cylindrical, and spherical coordinate systems.

II.2.1 Rectangular Coordinates

$$\nabla \psi = \hat{a}_x \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} + \hat{a}_y \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial y} + \hat{a}_z \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial z}$$
(II-14)

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} = \frac{\partial A_x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial A_y}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial z}$$
(II-15)

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{A} = \hat{a}_x \left(\frac{\partial A_z}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial A_y}{\partial z} \right) + \hat{a}_y \left(\frac{\partial A_x}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial x} \right) + \hat{a}_z \left(\frac{\partial A_y}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial A_x}{\partial y} \right)$$
(II-16)

$$\nabla \cdot \nabla \psi = \nabla^2 \psi = \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial z^2}$$
(II-17)

$$\nabla^2 \mathbf{A} = \hat{a}_x \nabla^2 A_x + \hat{a}_y \nabla^2 A_y + \hat{a}_z \nabla^2 A_z$$
(II-18)

II.2.2 Cylindrical Coordinates

$$\nabla \psi = \hat{a}_{\rho} \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial \rho} + \hat{a}_{\phi} \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial \phi} + \hat{a}_{z} \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial z}$$
(II-19)

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} = \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} (\rho A_{\rho}) + \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial A_{\phi}}{\partial \phi} + \frac{\partial A_{z}}{\partial z}$$
(II-20)

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{A} = \hat{a}_{\rho} \left(\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial \phi} - \frac{\partial A_{\phi}}{\partial z} \right) + \hat{a}_{\phi} \left(\frac{\partial A_{\rho}}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial \rho} \right) \\ + \hat{a}_z \left(\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial (\rho A_{\phi})}{\partial \rho} - \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial A_{\rho}}{\partial \phi} \right)$$
(II-21)

$$\nabla^{2} \psi = \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} \left(\rho \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial \rho} \right) + \frac{1}{\rho^{2}} \frac{\partial^{2} \psi}{\partial \phi^{2}} + \frac{\partial^{2} \psi}{\partial z^{2}}$$
(II-22)

$$\nabla^{2} \mathbf{A} = \nabla (\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A}) - \nabla \times \nabla \times \mathbf{A}$$
 (II-23)

or in an expanded form

$$\nabla^{2}\mathbf{A} = \hat{a}_{\rho} \left(\frac{\partial^{2}A_{\rho}}{\partial\rho^{2}} + \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial A_{\rho}}{\partial\rho} - \frac{A_{\rho}}{\rho^{2}} + \frac{1}{\rho^{2}} \frac{\partial^{2}A_{\rho}}{\partial\phi^{2}} - \frac{2}{\rho^{2}} \frac{\partial A_{\phi}}{\partial\phi} + \frac{\partial^{2}A_{\rho}}{\partialz^{2}} \right) + \hat{a}_{\phi} \left(\frac{\partial^{2}A_{\phi}}{\partial\rho^{2}} + \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial A_{\phi}}{\partial\rho} - \frac{A_{\phi}}{\rho^{2}} + \frac{1}{\rho^{2}} \frac{\partial^{2}A_{\phi}}{\partial\phi^{2}} + \frac{2}{\rho^{2}} \frac{\partial A_{\rho}}{\partial\phi} + \frac{\partial^{2}A_{\phi}}{\partialz^{2}} \right) + \hat{a}_{z} \left(\frac{\partial^{2}A_{z}}{\partial\rho^{2}} + \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial A_{z}}{\partial\rho} + \frac{1}{\rho^{2}} \frac{\partial^{2}A_{z}}{\partial\phi^{2}} + \frac{\partial^{2}A_{z}}{\partialz^{2}} \right)$$
(II-23a)

In the cylindrical coordinate system $\nabla^2 \mathbf{A} \neq \hat{a}_{\rho} \nabla^2 A_{\rho} + \hat{a}_{\phi} \nabla^2 A_{\phi} + \hat{a}_z \nabla^2 A_z$ because the orientation of the unit vectors \hat{a}_{ρ} and \hat{a}_{ϕ} varies with the ρ and ϕ coordinates.

II.2.3 Spherical Coordinates

$$\nabla \psi = \hat{a}_r \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial r} + \hat{a}_\theta \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial \theta} + \hat{a}_\phi \frac{1}{r \sin \theta} \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial \phi}$$
(II-24)

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} = \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (r^2 A_r) + \frac{1}{r \sin \theta} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} (\sin \theta A_\theta) + \frac{1}{r \sin \theta} \frac{\partial A_\phi}{\partial \phi}$$
(II-25)

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{A} = \frac{\hat{a}_r}{r\sin\theta} \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial\theta} (A_\phi \sin\theta) - \frac{\partial A_\theta}{\partial\phi} \right] + \frac{\hat{a}_\theta}{r} \left[\frac{1}{\sin\theta} \frac{\partial A_r}{\partial\phi} - \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (rA_\phi) \right] \\ + \frac{\hat{a}_\phi}{r} \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial r} (rA_\theta) - \frac{\partial A_r}{\partial\theta} \right]$$
(II-26)

$$\nabla^2 \psi = \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left(r^2 \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial r} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2 \sin \theta} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \left(\sin \theta \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial \theta} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2 \sin^2 \theta} \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial \phi^2} \quad (\text{II-27})$$

$$\nabla^{2}\mathbf{A} = \nabla(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A}) - \nabla \times \nabla \times \mathbf{A}$$
(II-28)

or in an expanded form

$$\nabla^{2}\mathbf{A} = \hat{a}_{r} \left(\frac{\partial^{2}A_{r}}{\partial r^{2}} + \frac{2}{r} \frac{\partial A_{r}}{\partial r} - \frac{2}{r^{2}}A_{r} + \frac{1}{r^{2}} \frac{\partial^{2}A_{r}}{\partial \theta^{2}} + \frac{\cot\theta}{r^{2}} \frac{\partial A_{r}}{\partial \theta} + \frac{1}{r^{2} \sin^{2}\theta} \frac{\partial^{2}A_{r}}{\partial \phi^{2}} \right)$$
$$- \frac{2}{r^{2}} \frac{\partial A_{\theta}}{\partial \theta} - \frac{2\cot\theta}{r^{2}}A_{\theta} - \frac{2}{r^{2} \sin\theta} \frac{\partial A_{\phi}}{\partial \phi} \right)$$
$$+ \hat{a}_{\theta} \left(\frac{\partial^{2}A_{\theta}}{\partial r^{2}} + \frac{2}{r} \frac{\partial A_{\theta}}{\partial r} - \frac{A_{\theta}}{r^{2} \sin^{2}\theta} + \frac{1}{r^{2}} \frac{\partial^{2}A_{\theta}}{\partial \theta^{2}} + \frac{\cot\theta}{r^{2}} \frac{\partial A_{\theta}}{\partial \theta} \right)$$
$$+ \frac{1}{r^{2} \sin^{2}\theta} \frac{\partial^{2}A_{\theta}}{\partial \phi^{2}} + \frac{2}{r^{2}} \frac{\partial A_{r}}{\partial \theta} - \frac{2\cot\theta}{r^{2} \sin\theta} \frac{\partial A_{\phi}}{\partial \phi} \right)$$
$$+ \hat{a}_{\phi} \left(\frac{\partial^{2}A_{\phi}}{\partial r^{2}} + \frac{2}{r} \frac{\partial A_{\phi}}{\partial r} - \frac{1}{r^{2} \sin^{2}\theta} A_{\phi} + \frac{1}{r^{2}} \frac{\partial^{2}A_{\theta}}{\partial \theta^{2}} + \frac{2}{r^{2} \sin\theta} \frac{\partial A_{\phi}}{\partial \phi} \right)$$
$$+ \frac{2\cot\theta}{r^{2}} \frac{\partial A_{\phi}}{\partial \theta} + \frac{1}{r^{2} \sin^{2}\theta} \frac{\partial^{2}A_{\phi}}{\partial \phi^{2}} + \frac{2}{r^{2} \sin\theta} \frac{\partial A_{r}}{\partial \phi}$$
(II-28a)

Again note that $\nabla^2 \mathbf{A} \neq \hat{a}_r \nabla^2 A_r + \hat{a}_{\theta} \nabla^2 A_{\theta} + \hat{a}_{\phi} \nabla^2 A_{\phi}$ since the orientation of the unit vectors \hat{a}_r , \hat{a}_{θ} , and \hat{a}_{ϕ} varies with the r, θ , and ϕ coordinates.

II.3 VECTOR IDENTITIES

II.3.1 Addition and Multiplication

$$\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{A} = |\mathbf{A}|^2 \tag{II-29}$$

$$\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{A}^* = |\mathbf{A}|^2 \tag{II-30}$$

$$\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{B} + \mathbf{A} \tag{II-31}$$

$$\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{A} \tag{II-32}$$

$$\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B} = -\mathbf{B} \times \mathbf{A} \tag{II-33}$$

$$(\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}) \cdot \mathbf{C} = \mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{C} + \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{C}$$
(II-34)

$$(\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}) \times \mathbf{C} = \mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{C} + \mathbf{B} \times \mathbf{C}$$
(II-35)

$$\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B} \times \mathbf{C} = \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{A} = \mathbf{C} \cdot \mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}$$
(II-36)

$$\mathbf{A} \times (\mathbf{B} \times \mathbf{C}) = (\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{C})\mathbf{B} - (\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B})\mathbf{C}$$
(II-37)

$$(\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}) \cdot (\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{D}) = \mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B} \times (\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{D})$$
$$= \mathbf{A} \cdot (\mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{D}\mathbf{C} - \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{C}\mathbf{D})$$
$$= (\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{C})(\mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{D}) - (\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{D})(\mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{C}) \qquad (\text{II-38})$$

$$(\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}) \times (\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{D}) = (\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{D})\mathbf{C} - (\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{C})\mathbf{D}$$
 (II-39)

II.3.2 Differentiation

 $\nabla \cdot (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) = 0 \tag{II-40}$

$$\nabla \times \nabla \psi = 0 \tag{II-41}$$

$$\nabla(\phi + \psi) = \nabla\phi + \nabla\psi \tag{II-42}$$

$$\nabla(\phi\psi) = \phi\nabla\psi + \psi\nabla\phi \tag{II-43}$$

$$\nabla \cdot (\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}) = \nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} + \nabla \cdot \mathbf{B}$$
(II-44)

$$\nabla \times (\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}) = \nabla \times \mathbf{A} + \nabla \times \mathbf{B}$$
(II-45)

$$\nabla \cdot (\psi \mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{A} \cdot \nabla \psi + \psi \nabla \cdot \mathbf{A}$$
(II-46)

$$\nabla \times (\psi \mathbf{A}) = \nabla \psi \times \mathbf{A} + \psi \nabla \times \mathbf{A}$$
(II-47)

$$\nabla (\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B}) = (\mathbf{A} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{B} + (\mathbf{B} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{A} + \mathbf{A} \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{B}) + \mathbf{B} \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) \quad (\text{II-48})$$

$$\nabla \cdot (\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}) = \mathbf{B} \cdot \nabla \times \mathbf{A} - \mathbf{A} \cdot \nabla \times \mathbf{B}$$
(II-49)

$$\nabla \times (\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B}) = \mathbf{A} \nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} - \mathbf{B} \nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} + (\mathbf{B} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{A} - (\mathbf{A} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{B}$$
(II-50)

$$\nabla \times \nabla \times \mathbf{A} = \nabla (\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A}) - \nabla^2 \mathbf{A}$$
 (II-51)

II.3.3 Integration

$$\oint_C \mathbf{A} \cdot d\mathbf{l} = \iint_S (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) \cdot d\mathbf{s} \quad \text{Stokes' theorem}$$
(II-52)

$$\oint_{S} \mathbf{A} \cdot d\mathbf{s} = \iiint_{V} (\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A}) \, dv \quad \text{divergence theorem} \tag{II-53}$$

$$\oint_{S} (\hat{n} \times \mathbf{A}) \, ds = \iiint_{V} (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) \, dv \tag{II-54}$$

$$\oint_{S} \psi \, d\mathbf{s} = \iiint_{V} \nabla \psi \, dv \tag{II-55}$$

$$\oint_C \psi \, d\mathbf{l} = \iint_S \hat{n} \times \nabla \psi \, ds \tag{II-56}$$