

Coordinate and Coordinate Component Transformations

Rectangular to Cylindrical

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

Cylindrical to Rectangular

$$\begin{aligned}\rho &= \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \\ \phi &= \tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x} \\ z &= z\end{aligned}$$

Spherical to Rectangular

$$\begin{aligned}r &= \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2} \\ \theta &= \tan^{-1} \frac{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}{z} \\ \phi &= \tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} A_\rho \\ A_\phi \\ A_z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \phi & \sin \phi & 0 \\ -\sin \phi & \cos \phi & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A_x \\ A_y \\ A_z \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} A_x \\ A_y \\ A_z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} & -\frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} & 0 \\ \frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} & \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A_\rho \\ A_\phi \\ A_z \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} A_x \\ A_y \\ A_z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} & \frac{xz}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} & -\frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \\ \frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} & \frac{yz}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} & \frac{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \\ \frac{z}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} & -\frac{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A_r \\ A_\theta \\ A_\phi \end{bmatrix}$$

Rectangular to Spherical

$$\begin{aligned}x &= r \sin \theta \cos \phi \\y &= r \sin \theta \sin \phi \\z &= r \cos \theta\end{aligned}$$

Cylindrical to Spherical

$$\begin{aligned}\rho &= r \sin \theta \\ \phi &= \phi \\ z &= r \cos \theta\end{aligned}$$

Spherical to Cylindrical

$$\begin{aligned}r &= \sqrt{\rho^2 + z^2} \\ \theta &= \tan^{-1} \frac{\rho}{z} \\ \phi &= \phi\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} A_r \\ A_\theta \\ A_\phi \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \sin \theta \cos \phi & \sin \theta \sin \phi & \cos \theta \\ \cos \theta \cos \phi & \cos \theta \sin \phi & -\sin \theta \\ -\sin \phi & \cos \phi & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A_x \\ A_y \\ A_z \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} A_r \\ A_\theta \\ A_\phi \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \sin \theta & 0 & \cos \theta \\ \cos \theta & 0 & -\sin \theta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A_\rho \\ A_\phi \\ A_z \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} A_\rho \\ A_\phi \\ A_z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\rho}{\sqrt{\rho^2 + z^2}} & \frac{z}{\sqrt{\rho^2 + z^2}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ \frac{z}{\sqrt{\rho^2 + z^2}} & -\frac{\rho}{\sqrt{\rho^2 + z^2}} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A_r \\ A_\theta \\ A_\phi \end{bmatrix}$$