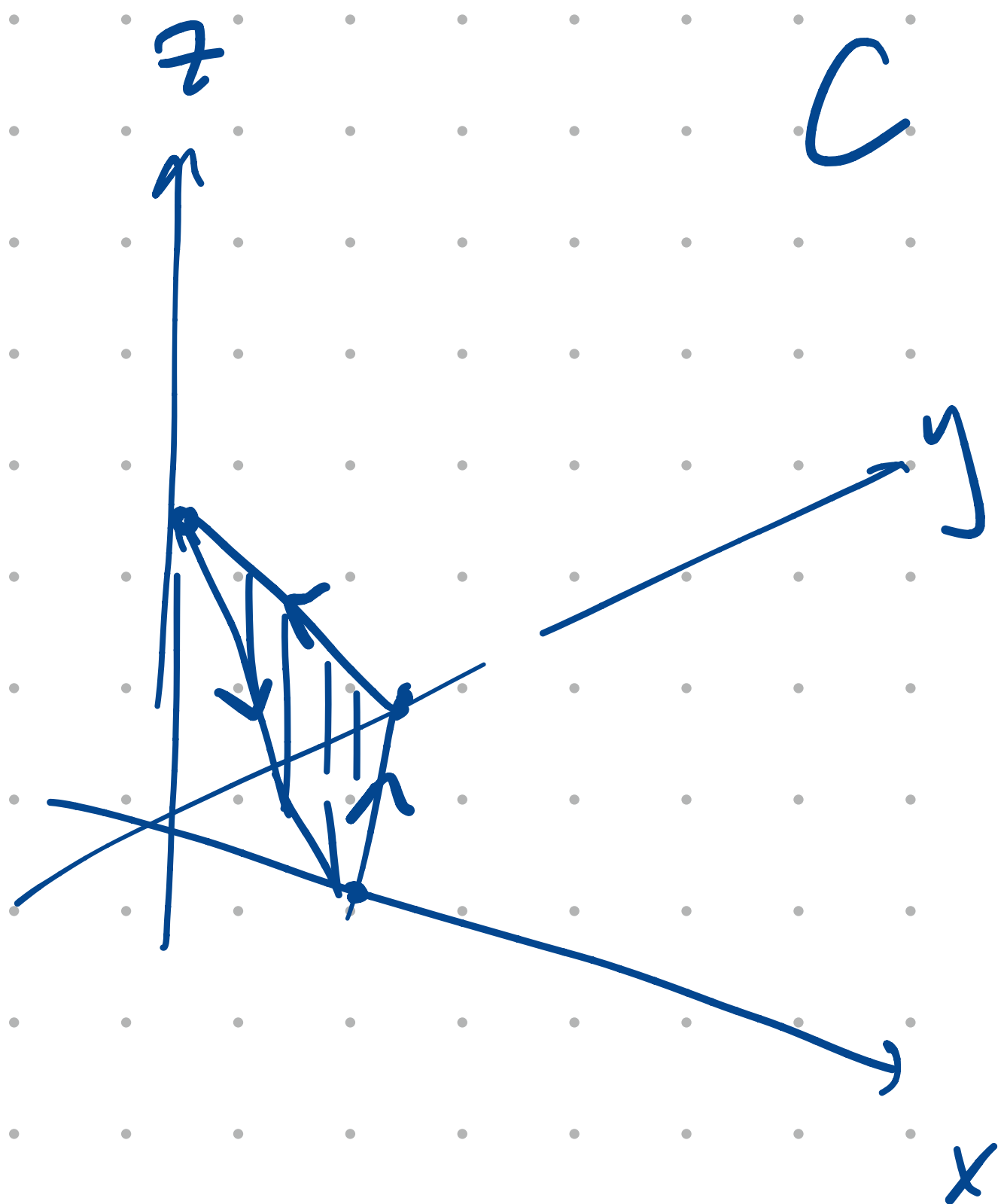


16.8 #7



C is "CCW when viewed from above"

In general: use RHR to figure out correct orientation.

But in these special cases:

surface
up \uparrow
(ie. normal has +
 z component)

"positively oriented"
(in the z dir)

bounding curve
CCW when viewed from above

down \downarrow
(normal has -
 z -component)

"negatively oriented"
(in the z dir)

CW when viewed from above

$$\iint \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S}$$

surface

"orientation" is about this and has nothing to do with \vec{F} .

Quiz 10 Summary:

#1) Is it possible to have

$$\nabla \times \vec{F} = \langle y, -x, z \rangle$$

for some \vec{F} ?

two important identities: $\nabla \times \nabla f = \vec{0}$ always

$$\nabla \cdot (\nabla \times \vec{F}) = 0 \text{ always.}$$

Sol:

$$0 = \nabla \cdot (\nabla \times \vec{F}) = \nabla \cdot \langle y, -x, z \rangle = 1$$

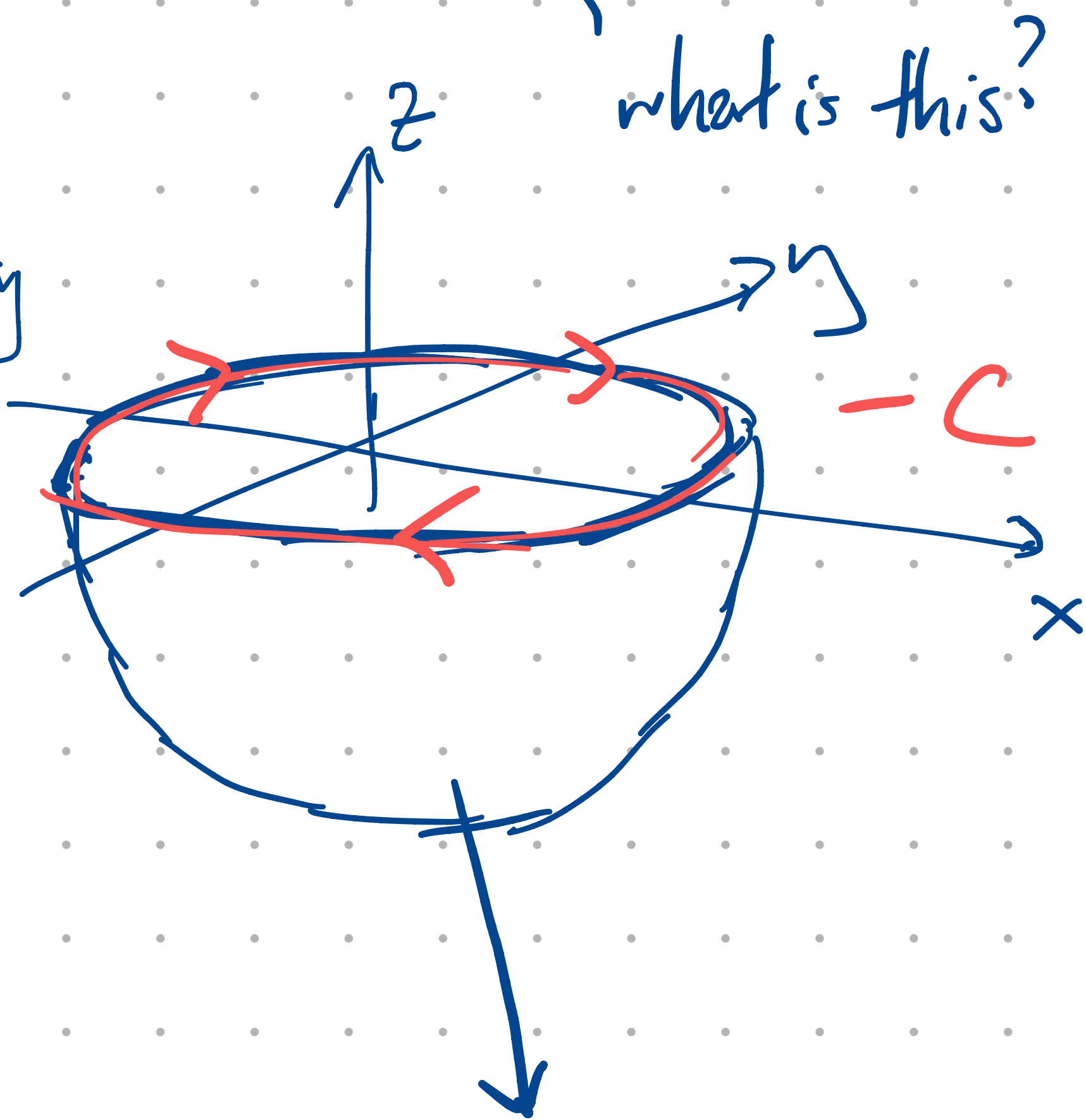
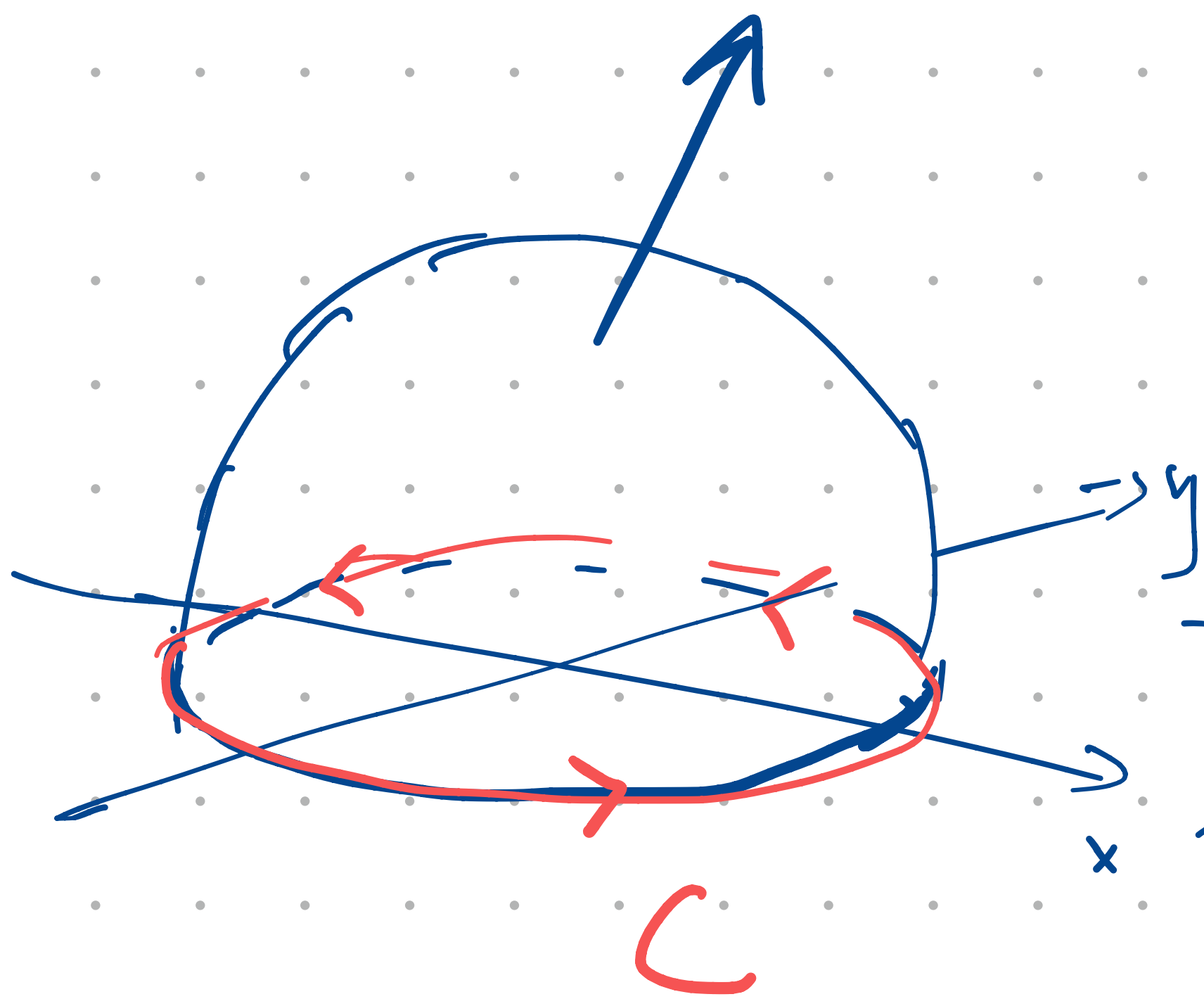
This is a contradiction, so such an \vec{F} cannot exist. \square

#2) $S: x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$, outwards

$$\iint_S (\nabla \times \langle -y, x, z \rangle) \cdot d\vec{S}.$$

Method 1: Stokes

$$\iint_S (\nabla \times \langle -y, x, z \rangle) \cdot d\vec{S} = \int_{\text{boundary of } S} \langle -y, x, z \rangle \cdot d\vec{r}.$$



One interp:

$$\iint_S (\nabla \times \langle -y, x, z \rangle) \cdot d\vec{S}$$

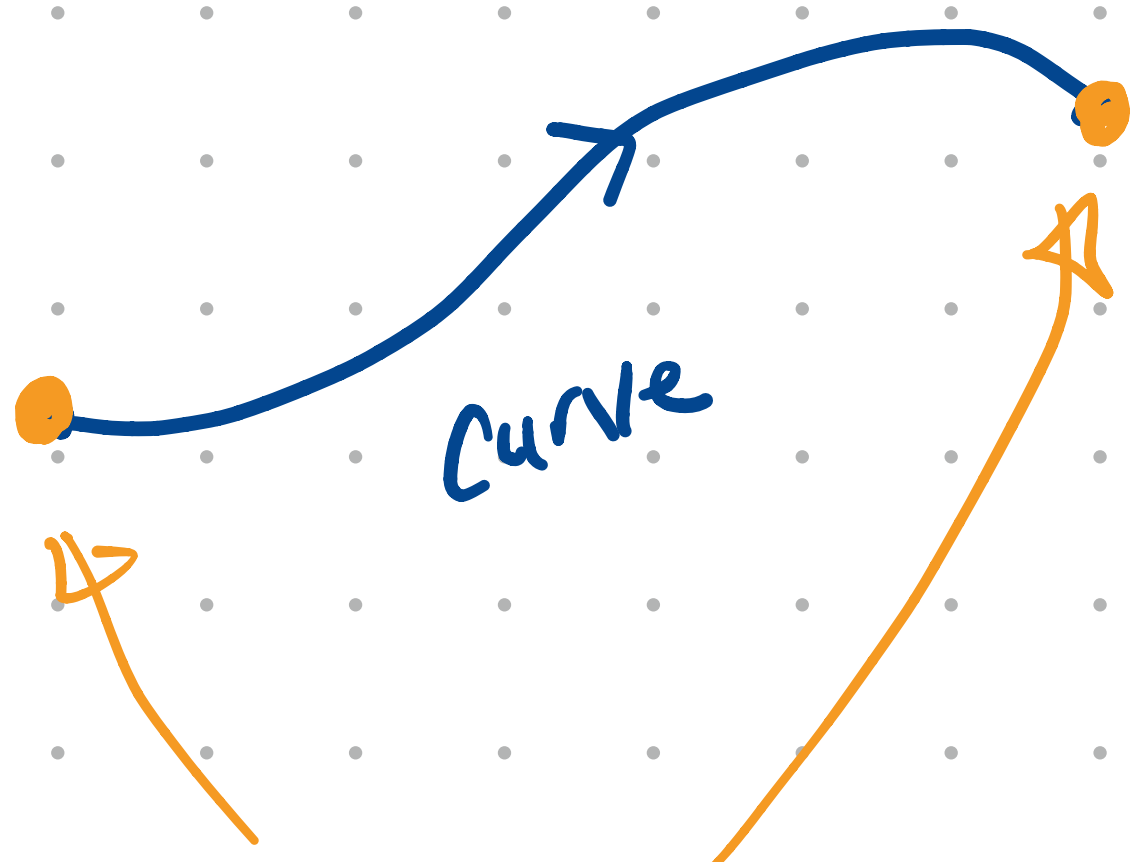
$$= \iint_{\text{upper hemi}} (\nabla_x \langle -y, x, z \rangle) \cdot d\vec{S} + \iint_{\text{lower hemi}} (\nabla_x \langle -y, x, z \rangle) \cdot d\vec{S}$$

$$= \int_C \langle -y, x, z \rangle \cdot d\vec{r} + \int_{-C} \langle -y, x, z \rangle \cdot d\vec{r}$$

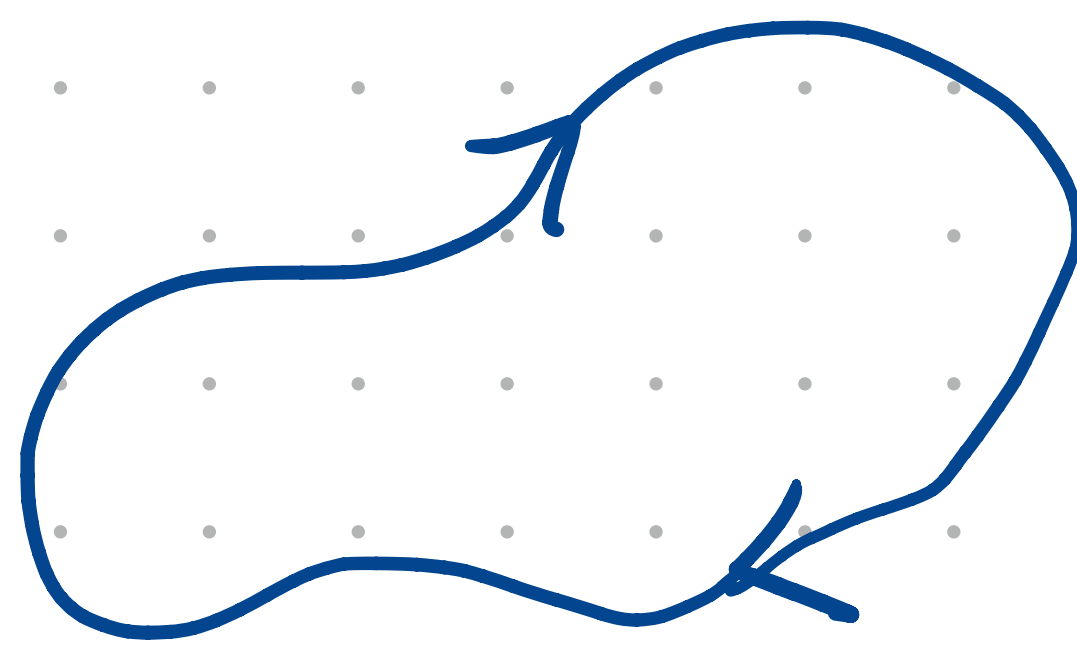
$$= \int_C \langle -y, x, z \rangle \cdot d\vec{r} - \int_C \langle -y, x, z \rangle \cdot d\vec{r} = 0.$$

Another interpretation:

First let's consider a diff question...

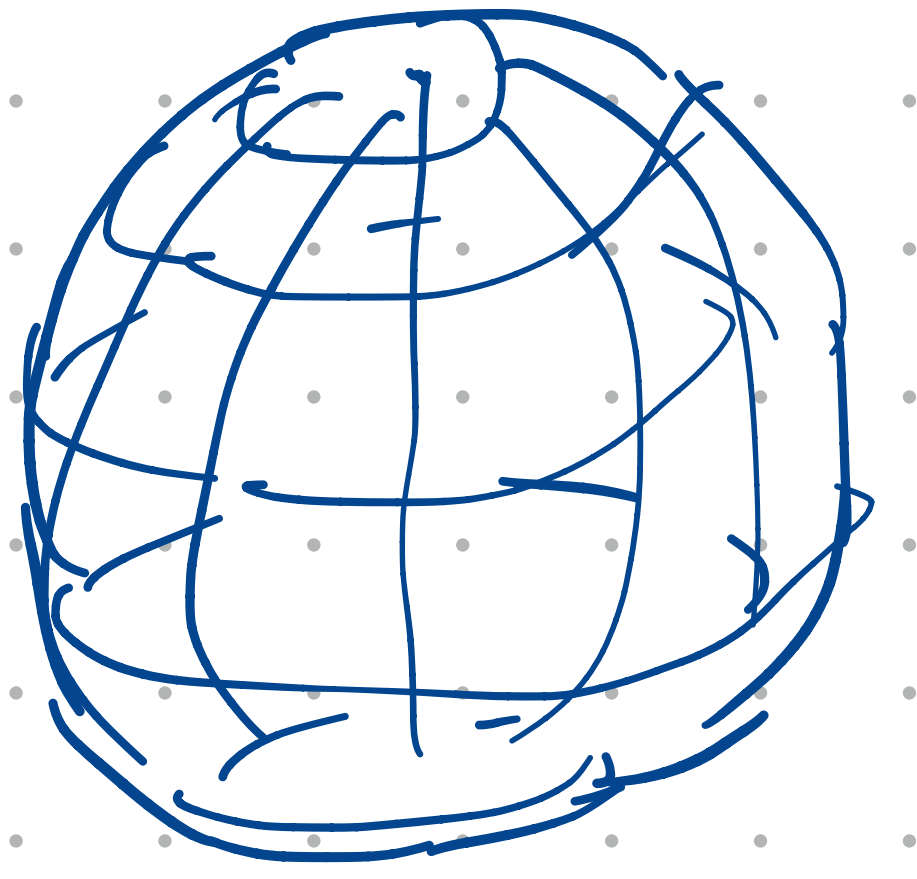
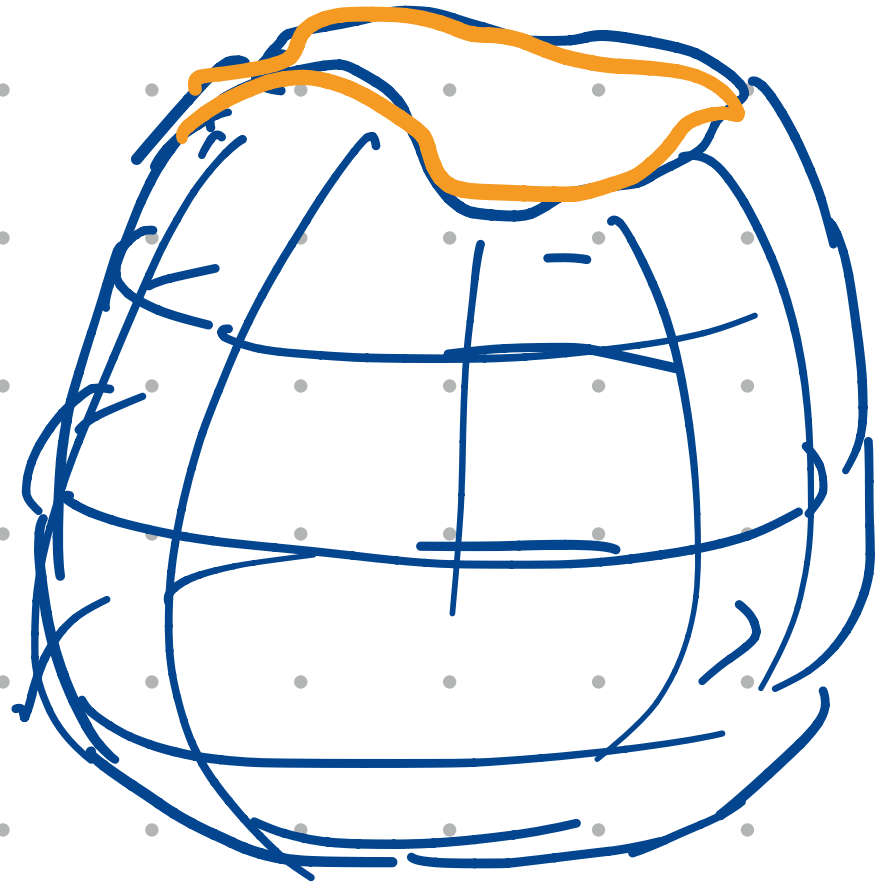
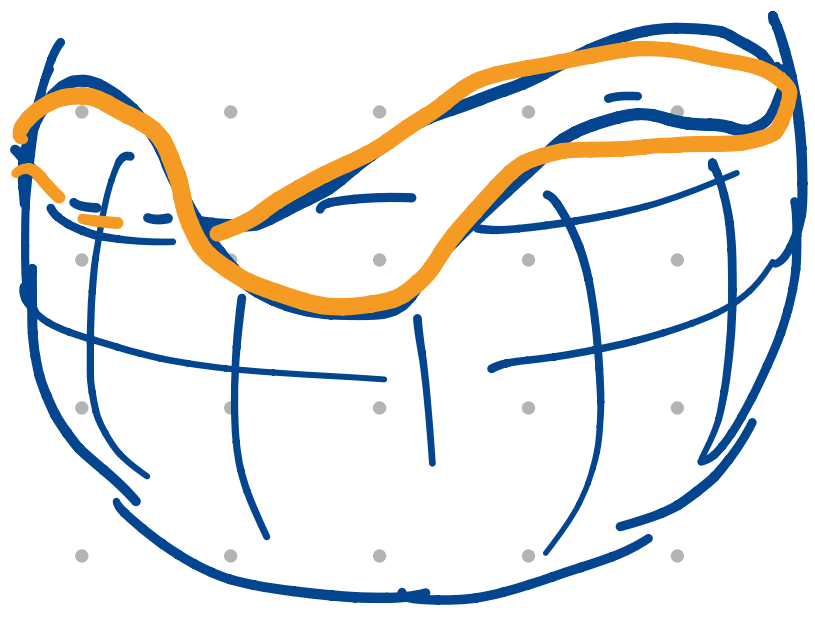


"boundary" (i.e. endpoints)
of curve.



what's the boundary
of this
curve?

it has no boundary.



there is no "edge" to this surface.

So Stokes just gives

$$\iint_S (\nabla \times \langle -y, x, z \rangle) \cdot d\vec{S} = \int \langle -y, x, z \rangle \cdot d\vec{r} = 0.$$

Method 2: Divergence Thm

$$\oiint_S (\nabla \times \langle -y, x, z \rangle) \cdot d\vec{S} = \iiint_{\text{region enclosed by } S} \nabla \cdot (\nabla \times \langle -y, x, z \rangle) dV = \iiint_{x^2+y^2+z^2 \leq 1} 0 dV$$

closed surface, oriented outwards.

⚠ If the problem had instead been

$$\iint_S \left(\nabla_x \left(\frac{\langle -y, x, z \rangle}{x^2 + y^2 + z^2} \right) \right) \cdot d\vec{S}$$

then the Stokes method would still work and conclude the integral is 0, but the divergence thm. no longer works.