

Gauss Divergence Theorem:-

It states that, the volume integral of the divergence of vector field A taken over any volume V bounded by a closed surface S is equal to surface integral of A taken over the surface S .

Mathematically

$$\iiint_V \text{div} A \, dV = \iint_S A \cdot ds$$

Stokes Theorem:-

It states that the surface integral of a curl of a vector field A taken over any surface S is equal to the line integral of A around a closed curve.

$$\iint_S (\text{curl} A) \, ds = \oint A \cdot df$$

OR

$$\iint_S (\nabla \times A) \, ds = \oint A \cdot df.$$

Physical significance & derivation of Maxwell's Equations

To derive Maxwell Eqn we need to study following terms -

1) Gauss law of Electrostatics:-

Gauss law states that Electric flux through any closed surface is equal to net charge enclosed by the surface divided by Permittivity of vacuum.

$$\phi = \frac{Q}{\epsilon_0} \text{ OR } \frac{q}{\epsilon_0}$$

Gauss law of Electrostatics (Integral Form)

The number of lines of force passing through a small area element dS is given by.

$$d\phi = E \cdot dS = E dS \cos\theta$$

This is known as Electric flux of the field over the elementary surface dS .

For a closed surface Flux of field is given by -

$$\phi = \oint E \cdot dS$$

In Integral Form

Total outward flux of Electric field over a closed surface is equal to $\frac{1}{\epsilon_0}$ times the total net charge contained in a volume enclosed by the surface

$$\boxed{\oint E \cdot dS = Q/\epsilon_0}$$

E - Electric field Intensity dS - Surface element.