- (a) $f_x(x,y,z)=yz$ implies f(x,y,z)=xyz+g(y,z) and so $f_y(x,y,z)=xz+g_y(y,z)$. But $f_y(x,y,z)=xz$ so $g_y(y,z)=0 \Rightarrow g(y,z)=h(z)$. Thus f(x,y,z)=xyz+h(z) and $f_z(x,y,z)=xy+h'(z)$. But $f_z(x,y,z)=xy+2z$, so $h'(z)=2z \Rightarrow h(z)=z^2+K$. Hence $f(x,y,z)=xyz+z^2$ (taking K=0).
- (b) $\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = f(5, 6, 2) f(2, 0, -2) = 64 4 = 60$.