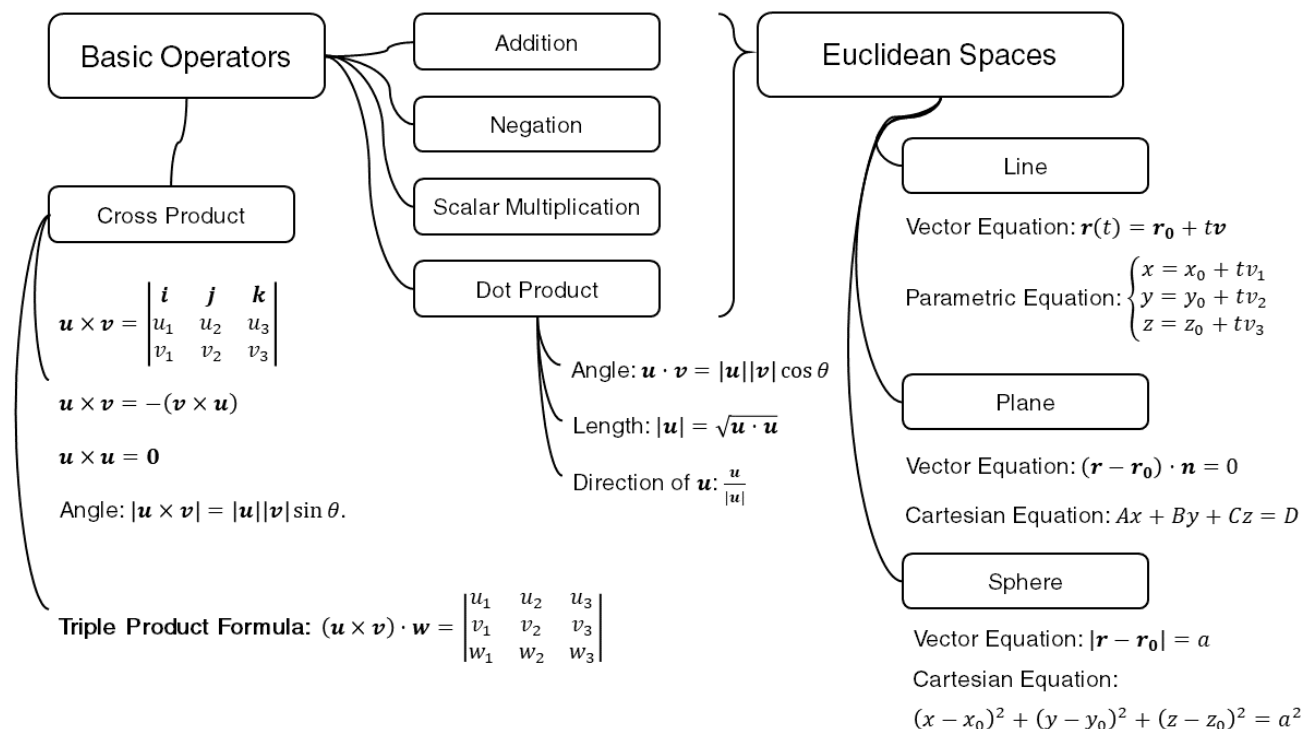


MA2104 Multivariable Calculus

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1. Euclidean Spaces and Vector



Triangle Inequality: $|\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}| \leq |\mathbf{u}| + |\mathbf{v}|$

Cauchy-Schwarz Inequality: $|\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}| \leq |\mathbf{u}||\mathbf{v}|$

2. Vector-Valued Single Variable Function

Parametrised Curve

- $r: I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ parametrised by $t: \mathbf{r}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} r_0(t) \\ r_1(t) \\ r_2(t) \end{pmatrix}$.

Limit

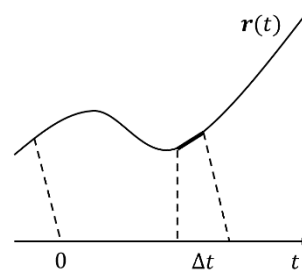
- r has limit L as $t \rightarrow t_0$ if and only if $\forall \epsilon \in \mathbb{R}_{>0}, \exists \delta \in \mathbb{R}_{>0}$, such that $\forall t \in I$ with $0 < |t - t_0| < \delta, |\mathbf{r}(t) - L| < \epsilon$.
- $\lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} \mathbf{r}(t) = L \Leftrightarrow \forall j \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}, \lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} r_j(t) = L_t$.

Continuity

- $r(t)$ is continuous **at a point** $t = t_0$ if $\lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} \mathbf{r}(t) = \mathbf{r}(t_0)$.
- $r(t)$ is continuous if it is continuous **at every point** in its domain.
- $r(t)$ is continuous at $t = t_0$ if and only if every component function is continuous there.

Derivative

- r is differentiable at a point t if and only if $\exists r'(t) \in \mathbb{R}^n$ such that
$$\lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\Delta t} (r(t + \Delta t) - r(t)) = r'(t) \text{ in } \mathbb{R}^n.$$
- r is differentiable on I if r is differentiable at every point in its domain.
- r is differentiable at t if and only if every component function is differentiable there.
- r is continuously differentiable if and only if r is differentiable and r' is continuous.
- Sum Rule, Difference Rule, Scalar Multiplication Rule and Chain Rule apply.
- **Dot Product Rule:** $\frac{d}{dt} [u(t) \cdot v(t)] = u'(t) \cdot v(t) + u(t) \cdot v'(t).$
- **Cross Product Rule:** $\frac{d}{dt} [u(t) \times v(t)] = u'(t) \times v(t) + u(t) \times v'(t)$



Integral

- r is integrable over $I = [a, b]$ if and only if $\exists L \in \mathbb{R}^n$ such that
$$\lim_{\|P\| \rightarrow 0} \sum_{k=1}^n r(c_k) \Delta t_k = L.$$
- r is integrable over I if and only if every component function is integrable there.
- **Indefinite Integral R :** $\forall x \in [a, b], R(x) = \int_a^x r(t) dt.$

3. Curve, Surface and Region

Curve

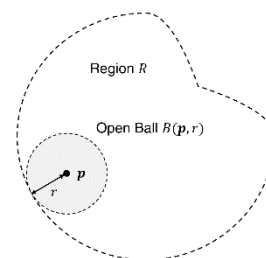
- **Smooth:** r is smooth if and only if r is continuously differentiable and has non-vanishing derivative.
 - Non-vanishing: $\forall t \in I, r'(t) \neq \mathbf{0}.$
- **Piecewise Smooth:** Finite number of smooth curves pieced together in a continuous fashion.
- **Arc Length:** $\int_a^b |r'(t)| dt.$

Surface

- **Parametrised Surface:** $r: R \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$, where $R \in \mathbb{R}^2$ is an open rectangle, a closed rectangle or a region.
- **Smooth:** r is smooth if and only if r is continuously differentiable and has non-vanishing $r_u \times r_v.$
- **Area:** $\iint_R |r_u \times r_v| dA.$

Region

- A region in \mathbb{R}^n is a subset of \mathbb{R}^n , which is usually assumed to be “nice” – connected, open/compact, etc.
 - A region R is **open** if and only if $\forall p \in R, \exists r \in \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}$ such that $B(p, r) \subseteq R.$
 - A region R is **bounded** if it lies inside a disk of finite radius.
 - A region R is **compact** if it is closed and bounded.
 - A **compact rectangle** is a subset of \mathbb{R}^n in the form $X = X_1 \times X_2 \times \dots \times X_n$, where each X_i is a closed and bounded interval in \mathbb{R}^1 (i.e. $[a, b]$).



4. Multivariable Function

Multivariable Function

- $f: R \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ where $R \in \mathbb{R}^m$ is an open region.
- Vector of Scalar-Valued Component Functions: $f(\mathbf{p}) = \begin{pmatrix} f_1(\mathbf{p}) \\ \dots \\ f_n(\mathbf{p}) \end{pmatrix}$.

Limit

- f has limit L as $\mathbf{p} \rightarrow \mathbf{p}_0$ if and only if $\forall \epsilon \in \mathbb{R}_{>0}, \exists \delta \in \mathbb{R}_{>0}$, such that $\forall t \in I$ with $0 < |\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{p}_0| < \delta, |f(\mathbf{p}) - L| < \epsilon$.
- **Calculation Rules** (for all functions): Let $\lim_{\mathbf{p} \rightarrow \mathbf{p}_0} f(\mathbf{p}) = L, \lim_{\mathbf{p} \rightarrow \mathbf{p}_0} g(\mathbf{p}) = M$, then:
 - $\lim_{\mathbf{p} \rightarrow \mathbf{p}_0} (f(\mathbf{p}) \pm g(\mathbf{p})) = L \pm M$;
 - $\lim_{\mathbf{p} \rightarrow \mathbf{p}_0} cf(\mathbf{p}) = cL$.
- **Calculation Rules** (for all scalar-valued functions): Let $\lim_{\mathbf{p} \rightarrow \mathbf{p}_0} f(\mathbf{p}) = L, \lim_{\mathbf{p} \rightarrow \mathbf{p}_0} g(\mathbf{p}) = M$, then:
 - $\lim_{\mathbf{p} \rightarrow \mathbf{p}_0} (f(\mathbf{p}) \cdot g(\mathbf{p})) = L \cdot M$;
 - $\lim_{\mathbf{p} \rightarrow \mathbf{p}_0} \left(\frac{f(\mathbf{p})}{g(\mathbf{p})}\right) = \frac{L}{M}$, where $M \neq 0$;
 - $\lim_{\mathbf{p} \rightarrow \mathbf{p}_0} (f(\mathbf{p}))^n = L^n$, where n is a positive integer;
 - $\lim_{\mathbf{p} \rightarrow \mathbf{p}_0} (\sqrt[n]{f(\mathbf{p})}) = \sqrt[n]{L}$, where n is a positive integer.

Continuity

- $f(\mathbf{p})$ is continuous **at a point** $\mathbf{p} = \mathbf{p}_0$ if $\lim_{\mathbf{p} \rightarrow \mathbf{p}_0} f(\mathbf{p}) = f(\mathbf{p}_0)$.
- $f(\mathbf{p})$ is continuous on R if it is continuous **at every point** on R .
- If f is continuous at \mathbf{p}_0 , g is continuous at $f(\mathbf{p}_0)$, then $g \circ f$ is continuous at \mathbf{p}_0 .

Differentiability

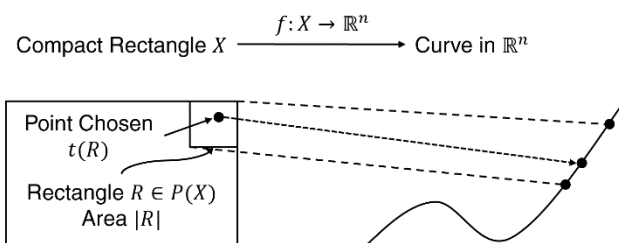
- f is differentiable **at a point** \mathbf{p}_0 if and only if $\exists A: \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ such that $\forall \epsilon \in \mathbb{R}_{>0}, \exists \delta \in \mathbb{R}_{>0}$, such that $\forall \mathbf{p} \in R$ with $|\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{p}_0| < \delta$, one has $|f(\mathbf{p}) - (f(\mathbf{p}_0) + A(\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{p}_0))| \leq \epsilon |\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{p}_0|$. Here
- f is differentiable on R if it is differentiable **at every point** on R .
- Differentiability implies continuity.
- **Directional Derivative w.r.t. \mathbf{u} :** $(D_{\mathbf{u}}f)(\mathbf{p}_0) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(\mathbf{p}_0 + s\mathbf{u}) - f(\mathbf{p}_0)}{s} = A\mathbf{u}$.
- $(D_{\mathbf{u}}f)(\mathbf{p}_0) = \begin{pmatrix} (D_{\mathbf{u}}f_1)(\mathbf{p}_0) \\ \dots \\ (D_{\mathbf{u}}f_n)(\mathbf{p}_0) \end{pmatrix}$.
- **Partial Derivative:** Directional derivative w.r.t. standard unit vectors, $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_j}(\mathbf{p}_0) = f_{x_j}(\mathbf{p}_0) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(\mathbf{p}_0 + se_j) - f(\mathbf{p}_0)}{s}$.
- $(Df)(\mathbf{p}_0) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_1}(\mathbf{p}_0) & \dots & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_n}(\mathbf{p}_0) \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial f_n}{\partial x_1}(\mathbf{p}_0) & \dots & \frac{\partial f_n}{\partial x_n}(\mathbf{p}_0) \end{bmatrix} = J_f(\mathbf{p}_0)$.

- Gradient of Scalar-Valued Function:** $(\Delta f)(\mathbf{p}) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1}(\mathbf{p}) \\ \dots \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_n}(\mathbf{p}) \end{pmatrix}$. This is obviously same as first row of total derivative map. Hence, $(\Delta f)(\mathbf{p}) \cdot \mathbf{u} = (D_{\mathbf{u}}f)(\mathbf{p})$.
- Sum Rule, Difference Rule, Scalar Multiplication Rule and Chain Rule apply.
- f is continuously differentiable on R if and only if f is differentiable on R and f' is continuous.
- f is continuously differentiable on R if and only if all partial derivatives of every component function exist and is continuous.
- f is of class C^r if and only if all partial derivatives of every component function exist and is of class C^{r-1} .
- Taylor's Theorem:** Let R be an open subset of \mathbb{R}^m , $f: R \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a scalar-valued function of class C^{r+1} . Let $\mathbf{p}_0 \in R$ and suppose $\delta \in \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}$ such that $B(\mathbf{p}_0, \delta) \subseteq R$ (in domain). Then, $\forall \xi \in \mathbb{R}^m$ with $|\xi| < \delta$, one has

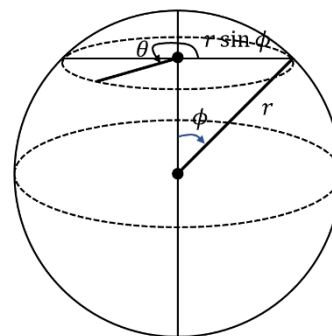
$$f(\mathbf{p}_0 + \xi) = \left[\sum_{d=0}^r \sum_{\substack{\alpha \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}^m \\ |\alpha|=d}} \frac{1}{\alpha!} \frac{\partial^d f}{\partial x_1^{\alpha_1} \dots \partial x_m^{\alpha_m}}(\mathbf{p}_0) \cdot (\xi_1^{\alpha_1} \dots \xi_m^{\alpha_m}) \right] + R(\xi),$$
 where $\alpha = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_1 \\ \dots \\ \alpha_m \end{pmatrix}$, $|\alpha| = \alpha_1 + \dots + \alpha_m$, $\alpha! = \alpha_1! \dots \alpha_m!$. Here, $\exists c \in (0,1)$ (so that it is inside the open ball) such that $R(\xi) = \sum_{\substack{\alpha \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}^m \\ |\alpha|=r+1}} \frac{1}{\alpha!} \frac{\partial^d f}{\partial x_1^{\alpha_1} \dots \partial x_m^{\alpha_m}}(\mathbf{p}_0 + c\xi) \cdot (\xi_1^{\alpha_1} \dots \xi_m^{\alpha_m})$.
 - Case $m = 1$: $\exists c \in (a, b)$ such that $f(b) = \left[f(a) + f'(a)(b-a) + \frac{f''(a)}{2!}(b-a)^2 + \dots + \frac{f^{(n)}(a)}{n!}(b-a)^n \right] + \left[\frac{f^{(n+1)}(c)}{(n+1)!}(b-a)^{n+1} \right]$.
 - Case $m = 2$: $\exists c \in (0,1)$ such that $f(a+h, b+k) = \left[f(a, b) + (hf_x + kf_y)|_{a,b} + \frac{1}{2!}(h^2 f_{xx} + 2hk f_{xy} + k^2 f_{yy})|_{a,b} + \dots + \frac{1}{n!} \left(h \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + k \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right)^n f|_{a,b} \right] + \left[\frac{1}{(n+1)!} \left(h \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + k \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right)^{n+1} f|_{a+ch, b+ck} \right]$.
 - Proof is simple by induction.
- Linear Approximation:** $f(\mathbf{p}) \approx L(\mathbf{p}) = f(\mathbf{p}_0) + \sum_{k=1}^m f_{x_k}(\mathbf{p}_0)(p_k - p_{0,k})$.
 - Error: Let $\xi = \mathbf{p} - \mathbf{p}_0$, then $E(\mathbf{p}) \leq \frac{1}{2} M (\sum_{i=1}^m |\xi_i|^2)$, where $\forall i, j \in \{1, \dots, m\}, \forall \mathbf{p} \in R, f_{x_i x_j}(\mathbf{p}) \leq M$.
 - Proof is via Taylor's Theorem (Case $n = 1$).

Integral

- f is Riemann integrable over X if and only if $\exists \mathbf{L} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ such that $\lim_{|P| \rightarrow 0} \sum_{R \in P} f(t(R))|R| = \mathbf{L}$.
- Sum Rule, Difference Rule, Scalar Multiplication Rule apply.
- Domination Rule:** f is order-preserving.
- Additivity Rule:** $\int_R f dA = \int_{R_1} f dA + \int_{R_2} f dA$ if $R = R_1 \cup R_2$ and $|R_1 \cap R_2| = 0$.
- f is Riemann integrable if and only if every component function is Riemann integrable.
- A function f is Riemann integrable if and only if f is bounded and $Dis(f)$ is of measure 0 in \mathbb{R}^m .
 - Measure 0: $\forall \epsilon \geq 0, \exists$ rectangles R_1, \dots, R_n such that $Dis(f) \subseteq R_1 \cup \dots \cup R_n$ and $|R_1| + \dots + |R_n| < \epsilon$.
 - Every continuous function on X is Riemann integrable.**
- $R \subseteq \mathbb{R}^m$ is a "nice" region if R is closed, bounded and the set of boundary points is of measure 0.



- **Fubini's Theorem:** Given R is a nice region and f is continuous on R , then $\int_{X \times Y} f(x, y) d(x, y) = \int_X \int_Y f(x, y) dy dx = \int_Y \int_X f(x, y) dx dy$.
- **Volume:** $vol(R) = \int_R 1 dx$.
- **Average Value:** $\frac{\int_R f dx}{\int_R 1 dx}$.
- **Change of Variable Formula:** $\int_R f(x) dx = \int_G f(g(\mathbf{u})) |J_g(\mathbf{u})| d\mathbf{u}$.
- **Polar Integral:** $\int_R f(x, y) dx dy = \int_G f(r \cos \theta, r \sin \theta) r dr d\theta$.
- **Cylindrical Integral:** $\int_R f(x, y, z) dx dy dz = \int_G f(r \cos \theta, r \sin \theta, z) r dr d\theta dz$.
- **Spherical Integral:** $\int_R f(x, y, z) dx dy dz = \int_G f(\rho \sin \phi \cos \theta, \rho \sin \phi \sin \theta, \rho \cos \phi) \rho^2 \sin \phi d\rho d\phi d\theta$.



5. Line Integral

Line Integral Of Scalar-Valued Function

- Let C be a smooth curve in \mathbb{R}^n , and $\mathbf{r}(t)$ is a bijective smooth parametrisation of C . Let $f: C \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a scalar-valued function on C . Then $\int_C f ds = \int_I f(\mathbf{r}(t)) |\mathbf{r}'(t)| dt$.
- **Additivity Rule:** If a piecewise smooth curve C is made up of finite number of smooth curves C_1, C_2, \dots, C_n , then $\int_C f ds = \int_{C_1} f ds + \int_{C_2} f ds + \dots + \int_{C_n} f ds$.

Vector Field and Gradient

- A vector field on $X \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$ is a vector-valued function $\mathbf{F}: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$.
- A vector field is continuous/smooth if and only if \mathbf{F} is continuous/smooth.
- **Gradient:** $\nabla f(\mathbf{p}) = (\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1}(\mathbf{p}), \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2}(\mathbf{p}), \dots, \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_n}(\mathbf{p}))$. f is a potential function of ∇f .
- Δf is a continuous vector field if and only if f is continuously differentiable.
- Sum Rule, Difference Rule, Constant Multiple Rule, Product Rule and Quotient Rule apply.
- Conservative fields are gradient fields, $\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$ is path independent on conservative fields.
- If \mathbf{F} is conservative on D , then $\oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = 0$ around every loop in D .
- **Component Test for Conservative Fields:** If \mathbf{F} is a gradient vector field, then $\forall i, j \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$, $\frac{\partial F_i}{\partial x_j} = \frac{\partial F_j}{\partial x_i}$ on D . If D is connected and simply connected, then the converse holds.

- In \mathbb{R}^3 , let $\mathbf{F} = M(x, y, z)\mathbf{i} + N(x, y, z)\mathbf{j} + P(x, y, z)\mathbf{k}$ be a field on an open simply connected domain,

$$\text{then } \mathbf{F} \text{ is conservative if and only if } \begin{cases} \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial N}{\partial z} \\ \frac{\partial M}{\partial z} = \frac{\partial P}{\partial x} \\ \frac{\partial N}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial M}{\partial y} \end{cases}.$$

Line Integral Of Vector Field

- Let C be a smooth curve in \mathbb{R}^n , and $\mathbf{r}(t)$ is a bijective smooth parametrisation of C . Let $\mathbf{F}: C \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ be a continuous vector field on C . Then $\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_I \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{r}(t)) \cdot \mathbf{r}'(t) dt$.

- This depends on the chosen \mathbf{r} up to orientation.
- **Fundamental Theorem of Line Integrals:** When C is smooth/piecewise smooth, $\int_C \nabla f \cdot d\mathbf{r} = f(\mathbf{B}) - f(\mathbf{A})$.

6. Surface Integral

Surface Integral of Scalar-Valued Function

- Let S be a smooth surface in \mathbb{R}^n , and $\mathbf{r}(u, v)$ is a bijective smooth parametrisation of S . Let $G: S \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a scalar-valued function on S . Then $\int_S G d\sigma = \int_R G(\mathbf{r}(u, v)) |\mathbf{r}_u(u, v) \times \mathbf{r}_v(u, v)| d(u, v)$.
 - **Area of Smooth Surface:** $\int_S 1 d\sigma = \int_R |\mathbf{r}_u(u, v) \times \mathbf{r}_v(u, v)| d(u, v)$.
- **Additivity Rule:** If a piecewise smooth surface S is made up of finite number of smooth curves S_1, S_2, \dots, S_n , then $\int_S f ds = \int_{S_1} f ds + \int_{S_2} f ds + \dots + \int_{S_n} f ds$.

Surface Integral of Vector Field

- Let S be a smooth surface in \mathbb{R}^n , and $\mathbf{r}(u, v)$ is a bijective smooth parametrisation of S . Let $\mathbf{F}: S \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be a continuous vector field on S . Then $\int_S \mathbf{F} d\mathbf{S} = \int_S \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} d\sigma = \int_R \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{r}(u, v)) \cdot \mathbf{r}_u(u, v) \times \mathbf{r}_v(u, v) d(u, v)$.
 - This depends on the chosen \mathbf{r} up to orientation.

Curl and Divergence

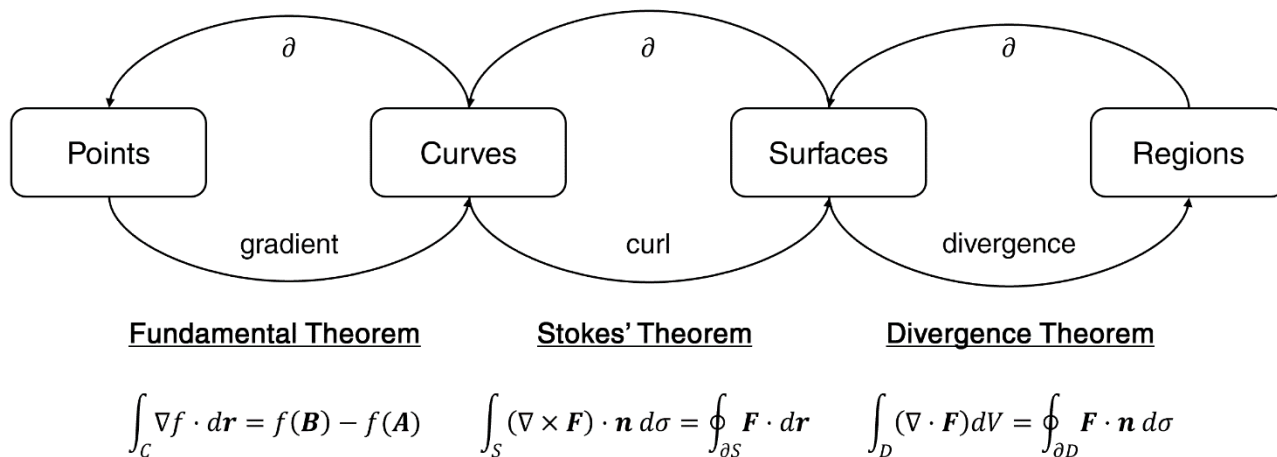
- Let U be an open set in \mathbb{R}^3 , $\mathbf{F}: U \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be a differentiable vector field. Then the **curl** of \mathbf{F} is the vector field

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{F}: U \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3 \text{ given by } (\nabla \times \mathbf{F})(\mathbf{p}) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial P}{\partial y}(\mathbf{p}) - \frac{\partial N}{\partial z}(\mathbf{p}) \\ \frac{\partial M}{\partial z}(\mathbf{p}) - \frac{\partial P}{\partial x}(\mathbf{p}) \\ \frac{\partial N}{\partial x}(\mathbf{p}) - \frac{\partial M}{\partial y}(\mathbf{p}) \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$\circ \nabla \times \mathbf{F} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} M \\ N \\ P \end{pmatrix}.$$

- $\nabla \times \mathbf{F}$ is continuous vector field if and only if \mathbf{F} is continuously differentiable.
- Let $\mathbf{G} = \nabla \times \mathbf{F}$, then \mathbf{G} is a curl vector field and \mathbf{F} is a vector potential of \mathbf{G} .
- Sum Rule, Difference Rule, Constant Multiple Rule and Product Rule apply.
 - **Product Rule:** $\nabla \times (f\mathbf{F}) = f(\nabla \times \mathbf{F}) + (\nabla f) \times \mathbf{F}$.
- Given f is twice continuously differentiable, $\nabla \times (\nabla f) = \mathbf{0}$.
- **Stokes' Theorem:** Let S be a smooth surface in \mathbb{R}^3 , and $\mathbf{r}(u, v)$ is a bijective smooth parametrisation of S . Let ∂S be the counter-clockwise boundary of S . Let \mathbf{F} be a continuously differentiable vector field defined on S , then $\int_S (\nabla \times \mathbf{F}) \cdot \mathbf{n} d\sigma = \oint_{\partial S} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_{\partial S} \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{r}(t)) \cdot \mathbf{r}'(t) dt$.
 - **Green's Theorem:** $\oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{T} ds = \oint_C M dx + N dy = \iint_R \left(\frac{\partial N}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial M}{\partial y} \right) dx dy$.
- Let U be an open set in \mathbb{R}^3 , $\mathbf{F}: U \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be a differentiable vector field. Then the **divergence** of \mathbf{F} is the scalar valued function $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F}: U \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ given by $(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F})(\mathbf{p}) = \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial x_1} + \dots + \frac{\partial F_n}{\partial x_n}$.

- $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} M \\ N \\ P \end{pmatrix}$.
- $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F}$ is continuous if \mathbf{F} is continuously differentiable.
- Sum Rule, Difference Rule, Constant Multiple Rule and Product Rule apply.
 - **Product Rule:** $\nabla \cdot (f\mathbf{F}) = f(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F}) + (\nabla f) \cdot \mathbf{F}$.
- Given \mathbf{F} is twice continuously differentiable, $\nabla \cdot (\nabla \times \mathbf{F}) = 0$.
- **Divergence Theorem:** Let D be a nice region in \mathbb{R}^3 , whose boundary ∂D is a piecewise smooth surface. Let $\mathbf{F}: D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be a continuously differentiable vector field on D . Then $\int_D (\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F}) dV = \oint_{\partial D} \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{n} d\sigma$.



7. Application of Multivariable Calculus

Extreme Value

- Let $f: R \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a scalar-valued function. If R is compact and f is continuous, then there exists a **global maximum** value $f(\mathbf{p})$ such that $\forall \mathbf{q} \in R, f(\mathbf{q}) \leq f(\mathbf{p})$.
- $\mathbf{p} \in R$ is a **local maximum** point for f if and only if $\exists \epsilon \in \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}$ such that $\forall \mathbf{q} \in R$ with $|\mathbf{q} - \mathbf{p}| < \epsilon$, one has $f(\mathbf{q}) \leq f(\mathbf{p})$.
- **First Derivative Test:** If \mathbf{p} is a local maximum/minimum point of f , then $(\nabla f)(\mathbf{p}) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1}(\mathbf{p}) \\ \dots \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_n}(\mathbf{p}) \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{0}$.
- $\mathbf{p} \in R$ is a **critical point** of f when all partial derivatives of f is 0 (or some does not exist).
- $\mathbf{p} \in R$ is a **saddle point** if and only if it is a critical point but not a local maximum/minimum point.
- **Second Derivative Test:** Assume f is twice continuously differentiable. The **Hessian** of f is the matrix-valued function given by $H_f(\mathbf{p}) = [\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_i \partial x_j}(\mathbf{p})]$. Suppose \mathbf{p} is a critical point of f , then:
 - If $H_f(\mathbf{p})$ is negative definite (all eigenvalues are negative), then \mathbf{p} is a local maximum point.
 - If $H_f(\mathbf{p})$ is positive definite (all eigenvalues are positive), then \mathbf{p} is a local minimum point.
 - If $H_f(\mathbf{p})$ is indefinite (some eigenvalues are opposite signed), then \mathbf{p} is a saddle point.
 - Otherwise, the test is inconclusive.
 - What does this imply in \mathbb{R}^2 ?

Maxwell's Equations**Gauss's Law for Electric Fields**

$$\Phi_E = \oint_S \mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{n} \, dA = \frac{q_{enc}}{\epsilon_0}$$

- Interpretation: The flux of an electric field passing through any closed surface is proportional to the total charge contained within that surface.
- Φ_E : Electric flux through surface S .
- S : Closed surface.
- \mathbf{E} : Electric field (electrical force per unit charge).
- q_{enc} : Total amount of charge contained within surface S .
- ϵ_0 : Electric constant.

Apply Divergence Theorem to L.H.S.:

$$LHS = \int_V \nabla \cdot \mathbf{E} \, dV$$

Rewrite q_{enc} in terms of electric charge density:

$$RHS = \int_V \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0} \, dV$$

Gauss's Law for Electric Fields

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{E} = \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$$

- \mathbf{E} : Electric field (electrical force per unit charge).
- ρ : Electric charge density.
- ϵ_0 : Electric constant.

Gauss's Law for Magnetic Fields

$$\Phi_B = \oint_S \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{n} \, dA = 0$$

- Interpretation: The total magnetic flux passing through any closed surface is zero.
- Φ_B : Magnetic flux through surface S .
- S : Closed surface.
- \mathbf{B} : Magnetic field.

Apply Divergence Theorem to L.H.S.:

$$LHS = \int_V \nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} \, dV$$

$$RHS = 0$$

Gauss's Law for Magnetic Fields

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0$$

- \mathbf{B} : Magnetic field.

Faraday's Law

$$\oint_C \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{l} = -\frac{d}{dt} \int_S \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{n} dA$$

- Interpretation: Changing magnetic flux through a surface induces an e.m.f. in any boundary path of that surface and a changing magnetic field induces a circulating electric field.
- $e.m.f. = \oint_C \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{l}$: Electromotive force around path C .
- C : Boundary of surface S .
- \mathbf{E} : Induced electric fields along path C .
- $\Phi_B = \int_S \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{n} dA$: Magnetic flux through surface S .
- S : Any surface (not necessarily closed).
- \mathbf{B} : Magnetic field.

Apply Stokes' Theorem to L.H.S.:

$$LHS = \int_S (\nabla \times \mathbf{E}) \cdot \mathbf{n} dA$$

Put differentiation in R.H.S. under integral sign:

$$RHS = \int_S -\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} \cdot \mathbf{n} dA$$

Faraday's Law

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = -\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t}$$

- \mathbf{E} : Electric field (electrical force per unit charge).
- \mathbf{B} : Magnetic field.

Ampère-Maxwell Law

$$\oint_C \mathbf{B} \cdot d\mathbf{l} = \mu_0 (I_{enc} + \varepsilon_0 \frac{d}{dt} \int_S \mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{n} dA)$$

- $\oint_C \mathbf{B} \cdot d\mathbf{l}$: Magnetic flux circulation around path C .
- C : Boundary of surface S .
- \mathbf{B} : Induced magnetic field.
- μ_0 : Permeability of free space.
- I_{enc} : "Enclosed current", the net current that penetrates surface S .
- ε_0 : Permittivity of free space.
- S : Any surface (usually not closed).
- \mathbf{E} : Electric field.
- $\Phi_E = \int_S \mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{n} dA$: Electric flux through surface S .

Apply Stokes' Theorem to L.H.S.:

$$LHS = \int_S (\nabla \times \mathbf{B}) \cdot \mathbf{n} dV$$

Write I_{enc} in terms of current density and put differentiation inside integral sign:

$$RHS = \int_S \mu_0 \left(\mathbf{J} + \varepsilon_0 \frac{\partial \mathbf{E}}{\partial t} \right) \cdot \mathbf{n} dA$$

Ampère-Maxwell Law

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{B} = \mu_0 \left(\mathbf{J} + \varepsilon_0 \frac{\partial \mathbf{E}}{\partial t} \right)$$

- \mathbf{B} : Induced magnetic field.
- μ_0 : Permeability of free space.
- \mathbf{J} : Electric current density.
- ε_0 : Permittivity of free space.
- \mathbf{E} : Electric field.

- **Laplacian of Scalar-Valued Function:** Divergence of gradient, $\nabla^2 f = \nabla \cdot (\nabla f)$.
- **Laplacian of Vector Field:** Gradient of divergence minus curl of curl, $\nabla^2 \mathbf{A} = \nabla(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{A}) - \nabla \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{A})$.

References

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