

Q3: We know that the angle function θ is defined as follows: $\theta(x, y) = \begin{cases} \arctan(\frac{y}{x}) & x > 0, y > 0 \\ \pi + \arctan(\frac{y}{x}) & x < 0 \\ 2\pi + \arctan(\frac{y}{x}) & x > 0, y < 0 \\ \frac{\pi}{2} & x = 0, y > 0 \\ \frac{3\pi}{2} & x = 0, y < 0 \end{cases}$ We

see that $\theta(x, y)$ is a continuously differentiable function of x, y on $\mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{0\}$. We compute $d\theta$ as

$$\begin{aligned} d\theta &= dx \wedge \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} + dy \wedge \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y} \\ &= \frac{\frac{-y}{x^2}}{1 + (\frac{y}{x})^2} dx + \frac{\frac{1}{x}}{1 + (\frac{y}{x})^2} dy \\ &= \frac{-y}{x^2 + y^2} dx + \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} dy \end{aligned}$$

This is well defined on the domain of θ .