

偏导数的注意事项

性质1：链式求导法则

$$\frac{\partial f(u)}{\partial x} = \frac{d(f(u))}{du} \cdot \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = f'(u) \cdot \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}$$

类似的有：

$$\frac{dz}{dx} = \frac{df(u, v)}{dx} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial u} \cdot \frac{du}{dx} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial v} \cdot \frac{dv}{dx}$$

其中

$$u = u(x), v = v(x)$$

problem1

设函数 $f(u)$ 具有二阶连续导数，而 $z = f(e^x \sin y)$ 满足 $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = e^{2x} z$ ，求 $f(u)$ (1997)

我们的目标是通过链式求导法则，将原方程中关于 x 和 y 的偏导数，全部用关于 u 的导数（即 $f'(u)$ 和 $f''(u)$ ）来表示，从而得到一个只含有 $f(u)$ 及其导数的常微分方程，然后解出 $f(u)$ 。

解答：

$$dz = df(e^x \sin y) = df(u) = \frac{df}{du} \cdot (\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} dy) = f'(u) \cdot (e^x \sin y + e^x \cos y) = f'(u)(u dx + e^x \cos y dy)$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = f'(u) \cdot u$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = f'(u) e^x \cos y$$

$$\frac{\partial \frac{\partial z}{\partial x}}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} = \frac{\partial(f'(u) \cdot u)}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \cdot f'(u) + \frac{\partial(f'(u))}{\partial x} \cdot u = u f'(u) + \frac{df'(u)}{du} \cdot \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = u f'(u) + f''(u) \cdot u$$

$$\frac{\partial \frac{\partial z}{\partial y}}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = \frac{\partial(f'(u) \cdot e^x \cos y)}{\partial y} = -u f'(u) + e^{2x} \cdot \cos^2 y \cdot f''(u)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = e^{2x} \cdot f''(u) = e^{2x} \cdot f(u)$$

$$f''(u) = f(u)$$

$$f(u) = c_1 \cdot e^u + c_2 \cdot e^{-u}$$

$$c_1, c_2 \in R$$

problem 2

设函数 $f(u)$ 在 $(0, +\infty)$ 内具有二阶导数，且 $z = f(\sqrt{x^2 + y^2})$ 满足等式 $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = 0$ ，

验证 $f''(u) + \frac{f'(u)}{u} = 0$ (2006)

解答：

part 1:

假设: $x = r \cos \theta, y = r \sin \theta$

$$z = f \cdot (\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}) = f(r)$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial r} \cdot \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta} \cdot \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x}$$

因为 z 与 θ 无关系

$$\text{所以可以得到: } \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = f'(r) \cdot \frac{\partial r}{\partial x}$$

$$\text{其中 } \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} = \cos \theta$$

同理:

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial r} \cdot \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta} \cdot \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y}$$

$$\text{得到: } \begin{aligned} \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} &= f'(r) \cdot \cos \theta \\ \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} &= f'(r) \cdot \sin \theta \end{aligned}$$

part2:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} &= \frac{\partial(\frac{\partial z}{\partial x})}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial(f'(r) \cos \theta)}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial(f'(r) \cos \theta)}{\partial r} \cdot \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial(f'(r) \cos \theta)}{\partial \theta} \cdot \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} = \frac{f''(r)}{r} \\ \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} &= \frac{\partial(\frac{\partial z}{\partial y})}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial(f'(r) \sin \theta)}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial(f'(r) \sin \theta)}{\partial r} \cdot \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial(f'(r) \sin \theta)}{\partial \theta} \cdot \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y} = f''(r) \end{aligned}$$

part 3: 得到答案

性质2

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial r} \cdot \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta} \cdot \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x}$$

其中有:

极坐标与直角坐标偏导数全解

在进行二维坐标系变换时, 我们经常需要在直角坐标 (x, y) 和极坐标 (r, θ) 之间转换。理解它们之间相互的偏导数关系是至关重要的。

我们有两组基础的换元关系式:

1. 用极坐标表示直角坐标:

$$\begin{cases} x = r \cos \theta \\ y = r \sin \theta \end{cases}$$

2. 用直角坐标表示极坐标:

$$\begin{cases} r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \\ \theta = \arctan\left(\frac{y}{x}\right) \end{cases}$$

我们将利用这两组关系式来求出全部八个偏导数。

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1. $\frac{\partial x}{\partial r}$

将 θ 视为常数, 对 $x = r \cos \theta$ 求 r 的偏导:

$$\frac{\partial x}{\partial r} = \cos \theta$$

2. $\frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta}$

将 r 视为常数, 对 $x = r \cos \theta$ 求 θ 的偏导:

$$\frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta} = -r \sin \theta$$

3. $\frac{\partial y}{\partial r}$

将 θ 视为常数, 对 $y = r \sin \theta$ 求 r 的偏导:

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial r} = \sin \theta$$

4. $\frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta}$

将 r 视为常数, 对 $y = r \sin \theta$ 求 θ 的偏导:

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta} = r \cos \theta$$

前面四个内容相对来说比较基础, 不必记忆, 当 \mathbf{x} 作为变量的时候才会相对难处理

5. $\frac{\partial r}{\partial x}$

$$\frac{\partial r}{\partial x} = \frac{r \cos \theta}{r} = \cos \theta \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} = \frac{r \cos \theta}{r} = \cos \theta$$

6. $\frac{\partial r}{\partial y}$

用极坐标表示结果:

$$\frac{\partial r}{\partial y} = \frac{r \sin \theta}{r} = \sin \theta$$

7. $\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x}$

用极坐标表示结果:

$$\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} = -\frac{r \sin \theta}{r^2} = -\frac{\sin \theta}{r}$$

8. $\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y}$

用极坐标表示结果:

$$\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y} = \frac{r \cos \theta}{r^2} = \frac{\cos \theta}{r}$$

problem 3

设函数 $u = u(x, y, z)$ 具有二阶连续偏导数, 且满足关系式 $\frac{u_x}{x} = \frac{u_y}{y} = \frac{u_z}{z}$

(1) 证明: 在球面坐标下, u 仅依赖于 ρ , 而与 θ 和 φ 无关

(2) 若 u 还满足关系式 $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial z^2} = 0$, 试求出 $u(x, y, z)$ 的表达式

解答:

第一问

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = u_x \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = u_y \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} = u_z$$

要说明与其无关, 就是说明 $\frac{\partial u}{\partial \rho} \neq 0, \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} = 0, \frac{\partial u}{\partial \varphi} = 0$

$$\begin{cases} x = \rho \sin \theta \cos \varphi \\ y = \rho \sin \theta \sin \varphi \end{cases}$$

$$z = \rho \cos \theta$$

$\nabla = (u_x, u_y, u_z)$ 梯度, 又因为: $\frac{u_x}{x} = \frac{u_y}{y} = \frac{u_z}{z}$ 说明梯度改变的方向与 (x, y, z) 的位置直接相关与 (x, y, z) 的方向无关

从代数上理解

先计算 $\frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta}$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} \cdot \frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta} = u_x \cdot (-\sin \theta) \cdot \sin \varphi \cdot \rho + u_y \cdot \cos \theta \cdot \sin \varphi \cdot \rho =$$

$$k \cdot x \cdot (-\sin \theta) \cdot \sin \varphi \cdot \rho + k \cdot y \cdot \cos \theta \cdot \sin \varphi \cdot \rho = k \rho (-x \sin \theta \sin \varphi + y \cos \theta \sin \varphi - z \sin \varphi) = k \rho \cdot (\rho \sin^2 \varphi \sin \theta \cos \theta \cdot (-1) + \rho \cos^2 \varphi \sin \theta \cos \theta \cdot 1 - \rho \sin^2 \varphi \cdot 1) = 0$$

再计算 $\frac{\partial u}{\partial \varphi}$:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial u}{\partial \varphi} &= \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{\partial x}{\partial \varphi} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{\partial y}{\partial \varphi} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} \cdot \frac{\partial z}{\partial \varphi} = u_x \cdot \rho \cos \varphi \cos \theta + u_y \cdot \rho \cos \varphi \sin \theta + u_z \cdot \rho(-\sin \varphi) \\ &= k\rho^2 \cdot (\sin^2 \varphi \cos \theta \sin \theta + \cos^2 \varphi \sin \theta \cos \theta - \sin \theta \cos \theta) = 0\end{aligned}$$

第二问:

先假设:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} &= \frac{dF(\rho)}{d\rho} \cdot \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial x} = \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2+z^2}} \cdot F'(\rho) \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} &= \frac{dF(\rho)}{d\rho} \cdot \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial y} = \frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2+z^2}} \cdot F'(\rho) \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} &= \frac{dF(\rho)}{d\rho} \cdot \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial z} = \frac{z}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2+z^2}} \cdot F'(\rho)\end{aligned}$$

第二步: 计算二阶偏导数

使用乘法法则和链式法则:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(F'(\rho) \frac{x}{\rho} \right) \\ &= \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} F'(\rho) \right) \frac{x}{\rho} + F'(\rho) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \frac{x}{\rho} \right) \\ &= \left(F''(\rho) \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial x} \right) \frac{x}{\rho} + F'(\rho) \frac{1 \cdot \rho - x \cdot \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial x}}{\rho^2} \\ &= F''(\rho) \frac{x}{\rho} \frac{x}{\rho} + F'(\rho) \frac{\rho - x(x/\rho)}{\rho^2} \\ &= F''(\rho) \frac{x^2}{\rho^2} + F'(\rho) \frac{\rho^2 - x^2}{\rho^3}\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{代入得: } F''(\rho) + 2 \cdot \frac{F'(\rho)}{\rho} = 0$$

最后解得答案:

$$u(x, y, z) = \frac{c_1}{\rho} + c_2$$