

MATB42: Multivariable Calculus II

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1.1 Fourier Expansions

In this section, we will focus on single variable calculus, (so where $f : \mathbb{R} \mapsto \mathbb{R}$)

Let us say that we have a function $f(x)$ and we want to approximate it. We can use an n th degree Taylor Polynomial, but this requires that $f(x)$ has at least n derivatives at some point x_0 and the k th derivative of f ($f^{(k)}(x)$) is determined by properties of f in some neighbourhood of x_0 , but what about outside this neighbourhood? How can we be certain of the approximation outside of this neighbour.

Our problem here is that Taylor Polynomial may only approximate "near" x_0

Now, consider the following function:

$$\Delta(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & [x] < x, [x] \text{ is odd} \\ 0, & [x] < x, [x] \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$

In this function, Taylor returns either 0 or 1 depending on your choice of x_0 and cannot work for an $x_0 = p \in \mathbb{Z}$. Therefore Taylor polynomials cannot reflect the true nature of this function. Taylor provides a "local" approximation, but we want a "global" approximation. We need an approximation that is more precise over an interval at the cost of being not as precise as precise at any particular x_0 .

Note that the example function is **periodic**.

Definition 1.1. A function $y = f(x)$ such that $f(x) = f(x + p), p \neq 0, \forall x$ is said to be **periodic** of period p

Example 1.2. The periodic function $\Delta(x)$ is of period 2.

What we want is a global approximation of a periodic function, and the Fourier Approximation will be periodic, so we can use it for exactly that.

Definition 1.3. A **trigonometric polynomial of degree N** is an expression of the form

$$\frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^N a_k \cos(kx) + b_k \sin(kx)$$

where the a_i, b_i are constants.

We know that $\sin(x)$ and $\cos(x)$ are the simplest periodic functions and repeat in intervals of 2π , so $\cos(kx)$ and $\sin(kx)$ have period $\frac{2\pi}{k}$, but the smallest shared period is 2π . If a trigonometric polynomial has period 2π and $f(x)$ has period p , then we must set $x = \frac{pt}{2\pi}$ to fix the period (where t is a variable).

So to approximate $y = f(x)$ by $F_N(x)$ for some N , we use the following equation:

$$F_N(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^N a_k \cos(kx) + b_k \sin(kx)$$

Now we need to choose the a_k, b_k . We can define it in the following way:

$$\begin{aligned} a_0 &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx \\ a_k &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos(kx) dx, k = 1, 2, 3, \dots \\ b_k &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin(kx) dx, k = 1, 2, 3, \dots \end{aligned}$$

When defined in this way, a_i, b_i are called the **Fourier Coefficients** of f over the interval $[-\pi, \pi]$ and we call $F_N(x)$ the **Fourier Polynomial of degree N** .

So why do we add the $\frac{a_0}{2}$? It is the average value of f over $[-\pi, \pi]$.

Note. sometimes you will see a_0 used instead of $\frac{a_0}{2}$ in the Fourier polynomial where

$$a_0 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx$$

Example 1.4. Consider $f(x) = \frac{-x}{2}$ over $[-\pi, \pi]$. Use Fourier Approximation.

$$a_k = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos(kx) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \left(-\frac{x}{2}\right) \cos(kx) dx \stackrel{\text{odd}}{=} 0$$

$$a_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \left(-\frac{x}{2}\right) dx \stackrel{\text{odd}}{=} 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} b_k &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin(kx) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \left(-\frac{x}{2}\right) \sin(kx) dx \\ &\stackrel{\text{even}}{=} -\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} x \sin(kx) dx \\ &\stackrel{\substack{\text{even} \\ u=x, dv=\sin(kx)dx}}{=} -\frac{1}{\pi} \left[-\frac{1}{k} x \cos(kx) + \frac{1}{k^2} \sin(kx) \right]_0^{\pi} \\ &= \frac{1}{\pi k} [\pi \cos(k\pi)] \\ &= \frac{1}{k} \cos(k\pi) \\ &= \frac{(-1)^k}{k} \end{aligned}$$

Thus we have:

$$F_N(x) = -\sin(x) + \frac{1}{2}\sin(2x) - \frac{1}{3}\sin(3x) + \frac{1}{4}\sin(4x) + \dots$$

$$F_1(x) = -\sin(x)$$

$$F_2(x) = -\sin(x) + \frac{1}{2}\sin(2x)$$

$$F_3(x) = -\sin(x) + \frac{1}{2}\sin(2x) - \frac{1}{3}\sin(3x)$$

...

And so on.

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continuing from the last lecture...

Example 2.1. (continued from example 1.4)

$$f(x) = \frac{-x}{2}$$

$$F_N(x) = -\sin(x) + \frac{1}{2}\sin(2x) - \frac{1}{3}\sin(3x) + \frac{1}{4}\sin(4x) + \dots$$

This can be extended to a Fourier Series:

$$F_N(x) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^k \frac{\sin(kx)}{k}$$

Definition 2.2. For $f : \mathbb{R} \mapsto \mathbb{R}$, the Fourier Series for f is

$$F(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k \cos(kx) + b_k \sin(kx)$$

where a_i, b_i are Fourier coefficients.

The N th degree Fourier Polynomial can be regarded as the N th partial sum of the series.

We haven't talked about convergence yet, but for now, we will assume the series converges ($f(x) = F(x)$)

Definition 2.3. Function $a_k \cos(kx) + b_k \sin(kx)$ is the k th harmonic of f . The Fourier Series expresses f in terms of its harmonics.

Note. (*Looking at Harmonics in a Musical Sense*):

the 1st harmonic is the fundamental harmonic of f (the fundamental tone).

The 2nd harmonic is the first overtone.

(completely rewrite this amplitude section)

Definition 2.4. The amplitude of the k th harmonic is

$$A_k = \sqrt{(a_k)^2 + (b_k)^2}$$

And note that

$$a_k = A_k \sin \alpha, b_k = A_k \cos \alpha$$

Definition 2.5. The energy E of a periodic function f of period 2π is

$$E = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} [f(x)]^2 dx$$

So the energy of the k th harmonic is

$$E = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} [a_k \cos(kx) + b_k \sin(kx)]^2 dx = (a_k)^2 + (b_k)^2 = (A_k)^2$$

And the energy of the constant term is

$$\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} [a_0]^2 dx = 2(a_0)^2$$

So we put $A_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}a_0$.

For a "nice" periodic function, we have the following equation:

$$E = A_0^2 + A_1^2 + A_2^2 + \dots$$

This is known as the Energy Theorem, and comes from the study of periodic waves.

We can draw a graph of this as A_k^2 against k (This graph is known as the Energy Spectrum of f). It shows how the energy of f is distributed among its harmonics.

Note. Notice that

$$E = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} [f(x)]^2 dx = \frac{a_0^2}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (a_k^2 + b_k^2) \text{ Parseval's Equation}$$

Assume a function f of period 2π is the sum of a trigonometric series

$$f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (a_k \cos(kx) + b_k \sin(kx)) \text{ on the interval } [-\pi, \pi]$$

Multiply by $\cos(mx)$ and integrate to get

$$\begin{aligned}\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x)\cos(mx)dx &= \frac{a_0^2}{2} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(mx)dx + \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \left[\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (a_k \cos(kx) + b_k \sin(kx)) \right] dx \\ &= \frac{a_0^2}{2} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(mx)dx + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (a_k \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(kx)dx + b_k \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin(kx)dx)\end{aligned}$$

Note. Recall the following trigonometric identities:

1. $\cos A \cos B = \frac{1}{2}[\cos(A+B) + \cos(A-B)]$
2. $\cos A \sin B = \frac{1}{2}[\sin(A+B) - \sin(A-B)]$
3. $\sin A \sin B = \frac{1}{2}[\cos(A-B) - \cos(A+B)]$

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Continuing from where we left off.

$$\begin{aligned}\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x)\cos(mx)dx &= \frac{a_0^2}{2} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(mx)dx + \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \left[\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (a_k \cos(kx) + b_k \sin(kx)) \right] dx \\ &= \frac{a_0^2}{2} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(mx)dx + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left(a_k \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(kx)dx + b_k \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin(kx)dx \right)\end{aligned}$$

We know the following from trigonometric identities

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(kx)\cos(mx)dx = \begin{cases} 0, & k \neq m \\ \pi, & k = m \end{cases}$$

As well as the following from odd function properties

$$\begin{aligned}\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(kx)dx &= 0 \\ \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin(kx)\cos(mx)dx &= 0\end{aligned}$$

So now we get

$$\begin{aligned}\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x)\cos(mx)dx &= \frac{a_0^2}{2} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(mx)dx + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left(a_k \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(kx)dx + b_k \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin(kx)dx \right) \\ &= a_m \pi \\ \implies a_m &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x)\cos(mx)dx\end{aligned}$$

Example 3.1. Lets take

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & 0 \leq x < \pi \\ -1, & -\pi \leq x < 0 \end{cases}$$

Note that this is an odd function, therefore $a_k = 0, \forall k \geq 0$. So now lets calculate b_k .

$$\begin{aligned}
b_k &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin(kx) dx \\
&\stackrel{\text{even}}{=} \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} f(x) \sin(kx) dx \\
&= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin(kx) dx \\
&= \frac{2}{k\pi} [-\cos(kx)]_0^{\pi} \\
&= \begin{cases} \frac{4}{k\pi}, & k \text{ is odd} \\ 0, & k \text{ is even} \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

And now lets right out the Fourier Polynomial ($F_N(x)$)
if N is odd:

$$F_N(x) = \frac{4}{\pi} \sin(x) + \frac{4}{3\pi} \sin(3x) + \frac{4}{5\pi} \sin(5x) + \dots$$

if N is even:

$$F_N(x) = F_{N-1}(x)$$

We can also write it as a Fourier Series

$$F(x) = \frac{4}{\pi} \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{\sin((2l+1)x)}{2l+1}$$

The energy of the function is

$$E = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} [f(x)]^2 dx = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} dx = 2$$

The amplitutde of the k th harmonic is

$$A_k = \sqrt{a_k^2 + b_k^2} = \sqrt{0 + \frac{16}{k^2\pi^2}} = \frac{4}{k\pi}$$

The energy of the k th harmonic is

$$A_k^2 = \frac{16}{k^2\pi^2}$$

Note that for this example, both the energy and the amplitude are 0 at an even k .

Lets now evaluate the energy spectrum:

$$k = 1, E = \frac{16}{\pi^2} \approx 1.62, \frac{1.62}{2} = 0.81 = 81\%$$

$$k = 3, E = \frac{16}{9\pi^2} \approx 0.18, \frac{0.18}{2} = 0.09 = 9\%$$

$$k = 5, E = \frac{16}{25\pi^2} \approx 0.06, \frac{0.06}{2} = 0.03 = 3\%$$

$$k = 7, E = \frac{16}{49\pi^2} \approx 0.03, \frac{0.03}{2} = 0.015 = 1.5\%$$

However, we do not need to exclusively work with the interval $[-\pi, \pi]$ we can even work over any interval of length 2π .

3.1 General Fourier Series (interval of length 2π)

$$a_k = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_c^{c+2\pi} f(x) \cos(kx) dx, k = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

$$b_k = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_c^{c+2\pi} f(x) \sin(kx) dx, k = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

What about for f if f has period p ?

$$f(x + p) = f(x), \forall x, \exists p \neq 0$$

We then substitute $x = \frac{pt}{2\pi}$ which gives a new function $f_p(t) = f(\frac{pt}{2\pi})$ with period 2π . So

$$f_p(t + 2\pi) = f(\frac{p}{2\pi}(t + 2\pi)) = f(\frac{pt}{2\pi} + p) = f(\frac{pt}{2\pi}) = f_p(t)$$

So how about the Fourier Expansion for $f_p(t)$? To find this, we must replace t by $\frac{2\pi x}{p}$ giving for $f(x)$.

$$F(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k \cos\left(\frac{2nx\pi}{p}\right) + b_k \sin\left(\frac{2nx\pi}{p}\right)$$

$$a_k = \frac{2}{p} \int_c^{c+p} f(x) \cos\left(\frac{2nx\pi}{p}\right) dx, k = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

$$b_k = \frac{2}{p} \int_c^{c+p} f(x) \sin\left(\frac{2nx\pi}{p}\right) dx, k = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

For any function defined on $[a, b]$, we can extend f to all of \mathbb{R} as a periodic function. Given a periodic function f_E from f of period $p = b - a$, we now have:

$$a_k = \frac{2}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) \cos\left(\frac{2nx\pi}{b-a}\right) dx, k = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

$$b_k = \frac{2}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) \sin\left(\frac{2nx\pi}{b-a}\right) dx, k = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

Example 3.2. Take the function $f(x) = x, 0 \leq x < 1$ and extend it with period 1. For $k \neq 0$:

$$\begin{aligned} a_k &= 2 \int_0^1 x \cos(2k\pi x) dx \\ &\stackrel{\text{parts}}{=} 2 \left[\frac{x \sin(2k\pi x)}{2\pi k} \right]_0^1 - \frac{2}{2k\pi} \int_0^1 \sin(2k\pi x) dx \\ &\stackrel{u=v, dv=\cos(2\pi kx)dx}{=} 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$a_0 = 2 \int_0^1 x dx = [x^2]_0^1$$

$$\begin{aligned} b_k &= 2 \int_0^1 x \sin(2k\pi x) dx \\ &\stackrel{\text{parts}}{=} 2 \left[\frac{-x \cos(2k\pi x)}{2\pi k} \right]_0^1 + \frac{1}{k\pi} \int_0^1 \cos(2k\pi x) dx \\ &= \frac{-\cos(2k\pi)}{k\pi} \\ &= \frac{-1}{k\pi} \end{aligned}$$

So the Fourier Series will be

$$F(x) = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{\pi} \left[\sin(2\pi x) + \frac{\sin(4\pi x)}{2} + \frac{\sin(6\pi x)}{3} + \dots \right]$$

Example 3.3. $f(x) = |x|$, $-\pi < x \leq \pi$. Since $f(x)$ is even, $b_k = 0, \forall k \in \mathbb{N}$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 a_0 &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |x| dx \stackrel{\text{even}}{=} \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x dx = \pi \\
 a_k &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |x| \cos(kx) dx \\
 &\stackrel{\text{even}}{=} \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x \cos(kx) dx \\
 &\stackrel{\text{parts}}{=} \frac{2}{\pi} \left[\frac{x \sin(kx)}{k} + \frac{\cos(kx)}{k^2} \right]_0^{\pi} \\
 &\stackrel{u=x, dv=\cos(kx)dx}{=} \frac{2}{\pi k^2} (\cos(k\pi) - 1) \\
 &= \begin{cases} 0, & k \text{ is even} \\ \frac{-4}{\pi k^2}, & k \text{ is odd} \end{cases}
 \end{aligned}$$

So we end up with the Fourier Series

$$F(x) = \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{4}{\pi} \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{\cos((2l+1)x)}{(2l+1)^2}$$

Example 3.4. $f(x) = x$, $-\pi < x \leq \pi$. Note that since $f(x)$ is odd, $a_k = 0, \forall k \geq 0$

$$\begin{aligned}
 b_k &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} x \sin(kx) dx \\
 &\stackrel{\text{parts}}{=} \frac{1}{\pi} \left[\frac{-x \cos(kx)}{k} \right]_{-\pi}^{\pi} + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(kx) dx \\
 &\stackrel{u=x, dv=\sin(kx)dx}{=} \frac{1}{\pi} \left[\frac{-\pi \cos(k\pi)}{k} + \frac{-\pi \cos(-k\pi)}{k} \right] \\
 &= \frac{-2}{k} \cos(k\pi) \\
 &= \frac{(-1)^{k+1} 2}{k}
 \end{aligned}$$

And the Fourier Series of this is

$$F(x) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{k+1} \frac{2}{k} \sin(kx)$$

To get a Fourier cosine series or a Fourier sine series, we need

- an f defined on the interval $[0, a]$, and we must extend this interval to also include $[-a, 0)$ to give an even or odd function on $[-a, a]$
- $f(-t) = f(t)$, $-a \leq t < 0$ for the even extension item $f(-t) = -f(t)$, $-a \leq t < 0$ for the odd extension

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Example 4.1. We want to express $f(x) = x, 0 \leq x < \pi$ as both a cosine series and a sine series.

cosine series For this, we need to extend the function as an even function, so we extend the function to $f(x) = |x|, -\pi < x \leq \pi$. This is a previous example that we computed before and gives us a cosine series

sine series For this, we must extend $f(x)$ as an odd function $f(x) = x, -\pi \geq x < \pi$. We've already seen from previous examples that is a sine series.

So for $f(x) = x, 0 \leq x < \pi$, the cosine series looks like this:

$$F(x) = \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{4}{\pi} \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{\cos((2l+1)x)}{(2l+1)^2}$$

And the sine series looks like this:

$$F(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-1)^{k+1} \frac{2}{k} \sin(kx)$$

Both of these series on the interval $[0, \pi)$ represent $f(x) = x$

Definition 4.2. A function $f(x)$ defined for $x \in [a, b]$ is **piece-wise continuous** if there exists a finite partition $P : a = t_0 < \dots < t_n = b$ such that f is continuous on $x \in (t_{i-1}, t_i), \forall i$ and both $\lim_{x \rightarrow t_{i-1}^+} f(x)$ and $\lim_{x \rightarrow t_i^-} f(x)$ both exist and are both finite.

Note. On the i th subinterval, $f(x)$ coincides with some $f_i(x)$ that is continuous on that subinterval.

Definition 4.3. If $f_i(x) \forall i$ has continuous 1st derivatives, $f(x)$ is called **piecewise smooth**

Definition 4.4. If $f_i(x) \forall i$ has continuous 2nd derivatives, $f(x)$ is called **piecewise very smooth**

Definition 4.5. The Fourier Series obtained from $f(x)$ converges to $f(x)$ if $f(x) = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} F_N(x)$

i.e.

$$f(x) = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} F_N(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^N a_k \cos(kx) + b_k \sin(kx)$$

assuming a period of 2π (and can be adjusted for other periods). The a_k and b_k are the Fourier coefficients.

Theorem 4.6. *Let $f(x)$ be continuous and piece-wise very smooth for all x and let $f(x)$ have period 2π . Then the Fourier Series of $f(x)$ converges uniformly to $f(x)$, $\forall x$*

This helps with examples that have jump discontinuities.

Theorem 4.7. *Let $f(x)$ be defined and piece-wise very smooth for $x \in [-\pi, \pi]$ and let $f(x)$ be defined outside this interval to have period 2π . Then the Fourier Series of $f(x)$ converges uniformly to $f(x)$ in each interval containing no discontinuity of $f(x)$. At each discontinuity, x_0 , the series converges to*

$$\frac{1}{2} \left[\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0^+} f(x) + \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0^-} f(x) \right]$$

*This is the **Fundamental Theorem (for Fourier Series)**. The Theorem can be reinstated for f defined on any interval of length $p \neq 0$*

Example 4.8. 1. $f(x) = \frac{-x}{2}$ on the interval $[-\pi, \pi]$

$$2. f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & 0 \leq x < \pi \\ -1, & -\pi \leq x < 0 \end{cases}$$

Note that they both are piece-wise continuous and both satisfy the previous theorem.

so (1.) converges to

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{k} \sin(kx) = \begin{cases} -\frac{x}{2}, & x \in (-\pi, \pi) \\ 0, & x = \pm\pi \end{cases}$$

And (2.) converges to

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin((2k+1)x)}{2k+1} = \begin{cases} -1, & -\pi < x < 0 \\ 1, & 0 < x < \pi \\ 0, & x = -\pi, 0, \pi \end{cases}$$

In (2.) set $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$ and we'll get

$$\begin{aligned} 1 &= \frac{4}{\pi} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin((2k+1)\frac{\pi}{2})}{2k+1} \\ 1 &= \frac{4}{\pi} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{2k+1} \\ \frac{\pi}{4} &= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{2k+1} \\ \frac{\pi}{4} &= 1 - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{7} + \dots \end{aligned}$$

So now we have $\frac{\pi}{4}$ represented by a series of numbers.

However, the domain of the function also play a role in the series.

Example 4.9. For $f(x), x \in [0, 1)$, we get

$$F(x) = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{\pi} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin((2k+1)x)}{2k+1}$$

The theorem still applies and we get $F(x) = x$ on the interval $[0, 1)$, and converge to $\frac{1}{2}$ at 0.

Example 4.10. For $f(x) = |x|, x \in [-\pi, \pi]$ we get.

$$F(x) = \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{1}{\pi} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos((2k+1)x)}{(2k+1)^2}$$

on $(0, 1), |x| = x$, and since f is piece-wise very smooth, we can write:

$$x = \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{1}{\pi} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos((2k+1)x)}{(2k+1)^2}$$

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Definition 5.1. The orthonormal bases for \mathbb{R}^n

$$\{e_1, \dots, e_n\}$$

are all orthogonal to each other and are all unit vectors.

Each $v \in \mathbb{R}^n$ has a unique representation of $v = \lambda_1 e_1 + \dots + \lambda_n e_n$ where $\lambda_k = v \cdot e_k$

Given continuous functions f, g that map from $[-\pi, \pi] \mapsto \mathbb{R}$ we can define an inner product by

$$\langle f, g \rangle = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x)g(x)dx$$

defined on all continuous real-valued functions defined on the interval $[-\pi, \pi]$

Example 5.2. The set of functions $\{\cos(kx), \sin(nx)\}_{n,k \in \mathbb{Z}}$ act like an orthonormal basis. since

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \cos(mx), \cos(nx) \rangle &= \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } m = n \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \\ \langle \sin(mx), \sin(nx) \rangle &= \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } m = n \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \\ \langle \sin(mx), \cos(nx) \rangle &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

for positive integers m, n

We can regard the Fourier Coefficients as the components of f under this basis. This explains why you don't need to recalculate the coefficients for each N for $F_N(x)$

Corollary 5.3. If a function f can be represented as a trigonometric polynomial, then that trigonometric polynomial is a Fourier Expansion of f , if the Fourier Series converges.

Example 5.4. What is the Fourier series of $f(x) = \cos^2(x) - \sin^2(x)$

We have trigonometric identities to solve this:

$$F(x) = \cos^2(x) - \sin^2(x) = \cos(2x)$$

Example 5.5.

$$\begin{aligned}
f(x) &= \cos^4(x) \\
&= (\cos^2(x))^2 \\
&= (\cos^2(x))^2 \\
&= \frac{1}{4}(1 + 2\cos(2x) + \cos^2(2x)) \\
&= \frac{1}{4}(1 + 2\cos(2x) + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}\cos(4x)) = \frac{3}{8} + \frac{\cos(2x)}{2} + \frac{1}{8}\cos(4x) = F(x)
\end{aligned}$$

Definition 5.6. The **Total Square Error** of $g(x)$ relative to $f(x)$ is:

$$E = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} [f(x) - g(x)]^2 dx$$

Note. if $f = g$, $E = 0$

We want a constant function $y = g_0$ so the square error is as small as possible

$$\begin{aligned}
E(g_0) &= \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} [f(x) - g_0]^2 dx \\
&= \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x)^2 dx - 2g_0 \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx + g_0^2(2\pi)
\end{aligned}$$

And if we let A, B be constants such that

$$A = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x)^2 dx, B = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx$$

Then

$$E(g_0) = A - 2Bg_0 + 2\pi g_0^2$$

With implies that $E(g_0)$ is a quad function in g having a minimum value when its derivative is equal to 0.

$$-2B + 4\pi g_0 = 0$$

$$g_0 = \frac{B}{2\pi} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{2}a_0$$

Therefore $\frac{1}{2}a_0$ is the best constant approximation in the sense of the square error. We can show that the best approximation by a trigonometric polynomial is the Fourier Polynomial.

Definition 5.7. If f is piece-wise continuous on $[-\pi, \pi]$ we see that

$$\frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^N a_k^2 + b_k^2 \leq \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} [f(x)]^2 dx = \langle f, f \rangle$$

This is called **Bessel's Inequality** and it shows that $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k^2 + b_k^2$ converges

Theorem 5.8. (*Uniqueness Theorem*) Let $f(x), g(x)$ be piecewise continuous functions on the interval $[-\pi, \pi]$ and have all the same Fourier coefficients. Then $f(x) = g(x)$ except, perhaps, at discontinuities.

5.1 Vector-Valued Functions

We will now spend time with vector-valued functions ($f : \mathbb{R}^n \mapsto A$)

Definition 5.9. A **curve (or path)** in \mathbb{R}^n is a function

$$\gamma : [a, b] \subset \mathbb{R} \mapsto \mathbb{R}^n$$

We usually call the image of γ the curve and the function γ as the parameterization of the curve

Note. This curve has a direction given by γ and runs from $\gamma(a)$ to $\gamma(b)$, which are the endpoints. $\gamma(a)$ being the beginning and $\gamma(b)$ being the end

Think of $t, t \in [a, b]$ as a variable and $\gamma(t)$ as "tracing out" the curve in \mathbb{R} as t goes from a to b .

This interval be adapted to any (a, b) and even to \mathbb{R} itself.

$$\gamma(t) = (\gamma_1(t), \gamma_2(t), \dots, \gamma_n(t)), t \in [a, b]$$

Example 5.10. where $t \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\begin{aligned} \gamma(t) &= (x_0, y_0, z_0) + t(v_1, v_2, v_3) \\ &= x + tv \end{aligned}$$

This is a parametric representation of a line. Where x is a point and v is a direction vector

Definition 5.11. γ is **continuous** at $c \in (a, b)$ if $\lim_{t \rightarrow c} \gamma(t) = \gamma(c)$ iff the components $\gamma_i(t)$ for $i = 1, \dots, n$ are continuous at c

Definition 5.12. If γ is continuous at all points, γ is called a **Continuous Path**

Example 5.13. Consider a circle of radius 3 in \mathbb{R}^2 centred around the origin. A path of this circle is

$$\gamma(t) = (3\cos t, 3\sin t), t \in [0, 2\pi]$$

We say this curve is oriented in the counter clockwise direction

Example 5.14. The curve for $y = x^3 + 1$ is

$$\gamma(t) = (t, t^3 + 1), t \in \mathbb{R}$$

Example 5.15. In \mathbb{R}^3 , $\gamma(t) = (3\cos t, 3\sin t, t), t \in [0, 2\pi]$.

Since $x^2 + y^2 = 9$, this curve must live in the cylinder $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ and since $z = t$, the curve spirals upwards, this is called a helix

Example 5.16. $\gamma(t) = (t, t^2, t^3), t \in [-2, 2]$. This is a twisted cubic.

Example 5.17. Find the parameterization of the curve C of the intersection of the cylinder $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ and the plane $y + z = 2$. The projection into the $x - y$ plane is the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1, z = 0$, so

$$x = \cos t, y = \sin t$$

From the equation of the plane

$$z = 2 - y = 2 - \sin t$$

We now parameterize the curve C by

$$\gamma(t) = (\cos t, \sin t, 2 - \sin t), t \in [0, 2\pi]$$

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6.1 parameterization (continued)

Note. For any given curve, there may be several possible parameterizations of that curve

Example 6.1.

The 1st quadrant piece of the unit circle in a counter clock-wise direction, from $(1, 0)$ to $(0, 1)$

$$\gamma_1(t) = (\cos t, \sin t), t \in [0, \frac{\pi}{2}]$$

$$\gamma_2(t) = (\cos(\frac{t}{2}), \sin(\frac{t}{2})), t \in [0, \pi]$$

$$\gamma_3(t) = (\sqrt{1-t^2}, t), t \in [0, 1]$$

All parameterize the same curve.

6.2 Derivatives

Definition 6.2. The **Derivative of a path** is

$$D(\gamma(t)) = (\gamma'_1(t), \gamma'_2(t), \dots, \gamma'_n(t))$$

provided each $\gamma'_i(t)$ exists for $t = 1, \dots, n$

We usually write $\gamma'(t) = (\gamma'_1(t), \dots, \gamma'_n(t))$

Definition 6.3. If $\gamma'(t)$ exists, γ is called a **differentiable path**

Definition 6.4. If γ is a differentiable path with a continuous derivative, except at finitely many places, the image of γ is called a **piece-wise smooth curve**

Definition 6.5. $\gamma'(t)$ is the tangent v to the curve at the point $\gamma(t)$. Hence, the tangent line at $\gamma(t_0)$ is given by

$$\gamma(t_0) + \lambda \gamma'(t_0), \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$$

Note that $\gamma(t)$ must be smooth (class C^1) for t near t_0 , be careful if $\gamma(t_0) = 0$

Remark. If we think of $\gamma(t)$ representing the position of a particle at time t , we can regard $\gamma'(t)$ as its velocity and $\gamma''(t)$ as its acceleration.

If $\gamma'(t)$ is the velocity, then $\|\gamma'(t)\|$ is the speed (magnitude of the velocity)

Example 6.6. Computing the period of a satellite when the radius of its orbit is known. The particle has constant speed s , and when $t = 0$, assume that $\gamma(t)$ is at the point $(r, 0)$.

So....

$$\gamma(t) = (r\cos(kt), r\sin(kt))$$

We need to find k .

$$\gamma'(t) = (-rk\sin(kt), rk\cos(kt))$$

$$s = \|\gamma'(t)\| = \sqrt{r^2k^2(\sin^2(kt) + \cos^2(kt))} = rk$$

And this implies that $k = \frac{s}{r}$.

Note that $r, k \in \mathbb{R}^+ > 0$

$$\gamma''(t) = (-rk^2\cos(kt), -rk^2\sin(kt)) = -k^2\gamma(t)$$

Assuming particle is a satellite of mass m orbiting the earth of mass M .

Note.

$$F = ma = m(\gamma''(t)) = -mk^2\gamma(t)$$

$$F(\vec{v}) = \frac{-GmM\vec{v}}{\|\vec{v}\|^3}$$

where G is the gravitational constant and $\vec{v} = \gamma(t)$

$$-mk^2\gamma(t) = \frac{-GmM\gamma(t)}{r^3}$$

And this implies that $k^2 = \frac{GM}{r^3}$.

What is the period? $p = \frac{2\pi}{k}$ this implies that $k = \frac{2\pi}{p}$.

$$k^2 = \left(\frac{2\pi}{p}\right)^2 = \frac{GM}{r^3}$$

This implies that

$$p^2 = \frac{4\pi^2}{GM}r^3$$

The period of a satellite squared is proportional to the radius of its orbit cubed (One of Kepler's Laws)

6.3 Path Integrals

Definition 6.7. The **path integral of f** or the **integral of f along the path γ** denoted

$$\int_{\gamma} f ds$$

is defined by

$$\int_{\gamma} f ds = \int_a^b f(\gamma(t)) \|\gamma'(t)\| dt$$

Whenever $\gamma : [a, b] \mapsto \mathbb{R}^n$ is a smooth curve and the composite function $t \mapsto f(\gamma(t))$ is continuous on $[a, b]$

If $\gamma(t)$ is only piece-wise smooth or $f(\gamma(t))$ is only piece-wise continuous, we break $\gamma(t)$ into finitely many smooth pieces, and sum the integrals over the various pieces.

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7.1 Path Integral (continued)

Why is this definition of a path integral a good definition?

We can think of speed $s = \|\gamma'(t)\|$ as a rate of change in position relative to change in time t . Often we denote $ds = \|\gamma'(t)\| dt$

If $f = 1$ then

$$\int_{\gamma} ds = \int_a^b \|\gamma'(t)\| ds$$

Which is just the length of the curve.

Definition 7.1. The **length of the curve** is

$$\int_{\gamma} ds = \int_a^b \|\gamma'(t)\| ds$$

The length of the path is the "total distance travelled."

Example 7.2. Find the length of a circle of radius 1 from 0 to 2π .

$$\gamma(t) = (\cos(t), \sin(t)), t \in [0, 2\pi]$$

$$\gamma'(t) = (-\sin(t), \cos(t))$$

$$\|\gamma'(t)\| = \sqrt{\sin^2(t) + \cos^2(t)} = 1$$

$$s = \int_{\gamma} ds = \int_0^{2\pi} 1 ds = 2\pi$$

Example 7.3. Find the arclength of $\gamma(t) = (\sin(5t), \cos(5t), \frac{10}{3}t^{1.5})$ from $t = 0$ to $t = 3$.

$$\gamma'(t) = (5\cos t, -5\sin t, 5\sqrt{t})$$

$$\|\gamma'(t)\| = \sqrt{25\cos^2(t) + 25\sin^2(t), 25t} = 5\sqrt{1+t}$$

$$s = \int_{\gamma} ds = 5 \int_0^3 \sqrt{1+t} dt = \frac{70}{3}$$

Example 7.4. $f(x, y, z) = xy - z^2$ along $\gamma(t) = (3t, -2t, \sqrt{3}t), t \in [0, 1]$

$$\gamma'(t) = (3, -2, \sqrt{3})$$

$$\|\gamma'(t)\| = 4$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(\gamma(t)) &= f(3t, -2t, \sqrt{3}t) \\ &= (3t)(-2t) - (\sqrt{3}t)^2 \\ &= -6t^2 - 3t^2 = -9t^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_{\gamma} f ds = \int_0^1 f(\gamma(t)) \|\gamma'(t)\| dt = \int_0^1 (-9t^2) 4 dt = -36 \int_0^1 t^2 dt = -12$$

Remark. *mass of a wire* $(m) = \text{density } D \times \text{length}$

$$m = \int_{\gamma} dm = \int_{\gamma} D ds$$

Note. $\int_{\gamma} f ds$ is independent of the choice of parameterization

Note. If a curve in \mathbb{R}^2 is given by $y = f(x)$ and x is in the domain of $[a, b]$, then the arclength is

$$\int_a^b \sqrt{1 + f'(x)^2} dx$$

7.2 Vector Fields

Definition 7.5. A function $F : A \subset \mathbb{R}^n \mapsto \mathbb{R}^n$ is called a **vector field** where

$$F(x) = (F_1(x), \dots, F_n(x))$$

Definition 7.6. a function $f : \mathbb{R}^n \mapsto \mathbb{R}$ is called a **scalar field**, the components of a vector field are scalar fields.

We think of a vector field F as attaching to each point x a vector $f(x)$

Example 7.7. Newtons Gravitational Law

$$F(x) = -\frac{mMG}{||x||^3} x$$

”pull of a satellite towards the earth”

The strength of the force depends on d , the distance away. Force is in the opposite direction to the position vector.

$$F(x) = F(x, y, z) = \left(-\frac{mMG}{||(x, y, z)||^3} x, -\frac{mMG}{||(x, y, z)||^3} y, -\frac{mMG}{||(x, y, z)||^3} z \right)$$

Example 7.8. Put a toy boat into a stream, a velocity field is the velocity at each point of the stream.

Let the path be $\gamma(t)$, then $\gamma'(t) = F(\gamma(t)), \forall t$

Definition 7.9. If F is a vector field, a **flowline** for F is a path $\gamma(t)$ such that $\gamma'(t) = F(\gamma(t))$

Definition 7.10. The **flow of a vector field** is the family of all flow lines

Example 7.11. $F(x, y) = (3, 4)$, vector $(3, 4)$ at every point will be straight lines. Want to know flow line at $(1, 2)$

$$\gamma(t) = (x(t), y(t))$$

$$\gamma'(t) = F(\gamma(t)) = (3, 4)$$

$$\gamma(t) = (3t + 1, 4t + 2)$$

as it passes through $(1, 2)$.

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8.1 Line Integrals

Example 8.1. For time t , force $F = F(\gamma(t)) \cdot \frac{\gamma'(t)}{\|\gamma'(t)\|} = F(\gamma(t)) \cdot T(\gamma(t))$

$$\Delta w = F(\gamma(t)) \cdot T(\gamma(t)) \Delta s$$

$$w = \int_{\gamma} F \cdot T ds$$

Definition 8.2. Let F be a vector field in \mathbb{R}^n and let $\gamma : [a, b] \mapsto \mathbb{R}^n$ be a smooth curve in \mathbb{R}^n . The **line integral** of F over γ , denoted $\int_{\gamma} F ds$ is defined by

$$\int_{\gamma} F \cdot ds = \int_{\gamma} (F \cdot T) ds$$

Remark. $(F \cdot T)$ is a scalar field, and as produced before:

$$\int_{\gamma} (F \cdot T) ds = \int_a^b F(\gamma(t)) \cdot \gamma'(t) dt$$

Remark. Within signs, the line integral is independent of the parameterization. ie.

$$\int_{\gamma} F \cdot ds = - \int_{-\gamma} F \cdot ds$$

Remark. We can work over piecewise smooth curves by dividing it into smooth sub intervals and summing them up.

Example 8.3. $F(x, y) = (y, x^2), \gamma(t) = (t^2, t^3), t \in [0, 1]$

$$F(\gamma(t)) = (t^3, t^4)$$

$$\gamma'(t) = (2t, 3t^2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\gamma} F \cdot ds &= \int_0^1 (2t^4 + 3t^6) dt \\ &= \left[\frac{2}{5} t^5 + \frac{3}{7} t^7 \right]_0^1 \\ &= \frac{2}{5} + \frac{3}{7} = \frac{29}{35} \end{aligned}$$

Example 8.4.

$$\begin{aligned}
F(x, y) &= (2y - x, -y) \\
\gamma(t) &= (-\cos t, \sin t), t \in [0, \pi] \\
\gamma_0(t) &= (\cos t, \sin t), t \in [0, \pi]
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\int_{\gamma} F ds &= \int_0^{\pi} F(\gamma(t)) \cdot \gamma'(t) dt \\
&= \int_0^{\pi} (2\sin^2 t + \cos t \sin t - \sin t \cos t) dt \\
&= 2 \int_0^{\pi} \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \cos(2t) \right) dt = \pi
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\int_{\gamma_0} F ds &= \int_0^{\pi} F(\gamma_0(t)) \cdot \gamma_0'(t) dt \\
&= \int_0^{\pi} (-2\sin^2 t + \cos t \sin t - \sin t \cos t) dt \\
&= -2 \int_0^{\pi} \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \cos(2t) \right) dt = -\pi
\end{aligned}$$

Note. Notice from the previous example that

$$\int_{\gamma} F ds = \int_0^{\pi} (2\sin t + \cos t)(\sin t) - (\sin t)(\cos t)$$

we notice this is in the form

$$A = \int_a^b F_1(\gamma(t))\gamma_1'(t) + \dots + F_n(\gamma(t))\gamma_n'(t) dt$$

We introduce a new notation that can take advantage of this form and rewrite A as

$$\int_a^b F_1 dx_1 + \dots + F_n dx_n$$

where $dx_i = \gamma_i'(t) dt, i = 1, \dots, n$

Definition 8.5. A (first-order) **differential form** (1-form) in \mathbb{R}^n is an expression of the form

$$f_1 dx_1 + \dots + f_n dx_n$$

Definition 8.6. Let $\omega = f_1 dx_1 + \dots + f_n dx_n$ be a differential form in \mathbb{R}^n and let $\gamma : [a, b] \mapsto \mathbb{R}^n$ be a smooth curve in \mathbb{R}^n . The integral of ω over γ , denoted

$$\int_{\gamma} \omega$$

is defined by

$$\int_{\gamma} \omega = \int_{\gamma} F \cdot ds$$

where $F = (f_1, \dots, f_n)$

So

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\gamma} \omega &= \int_a^b [f_1(\gamma(t))\gamma'_1(t) + \dots + f_n(\gamma(t))\gamma'_n(t)] dt \\ &= \int_a^b F(\gamma(t))\gamma'(t) dt = \int_{\gamma} F \cdot ds \end{aligned}$$

where $F = (f_1, \dots, f_n)$

We can think of $F = (f_1, \dots, f_n)$ and $ds = (dx_1, \dots, dx_n)$ where $dx_i = \frac{d(x_i(t))}{dt} dt$, $i = 1, \dots, n$ which means the dot product notation makes sense.

Example 8.7.

$$\int_{\gamma} zx^2 dx + yz dy + \arcsin(x) dz$$

where $\gamma(t) = (t, t^2, 1)$, $t \in [0, 1]$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\gamma} \omega &= \int_0^1 [(t^2)(1) + (t^2)(2t) + (0)(\arcsin t)] dt \\ &= \int_0^1 (t^2 + 2t^3) dt \\ &= \left[\frac{1}{3}t^3 + \frac{1}{2}t^4 \right]_0^1 \\ &= \frac{5}{6} \end{aligned}$$

Given a vector field $F = (f_1, \dots, f_n)$ we have the (1-form) $\omega = f_1 dx_1 + \dots + f_n dx_n$ and vice versa

Definition 8.8. Let $f : \mathbb{R}^n \mapsto \mathbb{R}$. The differential form corresponding to the vector field ∇f , denoted df , is called the **total differential of f**

$$\nabla f = \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1}, \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2}, \dots, \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_n} \right), df = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} dx_1 + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} dx_2 + \dots + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_n} dx_n$$

If we differentiate with respect to f , we get

$$\frac{df}{dt} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} \frac{dx_1}{dt} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} \frac{dx_2}{dt} + \dots + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_n} \frac{dx_n}{dt}$$

”the total derivative of f with respect to t ”

Definition 8.9. Let $F : \mathbb{R}^n \mapsto \mathbb{R}^n$ be a vector field. If $F = \nabla g$, for some $g : \mathbb{R}^n \mapsto \mathbb{R}$ then F is said to be **conservative**.

Definition 8.10. Let ω be a first order differential form in \mathbb{R}^n . If $\omega = dg$ for some $g : \mathbb{R}^n \mapsto \mathbb{R}$ then ω is said to be **exact**.

Note. $(F_1, \dots, F_n) = F = \nabla g \iff dg = \omega = F_1 dx_1 + F_2 dx_2 + \dots + F_n dx_n$ So this implies that F is conservative iff ω is exact

Example 8.11. $\int_{\gamma} xy dx + x dy$ where

1. γ is a parameterization of the top half of the unit circle
2. γ is a parameterization of the line $(1, 0) \rightarrow (-1, 0)$
- 1.

$$\gamma(t) = (\cos t, \sin t), t \in [0, \pi]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\gamma} xy dx + x dy &= \int_0^{\pi} ((\cos t)(\sin t)(-\sin t) + (\cos t)(\cos t)) dt \\ &= \int_0^{\pi} (\sin^2 t + \cos^2 t) dt \\ &= \int_0^{\pi} 1 dt = \pi \end{aligned}$$

2.

$$\gamma(t) = (1 - t, 0), t \in [0, 2]$$

$$\int_{\gamma} xy dx + x dy = \int_0^2 (0)(-1) + (1 - t)(0) dt = 0$$

Note. The line integral depends on the path chosen, not on how you parameterize that path

Think of a parameterization as a bijection, except possibly at finitely many of those points.

Theorem 8.12. Suppose $F : \mathbb{R}^n \mapsto \mathbb{R}$ is of class C^1 and $\gamma : [a, b] \mapsto \mathbb{R}^n$ is a piecewise smooth path in \mathbb{R}^n then

$$\int_{\gamma} \nabla f ds = f(\gamma(b)) - f(\gamma(a))$$

Proof. Apply the chain rule to the composite function $G : \mathbb{R} \mapsto \mathbb{R}$ given by $G(t) = (f \circ \gamma)(t)$

$$G'(t) = \nabla f(\gamma(t)) \gamma'(t) \in \mathbb{R}$$

Then we apply FTC to get

$$\begin{aligned} \int_a^b G'(t) dt &= G(b) - G(a) \\ &= f(\gamma(b)) - f(\gamma(a)) \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_{\gamma} \nabla f ds = \int_a^b \nabla f(\gamma(t)) \gamma'(t) dt = f(\gamma(b)) - f(\gamma(a))$$

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Corollary 8.13. If $F = \nabla f$ is a conservative vector field and γ is a curve joining x_0, x_1 then

$$\int_{\gamma} F ds = f(x_1) - f(x_0)$$

The line integral of a conservative vector field is independent of the choice of path

Remarks:

1. This theorem and corollary can be restated in terms of differential forms. For example, If $\omega = df$ is exact and γ is a curve joining x_0, x_1 then

$$\int_{\gamma} \omega = f(x_1) - f(x_0)$$

2. This result (any form) is a generalization of the FTOC and is often called the "General Fundamental Theorem of Calculus" (GFTC)
($\int_{\gamma} d\omega = \int_{\partial\gamma} \omega$)

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Definition 9.1. A **closed curve** is a curve which joins a point x_0 to itself

Definition 9.2. A **simple curve** is a curve which does not intersect itself

Definition 9.3. A **Jordan curve** is a non-self-intersecting continuous loop in the plane

Corollary 9.4. If F is a conservative vector field, and γ is a closed curve, then

$$\int_{\gamma} F \cdot ds = 0$$

Definition 9.5. If $F = \nabla g$ is a conservative vector field then g is called a potential function for the vector field F

Theorem 9.6. If F is a vector field and $\int_{\gamma} F \cdot ds = 0, \forall$ closed curves γ then F is conservative. (The idea is that:)

$$\int_{\gamma+\sigma} F \cdot ds = \int_{\gamma} F \cdot ds + \int_{\sigma} F \cdot ds = 0$$

Example 9.7.

$$\int_{\gamma} y^2 dx + 2xy dy, \gamma(t) = (\arctan(\sin(\frac{\pi}{2}t)), e^{\cos(\frac{\pi}{2}t)}), t \in [0, 1]$$

$g(x, y) = xy^2 + c$ is a potential function for $\omega = y^2 dx + 2xy dy$.

$$\int_{\gamma} y^2 dx + 2xy dy = g(\gamma(1)) - g(\gamma(0))$$

$$\gamma(1) = (\arctan(1), e^0) = (\frac{\pi}{4}, 1)$$

$$\gamma(0) = (\arctan(0), e) = (0, e)$$

This implies that $\int_{\gamma} = \frac{\pi}{4}(1) - (0)(e^2) = \frac{\pi}{4}$. Assume that F_1, \dots, F_n are of class C^1 , then $F = (F_1, \dots, F_n)$ or $\omega = F_1 dx_1 + \dots + F_n dx_n$

So if $F = \nabla g$ or $\omega = dg$ then $F_i = \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_i}$

F_1, \dots, F_n are $C^1 \implies g$ must be C^2

$$\frac{\partial F_i}{\partial x_j} = \frac{\partial^2 g}{\partial x_j \partial x_i} = \frac{\partial^2 g}{\partial x_i \partial x_j} = \frac{\partial F_j}{\partial x_i}$$

\implies a necessary condition for F to be conservative or ω to be exact is

$$\frac{\partial F_i}{\partial x_j} = \frac{\partial F_j}{\partial x_i}, i, j \in [1, n], i \neq j$$

Definition 9.8. Let $\omega = F_1 dx_1 + \dots + F_n dx_n$. If

$$\frac{\partial F_i}{\partial x_j} = \frac{\partial F_j}{\partial x_i}, i, j \in [1, n], i \neq j$$

Then ω is said to be closed.

Note. *exact \implies closed*

Definition 9.9. A subset $S \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ is said to be **simply connected** if given two curves with the same endpoints on S , one can be continuously deformed into the other within S .

In \mathbb{R}^n , if S is connected, it is also simply connected if for every closed curve γ in S , the interior of γ is also in S .

Example 9.10. $\mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{0\}$ is simply connected

Example 9.11. $\mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{(x, 0, 0) | x \in \mathbb{R}\}$ is not simply connected

Definition 9.12. If $\omega = F_1 dx_1 + \dots + F_n dx_n$ the domain of ω is the intersection of the domains of all $F_i, i \in [1, n]$

Theorem 9.13. *If ω is a differential form whose domain is simply connected then ω is closed iff ω is exact. \mathbb{R}^n is simply connected \implies If ω is defined on all \mathbb{R}^n , ω is exact iff ω is closed*

10 Monday, February 5, 2018

Theorem 10.1. Let $\omega = F_1 dx_1 + \dots + F_n dx_n$ be 1-form defined on all of \mathbb{R}^n , then this implies that ω is exact \iff it is also closed, since it is defined on all of \mathbb{R}^n .

Note. exact means there exists a potential function

$$g : \mathbb{R}^n \mapsto \mathbb{R}, \exists \omega = dg$$

And so we want to find g . We have to do the following steps to find g

10.1 Finding the potential function

(This is the setup for $n = 2, \mathbb{R}^2$).

Let $\omega = F_1 dx + F_2 dy$

(is it closed? We're checking for $\frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x}$).

\mathbb{R}^2 is simply connected, so if closed \implies exact then the potential function g exists.

We know that $\frac{\partial g}{\partial x} = F_1$ and $\frac{\partial g}{\partial y} = F_2$

$$g(x, y) = \int F_1(x, y) dx + \frac{dh(x)}{dy}$$

And then we need to find h

$$\frac{\partial g(x, y)}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\int F_1(x, y) dx + \frac{dh(x)}{dy} \right)$$

$$\frac{dh(x)}{dy} = F_2(x, y) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\int F_1(x, y) dx \right)$$

All x should cancel from the right hand side, leaving a function of y alone, which we can integrate to get h .

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(F_2(x, y) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\int F_1(x, y) dx \right) \right)$$

$$\implies \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x \partial y} \left(\int F_1(x, y) dx \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x \partial y} \left(\int F_1(x, y) dx \right) = \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial y} = 0$$

Example 10.2. (This example is in $n = 3, \mathbb{R}^3$)

$$\omega = (z^2 + 2xy)dx + (x^2 + 2yz)dy + (y^2 + 2xz + \cos(z))dz$$

$$F_1 = (z^2 + 2xy)$$

$$F_2 = (x^2 + 2yz)$$

$$F_3 = (y^2 + 2xz + \cos(z))$$

So we start out by checking if ω is closed, and since

$$\frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} = 2x = \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y}$$

$$\frac{\partial F_1}{\partial z} = 2z = \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial x}$$

$$\frac{\partial F_2}{\partial z} = 2y = \frac{\partial F_3}{\partial y}$$

Since the cross partials are equal, it is closed. More formally, the Domain of ω is \mathbb{R}^3 which is simply connected, and closed \implies exact.

We know there is a potential function $g : \mathbb{R}^3 \mapsto \mathbb{R}$

Now we must find and construct g .

$$\frac{\partial g}{\partial x} = F_1 = (z^2 + 2xy)$$

$$\implies g(x, y, z) = \int (z^2 + 2xy) + h(y, z)$$

$$\int (z^2 + 2xy) + h(y, z) = xz^2 + x^2y + h(y, z)$$

And since we know that

$$F_2 = x^2 + 2yz = \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(xz^2 + x^2y + h(y, z))$$

$$2yz = \frac{\partial h}{\partial y}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\implies \int 2yzdy + k(z) = h(x, y) \\ &\iff h(x, y) = \int 2yzdy + k(z) = y^2z + k(z) \end{aligned}$$

Now we have

$$\begin{aligned} g(x, y, z) &= xz^2 + x^2y + y^2z + k(z) \\ F_3 &= y^2 + 2xz + \cos(z) = \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(y^2z + k(z)) \\ 2xz + \cos(z) &= \frac{\partial k(z)}{\partial z} \\ k(z) &= \int (2xz + \cos(z))dz = xz^2 + \sin(z) + C \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, we have

$$g(x, y, z) = 2xz^2 + x^2y + y^2z + \sin(z) + C$$

10.2 Green's Theorem

Let γ be a smooth Jordan Curve in \mathbb{R}^2 oriented in the counterclockwise direction, and let R be the region enclosed by γ . Let $\omega = F_1dx + F_2dy$ where $F_1, F_2 : \mathbb{R} \mapsto \mathbb{R}$ are of class C^1 throughout \mathbb{R} . then

$$\int_{\gamma=\partial R} F_1dx + F_2dy = \int_R \left(\frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \right) dA$$

Note. Can restate in terms of a vector field. The conclusion would look like this:

$$\int_{\gamma=\partial R} F \cdot ds = \int_R \left(\frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \right) dA$$

where $F = (F_1, F_2)$

Note. The theorem can easily be generalized to the case where γ is a Plane Simple Jordan Curve

Note. Sometimes the LHS is given as

$$\oint_{\gamma=\partial R} F_1 dx + F_2 dy$$

which indicates a closed curve in the counterclockwise direction (\oint for the other direction).

Note. Should note that this theorem is of the form

$$\int_{\partial R} f = \int_R df$$

Example 10.3. Let R be a disc of radius 3 centered at the origin. Verify Green's Theorem by direct calculation when $F_1(x, y) = xy$ and $F_2(x, y) = x$.

So to verify Green's Theorem, we will calculate the left hand side and the right hand side separately and compare our results.

Left Hand Sign

∂R is a circle of radius 3 centered at the origin

We can parameterize it by $\gamma(t) = (3\cos t, 3\sin t), t \in [0, 2\pi]$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\gamma} F_1 dx + F_2 dy &= \int_{\gamma} xy dx + x dy \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} (3\cos t)(3\sin t)(-3\sin t) + (3\cos t)(3\cos t) dt \\ &= 9 \int_0^{2\pi} \cos^2 t dt \\ &= 9 \int_0^{2\pi} \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \cos(2t) \right) dt \\ &= \frac{9}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} dt = 9\pi \end{aligned}$$

Left Hand Sign

$$\begin{aligned}
\iint_{\text{disk}} \left(\frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \right) dA &= \iint_{\text{disk}} (1 - x) dA \\
&\stackrel{\text{polars}}{=} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^3 (1 - r \cos \theta) r dr d\theta \\
&= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^3 (r - r^2 \cos \theta) dr d\theta \\
&= \int_0^{2\pi} \left[\frac{1}{2} r^2 - \frac{1}{3} r^2 \cos \theta \right]_0^3 d\theta \\
&= \int_0^{2\pi} \left(\frac{9}{2} - 0 \right) d\theta = 9\pi
\end{aligned}$$

Since both sides are the same, Green's theorem holds for this example.

Corollary 10.4. (Corollary 1 of Green's Theorem)

If γ is a smooth Jordan Curve in \mathbb{R}^2 and R is the region enclosed by γ then the area of R is given by

$$A(R) = \frac{1}{2} \int_{\gamma} x dy - y dx$$

If we apply Green's theorem to this corollary, we get

$$\frac{1}{2} \iint_R (1 + 1) dA = \iint_R dA = \text{The area of } R$$

Corollary 10.5. If the domain of ω (in \mathbb{R}^2) is simply connected, the ω is closed \implies exact.

$\omega = F_1 dx + F_2 dy$, so closed would be $(\frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y})$

If γ is any closed curve then

$$\begin{aligned}
\int_{\partial R = \gamma} \omega &= \iint_R \left(\frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \right) dA \\
&= \iint_R 0 dA = 0
\end{aligned}$$

Example 10.6. Find the area of the ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\gamma(t) = (a \cos t, b \sin t), t \in [0, 2\pi]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area} &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{\gamma} x dy - y dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} (a \cos t)(b \cos t) - (b \sin t)(-a \sin t) dt \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} ab(\cos^2 t + \sin^2 t) dt \\ &= \pi ab \end{aligned}$$

Example 10.7. Recall the previous examples, $\int_x y dx + x dy$ can go from $(1, 0) \rightarrow (-1, 0)$ in 2 different ways

Along top half of the unit circle

Along the x -axis This time we'll take γ as the top half of the unit circle followed along the x -axis back to $(1, 0)$.

Now since Green's Theorem holds, since it's closed:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\gamma} xy dx + x dy &\stackrel{\text{Green's}}{=} \int_{-1}^1 \int_0^{\sqrt{1-x^2}} (1-x) dy dx \\ &\stackrel{\text{polar}}{=} \int_0^{\pi} \int_0^1 (r^2 - r^2 \cos \theta) dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{\pi} \left[\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \cos \theta \right] d\theta \\ &= \frac{\pi}{2} \end{aligned}$$

Does this agree with our previous calculation?

Yes.

10.3 Winding Numbers

Example 10.8.

$$\omega = \frac{-y}{x^2 + y^2} + \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} = \frac{y^2 - x^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial F_2}{\partial y} = \frac{y^2 - x^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}$$

\implies closed, but not exact, since it is not simply connected as the domain is $\mathbb{R}^2 - \{(0, 0)\}$

If it were exact, $\int_{\gamma} \omega = 0$ for all closed γ

Let γ parameterize the unit circle in the counterclockwise direction.

$$\gamma(t) = (\cos t, \sin t), t \in [0, 2\pi]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\gamma} \omega &= \int_0^{2\pi} (-\sin t)(-\sin t) + (\cos t)(\cos t) dt \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} (\sin^2 t + \cos^2 t) dt \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} dt \\ &= 2\pi \neq 0 \end{aligned}$$

We have a closed curve that is $\neq 0$

If the radius were R .

$$\left(\frac{-R\sin t}{R^2}\right)(-R\sin t) + \left(\frac{-R\cos t}{R^2}\right)(R\cos t) = \frac{R^2}{R^2}\sin^2 t + \frac{R^2}{R^2}\cos^2 t = 1$$

\implies the integral would still be 2π

Does this contradict Green's Theorem?

No, Since F_1, F_2 are not defined throughout the region R enclosed by γ and F_1, F_2 is not defined at $(0, 0)$

Is this unique to circles?

No.

11 Friday, February 9, 2018

Continuing from the example from before:

Example 11.1. $\omega = \frac{-y}{x^2+y^2} + \frac{x}{x^2+y^2}$ is closed but not exact. $\int_{\gamma} \omega = 2\pi$ when γ is a counterclockwise parameterization of a unit circle of radius R .

Generalizing, we have:

Theorem 11.2. *Let σ be any Jordan curve which circles the origin in the counterclockwise direction.*

CLAIM: $\int_{\sigma} \omega = 2\pi$

Proof. 1. Does not depend on the shape of σ (as long as it's around the origin)

2. Any such curve can be continuously deformed in the circle

Let $\sigma = \sigma_1 + \sigma_2$

$\gamma = -\sigma_1 - \sigma_2$ (since it is counterclockwise)

Without loss of generality, assume σ is longer than γ

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\sigma_1} \omega &= \int_{\alpha} \omega + \int_{\gamma_1} \omega + \int_{\beta} \omega \stackrel{\text{Green's}}{=} \int_{R_1} \left(\frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \right) dA = 0 \\ \int_{\sigma_2} \omega &= \int_{-\beta} \omega + \int_{\gamma_2} \omega + \int_{-\alpha} \omega \stackrel{\text{Green's}}{=} \int_{R_2} \left(\frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \right) dA = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Note that $\left(\frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \right) = 0 \implies$ closed

And now, if we add the 2 equations, then we get:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\sigma_1} \omega + \int_{\sigma_2} \omega + \int_{\gamma_1} \omega + \int_{\gamma_2} \omega &= \int_{\sigma} \omega + \int_{-\gamma} \omega \\ &= \int_{\sigma} \omega + - \int_{\gamma} \omega = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\implies \int_{\sigma} \omega = \int_{\gamma} \omega = 2\pi \quad \blacksquare$$

Note. $\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\gamma} \omega$ is always an integer. It will give the number of times γ encircles the origin in the counterclockwise direction

Definition 11.3. If γ is a closed curve which wraps around the origin, the integrals

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\gamma} \frac{-y}{x^2 + y^2} + \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2}$$

is called the **winding number** of γ

Example 11.4. if γ never completely encircles the origin, the winding number is 0

Example 11.5. if γ encircles the origin once in the counterclockwise direction, then winding number is -1

Note. *The corresponding vector field to the 1-form used above is*

$$F(x, y) = \left(\frac{-y}{x^2 + y^2}, \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} \right)$$

*This vector field is called a **vortex field**.*

Example 11.6. Evaluate $\int_{\gamma} F ds$ where F is the vortex field and γ is the boundary curve of the square $[-1, 1] \times [-1, 1]$ oriented in the clockwise direction.

$$\begin{aligned} \oint_{\gamma} F ds &= \int_{\gamma} \left(\frac{-y}{x^2 + y^2}, \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} \right) ds \\ &= 2\pi \cdot (\text{Winding Number}) \\ &= 2\pi(-1) \\ &= -2\pi \end{aligned}$$

Example 11.7. $f(x, y) = -\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) + C, y \neq 0$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{-y}{x^2 + y^2}, \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2}$$

But $f(x, y)$ is not defined for all of \mathbb{R}^2 , but the same set without the point $(0, 0)$.

We can find a potential function on some subset, say $\{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 | y > 0\}$ (simply connected subset).

12 Monday, February 12, 2018

12.1 Proof of Green's Theorem

Lemma 12.1. If R is a region like R_x then $\int_{\gamma=\partial R} F_1 dx = \int_R \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} dA$. (R_x being a region bounded in between two points on the x axis and between two curves that pass through this region as well)

Proof. Think of the boundary as $c_1 + c_2 + c_3 + c_4$

So

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\gamma} F_1 dx &= \int_{c_1} F_1 dx + \int_{c_2} F_1 dx + \int_{c_3} F_1 dx + \int_{c_4} F_1 dx \\ &= \int_{c_1} F_1 dx + \int_{c_2} F_1 dx - \int_{-c_3} F_1 dx - \int_{-c_4} F_1 dx \end{aligned}$$

And now we parameterize:

$$c_1 : x = x, y = g_1(x), x \in [a, b]$$

$$c_2 : x = b, y = y, y \in [g_1(b), g_2(b)]$$

$$c_3 : x = x, y = g_2(x), x \in [a, b]$$

$$c_4 : x = a, y = y, y \in [g_1(a), g_2(a)]$$

We noticed that dx is 0 for c_2, c_4

$$\begin{aligned} &\implies \int_{c_1} F_1 dx - \int_{-c_3} F_1 dx \\ &= \int_a^b F_1(x, g_1(x)) dx - \int_a^b F_1(x, g_2(x)) dx \\ &= \int_a^b [F_1(x, g_1(x)) - F_1(x, g_2(x))] dx \end{aligned}$$

For a fixed x , $F_1(x, y)$ and $\frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y}(x, y)$ are continuous functions for $y \in [g_1(x), g_2(x)]$.

$\frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y}$ is the derivative of F_1 with respect to y .

By the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus,

$$\begin{aligned}
 F_1(x, g_1(x)) - F_1(x, g_2(x)) &= \int_{g_1(x)}^{g_2(x)} -\frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} dy \\
 \implies \int_{\partial R} F_1 dx &= \int_a^b [F_1(x, g_1(x)) - F_1(x, g_2(x))] dx \\
 &= \int_a^b \int_{g_1(x)}^{g_2(x)} -\frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} dy dx
 \end{aligned}$$

As wanted ■

Lemma 12.2. If R is a region like R_y then $\int_{\gamma=\partial R} F_1 dx = \int_R \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} dA$. (R_y being a region bounded in between two points on the y axis and inbetween two curves that pass through this region as well)

Proof. similar to the previous proof, but with the roles switched. ■

Lemma 12.3. If Green's Theorem holds on R_1, R_2 then it holds on $R_1 \cup R_2$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Proof. } \int_{R_1 \cup R_2} \left(\frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \right) dA &= \int_{R_1} \left(\frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \right) dA + \int_{R_2} \left(\frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial y} \right) dA \\
 &\stackrel{\text{Green's}}{=} \int_{\gamma_1} F_1 dx + F_2 dy + \int_{\sigma} F_1 dx + F_2 dy + \int_{-\sigma} F_1 dx + F_2 dy + \int_{-\gamma_2} F_1 dx + F_2 dy \\
 &= \int_{\gamma_1} F_1 dx + F_2 dy + \int_{\gamma_2} F_1 dx + F_2 dy \\
 &= \int_{\partial(R_1 \cup R_2)} F_1 dx + F_2 dy
 \end{aligned}$$

Then conclude using Lemma 1 and 2 ■

12.2 Surfaces

Definition 12.4. A **parameterized surface** is a function $\Phi : D \subset \mathbb{R}^2 \mapsto \mathbb{R}^n$.

Definition 12.5. The **surface** corresponding to the function Φ is its image $\Phi(D)$

Definition 12.6. Φ is $\text{diff}(C^1)$ if each component is $\text{diff}(C^1)$. We then say that S is a $\text{diff}(C^1)$ surface.

Remark. "surface" is generally a 2-dimensional surface (we'll later define k -dimensional surfaces in \mathbb{R}^n)

Remark. We will generally restrict to surfaces which are at least piecewise C^1

Remark. The domain cannot always be described by inequalities with numeric limits

Remark. Think of Φ as "twisting", "bending", "stretching", D onto the surface $\Phi(D)$

Remark. There may be many different parameterizations of the same surface, for example, the top half of a unit sphere ($x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1, z \geq 0$). One example may be

$$\phi(u, v) = (\cos u \sin v, \sin u \sin v, \cos v), u \in [0, 2\pi], v \in [0, \frac{\pi}{2}]$$

and another may be

$$\phi(s, t) = (s, t\sqrt{1-s^2-t^2}), (s, t) \in D = \text{(circle disk of radius 1)}$$

Remark. Graph of a function of two variables $z = f(x, y)$ is parameterized by $\phi(u, v) = (u, v, f(u, v)), (u, v) \in \text{Dom}(f)$

Remark. for $F(x, y, z) = 0$, we could try to sub in $z = g(x, y)$ like the last remark, but if it is not possible, we may need to split the surface into several pieces, generally, $z = g(x, y)$ is not the best approach.

Definition 12.7. $\Phi : D \subset \mathbb{R}^2 \mapsto \mathbb{R}^n$ is a surface parameterization and fix $v = v_0$, then $(\phi_1(u, v_0), \dots, \phi_n(u, v_0))$ is a path on the surface

$$\gamma'(u) = (\frac{\partial \phi_1}{\partial u}(u, v_0), \dots, \frac{\partial \phi_n}{\partial u}(u, v_0)) = (\gamma'_1(u), \dots, \gamma'_n(u))$$

Note. γ' is tangent to the surface, it represents u -curves or u -lines ($\phi_u(u, v_0) = \gamma'(u)$), similarly, we have v -curves and v -lines and tangents $\phi_v(u, v)$

So at the point $\phi(u_0, v_0)$, we have two tangent vectors, $\phi_u(u_0, v_0)$ and $\phi_v(u_0, v_0)$

In the case of the k -dimensional surface, there will be k of these tangents. $(\phi_{u_i}, i = 1, \dots, k)$

Any other tangent vector at $\phi(u_0, v_0)$ can be written as a linear combination of ϕ_u and ϕ_v .

$$T(u_0, v_0) = \lambda \phi_u(u_0, v_0) + \mu \phi_v(u_0, v_0), \lambda, \mu \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$T(u_1, \dots, u_k) = \sum_{i=1}^k \lambda_i \phi_{u_i}(u_1, \dots, u_k)$$

For the moment, restrict to 2-dim surfaces in \mathbb{R}^2 , since ϕ_u and ϕ_v are tangent to the surface $\phi(u_0, v_0)$, $\phi_v \times \phi_u(u_0, v_0)$ is perpendicular to the surface (and tangent plane) at $\phi(u_0, v_0)$. Hence the tangent plane at $\phi(u_0, v_0)$ can be given by $x \cdot (\phi_v \times \phi_u(u_0, v_0)) = \phi(u_0, v_0) \cdot (\phi_v \times \phi_u(u_0, v_0))$ where $x = (x_1, x_2, x_3)$, an arbitrary point on the tangent plane.

Example 12.8. $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$, $\phi(u, v) = (\cos u \sin v, \sin u \sin v, \cos v)$, $u \in [0, 2\pi]$, $v \in [0, \pi]$, $p = 1$

u -lines are circles of latitude while v -lines are half circles of longitude.

$$\phi_u = (-\sin(u) \sin(v), \cos(u) \sin(v), 0)$$

$$\phi_v = (\cos(u) \cos(v), \sin(u) \cos(v), -\sin(v))$$

$$\begin{aligned} \phi_u \times \phi_v &= (-\cos(u) \sin^2(v), -\sin(u) \sin^2(v), -\sin(v) \cos(v)) \\ &= (-\sin v)(\cos(u) \sin(v), \sin(u) \sin(v), \cos(v)) \\ &= (-\sin v) \cdot \phi(u, v) \end{aligned}$$

The tangent plane is:

$$\begin{aligned} (x, y, z) \cdot (\phi_u \times \phi_v) &= \phi(u, v) \cdot (\phi_u \times \phi_v) \\ &= (-\sin v)(x \cos(u) \sin(v), y \sin(u) \sin(v), z \cos(v)) \\ &= (-\sin v) \cdot \phi(u, v) \cdot \phi(u, v) \\ &= (-\sin v) \|\phi(u, v)\|^2 \\ &= (-\sin v) \end{aligned}$$

$$\implies (\cos(u) \sin(v))x + (\sin(u) \sin(v))y + (\cos(v))z = 1$$

So the tangent plane at the point $(0, 1, 0)$ is: $u = \frac{\pi}{2}$, $v = \frac{\pi}{2}$, therefore $0x + y + 0z = 1 \implies y = 1$

Note. Different parameterizations give different u and v lines.

Remark. *Think of (u, v) as a new coordinate system used to locate a point $\phi(u, v)$ on the surface $\phi(D)$. In the same way as we use (x, y) to locate a point in the xy -plane. Usually called a curvilinear-coordinate.*

Remark. *Tangent plane only makes sense if $\phi_u \times \phi_v \neq 0$*

Definition 12.9. We say the surface is regular or smooth at $\phi(u_0, v_0)$ if ϕ is differentiable at $\phi(u_0, v_0)$ and $(\phi_u \times \phi_v)(u_0, v_0) \neq 0$. The surface is regular (smooth) if it is regular at each point. This depends on both the parameterization and the geometry of the surface.

13 Friday, February 16, 2018

13.1 Surfaces (cont'd)

Example 13.1. Consider the following slide

$$\phi(s, t) = (\sin^3 s \cos^3 t, \sin^3 s \sin^3 t, \cos^3 s), s \in [0, \pi], t \in [0, 2\pi]$$

Note that ϕ is not regular since $\phi_s \times \phi_t$ vanishes at $s = \frac{\pi}{2}, t = \frac{\pi}{2}$, so a sharp point at $(0, 1, 0)$

Example 13.2. Consider $z = x^2 + y^2$. Compute $\phi(1, 2) = (1, 2, 5)$

We could use the following parameterization:

$$\phi(u, v) = (u \cos v, \sin v, 2u), u \geq 0, v \in [0, 2\pi]$$

$$\phi_u(\cos v, \sin v, 2u), \phi_v = (-u \sin v, u \cos v, 0)$$

$$\phi_u \times \phi_v = (-2u^2 \cos v, -2u^2 \sin v, u)$$

This is regular except at $u = 0$. The definition of regular depends on the parameterization as well as the geometry of the surface, so consider this better parameterization

$$\phi(u, v) = (u, v, u^2 + v^2)$$

$$\phi_u = (1, 0, 2u), \phi_v = (0, 1, 2v)$$

$$\phi_u \times \phi_v = (-2u, -2v, 1)$$

and at $\phi(1, 2) \implies \phi_u \times \phi_v = (-2, -4, 1)$

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= \phi_u \times \phi_v(1, 2) \cdot ((x, y, z) - (1, 2, 5)) \\ &= (-2, -4, 1) \cdot (x - 1, y - 2, z - 5) \\ &= -2x + 2 - 4y + 8 + z - 5 \\ &= -2x - 4y + z + 5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\implies 2x + 4y - z = 5$$

Consider the Parallelogram generated by vectors a, b . The area of the parallelogram is $\|a \times b\|$. Now, intuitively we integrate f over a surface S and divide S into subsurfaces S_α . And then we take $\omega_\alpha \in S_\alpha$ and evaluate $f(\omega_\alpha)$ and multiply by the area of S_α . Then

$$\sum_{\alpha} f(\omega_{\alpha})(\text{area } S_{\alpha})$$

In the limit, we get the Riemann Integral.

Definition 13.3. Let $\phi : D \subset \mathbb{R}^2 \mapsto \mathbb{R}^3$ be a 2-dimension surface in \mathbb{R}^3 and let $f : (Im\phi) \mapsto \mathbb{R}$. Then the scalar surface integral of f over ϕ , denoted $\int_{\phi} f dS$ is given by

$$\int_{\phi} f dS = \int_D f(\phi(u, v)) \|\phi_u \times \phi_v\| dA$$

Definition 13.4. the surface area of ϕ is given by

$$\int_{\phi} dS = \int_D \|\phi_u \times \phi_v\| dA$$

Example 13.5. Let S be the upper-hemisphere of the unit sphere. Find the surface area and evaluate $\int_S z dS$

We choose the following parameterization

$$\phi(u, v) = (\sin v \cos u, \sin v \sin u, \cos v), u \in [0, 2\pi], v \in [0, \frac{\pi}{2}]$$

$$\|\phi_u \times \phi_v\| = |\sin v| = \sin v \text{ (since } v \in [0, \frac{\pi}{2}]).$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{area} &= \int_{\phi} dS = \int_D \|\phi_u \times \phi_v\| dA \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin v dv du \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} du = 2\pi \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\phi} z dS &= \int_D (\cos v) \|\phi_u \times \phi_v\| dA \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (\cos v)(\sin v) dv du \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} [\sin^2 v] du \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} du = \pi \end{aligned}$$

In the ij th piece, choose $\phi(u_i^*, u_j^*)$ then evaluate f at that point; the volume is $f(\phi(u_i^*, u_j^*)) \cdot \text{area of the } ij\text{th piece}$. The sides of the the ij th piece are: $\phi_u \Delta u$ and $\phi_v \Delta v$

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We'll determine the orientation by choosing a unit normal vector.

- we know that for most surfaces, there are 2 normals, u_1, u_2 , with $u_2 = -u_1$
- We'll choose one of the normals
 - It could be one that points up
 - It could be one that points out (which is arbitrary)
 - etc.

Let the unit sphere be oriented by the outward pointing unit normal. This means it is outside to the positive side and the inside is the negative side.

There are surfaces where much choices are not possible.

Definition 14.1. An **Oriented Surface** is a 2-sided regular (smooth) surface to which we have attached, at each point, a unit normal vector (which varies continuously from point to point)

Definition 14.2. An **Orientable surface** is a 2-sided regular (smooth) surface to which we can attach, at each point, a unit normal vector

If S is the boundary of a 3-dimension region. Then it is oriented by the outward pointing unit normal.

Definition 14.3. Let F be a vector field defined on a surface S which is oriented by a unit normal n . The **(vector) surface integral of F over S** , denoted

$$\int_S F \cdot dS$$

is defined by

$$\int_S F \cdot dS = \int_S F \cdot n dS$$

Note. 1. $F \cdot n$ is a scalar field

2. From physics, $\int_S F \cdot ndS$ is called a *flux* of the vector field F across S . When the surface is closed, we sometimes use the notation

$$\oiint_S F \cdot ndS$$

In this case, refer to the **flux out of** S if n is the unit outer normal and **flux into** S if n is the unit inner normal.

3. There are other forms of (vector) surface integrals, but this is the only one we'll consider in this course
4. I'll (Dr. Eric Moore) will use both notations

Why is this a reasonable definition?

It can be written as components. One in the normal direction and the other in the tangential direction.

$F = (F \cdot n)n + G$ where $G \cdot n = 0$. G is tangent to the surface and $F \cdot n$ is the normal component. It is the normal piece that we need to consider to see what passes through the surface.

$$\int_S (F \cdot n) dS = (\text{area of } S)(\text{average normal})$$

Take S to be a porous surface. What flows through in time t ?

Say δs is a small piece of the surface. The amount that flows through δs will fill a parallelepiped with length $t \cdot \|F\|$ in direction F . What's the volume?

$$\Delta s(\|\text{projection of } t \cdot F \text{ onto the normal } (t \cdot \Delta S)\|) = (\Delta s)(tF \cdot n) = (F \cdot n \Delta s)$$

How do we calculate? (Vector surface integrals)

- restrict to \mathbb{R}^3
- assume S is a 2-dimension surface in \mathbb{R}^3 oriented by u and assume $\Phi(u, v)$ is a regular parameterization of S .

We find ϕ_u, ϕ_v and $\phi_u \times \phi_v$ (a normal)

$$\frac{\phi_u \times \phi_v}{\|\phi_u \times \phi_v\|} \text{ is a unit normal}$$

This implies that

$$\frac{\phi_u \times \phi_v}{\|\phi_u \times \phi_v\|} = \pm n$$

which implies that

$$\phi_u \times \phi_v = \pm \|\phi_u \times \phi_v\| n$$

The plus and minus determines if it is in the same direction as n or in the opposite direction.

Note. *it is an adequate to check at a single point the orientation of the surface*

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\Phi} F \cdot dS &= \int_{\Phi} F \cdot n dS \\ &= \int_D F(\Phi(u, v)) \cdot n(\Phi(u, v)) \|\phi_u \times \phi_v\| dA \\ &= \pm \int_D F(\Phi(u, v)) \cdot \frac{\phi_u \times \phi_v}{\|\phi_u \times \phi_v\|} \|\phi_u \times \phi_v\| dA \\ &= \pm \int_D (F(\Phi(u, v)) \cdot \phi_u \times \phi_v) dA \end{aligned}$$

Example 14.4. Evaluate $\int_S F \cdot dS$

$F(x, y, z) = (x, y, z)$, S is the part of the plane $x + y + z = 1$ which lies in the first octant and n points upward.

We parameterize S by $\Phi(u, v) = (u, v, 1 - u - v)$ where $(u, v) \in D$

D is the projection in the xy -plane.

$$0 \leq v \leq 1 - u$$

$$0 \leq u \leq 1$$

$$\phi_u \times \phi_v = (1, 1, 1)$$

Since the z -component is positive, it points relatively upward. So its in the correct direction.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int_{\Phi} F \cdot dS &= \int_D (F(\Phi(u, v)) \cdot \phi_u \times \phi_v) dA \\
 &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-u} (u, v, 1 - u - v) \cdot (1, 1, 1) dv du \\
 &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-u} (u + v + 1 - u - v) dv du \\
 &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-u} dv du \\
 &= \int_0^1 (1 - u) du \\
 &= \left[u - \frac{1}{2}u^2 \right]_0^1 = 1 - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

Example 14.5. $F(x, y, z) = (x, y, z)$, S is that part of the paraboloid $z = 4 - x^2 - y^2$ with $0 \leq x \leq 1$ and $0 \leq y \leq 1$ with n pointing outward

Parameterize S by $\Phi(u, v) = (u, v, 4 - u^2 - v^2)$ where $0 \leq u \leq 1$ and $0 \leq v \leq 1$ and $\phi_u \times \phi_v = (2u, 2v, 1)$

Since $z = 1 > 0$, this is the correct direction.

$$\begin{aligned}
\int_{\Phi} F \cdot dS &= \int_0^1 \int_0^1 F(\Phi(u, v)) \cdot \phi_u \times \phi_v \, dudv \\
&= \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (u, v, 4 - u^2 - v^2) \cdot (2u, 2v, 1) \, dudv \\
&= \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (2u^2 + 2v^2 + 4 - u^2 - v^2) \, dudv \\
&= \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (4 + u^2 + v^2) \, dudv \\
&= \int_0^1 [4u + \frac{u^3}{3} + v^2u]_0^1 \, dv \\
&= \int_0^1 (4 + \frac{1}{3} + v^2) \, dv \\
&= [4v + \frac{v}{3} + \frac{v^3}{3}]_0^1 \\
&= 4 + \frac{2}{3} = \frac{14}{3}
\end{aligned}$$

Example 14.6. Integrate $F(x, y, z) = (x, y, z)$ on the covered bowl: bowl:

$S_1 : z = x^2 + y^2, 0 \leq z \leq 1$

cover: $S_2 : (z - 1)^2 + x^2 + y^2 = 1, 1 \leq z \leq 2$

Where both S_1, S_2 are oriented by the outward unit normal.

bowl (S_1): $\Phi(u, v) = (u \cos(v), u \sin(v), u^2)$ where $0 \leq u \leq 1, 0 \leq v \leq 2\pi$

$$\phi_u = (\cos v, \sin v, 2u)$$

$$\phi_v = (-u \sin v, u \cos v, 0)$$

$$\phi_u \times \phi_v = u(-2u \cos v, -2u \sin v, 1)$$

For the unit outer normal, the z -component would have to be negative. However, the z component of $\phi_u \times \phi_v$ is $1 > u > 0$ so the unit normal vector

$$\begin{aligned}
-\int_{S_1} F \cdot nds &= -\int_{u,v} (u \cos v, u^2, u \sin v) \cdot (-2u^2 \cos v, -2u^2 \sin v, u) \, dA \\
&= -\int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} (-2u^3 \cos^2 v - 2u^4 \sin v + u^2 \sin v) \, dvdu = \frac{\pi}{2}
\end{aligned}$$

cover (S_2) : $\Phi(u, v) = (\cos(v)\sin(u), \sin(v)\sin(u), 1 + \cos(u))$ where $0 \leq v \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$, $0 \leq u \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\phi_u = (\cos(v)\cos(u), \sin(v)\cos(u), -\sin(u))$$

$$\phi_v = (-\sin(v)\sin(u), \cos(v)\sin(u), 0)$$

$$\phi_u \times \phi_v = \sin(u)(\cos(v)\sin(u), \sin(v)\sin(u), \cos(u))$$

The z -component of both u and $\phi_u \times \phi_v$ are positive, so they are the correct direction.