

MATH 425b FINAL EXAM SOLUTIONS  
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**IN CLASS FINAL:**

(1)(a)  $d\omega = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_3} dx_1 \wedge dx_2 \wedge dx_3$  so  $d\omega = 0 \iff \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_3} \equiv 0 \iff f$  is constant in  $x_3$  for each fixed  $(x_1, x_2) \iff f$  is a function of  $x_1, x_2$  only.

(b)  $d\lambda = 0$  means  $\lambda$  is closed in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ , hence exact by 10.39:  $\lambda = dh$  for some  $\mathcal{C}''$  function  $h$ . Hence by Stokes Theorem 10.33,

$$\int_{\beta} \lambda = \int_{\beta} dh = \int_{\partial\beta} h$$

Here  $\partial\beta$  is  $[\mathbf{b}] - [\mathbf{a}]$  so  $\int_{\beta} h = h(\mathbf{b}) - h(\mathbf{a})$ . The same is true for  $\gamma$  so the integrals are equal.

(c) The Jacobian is  $\frac{\partial(x_1, x_2)}{\partial(u_1, u_2)} = \det I = 1$ , and (since  $f$  depends only on the first two coordinates)  $f(\Phi(\mathbf{u})) = f(u_1, u_2, 0)$ . Therefore

$$\int_{\Phi} \omega = \int_{[0,1]^2} f(\Phi(\mathbf{u})) \frac{\partial(x_1, x_2)}{\partial(u_1, u_2)} d\mathbf{u} = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 f(u_1, u_2, 0) du_1 du_2,$$

which doesn't depend on  $g$ .

(d) Here the Jacobian is

$$\frac{\partial(x_1, x_3)}{\partial(u_1, u_2)} = \det \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ D_1 g & D_2 g \end{bmatrix} = D_2 g(\mathbf{u}) = 2u_2,$$

so

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\Phi} \xi &= \int_{[0,1]^2} u_2(u_1 + u_2^2) \frac{\partial(x_1, x_3)}{\partial(u_1, u_2)} d\mathbf{u} \\ &= \int_0^1 \int_0^1 u_2(u_1 + u_2^2) \cdot 2u_2 du_1 du_2 \\ &= \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (2u_1 u_2^2 + 2u_2^4) du_1 du_2 \\ &= \int_0^1 (u_2^2 + 2u_2^4) du_2 \\ &= \frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{5} = \frac{11}{15}. \end{aligned}$$

(2) Since  $f$  is differentiable at  $\mathbf{x}$ , we know  $f(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{h}) - f(\mathbf{x}) = f'(\mathbf{x})\mathbf{h} + o(|\mathbf{h}|)$ . Also, since  $f$

is continuous, there exist  $\epsilon$  and  $M$  such that  $|\mathbf{h}| < \epsilon \implies |f(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{h})| \leq M$ . Therefore

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left| f(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{h})^2 - f(\mathbf{x})^2 - 2f(\mathbf{x})f'(\mathbf{x})\mathbf{h} \right| \\
&= \left| (f(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{h}) + f(\mathbf{x}))(f(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{h}) - f(\mathbf{x})) - 2f(\mathbf{x})f'(\mathbf{x})\mathbf{h} \right| \\
&= \left| (f(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{h}) + f(\mathbf{x}))(f'(\mathbf{x})\mathbf{h} + o(|\mathbf{h}|)) - 2f(\mathbf{x})f'(\mathbf{x})\mathbf{h} \right| \\
&\leq \left| (f(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{h}) + f(\mathbf{x}))o(|\mathbf{h}|) \right| + \left| (f(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{h}) - f(\mathbf{x}))f'(\mathbf{x})\mathbf{h} \right| \\
&\leq 2Mo(|\mathbf{h}|) + \left| f(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{h}) - f(\mathbf{x}) \right| \cdot \|f'(\mathbf{x})\| \cdot |\mathbf{h}|
\end{aligned}$$

In the last line, since  $f(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{h}) - f(\mathbf{x}) \rightarrow 0$  as  $\mathbf{h} \rightarrow 0$ , the second term is  $o(|\mathbf{h}|)$  like the first one. Thus the first line is  $o(|\mathbf{h}|)$ , which shows  $(f^2)'(\mathbf{x}) = 2f(\mathbf{x})f'(\mathbf{x})$ .

(3)(a)  $\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} g(x) \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \sin nx \, dx = 0$  since  $g(x) \sin nx$  is odd.

(b) No. For any  $g$  as in part (a) with  $g \neq 0$ , for all  $n$  we have  $c_n = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} g(x) \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \sin nx \, dx = 0$  but  $\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} g(x)^2 \, dx \neq 0$ .

(4)(a) Since the traces are unequal, there exists some  $\mathbf{x}_0$  in one trace only, say  $\mathbf{x}_0 \in \text{trace}(\sigma^1)$ ,  $\mathbf{x}_0 \notin \text{trace}(\sigma^2)$ .  $\text{Trace}(\sigma^2)$  is closed so there exists a neighborhood  $U$  of  $\mathbf{x}_0$  which is outside  $\text{trace}(\sigma^2)$ . As in the hint, there exists a continuous function  $f$  which is positive near  $\mathbf{x}_0$  and 0 outside  $U$ . Let  $I = \{i_1, \dots, i_k\}$  be such that the Jacobian  $\frac{\partial(\sigma_{i_1}^1, \dots, \sigma_{i_k}^1)}{\partial(u_1, \dots, u_k)} \equiv c \neq 0$ , and let  $\omega = f \, d\mathbf{x}_I$ . Then

$$\int_{\sigma^1} \omega = \int_{Q^k} f(\sigma^1(\mathbf{u})) \frac{\partial(\sigma_{i_1}^1, \dots, \sigma_{i_k}^1)}{\partial(u_1, \dots, u_k)} d\mathbf{u} = c \int_{Q^k} f(\sigma^1(\mathbf{u})) \, d\mathbf{u}.$$

Since  $f \circ \sigma^1$  is continuous, nonnegative, and strictly positive near  $(\sigma^1)^{-1}(\mathbf{x}_0)$ , the last integral is strictly positive.

But  $\int_{\sigma^2} \omega = 0$  since  $f = 0$  on  $\text{trace}(\sigma^2)$ . Thus  $\int_{\sigma^1} \omega + \int_{\sigma^2} \omega \neq 0$ .

(b) By part (a) we have  $\text{trace}(\sigma^1) = \text{trace}(\sigma^2)$ , so  $\sigma^1, \sigma^2$  are two parametrizations of the same surface. This means that either  $\int_{\sigma^1} \omega = \int_{\sigma^2} \omega$  for all  $\omega$  (if orientation is the same) or  $\int_{\sigma^1} \omega = -\int_{\sigma^2} \omega$  for all  $\omega$  (if orientation is opposite.) Opposite orientation means  $q_0, \dots, q_k$  is an odd permutation of  $p_0, \dots, p_k$ , our desired conclusion. If the orientation is the same, then  $0 = \int_{\sigma^1} \omega + \int_{\sigma^2} \omega = 2 \int_{\sigma^1} \omega$  for all  $\omega$ . But this is false: we can take  $I, \omega$  as in part (a), with  $f$  continuous and strictly positive, and as in part (a) we get  $\int_{\sigma^1} \omega \neq 0$ . Thus the orientation is opposite.

## TAKE HOME FINAL:

(1)(a) Suppose  $f \in \text{Lip}_{c_1}(K), g \in \text{Lip}_{c_2}(K)$  for some  $c_1, c_2$ . Note  $\|f\|_{\infty}$  and  $\|g\|_{\infty}$  are finite since  $f, g$  are continuous and  $K$  is compact. Therefore for all  $x, y \in K$  and  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ :

$$|af(x) - af(y)| \leq |a|c_1d(x, y),$$

so  $af \in \text{Lip}(K)$ ;

$$|(f+g)(x) - (f+g)(y)| \leq |f(x) - f(y)| + |g(x) - g(y)| \leq (c_1 + c_2)d(x, y)$$

so  $f+g \in \text{Lip}(K)$ ;

$$\begin{aligned} |(fg)(x) - (fg)(y)| &\leq |f(x)g(x) - f(x)g(y)| + |f(x)g(y) - f(y)g(y)| \\ &\leq \|f\|_\infty |g(x) - g(y)| + \|g\|_\infty |f(x) - f(y)| \\ &\leq (c_2\|f\|_\infty + c_1\|g\|_\infty)d(x, y), \end{aligned}$$

so  $fg \in \text{Lip}(K)$ .

(b) By the Stone-Weierstrass Theorem, it is sufficient to show that  $\text{Lip}(K)$  separates points and vanishes at no point. Since  $\text{Lip}(K)$  contains all constant functions, it vanishes at no point. To show it separates points, we first show that for fixed  $x_0 \in K$ , the function  $f(x) = d(x, x_0)$  is in  $\text{Lip}(K)$ . In fact, by the triangle inequality, for all  $x, y$ ,

$$f(x) \leq d(x, y) + f(y), \quad f(y) \leq d(x, y) + f(x), \quad \text{so } |f(x) - f(y)| \leq d(x, y),$$

so indeed  $f \in \text{Lip}(K)$ . Since  $f(x) \neq 0 = f(x_0)$  for all  $x \neq x_0$ , and  $x_0$  is arbitrary, this shows  $\text{Lip}(K)$  separates points.

(c) We need to show  $F_{c,M}$  is closed, pointwise bounded, and equicontinuous. Since  $F_{c,M}$  is uniformly bounded by  $M$ , it is pointwise bounded. Given  $\epsilon > 0$ , for all  $f \in F_{c,M}$  we have

$$d(x, y) < \frac{\epsilon}{c} \implies |f(x) - f(y)| \leq cd(x, y) < \epsilon,$$

so  $F_{c,M}$  is equicontinuous. If  $f_n \in F_{c,M}$  for all  $n$ , and  $f_n \rightarrow f$  uniformly, then for all  $x, y$ ,

$$|f(x) - f(y)| = \lim_n |f_n(x) - f_n(y)| \leq cd(x, y),$$

and  $|f(x)| = \lim_n |f_n(x)| \leq M$  for all  $x$ , so  $f \in F_{c,M}$ . Thus  $F_{c,M}$  is closed. Together these properties show  $F_{c,M}$  is compact.

(d)  $F_{c,M}$  is compact so it has a countable dense subset  $D_{c,M}$ , by the theorem we proved after 7.23. Let  $D = \bigcup_{c=1}^\infty \bigcup_{M=1}^\infty D_{c,M} \subset \text{Lip}(K)$ . Then  $f \in \text{Lip}(K) \implies f \in F_{c,M}$  for some integers  $c, M \implies f \in \overline{D_{c,M}} \subset \overline{D}$ , so  $\text{Lip}(K) \subset \overline{D}$ , so  $C(K) = \overline{\text{Lip}(K)} \subset \overline{D}$ , meaning  $D$  is dense in  $C(K)$ . Also  $D$  is countable since each  $D_{c,M}$  is countable. Here the reason we can take  $c, M$  to be integers is that if  $f \in F_{c',M'}$  for some real  $c', M'$ , then we have  $f \in F_{c,M}$  for any integers  $c \geq c'$  and  $M \geq M'$ . This means the union is the same over real  $c, M$  as over integer  $c, M$ .

(2)(a) Let  $S_j$  be the submatrix with the 1st column and the  $j$ th row both removed, so that  $\mathcal{H}(\mathbf{v}^{(1)}, \dots, \mathbf{v}^{(n-1)}) = \sum_{j=1}^n (\det S_j) e_j$ . If, for some  $i$ , we replace each  $e_j$  with  $v_j^{(i)}$  in the matrix, then the determinant becomes 0 because two columns of the matrix are both equal to  $v^{(i)}$ . This means the last sum also becomes 0, that is,

$$0 = \sum_{j=1}^n (\det S_j) v_j^{(i)}.$$

Since  $\det S_j$  is the  $j$ th entry of  $\mathcal{H}(\mathbf{v}^{(1)}, \dots, \mathbf{v}^{(n-1)})$ , this sum is the dot product  $\mathcal{H}(\mathbf{v}^{(1)}, \dots, \mathbf{v}^{(n-1)}) \cdot \mathbf{v}^{(i)}$ , so  $\mathbf{v}^{(i)}$  is orthogonal to  $\mathcal{H}(\mathbf{v}^{(1)}, \dots, \mathbf{v}^{(n-1)})$ ,

(b) From the formula for  $\omega^{(F)}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} d\omega^{(F)} &= \sum_{k=1}^n \epsilon_k \frac{\partial F_k}{\partial x_k}(\mathbf{x}) \, dx_k \wedge dx_1 \wedge \dots \wedge dx_{k-1} \wedge dx_{k+1} \wedge \dots \wedge dx_n \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^n (-1)^{k-1} \epsilon_k \frac{\partial F_k}{\partial x_k}(\mathbf{x}) \, dx_1 \wedge \dots \wedge dx_n \end{aligned}$$

which is equal to  $(\operatorname{div} F)(\mathbf{x}) \, dx_1 \wedge \dots \wedge dx_n$  provided we take  $\epsilon_k = (-1)^{k-1}$ .

(c) From part (b) and Stokes Theorem,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_D (\operatorname{div} F)(\mathbf{x}) \, dx_1 \wedge \dots \wedge dx_n &= \int_D d\omega^{(F)} = \int_{\partial D} \omega^{(F)} = \sum_{i=0}^n \int_{\tau_i} \omega^{(F)} \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^n \int_{\tau_i} \sum_{k=1}^n (-1)^{k-1} F_k(\mathbf{x}) \, dx_1 \wedge \dots \wedge dx_{k-1} \wedge dx_{k+1} \wedge \dots \wedge dx_n \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^n \int_{Q^{n-1}} \sum_{k=1}^n (-1)^{k-1} F_k(\tau_i(\mathbf{u})) \frac{\partial(x_1, \dots, x_{k-1}, x_{k+1}, \dots, x_n)}{\partial(u_1, \dots, u_{n-1})} \, du_1 \dots du_{n-1} \end{aligned}$$

The Jacobian in the last line is, by definition,  $(-1)^{k-1} N_k(\tau_i(\mathbf{u}))$ , so the last line is equal to

$$\sum_{i=0}^n \int_{Q^{n-1}} F(\tau_i(\mathbf{u})) \cdot N(\tau_i(\mathbf{u})) \, du_1 \dots du_{n-1},$$

as desired.