# Chapter 1: Calculus on Euclidean Space

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# 1.1.1

- (a)  $fq^2 = x^2y(y\sin z)^2 = x^2y^3\sin^2 z$
- (b)  $g\partial_x f + f\partial_y g = y \sin z(2xy) + x^2 y(\sin z) = (2xy^2 + x^2 y) \sin z$
- (c)  $\partial_{yz}^2(fg) = \partial_{yz}^2(x^2y^2\sin z) = 2x^2y\cos z$
- (d)  $\partial_y(\sin f) = \partial_y \sin(x^2 y) = x^2 \cos(x^2 y)$

# 1.1.2

- (a) 0
- (b)  $3^2(-1) (1)0.5 = -9 0.5 = 9.5$
- (c)  $a^2 (1 a) = a^2 + a 1$
- (d)  $t^2t^2 t^4t^3 = t^4 t^7$

# 1.1.3

- (a)  $\partial_x(x\sin(xy) + y\cos(xz)) = \sin(xy) + xy\cos(xy) yz\sin(xz)$
- (b)  $\partial_x f = \frac{\partial f}{\partial g} \frac{\partial g}{\partial h} \frac{\partial h}{\partial x} = (\cos g)(e^h)(2x) = 2xe^{x^2 + y^2 + z^2} \cos\left(e^{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}\right)$

## 1.1.4

Since 
$$h = x^2 - yz$$
, so  $h(g_1, g_2, g_3) = g_1^2 - g_2g_3$ 

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial h}{\partial g_1} \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial h}{\partial g_2} \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial h}{\partial g_3} \frac{\partial g_3}{\partial x}$$
$$= 2g_1 \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x} - g_3 \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x} - g_2 \frac{\partial g_3}{\partial x}$$

(a) 
$$2(x+y)(1) - (x+z)(0) - y^2(1) = 2(x+y) - y^2$$

(b) 
$$2e^{z}(0) - e^{x}(e^{x+y}) - e^{x+y}(e^{x}) = -2e^{x}e^{x+y}$$

(c) 
$$2x(1) - x(-1) + x(1) = 0$$

# 1.2.1

(a) 
$$3v_p - 2w_p = 3(-2, 1, -1) - 2(0, 1, 3) = (-6, 1, -9) = -6U_1 + U_2 - 9U_3$$

#### 1.2.2

$$W - xV = 2x^{2}U_{2} - U_{3} - x(x^{2}U_{1} + xyU_{2}) = -x^{3}U_{1} + (2x^{2} - x^{2}y)U_{2} - U_{3}$$

At 
$$p = (-1, 0, 2)$$
,

$$(W-xV)(p) = -(-1)^3 U_1(p) + (2(-1)^2 - (-1)^2 0) U_2(p) - U_3(p) = U_1(p) + 2U_2(p) - U_3(p) = (1, 2, -1)$$

# 1.2.3

(a) 
$$V = \frac{1}{7}(2z^2U_1 - xyU_3) = \frac{2z^2}{7}U_1 - \frac{xy}{7}U_3$$

(b) 
$$V = p_1 U_1 + (p_3 - p_1) U_2$$

(c) 
$$V = xU_1 + 2yU_2 + xy^2U_3$$

(d) 
$$V = (1 + p_1, p_2 p_3, p_2) - (p_1, p_2, p_3) = (1, p_2 (p_3 - 1), p_2 - p_3) = U_1 + p_2 (p_3 - 1) U_2 + (p_2 - p_3) U_3$$

(e) 
$$V = 0 - p = -p_1U_1 - p_2U_2 - p_3U_3$$

## 1.2.4

If 
$$fV + gW = f(y^2U_1 - x^2U_3) + g(x^2U_1 - zU_2)$$
, the coefficient for  $U_1$  is  $fy^2 + gx^2 = 0$ .

#### 1.2.5

(a) Suppose  $aV_1 + bV_2 + cV_3 = 0$ , then  $(a + cx)U_1 + bU_2 + (-ax + c)U_3 = 0$ . By independence of the natural basis, We can see b = 0. Moreover a + cx = 0 and ax - c = 0 for all x. Take x = 0, we get c = 0 and a = 0 follows. Therefore they are linearly independent at each point.

(b) We can write V in terms of U in matrix form.

$$\begin{pmatrix} V_1 \\ V_2 \\ V_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -x \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ x & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} U_1 \\ U_2 \\ U_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Then

$$\begin{pmatrix} U_1 \\ U_2 \\ U_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -x \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ x & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} V_1 \\ V_2 \\ V_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Then

$$xU_1 + yU_2 + zU_3 = \begin{pmatrix} x & y & z \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} U_1 \\ U_2 \\ U_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x & y & z \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -x \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ x & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} V_1 \\ V_2 \\ V_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1+x^2} \begin{pmatrix} x & y & z \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -x^2 & 0 & x \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -x & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} V_1 \\ V_2 \\ V_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= -\frac{x^3 + xz}{1+x^2} V_1 + \frac{y}{1+x^2} V_2 + \frac{x^2 + z}{1+x^2} V_3$$

# 1.3.1

(a) 
$$v_p[f] = \frac{d}{dt}f(p+tv)|_{t=0} = \frac{d}{dt}f(2+2t,-t,-1+3t)|_{t=0} = \frac{d}{dt}(t^2(3t-1))|_{t=0} = 0$$

(b) 
$$v_p[f] = \frac{d}{dt}f(p+tv)|_{t=0} = \frac{d}{dt}f(2+2t,-t,-1+3t)|_{t=0} = 14(2+2t)^6|_{t=0} = 896$$

(c) 
$$v_p[f] = \frac{d}{dt} f(p+tv)|_{t=0} = \frac{d}{dt} f(2+2t,-t,-1+3t)|_{t=0} = \frac{d}{dt} e^{2+2t} \cos t|_{t=0} = 2e^{2+2t} \cos t|_{t=0} = 2e^{2+2$$

#### 1.3.2

(a) 
$$v_p[f] = \partial_x f(p)v_1 + \partial_y f(p)v_2 + \partial_z f(p)v_3 = 0 + 2yz(p)(-1) + y^2(p)(3) = 0$$

(b) 
$$v_p[f] = \partial_x f(p)v_1 + \partial_y f(p)v_2 + \partial_z f(p)v_3 = 7x^6(p)2 = 896$$

(c) 
$$v_p[f] = e^x \cos y|_p v_1 - e^x \sin y|_p v_2 = 2e^2$$

#### 1.3.3

Note that  $V = y^2U_1 - xU_3 = y^2\partial_x - x\partial_z$ 

(a) 
$$V[f] = y^2 \partial_x(xy) - x \partial_z(xy) = y^3$$

(b) 
$$V[g] = y^2 \partial_x z^3 - x \partial_z z^3 = 3xz^2$$

(c) 
$$V[fg] = y^2 \partial_x (xyz^3) - x \partial_z (xyz^3) = y^2 yz^3 - x(3xyz^2) = y^3 z^3 - 3x^2 yz^2$$

(d) 
$$fV[g] - gV[f] = xy(3xz^2) - z^3y^3 = 3x^2yz^2 - y^3z^3$$

(e) 
$$V[f^2 + g^2] = V[f^2] + V[g^2] = 2fV[f] + 2gV[g] = 2xy(y^3) + 2z^3(3xz^2) = 2xy^4 + 6xz^5$$

(f) 
$$V[V[f]] = V[y^3] = y^2 \partial_x y^3 - x \partial_z y^3 = 0$$

#### 1.3.4

For any point p,  $V_p = \sum_i v_i(p)U_i(p)$ . Then  $V_p[x_j] = \sum_i v_i(p)U_i(p)[x_j] = \sum_i v_i(p)\delta_{ij} = v_j(p)$ .

# 1.3.5

Note that  $V = \sum_i v_i U_i$  and  $W = \sum_i w_i U_i$ . Since V[f] = W[f] for every f, take  $f = x_j$ , we get  $v_j = w_j$  for every j. Hence V = W

# 1.4.1

Since  $\alpha(t) = (1 + \cos t, \sin t, 2\sin(t/2))$ .  $\alpha'(t) = (\sin t, \cos t, \cos(t/2))$ .

$$t = 0, \alpha'(0) = (0, 1, 1)$$

$$t = \frac{\pi}{2}, \alpha'(\pi/2) = (1, 0, \sqrt{2}/2)$$

$$t = \pi, \alpha'(\pi) = (0, -1, 0)$$

#### 1.4.2

$$\alpha(t) = \int \alpha'(t)dt = (t^3/3, t^2/2, e^t) + C.$$
 Since  $\alpha(0) = (0, 0, 1) + C = (1, 0, 5)$ , so  $C = (1, 0, 4)$ . 
$$\alpha(t) = (t^3/3 + 1, t^2/2, e^t + 4)$$

#### 1.4.3

Since  $\alpha(t) = (1 + \cos t, \sin t, 2\sin(t/2))$  and  $h(s) = \cos^{-1} s$ . Therefore

$$\beta(s) = \alpha(h(s)) = \left(1 + s, \sin \cos^{-1} s, 2\sin\left(\frac{\cos^{-1} s}{2}\right)\right)$$

Note that  $s \in (0,1)$  meaning  $\cos^{-1} s = h$  can be positive or negative. So  $\sin \cos^{-1} s = \pm \sqrt{1-s^2}$ . Similarly,  $2\sin\left(\frac{\cos^{-1} s}{2}\right) = \pm 2\sqrt{\frac{1-s}{2}}$  by half angle formula of  $\sin$ . By restricting  $h \ge 0$ , we get

$$\beta(s) = \left(1 + s, \sqrt{1 - s^2}, 2\sqrt{\frac{1 - s}{2}}\right)$$

# 1.4.4

$$\beta=\alpha(h(s))=(s,s^{-1},\sqrt{2}\log s). \text{ Then } \beta'(s)=(1,-s^{-2},\sqrt{2}s^{-1}).$$
 By lemma 4.5 
$$\beta'(s)=(dh/ds)\alpha'(h(s))=s^{-1}(e^t,-e^{-t},\sqrt{2})|_{t=h(s)}=(1,-s^{-2},\sqrt{2}s^{-1})$$

#### 1.4.5

$$l_1: (1, -3, -1) + t(6 - 1, 2 + 3, 1 + 1) = (5t + 1, 5t - 3, 2t - 1).$$
  
 $l_2: (-1, 1, 0) + s(-5 + 1, -1 - 1, -1) = (-4s - 1, -2s + 1, -s).$ 

Suppose they meet, then we have

$$5t + 1 = -4s - 1 \tag{1}$$

$$5t - 3 = -2s + 1 \tag{2}$$

$$2t - 1 = -s \tag{3}$$

(4)

Solving the first two equation, we have t=2, s=-3. Putting them into the 3rd equation, we get 3=3 which is consistent. They do meet.

# 1.4.6

For any curve  $\alpha(t)$  with initial velocity of  $v_p$ . Then  $\alpha'(t)[f] = \frac{d(f(\alpha))}{dt}(t)$  by Lemma 4.6. Evaluating at 0, we get

$$\alpha'(0)[f] = v_p[f] = \frac{d(f(\alpha))}{dt}(0)$$

$$= \sum_{i} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i}(\alpha(0)) \frac{d\alpha_i}{dt}(0)$$

$$= \sum_{i} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i}(\alpha(0)) \alpha'_i(0)$$

$$= \sum_{i} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i}(p)[v_p]_i$$

$$= \sum_{i} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i}(p) \frac{d([p + tv_p]_i)}{dt}$$

$$= \sum_{i} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i}(p + tv_p) \frac{d([p + tv_p]_i)}{dt}\Big|_{t=0}$$

$$= \frac{df}{dt}(p + tv_p)\Big|_{t=0}$$

# 1.4.7

$$\begin{aligned} &(\text{a}) \left. \frac{d}{dt}(t,1+t^2,t) \right|_{t=0} = (1,2(0),1) = (1,0,1) \text{ at point } (0,1,0). \\ &\frac{d}{dt}(\sin t,\cos t,t) \bigg|_{t=0} = (1,0,1) \text{ at point } (0,1,0). \\ &\frac{d}{dt}(\sinh t,\cosh t,t) \bigg|_{t=0} = (\cosh(0),\sinh(0),1) = (1,0,1) \text{ at point } (0,1,0). \\ &(\text{b}) \left. f = x^2 - y^2 + z^2 \right. \\ &f(t) = f(t,1+t^2,t) = t^2 - (1+t^2)^2 + t^2. \text{ Then } \left. \frac{df}{dt} \right|_{0} = 4t - 4t(1+t^2) \bigg|_{0} = 0 \\ &f(t) = f(\sin t,\cos t,t) = \sin^2 t - \cos^2 t + t^2. \text{ Then } \left. \frac{df}{dt} \right|_{0} = 2\sin^t \cos t + 2\cos t \sin t + 2t \bigg|_{0} = 0. \\ &f(t) = f(\sinh t,\cosh t,t) = \sinh^2 t - \cosh^2 t + t^2. \text{ Then } \left. \frac{df}{dt} \right|_{0} = 2\sinh t \cosh t - 2\cosh t \sinh t + 2t \bigg|_{0} = 2t \bigg|_{0} = 0. \end{aligned}$$

## 1.4.8

$$(a)x = \frac{1}{2}\cos t, y = \sin t.$$

(b) 
$$x = t$$
,  $y = (1 - 3t)/4$ .

(c) 
$$x = t, y = e^t$$
.

## 1.4.9

$$\alpha(t) = (2\cos t, 2\sin t, t), \, \alpha'(t) = (-2\sin t, 2\cos t, 1).$$

Line at 0 is  $u \to (2,0,0) + u(0,2,1)$ 

Line at  $\pi/4$  is  $v \to (\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2}, \pi/4) + v(-\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2}, 1)$ 

# 1.5.1

$$p = (0, -2, 1), v_p = (1, 2, -3).$$

(a) 
$$(y^2dx)(v_p) = y^2(p)dx(v_p) = (-2)^2(1) = 4$$

(b) 
$$(zdy - ydz)(v_p) = z(p)dy(v_p) - y(p)dz(v_p) = (1)(2) - (-2)(-3) = -4$$

(c) 
$$[(z^2-1)dx - dy + x^2dz](v_p) = (z^2-1)(p)dx(v_p) - dy(v_p) + x^2(p)dz(v_p) = -2$$

# 1.5.2

For any point p,

$$\phi(V_p) = \left(\sum_i f_i dx_i\right)(V_p)$$

$$= \sum_i f_i(p) dx_i(V_p)$$

$$= \sum_i f_i(p) dx_i \left(\sum_j v_j U_j\right)$$

$$= \sum_i f_i(p) \sum_j v_j dx_i(U_j)$$

$$= \sum_i f_i(p) \sum_j v_j \delta_{ij}$$

$$= \sum_i f_i(p) v_i$$

Hence  $\phi(V) = \sum_i f_i v_i$ .

## 1.5.3

$$\phi = x^2 dx - y^2 dz$$

(a) For 
$$V = xU_1 + yU_2 + zU_3$$
,  $\phi(V) = x^3 - y^2z$ .

(b) For 
$$W = xy(U_1 - U_3) + yz(U_1 - U_2) = (xy + yz)U_1 - yzU_2 - xyU_3$$
,  $\phi(W) = x^2y(x+z) + xy^3$ 

(c) For 
$$T = (1/x)V + (1/y)W$$
,

$$\phi(T) = \phi((1/x)V + (1/y)W) = (1/x)\phi(V) + (1/y)\phi(W) = \frac{x^3 - y^2z}{x} + x^2(x+z) + xy^2$$

# 1.5.4

(a) Since  $df^2 = 2f df$ . Suppose  $df^n = nf^{n-1} df$ ,

$$df^{n+1} = d(ff^n) = f^n df + f d(f^n) = f^n df + f(nf^{n-1} df) = (n+1)f^n df$$

. Therefore by induction,  $df^n=nf^{n-1}df$  . As a result,

$$df^4 = 4f^3 df$$

(b)  $df = d(\sqrt{f}\sqrt{f}) = 2\sqrt{f}d(\sqrt{f})$  Then

$$d(\sqrt{f}) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{f}}df$$

(c) 
$$d(\log(1+f^2)) = \frac{1}{1+f^2}d(1+f^2) = \frac{2f}{1+f^2}df$$

# 1.5.5

(a) 
$$df = \sum_{i} \partial_{i} f dx_{i} = \frac{x dx + y dy + z dz}{\sqrt{x^{2} + y^{2} + z^{2}}}$$

(b) 
$$df = \frac{1}{1 + (y/x)^2} \left( -\frac{y}{x^2} dx + \frac{1}{x} dy \right) = \frac{1}{x^2 + y^2} (-y dx + x dy)$$

#### 1.5.6

$$p = (0, -2, 1), v_p = (1, 2, -3).$$

(a) 
$$df = y^2 dx + (2xy - z^2) dy - 2yz dz$$
. Then  $df(v_p) = (-2)^2 (1) + (-1)(2) - 2(-2)(-3) = 10$ 

(b) 
$$df = \exp(yz)(dx + xzdy + xydz)$$
. Then  $df(v_p) = \exp(-2)$ .

(c) 
$$df = (y\cos(xy)\cos(xz) - z\sin(xy)\sin(xy))dx + x\cos(xy)\cos(xz)dy - x\sin(xy)\sin(xz)dz$$
.  
Then  $df(v_p) = y(p)dx(v_p) = (-2)1 = -2$ .

# 1.5.7

$$\phi(v_p) = \sum_i f_i(p)v_i$$
 for  $\phi = \sum_i f_i dx_i$ .

(a) Yes. 
$$f_1(p) = 1, f_3(p) = -1, \phi = dx - dz$$

(b) No. Because  $dx_i(v_p)$  must involve  $v_i$ .

(c) Yes. 
$$f_1(p) = p_3, f_2(p) = p_1$$
. So  $\phi = zdx + xdy$ .

(d) Yes. 
$$df(v_p) = v_p(f) = v_p[x^2 + y^2]$$
. Therefore  $f = x^2 + y^2$ .  $\phi = df = 2xdx + 2ydy$ .

(e) Yes. 
$$\phi = 0$$
.

(f) No. Because  $dx_i(v_p)$  must involve  $v_i$ .

#### 1.5.8

By definition of d.  $df(v_p) = v_p[f]$ . Then by theorem 3.3

$$d(fg)(v_p) = v_p(fg) = f(p)v_p(g) + g(p)v_p(f) = f(p)dg(v_p) + g(p)df(v_p)$$

## 1.5.9

Since  $df=-2xydx+(1-x^2-2yz)dy+(1-y^2)dz$ , we need to find points such that  $xy=0,1-x^2-2yz=0,1-y^2=0$ . From the last equation, we get  $y=\pm 1$ . Then the first equation gives x=0. Putting the values into the 2nd equations, we have  $z=\frac{1-x^2}{2y}=\pm \frac{1}{2}$ . So the critical points are (0,1,1/2) and (0,-1,-1/2)

#### 1.5.10

Suppose p is a local maxima of f and p is not a critical point of f, then there exists a tangent vector  $v_p$  such that

$$df(v_p) = \frac{df}{dt}(p + tv_p)\Big|_{0} = \lim_{t \to 0} \frac{f(p + tv_p) - f(p)}{t} > 0$$

This is true in general as we can always take the opposite direction  $-v_p$  if  $df(v_p) < 0$ . Then we have  $\frac{f(p+t_0v_p)-f(p)}{t_0} > \epsilon$  for some  $\epsilon > 0$  and  $t_0$  which contradicts with the assumption that p is local maxima of f. Same argument applies to local minima of f.

#### 1.5.11

(a)  $(df)(v_p) = \sum_i \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i} v_i$ . Taylor expanding f(u) around p, we get  $f(u) = f(p) + \sum_i \partial_i f(p) (u_i - p_i) + O(u^2)$ . Let u = p + v, then

$$f(p+v) = f(p) + \sum_{i} \partial_{i} f(p) v_{i} + O_{2} = f(p) + df(v_{p}) + O_{2}$$

. Where  $O_2$  is second order error. Therefore  $f(p+v)-f(p)\approx df(v_p)$  in the first order.

(b) 
$$df = (2xy/z)dx + (x^2/z)dy - (x^2y/z^2)dz$$

. p = (1, 1.5, 1) and  $v_p = (-0.1, 0.1, 0.2)$ . We get  $df(v_p) = 2(1.5)(-0.1) + 0.1 - (1.5)(0.2) = -0.3 + 0.1 - 0.3 = -0.5$ .

Direct calculation gives f(0.9, 1.6, 1.2) - f(1, 1.5, 1) = 1.08 - 1.5 = -0.42