

# DIFFERENTIALS

## DEFINITION

The differential at  $f$  at  $p$  is  $df_p: T_p \Sigma \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , which is linear

## EXAMPLE

Say  $X: \Omega \rightarrow X(\Omega) \subseteq \Sigma$  is a local parametrization, s.t.  $X(u_0) = p$

We define the  $C^k$  map  $u^i: X(\Omega) \subseteq \Sigma \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  as local coord param

Then,  $du^i(v) = \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial u^1} u^i \circ X|_{u_0}, \frac{\partial}{\partial u^2} u^i \circ X|_{u_0} \right) \cdot \left( \frac{du^1}{dt}(0), \frac{du^2}{dt}(0) \right) = v^i$  ( $\because$  Say  $i=1$ , then  $\frac{\partial}{\partial u^1} u^1 \circ X|_{u_0} = 1$ ,  $\frac{\partial}{\partial u^2} u^1 \circ X|_{u_0} = 0$ )  
 $\leftarrow e_i^* (v^1 e_1 + \dots + v^n e_n) = v^i$  by def

Now, as  $du^1(v) = v^1$ ,  $du^2(v) = v^2$ , thus the dual basis =  $\{v^1, v^2\}$

$\hookrightarrow$  Note, this is a basis. For  $\omega: V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\omega(v) = \omega(\sum v^i e_i) = \sum v^i \omega(e_i) = \sum v^i \omega_i = (\sum v^i \omega_i)(v)$

## EINSTEIN SUMMATION NOTATION

Writing  $\sum$  is annoying!

So, we can write  $\sum_i \frac{\partial}{\partial u^i} f \circ X|_{u_0} \frac{du^i}{dt}(0)$  as simply  $\frac{\partial}{\partial u^i} f \circ X|_{u_0} \frac{du^i}{dt}(0)$ . Here,  $i$  is automatically assumed to cycle all its then sum

In fact, here is some rewritten notation:

$df_p(v) = D_v f(p) = \frac{d}{dt} f(\alpha(t))|_{t=0} = df_{\alpha(0)}(\alpha'(0))$  when eval at  $t=0$ .

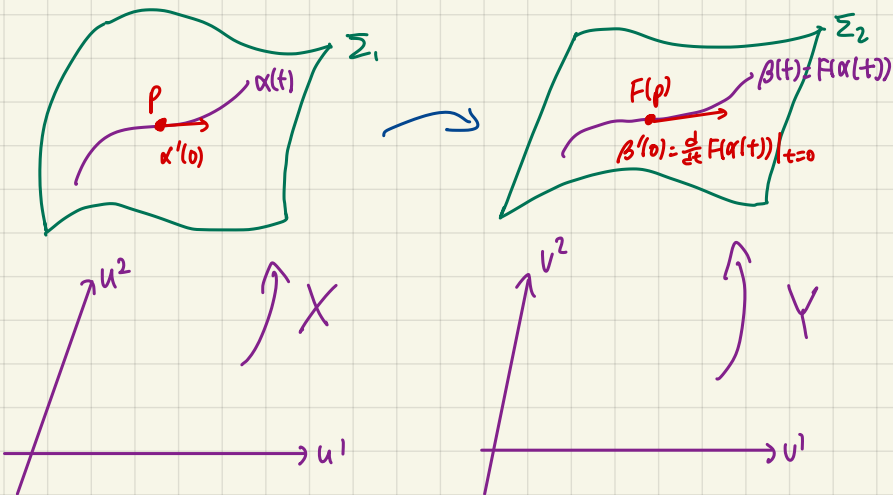
This makes it look more like chain rule.

# TANGENT MAPS

## DEFINITION

Say  $F: \Sigma_1 \rightarrow \Sigma_2$  is a  $C^k$  map,  $p \in \Sigma_1$ ,  $v \in T_p \Sigma_1$ ,  $\alpha: (-\epsilon, \epsilon) \rightarrow \Sigma_1$ ,  $\alpha(0) = p$ ,  $\alpha'(0) = v$

We say  $D_v F(p) = \frac{d}{dt} F(\alpha(t))|_{t=0}$



We say  $df_p(v) = D_v f(p)$  where  $df_p: T_p \Sigma_1 \rightarrow T_{F(p)} \Sigma_2$  is also known as the tangent map

In fact, when evaluating,  $df_p(v) = \frac{d}{dt} F(\alpha(t))|_{t=0} = \frac{d}{dt} (Y \circ (Y^{-1} \circ F \circ X) \circ (X^{-1} \circ \alpha))(t)|_{t=0}$

$$= \frac{\partial Y}{\partial v^i}(v_0) \frac{\partial}{\partial u^i} (Y^{-1} \circ F \circ X)|_{u_0} \cdot \frac{du^i}{dt}(0)$$

$$= \left( \frac{\partial Y}{\partial v^1}(v_0) \quad \frac{\partial Y}{\partial v^2}(v_0) \right) \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial}{\partial u^1} (Y^{-1} \circ F \circ X)^1 & \frac{\partial}{\partial u^2} (Y^{-1} \circ F \circ X)^1 \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial u^1} (Y^{-1} \circ F \circ X)^2 & \frac{\partial}{\partial u^2} (Y^{-1} \circ F \circ X)^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{du^1}{dt}(0) \\ \frac{du^2}{dt}(0) \end{pmatrix}$$

3x2

2x2

2x1

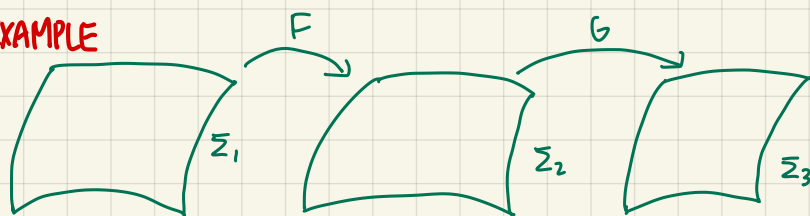
Matrix representation of tangent map

In fact, define  $\hat{F} := Y^{-1} \circ F \circ X: \Omega_u \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2 \longrightarrow \Omega_v \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$

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Then, we can rewrite the middle matrix as the Jacobian matrix:  $(\partial_i \hat{F}^j)$

### EXAMPLE



Then,  $d(G \circ F)_p(v) = \frac{d}{dt} G(F \circ \alpha(t))|_{t=0} = dG_{F(p)} \left( \frac{d}{dt} F(\alpha(t))|_{t=0} \right) = dG_{F(p)} \circ dF_p(v)$

### DEFINITION

$F: \Sigma_1 \rightarrow \Sigma_2$  is a  $C^k$  diffeomorphism if  $F, F^{-1}$  are  $C^k$  maps and  $F$  is a homeomorphism

### EXAMPLE

$X: \Omega \rightarrow \overset{X(\Omega)}{\text{open}} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$  is a diffeomorphism

### REMARK

If  $F: \Sigma_1 \rightarrow \Sigma_2$  is a diffeomorphism, then  $dF_p: T_p \Sigma_1 \rightarrow T_{F(p)} \Sigma_2$  is a linear isomorphism

Proof

$$F^{-1} \circ F = \text{id} \Rightarrow dF^{-1} \circ dF = \text{id}$$

### REMARK

Moreover, if  $F: \Sigma_1 \rightarrow \Sigma_2, p \in \Sigma_1$ ,  $dF_p: T_p \Sigma_1 \rightarrow T_{F(p)} \Sigma_2$  is a linear isomorphism, then  $F: \Sigma_1 \rightarrow \Sigma_2$  is a diffeomorphism (Proof by IFT)