

- 0-form  $f(x, y, z)$
  - 1-form  $f dx + g dy + h dz \sim \langle f, g, h \rangle$
  - 2-form  $f dy \wedge dz + g dz \wedge dx + h dx \wedge dy \sim \underline{\underline{\langle f, g, h \rangle}}$
  - 3-form  $f dx \wedge dy \wedge dz$
- Assume coeffs are  $C^1$  on the region  $R$ :
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Then a  $n$ -form  $\alpha$  is

$$\begin{cases} \text{closed if } d\alpha = 0 & d(f \alpha) = df \wedge da + f da \\ \text{exact if } \alpha = d\beta \text{ for } (n-1)\text{-form } \beta \end{cases}$$

Theorems :

- ① exact  $\Rightarrow$  closed  
 $\alpha = d\beta \Rightarrow d\alpha = d(d\beta) = 0$   
 $\nabla \times \langle F, G, H \rangle = \underline{\underline{d(F dx + G dy + H dz)}}$   
 $\nabla \cdot \langle F, G, H \rangle = \underline{\underline{d(F dy \wedge dz + G dz \wedge dx + H dx \wedge dy)}}$
- ②  $d^2 = 0$  ( $\nabla \times \nabla f = 0$ ;  $\nabla \cdot \nabla \times \langle F, G, H \rangle = 0$ )
- ③ closed  $\Rightarrow$  exact (Poincaré's Lemma)

1-form  $F dx + G dy + H dz = df$

$$\langle F, G, H \rangle = \nabla f$$

2  $\nabla \times \langle F, G, H \rangle = 0 \Rightarrow f$  exists

$$f(x, y, z) = \int_0^x F(t, 0, 0) dt + \int_0^y G(x, t, 0) dt + \int_0^z H(x, y, t) dt$$

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Scalar function  $\xrightarrow{\nabla f} \langle f_x, f_y, f_z \rangle$   
 $\xrightarrow{\text{grad}} \text{vector field} \xrightarrow{\nabla \times} \text{vector field} \xrightarrow{\nabla \cdot} \text{scalar function}$

0-form  $\xrightarrow{d}$  1-form  $\xrightarrow{d}$  2-form  $\xrightarrow{d}$  3-form

$$df = f_x dx + f_y dy + f_z dz$$

$$d(F dx + G dy + H dz) = [H_y - G_z] dy \wedge dz + [F_z - H_x] dz \wedge dx + [G_x - F_y] dx \wedge dy$$

$$\nabla \times \langle F, G, H \rangle = \begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ F & G & H \end{vmatrix} = i \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial y}{\partial z} & \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \\ G & H \end{vmatrix} - j \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial z} & \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \\ F & H \end{vmatrix} + k \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} \\ F & G \end{vmatrix}$$

$$d[F dy \wedge dz + G dz \wedge dx + H dx \wedge dy] = (F_x + G_y + H_z) dx \wedge dy \wedge dz$$

Midterm Practice Problems (on Blackboard)

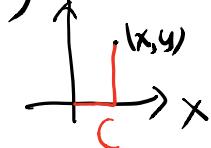
$$2. d[F(x,y)dx + G(x,y)dy] = 0 \Leftrightarrow \nabla \times \langle F, G, 0 \rangle = \vec{0}$$

$$\Downarrow$$

$$\langle 0, 0, G_x - F_y \rangle = \vec{0}$$

$$\Downarrow$$

$$F_y = G_x$$

$$y$$


$$F_y = G_x \Rightarrow F dx + G dy = df$$

$$\int_C F dx + G dy$$

$$f(x,y) = \int_0^x F(t,0) dt + \int_0^y G(x,t) dt$$

$$(a) \quad \frac{(3+2xy)dx}{F} + \frac{(x^2-3y^2)dy}{G}$$

$$F_y = 2x \quad G_x = 2x \quad \Rightarrow F_y = G_x \Rightarrow \text{closed}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{exact}$$

$$\Rightarrow f \text{ exists}$$

$$f(x,y) = \int_0^x F(t,0) dt + \int_0^y G(x,t) dt$$

$$= \int_0^x (3 + 2 \cdot t \cdot 0) dt + \int_0^y (x^2 - 3t^2) dt$$

$$= 3x + x^2y - t^3 \Big|_0^y = 3x + x^2y - y^3$$

$$\boxed{\nabla f = \langle f_x, f_y \rangle = \langle 3+2xy, x^2-3y^2 \rangle} \Rightarrow df$$

$$= (3+2xy)dx + (x^2-3y^2)dy$$

$$(b) \quad \frac{(ye^x + \sin y)dx}{F} + \frac{(e^x + x \cos y)dy}{G}$$

$$F_y = e^x + \cos y \quad G_x = e^x + \cos y$$

$$3. \quad (a) \quad \frac{(3+2xy)dx}{F dx} + \frac{(x^2-3y^2)dy}{G dy} + H dz$$

$$d(Fdx + Gdy + Hdz) = [Hy - Gz] dy \wedge dz + [Fz - Hx] dz \wedge dx$$

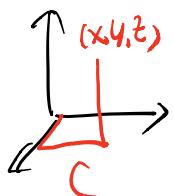
$$+ [Gx - Fy] dx \wedge dy$$

$$= 0 \cdot dy \wedge dz + 0 \cdot dz \wedge dx + [zx - zx] dx \wedge dy$$

$$= 0$$

$\Rightarrow$  1-form is closed  $\Rightarrow$  exact  $\Rightarrow f$  exists

$$\int_C Fdx + Gdy + Hdz$$



$$f(x, y, z) = \int_0^x F(t, 0, 0) dt + \int_0^y G(x, t, 0) dt + \int_0^z H(x, y, t) dt$$

$$= \int_0^x (3+2 \cdot t \cdot 0) dt + \int_0^y (x^2 - 3t^2) dt + \int_0^z 1 \cdot dt$$

$$= 3x + x^2y - t^3 \Big|_0^y + z$$

$$= 3x + x^2y - y^3 + z$$

$$\boxed{\nabla f = \langle f_x, f_y, f_z \rangle = \langle 3 + 2xy, x^2 - 3y^2, 1 \rangle}$$

(b)