

0. Vector space
1. Dual vector space

2. Differential:

a) & "Phys": small change of something [error δ in measurement]
 (example?)
 OK because of

b) Differential of a function

$\rightarrow df$

c) Differential 1-form ; a means c
 b is called exact differential

3. Integration of differential 1-form

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0. Vector space

$v, w \in V$: $v+w \in V$, $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$: vector space over $\mathbb{R}$
 $\lambda v \in V$; $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$: vector space over $\mathbb{C}$

[other fields possible

$\lambda \in K$: vector space over K]
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 same field

space to say about dimension later

~~12.2 Dual vector~~
 $\dim V$: $\overset{\max}{\#}$ of linearly independent vectors

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1. Dual space

[Wikipedia]

V^* : space which is dual to V

Generically: V^* - space of functions from V to $\mathbb{R}$.

Typically: V^* also preserve respects structure of V [space of your marks]
 if you can get any mark

if V is manifold, V^* - smooth functions

~~V^*~~ is
 dual space V^* is defined as space of linear maps from V to $\mathbb{R}$.

$f \in V^*$ iff : $f: V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
 $f(v+w) = f(v) + f(w)$
 $f(\lambda v) = \lambda f(v)$ } $\leftarrow$ linearity

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V^* is also a vector space

$$f, g \in V^* \rightarrow f+g \in V^*$$

$$\lambda \in \mathbb{R} \quad \lambda f \in V^*$$

$$(f+g)(\lambda v) = \lambda \cdot (f+g)(v) = \lambda (f(v) + g(v)) = \lambda f(v) + \lambda g(v) = f(\lambda v) + g(\lambda v)$$

$$\begin{aligned} (f+g)(v+w) &= (f+g)(v) + (f+g)(w) \\ (\lambda f)(\mu v) &= \mu \cdot (\lambda f)(v) \\ (\lambda f)(v+w) &= (\lambda f)(v) + (\lambda f)(w) \end{aligned}$$

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$\dim V^* = ?$ (remind that $\dim V$ is ...)

$$\text{basis in } V \cong \mathbb{R}^n: \vec{e}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}; \vec{e}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}; \dots; \vec{e}_n = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

claim: a basis in V^* is $\{ \vec{e}_i^* \}$, $i \in \overline{1, n}$ defined

$$\text{by } \vec{e}_i^*(\vec{e}_j) = \delta_{ij}$$

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Kronecker symbol

$$f(v) = \sum v_i f_i$$

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linearity

$$f(\vec{e}_i) = f_i$$

Any $f \in V^*$ can be represented as $f = \sum_{i=1}^n f(\vec{e}_i) \vec{e}_i^* ; f(\vec{e}_j) = \sum_{i=1}^n f_i \delta_{ij}$

$$\dim V^* = n$$



$$\begin{aligned} v &\in V \\ u &\in V^* \end{aligned}$$

$$u(v) = \sum_{i=1}^n u_i v_i = \sum_{i=1}^n u_i v_i$$

Note: To define dual space we do not need metric which raises and lowers indices

But if we have metric, we can identify V and V^*

$$v, w \in V \rightarrow \langle v, w \rangle = v_i w_j g^{ij}$$

$\underbrace{g^{ij}}_{\text{metric}}$

Metric raises and lowers indices

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2. Differential

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a.) "Phys": Differential is a small change of something in some process
[ok because of ~~error in measurement~~]
they know what the small means]

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Example: measure blackboard in meters

$$L(T); \quad \delta L = \frac{dL}{dT} \cdot \delta T \quad - \text{for all practical purposes}$$

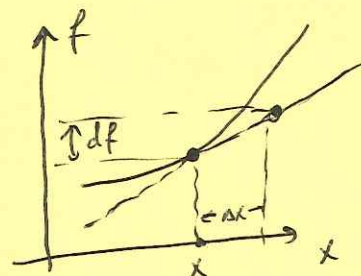
b.) Differential of a function

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$$\downarrow df; \quad (df)(x, \Delta x) \equiv \frac{df}{dx} \Delta x$$

Space of displacements $\Delta x \approx \mathbb{R}$

$$(df)(x) \in \mathbb{R}^*$$



$$dx = 1 \cdot \Delta x$$

$$df = \frac{df}{dx} \cdot dx$$

Many variables:

$$\begin{aligned} [(df)(x_1^i, \dots, x_n^i)] (\Delta x_1, \Delta x_2, \dots, \Delta x_n) &= \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial f(\vec{x})}{\partial x^i} \Delta x_i \end{aligned}$$

$$\Delta x_i - \text{basis} : \quad dx^i - \text{dual basis} \\ (\vec{e}_i) \quad (\vec{e}^i)$$

$$df = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial f(\vec{x})}{\partial x^i} dx^i \quad \leftarrow 2dx$$

Assumed that $x^1, \dots, x^n$ - coordinates of $\mathbb{R}^n$ [95% enough for our course]

In general $\Delta \vec{x} \rightarrow$ Tangent vectors at point $x \quad T_x M$

$df \in$ linear functionals of Tangent vectors $T_x^* M$



c) Differential form: $\omega(x)$ at each point x it is a linear functional on Δx

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- arbitrary linear functional (any element of $T_x^* M$)

$$\omega: M \rightarrow T^*M$$

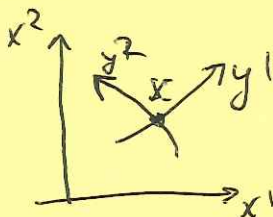
You defined: $\omega: M \rightarrow T^*M$

$$\omega(x) = \sum_{i=1}^n \omega_i(x) dx^i$$

{Joke about French students}

Later Important values of $\omega_i(x)$ depend on coordinates chosen

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$$\omega(x) = \sum_{i=1}^n \omega_i^{x^i}(x) dx^i = \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{think about} \\ x^i \text{ as functions} \\ x^i(\bar{y}) \end{array} \right)$$

at point $\bar{x}$ in coordinates $\{x^1, x^2\}$

$$= \sum_{i,j} \omega_i(x) \left(\frac{\partial x^i}{\partial y^j} dy^j \right) = \underbrace{\omega_i(\bar{x}) \frac{\partial x^i}{\partial y^j}}_{\omega_j^{y^i}(\bar{x})} dy^j$$

$$= \omega_j^{y^i}(\bar{x}) dy^j$$

at the same point $\bar{x}$ in coordinates $\{y^1, y^2\}$.

You can think about ω_i as a column, but its components depend on the chosen coordinate frame, exactly like components of vector depend on a chosen basis.

Sooner

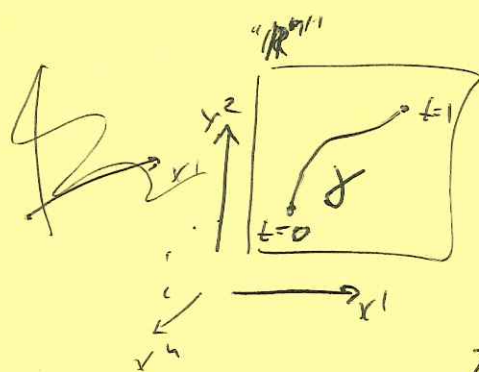
$$"a" \equiv "c"$$

"b" is called exact differential

$$\textcircled{df}$$

Integration

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$x^i(t)$

$$\int_{\gamma} \omega \equiv \int_0^1 \omega_i(x) \frac{\partial x^i}{\partial t} dt$$

This definition does not depend on a choice of coordinates

$$\int_0^1 \omega_i^{x''} \frac{\partial x^i}{\partial t} dt = \int_0^1 \omega_i^{y''} \underbrace{\frac{\partial y^j}{\partial x^i} \frac{\partial x^i}{\partial t}}_{\frac{\partial y^j}{\partial t}} dt = \int_0^1 \omega_i^{y''} \frac{\partial y^i}{\partial t} dt$$

Important property:

Property of exact differential:

$$df = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x^i} dx^i$$

$$\int_{\gamma} df = f(\vec{x}(t=1)) - f(\vec{x}(t=0))$$

$$\int_0^1 \underbrace{\frac{\partial f}{\partial x^i} \frac{\partial x^i}{\partial t}}_{\frac{df}{dt}} dt = \int_0^1 \frac{df}{dt} dt = f(t=1) - f(t=0)$$

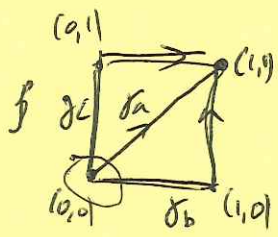
Consequence: - integral does not depend on a path but only on the end points of exact differential

Examples:

$$dx = dx + dy = d(x+y)$$

$$\cancel{dx} + ydx + dy \neq df$$

$$\frac{-ydx + xdy}{y^2} = d(-x/y)$$



$$\int_{\gamma_a} d(x+y) = x+y \Big|_{x=0, y=1}^{x=1, y=1} = 2 = \int_{\gamma_b} d(x+y)$$

$\int$

$$\gamma_a: \begin{matrix} x=t \\ y=t \end{matrix}$$

$$\int_{\gamma_a} d(-x/y) = \int_0^1 \left(\frac{x}{y^2} \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} - \frac{1}{y} \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} \right) dt = \int_0^1 \left(\frac{1}{t} - \frac{1}{t} \right) dt = 0$$

$$\int_{\gamma_b} d(-x/y) = \int_{(0,0)}^{(1,0)} \text{not defined} = \infty$$

$$\int_{\gamma_c} d(-x/y) = \int_{(0,0)}^{(1,0)} d(-x/y) + \int_{(0,1)}^{(1,1)} d(-x/y) =$$

$x=0; y=t$

$$= \int_0^1 0 dt + (-x/y) \Big|_{x=0, y=1}^{x=1, y=1} = -1$$

$$\gamma_a = \int_0^1 (t+1) dt \quad \int_{\gamma_a} ydx + dy = \int_0^1 (t+1) dt = \frac{1}{2} + 1 = 3/2$$

$$\int_{\gamma_a} ydx + dy = \int_{(0,0)}^{(1,0)} ydx + dy + \int_{(1,0)}^{(1,1)} ydx + dy =$$

$x=0, y=t$ $x=t, y=1$

$$= \int_0^1 0 dt + \int_0^1 dt = 1$$