

LINEAR ALGEBRA AND VECTOR ANALYSIS

MATH 22A

Unit 41: Keywords for Final (see also Units 13+28)

Discrete Calculus

- $G = (V, E)$ graph with vertex set V and edge set E .
- 0-form: function on V . Discrete scalar function
- 1-form: function on E . Discrete vector field
- 2-form: function on triangles T .
- $d(f) = \text{grad}(f)$ is a function on edges $a \rightarrow b$ defined by $f(b) - f(a)$.
- $H = dF = \text{curl}(F)$ is a function on triangles obtained by summing F along the triangle.
- d^*H is a function on edges. Add up the attached triangle values.
- d^*F is a function on vertices. Add up the attached edge values.

New People

- Cartan, Maxwell, Stokes, Green, Gauss, Newton, Maxwell, Kirchhoff, Menger, Koch, Escher, Peirce

Partial Derivatives

- $L(x, y) = f(x_0, y_0) + f_x(x_0, y_0)(x - x_0) + f_y(x_0, y_0)(y - y_0)$ linear approximation
- $Q(x, y) = L(x_0, y_0) + f_{xx}(x - x_0)^2/2 + f_{yy}(y - y_0)^2/2 + f_{xy}(x - x_0)(y - y_0)$.
- use $L(x, y)$ to estimate $f(x, y)$ near $f(x_0, y_0)$. The result is $f(x_0, y_0) + a(x - x_0) + b(y - y_0)$
- tangent plane: $ax + by + cz = d$ with $a = f_x, b = f_y, c = f_z, d = ax_0 + by_0 + cz_0$
- estimate $f(x, y)$ by $L(x, y)$ or $Q(x, y)$ near (x_0, y_0)
- $f_{xy} = f_{yx}$ Clairaut's theorem for functions which are in C^2 .
- $r_u(u, v), r_v(u, v)$ tangent to surface parameterized by $r(u, v)$

Parametrization

- $r : G \subset \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n, dr$ Jacobian
- $g = dr^T dr$ first fundamental form, $|dr| = \sqrt{g}$ distortion factor.
- $\text{curl}(F)(r(u, v)) \cdot (r_u \times r_v) = F_u \cdot r_v - F_v \cdot r_u$ important formula

Partial Differential Equations

- $f_{xy} = f_{yx}$ Clairaut
- $f_t = f_{xx}$ heat equation
- $f_{tt} - f_{xx} = 0$ wave equation
- $f_x - f_t = 0$ transport equation
- $f_{xx} + f_{yy} = 0$ Laplace equation

- $f_t + f f_x = f_{xx}$ Burgers equation
- $dF^* = j, dF = 0$, Maxwell equations
- $\text{div}(F) = 4\pi\sigma$, Gravity equation

Gradient

- $\nabla f(x, y) = [f_x, f_y]^T, \nabla f(x, y, z) = [f_x, f_y, f_z]^T$, gradient
- $D_v f = \nabla f \cdot v$ directional derivative
- $\frac{d}{dt} f(r(t)) = \nabla f(r(t)) \cdot r'(t)$ chain rule
- $\nabla f(x_0, y_0)$ is orthogonal to the level curve $f(x, y) = c$ containing (x_0, y_0)
- $\nabla f(x_0, y_0, z_0)$ is orthogonal to the level surface $f(x, y, z) = c$ containing (x_0, y_0, z_0)
- $\frac{d}{dt} f(x + tv) = D_v f$ by chain rule
- $(x - x_0)f_x(x_0, y_0) + (y - y_0)f_y(x_0, y_0) = 0$ tangent line
- $(x - x_0)f_x(x_0, y_0, z_0) + (y - y_0)f_y(x_0, y_0, z_0) + (z - z_0)f_z(x_0, y_0, z_0) = 0$ tangent plane
- $D_v f(x_0, y_0)$ is maximal in the $v = \nabla f(x_0, y_0) / |\nabla f(x_0, y_0)|$ direction
- $f(x, y)$ increases in the $\nabla f / |\nabla f|$ direction at points which are not critical points
- if $D_v f(x) = 0$ for all v , then $\nabla f(x) = 0$
- $f(x, y, z) = c$ defines $y = g(x, y)$, and $g_x(x, y) = -f_x(x, y, z) / f_z(x, y, z)$ implicit diff

Extrema

- $\nabla f(x, y) = [0, 0]^T$, critical point
- $D = \det(d^2 f) = f_{xx}f_{yy} - f_{xy}^2$ discriminant.
- Morse: critical point and $D \neq 0$, in 2D looks like $x^2 + y^2, x^2 - y^2, -x^2 - y^2$
- $f(x_0, y_0) \geq f(x, y)$ in a neighborhood of (x_0, y_0) local maximum
- $f(x_0, y_0) \leq f(x, y)$ in a neighborhood of (x_0, y_0) local minimum
- $\nabla f(x, y) = \lambda \nabla g(x, y), g(x, y) = c, \lambda$ Lagrange equations
- $\nabla f(x, y, z) = \lambda \nabla g(x, y, z), g(x, y, z) = c, \lambda$ Lagrange equations
- second derivative test: $\nabla f = (0, 0), D > 0, f_{xx} < 0$ **local max**, $\nabla f = (0, 0), D > 0, f_{xx} > 0$ **local min**, $\nabla f = (0, 0), D < 0$ **saddle point**
- $f(x_0, y_0) \geq f(x, y)$ everywhere, global maximum
- $f(x_0, y_0) \leq f(x, y)$ everywhere, global minimum

Double Integrals

- $\iint_R f(x, y) dydx$ double integral
- $\int_a^b \int_c^d f(x, y) dydx$ integral over rectangle
- $\int_a^b \int_{c(x)}^{d(x)} f(x, y) dydx$ bottom-top region
- $\int_c^d \int_{a(y)}^{b(y)} f(x, y) dx dy$ left-right region
- $\iint_R f(r, \theta) r dr d\theta$ polar coordinates
- $\iint_R |r_u \times r_v| du dv$ surface area
- $\int_a^b \int_c^d f(x, y) dydx = \int_c^d \int_a^b f(x, y) dx dy$ Fubini
- $\iint_R 1 dx dy$ area of region R
- $\iint_R f(x, y) dx dy$ signed volume of solid bound by graph of f and xy -plane

Triple Integrals

- $\iiint_R f(x, y, z) dzdydx$ triple integral
- $\int_a^b \int_c^d \int_u^v f(x, y, z) dzdydx$ integral over rectangular box
- $\int_a^b \int_{g_1(x)}^{g_2(x)} \int_{h_1(x,y)}^{h_2(x,y)} f(x, y) dzdydx$ type I region
- $\iiint_R f(r, \theta, z) [r] dzdrd\theta$ integral in cylindrical coordinates
- $\iiint_R f(\rho, \theta, \phi) [\rho^2 \sin(\phi)] d\rho d\phi d\theta$ integral in spherical coordinates
- $\int_a^b \int_c^d \int_u^v f(x, y, z) dzdydx = \int_u^v \int_c^d \int_a^b f(x, y, z) dx dy dz$ Fubini
- $V = \iiint_E [1] dzdydx$ volume of solid E
- $M = \iiint_E \sigma(x, y, z) dx dy dz$ mass of solid E with density σ

Line Integrals

- $F(x, y) = [P(x, y), Q(x, y)]^T$ vector field in the plane
- $F(x, y, z) = [P(x, y, z), Q(x, y, z), R(x, y, z)]^T$ vector field in space
- $\int_C F \cdot dr = \int_a^b F(r(t)) \cdot r'(t) dt$ line integral
- $F(x, y) = \nabla f(x, y)$ gradient field = potential field = conservative field

Fundamental theorem of line integrals

- FTL: $F(x, y) = \nabla f(x, y)$, $\int_a^b F(r(t)) \cdot r'(t) dt = f(r(b)) - f(r(a))$
- closed loop property $\int_C F dr = 0$, for all closed curves C
- always equivalent: closed loop property, path independence and gradient field
- mixed derivative test $\text{curl}(F) \neq 0$ assures F is not a gradient field
- in simply connected regions: $\text{curl}(F) = 0$ implies that field F is conservative
- Conservative field: can not be used for perpetual motion.

Green's Theorem

- $F(x, y) = [P, Q]^T$, curl in two dimensions: $\text{curl}(F) = Q_x - P_y$
- Green's theorem: C boundary of R , then $\int_C F \cdot dr = \iint_R \text{curl}(F) dx dy$
- Area computation: Take F with $\text{curl}(F) = Q_x - P_y = 1$ like $F = [-y, 0]^T$ or $F = [0, x]^T$
- Green's theorem is useful to compute difficult line integrals or difficult 2D integrals

Flux integrals

- $F(x, y, z)$ vector field, $S = r(R)$ parametrized surface
- $r_u \times r_v dudv = dS$ 2-form on surface
- $\int \int_S F \cdot dS = \int \int_S F(r(u, v)) \cdot (r_u \times r_v) dudv$ flux integral

Stokes Theorem

- $F(x, y, z) = [P, Q, R]^T$, $\text{curl}([P, Q, R]^T) = [R_y - Q_z, P_z - R_x, Q_x - P_y]^T = \nabla \times F$
- Stokes's theorem: C boundary of surface S , then $\int_C F \cdot dr = \iint_S \text{curl}(F) \cdot dS$
- Stokes theorem allows to compute difficult flux integrals or difficult line integrals

Grad Curl Div

- $\nabla = [\partial_x, \partial_y, \partial_z]^T$, $F = \nabla f$, $\text{curl}(F) = \nabla \times F$, $\text{div}(F) = \nabla \cdot F$
- $\text{div}(\text{curl}(F)) = 0$ and $\text{curl}(\text{grad}(f)) = 0$

- $\operatorname{div}(\operatorname{grad}(f)) = \Delta f$ Laplacian
- incompressible = divergence free field: $\operatorname{div}(F) = 0$ everywhere. Implies $F = \operatorname{curl}(H)$
- irrotational = $\operatorname{curl}(F) = 0$ everywhere. Implies $F = \operatorname{grad}(f)$

Divergence Theorem

- $\operatorname{div}([P, Q, R]^T) = P_x + Q_y + R_z = \nabla \cdot F$
- divergence theorem: solid E , boundary S then $\iint_S F \cdot dS = \iiint_E \operatorname{div}(F) dV$
- the divergence theorem allows to compute difficult flux integrals or difficult 3D integrals

Some topology

- simply connected region D : can deform any closed curve within D to a point
- interior of a region D : points in D for which small neighborhood is still in D
- boundary of curve C : the end points of the curve
- boundary of S points on surface not in the interior of the parameter domain
- boundary of solid G : points in G which are not in the interior of D
- closed surface: a surface without boundary like a sphere
- closed curve: a curve with no boundary like a knot

Some surface parameterizations

- sphere of radius ρ : $r(u, v) = [\rho \cos(u) \sin(v), \rho \sin(u) \sin(v), \rho \cos(v)]^T$
- graph of function $f(x, y)$: $r(u, v) = [u, v, f(u, v)]^T$
- example: Paraboloid: $r(u, v) = [u, v, u^2 + v^2]^T$.
- plane containing P and vectors u, v : $r(s, t) = P + su + tv$
- surface of revolution: distance $g(z)$ of z - axis : $r(u, v) = [g(v) \cos(u), g(v) \sin(u), v]^T$
- example: Cylinder: $r(u, v) = [\cos(u), \sin(u), v]^T$
- example: Cone: $r(u, v) = [v \cos(u), v \sin(u), v]^T$
- example: Paraboloid: $r(u, v) = [\sqrt{v} \cos(u), \sqrt{v} \sin(u), v]^T$

Integration for integral theorems

- Double and triple integral: $\iint_G f(x, y) dA, \iiint_G f(x, y, z) dV$.
- Line integral: $\int_a^b F(r(t)) \cdot r'(t) dt$
- Flux integral: $\int \int_S F(r(u, v)) \cdot (r_u \times r_v) dudv$

Differential forms

- A k -form is a field, which attaches at every point a multi-linear anti-symmetric map of k variables.
- $F = 5x^3 dydz + 7 \sin(y) x dx dz + 3 \cos(xy) dx dy$ is an example of a 2-form. In calculus this is identified with a vector field $F = [5x^3, 7 \sin(y)x, 3 \cos(xy)]$.
- The exterior derivative of a term like $F = P dx dy$ is $dF = (P_x dx + P_y dy + P_z dz) dx dy = P_z dz dx dy = P_z dx dy dz$.
- The general Stokes theorem tells $\int_G dF = \int_{\delta G} F$, where δG is the boundary of G .