

CHAPTER II

PRELIMINARIES

In this thesis, we assume a basic knowledge of the Euclidean Plane^[3]. In this chapter we will define the fundamental concepts which are the foundations of integral geometry.

- 2.1 Definition : A coordinate system on the Euclidean plane X is a homeomorphism Φ of an open subset on X onto an open set of \mathbb{R}^2 .
- 2.2 Example : Choose two orthogonal straight lines and choose two directions on each straight line. This allows us to define a homeomorphism $\Phi : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ by using directed distances. We call this coordinate system a Rectangular Cartesian Coordinate System.
- 2.3 Example : Pick a closed infinite ray l . Set $U = X - l$ and define a homeomorphism $\Psi : U \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ by using angle and distance. We remove l because we want Ψ to be continuous and call this coordinate system a Polar Coordinate System.
- 2.4 Definition : Let $U \subset X$ be an open set and Φ be a homeomorphism of U onto an open set of \mathbb{R}^2 . We call the pair (U, Φ) a coordinate neighborhood.

2.5 Definition : Let $U \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ be an open set and $f = (f_1, \dots, f_m)$ be a map from U to \mathbb{R}^m . We call f a c^1 -map if

1. f is continuous
2. $\frac{\partial f_i}{\partial x_j}$ exists, \forall points $\in U$ and is continuous where $\begin{cases} i = 1, \dots, m \\ j = 1, \dots, n \end{cases}$

2.6 Definition : Two coordinate neighborhoods (U_1, Φ_1) and (U_2, Φ_2) are c^1 -related if

1. $U_1 \cap U_2 \neq \emptyset$
2. $\Phi_2 \circ \Phi_1^{-1} : \Phi_1(U_1 \cap U_2) \rightarrow \Phi_2(U_1 \cap U_2)$ and $\Phi_1 \circ \Phi_2^{-1} : \Phi_2(U_1 \cap U_2) \rightarrow \Phi_1(U_1 \cap U_2)$ are c^1 -maps

These two functions are shown in Figure 1.

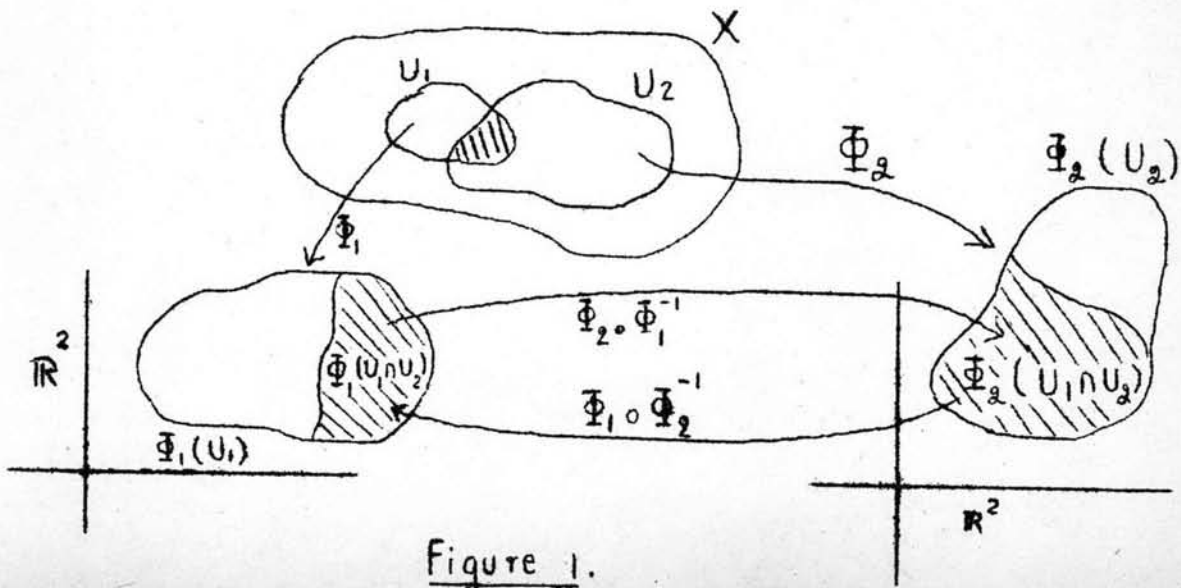


Figure 1.

2.7 Definition : An atlas is a set of coordinate neighborhoods

$$\left\{ (U_\alpha, \Phi_\alpha) \right\}_{\alpha \in I} \quad \text{such that} \quad \left\{ U_\alpha \right\}_{\alpha \in I} \quad \text{cover } X \text{ and}$$

$$\left\{ (U_\alpha, \Phi_\alpha) \right\}_{\alpha \in I} \quad \text{are all } C^1\text{-related to each other for}$$

all pairs with nonempty intersection.

2.8 Notation : If $F : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ then $\text{Jac}(F)$ will denote the Jacobian determinant of the function F .

2.9 Remark : If we choose a fixed rectangular cartesian coordinate neighborhood (X, Φ_0) then we see that

$$\left\{ (X, \Phi_0) \right\} \quad \text{is an atlas. We can form a new atlas}$$

$$\left\{ (U_\alpha, \Psi_\alpha) \right\}_{\alpha \in I} \quad \text{in the following way :}$$

The coordinate neighborhood (U_1, Ψ_1) belongs to the new atlas $\left\{ (U_\alpha, \Psi_\alpha) \right\}_{\alpha \in I}$ if

1. (X, Φ_0) and (U_1, Ψ_1) are C^1 -related
2. $\text{Jac}(\Phi_0 \circ \Psi_1^{-1}) > 0$ (note that if $\text{Jac}(\Phi_0 \circ \Psi_1^{-1}) > 0$

$$\text{then } \text{Jac}(\Psi_1 \circ \Phi_0^{-1}) > 0)$$

Let (U_2, Ψ_2) be another coordinate neighborhood such that $U_1 \cap U_2 \neq \emptyset$ and is C^1 -related to (X, Φ_0) .

Claim that (U_1, Ψ_1) and (U_2, Ψ_2) are C^1 -related to each other. To see this, note that

$$\psi_1 \circ \psi_2^{-1} = \psi_1 \circ \Phi_0^{-1} \circ \Phi_0 \circ \psi_2^{-1} \quad \text{and}$$

$$\psi_2 \circ \psi_1^{-1} = \psi_2 \circ \Phi_0^{-1} \circ \Phi_0 \circ \psi_1^{-1} \quad \text{are } C^1\text{-maps since}$$

$$\psi_1 \circ \Phi_0^{-1}, \Phi_0 \circ \psi_2^{-1}, \psi_2 \circ \Phi_0^{-1} \quad \text{and} \quad \Phi_0 \circ \psi_1^{-1}$$

are all C^1 -maps. and $\text{Jac}(\psi_1 \circ \psi_2^{-1}) = \text{Jac}(\psi_1 \circ \Phi_0^{-1}) \text{Jac}(\Phi_0 \circ \psi_2^{-1}) > 0$

$$\text{Jac}(\psi_2 \circ \psi_1^{-1}) = \text{Jac}(\psi_2 \circ \Phi_0^{-1}) \text{Jac}(\Phi_0 \circ \psi_1^{-1}) > 0$$

2.10 Example : Let (X, Φ_0) be a rectangular cartesian coordinate neighborhood and (U, ψ) be the polar coordinate neighborhood which has the same origin and the positive part of x-axis as its removed closed infinite ray. We see that (X, Φ_0) and (U, ψ) are C^1 -related. Because $X \cap U \neq \emptyset$ and

$$\Phi_0 \circ \psi^{-1}(r, \theta) = (r \cos \theta, r \sin \theta)$$

$$\psi \circ \Phi_0^{-1}(x, y) = (\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}, \tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x}) \text{ are } C^1\text{-maps}$$

Consider $\text{Jac}(\Phi_0 \circ \psi^{-1}) = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y} \end{vmatrix}$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} & \frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \\ \frac{-y}{x^2 + y^2} & \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} \end{vmatrix} = \frac{x^2 + y^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} > 0$$

$$\text{and } \text{Jac} (\psi \circ \bar{\Phi}^{-1}) = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta} \end{vmatrix} \\ = \begin{vmatrix} \cos \theta & -r \sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & r \cos \theta \end{vmatrix} = r > 0$$

Thus (U, ψ) belong to the new atlas.

2.11 Note : From now on, when we study the Euclidean Plane we shall only use coordinate neighborhoods obtained from the above constructed atlas.

2.12 Definition : Given a function $f : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and a coordinate neighborhood $(U, \bar{\Phi})$ on X . The function $f \circ \bar{\Phi}^{-1} : \bar{\Phi}(U) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is called the local representation of the function f in terms of the coordinate neighborhood $(U, \bar{\Phi})$. This function is shown in Figure 2.

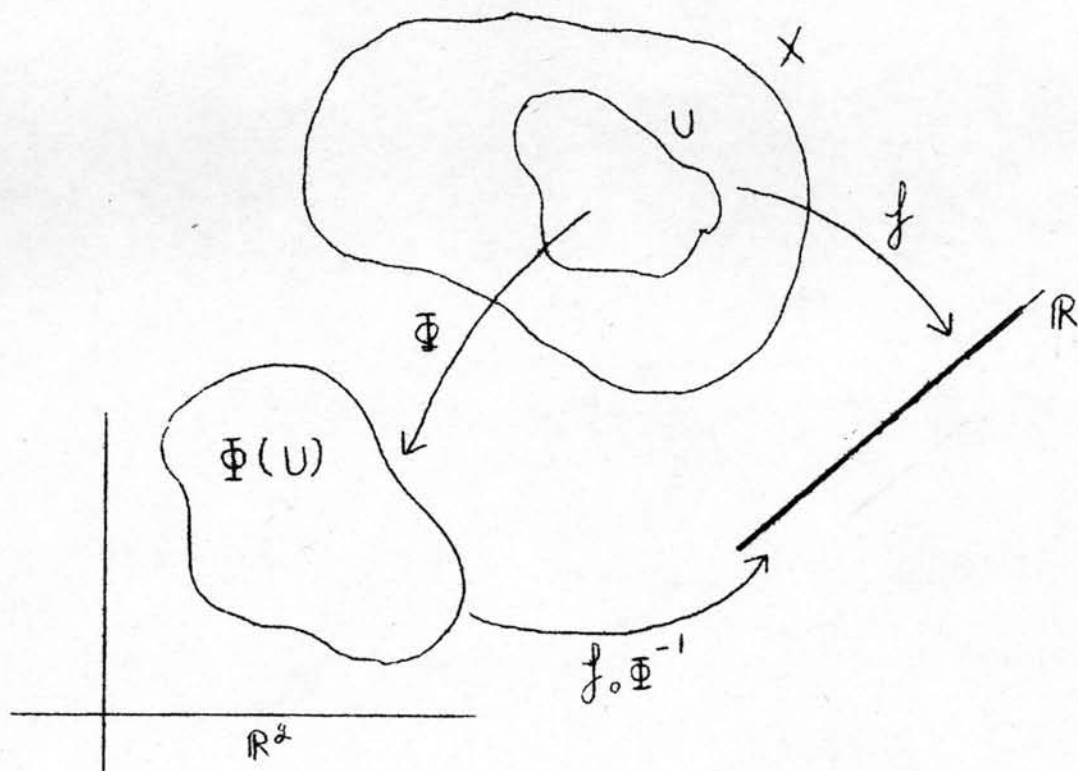


Figure 2.

2.13 Example : Fix $P_0 \in X$ and define $f : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ by
 $f(P) = d(P, P_0)$ the distance from P to P_0 .

In terms of a rectangular cartesian coordinate neighborhood (X, Φ_0) with P_0 as origin, the local representation is $(f \circ \Phi_0^{-1})(x, y) = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$

In terms of a polar coordinate neighborhood (U, Ψ) with P_0 as origin, the local representation is $(f \circ \Psi^{-1})(r, \theta) = r$

2.14 Definition : On \mathbb{R}^2 we have two projections $\pi_1 : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
 and $\pi_2 : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ given by $\pi_1(\alpha, \beta) = \alpha$ and $\pi_2(\alpha, \beta) = \beta$.

If (X, Φ) is a coordinate neighborhood then $\pi_{10}\Phi: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $\pi_{20}\Phi: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are called the coordinate functions of the coordinate neighborhood (X, Φ) .

2.15 Example : If (X, Φ_0) is a rectangular cartesian coordinate neighborhood we usually write $x = \pi_{10}\Phi_0$ and $y = \pi_{20}\Phi_0$. The functions x and y are called the coordinate functions of (X, Φ_0) . We usually denote Φ_0 by (x, y) .

If (U, Ψ) is a polar coordinate neighborhood we usually write $r = \pi_{10}\Psi$ and $\theta = \pi_{20}\Psi$. The functions r and θ are called the coordinate functions of (U, Ψ) . We usually denote Ψ by (r, θ) .

2.16 Definition : Let $f: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, f is called differentiable at $P \in X$ if \exists a coordinate neighborhood (U, Φ) such that the function $f \circ \Phi^{-1}: \Phi(U) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a differentiable function.

Claim that if f is differentiable at P with respect to one coordinate neighborhood then f is differentiable at P with respect to all coordinate neighborhoods. To prove this, let (V, Ψ) be another coordinate neighborhood which belongs to the same atlas. Then $f \circ \Psi^{-1} = f \circ \Phi^{-1} \circ \Phi \circ \Psi^{-1}$ is a differentiable function since $f \circ \Phi^{-1}$ and $\Phi \circ \Psi^{-1}$ are differentiable functions. We see that it is true for all coordinate neighborhoods, so this definition is well - defined.

2.17 Definition : A differential 1 - form on X is a correspondence which assigns to each coordinate neighborhood (U, Φ) an ordered pair of continuous functions (f_1, g_1) where $f_1 : \Phi(U) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $g_1 : \Phi(U) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ such that if (f_1, g_1) corresponds to (U, Φ) and (f_2, g_2) corresponds to (V, Ψ) and $U \cap V \neq \emptyset$ then

$$(f_1, g_1) = (f_2 \circ (\Psi \circ \Phi^{-1}), g_2 \circ (\Psi \circ \Phi^{-1})) \text{Mat} (\Psi \circ \Phi^{-1}) \text{ on } \Phi(U \cap V)$$

where $\text{Mat} (\Psi \circ \Phi^{-1})$ is the 2×2 matrix whose determinant is the Jacobian.

To prove this is well - defined. We have

$$\omega : (U, \Phi) \mapsto (f_1, g_1) \quad \text{and}$$

$$\omega : (V, \Psi) \mapsto (f_2, g_2) \quad \text{such that}$$

$$(f_1, g_1) = (f_2 \circ (\Psi \circ \Phi^{-1}), g_2 \circ (\Psi \circ \Phi^{-1})) \text{Mat} (\Psi \circ \Phi^{-1}) \quad \dots (1)$$

Let (W, θ) be another coordinate neighborhood such that

$$\omega : (W, \theta) \mapsto (f_3, g_3) \quad \text{and}$$

$$(f_2, g_2) = (f_3 \circ (\theta \circ \Psi^{-1}), g_3 \circ (\theta \circ \Psi^{-1})) \text{Mat} (\theta \circ \Psi^{-1}) \quad \dots (2)$$

We want to show that

$$(f_1, g_1) = (f_3 \circ (\theta \circ \Phi^{-1}), g_3 \circ (\theta \circ \Phi^{-1})) \text{Mat} (\theta \circ \Phi^{-1})$$

To prove this, represent (2) in (1) we get

$$(f_1, g_1) = (f_3 \circ (\theta \circ \Psi^{-1}), g_3 \circ (\theta \circ \Psi^{-1})) \circ (\Psi \circ \Phi^{-1}) \text{Mat} (\theta \circ \Psi^{-1}) \text{Mat} (\Psi \circ \Phi^{-1})$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= (f_{z_0} \circ (\theta_0 \bar{\Phi}^{-1}), g_{z_0} \circ (\theta_0 \bar{\Phi}^{-1})) \text{Mat} (\theta_0 \bar{\Psi}^{-1} \circ \psi_0 \bar{\Phi}^{-1}) \\
&= (f_{z_0} \circ (\theta_0 \bar{\Phi}^{-1}), g_{z_0} \circ (\theta_0 \bar{\Phi}^{-1})) \text{Mat} (\theta_0 \bar{\Phi}^{-1})
\end{aligned}$$

where the last equality follows from the chain rule of advanced
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calculus.

Therefore, this is well-defined.

2.18 Definition: The differential 1-form ω is called differentiable at $P \in X$ if \exists a coordinate neighborhood $(U, \bar{\Phi})$ and $U \ni P$ such that the functions (f, g) corresponding to $(U, \bar{\Phi})$ are differentiable at $\bar{\Phi}(P)$.

Claim that if ω is differentiable at $P \in X$ with respect to one coordinate neighborhood then ω is differentiable at $P \in X$ with respect to all coordinate neighborhoods. Proof is the same as the function case.

2.19 Definition: The differential 1-form is differentiable in a neighborhood $U \subset X$ if this differential 1-form is differentiable at $P, \forall P \in U$.

2.20 Definition: A differential 2-form on X is a correspondence which assigns to each coordinate neighborhood $(U, \bar{\Phi})$ a continuous function f_1 where $f_1: \bar{\Phi}(U) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ such that if f_1 corresponds to $(U, \bar{\Phi})$ and f_2 corresponds to $(V, \bar{\Psi})$ and $U \cap V \neq \emptyset$ then

$$f_1 = f_2 \circ (\bar{\Psi} \circ \bar{\Phi}^{-1}) \text{Jac} (\bar{\Psi} \circ \bar{\Phi}^{-1}) \text{ on } \bar{\Phi}(U \cap V)$$

We prove that this is well - defined in the same way that we proved differential 1 - forms were well - defined .

2.21 Definition : The differential 2 - form is differentiable at $P \in X$ if \exists a coordinate neighborhood (U, Φ) and $U \ni P$ such that the function f corresponding to (U, Φ) is differentiable at $\Phi(P)$.

2.22 Definition : The differential 2 - form is differentiable in a neighborhood $U \subset X$ if this differential 2 - form is differentiable at P , $\forall P \in U$.

2.23 Definition : A density on X is a correspondence which assigns to each coordinate neighborhood (U, Φ) a positive continuous function f_1 where $f_1: \Phi(U) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ such that if f_1 corresponds to (U, Φ) and f_2 corresponds to (V, Ψ) and $U \cap V \neq \emptyset$ then

$$f_1 = f_2 \circ (\Psi \circ \Phi^{-1}) \left| \text{Jac} (\Psi \circ \Phi^{-1}) \right| \quad \text{on } \Phi(U \cap V)$$

2.24 Remark : Since $\text{Jac} (\Psi \circ \Phi^{-1}) > 0$ on X , there is no need to distinguish differential 2 - forms from densities. However, for sets of straight lines we can not **always** guarantee that $\text{Jac} (\Psi \circ \Phi^{-1}) > 0$ so we must integrate densities and not differential 2 - forms in this case. We shall say more about this in Chapter III .

2.25 Definition : If $f : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a function and ω is a differential 1 - form on X such that

$$\omega : (U, \Phi) \longmapsto (f_1, g_1)$$

we can define $f\omega$ as a differential 1 - form such that

$$f\omega : (U, \Phi) \longmapsto ((f_0 \Phi)^{-1} f_1, (f_0 \Phi)^{-1} g_1)$$

Claim that this is well - defined. To see this let (V, Ψ) be another coordinate neighborhood such that

$$\omega : (V, \Psi) \longmapsto (f_2, g_2) \text{ and}$$

$$f\omega : (V, \Psi) \longmapsto ((f_0 \Psi)^{-1} f_2, (f_0 \Psi)^{-1} g_2)$$

We must prove that

$$\begin{aligned} ((f_0 \Phi)^{-1} f_1, (f_0 \Phi)^{-1} g_1) &= [((f_0 \Psi)^{-1} f_2)_o (\Psi_0 \Phi^{-1}), \\ &\quad ((f_0 \Psi)^{-1} g_2)_o (\Psi_0 \Phi^{-1})] \text{Mat} (\Psi_0 \Phi^{-1}) \\ &= [(f_0 \Phi)^{-1} (f_2)_o (\Psi_0 \Phi^{-1}), (f_0 \Phi)^{-1} (g_2)_o (\Psi_0 \Phi^{-1})] \\ &\quad \text{Mat} (\Psi_0 \Phi^{-1}) \\ &= (f_0 \Phi)^{-1} [f_2)_o (\Psi_0 \Phi^{-1}), g_2)_o (\Psi_0 \Phi^{-1})] \text{Mat} (\Psi_0 \Phi^{-1}) \end{aligned}$$

To see this, since ω is a differential 1 - form, we have

$$(f_1, g_1) = (f_2)_o (\Psi_0 \Phi^{-1}), g_2)_o (\Psi_0 \Phi^{-1}) \text{Mat} (\Psi_0 \Phi^{-1})$$

Hence ,

$$\begin{aligned}
 ((f_0 \bar{\Phi})^{-1} f_1, (f_0 \bar{\Phi})^{-1} g_1) &= (f_0 \bar{\Phi})^{-1} (f_1, g_1) \\
 &= (f_0 \bar{\Phi})^{-1} (f_2 \circ (\psi_0 \bar{\Phi})^{-1}, g_2 \circ (\psi_0 \bar{\Phi})^{-1}) \\
 &\quad \text{Mat } (\psi_0 \bar{\Phi})^{-1}
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, this is well - defined .

2.26 Definition : If $f : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a function and ω is a differential 2 - form on X such that

$$\omega : (U, \bar{\Phi}) \longmapsto f_1$$

we can define $f\omega$ as a differential 2 - form such that

$$f\omega : (U, \bar{\Phi}) \longmapsto ((f_0 \bar{\Phi})^{-1} f_1)$$

We prove that this is well - defined in the same way that we proved $f\omega$ was a differential 1 - form.

2.27 Definition : If ω_1 and ω_2 are two differential 1 - forms on X such that

$$\omega_1 : (U, \bar{\Phi}) \longmapsto (f_1, g_1) \quad \text{and}$$

$$\omega_2 : (U, \bar{\Phi}) \longmapsto (h_1, k_1)$$

we can define $\omega_1 + \omega_2$ as a differential 1 - form on X such that

$$\omega_1 + \omega_2 : (U, \bar{\Phi}) \longmapsto (f_1 + h_1, g_1 + k_1)$$

Claim that this is well - defined . Let (V, ψ) be another coordinate neighborhood such that

$$\omega_1 : (v, \psi) \longmapsto (f_2, g_2)$$

$$\omega_2 : (v, \psi) \longmapsto (h_2, k_2) \quad \text{and}$$

$$\omega_1 + \omega_2 : (v, \psi) \longmapsto (f_2 + h_2, g_2 + k_2)$$

We must prove that

$$(f_1 + h_1, g_1 + k_1) = \left[(f_2 + h_2) \circ (\psi \circ \bar{\Phi})^{-1}, (g_2 + k_2) \circ (\psi \circ \bar{\Phi})^{-1} \right] \\ \text{Mat} (\psi \circ \bar{\Phi})^{-1}.$$

To see this, since ω_1, ω_2 are differential 1 - forms we have

$$(f_1, g_1) = (f_2 \circ (\psi \circ \bar{\Phi})^{-1}, g_2 \circ (\psi \circ \bar{\Phi})^{-1}) \text{Mat} (\psi \circ \bar{\Phi})^{-1} \quad \text{and}$$

$$(h_1, k_1) = (h_2 \circ (\psi \circ \bar{\Phi})^{-1}, k_2 \circ (\psi \circ \bar{\Phi})^{-1}) \text{Mat} (\psi \circ \bar{\Phi})^{-1}$$

Hence,

$$(f_1 + h_1, g_1 + k_1) = (f_1, g_1) + (h_1, k_1) \\ = (f_2 \circ (\psi \circ \bar{\Phi})^{-1}, g_2 \circ (\psi \circ \bar{\Phi})^{-1}) \text{Mat} (\psi \circ \bar{\Phi})^{-1} + (h_2 \circ (\psi \circ \bar{\Phi})^{-1}, k_2 \circ (\psi \circ \bar{\Phi})^{-1}) \\ \text{Mat} (\psi \circ \bar{\Phi})^{-1} \\ = \left[(f_2, g_2) \circ (\psi \circ \bar{\Phi})^{-1} + (h_2, k_2) \circ (\psi \circ \bar{\Phi})^{-1} \right] \text{Mat} (\psi \circ \bar{\Phi})^{-1}. \\ = \left[(f_2 + h_2) \circ (\psi \circ \bar{\Phi})^{-1}, (g_2 + k_2) \circ (\psi \circ \bar{\Phi})^{-1} \right] \text{Mat} (\psi \circ \bar{\Phi})^{-1}.$$

Therefore, this is well - defined.

2.28 Definition : If ω_1 and ω_2 are two differential 2 - forms on X such that

$$\omega_1 : (U, \Phi) \mapsto f_1 \quad \text{and}$$

$$\omega_2 : (U, \Phi) \mapsto g_1$$

We can define $\omega_1 + \omega_2$ as a differential 2 - forms on X such that

$$\omega_1 + \omega_2 : (U, \Phi) \mapsto f_1 + g_1$$

We prove that this is well - defined is the same way that we proved $\omega_1 + \omega_2$ was a differential 1 - form .

2.29 Definition : If $f : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a differentiable function then we can define a differential 1 - form df as follows :

If (U, Φ) is a coordinate neighborhood then

$$df : (U, \Phi) \mapsto (\partial_1 (f \circ \Phi^{-1}), \partial_2 (f \circ \Phi^{-1})) \text{ where } \partial_1 (f \circ \Phi^{-1}), \partial_2 (f \circ \Phi^{-1}) \text{ are the first partial derivatives of each variable}$$

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Claim that this is well - defined. To see this, let (V, Ψ) be another coordinate neighborhood such that

$$df : (V, \Psi) \mapsto (\partial_1 (f \circ \Psi^{-1}), \partial_2 (f \circ \Psi^{-1}))$$

We must prove that

$$(\partial_1(f \circ \Phi^{-1}), \partial_2(f \circ \Phi^{-1})) = [(\partial_1(f \circ \Psi^{-1}) \circ (\Psi \circ \Phi^{-1})), \\ \partial_2(f \circ \Psi^{-1}) \circ (\Psi \circ \Phi^{-1})] \text{Mat}(\Psi \circ \Phi^{-1})$$

But this is true from the chain rule of Advanced
Calculus.

Therefore df is a differential 1 - form.

2.30 Remark : If $f : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $g : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are continuous functions then we can define

1. $d(f \pm g) = df \pm dg$
2. $d(fg) = fdg + gdf$
3. $d(f \circ g) = (f' \circ g)dg$

Let ω be a differential 1 - form on X and (X, Φ_1) be a coordinate neighborhood so ω assigns to (X, Φ_1) an ordered pair of functions (f_1, g_1) such that

$$f_1 : \Phi_1(X) \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ and } g_1 : \Phi_1(X) \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ i.e. } \omega : (X, \Phi_1) \mapsto (f_1, g_1)$$

Let (x_1, y_1) be the coordinate functions of (X, Φ_1) .

We get two differential 1 - forms dx_1 and dy_1 with respect to (X, Φ_1) . The differential 1 - form dx_1 has 2 functions

$$(\partial_1(x_1 \circ \Phi_1^{-1}), \partial_2(x_1 \circ \Phi_1^{-1})) = (\partial_1(\pi_1 \circ \Phi_1 \circ \Phi_1^{-1}), \partial_2(\pi_1 \circ \Phi_1 \circ \Phi_1^{-1})) \\ = (\partial_1 \pi_1, \partial_2 \pi_1) \\ = (1, 0)$$

Similarly with respect to (X, Φ_1) , the differential

1 - form dy_1 has 2 functions $(0, 1)$

$$\text{Let } f = f_1 \circ \Phi_1^{-1} \quad \text{and} \quad g = g_1 \circ \Phi_1^{-1}$$

then $f : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $g : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

From definition 2.25 and 2.27 we can define $fdx_1 + gdy_1$

as the differential 1 - form such that $fdx_1 + gdy_1$ assigns

to (X, Φ_1) the ordered pair of functions

$$\begin{aligned} & \left[(f \circ \Phi_1^{-1})|_{-1}, (f \circ \Phi_1^{-1})|_{-1} \right] + \left[(g \circ \Phi_1^{-1})|_{-1}, (g \circ \Phi_1^{-1})|_{-1} \right] \\ &= (f \circ \Phi_1^{-1}, g \circ \Phi_1^{-1}) \\ &= (f_1, g_1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{i.e. } fdx_1 + gdy_1 : (X, \Phi_1) \longrightarrow (f_1, g_1)$$

thus $fdx_1 + gdy_1$ and ω assigns to (X, Φ_1) the same

ordered pair of functions (f_1, g_1)

$$\text{i.e. } \omega = fdx_1 + gdy_1 \quad \forall \text{ coordinate neighborhoods}$$

$$\text{therefore } \omega = f_1(x_1, y_1)dx_1 + g_1(x_1, y_1)dy_1$$

Similarly for the differential 2 - form ω , in terms of the coordinate neighborhood (X, Φ_1) we can write

$$\omega = f_1(x_1, y_1) dx_1 dy_1$$

2.31 Definition : If ω_1 and ω_2 are two differential 1 - forms on X such that

$$\omega_1 : (U, \Phi) \longmapsto (f_1, g_1) \text{ and}$$

$$\omega_2 : (U, \Phi) \longmapsto (h_1, k_1)$$

we can define $\omega_1 \omega_2$ as a differential 2 - form such that $\omega_1 \omega_2 : (U, \Phi) \longmapsto f_1 k_1 - h_1 g_1$. We call $\omega_1 \omega_2$ is the exterior product of ω_1 and ω_2 .

Claim that this is well - defined, let (V, Ψ) be another coordinate neighborhood. Let (x_1, y_1) and (x_2, y_2) be the coordinate functions of (U, Φ) and (V, Ψ) respectively such that $x_2 = \varphi_1(x_1, y_1)$ and $y_2 = \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)$

Then in the coor. neighborhood (U, Φ) we have

$$\omega_1 = f_1(x_1, y_1) dx_1 + g_1(x_1, y_1) dy_1$$

$$\omega_2 = h_1(x_1, y_1) dx_1 + k_1(x_1, y_1) dy_1$$

$$\omega_1 \omega_2 = [f_1(x_1, y_1)k_1(x_1, y_1) - g_1(x_1, y_1)h_1(x_1, y_1)] dx_1 dy_1$$

and in the coor. neighborhood (V, Ψ) we have

$$\omega_1 = f_2(x_2, y_2) dx_2 + g_2(x_2, y_2) dy_2$$

$$\omega_2 = h_2(x_2, y_2) dx_2 + k_2(x_2, y_2) dy_2$$

$$\omega_1 \omega_2 = [f_2(x_2, y_2)k_2(x_2, y_2) - g_2(x_2, y_2)h_2(x_2, y_2)] dx_2 dy_2$$

We want to show that

$$\begin{aligned} & f_1(x_1, y_1)k_1(x_1, y_1) - g_1(x_1, y_1)h_1(x_1, y_1) \\ &= \left[(f_2(x_2, y_2)k_2(x_2, y_2) - g_2(x_2, y_2)h_2(x_2, y_2)) \right] \frac{\partial(\varphi_1, \varphi_2)}{\partial(x_1, y_1)} \end{aligned}$$

since ω_1 is a diff. 1 - form, we have

$$(f_1(x_1, y_1), g_1(x_1, y_1)) = (f_2(x_2, y_2), g_2(x_2, y_2)) \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial y_1} \\ \frac{\partial \varphi_2}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial \varphi_2}{\partial y_1} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{i.e. } f_1(x_1, y_1) &= f_2(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial x_1} \\ &\quad + g_2(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \frac{\partial \varphi_2}{\partial x_1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{and } g_1(x_1, y_1) &= f_2(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial y_1} \\ &\quad + g_2(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \frac{\partial \varphi_2}{\partial y_1} \end{aligned}$$

and since ω_2 is a diff. 1 - form, so we have

$$(h_1(x_1, y_1), k_1(x_1, y_1)) = (h_2(x_2, y_2), k_2(x_2, y_2)) \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial y_1} \\ \frac{\partial \varphi_2}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial \varphi_2}{\partial y_1} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{i.e. } h_1(x_1, y_1) &= h_2(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial x_1} \\ &\quad + k_2(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \frac{\partial \varphi_2}{\partial x_1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{and } k_1(x_1, y_1) &= h_2(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial y_1} \\ &\quad + k_2(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \frac{\partial \varphi_2}{\partial y_1} \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{so } f_1(x_1, y_1)k_1(x_1, y_1) - g_1(x_1, y_1)h_1(x_1, y_1) \\
 &= \left[f_2(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial x_1} + g_2(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \frac{\partial \varphi_2}{\partial x_1} \right] \\
 & \quad \left[h_2(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial y_1} + k_2(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \frac{\partial \varphi_2}{\partial y_1} \right] \\
 &- \left[f_2(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial y_1} + g_2(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \frac{\partial \varphi_2}{\partial y_1} \right] \\
 & \quad \left[h_2(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial x_1} + k_2(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \frac{\partial \varphi_2}{\partial x_1} \right] \\
 &= \left[(f_2 k_2)(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) - (g_2 h_2)(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \right] \\
 & \quad \left(\frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial x_1} \cdot \frac{\partial \varphi_2}{\partial y_1} \right) \\
 &+ \left[(f_2 h_2)(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) - (f_2 h_2)(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \right] \\
 & \quad \left(\frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial x_1} \frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial y_1} \right) \\
 &+ \left[(g_2 h_2)(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) - (f_2 k_2)(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \right] \\
 & \quad \left(\frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial y_1} \frac{\partial \varphi_2}{\partial x_1} \right) \\
 &+ \left[(g_2 k_2)(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) - (g_2 k_2)(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \right] \\
 & \quad \left(\frac{\partial \varphi_2}{\partial x_1} \frac{\partial \varphi_2}{\partial y_1} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \left[(f_2 k_2)(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) - (g_2 h_2)(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \right] \\
&\quad \left(\frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial x_1} \frac{\partial \varphi_2}{\partial y_1} \right) \\
&\quad + \left[(g_2 h_2)(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) - (f_2 k_2)(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \right] \left(\frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial y_1} \frac{\partial \varphi_2}{\partial x_1} \right) \\
&= \left[(f_2 k_2)(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) - (g_2 h_2)(\varphi_1(x_1, y_1), \varphi_2(x_1, y_1)) \right] \\
&\quad \left(\frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial x_1} \frac{\partial \varphi_2}{\partial y_1} - \frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial y_1} \frac{\partial \varphi_2}{\partial x_1} \right) \\
&= \left[f_2(x_2, y_2) k_2(x_2, y_2) - g_2(x_2, y_2) h_2(x_2, y_2) \right] \frac{\partial (\varphi_1, \varphi_2)}{\partial (x_1, y_1)}
\end{aligned}$$

so, this is well - defined.

2.32 Definition : On n - dimensional space with coordinates

x_1, \dots, x_n , a differential p - form is an expression of the

$$\text{form } \sum_{i_1, i_2, \dots, i_p}^n f_{i_1 \dots i_p}(x_1, \dots, x_n) dx_{i_1} dx_{i_2} \dots dx_{i_p}$$

Where the sum is taken over all possible combinations of the p indices, and the coefficients $f_{i_1 \dots i_p}(x_1, \dots, x_n)$ are assumed to be infinitely differentiable functions of the coordinates.

2.23 Example :

For $n=2$ with coordinates x, y where $p = 0, 1, 2$, we have
 a diff. 0 - form is just a differentiable function $f(x, y)$
 a diff. 1 - form is an expression $f dx + g dy$
 a diff 2 - form is an expression $f dx dy$

For $n=3$ with coordinates x, y, z where $p = 0, 1, 2, 3$ we have
 a diff 0 - form is just a differentiable function $f(x, y, z)$
 a diff 1 - form is an expression $f dx + g dy + h dz$

a diff 2 - form is an expression $f dx dy + g dy dz + h dz dx$

a diff 3 - form is an expression $f dx dy dz$.

The coefficients f, g, h are assumed to be infinitely differentiable functions of the coordinates.

2.34 Remark : -

If ω is the k - form and λ is the m - form, symbolically represented by the sum

$$\omega = \sum a_{i_1, \dots, i_k}(x) dx_{i_1} \dots dx_{i_k}$$

and
$$\lambda = \sum b_{j_1, \dots, j_m}(x) dx_{j_1} \dots dx_{j_m}$$

on $G \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$ where $x = (x_1, \dots, x_n)$ and the indices i_1, \dots, i_k range independently from 1 to n and also the indices j_1, \dots, j_m range independently from 1 to n , then their exterior product, denoted by the symbol $\omega\lambda$, is defined to be the $(k+m)$ - form

$$\omega\lambda = \sum a_{i_1, \dots, i_k}(x) b_{j_1, \dots, j_m}(x) dx_{i_1} \dots dx_{i_k} dx_{j_1} \dots dx_{j_m}$$

In this sum, the indices $i_1, \dots, i_k, j_1, \dots, j_m$ range independently from 1 to n .

2.35 Definition : A C Euclidean Plane X is a domain if \exists a coordinate neighborhood (U, Φ) such that $U \supset A$ and $\Phi(A)$ is a domain in \mathbb{R}^2 .

Let ω be a continuous density on X and $A \subset X$ be a domain. We define $m(A) = \int_A \omega$ in the following way :
Choose a coordinate neighborhood (U, Φ) such that $U \supset A$. ω assigns to (U, Φ) a function $f: \Phi(U) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

Define $\int_A \omega = \iint_{\Phi(A)} f$ where $\iint_{\Phi(A)} f$ is a Lebesgue Integral if exists

If $\iint_{\Phi(A)} f$ does not exist we will not define $\int_A \omega$

Claim that this is well - defined, let (V, ψ) be another coordinate neighborhood such that $V \supset A$ and

$$\int_A \omega = \iint_{\psi(A)} f_1$$

where $\omega: (V, \psi) \mapsto f_1$

We must prove that $\iint_{\Phi(A)} f = \iint_{\psi(A)} f_1$

Since ω is a density and change variable in double integral, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_{\psi(A)} f_1 &= \iint_{\psi(A)} f_0(\Phi_0 \psi^{-1}) |Jac(\Phi_0 \psi^{-1})| \\ &= \iint_{\Phi(A)} f_0(\Phi_0 \psi_0^{-1} \psi_0 \Phi^{-1}) |Jac(\psi_0 \Phi^{-1})| |Jac(\Phi_0 \psi_0^{-1})| \\ &= \iint_{\Phi(A)} f \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, we can define $m(A) = \int_A \omega = \iint_{\Phi(A)} f$