

we assume:

- M a smooth oriented n -manifold
- ω an n -form on M with $\text{supp } \omega$ compact

If $\text{supp } \omega$ covered by one chart (U, φ) then we def.

$$\int_M \omega := \int_{\varphi(U)} (\varphi^{-1})^* \omega$$

This def. is independent of the choice of chart!

More generally, if

- $\{U_i\}$ finite open cover of $\text{supp } \omega$ (with positively oriented charts (U_i, φ_i))
- $\{\psi_i\}$ a smooth partition of unity (subordinate to $\{U_i\}$)

Def.:
$$\int_M \omega := \sum_i \int_M \psi_i \omega$$

well-def. on single chart (U_i, φ_i)

Proposition: This def. is independent of the choice of open cover or partition of unity.

Properties: • linearity, orientation reversal, positivity

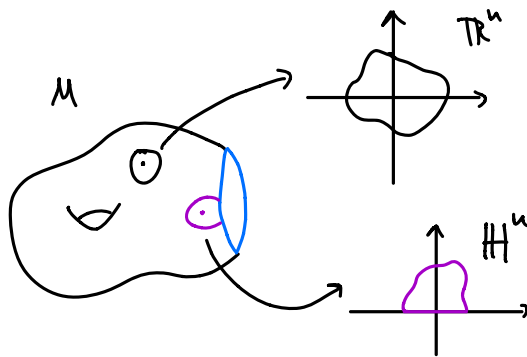
• diffeomorphism-invariance: $F: N \rightarrow M$ orientation-preserving diffeomorphism

$$\Rightarrow \int_M \omega = \int_N F^* \omega$$

5.8 Manifolds with Boundary

Def.: $H^n = \{(x^1, \dots, x^n) \in \mathbb{R}^n : x^n \geq 0\}$ (upper half space)

$$\partial H^n = \{(x^1, \dots, x^{n-1}, 0) \in \mathbb{R}^n\}$$



An n -manifold with boundary is a second-countable Hausdorff space M where every $p \in M$ has a neighborhood homeomorphic to either an open subset of \mathbb{R}^n or H^n .

- $p \in M$ is a boundary point if it is in the domain of a boundary chart that maps p to ∂H^n
- $\partial M =$ set of all boundary points

- Note:
- ∂M refers to manifold boundary, i.e., all $p \in M$ covered by a boundary chart
→ this is not necessarily equal to topological boundary (if we think of $M \subset$ some other topological space)
 - $\partial M = (n-1)$ -manifold without boundary (e.g., $\partial \overline{B}^n = S^{n-1}$)
 - many results we discussed for manifolds without boundary also hold for manifolds with boundary

Proposition: If manifold with boundary M is orientable, then also ∂M is orientable (with a so-called induced orientation or Stokes orientation).

5.9 Stokes Theorem

Thm.: Let M be an oriented smooth n -manifold with boundary and w a compactly supported smooth $(n-1)$ -form on M . Then

$$\int_M dw = \int_{\partial M} w \quad (\text{Stokes Theorem})$$

Remarks:

- dw = exterior derivative of $w = n$ form

- ∂M has orientation induced by M

- w on right-hand side means $i_{\partial M}^* w$ ($i_{\partial M}: \partial M \rightarrow M$ inclusion)

Corollary: M a compact oriented smooth manifold

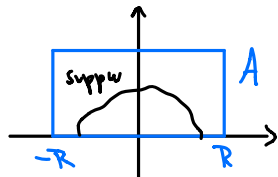
- without boundary, then $\int_M dw = 0$ (η exact means $\eta = dw \Rightarrow \int_M \text{exact form} = 0$)

- with boundary and w closed (i.e., $dw=0$), then $\int_{\partial M} w = 0$

Ex. in \mathbb{R}^3 : $\int_V \underbrace{\text{div } \vec{F}}_{\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{F}} dV = \int_{\partial V} \vec{F} \underbrace{d\vec{\sigma}}_{\substack{\text{side} \\ \uparrow \text{outward pointing unit normal vector}}}$ (clear if we establish connection of forms and vector fields clearly)

Proof of Stokes:

simple case: $M = \mathbb{H}^n \Rightarrow \text{supp } w \subset A = [-R, R] \times \dots \times [-R, R] \times [0, R]$



for some large enough R

general $n-1$ form: $w = \sum_i w_i dx^1 \wedge \dots \wedge \widehat{dx^i} \wedge \dots \wedge dx^n$
 \hookrightarrow hat means omitted

$$\Rightarrow dw = \sum_{i=1}^n \underbrace{dw_i}_{\sum_{j=1}^n \frac{\partial w_i}{\partial x^j} dx^j} \wedge dx^1 \wedge \dots \wedge \widehat{dx^i} \wedge \dots \wedge dx^n = \sum_{i=1}^n (-1)^{i-1} \frac{\partial w_i}{\partial x^i} dx^1 \wedge \dots \wedge dx^n$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \int_{\mathbb{H}^n} dw &= \sum_{i=1}^n (-1)^{i-1} \int_0^R \int_{-R}^R \dots \int_{-R}^R \frac{\partial w_i}{\partial x^i}(x) dx^1 \dots dx^n \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (-1)^{i-1} \int_0^R \int_{-R}^R \dots \int_{-R}^R \frac{\partial w_i}{\partial x^i}(x) dx^i dx^1 \dots \widehat{dx^i} \dots dx^n \\ &= w^i(x) \Big|_{x^i=-R}^{x^i=R} = 0 \quad (\text{supp } w \subset A) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &+ (-1)^{n-1} \int_{-R}^R \dots \int_{-R}^R \int_0^R \frac{\partial w^n}{\partial x^n}(x) dx^n dx^1 \dots dx^{n-1} \\ &= w^n(x) \Big|_{x^n=0}^{x^n=R} = -w^n(x^1, \dots, x^{n-1}, 0) \end{aligned}$$

$$= (-1)^n \int_{-R}^R \dots \int_{-R}^R w^n(x^1, \dots, x^{n-1}, 0) dx^1 \dots dx^{n-1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{and } \int_{\partial \mathbb{H}^n} w &= \sum_{i=1}^n \int_{A \cap \partial \mathbb{H}^n} w_i(x^1, \dots, x^{n-1}, 0) dx^1 \wedge \dots \wedge \widehat{dx^i} \wedge \dots \wedge dx^n \\ &= \int_{A \cap \partial \mathbb{H}^n} w_n(x^1, \dots, x^{n-1}, 0) dx^1 \wedge \dots \wedge dx^{n-1} \end{aligned}$$

since (x^1, \dots, x^{n-1}) positively oriented for $\partial \mathbb{H}^n$ with even n (neg. for odd n), equality follows.

(induced orientation follows from first coordinate, whereas for manifolds with boundary last coordinate is zero $\Rightarrow (-1)^n$ factor)

general cases follow relatively directly from definitions of integral.

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