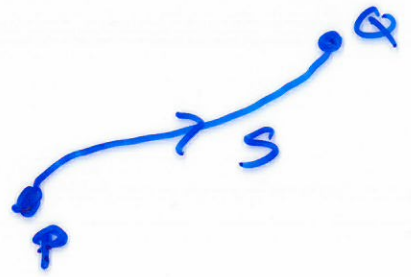


To prove the FTC

$$\int_S dw = \int \frac{\partial w}{\partial S}$$



we need a bit about:

Partial Derivatives of Composite Functions

Let

$$u = F(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$$

where

$$x_1 = g_1(r_1, r_2, \dots, r_p)$$

$$x_2 = g_2(r_1, r_2, \dots, r_p)$$

$$\vdots$$
$$=$$

$$x_n = g_n(r_1, r_2, \dots, r_p)$$

then

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial r_i} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x_1} \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial r_i} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial x_2} \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial r_i} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial x_3} \frac{\partial x_3}{\partial r_i} + \dots$$

$$\dots + \frac{\partial u}{\partial x_n} \frac{\partial x_n}{\partial r_i}$$

Example Let

$$u = x^2 e^{yx}$$

$$x = t \cos(t)$$

$$y = t \sin(t)$$

Find $\frac{\partial u}{\partial t}$ at $t = \frac{\pi}{2}$

Soln

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial t}$$

$$= (yx^2 e^{yx} + 2xe^{yx})(-t \sin t + \cos t)$$

$$+ (x^3 e^{yx})(t \cos t + \sin t)$$

Evaluate at $t = \frac{\pi}{2}$ to get

$$-\frac{\pi^3}{8}.$$

Proof of Fundamental Theorem of Calculus ($n=2$)

Suppose $w = F(x, y)$

Suppose $x = g(t)$, $y = h(t)$ is
a parametrization of S
as t goes from t_0 to t_1

$$\int_S dw = \int_S F_x dx + F_y dy$$

$$= \int_{t_0}^{t_1} F_x(g(t), h(t)) \frac{\partial g}{\partial t} dt \\ + F_y(g(t), h(t)) \frac{\partial h}{\partial t} dt$$

$$= \int_{t_0}^{t_1} \frac{\partial F}{\partial t} dt = F(g(t_1), h(t_1)) \\ - F(g(t_0), h(t_0))$$

$$= F(Q) - F(P)$$

$$= \int \omega \cdot ds$$

QED



Summary of 1-forms and an introduction to 2-forms.

- A 1-form is an expression such as

$$\omega = A dx + B dy$$

that can be integrated over oriented curves).

- A 2-form is an expression such as

$$\omega = A dx \wedge dy + B dy \wedge dz + C dz \wedge dx$$

that can be "integrated" over

"2-dimensional oriented regions".

- Integrals of 1-forms are just limits of sums of integrals of constant 1-forms over

oriented straight-line segments.

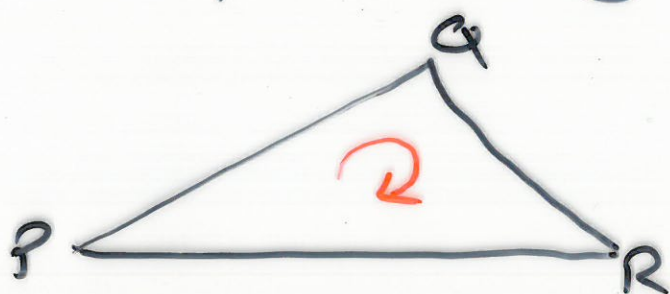
- Integrals of 2-forms are just limits of sums of integrals of constant 2-forms over oriented planar triangles.

Oriented planar triangles

Three points in a plane determine a triangle



An orientation of a triangle is specified by a curved arrow



corresponding to one of two directions of rotation.

The positive side of the ^{oriented} triangle

is the one from which the arrow denotes anti-clockwise rotation.

An orientation is just an ordering of the vertices.

The ordering PRQ denotes the second triangle above.