

1. Suppose  $a \in \mathbb{R}^n$  and  $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a function all of whose second partial derivatives exist and are continuous. Prove that there are positive numbers  $M$  and  $r$  such that

$$|f(x) - f(a) - df(a)(x - a)| \leq M\|x - a\|^2 \quad \text{for all } x \in \mathbb{R}^n \text{ such that } |x - a| < r.$$

This is an application of Taylor's Formula.

Choose  $r > 1$ , say  $r = 1$ . First, let's get a bound on the second derivatives in the closed  $r$ -ball  $\overline{B}_r(a) \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  about  $a$ ,

$$M = \sup_{x \in \overline{B}_r(a)} \|d^2 f(x)\|_2,$$

where  $\|L_{ij}\|_2^2 = \sum_{i,j} \ell_{i,j}^2$  denotes  $L^2$  norm of the matrix  $L$ . The  $L^2$  norm is polynomial in  $L$  so  $\|d^2 f(x)\|_2$  is a continuous function which is bounded on the compact set  $\overline{B}_r(a)$ .

Second, apply Taylor's formula up to the first order with remainder. This requires that  $f$  be differentiable up to second order in  $B_r(a)$ , which follows from the assumption that all second order partial derivatives exist and are continuous in  $B_r(a)$ . For  $x \in B_r(a)$  we have

$$f(x) - f(a) - df(a)(x - a) = \frac{1}{2} d^2 f(c)(x - a)^2$$

where  $c$  is a point on the line segment from  $a$  to  $x$  so  $c \in \overline{B}_r(a)$ . Taking absolute values, we have

$$|f(x) - f(a) - df(a)(x - a)| = \left| \frac{1}{2} d^2 f(c)(x - a)^2 \right| \leq \frac{1}{2} M \|x - a\|^2,$$

as to be shown. The last inequality follows from a matrix inequality. If  $L$  is an  $n \times n$  matrix and  $v \in \mathbb{R}^n$  then by the Schwartz Inequality and operator norm inequality

$$|Lv|^2 = |v \cdot Lv| \leq \|v\| \|Lv\| \leq \|v\| \|L\| \|v\| \leq \|L\|_2 \|v\|^2,$$

where  $\|L\|$  is the operator norm.

2. Let  $E = \{(t, t) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : t \in \mathbb{Q} \text{ and } 0 \leq t \leq 1\}$  be the set consisting rational points of the line segment from  $(0, 0)$  to  $(1, 1)$ . What is The upper volume  $\overline{V}(E)$  of  $E$ ? For each  $\epsilon > 0$ , describe a partition  $\mathcal{P}$  such that

$$U(\chi_E, \mathcal{P}) < \overline{V}(E) + \epsilon.$$

Is  $E$  a Jordan Region? Explain.

$\overline{V}(E) = 0$ . Consider the partition  $P_n$  of  $R = [0, 1] \times [0, 1]$  into  $n^2$  subsquare of sides  $\frac{1}{n}$ . If the partition coordinates are  $x_i = y_i = \frac{i}{n}$  for  $i = 0, \dots, n$  then denote the subsquare  $p_{ij} = [x_{i-1}, x_i] \times [y_{j-1}, y_j]$  for  $i, j = 1, \dots, n$ . Since the set  $E$  is located on the diagonal, only the subsquares that touch the diagonal contain points of  $E$ . These are the diagonal squares  $p_{ij}$  where  $i = j$  and the off-diagonal squares  $p_{ij}$  where  $|i - j| = 1$ . Note that the diagonal corners of the off-diagonal squares are rational points, so they are all members of  $E$ . The characteristic function takes values  $\chi_E \subset \{0, 1\}$ . Thus we find

$$m_{ij} = \inf_{p_{ij}} \chi_E = 0; \quad M_{ij} = \sup_{p_{ij}} \chi_E = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } |i - j| \leq 1; \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

because all subsquares contain points not in  $E$ , and only the diagonal and off diagonal squares contain points of  $E$ .

Thus the sums may be computed

$$\begin{aligned} L(\chi_E, P_n) &= \sum_{ij} m_{ij} dV(p_{ij}) = 0, \\ U(\chi_E, P_n) &= \sum_{ij} M_{ij} dV(p_{ij}) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j, |j-i| \leq 1} 1 \cdot \frac{1}{n^2} \\ &\leq \frac{3}{n^2} \sum_{i=1}^n 1 = \frac{3n}{n^2} = \frac{3}{n}. \end{aligned}$$

because there are at most three  $j$ 's that satisfy  $|j - i| \leq 1$  for every  $i$ . It follows that for every  $\epsilon > 0$ , for  $n > \frac{3}{\epsilon}$  we have a partition  $P_n$  such that

$$U(\chi_E, P_n) - L(\chi_E, P_n) \leq \frac{3}{n} < \epsilon.$$

By the principal integrability condition,  $\chi_E$  is integrable so  $E$  is a Jordan Region. We also have

$$0 \leq L(\chi_E, P_n) \leq V(E) \leq \overline{V}(E) = \overline{\int_R \chi_E(x) dV(x)} \leq U(\chi_E, P_n) \leq \frac{3}{n}$$

so that as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , we see that  $\overline{V}(E) = 0$ . Another reason  $E$  is integrable is that it's upper volume is zero. It is a set of volume zero, so a Jordan Region.

3. Determine whether the following statements are true or false. If true, give a proof. If false, give a counterexample.

- (a) STATEMENT. Let  $\mathcal{D} \subset \mathbf{R}^2$  be an open set and  $f(x, y) : \mathcal{D} \rightarrow \mathbf{R}^2$  be a map all of whose first partial derivatives exist and are continuous on  $\mathcal{D}$ . If  $df(x, y)$  is invertible for all  $(x, y) \in \mathcal{D}$  then there exists an  $\mathcal{C}^1$  inverse function  $f^{-1} : f(\mathcal{D}) \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$ .

FALSE. The condition only guarantees local invertibility by the Inverse Function Theorem. If we write the function

$$F \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x^2 - y^2 \\ 2xy \end{pmatrix},$$

which is  $f(z) = z^2$  where  $z = x + iy$ , we get a function whose Jacobian matrix is everywhere nonsingular on the punctured plane  $\mathcal{D} = \mathbf{R}^2 \setminus \{(0, 0)\}$  but is not one to one, so not globally invertible. Indeed, if  $(x, y) \neq (0, 0)$ ,

$$\det(dF(x, y)) = \begin{vmatrix} 2x & -2y \\ 2y & 2x \end{vmatrix} = 4(x^2 + y^2) > 0$$

and

$$F \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = F \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- (b) **STATEMENT.** Let  $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be given by  $f(x, y) = (e^x + y + y^3, e^x - y - y^3)$ . Then  $f(W)$  is open for every open  $W \subset \mathbb{R}^2$ .

**TRUE.** Computing the Jacobian determinant we find

$$\begin{vmatrix} e^x & 1 + 3y^2 \\ e^x & -1 - 3y^2 \end{vmatrix} = -2e^{2x}(1 + 3y^2) < 0$$

for all  $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ . The map  $f$  is smooth defined on the open set  $V = \mathbb{R}^2$ . Thus  $f$  is an open map follows from the Open Mapping Theorem.

**Open Mapping Theorem.** Let  $U \subset \mathbb{R}^p$  be an open set and  $f : U \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^p$  be a  $C^1$  map such that  $f$  is nonsingular at every point of an open subset  $V \subset U$ , then  $f : V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^p$  is an open map.

- (c) **STATEMENT.** Let  $f$  and  $g$  be bounded functions on the aligned rectangle  $R \subset \mathbb{R}^d$ . Then the upper integrals satisfy  $\overline{\int}_R (f + g) = \overline{\int}_R f + \overline{\int}_R g$ .

**FALSE.** Let  $R = [0, 1] \times [0, 1]$ ,

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } (x, y) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Q} \text{ are rational points;} \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

and  $g(x, y) = 1 - f(x, y)$ . Then  $f(x, y) + g(x, y) = 1$  for all  $(x, y)$ . This gives

$$1 = \overline{\int}_R (f + g) \neq \overline{\int}_R f + \overline{\int}_R g = 1 + 1$$

because  $M_{ij} = \sup_{p_{ij}} h = 1$  for every subrectangle with  $V(p_{ij}) > 0$  for every partition  $P$  and for  $h = f$ ,  $h = g$  or  $h = f + g$ .

4. (a) Complete the statement of the following theorem:

**Theorem.** Let  $R \subset \mathbb{R}^2$  be an aligned rectangle and  $f : R \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a bounded function. Then  $f$  is integrable on  $R$  if and only if .....

Using just your theorem, prove that  $f(x_1, x_2) = 1 + x_1 + 2x_2$  is integrable on  $R = [0, 1] \times [0, 1]$ .

**Theorem.** Let  $R \subset \mathbb{R}^2$  be an aligned rectangle and  $f : R \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a bounded function. Then  $f$  is integrable on  $R$  if and only if there exists a sequence of partitions  $\mathcal{P}_n$  such that

$$U(f, \mathcal{P}_n) - L(f, \mathcal{P}_n) \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

Consider the partition  $P_n$  of  $R$  into  $n^2$  subsquare of sides  $\frac{1}{n}$ . If the partition coordinates are  $x_{i,1} = x_{i,2} = \frac{i}{n}$  for  $i = 0, \dots, n$  then denote the subsquare  $p_{ij} = [x_{i-1,1}, x_{i,1}] \times [x_{j-1,2}, x_{j,2}]$  for  $i, j = 1, \dots, n$ . Since  $\nabla f(x_1, x_2) = (1, 2)$  for all  $(x_1, x_2) \in R$  the function is increasing in the northeast direction so the maximum of  $f$  occurs in the northeast corner of  $p_{ij}$  and the minimum in the southwest corner. Thus for any  $i, j = 1, \dots, n$  we have

$$m_{ij} = \inf_{p_{ij}} f = 1 + x_{i-1,1} + 2x_{j-1,2}; \quad M_{ij} = \sup_{p_{ij}} f = 1 + x_{i,1} + 2x_{j,2}$$

It follows that

$$\begin{aligned} M_{ij} - m_{ij} &= (1 + x_{i,1} + 2x_{j,2}) - (1 + x_{i-1,1} + 2x_{j-1,2}) \\ &= (x_{i,1} - x_{i-1,1}) + 2(x_{j,2} - x_{j-1,2}) \end{aligned}$$

Computing the sum,

$$\begin{aligned}
U(f, P_n) - L(f, P_n) &= \sum_{ij} [M_{ij} - m_{ij}] dV(p_{ij}) \\
&= \sum_{ij} \left[ (x_{i,1} - x_{i-1,1}) + 2(x_{j,2} - x_{j-1,2}) \right] \frac{1}{n^2} \\
&= \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{j=1}^n \sum_{i=1}^n (x_{i,1} - x_{i-1,1}) + \frac{2}{n^2} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n (x_{j,2} - x_{j-1,2}) \\
&= \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{j=1}^n (x_{n,1} - x_{0,1}) + \frac{2}{n^2} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_{n,2} - x_{0,2}) \\
&= \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{j=1}^n (1 - 0) + \frac{2}{n^2} \sum_{i=1}^n (1 - 0) \\
&= \frac{n}{n^2} + \frac{2n}{n^2} = \frac{3}{n},
\end{aligned}$$

since the inside sums telescoped. It follows that

$$U(f, P_n) - L(f, P_n) \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

Hence, by the boxed theorem,  $f$  is integrable.

5. Let  $F(x, y, z, u, v) = (x - 2z + 3u - 4v, x + yz + uv)$ .

Prove that the level set  $\mathcal{S} = \{(x, y, z, u, v) : F(x, y, z, u, v) = (-3, 9)\}$  is a locally parameterized surface near the point  $P = (1, 2, 3, 2, 1) \in \mathcal{S}$ . [Hint: show that near the point  $\mathcal{S}$  is the graph of some functions and nothing more.] What is the tangent space to  $\mathcal{S}$  at  $(1, 2, 3, 2, 1)$ ?

The map  $f : \mathcal{D} = \mathbb{R}^5 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  is  $\mathcal{C}^1$  since it is polynomial. Its Jacobian is

$$df(x, y, z, u, v) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & 3 & -4 \\ 1 & z & y & v & u \end{pmatrix}, \quad df(1, 2, 3, 2, 1) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & 3 & -4 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

The determinant of the last two columns

$$\det \left( \frac{\partial(f_1, f_2)}{\partial(u, v)} \right) = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -4 \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 10$$

is nonzero. Thus we may apply the Implicit Function Theorem which says that if for open  $\mathcal{D} \subset \mathbb{R}^5$  there is a  $\mathcal{C}^1$  map  $f(x, y, z, u, v) : \mathcal{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  such that at the point  $P = (x_0, y_0, z_0, u_0, v_0) \in \mathcal{D}$  the Jacobian  $\frac{\partial(f_1, f_2)}{\partial(u, v)}(P)$  is nonsingular, then there is an open set  $W \subset \mathcal{D}$  such that  $P \in W$  and an open set  $V \subset \mathbb{R}^3$  such that  $(x_0, y_0, z_0) \in V$  and a  $\mathcal{C}^1$  function  $g = (g_1, g_2) : V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  such that  $G(x, y, z) = (x, y, z, g_1(x, y, z), g_2(x, y, z)) \in W$  for all  $(x, y, z) \in V$ ,  $g(x_0, y_0, z_0) = (u_0, v_0)$  and

$$(x, y, z, u, v) \in \mathcal{S} \cap W \iff (u, v) = g(x, y, z) \text{ for some } (x, y, z) \in V.$$

Hence,  $\mathcal{S}$  is locally (in  $W$ ) a  $\mathcal{C}^1$  parameterized three dimensional surface. In fact,  $G : V \rightarrow W$  is the parameterization.

We know that the tangent space at  $P$  is  $dG(x_0, y_0, z_0)(\mathbb{R}^3) = \ker df(x_0, y_0, z_0, u_0, v_0)$  translated to  $P$ . Computing the null space, we find by subtracting the first row from the second that

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & 3 & -4 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & 3 & -4 \\ 0 & 3 & 4 & -2 & 6 \end{pmatrix}.$$

The last three columns are free. Setting  $z = r$ ,  $u = s$  and  $v = t$  where  $r$ ,  $s$  and  $t$  are arbitrary, we solve for  $x$  and  $y$  in terms of  $r$ ,  $s$  and  $t$  in the homogeneous equation. Translating to  $P$  we get that the tangent space is

$$T_P(\mathcal{S}) = P + \ker df(P) = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 + 2r - 3s + 4t \\ 2 + \frac{1}{3}(-4r + 2s - 6t) \\ 3 + r \\ 2 + s \\ 1 + t \end{pmatrix} : r, s, t \in \mathbb{R} \right\}.$$