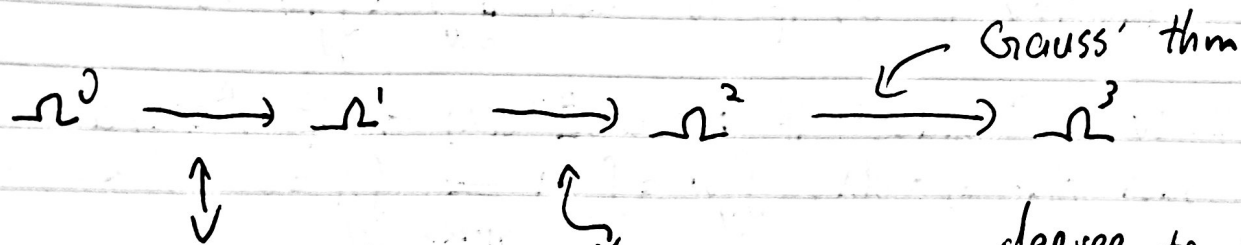


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Read along:  $\phi$  Final material end at cpt 38.



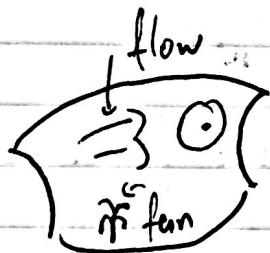
Fundamental theorem  
of the calculus, total  
elevation gain =  
=  $\int_{\text{hike}} \text{climb rate}$

original Stokes'  
Surface:  $S$   
vector field:  $a$

degree to which vector  
circulation around  $\partial S$   
of  $a$ .

$\int_S$  normal component of curl  $a$

Pic:



Gauss: ~~Input~~ Input  $\phi$ ,  $b$ : v.f.  $D$ : a domain or solid in  $\mathbb{R}^3$   
 $c$ : function  $S$ : surface

$$W_2(b) = b_1 dx_2 \wedge dx_3 + \text{c.p.}$$

$$W_3(c) = c \cdot dx_1 \wedge dx_2 \wedge dx_3$$

$$dW_2(b) = W_3(\text{div} \cdot b)$$

$$\int_S W_2(b) = \int_S b \cdot \vec{n} dV \quad , \quad \int_D W_3(c) = \int_D c$$

$$W = W_2(b)$$

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$$\int_D W_3(\text{div} \cdot b) = \int_D \text{div}(b)$$

← Gauss' thm / divergence thm ↑

Let  $W \in \Omega^k(M)$

1.  $W$  is "closed" if  $dW = 0$  ∴ the integral of  $W$  on a boundary is 0. if  $N^{k+1} \subset M$ ,  $\int_N W = \int_N dW = 0$

2.  $W$  is "exact" if  $\exists \lambda \in \Omega^{k-1}(M) \rightarrow$  if  $N^k \subset M$ , and  $\partial N = \emptyset$ , such that  $W = d\lambda$ .  $\int_N W = \int_N d\lambda \stackrel{\text{Stokes}}{=} \int_{\partial N} \lambda = 0$

$$\Omega^{k-1} \xrightarrow{d} \Omega^k \xrightarrow{d} \Omega^{k+1}$$

$W$  is closed  $\Leftrightarrow W \in \ker d|_{\Omega^k}$

$W$  is exact  $\Leftrightarrow W \in \text{im } d|_{\Omega^{k-1}}$

Comment (Claim): Every exact form is closed

Pf:  $W$  exact  $\Rightarrow W = d\lambda$  for some  $\lambda \Rightarrow dW = d(d\lambda) = 0$   $\square$

Ex:  $W = \frac{xdy - ydx}{x^2 + y^2} \in \Omega^1(\mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{0\})$ .  $W$  is closed

1.  $dW = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{-y}{x^2+y^2}\right) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\frac{x}{x^2+y^2}\right)\right) dx \wedge dy = 0$

$p(r, \theta) = (r \cos \theta, r \sin \theta)$

2.  $p^*(dW) = d(p^*W) = d\left(\frac{r^2 \cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta}{r^2} d\theta\right) = d(d\theta) = 0$

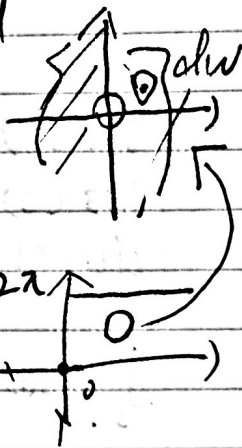
so  $dW$  is 0, because near every point  $\in \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{0\}$ ,  $p$ 's invertible

3.  $W = d(\arctan \frac{y}{x}) = \arctan \left(\frac{-y}{x}\right) = \pm \frac{\pi}{2}$   
 $\Rightarrow dW = d(d\text{---}) = 0$ , except if  $x=0$

$W$  is not exact ~ but nearly so,  $W = d(\arctan \frac{y}{x}) \lambda$ .

'nearly' but  $\lambda$  is not fully well-defined

indeed,  $\int_{S^1} W = \int_{S^1} xdy - ydx = 2\pi \neq 0$ , not exact.



Poincaré's Lemma: On  $\mathbb{R}^n$ , every closed form is exact.

De-Rham: If  $M$  is compact, and closed  
 $\Rightarrow$  nearly exact.

$H^k_{dR}(M) = \left\{ \left\{ \text{closed } k\text{-forms} \right\} / \left\{ \text{exact } k\text{-forms} \right\} \right\}$  always  
finite dim.