


Fri. 3<sup>rd</sup> Mar. Hour 058 (Read along: 29-31)

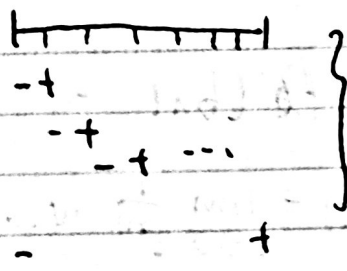
Today:  $\int_M dw = \int_{\partial M} w$   $d: \Omega^k(\mathbb{R}^n) \rightarrow \Omega^{k+1}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  by

$$dw(\xi_1, \dots, \xi_{k+1}) = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\epsilon^{k+1}} w(\partial P(\epsilon \xi_1, \dots, \epsilon \xi_{k+1}))$$

where  $P(\xi_1, \dots, \xi_{k+1})$    $e_i = (x, v^i)$

$$\Omega^0(\mathbb{R}^3) \xrightarrow{d} \Omega^1(\mathbb{R}^3) \xrightarrow{d} \Omega^2(\mathbb{R}^3) \xrightarrow{d} \Omega^3(\mathbb{R}^3)$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} a_1(x) dx_1 \\ a_2(x) dx_2 \\ a_3(x) dx_3 \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} b_1(x) dx_2 \wedge dx_3 \\ b_2(x) dx_3 \wedge dx_1 \\ b_3(x) dx_1 \wedge dx_2 \end{array} \right\} \quad (c(x) dx_1 \wedge dx_2 \wedge dx_3)$$

 } on functions.

$$(dF)(\xi) = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\epsilon} (F(x + \epsilon v) - F(x))$$

$$= D_{\xi} F = D F_x \cdot v$$

Aside:  $X_j: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , "the coordinate functions on  $\mathbb{R}^n$ "

$$(dX_j)(x, e_i) = \frac{\partial X_j}{\partial x_i} = \delta_{ij} = \phi_j(x, e_i) \Rightarrow dX_j = \phi_j$$

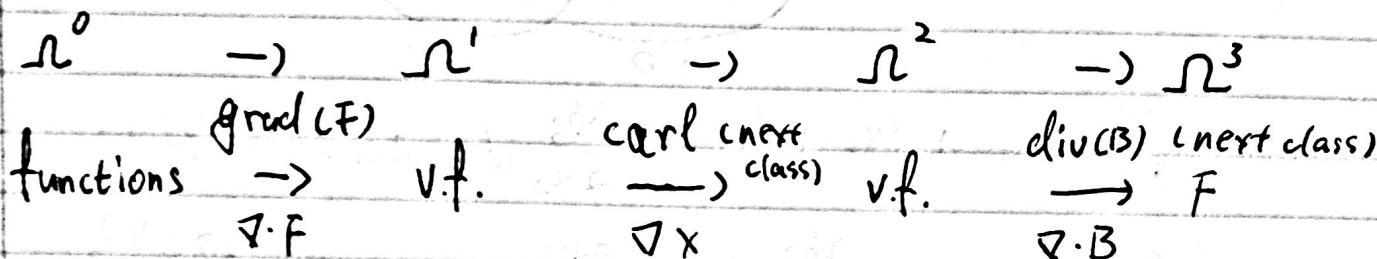
Claim: If  $F \in C^1(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

$$dF = \sum_i \frac{\partial F}{\partial x_i} dx_i = \sum_i \frac{\partial F}{\partial x_i} dx_i \quad \text{on } \mathbb{R}^n. \quad dF = \frac{dF}{dx} \cdot dx$$

pf: evaluate both sides on  $(x, e_j)$ .

$$\text{LHS} = dF(x, e_j) = D_{e_j} F(x) = \frac{\partial F}{\partial x_j}$$

$$\text{RHS} = \sum_i \frac{\partial F}{\partial x_i}(x) (dx_i)(e_j) = \sum_i \frac{\partial F}{\partial x_i} \delta_{ij}$$



$$F \rightarrow \frac{\partial F}{\partial x_1} dx_1 + \frac{\partial F}{\partial x_2} dx_2 + \frac{\partial F}{\partial x_3} dx_3$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{\partial F}{\partial x_1} \\ \frac{\partial F}{\partial x_2} \\ \frac{\partial F}{\partial x_3} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\text{Tr}: \begin{pmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 \end{pmatrix} = B, \quad \sum \frac{\partial b_i}{\partial x_i}$$

Thm:  $\exists \square$  linear operator  $d: \Omega^k(\mathbb{R}^n) \rightarrow \Omega^{k+1}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  such that

1. if  $F \in \Omega^0(\mathbb{R}^n)$ , then  $dF = \sum_i \frac{\partial F}{\partial x_i} dx_i$

$$2. (w \in \Omega^k, \eta \in \Omega^l) \quad d(w \wedge \eta) = (dw) \wedge \eta + (-1)^k w \wedge (d\eta)$$

$$3. d^2 = 0. \quad d \cdot d = 0 \quad \text{If } w \in \Omega^k(\mathbb{R}^n), \text{ then } d(dw) = 0 \text{ in } \Omega^{k+2}(\mathbb{R}^n)$$

$$dw = d\left(\sum_{I \in \binom{[n]}{k}} a_I(x) dx_I\right) \quad (dx_I = dx_{i_1} \wedge \dots \wedge dx_{i_k})$$

$$= \sum_I d(a_I(x) dx_I) = \sum_I (da_I) \wedge (dx_I) + \sum_I a_I \wedge d(dx_I)$$

$\hookrightarrow$  plus, since  $a$  is a function

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \sum_I \left( \sum_i \frac{\partial a_I}{\partial x_i} \cdot dx_i \right) \wedge dx_I + 0 \quad (d(dx_I) = d(\underbrace{dx_1 \wedge \dots \wedge dx_{i_k}}_{dx_i}) = 0) \\
&= \sum_I \frac{\partial a_I}{\partial x_i} (dx_i \wedge dx_I)
\end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow$  We have proven uniqueness in thm!

Ex:

$$\begin{aligned}
&d(b_1 dx_2 \wedge dx_3 + b_2 \dots) \\
&= (db_1) \wedge dx_2 \wedge dx_3 + \dots \\
&= \left( \frac{\partial b_1}{\partial x_1} dx_1 + \frac{\partial b_2}{\partial x_2} dx_2 + \frac{\partial b_3}{\partial x_3} dx_3 \right) dx_2 \wedge dx_3 + \dots \\
&\quad \underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{=0} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{=0} \\
&= \frac{\partial b_1}{\partial x_1} dx_1 \wedge dx_2 \wedge dx_3 + \frac{\partial b_2}{\partial x_2} dx_2 \wedge dx_3 \wedge dx_1 + \dots \\
&= \left( \frac{\partial b_1}{\partial x_1} dx_1 + \frac{\partial b_2}{\partial x_2} dx_2 + \frac{\partial b_3}{\partial x_3} dx_3 \right) dx_{123} \quad \rightarrow dx_I
\end{aligned}$$