

Integration of differential forms

10.1

X R.S., $\omega \in E^{(1)}(X)$, $c: [0,1] \rightarrow X$ (piecewise continuously differentiable curve), $\exists 0 = t_0 < t_1 < \dots < t_n = 1$

(U_k, z_k) , $z_k = x_k + i y_k$ charts v.t.

$c([t_{k-1}, t_k]) \subset U_k$ and

$x_k \circ c: [t_{k-1}, t_k] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, $y_k \circ c: [t_{k-1}, t_k] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

have continuous first order derivatives

On U_k : $\omega = f_k dx_k + g_k dy_k$

f_k, g_k differentiable the integral of ω along the curve c is defined as

$$\int_c \omega := \sum_{k=1}^n \int_{t_{k-1}}^{t_k} \left(f_k(c(t)) \frac{dx_k(c(t))}{dt} + g_k(c(t)) \frac{dy_k(c(t))}{dt} \right) dt$$

independent of choice of charts

Thm 10.2

X R.S. $c: [0,1] \rightarrow X$ piece-wise continuously differentiable curve and $F \in E^0(X)$ then

$$\int_c dF = F(c(1)) - F(c(0))$$

proof: $0 = t_0 < t_1 < \dots < t_n = 1$ charts (U_k, z_k) as above.

On U_k one has (Thm 9.4)

$$dF = \frac{\partial F}{\partial x_k} dx_k + \frac{\partial F}{\partial y_k} dy_k$$

$$\text{Thus, } \int_c dF = \sum_{k=1}^n \int_{t_{k-1}}^{t_k} \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial x_k}(c(t)) \frac{dx_k(c(t))}{dt} + \frac{\partial F}{\partial y_k}(c(t)) \frac{dy_k(c(t))}{dt} \right) dt$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^n \int_{t_{k-1}}^{t_k} \left(\frac{d}{dt} F(c(t)) \right) dt$$

$$= \sum (F(c(t_k)) - F(c(t_{k-1}))) = F(c(1)) - F(c(0)) \quad \square$$

Def 10.3

X R.S., $\omega \in E^{(n)}(X)$

$F \in E(X)$ is called primitive of ω if $dF = \omega$

Remark: (9.15) Any primitive form with primitive is closed (primitive is not unique)

10.4 local existence of primitives

Let $U := \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < r\}$, $\omega \in E^{(1)}(U)$ --

$$\omega = f dx + g dy \quad f, g \in E(U)$$

Assume ω is closed ($d\omega = 0$) --

$$0 = d\omega = df \wedge dx + dg \wedge dy = \left(\frac{\partial g}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right) dx \wedge dy$$

(By Thm 9.4)

$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{\partial g}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$$

Claim: ω has primitive F which is given by

$$F(x, y) := \int_0^1 (f(tx, ty)x + g(tx, ty)y) dt \quad \text{for } (x, y) \in U$$

$F \in E(U)$ clear, only need to check $dF = \omega$

i.e. $(\partial F / \partial x) = f$, $(\partial F / \partial y) = g$:

$$\frac{\partial F(x, y)}{\partial x} = \int_0^1 \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(tx, ty)tx + \frac{\partial g}{\partial x}(tx, ty)ty + f(tx, ty) \right) dt$$

Since $\frac{\partial g}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$ and $\frac{d}{dt} f(tx, ty) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(tx, ty)x + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(tx, ty)y$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial F(x, y)}{\partial x} = \int_0^1 \left(t \frac{d}{dt} f(tx, ty) + f(tx, ty) \right) dt = f(x, y)$$

Similarly $(\partial F / \partial y) = g \Rightarrow dF = \omega$

If ω is holomorphic i.e. $\omega = f dz$ with $f \in \mathcal{O}(U)$

Let $f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n z^n$ be the Taylor series expansion of f

$$\rightarrow F(z) := \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{c_n}{n+1} z^{n+1} \in \mathcal{O}(U) \text{ s.t. } dF = \omega$$

Thm 10.5

X R.S., $\omega \in E^{(1)}(X)$ closed. Then \exists covering map
 $p: \hat{X} \rightarrow X$ with \hat{X} connected, and a primitive
 $F \in E(\hat{X})$ of the differential $p^*\omega$

proof:

Let \mathcal{F} be the sheaf of primitives of ω :

$U \subset X$ open let $\mathcal{F}(U)$ consist of all fct's $f \in E(U)$
i.t. $df = \omega$

Consider associated space $|\mathcal{F}| := \bigcup_{x \in X} \mathcal{F}_x$:

$p: |\mathcal{F}| \rightarrow X$, $\mathcal{F}_x \ni \varphi \mapsto x$

(G.no follows $|\mathcal{F}|$ is Hausdorff)

$p: |\mathcal{F}| \rightarrow X$ is a covering: For every pt $a \in X$ by 10.4
 \exists connected open nbhd U and a primitive $f \in \mathcal{F}(U)$
of ω . Then $f+c$, for $c \in \mathbb{C}$ are all primitives of
 ω on U . Hence

$$p^{-1}(U) = \bigcup_{c \in \mathbb{C}} [U, f+c]$$

The sets $[U, f+c]$ are pairwise disjoint and all the
mappings $p|_{[U, f+c]} \rightarrow U$ are homeos thus

$p: |\mathcal{F}| \rightarrow X$ is a covering map.

Let $\hat{X} \subset |\mathcal{F}|$ be a connected component \rightarrow
 $p|_{\hat{X}} \rightarrow X$ also a covering map

Let $F: \hat{X} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ be defined by $F(\varphi) := \varphi(p(\varphi))$

It then follows that F is a primitive of $p^*\omega$ \square

10.6. Corollary

X R.S. $\pi: \tilde{X} \rightarrow X$ universal covering, $\omega \in E^{(1)}(X)$ closed
then \exists primitive $f \in E(\tilde{X})$ of $\pi^*\omega$

proof: Let $p: \hat{X} \rightarrow X$ be the covering as in 10.5 and

Let $F \in E(\hat{X})$ be a primitive of $p^*\omega$

Universal property $\Rightarrow \exists$ holomorphic fiber preserving mapping

$\tau: \tilde{X} \rightarrow \hat{X}$. Let $f := \tau^*F \in E(\tilde{X})$ is a primitive
of $\tau^*(p^*\omega) = \pi^*\omega$ \square

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10.7 Corollary

Let X be a simply connected R. s. then every closed differential form $\omega \in E^{(n)}(X)$ has a primitive $F \in E(X)$

proof: Follows from 10.6. since $\text{Id}: X \rightarrow X$ is the universal covering

10.8 Thm

X R. s. $p: \tilde{X} \rightarrow X$ universal covering. $\omega \in E^{(n)}(X)$ closed, $F \in E(\tilde{X})$ primitive of $p^*\omega$. If $c: [0,1] \rightarrow X$ is piece-wise continuously differentiable and $\hat{c}: [0,1] \rightarrow \tilde{X}$ lifting of c then

$$\int_c \omega = F(\hat{c}(1)) - F(\hat{c}(0))$$

proof:

$\forall v: [0,1] \rightarrow \tilde{X}$ piece-wise continuously diff. $\forall \omega \in E^{(n)}(X)$:

$$\int_v p^*\omega = \int_{p \circ v} \omega$$

~~This follows from def~~ By definition. Theorem follows from 10.2 \square

Remark 10.9

10.8 gives way to define integral along arbitrary (continuous) curves $c: [0,1] \rightarrow X$.

This definition is independent of the choice of F of $p^*\omega$ as any two primitives only differ by constant.

Also independent of the lifting of curve

Thm 10.10

X R.S., $\omega \in E^{(n)}(X)$ closed

a) If $a, b \in X$, $u, v: [0, 1] \rightarrow X$ two homotopic curves from a to b then

$$\int_u \omega = \int_v \omega$$

b) If $u, v: [0, 1] \rightarrow X$ are two closed curves which are free homotopic, then

$$\int_u \omega = \int_v \omega$$

(free homotopic as closed curves: start and endpoint are never separated during homotopy)

proof:

a) Let $\tilde{p}: \tilde{X} \rightarrow X$ be the universal covering and suff.

$\tilde{u}, \tilde{v}: [0, 1] \rightarrow \tilde{X}$ are liftings of u and v resp. with same initial point.

Thm 4.10 implies that \tilde{u}, \tilde{v} have same endpoint

Result follows from Thm 10.8

b) Supp: u has initial- and endpoint x_0 and v has initial- and endpoint x_1 . Then \exists curve w from x_0 to x_1 s.t. u is homotopic to $w \cdot v \cdot w^{-1}$ hence by a):

$$\int_u \omega = \int_{w \cdot v \cdot w^{-1}} \omega = \int_w \omega + \int_v \omega - \int_w \omega = \int_v \omega \quad \square$$

10.11 Periods

X R.S. $\omega \in E^{(n)}(X)$ closed. By 10.10 one can define

$$a_\sigma := \int_\sigma \omega, \quad \sigma \in \pi_n(X)$$

by choosing representative curve of hom. class σ and integrating.

These integrals are called primitive periods of ω

One has

$$\int_{\sigma \cdot \tau} \omega = \int_\sigma \omega + \int_\tau \omega \quad \text{for } \sigma, \tau \in \pi_n(X) \quad \rightarrow$$

Induces homom. $\pi_n(X) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ which is called period homom.

Associated to the closed differential form ω

Ex.:

Supp. $X = \mathbb{C}^*$ then $\pi_1(\mathbb{C}^*) \cong \mathbb{Z}$.

generator of $\pi_1(\mathbb{C}^*)$: $\gamma: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^*$, $t \mapsto e^{2\pi i t}$

Let $\omega := (dz/z)$ where z is canonical coordinate then

$$\int_{\gamma} \omega = \int_{\gamma} \frac{dz}{z} = 2\pi i$$

Hence period homs of ω is

$$\mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, \quad n \mapsto 2\pi i n$$

10.12 Summands of Automorphy

X R.S., $p: \tilde{X} \rightarrow X$ universal covering

The group $G := \text{Deck}(\tilde{X}/X)$ of covering transformations is isomorphic to $\pi_1(X)$

If $\sigma \in G$, $f: \tilde{X} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ we can define

$\sigma f: \tilde{X} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ by $\sigma f := f \circ \sigma^{-1}$.

If $g: \tilde{X} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ is other function:

$$\sigma(f+g) = \sigma f + \sigma g, \quad \sigma(fg) = (\sigma f)(\sigma g)$$

Also for $\sigma, \tau \in G$: $(\sigma\tau)f = \sigma(\tau f)$

$f: \tilde{X} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ is called

additively automorphic with const. summands of automorphy & if

$\exists a_\sigma \in \mathbb{C}$, $\sigma \in G$ s.t.

$$f - \sigma f = a_\sigma \quad \forall \sigma \in G$$

a_σ are called summands of automorphy of f

10.13

X Riemann surface $p: \tilde{X} \rightarrow X$ universal covering

a) $\omega \in E^{(n)}(X)$ closed differential form, $F \in E(\tilde{X})$ primitive of $p^*\omega$ then

F is additively automorphic with const. summands of automorphy

b) supp. $F \in E(\tilde{X})$ additive automorphic with const. summands of automorphy then

$$\exists! \omega \in E^{(n)}(X) : dF = p^*\omega$$

proof:

a) For $\sigma \in G: p \circ \sigma^{-1} = p$ thus σF is also primitive of $p^*\omega =$

$$-a_\sigma := \sigma F - F \text{ is constant}$$

Supp. $x_0 \in X$ and $z_0 \in \tilde{X}$ with $p(z_0) = x_0$. Supp. $\sigma \in \text{Deck}(\tilde{X}/X)$

By 5.6. $\bar{\sigma} \in \pi_1(X, x_0)$ can be represented as follows:

Choose curve $v: [0,1] \rightarrow \tilde{X}$ with $v(0) := y_0 := \sigma^{-1}(z_0)$ and $v(1) := z_0 = \sigma(y_0) \rightarrow$

$$u := p \circ v \text{ is closed curve in } X, \bar{\sigma} = cl(u)$$

10.8 \rightarrow periods of ω wrt $\bar{\sigma}$ are given by

$$\int_u \omega = F(v(1)) - F(v(0)) = F(z_0) - F(\sigma^{-1}(z_0)) = -a_\sigma$$

b) Let $a_\sigma \in \mathbb{C}$ be the summands of automorphy, then $\forall \sigma \in \text{Deck}(\tilde{X}/X):$

$$\sigma^*(dF) = d\sigma^*F = d(F + a_\sigma) = dF$$

$\Rightarrow dF$ is inv. under covering transformations

Since $p: \tilde{X} \rightarrow X$ is locally bihol. $\exists \omega \in E^{(n)}(X):$

$dF = p^*\omega$. ω is uniquely determined, and closed.

10.15

X Riemann surface, $\omega \in E^{(1)}(X)$ closed then
 ω has primitive $f \in E(X)$ iff all periods of ω are zero.

proof:

" \Rightarrow " 10.2

\Leftarrow By 10.6 \exists primitive $F \in E(\tilde{X})$ of $p^*\omega$ for the universal covering $p: \tilde{X} \rightarrow X$

By 10.3 F has sum. of autom. 0. Thus, $\exists f \in E(X)$

s.t. $F = p^*f$. f is primitive of ω since

$$p^*\omega = dF = d(p^*f) = p^*(df) \Rightarrow \omega = df \quad \square$$

Remark: All periods of $\omega = 0$ one gets a primitive of ω from the integral

$$f(x) := \int_{x_0}^x \omega$$

where $x_0 \in X$ is arbitrary and integral is along any curve from x_0 to x

Differential 2-Forms

10.12. suppose $U \subset \mathbb{C}$ open, $\omega \in E^{(2)}(U) \rightarrow$

$$\omega = f dx \wedge dy = \frac{i}{2} f dz \wedge d\bar{z}, \quad f \in E(U)$$

Assume $\text{supp}(f) \subset U \rightarrow$ define

$$\iint_U \omega := \iint_U f(x,y) dx dy$$

For $\varphi: V \rightarrow U$ biholomorphic mapping

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$$\varphi = u + iv$$

Jacobian determinant is given by

$$\iint_U \frac{\partial(u,v)}{\partial(x,y)} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = |\varphi'|^2 \rightarrow$$

$$\iint_U f dx dy = \iint_V (f \circ \varphi) |\varphi'|^2 dx dy$$

Furthermore

$$\begin{aligned}\varphi^*(dz \wedge d\bar{z}) &= d\varphi \wedge d\bar{\varphi} = (\varphi' dz \wedge \bar{\varphi}' d\bar{z}) = |\varphi'|^2 dz \wedge d\bar{z} \\ \Rightarrow \varphi^* \omega &= (f \circ \varphi) |\varphi'|^2 dx \wedge dy \quad \text{Hence} \\ \iint_U \omega &= \iint_V \varphi^* \omega\end{aligned}$$

10.18

X Riemann surface

a) $\varphi: U \subset X \rightarrow V \subset \mathbb{C}$ chart, $\omega \in \mathcal{E}^{(2)}(X)$ s.t.
 $\text{supp}(\omega) \subset U \rightarrow$

$$\iint_X \omega := \iint_U \omega := \iint_V (\varphi^{-1})^* \omega$$

\rightarrow independent of choice of chart

b) $\omega \in \mathcal{E}^{(2)}(X)$ with compact support:

$$\text{supp}(\omega) \subset \bigcup_{k=1}^n U_k$$

$\varphi_k: U_k \rightarrow V_k$ charts

$f_k \in \mathcal{E}(X)$ partition of unity s.t.

$$\text{supp}(f_k) \subset U_k \rightarrow$$

$$\omega = \sum f_k \omega \quad \text{define}$$

$$\iint_X \omega := \sum_{k=1}^n \iint_X f_k \omega$$

where r.h.s is defined as in a)

10.19 Stokes theorem in the plane

$U \subset \mathbb{C}$ open, $A \subset U$ compact with smooth ∂A :

$$\iint_A d\omega = \int_{\partial A} \omega \quad \forall \omega \in \mathcal{E}^{(1)}(U)$$

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X Riemann surface, $w \in E^{(n)}(X)$ with compact support
then

$$\iint_X dw = 0$$

proof

By multiplying with partition of unity \rightarrow

$w = w_1 + \dots + w_n$ s.t. w_k has compact support in a chart

W.L.o.g. $X = \mathbb{C}$

Let $R > 0$: $\text{supp}(w) \subseteq \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < R\}$ then

By Stokes

$$\iint_{\mathbb{C}} dw = \iint_{|z| \leq R} dw = \int_{|z|=R} w = 0$$

no. 2A Residue theorem

X compact Riemann surface $a_1, \dots, a_n \in X$

$X' := X \setminus \{a_1, \dots, a_n\}$. Then for all $w \in \Omega(X')$:

$$\sum_{k=1}^n \text{Res}_{a_k}(w) = 0$$

proof:

Choose coordinate nbhd's (U_k, z_k) of the a_k

s.t. $U_j \cap U_k = \emptyset$ if $j \neq k$. We can assume

$z_k(a_k) = 0$, $z_k(U_k) \subset \mathbb{C}$ is a disk

~~Let f_k~~ Choose $f_k: X \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ s.t. $\text{supp}(f_k) \subset U_k$ and

$f_k|_{U'_k} = 1$ for an open nbhd $U'_k \subset U_k$ of a_k

Let $g := 1 - (f_1 + \dots + f_n)$. Then $g|_{U'_k} = 0$ thus

$g w$ can be continued to a_k by $g w(a_k) := 0$

$\rightarrow g w \in E^{(n)}(X)$

~~By no. 20, $\iint_X d(gw) = 0$~~

By 10.20

$$\iint_X d(g\omega) = 0$$

Since ω is holomorphic $d\omega = 0$ on X'

$$f\omega = \omega \quad \leftarrow \text{on } U_\alpha' \cap X' \Rightarrow$$

$d(f\omega) = 0 \Rightarrow d(f\omega) \in E^{(2)}(X)$ compactly supported in $U_\alpha \setminus \{a_\alpha\}$.

We have

$$d(g\omega) = -\sum d(f_\alpha\omega) \quad \text{therefore}$$

$$0 = \iint_X d(g\omega) = -\sum \iint d(f_\alpha\omega)$$

$$\text{Claim: } \iint_X d(f_\alpha\omega) = -2\pi i \operatorname{Res}_{a_\alpha}(\omega) :$$

Since $\operatorname{supp}(d(f_\alpha\omega)) \subset U_\alpha$ we ~~to~~ ^{only need} integrate over U_α

$\exists 0 < \varepsilon < R < 1$ s.t.

$$\operatorname{supp}(f_\alpha) \subset \{|z_\alpha| < R\} \quad \text{and} \quad f_\alpha|_{\{|z_\alpha| \leq \varepsilon\}} = 1 \Rightarrow$$

$$\iint_X d(f_\alpha\omega) = \iint_{\varepsilon \leq |z_\alpha| \leq R} d(f_\alpha\omega) = \int_{|z_\alpha|=R} f_\alpha\omega - \int_{|z_\alpha|=\varepsilon} f_\alpha\omega$$

$$= - \int_{|z_\alpha|=\varepsilon} \omega = -2\pi i \operatorname{Res}_{a_\alpha}(\omega)$$

By Residue theorem in \mathbb{C}

10.22 Corollary

Any nonconstant meromorphic fct. f on a comp. Riemann surface X has as many zeros as poles (counting multiplicities)