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# MATH4030 Tutorial

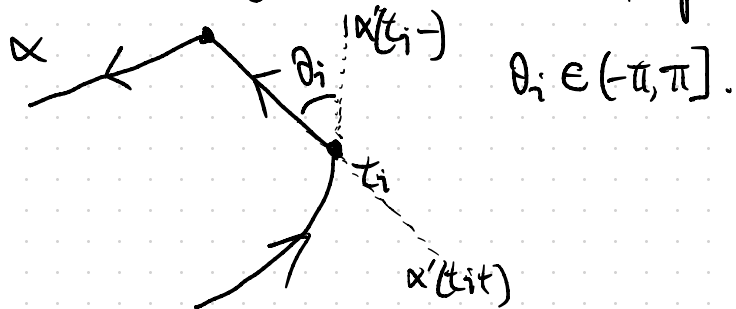
## Reminders:

- Assignment 6 due tonight 11:59pm.
- Final: 9 Dec 1530 - 1730 @ University Gymnasium.

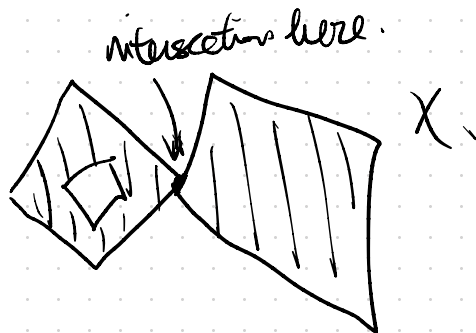
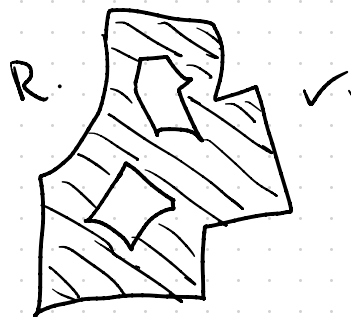
## Recall Def:

- $\alpha: [a,b] \rightarrow M$  is a piecewise regular, simple, closed curve if:
  - simple:  $\forall t_1, t_2 \in (a,b), t_1 \neq t_2, \alpha(t_1) \neq \alpha(t_2)$ .
  - closed:  $\alpha(a) = \alpha(b)$ .
  - piecewise regular:  $\exists a = t_0 < t_1 < \dots < t_k < t_{k+1} = b$  s.t.  $\alpha$  is differentiable and regular on each  $(t_i, t_{i+1})$   $i=0, \dots, k$ .

Each  $\alpha(t_i)$  is called a vertex of  $\alpha$ . At each vertex, we have an exterior angle  $\theta_i$ .



-  $M$  is a regular surface. A connected region  $R \subset M$  is regular, if  $R$  is compact and has as boundary  $\partial R$  the finite union of simple, closed, piecewise regular curves which do not intersect each other.



- A triangulation  $\mathcal{T}$  of  $R$  is a finite family of triangles  $T_i$  s.t.

$$1) R = \bigcup_{i=1}^n T_i$$

2) if  $T_i \cap T_j \neq \emptyset$ , then they either have a common edge or a common vertex only.



$$\chi(\mathcal{T}) = \underbrace{F}_{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{\# of triangles}}} - \underbrace{E}_{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{\# edges}}} + \underbrace{V}_{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{\# vertices}}}$$

- Euler-Poincaré Characteristic of  $\mathcal{T}$ .

## Facts:

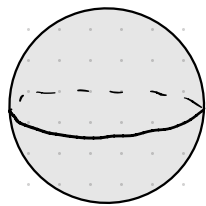
- 1) Every regular region  $R$  admits a triangulation
- 2)  $\chi$  for  $R$  doesn't depend on choice of triangulation, so  $\chi(R)$  is well-defined.
- 3) Classification of compact surfaces.  $M \subset \mathbb{R}^3$  compact connected surface, then  $M$  is homeomorphic to a sphere w/ a number of handles  $g$  (genus) attached. and.

$$\chi(M) = 2 - 2g.$$

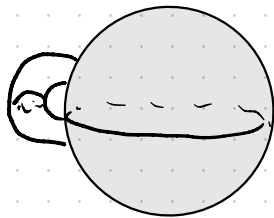
$$g = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

Topology!

- 4) If  $\chi(M_1) = \chi(M_2)$ ,  
then  $M_1 \cong M_2$ .



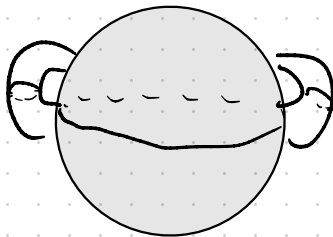
$$\chi(S^2) = 2$$



$$\cong$$



$$\chi(T^2) = 0$$



$$\cong$$



$$\chi = -2$$

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Gibbs Gauss-Bonnet Thm: Let  $R \subset M$  be a regular region of an oriented surface, and let  $C_1, C_2, \dots, C_n$  be the single, closed, piecewise regular curves forming the boundary  $\partial R$ , with each positively oriented, and let  $\theta_1, \dots, \theta_p$  be the exterior angles, then

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \int_{C_i} k_g(s) ds + \iint_R \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \sqrt{EG-F^2} du dv}}{K} d\sigma + \sum_{i=1}^p \theta_i = 2\pi \chi(R).$$

(when  $M$  is compact, oriented, no boundary).


Cor: We can view  $M$  as a regular region w/ no boundary (i.e.  $\partial M = \emptyset$ ), so we get.

$$\iint_M K d\sigma = 2\pi \chi(M).$$

App1: Any compact surface of everywhere positive curvature is homeomorphic to the sphere.

Pf: Since  $K > 0$ ,  $0 < \int_R K d\sigma = 2\pi \chi(M) \Rightarrow \chi(M) > 0$ .

$S^2$  is the only compact surface w/ positive  $\chi$ .  $\Rightarrow \chi(M) = \chi(S^2)$

$\Rightarrow M \cong S^2$ . 

App2: Let  $M$  be compact, oriented, regular surface in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  not homeomorphic to  $S^2$ .

Then show that  $K$  achieves both positive and negative values.

Pf1: Since  $M \neq S^2$ ,  $\chi(M) \leq 0 \Rightarrow \int_M K d\sigma \leq 0$ , so that means  $K$  cannot be everywhere positive.

Since  $M$  is compact, by earlier in semester, we know that  $M$  contains at least one elliptic point  $p_0$ , where  $K(p_0) > 0$ .  $\Rightarrow K$  cannot be negative everywhere either.

Pf2: Look at  $f(p) = \|p\|^2 \dots$

do Lems 4-6/4-7.

One further application: An orientable compact surface  $M$  has a differentiable vector field w/ no singular points iff  $M$  is homeomorphic to the torus.