

Gauss-Bonnet Thm :

(Goal) Let M be a regular orientable compact surface with $\partial M = \emptyset$.

Then
$$\int_M K dA = 2\pi \chi(M) = 4\pi(1-g)$$

where $g = \text{genus of } M$.

$\chi(M)$ Euler characteristic of M .



$$g=1 \Rightarrow \int_M K dA = 0$$

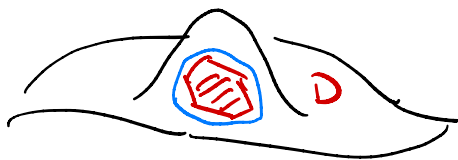


$$g=0 \Rightarrow \int_M K dA = 4\pi$$



$$g=2 \Rightarrow \int_M K dA = 8\pi \text{ etc. } \dots$$

Step 1: local version (??).



Consider $D \subset M$ with "singular" boundary and D small enough st. D is covered by local parametrization.

i.e. $\chi: U \rightarrow M$ st. $\chi(U) \supseteq D$.

Further simplification: might assume $\chi: U \rightarrow M$ is isothermal.

i.e. $[g] = \begin{bmatrix} e^{2f} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{2f} \end{bmatrix}$ for some $f: U \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$.

Q: what should be the local Gauss-Bonnet thm??

Set-up: $D = \text{circle}$ (eg.) in M .

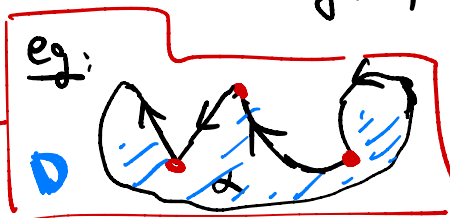
Defn: $\alpha: [a,b] \rightarrow M$ is a simple closed curve

which is piece-wise differentiable and regular

① closed : $\alpha(a) = \alpha(b)$

② simple : no self intersection (i.e. $\forall t \neq s \in [a, b)$, $\alpha(t) \neq \alpha(s)$)

③ piecewise differentiable (regular) : $\exists a = t_0 < t_1 < \dots < t_k = b$ s.t.



$\alpha|_{(t_i, t_{i+1})}$ is differentiable (regular).

like this.

Assume $d_i = \alpha|_{(t_i, t_{i+1})}$ are all positively oriented

i.e. its normal n satisfies :

$N = d' \times n$ and n points toward int(D).

Now compute $\int_D K dA$: (assume $D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$ in isothermal coordinate)

Using local formula of K in term of Γ_{ij}^k and $g_{ij} = e^{2f} \delta_{ij}$.

$\Rightarrow K = -e^{-2f} \Delta_{\mathbb{R}^2} f$ as a fun on \mathcal{U} .

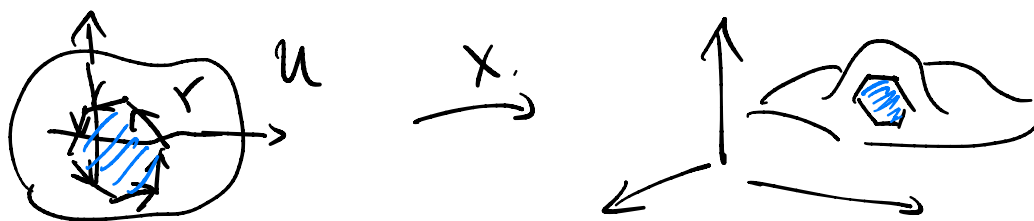
Hence $\int_D K dA = \int_{X^{-1}(D)} (-e^{-2f} \Delta f) \cdot e^{2f} du dv$

$= \int_{X^{-1}(D)} \underline{\Delta f} \cdot du dv$ (as a double integral in \mathbb{R}^2)

Green's theorem for domain with piecewise smooth boundary.

$= - \int_{\gamma} \langle \nabla f, \nu \rangle d\tau$ where $X(\tau) = \alpha$.

arc-length parametrization as curve in \mathbb{R}^2 .



Q: what is geometric meaning of $\int_{\gamma} \langle \nabla f, \nu \rangle d\tau$??

$$\text{in } x: U \rightarrow M, \quad \begin{cases} e_1 = \frac{x_u}{\|x_u\|} = e^{-f} x_u \\ e_2 = \frac{x_v}{\|x_v\|} = e^{-f} x_v \end{cases} \quad \text{or o.n.}$$

and $N = e_1 \times e_2$ (by assumption)

In the regular part of $\alpha: [a, b] \rightarrow M$ (parametrized by arc-length)

$$\alpha' = \cos \theta \cdot e_1 + \sin \theta \cdot e_2 \quad \text{for some smooth } \theta.$$

$$\Rightarrow n = -\sin \theta \cdot e_1 + \cos \theta \cdot e_2$$

$$\Rightarrow k_g = \langle \alpha'', n \rangle$$

$$= \theta' + \langle \cos \theta \cdot e_1' + \sin \theta \cdot e_2', -\sin \theta \cdot e_1 + \cos \theta \cdot e_2 \rangle$$

$$= \theta' + \cos^2 \theta \langle e_1', e_2 \rangle - \sin^2 \theta \langle e_1, e_2' \rangle$$

$$= \theta' + \langle e_1', e_2 \rangle \quad \text{where}$$

$$\langle e_1', e_2 \rangle = \langle (e^{-f} x_u)', (e^{-f} x_v) \rangle$$

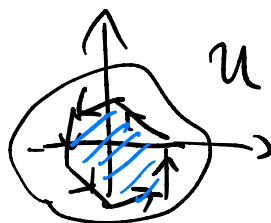
$$= e^{-2f} \langle x_u', x_v \rangle = \langle x_{uu} u' + x_{uv} v', x_v \rangle e^{-2f}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bullet \langle X_{uv}, X_v \rangle &= -\langle X_u, X_{uv} \rangle \quad (\because g_{uv} = 0) \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} \langle X_u, X_u \rangle_v \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} (e^{2f})_v = -e^{2f} \cdot f_v. \end{aligned}$$

$$\bullet \langle X_{uv}, X_u \rangle = \frac{1}{2} \langle X_u, X_u \rangle_u = \frac{1}{2} (e^{2f})_u = e^{2f} f_u.$$

$$\therefore R_g = \theta' + \underbrace{(-f_v u' + f_u v')}_{\text{Here derivatives} = \frac{d}{ds}} \quad \text{on regular part of } \alpha \text{ (see regular part of } \gamma \text{)}$$

On $\gamma: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathcal{U}$
where $X(\gamma) = \alpha$.



$$\gamma(s) = (u(s), v(s)), \quad s \in [a, b]$$

$$= \gamma(s(\tau)) \quad \text{where } \tau = \text{arc-length parameter of } \gamma \text{ wrt std metric on } \mathbb{R}^2.$$

then $\langle \nabla f, \nu \rangle$

$$= \langle (f_u, f_v), (v_\tau, -u_\tau) \rangle$$

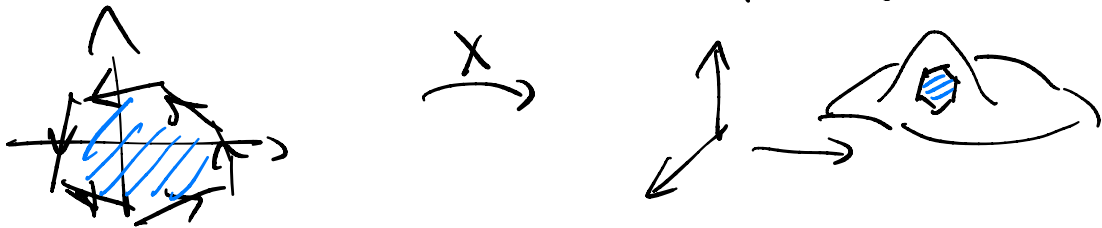
$$= -u_\tau \cdot f_v + v_\tau \cdot f_u = (-f_v u' + f_u v') \frac{ds}{d\tau}$$

$$\therefore \int_{\mathcal{U}} K dA = \int_{\gamma} -\langle \nabla f, \nu \rangle d\tau.$$

$$= \int_a^b (-f_v u' + f_u v') ds$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \int_a^b -k_g ds + \int_a^b \frac{d\theta}{ds} ds \\
&= \int_a^b -k_g ds + \sum_{i=0}^k \int_{t_i}^{t_{i+1}} \frac{d\theta}{ds} ds \\
&= \sum_{i=0}^k \lim_{t \rightarrow t_{i+1}^-} \theta(t) - \lim_{t \rightarrow t_i^+} \theta(t) = ??
\end{aligned}$$

Recall $\cos \theta(s) = \langle \alpha'(s), e_1(s) \rangle_M$ along α



$\theta =$ angle between $\alpha'(s)$ and $e_1(s)$.

translate to picture on γ :

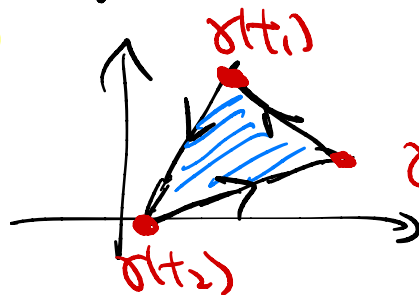
$$\begin{aligned}
\alpha' &= \cos \theta \cdot e_1 + \sin \theta \cdot e_2 \\
&= u' \chi_u + v' \chi_v \\
&= u' e^f e_1 + v' e^f e_2
\end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \gamma'(s) = e^{-f} (\cos \theta, \sin \theta)$$

i.e. $\theta =$ angle between γ' and $(1, 0)$.

wrt Euclidean metric

Fig 1)



$$\gamma(t_0) = \gamma(t_0)$$

simple closed curve.

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=0}^k \int_{t_i}^{t_{i+1}} \frac{d\theta}{ds} ds = \sum_{i=0}^k 0 = 0$$

$\because \gamma|_{[t_i, t_{i+1}]} = \text{linear.}$

Interpret this as follows:

$$\text{Denote } \begin{cases} \theta(t_i^+) = \lim_{t \rightarrow t_i^+} \theta(\gamma|_{(t_i, t_{i+1})}, t) \\ \theta(t_i^-) = \lim_{t \rightarrow t_i^-} \theta(\gamma|_{(t_{i-1}, t_i)}, t) \end{cases}$$

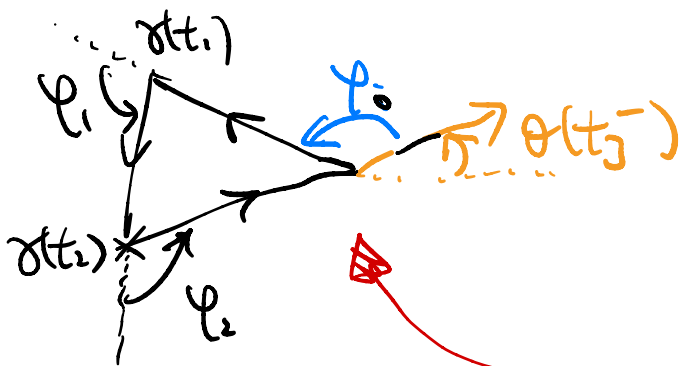
$$\text{then } \sum_{i=0}^k \int_{t_i}^{t_{i+1}} \frac{d\theta}{ds} ds = \sum_{i=0}^k \theta(t_{i+1}^-) - \theta(t_i^+).$$

$$= \theta(t_{k+1}^-) - \theta(t_0^+) + \theta(t_k^-) - \theta(t_k^+) + \dots + \theta(t_1^-) - \theta(t_1^+).$$

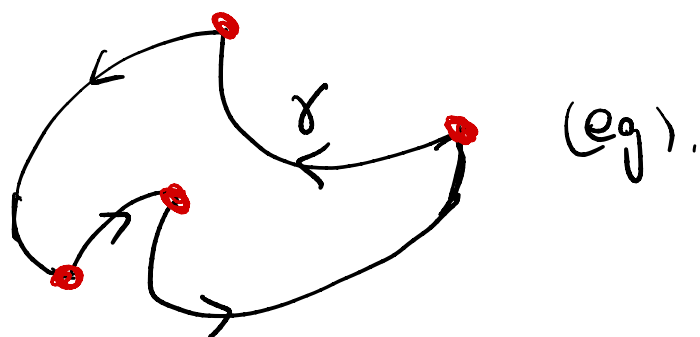
$$= \theta(t_3^-) - \theta(t_0^+) + \theta(t_2^-) - \theta(t_2^+) + \theta(t_1^-) - \theta(t_1^+)$$

$$= 2\pi - \sum_{i=0}^k \varphi_i$$

where φ_i : exterior angle at $\gamma(t_i)$



More generally
we allow $\gamma|_{(t_i, t_{i+1})}$
to be differentiable
curve.



Thm (From topology, the above is true in general)

Let $\gamma: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ be piecewise regular, simple closed
curve with $\gamma(a) = \gamma(b)$.

Let $a = t_0 < t_1 < \dots < t_{k+1} = b$ be s.t.

$\gamma|_{(t_i, t_{i+1})}$ = regular curve, parametrized by arc-length

s.t. $\gamma' = (\cos \theta_i, \sin \theta_i)$ on $[t_i, t_{i+1}]$.

And define φ_i be exterior angle defined to
be angle at $\gamma(t_i)$ from $\gamma'(t_i^-)$ to $\gamma'(t_i^+)$.

$$\text{Then } \sum_{i=1}^k [\theta(t_{i+1}^-) - \theta(t_i^+)] + \sum_{i=1}^k \varphi_i = \pm 2\pi.$$

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depending on
orientation of γ .

* $\geq 2\pi$ comes from the loop!!

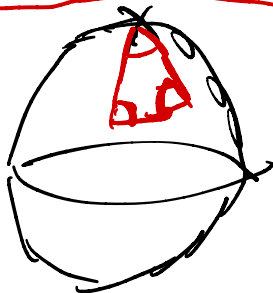


Local Gauss-Bonnet thm

Let $X: \mathcal{N} \rightarrow M$ be an isothermal parametrization which is orientation preserving. Let $\alpha = X(\gamma)$ be a simple closed curve on M , for some simple closed curve which is piecewise regular, then for $D = X(R)$ where $R =$ region bdd by γ (exists by Jordan curve thm),

$$\int_D K dA + \int_{\alpha} R ds + \sum_{i=1}^k \varphi_i = 2\pi.$$

Ex:



$M = S^2 = \text{earth}$

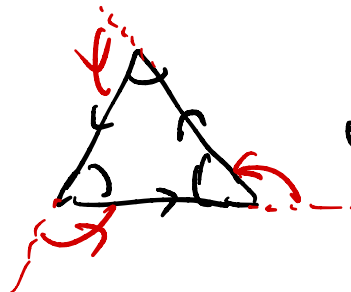
$D = \Delta$ formed by three geodesics.

then $R_g = 0$ on γ

$K_g = 1$ on D .

$$\int_D dA = 2\pi - \sum_{i=1}^3 \varphi_i > 0$$

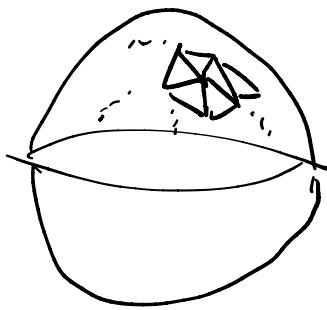
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on plane $\cong \mathbb{R}^2$.

$$2\pi - \sum_{i=1}^3 \varphi_i = 0.$$

global version (cpt w/o boundary)



Cover M by small triangle:

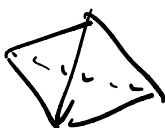
- Defn: A triangle (topologically) in M is a closed subset T in form of $\phi(T')$ where T' is triangle in \mathbb{R}^2 , ϕ is homeomorphism.

Vertex, edge and faces are defined to be image of that of $T' \in \mathbb{R}^2$.

- Any cpt surface w/o boundary admits a triangulation
i.e. $\exists T_1, T_2, \dots, T_n$ triangle st.
 $T_i \cap T_j$ is either empty, single vertex
OR single edge in common $\forall i \neq j$

$\chi(M)$, Euler characteristic of M

$$= V - E + F \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} V = \text{total no. of vertex} \\ E = \text{total no. of edge} \\ F = \text{total no. of faces} \end{array} \right.$$

eg:  $(\cong S^2)$ $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} F = 4 \\ E = 6 \\ V = 4 \end{array} \right.$

$\Rightarrow \chi(M) = 4 - 6 + 4 = 2$

Fact from topology:

Thm: $\chi(M)$ is independent of choice of triangulation (topological quantity)

 \cong  $\cong S^2$

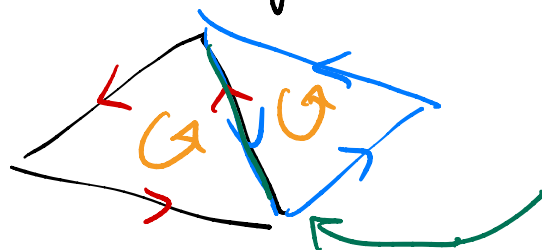
$F = 5, E = 8, V = 5$

$\Rightarrow \chi(M) = 2$

• Thm (in topology) $\chi(M) = 2 - 2g$ ($g = \text{genus of } M$)

• Might refine triangulation s.t.

each triangle is inside isothermal coord.



the edge has opposite orientation.

Proof of GzB thm:

Let $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^N$ be a triangulation of M s.t.

each T_i is inside an isothermal coordinate.

$$\Rightarrow \int_{T_j} R_g ds + \int_{D_j} K dA + \sum_{i=1}^3 \varphi_{ij} = 2\pi$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^N \int_{T_j} R_g ds + \sum_{j=1}^N \int_{D_j} K dA + \underbrace{\sum_{j=1}^N \sum_{i=1}^3 \varphi_{ij}} = 2\pi N.$$

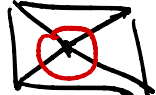
$$\parallel \begin{matrix} 0 \\ \left(\because M = \text{cpt} \right. \\ \left. \text{w/o boundary} \right) \end{matrix} \parallel \int_M K dA$$

Final Claim: $2\pi N - \sum_{j=1}^N \sum_{i=1}^3 \varphi_{ij} = 2\pi \chi(M).$

pf: $\because M = \text{cpt w/o boundary}$

$$\therefore \begin{cases} 3F = 2E \\ N = F \end{cases} \quad \left(\text{eg. } \triangle \right)$$

Denote $\pi - \varphi_{ij} = \theta_{ij}$ to be interior angle

then $\sum \theta_{ij} = 2\pi \cdot V$ 

$$\therefore 2\pi N - \sum_{ij} \varphi_{ij} = \sum \theta_{ij} - \pi F$$

$$= 2\pi V - \pi F$$

$$= 2\pi V + 2\pi F - 3\pi F$$

$$= 2\pi (V + F - F) = 2\pi \cdot \chi(M) \neq$$

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