

§ 14.4

Chain rule :



$$\frac{df}{dt} = f_x \frac{dx}{dt} + f_y \frac{dy}{dt}$$

$f(x) ; x(t)$

$$\frac{df}{dt} = \frac{df}{dx} \frac{dx}{dt}$$

$f(x,y) ; x(u,v) ; y(u,v)$

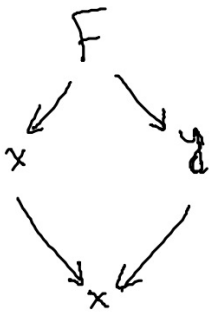
$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial u} = f_u = f_x x_u + f_y y_u$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial u} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial u} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial u}$$



$$y = (x^2 + 1)^3$$
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 3(x^2 + 1)^2 \cdot (2x)$$

$$F(x, y) = K$$



$$\frac{dF}{dx} = \frac{dK}{dx}$$

$$F_x \frac{dx}{dx} + F_y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$F_x + F_y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = - \frac{F_x}{F_y}$$

$$F(x, y, z) = c \quad \left| \quad \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = - \frac{F_y}{F_z} \right.$$
$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = - \frac{F_x}{F_z}$$

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$$x^2 + xy + y^2 - 7 = 0$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}(1,2) = ?$$

$$\text{let } F(x,y) = x^2 + xy + y^2 - 7$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = - \frac{F_x}{F_y} = - \frac{2x+y}{x+2y}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}(1,2) = - \frac{4}{5}$$

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let  $F(x,y,z) = z^3 - xy + yz + y^3$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}(1,1,1) = -\frac{3}{4}$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = -\frac{f_x}{f_z} = -\frac{-y}{3z^2 + y}$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = -\frac{f_y}{f_z} = -\frac{-x + z + 3y^2}{3z^2 + y}$$

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$f(u, v, w)$

$$u = x - y$$

$$v = y - z$$

$$w = z - x$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \\ \\ \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} ?? \\ \implies \\ \end{array} f_x + f_y + f_z = 0$$

$$u_x = 1$$

$$u_y = -1$$

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$$f_x = f_u u_x + f_v v_x + f_w w_x = f_u + 0 - f_w$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = f_y = \frac{\partial f}{\partial u} \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial v} \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial w} \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} = -f_u + f_v + 0$$

$$f_z = f_u u_z + f_v v_z + f_w w_z = -f_v + f_w$$

$$\therefore f_x + f_y + f_z = 0.$$



Ex 4  $w = f(x, y)$ ;  $x = r \cos \theta$ ;  $y = r \sin \theta$

a)  $\frac{\partial w}{\partial r} = f_x \cos \theta + f_y \sin \theta$

$\frac{\partial w}{\partial \theta} = -r f_x \sin \theta + r f_y \cos \theta$

$\frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial w}{\partial \theta} = -f_x \sin \theta + f_y \cos \theta$  if  $r \neq 0$

c)  $(f_x)^2 + (f_y)^2 \stackrel{??}{=} \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial r}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{r^2} \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial \theta}\right)^2$   
 use part (a) square both sides and simplify

b)  $f_x = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} & \sin \theta \\ f_x \frac{\partial w}{\partial \theta} & \cos \theta \\ \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{vmatrix} = 1$

$= \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \cos \theta - \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial w}{\partial \theta} \sin \theta$

$f_y = \begin{vmatrix} \cos \theta & \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \\ -\sin \theta & \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial w}{\partial \theta} \end{vmatrix}$

$= \frac{1}{r} \cos \theta \frac{\partial w}{\partial \theta} + \sin \theta \frac{\partial w}{\partial r}$

$$\text{Ex } w = f(u, v) \text{ s.t. } f_{uu} + f_{vv} = 0 \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{?} \\ \text{?} \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow w_{xx} + w_{yy} = 0$$

$$u = \frac{x^2 - y^2}{2} ; v = xy$$

$$w_x = f_u u_x + f_v v_x = x f_u + y f_v$$

$$w_{xx} = f_{uu} + x(f_{uu} u_x + f_{uv} v_x) + y(f_{vu} u_x + f_{vv} v_x)$$

$$w_{xx} = f_{uu} + x^2 f_{uu} + xy f_{uv} + xy f_{vu} + y^2 f_{vv}$$

$$w_y = -y f_u + x f_v$$

$$w_{yy} = -f_u - y(f_{uu} u_y + f_{uv} v_y) + x(f_{vu} u_y + f_{vv} v_y)$$

$$w_{yy} = -f_u + y^2 f_{uu} - xy f_{uv} - xy f_{vu} + x^2 f_{vv}$$

