

We define k -manifold volume for relaxed parametrization

$$\gamma: U \subset \mathbb{R}^k \rightarrow M \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n \text{ by}$$

$$\text{vol}_k(M) = \int_{U \subset \mathbb{R}^k} \sqrt{\det(D\gamma(\underline{u})^T D\gamma(\underline{u}))} |d^k \underline{u}|$$

can also insert function here $f(\gamma(\underline{u}))$

and if $f \cdot \sqrt{\det(\dots)}$ is integrable,

then can compute weighted volumes.

theoretical consideration:

Given two parametrizations, show they give same volume integral

(answer shouldn't depend on how we enumerate points on manifold.

case of curve: parametrization determines how fast you traverse curve.)

proof: given two parametrizations

$$\gamma_1: U \rightarrow M \quad \gamma_2: V \rightarrow M \quad U, V \subseteq \mathbb{R}^k$$

$$\gamma_1 = \gamma_2 \circ \underbrace{\gamma_2^{-1} \circ \gamma_1}_{\Phi}$$

$\Phi: U \rightarrow V$: "change of vars"

$$\text{with } D\gamma_1(\underline{u}) = D\gamma_2(\Phi(\underline{u}))$$

$$\cdot D\Phi(\underline{u})$$

by chain rule. (*)

Given

$$\int_V \sqrt{\det(D\gamma_2(\underline{v})^T D\gamma_2(\underline{v}))} f(\gamma_2(\underline{v})) |d^k \underline{v}|$$

oops!

$$= \int_U \sqrt{\det(D\gamma_2 \circ \Phi(\underline{u})^T D\gamma_2 \circ \Phi(\underline{u}))} f(\underbrace{\gamma_2(\Phi(\underline{u}))}_{\gamma_1(\underline{u})}) |d^k \underline{u}|$$

change of vars.

Expand $|\det(D\Phi(u))| = \sqrt{|\det D\Phi^T D\Phi|}$, do some rearranging
 apply chain rule. done.

May have noticed we wrote this as pair of perfect parametrizations, not relaxed ones.

$\Phi: U \rightarrow V$ must be bijective, class C^1 , with Φ, Φ^{-1} having Lipschitz derivatives.

Book has nice example of issues at bad points in

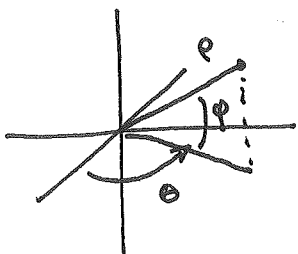
parametrization: two parametrizations of sphere using different poles ("north and south")
 (P_1, P_1') vs.
 (P_2, P_2')

$$\underline{\Phi} = \gamma_2^{-1} \circ \gamma_1$$

if P_2, P_2' are poles of γ_2 then a single point

maps to P_2 under γ_1 .

so consider $\gamma_1^{-1}(P_2)$, a point in U



Try + Apply Φ Not defined since ∞ -ly many pts in $\gamma_2^{-1}(P_2)$.

if $\varphi = \pi/2$, then at north pole regardless of φ not bijective.

~~Unit~~ unit sphere with north, south poles

End up taking

$$(\theta, \varphi) \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta \cos \varphi \\ \sin \theta \cos \varphi \\ \sin \varphi \end{pmatrix}$$

$$U' = U - (X_u \cup \gamma_1^{-1} \circ \gamma_2(X_u))$$

$$V' = V - (X_v \cup \gamma_2^{-1} \circ \gamma_1(X_v))$$

$\Phi: U' \rightarrow V'$ is ok.

Examples that are fully computable are rare. Often get functions under square root with no elementary antiderivative - have to resort to numerical integration.

Simple example: surface $(x, y) \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ f(x,y) \end{pmatrix}$

$$DY(x,y) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} f \end{pmatrix}$$

$$DY^T DY = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} f \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} f \end{pmatrix}$$

As surface in \mathbb{R}^3 ,

so parametrization $\gamma: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$

then $\det(DY^T DY)^{1/2}$

can be rewritten as

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f^2 & \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f \frac{\partial}{\partial y} f \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial y} f \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f & 1 + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} f^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\left| \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \gamma \times \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \gamma \right|$$

x, y : param. vars.
(or any other names for param. vars. you might want to consider...)

cross product produces vector normal to the plane spanned by $\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \gamma, \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \gamma$

whose area = area of // -ogram bounded by these vectors.

taking determinant: left with

$$1 + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f^2 + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} f^2$$

take square root.

$$\sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}\right)^2}$$

not likely to have simple antiderivatives.

table of integrals only has quadratic functions under radical

i.e. $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$ need to be linear.