

# Summary / Comparison of Integral Theorems

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Say  $I = [a; b] \subseteq \mathbb{R}^1$  is an interval. Writing

$\partial I = @b - @a$  to mean that  $\int_I f$  denotes  $f(b) - f(a)$ ,

and similarly  $\partial \underline{C} = @\text{end } \underline{C} - @\text{beg } \underline{C}$  for an oriented curve, we can see some striking similarities.

		Boundary	Region
FTC on intervals.	$\int_I f = \int_I f' dx = \int_I df$	oriented points in $\mathbb{R}^1$	(oriented) curve in $\mathbb{R}^1$
FTC on oriented curves	$\int_{\underline{C}} f = \int_{\underline{C}} \nabla f \cdot = \int_{\underline{C}} df$	oriented points in $\mathbb{R}^n$	oriented curve in $\mathbb{R}^n$
Green's Scurl Thm	$\int_D \mathbf{F} \cdot = \iint_D \operatorname{Scurl}(\mathbf{F}) dA$	oriented curves in $\mathbb{R}^2$	(Oriented) surface in $\mathbb{R}^2$
Green's div Thm	$\int_D \star \mathbf{F} \cdot = \iint_D \operatorname{div}(\mathbf{F}) dA$	oriented curves in $\mathbb{R}^2$	(Oriented) surface in $\mathbb{R}^2$
Stokes' Curl Thm	$\int_{\underline{S}} \mathbf{F} \cdot = \iint_{\underline{S}} \star (\operatorname{curl}(\mathbf{F})) \cdot$	oriented curves in $\mathbb{R}^3$	oriented surface in $\mathbb{R}^3$
Gauss' div Thm	$\iint_{\partial E} \star \mathbf{F} \cdot = \iiint_E \operatorname{div}(\mathbf{F}) dV$	oriented surfaces in $\mathbb{R}^3$	(Oriented) solid in $\mathbb{R}^3$

In fact, the last four theorems are even more similar than they look!

For those interested, using the wedge product " $\wedge$ " and the exterior derivative "d", in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  it is true that  $d(\mathbf{F}\cdot) = \text{Scurl}(\mathbf{F})dA$  and  $d(\star\mathbf{F}\cdot) = \text{div}(\mathbf{F})dA$ , and in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ ,  $d(\mathbf{F}\cdot) = \star(\text{curl}(\mathbf{F}\cdot))$  and  $d(\star\mathbf{F}\cdot) = \text{div}(\mathbf{F})dV$ ,

So we have:

FTC on intervals	$\int f = \int_a^b df$	ooo
FTC on oriented curves	$\int_C f = \int_C df$	ooo
Green's Scurl Thm	$\int_D \mathbf{F}\cdot = \iint_D d(\mathbf{F}\cdot)$	ooo
Green's div Thm	$\int_D \star\mathbf{F}\cdot = \iint_D d(\star\mathbf{F}\cdot)$	ooo
Stokes' curl Thm	$\int_S \mathbf{F}\cdot = \iint_S d(\mathbf{F}\cdot)$	ooo
Gauss' div Thm	$\iint_E \star\mathbf{F}\cdot = \iiint_E d(\star\mathbf{F}\cdot)$	ooo
Stokes general Thm	$\int_M \omega = \int_{\partial M} d\omega$	Oriented manifold in any other manifold!