

- Compactly supported forms and cohomology algebra (important for Poincare duality for non-compact manifolds)
- Eg. $H^n(\mathbb{R}^n) = 0$. But it should not if there is duality!
- Note: pull-back only well-defined for proper maps (so Poincare lemma is non-trivial)
- Have push-forward for fiber bundles (which commutes with d)
- Compactly supported Poincare lemma
- \mathbb{R}^n . (Integration)
- Homotopic proper maps induce same pull-back on cohomology (NOTE: NEED HOMOTOPY TO BE PROPER) $\Omega_c^k(M) \xrightarrow{H^*} \Omega_c^k(M \times I) \xrightarrow{\Sigma} \Omega_c^k(M)$.
- Top compactly supported cohomology is one-dimensional. (by integration which is only defined for oriented manifolds)
- Non-orientable case: top cohomology = 0. (Thus don't have Poincare duality.)

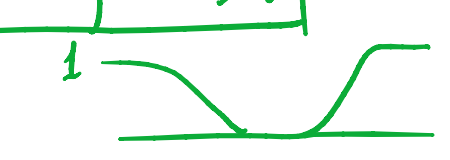
$$d_M \int_F \omega = (-1)^{\dim F} \int_F d_E \omega.$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} F & \rightarrow & E \\ & & \downarrow \\ & & M. \end{array}$$

$\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \omega = 0 \Rightarrow \omega = d\eta$ ← closed

Key: make η opt. supp.
 $d\eta = 0$ far away. If $\deg \eta < n-1$, $H^{\deg \eta}(\mathbb{R}^n - pt) = 0 \Rightarrow \eta = d(sth).$
 If $\deg \eta = n-1$, $\int_{S^{n-1}} \eta = \int_B d\eta = 0 \Rightarrow \eta = d(sth).$

Then take $\eta - d(p.sth)$.



(Pull back to oriented double cover, which is injective on cohomology)

$\pi: \tilde{M} \rightarrow M$
 π^* injective:
 If $\pi^* \omega = d\tilde{\alpha}$,
 then $\omega = \frac{1}{2} d(\tilde{\alpha} + \sigma^* \tilde{\alpha})$.
 invariance

$\text{Im}(\pi^*) = 0$:
 $\sigma^*(\pi^* \omega) = \pi^* \omega$
 ori. reversing
 $\Rightarrow \int_{\tilde{M}} \pi^* \omega = 0$.

$\int_M : H_c^k \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is inj:
 $\int_M \omega = 0 \Rightarrow \omega = d\eta$

Induction on |chart|.
 For $\text{supp}(\omega) \subset U_1 \cup \dots \cup U_k \cup U_{k+1}$
 M_k
 part of unity $\varphi + \psi = 1$.

$\int_{M_k} \varphi \omega = c$. Want 0 to do induction.
 η : bump form in $M_k \cap U_{k+1}$ st. $\int_{\text{supp} \eta} \eta = 1$
 $\int_{M_k} (\varphi \omega - c\eta) = 0 \Rightarrow \varphi \omega - c\eta = d(sth)$.
 $\int_{U_{k+1}} \psi \omega + c\eta = \int_M \omega - (\varphi \omega - c\eta) = 0 \Rightarrow \psi \omega + c\eta = d(sth)$.
 $\omega = d(sth_1 + sth_2)$.

