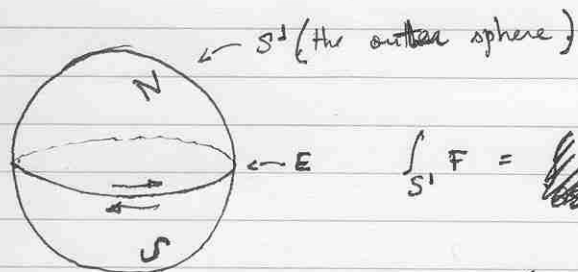


But even though for black-holes (or topologically non-trivial spaces) we could have $\Phi_B \neq 0$, there are some constraints:



$$\int_{S^1} F = \int_{S^1} dA = \int_{\partial S^1} A = 0, \text{ but also:}$$

$$= \int_N F + \int_S F = \int_N dA + \int_S dA = \int_{\partial N} A_N + \int_{\partial S} A_S =$$

$$= \int_E A_N - \int_E A_S = \int_E (A_N - A_S) = 0$$

$$\text{if } A_N = A_S.$$

Even though the fact that $dF = 0$ in a black hole space would allow $\Phi_B \neq 0$, the fact that $F = dA$ seems to impose $\Phi_B = 0$.

Unless we make A a discontinuous function at the equator E . (using a gauge transformation).

$$A_N = A_S + d\Lambda, \text{ so: } \int_{S^1} F = \int_E (A_N - A_S) = \int_E d\Lambda = \Lambda(2\pi) - \Lambda(0) = \Phi_B.$$

so we make Λ a discontinuous function at E .

But quantum mechanics impose a new constraint. ψ , the wave function, must be continuous at E :

$$\psi \rightarrow \psi e^{i \frac{q \Lambda}{\hbar c}} \Rightarrow \frac{q(\Lambda(2\pi) - \Lambda(0))}{\hbar c} = 2\pi n$$

$$\frac{q}{\hbar c} 4\pi \text{mag} = 2\pi n \rightarrow \boxed{q \cdot \text{mag} = \frac{\hbar c}{2} n}$$

Dirac quantisation condition.