

Geometric Calculus 2, 201.1.1041

Homework 9

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Questions to submit: 1. 2.e. 3.b. 4. 5.b. 5.c. 5.d. 5.e. 5.g.



The notion “the set X of dimension $\leq (n - 1)$ ” was defined in the class.

1. For an embedded manifold $M \subset \mathbb{R}^N$ and $0 \leq k < \infty$ prove: $\Omega^k(\mathbb{R}^N) \rightarrow \Omega^k(M)$. (The case $k = 1$ was in the class.)

2. Given two C^r -manifolds with their atlases, (M_i, \mathcal{A}_i) , consider the manifold $(M_1 \times M_2, \mathcal{A}_1 \times \mathcal{A}_2)$, whose charts are $\{\mathcal{U}_\alpha^{(1)} \times \mathcal{U}_\beta^{(2)}\}_{\alpha, \beta}$ and the coordinate maps are $\{\phi_\alpha^{(1)} \times \phi_\beta^{(2)}\}_{\alpha, \beta}$.
 - a. Verify: $M_1 \times M_2$ is a C^r -manifold, and $\dim(M_1 \times M_2) = \dim(M_1) + \dim(M_2)$.
 - b. In the embedded case, $\psi_i : M_i \hookrightarrow \mathbb{R}^{N_i}$, verify: $\psi_1 \times \psi_2 : M_1 \times M_2 \hookrightarrow \mathbb{R}^{N_1} \times \mathbb{R}^{N_2}$ is a manifold embedding.
 - c. Give an example where N_1, N_2 are the minimal embedding dimensions for M_1, M_2 , but $M_1 \times M_2$ can be embedded into $\mathbb{R}^{N_1 + N_2 - 1}$.
 - d. Prove: if M_1, M_2 are compact/path-connected/orientable, then so is $M_1 \times M_2$. (Deduce: $S^{n_1} \times \dots \times S^{n_k}$ is orientable.)
 - e. In the embedded oriented case take the volume forms, $\Omega_i \in \Omega^{n_i}(M_i)$. The candidate for the volume form on $M_1 \times M_2 \subset \mathbb{R}^{N_1 + N_2}$ is “ $\Omega_1 \times \Omega_2$ ”. Formulate and prove the precise statement. In particular verify: $\text{vol}_{n_1 + n_2}(M_1 \times M_2) = \text{vol}_{n_1}(M_1) \cdot \text{vol}_{n_2}(M_2)$.

3.
 - a. Prove: the (non-)orientability of M depends only on the C^1 -diffeomorphism type of M (and not on an embedding $M \hookrightarrow \mathbb{R}^N$).
 - b. Prove: the real projective space $\mathbb{R}P^n$ (see hwk.4. q.3) is orientable iff n is odd. (Hint: use the covering $S^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}P^n$.)
 - c. Suppose $\dim(M) = n$ and there exists a form $\omega \in \Omega^n(M)$ without zeros, i.e. $\omega|_p \neq 0 \in \wedge^n T_p^*M$ for each $p \in M$. Prove: M is orientable.

4. Compute the area of the surface $S = \{(x, y, z) | x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = a^2, \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{z^2}{b^2} \leq 1\}$, here $0 < b \leq a$.

5.
 - a. Take a parameterized hypersurface, $\mathbb{R}^n \supset \mathcal{U} \rightarrow M \subset \mathbb{R}^{n+1}$, $\underline{u} \rightarrow \underline{x}(\underline{u})$. (The orientation of M is induced from that of \mathcal{U} .) Prove: the flux of a vector field \vec{F} through M equals $\int_{\mathcal{U}} \det [\vec{F}, \partial_{u_1} \underline{x}, \dots, \partial_{u_n} \underline{x}] du_1 \dots du_n$. (We have proved this in the class.)
 - b. Convert this into an explicit formula in the particular case of the graph of a function, i.e. $M = \{(x, y, z) | z = z(x, y)\} \subset \mathcal{U}_{xy} \times \mathbb{R}^1$. Verify that the orientation of \mathcal{U} is compatible with the upper normal to M .
 - c. Suppose $M_{\dim=2} \subseteq S^2 \subset \mathbb{R}^3$, with the outer normal. Given a field $\vec{F} = f \cdot \vec{r}$ prove: its flux is $\iint_S \vec{F} d\vec{S} = \iint_{\mathcal{U}} f \cdot r^3 \sin(\theta) d\theta d\phi$. (Which order of θ, ϕ corresponds to the outer normal of S^2 ?)
In particular, compute the flux of $\vec{F} = \frac{\vec{r}}{r^d}$ through $S^2 \subset \mathbb{R}^3$.
 - d. Take a smooth surface $S \subset \mathbb{R}^3$. Suppose the projections π_x, π_y, π_z of S onto all the coordinate planes are C^1 -diffeomorphisms onto their images. (Thus S is the graph of functions, $z = z(x, y)$, $y = y(x, z)$, $x = x(y, z)$.) Fix an orientation on S , i.e. choose the normal $\hat{n} = (n_x, n_y, n_z)$.
 - Verify: each of the functions n_x, n_y, n_z has a (locally) constant sign on S .
 - Let $\omega = f_x dy \wedge dz + f_y dz \wedge dx + f_z dx \wedge dy|_S \in \Omega^2(S)$. Prove:
 $\int_S \omega = \int_{\pi_z(S)} f(x, y, z(x, y)) \cdot \text{sign}(n_z) \cdot dx dy + \int_{\pi_x(S)} f(x(y, z), y, z) \cdot \text{sign}(n_x) \cdot dy dz + \dots$
 - e. Compute $\int_S \omega$ where $\omega = (x + z)x \wedge dy + (z + y + \cos(x))dy \wedge dz + (x - \sin(y))dz \wedge dx|_S$. Here $S = (\partial \text{Pyramid}) \setminus \mathcal{U}$, with $\text{Pyramid} \subset \mathbb{R}^3$ defined by $x, y, z \geq 0$, $x + y + z \leq 1$, and $\mathcal{U} \subset \mathbb{R}_{xy}^2$ is defined by $x, y \geq 0$, $x^2 + y^2 \leq \frac{1}{2}$. (The orientation corresponds to the outer normal.)
 - f. Compute $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{C}$ in the following cases:
 - i. $\vec{F} = \frac{(-y, x)}{x^2 + y^2}$, $C = \{\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1\} \subset \mathbb{R}^2$ (counterclockwise).
 - ii. $\vec{F} = \frac{(-y, x)}{x^2 + y^2}$, and the curve $(\sqrt{3}, 1) \rightsquigarrow (-\sqrt{3}, 1)$ is given in polar coordinates by $r(\theta) = \frac{1}{1 - \sin(\theta)}$.
 - g. For each $n \in \mathbb{N}$ give a closed oriented curve that does not pass through $(0, 0)$ and satisfies: $\oint_{C \subset \mathbb{R}^2} \frac{(-y, x)}{x^2 + y^2} d\vec{C} = 2\pi n$.