

Connection one-form

$$\omega^k{}_\lambda = \Gamma^k{}_{\lambda\mu} \Theta^\mu \quad \Gamma: \text{Christoffel symbol or connection coefficient}$$

Torsion two-form

$$\Sigma^\mu = d\Theta^\mu + \omega^\mu{}_k \wedge \Theta^k$$

The mainstream of GR is torsion-free!

Algorithm...

- Find Metric Tensor !
- Use Following Relation:

$$dg_{\mu\nu} = \omega^\mu{}_k g_{k\nu} + \omega^\nu{}_k g_{k\mu} = \omega_{\mu\nu} + \omega_{\nu\mu}$$

with above relation and connection one-form, find connection coefficient as possible

- Use Zero-Torsion Condition
- Now you can find all of connection coefficients

However, with computer, it's okay to use pesky definition;

$$\Gamma^\lambda{}_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\sigma} (\partial_\mu g_{\sigma\nu} + \partial_\nu g_{\sigma\mu} - \partial_\sigma g_{\mu\nu}),$$

Ex. \mathbb{E}^3 , polar coordinate

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dim = 3;
coord = {r,  $\theta$ ,  $\phi$ };
metric = {{1,  $\theta$ , 0}, { $\theta$ ,  $r^2$ , 0}, {0, 0,  $r^2 \sin[\theta]^2$ }}
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metric // MatrixForm
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$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & \theta & 0 \\ \theta & r^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & r^2 \sin[\theta]^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

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inversemetric = Simplify[Inverse[metric]]
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$$\left\{ \{1, \theta, 0\}, \left\{ \theta, \frac{1}{r^2}, 0 \right\}, \left\{ 0, 0, \frac{\csc[\theta]^2}{r^2} \right\} \right\}$$

recall that the definition of connection coefficient;

$$\Gamma^\lambda{}_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\sigma} (\partial_\mu g_{\sigma\nu} + \partial_\nu g_{\sigma\mu} - \partial_\sigma g_{\mu\nu})$$

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affine := affine = Simplify[Table[(1/2) * Sum[(inversemetric[[i, s]] *
(D[metric[[s, j]], coord[[k]]] +
D[metric[[s, k]], coord[[j]]] - D[metric[[j, k]], coord[[s]]]),
{s, 1, dim}],
{i, 1, dim}, {j, 1, dim}, {k, 1, dim}]]
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affine
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$$\left\{ \left\{ \{0, \theta, 0\}, \{0, -r, 0\}, \{0, 0, -r \sin[\theta]^2\} \right\}, \right. \\ \left\{ \left\{ \theta, \frac{1}{r}, 0 \right\}, \left\{ \frac{1}{r}, \theta, 0 \right\}, \{0, 0, -\cos[\theta] \sin[\theta]\} \right\}, \\ \left. \left\{ \left\{ \theta, 0, \frac{1}{r} \right\}, \{0, 0, \cot[\theta]\}, \left\{ \frac{1}{r}, \cot[\theta], 0 \right\} \right\} \right\}$$

Display it: $\Gamma[1, 2, 3]$ stands for Γ^1_{23}

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listaffine :=
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Table[{ToString[ $\Gamma[i, j, k]$ ], affine[[i, j, k]]},  
  {i, 1, dim}, {j, 1, dim}, {k, 1, dim}]
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TableForm[listaffine, TableSpacing -> {3, 3}]
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$\Gamma[1, 1, 1]$	0	$\Gamma[1, 2, 1]$	0	$\Gamma[1, 3, 1]$	0
$\Gamma[1, 1, 2]$	0	$\Gamma[1, 2, 2]$	-r	$\Gamma[1, 3, 2]$	0
$\Gamma[1, 1, 3]$	0	$\Gamma[1, 2, 3]$	0	$\Gamma[1, 3, 3]$	$-r \sin[\theta]^2$
$\Gamma[2, 1, 1]$	0	$\Gamma[2, 2, 1]$	$\frac{1}{r}$	$\Gamma[2, 3, 1]$	0
$\Gamma[2, 1, 2]$	$\frac{1}{r}$	$\Gamma[2, 2, 2]$	0	$\Gamma[2, 3, 2]$	0
$\Gamma[2, 1, 3]$	0	$\Gamma[2, 2, 3]$	0	$\Gamma[2, 3, 3]$	$-\cos[\theta] \sin[\theta]$
$\Gamma[3, 1, 1]$	0	$\Gamma[3, 2, 1]$	0	$\Gamma[3, 3, 1]$	$\frac{1}{r}$
$\Gamma[3, 1, 2]$	0	$\Gamma[3, 2, 2]$	0	$\Gamma[3, 3, 2]$	$\cot[\theta]$
$\Gamma[3, 1, 3]$	$\frac{1}{r}$	$\Gamma[3, 2, 3]$	$\cot[\theta]$	$\Gamma[3, 3, 3]$	0

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listaffine :=
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Table[{ $\Gamma^{\text{ToString}[i]}_{j,k}$ , ToString["="], affine[[i, j, k]]},  
  {i, 1, dim}, {j, 1, dim}, {k, 1, dim}]
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listaffine // TableForm
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$\Gamma^1_{1,1}$	= 0	$\Gamma^1_{2,1}$	= 0	$\Gamma^1_{3,1}$	= 0
$\Gamma^1_{1,2}$	= 0	$\Gamma^1_{2,2}$	= -r	$\Gamma^1_{3,2}$	= 0
$\Gamma^1_{1,3}$	= 0	$\Gamma^1_{2,3}$	= 0	$\Gamma^1_{3,3}$	= $-r \sin[\theta]^2$
$\Gamma^2_{1,1}$	= 0	$\Gamma^2_{2,1}$	= $\frac{1}{r}$	$\Gamma^2_{3,1}$	= 0
$\Gamma^2_{1,2}$	= $\frac{1}{r}$	$\Gamma^2_{2,2}$	= 0	$\Gamma^2_{3,2}$	= 0
$\Gamma^2_{1,3}$	= 0	$\Gamma^2_{2,3}$	= 0	$\Gamma^2_{3,3}$	= $-\cos[\theta] \sin[\theta]$
$\Gamma^3_{1,1}$	= 0	$\Gamma^3_{2,1}$	= 0	$\Gamma^3_{3,1}$	= $\frac{1}{r}$
$\Gamma^3_{1,2}$	= 0	$\Gamma^3_{2,2}$	= 0	$\Gamma^3_{3,2}$	= $\cot[\theta]$
$\Gamma^3_{1,3}$	= $\frac{1}{r}$	$\Gamma^3_{2,3}$	= $\cot[\theta]$	$\Gamma^3_{3,3}$	= 0