

Berger's Classification of Riemannian Holonomies

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Introduction

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Symmetric Spaces

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Berger's Holonomy Theorem

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Some Special Holonomies

Kähler manifolds ($\text{Hol}^0 U(n)$)

Calabi-Yau manifolds ($SU(n)$)

Thanks!