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Differential Geometry

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Unit - I

Curves in the Plane and in Space (1-76)

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- 1.1) Curve, Arc-Length, Re-parameterization
 - 1.2) Curvature, Plane Curves, Space Curves

Unit - II

Surfaces in three dimensions (76-119)

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- 2.1) Surface, Smooth Surface
 - 2.2) Tangents, Normal and Orientability, Examples of Surfaces

Unit - III

The First Fundamental Form (120-151)

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- 3.1) Lengths of Curves on Surfaces
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 - 3.3) Conformal Mappings of Surfaces
 - 3.4) Surface Area

Unit - IV

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- 4.1) The Second Fundamental Form
- 4.2) The Curvatures of Curves on a Surface
- 4.3) The Normal and Principle Curvatures

Unit - V

Gaussian Curvature

- 5.1) The Gaussian and Mean Curvatures
- 5.2) The Pseudosphere
- 5.3) Flat Surfaces and geodesics
- 5.4) Definition and Basic Properties
- 5.5) Geodesic eqn - Gauss's Theorema Egregium

Text Book:

Pressley, Andrew, "Elementary Differential Geometry", London: Springer-Verlag, 2001.

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