

# **MA5216 Homework 2**

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# 1 QUESTION 1

## 1.1 Exercise 3.4.23

### Problem 1.1 (Exercise 3.4.23)

For two symmetric  $(0, 2)$ -tensors  $h, k$  define the *Kulkarni-Nomizu product* as the  $(0, 4)$ -tensor

$$\begin{aligned} (h \circ k)(v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4) \\ = \frac{1}{2}h(v_1, v_4) \cdot k(v_2, v_3) + \frac{1}{2}h(v_2, v_3) \cdot k(v_1, v_4) - \frac{1}{2}h(v_1, v_3) \cdot k(v_2, v_4) - \frac{1}{2}h(v_2, v_4) \cdot k(v_1, v_3) \end{aligned}$$

(5) Show that  $\nabla_X(h \circ k) = (\nabla_X h) \circ k + h \circ (\nabla_X k)$

(6) Show that  $(M, g)$  has constant curvature  $c$  if and only if the  $(0, 4)$ -curvature tensor satisfies  $R = c \cdot (g \circ g)$

### 1.1.1 (5)

Let  $a, b, c, d$  be vector fields. Let the  $(0, 4)$ -tensors  $h * k$  and  $h \star k$  be defined by

$$\begin{aligned} (h * k)(a, b, c, d) &= h(a, d) \cdot k(b, c) + h(b, c) \cdot k(a, d) \\ (h \star k)(a, b, c, d) &= h(a, c) \cdot k(b, d) + h(b, d) \cdot k(a, c) = (h * k)(a, b, d, c) \end{aligned}$$

Then, we can write the *Kulkarni-Nomizu product* as

$$h \circ k = \frac{1}{2}(h * k - h \star k)$$

If we assume product rules for  $h * k$  and  $h \star k$ , then

$$\nabla_X(h \circ k) = \frac{1}{2}((\nabla_X h) * k + h * (\nabla_X k) - (\nabla_X h) \star k - h \star (\nabla_X k)) = (\nabla_X h) \circ k + h \circ (\nabla_X k)$$

Hence, it suffices to prove the product rule for  $h * k$  tensor. Hence, we can assume that

$$(h \circ k)(a, b, c, d) = h(a, d) \cdot k(b, c) + h(b, c) \cdot k(a, d)$$

Note that, the order of operations is as follows:  $\nabla_X h(a, b) := \nabla_X(h(a, b)) = D_X(h(a, b))$ . We have

$$\begin{aligned}
& (\nabla_X(h \circ k))(a, b, c, d) \\
&= \nabla_X((h \circ k)(a, b, c, d)) \\
&\quad - (h \circ k)(\nabla_X a, b, c, d) - (h \circ k)(a, \nabla_X b, c, d) - (h \circ k)(a, b, \nabla_X c, d) - (h \circ k)(a, b, c, \nabla_X d) \\
&= \nabla_X(h(a, d) \cdot k(b, c)) + \nabla_X(h(b, c) \cdot k(a, d)) \\
&\quad - (h \circ k)(\nabla_X a, b, c, d) - (h \circ k)(a, \nabla_X b, c, d) - (h \circ k)(a, b, \nabla_X c, d) - (h \circ k)(a, b, c, \nabla_X d) \\
&= \nabla_X h(a, d) \cdot k(b, c) + h(a, d) \cdot \nabla_X k(b, c) + \nabla_X h(b, c) \cdot k(a, d) + h(b, c) \cdot \nabla_X k(a, d) \\
&\quad - h(\nabla_X a, d) \cdot k(b, c) - h(b, c) \cdot k(\nabla_X a, d) - h(a, d) \cdot k(\nabla_X b, c) - h(\nabla_X b, c) \cdot k(a, d) \\
&\quad - h(a, d) \cdot k(b, \nabla_X c) - h(b, \nabla_X c) \cdot k(a, d) - h(a, \nabla_X d) \cdot k(b, c) - h(b, c) \cdot k(a, \nabla_X d) \\
&= (\nabla_X h)(a, d) \cdot k(b, c) + (\nabla_X h)(b, c) \cdot k(a, d) + h(a, d) \cdot (\nabla_X k)(b, c) + h(b, c) \cdot (\nabla_X k)(a, d) \\
&= ((\nabla_X h) \circ k)(a, b, c, d) + (h \circ (\nabla_X k))(a, b, c, d)
\end{aligned}$$

### 1.1.2 (6)

Note that, the sectional curvature of the subspace spanned by  $\{u, v\}$  is

$$\sec(v, w) = \frac{R(w, v, v, w)}{g(v, v)g(w, w) - g(v, w)^2}$$

We have

$$(g \circ g)(w, v, v, w) = g(w, w) \cdot g(v, v) - g(w, v) \cdot g(v, w) = g(v, v)g(w, w) - g(v, w)^2$$

Then,  $R = c \cdot (g \circ g) \iff \sec(v, w) = c$ . If  $c$  is a constant, then  $R = c \cdot (g \circ g) \iff (M, g)$  has constant curvature

## 1.2 Exercise 3.4.24

**Problem 1.2** (Exercise 3.4.24)

Define the  $(0, 2)$  *Schouten tensor*

$$P = \frac{2}{n-2} \text{Ric} - \frac{\text{scal}}{(n-1)(n-2)} \cdot g$$

for Riemannian manifolds of dimension  $n > 2$

(1) Show that if  $P$  vanishes on  $M$  then  $\text{Ric} = 0$

(2) Show that the decomposition

$$P = \frac{\text{scal}}{n(n-1)}g + \frac{2}{n-2} \left( \text{Ric} - \frac{\text{scal}}{n}g \right)$$

of the *Schouten tensor* is orthogonal

(5) Show that  $(M, g)$  has constant curvature when  $n > 2$  if and only if

$$R = P \circ g \text{ and } \text{Ric} = \frac{\text{scal}}{n}g$$

(6) Show that

$$\text{Ric}(X, Y) = \sum_{i=1}^n (P \circ g)(X, E_i, E_i, Y)$$

for any orthonormal frame  $E_i$

**1.2.1 (1)**

We have

$$\begin{aligned} \text{tr } P &= \frac{2}{n-2} \text{tr Ric} - \frac{\text{scal}}{(n-1)(n-2)} \cdot \text{tr } g \\ &= \frac{2}{n-2} \text{scal} - \frac{\text{scal}}{(n-1)(n-2)} n \\ &= \frac{\text{scal}}{n-1} \end{aligned}$$

Then *Schouten tensor* vanishes, that is  $P = 0$ , implies  $\text{scal} = 0$ , so  $\text{Ric} = \frac{n-2}{2}P = 0$

**1.2.2 (2)**

Given two  $(0, 2)$ -tensors  $T = T_{ij}\sigma^i \otimes \sigma^j$  and  $S = S_{ij}\sigma^i \otimes \sigma^j$ , then the pointwise inner product induced by metric  $g$  is defined by the smooth function

$$\langle T, S \rangle = g^{ik}g^{jl}T_{ij}S_{kl}$$

We want to show that

$$0 = \left\langle \frac{\text{scal}}{n(n-1)}g, \frac{2}{n-2} \left( \text{Ric} - \frac{\text{scal}}{n}g \right) \right\rangle = \frac{2 \text{scal}}{n(n-1)(n-2)} \left\langle g, \text{Ric} - \frac{\text{scal}}{n}g \right\rangle$$

That is equivalent to showing  $\langle g, \text{Ric} \rangle = \frac{\text{scal}}{n} \langle g, g \rangle$ , we have

$$\langle g, \text{Ric} \rangle = g^{ik}g^{jl}g_{ij} \text{Ric}_{kl}$$

At every point, we can choose an orthonormal frame so that  $g_{ij} = g^{ij} = \delta_{ij}$ , hence

$$\langle g, \text{Ric} \rangle = \text{Ric}_{ii} = \text{tr Ric} = \text{scal}$$

On the other hand,

$$\langle g, g \rangle = g^{ik} g^{jl} g_{ij} g_{kl} = g_{ii} = \text{tr } g = n$$

Hence, the decomposition is orthogonal.

### 1.2.3 (5)

$$P \circ g = \frac{2}{n-2}(\text{Ric} \circ g) - \frac{\text{scal}}{(n-1)(n-2)}(g \circ g)$$

( $\implies$ ) when  $(M, g)$  has constant curvature,  $R = c(g \circ g)$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Ric}(v, w) &= \sum_i R(E_i, w, v, E_i) \\ &= c \sum_i (g \circ g)(E_i, w, v, E_i) \\ &= c \sum_i g(E_i, E_i) g(w, v) - g(E_i, v) g(w, E_i) \\ &= c \left[ \left( \sum_i g(E_i, E_i) g(w, v) \right) - \left( \sum_i g(E_i, v) g(w, E_i) \right) \right] \\ &= c(n g(w, v) - g(w, v)) \\ &= c(n-1) g(w, v) \end{aligned}$$

So,  $\text{Ric} = c(n-1)g$  and  $\text{scal} = cn(n-1)$ , then

$$\text{Ric} = \frac{\text{scal}}{n} g$$

Moreover,

$$\begin{aligned} P \circ g &= \frac{2}{n-2}(\text{Ric} \circ g) - \frac{\text{scal}}{(n-1)(n-2)}(g \circ g) \\ &= \frac{2}{n-2} c(n-1)(g \circ g) - \frac{cn(n-1)}{(n-1)(n-2)}(g \circ g) \\ &= cg \circ g = R \end{aligned}$$

( $\impliedby$ ) when  $\text{Ric} = \frac{\text{scal}}{n} g$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} R &= P \circ g \\ &= \frac{2}{n-2}(\text{Ric} \circ g) - \frac{\text{scal}}{(n-1)(n-2)}(g \circ g) \\ &= \frac{2}{n-2} \frac{\text{scal}}{n} (g \circ g) - \frac{\text{scal}}{(n-1)(n-2)}(g \circ g) \\ &= \frac{\text{scal}}{n(n-1)}(g \circ g) \end{aligned}$$

We will show that  $\text{scal}$  is a constant function on  $M$ . The exterior dervative of a tensor  $\omega$  satisfies

$$(d\omega)(X_0, \dots, X_k) = \sum_i (-1)^i \nabla_{X_i} \omega(X_0, \dots, \hat{X}_i, \dots, X_k)$$

So

$$(d\text{scal})(v) = \nabla_v \text{scal} = (\nabla \text{scal})(v)$$

On the other hand, by proposition 3.1.5 (the contracted Bianchi identity), we have

$$d\text{scal} = -2\nabla^* \text{Ric} = -\frac{2}{n} \nabla^* (\text{scal} g)$$

where

$$(\nabla^* S)(X_2, \dots, X_r) = - \sum_i (\nabla_{E_i} S)(E_i, X_2, \dots, X_r)$$

for any  $(s, r)$ -tensor  $S$ . Hence, for any vector field  $v = v^i E_i$

$$(d\text{scal})(v) = -\frac{2}{n} (\nabla^* (\text{scal} g))(v) = \frac{2}{n} (\nabla_{E_i} (\text{scal} g))(E_i, v)$$

Note that, Riemannian connection is compatible with metric, proposition 2.2.5 implies  $\nabla g = 0$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} (d\text{scal})(v) &= \frac{2}{n} (\nabla_{E_i} \text{scal}) g(E_i, v) + \frac{2}{n} \text{scal} (\nabla_{E_i} g)(E_i, v) \\ &= \frac{2}{n} (\nabla_{E_i} \text{scal}) g(E_i, v) \\ &= \frac{2}{n} v^i (\nabla \text{scal})(E_i) \\ &= \frac{2}{n} (\nabla \text{scal})(v) \end{aligned}$$

When  $n \geq 3$ , we have  $(1 - \frac{2}{n}) \nabla \text{scal} = d\text{scal} - d\text{scal} = 0$ , so  $\text{scal}$  is a constant function

#### 1.2.4 (6)

Let  $X = x^j E_j$ ,  $Y = y^j E_j$ , we have (where summands with index  $i$  is a sum over  $i = 1, \dots, n$ , tensor  $P(X, -)$  is  $Y \mapsto P(X, Y)$ )

$$\begin{aligned} &2(P \circ g)(X, E_i, E_i, Y) \\ &= P(X, Y)g(E_i, E_i) + P(E_i, E_i)g(X, Y) - P(X, E_i)g(E_i, Y) - P(E_i, Y)g(X, E_i) \\ &= P(X, Y)(\text{tr} g) + (\text{tr} P)g(X, Y) - y^i P(X, E_i) - x^i P(E_i, Y) \\ &= nP(X, Y) + (\text{tr} P)g(X, Y) - y^i P(X, -)(E_i) - x^i P(-, Y)(E_i) \\ &= nP(X, Y) + (\text{tr} P)g(X, Y) - P(X, Y) - P(X, Y) \\ &= (n - 2)P(X, Y) + (\text{tr} P)g(X, Y) \end{aligned}$$

We have,  $\text{tr } P = \frac{\text{scal}}{n-1}$ , so

$$\begin{aligned}
& 2(P \circ g)(X, E_i, E_i, Y) \\
&= (n-2)P(X, Y) + (\text{tr } P)g(X, Y) \\
&= (n-2) \left( \frac{2}{n-2} \text{Ric}(X, Y) - \frac{\text{scal}}{(n-1)(n-2)} g(X, Y) \right) + \left( \frac{\text{scal}}{n-1} \right) g(X, Y) \\
&= 2 \text{Ric}(X, Y)
\end{aligned}$$

### 1.3 Exercise 3.4.25

**Problem 1.3** (Exercise 3.4.25)

The *Weyl tensor*  $W$  is defined implicitly through

$$\begin{aligned}
R &= \frac{\text{scal}}{n(n-1)}(g \circ g) + \frac{2}{n-2} \left( \text{Ric} - \frac{\text{scal}}{n} \cdot g \right) \circ g + W \\
&= P \circ g + W
\end{aligned}$$

(2) Show that

$$\sum_{i=1}^n W(X, E_i, E_i, Y) = 0$$

for any orthonormal frame  $E_i$

#### 1.3.1 (2)

From previous part, we have

$$(P \circ g)(X, E_i, E_i, Y) = \text{Ric}(X, Y) = R(E_i, Y, X, E_i) = R(X, E_i, E_i, Y)$$

Hence,

$$W(X, E_i, E_i, Y) = R(X, E_i, E_i, Y) - (P \circ g)(X, E_i, E_i, Y) = 0$$

## 2 QUESTION 2

### 2.1 Exercise 4.7.4

**Problem 2.1** (Exercise 4.7.4)

Assume that a Riemmanian manifold  $(M, g)$  has a function  $f$  such that

$$\text{Hess } f = \lambda(x)g + \mu(f)df^2 = \lambda g + (\mu \circ f)df^2$$

where  $\lambda : M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  and  $\mu : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ . Show that the metric is locally a warped product

For any smooth function  $\phi : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , we have ( $\circ$  denotes composition,  $\cdot$  denotes pointwise multiplication)

$$\begin{aligned}
& \text{Hess}(\phi \circ f) \\
&= (\phi'' \circ f) \cdot df^2 + (\phi' \circ f) \text{Hess } f \\
&= (\phi'' \circ f) \cdot df^2 + (\phi' \circ f)(\lambda g + (\mu \circ f)df^2) \\
&= [(\phi'' \circ f) + (\phi' \circ f) \cdot (\mu \circ f)]df^2 + (\phi' \circ f) \cdot \lambda g
\end{aligned}$$

For any  $p \in M$ , we choose function  $\phi$  satisfying the ODE

$$\phi''(x) + \phi'(x) \cdot \mu(x) = 0$$

locally around  $x = f(p)$ , then  $\text{Hess}(\phi \circ f) = (\phi' \circ f) \cdot \lambda g$  locally around  $p$ , by Brinkman, the Riemannian structure is locally a warped product.

## 2.2 Exercise 4.7.5

**Problem 2.2** (Exercise 4.7.5)

Show that if  $\text{Hess } f = \lambda g$  then  $\lambda = \frac{\Delta f}{\dim M}$

Taking contraction both sides gives

$$\Delta f = \text{tr}(\text{Hess } f) = \lambda \text{tr } g = \lambda(\dim M)$$

Hence,  $\lambda = \frac{\Delta f}{\dim M}$

## 3 QUESTION 3

### 3.1 Exercise 4.7.12

**Problem 3.1** (Exercise 4.7.12)

Let  $(N^{n-1}, g_N)$  have constant curvature  $c$  with  $n > 2$ . Consider the warped product metric  $(M, g) = (I \times N, dr^2 + \rho^2(r)g_N)$

(1) Show that the curvature of  $g$  is given by

$$\begin{aligned}
R &= \frac{c - \dot{\rho}^2}{\rho^2} g_r \circ g_r - 2 \frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} dr^2 \circ g_r \\
&= \frac{c - \dot{\rho}^2}{\rho^2} g \circ g - 2 \left( \frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} + \frac{c - \dot{\rho}^2}{\rho^2} \right) dr^2 \circ g
\end{aligned}$$

(2) Show that the *Weyl tensor* vanishes



### 3.1.1 (1)

Since  $r$  is a distance function, follow 4.2.3, we have  $\text{Hess } r = \frac{\dot{\rho}}{\rho} g_r$  and

$$R(\cdot, \partial_r, \partial_r, \cdot) = -\frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} g_r$$

By Tangential Curvature Equation and Mixed Curvature Equation, if  $X, Y, Z, W$  are tangent vector fields on  $N$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} R(X, Y, Z, W) &= R^r(X, Y, Z, W) - \mathbb{I}(X, W) \mathbb{I}(Y, Z) + \mathbb{I}(X, Z) \mathbb{I}(Y, W) \\ R(X, Y, Z, \partial_r) &= -(\nabla_X \mathbb{I})(Y, Z) + (\nabla_Y \mathbb{I})(X, Z) \end{aligned}$$

Follow 4.2.3,  $R(X, Y, Z, \partial_r) = 0$ . On the other hand,  $g_r$  is a metric of constant curvature  $\frac{c}{\rho^2}$ , then

$$R^r(X, Y, Z, W) = \frac{c}{\rho^2} g_r(X \wedge Y, W \wedge Z)$$

By proposition 3.2.1,  $r$  is a distance function,  $\mathbb{I} = \text{Hess } r = \frac{\dot{\rho}}{\rho} g_r$ , so

$$R(X, Y, Z, W) = \frac{c - \dot{\rho}^2}{\rho^2} g_r(X \wedge Y, W \wedge Z) = \frac{c - \dot{\rho}^2}{\rho^2} (g_r \circ g_r)(X, Y, Z, W)$$

The equality is proved by the following reductions:

1.  $R$  and  $\frac{c - \dot{\rho}^2}{\rho^2} g_r \circ g_r - 2\frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} dr^2 \circ g_r$  are multilinear, it suffices to prove the equality for vector fields  $\tilde{X}, \tilde{Y}, \tilde{Z}, \tilde{W}$  where each is either tangent to  $N$  or orthogonal to  $N$ .
2.  $R$  and  $\frac{c - \dot{\rho}^2}{\rho^2} g_r \circ g_r - 2\frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} dr^2 \circ g_r$  have the same symmetries (permutation of parameters  $S^4 \rightarrow \{-1, +1\}$ ), hence it suffices to prove the equality in any order of parameters.
3.  $dr^2 \circ g_r$  is nonzero if and only if there are precisely two terms orthogonal to  $N$ . We already proved the equality when there is zero or one term orthogonal to  $N$ . If there are three or more terms orthogonal to  $N$ , both sides are zeros. The only case we need to consider is when there are exactly two terms orthogonal to  $N$ , that is  $R(X, \partial_r, \partial_r, W)$

We have

$$\begin{aligned} R(X, \partial_r, \partial_r, W) &= -\frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} g_r(X, W) \\ &= 2\frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} (dr^2 \circ g_r)(X, \partial_r, \partial_r, W) \\ &= \left( \frac{c - \dot{\rho}^2}{\rho^2} g_r \circ g_r - 2\frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} dr^2 \circ g_r \right) (X, \partial_r, \partial_r, W) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$R = \frac{c - \dot{\rho}^2}{\rho^2} g_r \circ g_r - 2\frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} dr^2 \circ g_r$$

Now, we rewrite  $R$  in terms of  $g$  and  $dr$ . Note that, *Kulkarni-Nomizu product* is bilinear and  $dr^2 \circ dr^2 = 0$ , so

$$g \circ g = (dr^2 + g_r) \circ (dr^2 + g_r) = g_r \circ g_r + 2dr^2 \circ g_r$$

Hence,

$$R = \frac{c - \dot{\rho}^2}{\rho^2} g \circ g - 2 \left( \frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} + \frac{c - \dot{\rho}^2}{\rho^2} \right) dr^2 \circ g$$

### 3.1.2 (2)

We will show that  $P \circ g = R$ , equivalently

$$P = \frac{2}{n-2} \text{Ric} - \frac{\text{scal}}{(n-1)(n-2)} \cdot g = \frac{c - \dot{\rho}^2}{\rho^2} g - 2 \left( \frac{c - \dot{\rho}^2}{\rho^2} + \frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} \right) dr^2$$

First, we write Ric and scal in terms of  $dr$  and  $g$ . Let  $\{E_i\}_{i=1}^n$  be an orthonormal frame so that  $E_1$  is parallel to  $\partial_r$ , then  $E_2, \dots, E_n$  are in  $N$ . Note that,  $g_r(E_i, E_i) \neq 0$  if and only if  $i \neq 1$ , so  $\text{tr } g_r = n - 1$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \text{tr}(g_r \circ g_r)(Y, Z) &= (g_r \circ g_r)(E_i, Y, Z, E_i) \\ &= g_r(E_i, E_i)g_r(Y, Z) - g_r(E_i, Z)g_r(Y, E_i) \\ &= (\text{tr } g_r)g_r(Y, Z) - g_r(Y, Z) \\ &= (n-2)g_r(Y, Z) \end{aligned}$$

Note that,  $dr(E_i) \neq 0$  if and only if  $i = 1$ , so  $dr(E_i)dr(Z)g_r(Y, E_i) = dr(Y)dr(E_i)g_r(E_i, Z) = 0$  and  $dr(E_i)dr(E_i) = \text{tr } dr^2 = 1$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} \text{tr}(dr^2 \circ g_r) &= (dr^2 \circ g_r)(E_i, Y, Z, E_i) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}dr(E_i)dr(E_i)g_r(Y, Z) + \frac{1}{2}dr(Y)dr(Z)g_r(E_i, E_i) \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2}dr(E_i)dr(Z)g_r(Y, E_i) - \frac{1}{2}dr(Y)dr(E_i)g_r(E_i, Z) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}g_r(Y, Z) + \frac{1}{2}dr(Y)dr(Z)(\text{tr } g_r) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}g_r(Y, Z) + \frac{1}{2}(n-1)dr^2(Y, Z) \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $\text{tr}(g_r \circ g_r) = (n-2)g_r$  and  $\text{tr}(dr^2 \circ g_r) = \frac{1}{2}g_r + \frac{1}{2}(n-1)dr^2$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Ric} &= \frac{c - \dot{\rho}^2}{\rho^2} \text{tr}(g_r \circ g_r) - 2 \frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} \text{tr}(dr^2 \circ g_r) \\ &= \frac{(n-2)(c - \dot{\rho}^2)}{\rho^2} g_r - \frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} (g_r + (n-1)dr^2) \\ &= \left( \frac{(n-2)(c - \dot{\rho}^2)}{\rho^2} - \frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} \right) g_r - (n-1) \frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} dr^2 \\ &= \left( \frac{(n-2)(c - \dot{\rho}^2)}{\rho^2} - \frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} \right) (g - dr^2) - (n-1) \frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} dr^2 \\ &= \left( \frac{(n-2)(c - \dot{\rho}^2)}{\rho^2} - \frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} \right) g - (n-2) \left( \frac{c - \dot{\rho}^2}{\rho^2} + \frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} \right) dr^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{scal} &= \text{tr Ric} \\
&= \left( \frac{(n-2)(c-\dot{\rho}^2)}{\rho^2} - \frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} \right) \text{tr } g - (n-2) \left( \frac{c-\dot{\rho}^2}{\rho^2} + \frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} \right) \text{tr } dr^2 \\
&= n \left( \frac{(n-2)(c-\dot{\rho}^2)}{\rho^2} - \frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} \right) - (n-2) \left( \frac{c-\dot{\rho}^2}{\rho^2} + \frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} \right) \\
&= \frac{(n-1)(n-2)(c-\dot{\rho}^2)}{\rho^2} - \frac{2(n-1)\ddot{\rho}}{\rho}
\end{aligned}$$

Now, we write  $P$  in terms of  $dr$  and  $g$

$$\begin{aligned}
P &= \frac{2}{n-2} \text{Ric} - \frac{\text{scal}}{(n-1)(n-2)} \cdot g \\
&= \frac{2}{n-2} \left( \left( \frac{(n-2)(c-\dot{\rho}^2)}{\rho^2} - \frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} \right) g - (n-2) \left( \frac{c-\dot{\rho}^2}{\rho^2} + \frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} \right) dr^2 \right) \\
&\quad - \frac{1}{(n-1)(n-2)} \left( \frac{(n-1)(n-2)(c-\dot{\rho}^2)}{\rho^2} - \frac{2(n-1)\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} \right) g \\
&= \frac{2(c-\dot{\rho}^2)}{\rho^2} g - \frac{2\ddot{\rho}}{(n-2)\rho} g - 2 \left( \frac{c-\dot{\rho}^2}{\rho^2} + \frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} \right) dr^2 \\
&\quad - \frac{c-\dot{\rho}^2}{\rho^2} g + \frac{2\ddot{\rho}}{(n-2)\rho} g \\
&= \frac{c-\dot{\rho}^2}{\rho^2} g - 2 \left( \frac{c-\dot{\rho}^2}{\rho^2} + \frac{\ddot{\rho}}{\rho} \right) dr^2
\end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$R - P \circ g = W = 0$$