

# GEOMETRY HOMEWORK 5

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**Problem 1** (Ex P151 2). *Show that if a surface is tangent to a plane along a curve, then the points of this curve are either parabolic or planar.*

*Proof.*

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**Problem 3** (Ex P151 3).

- (a) *Let  $C \subset S$  be a regular curve on a surface  $S$  with Gaussian curvature  $K > 0$ . Show that the curvature  $\kappa$  of  $C$  at  $p$  satisfies*

$$\kappa \geq \min(|\kappa_1|, |\kappa_2|),$$

*where  $\kappa_1, \kappa_2$  are the principal curvatures of  $S$  at  $p$ .*

- (b) 為什麼上一小題需要  $K > 0$  的條件,  $K \geq 0$  不可以嗎?

*Proof.*

□

**Problem 7.**

- (a)  $T_\lambda$  是縮放  $\lambda$  倍的映射,  $\lambda > 0$ .  $\mathbb{X} : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  regular surface. 討論  $T_\lambda \circ \mathbb{X} : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  上對應點  $\kappa_n, H, K$  的變化。
- (b)  $\mathbb{X} : \begin{smallmatrix} \Omega \\ (u, v) \end{smallmatrix} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ , 若定義  $\bar{\mathbb{X}}(u, v) = \mathbb{X}(v, u)$  (因此  $N$  轉向)。討論  $\bar{\mathbb{X}}(\Omega)$  上相對應點的  $K_n, H, K$  變化。

*Proof.*

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**Problem 9** (旋轉面).  $\mathbb{X}(u, v) = (f(u) \cos v, f(u) \sin v, g(u))$ ,  $f > 0$

- (a) 計算其  $e, f, g, H, K$
- (b) 討論其 principal direction 與 principal curvature  $K_1, K_2$ 。

*Proof.* To avoid the notational ambiguity, let  $\mathbb{X}(u, v) = (s(u) \cos v, s(u) \sin v, t(u))$ , and that  $s > 0$ .

(a) We have

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbb{X}_u &= (s'(u) \cos v, s'(u) \sin v, t'(u)); \\
\mathbb{X}_v &= (-s(u) \sin v, s(u) \cos v, 0); \\
E &= \langle \mathbb{X}_u, \mathbb{X}_u \rangle = s'(u)^2 + t'(u)^2 \\
F &= \langle \mathbb{X}_u, \mathbb{X}_v \rangle = 0 \\
G &= \langle \mathbb{X}_v, \mathbb{X}_v \rangle = s(u)^2 \\
\mathbb{X}_{uu} &= (s''(u) \cos v, s''(u) \sin v, t''(u)); \\
\mathbb{X}_{uv} &= (-s'(u) \sin v, s'(u) \cos v, 0); \\
\mathbb{X}_{vv} &= (-s(u) \cos v, -s(u) \sin v, 0); \\
N &= \frac{\mathbb{X}_u \times \mathbb{X}_v}{|\mathbb{X}_u \times \mathbb{X}_v|} = \frac{(-t'(u)s(u) \cos v, -t'(u)s(u) \sin v, s'(u)s(u))}{\sqrt{t'(u)^2 s(u)^2 + s'(u)^2 s(u)^2}} \\
&= \frac{(-t'(u) \cos v, -t'(u) \sin v, s'(u))}{\sqrt{t'(u)^2 + s'(u)^2}}; \\
e &= \langle N, \mathbb{X}_{uu} \rangle = \frac{-s''(u)t'(u) + t''(u)s'(u)}{\sqrt{t'(u)^2 + s'(u)^2}} \\
f &= \langle N, \mathbb{X}_{uv} \rangle = 0 \\
g &= \langle N, \mathbb{X}_{vv} \rangle = \frac{s(u)t'(u)}{\sqrt{t'(u)^2 + s'(u)^2}} \\
-dN &= \begin{bmatrix} e & f \\ f & g \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} E & F \\ F & G \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{EG - F^2} \begin{bmatrix} e & f \\ f & g \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} G & -F \\ -F & E \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} e/E & 0 \\ 0 & g/G \end{bmatrix} \\
K &= \det(-dN) = \frac{eg}{EG} \\
H &= \frac{1}{2} \text{tr}(-dN) = \frac{eG + gE}{2EG}
\end{aligned}$$

(b) Since  $-dN$  is already a diagonal matrix, clearly,

$$\begin{aligned}
K_1 &= e/E; \\
K_2 &= g/G; \\
V_1 &= \mathbb{X}_u; \\
V_2 &= \mathbb{X}_v;
\end{aligned}$$

□

**Problem 10 (管面).**  $\mathbb{X}(s, \theta) = \gamma(s) + \cos \theta \vec{n}(s) + \sin \theta \vec{b}(s)$ ,  $0 < \kappa < 1$

(a) 計算其  $e, f, g, H, K$

(b) 討論曲面上  $K$  的分佈。

*Proof.*

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