

GEOMETRY HOMEWORK 10

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Problem 2. 若 $E = 1, F = 0, G = 1, f = 0$, 假設再加入函數 e, g 後是某 surface 的 1st & 2nd fundamental form.

- (a) 說明 e, g 中至少有一為 0
- (b) 說明若 $e = g = 0$ 則此曲面為平面
- (c) 說明若 $e \neq 0$, 則此曲面為特別的 ruled surface, 並討論 e 的意義。

Proof. (a) Since $E = 1, F = 0, G = 1$, we know that the surface has $K = 0$, so $eg - f^2 = 0$. So $eg = 0$, and one of e and g is zero.

(b) If $e = g = 0$, then

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{X}_{uu} &= [1, 1, 1]\mathbb{X}_u + [1, 1, 2]\mathbb{X}_v + eN = 0 \\ \mathbb{X}_{uv} &= [1, 2, 1]\mathbb{X}_u + [1, 2, 2]\mathbb{X}_v + fN = 0 \\ \mathbb{X}_{vv} &= [2, 2, 1]\mathbb{X}_u + [2, 2, 2]\mathbb{X}_v + gN = 0\end{aligned}$$

So \mathbb{X}_u and \mathbb{X}_v are constant, and the surface is a plane.

- (c) if $e \neq 0$, then $g = 0$, and $\mathbb{X}_{vu} = \mathbb{X}_{vv} = 0$, so \mathbb{X}_v is constant. So $\mathbb{X}(u, v)$ is a line when we fix u , thus \mathbb{X} is a ruled surface. Let $\gamma(u) = \mathbb{X}(u, 0)$, then $\|\gamma'(u)\| = \|\mathbb{X}_u\| = 1$, so u is arc-length parameter for γ . $\gamma''(u) = \mathbb{X}_{uu}(u, 0) = eN$, so $\text{sign}(e)N$ is also the n for γ , and γ has curvature $|e|$.

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Problem 4 (Ex p237 8.). Compute the Cristoffel symbols for an open set of the plane

- (a) In cartesian coordinates.
- (b) In polar coordinates.

Use the Gauss formula to compute K in both cases.

Problem 6. 有一 surface $\mathbb{X}(u, v)$, 令 $\hat{\mathbb{X}}(u, v) = \lambda \mathbb{X}(u, v), \lambda > 0$.

(a) 討論 $\hat{\Gamma}_{ij}^k$ 和 Γ_{ij}^k 的關係

(b) 從 Gauss equation (GTE) 討論 \hat{K} 和 K 的關係

Problem 9. 舉一個例子說明有可能 $F: M \rightarrow N$ 是 conformal map, 且相應點 $K_M > 0, K_N = 0$ (想想曾經討論的例子)

Proof. 取 M 為單位球 $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$, N 為平面 $z = 0$, 則顯然 $K_M > 0, K_N = 0$.

取 map $f: M \mapsto N$, $f(x, y, z) = (\frac{x}{1-z}, \frac{y}{1-z}, 0)$ 為 stereographic projection.

因為若 $f(x, y, z) = (u, v, w)$, 則

$$\begin{aligned} du^2 + dv^2 + dw^2 &= \left(\frac{(1-z)dx + xdz}{(1-z)^2} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{(1-z)dy + ydz}{(1-z)^2} \right)^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{(1-z)^4} ((1-z)^2 dx^2 + (1-z)^2 dy^2 + (x^2 + y^2) dz^2 + (xdx + ydy)(1-z)dz) \\ &= \frac{1}{(1-z)^4} ((1-z)^2 dx^2 + (1-z)^2 dy^2 + (-z^2 + 1) dz^2 + (-zdz)(1-z)dz) \\ &= \frac{1}{(1-z)^4} ((1-z)^2 dx^2 + (1-z)^2 dy^2 + (1-z) dz^2) \end{aligned}$$

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