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REGULAR PARAMETRISATION

DEFINITION

A *regular parametrisation* for a surface is a C^1 map,

$$\vec{\mathbf{r}}(u, v) = (x(u, v), y(u, v), z(u, v))$$

such that the differential $d\vec{\mathbf{r}}$ is injective.

REGULAR PARAMETRISATION

- Domain: $(u, v) \in U$ an open set of \mathbb{R}^2
- Injectivity: columns $\partial_u \vec{\mathbf{r}}, \partial_v \vec{\mathbf{r}}$ linearly independent

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DEFINITION

A regular (parametrised) surface S is the image of a regular parametrisation.

EXAMPLES

PARABOLOID

EXAMPLE

$$\vec{\mathbf{r}}(u, v) = (u, v, u^2 + v^2)$$

SPHERE

EXAMPLE

$$\vec{\mathbf{r}}(\theta, \varphi) = (\sin \varphi \cos \theta, \sin \varphi \sin \theta, \cos \varphi)$$

$$0 < \theta < 2\pi, \quad 0 < \varphi < \pi$$

TORUS

EXAMPLE

$$x(\theta, \varphi) = (R_{\text{out}} + R_{\text{in}} \cos \theta) \cos \varphi$$

$$y(\theta, \varphi) = (R_{\text{out}} + R_{\text{in}} \cos \theta) \sin \varphi$$

$$z(\theta, \varphi) = R_{\text{in}} \sin \theta$$

SURFACES OF REVOLUTION

DEFINITION

Let $f : (a, b) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a positive function.

Surface of revolution of f around the z axis:

$$\vec{\mathbf{r}}(t, \theta) = (f(t) \cos \theta, f(t) \sin \theta, t)$$

SURFACES OF REVOLUTION: EXAMPLES

- Sphere: $f = \sqrt{1 - t^2}$
- Cylinder: $f = 1$
- Paraboloid $f = t^2$

HYPERBOLOIDS

- Upper sheet of two sheeted hyperboloid: $f = \sqrt{1 + t^2}$
 - $x^2 + y^2 - z^2 = -1$
 - $\vec{\mathbf{r}}(\theta, \varphi) = (\cosh \varphi \cos \theta, \cosh \varphi \sin \theta, \sinh \varphi)$
(hyperbolic polar coords)
- One sheeted hyperboloid: $f = \sqrt{t^2 - 1}$