Geometric Analysis Exam Presentation Outline

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I. INTRODUCTION

- 1. **Define** Lie groups
- 2. **State** example of $GL(n, \mathbb{R})$ and **prove** that it is a Lie group.
- 3. State that Lie groups provide a way to move between elements (group multiplication)
- 4. **Prove** left translation is diffeo
- 5. **Prove** Lie group homos have constant rank
- 6. **Prove** Identity component is only connected open subgroup, all connected components are diffeo to identity component
- 7. **Draw** picture corresponding to previous proof
- 8. State that embedded subgroups are open and closed.

II. GROUP ACTIONS

- 9. **Define** what it means for a smooth function to intertwine actions
- 10. **Prove:** If group action on M, N is transitive and F intertwines actions, F has constant rank.
- 11. **Prove** orbit map $G \to M$ (fixed p) is constant rank.

III. LIE ALGEBRAS

12. State commutator properties

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- 13. **Define** a lie algebra
- 14. **Define** left invariant vector fields
- 15. Prove that left invariant vector fields are closed under the commutator
- 16. **Prove** that $\dim(\text{Lie}(G)) = \dim(G)$ by showing that the evaluation map is an isomorphism.
- 17. **Deduce** as a corollary that all left invariant vector fields on a lie group are smooth.

A. Matrix Lie Group & Algebra

- 18. **State** that $GL(n, \mathbb{R})$ is an open subset of $\mathfrak{gl}(n, \mathbb{R})$.
- 19. **Prove** that $GL(n, \mathbb{R}) \cong T_{I_n}GL(n, \mathbb{R}) \cong \mathfrak{gl}(n, \mathbb{R})$

B. Lie Algebra Homomorphisms