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$M, g_{ab}, \bar{T}_{ab}$

$$G_{ab} = \delta(\text{today}) T_{ab}$$

# 3+1 Decomposition of Spacetime

References: GR by Wald Chp. 10.2  
3+1 Formalismourgoulhon arXiv:gr-qc/0703035

## Hypersurfaces of Spacetime

4-dim manifold  $\mathcal{M}$

3-dim manifold  $\hat{\Sigma}$

Embedding of  $\hat{\Sigma}$  in  $\mathcal{M}$

$$\bar{\Phi}: \hat{\Sigma} \rightarrow \mathcal{M}, \quad |\cdot|, \bar{\Phi}, \bar{\Phi}' \text{ continuous}$$

Then

Level set

Then  $\Phi(\frac{1}{2}) = \Sigma$  is called a hypersurface

Level set  $\Sigma = \{x^a \in M \mid F(x^a) = 0\}$

$\partial_a F$  is normal  $\Sigma$   
 $\Leftrightarrow \partial_a F v^a = 0$   $v^a$  - tangent to  $\Sigma$

$\partial_a F$  t.m.c.l

$\Phi, \Phi'$  continuous

called a hypersurface

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} F(x^\alpha) = 0 \end{array} \right\}$$

$\partial_a F$	timelike,	call $\Sigma$	spacelike
$\partial_a F$	spacelike	call $\Sigma$	timelike
$\partial_a F$	null	call $\bar{\Sigma}$	null

$x \in \mathcal{M}, |\cdot|, \bar{\Phi}, \bar{\Phi}'$  continuous

(choose coordinates  $x^a = (t, x^i)$   $x^i$  coordinates  
on  $\hat{\Sigma}$   
 $\uparrow$  3-index

with  $\Sigma = \{x^a \in \mathcal{M} \mid t=0\}$

embedding

$$\bar{\Phi}: \hat{\Sigma} \rightarrow \mathcal{M}$$
$$x^i \rightarrow (0, x^i)$$

normal

$$n_g = \frac{-\nabla_a t}{\sqrt{-\nabla_a t \nabla^a t}} \quad n_\zeta n^\zeta = -1$$

$$n^\zeta = (1, \vec{0}) \quad (\text{in Minkowski})$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \Phi: \Sigma^1 &\rightarrow \mathcal{M} \\ v^i &\rightarrow (0, v^i) \end{aligned} \quad \text{push-forward mapping}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi^*: \mathcal{M} &\rightarrow \Sigma^1 \\ (u_\pm, u_i) &\rightarrow u_i \quad \text{pull back} \\ \text{In } \mathcal{M} & \\ (0, v^i) & (u_\pm, u_i) \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{-\nabla_a t}{\sqrt{-\nabla_a t \nabla^a t}}$$

$$n_s n^s = -1$$

$(\vec{0})$  (in  $M_{\text{Minkowski}}$ )

$M$   
 $(0, v)$

push-forward  
mapping

$$\Phi^* : M \rightarrow \Sigma^1$$

$$(u_+, u_-) \rightarrow u_+ \quad \text{pull back}$$

$T_n M$

$$(0, v) \quad (u_+, u_-)$$

$v, u_+$

$\Sigma^1$   
 $v, u_+$

Caution  $M \xrightarrow{\Sigma} \mathbb{R}^n$   
 $(v^+, v^-) \rightarrow v^+$   
 Vectors  $v^a \rightarrow \gamma_b^a v^b$

$\gamma_b^a = \delta_b^a$   
 $n_a \gamma_b^a v^b$

For metric  $M$ , induced metric  $\gamma_{ij}$  on  $\Sigma$   
 is  $\gamma_{ij} = g_{ij}$  in our adopted coordinates

$$v^a = \underbrace{-v^b n_b n^a}_{\text{orthogonal}} + \underbrace{\left( v^a + v^b n_b n^a \right)}_{\text{tangent}} = \left( \gamma_b^a v^b \right)$$

$$\gamma_b^a = \delta_b^a + n_b n^a$$

$$n_a \gamma_b^a v^b = n^a v_b - n_a v^a = 0$$

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$$\sum_{v_i} \xrightarrow{M} \gamma_{ij}^i v_i$$

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$$\gamma_{ab} = \gamma_a^i \gamma_b^j \gamma_{ij} = g_{ab} + n_a n_b$$

$$\text{if } U^a n_a = v^a n_a = 0$$

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$$\gamma_{ab} U^a v^b = g_{ab} U^a v^b$$

$$\text{if } v^a = \lambda n^a$$

$$\gamma_{ab} U^a v^b = 0$$

Intrinsic Curvature

Same as  $(g_{ab}, M) \rightarrow (\gamma_{ij}, \Sigma)$

Introduce covariant derivative

compatible  $\gamma_{ij}$

(also assume torsion free)

$$D_i \gamma_{jk} = 0$$

$$\Gamma^{(3)}_{jk}$$

3D Riemann tensor

Christoffel symbols defined w/  $\gamma_{ij}$

$$(D_i D_j - D_j D_i) v^k = R^{(3)k}_{ij} v^l$$

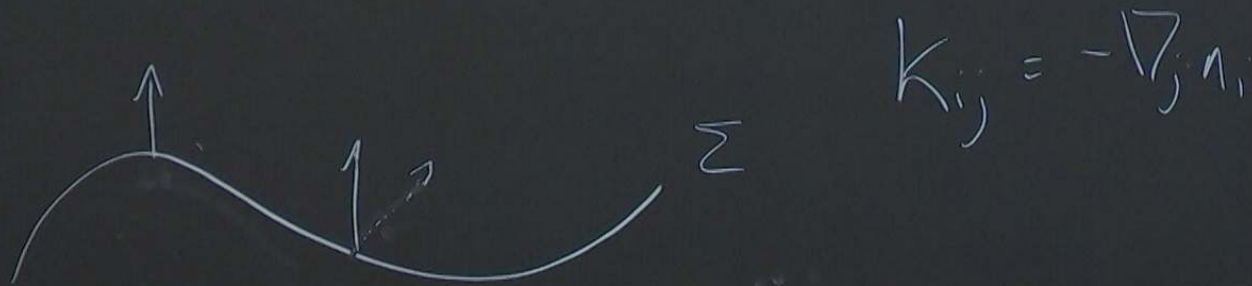
$${}^{(3)}R_{ij} = {}^{(3)}R_{ikj}$$

$${}^{(3)}R = \gamma^j_i {}^{(3)}R_{ij}$$

$$D_a T^{b_1 b_2 \dots c_1 c_2 \dots} = \gamma_{d_1}^{b_1} \gamma_{d_2}^{b_2} \gamma_{c_1}^{e_1} \gamma_{c_2}^{e_2} \gamma_a^f \nabla_f T^{d_1 \dots e_1 \dots}$$

$$D_a \gamma_{bc} = \gamma_b^d \gamma_c^e \gamma_a^f \nabla_f (g_{de} + \lambda_{de}) = 0$$

## Extrinsic Curvature



Example: Cylinder as hypersurface in  $\mathbb{R}^3$   
 $\Sigma = \{ (x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid x^2 + y^2 = 1 \}$

Unit normal  $n_a = \left( \frac{x}{\rho}, \frac{y}{\rho}, 0 \right)$

$$\nabla_b n_a = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{-y}{\rho^3} & \frac{-xy}{\rho^3} & 0 \\ \frac{-xy}{\rho^3} & \frac{x^2}{\rho^3} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$J_i^a = \frac{dx^a}{dx^i}$$

$i = \{ \phi, z \}$   
 $\tan \phi = \frac{y}{x}$

$$K_{ij} = -\nabla_n n_b J_i^a J_j^b$$

$$K_{\phi\phi} = \frac{-(x^2+y)^2}{\rho^3} \Big|_{\rho=1} = -1$$

$\mathbb{R}^3$   
 $\rho=1$

$$\frac{dx^a}{dx^i}$$

$$\frac{(x^2+y)^2}{\rho^3} \Big|_{\rho=1} = -1$$

$$K_{ab} = \gamma_a^i \gamma_b^j K_{ij}$$

$$= -\nabla_b n_a - \underbrace{n^c (\nabla_c n_a)}_{a_a \text{ "acceleration"}} n_b$$