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Frame fields + pushforward + pullback + differ

extend \otimes to tensor fields

$$(T \otimes S): a \in M \mapsto (a, T_a \otimes S_a) \in (\dots)$$

$\{E_i\}_{i=1}^m$

T tensor

ck + differential forms

$$E_i: U \subseteq M \rightarrow TM$$

$\{E_i\}_{i=1}^m$ frame $\{\varepsilon^i\}$ dual α -frame

T tensor field of type (r, s)

$$T = \underbrace{T^{i_1 \dots i_r}_{j_1 \dots j_s}}_{\in C^\infty(U, \mathbb{R})} E_{i_1} \otimes \dots \otimes E_{i_r} \otimes \varepsilon^{j_1} \otimes \dots \otimes \varepsilon^{j_s}$$

local chart $(U, (x^0, \dots, x^{n-1}))$

$\{dx^0, dx^1, \dots, dx^{n-1}\}$ co-frame

$$g|_U = g_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu \otimes dx^\nu$$

$$g_{\mu\nu} \in C^\infty(U, \mathbb{R})$$

$$g_a = g_{\mu\nu}(a) dx^\mu \otimes dx^\nu$$

$$g_a(v_1, v_2) = 0 \quad \forall v_2 \in T_a M$$

$$\Rightarrow v_1 = 0$$

$f: M \rightarrow N$ smooth. Derivative of f at $x \in M$?

$f: U \subseteq \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ differentiable if there is a linear map at x_0

turns out $df_{x_0}(v) = v^i \left(\frac{\partial f^j}{\partial x^i}(x_0) \right) e_j$ \rightarrow Jacobian matrix
 $v = v^i e_i$

M?

linear map $df_{x_0}: \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ s.t. $\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \frac{\|f(x) - f(x_0) - df_{x_0}(x - x_0)\|}{\|x - x_0\|} = 0$

matrix

$F: M \rightarrow N$ smooth, $a \in M$

$dF_a: T_a M \rightarrow T_{F(a)} N$ linear

$dF_a(v)$ derivation at $F(a)$ dF_a symbol

$x^i: U \subset M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$dx^i: T_a M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$(dF_a(v))f = v(f \circ F) \in \mathbb{R}$$

\swarrow
 $C^\infty(N, \mathbb{R})$

\downarrow
 $f \in C^\infty(M, \mathbb{R})$

$(dF_a(v))$
X

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left. \begin{array}{l} F) \in \mathbb{R} \\ C^\infty(M, \mathbb{R}) \end{array} \right| \underbrace{(dF_x)_\alpha}_{X} (fg) = \mathcal{L}_{(fg)_\alpha} F = \mathcal{L}_{(f_\alpha)_\alpha (g_\alpha)_\alpha} F \quad \mathcal{L} \in T_x M \\
 & = \underbrace{(f_\alpha)_\alpha}_f(F_\alpha)_\alpha \underbrace{\mathcal{L}_{(g_\alpha)_\alpha}}_{X(g)} + \underbrace{(g_\alpha)_\alpha}_g \mathcal{L}_{(f_\alpha)_\alpha} F \\
 & \quad \underbrace{f(F_\alpha)_\alpha}_{X(f)} \underbrace{\mathcal{L}_{(g_\alpha)_\alpha}}_{X(g)} + \dots + \underbrace{g(F_\alpha)_\alpha}_{X(g)} X(f)
 \end{aligned}$$

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$$v = v^i e_i \quad \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^i} \right) e_j$$

coordinate charts $(U, \varphi = (x^1, \dots, x^m)) \in \mathcal{A}_M$ $(V, \psi = (y^1, \dots, y^n)) \in \mathcal{A}_N$

$$\left(dF_e \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^i} \Big|_e \right) \right) (f) = \frac{\partial}{\partial x^i} \Big|_e (f \circ F) = D_i (f \circ F \circ \varphi^{-1}) (\varphi(e)) = D_i \left(\underbrace{f \circ \psi^{-1}} \circ \psi \circ F \circ \varphi^{-1} \right) (e)$$

$$dF_e \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^i} \Big|_e \right) = \left(\frac{\partial \hat{F}^j}{\partial x^i} \Big|_e \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial y^j} \Big|_{F(e)}$$

$$(y^1, \dots, y^n) \in A_N$$

$$z \in U, F(z) \in V$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= D_i \left(\underbrace{f \circ \psi^{-1} \circ \psi \circ \hat{F} \circ \varphi^{-1}} \right) (\varphi(z)) = \boxed{D_i (f \circ \psi^{-1}) (\psi(F(z)))} D_i \left(\underbrace{\psi \circ \hat{F} \circ \varphi^{-1}} \right)'_i \left(\underbrace{\varphi(z)} \right) \\ &= \frac{\partial}{\partial y^i} \Big|_{F(z)} (f) \left(\frac{\partial \hat{F}^j}{\partial x^i} (\hat{z}) \right) \end{aligned}$$

Pull back

$F: M \rightarrow N$ smooth

\rightarrow takes some fields on N

• $f: N \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ smooth, its pullback by F is $F^*f = f \circ F: M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

• $\alpha: N \rightarrow TN$ covector field, $F^*\alpha: M \rightarrow TM$, $(F^*\alpha)_e(\omega) = \alpha_{F(e)}(dF_e(\omega))$
 \downarrow \downarrow
 $\in T_e M$ $\in T_{F(e)}$

$M \rightarrow N$ smooth \rightarrow takes some fields on N to fields on M

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 $\in T_e M$ $\in T_{F(e)} N$

\searrow pushforward of F at a

$$x^i: U \subseteq M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$dx^i_e: T_e M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

Pull back

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\downarrow $\in T_e M$ \downarrow $\in T_{F(e)} N$

$$v = v^i e_i$$

• $T: N \rightarrow T^{0,s}N$ tensorfield, $F^*T: M \rightarrow T^{0,s}M$

$$(F^*T)_q(v_1, v_2, \dots, v_s) = T_{F(q)}(dF_q(v_1), \dots, dF_q(v_s))$$

Property: pullback is linear

in coordinates

$$F^* dg^i \rightarrow dg^i: V \subseteq N \rightarrow TN$$

$$(F^* dg^i)_e \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^j} \Big|_e \right) = dg^i_{F(e)} \left(dF_e \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^j} \Big|_e \right) \right) = dg^i_{F(e)} \left(\frac{\partial \hat{F}^k}{\partial x^j} \Big|_e \frac{\partial}{\partial y^k} \Big|_{F(e)} \right)$$

$$\boxed{F^* dg^i = \frac{\partial \hat{F}^i}{\partial x^j} dx^j}$$

$$= \frac{\partial \hat{F}^i}{\partial x^j} \Big|_e$$

other properties

• $f: N \rightarrow R, T: N \rightarrow T^{q,s} N$

$F^*(fT) = (F^*f)(F^*T)$

• $F^*(T \otimes S) = (F^*T) \otimes (F^*S)$

ex

ex $T = T_{ij} dy^i \otimes dy^j$

$F^*T = (F^*T_{ij})(F^*dy^i) \otimes (F^*dy^j)$
 \downarrow
 $T_{ij} \circ F$