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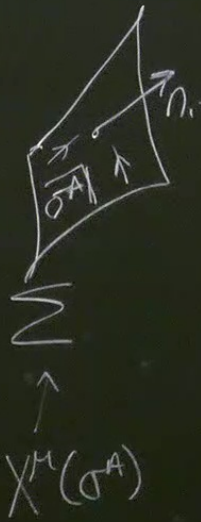
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Gauss-Codazzi: describes  
properties of lower dim<sup>t</sup> submanifolds  
The curvature & connection "split"  
into parallel & perpendicular parts.  
Let  $\Sigma \subset M$  be a submanifold of  
dim  $d$ ,  $\dim(M) = D$



Defn: The co-dimension  
of  $\Sigma$  in  $M$  is  $n = D - d$ .

There exist  $n$  lin. indep.  
vectors  $n_i \in T_p(M)$  s.t.

$$n_i(\sigma^A) = 0 \quad \forall \text{ coord frms } \sigma^A \text{ on } \Sigma.$$

$$g_{\mu\nu} n_i^2$$

eg  $S^2$

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-D-d

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on  $\Sigma$ .

$$g_{\mu\nu} n_i^2 \frac{\partial X^M}{\partial \sigma^A} = 0$$

eg  $S^2$  :  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$       $\sigma^A = \theta, \varphi$

$$X^M(\sigma^A) = \begin{pmatrix} \sin\theta \cos\varphi \\ \sin\theta \sin\varphi \\ \cos\theta \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X^M_{,\theta} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta \cos\varphi \\ \cos\theta \sin\varphi \\ -\sin\theta \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X^M_{,\varphi} = \begin{pmatrix} -\sin\theta \sin\varphi \\ \sin\theta \cos\varphi \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\dim d, \dim(\mathcal{M}) = D$$

$$\underline{n} \cdot (0) = 0$$

$$\underline{n} = \frac{\partial}{\partial r} = \frac{x^i}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial x^i} \leftrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} \sin\theta \cos\phi \\ \sin\theta \sin\phi \\ \cos\theta \end{pmatrix}$$

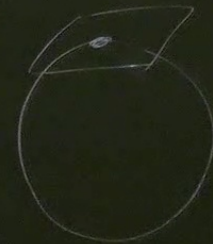
Clearly  $\underline{n} \cdot \underline{X}_{,A} = 0$

$\underline{n}$  does not need to be normalised,

but for convenience take  $\eta_{\mu\nu} \eta^{\mu\nu} = \epsilon \delta_{ij}$   
+1  $\uparrow$  timelike  
-1 spacelike

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Note

Defn: The 1<sup>st</sup> fundamental form  
or induced metric on  $\Sigma$  is

$$h_{ab} = g_{ab} + N_{ia} N_{ib} \quad (\text{take } n \text{ spacelike})$$

- the metric  $\Sigma$  inherits from  $M$ .

Note  $h$  lies in the cotangent bundle of  $M$ .

$= \epsilon_i \delta_{ij}$   
+1  $\uparrow$  timelike  
-1 spacelike

Integral form

on  $\Sigma$  is

(take  $n$   
spacelike)

from  $M$ .

tangent bundle of  $M$

Can also represent as  
an intrinsic metric

$$\gamma_{AB} = g_{\mu\nu} \frac{\partial X^\mu}{\partial \sigma^A} \frac{\partial X^\nu}{\partial \sigma^B}$$

$\gamma_{AB}$  in cotangent bundle of  $\Sigma$



but for convenience take  $n_i n_j^M = \epsilon \delta_{ij}$

+1 timelike  
-1 spacelike

Note  $h$  lies in the

eg.  $S^2$ :  $h_{ij} = \delta_{ij} - n_i n_j$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 - \frac{x^2}{r^2} & -\frac{xy}{r^2} & -\frac{xz}{r^2} \\ \cdot & 1 - \frac{y^2}{r^2} & -\frac{yz}{r^2} \\ \cdot & \cdot & 1 - \frac{z^2}{r^2} \end{bmatrix}$$

(in cartesian)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \sin^2 \theta \end{bmatrix}$$

sph  
polars

or  $\gamma_{AB} = \frac{\partial x^i}{\partial \sigma^A} \frac{\partial x^j}{\partial \sigma^B} \delta_{ij}$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \sin^2 \theta \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(d\theta^2 + \sin^2 \theta d\phi^2)$$

lies in the cotangent bundle of  $\mathcal{M}$

$\gamma_{AB}$  in cotangent bundle of  $\Sigma$

$$\frac{\partial X^\alpha}{\partial \sigma^B} \delta \sigma^B$$

0  
 $\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{side} \end{array} \right\}$

Defn. The 2<sup>nd</sup> fundamental form or extrinsic curvature of  $\Sigma$  measures how

$\Sigma$  curves in  $\mathcal{M}$ .

$$K_{i\mu\nu} = h_{\mu\sigma} h_{\nu\lambda} \nabla_\sigma n_{i\lambda}$$

$$\text{or } K_{iAB} = X_{i,\alpha}^\mu X_{,\beta}^\nu \nabla_\mu n_{i\nu} = -n_{i\mu} D_A \left( \frac{\partial X^\mu}{\partial \sigma^A} \right)$$



where  $D_A$  is the connection on  $\Sigma$ .

$$(d) \nabla_\mu V_\nu = h_\mu^\lambda h_\nu^\sigma \nabla_\lambda V_\sigma$$

Finally, the normal fundamental forms  
measure how the normals "twist" around  $\Sigma$ .

$$\beta_{\mu\nu} = n_{[\nu} \nabla_\mu n_{\lambda]}$$

- connection on normal bundle of  $\Sigma$ .

e.g.  $S^2$   $n^i = \frac{x^i}{r}$

$$n_{i,j} = \frac{\delta_{ij}}{r} - \frac{x_i x_j}{r^3}$$

$$\frac{1}{r} h_{ij}$$

$d\Sigma$

$$K_{ij} = h_i^k h_j^l n_{k,l} = \frac{1}{r} (\delta_{ik} - n_i n_k) (\delta_{jl} - n_j n_l) (\delta_{kl} - n_k n_l)$$

$$= \frac{1}{r} (\delta_{ik} - n_i n_k) (\delta_{jk} - n_j n_k - \cancel{n_j n_k} + \cancel{n_j n_k}) = \frac{1}{r} (\delta_{ij} - n_i n_j)$$

$$\leftarrow \frac{1}{r} h_{ij}$$

$$n_e)(\delta_{kl} - n_k n_l)$$

$$n_k) = \frac{1}{r} (\delta_{ij} - n_i n_j)$$

The extrinsic curvature is related to the intrinsic curvature of  $\Sigma_1$ , but is distinct

$$(d) R^a{}_{bcd} = {}^{(D)}R^{a' b' c' d'} h^a{}_{a'} h^b{}_{b'} h^c{}_{c'} h^d{}_{d'}$$

$$+ \Sigma G [K_i{}^a c K_{abd} - K_i{}^a d K_{abc}]$$

For codim 1. Take  $n^a$  to  
be geodesically extended off  $\Sigma$ .

$$n^a \nabla_a n^b = 0 \quad \& \quad \nabla_a n_b = K_{ab}$$

$$\begin{aligned} {}^{(d)}R^a{}_{bcd} V^b &= ({}^{(d)}\nabla_c {}^{(d)}\nabla_d - c_{cd}) V^a \\ &= h_c{}^{c'} h_d{}^{d'} h_a{}^a \left( \nabla_c{}^{(d)} \nabla_d{}^{(d)} V^{a'} - c_{cd} V^a \right) \\ &= h_c{}^{c'} h_d{}^{d'} h_a{}^a \left( \nabla_c{}^{(d)} [h_d{}^{e'} h_s{}^{s'} \nabla_{e'} V^{s'}] - c_{cd} V^a \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$h_c^{c'} h_d^{d'} h_a^a \left[ h_d^e h_f^{a'} \nabla_{c'} \nabla_e V^f + \nabla_e V^f \left( (\nabla_{c'} h_d^e) h_f^{a'} + (\nabla_{c'} h_f^{a'}) h_d^e \right) \right]$$

Recall  $\nabla_{c'}(h_d^e) = \nabla_{c'}(\delta_{d'}^e + n^e n_d)$   
 $= n^e K_{c'd'} + n_d K_c^e$

$$\rightarrow = h_c^{c'} h_d^{d'} h_a^a \left[ h_d^e h_f^{a'} \nabla_{c'} \nabla_e V^f + h_f^{a'} K_{c'd'} n^e \nabla_e V^f + \underbrace{K_c^{a'} n_f h_d^e \nabla_e V^f}_{- K_c^{a'} h_d^e V^f K_{ef}} \right]$$

$$= h_c h_d h_a (\nabla_c \nabla_d V^a - c_{cd}) \Rightarrow = h_c h_d h_a \nabla_c \nabla_d V^a$$

$$= h_c h_d h_a (\nabla_c [h_d h^e h^f \nabla_e V^f] - c_{cd})$$

$$= h_c h_d h_a \nabla_c \nabla_d V^a + K_c^a K_d^f V^f - c_{cd}$$

$$= R^a_{b'c'd'} V^{b'} h_a h^{c'} h^{d'} - (K_c^a K_{db} - K_d^a K_{bc}) V^b$$

eg  $S^2$   $R^a_{bcd} = 0$  ( $\mathbb{R}^3$ )

$$R^A_{BCD} = K^A_c K_{BD} - K^A_D K_{BC}$$

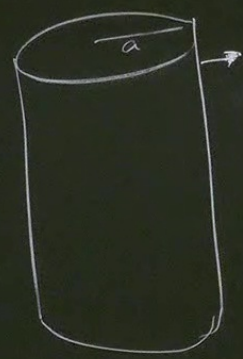
$$= \frac{1}{r^2} (\gamma^A_c \gamma_{BD} - \gamma^A_D \gamma_{BC})$$



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- the metric  $\geq$  inherits  
 Note  $h$  lies in the cotan

eg Cylinder



$$x^2 + y^2 = a^2 \subset \mathbb{R}^3$$

$$\underline{n} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta \\ \sin\theta \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$h_{ij} = \begin{pmatrix} \sin^2\theta & -\sin\theta\cos\theta & 0 \\ -\sin\theta\cos\theta & \cos^2\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

or  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  in cyl polars  
 $\delta_{AB}$

in the cotangent bundle of  $M$

$\gamma_{AB}$  in cotangent bundle of  $\mathbb{R}^2$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

of polar

$$K_{ij} = n_{i,j} \quad \text{in cartesian}$$
$$= \Gamma_{ij}^r \quad \text{in polar}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$K_{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$R^A{}_{BCD} = 0$$

Cylinder is  
Ricci flat.