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黎曼流形(M,g) 先給定度量，演算四個基本的式子：

(1) Christoffel symbol $\Gamma_{jk}^i = \frac{1}{2} g^{il} \left(\frac{\partial g_{kl}}{\partial x^j} + \frac{\partial g_{jl}}{\partial x^k} - \frac{\partial g_{jk}}{\partial x^l} \right)$

(2) 共變微分(covariant derivative of Y along X) $\nabla_X Y = \sum_i (XY^i + \sum_{jk} \Gamma_{jk}^i X^j Y^k)$

$$\nabla_\mu V^\nu = \partial_\mu V^\nu + \Gamma_{\mu\sigma}^\nu V^\sigma$$

(3) 測地線方程式 $\frac{d^2 x^k}{dt^2} + \sum_{ij} \Gamma_{ij}^k \frac{dx^i}{dt} \frac{dx^j}{dt} = 0$

(4) 黎曼張量 $R_{ijk}^l = \frac{\partial \Gamma_{jk}^l}{\partial x^i} - \frac{\partial \Gamma_{ik}^l}{\partial x^j} + \sum_m \Gamma_{jk}^m \Gamma_{im}^l - \sum_m \Gamma_{ik}^m \Gamma_{jm}^l$

(對應 energy-momentum tensor)

(5) $G_{\mu\nu} = R_{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{2} g_{\mu\nu} R$

(M,g)是一 Riemann 流形

$g : T_p M \times T_p M \rightarrow R$ 是 M 上的 metric

$$ds^2 = g_{ij} dx^i dx^j$$

在 R^n 上 $g_{ij} = g\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^i}, \frac{\partial}{\partial x^j}\right) = \delta_{ij}$ 這時候是平直流形。

「黎曼空間是平直的 $\Leftrightarrow R_{ijk}^j = 0$ 」

$T(X, Y) = \nabla_X Y - \nabla_Y X - [X, Y] \in \chi(M)$ is the torsion of connection ∇

$R(X, Y)Z = \nabla_X \nabla_Y Z - \nabla_Y \nabla_X Z - \nabla_{[X, Y]} Z = [\nabla_X, \nabla_Y]Z - \nabla_{[X, Y]} Z$ is the curvature of

the connection ∇ , measure the deviation of the map $X \rightarrow \nabla_X$ from being a Lie algebra homomorphism .

(M, g) is said to be locally conformally flat if for $\forall p \in M$, there is a local coordinate system $\{x^i\}$ in a n. b. d. U of p such that $g_{ij} = g\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^i}, \frac{\partial}{\partial x^j}\right) = v \delta_{ij}$ for some function v

Schoen-Yau

If (M, g) is a simple 、connected 、locally conformally flat 、complete Riemannian manifold , then exists a one to one conformal map of (M, g) into the standard sphere S^n

$\nabla_X e_j = \sum \omega_j^i(X) e_i$, ω_j^i are called connection forms , $\omega = [\omega_j^i]$ is called connection matrix °

$R(X, Y)e_j = \sum \Omega_j^i(X, Y)e_i$, Ω_j^i are called curvature forms , $\Omega = [\Omega_j^i]$ is called curvature matrix ° $\Omega_j^i = d\omega_j^i + \sum_k \omega_k^i \wedge \omega_j^k$

If α, β are one forms , X, Y are vector fields , then
 $(\alpha \wedge \beta)(X, Y) = \alpha(X)\beta(Y) - \alpha(Y)\beta(X)$
 $(d\alpha)(X, Y) = X\alpha(Y) - Y\alpha(X) - \alpha([X, Y])$

Prove $\Omega_j^i = d\omega_j^i + \sum_k \omega_k^i \wedge \omega_j^k$

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_X \nabla_Y e_j &= \nabla_X \sum_k (\omega_j^k(Y) e_k) && \text{definition of connection forms} \\ &= \sum_k X \omega_j^k(Y) e_k + \sum_k \omega_j^k \nabla_X e_k && \text{Leibniz rule} \\ &= \sum_i X \omega_j^i(Y) e_i + \sum_{i,k} \omega_j^k(Y) \omega_k^i(X) e_i \end{aligned}$$

Interchanging X and Y gives $\nabla_Y \nabla_X e_j = \sum_i Y \omega_j^i(X) e_i + \sum_{i,k} \omega_j^k(X) \omega_k^i(Y) e_i$

Furthermore $\nabla_{[X, Y]} e_j = \sum_i \omega_j^i([X, Y]) e_i$

Hence, in Einstein notation,

$$\begin{aligned} R(X, Y)e_j &= \nabla_X \nabla_Y e_j - \nabla_Y \nabla_X e_j - \nabla_{[X, Y]} e_j \\ &= (X \omega_j^i(Y) - Y \omega_j^i(X) - \omega_j^i([X, Y])) e_i \\ &\quad + (\omega_k^i(X) \omega_j^k(Y) - \omega_k^i(Y) \omega_j^k(X)) e_i \\ &= d\omega_j^i(X, Y) e_i + \omega_k^i \wedge \omega_j^k(X, Y) e_i && \text{(by (11.3) and (11.2))} \\ &= (d\omega_j^i + \omega_k^i \wedge \omega_j^k)(X, Y) e_i. \end{aligned}$$

Comparing this with the definition of the curvature form Ω_j^i gives

$$\Omega_j^i = d\omega_j^i + \sum_k \omega_k^i \wedge \omega_j^k.$$

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$$\Gamma_{ij}^k = \frac{1}{2} \sum_l g^{kl} \left(\frac{\partial g_{jl}}{\partial x^i} + \frac{\partial g_{il}}{\partial x^j} - \frac{\partial g_{ij}}{\partial x^l} \right)$$

一. Riemann tensor curvature tensor Ricci curvature tensor

定義 $R(X, Y)Z = \nabla_X \nabla_Y Z - \nabla_Y \nabla_X Z - \nabla_{[X, Y]} Z$

$$R_{ijk}^l = \frac{\partial \Gamma_{jk}^l}{\partial x^i} - \frac{\partial \Gamma_{ik}^l}{\partial x^j} + \sum_m \Gamma_{jk}^m \Gamma_{im}^l - \sum_m \Gamma_{ik}^m \Gamma_{jm}^l \quad \text{Riemann tensor}$$

$$R_{ijkl} = \sum_m R_{ijk}^m g_{ml} \quad \text{curvature tensor}$$

$$R_{ij} = \sum_k R_{ikj}^k \quad \text{Ricci curvature tensor}$$

$$R = g^{\mu\nu} R_{\mu\nu} \quad \text{scalar curvature}$$

$$G_{\mu\nu} = R_{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{2} g_{\mu\nu} R \quad \text{Einstein tensor}$$

二. Cartan structure equations

$$\{X_1, X_2, X_3, \dots\} \quad \{\omega^1, \omega^2, \omega^3, \dots, \omega_j^k := \sum_i \Gamma_{ij}^k \omega^i\} \quad \text{connection forms}$$

$$(1) d\omega^i = \sum_j \omega^j \wedge \omega_j^i$$

$$(2) dg_{ij} = \sum_k (g_{kj} \omega_i^k + g_{ki} \omega_j^k)$$

$$(3) d\omega_j^i = \Omega_j^i + \sum_k \omega_i^k \wedge \omega_k^j$$

The curvature R of a Riemannian manifold has the following properties :

1. $R(fX_1 + gX_2, Y_1) = fR(X_1, Y_1) + gR(X_2, Y_1)$
 $R(X_1, fY_1 + gY_2) = fR(X_1, Y_1) + gR(X_1, Y_2)$
2. $R(X, Y)(Z + W) = R(X, Y)Z + R(X, Y)W$
 $R(X, Y)fZ = fR(X, Y)Z$
3. $R(X, Y)Z + R(Y, Z)X + R(Z, X)Y = 0$ Bianchi identity $R_{ijkl} + R_{iklj} + R_{iljk} = 0$
4. $R_{ijkl} = -R_{ijlk} = -R_{jilk} = R_{klij}$

[DG06] p.157 有證明

1. Sectional curvature 截曲率

$K(\pi) := \langle R(e_1, e_2)e_2, e_1 \rangle$ where $\{e_1, e_2\}$ is an orthonormal basis of π

Prove
$$K(\pi) = \frac{\langle R(X, Y)Y, X \rangle}{|X|^2|Y|^2 - \langle X, Y \rangle^2}$$

2. Ricci tensor $Ric = \sum_{i,j} R_{ij} dx^i \otimes dx^j$ where $R_{ij} = \sum_k R_{kij}^k$

$$R_{ij} = \partial_k \Gamma_{ij}^k - \partial_j \Gamma_{ik}^k + \Gamma_{ij}^k \Gamma_{km}^m - \Gamma_{im}^k \Gamma_{jk}^m$$

3. Scalar curvature $S(p) = R := \sum_{i,j} g^{ij} R_{ij}$

4. Ricci flow $\frac{\partial g}{\partial t} = -Ric(g)$

5. Einstein tensor $G_{\mu\nu} = R_{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{2} R g_{\mu\nu}$

習作

1. Let G be a Lie group with a bi-invariant metric \langle, \rangle . Let $X, Y, Z \in \chi(M)$ be unit left invariant vector fields on G .

(a) Show that $\nabla_X Y = \frac{1}{2} [X, Y]$

(b) Conclude from (a) that $R(X, Y)Z = \frac{1}{4} [[X, Y], Z]$

(c) Prove that if X and Y are orthonormal, the sectional curvature $K(\sigma)$ of G with respect to the plane σ generated by X and Y is given by

$$K(\sigma) = \frac{1}{4} |[X, Y]|^2$$

Therefore the sectional curvature $K(\sigma)$ of a Lie group

with bi-invariant metric is none-negative and is zero if and only if σ is generated by vectors X, Y which commute, that is $[X, Y] = 0$

2. Let M be a Riemannian manifold with the following property :

given any two points $p, q \in M$, the parallel transport from p to q does not depend on the curve that joints p to q .

Prove that the curvature of M is identically zero, that is, for all $X, Y, Z \in \chi(M)$, $R(X, Y)Z = 0$

3. Locally symmetric spaces

Let M be a Riemannian manifold.

M is locally symmetric space if $\nabla R = 0$, where R is the curvature tensor of M .

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- a) Let M be a locally symmetric space and let $\gamma: [0, \ell) \rightarrow M$ be a geodesic of M . Let X, Y, Z be parallel vector fields along γ . Prove that $R(X, Y)Z$ is a parallel field along γ .
- b) Prove that if M is locally symmetric, connected, and has dimension two, then M has constant sectional curvature.
- c) Prove that if M has constant (sectional) curvature, then M is a locally symmetric space

4. Prove the second Bianchi Identity :

5. Schur's Theorem :

Let M^n be a connected Riemannian manifold with $n \geq 3$.

Suppose that M is isotropic, that is, for each $p \in M$, the sectional curvature

$K(p, \sigma)$ does not depend on $\sigma \subset T_p M$.

Prove that M has constant sectional curvature, that is, $K(p, \sigma)$ also does not depend on p .

6. Prove that the scalar curvature $K(p)$ at $p \in M$ is given by

$$K(p) = \frac{1}{\omega_{n-1}} \int_{S^{n-1}} Ric_p(x) dS^{n-1}, \text{ where } \omega_{n-1} \text{ is the area of the sphere } S^{n-1} \text{ in}$$

$T_p M$ and dS^{n-1} is the area elements on S^{n-1}

7. A Riemannian manifold M^n is called an Einstein manifold if for all

$X, Y \in \mathcal{X}(M)$, $Ric(X, Y) = \lambda \langle X, Y \rangle$, where $\lambda: M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a real valued function. Prove that :

- (a) If M^n is connected and Einstein with $n \geq 3$, then λ is constant on M
- (b) If M^3 is a connected Einstein manifold then M^3 has constant sectional curvature

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