

## Exercises in

# Elementary Topics in Differential Geometry by J. A. Thorne

1.10  $\text{graph}(f) = \{(x_1, \dots, x_{n+1}) \in \mathbb{R}^{n+1} : (x_1, \dots, x_n) \in U, x_{n+1} = f(x_1, \dots, x_n)\}$

Then  $\text{graph}(f)$  is a level set for  $F(x_1, \dots, x_{n+1}) = 0$ , where  $F(x_1, \dots, x_{n+1}) = f(x_1, \dots, x_n) - x_{n+1}$

2.4 As integral curve,  $\dot{\alpha}(t) = X(\alpha(t))$ . If it crosses itself, then there exists  $t_1, t_2$  s.t.  $\alpha(t_1) = \alpha(t_2)$ ,  $\dot{\alpha}(t_1) \neq \dot{\alpha}(t_2)$ . But that isn't allowed.

2.7 (a) complete (b) incomplete say  $p = (-1, 0)$  (c) complete  
 (d)  $x_1 = \tan(t+c)$ , so  $t \neq -c + \frac{\pi}{2}$ . Incomplete

2.8 Define  $\tilde{\beta}(t) = \beta(t+t_0)$  then  $\tilde{\beta}(0) = p$ ,  $\tilde{\beta}'(t) = \dot{\beta}(t+t_0) = X(\beta(t+t_0)) = X(\tilde{\beta}(t))$  ( $t \in \tilde{I} - t_0$ )  
 So  $\tilde{\beta}(t)$  is an integral curve of  $X$  with  $\tilde{\beta}(0) = p$ . Since  $\alpha(t)$  is the maximal of such curves, so for  $\forall t \in \{x-t_0 | x \in \tilde{I}\}$ ,  $\tilde{\beta}(t) = \alpha(t)$  i.e.  $\beta(t) = \alpha(t-t_0) \forall t \in \tilde{I}$

So

2.9 Define  $\beta(t) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \alpha(t-t_0)$   $t \in I$ ,  $\beta(t_0) = \alpha(0)$ .  $\beta$  is an integral curve of  $X$  on  $I$   
 By Ex. 2.8,  $\beta(t) = \alpha(t-t_0)$  i.e.  $\alpha(t) = \alpha(t-t_0)$  i.e.  $\alpha$  periodic.  
 (Don't worry about def. domain too much, only check <sup>restrict</sup> in the last step)

2.10

(a)  $\varphi_t(p) = p + (t, 0)$  translation, obviously one-to-one  $\mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$

(b)  $\varphi_0(p) = p + (0, 0) = p$ .  $\varphi_{t_1+t_2}(p) = p + (t_1+t_2, 0) = (p + (t_2, 0)) + (t_1, 0)$

$\varphi_{-t}(p) = p + (-t, 0)$  •  $\varphi_t(\varphi_{-t}(p)) = p + (-t, 0) + (t, 0) = p$

2.11. (a)  $\varphi_t(x_1, x_2) = (x_1 \cos t - x_2 \sin t, x_1 \sin t + x_2 \cos t) = \begin{pmatrix} \cos t & -\sin t \\ \sin t & \cos t \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$

rotation by  $t$ . one-to-one, additive group obviously

(b)  $\varphi_t(x_1, x_2) = (x_1 e^t, x_2 e^t) = (x_1, x_2) \cdot e^t$  scaling bijection,  $e^{t_1+t_2} = e^{t_1} \cdot e^{t_2}$  so additive

(c).  $\varphi_t(x_1, x_2) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} e^t + e^{-t} & e^t - e^{-t} \\ e^t - e^{-t} & e^t + e^{-t} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $\det = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 4$ , invertible.  
 $= \frac{1}{2} (e^t + e^{-t}) \begin{pmatrix} \cosh t & \sinh t \\ \sinh t & \cosh t \end{pmatrix}$  Use  $\tanh(t_1+t_2) = \frac{\tanh(t_1) + \tanh(t_2)}{1 + \tanh(t_1) \cdot \tanh(t_2)}$

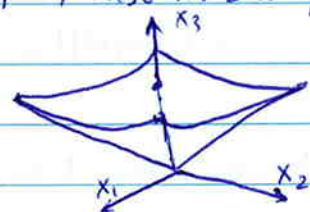
$\beta(t)$  is

2.12 Suppose  $\beta(t)$  is the integral curve of  $X$  with  $\beta(0) = \varphi_{t_2}(p)$ , so  $\alpha(0) = p$ ,  $\alpha(t_2) = \beta(0)$

By using Ex. 2.8 (now the  $\alpha$  here is the  $\tilde{\beta}$  in Ex. 2.8),  $\beta(t) = \alpha(t+t_2)$

$\varphi_{t_1}(\varphi_{t_2}(p)) = \beta(t_1) = \alpha(t_1+t_2) = \varphi_{t_1+t_2}(p)$ ,  $\varphi_{t_2}(\varphi_{t_1}(p)) = \beta(-t_2) = \alpha(0) = p \forall t_2$

3.1  $n=1$   $f = x_1^2 - x_2^2$   $f^{-1}(-1) \ni x_1^2 = x_2^2 + 1$   $\nabla f = (2x_1, -2x_2)$  so  $\nabla f \neq 0$ , no such  $p$   
 $f^{-1}(1)$  also doesn't have such  $p$ .  $f^{-1}(0)$ ,  $\nabla f(0,0) = (0,0)$ ,  $f^{-1}(0)$  is  $x_1 = \pm x_2$   
 $f^{-1}(0)$  its tangent space is  $\{\lambda(1,1), \lambda(1,-1) | \lambda \in \mathbb{R}\} \neq [\nabla f(0,0)]^\perp = \mathbb{R}^2$   
 $n=2$   $f = x_1^2 + x_2^2 - x_3^2$   $f^{-1}(-1) \ni x_1^2 + x_2^2 = x_3^2 + 1$ .  $\nabla f \neq 0$  no such  $p$ .  $f^{-1}(1)$  also no such  $p$   
 $f^{-1}(0)$ :  $x_3^2 = x_1^2 + x_2^2$  at  $p = (0,0)$  the tangent space  
 at  $(0,0,0)$  is all vectors  $\overset{(x_1, x_2, x_3)}{v}$  where  $v$  is  $45^\circ$  to  $x_3$  axis  
 $\frac{|v \cdot (0,0,1)|}{\|v\|} = \frac{|x_3|}{\sqrt{x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  i.e.  $x_3^2 = x_1^2 + x_2^2 \neq [\nabla f(0)]^\perp$



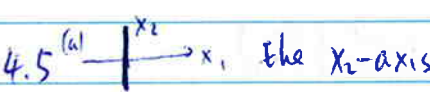
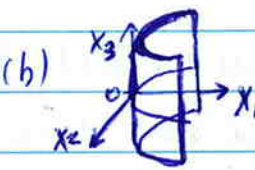
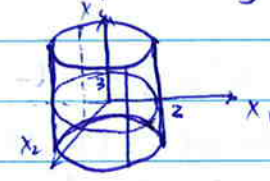
3.2 (a) the example in 3.1 with  $n=1$ ,  $c=0$ .  $f^{-1}(0) \ni x_1 = \pm x_2$   $(1,1), (1,-1) \in S$ ,  $(1,0) \notin S$   
 (b)  $f(x_1, \dots, x_{n+1}) = c$ .  $S = f^{-1}(c)$ , tangent space  $= \mathbb{R}^{n+1}$

3.4  $f \circ \alpha = c \Leftrightarrow \frac{d(f \circ \alpha)}{dt} = 0 \Leftrightarrow \nabla f(\alpha(t)) \cdot \dot{\alpha}(t) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \dot{\alpha} \perp \nabla f(\alpha) \quad \forall t$ .

3.5  $\alpha$  is integral curve of  $\nabla f \Rightarrow \dot{\alpha} = \nabla f(\alpha)$   
 (a)  $\frac{d}{dt} f(\alpha(t)) = \nabla f(\alpha(t)) \cdot \dot{\alpha}(t) = \|\nabla f(\alpha(t))\|^2$   
 (b)  $\frac{d}{dt} f(\beta(s_0)) = \nabla f(\beta(s_0)) \cdot \dot{\beta}(s_0) = \nabla f(\alpha(t_0)) \cdot \dot{\beta}(s_0)$ . As  $\|\dot{\beta}(s_0)\| = \|\dot{\alpha}(t_0)\|$   
 it is maximized when  $\dot{\beta}(s_0) = \dot{\alpha}(t_0) = \nabla f(\alpha(t_0))$ , then  
 $\frac{d}{dt} f(\beta(s_0)) = \|\nabla f(\alpha(t_0))\|^2 = \frac{d}{dt} f(\alpha(t_0))$  by (a)

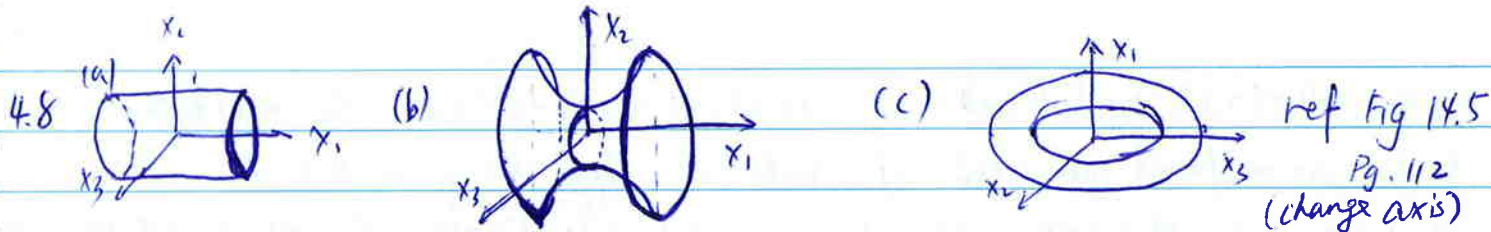
4.3 Consider  $S = f^{-1}(c)$ .  $\forall p \in S$ .  $p$  is an extreme point of  $g$  on  $S$ .  
 By Lagrange Theorem,  $\nabla g(p) = \lambda \cdot \nabla f(p) \quad \forall p \in S$ .  $\lambda \neq 0$  because  $\nabla g(p) \neq 0$  for all  $p \in S$

4.4 See [http://users.rsise.anu.edu.au/~xzhang/dg\\_thorpe/monkey.jpg](http://users.rsise.anu.edu.au/~xzhang/dg_thorpe/monkey.jpg)

4.5 (a)  $x_2$  axis  (b)  (c)  ellipse on  $x_3=0$

4.6 

4.7  $g(x_1, x_2, x_3) = f(x_1, (x_2^2 + x_3^2)^{1/2})$ . then  $\frac{\partial g}{\partial x_i} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i}$ . Denote  $u = (x_2^2 + x_3^2)^{1/2}$   
 then  $\frac{\partial g}{\partial x_2} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial u} \cdot x_2 (x_2^2 + x_3^2)^{-1/2}$ ,  $\frac{\partial g}{\partial x_3} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial u} \cdot x_3 (x_2^2 + x_3^2)^{-1/2}$ . If  $\nabla g(p) = 0$ , then  
 $\frac{\partial g}{\partial x_2} = \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_3} = 0$ , i.e.  $0 = (\frac{\partial g}{\partial x_2})^2 + (\frac{\partial g}{\partial x_3})^2 = (\frac{\partial f}{\partial u})^2 = 0$ . So  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial u} = 0$ . Besides  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} = \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_1} = 0$   
 So  $\nabla f = 0$  at  $p$ , which contradicts with the fact that  $\nabla f$  is a surface  $\neq 0$



4.9  $f(x) = x_3^2 + x_4^2 - 1$   $S = f^{-1}(0)$   $\nabla f = (0, 0, 2x_3, 2x_4)$   $\nabla f = 0 \Rightarrow x_3 = x_4 = 0 \Rightarrow$  not on  $S$

4.10  $g(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) = f(x_1, x_2, (x_3^2 + x_4^2)^{1/2})$

4.11 By Lagrange Thm,  $\nabla g = \lambda \nabla f$ .  $\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 2x_1 \\ 2x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 2ax_1 + 2bx_2 \\ 2bx_1 + 2cx_2 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \lambda \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ b & c \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$   
 Since  $ac - b^2 > 0 \Rightarrow \det \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ b & c \end{pmatrix} \neq 0 \Rightarrow \lambda \neq 0 \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ b & c \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{\lambda} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$   
 At that point  $g = (x_1, x_2) \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \lambda (x_1, x_2) \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ b & c \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \lambda$ . Note  $\lambda^{-1}$  is eigenvalue of  $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ b & c \end{pmatrix}$

4.12  $g = x^T A x$   $\nabla g = 2Ax$   $f = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2$   $\nabla f = 2x$   $\nabla g = \lambda \nabla f \Rightarrow Ax = \lambda x$   
 $g(x) = \lambda x^T x = \lambda$  the eigenvalue of  $A$

4.13 By Lagrange Thm,  $\lambda \nabla f(p) = \nabla g(p)$ ;  $\Delta_S \nabla g(p) \neq 0$   $\lambda \neq 0$   $\forall v: v \cdot \nabla g(p) = 0 \Leftrightarrow v \cdot \nabla f(p) = 0$   
 So tangent space of  $g$  through  $p$  is equal to tangent space of  $f$  through  $p$

4.14 Let  $g = \|P - P_0\|^2$ .  $S = f^{-1}(c)$ . Since  $P$  is an extreme point of  $g$  on  $S$   
 $\nabla g(p) = \lambda \nabla f(p)$  But  $\nabla g(p) = 2(P - P_0)$ . So  $(P, P - P_0) \perp S_p$ .

4.15  $\nabla \det(x) = \frac{1}{\det(x)} (x^{-1})^T$  So  $\nabla \det(x) = 0$  is impossible.

4.16 (a)  $\nabla \det(x) = \frac{1}{1} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}^T = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ , So  $\langle \begin{pmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \\ x_3 & x_4 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \rangle_F = 0 \Rightarrow x_1 + x_4 = 0$   
 (b)  $\nabla \det(x) = \frac{1}{1} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$  So  $SL(2)_g = \{ (P, \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}) : a - b - c + 2d = 0 \}$ .

4.17 (a) The proof in 4.15 is independent of dimension  
 (b)  $\nabla \det(p) = I$ , So  $SL(3)_p = \{ (P, M) \mid M \in R^{3 \times 3}, \text{tr}(M) = 0 \}$

5.1 ~~Only need to prove every point is connected to origin, for  $\forall x$ , define~~  
 $\forall x_1, x_2$ , consider parametrized curve,  $\alpha(t) = x_1 \cos t + (x_2 - x_1) \sin t$  where  $u = \frac{P_1 - x_1 \cos \theta}{\sin \theta}$   
~~then  $\alpha(0) = x_1$ , where  $u = \frac{x_2 - x_1 \cos \theta}{\sin \theta}$ , here  $\theta = \cos^{-1}(x_1 \cdot x_2)$  if  $\sin \theta \neq 0$  (if  $\sin \theta = 0$ )~~  
 then  $\alpha(0) = x_1$ ,  $\alpha(\theta) = x_1 \cos \theta + \frac{x_2 - x_1 \cos \theta}{\sin \theta} \sin \theta = x_2$ ,  ~~$\|u\| = \frac{1}{\sin^2 \theta} (1 + \cos^2 \theta - 2 \cos \theta \cdot \langle x_1, x_2 \rangle) = \frac{1}{\sin^2 \theta} (1 + \cos^2 \theta - 2 \cos^2 \theta) = 1$ ,  $\langle u, x_1 \rangle = \frac{\langle x_1, x_2 \rangle - \cos \theta}{\sin \theta} = \frac{\cos \theta - \cos \theta}{\sin \theta} = 0$~~

So  $\|\alpha(t)\| = \|x_1\|^2 \cos^2 t + \|u\|^2 \sin^2 t + \langle x_1, u \rangle \sin t \cos t = \cos^2 t + \sin^2 t = 1$  So  $\alpha(t) \in S$ .

So far, we've found the curve. If  $\sin \theta = 0$ . Then  $x_1 = x_2$  or  $x_1 = -x_2$

If  $x_1 = x_2$ , done. If  $x_1 = -x_2$ , then find a  $u$ , s.t.  $\langle x_1, u \rangle = 0$  and  $\|u\| = 1$  and  $\alpha(t) = x_1 \cos t + u \sin t$   
 $\|\alpha(t)\| = 1$ ,  $\alpha(0) = x_1$ ,  $\alpha(\pi) = -x_1 = x_2$   $\square$  & ED.

Note. A easier way is by using ~~path~~ <sup>polar</sup> angular axis.

Let  $x_1 = (\cos \theta_1, \sin \theta_1, \cos \theta_2, \sin \theta_2, \cos \theta_3, \sin \theta_3, \dots, \sin \theta_{n-1}, \cos \theta_n, \sin \theta_n, \dots, \sin \theta_n)$

$x_2 = (\cos \theta'_1, \sin \theta'_1, \cos \theta'_2, \sin \theta'_2, \cos \theta'_3, \sin \theta'_3, \dots, \sin \theta'_{n-1}, \cos \theta'_n, \sin \theta'_n, \dots, \sin \theta'_n)$

So we just need to find a <sup>continuous</sup> curve from  $(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_n) \rightarrow (\theta'_1, \dots, \theta'_n)$  in  $[0, 2\pi]^n$

But  $[0, 2\pi]^n$  is a convex set, so just easily find  $\beta(t)$ , s.t.  $\beta(t) \in [0, 2\pi]^n$

$\beta(0) = (\theta_1, \dots, \theta_n)$   $\beta(1) = (\theta'_1, \dots, \theta'_n)$ . Then define


$\alpha(t) = (\cos \beta_1(t), \sin \beta_1(t), \cos \beta_2(t), \sin \beta_2(t), \dots, \sin \beta_{n-1}(t), \cos \beta_n(t), \sin \beta_n(t), \dots, \sin \beta_n(t))$

5.2 If there exists  $p, q \in S$ , s.t.  $g(p) = 1$ ,  $g(q) = -1$ . then

as  $S$  is connected, there exists a continuous map  $\alpha: [a, b] \rightarrow S$ , s.t.  $\alpha(a) = p$ ,  $\alpha(b) = q$


As  $g \circ \alpha$  is continuous,  $g(\alpha(a)) = 1$ ,  $g(\alpha(b)) = -1$ . So there exists  $c \in (a, b)$ , s.t.  $g(\alpha(c)) = 0$

But by definition of  $\alpha$ ,  $\alpha(c) \in S$  which contradicts with  $g(x) = \pm 1$  for  $\forall x \in S$

5.3 1-surface:  $f(x, y) = (x_1 - 1)(x_1 + 1)$    $\rightarrow x_1$   $\rightarrow$

Define  $g(x_1, x_2) = \begin{cases} -1 & x_1 \in (-3/2, -1/2) \\ 1 & x_1 \in (1/2, 3/2) \end{cases}$  So  $g$  is smooth on  $S$ , but  $g$  is not constant

5.4  $N_1(p)$  and  $N_2(p)$  are both smooth.  $\|\pm p/r\| = 1$ ,  $\pm p/r \in S_p^1$   $\nabla(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2) = 2(x_1, \dots, x_n)^T$

5.5 (a)  rotate counterclockwise by  $\pi/2$

(b)  $R_\theta(v, 0) = \cos \theta \cdot (v, 0) + \sin \theta \cdot (0, 0, 1) \times (v, 0) = (v', 0)$  where  $v' = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix} v$

which is counterclockwise rotation with angle  $\theta$ .

(c)  $\det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = 1 > 0$  So right-handed

5.6 Let  $\theta$  denote the angle measured counterclockwise from  $(p, 1, 0)$  to the orientation direction  $N(p)$ , so that  $N(p) = (p, \cos \theta, \sin \theta)$  So the positive tangent direction

is  $(\cos(\theta - \frac{\pi}{2}), \sin(\theta - \frac{\pi}{2})) = (\sin \theta, -\cos \theta)$   $v$  is tangent to  $c$  at  $p$ , So  $v / \|v\| = \pm (\sin \theta, -\cos \theta)$

But if  $v / \|v\| = -(\sin \theta, \cos \theta)$  then  $\det \begin{pmatrix} \|v\| \\ N(p) \end{pmatrix} = \det \begin{pmatrix} -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \\ \cos \theta & \sin \theta \end{pmatrix} = -1$  which means inconsistent

So positive tangent  $\Leftrightarrow$  consistent

5.7 (a)(b) just write out (c) take  $u = (1, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0), (0, 0, 1)$  then get it

5.8(a) consistent  $\Leftrightarrow \det \begin{pmatrix} v \\ w \\ N(p) \end{pmatrix} > 0 \Leftrightarrow v \cdot (w \times N(p)) > 0 \Leftrightarrow N(p) \cdot (v \times w) > 0$

(b) Denote  $\hat{x} = x / \|x\|$ , consistent  $\Leftrightarrow \hat{w} \cdot (N(p) \times \hat{v}) > 0$

~~As  $\{v, w\}$  is a basis of  $S^2$  so there must exist  $\theta$   $\hat{w} = \cos \theta \hat{v} + \sin \theta N(p) \times \hat{v}$~~

(Proof) As  $N(p) \cdot (N(p) \times \hat{v}) = \det \begin{pmatrix} N(p) \\ N(p) \\ \hat{v} \end{pmatrix} = 0$  so  $N(p) \times \hat{v} \in S^2$ .

$\hat{v} \cdot (N(p) \times \hat{v}) = \det \begin{pmatrix} \hat{v} \\ N(p) \\ \hat{v} \end{pmatrix} = 0$ . So  $\{N(p) \times \hat{v}, \hat{v}\}$  is an <sup>orthonormal</sup> basis of  $S^2$ .

As  $\|\hat{w}\| = 1$  so there exists  $\theta$  s.t.  $\hat{w} = \cos \theta \hat{v} + \sin \theta N(p) \times \hat{v}$

So  $\hat{w} \cdot (N(p) \times \hat{v}) = \sin \theta$

So  $\theta \in (0, \pi) \Leftrightarrow \hat{w} \cdot (N(p) \times \hat{v}) > 0 \Leftrightarrow \{v, w\}$  is consistent with  $N$

5.9 (a) take  $u = (1, 0, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0, 0), \dots, (0, 0, 0, 1)$  (b) just check

5.10 (a)  $\det \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ \vdots \\ v_n \\ N \end{pmatrix} < 0 \Leftrightarrow \det \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ \vdots \\ v_n \\ -N \end{pmatrix} > 0$

(b) Let  $v = \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ \vdots \\ v_n \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $w = \begin{pmatrix} w_1 \\ \vdots \\ w_n \end{pmatrix}$   $\begin{pmatrix} w \\ N \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} A v \\ N \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} A & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} v \\ N \end{pmatrix}$  where  $W = \begin{pmatrix} w_1 \\ \vdots \\ w_n \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $V = \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ \vdots \\ v_n \end{pmatrix}$

So  $\det \begin{pmatrix} w \\ N \end{pmatrix} = \det A \cdot \det \begin{pmatrix} v \\ N \end{pmatrix}$ , thus consistency of  $w$  with  $N$  is identical to the consistency of  $v$  with  $N$  iff  $\det A > 0$

6.1  $N(S) = \{v \mid \|v\| = 1\}$   $n=1$   $N(S) = \{(0, 1), (0, -1)\}$ ;  $n=2$   $N(S) = \{(0, x_2, x_3) \mid x_2^2 + x_3^2 = 1\} \in \mathbb{R}^3$

6.2  $n=1$   $N(S) = \{(\frac{-\sqrt{2}}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}), (\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2})\}$ ;  $n=2$   $N(S) = \{(\frac{-\sqrt{2}}{2}, u, v) \mid u^2 + v^2 = \frac{1}{2}\}$

6.3  $n=1$   $N(S) = \{(x_1, x_2) \mid x_1^2 + x_2^2 = 1\}$ ;  $n=2$   $N(S) = \{(x_1, x_2, x_3) \mid x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 = 1\}$

6.4  $n=1$   $N(S) = \{(x_1, x_2) \mid x_1^2 + x_2^2 = 1, x_1 < 0\}$ ;  $n=2$   $N(S) = \{(x_1, x_2, x_3) \mid \sum_{i=1}^2 x_i^2 = 1, x_1 < 0\}$

6.5 We only need to analyze  $n=1$ , the cases for  $n \geq 2$  can be derived by viewing as the surface of revolution obtained by rotating the curve for  $n=1$  about the  $x_1$ -axis then about  $(x_1, x_2)$ -plane, then about  $(x_1, x_2, x_3)$ .

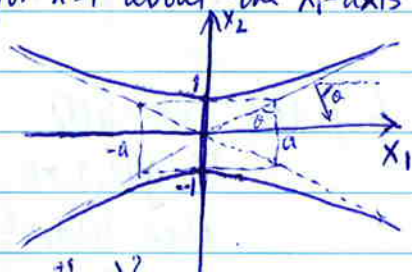
For  $n=1$   $-\frac{x_1^2}{a^2} + x_2^2 = 1$ , like the right figure.

The spherical image is  $\theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{a}{x_1}$  or formally  $\{(x_1, x_2) \in S^1 \mid x_1 \in (\frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2+1}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2+1}})\}$

For  $n \geq 2$  the spherical image is  $\{(x_1, \dots, x_{n+1}) \in S^n \mid x_1 \in (\frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2+1}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2+1}})\}$

When  $a \rightarrow \infty$ , it shrinks to a narrow band.

When  $a \rightarrow 0$ , it extends to the whole  $S^n$



6.6 Obvious?

6.7 "if part": Suppose the orientation at  $p$  is  $N(p)$ . Since  $\alpha(t) = p + ta \in S$  for all  $t \in I$ , so  $\alpha'(0) = a \in N(p)$ . So  $a \cdot N(p) = 0$  which is true for any  $p \in S$ .

"only if" part: Consider the constant vector field  $X(q) = (q, a)$ . It is a tangent field on  $S$  because at  $\forall p \in N(p) \cdot a = 0$ . Now  $\alpha(t) = p + at$  is an integral curve of  $X$  and  $\alpha(0) = p \in S$ . Then by the corollary to Theorem 1, Chapter 5,  $\alpha(t) \in S$  for all  $t \in I$  where  $I$  is the interval on which  $\alpha(t)$  is defined.

6.8 Suppose  $N(S) = \{V\}$ . Let  $B$  be an open ball contained in  $U$  ( $S$  is a level set on  $U$ ) and  $p \in S \cap B$ . Then for  $\forall x_0 \in B$  which satisfies  $(x_0 - p) \cdot V = 0$ , we construct a constant vector field  $W(q) = (q, x_0 - p)$ , which is the ~~restriction~~ <sup>restriction of  $W(q)$</sup>  on  $U$  is a tangent vector field on  $S$ . <sup>Since  $N(S) = \{V\}$ , the</sup> ~~restriction~~ <sup>restriction of  $W(q)$</sup>  on  $U$  is a tangent vector field on  $S$ . <sup>As  $B$  is open, there is</sup>  $\alpha(t) = p + (x_0 - p)t$  <sup>(a new open set)</sup>  $(- \epsilon, \epsilon) \rightarrow B$ , an integral curve of  $W$ , such that  $\alpha(0) \in S$ . <sup>Thus by corollary to Thm 1, ch 5,</sup>  $\alpha(t) \in S$ , and specifically  $\alpha(1) = x_0 \in S$ . Therefore,  $\{x \in \mathbb{R}^{n+1} : x \cdot V = p \cdot V\} \cap B \subseteq S$ .



Next, suppose  $\alpha: [a, b] \rightarrow S$  is a continuous parametrized curve and  $\alpha(t) \in B$  for  $t_1 \leq t \leq t_2$ .

If  $\alpha(t_1) \cdot V < \alpha(t_2) \cdot V$ , then for any  $b \in (\alpha(t_1) \cdot V, \alpha(t_2) \cdot V)$ , due to  $\alpha(t)$  being continuous, there exists  $t_3 \in (t_1, t_2)$  s.t.  $\alpha(t_3) \cdot V = b$ . Since  $\alpha(t_3) \in S \cap B$

By above argument, we have  $\{x \in \mathbb{R}^{n+1} : x \cdot V = \alpha(t_3) \cdot V = b\} \cap B \subseteq S$ .

Therefore  $\{x \in B \mid x \cdot V \in (\alpha(t_1) \cdot V, \alpha(t_2) \cdot V)\} \subseteq S$ . But <sup>the left hand set</sup> ~~that~~ is an open set

and therefore  $N(S) = S^n$  (because  $S$  contains an open set), contradicting with  $N(S) = \{V\}$ . So  $\alpha(t_1) \cdot V \geq \alpha(t_2) \cdot V$ . Likewise,  $\alpha(t_1) \cdot V \leq \alpha(t_2) \cdot V$ .

So  $\alpha(t_1) \cdot V = \alpha(t_2) \cdot V$ . ~~Since  $S$  is connected,~~ <sup>and one can find an open set  $B$  s.t.  $p, q \in S \cap B$</sup>  any two points on  $S$ ,  $p, q$  can be connected by a continuous parametrized curve, therefore  $p \cdot V = q \cdot V$ , i.e., all points in  $S$  lie on the same plane (or part of a plane).

6.9 (a) Let  $g(t) = f(\alpha(t))$ . So now we have  $g(t_1) = g(t_2) = c$ .  $g(t) \neq c$  for all  $t \in (t_1, t_2)$

If  $g'(t_1) > 0, g'(t_2) > 0$ . Then there exists  $\epsilon_1 > 0, \delta_1 \in [0, \frac{\epsilon_1}{2}]$  s.t.  $g'(t) > 0 \quad t \in [t_1, t_1 + \epsilon_1]$

then  $g(t_1 + \frac{\epsilon_1}{2}) - g(t_1) = g'(t_1 + \xi_1) \cdot \frac{\epsilon_1}{2}$  where  $\xi_1 \in [0, \frac{\epsilon_1}{2}]$ . so  $g'(t_1 + \xi_1) > 0$ ,

thus  $g(t_1 + \frac{\epsilon_1}{2}) > g(t_1) = c$ . There also exists  $\epsilon_2 > 0$  s.t.  $g'(t) > 0 \quad t \in (t_2 - \epsilon_2, t_2]$

then  $g(t_2 - \frac{\epsilon_2}{2}) - g(t_2) = -g'(t_2 - \xi_2) \cdot \frac{\epsilon_2}{2}$ , where  $\xi_2 \in [0, \frac{\epsilon_2}{2}]$  so  $g'(t_2 - \xi_2) > 0$

thus  $g(t_2 - \frac{\epsilon_2}{2}) < g(t_2) = c$ . Then <sup>as  $g$  is continuous</sup> there exists  $t \in (t_1 + \frac{\epsilon_1}{2}, t_2 - \frac{\epsilon_2}{2}) \subset (t_1, t_2)$

s.t.  $g(t) = c$ . contradiction!

one can choose small enough  $\epsilon_1, \epsilon_2$ , s.t.  $t_1 + \frac{\epsilon_1}{2} < t_2 - \frac{\epsilon_2}{2}$

(\*) If  $g(t_1) < 0, g(t_2) < 0$ , same contradiction occurs. So  $g(t_1)g(t_2) < 0$

(b) If  $\alpha$  crosses  $S$  for an odd number of times  $t_1 \dots t_n$  then by (a)  $g'(t_1)g'(t_n) > 0$ . Without loss of generality, suppose  $g'(t_1) > 0, g'(t_n) > 0$ .  
 Since  $g(t_1) = g(t_n) = c$  <sup>and  $t_1, t_n$  are two extreme times</sup> So  $g(t) < c$  for all  $t < t_1$ ;  $g(t) > c$  for all  $t > t_n$ .  
 However as  $S$  is compact ~~and  $\alpha$  goes to  $\infty$  in both directions we can find~~  $f: \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$   
~~there is a  $\bar{c}$~~  Suppose  $S$  is <sup>strictly</sup> contained in sphere  $S': \|\mathbf{x}\|^2 = r^2$ , then pick ~~any~~  $p \in S$   
 and consider  $S' \cap f^{-1}(f(p))$ . Since  $\alpha$  goes to  $\infty$  in both directions  
 there must be  $t_0, t_{n+1}$  with  $t_0 < t_1, t_{n+1} > t_n$ , such that  $\alpha(t_0)$  and  $\alpha(t_{n+1}) \in S'$   
~~As  $f(\alpha(t_0)) < c, f(\alpha(t_{n+1})) > c$  and  $f$  is continuous on  $S'$ , so  $f(\alpha(t_0)) < c$~~   
 As  $S'$  is connected (see Ex. 5.1), there is a <sup>continuous</sup> parametrized curve  $\beta(t) \in S'$ ,  
 s.t.  $\beta(t^1) = \alpha(t_0), \beta(t^2) = \alpha(t_{n+1})$ . As  $f, \beta$  are continuous on  $S'$ ,  
 there must be a  $t^3 \in (t^1, t^2)$  s.t.  $f(\beta(t^3)) = c$ .  
 But  $\beta(t^3) \in S'$ , so  $\beta(t^3) \in S$ . This is contradiction!

6.10 (a)  ~~$f^{-1}(c)$~~ . Since  $\beta(a) \in O(S)$ , there exists a continuous map  $\alpha: [0, +\infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n+1} - S$   
 s.t.  $\alpha(0) = \beta(a), \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \|\alpha(t)\| = \infty$ .

For  $\forall \beta(t_0)$ . Construct curve  $\gamma(t) = \begin{cases} \beta(t_0 - t) & t \in [0, t_0 - a] \\ \alpha(t - t_0 + a) & t \in (t_0 - a, +\infty) \end{cases}$   
 then  $\gamma(t)$  is continuous from  $[0, +\infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n+1} - S$ .  $\gamma(0) = \beta(t_0), \gamma(+\infty) = \alpha(+\infty) = \infty$   
 $t_0$  is arbitrary so  $\beta(t) \in O(S)$  for all  $t \in [a, b]$

(b) ~~open set~~  ~~$f^{-1}(c)$~~  Non-empty. As  $S$  is a compact  $n$ -surface, there we can  
 find a  $n$ -sphere with a large enough radius  $r$ , which strictly subsumes  $S$   
 then pick one point on the  $n$ -sphere,  $p$ , construct continuous map  
 $\alpha(t) = p + t + p$ . So  $\alpha(0) = p, \forall t > 0, \|\alpha(t)\| = (t+1)r > r$   
 So  $\alpha(t) \in \mathbb{R}^{n+1} - S, \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \|\alpha(t)\| = \infty$ . So  $p \in O(S)$

(2) open set:  $\forall p \in O(S), p \in \mathbb{R}^{n+1} - S$ , as  $\mathbb{R}^{n+1} - S$  is open (due to  
 $S = f^{-1}(c)$  is  $n$ -surface and by definition  $f$  is smooth). So there exists  
 an  $\varepsilon$ -ball around  $p, (p, \varepsilon)$ , such that  $\forall x \in (p, \varepsilon)$  satisfy  $x \in \mathbb{R}^{n+1} - S$   
 we can easily construct a continuous map from  $p$  to  $x$ . By (a),  $x \in O(S), \forall x \in (p, \varepsilon)$ .

(3) connected:  $\forall p, q \in O(S)$ . Suppose there is a  $n$ -sphere  $S_1$  with radius  $r$   
~~set~~ such that  $p, q, S$  are all contained in it ( $S$  compact,  $r > \|p\|, r > \|q\|$ ).  
 As  $p \in O(S)$  there is a continuous map  $\alpha_1: [0, +\infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n+1} - S, \alpha_1(0) = p, \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \|\alpha_1(t)\| = \infty$ .  
 Suppose  ~~$\alpha_1(t_1)$~~   $\|\alpha_1(t_1)\| = r$  (i.e.  $\alpha_1(t_1) \in S_1$ ). Likewise, we define  $\alpha_2(t)$  and  $t_2$   
 As  $S_1$  is connected and  $S_1 \subset \mathbb{R}^{n+1} - S$ , there's a curve  $\alpha_3$  on  $S_1$ , s.t.  $\alpha_3(a) = \alpha_1(t_1)$ .

$\alpha_3(b) = \alpha_2(t_2)$ .  $\alpha_3(t) \in O(S)$  by (a). So now construct a continuous curve from  $p$  to  $q$  in  $O(S)$ :

$$\gamma(t) = \begin{cases} \alpha_1(t) & t \in [0, t_1] \\ \alpha_3(t - t_1 + a) & t \in [t_1, t_1 + b - a] \\ \alpha_2(t_2 - t + t_1 + b - a) & t \in [t_1 + b - a, t_1 + b - a + t_2] \end{cases}$$

7.2  $\|\dot{\alpha}(t)\| = \text{constant} \Rightarrow \frac{d}{dt} \dot{\alpha}(t) \cdot \dot{\alpha}(t) = 2\ddot{\alpha}(t) \cdot \dot{\alpha}(t) = 0$ , i.e.  $\ddot{\alpha}(t) \perp \dot{\alpha}(t)$

7.3 Let  $S(t) = \int_{t_0}^t \|\dot{\alpha}(t)\| dt$ . As  $\dot{\alpha}(t) \neq 0$ , so  $S(t)$  monotonic increasing so  $S(t)$  is invertible. Let  $h = S^{-1}$ .  $h$  is onto by definition  $h' = \frac{1}{S'} = \frac{1}{\|\dot{\alpha}(h(t))\|} > 0$   
 $\beta = \dot{\alpha}(h(t)) \cdot h'(t) = \dot{\alpha}(h(t)) / \|\dot{\alpha}(h(t))\|$  so  $\beta$  is unit speed

7.5 "if" part is by Example 2 in this chapter  
 "only if"  $\alpha(0) = (r \cos b, r \sin b, d)$ , which has covered all possible points on cylinder  
 $\dot{\alpha}(0) = (-r \sin b, r \cos b, c)$ .  $N_{\alpha(0)} = \pm(\cos b, \sin b, 0)$   
 So  $\dot{\alpha}(0)$  has covered all possible initial velocity in  $S_{\alpha(0)}$   
 As geodesic is uniquely determined by initial position and initial velocity these are all possible geodesics on cylinder  $S$ .  
 Another proof is by looking at (6) on page 41.  $N(x, y, z) = (x, y, 0)$

7.6 "if part" is covered by Example 3 in this chapter  
 "only if"  $\alpha(0) = e_1$ ,  $\dot{\alpha}(0) = a e_2$ . Since  $e_2 \in S_{e_1}$ ,  $a$  allows all norm of velocity  
 $e_1$  allows all possible initial position,  $\dot{\alpha}(0)$  allows all possible initial velocity  
 due to uniqueness of geodesic by initial position and velocity, these are all possible geodesics on unit  $n$ -sphere.

7.7 "if part":  $\beta(t) = \dot{\alpha}(h(t)) h'(t) = \dot{\alpha}(at+b) \cdot a$  As  $\alpha(t)$  is geodesic so  $\ddot{\alpha}(t) \perp \dot{\alpha}(t) \in S_{\alpha(t)}^\perp$ . So  $\beta(t) \in S_{\alpha(at+b)}^\perp = S_{\beta(t)}^\perp$  So  $\beta$  is geodesic  
 "only if":  $\beta(t) = \dot{\alpha}(h(t)) \cdot (h'(t))^2 + \ddot{\alpha}(h(t)) h''(t)$  if  $\beta$  is geodesic,  $\beta(t) \in S_{\beta(t)}^\perp = S_{\dot{\alpha}(h(t))}^\perp$   
 so  $\beta(t)$  and  $\dot{\alpha}(h(t))$  are parallel. generally,  $\dot{\alpha}$  and  $\ddot{\alpha}$  are not parallel, and  $h''(t) \cdot h'(t)$  are scalar  
 so we must require  $h''(t) = 0$  (E.g.  $\alpha(t) = \hat{e}_1 \cos t + \hat{e}_2 \sin t$   $\dot{\alpha}(t) = -\hat{e}_1 \sin t + \hat{e}_2 \cos t$   
 $\ddot{\alpha}(t) = -\hat{e}_1 \cos t - \hat{e}_2 \sin t$ ,  $\theta_{\dot{\alpha}, \ddot{\alpha}} = 0$  So  $\dot{\alpha}$  and  $\ddot{\alpha}$  are never parallel).  
 So  $h(t) = at + b$ . We can't see why  $a > 0$ . since  $a < 0$  when  $a = 0$ ,  $\beta$  is still geodesic



7.8 (a)  $\dot{\alpha}_0(t) = (\dot{x}_1(t), \dot{x}_2(t) \cos \theta, \dot{x}_2(t) \sin \theta)$

$\dot{\beta}_t(0) = (0, -x_2(t) \sin \theta, x_2(t) \cos \theta)$

$\dot{\alpha}_0(t) \cdot \dot{\beta}_t(0) = 0$

(b)  $\ddot{\alpha}_0(t) = (\ddot{x}_1(t), \ddot{x}_2(t) \cos \theta, \ddot{x}_2(t) \sin \theta)$

~~Sp~~  $N(p) = \pm ?$  hard to write. So must find another way

Notice that  $\dot{\alpha}_0(t) \in S_p$ ,  $\dot{\beta}_t(0) \in S_p$  by definition because  $\alpha_0(t), \beta_t(0)$  are both on  $S$ .

by (a)  $\dot{\alpha}_0(t) \perp \dot{\beta}_t(0)$ . So  $\dot{\alpha}_0(t), \dot{\beta}_t(0)$  form a basis of  $S_p$  ( $p = \alpha_0(t)$ )

So one only needs to check that  $\ddot{\alpha}_0(t)$  is orthogonal to  $\dot{\alpha}_0(t)$  and  $\dot{\beta}_t(0)$

~~$\dot{\alpha}_0(t) \cdot \ddot{\alpha}_0(t) = \dot{x}_1(t) \ddot{x}_1(t) + \dot{x}_2(t) \ddot{x}_2(t)$~~ . As  $\alpha(t) = (x_1(t), x_2(t))$  has constant speed, by Ex 7.2  $\dot{\alpha}_0(t) \perp \ddot{\alpha}_0(t)$ .  $\ddot{\alpha}_0(t) \perp \dot{\beta}_t(0)$  is easy to check.

(c)  $\ddot{\beta}_t(0) = (0, -x_2(t) \cos \theta, -x_2(t) \sin \theta)$ , obviously  $\dot{\beta}_t(0) \perp \ddot{\beta}_t(0)$

$\dot{\beta}_t(0) \perp \dot{\alpha}_0(t) \Leftrightarrow x_2(t) \cdot \dot{x}_2(t) = 0$  Since  $x_2(t) > 0$   $\dot{x}_2(t) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \dot{x}_1(t)/x_1(t) = 0$

7.9 First check  $\beta(t) = \alpha(ct)$  is a maximal geodesic with initial velocity  $cv$ ;  $\beta(0) = \alpha(0)$   
 $\dot{\alpha}(ct) = c \cdot \dot{\alpha}(t)$ . So  $\dot{\beta}(0) = c \cdot \dot{\alpha}(0) = cv$ .

$\ddot{\beta}(t) = c^2 \ddot{\alpha}(t)$ . As  $\alpha$  is geodesic, so  $\ddot{\alpha}(t) \in S_{\alpha(t)}^\perp$ . So  $\ddot{\beta}(t) \in S_{\beta(t)}^\perp = S_{\beta(t)}^\perp$

So  $\beta(t)$  is geodesic. ~~It is easy~~ Since the geodesic with <sup>given</sup> initial position and velocity ~~given~~ is unique,  $\beta(t)$  is ~~what~~ the maximal geodesic in  $S$  with initial velocity  $cv$ .

The domain  $I$  can be easily taken care of.

7.10 Define  $\gamma(t) = \beta(t+t_0)$ , then  $\gamma(0) = \beta(t_0) = p$ ,  $\dot{\gamma}(0) = \dot{\beta}(t_0) = v$ . So if  $\gamma(t)$  is geodesic, then by uniqueness theorem,  $\gamma(t) = \alpha(t)$ , i.e.  $\beta(t+t_0) = \alpha(t)$ , i.e.  $\beta(t) = \alpha(t-t_0)$ .  $I$  is taken care of because  $\alpha$  is maximal.

7.11 Let  $\nu(t) = \beta(t)$ .  $\nu(t_0) = \beta(t_0) = \beta(0)$ ,  $\dot{\nu}(t_0) = \dot{\beta}(t_0) = \dot{\beta}(0)$ . So by Ex. 7.10  $\nu(t) = \beta(t-t_0)$  i.e.  $\beta(t) = \beta(t-t_0)$  i.e.  $\beta(t+t_0) = \beta(t)$

7.12 (a) complete by Example 3

(b) incomplete  $\alpha(t) = (1, 0, \dots, 0) \cos t + (0, \dots, 0, 1) \sin t$  is geodesic  <sup>$t \in (-\frac{3\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2})$</sup>  but  $t \neq \frac{\pi}{2} + 2k\pi$   $k \in \mathbb{Z}$

(c) incomplete  $\alpha(t) = (0, 1, 1) - (0, 1, 1)t$   $t \neq 1$

(d) complete by Example 2

(e) incomplete  $\alpha(t) = (0, 1, 0) \cos t + (1, 0, 0) \sin t$ .  $t \neq \frac{\pi}{2} \pm 2k\pi$   $k \in \mathbb{Z}$

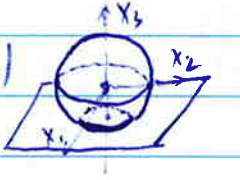
8.1 (b)  $(fX)' = (fX) - [(fX) \cdot N(\alpha(t))] N(\alpha(t))$   
 $= fX + fX' - [(fX + fX') \cdot N(\alpha(t))] N(\alpha(t))$  (as  $X \cdot N(\alpha(t)) = 0$  by  $X$  being tangent to  $S$ )  
 $= fX + fX' - f[X \cdot N(\alpha(t))] \cdot N(\alpha(t)) = fX + fX'$

8.2  ~~$\alpha(t)$  is always in  $S$ , i.e.  $\dot{\alpha}(t) = b$ , i.e.  $\alpha(t) = 0$ .  $\ddot{\alpha}(t) = 0 \in S_{\alpha(t)}^\perp$  So~~  
 Define vector field  $\vec{V}(t) = \vec{v}$  on  $S$ ,  ~~$\vec{v} \in T_x S$~~  as  $\forall x \in S$ .  
 So  $\vec{V}$  is tangent to  $S$ ,  $\vec{V} \cdot \dot{\alpha} = 0$ . So  $\vec{V}$  is parallel along  $\alpha$ . So  $P_\alpha(v) = (f, v)$   
 That means parallel transport in an  $n$ -plane is path independent

8.3 When  $v_1 = (p, 1, 0, 0)$  By example on page 49,  $V_1(t) = \dot{\alpha}(t) = (\cos t, 0, -\sin t)$ ,  $V_1(\pi) = (-1, 0, 0)$   
 When  $v_2 = (p, 0, 1, 0)$  Then the vector field  $V_2(t) = (\cos t, 0, -\sin t)$  is parallel to  $S$  along  $\alpha$   
 So  $V_2(\pi) = (0, 1, 0)$ . As  $P_\alpha$  is linear transform,  $P_\alpha(v) = (f, -v_1, v_2, 0)$

8.4 Define geodesic  $\alpha(t) = p \cos t + \hat{v} \sin t$ ,  $\dot{\alpha}(t) = -p \sin t + \hat{v} \cos t$ .  $\alpha(0) = p$ .  $\alpha(\frac{\pi}{2}) = \hat{v}$   
 $\dot{\alpha}(0) \cdot v = \|v\|$ , As  $\dot{\alpha}(\frac{\pi}{2}) \cdot P_\alpha(\hat{v}) = -p \cdot P_\alpha(\hat{v}) = -\|v\|$ , So  $P_\alpha(v) = -\|v\|$  (By corollary on Pg 48)  
 Likewise define geodesic  $\beta(t) = p \sin t + \hat{w} \cos t$ ,  $\beta(\frac{\pi}{2}) = \hat{w}$   
 So both  $\alpha(\frac{\pi}{2})$  and  $\beta(\frac{\pi}{2})$  are on  $\{x \in S_p^2 \mid Px = 0\}$ . We can define geodesic  
 (by example 3 in ch 7)  $v(t) = \hat{v} \cos t + \sin t \cdot (P \times \hat{v})$ ,  $v(0) = \hat{v}$ , We find  $t_0$  s.t.  $v(t_0) = \hat{w}$   
 $\hat{v} \cos t_0 + (P \times \hat{v}) \sin t_0 = \hat{w} \Rightarrow \hat{v} \cdot \hat{w} \cos t_0 + P \cdot (\hat{v} \times \hat{w}) \sin t_0 = 1$ . Let the angle

between  $\hat{v}$  and  $\hat{w}$  be  $\theta$ . since  $P \perp \hat{v}$ ,  $P \perp \hat{w}$ , we have either  
 $\cos \theta = 1$  or  $\sin \theta = 1$ . But in whichever case, there must be a solution to  $(t_0 = \theta \text{ or } -\theta)$ . Check  $v(t)$  is parallel along  $v(t)$ :  
 $\dot{v}(t) \cdot v(t) = 0$ .  $\dot{v}(t) \cdot P_\alpha(v) = 0$ .  $\dot{v}(t) \cdot \dot{\alpha}(t) = 0$ .  $\forall t$ ,  $\frac{v(t) \cdot P_\alpha(v)}{\|v(t)\|} = \text{constant}$ .  
 $\dot{v}(t) \cdot N_{v(t)} = 0$ .  $v(t) \cdot N_{v(t)} = \pm \|v\| \cdot (\hat{v} \cos t_0 + (P \times \hat{v}) \sin t_0) = 0$  So  $v(t) \in S_{v(t)}$   
 Therefore  $v(t) = -P_\alpha(v)$  is parallel on  $S_p^2$  along  $v(t)$  as  $v(t)$  is geodesic (by corollary Pg 48)  
 So we finally find a piecewise smooth parametrized curve  $v \rightarrow P_\alpha(v) \rightarrow P_\beta(P_\alpha(v))$   
 $v \rightarrow P_\alpha(v) = -\|v\| \rightarrow P_\beta(-\|v\|) = -\|v\| \rightarrow P_\beta(-\|v\|) = \hat{w}$

8.5 (a)   
 $S_1 = \{ (x - (0, 0, \frac{1}{2})) \cdot (0, 0, 1) = 0 \}$   
 $S_2 = \{ x \mid \|x\|^2 = 1 \}$ .  $\alpha(t) = (\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \cos t, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \sin t, \frac{1}{2})$   
 $X(t) = (\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \cos t, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \sin t, 0)$

$X(t)$  is parallel along  $\alpha$  as viewed in  $S_1$ . But  $X(t)$  is not parallel as viewed in  $S_2$  because  $\dot{X}(t) = (-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \sin t, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \cos t, 0) \notin \{x \in T_{X(t)} S_2 \mid Px = 0\}$

$$\text{as } S_{1\alpha(t)}^\perp = S_{2\alpha(t)}^\perp \Leftrightarrow S_{1\alpha(t)} = S_{2\alpha(t)}$$

(b)  $X$  is parallel along  $\alpha$  in  $S_1 \Leftrightarrow X(t) \in S_{1\alpha(t)}^\perp \Leftrightarrow X(t) \in S_{2\alpha(t)}^\perp \Leftrightarrow X$  is parallel in  $S_2$

(c)  $\alpha$  is geodesic in  $S_1 \Leftrightarrow \ddot{\alpha}(t) \in S_{1\alpha(t)}^\perp \Leftrightarrow \ddot{\alpha}(t) \in S_{2\alpha(t)}^\perp \Leftrightarrow \alpha$  is geodesic in  $S_2$

$$\text{Let } Y(u) = X(h(u))$$

8.6 (a)  $X(t) \in S_{\alpha(t)}^\perp \Rightarrow Y(u) = X(h(u)) h'(u) \in S_{\alpha(h(u))}^\perp = S_{\beta(u)}^\perp$

As  $h'(t) \neq 0$ ,  $h(t)$  is monotonic, so there is  $h^{-1}$   $(h^{-1})' \neq 0$ . So the same proof as above goes therefore it is iff.

(b) First by (a),  $X \circ h$  is parallel along  $\alpha \circ h$ . If  $\alpha(t_1) = p$ ,  $\alpha(t_2) = q$ .

Let  $h(u_1) = t_1$ ,  $h(u_2) = t_2$ . So  $\alpha(h(u_1)) = p$ ,  $\alpha(h(u_2)) = q$ .

$X(h(u_1)) = X(t_1)$ ,  $X(h(u_2)) = X(t_2)$ . Besides,  $h$  is monotonic so  $h: [u_1, u_2] \rightarrow [t_1, t_2]$

Thus,  $X \circ h$  transports  $p$  at  $u_1$  to  $q$  at  $u_2$

(c)  $\forall v$ . If  $\alpha(t_1) = p$ ,  $\alpha(t_2) = q$ ,  $X$  is parallel to  $S$  along  $\alpha$ .  $X(t_1) = v$ ,  $X(t_2) = u$  (i.e.  $P_\alpha(v) = u$ )

$\beta(t) \triangleq \alpha(-t)$ . As  $X(t) \in S_{\alpha(t)}^\perp$  ~~so  $X(t) \in S_{\alpha(t)}^\perp$~~  ~~so  $X(-t) \in S_{\alpha(-t)}^\perp$~~  Let  $Y(t) = X(-t)$ , then

$Y(t) = -\dot{X}(-t) \in S_{\alpha(-t)}^\perp = S_{\beta(t)}^\perp$  ~~so  $Y(t)$  is~~ Besides  $X(t) \cdot N_{\alpha(t)} = 0$

$Y(t) \cdot N_{\beta(t)} = X(-t) \cdot N_{\alpha(-t)} = 0$  So  $Y(t)$  is parallel along  $\beta(t)$

$\beta(-t_2) = q$ ,  $\beta(-t_1) = p$ .  ~~$Y(-t_2) = X(t_2) = u$~~ ,  $Y(-t_1) = X(t_1) = v$

So  $u$  is transported to  $v$  along  $\beta(t)$  from  $^{-}t_2$  to  $^{-}t_1$ , i.e. parallel transport from  $q$  to  $p$  along  $\alpha(-t)$  is the inverse of parallel transport from  $p$  to  $q$  along  $\alpha$

8.7 (i)  $\gamma$  is  $\alpha$  concatenated with  $\beta$ . If  $P_\alpha$  correspond to  $A$  and  $B$  respectively, then  $P_\gamma$  correspond to  $A \cdot B$ , which is also nonsingular

(ii) By the third question in Ex 8.6,  $P_\alpha^{-1}$  is the parallel transport along  $\alpha(-t)$ ,  $\beta(t) \triangleq \alpha(-t)$   $t \in [-b, -a]$ ,  $P_\beta$  corresponds to  $A^{-1}$

8.8 We use  $X^*$  to denote  $X'(t)$ , the Fermi derivative.

$$(a) \text{ i } (X+Y)^* = (X+Y)' - [(X+Y)'(t) \cdot \alpha(t)] \alpha(t) \quad \text{by } (X+Y)' = X'+Y'$$

$$= X' - [X'(t) \cdot \alpha(t)] \alpha(t) + Y' - [Y'(t) \cdot \alpha(t)] \alpha(t) = X^* + Y^*$$

$$\text{ii } (fX)^* = (fX)' - [(fX)'(t) \cdot \alpha(t)] \alpha(t) \quad \text{(by } (fX)' = f'X + fX')$$

$$= (f'X + fX') - [(f'X + fX') \cdot \alpha(t)] \alpha(t) \quad \text{(by } X(t) \cdot \alpha(t) = 0)$$

$$= f'X + f[X' - [X' \cdot \alpha(t)] \alpha(t)] = f'X + fX^*$$

$$\text{iii } (X \cdot Y)^{\bullet'} = (X \cdot Y)' - [(X \cdot Y)'(t) \cdot \alpha(t)] \alpha(t) \quad \text{(by } (X \cdot Y)' = X'Y + XY')$$

$$= X'Y + XY' - [(X'Y + XY') \cdot \alpha(t)] \alpha(t)$$

$$= X'Y + Y'X \quad \text{by } \alpha(t) \cdot Y(t) = \alpha(t) \cdot X(t) = 0$$

$$X^*Y + YX^* = [X' - (X'(t) \cdot \alpha(t)) \alpha(t)] Y + X \cdot [Y' - (Y'(t) \cdot \alpha(t)) \alpha(t)] = X'Y + XY'$$

(b) By definition, we should have:  $X \cdot \dot{\alpha} = 0$ ,  $X \cdot N \circ \alpha = 0$  and  $X^* = 0$

$$X^* = 0 \Rightarrow \dot{X} - (\dot{X} \cdot N \circ \alpha) N \circ \alpha - (\dot{X} \cdot \dot{\alpha}) \dot{\alpha} + (\dot{X} \cdot N \circ \alpha) (N \circ \alpha \cdot \dot{\alpha}) \dot{\alpha} = 0 \quad (*) \quad \text{Note } \dot{\alpha} \perp N \circ \alpha$$

$$X \cdot \dot{\alpha} = 0 \Rightarrow \dot{X} \cdot \dot{\alpha} + X \cdot \ddot{\alpha} = 0, \quad X \cdot N \circ \alpha = 0 \Rightarrow \dot{X} \cdot N \circ \alpha + X \cdot \dot{N} \circ \alpha = 0$$

Plugging into (\*):  $\dot{X} + (\dot{X} \cdot N \circ \alpha) N \circ \alpha + (\dot{X} \cdot \dot{\alpha}) \dot{\alpha} = 0$ . 1st order differential equation together with initial condition  $X(t_0) = v$ . So there exists a <sup>solution</sup> unique  $X(t)$ .

Now check  $X \cdot \dot{\alpha} = 0$  and  $X \cdot N \circ \alpha = 0$

$$(X \cdot \dot{\alpha}) = \dot{X} \cdot \dot{\alpha} + X \cdot \ddot{\alpha} = X \cdot \ddot{\alpha} - (\dot{X} \cdot N \circ \alpha) (N \circ \alpha \cdot \dot{\alpha}) - (X \cdot \dot{\alpha}) (\dot{\alpha} \cdot \dot{\alpha}) = 0$$

$$(X \cdot N \circ \alpha) = \dot{X} \cdot N \circ \alpha + X \cdot (\dot{N} \circ \alpha) = X \cdot (\dot{N} \circ \alpha) - (\dot{X} \cdot N \circ \alpha) (N \circ \alpha \cdot \dot{N} \circ \alpha) - (X \cdot \dot{\alpha}) (\dot{\alpha} \cdot \dot{N} \circ \alpha) = 0$$

domain check <sup>same as</sup> ~~in~~ Thm 1 in chapter as  $\|X\|$  is constant

(c) (i)  $F_\alpha$  is linear map, If  $V$  and  $W$  are Fermi parallel along  $\alpha$ , then  $V+W$  <sup>so are</sup> and  $cV$  ( $c \in \mathbb{R}$ )

(ii)  $F_\alpha$  is one to one and onto: the kernel of  $F_\alpha$  is zero because  $\|F_\alpha(v)\| = 0 \Leftrightarrow v = 0$  by (iii).

so  $F_\alpha$  is one-to-one from one  $n$ -dim vector space to another. But such maps are onto

(iii)  $F_\alpha(V) \cdot F_\alpha(W) = V \cdot W$   <sup>$\forall V, W \in \mathcal{A}(\alpha)^\perp$</sup>  because  $(X \cdot Y)^* = X^* Y + X Y^* = 0$ , i.e.  $X \cdot Y$  is constant

9.1 (a)  $\nabla f = (4x_1, 6x_2)$   $\nabla_v f(p) = (4, 0) \cdot (2, 1) = 8$

(b)  $\nabla f = (2x_1, -2x_2)$   $\nabla_v f(p) = (2, -2) \cdot (\cos \theta, \sin \theta) = 2(\cos \theta - \sin \theta)$

(c)  $\nabla f = (x_2 x_3^2, x_1 x_3^2, 2x_1 x_2 x_3)$ ,  $\nabla_v f(p) = (1, 1, 2) \cdot (a, b, c) = a + b + 2c$

(d)  $\nabla f = (q, 2q)$   $\nabla_v f(p) = 2p \cdot v$

9.2  $\nabla_{e_i} f = \left( \frac{\partial f(p)}{\partial x_1}, \dots, \frac{\partial f(p)}{\partial x_{n+1}} \right) \cdot (0, \dots, 1, \dots, 0) = \frac{\partial f(p)}{\partial x_i}$

9.3 (a)  $\nabla X_1 = (x_2, x_1)$   $\nabla X_2 = (0, 2x_2)$   $\nabla_v X = (0, 1) \cdot (0, 1), (0, 0) \cdot (0, 1) = (0, 0)$

(b)  $\nabla X_1 = (0, -1)$   $\nabla X_2 = (1, 0)$   $\nabla_v X = (0, -1) \cdot (-\sin \theta, \cos \theta), (1, 0) \cdot (-\sin \theta, \cos \theta) = (-\cos \theta, -\sin \theta)$

(c)  $\nabla X_i = (q, 2e_i)$   $\nabla_v X = (2, 2, \dots, 2)$

$$F(t) = f(\alpha(t))$$

$$D_v f = F'(t_0)$$

9.5 Let  $Y(t) = X(\alpha(t))$  be the vector field tangent to  $S$  along  $\alpha$ . As  $D_v X = (X \circ \alpha)'(t_0)$

where  $\alpha: I \rightarrow S$  is any parametrized curve in  $S$  with  $\dot{\alpha}(t_0) = v$ . Then quote the properties i-iii in chapter 8 on page 46. Note in (iii)  $\nabla_v (X \cdot Y)$  rather than  $D_v (X \cdot Y)$  ( $\nabla_v X Y = (X \cdot Y)'$ )

9.4 Same as 9.5.  $\nabla_v X = (X \circ \alpha)'(t_0)$   $\nabla_v f = \dot{F}$ . Then quote the properties i-iii in chapter 8 on Pg 39

9.6.  $X(p) \cdot X(q) = 1$  By property iii of ch 9 on Pg 54.  $\nabla_v X(p) \cdot X(q) = \nabla_v 1 = 0$ , i.e.  $\nabla_v X \perp X(p)$

If  $X$  is tangent to  $S$ , then  $\nabla_v X \cdot N(p) = (X \dot{\alpha})(t_0) \cdot N(p) = 0$ . So  $\nabla_v X = D_v X$ . So  $D_v X \perp X(p)$   
by proof in Thm 1 of chapter 5  
then  $\alpha$  is ~~curve~~ on  $S$

9.7 (a) if part:  $\forall$  <sup>integral</sup> parametric curve  $\alpha: I \rightarrow S$ , s.t.  $\alpha(t_0) = p$ ,  $\dot{\alpha}(t) = X(\alpha(t))$ , then the geodesic is  
 $D_{X(p)} X = 0 \iff \nabla_{X(p)} X \parallel N(p) \iff (X \dot{\alpha}) \parallel N_{\alpha} \iff \ddot{\alpha} \parallel N_{\alpha} \iff \alpha$  is geodesic  
 $\dot{\alpha}(t) = X \circ \alpha \Rightarrow \ddot{\alpha} = (X \dot{\alpha})$

"only if" part:  $\forall p \in S$  construct integral curve  $\alpha: I \rightarrow S$ , s.t.  $\alpha(t_0) = p$ ,  $\dot{\alpha}(t) = X(\alpha(t))$   
as  $X$  is tangent to  $S$ ,  $\alpha$  must be on  $S$  by <sup>proof in</sup> Thm 1 in chapter 5. By assumption  $\ddot{\alpha} \in S_{\alpha}^{\perp}$  (geodesic)  
As  $\dot{\alpha}(t) = X(\alpha(t))$ , we have  $\ddot{\alpha} = (X \dot{\alpha}) \in S_{\alpha}^{\perp}$ , i.e.  $(X \dot{\alpha}) \parallel N_{\alpha} \iff D_{X(p)} X = 0$

(b)  cylinder  $X(p) = (p, (0, 1, 0))$

9.8 (a)  $N = (a_1, \dots, a_{n+1})^T$ ,  $\nabla N_i = 0$ ,  $L_p(v) = 0$

(b)  $N = (0, \frac{1}{a} x_2, \frac{1}{a} x_3)^T$ ,  $\nabla N_1 = (0, 0, 0)$ ,  $\nabla N_2 = (0, \frac{1}{a}, 0)$ ,  $\nabla N_3 = (0, 0, \frac{1}{a})$ ,  $L_p(v) = -(0, \frac{v_2}{a}, \frac{v_3}{a})$  (let  $a > 0$ )

9.9 By property (ii) on page 54.  $\nabla_v(-N) = \nabla_v(-1) \cdot N + (-1) \nabla_v(N) = -\nabla_v N$

<sup>suppose</sup>

9.10 (a)  $L^*(e_i) = \sum_{j=1}^n \lambda_j e_j$ , then by  $L^*(e_i) \cdot e_j = e_j \cdot L(e_i)$  we have  $\lambda_j = e_j \cdot L(e_i)$   
So  $L^*(e_i) = \sum_{j=1}^n (e_j \cdot L(e_i)) e_j$ ,  $\forall v = \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i e_i \in V$ ,  $L^*(v) = \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i \sum_{j=1}^n (e_j \cdot L(e_i)) e_j$   
 $L^*(v) \cdot w = \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n \sum_{k=1}^n \alpha_i \beta_k (e_j \cdot L(e_i)) (e_j \cdot e_k) = \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_i \beta_j (e_j \cdot L(e_i))$  let  $w = \sum_{i=1}^n \beta_i e_i$   
 $v \cdot L(w) = \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n \beta_j \alpha_i (e_i \cdot L(e_j)) = \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_i \beta_j (e_i \cdot L(e_j)) = L^*(v) \cdot w$

So the only possible choice of  $L^*(e_i) = \sum_{j=1}^n (e_j \cdot L(e_i)) e_j$  satisfies  $v \cdot L(w) = L^*(v) \cdot w \forall v, w \in V$ .

(b) if  $L(v) = Av \forall v, w \in V$ . For  $\forall w \in V$ ,  $w \cdot L(v) = w \cdot Av$ ,  
If we ~~set~~ choose  $L^*(v) = A^T v$ , then  $v \cdot L^*(w) = v \cdot A^T w = w \cdot Av = w \cdot L(v)$ .  
As (a) proves  $L^*$  is unique and each linear transform corresponds to a unique matrix  
we know  $L^*$  correspond to  $A^T$ . So  $L^* = L \iff A$  is symmetric. So  $L_p$  is symmetric by Thm 2 (pg 56)

9.11  $\forall i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$ ,  $L_p(e_i) = -\nabla_{e_i} N(p) = -((\nabla N_1(p) \cdot e_i), \dots, (\nabla N_{n+1}(p) \cdot e_i))$

$\forall j \in \{1, \dots, n\}$ ,  $\nabla N_j(p) \cdot e_i = \frac{\partial N_j}{\partial x_i} \Big|_p = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \left( \frac{1}{\|\nabla f\|} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_j} \right) \Big|_p = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \left( \frac{1}{\|\nabla f\|} \right) \Big|_p \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_j} \Big|_p + \frac{1}{\|\nabla f\|} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_i \partial x_j}$

Since  $S$  is  $n$ -surface  $\left| \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \left( \frac{1}{\|\nabla f\|} \right) \right|_p < \infty$ . But  $\nabla f(p) / \|\nabla f(p)\| = e_{n+1} \Rightarrow \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_j} \Big|_p = 0 \forall j \in \{1, \dots, n\}$

So  $\nabla N_j(p) \cdot e_i = \frac{1}{\|\nabla f\|} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_i \partial x_j}$

Since  $N(p) = e_{n+1}$ , and  $L_p$  is map  $S_p \rightarrow S_p$ . So  $\nabla N_{n+1}(p) \cdot e_i = 0$ , thus

$$L_p(e_i) = - \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{1}{\|\nabla f\|} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_i \partial x_j} e_j$$

By the way, we can prove that  $\nabla N_{n+1}(p) \cdot e_i = 0$ . First  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_{n+1}} \Big|_p = \|\nabla f(p)\|$

Second.  $\frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \frac{1}{\|\nabla f\|} \Big|_p = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \left[ \sum_{k=1}^{n+1} \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_k} \right)^2 \right]^{-\frac{1}{2}} \Big|_p = \left[ \sum_{k=1}^{n+1} \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_k} \right)^2 \right]^{-\frac{3}{2}} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \sum_{k=1}^{n+1} 2 \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_k} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_k \partial x_i} \Big|_p$ . But  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_k} \Big|_p = \begin{cases} 0 & k=1, \dots, n \\ \|\nabla f\| & k=n+1 \end{cases}$

$= -\|\nabla f\|^{-3} \cdot \|\nabla f\| \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_{n+1} \partial x_i} = -\|\nabla f\|^{-2} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_{n+1} \partial x_i}$  So  $L_p$  is symmetric

So  $\nabla N_{n+1}(p) \cdot e_i = -\|\nabla f\|^{-2} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_{n+1} \partial x_i} \|\nabla f\| + \|\nabla f\|^{-1} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_{n+1} \partial x_i} = 0$ .

9.12(a) Suppose a parametrized curve  $\alpha: I \rightarrow S$ .  $\alpha(t_0) = p$ .  $\dot{\alpha}(t_0) = X(\alpha(t_0))$

$\nabla_{X(p)} Y = Y \circ \dot{\alpha}$ ,  $\nabla_{X(p)} Y \cdot N(p) = Y \circ \dot{\alpha} \cdot N \circ \alpha$

But as  $Y$  is tangent to  $S$ ,  $(Y \circ \dot{\alpha}) \cdot (N \circ \alpha) = 0 \Rightarrow (Y \circ \dot{\alpha}) \cdot (N \circ \alpha) + (Y \circ \dot{\alpha}) \cdot (N \circ \alpha) = 0$

So  $\nabla_{X(p)} Y \cdot N(p) = - (Y \circ \dot{\alpha}) \cdot (N \circ \alpha) \Big|_{t_0} = -Y(p) \cdot L_p(X(p))$

Similarly, one can prove  $\nabla_{Y(p)} X \cdot N(p) = -X(p) \cdot L_p(Y(p))$

By Thm 2 (pg 55)  $L_p(X(p)) \cdot Y(p) = X(p) \cdot L_p(Y(p))$  Thus  $\nabla_{X(p)} Y \cdot N(p) = \nabla_{Y(p)} X \cdot N(p)$

(b) by (a) obvious

9.13. For  $\forall v$ , define a parametrized curve  $\alpha: I \rightarrow U$ ,  $\alpha(t_0) = p$ .  $\dot{\alpha}(t_0) = v$ . For  $\forall \epsilon$ , there exists a  $\delta$  s.t.  $\|X(p+v) - X(p) - X'(p)(v)\| / \|v\| < \epsilon$ ,  $\forall \|v\| < \delta$ . As  $\alpha$  is continuous, there exists  $\delta_1 > 0$  s.t.  $\forall t \in (t_0 - \delta_1, t_0 + \delta_1)$ :  $\|\alpha(t) - \alpha(t_0)\| < \delta$ . Thus

$\|X(p + \alpha(t) - \alpha(t_0)) - X(p) - X'(p)(\alpha(t) - \alpha(t_0))\| / \|\alpha(t) - \alpha(t_0)\| < \epsilon$

i.e.  $\|X(\alpha(t)) - X(\alpha(t_0)) - X'(p)(\alpha(t) - \alpha(t_0))\| / \|\alpha(t) - \alpha(t_0)\| < \epsilon$

i.e.  $\lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} \frac{\|X(\alpha(t)) - X(\alpha(t_0)) - X'(p)(\alpha(t) - \alpha(t_0))\|}{\|\alpha(t) - \alpha(t_0)\|} = 0$  (\*)

Notice  $\lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} \frac{\alpha(t) - \alpha(t_0)}{t - t_0} = \dot{\alpha}(t_0) = v$  So  $\lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} \frac{\|\alpha(t) - \alpha(t_0)\|}{|t - t_0|} = \|v\|$  (1)

$\lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} \frac{X(\alpha(t)) - X(\alpha(t_0))}{t - t_0} = \nabla_v X$  (by definition of  $\nabla_v X$ ) (2)

As  $X'(p)$  is a linear map, suppose its corresponding matrix is  $A$ , thus

If  $\lim_{v \rightarrow v} v = v$  then  $\lim_{v \rightarrow v} A(v) = A(v)$   $\lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} \frac{X'(p)(\alpha(t) - \alpha(t_0))}{t - t_0} = \lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} X'(p) \left( \frac{\alpha(t) - \alpha(t_0)}{t - t_0} \right)$  (since  $X'(p)$  is linear)

use basis expression must finite dimensional  $= X'(p) \left( \lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} \frac{\alpha(t) - \alpha(t_0)}{t - t_0} \right) = X'(p)(v)$  (3)

Plugging (1) (2) (3) into (\*)  $\|\nabla_v X - X'(p)(v)\| / \|v\| = 0$  i.e.  $\nabla_v X = X'(p)(v)$

9.14  $L_p(p, v) \stackrel{\text{def of } L_p}{=} -\nabla_v N(p) \stackrel{\text{def of } \tilde{N}}{=} -\nabla_v \tilde{N}(p) \stackrel{\text{result of 9.13}}{=} -\tilde{N}'(p)(v)$

9.15 (a)  $\ddot{\alpha}(t) = X(\ddot{\alpha}(t)) \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} \dot{x}_1 = u_1, \dots, \dot{x}_{n+1} = u_{n+1} \\ \ddot{u}_k = - (u_1, \dots, u_{n+1}) \cdot \left( \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} u_i \frac{\partial N_i}{\partial x_i}, \dots, \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} u_i \frac{\partial N_{n+1}}{\partial x_i} \right) N_k = -N_k \sum_{i,j=1}^{n+1} u_i u_j \frac{\partial N_j}{\partial x_i} \end{cases}$  (denote  $\alpha = (x_1, \dots, x_{n+1})$ ,  $\ddot{\alpha} = (\alpha, u_1, \dots, u_{n+1})$ )

So  $\ddot{x}_k + N_k \cdot \sum_{i,j=1}^{n+1} \dot{x}_i \dot{x}_j \frac{\partial N_j}{\partial x_i} = 0$  which is the same as (6) f  $N_k$ .

Then follow the proof in the theorem of chapter 7,  $\alpha$  is a geodesic of  $S$ . ( $\alpha \in S$  is assumed)

Note the equation  $\ddot{\alpha}(t) = X(\ddot{\alpha}(t))$  is 1st order differential system in  $U$  and  $X$  so unique solution

(b)  $X(\beta(t)) = \beta(t) \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} \dot{\beta}_1 = \beta_2 \\ \dot{\beta}_2 = -(\beta_2 \cdot \nabla_{\beta_2} N) N(\beta_1) \end{cases}$  As in (a), we can

derive the equation (G) in terms of  $\beta_i$ . (G) itself guarantees  $\beta_i$  is on  $S$  as shown by the proof in Thm of Chapter 7, given that  $\beta_1(t_0) = p \in S$ ,  $\dot{\beta}_1(t_0) = \dot{\beta}_2(t_0) = v \in S_p$ .

10.1  $\alpha = (x, y)$   $\dot{\alpha} = (x', y')$ ,  $\ddot{\alpha} = (x'', y'')$   $N = (-y', x')$  (due to consistency).

So  $k\alpha = \ddot{\alpha} \cdot N / \|\dot{\alpha}\|^2 = (-x''y' + y''x') / (x'^2 + y'^2)^{3/2}$

10.2  $f = X \circ g - g(X, \dots)$ ,  $f^{-1}(0)$  can be viewed as  $\alpha(t) = \begin{cases} g(t) \\ g(t) \end{cases} t \in I$

By Ex 10.1. curvature of Cat point  $(t, g(t)) = k\alpha = g''(t) / [1 + (g'(t))^2]^{3/2}$

$\dot{\alpha}(t) = X(\alpha(t)) \Rightarrow$

10.3 (a)  $\nabla = (a, b)$   $X = (b, -a)$   $\alpha(t) = \begin{pmatrix} bt + c_1 \\ -at + c_2 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $\dot{\alpha}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} b \\ -a \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \alpha(t) = \begin{pmatrix} bt + c_1 \\ -at + c_2 \end{pmatrix} t \in \mathbb{R}$

Since  $(a, b) \neq (0, 0)$  let  $a \neq 0$ , let  $\alpha(0) = \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} c_1/a \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \alpha(t) = \begin{pmatrix} bt + c_1/a \\ -at \end{pmatrix} t \in \mathbb{R}$

(b)  $\nabla = (\frac{2x_1}{a^2}, \frac{2x_2}{b^2})$   $X = (\frac{2x_2}{b^2}, -\frac{2x_1}{a^2})$   $\dot{\alpha}(t) = X(\alpha(t)) \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \dot{\alpha}_1 = a \sin \frac{2}{ab} t \\ \dot{\alpha}_2 = b \cos \frac{2}{ab} t \end{cases} t \in \mathbb{R}$

$\frac{1}{a^2} \alpha_1^2(t) + \frac{1}{b^2} \alpha_2^2(t) = 1$

(c)  $\nabla = (-2ax_1, 1)$ ,  $X = (1, 2ax_1)$ ,  $\dot{\alpha}(t) = X(\alpha(t)) \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \dot{\alpha}_1(t) = t + c_1 \\ \dot{\alpha}_2(t) = at^2 + 2ac_1t + c_2 \end{cases}$

$\alpha_2(t) - a(\alpha_1(t))^2 = c \Rightarrow c_2 = c + 4a^2 c_1^2$ . let  $c_1 = 0$ ,  $c_2 = c$ . So  $\begin{cases} \alpha_1(t) = t \\ \alpha_2(t) = at^2 + c \end{cases} t \in \mathbb{R}$

(d)  $\nabla = (2x_1, -2x_2)$   $X = (-2x_2, -2x_1)$   $\dot{\alpha}(t) = X(\alpha(t)) \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \dot{\alpha}_1 = -2\alpha_2 \\ \dot{\alpha}_2 = -2\alpha_1 \end{cases} t \in [0, 2\pi]$

$\alpha_1(t) = \frac{c_1 e^{2t} + c_2 e^{-2t}}{2}$ ,  $\alpha_2(t) = \frac{c_1 e^{2t} - c_2 e^{-2t}}{2}$ ,  $\alpha_1^2 - \alpha_2^2 = 1$

10.4 (a)  $k = 0$  as  $\ddot{\alpha} = 0$ . (b)  $\alpha = \begin{pmatrix} a \sin 2t/ab \\ b \cos 2t/ab \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $\dot{\alpha} = \begin{pmatrix} 2/b \cos 2t/ab \\ -2/a \sin 2t/ab \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $\ddot{\alpha} = \begin{pmatrix} -4/ab \sin 2t/ab \\ -4/a^2 b \cos 2t/ab \end{pmatrix}$

$N = \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 2/a \sin 2t/ab \\ 2/b \cos 2t/ab \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $k(p) = \frac{\ddot{\alpha} \cdot N}{\|\dot{\alpha}\|^2} = \frac{-4/ab \sin 2t/ab \cdot 2/a \sin 2t/ab - 4/a^2 b \cos 2t/ab \cdot 2/b \cos 2t/ab}{4(a^2 \cos^2 2t/ab + b^2 \sin^2 2t/ab)}$

$\|\dot{\alpha}\|^2 = \frac{4}{a^2 b^2} (a^2 \cos^2 \frac{2t}{ab} + b^2 \sin^2 \frac{2t}{ab})$

$\ddot{\alpha} \cdot N = \frac{-4}{a^2 b^2} (a \sin \frac{2t}{ab}) \cdot \frac{2}{ab} (b \cos \frac{2t}{ab}) / \frac{2}{ab} \sqrt{a^2 \cos^2 \frac{2t}{ab} + b^2 \sin^2 \frac{2t}{ab}}$

So  $k(p) = \frac{\ddot{\alpha} \cdot N}{\|\dot{\alpha}\|^2} = -ab (a^2 \cos^2 \frac{2t}{ab} + b^2 \sin^2 \frac{2t}{ab})^{-3/2}$  If  $a=b=r$ , then  $k(p) = -\frac{1}{r}$ .

(c) Use Ex 10.2,  $k\alpha = g(t) = at^2, g'(t) = 2at, g''(t) = 2a$

$k\alpha = 2a / (1 + 4a^2 t^2)^{3/2} = 2a / (1 + 4a^2 x^2)^{3/2}$

(d) Use Ex 10.1  $\alpha(t) = \begin{pmatrix} \cos t \\ \sin t \end{pmatrix}$   $\dot{\alpha}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} -\sin t \\ \cos t \end{pmatrix}$   $\ddot{\alpha}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} -\cos t \\ -\sin t \end{pmatrix}$

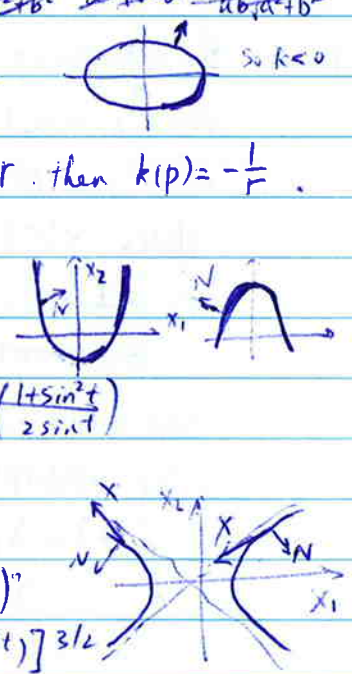
$k\alpha = -\cos^3 t / (1 + \sin^2 t)^{3/2} = -(x_1^2 + x_2^2)^{3/2} \cdot \text{sgn}(x_1)$

In general for  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$   $k = -ab / (a^2 \tan^2 t + b^2 \sec^2 t)^{3/2}$

$\alpha(t) = \frac{1}{2} (e^{2t} + e^{-2t}, e^{2t} - e^{-2t})^T$ ,  $\dot{\alpha}(t) = (e^{2t} - e^{-2t}, e^{-2t} - e^{2t})^T$

$\ddot{\alpha}(t) = 2(e^{2t} + e^{-2t}, e^{-2t} - e^{2t})$  So  $k\alpha = 8 / [2(e^{4t} + e^{-4t})]^{3/2}$

$k = 1 / (x_1^2 + x_2^2)^{3/2}$ , So curve is always turning (according to  $X$ ) towards  $N$



10.5  $h(t_0) = (\alpha(t_0) - p) \cdot N(p) = (P - P) \cdot N(P) = 0$   $h'(t_0) = (\dot{\alpha}(t_0) \cdot N_p) = 0$   
 $h''(t_0) = \ddot{\alpha}(t_0) \cdot N(p) = k(p)$  because  $\|\dot{\alpha}(t_0)\| = 1$

10.6 (a) As  $\|\dot{\alpha}\| = \text{const}$   $\dot{\alpha} \cdot \dot{\alpha} = 0$  But  $\dot{\alpha} \cdot N\dot{\alpha} = 0$  and  $\{v \mid v \cdot \dot{\alpha} = 0\}$  is one dimensional (as  $C$  is in  $2D$  plane) So  $\dot{\alpha} = \lambda N\dot{\alpha}$ ,  $\lambda = \dot{\alpha} \cdot N\dot{\alpha} = k\dot{\alpha}$ , So  $\dot{T} = \dot{\alpha} = (k\dot{\alpha}) \cdot (N\dot{\alpha})$

(b)  $\|N\| = 1$ . So  $(N\dot{\alpha}) \cdot (N\dot{\alpha}) = 0$ . But  $(N\dot{\alpha}) \cdot \dot{\alpha} = 0$  and we are in 2-D plane so  $N\dot{\alpha} = \lambda \dot{\alpha}$   $\lambda = N\dot{\alpha} \cdot \dot{\alpha}$  Besides, as  $\dot{\alpha} \cdot N\dot{\alpha} = 0$  we have  $\ddot{\alpha} \cdot N\dot{\alpha} + \dot{\alpha} \cdot N\ddot{\alpha} = 0$  So  $\lambda = -\ddot{\alpha} \cdot N\dot{\alpha} = -k\dot{\alpha}$ .

Thus,  $N\ddot{\alpha} = -(k\dot{\alpha}) \cdot \dot{\alpha} = -(k\dot{\alpha}) \cdot T$ .

10.7 (a)  $\|\dot{\alpha}\| = 1 \Rightarrow \dot{\alpha} \cdot \dot{\alpha} = 0 \Rightarrow T \perp N$ ,  $B \perp N$  and  $B \perp T$  are by definition of  $B$  (cross product)

(b)  $\dot{T} = \ddot{\alpha} \cdot N(t) = \ddot{\alpha} / \|\ddot{\alpha}\|$  So  $\dot{T} = \|\ddot{\alpha}\| \cdot N$  so  $k \triangleq \|\ddot{\alpha}\|$

$\dot{B} = \dot{T} \times N + T \times \dot{N} = T \times \dot{N}$  So  $\dot{B} \perp T$ ,  $\dot{B} \perp N$  But we know  $N \perp T$

and  $\|N\| = 1 \Rightarrow \dot{N} \perp N$ . As we are in 3D space  $\dot{B} = -\tau \cdot N$  where  $\tau \in I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$   
 $\tau(t) = -\dot{B}(t) \cdot N(t)$  so  $\tau$  is smooth.

$\dot{N} \perp N$ . We know  $B \perp N$ ,  $T \perp N$  and  $B \perp T$ . So there exist  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$\dot{N} = \lambda_1 B + \lambda_2 T$   $\lambda_1 = \dot{N} \cdot B = -N \cdot \dot{B} = \tau$  (since  $N \cdot B = 0 \Rightarrow \dot{N} \cdot B + N \cdot \dot{B} = 0$ )

$\lambda_2 = \dot{N} \cdot T = -N \cdot \dot{T} = -k$  (since  $N \cdot T = 0 \Rightarrow \dot{N} \cdot T + N \cdot \dot{T} = 0$ )

So  $\dot{N} = \tau B - k T$

10.8 By definition of circle of curvature,  $C_p = O_p$ ,  $\dot{\alpha}(0) \in C_p$ ,  $\dot{\beta}(0) \in O_p$   $C_p$  and  $O_p$  are one dimensional,  $\|\dot{\alpha}(0)\| = \|\dot{\beta}(0)\| = 1$  and  $\dot{\alpha}(0), \dot{\beta}(0)$  are both consistent with  $N(p)$  and  $N_1(p)$  resp. ( $N(p)$  and  $N_1(p)$  are orientation norms of  $C$  and  $O$ ). But  $N_1(p) = N(p)$   
 Thus  $\dot{\alpha}(0) = \dot{\beta}(0)$

As  $\dot{\alpha} \perp \dot{\alpha} \Rightarrow \dot{\alpha} \cdot N(p) = -\nabla_{\dot{\alpha}(0)} N \cdot \dot{\alpha}(0)$  by Thm 1 of chapter 9

$\dot{\beta} \perp \dot{\beta} \Rightarrow \dot{\beta} \cdot N_1(p) = -\nabla_{\dot{\beta}(0)} N_1 \cdot \dot{\beta}(0)$

But  $\dot{\alpha}(0) = \dot{\beta}(0)$  and by definition of circle of curvature,  $\nabla_{\dot{\alpha}(0)} N = \nabla_{\dot{\beta}(0)} N_1$

So  $\dot{\alpha}(0) \cdot N(p) = \dot{\beta}(0) \cdot N_1(p)$  (\*) But  $N_1(p) = N(p)$  As  $\dot{\alpha} \perp N(p)$ , suppose

$\dot{\alpha}(0) = \lambda_1 N(p)$ , suppose  $\dot{\beta}(0) = \lambda_2 N_1(p)$  similarly as  $\dot{\beta} \perp N_1(p)$

So  $\lambda_1 = \dot{\alpha}(0) \cdot N(p) \stackrel{by (*)}{=} \dot{\beta}(0) \cdot N_1(p) = \lambda_2$ ,  $\dot{\alpha}(0) = \lambda_1 N(p) = \lambda_2 N_1(p) = \dot{\beta}(0)$   
 as  $N_1(p) = N(p)$

10.9 "only if":  $O: \|x - q\|^2 = r^2$ ,  $C_p = O_p \Rightarrow p \in O \Rightarrow \|p - q\|^2 = r^2 \Rightarrow f(0) = \|p - q\|^2 - r^2 = 0$

$C_p = O_p$  and same  $\Rightarrow$  the normal vector of  $O$  at  $p = 2(p - q) \perp O_p = C_p = \{ \lambda \dot{\alpha}(0) \mid \lambda \in \mathbb{R} \}$



so  $(p-q) \cdot \dot{\alpha}(0) = 0$  so  $f'(0) = 2(\alpha(0) - q) \cdot \dot{\alpha}(0) = 2(p-q) \cdot \dot{\alpha}(0) = 0$ .

By Thm 1 of chapter 9,  $\dot{\alpha}(t_0) \cdot N(p) = -\nabla_{\dot{\alpha}(t_0)} N(p) \cdot \dot{\alpha}(t_0)$  ( $N, N_i$  are orientation of  $C$  and  $O$  <sup>resp.</sup>)

$N(p) = N_i(p) = \lambda(p-q)/r$  ( $\lambda = \pm 1$  which determines orientation)  $\lambda = 1$  outwards  $\lambda = -1$  inwards

$\nabla_v N(p) = \nabla_v N_i(p) = \lambda \frac{1}{r} v$

So  $\dot{\alpha}(t_0) \lambda(p-q)/r = \dot{\alpha}(t_0) \cdot N(p) = -\nabla_{\dot{\alpha}(t_0)} N(p) \cdot \dot{\alpha}(t_0) = -\lambda \frac{1}{r} \dot{\alpha}(t_0) \cdot \dot{\alpha}(t_0) = -\frac{\lambda}{r}$

So  $\dot{\alpha}(p-q) = -1$ , So  $f''(0) = 2 + 2(p-q) \cdot \dot{\alpha}(0) = 0$

"If part"  $f'(0) = 0 \Rightarrow \|p-q\| = r^2$  So  $p \in O$ .

$f''(0) = 0 \Rightarrow (p-q) \cdot \dot{\alpha}(0) = 0$  As we are in  $2D$ , and  $p-q \in O_p^+$ . So  $\dot{\alpha}(0) \in C_p$ .

But  $\dot{\alpha}(0) \in C_p$  as well and  $O_p$  and  $C_p$  are both one dimensional, so  $O_p = C_p$ ; then we can easily choose an orientation of  $O$  such that its orientation at  $p$  is the same as  $C$ 's.  $\textcircled{B}$

$f''(0) \Rightarrow (p-q) \cdot \dot{\alpha}(0) = -1 \forall v \in C_p$ , i.e.  $v = \mu \dot{\alpha}(0)$ ,  $\mu \in \mathbb{R}$

Since  $\nabla_v N \cdot N = 0$  <sup>and  $N \perp \dot{\alpha}(0)$</sup>  So  $\nabla_{\dot{\alpha}(0)} N = a \cdot \dot{\alpha}(0)$   $a \in \mathbb{R}$  as we are in  $2D$

$a = \nabla_{\dot{\alpha}(0)} N \cdot \dot{\alpha}(0) = -\dot{\alpha}(0) \cdot N(p) = -\dot{\alpha}(0) \cdot N_i(p) = -\lambda(p-q)/r \cdot \dot{\alpha}(0) = \frac{\lambda}{r}$

So  $\nabla_{\dot{\alpha}(0)} N = \frac{\lambda}{r} \dot{\alpha}(0)$ . But  $\nabla_{\dot{\alpha}(0)} N_i = \frac{\lambda}{r} \dot{\alpha}(0)$   $\textcircled{B}$  By Example in chapter 9 or page 56

So  $\nabla_{\dot{\alpha}(0)} N = \nabla_{\dot{\alpha}(0)} N_i$ . Furthermore,  $\forall v \in C_p$ ,  $v$  must be  $v = \mu \dot{\alpha}(0)$   $\mu \in \mathbb{R}$ .

But  $\nabla_v N = \nabla_{\mu \dot{\alpha}(0)} N = \mu \cdot \nabla_{\dot{\alpha}(0)} N = \mu \nabla_{\dot{\alpha}(0)} N_i = \mu \nabla_{\mu \dot{\alpha}(0)} N_i = \nabla_v N_i$   $\textcircled{C}$

Combining  $\textcircled{B}$ - $\textcircled{C}$ .  $O$  is circle of curvature of  $C$  at  $p$ .

10.10  $\alpha(t) = (\cos \theta(t), \sin \theta(t))$  As  $\alpha(t)$  is local parametrization of  $C$

$N(\alpha(t)) = (-\sin \theta(t), \cos \theta(t))$ .  $\dot{\alpha}(t) = (-\sin \theta(t) \cdot \dot{\theta}(t), \cos \theta(t) \cdot \dot{\theta}(t))$ . As  $\alpha$  is

unit speed,  $k \alpha = \dot{\alpha}(t) \cdot N(\alpha(t)) = \dot{\theta}(t) \hat{e}_\theta$

11.1  $L(\alpha) = \int_0^2 \|(2t, 3t^2)\| dt = \int_0^2 \sqrt{4 + 9t^2} dt \stackrel{u=t^2}{=} \int_0^4 \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{4+9u} du$   
 $= \frac{1}{18} \int_0^6 \sqrt{4+9u} d(4+9u) = \frac{1}{18} \frac{2}{3} (4+9u)^{3/2} \Big|_0^6 = \frac{2}{27} (10\sqrt{10} - 1)$

11.2  $L(\alpha) = \int_{-1}^1 \|(-3\sin 3t, 3\cos 3t, 4)\| dt = 10$

11.3  $L(\alpha) = \int_0^{2\pi} \|(2\sqrt{2} \sin 2t, 2\cos 2t, 2\cos 2t)\| dt = \int_0^{2\pi} 2\sqrt{2} dt = 4\pi\sqrt{2}$

11.4  $L(\alpha) = \int_0^{2\pi} \|(-\sin t, \cos t, -\sin t, \cos t)\| dt = 2\sqrt{2}\pi$

11.5.  $\alpha(t) = (12t, -5t)$   $t \in (-1, 1)$   $L(C) = L(\alpha) = \int_{-1}^1 \|13\| dt = 26$  <sup>Ex Ref. 11.9</sup>  
 Actually, don't bother with orientation and  $\alpha$  compliance, because  $L(C) \geq 0$  and  $\alpha$  ~~orientation only~~ <sup>changes sign</sup>

$$11.6 \quad \alpha(t) = (2\sin t, 1+2\cos t) \quad l(c) = l(\alpha) = \int_0^{2\pi} \|\dot{\alpha}(t)\| dt = \int_0^{2\pi} \|(2\cos t, -2\sin t)\| dt = 4\pi$$

$$11.7 \quad \alpha(t) = (\sqrt{1+t^2}, t), \quad t \in (-\sqrt{3}, \sqrt{3}), \quad l(c) = l(\alpha) = \int_{-\sqrt{3}}^{\sqrt{3}} \|(t(1+t^2)^{-1/2}, 1)\| dt = \int_{-\sqrt{3}}^{\sqrt{3}} \sqrt{1+t^2/(1+t^2)} dt = 2 \int_0^{\sqrt{3}} \sqrt{1+t^2/(1+t^2)} dt$$

$$11.8 \quad \alpha(t) = \left(\frac{2}{3}t^{3/2}, t\right) \quad t \in (0, 3) \quad l(c) = l(\alpha) = \int_0^3 \|(t^{1/2}, 1)\| dt = \int_0^3 \sqrt{t+1} d(t+1) = 14/3$$

11.9 If  $\alpha(t)$  is consistent with  $N$ , then  $\beta(t) = \alpha(-t)$  is consistent with  $-N$

$(\dot{\alpha}_1(t), \dot{\alpha}_2(t))^T = R_{-\pi/2} (N_1(\alpha(t)), N_2(\alpha(t)))^T$ . So for  $\forall t \in (a, b)$

$(\dot{\beta}_1(t), \dot{\beta}_2(t))^T = (-\dot{\alpha}_1(-t), -\dot{\alpha}_2(-t))^T = R_{-\pi/2} (-N_1(\alpha(-t)), -N_2(\alpha(-t)))^T$

$\int_a^b \alpha(-t) dt = \int_a^b \alpha(t) dt$  So  $l(c) = l(\bar{c})$

11.10 (a)  $\int_a^b |k\alpha(t)| dt = \int_a^b |\dot{\alpha} \cdot N(\alpha(t))| dt = \int_a^b \|\dot{\alpha}(t)\| dt$ . If  $\beta$  is reparametrization of  $\alpha$ .  $\beta = \alpha \circ h$ . (Since  $\alpha, \beta$  are both one-to-one, such  $h$  must exist,  $h(t) = \alpha^{-1}(\beta(t))$  since both  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are smooth regular,  $\dot{\alpha} \neq 0, \dot{\beta} \neq 0$ )  $h$  must be differentiable.

$\dot{\beta}(t) = \dot{\alpha}(h(t)) \cdot h'(t)$ . But  $\|\dot{\alpha}\| = \|\dot{\beta}\| = 1$ , so  $\|h'(t)\| = 1$ . But  $h'$  is continuous, so  $h' \equiv 1$  or  $h' \equiv -1$ . In whichever case  $\dot{\beta}(t) = \dot{\alpha}(h(t)) \cdot (h'(t))^2 = \dot{\alpha}(h(t))$

so  $\int_a^b |k\beta(t)| dt = \int_c^d \|\dot{\beta}(t)\| dt = \int_c^d \|\dot{\alpha}(h(t))\| |h'(t)| dt$  if  $h' \equiv 1$

$= \int_c^d \|\dot{\alpha}(h(t))\| \cdot h'(t) dt$  if  $h' \equiv -1$

$= \int_a^b \dot{\alpha}(u) du, \quad u \triangleq h(t)$ .

(b) By Ex 10.6.  $\int (N\alpha) = \int_a^b \|N\alpha\| dt = \int_a^b \|-k\alpha \cdot \dot{\alpha}\| dt = \int_a^b |k\alpha| dt$ .

11.11 (a)  $d(f+g)(v) = \nabla(f+g) \cdot v = \nabla f \cdot v + \nabla g \cdot v = df(v) + dg(v) \quad \forall v \in \mathbb{R}^n, p \in \mathbb{R}^n$

(b)  $d(fg)(v) = \nabla(fg) \cdot v = \nabla f \cdot g(p) \cdot v + \nabla g(p) \cdot f(p) \cdot v$

So  $dfg = gdf + f dg$

(c)  $d(h \circ f)(v) = \nabla(h \circ f) \cdot v = h'(f(p)) \cdot \nabla f(p) \cdot v$ , So  $d(h \circ f) = (h' \circ f) df$

11.12 (a)  $\int_{\alpha} (x_2 dx_1 - x_1 dx_2) = \int_0^{2\pi} [2\sin t (-2\sin t) - 2\cos t (2\cos t)] dt = -8\pi$

(b)  $\int_c (-x_2 dx_1 + x_1 dx_2) = \int_0^{2\pi} [(-b\sin t)(-a\sin t) + (a\cos t)(b\cos t)] dt = 2\pi ab$

(c)  $\int_{\alpha} \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} x_i dx_i = f(\alpha(b)) - f(\alpha(0)) = \frac{1}{2}(n+1)$ , where  $f(x) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} x_i^2$ ;  $df = \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} x_i dx_i$

11.13  $w(\alpha(t)) = \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} f_i(\alpha(t)) \dot{\alpha}_i(t) = \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} f_i(\alpha(t)) \frac{dx_i}{dt}$ . So  $\int_{\alpha} w = \int_a^b \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} (f_i \circ \alpha) \frac{dx_i}{dt} dt$

11.14 If  $C$  is connected, then there is a one-to-one <sup>global</sup> parametrization  $\alpha(t): [a,b] \rightarrow C$ .  
 $\int_C \omega_X = \int_a^b X(\alpha(t)) \cdot \dot{\alpha}(t) dt = \int_a^b \|\dot{\alpha}(t)\| dt = l(C)$  (as  $X$  is rotating  $\omega/|\omega|$  by  $-\pi/2$ )  
 If  $C$  is not connected, then the above is true for each segment, so globally holds too

11.15 Treat  $\alpha$  as  $\tilde{\alpha}$ , then  $\alpha(t) = (\cos \theta(t), \sin \theta(t))$  by proof in Thm 3 ( $\theta(t) \equiv \theta_0 + \int_{t_0}^t \eta(\tilde{\alpha}(t)) dt$ )  
 As for uniqueness: If  $\theta_1(t)$  and  $\theta_2(t)$  satisfy:  $\cos \theta_1(t) \equiv \cos \theta_2(t)$ ,  $\sin \theta_1(t) \equiv \sin \theta_2(t)$   
 $\theta_1(t_0) = \theta_2(t_0) = \theta_0$ , then  $\theta_1(t) = \theta_2(t)$  for all  $t \in I$ . Proof: By first two equations  
 $\sin(\theta_1(t) - \theta_2(t)) = 0$  so  $\cos(\theta_1(t) - \theta_2(t)) \cdot (\dot{\theta}_1(t) - \dot{\theta}_2(t)) = 0$ .  
 But  $\sin(\theta_1 - \theta_2) = 0 \Rightarrow \cos(\theta_1 - \theta_2) \neq 0$ , so  $\dot{\theta}_1(t) - \dot{\theta}_2(t) = 0$  so  $\theta_1(t) \equiv \theta_2(t)$  as it holds  $\overset{t=0}{\text{for}}$

11.16 Let  $\beta(t) = f(t) \cdot \alpha(t)$ . Define  $\varphi_1(t) = \varphi_1(a) + \int_a^t \eta$ ,  $\varphi_2(t) = \varphi_2(a) + \int_a^t \eta$   
 $\varphi_1(a)$  is chosen so that  $\alpha(a)/\|\alpha(a)\| = (\cos \varphi_1(a), \sin \varphi_1(a))$  and  $\varphi_1(a) \in [0, 2\pi)$   
 $\varphi_2(a) \dots \dots \dots \beta(a)/\|\beta(a)\| = (\cos \varphi_2(a), \sin \varphi_2(a))$  and  $\varphi_2(a) \in [0, 2\pi)$   
 As  $\beta(a)/\|\beta(a)\| = \alpha(a)/\|\alpha(a)\|$  <sup>since  $f > 0$</sup>  and such choice of  $\varphi_1, \varphi_2(a)$  is unique, we have  
 $\varphi_1(a) = \varphi_2(a)$ . Furthermore, by proof in Thm 3,  
 $\alpha(t)/\|\alpha(t)\| = (\cos \varphi_1(t), \sin \varphi_1(t))$ ,  $\beta(t)/\|\beta(t)\| = (\cos \varphi_2(t), \sin \varphi_2(t))$   
 As  $\alpha(t)/\|\alpha(t)\| \equiv \beta(t)/\|\beta(t)\|$ ,  $\cos \varphi_1(t) \equiv \cos \varphi_2(t)$ ,  $\sin \varphi_1(t) \equiv \sin \varphi_2(t)$   
 and  $\varphi_1(a) = \varphi_2(a)$ . Same as the proof of uniqueness in Ex 11.15 we have  
 $\varphi_1(t) \equiv \varphi_2(t)$ ,  $k(\alpha) = \frac{1}{2\pi}(\varphi_1(b) - \varphi_1(a)) = \frac{1}{2\pi}(\varphi_2(b) - \varphi_2(a)) = k(\beta)$ . Now may need piece-  
 Let  $f = \|\alpha\|^{-1}$  (As  $\|\alpha\| \neq 0$ ), then  $k(\alpha) = k(\alpha/\|\alpha\|)$ . wise, but still true  
 Actually no need of  $\alpha$  being closed and  $f(a) = f(b)$ .  $\int \alpha \eta \equiv \int \beta \eta$ .

11.17 Since by Ex 11.16,  $\alpha$  and  $\alpha/\|\alpha\|$  have the same winding number, it is now equivalent to  
 proving that with  $\varphi(t, u)$  redefined as  $\hat{\varphi}(t, u) = \varphi(t, u)/\|\varphi(t, u)\|$ , the result holds. Now  $\|\hat{\varphi}(t, u)\| = 1$   
 for all  $u$ , and  $t$ , and  $\varphi(t, u)/\|\varphi(t, u)\|$  is continuous as  $\|\varphi(t, u)\|$  is continuous.  
 and  $\hat{\varphi}_u(t)$  is smooth on each  $[t_i, t_{i+1}]$ ,  $\hat{\varphi}_u(a) = \hat{\varphi}_u(b)$ .

As  $[a, b] \times [0, 1]$  is compact, and  $\hat{\varphi}$  is continuous,  $\hat{\varphi}$  must be uniform continuous, i.e.  
 $\forall \varepsilon_1, \exists \delta_1, \forall (t_1, u_1), (t_2, u_2) \text{ with } \| (t_1, u_1) - (t_2, u_2) \| < \delta_1, \|\hat{\varphi}(t_1, u_1) - \hat{\varphi}(t_2, u_2)\| < \varepsilon_1$ . Specifically, let  $t_1 = t_2$   
 $\|\hat{\varphi}(t, u_1) - \hat{\varphi}(t, u_2)\| < \varepsilon_1$ , i.e.  $\hat{\varphi}(t, u_1) \cdot \hat{\varphi}(t, u_2) \geq 1 - \frac{\varepsilon_1^2}{2} = 1 - \varepsilon_2$  ( $\varepsilon_2 \equiv \frac{\varepsilon_1^2}{2}$ )  $\forall |u_1 - u_2| < \varepsilon_1$ .  
 Define  $\theta_u(t) = \theta_u(a) + \int_a^t \hat{\varphi}_u \eta$ ,  $\theta_x(t) = \theta_x(a) + \int_a^t \hat{\varphi}_x \eta$ .  $\forall u \in [0, 1]$ ,  $x \in (u - \varepsilon_1, u + \varepsilon_1) \cap [0, 1]$   
 $\theta_u(a)$  is chosen so that  $\hat{\varphi}_u(a) = (\cos \theta_u(a), \sin \theta_u(a))$ . Likewise,  $\hat{\varphi}_x(a) = (\cos \theta_x(a), \sin \theta_x(a))$   
 and  $\theta_u(a), \theta_x(a) \in [0, 2\pi)$ . For  $\forall t$ , by proof in Thm 3,  
 $\hat{\varphi}_u(t) = (\cos \theta_u(t), \sin \theta_u(t))$ ,  $\hat{\varphi}_x(t) = (\cos \theta_x(t), \sin \theta_x(t))$

So  $\hat{\varphi}_u(t) \cdot \hat{\varphi}_x(t) = \cos(\theta_u(t) - \theta_x(t))$ . By (\*)  $\cos(\theta_u(t) - \theta_x(t)) > 1 - \varepsilon_2$  (\*\*)

Let  $\theta_0 = \arccos(1 - \varepsilon_2)$ . As  $\theta_u(a), \theta_x(a) \in [0, 2\pi)$ ,  $|\theta_u(a) - \theta_x(a)| < \theta_0$

So for  $\forall t, \exists k_t \in \mathbb{Z}$ , s.t.  $|\theta_u(t) - \theta_x(t)| \in (2k_t\pi - \theta_0, 2k_t\pi + \theta_0)$

If  $\exists t_1, t_2$ ,  $t_1 < t_2$ ,  $\frac{k_{t_1} + k_{t_2}}{2} \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $|\theta_u(t_1) - \theta_x(t_1)| \in (2k_{t_1}\pi - \theta_0, 2k_{t_1}\pi + \theta_0)$

$|\theta_u(t_2) - \theta_x(t_2)| \in (2k_{t_2}\pi - \theta_0, 2k_{t_2}\pi + \theta_0)$  Note  $\theta_0 \in (0, \pi/2]$

As  $\theta_u(t) - \theta_x(t)$  is continuous with respect to  $t$ , there must exist  $t_3 \in (t_1, t_2)$

s.t.  $\theta_u(t_3) - \theta_x(t_3) = 2\pi \cdot \min(k_{t_1}, k_{t_2}) + \pi$ , if  $\varepsilon_2$  is small enough and thus  $\theta_0$  is small

enough. But  $\cos(\theta_u(t_3) - \theta_x(t_3)) = -1$  violating (\*\*). Thus there is a  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,

s.t.  $\forall t \in [a, b]$ ,  $|\theta_u(t) - \theta_x(t)| \in (2k\pi - \theta_0, 2k\pi + \theta_0)$

But  $|k(\varphi_u) - k(\varphi_x)| = \frac{1}{2\pi} |(\theta_u(b) - \theta_u(a)) - (\theta_x(b) - \theta_x(a))|$

$$\leq \frac{1}{2\pi} (|\theta_u(b) - \theta_x(b)| + |\theta_u(a) - \theta_x(a)|)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} |(\theta_u(b) - \theta_x(b)) - (\theta_u(a) - \theta_x(a))|$$

$$\forall u \in [a, b] \quad \varepsilon_2 \in (0, 1/2) \quad < \frac{1}{2\pi} 2\theta_0 = \frac{\theta_0}{\pi} \quad \text{It's to make } \theta_0 \text{ sufficiently small to ensure } \varepsilon_2$$

So  $\forall \varepsilon_2 = 1 - \cos(\varepsilon_1\pi)$ ,  $\varepsilon_1 = \sqrt{2\varepsilon_2}$ , s.t.  $\forall x \in (u - \varepsilon_1, u + \varepsilon_1) \cap [0, 1]$ ,

$|k(\varphi_x) - k(\varphi_u)| < \varepsilon_2$ . So  $k(\varphi_u)$  is a continuous function of  $u$

Finally, as  $k(\varphi_u)$  can only assume integer value,  $k(\varphi_0) = k(\varphi_1)$

Note:  $\varphi$  can be on any  $[c, d]$  ( $c, d \neq \infty$ ) and  $k(\varphi_c) = k(\varphi_d)$

11.8 (a)  $\forall n$ . define  $\alpha(t) = (\cos nt, \sin nt)$ , i.e.  $\alpha(t) = (\frac{1}{n} \sin nt, \frac{1}{n} \cos nt)$

Then following Example 2 on Pg 75,  $\int_0^{2\pi} \eta = n \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1}{\cos^2 t + \sin^2 t} dt = 2n\pi$

i.e. the rotation index of  $\alpha$  is  $n$ .

(b) We follow the definitions of  $\varphi, \psi, \phi$  as in the hint, but define to more formally.

Let  $u \in \mathbb{R}^2, u \neq 0$  define  $h(t) = \alpha(t) \cdot u$ . Since  $\alpha$  is compact,  $h$  must attain its minimum  $\theta$ , say, at  $t_0$ . By Lagrange multiplier Thm,  $\alpha(t_0) = \lambda u$ .

So  $h'(t_0) = \dot{\alpha}(t_0) \cdot u = 0$ , i.e.  $\dot{\alpha}(t_0) \perp u$ . By definition,  $\phi$  is continuous.

$k(\varphi_0)$  is the rotation index of  $\alpha$ , because  $\varphi_0(t) = \psi(t, t) = \dot{\alpha}(t) / \|\dot{\alpha}(t)\|$ .

As for  $k(\varphi_1)$ , when  $t \in (t_0, t_0 + \tau/2]$   $\varphi_1(t) = \psi(t_0, t_0 + 2t) = (\alpha(t_0 + 2t) - \alpha(t_0)) / \|\alpha(t_0 + 2t) - \alpha(t_0)\|$

Now the  $\eta$  is exact because  $\varphi_1(t) \cdot u \geq 0$  and we can set  $v = -u$ , and have  $\varphi_1(t) \cdot v \leq 0$

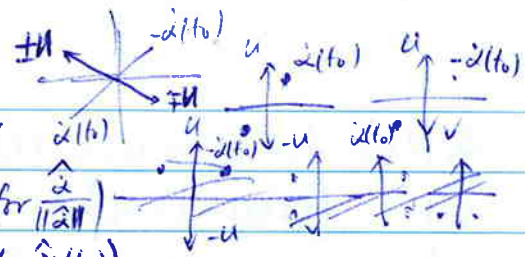
$V = \mathbb{R}^2 - \{rv \mid r > 0\}$ ,  $\eta$  is exact on  $V$ . Here  $\varphi_1(t) \cdot u \geq 0$ , because  $\forall t$

$h(t) \geq h(t_0) \Rightarrow (\alpha(t) - \alpha(t_0)) \cdot u \geq 0 \Rightarrow \varphi_1(t) \cdot u \geq 0 \quad (t \in (t_0, t_0 + \tau/2])$

So  $\int_{\varphi_1} \eta = \theta_V(\varphi_1(t_0 + \tau/2)) - \theta_V(\varphi_1(t_0)) = \theta_V(-\dot{\alpha}(t_0) / \|\dot{\alpha}(t_0)\|) - \theta_V(\dot{\alpha}(t_0) / \|\dot{\alpha}(t_0)\|)$

$$= \pm \pi$$

For  $t \in (t_0 + \tau/2, t_0 + \tau]$ ,  $\varphi_1(t) = \psi(2t - t_0 - \tau, t_0 + \tau) = (\alpha(t_0) - \alpha(2t - t_0 - \tau)) / \|\alpha(t_0) - \alpha(2t - t_0 - \tau)\|$



Now we set  $V=U$ ,  $V'=\mathbb{R}^2-\{rv|r>0\}$ .  $\eta$  is exact on  $V'$

$$\int_{\varphi_1(t_0+\pi/2, t_0+\pi)} \eta = \partial_V(\hat{\alpha}(t_0)) - \partial_V(-\hat{\alpha}(t_0)) \quad (\hat{\alpha} \text{ stands for } \frac{\alpha}{\|\alpha\|})$$

$$\text{But for } \forall u, \quad \partial_u(-\hat{\alpha}(t_0)) - \partial_u(\hat{\alpha}(t_0)) + \partial_{-u}(\hat{\alpha}(t_0)) - \partial_{-u}(-\hat{\alpha}(t_0)) \\ = \pm 2\pi \quad (\text{if } \begin{matrix} +u \\ -u \end{matrix}, \text{ then } 2\pi, \quad \text{if } \begin{matrix} -u \\ +u \end{matrix}, \text{ then } -2\pi)$$

Thus.  ~~$k(\varphi_0)$~~   $k(\varphi_0) = k(\varphi_1) = \pm 1$  i.e. rotation index is  $\pm 1$

$$11.19 \text{ (a) } h'(t_0) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \dot{\alpha}(t_0) \cdot u = 0 \Leftrightarrow \dot{\alpha}(t_0) \perp u \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \Leftrightarrow N(\alpha(t_0)) = \pm u \\ \text{Since } \dot{\alpha}(t_0) \perp N(\alpha(t_0)) \end{array} \right. \Leftrightarrow \begin{array}{l} N(\alpha(t_0)) = \delta u \\ \delta = \pm 1 \end{array}$$

$$h''(t_0) = \dot{\alpha}(t_0) \cdot u = \dot{\alpha} \cdot \delta N = k \cdot \delta = k(\alpha(t_0)) \cdot N(\alpha(t_0)) \cdot u$$

(b) construct  $\theta(t)$  as in Ex 11.15. By Ex 10.10  $\frac{d\theta}{dt} = k\alpha$ . Then rotation index is  $\frac{1}{2\pi} \int \dot{\alpha} \cdot \eta = \frac{1}{2\pi} (\theta(t_0+\tau) - \theta(t_0)) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+\tau} \frac{d\theta}{dt} dt = \int_{t_0}^{t_0+\tau} (k\alpha)^{\eta} dt$

(Gauss map  $N_\alpha$  of  $C$  is onto because:  $\forall u \in S^1$ ,  $h(t_0) = h(t_0+\tau) \forall t_0, t_0+\tau \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\tau$  is period.

so there must be  $t_0 \in (t_0, t_0+\tau)$  s.t.  $h'(t_0) = 0$  So  $N(\alpha(t_0)) = \pm u$

Since  $\alpha(t)$  is periodic,  $h(t)$  must have both ~~minimum~~ and ~~maximum~~ say,  $t_0, t'_0$  resp.

$$h'(t_0) = h'(t'_0) = 0, \quad h''(t_0) \geq 0, \quad h''(t'_0) \leq 0. \quad \text{But since } N = \pm u, \quad N \cdot u \neq 0. \quad \text{So } h''(t_0) \neq 0$$

$$\text{So } h''(t_0) > 0. \quad \text{Likewise, } h''(t'_0) < 0. \quad h''(t_0) > 0 \Rightarrow u \cdot N(\alpha(t_0)) > 0 \Rightarrow N(\alpha(t_0)) = u$$

$$h''(t'_0) < 0 \Rightarrow u \cdot N(\alpha(t'_0)) < 0 \Rightarrow N(\alpha(t'_0)) = -u. \quad \text{So } N \text{ is onto}$$

(c) As  $k > 0$ ,  $\int_{t_0}^t (k\alpha)(t) dt$  monotonically increasing wrt  $t$ . Set  $\theta(t) = \theta_0 + \int_{t_0}^t \eta(\alpha(\tau)) d\tau$

then  $\dot{\alpha} = (\alpha \cdot \cos \theta(t), \sin \theta(t))$  As  $N(c) = N(t_0)$ , so  $(\cos \theta(c), \sin \theta(c)) = (\cos \theta_0, \sin \theta_0)$

$$\text{So } \theta(c) = 2n\pi + \theta_0. \quad \text{But by Ex 10.10, } \int_{t_0}^c (k\alpha)(t) dt = \int_{t_0}^c \frac{d\theta}{dt} dt = \theta(c) - \theta_0 = 2n\pi$$

As  $k > 0, c > t_0$ , so  $n > 0$ . If  $n = 2$ , then there is a  $t_1 \in (t_0, c)$  s.t.  $\theta(t_1) = \theta_0 + 2\pi$

because  $\theta(t)$  is continuous. But  $(\cos \theta(t_1), \sin \theta(t_1)) = (\cos \theta_0, \sin \theta_0)$ , So  $N(\alpha(t_1)) = N(\alpha(t_0))$

But that contradicts with the assumption that  $N(t) \neq N(t_0) \forall t \in (t_0, c)$

$$\text{So } n = 1, \text{ i.e. } \int_{t_0}^c (k\alpha)(t) dt = 2\pi.$$

By definition (b)  $\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+\tau} (k\alpha)^{\eta} dt = \text{rotation index of } \alpha * 2\pi = \pm 2\pi$ .

As  $k > 0$ , it equals  $2\pi$ , which in turn equals  $\int_{t_0}^{t_0+\tau} (k\alpha)(t) dt$ .

As  $k > 0, c = t_0 + \tau$ . (a) has shown the Gauss map is onto.

Now we've proven that  $N(t) = N(t_0)$  iff  $t = t_0 + \tau \cdot n$ . But  $\tau$  is period of  $\alpha$ .

So Gauss map is injection, in sum, it is one-to-one

11.20 (a)  $\alpha_f$  is just one point  $a_0$ , so obviously  $k(f) = 0$  (construct  $v = -a_0, \partial_v$ )

(b)  $\alpha_f(t) = (a_n \cos nt, a_n \sin nt)$  Similar to example 2 on Pg. 75,  $k(f) = n$ .

(c) Construct  $\varphi: [0, 2\pi] \times [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 - \{0\}$ .  $\varphi(t, u) = f(u(\cos t + i \sin t))$

^ by  $f(z) \neq 0 \forall |z| \leq 1$  obviously continuous

$\varphi_0(t) = f(1) \neq 0$ , So  $k(\varphi_0(t)) = 0$ .

$\varphi_1(t) = f(\cos t + i \sin t) \bullet k(f) = k(\varphi_1(t)) \stackrel{*}{=} k(\varphi_0(t)) = 0$  (\*by Ex 11.17)

(d) Construct  $\varphi(t, u) = \begin{cases} u^n f(\frac{1}{u}(\cos t + i \sin t)) & \text{if } u \neq 0 \\ a_n(\cos t + i \sin t)^n & \text{if } u = 0. \end{cases}$  on  $[0, 2\pi] \times [0, 1]$

By def of  $\varphi$  and  $f(1) \neq 0 \forall \epsilon \in \mathbb{C}, |\epsilon| \geq 1$ , we have  $\varphi(t, u) \neq 0$ .

$\bullet$  As  $\lim_{u \rightarrow 0} u^n f(\frac{1}{u}(\cos t + i \sin t)) = \lim_{u \rightarrow 0} u^n \sum_{k=0}^n a_k(\cos t + i \sin t)^k \frac{1}{u^k} = a_n(\cos t + i \sin t)^n = \varphi(t, 0)$  So  $\varphi$  is continuous

$\varphi(t, 0) = a_n(\cos t + i \sin t)^n$ . By Example 2 on Pg 75.  $k(\varphi(t, 0)) = n$

By Ex 11.17.  $k(f) = k(\varphi(t, 1)) = k(\varphi(t, 0)) = n$ .

(e). Combining (c), (d), (c) says  $k(f) = 0$ , (d) says  $k(f) = n$ . So either  $n = 0$

If no point of  $\alpha(t)$  lies on positive  $x_1$ -axis, then choose  $v = (1, 0)$ , by  $\partial v$ , we have  $k(\alpha) = 0$ , correct.

11.21 <sup>else</sup> Let  $a < t_0 < t_1 < \dots < t_m < b$  be the set of all  $t \in (a, b)$  such that  $\alpha(t)$  lies on the positive  $x_1$ -axis. ~~Note as  $\alpha(a) = \alpha(b)$ , even if  $\alpha(a)$  is not on positive  $x_1$ -axis, we can still reparametrize  $\alpha(t)$  into  $\beta(t) = \alpha(t + t - a)$ , then  $\beta(a) = \alpha(t_0)$  which is on  $x_1$ -axis.~~ <sup>we will discuss  $t = a, b$  specially.</sup>

Denote  $t_0 = a, t_{m+1} = b$ . For all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, m$ , if  $\alpha(t_i)$  crosses positive  $x_1$ -axis upward, define  $\delta_i = 1$ . If crosses downward, define  $\delta_i = -1$ .

If  $\alpha(a) = \alpha(b)$  is on positive  $x_1$ -axis, define  $\delta_0 = \delta_{m+1}$  likewise in  $\{\pm 1\}$ . ~~If  $\alpha(a)$  is not on positive  $x_1$ -axis, define  $\delta_0 = \delta_{m+1} = 0$ .~~

$k(\alpha) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_{i=0}^m \int_{t_i}^{t_{i+1}} \eta(\alpha(t)) dt = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_{i=0}^m \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_{t_i + \epsilon}^{t_{i+1} - \epsilon} \eta(\alpha(t)) dt = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_{i=0}^m \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_{t_i + \epsilon}^{t_{i+1} - \epsilon} d\partial v(\alpha(t)) dt$

where  $v = (1, 0)$  and  $\partial v$  is defined as in proof of Thm 3. We check two consecutive crossings of positive  $x_1$ -axis:  $(i = 1, \dots, m-1)$ :  $i \quad i+1 \quad \delta_i \quad \delta_{i+1}$  angle formula

angle means  $\lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} [\partial v(\alpha(t_{i+1} - \epsilon)) - \partial v(\alpha(t_i + \epsilon))]$ .  $\nearrow \nearrow \quad 1 \quad 1 \quad 2\pi$

So  $k(\alpha) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_{i=0}^m (\delta_i + \delta_{i+1}) \bullet \nearrow \searrow \quad 1 \quad -1 \quad 0 \quad (\delta_i + \delta_{i+1}) \cdot \frac{2\pi}{2}$

if  $\alpha(a)$  is  $\nearrow \nearrow \quad + \frac{1}{2\pi} (\partial v(\alpha(b)) - 2\pi \cdot \frac{1 - \delta_m}{2})$   $\searrow \searrow \quad -1 \quad -1 \quad -2\pi$

not on pos  $x_1$ -axis  $\nearrow \searrow \quad + \frac{1}{2\pi} (2\pi \frac{1 + \delta_0}{2} - \partial v(\alpha(b)))$   $\searrow \nearrow \quad -1 \quad 1 \quad 0$

$= \sum_{i=1}^m \delta_i$

If  $\alpha(a)$  is on pos  $x_1$ -axis, then  $k(\alpha) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=0}^m (\delta_i + \delta_{i+1}) = \sum_{i=0}^m \delta_i$  (as  $\delta_{m+1} = \delta_0$ )

So the conclusion is correct in both cases.

Let  $\beta(t) = \alpha(t) - p$

11.22 (a)  $\eta(\beta) = -\frac{\beta_2}{\beta_1^2 + \beta_2^2} dx_1 + \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_1^2 + \beta_2^2} dx_2 = \frac{(\alpha_2(t) - b) dx_1}{(\alpha_1(t) - a)^2 + (\alpha_2(t) - b)^2} + \frac{(\alpha_1(t) - a) dx_2}{(\alpha_1(t) - a)^2 + (\alpha_2(t) - b)^2}$

So  $k(\beta) = \int \eta(\beta) = \int \alpha k_p(\alpha)$ . We know  $k(\beta) = 2k\pi, k \in \mathbb{Z}$ , so  $\frac{1}{2\pi} \int k_p(\alpha)$  is integer

(b) Suppose  $p$  and  $q$  are joined by  $\beta: [c, d] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  s.t  $\beta(c) = p, \beta(d) = q$

Define  $\varphi(t, u) = \alpha(t) - \beta(u)$  on  $[a, b] \times [c, d] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 - \{0\}$ . (Since  $\beta \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 - \text{Image } \alpha$ )  
So  $\varphi \neq 0$

Obviously,  $\varphi$  is continuous.  $\varphi(t, c) = \alpha(t) \cdot p$ .  $\varphi(t, d) = \alpha(t) \cdot q$   
 $k(\varphi(t, c)) = k(\varphi(t, d)) \Rightarrow k_p(\alpha) = k_q(\alpha)$  (as  $k_p(\alpha) = k(\alpha(t) \cdot p)$ )

12.1 The matrix corresponding to  $L_p$  is  $A = \|g\|^{-3} (g \cdot g^T - \|g\|^2 I)$  ( $H$  is the Hessian)  $g = \nabla f$   
 ~~$k(p)$~~   $L_p(v) = -\|g\|^{-1} H \cdot v$ ,  $k(v) = -\|g\|^{-1} v^T H v = \varphi_p(v)$  for  $v \in S_p$ .

12.2  $\nabla f = (1, 1, \dots, 1)$ ,  $v_i = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1, 0, \dots, 0, -1, 0, \dots, 0)$  where  $\pm$  is the  $i^{\text{th}}$  spot after 1,  $i=1, \dots, n$ .  
 $\nabla f = \sqrt{n+1}$ ,  $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_i \partial x_j} = 0$ . So  $k(v) = \varphi_p(v) = 0 \forall v$  by Ex 12.1. So any  $v \in S_p$   $\|v\|=1$   
 is a principal curvature direction, with principal curvature 0.  
 $k(p) = 0$   $H(p) = 0$ .

12.3  $\nabla f = (2x_1, \dots, 2x_{n+1})$   $\|\nabla f(p)\| = 2r$   $H = 2 \cdot I$   $k(v) = \frac{1}{r} v^T v$ .  
 Any  $v \in S_p$ ,  $\|v\|=1$  is a principal curvature direction, with principal curvature  $\frac{1}{r}$ .  
 $k(p) = (-r)^{-n}$ ,  $H(p) = \frac{1}{r}$

12.4  $\nabla f = (\frac{2x_1}{a^2}, \frac{2x_2}{b^2}, \frac{2x_3}{c^2})$   $H = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{2a^{-2}}{0} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{2b^{-2}}{0} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{2c^{-2}}{0} \end{pmatrix}$   ~~$k(p)$~~   $\|\nabla f(p)\| = \frac{2}{a}$   $\nabla f(p) = (\frac{2}{a}, 0, 0)$   
 $k(v) = -\frac{a}{2} (\frac{2}{a^2} v_1^2 + \frac{2}{b^2} v_2^2 + \frac{2}{c^2} v_3^2) = -a (\frac{v_1^2}{a^2} + \frac{v_2^2}{b^2} + \frac{v_3^2}{c^2})$   $\forall v \in S_p$ ,  $v = (0, v_2, v_3)$   
 $v_2^2 + v_3^2 = 1$ , So  $k(v)$  attains its extremum at  $(0, \pm 1, 0)$  and  $(0, 0, \pm 1)$  i.e. principal  
 curvature directions, corresponding to principal curvature  $\frac{-a}{b^2}$  and  $\frac{-a}{c^2}$  respectively.  
 $k(p) = \frac{a^2}{b^2 c^2}$ ,  $H(p) = \frac{-a}{2} (\frac{1}{b^2} + \frac{1}{c^2})$

12.5  $\nabla f = (\frac{2x_1}{a^2}, \frac{2x_2}{b^2}, -\frac{2x_3}{c^2})$   $H = 2 \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{a^2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{b^2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -\frac{1}{c^2} \end{pmatrix}$   $\|\nabla f(p)\| = \frac{2}{a}$   $\nabla f(p) = (\frac{2}{a}, 0, 0)$   
 $k(v) = -\frac{a}{2} (\frac{2}{a^2} v_1^2 + \frac{2}{b^2} v_2^2 - \frac{2}{c^2} v_3^2) \forall v \in S_p$ ,  $v = (0, v_2, v_3)$   $v_2^2 + v_3^2 = 1$ . So  
 $k(v) = -\frac{a}{2} (\frac{2}{b^2} v_2^2 - \frac{2}{c^2} v_3^2) = -a (\frac{1}{b^2} (1 - v_3^2) - \frac{1}{c^2} v_3^2) = a [\frac{1}{b^2} + \frac{1}{c^2} v_3^2 - \frac{1}{b^2}]$   $v_3^2 \in [0, 1]$   
 $k(v)$  attains max when  $v_3^2 = 1$ ,  $\max = \frac{a}{c^2}$ , attains min when  $v_3^2 = 0$   $\min = \frac{-a}{b^2}$   
 So principal curvature and principal curvature directions are:  $(0, 0, \pm 1), \frac{a}{c^2}$ ,  $(0, \pm 1, 0), \frac{-a}{b^2}$   
 $k(p) = -\frac{a^2}{b^2 c^2}$ ,  $H(p) = \frac{a}{2} (\frac{1}{c^2} - \frac{1}{b^2})$

12.6  $\nabla f = (2x_1, 2x_2 (1 - 2(x_2^2 + x_3^2))^{-1/2}, 2x_3 (1 - 2(x_2^2 + x_3^2))^{-1/2})$   
 $H = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 - 4x_3^2 (x_2^2 + x_3^2)^{-3/2} & 4x_2 x_3 (x_2^2 + x_3^2)^{-3/2} \\ 0 & 4x_2 x_3 (x_2^2 + x_3^2)^{-3/2} & 2 - 4x_2^2 (x_2^2 + x_3^2)^{-3/2} \end{pmatrix}$  For (a)  $\nabla f(p) = (0, 2, 0)$   $\|\nabla f\| = 2$ ,  $(p = (0, 3, 0))$   
 $H = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2/3 \end{pmatrix}$   
 (b)  $p = (0, 1, 0)$ ,  $\nabla f(p) = (0, -2, 0)$   $\|\nabla f\| = 2$   
 $H = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$

(a)  $k(v) = -v_1^2 - v_2^2 + \frac{2}{3}v_3^2$ ,  $v = (v_1, 0, v_3)$ ,  $v_1^2 + v_3^2 = 1$ ,  $k(v) = -1 + \frac{2}{3}v_3^2$   
 $\min = -1$  when  $v_3 = 0$ .  $\max = \frac{1}{3}$  when  $v_3 = \pm 1$ . So  $(\pm 1, 0, 0)$  and  $(0, 0, \pm 1)$

$H(p) = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & & \\ & -2 & \\ & & \frac{4}{3} \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $k(p) = \frac{1}{3}$

(b)  $k(v) = -v_1^2 - v_2^2 + v_3^2$ ,  $v = (v_1, 0, v_3)$ ,  $v_1^2 + v_3^2 = 1$ ,  $k(v) = -1 + 2v_3^2$

$\min = -1$  when  $v_3 = 0$ ,  $\max = 1$  when  $v_3 = \pm 1$

So  $(\pm 1, 0, 0)$ ,  $(0, 0, \pm 1)$ ,  $H(p) = 0$ ,  $k(p) = -1$

12.7 If  $(\lambda_i, v_i)$  are vector eigenvalue of  $L_p$  for  $S$ . then,  $L_p(v) = -\nabla_v N = -(-\nabla_v(N)) = -\tilde{L}_p(v)$   
 where  $\tilde{L}_p$  stands for the Weingarten map for orientation  $-N$ . Thus specifically  
 $L_p(v_i) = \lambda_i v_i \Leftrightarrow \tilde{L}_p(v_i) = -\lambda_i v_i$ . So  $L_p$ 's eigenvalue  $\lambda_i$  corresponds to  
 $\tilde{L}_p$ 's eigenvalue  $-\lambda_i$ . So  $K = \prod_{i=1}^n (-\lambda_i) = (-1)^n \prod_{i=1}^n \lambda_i = (-1)^n K$

12.8 As  $n=2$ , the Gaussian curvature is independent of orientation

Apply Thm 5.  $Z = \frac{1}{2} \nabla f(p) = (p, x_1, x_2, -x_3)$  take  $v_1 = (p, x_3, 0, x_1)$ ,  $v_2 = (0, x_3, x_2)$

So  $v_1 \perp Z$ ,  $v_2 \perp Z$   $\det \begin{pmatrix} \nabla v_1 \cdot Z \\ \nabla v_2 \cdot Z \\ Z(p) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} x_3 & 0 & -x_1 \\ 0 & x_3 & -x_2 \\ x_1 & x_2 & -x_3 \end{vmatrix} = x_3(x_1^2 + x_2^2 - x_3^2)$

$\det \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ Z(p) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} x_3 & 0 & x_1 \\ 0 & x_3 & x_2 \\ x_1 & x_2 & -x_3 \end{vmatrix} = -x_3(x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2)$ ,  $\|Z(p)\| = (x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2)^{1/2}$

So  $k(p) = x_3(x_1^2 + x_2^2 - x_3^2) / [(x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2) \cdot (-x_3)(x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2)] = 0$

This is ~~not~~ because <sup>through</sup> each point  $p$ , there's a  $\alpha(t)$   $(\alpha(t_0) = p, \alpha'(t_0) = 0)$

which lie completely in  $S$ , so  $S$  doesn't force any acceleration. Besides, if  $S$  is oriented outward, then  $S$  always bends away from  $N$ , so  $k(v) \leq 0$ . If oriented inward, then  $k(v) \geq 0$ . In whatever case, 0 is an extreme point of  $k(v)$ . So 0 is an eigenvalue of  $L_p$ . So  $k(p) = 0$ .

12.9  $Z = \frac{1}{2} \nabla f(p) = (p, x_1/a^2, x_2/b^2, -x_3/c^2)$  For  $x_3 \neq 0$  we may take

$v_1 = (p, x_3/c^2, 0, x_1/a^2)$ ,  $v_2 = (p, 0, x_3/c^2, x_2/b^2)$ ,  $v_1, v_2 \perp Z$

$\det \begin{pmatrix} \nabla v_1 \cdot Z \\ \nabla v_2 \cdot Z \\ Z(p) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} x_3/a^2 c^2 & 0 & -x_1/a^2 c^2 \\ 0 & x_3/b^2 c^2 & -x_2/b^2 c^2 \\ x_1/a^2 & x_2/b^2 & -x_3/c^2 \end{vmatrix}$   $\det \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ Z(p) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} x_3/c^2 & 0 & x_1/a^2 \\ 0 & x_3/c^2 & x_2/b^2 \\ x_1/a^2 & x_2/b^2 & -x_3/c^2 \end{vmatrix}$   $\|Z(p)\| = \left(\frac{x_1^2}{a^4} + \frac{x_2^2}{b^4} + \frac{x_3^2}{c^4}\right)^{1/2}$   
 $= \frac{x_3}{a^2 b^2 c^4} (x_1^2/a^2 + x_2^2/b^2 - x_3^2/c^2) = \frac{x_3}{a^2 b^2 c^4} = -\frac{x_3}{c^2} \left(\frac{x_1^2}{a^4} + \frac{x_2^2}{b^4} + \frac{x_3^2}{c^4}\right)$

$k(p) = [a^2 b^2 c^2 \left(\frac{x_1^2}{a^4} + \frac{x_2^2}{b^4} + \frac{x_3^2}{c^4}\right)]^{-1}$ . negative At each point  $p$ , there are some directions bends towards  $N$ , some directions bending away from  $N$ . So the  $\max k(v) > 0$ ,  $\min k(v) < 0$   
 As  $k(p) =$  product of two extreme values,  $k(p) < 0$

12.10.  $Z = \nabla f(p) = (p, \frac{2}{a^2}x_1, \frac{2}{b^2}x_2, -1)$ ,  $v_1 = (p, +1, 0, \frac{2}{a^2}x_1)$ ,  $v_2 = (p, 0, 1, \frac{2}{b^2}x_2)$



$$\det \begin{pmatrix} \nabla_{v_1} z \\ \nabla_{v_2} z \\ z(p) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 2/a^2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2/b^2 & 0 \\ 2x_1/a^2 & 2x_2/b^2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} \quad \det \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ z(p) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2x_1/a^2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2x_2/b^2 \\ 2x_1/a^2 & 2x_2/b^2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} \quad \|z(p)\|^2 = 1 + \frac{4x_1^2}{a^4} + \frac{4x_2^2}{b^4}$$

$$= -4/a^2 b^2 \quad = -1 - 4x_1^2/a^4 - 4x_2^2/b^4$$

~~z~~  $k(p) = 4/a^2 b^2 (1 + \frac{4x_1^2}{a^4} + \frac{4x_2^2}{b^4})^2$ .  $k(p) > 0$  As can be seen from the fact that  $S$  bends towards  $N$  at all points in all directions in  $S_p$  if  $S$  is inward oriented. If outward, then always bend away from  $N$  in all directions. So <sup>the</sup> product  $k(p) > 0$ .

12.11  $z = (p, \frac{2x_1}{a^2}, \frac{-2x_2}{b^2}, -1)$ ,  $v_1 = (p, 1, 0, \frac{2x_1}{a^2})$ ,  $v_2 = (p, 0, 1, \frac{-2x_2}{b^2})$

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} \nabla_{v_1} z \\ \nabla_{v_2} z \\ z(p) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 2/a^2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2/b^2 & 0 & 0 \\ 2x_1/a^2 & -2x_2/b^2 & -1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 4/a^2 b^2, \quad \det \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ z(p) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2x_1/a^2 \\ 0 & 1 & -2x_2/b^2 \\ 2x_1/a^2 & -2x_2/b^2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = -1 - 4x_1^2/a^4 - 4x_2^2/b^4$$

$$\|z(p)\|^2 = 1 + \frac{4x_1^2}{a^4} + \frac{4x_2^2}{b^4}$$

$k(p) = -4/a^2 b^2 (1 + \frac{4x_1^2}{a^4} + \frac{4x_2^2}{b^4})^2 < 0$  hard to plot and analyze its shape but look at the graph at ~~http://~~ <http://users.rsise.anu.edu.au/~xzhung/reading/lex1211.jpg>

12.12 (a) Cylinder  $C: g(x_1, x_2, x_3) = f(x_1, x_2)$ ,  $z = \nabla g(p) = (f'_x, f'_y, 0)$

$v_1 = (1, 0, 0, 1)$ ,  $v_2 = (f'_y, f'_x, 0, 0)$ ,  $\nabla_{v_i} z = (0, 0, 0)$ , so  $k(p) = 0$  by Thm 5.

(b)  $g(x_1, \dots, x_{n+1}) = f(x_1, \dots, x_n)$ ,  $z = \nabla g(p) = (f'_x, \dots, f'_x, 0)$

$v_i = (0, \dots, 0, 1)$  and then decide  $v_1, \dots, v_n$ .  $\nabla_{v_i} z = (0, \dots, 0)$  so  $k(p) = 0$ .

12.13 ~~z~~  $f = x_{n+1} - g(x_1, \dots, x_n)$ ,  $z = \nabla f(p) = (-g'_1, \dots, -g'_n, 1)$ , (So  $z \cdot (0, \dots, 0, 1) > 0$ ).

$v_1 = (1, 0, \dots, 0, g'_1), \dots, v_n = (0, \dots, 0, 1, g'_n)$ ,  $\nabla_{v_1} z = (-g''_{11}, \dots, -g''_{1n}, 0), \dots, \nabla_{v_n} z = (-g''_{n1}, \dots, -g''_{nn}, 0)$

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} \nabla_{v_1} z \\ \nabla_{v_n} z \\ z(p) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -g''_{11} & \dots & -g''_{1n} & 0 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ -g''_{n1} & \dots & -g''_{nn} & 0 \\ -g'_1 & \dots & -g'_n & 1 \end{pmatrix} = (-1)^n \det \left( \frac{\partial^2 g}{\partial x_i \partial x_j} \right), \quad \det \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ \vdots \\ v_n \\ z(p) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & g'_1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & \dots & 0 & 1 & g'_n \\ -g'_1 & \dots & -g'_n & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1 + \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_i} \right)^2 = \|z(p)\|^2$$

↑ easy proof by induction

$$k(p) = (-1)^n \cdot (-1)^n \det \left( \frac{\partial^2 g}{\partial x_i \partial x_j} \right) / \left( 1 + \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_i} \right)^2 \right)^{1+n/2} = \det \left( \frac{\partial^2 g}{\partial x_i \partial x_j} \right) / \left( 1 + \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_i} \right)^2 \right)^{1+n/2}$$

12.14. ~~If  $v \times w = 0$  then  $\exists \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$   $v = \lambda w$ ,  $L_p(v) \times L_p(w) = \lambda L_p(w) \times L_p(w) = 0 = k(p) v \times w$~~

Both  $L_p(v) \times L_p(w)$  and  $v \times w \in S_p^1$  (even if  $v \times w = 0$ , i.e.  $v \parallel w$ ). So to prove the result, one only needs to prove that  $N(p) \cdot L_p(v) \times L_p(w) = N(p) \cdot v \times w$ , where  $N(p)$  is Gauss' map.  $\|N(p)\| = 1$

By Thm 5,  $k(p) = \frac{|L_p(v) \times L_p(w)|}{\|N(p)\|^2} = \frac{|v \times w|}{\|N(p)\|^2}$  so

$$N(p) \cdot L_p(v) \times L_p(w) = \frac{L_p(v) \times L_p(w)}{N(p)} = k(p) \cdot \frac{v \times w}{\|N(p)\|} = k(p) \cdot v \times w$$

12.15. By Thm 5,  $k(p) = \frac{|\nabla_{v_1} z|}{\|z(p)\|^2} \cdot \frac{|v \times w|}{\|z(p)\|} = \frac{z(p) \cdot \nabla_{v_1} z \times \nabla_{v_2} z}{\|z(p)\|^4}$

as  $\frac{|v \times w|}{\|z(p)\|} = z(p) \cdot v \times w = z(p) \cdot z(p) = \|z(p)\|^2$

$\frac{|\nabla_{v_1} z|}{\|z(p)\|} = z(p) \cdot v \times w$

12.16 By Thm 2, the eigenvectors of  $L$  comprises an orthonormal basis for  $S_p$ , let them be  $(\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n)$ . (Let  $V = (V_1, \dots, V_n) = (\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n)^T$ . By Thm 3,  $k(V_i) = \sum_{j=1}^n k_j(p) t_{ji}^2$  with corresponding eigenvalues  $k_1(p), \dots, k_n(p)$ ). As  $V_i = \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j t_{ji}$ , so  $k(V_i) = \sum_{j=1}^n k_j(p) t_{ji}^2$ .  
 So  $\sum_{i=1}^n k(V_i) = \sum_{i,j=1}^n k_j(p) t_{ij}^2 = \sum_{j=1}^n k_j(p) \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n t_{ij}^2$ , As both  $V$  and  $A$  are orthonormal,  $I = V^T V = T^T A^T A T = T^T T$ , so  $T$  is also orthonormal. So  $T T^T = I$  ( $I$  is identity).  
 So  $\sum_{j=1}^n t_{ij}^2 = 1$  for all  $i=1 \dots n$ . So  $\sum_{i=1}^n k(V_i) = \sum_{j=1}^n k_j(p)$ , thus  $H(p) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n k_i(p) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n k(V_i)$

12.17 (a) Obvious by Thm 3. Anyway  $L(V(\theta)) = (\cos \theta) L(V_1) + (\sin \theta) L(V_2)$   
 $k(V(\theta)) = L(V(\theta)) \cdot V(\theta) = \cos^2 \theta \cdot L(V_1) \cdot V_1 + \sin^2 \theta \cdot L(V_2) \cdot V_2$   
 $+ \sin \theta \cos \theta (L(V_1) \cdot V_2 + L(V_2) \cdot V_1)$   
 $L(V_1) \cdot V_2 = k_1 \cdot V_1 \cdot V_2 = 0$ .  $L(V_2) \cdot V_1 = 0$ .

So  $k(V(\theta)) = \cos^2 \theta \cdot k_1 + \sin^2 \theta \cdot k_2$

(b)  $H_p = \frac{1}{2} (k_1 + k_2)$ ,  $\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} k(V(\theta)) d\theta = \frac{1}{2\pi} [k_1 \int_0^{2\pi} \cos^2 \theta d\theta + k_2 \int_0^{2\pi} \sin^2 \theta d\theta] = \frac{1}{2} (k_1 + k_2) = H_p$ .

12.18  $\text{div } N = \text{tr}(v \mapsto \nabla_v N) = \text{tr}(-L_p) = -\text{tr}(L_p)$

If  $v_1, \dots, v_n$  are eigenvectors of  $L_p$  with values  $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n$ , then  $-v_1, \dots, -v_n$  are eigenvectors of  $-L_p$  because  $L_p(v_i) = \lambda_i v_i \iff -L_p(v_i) = -\lambda_i v_i$ . So  $\text{tr}(-L_p) = \sum_{i=1}^n (-\lambda_i) = -\text{tr}(L_p)$

So  $H_p = \frac{1}{n} \text{tr}(L_p) = \frac{1}{n} \text{div } N$

12.19 (a)  $\tilde{S}$  is  $g^{-1}(c)$ .  $\nabla g(p) = 0 \iff \frac{1}{a} \nabla f(p/a) = 0$

But  $S$  is  $n$ -surface, so  $\nabla f(p/a) \neq 0$  for all  $p$  and thus  $\nabla g(p) \neq 0 \forall p$ , so  $\tilde{S}$  is  $n$ -surface

$p \in S \iff f(p) = c \iff g(ap) = f(p) = c \iff ap \in \tilde{S}$

(b)  $\forall N$  in the Gauss image of  $S$ ,  $\exists p$  s.t.  $\nabla f(p) / \|\nabla f(p)\| = N$ . But  $\nabla g(ap) = \frac{1}{a} \nabla f(p)$

$\nabla g(ap) / \|\nabla g(ap)\| = \frac{1}{a} \nabla f(p) / \|\frac{1}{a} \nabla f(p)\| = \nabla f(p) / \|\nabla f(p)\| = N$ . So  $N$  is also in Gauss image of  $\tilde{S}$

$\forall N$  in Gauss image of  $\tilde{S}$ ,  $\exists q$  s.t.  $\nabla g(q) / \|\nabla g(q)\| = N$ . But  $\nabla g(q) = \frac{1}{a} \nabla f(q/a)$

$\nabla f(q/a) / \|\nabla f(q/a)\| = a \nabla g(q) / \|a \nabla g(q)\| = \nabla g(q) / \|\nabla g(q)\| = N$

So the spherical images of  $S$  and  $\tilde{S}$  are the same

(c)  $\forall v \in S_p$ ,  $k(v) = -\nabla_v N \cdot v$ ,  $\nabla_v N = (\nabla_{N_1}(p) \cdot v, \dots, \nabla_{N_{n+1}}(p) \cdot v)^T \cdot v$

$\nabla_{N_i}(p) = (\frac{\partial N_i}{\partial x_1}(p), \dots, \frac{\partial N_i}{\partial x_{n+1}}(p))$ . As short hand, denote  $\nabla f = (f'_1, \dots, f'_{n+1})$

So  $\frac{\partial N_i}{\partial x_j} = \frac{\partial f'_i}{\partial x_j \|\nabla f\|} = \frac{1}{\|\nabla f\|^2} (f''_{ij} \|\nabla f\| - f'_i \cdot \frac{1}{\|\nabla f\|} \sum_{k=1}^n f'_k f''_{kj}) = \frac{1}{\|\nabla f\|^3} (f''_{ij} \|\nabla f\|^2 - f'_i \sum_{k=1}^n f'_k f''_{kj}) \Big|_p$

$\forall v \in \tilde{S}_{ap}$ ,  $\tilde{k}(v) = -\nabla_v \tilde{N} \cdot v$ . Using similar notation

$\frac{\partial \tilde{N}_i}{\partial x_j} = \frac{1}{\|\nabla g\|^3} (g''_{ij} \|\nabla g\|^2 - g'_i \sum_{k=1}^n g'_k f''_{kj}) \Big|_p$  But  $g(p) = f(p/a)$

So  $\nabla g(p) = \frac{1}{a} \nabla f(p/a)$ , i.e.  $\nabla g(ap) = \frac{1}{a} \nabla f(p)$ ,  $g''_{ij}(p) = \frac{1}{a^2} f''_{ij}(p/a)$ , i.e.  $g''_{ij}(ap) = \frac{1}{a^2} f''_{ij}(p/a)$

by plugging into (1), (2)  
 So  $\frac{\partial \tilde{N}_i}{\partial x_j} \Big|_{ap} = \frac{1}{a} \frac{\partial \tilde{N}_i}{\partial x_j} \Big|_p$  So  $\tilde{K}(v) = \frac{K(v)}{a}$ , which is ~~also~~ true at the <sup>all (shared)</sup> stationary points.  $\text{on } \|v\|=1$

But mean curvature  $H$  is the ~~average~~ average of  $K$  at stationary points, thus  $H(ap) = \frac{1}{a} H(p)$

(d)  $K$  (Gauss-Kronecker curvature) is the product of  $k(v)$  at stationary points

$$\text{So } K(ap) = a^{-n} k(p)$$

Remark Above argument based on stationary points is not strict enough, especially considering the multiplicity of  $L_p$ 's eigenvalues. A better proof is:  ~~$\forall v, w \in S_p$~~  As  $\nabla g_k(p) = \frac{1}{a} \nabla f(p)$

$$\text{So } S_p = \tilde{S}_{ap}, \forall v, w \in \tilde{S}_{ap}, L_p(v) \cdot w = \frac{1}{2} [k(v+w) - k(v) - k(w)] \quad \text{as } \tilde{K}(\cdot) = K(\cdot)/a$$

$$\text{let } \tilde{L}_p \text{ be Weingarten map on } \tilde{S} \text{ at } ap \rightarrow \tilde{L}_p(v) \cdot w = \frac{1}{2} [\tilde{K}(v+w) - \tilde{K}(v) - \tilde{K}(w)] = \frac{1}{a} \tilde{L}_p(v) \cdot w$$

Since  $w$  is arbitrary in  $S_p$ , so  $\tilde{L}_p(v) = \frac{1}{a} L_p(v)$ . So each eigenvalue  $\lambda_i$  of  $\tilde{L}_p$  corresponds to the eigenvalue  $\lambda_i/a$  of  $L_p$ . As  $H$  and  $K$  are average/product of eigenvalues, we have

$$H(ap) = \frac{1}{a} H(p) \quad k(ap) = a^{-n} k(p) \quad \text{if ~~not~~ <sup>proof is</sup> set } w = \tilde{L}_p(v) - \frac{1}{a} L_p(v) \in S_p$$

then one has  $(\tilde{L}_p(v) - \frac{1}{a} L_p(v)) \cdot (\tilde{L}_p(v) - \frac{1}{a} L_p(v)) = 0$  So  $\tilde{L}_p(v) = \frac{1}{a} L_p(v)$

13.1 If  $S$  is convex at  $p$ , then  $h_u$  ( $u = N(p)$  Gauss map) attains local max/min at  $p$ . So  $\mathcal{H}_p$  is semi-definite, so  $\mathcal{K}_p = \pm \mathcal{H}_p$  is also semi-definite. But the Gauss-Kronecker curvature, which is equal to the product of all eigenvalues of  $\mathcal{K}_p$ , is negative. As  $S_p$  is even dimensional, there must be one positive and one negative eigenvalue, which contradicts the fact that  $\mathcal{K}_p$  is semi-definite. So  $S$  is not convex at  $p$ .

$$13.2 \quad \forall v, w \in S_p \quad \nabla_v(\text{grad } h)w = \nabla_v(\nabla h - (\nabla h \cdot N)N)w = \nabla_v(\nabla h)w - (\nabla h \cdot N)(\nabla_v N \cdot w)$$

$$\nabla_w(\text{grad } h)v = \nabla_w(\nabla h - (\nabla h \cdot N)N)v = \nabla_w(\nabla h)v - (\nabla h \cdot N)(\nabla_w N \cdot v)$$

We know  $L_p$  is self-adjoint, i.e.,  $\nabla_v N \cdot w = \nabla_w N \cdot v$ . Besides,

$$\nabla_v(\nabla h)w = v^T H w = w^T H v = \nabla_w(\nabla h)v \quad \text{So } \nabla_v(\text{grad } h)w = \nabla_w(\text{grad } h)v, \text{ so self-adjoint}$$

13.3. (a)  $\Rightarrow$  If  $\mathcal{Q}$  is pos Def, then  $\forall$  eigenvector  $v$ ,  $\mathcal{Q}(v) = \lambda v$ ,  $\mathcal{Q}(v) \cdot v = \lambda > 0$  as  $\mathcal{Q}$  is Pos Def

$\Leftarrow$  We know that the eigenvectors  $v_1, \dots, v_n$  make up an orthonormal basis on  $S_p$ .  $\forall v \in S_p$ .

$$\text{let } v = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i v_i \quad \mathcal{Q}(v) \cdot v = \mathcal{Q}\left(\sum_{i=1}^n a_i v_i\right) \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n a_i v_i = \left(\sum_{i=1}^n a_i \mathcal{Q}(v_i)\right) \cdot \left(\sum_{i=1}^n a_i v_i\right) = \left(\sum_{i=1}^n a_i \lambda_i v_i\right) \cdot \left(\sum_{i=1}^n a_i v_i\right)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n a_i^2 \lambda_i \geq 0 \quad \text{because } \lambda_i \geq 0$$

It is equal to 0 iff  $\sum a_i = 0$ , i.e.  $v = 0$

(b)  $\Leftarrow$  Since  $\mathcal{L}$  is self-adjoint linear transformation, its associated matrix  $^L$  is symmetric so it has two real valued eigenvalues  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2$ .  $\det \mathcal{L} > 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_1 \lambda_2 > 0$  But if  $\lambda_1 < 0, \lambda_2 < 0$ , then  $\mathcal{L}$  is negative definition, i.e., there can't be any  $v$   $\mathcal{Q}(v) > 0$ . Thus  $\lambda_1 > 0, \lambda_2 > 0$ .

$\Leftrightarrow$  by definition  $Q(v) > 0$  for all  $v \neq 0$ . As  $Q$  is pos def, both eigenvalues are positive, thus  $\det L = \lambda_1 \lambda_2 > 0$

(5)  $L$  is non-singular  $\Leftrightarrow \det L = \prod_{i=1}^n \lambda_i \neq 0 \Leftrightarrow \lambda_i \neq 0$  ( $\lambda_i$  are eigenvalues)  
 $Q$  is non-degenerate  $\Leftrightarrow$  i.e.  $p$  is non-degenerate  
 $\mathcal{H}_p$  is non-degenerate  $\Leftrightarrow L: v \mapsto \nabla_v(\text{grad} h)$  is non-singular  $\Leftrightarrow \lambda_i \neq 0 \Leftrightarrow \forall v \nabla_v(\text{grad} h) \neq 0$

(3.4) If  $h$  is height function or any function which has constant  $\|\nabla h\|$ , then

$$(h \circ \beta)'(t) = \nabla h(\beta(t)) \cdot \dot{\beta}(t) \leq \|\nabla h(\beta(t))\| \cdot \|\dot{\beta}(t)\| = \|\nabla h(\alpha(t))\| \cdot \|\dot{\alpha}(t)\|$$

$$= \nabla h(\alpha(t)) \cdot \dot{\alpha}(t) = (h \circ \alpha)'(t)$$

$$\text{So } h(\alpha(b)) = h(\alpha(a)) + \int_a^b (h \circ \alpha)'(t) dt \geq h(\beta(a)) + \int_a^b (h \circ \beta)'(t) dt = h(\beta(b))$$

Equality holds iff  $\nabla h(\beta(t)) = \lambda \dot{\beta}(t)$   $\lambda \geq 0$ . But  $\nabla h(\alpha(t)) = \nabla h(\beta(t))$ .

So  $\|\nabla h(\alpha(t))\| = \lambda \|\dot{\beta}(t)\| = \lambda \|\dot{\alpha}(t)\|$ . But  $\dot{\alpha}(t) = \nabla h(\alpha(t))$ . So  $\lambda = 1$

So  $\nabla h(\beta(t)) = \dot{\beta}(t)$ , i.e.  $\beta$  is also a gradient line passing thru  $\alpha(a)$ , but such a line is unique, so  $\beta = \alpha$ .

If  $\|\nabla h\| = \text{const}$  is not guaranteed, WE FEEL that this proposition may not hold. this  $\tilde{h}$  is actually the  $h$  in the question

The following is a counter-example. Let  $\tilde{h}(x_1, x_2) = h(x_1)$   $f(x_1, x_2) = x_2$

then  $\nabla \tilde{h} = (h'(x_1), 0)$   $\nabla f = (0, 1)$  so  $S = f^{-1}(0)$  is  $n$ -surface.  $\nabla \tilde{h} \perp \nabla f \Rightarrow \text{grad } \tilde{h} = \nabla \tilde{h}$

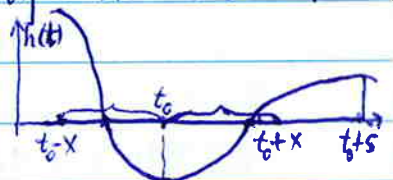
$\alpha(t), \beta(t) \in S$ . So we can write in brief  $\alpha(t) = (\alpha(t), 0)$ .  $\beta(t) = (\beta(t), 0)$

$$\text{So now } \dot{\alpha}(t) = h'(\alpha(t)) \quad \|\dot{\beta}(t)\| = |\dot{\alpha}(t)|$$

As  $\beta(t)$  appears in the conclusion only inside  $h(\beta(t))$ , the only constraint on  $\beta$

is actually  $\ell(\beta) = \int_a^b \|\dot{\beta}(t)\| dt = \int_a^b \|\dot{\alpha}(t)\| dt = \ell(\alpha)$ . Now we

check function  $h(t) = \frac{1}{\epsilon} \sin \frac{1}{\epsilon} t$  ( $t > 0$ ) so  $\tilde{h}$  and  $f$  are



defined on  $(\mathbb{R}^+, \mathbb{R})$  which is open. Let  $\alpha(a) = t_0$ , s.t.  $\sin \frac{1}{\epsilon} t_0 = 1$

the first peak to the left of  $t_0$  is  $t_0 - X$ , where  $\frac{1}{\epsilon} (t_0 - X) = \frac{1}{\epsilon} t_0 + \pi$ ,  $X = \frac{\pi t_0^2}{1 + \pi t_0}$ .

$$h(t_0 - X) = \frac{1}{\epsilon} t_0 + \pi, \quad h(t_0 + X) = \frac{1 + \pi t_0}{t_0 + 2\pi t_0^2} \sin \frac{1 + \pi t_0}{t_0 + 2\pi t_0^2} < \frac{1 + \pi t_0}{t_0 + 2\pi t_0^2} < \frac{1 + \pi t_0}{t_0} = h(t_0 - X)$$

Besides, the first peak to the right of  $t_0$  is  $t_0 + S$ , s.t.  $\frac{1}{\epsilon} (t_0 + S) = \frac{1}{\epsilon} t_0 - \pi$ ,  $S = \frac{\pi t_0^2}{1 - \pi t_0} > X$

in  $(t_0, t_0 + S)$   $\dot{\alpha} > 0$ . Now suppose  $\alpha(a) = t_0 + \epsilon$  where  $\epsilon > 0$  is sufficiently small, for  $t > a$ ,  $\alpha(t)$  monotonically increases, and  $\beta(t)$  is forced to decrease monotonically.

As  $\epsilon$  can be arbitrarily small, by above discussion,  $\beta(t)$  first reaches  $t_0 - X$ , while

$\alpha(t)$  hasn't reached  $t_0 + S$ , i.e.  $\alpha = h \circ \alpha > h(t_0 + \epsilon)$  guarantees that  $\alpha$  has enough impetus to go right and meanwhile  $\beta$  reaches  $t_0 - X$  while  $\alpha$  only reaches  $t_0 + X + 2\epsilon$ .

Suppose  $b$  is chosen <sup>(STOP)</sup> at such a moment, then we have  $h(\alpha(b)) < h(\beta(b))$

which contradicts the exercise assertion.

$$13.5 \quad \left. \begin{aligned} h(\beta(t)) = c &\Rightarrow \nabla h(\beta(t)) \cdot \dot{\beta}(t) = 0 \\ \alpha(t_0) &= \beta(t_1) \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow \left. \begin{aligned} \nabla h(\alpha(t_0)) \cdot \dot{\beta}(t_1) &= 0 \\ \dot{\alpha}(t_0) &= (\text{grad } h)(\alpha(t_0)) \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\text{grad } h)(\alpha(t_0)) \cdot \dot{\beta}(t_1) = 0 \Rightarrow \nabla h$$

$$\Rightarrow \dot{\alpha}(t_0) \cdot \dot{\beta}(t_1) = (\text{grad } h)(\alpha(t_0)) \cdot \dot{\beta}(t_1) = (\nabla h(\alpha(t_0)) - (\alpha h(\alpha(t_0)) \cdot N(\alpha(t_0)) / |N(\alpha(t_0))|)) \cdot \dot{\beta}(t_1) = 0$$

$$\textcircled{\ominus} \quad = \nabla h(\alpha(t_0)) \cdot \dot{\beta}(t_1) = 0 \quad \text{As } \dot{\alpha}(t_0) \cdot \dot{\beta}(t_1) = N(\beta(t_1)) \cdot \dot{\beta}(t_1) = 0$$