

Homework-2 (Post Midsem)

1. Let M, N be smooth manifolds, $f: M \rightarrow N$ smooth. Assume M is compact & N is connected. If f is injective and $Df(p): T_p M \rightarrow T_{f(p)} N$ an isomorphism $\forall p \in M$, prove that f is a diffeomorphism. (2)
2. Does there exist a smooth vector field on S^1 which is not left invariant? (2)
3. Recall the Lie group structure on S^3 , via the Hamilton's quaternion $\mathbb{R}$ -algebra $\mathbb{H}$ thought of as the set of all norm 1 elements in $\mathbb{H}$. Consider the vector field X on S^3 given by

$$X(p) = \left(-x_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x_1} + x_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x_2} \right) + \left(-x_4 \frac{\partial}{\partial x_3} + x_3 \frac{\partial}{\partial x_4} \right).$$
 Is X left-invariant on S^3 ?
4. Let M be smooth manifold, $p \in M$ & $v \in T_p M$. Prove that $\exists X \in \mathfrak{X}(M)$ with $X(p) = v$. (2)
5. Consider the exponential map $\exp: M_n(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow GL_n(\mathbb{R})$, $\exp(X) = I + X + \frac{X^2}{2} + \dots$. Is $\exp: M_2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow GL_2(\mathbb{R})$ injective? Surjective?
6. Let M be a compact smooth manifold of dim n and $f: M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ smooth. Prove that $Df(p)$ cannot be injective $\forall p \in M$.
7. Let M be a smooth manifold, $X \in \mathfrak{X}(M)$. Let γ be an integral curve of X and suppose $\dot{\gamma}(t_0) = 0$ for some t_0 . Prove γ must be constant.

8. Let G be a Lie group, $\mathfrak{g} = \text{Lie}(G)$. Let $\rho: G \rightarrow GL(V)$ be a representation with ρ smooth. Let $v \in V$ be such that $\rho(g)v = v \ \forall g \in G$, i.e. $v \in V^G = \{x \in V \mid \rho(g)x = x \ \forall g \in G\}$. Prove that $d\rho(X)v = 0 \ \forall X \in \mathfrak{g}$. (2)

9. Let M be a smooth manifold, $X, Y \in \mathcal{X}(M)$. Let $\{\varphi_s^X\}$ & $\{\varphi_t^Y\}$ be the associated local 1-parameter families of local diffeomorphisms. Prove that

$$[X, Y] = 0 \Rightarrow \varphi_s^X \circ \varphi_t^Y = \varphi_t^Y \circ \varphi_s^X \quad \forall s, t.$$

10. Let V be a finite dimensional $\mathbb{R}$ -vector space, $B: V \times V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be non-degenerate ($B(x, y) = 0 \ \forall y \Rightarrow x = 0$).

Let $G = \{g \in GL(V) \mid B(gx, gy) = B(x, y) \ \forall x, y \in V\}$.

Prove that G is a Lie subgroup of $GL(V)$ and

$$\text{Lie}(G) = \{X \in \mathfrak{gl}(V) \mid B(Xv, w) + B(v, Xw) = 0 \ \forall v, w \in V\}.$$

11. Let G, H be Lie groups with $\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{h}$ their Lie algebras. Let $\varphi: G \rightarrow H$ be a Lie group homomorphism. Show that $\ker \varphi$ is a (normal) Lie subgroup of G & $\text{Lie}(\ker \varphi) = \ker(D\varphi(e))$, e = identity element of G .

12. Using (10), (11), compute Lie algebras of $SO(n), SL_n, Sp_n$.

13. Let $\varphi: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be the map $(a, b, c) \mapsto (a^l, b^m, c^n)$, $l, m, n \geq 1$. Let $\omega = dx \wedge dy \wedge dz$. Compute the pullback $\varphi^*(\omega)$.
14. For $\alpha = x^2 dx + xy dy \in \mathcal{D}^1(\mathbb{R}^2)$, find $d\alpha$.
15. Let $\varphi: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ be smooth & $x_1, \dots, x_n$ the usual coordinates. Compute $\varphi^*(dx_1 \wedge \dots \wedge dx_n)$.
16. The form $dx_1 \wedge \dots \wedge dx_n$ is called the volume form of $\mathbb{R}^n$. Let ω & $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}^n$. Compute $f^*(\omega)(\alpha) \in \wedge^n(T_x \mathbb{R}^n) \equiv \wedge^n T_x \mathbb{R}^n \equiv \wedge^n \mathbb{R}^n$.
17. Prove that Lie groups are orientable.
18. Let $\varphi_1, \dots, \varphi_p$ be 1-forms on a manifold & $X_1, \dots, X_p \in \mathcal{X}(M)$. Show that
$$(\varphi_1 \wedge \dots \wedge \varphi_p)(X_1, \dots, X_p) = \sum_{\sigma \in S_p} \text{sign}(\sigma) \varphi_1(X_{\sigma(1)}) \dots \varphi_p(X_{\sigma(p)}).$$
19. Let ω be a differential ~~1~~ form on $\mathbb{R}^n$. Is then $\omega \wedge \omega = 0$?
20. Let $\varphi: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus (0,0)$ be $\varphi(\theta) = (\cos \theta, \sin \theta)$ & ω be the differential 1-form on $\mathbb{R}^2 \setminus (0,0)$,
$$\omega = \frac{-y}{x^2+y^2} dx + \frac{x}{x^2+y^2} dy.$$
 Compute $\varphi^*(\omega) \in \mathcal{D}^1(\mathbb{R})$. Show that ω is not exact, but is closed.
21. Let $G \subseteq GL_n(\mathbb{R})$ be a Lie group, $\mu: G \times G \rightarrow G$ & $\iota: G \rightarrow G$ be the product & inversion maps resp. Prove that $D\mu(e, e)(X, Y) = X + Y$ & $D\iota(e)(X) = -X$ for $X, Y \in \text{Lie}(G)$, e = identity element of G .