

Brief return to the hyperboloid with one sheet:

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} - \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1$$

find one line from each ruling, then rotate it:

$$x = at \quad y = b \quad z = ct$$

$$\text{line: } \alpha(t) = (at, b, ct)$$

$$= (0, b, 0) + t(a, 0, c)$$

$$\text{directrix: } \beta(u) = (a \cos u, b \sin u, 0)$$

a general line of the ruling:

$$\alpha_u(t) = (a \cos u, b \sin u, 0)$$

$$+ t(a \sin u, b \cos u, c)$$

e.g. change $c \rightarrow -c$ to get the second ruling.

Back to geodesics: M surface.

$\varphi(u, v)$ a patch for M .

curve α on M : $\alpha(t) = \varphi(u(t), v(t))$

$\alpha'(t)$ velocity

$\alpha''(t)$ acceleration

α is a geodesic when α'' is normal or perpendicular to M .

$$\alpha'(t) = \varphi_u \cdot u'(t) + \varphi_v \cdot v'(t)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha''(t) = & u''(t) \varphi_u + v''(t) \varphi_v \\ & u'(t)^2 \varphi_{uu} + u'(t)v'(t) \varphi_{uv} \\ & + u'(t)v'(t) \varphi_{uv} + v'(t)^2 \varphi_{vv} \end{aligned}$$

basis for \mathbb{R}^3 : $T, U \times T, U$

or φ_u, φ_v, U

Recall the Christoffel symbols:

$$\varphi_{uu} = \Gamma_{uu}^u \varphi_u + \Gamma_{uu}^v \varphi_v + l U$$

$$\varphi_{uv} = \Gamma_{uv}^u \varphi_u + \Gamma_{uv}^v \varphi_v + m U$$

$$\varphi_{vv} = \Gamma_{vv}^u \varphi_u + \Gamma_{vv}^v \varphi_v + n U$$

Recall: the first fundamental form:
or metric $\begin{pmatrix} E & F \\ F & G \end{pmatrix}$

$$E = \varphi_u \cdot \varphi_u \quad F = \varphi_u \cdot \varphi_v \quad G = \varphi_v \cdot \varphi_v$$

computes lengths of tangent vectors on M

the second fundamental form:

$$\begin{pmatrix} l & m \\ m & n \end{pmatrix}$$

$$l = S(\varphi_u) \cdot \varphi_u = \varphi_{uu} \cdot \nu$$

$$m = S(\varphi_u) \cdot \varphi_v = S(\varphi_v) \cdot \varphi_u = \varphi_{uv} \cdot \nu$$

$$n = S(\varphi_v) \cdot \varphi_v = \varphi_{vv} \cdot \nu$$

$$v, w \in T_p M$$

~~$$v = \lambda_1 \varphi_u + \lambda_2 \varphi_v$$~~

$$v = \lambda_1 \varphi_u + \mu_1 \varphi_v$$

$$w = \lambda_2 \varphi_u + \mu_2 \varphi_v$$

$$v \cdot w = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & \mu_1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} E & F \\ F & G \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_2 \\ \mu_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

symmetric bilinear form.

= first fundamental form.

$$v, w \in T_p M$$

$$\Pi(v, w) = S(v) \cdot w$$

symmetric bilinear form = second fundamental form

$$= (\lambda_1 \mu_1) \begin{pmatrix} l & m \\ m & u \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} A_2 \\ \mu_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

 Last quarter we expressed the Christoffel symbols in terms of the first ~~and second~~ fundamental forms:

$$\begin{pmatrix} \Gamma_{uu}^u \\ \Gamma_{uu}^v \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} E & F \\ F & G \end{pmatrix}^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} E_u \\ F_u - \frac{1}{2} E_v \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \Gamma_{uv}^u \\ \Gamma_{uv}^v \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} E & F \\ F & G \end{pmatrix}^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} E_v \\ \frac{1}{2} G_u \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \Gamma_{vv}^u \\ \Gamma_{vv}^v \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} E & F \\ F & G \end{pmatrix}^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} F_v - \frac{1}{2} G_u \\ \frac{1}{2} G_v \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} E & F \\ F & G \end{pmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{EG - F^2} \begin{pmatrix} G & -F \\ -F & E \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\alpha'' = \left(u'' + u'^2 \Gamma_{uu}^u + 2u'v' \Gamma_{uv}^u + v'^2 \Gamma_{vv}^u \right) \varphi_u \\ + \left(v'' + v'^2 \Gamma_{vv}^v + 2u'v' \Gamma_{uv}^v + u'^2 \Gamma_{uu}^v \right) \varphi_v \\ + \left(u'^2 \ell + 2u'v' m + v'^2 n \right) \cup$$

α is a geodesic (\Leftrightarrow)

$$\begin{cases} u'' + u'^2 \Gamma_{uu}^u + 2u'v' \Gamma_{uv}^u + v'^2 \Gamma_{vv}^u = 0 \\ v'' + v'^2 \Gamma_{vv}^v + 2u'v' \Gamma_{uv}^v + u'^2 \Gamma_{uu}^v = 0 \end{cases}$$

\hookrightarrow These are the geodesic equations.

$$\Gamma_{uu}^u = \frac{\frac{1}{2} G E_u - F (F_u - \frac{1}{2} E_v)}{EG - F^2}$$

$$\Gamma_{uu}^v = \frac{-\frac{1}{2} F E_u + E (F_u - \frac{1}{2} E_v)}{EG - F^2}$$

$$\Gamma_{uv}^u = \frac{\frac{1}{2} G E_v - F G_v}{EG - F^2}$$

$$\Gamma_{uv}^v = \frac{\frac{1}{2} (-F E_v + E G_v)}{EG - F^2}$$

$$\Gamma_{vv}^u = \frac{-\frac{1}{2} F G_v + G (F_r - \frac{1}{2} G_u)}{EG - F^2}$$

$$\Gamma_{vv}^v = \frac{\frac{1}{2} E G_r - F (F_r - \frac{1}{2} G_u)}{EG - F^2}$$

First geodesic equation in terms of the metric: (multiply through by $EG - F^2$)

$$(EG - F^2)u'' + u'^2 \left(\frac{1}{2} G E_u + \frac{1}{2} F E_r - F F_u \right)$$

$$+ 2u'v' \left(\frac{1}{2} (G E_r - F G_r) \right)$$

$$+ v'^2 \left(-\frac{1}{2} F G_v - \frac{1}{2} G G_u + G F_r \right) = 0$$

switch u and v to get the second equation.

Theorem 5.2.3: M surface given by patch $\varphi(u, v)$. ~~$\alpha(t)$~~
 given $P \in M$ and $V \in T_P M$,
 $\exists!$ geodesic $\alpha(t)$ on M

such that $\alpha(0) = P$ and $\alpha'(0) = V$.

Proof: Follows from the existence and uniqueness of solutions to the geodesic equations which are a system of two differential equations of second order. \square .

Examples: geodesics on the sphere and the torus. (Section 5.2).

Clairaut geodesic equations:

u-Clairaut: $F=0, E_v = G_v = 0$

$$EGu'' + \frac{1}{2}u'^2 GE_u - \frac{1}{2}v'^2 GG_u = 0$$

$$EGv'' + u'v' EG_u = 0$$

v-Clairaut: $F=0, E_u = G_u = 0$

$$EGv'' + \frac{1}{2}v'^2 EG_v - \frac{1}{2}u'^2 EE_v = 0$$

$$EGu'' + u'v' GE_v = 0$$

Theorem: 5.2.7: If we have a

u -Clairaut coordinate chart, then the u -parameter curves are geodesics.

Example: torus:

$$\varphi(u, v) = \left((R + r \cos u) \cos v, (R + r \cos u) \sin v, r \sin u \right)$$

$$\varphi_u = \left(-r \sin u \cos v, -r \sin u \sin v, r \cos u \right)$$

$$\varphi_v = \left(-(R + r \cos u) \sin v, (R + r \cos u) \cos v, 0 \right)$$

$$\varphi_u \cdot \varphi_v = 0 = F$$

$$\varphi_u \cdot \varphi_u = r^2 = E \quad \text{constant.}$$

$$\varphi_v \cdot \varphi_v = (R + r \cos u)^2 = G.$$

$$G_v = 0.$$

u -Clairaut \Rightarrow u -parameter curves are geodesics.

$$\alpha_{v_0}(u) = \varphi(u, v_0) = \left((R + r \cos u) \cos v_0, (R + r \cos u) \sin v_0, r \sin u \right)$$