

HOMework 6

Due Monday November 12, 2001

Do Carmo Section 3.2 questions 2, 5, 7, 8, 9, 13.

Plus the following question:

Consider the sphere S^2 given by $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$. This is parameterized by

$$\mathbf{r} : (\theta, \phi) \rightarrow (\cos \theta \sin \phi, \sin \theta \sin \phi, \cos \phi).$$

(a). Calculate the bases for $T_{\mathbf{p}}S^2$ associated to this parameterization at the points $\mathbf{p} = \mathbf{r}(0, \pi/2)$, and $\mathbf{q} = \mathbf{r}(\alpha, \pi/2)$.

Let F denote a rotation of S^2 by angle θ about the z -axis. In the parameterization \mathbf{r} this is given by

$$(\theta, \phi) \rightarrow (\theta + \alpha, \phi).$$

(b). The vector $\mathbf{w} = (0, 3, -2)$ is tangent to S^2 at \mathbf{p} . Write \mathbf{w} in coordinates relative to the basis for $T_{\mathbf{p}}S^2$ found in (a).

(c). Write down the matrix for $dF_{\mathbf{p}}$ relative to the bases found in (a). Hence calculate the coordinates of $dF_{\mathbf{p}}\mathbf{w}$ relative to the basis for $T_{\mathbf{q}}S^2$ found in (a).

(d). Use (c) to calculate $dF_{\mathbf{p}}\mathbf{w}$.

(e). Let f be a rotation of \mathbb{R}^3 through angle α about the z -axis. Then f is a linear map. calculate the matrix of f and hence write down the vector $f(x, y, z)$.

(f). Calculate the matrix of $df_{\mathbf{p}}$. Hence calculate $df_{\mathbf{p}}\mathbf{w}$.

You should find that $dF_{\mathbf{p}}\mathbf{w} = df_{\mathbf{p}}\mathbf{w}$.