

Def: Two charts (U, α) & (V, β) are C^∞ compatible if

$$(a) U \cap V \neq \emptyset$$

$$(b) U \cap V \neq \emptyset \quad \& \quad \alpha \circ \beta^{-1} : \beta(U \cap V) \rightarrow \alpha(U \cap V)$$

$$\& \quad \beta \circ \alpha^{-1} : \alpha(U \cap V) \rightarrow \beta(U \cap V)$$

are smooth (C^∞)

→ An Atlas $\mathcal{A}$ is C^∞ (smooth) if all its charts are C^∞ compatible

Defⁿ: A smooth manifold $(M, \mathcal{O}, \mathcal{A})$ is a triple where $(M, \mathcal{O})$ is a topological manifold & $\mathcal{A}$ is a smooth atlas.

Smooth Maps →

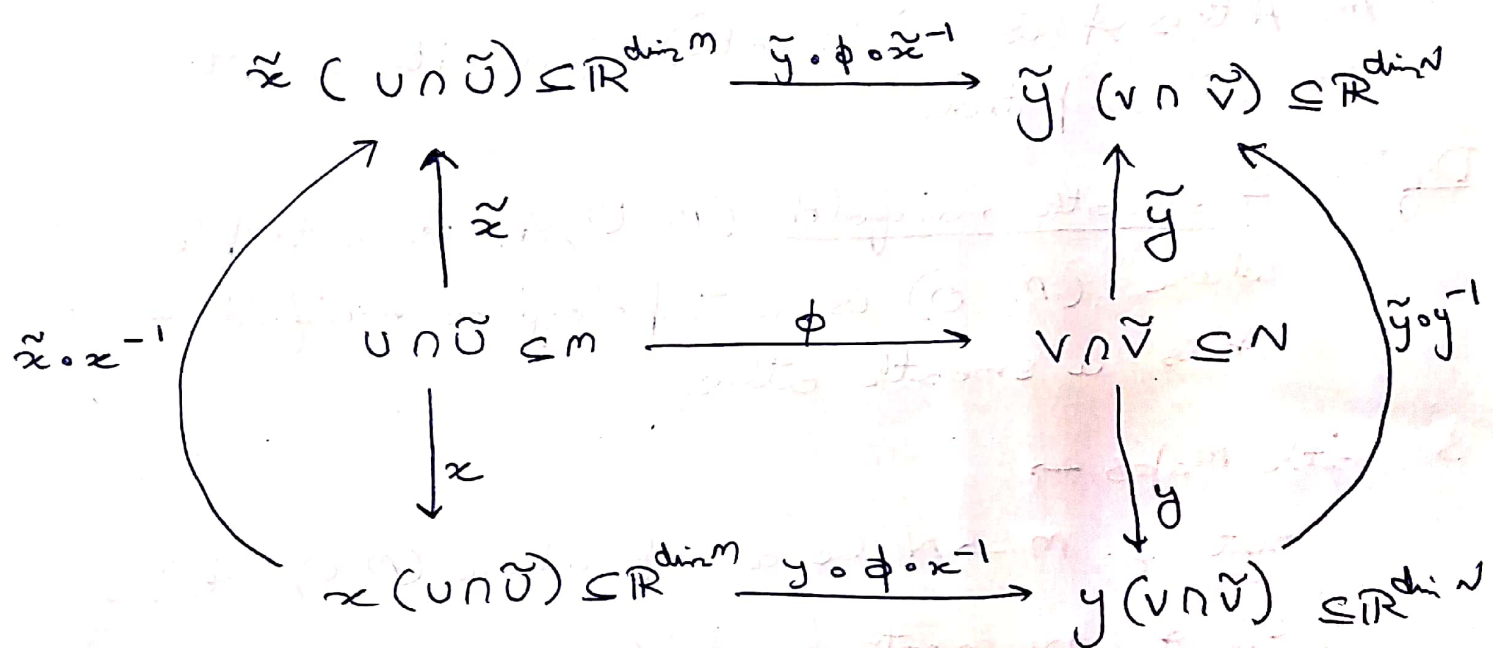
Let $\phi : M \rightarrow N$ be a map where $(M, \mathcal{O}_M, \mathcal{A}_M)$ & $(N, \mathcal{O}_N, \mathcal{A}_N)$ are smooth manifolds

ϕ is said to be smooth at $p \in M$ if for some chart $(U, \alpha) \in \mathcal{A}_M$ with $p \in U$ & $(V, \beta) \in \mathcal{A}_N$ with $\phi(p) \in V$ the map $\beta \circ \phi \circ \alpha^{-1}$ is C^∞ (smooth) at $\alpha(p) \in \alpha(U) \subseteq \mathbb{R}^{\dim M}$ in the usual sense

$$\begin{array}{ccc} U \subseteq M & \xrightarrow{\phi} & V \subseteq N \\ \downarrow \alpha & & \downarrow \beta \\ \alpha(U) \subseteq \mathbb{R}^{\dim M} & \xrightarrow{\beta \circ \phi \circ \alpha^{-1}} & \beta(V) \subseteq \mathbb{R}^{\dim N} \end{array}$$

Remark: The definition of differentiability is well-defined (i.e. it is chart independent)

Proof: We want to show that if $y \circ \phi \circ x^{-1}$ is differentiable at $x(p)$ for some $(U, x) \in \mathcal{A}_M$ with $p \in U$ & $(V, y) \in \mathcal{A}_N$ with $\phi(p) \in V$ then $\tilde{y} \circ \phi \circ \tilde{x}^{-1}$ is differentiable at $\tilde{x}(p)$ for all charts $(\tilde{U}, \tilde{x}) \in \mathcal{A}_M$ with $p \in \tilde{U}$ & $(\tilde{V}, \tilde{y}) \in \mathcal{A}_N$ with $\phi(p) \in \tilde{V}$



As (U, x) & $(\tilde{U}, \tilde{x}) \in \mathcal{A}_M$ which is C^∞ so $\tilde{x} \circ x^{-1}$ is smooth. Similarly $\tilde{y} \circ y^{-1}$ is smooth.

Now notice we can write

$$\tilde{y} \circ \phi \circ \tilde{x}^{-1} = (\tilde{y} \circ y^{-1}) \circ (y \circ \phi \circ x^{-1}) \circ (\tilde{x} \circ x^{-1})^{-1}$$

and since composition of smooth maps is smooth, we are done!

→ If the map ϕ is smooth for all points over its domain then it is called a smooth map

Diffeomorphism $\rightarrow \phi: M \rightarrow N$ is a diffeo if it is a bijection b/w smooth manifolds $(M, \mathcal{O}_M, \mathcal{A}_M)$ and $(N, \mathcal{O}_N, \mathcal{A}_N)$ & both ϕ & ϕ^{-1} are smooth.

$\rightarrow$ Smooth Manifolds $(M, \mathcal{O}_M, \mathcal{A}_M)$ & $(N, \mathcal{O}_N, \mathcal{A}_N)$ are said to be diffeomorphic if there is a ~~den~~ diffeomorphism b/w them.

$\rightarrow$ Diffeomorphisms are structure preserving maps b/w smooth manifolds

TENSORS

Say we have a finite dimensional vector space $(V, +, \cdot)$ over field F with its basis e_i

We know that the dual space is defined as followed

$$V^* = \{ \omega : V \rightarrow F \mid \omega \text{ is linear} \}$$

$\forall \omega \in V^*$ are called covectors

Note above we have just defined the set V^* .

To make it a vector space we also need to define addition & ^{scalar} multiplication over it

$(V^*, +_{V^*}, \cdot_{V^*})$ is a vector space with $+_{V^*}: V^* \times V^* \rightarrow V^*$
 $\cdot_{V^*}: F \times V^* \rightarrow V^*$

define pointwise as follows $\rightarrow$

$$(\omega_1 +_{V^*} \omega_2)(v) := \omega_1(v) +_F \omega_2(v)$$

$$(\lambda \cdot_{V^*} \omega)(v) := \lambda \cdot_F \omega(v)$$

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We can also verify that all the axioms of vector field are obeyed. This is left as an exercise to the reader

Eg

Now consider the following set

$$S = V \times V$$

So $(v_1, v_2) \in S$ if $v_1, v_2 \in V$

Can S be made into a vector space?

$(S, +_S, \cdot_S)$

Yes with following pointwise defⁿ of $+_S$ & $\cdot_S$

$$(v_1, v_2) +_S (v_3, v_4) := (v_1 +_V v_3, v_2 +_V v_4)$$

$$\lambda \cdot_S (v_1, v_2) := (\lambda \cdot_V v_1, \lambda \cdot_V v_2)$$

Now let us talk about bilinear functions on S
which map to F

Let $f: V \times V \rightarrow F$ such that f is bilinear

Bilinear means linear in each index

$$f(\lambda_1 v_1 + \lambda_2 v_2, v_3) = \lambda_1 f(v_1, v_3) + \lambda_2 f(v_2, v_3)$$

$$f(v_1, \lambda_2 v_2 + \lambda_3 v_3) = \lambda_2 f(v_1, v_2) + \lambda_3 f(v_1, v_3)$$

Now consider the set of all such functions f

$$X = \{ f: S \rightarrow F \mid f \text{ is bilinear} \}$$

Can we make X into a vector space?

Yes [Just like we made dual space into a vector space]

$$(f +_X g)(v_1, v_2) := f(v_1, v_2) +_F g(v_1, v_2)$$

$$(\lambda \cdot_X f)(v_1, v_2) := \lambda \cdot_F f(v_1, v_2)$$

So yes $(X, +_X, \cdot_X)$ is a vector space

Now let us consider the set

$$\underbrace{V^* \times V^* \times \dots \times V^*}_p \times \underbrace{V \times V \times \dots \times V}_q$$

~~As we did~~ This set can be made into a vector space
[Similar to how we made $V \times V$ a vector space]

Now let us consider maps from this set to F

Def A Tensor of type (p, q) is a multilinear map $T: \underbrace{V^* \times V^* \times \dots \times V^*}_{p \text{ copies}} \times \underbrace{V \times V \times \dots \times V}_{q \text{ copies}} \rightarrow F$

The set of all (p, q) type tensor is called $T_{q,p}^p V$
 $T_{q,p}^p V$ is also a vector space [As $\times$ was made a vector space in the last Example]

Eg A $(0, 1)$ tensor is a covector & $T_1^0 V = V^*$
A $(1, 0)$ tensor is a vector, & $T_0^1 V = V$
[Note that dimension of V is finite]

Eg $T \in T_1^1 V$; ~~$\eta \in$~~ $\omega, \eta \in V^*$ & $v, w \in V$
 $T(a\omega + b\eta, cv + dw) = acT(\omega, v) + adT(\omega, w) + bcT(\eta, v) + bdT(\eta, w)$

Def Let $T \in T_{q,p}^p V$ & $S \in T_{r,s}^r V$. Then we define the tensor product $T \otimes S$ as follows -

$$1. T \otimes S \in T_{q+s, p+r}^{p+r} V$$

2. ~~For $\omega_i \in V^*$ & $v_i \in V$. The tensor product is defined pointwise~~

$$(T \otimes S)(\omega_1, \omega_2, \dots, \omega_p, \omega_{p+1}, \dots, \omega_{p+r}, v_1, \dots, v_q, v_{q+1}, \dots, v_{q+s}) := T(\omega_1, \omega_2, \dots, \omega_p, v_1, \dots, v_q) \cdot S(\omega_{p+1}, \dots, \omega_{p+r}, v_{q+1}, \dots, v_{q+s})$$



2. The tensor product is defined further as-

$$(T \otimes S)(w_1, w_2, \dots, w_p, w_{p+1}, \dots, w_{p+q}, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_q, v_{q+1}, \dots, v_{q+s}) :=$$

$$T(w_1, w_2, \dots, w_p, v_1, \dots, v_q) \cdot S(w_{p+1}, w_{p+2}, \dots, w_{p+q}, v_{q+1}, \dots, v_{q+s})$$

multiplication is $\cdot$

where $w_i \in V^*$ & $v_i \in V$ & $w_i \neq w_j$ for $i \neq j$
 $v_i \neq v_j$

Note the w_i & v_i are covectors & vectors themselves. They are not the components of covector/vector

Note In general $T \otimes S \neq S \otimes T$

Claim: Given a basis e_i of V & the dual basis f^j of V^* ($f^j(e_i) = \delta^j_i$) we can construct a basis of $T^p_q V$ by using tensors which consist of all tensors of the form -

$$e_{\mu_1} \otimes e_{\mu_2} \otimes \dots \otimes e_{\mu_p} \otimes f^{\nu_1} \otimes f^{\nu_2} \otimes \dots \otimes f^{\nu_q}$$

If $\dim V$ is n then there will be n^{p+q} basis tensors in all [i.e. $\dim T^p_q V = (\dim V)^{p+q}$]

Proof ① The set is spanning:

Consider some arbitrary tensor $T \in T^p_q V$
 Construct a tensor S s.t.

$$S = S_{\nu_1 \nu_2 \dots \nu_q}^{\mu_1 \mu_2 \dots \mu_p} e_{\mu_1} \otimes \dots \otimes e_{\mu_p} \otimes f^{\nu_1} \otimes \dots \otimes f^{\nu_q}$$

where

$$S_{\nu_1 \nu_2 \dots \nu_q}^{\mu_1 \mu_2 \dots \mu_p} = T(f^{\mu_1}, \dots, f^{\mu_p}, e_{\nu_1}, \dots, e_{\nu_q})$$

Now we will prove that these tensor T&S are the same.

To show this consider action of S on arbitrary vectors & covectors

Note that we can write the vectors & covectors in terms of their components,

$$v^{(i)} = v^{(i)}_j e_j$$

$$\text{ \& } \omega^{(i)} = \omega^{(i)}_j f^j$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } S(\omega^{(1)}, \omega^{(2)}, \dots, \omega^{(p)}, v^{(1)}, v^{(2)}, \dots, v^{(q)}) \\ = \sum_{j_1, j_2, \dots, j_q} S_{H_1 H_2 \dots H_p} (e_{H_1} \otimes \dots \otimes e_{H_p} \otimes f^{j_1} \otimes \dots \otimes f^{j_q}) \\ (\omega^{(1)}, \omega^{(2)}, \dots, \omega^{(p)}, v^{(1)}, v^{(2)}, \dots, v^{(q)}) \\ = \sum_{j_1, j_2, \dots, j_q} S_{H_1 H_2 \dots H_p} [e_{H_1}(\omega^{(1)})] [e_{H_2}(\omega^{(2)})] \dots [e_{H_p}(\omega^{(p)})] \end{aligned}$$

$$[f^{j_1}(v^{(1)})] [f^{j_2}(v^{(2)})] \dots [f^{j_q}(v^{(q)})]$$

$$e_{H_i}(\omega^{(i)}) = e_{H_i}(\omega^{(i)}_j f^j) = \omega^{(i)}_j e_{H_i}(f^j) = \omega^{(i)}_j \delta^j_{H_i} = \omega^{(i)}_{H_i}$$

$$\text{Similarly } f^{j_q}(v^{(q)}) = v^{(q)}_{j_q} = v^{(q)}_{H_q}$$

$$= \sum_{j_1, j_2, \dots, j_q} S_{H_1 H_2 \dots H_p} \omega^{(1)}_{H_1} \omega^{(2)}_{H_2} \dots \omega^{(p)}_{H_p} v^{(1)}_{j_1} \dots v^{(q)}_{j_q}$$

$$= T(f^{H_1}, f^{H_2}, \dots, f^{H_p}, e_{j_1}, e_{j_2}, \dots, e_{j_q}) \cdot ($$

$$= T(f^{H_1}, f^{H_2}, \dots, f^{H_p}, e_{j_1}, e_{j_2}, \dots, e_{j_q}) \cdot ($$

$$= T(\omega^{(1)}_{\mu_1} f^{\mu_1}, \omega^{(2)}_{\mu_2} f^{\mu_2}, \dots, \omega^{(p)}_{\mu_p} f^{\mu_p}, v^{v_1}_{(1)} e_{v_1}, \dots, v^{v_q}_{(q)} e_{v_q})$$

$$= T(\omega^{(1)}_{\mu_1} f^{\mu_1}, \omega^{(2)}_{\mu_2} f^{\mu_2}, \dots, \omega^{(p)}_{\mu_p} f^{\mu_p}, v^{v_1}_{(1)} e_{v_1}, \dots, v^{v_q}_{(q)} e_{v_q})$$

[Using multilinearity of T]

$$= T(\omega^{(1)}, \omega^{(2)}, \dots, \omega^{(p)}, v_{(1)}, v_{(2)}, \dots, v_{(q)})$$

$\therefore$ for any arbitrary choice of $\omega^{(1)}, \omega^{(2)}, \dots, \omega^{(p)}, v_{(1)}, v_{(2)}, \dots, v_{(q)}$
we have $S(\omega^{(1)}, \omega^{(2)}, \dots, v_{(q)}) = T(\omega^{(1)}, \omega^{(2)}, \dots, v_{(q)})$

$\therefore$ we have $S = T$

2. Now we have to show linear independence.

Suppose $\sum_{\mu_1, \mu_2, \dots, \mu_p} c_{\mu_1, \mu_2, \dots, \mu_p} e_{\mu_1} \otimes \dots \otimes f^{\nu_1} = 0$

Act this basis on $(f^{\alpha_1}, f^{\alpha_2}, \dots, f^{\alpha_p}, e_{\beta_1}, \dots, e_{\beta_q})$

we get

$$\sum_{\mu_1, \mu_2, \dots, \mu_p} c_{\mu_1, \mu_2, \dots, \mu_p} [e_{\mu_1}(f^{\alpha_1})] [e_{\mu_2}(f^{\alpha_2})] \dots [f^{\nu_1}(e_{\beta_1})] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{\mu_1, \mu_2, \dots, \mu_p} c_{\mu_1, \mu_2, \dots, \mu_p} \delta_{\mu_1}^{\alpha_1} \delta_{\mu_2}^{\alpha_2} \dots \delta_{\mu_p}^{\alpha_p} \delta_{\mu_1}^{\nu_1} \dots \delta_{\mu_p}^{\nu_p} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_q} c_{\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_q} = 0$$

Hence all coeff are zero.

$\therefore$ The tensors are linearly independent

Hence they form a basis

Notation: We will denote the tensor space $T_q^p V$ by

$$T_q^p V = \underbrace{V \otimes V \otimes \dots \otimes V}_p \otimes \underbrace{V^* \otimes V^* \otimes \dots \otimes V^*}_q$$

[This notation is motivated by the basis of $T_q^p V$]

So any tensor $T \in T_q^p V$ can be written as

$$T = T_{j_1 j_2 \dots j_q}^{i_1 i_2 \dots i_p} e_{i_1} \otimes e_{i_2} \otimes \dots \otimes e_{i_p} \otimes f^{j_1} \otimes f^{j_2} \otimes \dots \otimes f^{j_q}$$

Here $T_{j_1 j_2 \dots j_q}^{i_1 i_2 \dots i_p}$ are the components of the tensor.

We also have

$$T_{j_1 j_2 \dots j_q}^{i_1 i_2 \dots i_p} = T(\cancel{f^{i_1}}, \cancel{f^{i_2}}, \dots, \cancel{f^{i_p}}, e_{j_1}, e_{j_2}, \dots, e_{j_q})$$

$$= T(f^{i_1}, f^{i_2}, \dots, f^{i_p}, e_{j_1}, e_{j_2}, \dots, e_{j_q})$$

Ex $T \in T_1^1 V = V \otimes V^*$

$$T(\omega, \vartheta) = T(\omega_i f^i, \vartheta_j e_j)$$

$$= \omega_i \vartheta_j T(f^i, e_j)$$

$$= \omega_i \vartheta_j T^i_j$$

After

$$T(\omega, \vartheta) = T^i_j e_i \otimes f^j(\omega, \vartheta)$$

$$= T^i_j e_i(\omega) \cdot f^j(\vartheta)$$

$$= T^i_j e_i(\omega_a f^a) f^j(\vartheta_b e_b)$$

$$= T^i_j \omega_a \vartheta_b e_i(f^a) f^j(e_b)$$

$$= T^i_j \omega_a \vartheta_b \delta^a_i \delta^j_b$$

$$= T^i_j \omega_i \vartheta^j$$

Change of basis $\rightarrow$

Suppose we change the basis of V from $\{e_i\}$ to $\{\tilde{e}_i\}$

$$\text{we have } \tilde{e}_i = A^j_i e_j$$

$$\& e_i = B^j_i \tilde{e}_j$$

A & B are similarity matrices. From linear algebra we know that $B = A^{-1}$. (we won't prove it here)

Say $v \in V$

$$v = v^i e_i = \tilde{v}^i \tilde{e}_i$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \tilde{v}^i \tilde{e}_i &= v^i e_i \\ &= v^i B^j_i \tilde{e}_j \\ &= (B^j_i v^i) \tilde{e}_j \Rightarrow \tilde{v}^j = B^j_i v^i \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Similarly } v^i = A^j_i \tilde{v}^j$$

~~So the components of vectors transform & inverse~~

$\therefore$ The transformation of vector components is inverse of the transformation of basis.

$$\text{Now } f^i(e_j) = \delta^i_j = \tilde{f}^i(\tilde{e}_j)$$

$$\text{From this we see } \tilde{f}^i = B^i_j f^j$$

$$\text{Similarly } \omega = \tilde{\omega}_i \tilde{f}^i = \omega_i f^i \text{ gives}$$

$$\tilde{\omega}_i = A^j_i \omega_j$$

Transformation of Tensor components $\rightarrow$

$$T = T^{i_1 i_2 \dots i_p}_{j_1 j_2 \dots j_q} e_{i_1} \otimes e_{i_2} \otimes \dots \otimes e_{i_p} \otimes f^{j_1} \otimes f^{j_2} \otimes \dots \otimes f^{j_q}$$

$$= T^{i_1 i_2 \dots i_p}_{j_1 j_2 \dots j_q} B^{i_1'}_{i_1} \tilde{e}_{i_1'} \otimes B^{i_2'}_{i_2} \tilde{e}_{i_2'} \otimes \dots \otimes B^{i_p'}_{i_p} \tilde{e}_{i_p'} \otimes A^{j_1'}_{j_1} \tilde{f}^{j_1'} \otimes A^{j_2'}_{j_2} \tilde{f}^{j_2'} \otimes \dots \otimes A^{j_q'}_{j_q} \tilde{f}^{j_q'}$$

$$= T^{i_1 i_2 \dots i_p}_{j_1 j_2 \dots j_q} B^{i_1'}_{i_1} B^{i_2'}_{i_2} \dots B^{i_p'}_{i_p} A^{j_1'}_{j_1} \dots A^{j_q'}_{j_q} \tilde{e}_{i_1'} \otimes \tilde{e}_{i_2'} \otimes \dots \otimes \tilde{e}_{i_p'} \otimes \tilde{f}^{j_1'} \otimes \dots \otimes \tilde{f}^{j_q'}$$

$$\therefore \tilde{T}^{i_1' i_2' \dots i_p'}_{j_1' j_2' \dots j_q'} = T^{i_1 i_2 \dots i_p}_{j_1 j_2 \dots j_q} B^{i_1'}_{i_1} B^{i_2'}_{i_2} \dots B^{i_p'}_{i_p} A^{j_1'}_{j_1} \dots A^{j_q'}_{j_q}$$

Note:
1. Remember the basis vectors & the components of covectors transform in same fashion and the components of vectors & basis of covectors transform in the inverse fashion to former.

2. The Transformation rules are important because vectors, covectors & tensors are defined in physics via transformation rules.
3. From now on, to check if an object is a vector / covector / tensor we will ~~also~~ see how its components ~~it~~ transforms under basis change. If they match with transformation rules of an object then it is indeed that object!

TANGENT SPACES

~~Let~~ We will now come back to discussion of smooth manifolds M

Defⁿ The set of all smooth functions $f: M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is called $C^\infty(M)$

$$C^\infty(M) = \{ f: M \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \mid f \text{ is smooth} \}$$

YOU
CAN
SKIP
THIS
PART

→ { We can define $+$ & $\cdot$ operations on $C^\infty(M)$ }
 { [It Note that this space does not form a vector space (because there is no commutativity in $C^\infty(M)$)] }

Defⁿ A smooth curve on M is a smooth map $\gamma: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow M$ where $\mathbb{R}$ is understood as a 1 dimensional manifold

Defⁿ Let $\gamma: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow M$ be a smooth curve through $p \in M$; w.l.o.g let $\gamma(0) = p$
 The directional derivative operator at p along γ is the linear map

$$X_{\gamma,p}: C^\infty(M) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathbb{R} \quad [\sim \text{ is for linear}]$$

$$X_{\gamma,p}(f) := (f \circ \gamma)'(0)$$

where $0 = \gamma(p)$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \mathbb{R} & \xrightarrow{\gamma} & M & \xrightarrow{f} & \mathbb{R} \\ t & & \gamma(t) & & f(\gamma(t)) \end{array}$$

$$f \circ \gamma: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

(so we can take
derivative in the usual
sense)

$$X_{\gamma, p}(f) := (f \circ \gamma)'(0)$$

Directional
derivative

So the directional derivative acts on functions
to give a real number.

But its existence is not dependent on the function
it acts on. $\mathbb{R}$

Remark - $X_{\gamma, p}$ is called the tangent vector to the curve
at point $p \in M$. Intuitively, $X_{\gamma, p}$ is the
velocity of γ at p . Consider the curve
 $\delta(t) := \gamma(2t)$ which is the same curve parametrized
twice as fast. For any $f \in C^\infty(M)$, we have

$$X_{\delta, p}(f) = (f \circ \delta)'(0) = 2(f \circ \gamma)'(0) = 2X_{\gamma, p}(f)$$

(By using chain rule)

$\therefore X_{\gamma, p}$ scales as velocity should

Def $T_p M = \{ X_{\gamma, p} \mid \gamma \text{ is a smooth curve through } p \}$
i.e. $T_p M$ is the set of all ~~der~~ tangent vectors at
point $p \in M$. $T_p M$ is called the tangent space
at point p .

Claim: $T_p M$ can be made into a vector space

$$(T_p M, \oplus, \odot)$$

we define $\oplus$ & $\odot$ pointwise as follows $\rightarrow$

$$(X_{\gamma, p} \oplus X_{\delta, p})(f) := X_{\gamma, p}(f) + X_{\delta, p}(f)$$

$$(\lambda \odot X_{\gamma, p})(f) := \lambda \cdot_{\mathbb{R}} X_{\gamma, p}(f)$$

But the above defⁿ do not imply closure

So we need to show ~~$\exists \gamma, \delta$ smooth~~

that $\exists \mu, \sigma$ smooth curves s.t.

$$\textcircled{1} \quad X_{\gamma, p}(f) + X_{\delta, p}(f) = X_{\mu, p}(f)$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \lambda \cdot X_{\gamma, p} = X_{\nu, p}(f)$$

After we have showed this then only we can say that $(T_p M, \oplus, \odot)$ is a vector space

Proof of $\textcircled{1} \rightarrow$ Let (U, α) be a chart on M with $p \in U$

$$\text{Define } \sigma(t) := \alpha^{-1}((\alpha \circ \gamma)(t) + (\alpha \circ \delta)(t) - \alpha(p))$$

Note that σ is smooth as it is constructed by addⁿ & compⁿ of smooth maps

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma(0) &= \alpha^{-1}((\alpha \circ \gamma)(0) + (\alpha \circ \delta)(0) - \alpha(p)) \\ &= \alpha^{-1}(\alpha(p) + \alpha(p) - \alpha(p)) \\ &= \alpha^{-1}(\alpha(p)) \\ &= p \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore \sigma$ passes through p

$$X_{\sigma,p}(f) := (f \circ \sigma)'(0)$$

$$= [f \circ x^{-1} \circ ((x \circ \sigma) + (x \circ \delta) - x(b))]'(0)$$

$$= [\partial_a (f \circ x^{-1})(x(b))] [(x^a \circ \sigma) + (x^a \circ \delta) - x^a(b)]'(0)$$

where we used the multivariable chain rule as $f \circ x^{-1}: \mathbb{R}^{\dim M} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

and $(x \circ \sigma + x \circ \delta - x(b)): \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$

$$= [\partial_a (f \circ x^{-1})(x(b))] [(x^a \circ \sigma)'(0) + (x^a \circ \delta)'(0)]$$

[As derivative is a linear operation for $\mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$]

$$= (f \circ x^{-1} \circ x^a \circ \sigma)'(0) + (f \circ x^{-1} \circ x^a \circ \delta)'(0)$$

[By distributive rule]

$$= (f \circ \sigma)'(0) + (f \circ \delta)'(0)$$

$$= X_{\sigma,p}(f) + X_{\delta,p}(f)$$

$$\therefore X_{\sigma,p}(f) = X_{\sigma,p}(f) + X_{\delta,p}(f)$$

$$\therefore X_{\sigma,p} \oplus X_{\delta,p} = X_{\sigma,p} \in T_p M$$

H.P.

Outline of

Proof of ②

→ Take $\mu(t) = \gamma(\lambda t)$ and

The completion of this proof is left as an exercise to the reader

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Remark $\rightarrow$ The tangent vectors $X_{x,p}$ satisfy
Leibnizity.

$$X_{x,p}(f \cdot g) = X_{x,p}(f) g(p) + f(p) X_{x,p}(g)$$

^{Observe,}
(This is similar to chain rule; This is where the name directional "derivative" comes from)

The proof of this remark is ~~also~~ left as an exercise to the reader. Hint: Again use a local coordinate system (U, x) near p .

Theorem: $\dim T_p M = \dim M = n$ (Say)

Note that the dimension on LHS & on RHS have very different meanings. On LHS it is the dimension of vector space $T_p M$ which is the number of vectors in a basis set. On RHS it is the dimension of manifold M (which is the $\dim$ of $\mathbb{R}^k$ on which the homeomorphism $x(U, x)$ map to $x: U \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^k$).

To prove this theorem, first we will construct n tangent vectors on $T_p M$, then we will show that any vector in $T_p M$ can be written as a linear combⁿ of them. Then we will show ~~if~~ they are linearly independent.

Take a chart (U, x) on M

(U, x) chart

$$x: M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$x(p) = 0$$

$$x(t) = (x^1(t), x^2(t), \dots, x^{\dim M}(t))$$

Define

$$\gamma_1: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow U \text{ s.t. } \gamma_1(0) = p$$

$$\gamma_1(t) = x^{-1}(t, 0, 0, \dots, 0)$$

$$\gamma_2: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow U \text{ s.t. } \gamma_2(0) = p$$

$$\gamma_2(t) = x^{-1}(0, t, \dots, 0)$$

i.e. $x^1(\gamma_1(t)) = t$

$$x^2(\gamma_1(t)) = 0$$

$$x^i(\gamma_1(t)) = 0$$

x

$$X_{\gamma_a, p}(f) = (f \circ \gamma_a)'(x(p))$$

$$= (f \circ \text{id} \circ \gamma_a)'(x(p))$$

$$= (f \circ x^{-1} \circ x \circ \gamma_a)'(x(p))$$

$$\left[\partial_b (f \circ x^{-1}) (x(p)) \right] \underbrace{(x^b \circ \gamma_a)'(x(p))}_{(\delta^a_b t)'(0)}$$

$$\left[\partial_b (f \circ x^{-1}) \right] (x(p)) \delta^a_b$$

$$= \left[\partial_a (f \circ x^{-1}) \right] (x(p))$$

$$x^a(\gamma_b(t)) = \delta^a_b t$$

$$(x^a \circ \gamma_b)(t) = \delta^a_b t$$

$$\begin{array}{c} f \circ x^{-1} \\ \mathbb{R}^n \xrightarrow{x^{-1}} U \xrightarrow{f} \mathbb{R} \\ \underbrace{\quad \quad \quad}_{f \circ x^{-1}} \end{array}$$

~~Remaining~~

$$\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^a} \right)_p (f) := \left[\partial_a (f \circ x^{-1}) \right] (x(p))$$

$$X_{\gamma_a, p} = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^a} \right)_p$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^a} \right)_p \in T_p M$$

These form a basis of $T_p M$ where $a=1, 2, \dots, \dim M$

Pf Let $X \in T_p M$

$$\text{So by def } \exists \sigma: \mathbb{I} \xrightarrow{\subset \mathbb{R}} M : \sigma(0) = p$$

$$\text{and } X = X_{\sigma, p}$$

$$X(f) = X_{\sigma, p}(f) = (f \circ \sigma)'(0)$$

$$= (f \circ x^{-1} \circ x \circ \sigma)'(0)$$

$$= \left[\partial_a (f \circ x^{-1}) (x(p)) \right] (x^a \circ \sigma)'(0)$$

$$\begin{array}{c} X_{\sigma, p} \\ \uparrow \\ \partial_a (f \circ x^{-1}) (x(p)) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x^a} \end{array}$$

$$= \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^a} f \right) (x^a \circ \sigma)'(\sigma)$$

$$= \underbrace{(x^a \circ \sigma)'(\sigma)}_{X^a} \frac{\partial}{\partial x^a} f$$

$$= X^a \frac{\partial}{\partial x^a} f$$

$$\therefore \boxed{X = X^a \frac{\partial}{\partial x^a}}$$

where if $X = X_{\sigma, p}$
 $X^a = (x^a \circ \sigma)'(\sigma)$

Show linear independence of $\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^a} \right)_p$

To show linear independence, suppose that

$$\lambda^a \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^a} \right)_p = 0,$$

$$\tau_{\sigma, p}(f) = (f \circ \sigma)'(\sigma)$$

for some scalars λ^a . Note that this is an operator equation, and the zero on the right hand side is the zero operator $0 \in T_p M$.

Recall that, given the chart (U, x) , the coordinate maps $x^b: U \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are smooth, i.e. $x^b \in C^\infty(U)$. Thus, we can feed them into the left hand side to obtain

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= \lambda^a \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^a} \right)_p (x^b) & \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^a} \right)_p f &= \partial_a (f \circ x^{-1}) (x(p)) \\ &= \lambda^a \partial_a (x^b \circ x^{-1})(x(p)) & \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^a} \right)_p (x^b) &= \partial_a (x^b \circ x^{-1}) (x(p)) \\ &= \lambda^a \partial_a (\text{proj}_b)(x(p)) & &= \partial_a (\underbrace{\text{proj}_b}_{\delta_a^b}) (x(p)) \\ &= \lambda^a \delta_a^b & &= \delta_a^b \\ &= \lambda^b \end{aligned}$$