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(1) (10 分+10 分)

Let U be a connected open subset of \mathbf{R}^2 . Let f be a smooth function on U and let the metric

$$ds^2 = e^{2f}(dx^2 + dy^2).$$

(a) Determine the scalar curvature R of the metric .

(b) Use the resulting formula above to find the scalar curvature of the upper half plane with the metric

$$ds^2 = \frac{dx^2 + dy^2}{y^2}.$$

(2) (10 分+10 分) Let M be a n -dimensional Riemannian manifold.

(a) Let $\{e_1, \dots, e_n\}$ be a local orthonormal frame for the tangent bundle. Let ∇ be the Levi-Civita connection. Determine constants $\{a, b, c\}$ so that

$$g(\nabla_{e_i} e_j, e_k) = ag([e_i, e_j], e_k) + bg([e_j, e_k], e_i) + cg([e_k, e_i], e_j).$$

(b) Show that there exists a local orthonormal frame field with $[e_i, e_j] = 0$ for all i, j if and only if the curvature tensor vanishes identically.

(3) (15 分) A derivation of $C^\infty(\mathbf{R}^n)$ based at a point P is a linear map L from $C^\infty(\mathbf{R}^n)$ to \mathbf{R} satisfying the Leibnitz rule $L(fg) = f(P)L(g) + L(f)g(P)$. Let L be a derivation of $C^\infty(\mathbf{R}^n)$ based at $P = 0$, and let $x = (x^1, \dots, x^n)$ be the coordinate functions on \mathbf{R}^n . Show there exist real constants a_1, \dots, a_n so that $L(f) = a_1 \frac{\partial f}{\partial x^1}(0) + \dots + a_n \frac{\partial f}{\partial x^n}(0)$.

(4) (5 分 + 10分) Consider (\mathbf{R}^2, g) to be the Riemannian manifold, with metric given by $g = (e^{-x} + y^2 e^x)dx^2 + xy e^{-\frac{x}{2}} dx dy + 10(x^4 + y^4 + 5)dy^2$.

(a) Argue that this is a Riemannian metric.

(b) Is this a complete manifold? Prove or give a reason why it would not be.

(5) (15 分) Suppose that a Riemannian manifold has section curvatures of both $+1$ and 1 at a point p : Prove there exist a (2-dimensional) tangent plane at p that has zero sectional curvature.

(6) (5分 + 10 分) Let $X = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbf{R}^3 | x^3 + xyz + y^2 = 1\}$.

(a) Show that X is a 2-manifold.

(b) Consider the map $\pi : X \mapsto \mathbf{R}^2$ taking (x, y, z) to (x, y) . Find all points of X at which π fails to be a local diffeomorphism.