

“HOMEWORK”

The following facts will be needed for the exam.

- (1) Let U and V be open subsets of \mathbb{R}^m and \mathbb{R}^k , respectively. Let $\varphi : U \rightarrow V$ be a smooth map. Let α and β be two differential forms defined on V . Show that

$$\varphi^*(\alpha \wedge \beta) = (\varphi^*\alpha) \wedge (\varphi^*\beta).$$

- (2) Let M be a manifold in U . If $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \beta_1$, and β_2 are differential forms such that

$$\alpha_1 \Big|_{(T_x M)^k} = \alpha_2 \Big|_{(T_x M)^k} \quad \text{and} \quad \beta_1 \Big|_{(T_x M)^m} = \beta_2 \Big|_{(T_x M)^m}$$

for all x in M . Show that $\alpha_1 \wedge \beta_1 \Big|_{(T_x M)^{k+m}} = \alpha_2 \wedge \beta_2 \Big|_{(T_x M)^{k+m}}$ for all x in M .

- (3) Let α and β be a k -form and m -form, respectively, on a manifold M . Show that $\alpha \wedge \beta = (-1)^{km} \beta \wedge \alpha$ and $d(\alpha \wedge \beta) = (d\alpha) \wedge \beta + (-1)^k \alpha \wedge d\beta$.
- (4) Let α, β , and γ be differential forms on M . Show that $(\alpha \wedge \beta) \wedge \gamma = \alpha \wedge (\beta \wedge \gamma)$.
- (5) Let $f : M \rightarrow N$ be a smooth map. Show that $d(f^*\alpha) = f^*d\alpha$ and $f^*(\alpha \wedge \beta) = f^*\alpha \wedge f^*\beta$.
- (6) Definition of integral on manifolds and Stokes' theorem.