

## Morse-Sard Theorem, Immersions and Embeddings

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**Exercise 1.** 1. Show that every immersed  $n$ -manifold (that is a manifold of dimension  $n > 0$ ) of  $\mathbb{R}^n$  is parallelizable.

2. Is it possible to immerse a compact  $n$ -manifold in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ ?
3. What is the minimal number of charts an atlas of  $\mathbb{S}^n$  can have?

**Exercise 2** (Veronese embedding). Recall that the projective space  $\mathbb{R}\mathbb{P}^n$  is the quotient of  $\mathbb{R}^{n+1} \setminus \{0\}$  by equivalence relation "being in the same vector line". If  $x = (x_0, \dots, x_n)$  is an element of  $\mathbb{R}^{n+1} \setminus \{0\}$ , we denote by  $[x_0 : \dots : x_n]$  its projection in  $\mathbb{R}\mathbb{P}^n$ . Let  $h : \mathbb{R}\mathbb{P}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}\mathbb{P}^5$  be the map defined by  $h([x : y : z]) = [x^2 : y^2 : z^2 : xy : yz : zx]$ .

1. Prove that  $h$  is well defined.
2. Prove that  $h$  is an embedding.

**Exercise 3.** Let  $M$  be a submanifold of  $\mathbb{R}^n$  of dimension  $m$  with  $2m < n$ .

1. Show that for all  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists  $v \in \mathbb{R}^n$  with  $\|v\| < \varepsilon$  such that  $(M + v) \cap M = \emptyset$ .
2. (*Bonus*) What if  $n \leq 2m$ ?

**Exercise 4.** Let  $M$  be a manifold, and  $V$  be a linear subspace of  $\mathcal{C}^\infty(M)$  that contains the constant maps.

1. Prove that  $\Sigma = \{(f, x) \in V \times M \mid f(x) = 0\}$  is a hypersurface of  $V \times M$ , and describe  $T_{(f,x)}\Sigma$ .
2. In this question,  $M = \mathbb{R}$ .
  - (a) Let  $(f, x) \in \Sigma$  such that  $f'(x) \neq 0$ . Show that there exists  $U$  and  $V$ , open neighborhoods of  $f$  and  $x$  and a smooth map  $\varphi : U \rightarrow V$  such that  $\varphi(f) = x$  and  $g(\varphi(g)) = 0$  for all  $g \in U$ .
  - (b) Deduce that the simple roots of a polynomial map in  $\mathbb{R}_d[X]$  are smooth maps of the coefficients.
  - (c) (*Bonus*) What happens for the multiple roots?
3. Let  $p_V$  and  $p_M$  be the projections from  $\Sigma$  to  $V$  and  $M$ .
  - (a) Show that  $p_M$  is a submersion.
  - (b) Find the critical points of  $p_V$  as well as its critical values.
  - (c) Show that the set of  $f \in V$  such that  $f^{-1}(0)$  is a hypersurface of  $M$  has full measure.