

In the example on  $P_2$ ,  $B = \{B(x, \frac{1}{m}) \mid x \in \mathbb{Q}^n, m \in \mathbb{N}\}$

Let us define a half-space:

$$H^n := \{(x_1, \dots, x_n) \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid x_n \geq 0\}$$

$$\partial H^n := \{(x_1, \dots, x_n) \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid x_n = 0\} \text{ for the boundary.}$$

Def. a TOPOLOGICAL MANIFOLD of dimension  $n$  with a boundary

is a Hausdorff second-countable topological space  $M$

with each point  $p \in M$  having a neighborhood  $V$

either homomorphic to an open subset of  $H^n \setminus \partial H^n$

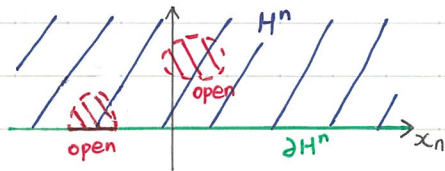
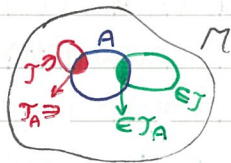
or to an open subset of  $H^n$  with the image of  $p$  inside  $\partial H^n$ .

**Remark:** If  $(M, \mathcal{J})$  is a topo. space <sup>and</sup> if  $A \subset M$ .

Then the topology on  $A$  is given by  $\mathcal{J}_A := \{V \cap A \mid V \in \mathcal{J}\}$

(called RELATIVE or SUBSPACE TOPOLOGY)

⚠ An open set for  $A$  (in  $\mathcal{J}_A$ ) is not always an open set for  $M$  (in  $\mathcal{J}$ ).



## I.2 Smooth manifolds & Smooth maps

Def. a SMOOTH (or  $C^\infty$ ) MANIFOLD  $M$  is a topo. manifold together with a family of homeomorphisms

$$\varphi_\alpha : \mathbb{R}^n \supset U_\alpha \xrightarrow{\text{open}} M \text{ s.t.}$$

1)  $\bigcup_\alpha \varphi_\alpha(U_\alpha) = M$

2) If  $\varphi_\alpha(U_\alpha) \cap \varphi_\beta(U_\beta) =: V_{\alpha\beta} \neq \emptyset$  then

$$\begin{cases} \varphi_\beta^{-1} \circ \varphi_\alpha : \varphi_\alpha^{-1}(V_{\alpha\beta}) \rightarrow \varphi_\beta^{-1}(V_{\alpha\beta}) \\ \varphi_\alpha^{-1} \circ \varphi_\beta : \varphi_\beta^{-1}(V_{\alpha\beta}) \rightarrow \varphi_\alpha^{-1}(V_{\alpha\beta}) \end{cases} \quad (\text{TRANSITION FUNCTIONS})$$

are  $C^\infty$  (from a subset of  $\mathbb{R}^n$  to a subset of  $\mathbb{R}^n$ ).

3) The family  $\mathcal{A} = \{(U_\alpha, \varphi_\alpha)\}_\alpha$  is maximal.

$\mathcal{A}$  is called a  $C^\infty$  MAXIMAL ATLAS.

3) 1) & 2)

MAXIMAL: If  $\varphi : U \xrightarrow{C^\infty, \text{open}} M$  satisfies  $\varphi^{-1} \circ \varphi_\alpha$  and  $\varphi_\alpha^{-1} \circ \varphi$  (whenever defined) is smooth then  $(U, \varphi) \in \mathcal{A}$ .

Remark: it is often easy to describe an atlas, but not the maximal one.

• A topological manifold can be endowed with different inequivalent maximal atlases. (see the  $P_i$  on today's handout) (very deep)

INEQUIVALENT: take 2 max atlases, if the union is not an atlas (some transition functions are not  $C^\infty$ ) then the 2 atlases are not equivalent.

### Exercises

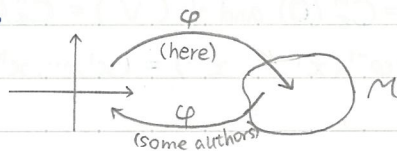
1) Provide an example of smooth manifolds with an atlas.

(n-sphere, group of matrices, Lie groups, real projective space  $P(\mathbb{R}^n)$ , etc)

2) Show the uniqueness of the maximal atlas.   
 *starting from a certain atlas*

3) Look at inequivalent atlases on n-sphere.

differential structure



Remark:

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2) For  $(U, \varphi) \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $p \in \varphi(U) \subset M$ , we set

$$\varphi^{-1}(p) =: (x^1(p), x^2(p), \dots, x^n(p)) =$$

and call it a LOCAL COORDINATE of  $p$ . It means

$$\varphi^{-1}(\cdot) =: (x^1(\cdot), x^2(\cdot), \dots, x^n(\cdot)) \quad (\text{a CHART or a LOCAL COORDINATE FUNCTION})$$

is an homeomorphism from an open subset of  $M$  to an open subset of  $\mathbb{R}^n$ .

Def: Let  $M, N$  be smooth manifolds of dim  $m$  and  $n$  respectively.

A map  $f: M \rightarrow N$  is a SMOOTH MAP if

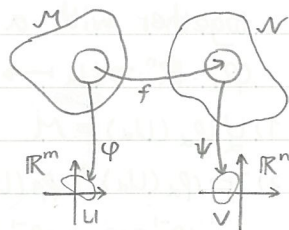
$\forall$  charts  $(U, \varphi)$  of  $M$  and  $(V, \psi)$  of  $N$ :

$\psi \circ f \circ \varphi^{-1}$  is smooth wherever defined.

The function  $\psi \circ f \circ \varphi^{-1}$  is called a LOCAL REPRESENTATION

We set  $C^\infty(M, N) :=$  the set of such smooth functions of  $f$ .

and  $C^\infty(M) := C^\infty(M, \mathbb{R})$ .



Def. If  $f \in C^\infty(M, N)$  is bijective and if  $f^{-1} \in C^\infty(N, M)$ , we call  $f$  a DIFFEOMORPHISM.

Remark: a diffeomorphism is also a homeomorphism.

• A map  $f: M \rightarrow N$  is a LOCAL DIFFEOMORPHISM at  $p \in M$  if

$\exists V \in \mathcal{V}_p$  and  $W \in \mathcal{V}_{f(p)} : f|_V : V \rightarrow W$  is a diffeomorphism.

Def. Let  $f: M \rightarrow N$  be a smooth function and let  $(U, \varphi), (V, \psi)$  be charts of  $M$  &  $N$  respectively,

For  $p \in M$ , the RANK of  $f$  at  $p$  ( $:= \text{rank}(f)_p$ ) corresponds to

the rank of the Jacobian matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial x_1} & \dots & \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial x_m} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial F_n}{\partial x_1} & \dots & \frac{\partial F_n}{\partial x_m} \end{pmatrix} (\varphi(p)) \quad \text{with } F := \psi \circ f \circ \varphi^{-1}$$

This rank is independent of the charts.

Thm. (not so easy) Framework as before. (Constant rank thm)

Suppose that  $\text{rank}(f)_p = k \quad \forall p \in M$ , with  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then

$\forall p \in M \exists (U, \varphi), (V, \psi)$  charts of  $M, N$  respectively s.t.

- $\varphi(p) = \mathbf{0} \in \mathbb{R}^m$  and  $\psi(f(p)) = \mathbf{0} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ ;  $\leftarrow$  Cube in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  centered at  $\mathbf{0}$
- $\varphi(U) = C_\varepsilon^m(\mathbf{0})$  and  $\psi(V) = C_\varepsilon^n(\mathbf{0}) \exists \varepsilon > 0$ ; and with  $x^i \in (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)$
- $\psi \circ f \circ \varphi^{-1}(x^1, \dots, x^m) = (x^1, \dots, x^k, \underbrace{0, \dots, 0}_{n-k})$