

Thm: (M^n, g) closed Riem. mfd. $R_g: \Lambda^2 TM \rightarrow \Lambda^2 TM$ (symmetric linear transform)
 (orientable)

If $R_g \geq 0$, then any harmonic form is parallel.

If $(R_g > 0)$, then any harmonic p -form vanishes for $p=1, \dots, n-1$.
 ($b_p(M) = 0, 1 \leq p \leq n-1$)

Pf: Derive the Weitzenböck formula: $\forall \omega \in \Omega^p(X)$

$$\Delta \omega = \nabla^* \nabla \omega + \frac{1}{4} \sum_{i,j} [\theta^i \cdot \theta^j, R(e_i, e_j) \omega]$$

$\{e_i\}$ o.n. frames
 $\{\theta^i\}$ dual basis
 Clifford multiplication.

$$(\Delta \omega, \omega)_g = (\nabla^* \nabla \omega, \omega)_g + \frac{1}{4} \sum ([\theta^i \cdot \theta^j, R(e_i, e_j) \omega], \omega)_g$$

// $\text{ad}_{\theta^i \cdot \theta^j}(R(e_i, e_j) \omega)$

$$- \frac{1}{4} \sum ([R(e_i, e_j) \omega], \text{ad}_{\theta^i \cdot \theta^j}(\omega))_g$$

$$- \frac{1}{4} \sum ([R(e_i, e_j) e_k, e_l] \text{ad}_{\theta^k \cdot \theta^l}(\omega), \text{ad}_{\theta^i \cdot \theta^j}(\omega))_g$$

$$\frac{1}{4} \sum ([R(e_i, e_j), e_k e_l] \text{ad}_{\theta^k \cdot \theta^l}(\omega), \text{ad}_{\theta^i \cdot \theta^j}(\omega))_g$$

$$\frac{1}{4} \sum_{\alpha=1}^{\binom{n}{2}} \lambda_\alpha \|\omega_\alpha\|^2$$

$\{e_i, e_j\}$ o.n.b. for $\Lambda^2 TM \rightsquigarrow$ o.n.b. for $\Lambda^2 TM$ s.t. $R(\omega_\alpha) = \lambda_\alpha \omega_\alpha$.
 $\{\theta^i \cdot \theta^j\}$ dual basis for $\Lambda^2 T^*M$ and dual basis $\{\omega_\alpha\}$

$$((R(X \wedge Y), z \wedge w)_g = (R(X, Y)w, z) = -(R(X, Y)z, w)_g)$$

$$R \geq 0 \iff \lambda_\alpha \geq 0 \quad \alpha=1, \dots, \binom{n}{2}.$$

(> 0) ($\lambda_\alpha > 0$)

$$\int_M \underbrace{(\Delta \omega, \omega)}_{\omega \text{ harmonic}} d\text{vol} = \underbrace{\int_M (\nabla^* \nabla \omega, \omega)}_{\int_M \|\nabla \omega\|^2 d\text{vol}} + \frac{1}{4} \int_M \sum_{\alpha} \lambda_{\alpha} \|[\Theta_{\alpha}, \omega]\|^2$$

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 $(\omega, \nabla \omega)$

$$\lambda_{\alpha} \geq 0 \quad \forall \alpha \Rightarrow \nabla \omega = 0, \quad \sum_{\alpha} \lambda_{\alpha} \|[\Theta_{\alpha}, \omega]\|^2 = 0.$$

ω parallel

$$\lambda_{\alpha} > 0 \quad \forall \alpha \Rightarrow \nabla \omega = 0, \quad [\Theta_{\alpha}, \omega] = 0, \quad \forall \alpha \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \{\Theta_{\alpha}\} \text{ basis for} \\ \Lambda^2 T^*M \end{array} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \omega \cdot \theta^j &= (-1)^j (\theta^j \wedge \omega + l_{e_j} \omega) \\ \theta^i \cdot \omega &= \theta^i \wedge \omega - l_{e_j} \omega \end{aligned}$$

$$[\theta^i \cdot \theta^j, \omega] = 0, \quad \forall i < j \in n.$$

$$\omega = \sum_{i_1 < \dots < i_p} \omega_{i_1, \dots, i_p} \theta^{i_1} \wedge \dots \wedge \theta^{i_p}$$

$$\Downarrow \text{p-form with } |I| \leq p \leq n-1$$

$$\omega = 0.$$

$$[\theta^i \cdot \theta^j, \theta^{i_1} \wedge \dots \wedge \theta^{i_p}] = \begin{cases} 0 & i, j \notin \{i_1, \dots, i_p\} \\ 0 & i, j \in \{i_1, \dots, i_p\} \\ \pm 2 \theta^i \cdot \theta^j \cdot \theta^I & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$i \in I \text{ and } j \notin I$
 or $j \in I \text{ and } i \notin I$

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} l_{e_j} \theta^i = \delta_{ij} \quad l_{e_j}(\omega \wedge \eta) = (l_{e_j} \omega) \wedge \eta + (-1)^{\deg \omega} \omega \wedge l_{e_j} \eta \\ (l_{v_i} \omega)(v_1, \dots, v_{p-1}) = \omega(v_1, v_1, \dots, v_{p-1}) \end{array} \right)$$

(p-1)-form

$$\theta^i \cdot \theta^j \cdot \theta^I = \theta^i \cdot (\theta^j \wedge \theta^I - l_{e_j} \theta^I) = \theta^i \cdot \theta^j \wedge \theta^I - \theta^i \cdot l_{e_j} \theta^I$$

$$= \theta^i \wedge \theta^j \wedge \theta^I - \theta^i \cdot l_{e_j} \theta^I$$

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Special case: • If $\frac{Rc \geq 0}{Rc > 0}$. Then harmonic 1-form is parallel
 harmonic 1-form vanish $\Rightarrow b_1(M) = 0$.

• Thm (Bochner) Assume $Rc \leq 0$ on cpt. oriented.

Then every Killing vector field is parallel.

If $Rc < 0$, then every Killing vector field vanishes. \Rightarrow no continuous family of geometries.

Def A vector field X is a Killing vector field if $\mathcal{L}_X g = 0$.

(\Leftrightarrow If $\sigma(t) = \exp(tX)$ 1-psg. generated by X , then $\sigma(t)^*g = g$)
 i.e. $\sigma(t)$ is an isometry.

Lemma: X is Killing $\Leftrightarrow \nabla X : TM \rightarrow TM$ is skew-symmetric
 $\downarrow \quad \downarrow$
 $V \mapsto \nabla_V X$

$$\underbrace{(\nabla_V X, W)}_{\nabla X(V)} = - \underbrace{(V, \nabla_W X)}_{\nabla X(W)}$$

Pf: X Killing $\Leftrightarrow (\mathcal{L}_X g)(V, W) = 0 \quad \forall V, W \in TM$

$$\mathcal{L}_X(g(V, W)) = g(\mathcal{L}_X V, W) + g(V, \mathcal{L}_X W)$$

$$X(V, W) = ([X, V], W) + (V, [X, W])$$

$$(\nabla_X V, W) + (V, \nabla_X W) - ((\nabla_X V - \nabla_V X, W)) - ((V, \nabla_X W - \nabla_W X))$$

$$(\nabla_V X, W) + (V, \nabla_W X) = 0 \quad \forall V, W \in TM.$$

$$(\nabla X)(V, W) + (V, (\nabla X)(W)) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \nabla X : TM \rightarrow TM \text{ is skew-symmetric.}$$

Lemma: X is Killing. Set $f = \frac{1}{2}|X|^2$. Then

$$\Delta f = \Delta\left(\frac{1}{2}|X|_g^2\right) = |\nabla X|_g^2 - \text{Ric}(X, X)$$

$(\nabla X: TM \rightarrow TM)$

More generally, $\text{Hess} f(V, V) = |\nabla V X|^2 - R(V, X, X, V) \cdot \forall V \in TM$

$$\sum_i \text{Hess} f(e_i, e_i) \stackrel{||}{=} \sum_i |\nabla_{e_i} X|^2 - \sum_i R(e_i, X, X, e_i) \stackrel{||}{=} |\nabla X|^2 - \text{Ric}(X, X)$$

pf: $\text{Hess} f(V, W) = (\nabla df)(V, W) = (\nabla_V df)(W)$
 $= V(df(W)) - df(\nabla_V W)$
 $= V(\nabla f, W)_g - (\nabla f, \nabla_V W)_g = \nabla_V \nabla f, W$

$$\begin{aligned} (\nabla f, W) &= df(W) = W\left(\frac{1}{2}|X|^2\right) = W\left(\frac{1}{2}(X, X)\right)_g \\ &= \underbrace{(\nabla_W X, X)}_{(\nabla X)(W)} = -(\nabla_X X, W) \end{aligned} \Rightarrow \nabla f = -\nabla_X X$$

$(\nabla_V X - \nabla_X V, \nabla_V X)$
 $([V, X], \nabla_V X)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Hess} f(V, V) &= (\nabla_V (-\nabla_X X), V) \\ &= -(\nabla_V \nabla_X X - \nabla_X \nabla_V X - \nabla_{[V, X]} X, V) - (\nabla_X \nabla_V X, V) - (\nabla_{[V, X]} X, V) \\ &= -(\underbrace{R(V, X)X, V}_{||} + |\nabla V X|^2) + \underbrace{(-(\nabla_X \nabla_V X, V) - (\nabla_X V, \nabla_V X))}_{||} \\ &= -X(\underbrace{(\nabla_V X, V)}_{||}) \stackrel{||}{=} -(\nabla_X(V), V) = 0 \quad \blacksquare \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_M \Delta \left(\frac{1}{2} |X|^2 \right) = \int_M |\nabla X|^2 - \int_M \text{Ric}(X, X) \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \nabla X \equiv 0 \\ \text{Ric}(X, X) \equiv 0 \end{cases}$$

$\int_M \Delta \left(\frac{1}{2} |X|^2 \right) \xrightarrow{\text{Stokes}} \int_{\partial M} \left(\frac{1}{2} |X|^2 \right) \xrightarrow{\partial M = \emptyset} 0$

$\Rightarrow X$ parallel

if $\text{Ric} < 0$, then $X \equiv 0$.

Rank: $\boxed{\text{isom}(M, g) \parallel \{ \text{killing vector fields} \}} = \text{Lie algebra of } \boxed{\text{Isom}(M, g)}$

X, Y killing $\Rightarrow [X, Y]$ is killing

Fact: This is a Lie gp. $\rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \sigma: M \rightarrow M \text{ diffeomorphism} \\ \sigma^*g = g \end{array} \right\}$

if M cpt. then $\text{Isom}(g)$ is cpt.

Fact: If M is closed, then any vector field X generate a 1 psg: $\{ \sigma(t), t \in \mathbb{R} \}$ $\sigma: (-\infty, +\infty) \rightarrow \text{Diff}(M)$

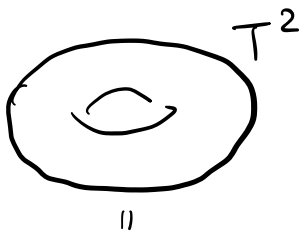
$$\left(\begin{array}{l} \frac{d}{dt}(\sigma(t) \cdot P) = X(\sigma(t) \cdot P) \quad \forall P \in M \\ \sigma(0) \cdot P = P \end{array} \right)$$

Ex:



$$\text{Isom}(S^n, g_{\text{round}}) = O(n+1)$$

$$\text{Isom}(S^n, g_{\text{round}}) = so(n+1) \quad \dim = \frac{(n+1)n}{2}$$



$$\text{Isom}^+(T^2) \cong T^2$$



$\Rightarrow \text{Isom}(\Sigma_g)$ finite.

Gauss curv. = $R_{sc} < 0$

Thm: Fix any PEM. Then any Killing field X is

determined by $(X(p), \nabla X|_p) \in T_p M \times so(T_p M)$

$\nabla X: T_p M \rightarrow T_p M$ skew-symmetric.

$so(T_p M) = \{ \text{skew symmetric linear transf.} \}$

An injective map:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \Rightarrow \text{Isom}(M, g) & \hookrightarrow & T_p M \times so(T_p M) \\ \downarrow \psi & & \downarrow \\ X & \longmapsto & (X(p), \nabla X|_{T_p M}) \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow \dim \text{Isom}(M, g) \leq n + \frac{n(n-1)}{2} = \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \quad \text{"=" holds for } (S^n, g_{\text{round}})$$