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Hello!



Reminder

- might hold lectures next week at usual times.
- HW 2: 1-2 page of math! details last time.
aim for doing it by Wednesday.

References for proper gp actions:

→ John Lee "Intro to smooth manifolds"

→ Appendix B to Ginzburg-Guillemin-Karshon.

Recall.

$G \times M$ proper means:

$G \times M \xrightarrow{\quad} M \times M$ is a proper map

$(a, m) \xrightarrow{\quad} (a \cdot m, m)$

If G is compact, $G \times M \xrightarrow{\quad} M$ is proper.

$(a, m) \xrightarrow{\quad} a \cdot m$

hence $G \times M$ is proper.

Exercise : $G \times M$ proper

Then orbits are closed and M/G is Hausdorff.

(see GGK appendix B).

Principal bundles

G, H Lie group.

a (right) principal H -bundle over a mfld M is

- a mfld P
- a map $\pi: P \rightarrow M$
- a right H -action on P st.

→ the H -orbits are the π -fibres

→ for each point in M ∃ open nbhd U & diffeo

$$P|_U := \pi^{-1}(U) \xrightarrow{\quad} U \times H$$

$\pi \searrow \qquad \swarrow \text{projection}$

st.

the diagram commutes

and the diffeo intertwines the given H -action on $\pi^{-1}(U)$
with the right-multiplication H -action on $U \times H$.

A (left) G -equivariant principal H -bundle is

$$\begin{array}{ccc} P & \xrightarrow{\quad} & U \times H \\ \pi \downarrow & & \swarrow \text{projection} \\ M & & \end{array}$$

as above

and a (left) G -action on P

that commutes w/ the principal H -action
(hence descends to a G -action on M) .

Note. If $P \times H$ is a principal H -bundle

$$\begin{array}{ccc} P \times H & & \\ \pi \downarrow & & \\ M & & \end{array}$$

and $\sigma: M \rightarrow P$ is a smooth section
i.e. $\pi \circ \sigma = \text{Id}_M$

Then

$$\begin{array}{ccc} M \times H & \xrightarrow{\quad} & P \\ (m, a) & \longmapsto & \sigma(m) \cdot a \\ \text{projection} & & \pi \\ & \searrow & \swarrow \\ & M & \end{array}$$

is an H -equivariant diffeomorphism
& the diagram commutes.

(The main point is to show that the inverse is smooth)

Example. Let $P \times H$ be a principal H -bundle

$$\begin{array}{c} \pi \downarrow \\ M \end{array}$$

and let Z be the centre of H .

Let Z act on P by the restriction of the H -action.
Because Z is abelian, this is also a left action,

and $Z \times P \times H$ is a Z -equivariant
principal H -bundle.

Warning the left H -action on P given by

$$a: p \mapsto p \cdot \bar{a}^{-1}$$

does not commute w/ the principal H -action
if H was not abelian.

Example. Let G be a lie group
and H a closed subgroup. Then
 $\exists!$ mfld str on G/H st. $G \xrightarrow{\quad} G/H$ is a submersion.

Moreover,

$$\begin{array}{ccc} G & \xrightarrow{\quad} & G \times H \\ & & \downarrow \\ & & G/H \end{array}$$

is a G -equivariant principal H -bundle.

proof.

exercise: $G \times H$ is a proper action.
So G/H is Hausdorff.

Also, because G is 2nd countable,
 G/H is also 2nd countable.

we claim that each coset in G/H has an ^{right}
H-inot open nbhd
in G that is H -equivariantly diffeomorphic to $U \times H$
where $U \subset \mathbb{R}^k$ (for $k = \text{codim of } H \text{ in } G$)

This implies that G/H is a mfld
and $G \xrightarrow{\quad} G/H$ is a principal H -bundle.

proof of the claim: decompose $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{h} \oplus m$

as vector spaces.

Define

$$\begin{aligned} \psi: M \times H &\longrightarrow G && \text{is smooth \&} \\ (y, a) &\longmapsto \exp(y) \cdot a && \text{right } H\text{-equivariant} \end{aligned}$$

Note. $d\psi_{(0,1)} : M \oplus \mathbb{H} \longrightarrow G$
is the identity map.

H-equivariance & Implicit Function Thm

$\Rightarrow d\psi$ is a linear iso
at each pt of $\mathbb{H} \times H$
and ψ restricts to a local diffeo *(in particular locally one-to-one)*

$$\psi : D \times H \longrightarrow G$$

for some nbhd D of 0 in M .

claim. after possibly shrinking D , ψ is one-to-one
hence a diffeo as required.

Indeed:

otherwise $\exists (u_n, a_n) \neq (v_n, b_n) \in M \times H$ s.t.

$$u_n, v_n \longrightarrow 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \exp(u_n) \cdot a_n = \exp(v_n) \cdot b_n.$$

Let $c_n = a_n b_n^{-1}$. Then $\exp(u_n) \cdot c_n = \exp(v_n)$.

$$c_n = (\exp(u_n))^{-1} \cdot \exp(v_n) \xrightarrow{\text{b/c } u_n, v_n \rightarrow 0} 1$$

$$u_n \longrightarrow 0$$

$$\text{So } (u_n, c_n) \neq (v_n, 1), \quad \psi(u_n, c_n) = \psi(v_n, 1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} (u_n, c_n) &\longrightarrow (0, 1) \\ (v_n, 1) &\longrightarrow (0, 1). \end{aligned}$$

contradicting the fact that ψ is a local diffeo
near $(0, 1)$.

We found $D \subset \text{open } m \cong \mathbb{R}^k$ and a right H -eq. diffeo

$$D \times H \xrightarrow{\quad} \text{open nbhd of } H \text{ in } G.$$

left translation by $a \in G$ gives a right H -eq. diffeo

$$D \times H \xrightarrow{\quad} \text{open nbhd of } g \cdot H \text{ in } G$$

Vector bundles

a rank k v. bundle over a md M is

- a md E
- a map $\pi: E \rightarrow M$
- a str. of a v. space
on each fibre of E

s.t. for each pt in M \exists open md U
and \exists diffeo

$$E|_U := \pi^{-1}(U) \xrightarrow{\quad} U \times \mathbb{R}^k$$

projection

s.t. the diagram commutes
and the diffeo restricts to a linear isomorphism
on each fibre.

associated bundle

Given a G -equivariant principal right H -bundle

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} G & \times & P & \xrightarrow{\quad g \quad} & H \\ & & \pi \downarrow & & \\ & & M & & \end{array}$$

and a linear H -repr. $H \curvearrowright W \cong \mathbb{R}^n$

The corresponding associated bundle is

$$E = P \times_H W := \frac{P \times W}{H}$$

where $a \in H$ acts on $P \times W$ by $(p, w) \mapsto (p \cdot \bar{a}, a \cdot w)$

with the map $\tilde{\pi}_E : E \longrightarrow M$
 $[p, w] \longmapsto \pi(p)$

and ~~the~~ fibrewise vector space structure
 induced from W .

Each local trivialization of P , $\tilde{\pi}^{-1}(U) \cong U \times H$
 gives a local trivialization of E :

$$\tilde{\pi}_E^{-1}(U) \cong (U \times H) \times_H W \cong U \times W$$

Elaboration & Fixing of Statement
from last time

of $H \otimes M$ compact

(each component of)
Then $\lambda M^H \subset M$ is a submd.

If M is oriented & H preserves orientation
then components of M^H cannot have codimension 1.

Non Example.

$\mathbb{Z}_2 \otimes \mathbb{R}$

$x \mapsto -x$

The fixed point set has codim = 1 (not ≥ 2)

Proof: by local linearization, assume

$H \subset V$, V oriented
linear H preserves orientation.

$V^H \subset V$ is a
subvector space.
set of $\underbrace{v_H}_{\text{H-fixed vectors}}$ hence a subfld.

and $H \subset \frac{V}{V^H}$ preserves orientation

w/out nontrivial fixed subspace.

If $\text{codim } V^H = 1$ then $H \subset \mathbb{R}$

$\underbrace{H}_{\text{compact}}$ & preserves orientation.

H compact \Rightarrow must act by ± 1 .

\Rightarrow cannot preserve orientation

Since each component of M^H that has $\text{codim} = 0$
is a component of M ,

if M is connected and $H \cap M$ is nontrivial
& preserves orientation,

then each component of M^H has $\text{codim} \geq 2$.

Let M be a mfld
& let N be a set
& let $\pi: M \rightarrow N$ be a surjective map.
Suppose that \exists a mfld str on N st.
 π is a submersion.
Then such a structure is unique.

Indeed, for each map $f: N \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
 f is smooth $\Leftrightarrow f \circ \pi: M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is smooth.
 \Rightarrow by smoothness of π
 \Leftarrow b/c π is onto
& by the "submersion thm".