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Symmetric, antisymmetric tensors.

$$T_{AB} = \frac{1}{2} (T_{AB} + T_{BA}) + \frac{1}{2} (T_{AB} - T_{BA}) = T_{(AB)} + T_{[AB]}$$

(3d) $\frac{3 \times 3 = 9}{2}$ $\frac{3 \times 2 = 3}{2}$ $\frac{3 \times 2 + 3 = 6}{2}$ $\frac{u(u-v)}{2} + \frac{-u(u+v)}{2}$

(4d) $\frac{4 \times 4 = 16}{2}$ $\frac{4 \times 3 = 6}{2}$ $\frac{4 \times 3 + 4 = 16}{2}$ $\frac{u(u-v)}{2} + \frac{-u(u+v)}{2}$

$$T_{AB} \neq T_{(AB)} + T_{[AB]}$$

(4d) $\begin{matrix} u_1 & 4 \\ u_2 & 4 \cdot 3 = 12 \\ 123 & 4 \end{matrix}$ $\frac{20}{2}$ $123 = \frac{4}{2}$

$4^3 = 64$

$$\eta'_{AB} = \Lambda^{\mu}_A \Lambda^{\nu}_B \eta_{\mu\nu} = \eta_{AB} \quad \text{by construction}$$

$\frac{4 \times 4}{2}$ $\frac{4 \times 4}{2}$

$\tilde{\epsilon}_{0123} = +1$ Carroll (1.68) u, v, w, \dots

$$\epsilon'_{ABCD} = \Lambda^{\mu}_A \Lambda^{\nu}_B \Lambda^{\rho}_C \Lambda^{\sigma}_D \epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}$$

$$= (\det \Lambda) \times (-1)^P = (\det \Lambda) \cdot \epsilon_{ABCD}$$

proper. $\epsilon' = \epsilon$

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Dual (Hodge dual)

$$\underline{V}_a \rightarrow *V_{aB\gamma} = \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho} V_\mu$$

(1, 2, 3)

$$\underline{V}_{\alpha\beta\gamma} \rightarrow *V_\alpha = \frac{1}{6} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho} V_{\mu\nu\rho}$$

$$\underline{V}_{\alpha\beta} \rightarrow *V_{\alpha\beta} = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon^{\mu\nu} V_{\mu\nu} \quad (n \leftrightarrow n-p)$$

\uparrow $\left(\frac{1}{p!} \right)$ (Symmetric)

$$*(* A) = (-1)^s (-1)^{p(n-p)}$$

$$*(* V_a) = \frac{1}{6} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho} \underbrace{(\epsilon^{\alpha\beta\gamma} V_\alpha)}_{6 \delta_a^{\mu\nu\rho}}$$

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p-forms (differential forms)

Antisymmetric $(0, p)$ tensors.

$$\alpha_{\mu_1 \dots \mu_p} = \alpha[\mu_1, \dots, \mu_p]$$

$$\alpha = \frac{1}{p!} \alpha_{\mu_1 \dots \mu_p} \tilde{\omega}^{\mu_1} \wedge \dots \wedge \tilde{\omega}^{\mu_p}$$

antisymmetrized outer product.

$$= \alpha_{[\mu_1 \dots \mu_p]} \tilde{\omega}^{\mu_1} \wedge \dots \wedge \tilde{\omega}^{\mu_p} \quad (\mu_1 < \mu_2 < \dots < \mu_p)$$

$$\tilde{\omega}^{\mu_1} \wedge \tilde{\omega}^{\mu_2} = (-1)^{\mu_1 \mu_2} \tilde{\omega}^{\mu_2} \wedge \tilde{\omega}^{\mu_1}$$

\tilde{d} "exterior derivative" $\rightarrow +1$

$$\tilde{d}f = f_{, \mu} \tilde{\omega}^{\mu}$$

$$\tilde{d}(\tilde{\omega}^{\mu} \wedge \tilde{\omega}^{\nu}) = \tilde{d}\tilde{\omega}^{\mu} \wedge \tilde{\omega}^{\nu} + (-1)^{\mu} \tilde{\omega}^{\mu} \wedge \tilde{d}\tilde{\omega}^{\nu}$$

$$\tilde{d}(x^{\alpha}) = \frac{\partial x^{\alpha}}{\partial x^{\mu}} \tilde{\omega}^{\mu} = \delta^{\alpha}_{\mu} \tilde{\omega}^{\mu} = \tilde{\omega}^{\alpha}$$

$$\tilde{\omega}^{\alpha} = \tilde{d}(x^{\alpha})$$

$$\partial_{\mu} f = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x^{\mu}} \quad \partial_{\mu} x^{\alpha} = \delta^{\alpha}_{\mu}$$

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Carroll. (adapted) (2.73)

$$(\alpha \wedge \beta)_{\mu_1 \dots \mu_{p+q}} = \frac{(p+q)!}{p!q!} \alpha_{[\mu_1 \dots \mu_p} \beta_{\mu_{p+1} \dots \mu_{p+q}]}$$

$$d_{\mu}, \beta_{\nu} \rightarrow (\alpha \wedge \beta)_{\mu\nu} = 2 \alpha_{[\mu} \beta_{\nu]} = \alpha_{\mu} \beta_{\nu} - \alpha_{\nu} \beta_{\mu}$$

$$(d\alpha)_{\mu_1 \dots \mu_p} = (p+1) \alpha_{[\mu_1} d_{\mu_2 \dots \mu_p]}$$

$$\tilde{d}(\tilde{d}\alpha) \rightarrow \alpha_{[\mu_1 \dots \mu_p} \alpha_{\mu_{p+1} \dots \mu_{p+1}]} = 0 \quad \tilde{d}^2 = 0.$$

Theorem: $\tilde{d}\tilde{w} = 0 \Leftrightarrow \tilde{w} = \tilde{d}\tilde{f}$
 "exact"

$\tilde{F} = \tilde{d}A$
 $\tilde{d}\tilde{F} = 0$
 $\tilde{d}\tilde{F} = \tilde{w}$

Theorem (Stokes): $\int_{\Omega} d\omega = \int_{\partial\Omega} \omega$

$$\int_{\Omega} \tilde{d}\tilde{w} = \int_{\partial\Omega} \tilde{w} = \int_{\partial\Omega} \tilde{w} = 0$$

"Boundary of a boundary vanishes"

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$\vec{\nabla}\phi \rightarrow$ gradient.

$\vec{\nabla}d_{\mu} \rightarrow d_{\mu,\nu} - d_{\nu,\mu}$ curl.

$$\begin{aligned} dv_{ij} &\rightarrow v_{ij,k} + v_{jk,i} + v_{ki,j} \\ &\quad - v_{ik,j} - v_{kj,i} - v_{ji,k} \\ &= 2(v_{ij,k} + v_{jk,i} + v_{ki,j}) \end{aligned}$$

$*V_i = v_{23}$ etc.

$$\rightarrow (*v_k)_k + (*v_i)_i + (*v_j)_j$$

$$\rightarrow \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{V}$$

$$\int_a^b dx \frac{dF}{dx} = F(b) - F(a)$$

~~$$\int_{\partial a} \hat{n} \cdot (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v})$$~~
$$\int_S \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{a} = \int_{\partial a} \hat{n} \cdot (\vec{v} \times \vec{v})$$

$$\int_S \hat{n} \cdot \vec{v} = \int_V \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v}$$