

Same instructions as Mission 1. Thanks!

Problem 41 Suppose $T : V \times V \times V^* \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a multilinear map. If $\beta = \{e_1, \dots, e_n\}$ is basis for V and $\theta^1, \dots, \theta^n$ is the dual basis for V^* then find $C_{ij}^k \in \mathbb{R}$ for which $T = \sum_{i,j,k} C_{ij}^k \theta^i \otimes \theta^j \otimes v_k$.

Problem 42 Renteln Exercise 2.2 page 36. (contraction of symmetric and antisymmetric gives zero)

Problem 43 Renteln Exercise 2.5 page 41. ($\alpha \wedge \beta = (-1)^{|\alpha|} \beta \wedge \alpha$ see my notes for help)

Problem 44 Renteln Exercise 2.15 page 50. (Cartan's Lemma)

Problem 45 Renteln Exercise 2.17 page 50. (Hodge duality on \mathbb{R}^n with Euclidean metric)

Problem 46 Let $\omega_{\langle a,b,c \rangle} = ae^1 + be^2 + ce^3$ and $\Phi_{\langle a,b,c \rangle} = ae^2 \wedge e^3 + be^3 \wedge e^1 + ce^1 \wedge e^2$ notice the Hodge dual with respect to the Euclidean metric on \mathbb{R}^3 gives $\star \omega_{\langle a,b,c \rangle} = \Phi_{\langle a,b,c \rangle}$ and $\star 1 = e^1 \wedge e^2 \wedge e^3$ and $\star^2 = 1$. Calculate the following:

- (a.) $\omega_{\vec{A}} \wedge \omega_{\vec{B}}$ and write your answer in terms of Φ of a well-known vector product from Calculus III,
- (b.) $\star(\omega_{\vec{A}} \wedge \omega_{\vec{B}} \wedge \omega_{\vec{C}})$ and explain the geometric significance of this quantity which hopefully you saw in Calculus III.

Problem 47 Consider \mathbb{R}^4 and define $\omega_{\langle a,b,c,d \rangle} = ae^1 + be^2 + ce^3 + de^4$. Let \star denote the Hodge dual with respect to the Euclidean metric and define:

$$\vec{A} \times \vec{B} \times \vec{C} = \omega^{-1}(\star(\omega_{\vec{A}} \wedge \omega_{\vec{B}} \wedge \omega_{\vec{C}}))$$

for $\vec{A}, \vec{B}, \vec{C} \in \mathbb{R}^4$.

- (a.) Prove $\vec{A} \times \vec{B} \times \vec{C} \in \{\vec{A}, \vec{B}, \vec{C}\}^\perp$
- (b.) Given $\vec{A}, \vec{B}, \vec{C}$ are orthogonal, show $\|\vec{A} \times \vec{B} \times \vec{C}\| = \|\vec{A}\| \|\vec{B}\| \|\vec{C}\|$.
- (c.) Can you write a formula for this generalized cross-product using a nonsense determinant in remembrance of calculus III?

Problem 48 Let $\mathcal{I}(p, n)$ denote the set of all strictly increasing p -tuples of indices taken from $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$. Show that if $\beta = \{e_1, \dots, e_n\}$ is a basis for V then $\Lambda^p V$ has basis $\beta^p = \{e_I \mid I \in \mathcal{I}(p, n)\}$ where the **multi-index** notation $I = (i_1, \dots, i_p)$ implicits $e_I = e_{i_1} \wedge \dots \wedge e_{i_p}$.