DIFFERENTIAL TOPOLOGY PROBLEM SHEET 14

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Problem 1 (10, Gaussian curvature). Compute the Gaussian curvature at the point zero for the general paraboloid given by the equation $Z = aX^2 + bXY + cY^2$ where a, b, c are real numbers.

Problem 2 (10, Euler characteristic). Let M^m , N^m for $m \ge 1$ be two closed connected manifolds. Compute the Euler characteristic of their connected sum in terms of their own Euler characteristic.

Problem 3 (10, transition function). Show that for any vector bundle for any two vector bundle charts with non-empty overlap the transition function is continuous.

Problem 4 (10, line bundles on \mathbb{R}). Find up to isomorphism all line bundles on \mathbb{R} .

Date: Please hand in before the lecture by 28th of May 2023. For all exercises the results need to be proven using results from this lecture and the lectures before, provided you give a reference.