

- Notes:
- In def 1, a tangent vector is represented by a curve γ . We usually write $\gamma'(0)$ for the tangent vector $[\gamma]$ for simplicity.
(independent of chart !)
 - In def 2, the "same" tangent vector will be represented in a chart (U, ϕ) by a vector $u \in \mathbb{R}^n$.
 - Def 1 \Leftrightarrow Def 2 by taking $u = (\phi \circ \gamma)'(0)$.

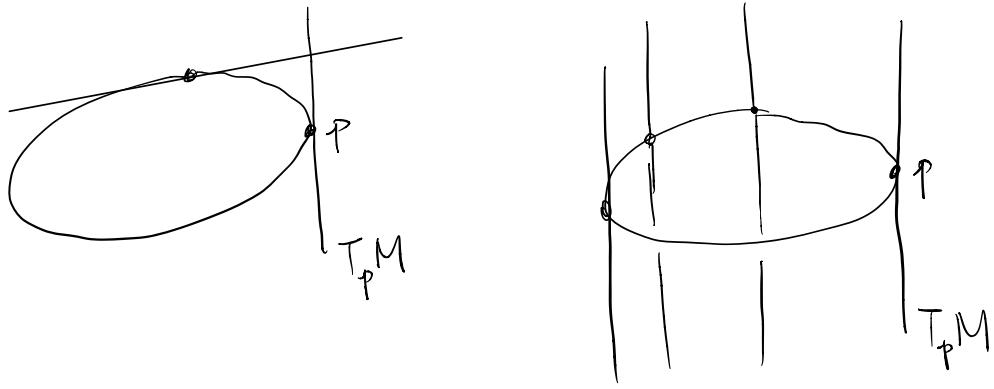
Notation: The set of tangent vectors to M at p is denoted by $T_p M$ (Tangent space to M at $p \in M$)

Note: If a chart (U, ϕ) is given, then we have an "isomorphism"

$$\Theta_{U, \phi, p}: \mathbb{R}^n \xrightarrow{\quad} T_p M$$

$$u \longmapsto [(U, \phi, u)].$$

Def: The disjoint union TM of $T_p M$, $\forall p \in M$, is called the tangent bundle of M .



Thm: Let M be an n -dim'l C^k manifold ($k \geq 1$).
 Then TM can be equipped with a $2n$ -dim'l
 C^{k-1} abstract manifold structure.

Pf: (Sketch)

For each chart (U, ϕ) of M ,

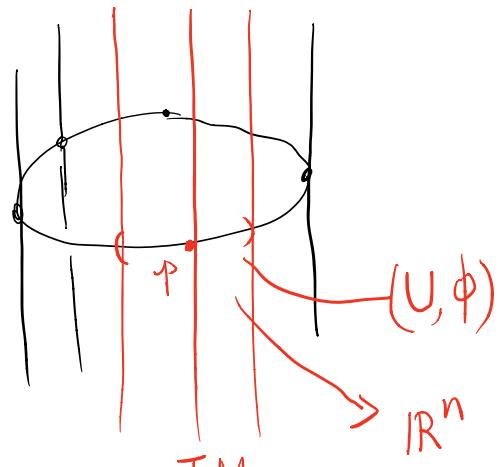
define a "chart"

$$\left(\bigsqcup_{p \in U} T_p M, \Phi \right) \text{fa } TM$$

by

$$\Phi(\xi_p) = (\phi(p), \theta_{U, \phi, p}^{-1}(\xi_p)) \in \mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}^n$$

$\forall \xi_p \in T_p M, p \in U$.

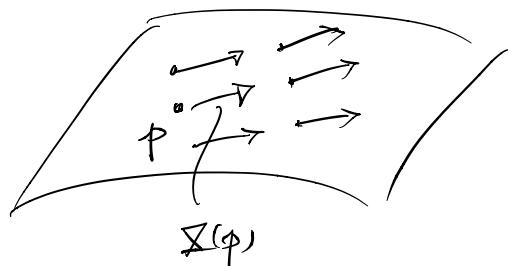


Then one can see all these " $\coprod_{p \in U} T_p M$ " give a topology on TM such that Φ are homeomorphisms. And one can check that TM is Hausdorff and $\{(\coprod_{p \in U} T_p M, \Phi)\}_{(U, \phi)}$ forms an C^{k+1} atlas of TM . (We've differentiated once in the equi. relation for tangent vectors.) ~~XX~~

Def: A (smooth) vector field \mathbf{X} on a manifold M is a smooth section of the tangent bundle TM of M , ie

$\mathbf{X} : M \rightarrow TM$ is a smooth map such that $\mathbf{X}(p) \in T_p M$.

- The set of (smooth) vector fields on M is denoted by $\Gamma(TM)$.



1.5 Tangent vectors as derivations

Let M be a smooth manifold, $p \in M$, consider C^∞ functions defined in a nbd. of p . Then we can define an equivalence relation:

$$f: U \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \sim g: V \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad (p \in U \cap V)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \exists \text{ nbd } W \subset U \cap V \text{ of } p \text{ s.t. } f|_W = g|_W$$



$$\begin{array}{c} f \curvearrowright \xrightarrow{\quad} g \\ \boxed{W} \\ f|_W = g|_W \end{array}$$

Def: The equivalence classes for this relation are the germs of C^∞ functions at p . The space of germs of C^∞ functions at p is denoted by $\mathcal{E}_p^\infty(M)$.

Similarly, we can define $\mathcal{E}_p^0(M)$, $\mathcal{E}_p^k(M)$ & $\mathcal{E}_p^\omega(M)$ germs of continuous, C^k , and (real) analytic functions

respectively at p .

Remarks : • Space of functions has linear structure
(and a product structure)

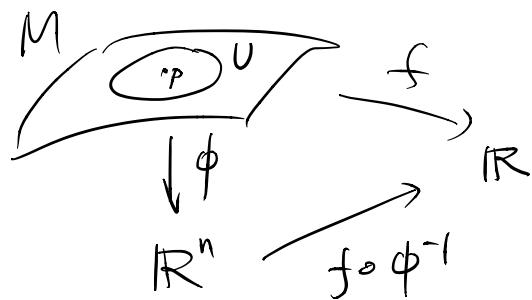
\Rightarrow corresponding space of germs is a
vector space (with a product structure)

• If M is a C^k manifold ($0 \leq k \leq \infty$)

then $\mathcal{C}_p^k(M) \cong \mathcal{C}_0^k(\mathbb{R}^n)$ (vector space
isomorphism)

Pf: (sketch)

germ of $f \leftrightarrow$ germ of $f \circ \phi^{-1}$
for a chart (U, ϕ)



Def: A derivation on $\mathcal{C}_p^k(M)$ is a linear map

$\delta: \mathcal{C}_p^k(M) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ such that $\forall f, g \in \mathcal{C}_p^k(M)$

$$\delta(fg) = f(p)\delta(g) + g(p)\delta(f).$$

where $fg =$ product of the germs $f \otimes g$

(Ex: How to define fg ?)

Notation: We denote the set of derivations on $\mathcal{E}_p^k(M)$
by $\mathcal{D}_p^k(M)$, or $\mathcal{D}_p(M)$ if k is clear.

Thm: Any derivation of $\mathcal{E}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$ can be written

as

$$\delta(f) = \sum_{j=1}^n \delta(x^j) \frac{\partial f}{\partial x^j}(0)$$

↑
germ

is a function
representing the
germ f .

Hence $\dim(\mathcal{D}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)) = n$

(where $x^j =$ germ of the coordinate function

$$x^j : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$
$$\left(\begin{smallmatrix} x^1 \\ \vdots \\ x^n \end{smallmatrix} \right) \mapsto x^j$$

Pf: \forall germ $f \in \mathcal{E}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R})$, f is represented by a C^∞ function, denoted by f again, in a nbd. of 0.

Then $f(x) - f(0) = \int_0^1 \frac{d}{dt} f(tx) dt$

$$= \int_0^1 \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_j}(tx) \hat{x}^j dt \\ = \sum_{j=1}^n \hat{x}^j h_j(x)$$

where $h_j(x) = \int_0^1 \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_j}(tx) dt \in C^\infty$.

Then $\delta(f) = \delta(f - f(0))$ since $\delta(\text{const.}) = 0$
 (Ex!)

$$= \delta \left(\sum_{j=1}^n \hat{x}^j h_j(x) \right)$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^n \cancel{\hat{x}^j(0)} \delta(h_j) + h_j(0) \delta(\hat{x}^j)$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^n \delta(\hat{x}^j) \frac{\partial f}{\partial x^j}(0) \quad \cancel{\cancel{\cancel{\quad}}}$$

Lemma $\forall \xi \in T_p M, L_\xi(f) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (D_p f)(\xi), \forall f \in C_p^\infty(M)$.

Then $L_\xi \in \mathcal{D}_p(M)$.

(Pf: Ex!) (Where $D_p f$ is the differential of a representation of f defined similarly as in Diff. Geom using def 1 of vector.)

Thm : $T_p M \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_p(M)$ is an isomorphism
 $\xi \xrightarrow{\psi} L_\xi$ (between vector spaces)

Pf: • $\xi \mapsto L_\xi$ is clear linear.

• $\ker(\xi \mapsto L_\xi) = 0$

Pf: Let (U, ϕ) be a chart for M around p with $\phi(p) = 0 \in \mathbb{R}^n$. Then ξ can be represented by $\xi = (U, \phi, u)$ with $u \in T_0 \mathbb{R}^n \cong \mathbb{R}^n$.

\Rightarrow A C^∞ function f in a nbd around p

$$L_\xi f = D_0(f \circ \phi^{-1})(u) \quad (\text{Ex!})$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^n u^j \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} (f \circ \phi^{-1})(0)$$

(where $u = (u^1, \dots, u^n)$)

If $\xi \in \ker(\xi \mapsto L_\xi)$, then $\forall f$

$$0 = \sum_{j=1}^n u^j \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} (f \circ \phi^{-1})(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow u^j = 0, \forall j \Rightarrow \xi = 0 \quad \times$$

- Finally $\text{Im}(\xi \mapsto L_\xi) = \mathcal{D}_p(M)$.

Pf.: $\forall \delta \in \mathcal{D}_p(M) \cong \mathcal{D}_0(\mathbb{R}^n)$, by previous Thm

$$\Rightarrow \delta(f) = \sum_{j=1}^n \delta(x^j) \frac{\partial}{\partial x^j} (f \circ \phi^{-1})(0)$$

$$\therefore \delta = L_\xi \text{ for } \xi = \left[(U, \phi), \begin{pmatrix} \delta(x^1) \\ \vdots \\ \delta(x^n) \end{pmatrix} \right] \in T_p M$$

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Remark: In particular, we have $\dim T_p M = n$ with basis corresponds to $\left\{ \frac{\partial}{\partial x^j} \right\}_0$ in local coordinates

$$\left(\text{where } \frac{\partial}{\partial x^j} \Big|_0 \in \mathcal{D}_0(\mathbb{R}^n) \text{ s.t. } \begin{pmatrix} \delta(x^1) \\ \vdots \\ \delta(x^n) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \text{ (} j^{\text{th}} \text{ place)} \right)$$

Convention: If (U, ϕ) is a chart around p , and (x^1, \dots, x^n) are the corresponding coordinate functions

$$x^j: U \xrightarrow{\phi} \mathbb{R}^n \xrightarrow{\pi_j} \mathbb{R}$$

We denote $\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^j} \right)_p (f) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \frac{\partial}{\partial x^j} (f \circ \phi^{-1})(\phi(p))$

In this notation

$$L_\xi = \sum_{j=1}^n u^j \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^j} \right)_p \text{ for } \xi = [(U, \phi, u)] \in T_p M.$$

Hence $\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^i}\right)_p$ can be regarded as a vector in $T_p M$;

$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial x^i}$ is a vector field on $U \subset M$.

If x^1, \dots, x^n are smooth functions, then

$X = \sum_{j=1}^n x^j \frac{\partial}{\partial x^j}$ is a vector field on U

corresponds to

$L_X : C^\infty(U) \rightarrow C^\infty(U)$ defined by

$$(L_X f)(p) = \sum_{j=1}^n x^j(p) \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x^j} \right)_p.$$

Thm: The map $X \mapsto L_X$ is an isomorphism between the vector spaces $\Gamma(TM)$ and $\mathcal{D}(M)$, where
 $\mathcal{D}(M) =$ set of derivations δ on M defined
by (i) $\delta : C^\infty(M) \rightarrow C^\infty(M)$ linear;
(ii) $\delta(fg) = f\delta(g) + g\delta(f)$.

(Pf = Omitted .

Caution: Analog statement for complex manifold is not true, since we need to use cut-off functions to reduce it to coordinate systems.)

Note: If $\delta_1, \delta_2 \in \mathcal{D}(M)$, then $\delta_1 \circ \delta_2 \notin \mathcal{D}(M)$

Lemma: If $\delta_1, \delta_2 \in \mathcal{D}(M)$, then

$$\delta_1 \circ \delta_2 - \delta_2 \circ \delta_1 \in \mathcal{D}(M).$$

(Pf : Ex!)

Def: Let X, Y be vector fields on M . Then $[X, Y]$, the bracket of $X \& Y$, is the vector field corresponding to the derivation $L_X \circ L_Y - L_Y \circ L_X$.

i.e. $L_{[X, Y]} = L_X \circ L_Y - L_Y \circ L_X$.

Local formula for $[X, Y]$:

If $X = \sum_{i=1}^n X^i \frac{\partial}{\partial x^i}$, $Y = \sum_{j=1}^n Y^j \frac{\partial}{\partial x^j}$ in some local coordinates, then

$$L_X f = \sum_i X^i \frac{\partial f}{\partial x^i}$$

$$\Rightarrow L_Y L_X f = \sum_{i,j} Y^j X^i \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^j \partial x^i} + Y^j \frac{\partial X^i}{\partial x^j} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x^i}$$

Similar formula for $L_X L_Y$.

$$\Rightarrow (L_X L_Y - L_Y L_X) f = \sum_i \sum_j (X^i \frac{\partial Y^j}{\partial x^i} - Y^j \frac{\partial X^i}{\partial x^j}) \frac{\partial f}{\partial x^i}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{[X, Y] = \sum_i Z^i \frac{\partial}{\partial x^i}}$$

where $Z^i = \sum_j (\bar{X}^j \frac{\partial Y^i}{\partial x^j} - \bar{Y}^j \frac{\partial \bar{X}^i}{\partial x^j})$

Lemma (Jacobi Identity) For vector fields $\bar{X}, \bar{Y}, \bar{Z}$,

$$[\bar{X}, [\bar{Y}, \bar{Z}]] + [\bar{Y}, [\bar{Z}, \bar{X}]] + [\bar{Z}, [\bar{X}, \bar{Y}]] = 0$$

(Pf: Trivial)

1.6 Vector Bundles and Tensors

Def: Let E & B be 2 smooth manifolds and

$\pi: E \rightarrow B$ be a smooth map.

(π, E, B) is a vector bundle of rank n ,

if • π is surjective .

• \exists open covering $(U_i)_{i \in I}$ of B , and

diffeomorphisms $\phi_i: \pi^{-1}(U_i) \rightarrow U_i \times \mathbb{R}^n$

such that $\forall x \in U_i, \phi_i(\pi^{-1}(x)) = \{x\} \times \mathbb{R}^n$

(hence $\pi^{-1}(x)$ can be regarded as a vector space.)

• and such that $\forall i, j \in \Lambda$, the diffeomorphisms

$$h_i \circ h_j^{-1} : (U_i \cap U_j) \times \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow (U_i \cap U_j) \times \mathbb{R}^n$$

are of the form

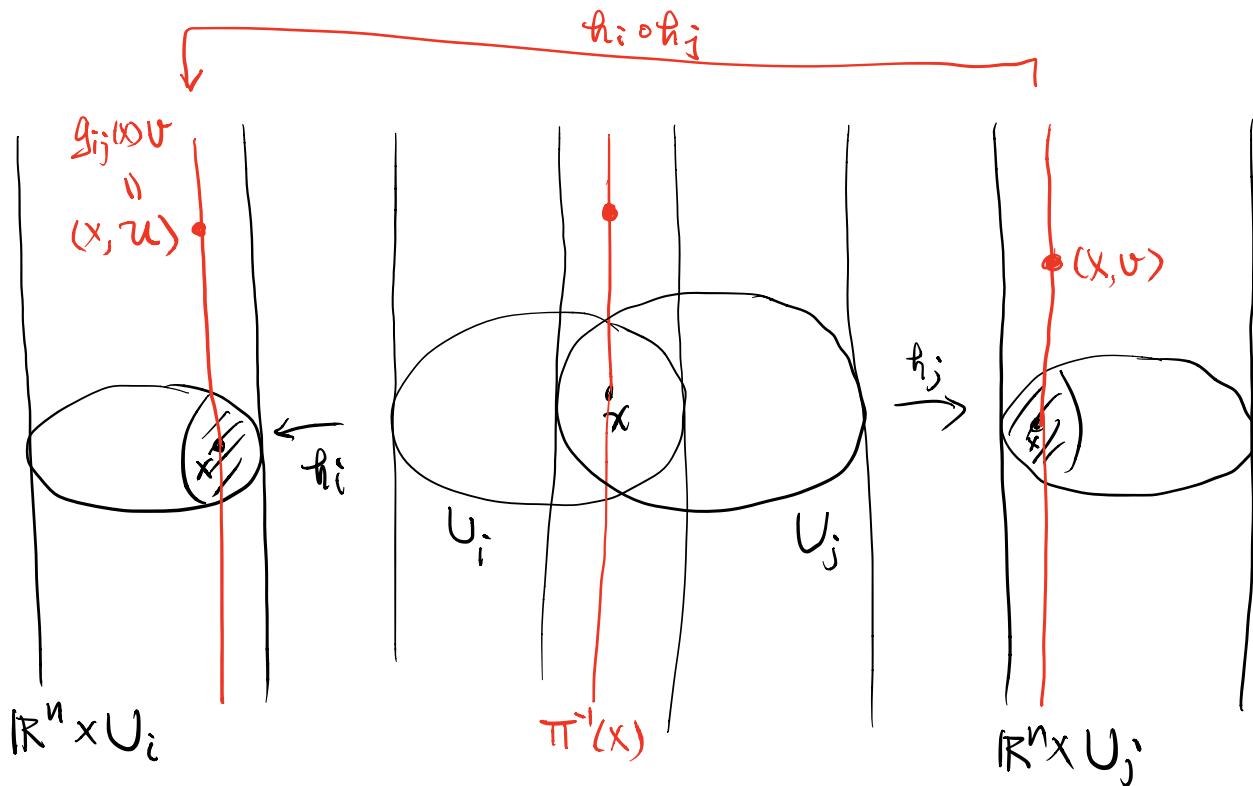
$$h_i \circ h_j^{-1}(x, v) = (x, g_{ij}(x)v)$$

where $g_{ij} : U_i \cap U_j \rightarrow GL(n, \mathbb{R})$.

Terminology: $E = \underline{\text{total space}}$, $B = \underline{\text{base}}$

$\mathbb{R}^n \cap \pi^{-1}(x) = \underline{\text{fibre}}$

$h_i = \underline{\text{local trivialization}}$



e.g.: (Trivial Bundle): $\pi: M \times \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow M$

$$(x, v) \mapsto x$$

e.g.: Tangent bundle of M : $TM = \coprod_{p \in M} T_p M$
 (exercise!)

Def: (a) A vector bundle of rank n , $\pi: E \rightarrow B$, is trivial if $\exists \psi$ is diffeomorphism

$$\psi: E \rightarrow B \times \mathbb{R}^n$$

s.t. $\psi = \pi^{-1}(x) \rightarrow \{x\} \times \mathbb{R}^n$ is a vector space isomorphism.

(b) A (global) section of the bundle is a smooth map $s: B \rightarrow E$ such that

$$\pi \circ s = \text{id}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} E & & \\ \pi \downarrow s & & \\ B & & \end{array}$$

e.g.: vector field $X \in \Gamma(M)$ ($= \Gamma(TM)$) is a section of the tangent bundle TM .

Tensor product

Def: Let E, F be 2 finite dimensional vector space, then $E \otimes F$, the tensor product of $E \& F$, is defined as the vector space, unique up to isomorphism, such that \forall vector space G ,

$$L(E \otimes F, G) \xrightarrow{\text{isom}} L_2(E \times F, G)$$

$\left(\begin{array}{l} \text{linear transformations} \\ \text{from } E \otimes F \text{ to } G \end{array} \right) \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{bilinear maps from} \\ E \times F \text{ to } G \end{array} \right)$

Remark: \exists a bilinear map $\otimes: E \times F \rightarrow E \otimes F$

such that if $\{e_i\}$ = basis of E and $\{f_i\}$ = basis of F ,

then $\{e_i \otimes f_j\}_{i,j}$ is a basis of $E \otimes F$.

Hence for $u = \sum_i a^i e_i \in E$ and $v = \sum_j b^j f_j \in F$,

$$\text{then } u \otimes v = \sum_{i,j} a^i b^j e_i \otimes f_j.$$

Facts = (1) If $E^* = \text{dual of } E = L(E, \mathbb{R})$

$$F^* = \text{dual of } F$$

then $E^* \otimes F^* \cong L_2(E \otimes F, \mathbb{R})$
 $\cong L(E \otimes F, \mathbb{R}) = (E \otimes F)^*$
 (by $\alpha \otimes \beta \xrightarrow{\downarrow} \alpha \otimes \beta(u \otimes v) = \alpha(u)\beta(v)$)

(2) If $\alpha \in L(E, E')$ & $\beta \in L(F, F')$
 $(E, E', F, F' \text{ are finite dim'l vector spaces})$

then one can define

$$\alpha \otimes \beta \in L(E \otimes F, E' \otimes F')$$

by $(\alpha \otimes \beta)(u \otimes v) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \alpha(u) \otimes \beta(v).$

(3) Given a vector bundle E (with fibers $E_x, x \in M$),
 one can define the vector bundle $E^*, \otimes^p E$
 (with fibers E_x^* and $\otimes^p E_x$ respectively)

(4) Given 2 vector bundles E, F (with fibers E_x, F_x)
 with the same base manifold M , we can define
 the vector bundle $E \otimes F$ over M with fiber
 $E_x \otimes F_x.$

e.g.: Starting from TM , we can define the cotangent bundle

T^*M of M , and the (p, q) -tensor bundle

$$(\otimes^p TM) \otimes (\otimes^q T^*M) \text{ of } M.$$

Def: A (p, q) -tensor (field), or more precisely

p times contravariant & q times covariant

tensor, on M is a smooth section of the bundle $(\otimes^p TM) \otimes (\otimes^q T^*M)$.

Note: For $f: M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ smooth, we can define

$$df \in \Gamma(T^*M) \quad \text{by} \quad df(X) = L_X f \\ = Xf, \quad \forall X \in \Gamma(M)$$

Then $\{dx^j\}_{j=1}^n$ is a dual (local) basis to

$$\left\{ \frac{\partial}{\partial x^i} \right\}_{i=1}^n \quad \text{since} \quad dx^j \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^i} \right) = \frac{\partial x^j}{\partial x^i} = \delta_i^j$$

at each point in a coordinate system with coordinate functions (x^1, \dots, x^n) .

Therefore

$$\left\{ \frac{\partial}{\partial x^{i_1}} \otimes \cdots \otimes \frac{\partial}{\partial x^{i_p}} \otimes dx^{j_1} \otimes \cdots \otimes dx^{j_q} \right\}$$

forms a local basis for $(\otimes^p TM) \otimes (\otimes^q T^*M)$

\Rightarrow in coordinates, a (p, q) -tensor (field) can be written as

$$T = T_{i_1 \dots i_q}^{j_1 \dots j_p} \frac{\partial}{\partial x^{i_1}} \otimes \dots \otimes \frac{\partial}{\partial x^{i_q}} \otimes dx^{j_1} \wedge \dots \wedge dx^{j_p}$$