

Complex Analysis II: Riemann Surfaces

Exercise Sheet 9

(Stokes' theorem, Poincaré–Hopf index theorem)

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Exercise 1

2 points

Let M be a compact oriented Riemannian manifold with boundary ∂M . The divergence $\operatorname{div}: \Gamma TM \rightarrow \mathcal{C}^\infty M$ is defined by $\operatorname{div}(X) d\operatorname{vol}_M := d(X \lrcorner d\operatorname{vol}_M)$. Show:

$$\int_M \operatorname{div}(X) = \int_{\partial M} \langle X, N \rangle,$$

where N denotes the outward-pointing unit normal field along ∂M .

Exercise 2

2 points

Let $E \rightarrow M$ be a complex line bundle over an oriented surface and $\psi \in \Gamma E$ transverse to the zero section. Show that the zeros of ψ have index ± 1 .

Exercise 3

2 points

The tangent bundle of $\mathbb{S}^2 \subset \mathbb{R}^3$ is a complex line bundle with almost complex structure $J_p: T_p \mathbb{S}^2 \rightarrow T_p \mathbb{S}^2$ given by $J_p X = p \times X$. Compute the degree of $T\mathbb{S}^2$.