Differentialgeometrie I

Exercise sheet 10

Exercise 1.

Determine a formula for the first variation of the length, i.e. prove Theorem 6.20 from the lecture.

Exercise 2.

Prove Lemma 6.26 and Lemma 6.27 from lecture.

Exercise 3.

The sectional curvature of a surface coincides with the Gaussian curvature.

Exercise 4.

Determine the Riemannian curvature tensor R, the Ricci curvature Ric, the scalar curvature Scal, and the sectional curvature K of a surface and express them by each other.

Exercise 5.

Compute the various curvatures of \mathbb{R}^n , S^n , and \mathbb{H}^n , describe all geodesics in these spaces, and analyze the exponential map.