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## ABSTRACT

In this study, the coefficients of the p-fundamental forms of a hypersurface  $N$  imbedded in n-dimensional Riemannian space  $M$  were expressed in terms of the coefficients of first and second fundamental forms. Then, by means of Cayley-Hamilton theorem, the inverse  $S^{-1}$  of the shape operator  $S$  on the hypersurface  $N$  was written as the combinations of the powers of  $S$  and the curvatures  $K_1, \dots, K_{n-1}$ . Thus the new fundamental forms and some properties of them called the inverse fundamental forms, were defined and investigated. As a result of an application of the generalized divergence theorem of Gauss to the divergence relations of certain tensor fields over the region  $R$  of  $N$  that can be expressed in terms of polynomials involving the new defined curvatures of  $M$  an integral formula was obtained.

## I. INTRODUCTION

Let  $N$  be a hypersurface imbedded in an n-dimensional Riemannian space  $M$  and  $S$  be the shape operator defined on  $N$ . The metric tensor  $g_{ij}$  of  $M$  is assumed to be of class  $C^3$ , it induces a metric on  $N$  defined by

$$g_{\alpha\beta} = \sum_{i,j=1}^n g_{ij} \frac{\partial x^i}{\partial u^\alpha} \frac{\partial x^j}{\partial u^\beta} \quad (1.1)$$

Where it is supposed that  $M$  refers to local coordinates  $x^i$  and that the hypersurface  $N$  is represented parametrically by the equations

$$x^i = x^i(u^\alpha), i = 1, \dots, n; \alpha = 1, \dots, n-1 \quad (1.2).$$

in which the variables  $u^\alpha$  denote the parameters of  $N$ , the functions  $x^i$  are assumed to be of class  $C^2$  in all their arguments and it is supposed that

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$$\text{rank} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial \mathbf{x}^1}{\partial u^1} & \cdots & \frac{\partial \mathbf{x}^1}{\partial u^{n-1}} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial \mathbf{x}^n}{\partial u^1} & \cdots & \frac{\partial \mathbf{x}^n}{\partial u^{n-1}} \end{bmatrix} = n - 1 \quad (1.3)$$

That is  $\det S \neq 0$ . We will denote  $\frac{\partial \mathbf{x}^i}{\partial u^\alpha}$  by  $X^i_\alpha$ .

Mixed covariant derivatives of  $M$  will be denoted by a pair of vertical bars.  $\Gamma^h_{pq}$  and  $\Gamma^\lambda_{\alpha\beta}$  denote the Christoffel symbols of  $M$  and induced metric tensor, respectively. Mixed covariant derivative of  $X^h_\alpha$  with respect to  $u^\beta$  had been given by H. Rund [2] as

$$X^h_{\alpha||\beta} = \frac{\partial X^h_\alpha}{\partial u^\beta} - \sum_{\lambda=1}^{n-1} \Gamma^\lambda_{\alpha\beta} X^h_\lambda + \sum_{p,q=1}^n \Gamma^h_{pq} X^p_\alpha X^q_\beta \quad (1.4).$$

And furthermore, it is known that [2]

$$X^j_{\alpha||\beta} = \Omega_{\alpha\beta} \xi^j, j = 1, \dots, n. \quad (1.5)$$

where the  $\Omega_{\alpha\beta}$  are the coefficients of the usual second fundamental form and  $\xi^j$ ,  $j = 1, \dots, n$ , define the unique unit normal vector field to  $N$ . If we differentiate the expressions

$$\sum_{i,j=1}^n g_{ij} \xi^i \xi^j = 1 \text{ and } \sum_{i,j=1}^n g_{ij} X^i_\alpha \xi^j = 0$$

with respect to  $u^\beta$  and by using the equation (1.5) [4], we obtain

$$\Omega^\varepsilon_\beta = \sum_{\alpha=1}^{n-1} g^{\varepsilon\alpha} \Omega_{\alpha\beta} \quad (1.6)$$

and

$$\xi^j_{||\beta} = - \sum_{\varepsilon=1}^{n-1} \Omega^\varepsilon_\beta X_\varepsilon^j \quad (1.7)$$

Now, let  $I^{(p)}_{\alpha\beta}$  denote the coefficients of the  $p^{\text{th}}$  – fundamental form, then we know that [3],

$$I^{(p)}_{\alpha\beta} = \sum_{\lambda=1}^{n-1} I^{(p-1)}_{\alpha\lambda} \Omega_{\beta}^{\lambda}, \quad 2 \leq p \leq n, \quad (1.8).$$

If we write this expression  $(p-1)$  times for  $2 \leq p \leq n$  and substitute the coefficients of each fundamental form in those which come later, then we have

$$I^{(p)}_{\alpha\beta} = \sum_{\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_{p-2}=1}^{n-1} \Omega_{\alpha\lambda_{p-2}}^{\lambda_{p-2}} \Omega_{\lambda_{p-3}}^{\lambda_{p-2}} \Omega_{\lambda_{p-4}}^{\lambda_{p-3}} \dots \Omega_{\lambda_2}^{\lambda_3} \Omega_{\lambda_1}^{\lambda_2} \Omega_{\beta}^{\lambda_1} \quad (1.9)$$

or using Eq (1.6)

$$I^{(p)}_{\alpha\beta} = \sum_{\substack{\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_{p-2}=1 \\ \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_{p-2}=1}}^{n-1} g^{\lambda_1 \alpha_1} g^{\lambda_2 \alpha_2} \dots g^{\lambda_{p-2} \alpha_{p-2}} \Omega_{\alpha_1 \beta} \Omega_{\alpha_2 \lambda_1} \Omega_{\alpha_3 \lambda_2} \dots \Omega_{\alpha_{p-2} \lambda_{p-2}} \quad (1.10)$$

Thus, we have obtained the coefficients of  $p^{\text{th}}$  – fundamental form in terms of the coefficients of the first and second fundamental forms.

## II. INVERSE FUNDAMENTAL FORMS

We will denote the roots of the characteristic equation of  $S$  by  $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_{n-1}$ . In addition  $p^{\text{th}}$  curvature  $K_p$  of  $N$  is defined to be the  $p^{\text{th}}$  elementary symmetric functions of  $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_{n-1}$  by

$$K_p = \sum_{v_1 \leq \dots \leq v_p} \lambda_{v_1} \dots \lambda_{v_p} \quad (11.1).$$

By means of Cayley-Hamilton theorem and the characteristic polynomial of  $S$ , we may write

$$(-1)^{n-1} S^{n-1} + \sum_{p=1}^{n-1} (-1)^{n-p-1} K_p S^{n-p-1} = 0 \quad (11.2)$$

or

$$S[S^{n-2} + (-1)^1 K_1 S^{n-3} + (-1)^2 K_2 S^{n-4} + \dots + (-1)^{n-2} K_{n-2} S^{n-1} + (-1)^{n-1} K_{n-1} S^{-1}] = 0. \quad (11.3)$$

where  $I_{n-1}$  is the identity matrix having the order  $(n - 1)$  and  $S^{-1}$  is the inverse of  $S$  with respect to matrix multiplication. Hence we have

$$S^{-1} = \frac{1}{K_{n-1}} [(-1)^n S^{n-2} + (-1)^{n-1} K_1 S^{n-3} + \dots + (-1)^2 K_{n-2} I_{n-1}] \quad (11.4)$$

since it is supposed that  $\det S \neq 0$ . This expression have been telling us that the inverse of a regular linear map  $S$  is expressed by means of the curvatures  $K_1, \dots, K_{n-1}$  and the powers of  $S$ . Furthermore,  $S^{-1}$  is a symmetric, regular and linear map. Thus, we may define new forms, so-called inverse fundamental forms by using  $S^{-1}$  in place of  $S$ .

Let  $I_{(p)}$  denote the  $p^{\text{th}}$  inverse fundamental form, particularly we can take  $I^{(1)} = I_{(1)}$ .

We have similarly, from (11.4)

$$(S^{-1})^2 = \frac{1}{K_{n-1}} [(-1)^n S^{n-3} + (-1)^{n-1} K_1 S^{n-4} + \dots + (-1)^3 K_{n-3} I_{n-1} + (-1)^2 K_{n-2} S^{-1}]. \quad (11.5)$$

Finally, if we denote  $(S^{-1})^{n-1} = S^{-(n-1)}$ , we obtain

$$S^{-(n-1)} = \frac{1}{K_{n-1}} \left[ \sum_{p=1}^{n-1} (-1)^{n-p+1} K_{p-1} S^{-(p-1)} \right]. \quad (11.6)$$

Because of the definition of the fundamental forms, we have a linear relation as

$$\sum_{p=1}^n (-1)^{n-p+1} K_{p-1} I_{(p)} = 0, \quad (11.7)$$

where it is assumed that  $K_0 = 1$ .

Let  $v_1, \dots, v_{n-1}$  be this basis vectors of the characteristic spaces corresponding to characteristic values  $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_{n-1}$ , then, we have

$$S(v_\alpha) = \lambda_\alpha v_\alpha, \quad \alpha = 1, \dots, n-1. \quad (11.8)$$

or

$$S^{-1}(\lambda_\alpha v_\alpha) = v_\alpha, \quad \alpha = 1, \dots, n-1.$$

For  $S^{-1}$  is a linear map, we have

$$S^{-1}(v_\alpha) = \frac{1}{\lambda_\alpha} v_\alpha, \alpha = 1, \dots, n-1. \quad (11.9)$$

Therefore  $\frac{1}{\lambda_\alpha}$  scalars are the characteristic values of  $S^{-1}$  and the basis vectors of the characteristic subspaces corresponding them are the same vectors  $Y_1, \dots, Y_{n-1}$ . The matrix of  $S^{-1}$  with respect to this basis is

$$S^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\lambda_1} & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{\lambda_2} & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & \frac{1}{\lambda_{n-1}} \end{bmatrix}. \quad (11.10)$$

Thus, we can define the new curvatures under the auspices of  $S^{-1}$  as

$$IK_p = \sum_{v_1 \leq \dots \leq v_p} \frac{1}{\lambda_{v_1}} \dots \frac{1}{\lambda_{v_p}}, p = 1, \dots, n-1. \quad (11.11)$$

Consequently there exists a relation between  $K_p$  and  $IK_p$  represented by

$$IK_p = (K_{n-1})^{-1} K_{n-(p+1)} \quad (11.2)$$

where  $(K_{n-1})^{-1}$  denotes the inverse function of  $K_{n-1}$ .

In that case, we can write the relation (11.7), being  $K_{n-1} \neq 0$ , as

$$\sum_{p=1}^n (-1)^{n-p} IK_{n-p} I_{(p)} = 0. \quad (11.3)$$

### III. A GENERALIZED INTEGRAL FORMULA

Let  $I_{(p)}$  denote the coefficients of the  $p^{\text{th}}$  inverse fundamental form. Let us define the coefficients of the associated inverse fundamental form by the relations

$$(-1)^{\varepsilon+1} Q_{(\varepsilon)\lambda'\varepsilon'} = \sum_{\gamma=1}^{\varepsilon} (-1)^\gamma I K_{n-\gamma-1} I_{(\gamma)\lambda'\varepsilon'}, \quad \varepsilon = 1, \dots, n-1. \quad (III.1)$$

By the aid of those, we will define an integral formula over an  $(n-1)$ -dimensional region  $R$  of  $M$  and its boundary  $\partial R$ , which is an  $(n-2)$  dimensional manifold. It is supposed that  $R$  refers to local coordinates  $u^\alpha$ , and that the boundary  $\partial R$  is represented parametrically by the equations

$$u^\alpha = u^\alpha(v^{\beta'}), \quad (\alpha = 1, \dots, n-1; \beta' = 1, \dots, n-2), \quad (III.2)$$

where the variables  $v^{\beta'}$  denote the parameters of  $\partial R$ . The functions  $u^\alpha$  in (III.2) are assumed to be of class  $C^2$  in all their arguments. Metric tensors of  $R$  and  $\partial R$ ,  $g_{\alpha\beta}$  and  $g_{\alpha'\beta'}$  respectively, are assumed to be of class  $C^3$ ,  $g_{\alpha\beta}$  induces the metric tensor  $g_{\alpha'\beta'}$  on  $\partial R$  defined as, [2],

$$g_{\alpha'\beta'} = \sum_{\alpha,\beta=1}^{n-1} g_{\alpha\beta} \frac{\partial u^\alpha}{\partial v^{\alpha'}} \frac{\partial u^\beta}{\partial v^{\beta'}}. \quad (III.3)$$

The volume elements of  $R$  and  $\partial R$  are also, defined by

$$\begin{aligned} ds &= \det(g_{\alpha\beta}) du^1 \dots du^{n-1}, \\ ds' &= \det(g_{\alpha'\beta'}) dv^1 \dots dv^{n-2}, \end{aligned} \quad (III.4)$$

respectively. These can be written as

$$\sum_{\alpha,\beta=1}^{n-1} g_{\alpha\beta} n^\alpha \frac{\partial u^\beta}{\partial v^{\beta'}} = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \sum_{\alpha,\beta=1}^{n-1} g_{\alpha\beta} n^\alpha n^\beta = 1, \quad (III.5)$$

where  $n^\alpha$  ( $\alpha = 1, \dots, n-1$ ) are the components of unit normal vector field over  $R$  and the restriction of this vector field over  $\partial R$  has the component  $n^{\alpha'}$ .

Now, let  $Y_\alpha = Y_\alpha(u^\beta)$  be a covariant vector field defined over the region  $R$ . The components of  $Y_\alpha$  vector field are assumed to be of class  $C^1$  throughout  $R$ . The projection of  $Y_\alpha$  vector field on  $\partial R$  boundary has the components

$$Y_{\beta'} = \sum_{\alpha=1}^{n-1} Z^{\alpha\beta'} Y_\alpha, \quad \beta' = 1, \dots, n-2 \quad (III.6)$$

$$\text{where } Z^{\alpha\beta'} = \frac{\partial u^\alpha}{\partial v^{\beta'}}.$$

The length of the projection on the unit normal vector field of  $Y_\alpha$  vector field is

$$q = \sum_{\alpha=1}^{n-1} Y_\alpha n^\alpha. \quad (\text{III.7})$$

Replacing this in Eq (III.6) we have the mixed covariant derivative of  $Y_\beta'$  with respect to  $v^\alpha'$

$$Y_{\beta'|\alpha'} = q I^{(2)}_{\beta'\alpha'} + \sum_{\alpha,\beta=1}^{n-1} Y_{\alpha\beta} Z^{\alpha\beta'} Z^{\beta\alpha'} \quad (\text{III.8})$$

where  $Y_{\alpha\beta}$  denotes the covariant derivative of  $Y_\alpha$  with respect to  $v^\beta$ . Let assume that

$$P_{\alpha'\beta'} = \sum_{\alpha,\beta=1}^{n-1} Y_{\alpha\beta} Z^{\alpha\beta'} Z^{\beta\alpha'}, \quad (\text{III.9})$$

then we have

$$Y_{\beta'|\alpha'} = q I^{(2)}_{\beta'\alpha'} + P_{\alpha'\beta'}. \quad (\text{III.10})$$

We may define the new functions for  $1 \leq \alpha \leq n-2$  by

$$\begin{aligned} H^2_\alpha &= H^2_\alpha (|K_{n-(\alpha+2)}|), \\ H^3_\alpha &= H^3_\alpha (|K_{n-(\alpha+2)}, |K_{n-(\alpha+3)}|) \\ &\vdots \\ H_\alpha^{n-1} &= H_\alpha^{n-1} (|K_{n-(\alpha+2)}, |K_{n-(\alpha+3)}, \dots, |K_{n-(\alpha+n-2)}|). \end{aligned} \quad (\text{III.11})$$

It is easy to express these functions more explicitly. Hence, we can write the inverse fundamental forms as a linear combination of the ordinary fundamental forms in terms of the functions

$$I_{(\varepsilon)\alpha'\beta'} = \sum_{\alpha=1}^{n-1} H_\alpha^\varepsilon I^{(\alpha)}_{\alpha'\beta'}, \quad \varepsilon = 1, \dots, n-1. \quad (\text{III.12})$$

So we can obtain from (III.1) the following:

$$(-1)^{\varepsilon+1} Q_{(\varepsilon)\lambda'\varepsilon'} = \sum_{\gamma=1}^{\varepsilon} \sum_{\alpha=1}^{n-1} (-1)^\gamma |K_{n-\gamma-1}| H_\alpha^\gamma I^{(\alpha)}_{\lambda'\varepsilon'}. \quad (\text{III.13})$$

On the other hand it is written from elementary tensor calculus [4]

$$Q(\varepsilon)^{\alpha'\beta'} = \sum_{\lambda', \varepsilon'=1}^{n-2} g^{\alpha'\lambda'} g^{\beta'\varepsilon'} Q(\varepsilon)_{\lambda'} \varepsilon' \quad (\text{III.14})$$

or from (III.13),

$$Q(\varepsilon)^{\alpha'\beta'} = \sum_{\lambda', \varepsilon'=1}^{n-2} \sum_{\gamma=1}^{\varepsilon} \sum_{\alpha=1}^{n-1} (-1)^{\gamma-\varepsilon-1} g^{\alpha'\lambda'} g^{\beta'\varepsilon'} |K_{n-\gamma-1} H^\gamma_\alpha I^{(\alpha)}_{\lambda'} \varepsilon'| \quad (\text{III.15})$$

$M_\varepsilon$  is called the associated curvatures on  $\partial R$  that had been defined by H. Rund [1] in the following way:

$$M_\varepsilon = \sum_{\alpha', \beta'=1}^{n-2} g^{\alpha'\beta'} I_{\alpha'\beta'}^{(\varepsilon+1)}, \varepsilon = 1, \dots, n-3. \quad (\text{III.16})$$

Thus, it can be written

$$I^{(\varepsilon)}_{\alpha'\beta'} = g_{\varepsilon'\lambda'} M_{\varepsilon-1} \quad (\text{III.17})$$

then, we have

$$Q(\varepsilon)^{\alpha'\beta'} = \sum_{\gamma=1}^{\varepsilon} \sum_{\alpha=1}^{n-1} (-1)^{\gamma-\varepsilon-1} g^{\alpha'\beta'} M_{\varepsilon-1} |K_{n-\gamma-1} H^\gamma_\alpha|. \quad (\text{III.18})$$

Now, let us define the contravariant vector fields on  $\partial R$  as follows,

$$Q^{\alpha'}(\varepsilon) = \sum_{\beta'=1}^{n-2} (-1)^{\varepsilon+1} Q(\varepsilon)^{\alpha'\beta'} Y_{\beta'}. \quad (\text{III.19})$$

The divergence of the  $Q^{\alpha'}(\varepsilon)$ , with respect to  $v^\alpha$ , is given by

$$Q^{\alpha'}(\varepsilon) || \alpha' = \sum_{\beta'=1}^{n-2} (-1)^{\varepsilon+1} (Q^{\alpha'\beta'}(\varepsilon)_{||\alpha'} Y_{\beta'} + Q^{\alpha'\beta'}(\varepsilon) Y_{\beta'} || \alpha'). \quad (\text{III.20})$$

Assuming

$$\sum_{\gamma=1}^{\varepsilon} (-1)^\gamma M_{\varepsilon-1} |K_{n-\gamma-1} H^\gamma_\alpha| = |R_{\varepsilon\alpha}^\gamma$$

from (III.10) and (III.18) it follows that

$$Q^{\alpha}(\varepsilon) || \alpha' = \sum_{\beta'=1}^{n-2} \sum_{\alpha=1}^{n-1} g^{\alpha'\beta'} |R_{\varepsilon\alpha}^\gamma| Y_{\beta'} + |R_{\varepsilon\alpha}^\gamma| (qM_1 + g^{\alpha'\beta'} P_{\alpha'\beta'}). \quad (\text{III.21})$$

Finally by using the divergence theorem of Gauss and for  $n^\alpha = \sum_{\beta'=1}^{n-2} g^{\alpha'\beta'} n_{\beta'}$ , we obtain an integral formula as follows,

$$\int_{\partial R} n_\alpha Q^{\alpha'}(\varepsilon) ds' = \int_R \sum_{\alpha=1}^{n-1} \sum_{\beta'=1}^{n-2} [g^{\alpha'\beta'} \frac{\partial |R^\gamma \varepsilon_\alpha|}{\partial v^{\alpha'}}] Y_{\beta'} + [R_{\varepsilon_\alpha}^\gamma (qM_1 + g^{\alpha'\beta'} P_{\alpha'\beta'})] ds. \quad (\text{III.22})$$

### ÖZET

#### Riemann Manifoldlarının Hiperyüzeyleri Üzerinde İversen Temel Formlar Ve Bir İntegral Formülü

Bu çalışmada  $n$ -boyutlu Riemann uzayı  $M$  nin bir  $N$  hiperyüzeyinin  $p$  tane formu, birinci ve ikinci temel formaların katsayıları sayesinde ifade edildi. Sonra  $N$  hiperyüzeyi üzerinde tanımlanan  $S$  şekil operatörünün inversi  $S^{-1}$  Cayley-Hamilton teoremi sayesinde  $S$  nin kuvvetleri ve yüksek mertebeden  $K_1, \dots, K_{n-1}$  Gauss eğrilikleri cinsinden yazıldı. Böylece invers temel formlar dediğiniz yeni temel formlar ve onların bazı özellikleri tanımlanıp incelendi. Daha sonra  $N$  nin bir  $R$  bölgesi üzerinde bazı tensör alanlarının divergensinin  $M$  nin yeni tanımlanmış eğriliklerini kapsayan polinomlar cinsinden olan ifadesine Gauss'un genelleştirilmiş divergens teoremini uygulamak suretiyle genel bir integral formülü elde edildi.

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