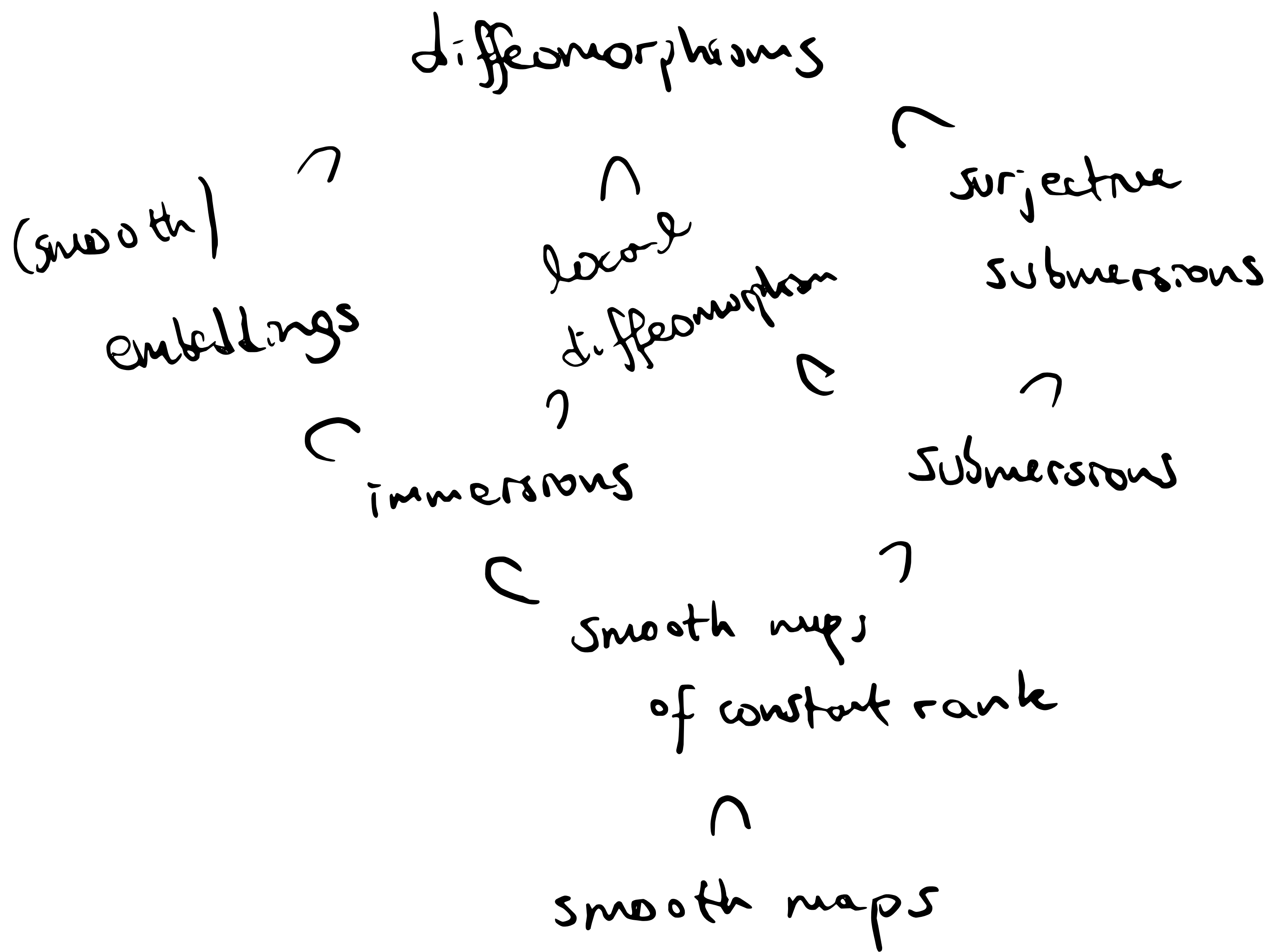


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The "nicest" smooth maps are diffeomorphisms.

Here is a road map to the next few lectures:



Dfn: A smooth map  $F: M \rightarrow N$  is of constant rank if  $dF_p: T_p M \rightarrow T_{F(p)} N$  has constant rank for all  $p \in M$ .

A map  $F$  of constant rank is:

- An immersion if  $dF_p$  is injective for all  $p$ .
- A submersion if  $dF_p$  is surjective for all  $p$ .

Prop:  $F: M \rightarrow N$  smooth. If  $p \in M$  is s.t.  $dF_p$  is injective/surjective then  $\exists$  a nbd  $U \ni p$  s.t.

$$F|_U: U \rightarrow N$$

is immersion/submersion.

Pf: If we choose a chart  $(U, \phi)$  of  $M$  and compatible chart  $(V, \psi)$  of  $N$ , then  $dF_p$  is represented by the Jacobian matrix

of partial derivatives. This gives us a map

$$dF_p : U \longrightarrow \text{Mat}_{n \times m}$$

Lemma : Let

$$W = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{matrices w/} \\ \text{maximal rank} \end{array} \right\} \subset \text{Mat}_{n \times m} .$$

The  $W$  is open.

Pf : wlog sps  $m < n$ . Then  $A \in W \Rightarrow$

$\exists$  submatrix of size  $m \times m$  (obtained by deleting some rows + columns) which is invertible.

So  $f(A) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \sum_{\substack{B \text{ submatrix} \\ \text{of size } m \times m \\ \text{of } A}} |\det(B)| > 0 .$

But  $A \mapsto f(A)$  is a cts map

$$f: M_{n \times m} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$W = f^{-1}(\mathbb{R}^x) \text{ is open. } \square$$

Back to proof. Since

$$dF_p: U \rightarrow M_{n \times m}$$

is cts (in fact smooth) we see that

$$(dF_p)^{-1}(W) \underset{p \in U}{\subset} \text{open } U \subset M.$$

$\square$

We move on to some examples involving rank, immersion/submersion.

Ex: Let  $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be

$$f(x, y) = xy + x^2.$$

Then  $df_{(x,y)} = (y + 2x \mid x)$

For  $(x, y) \neq (0, 0)$  the rank of  $df_{(x,y)}$

is 1, but  $df_{(0,0)} = 0$ . So  $f$  does not

have constant rank.

Ex: Let  $g: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be

$$g(x, y) = xy + x^2 - y^2 + y$$

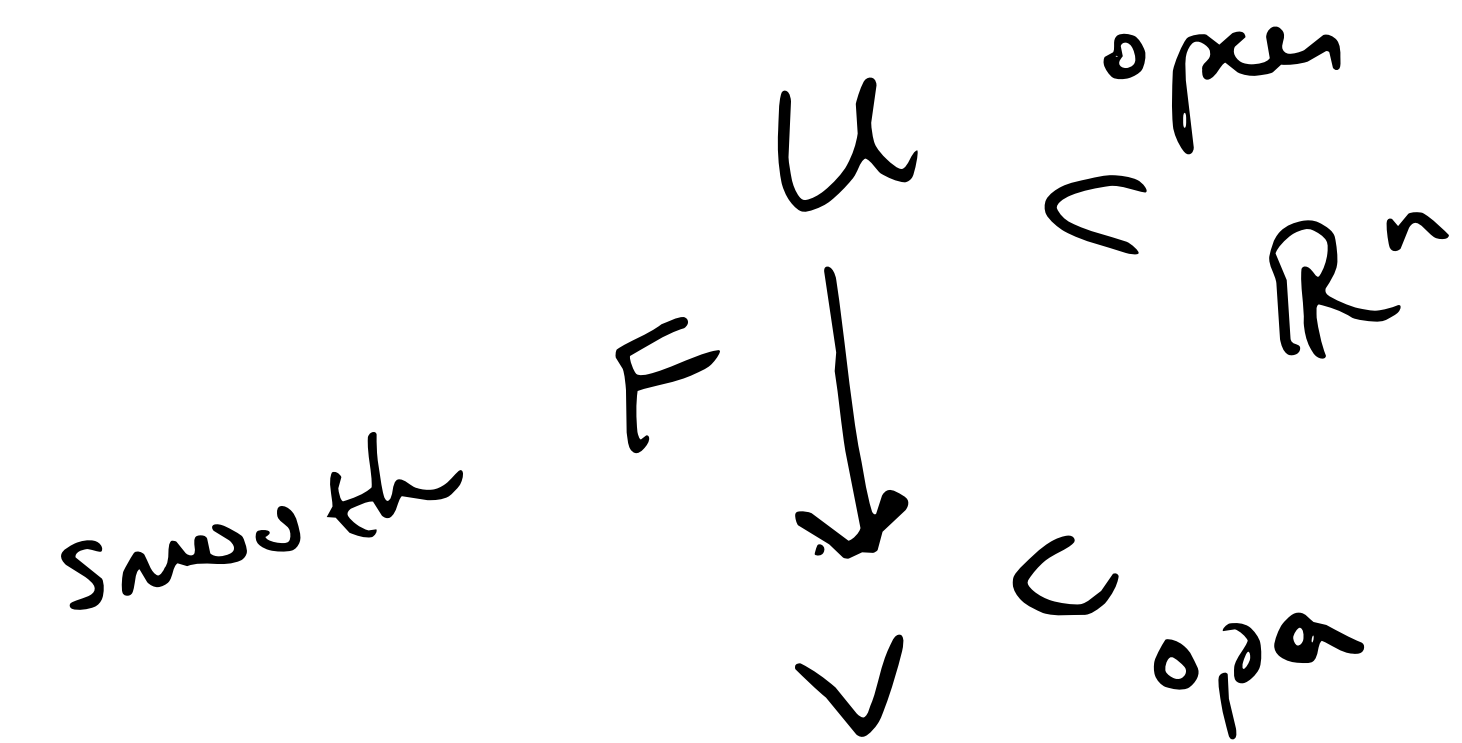
Then

$$dg_{(x,y)} = (y + 2x \mid 2x - y + 1).$$

Submersion

# Inverse Function Thm

locally:



Thm: If  $\exists a \in U$  s.t.  $DF|_a$  is invertible,  
then  $\exists$  open nbd  $\tilde{U}$  w/  $a \in \tilde{U} \subset U$   
s.t.

$$F|_{\tilde{U}} : \tilde{U} \rightarrow V$$

is a diffeo onto its image. Moreover

$$D(F|_{\tilde{U}})^{-1}|_{F(a)} = \left( D F|_{\tilde{U}}|_a \right)^{-1}$$

Pf: single variable case: If

$$f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

has  $f'(a) \neq 0$  for some  $a$ , then

by continuity of  $f' : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$   $\exists$  some

nb:  $U \ni a$  s.t.  $f'|_U > 0$ . Then the

mean value theorem says that  $f$  is increasing

on  $U \Rightarrow f|_U : U \rightarrow f(U)$  is smooth

and bijective. Apply same reasoning to  $f^{-1}$ .  $\square$

We will not prove the general case.

Ex.  $F : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$

$$F(x, y) = (y, x^2).$$

Then

$$DF|_{(x, y)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 2x & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Not invertible at  $(0, 0)$ . There exists

no nbh  $U$  of  $(0, 0)$  s.t.  $F|_U$  is injective.

Ex: Let

$$U = \left\{ (r, \theta) \mid \begin{array}{l} r > 0 \\ 0 < \theta < \pi \end{array} \right\} \subset \mathbb{R}^2$$

and define  $F: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  by

$$F(r, \theta) = (r \cos \theta, r \sin \theta).$$

Have  $DF|_{(r, \theta)} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -r \sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & r \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}$

invertible on  $U$ , but not all of  $\mathbb{R}^2$ !

$$\left( F|_U \right)^{-1}(x, y) = \left( \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}, \arccos \frac{x}{r} \right).$$

We will use the inverse function theorem for manifolds.



Thm:  $F: M \rightarrow N$  is smooth. If  
 $p \in M$  is s.t.  $dF_p$  is invertible then  $\exists$   
nbd  $\tilde{U}$  of  $p$  s.t.

$$F|_{\tilde{U}}: \tilde{U} \rightarrow F(\tilde{U})$$

is a diffeomorphism. //

So: if  $F$  is s.t.  $dF_p$  is invertible for  
all  $p \in M$  then it is a "local diffeomorphism".

Dfn:  $F: M \rightarrow N$  is a local diffeomorphism

if for every  $p \in M \exists$  nbd  $U$  of  $p$

s.t.

$$F|_U: U \rightarrow F(U)$$

is a diffeomorphism.