

Let  $S$  be a topological space and let  $\sim$  be an equivalence relation.

$$\pi: S \rightarrow S/\sim$$

$\sim$  is an open equivalence relation is open if  $\pi$  is an open map  
(equivalently)  
if  $\bigcup_{x \in U} [x]$  is open in  $S$   
whenever  $U$  is open in  $S$ .

Thm: Suppose  $\sim$  is open equiv. relation. Then  $S/\sim$  is Hausdorff iff  
the graph  $R := \{(x, y) \in S \times S \mid x \sim y\}$  of  $\sim$  is closed in  $S \times S$ .

( $S$  doesn't need to be Hausdorff)

etc

Thm: Suppose  $\sim$  is an open equiv. relation. If  $S$  is second countable,  
 $S/\sim$  is second countable.

Proof: If  $\{B_\alpha\}$  is a countable basis for  $S$ ,  
then  $\{\pi(B_\alpha)\}$  is a countable basis for  $S/\sim$ .

(check)

( $\Leftarrow$  is false)

Check locally Euclidean on a case by case basis.

Exercise: Define rigorously the topological spaces cylinder, torus,  
Möbius strip, Klein bottle as quotient spaces of the square on  $\mathbb{R}^2$ .



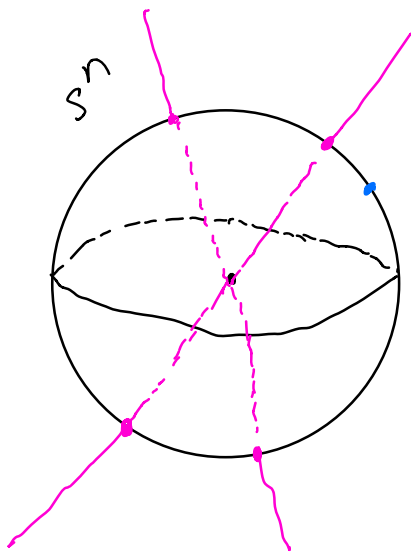
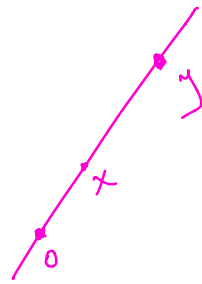
Specific Impl Example:

The Real Projective space

$\mathbb{R}P^n$  is going to be the space of lines in  $\mathbb{R}^{n+1}$  passing through the origin.

Define an equivalence relation on  $\mathbb{R}^{n+1} \setminus \{0\}$  by  
 $x \sim y$  if  $x = ty$  for some  $t \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$

Define  $\mathbb{R}P^n := (\mathbb{R}^{n+1} \setminus \{0\}) / \sim$



Any line passing through the origin can be associated to a pair of antipodal points on  $S^n$ .

This motivates the following:

Define an equivalence relation on  $S^n$  by  
 $x \sim y$  if  $x = \pm y$

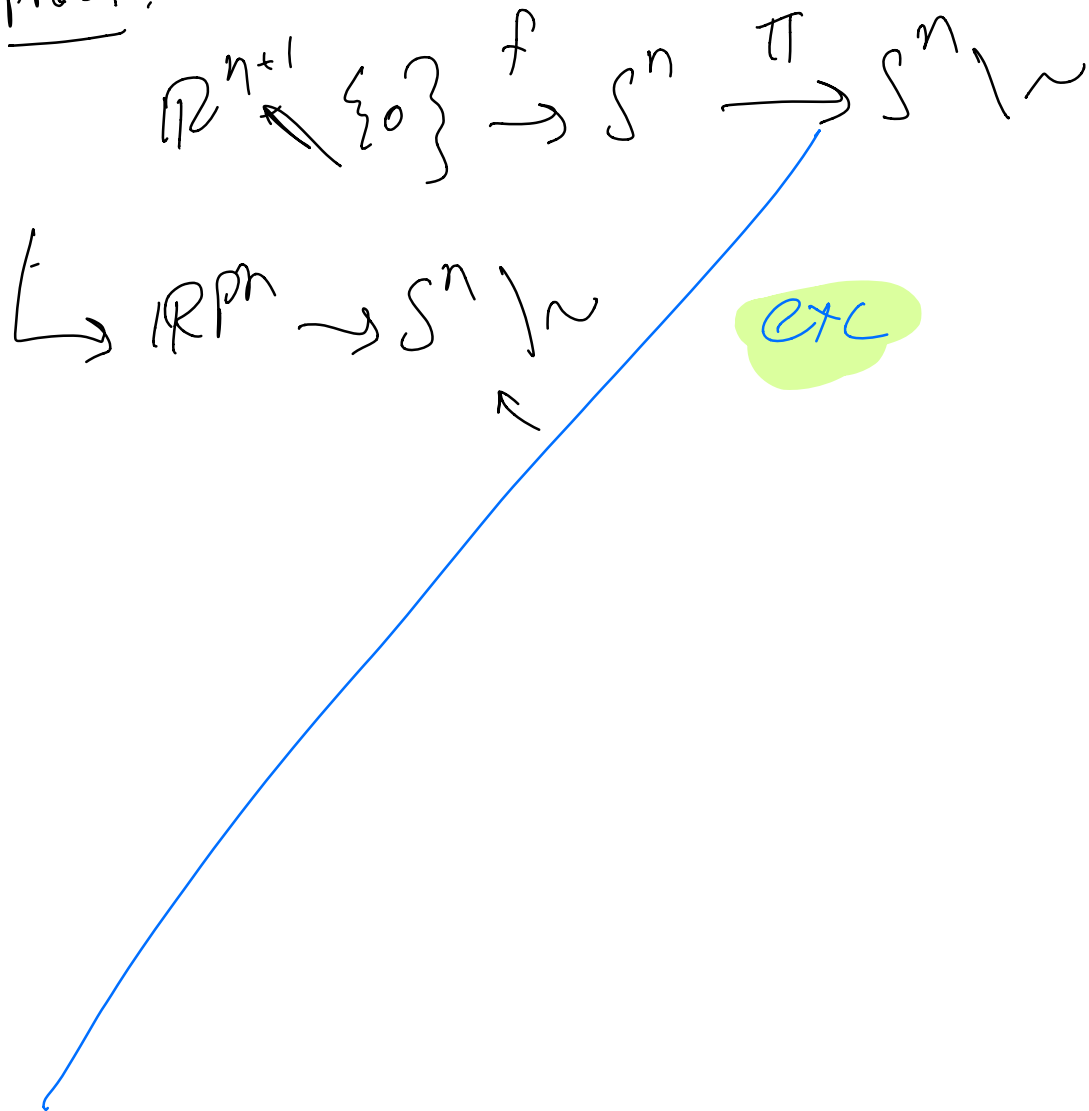
Then we have an obvious bijection  $\mathbb{R}P^n \leftrightarrow S^n / \sim$

let  $f: \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \setminus \{0\} \rightarrow S^n$ ,  $f(x) = \frac{x}{\|x\|}$

Proposition:

This function induces a homeomorphism:  $\bar{f}: \mathbb{R}P^n \rightarrow S^n / \sim$

Proof:



Some conclude  $\mathbb{R}P^n \cong S^n / \sim$

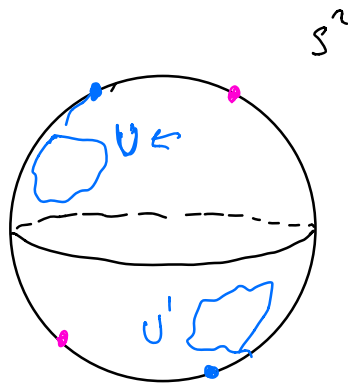
Is  $\mathbb{R}P^n$  compact?

$\pi: S^n \rightarrow S^n / \sim$

↑ iscont    ↑ iscompact

we could say more:

consider  $\mathbb{R}P^2$   
 $\cong S^2 / \sim$

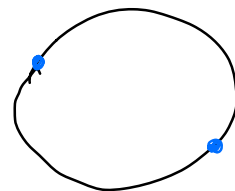
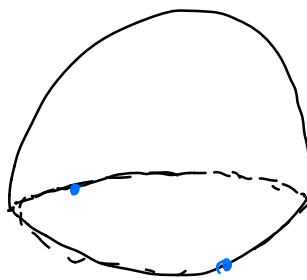


$\bigcup_{x \in U} \{x\}$   
 $= U \cup U'$   
 is open

Define the upper hemisphere

$$H^2 = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1, z \geq 0\}$$

$$D^2 = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x^2 + y^2 \leq 1\}$$



Note that  $H^2 \cong D^2$ . How?

let  $\varphi: H^2 \rightarrow D^2$ ,  $\varphi \cong ?$

let  $\psi: D^2 \rightarrow H^2$ ,  $\psi \cong ?$

Then  $\varphi, \psi$  are cont and are inverses of each other

Define  $\sim$  on  $H^2$  by identifying antipodal points on the equator.

Define  $\sim$  on  $D^2$  by identifying antipodal points on  $\partial D^2$

Then  $\varphi$  and  $\psi$  induce homeomorphisms  $\overline{\varphi}: H^2 / \sim \rightarrow D^2 / \sim$   
 $\overline{\psi}: D^2 / \sim \rightarrow H^2 / \sim$



→ 3)  $\mathbb{R}P^n$  admits a  $C^\infty$  atlas and so is a smooth manifold.

1)  $\pi$  is open iff if  $U$  is open set in  $\mathbb{R}^{n+1} \setminus \{0\}$ ,

then  $\bigcup_{x \in U} [x]$  is open in  $\mathbb{R}P^n$

↳  $= \bigcup_{t \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}} tU$  which is open

2) Second countable: ✓  $\mathbb{R}^{n+1} \setminus \{0\}$  is second countable ✓

Hausdorff: let  $R = \{(x, y) \in S \times S : x \sim y\}$  the graph of the equivalence relation where  $S = \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \setminus \{0\}$

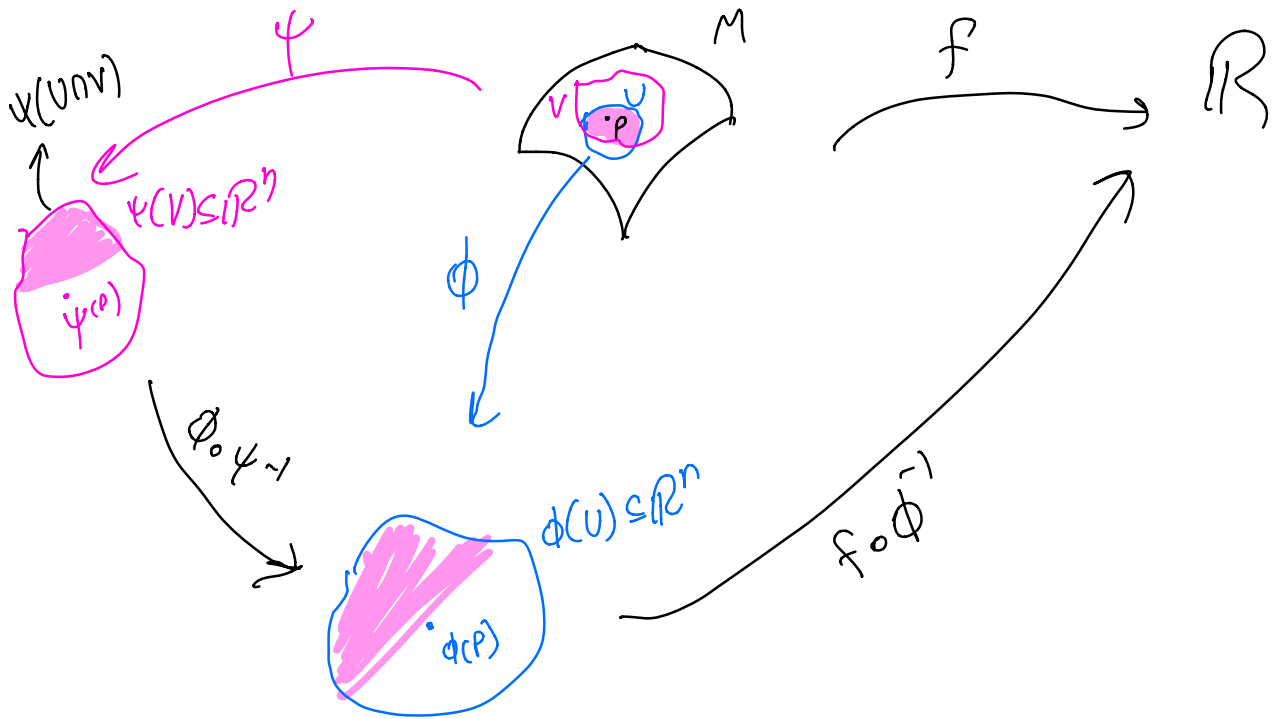
so  $R = \left\{ (x, tx) : x \in \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \setminus \{0\}, t \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\} \right\}$   
which is closed ✓ 😊

3) Intutorial.

Take the first step in developing Calculus on smooth manifolds

**Definition of a smooth function**

Let  $M$  be a smooth manifold.  
and let  $f: M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  ←



Def:  $f$  is  $C^\infty$  at  $p$  if  $\exists$  a chart  $(U, \phi)$  containing  $p$  s.t.  $f \circ \phi^{-1}: \phi(U) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is  $C^\infty$  at  $\phi(p)$ .  
regular  $C^\infty$ .

$\Rightarrow f$  is cont at  $p$  since  $f = (f \circ \phi^{-1}) \circ \phi$  on  $U$



Is this definition well defined?

Let  $(U, \psi)$  be another chart near  $p$ ,  
in the maximal atlas on  $M$ .

$$f \circ \psi^{-1} = (f \circ \phi^{-1}) \circ (\phi \circ \psi^{-1}) : \psi(U \cap V) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$\uparrow$   $C^\infty$  at  $p$        $\uparrow$   $C^\infty$  at  $p$

$\Rightarrow f \circ \psi^{-1} \text{ is } C^\infty \text{ at } p.$

" $f \text{ is } C^\infty \text{ at } p$ " is independent of the chart.