

1) Let  $S^2 = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^3 : \|x\| = 1\}$  and obtain  $RP^2$  by identification of antipodal points of  $S^2$ . Define  $f: S^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$  by  $f(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1^2 - x_2^2, x_1 x_2, x_1 x_3, x_2 x_3)$ . Since  $f(-x) = f(x)$ ,  $f|_{S^2}$  defines a mapping  $\check{f}: RP^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$ . Show that  $\check{f}$  is a  $C^\infty$  imbedding.

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2. Show that  $SO(n) := \{A \in O(n) : \det A = 1\}$  is a manifold.

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3) Let  $A$  be a submanifold of  $M$  and  $B$  be a submanifold of  $N$ . Show that  $A \times B$  is (by inclusion) a submanifold of  $M \times N$ .

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4) let  $f: N \rightarrow M$  be a one to one immersion which is proper, i.e. the inverse image of any compact set is compact. Show that  $f$  is an imbedding and that its image is a closed regular submanifold of  $M$ . (A regular submanifold is a subspace with inclusion as an imbedding map)