

10/31 愛工大研究会 "Geometry and topology of discrete groups"

Eigenvalue maximization and inflation of maps

Nash embedding and inflated map

Thm (Nash 1956)

Any compact Riem. mfd (M^n, g) admits an isometric embedding $\varphi: M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^N$, $N = \frac{n(3n+11)}{2}$.

The image $\varphi(M)$ can be made arbitrary small if one allows N bigger, but cannot be very large:
 $\text{diam}(\varphi(M)) \leq \text{diam}(N, g)$.

Question What is the "largest" isometric embedding?

Fix $du = \frac{dn}{\text{Vol}(g)}$ volume element of unit volume
 $\uparrow$
 g Riem. metric
 on M .

$$\{ (a_n) \in \mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{N}} \mid \sum a_n^2 < \infty \}$$

Problem 1 Over all C^0 -maps $\varphi: M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ satisfying

$$\varphi^* g_{\mathbb{R}^2} \leq g, \quad \bar{\varphi} = \int_M \varphi \, du = 0,$$

maximize the variance

$$\text{var}(\varphi) := \int_M \|\varphi\|^2 \, du.$$

Def A map maximizing var, if exists, is called an inflated map.

Eigenvalue maximization

As a dual of Problem 1, we obtain an e.v. max. problem.

g Riem. metric on M

$\lambda_1(d\mu, g)$ first eigenvalue of Bakry - Émery Laplacian
 $-\Delta(d\mu, g) = -\Delta_g \varphi + g(\nabla f, \nabla \varphi)$, $d\mu_g = e^f d\mu$

Problem 2 Over all Riem. metrics g satisfying

$$\int_M \text{tr}_g h \, d\mu = 1,$$

minimize $1/\lambda_1(d\mu, g)$.

Duality implies

$$\sup_{\varphi} \text{var}(\varphi) \leq \inf_g 1/\lambda_1(d\mu, g)$$

Lemma In the inequality

$$\text{var}(\varphi) \leq 1/\lambda_1(d\mu, g),$$

the equality holds iff

$$(\#) \quad \begin{cases} -\Delta(d\mu, g) \varphi = \lambda_1(d\mu, g) \varphi \\ \varphi^* g_{\mathbb{R}^2} = h \end{cases}$$

Thm g solution to Problem 2

$\Rightarrow \exists \varphi_1, \dots, \varphi_N$ first eigenfunctions of $-\Delta(d\mu, g)$

s.t.

$$\varphi = (\varphi_1, \dots, \varphi_N) : M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^N$$

is an isometric immersion w.r.t. h .

Ex Can solve Problems 1, 2 for

(0) symmetric spaces

(1) flat T^2

(2) Berger spheres

If $t > 1$, φ is not an isometric immersion,

and g is not a Riem. metric, but a CC-metric.

Question Solve Problems 1, 2 for Heisenberg mfd

