Math 360 Week of May 5 Sheet

1. Verify

$$\gamma'' = u''\sigma_u + u'(u'\sigma_{uu} + v'\sigma_{uv}) + v''\sigma_v + v'(u'\sigma_{uv} + v'\sigma_{vv})$$

by using the chain rule from calculus III.

2. Use the previous problem to verify the geodesic differential equations from Theorem 9.2.1 in particular show

$$\gamma'' \cdot \sigma_u = \left(\frac{d}{dt}(u'\sigma_u + v'\sigma_v)\right) \cdot \sigma_u = \frac{d}{dt}(Eu' + Fv') - \frac{1}{2}\left(E_u(u')^2 + 2F_uu'v' + G_u(v')^2\right)$$

3. Consider hyperbolic geometry, i.e. the upper-half (v, w) plane w > 0 with metric

$$\frac{dv^2 + du^2}{w^2}.$$

This

- (a) Find the length of the geodesic segment $\gamma_1(t) = (0, t)$, in the hyperbolic upper-half plane when $1 \le t \le 4$.
- (b) Find the length of the geodesic segment $\gamma_2(t) = (3\cos t, 3\sin t)$, in the hyperbolic upper-half plane when $-\frac{\pi}{4} \le t \le \frac{\pi}{4}$.
- 4. Use complex differentials to show that each of the four basic hyperbolic isometries in Section 11.2 are indeed isometries.
- 5. Be able to prove Proposition 11.2.3 and Theorem 11.2.4 from section 11.2 and Proposition 11.3.2 from section 11.3.
- 6. (Pressley): 11.1.1 11.1.4, 11.2.1 11.2.4
- Read the links on our webpage: 1. "What is the Geometry of the Universe" (Quanta magazine) and
 "Non-Euclidean geometry" (Wikipedia) so that you can answer the question: "What is modern geometry?" during the one-to-one oral component of our final exam.