

tetrahedron outside its edges each in a *Caporali quartic*, and contains both the  $G_{27}$  and the  $G_{36}$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 F_7 = & x_1x_2x_3 \{ a_{14}x_1(x_2^3 - x_3^3) + a_{24}x_2(x_3^3 - x_1^3) + a_{34}x_3(x_1^3 - x_2^3) \} \\
 & + x_1x_2x_4 \{ a_{13}x_1(x_2^3 - x_4^3) + a_{23}x_2(x_4^3 - x_1^3) + a_{43}x_4(x_1^3 - x_2^3) \} \\
 & + x_1x_3x_4 \{ a_{12}x_1(x_3^3 - x_4^3) + a_{32}x_3(x_4^3 - x_1^3) + a_{42}x_4(x_1^3 - x_3^3) \} \\
 & + x_2x_3x_4 \{ a_{21}x_2(x_3^3 - x_4^3) + a_{31}x_3(x_4^3 - x_2^3) + a_{41}x_4(x_2^3 - x_3^3) \} = 0.
 \end{aligned}$$

It has the  $A_i$ 's as triple points and the  $\overline{A_iA_k}$  as single lines.

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## EINSTEIN SPACES OF CLASS ONE\*

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1. *Introduction.* An Einstein space is defined as a Riemann space for which

$$(1) \quad R_{\alpha\beta} = \frac{R}{n} g_{\alpha\beta}.$$

We assume the first fundamental form

$$(2) \quad ds^2 = g_{\alpha\beta} dx^\alpha dx^\beta$$

to be non-singular, but do not restrict ourselves to the positive definite case. An  $n+1$  dimensional space is said to be flat when its first fundamental form can be reduced to †

$$(3) \quad ds^2 = \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} c_i (dx^i)^2,$$

where the  $c_i$  are definitely plus one or minus one. An  $n$  dimensional Riemann space which is not flat is said to be of class one if it can be imbedded in an  $n+1$  dimensional flat space. The purpose of this paper is to determine necessary and sufficient conditions that an Einstein space be of class one.

There is no problem when  $n=2$ , for then every space which

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† Throughout this paper Latin indices will have the range 1 to  $n+1$ ; Greek indices the range 1 to  $n$ .