

## On deformations of cross-sections of a differentiable fibre bundle

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### Introduction

It is well-known that geometric structures on a topological space can be defined mostly through the notion of  $(B, \Gamma)$ -structure, where  $\Gamma$  is a pseudogroup of local homeomorphisms of a topological space  $B$ . Particularly for a differentiable manifold, when we take the euclidean space  $R^n$  as  $B$  and some pseudogroup  $\Gamma_d$  of local differentiable transformations of  $R^n$  as  $\Gamma$ ,  $(R^n, \Gamma_d)$ -structures are objects of differential geometry. On the other hand, there are also structures defined by cross-sections of differentiable bundles over a differentiable manifold such as Riemannian metric structures. But they are not considered generally as  $(R^n, \Gamma_d)$ -structures. However if we take the space of germs of cross-sections of the product bundle over  $R^n$  as  $B$  and a suitable pseudogroup on it as  $\Gamma$ , we can regard the structures by cross-sections of the differentiable fibre bundle as  $(B, \Gamma)$ -structures. (§ 5.)

D. C. Spencer ([10]) has pointed out without proof that the set of germs of  $m$ -parameter deformations of a  $(B, \Gamma)$ -structure may be identified with a 1-cohomology set with coefficients on some sheaf, from the theory of A. Haefliger ([8]). Hence, we can apply this theory to deformations of a cross-section and we have a theorem on deformations of a Riemannian manifold as an example.

We give a direct formulation and proof of Spencer's proposition without such a objectionable condition for our application, that  $B$  is paracompact. Though our result (Theorem 3) can be

proved more directly, we treat it from a view point of a general theory of deformations of  $(B, \Gamma)$ -structures, (§§ 1-4) and its application. (§§ 5-7)

### § 1. Differentiable $(B, \Gamma)$ -structures

Let  $B$  be a topological space with a differentiable structure, i.e. there exists a neighborhood  $U$  of each point of  $B$  and a homeomorphism  $\varphi_U$  from  $U$  to an open set of  $n$ -dimensional euclidean space  $R^n$  such that  $\varphi_U \cdot \varphi_V^{-1}$  is a bidifferentiable transformation on  $\varphi_V(U \cap V)$  for  $U \cap V \neq \Phi$ . ( $B$  is not necessarily separable or paracompact.)

Let  $\Gamma$  be some pseudogroup of local bidifferentiable transformations of  $B$  and let  $M$  be a differentiable manifold. For each open set  $U$  of  $M$ , we set

$$B(U) = \{ \varphi; \text{ a diffeomorphism, in the sense of differentiable structures of } M \text{ and } B, \text{ from } U \text{ onto the domain of an element of } \Gamma \}.$$

We define that  $\varphi, \psi \in B(U)$  are equivalent if and only if  $\varphi \cdot \psi^{-1} \in \Gamma$  and we denote the set of the equivalence classes of  $B(U)$  by  $B/\Gamma(U)$ . For  $U \supset U'$ , the restriction induces a correspondence  $r_{U'}^U: B(U) \rightarrow B(U')$  such that  $r_{U''}^{U'} \cdot r_{U'}^U = r_{U''}^U$  for  $U \supset U' \supset U''$  and  $(r_{U'}^U \varphi)(r_{U'}^U \psi)^{-1} \in \Gamma$  if  $\varphi \cdot \psi^{-1} \in \Gamma$ . Therefore, there exists a correspondence  $r'^U_{U'}: B/\Gamma(U) \rightarrow B/\Gamma(U')$  such that  $r'^U_{U''} \cdot r'^U_{U'} = r'^U_{U''}$  for  $U \supset U' \supset U''$ . and then  $\{B/\Gamma(U)\}$  is a presheaf over  $M$  and induces a sheaf  $[B/\Gamma]_M$  over  $M$ .

**Definition.** A differentiable  $(B, \Gamma)$ -structure on  $M$  is an element  $s$  of  $H^0(M, [B/\Gamma]_M)$ , which is a section of  $[B/\Gamma]_M$  over  $M$ .

For a differentiable  $(B, \Gamma)$ -structure  $s$ , there exist a suitable open neighborhood  $U$  of each point  $x$  of  $M$  and  $s_U \in B/\Gamma(U)$  such that the germ of  $s_U$  at  $x$  is  $s(x)$ , and we have  $\varphi_U \in B(U)$  such that  $p_U(\varphi_U) = s_U$  where  $p_U$  is the projection  $B(U) \rightarrow B/\Gamma(U)$ .  $U$  and  $\varphi_U$  are called a *coordinate neighborhood* of  $s$  and *coordinate map* of  $s$ , respectively. For an open covering  $\{U_j, j \in J\}$  of  $M$  by coordinate neighborhoods of  $s$  and coordinate maps  $\varphi_j \in B(U_j)$ ,  $\{U_j, \varphi_j, j \in J\}$  is called a *coordinate system* of  $s$ . This definition ensures that

each element of  $H^0(M, [B/\Gamma]_M)$  has necessarily a coordinate system. If  $\{U'_k, k \in K\}$  is a refinement of  $\{U_i, j \in J\}$  (with the index injection of the refinement  $\kappa; K \rightarrow J$ ), then  $\{U'_k, \varphi_{\kappa(k)}|U'_k\}$  is also a coordinate system of  $s$ . If  $\{U_j, \varphi_j, j \in J\}$  and  $\{U'_k, \varphi'_k, k \in K\}$  are coordinate systems of the same element of  $H^0(M, [B/\Gamma]_M)$ , there exists a refinement  $\{U'_l, l \in L\}$  of  $\{U_j\}$  and  $\{U'_k\}$  (with the index injections of the refinement  $\iota: L \rightarrow J, \kappa: L \rightarrow K$ ) such that  $\varphi_{\iota(l)}|U'_l$  and  $\varphi'_{\kappa(l)}|U'_l$  are equivalent in  $B(U'_l)$ .

**Lemma 1.** *Let  $B'(U)$  be a subset of  $B(U)$  for each open set  $U$  of  $M$  such that  $r_{U'}^U(B'(U)) \subset B'(U')$  if  $U \supset U'$ , and let  $\Gamma'$  be a sub-pseudogroup of  $\Gamma$  such that  $\varphi \cdot \psi^{-1} \in \Gamma'$  if  $\varphi, \psi \in B'(U)$  and  $\varphi \cdot \psi^{-1} \in \Gamma$ . Then  $[B'/\Gamma']_M$  is a sub-sheaf of  $[B/\Gamma]_M$  and so  $H^0(M, [B'/\Gamma']_M)$  can be identified with a subset of  $H^0(M, [B/\Gamma]_M)$ .*

*Proof.* If  $\varphi, \psi \in B'(U)$  are equivalent in  $B(U)$ , they are equivalent in  $B'(U)$ , and then  $B'/\Gamma'(U) \subset B/\Gamma(U)$ . Since  $r_{U'}^U(B'(U)) \subset B'(U')$ ,  $r_{U'}^U: B/\Gamma(U) \rightarrow B/\Gamma(U')$  maps  $B'/\Gamma'(U)$  into  $B'/\Gamma'(U')$ . Therefore,  $\{B'/\Gamma'(U)\}$  is a sub-presheaf of  $\{B/\Gamma(U)\}$  and so  $[B'/\Gamma']_M$  is a sub-sheaf of  $[B/\Gamma]_M$ .

When  $W$  is an open set of  $M$ , we define similarly a coordinate system of a section  $s|W$  of  $[B/\Gamma]_M$  over  $W$ .

**Lemma 2.** *Let  $\eta$  be a diffeomorphism of  $W$  onto an open set of  $M$ . Then  $\eta$  induces a map  $\bar{\eta}$  of sections over  $\eta(W)$  into sections over  $W$ .*

*Proof.* If  $\{U_j, \varphi_j\}$  is a coordinate system of a section  $s|_{\eta(W)}$  over  $\eta(W)$ ,  $\varphi_j \cdot \eta: \eta^{-1}(U_j) \rightarrow B$  is an element of  $B(\eta^{-1}(U_j))$  and  $(\varphi_i \eta) \cdot (\varphi_j \eta)^{-1} = \varphi_i \cdot \varphi_j^{-1} \in \Gamma$  for  $U_i \cap U_j (\neq \Phi)$ . Therefore  $\{\varphi_j \cdot \eta, \eta^{-1}(U_j)\}$  is a coordinate system of a section over  $W$  which is denoted by  $\bar{\eta}(s|W)$ .

**Remark.** If  $\eta$  is a diffeomorphism of  $W$  into  $M$  such that  $\varphi \cdot \eta \in B'(U) \subset B(U)$  for any  $\varphi \in B'(\eta(U)) \subset B(\eta(U))$  and any open set  $U$  included in  $W$ , then Lemma 2 ensures that  $\eta$  induces a map  $\bar{\eta}$  of sections of  $[B'/\Gamma']_M$  over  $\eta(W)$  into sections of  $[B'/\Gamma']_M$  over  $W$ .

## § 2. Differentiable deformations of $(B, \Gamma)$ -structures

Let  $I$  be the open interval  $(-1, 1)$  of real numbers. The product space  $B \times I$  is naturally a topological space with a differentiable structure. Let  $\Gamma \times I$  denote the pseudogroup of local bidifferentiable transformations  $\gamma$  of  $B \times I$  such that

- 1°.  $t = \gamma_t(x, t)$ ,
- 2°. For every fixed  $t$ , the local bidifferentiable transformation  $\gamma_x(x, t)$  of  $B$  is an element of the given pseudogroup  $\Gamma$  of  $B$ .

where  $\gamma(x, t) = (\gamma_x(x, t), \gamma_t(x, t))$ ,  $x \in B$ ,  $t \in (-1, 1)$ .

For each open set  $U$  of  $M \times I$ , we set

$$B \times I(U) = \{ \varphi ; \text{diffeomorphisms of } U \text{ onto domains of elements of } \Gamma \times I \text{ such that } \varphi_t(x, t) \text{ are independent of } x \text{ where } \varphi(x, t) = (\varphi_x(x, t), \varphi_t(x, t)) \text{ and } (x, t) \in U \}.$$

$\varphi, \psi \in B \times I(U)$  are said to be equivalent if and only if  $\varphi \cdot \psi^{-1} \in \Gamma \times I$ . We set  $B \times I / \Gamma \times I(U) = \{ \text{equivalence classes of } B \times I(U) \}$ . Similarly as in § 1,  $\{ B \times I / \Gamma \times I(U) \}$  is a presheaf over  $M \times I$ , and induces a sheaf  $[B \times I / \Gamma \times I]_{M \times I}$  over  $M \times I$ .

Let  $\{U_j, \varphi_j, j \in J\}$  be a coordinate system of  $s \in H^0(M \times I, [B \times I / \Gamma \times I]_{M \times I})$ . By the properties of  $B \times I(U)$  and  $\Gamma \times I$ ,  $t'$  of  $(y', t') = \varphi_j(x, 0)$  is a constant for any  $j \in J$  and moreover depends only on  $s$ . We call  $t'$  the *parameter* of  $s$ . We set

$$D = \{ s \in H^0(M \times I, [B \times I / \Gamma \times I]_{M \times I}) \text{ whose parameter is zero} \}$$

Let  $\{U_j, \varphi_j, j \in J\}$  denote a coordinate system of an element  $s$  of  $D$ . Setting  $V_j = U_j \cap (M \times 0)$  and identifying  $M \times 0$  with  $M$ , we have  $\varphi_j|_{V_j} \in B(V_j)$  and  $\varphi_i \cdot \varphi_j^{-1}|_{\varphi_j(V_i \cap V_j) (= \Phi)} \in \Gamma$  since  $\varphi_j(V_j) \subset B \times 0$ . Therefore  $\{V_j, \varphi_j, j \in J\}$  is a coordinate system of an element  $s_0$  of  $H^0(M, [B/\Gamma]_M)$  i.e. a differentiable  $(B, \Gamma)$ -structure. Obviously  $s_0$  depends only on the element  $s$  of  $D$  and so we have a map  $i : D \rightarrow H^0(M, [B/\Gamma]_M)$ .

**Lemma 3.** *The map  $i$  maps  $D$  onto  $H^0(M, [B/\Gamma]_M)$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $\{V_\alpha, \psi_\alpha, \alpha \in A\}$  be a coordinate system of an

element  $s_0$  of  $H^0(M, [B/\Gamma]_M)$  and  $\varphi_\alpha$  denote a map of  $V_\alpha \times I$  into  $B \times I$  defined by

$$\varphi_\alpha(x, t) = (\psi_\alpha(x), t), \quad (x \in V_\alpha, t \in I).$$

Hence,

$$(\varphi_\alpha| (V_\alpha \times I) \cap (V_\beta \times I))(\varphi_\beta| (V_\alpha \times I) \cap (V_\beta \times I))^{-1} \in \Gamma \times I$$

where  $V_\alpha \cap V_\beta \neq \Phi$ , and thus  $\{\varphi_\alpha, V_\alpha \times I, \alpha \in A\}$  is a coordinate system of an element of  $H^0(M \times I, [B \times I/\Gamma \times I]_{M \times I})$  and determines  $d$  of  $D$ . Since  $\varphi_\alpha| V_\alpha = \psi_\alpha$ , then  $i(d) = s_0$ .

**Definition.** Differentiable deformations of a given differentiable  $(B, \Gamma)$ -structure  $s_0$  are elements  $d$  of  $D$  such as  $i(d) = s_0$ . We denote their set by  $D(s_0)$ , i.e.  $D(s_0) = i^{-1}(s_0)$ .

Let  $d_\varepsilon$  be a section of  $[B \times I/\Gamma \times I]_{M \times I}$  over  $M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)$  where  $\varepsilon$  is an arbitrary positive number ( $< 1$ ).  $d_\varepsilon$  also determines an element of  $H^0(M, [B/\Gamma]_M)$ .

**Lemma 4.** When  $d_\varepsilon$  determines an element  $s_0$ ,  $d_\varepsilon$  can be extended to a section of  $[B \times I/\Gamma \times I]_{M \times I}$  over  $M \times I$  which is an element of  $D(s_0)$ .

*Proof.* It is well-known that there exists a diffeomorphism  $\eta$  of  $M \times I$  on  $M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)$  such that  $\eta| M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon) = \text{identity}$ ,  $\eta_x(x, t)$  is independent of  $t$  and  $\eta_t(x, t)$  is independent of  $x$ , where  $\eta(x, t) = (\eta_x(x, t), \eta_t(x, t))$ . If we apply Lemma 2 and Remark of § 1, to  $M \times I$  and  $\Gamma \times I$ , then  $\eta$  induces a map  $\bar{\eta}$  of sections over  $M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)$  into sections over  $M \times I$ , since  $\varphi \cdot \eta \in B \times I(U)$  for each open set  $U$  of  $M \times I$  and for  $\varphi \in B \times I(\eta(U))$ . Then  $\bar{\eta}(d_\varepsilon) \in H^0(M \times I, [B \times I/\Gamma \times I]_{M \times I})$  and moreover  $\bar{\eta}(d_\varepsilon) \in D(s_0)$  since  $\bar{\eta}(d_\varepsilon)| M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon) = d_\varepsilon$ .

Henceforth, we suppose that  $M$  is compact.

A diffeomorphism  $\varphi$  from an open set  $V$  of  $M$  to an open set of  $B$  is said a *regular map* on  $V$  for a differentiable  $(B, \Gamma)$ -structure  $s_0$  if  $(\varphi_j| V_j \cap V)(\varphi| V_j \cap V)^{-1} \in \Gamma$  for a coordinate system  $\{V_j, \varphi_j\}$  of  $s_0$  and for any  $j$  such as  $V_j \cap V \neq \Phi$ . This definition is independent of a coordinate system of  $s_0$ .

For each open set  $V$  of  $M$  (identified with  $M \times 0$ ), we set  $\Pi(V) = \{\psi^r, \bar{\eta}\}$  where  $\psi^r$  is a regular map on  $V$  for the given  $s_0$

and  $\bar{\gamma}$  is the germ of  $\gamma \in \Gamma \times I$  on  $\psi(V)$  where the domain of  $\gamma$  includes  $\psi(V)$ . For  $(\psi^1, \bar{\gamma}^1), (\psi^2, \bar{\gamma}^2) \in \Pi(V)$ , let the product  $(\psi^2, \bar{\gamma}^2) \cdot (\psi^1, \bar{\gamma}^1)$  be defined if and only if the regular map  $(\gamma' | \psi'(V)) \cdot \psi'$  on  $V$  is equal to  $\psi^2$ , in this case  $\gamma^2 \cdot \gamma^1$  can be combined in the sense of the pseudogroup  $\Gamma \times I$  by a suitable restriction of domain, and we set

$$(\psi^2, \bar{\gamma}^2) \cdot (\psi^1, \bar{\gamma}^1) = (\psi^2, \text{germ of } \gamma^2 \cdot \gamma^1 \text{ on } \psi'(V)) \in \Pi(V),$$

where germs of  $\gamma^i$  on  $\psi^i(V)$  is  $\bar{\gamma}^i (i=1, 2)$ . By this product  $\pi(V)$  is a groupoid. For  $V \supset V'$ , the restriction of  $\psi, \bar{\gamma}$  defines a map  $\Pi(V) \rightarrow \Pi(V')$  and  $\{\Pi(V)\}$  is a presheaf over  $M$  and it induces a sheaf  $[\Pi]$  of groupoid over  $M$ .

For an open covering  $\mathfrak{B} = \{V_\alpha, \alpha \in A\}$  of  $M$ , let  $\mathcal{C}^1(\mathfrak{B}, \Pi)$  denote the set of systems  $\{\bar{\psi}_{\alpha\beta} \in \Pi(V_\alpha \cap V_\beta), (V_\alpha \cap V_\beta \neq \Phi)\}$  such that

$$\bar{\psi}_{\alpha\beta} \cdot \bar{\psi}_{\beta\gamma} = \bar{\psi}_{\alpha\gamma} \quad \text{for } V_\alpha \cap V_\beta \cap V_\gamma \neq \Phi.$$

$\{\bar{\psi}_{\alpha\beta}\}, \{\bar{\psi}'_{\alpha\beta}\} \in \mathcal{C}^1(\mathfrak{B}, \Pi)$  are said to be *cohomologous* if there exists  $\bar{\psi}_\alpha \in \Pi(V_\alpha)$  for each  $\alpha$  such as  $\bar{\psi}_\alpha \cdot \bar{\psi}_{\alpha\beta} = \bar{\psi}'_{\alpha\beta} \bar{\psi}_\beta$  for  $V_\alpha \cap V_\beta (\neq \Phi)$  and we denote by  $\mathfrak{H}^1(\mathfrak{B}, \Pi)$  the set of cohomologous classes of  $\mathcal{C}^1(\mathfrak{B}, \Pi)$ . For a refinement  $\mathfrak{B}' = \{V'_{\alpha'}, \alpha' \in A'\}$  of  $\mathfrak{B}$ , (with the index injection of the refinement  $\alpha: A' \rightarrow A$ ),

$$\{\bar{\psi}_{\alpha(\alpha')\alpha(\beta')} | V'_{\alpha'} \cap V'_{\beta'} (\neq \Phi)\} \in \mathcal{C}^1(\mathfrak{B}', \Pi)$$

and if  $\{\bar{\psi}_{\alpha\beta}\}, \{\bar{\psi}'_{\alpha\beta}\}$  are cohomologous, then  $\{\bar{\psi}_{\alpha(\alpha')\alpha(\beta')} | V'_{\alpha'} \cap V'_{\beta'}\}, \{\bar{\psi}'_{\alpha(\alpha')\alpha(\beta')} | V'_{\alpha'} \cap V'_{\beta'}\}$  are cohomologous in  $\mathcal{C}^1(\mathfrak{B}', \Pi)$ . Therefore we have a correspondence

$$\bar{\gamma}_{\mathfrak{B}}^{\mathfrak{B}'}: \mathfrak{H}^1(\mathfrak{B}, \Pi) \rightarrow \mathfrak{H}^1(\mathfrak{B}', \Pi)$$

such that  $\bar{\gamma}_{\mathfrak{B}''}^{\mathfrak{B}'} \cdot \bar{\gamma}_{\mathfrak{B}}^{\mathfrak{B}''} = \bar{\gamma}_{\mathfrak{B}}^{\mathfrak{B}''}$  for  $\mathfrak{B} > \mathfrak{B}' > \mathfrak{B}'' (>; \text{refinement of coverings})$  and the system  $\{\mathfrak{H}^1(\mathfrak{B}, \Pi), \mathfrak{B} \in \text{the systems of open coverings of } M\}$  forms a direct system. We denote its inductive limit by  $H^1(M, [\Pi])$ . (The Čech cohomology set of 1-dim with coefficients in the sheaf  $[\Pi]$ ). An element  $\{\bar{\psi}_{\alpha\beta}\}$  of  $\mathcal{C}^1(\mathfrak{B}, \Pi)$  is called a *cocycle* of  $\bar{\psi}$  for  $\mathfrak{B}$  if  $\bar{\psi}$  is the element of  $H^1(M, [\Pi])$  determined by the inductive limit of cohomologous class of  $\{\bar{\psi}_{\alpha\beta}\}$ .

**Lemma 5.** *There exists a map  $\delta$  from  $D(s_0)$  onto  $H^1(M, [\Pi])$ .*

*Proof.* If  $\{U_j, \varphi_j, j \in J\}$  is a coordinate system of  $d \in D(s_0)$ ,

then  $\varphi_j|V_j: V_j \rightarrow B \times 0$  (identified with  $B$ ) are regular maps for  $s_0$  where  $V_j$  denote  $U_j \cap (M \times 0) (\neq \Phi)$ , and  $(\varphi_i \cdot \varphi_j^{-1}) \in \Gamma \times I(U_i \cap U_j \neq \Phi)$ . Therefore if we denote by  $\bar{\varphi}_{ij}$

$$(\varphi_j|V_j, \text{ germ of } \varphi_i \varphi_j^{-1} \text{ on } \varphi_j(V_i \cap V_j))$$

then  $\bar{\varphi}_{ij} \in \Pi(V_i \cap V_j)$  and  $\bar{\varphi}_{ij} \cdot \bar{\varphi}_{jk} = \bar{\varphi}_{ik}$  on  $V_i \cap V_j \cap V_k \neq \Phi$ .

Since  $\{V_j = U_j \cap (M \times 0)\}$  is a covering of  $M$ ,  $\{\bar{\varphi}_{ij}\}$  is a cocycle of an element  $\bar{\varphi}$  of  $H^1(M, [\Pi])$ . If we take other coordinate system  $\{U'_k, \varphi'_k, k \in K\}$  of  $d$ , there exists a refinement covering  $\{U'_l, l \in L\}$  of the coverings  $\{U_j, j \in J\}$  and  $\{U'_k, k \in K\}$  (with index injections of refinement  $\iota: L \rightarrow J, \kappa: L \rightarrow K$ ), then

$$(\varphi_{\iota(l)}|U'_l)(\varphi'_{\kappa(m)}|U'_l)^{-1} \in \Gamma \times I$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} & (\varphi_{\iota(l)}|U'_l \cap U'_m) \cdot (\varphi'_{\kappa(m)}|U'_l \cap U'_m)^{-1} \cdot (\varphi'_{\kappa(m)}|U'_l \cap U'_m) \cdot (\varphi'_{\kappa(m)}|U'_l \cap U'_m)^{-1} \\ & = (\varphi_{\iota(m)}|U'_l \cap U'_m) \cdot (\varphi_{\iota(m)}|U'_l \cap U'_m)^{-1} \cdot (\varphi_{\iota(m)}|U'_l \cap U'_m) \cdot (\varphi'_{\kappa(m)}|U'_l \cap U'_m)^{-1} \end{aligned}$$

on  $U'_l \cap U'_m \neq \Phi$ . If we set

$$\bar{\psi}_l = (\varphi'_{\kappa(l)}|V'_l, \text{ germ of } \varphi_{\iota(l)} \cdot (\varphi'_{\kappa(l)})^{-1} \text{ on } \varphi'_{\kappa(l)}(V'_l))$$

where  $V'_l = U'_l \cap (M \times 0) (\neq \Phi)$ , then  $\bar{\psi}_l \in \Pi(V'_l)$  and

$$(\bar{\psi}_l|V'_l \cap V'_m) \cdot (\bar{\varphi}'_{\kappa(l)\kappa(m)}|V'_l \cap V'_m) = (\bar{\varphi}'_{\iota(l)\iota(m)}|V'_l \cap V'_m) \cdot (\bar{\psi}_m|V'_l \cap V'_m).$$

Since  $\{V'_l\}$  is a refinement of the coverings  $\{V_j \equiv U_j \cap (M \times 0)\}$  and  $\{V'_k \equiv U'_k \cap (M \times 0)\}$  of  $M \times 0 (\equiv M)$ , then  $\{\bar{\varphi}'_{kn}\}$  is a cocycle of the same element  $\bar{\varphi}$  and the correspondence  $d \rightarrow \bar{\varphi}$  defines a map  $\delta: D(s_0) \rightarrow H^1(M, [\Pi])$ .

Next, if  $\{\bar{\psi}_{\alpha\beta}\} = \{(\psi_{\alpha\beta}, \bar{\gamma}_{\alpha\beta})\}$  is a cocycle of an element  $\bar{\psi} \in H^1(M, [\Pi])$  for an open finite covering  $\{V_\alpha, \alpha \in A\}$  of  $M$ , there exists a finite covering  $\{U_j, j \in J\}$  of  $M \times 0$  by open sets of  $M \times I$  satisfying following conditions:

1)  $\{U_j \cap (M \times 0)\}$  considered as a covering of  $M$ , is a refinement of  $\{V_\alpha\}$  (with the index injection of the refinement  $\alpha: J \rightarrow A$ )

2) there exist  $\varphi_{ij} \in B \times I(U_i \cap U_j (\neq \Phi))$  and  $\gamma_{\alpha\beta} \in \Gamma \times I$  such that (domain of  $\gamma_{\alpha(\iota)\alpha(j)}$ )  $\supset \varphi_{ij}(U_i \cap U_j)$ ,  $\varphi_{ij}(V'_j) \subset B \times 0$  and

$$\psi_{\alpha(\iota)\alpha(j)}|V'_i \cap V'_j = \varphi_{ij}|V'_i \cap V'_j,$$

where  $V'_j = U_j \cap (M \times 0)$  and

$$\bar{\gamma}_{\alpha(i)\alpha(j)}|_{\mathcal{P}_{ij}(V'_i \cap V'_j)} = (\text{germ of } \gamma_{ij} \text{ on } \mathcal{P}_{ij}(V'_i \cap V'_j)).$$

Since  $\sqrt{r}_{\alpha\beta}\sqrt{r}_{\beta\gamma} = \sqrt{r}_{\alpha\gamma}$  on  $V_\alpha \cap V_\beta \cap V_\gamma (\neq \Phi)$  and by the definition of the product in  $\Pi(V)$ , we can choose these objects such that  $\varphi_{ii}\varphi_{jj}^{-1} = \gamma_{ij} \in \Gamma \times I$  for  $U_i \cap U_j \neq \Phi$  and  $\gamma_{ij}\gamma_{jk} = \gamma_{jk}$  for  $U_i \cap U_j \cap U_k (\neq \Phi)$ . Since  $\{U_j\}$  is a finite covering, we can take a positive number  $\varepsilon (< 1)$  such that  $M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon) \subset \bigcup_{j \in J} U_j$ . If we set  $\varphi_j = \varphi_{jj}|_{U_j \cap (M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon))}$ ,  $\{\varphi_j, U_j \cap (M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)), j \in J\}$  is a coordinate system of a section  $d_\varepsilon$  of  $[M \times I / \Gamma \times I]_{M \times I}$  over  $M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)$ . By Lemma 4 there is a  $d \in D(s_0)$  such that  $d|_{M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)} = d_\varepsilon$ . Since  $\gamma_{ij} = \varphi_i \varphi_j^{-1}$  for  $(U_i \cap M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)) \cap (U_j \cap (M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon))) \neq \Phi$  and so

$$\varphi\{(\varphi_{ij}|_{V'_i \cap V'_j}, \text{germ of } \gamma_{ij} \text{ on } \mathcal{P}_{ij}(V'_i \cap V'_j))\} = \sqrt{r}_{\alpha(i)\alpha(j)}|_{V'_i \cap V'_j},$$

then we have  $\delta(d) = \sqrt{r}$ .

### §3. Classes of locally equivalent deformations

Elements  $d$  of  $D(s_0)$  being sections of the sheaf  $[B \times I / \Gamma \times I]_{M \times I}$ , let  $d|_W$  denote their restrictions on an open set  $W$  of  $M \times I$  and set  $D(s_0)|_W = \{d|_W; d \in D(s_0)\}$ . If  $\eta$  is a diffeomorphism from an open set  $W$  of  $M \times I$  into  $M \times I$  such that

$$[1] \quad \eta_t(x, t) \text{ is independent of } x$$

where  $\eta(x, t) = (\eta_x(x, t), \eta_t(x, t))$ ,  $((x, t) \in W, x \in M, t \in I)$ , then  $\eta$  induce a map  $\bar{\eta}$  from  $D(s_0)|_{\eta(W)}$  into  $D(s_0)|_W$ .

**Definition.** Two differentiable deformation  $d^1$  and  $d^2$  of  $s_0$  are locally equivalent if there exist a positive number  $\varepsilon > 1$  and a diffeomorphism  $\eta$  from  $M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)$  into  $M \times I$  such that  $\eta$  satisfies [1] and also the following two conditions,

$$[2] \quad \eta(x, 0) \text{ is identity,}$$

$$[3] \quad \bar{\eta}(d^2|_{\eta(M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon))}) = d^1|_{M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)}.$$

The local equivalence of deformations satisfies the equivalence relation and their equivalence classes are called *classes of locally equivalent deformations* and the set of these classes is denoted by  $\bar{D}(s_0)$ .

**Proposition 1.** The map  $\delta : D(s_0) \rightarrow H^1(M, [\text{II}])$  induces a bijection  $\bar{\delta} : \bar{D}(s_0) \rightarrow H^1(M, [\text{II}])$ .



*Proof.* Let  $\{U_j, \varphi_j^1, j \in J\}$ ,  $\{U_j, \varphi_j^2, j \in J\}$  denote coordinate systems of deformations  $d^1, d^2$ , respectively, for a suitable common covering  $\{U_j, j \in J\}$  of  $M \times I$ . If  $d^1, d^2$  are locally equivalent, there exists a covering  $\{W_l, l \in L\}$  of  $M \times 0$  (identified with  $M$ ) by open sets of  $M \times I$ , such that

- (1)  $\{W_l\}$  is a refinement of  $\{U_j; U_j \cap (M \times 0) \neq \emptyset\}$  as a covering of  $M \times 0$  by open sets of  $M \times I$  (with the index injection of the refinement  $\mu: L \rightarrow J \subset J$ ),
- (2)  $W_l \subset M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)$  for each  $l \in L$ ,
- (3)  $\eta(W_l) \subset U_{\mu(l)}$

where  $\eta$  is the diffeomorphism from  $M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)$  into  $M \times I$  which gives the local equivalence of  $d^1, d^2$ . Since  $\{\eta(W_l), \varphi_{\mu(l)}^2 | \eta(W_l)\}$  is a coordinate system of  $d^2 | \eta(\bigcup_{l \in L} W_l) \subset d^2 | \eta(M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon))$ , we see that  $\{W_l, \varphi_{\mu(l)}^2 \cdot \eta | W_l\}$  is a coordinate system of  $\bar{\eta}(d^2 | \eta(\bigcup_{l \in L} W_l))$ . On the other hand,  $\{W_l, \varphi_{\mu(l)}^1 | W_l\}$  is a coordinate system of  $d^1 | \bigcup_{l \in L} W_l$  and  $\bar{\eta} \cdot d^2 | \bigcup_{l \in L} W_l = d^1 | \bigcup_{l \in L} W_l$ . Therefore, for each  $l \in L$ , the local diffeomorphism  $\varphi_{\mu(l)}^2 \cdot \eta \cdot (\varphi_{\mu(l)}^1)^{-1} | \varphi_{\mu(l)}^1(W_l)$  of  $B \times I$  is an element of  $\Gamma \times I$ , and is denoted by  $\gamma_l$ . The image  $\varphi_{\mu(l)}^1(W_l)$  is the domain of  $\gamma_l$  and  $\varphi_{\mu(l)}^1(W_l) \supset \varphi_{\mu(l)}^1(V_l)$  where  $V_l = W_l \cap (M \times 0)$ . Then  $(\varphi_{\mu(l)}^1 | V_l, \text{germ of } \gamma_l \text{ on } \varphi_{\mu(l)}^1(V_l)) \in \Pi(V_l)$ . Since

$$\begin{aligned} & \varphi_{\mu(l)}^1(\varphi_{\mu(m)}^1)^{-1} | \varphi_{\mu(m)}^1(W_l \cap W_m) \in \Gamma \times I, \\ \eta(W_l \cap W_m) &= (\varphi_{\mu(l)}^2)^{-1} \cdot \gamma_l \cdot \varphi_{\mu(l)}^1 | W_l \cap W_m = (\varphi_{\mu(m)}^2)^{-1} \cdot \gamma_m \cdot \varphi_{\mu(m)}^1 | W_l \cap W_m \end{aligned}$$

and the range of  $\gamma_l$  is  $\varphi_{\mu(l)}^2$ , then

$$\gamma_l \cdot \varphi_{\mu(l)}^1 \cdot (\varphi_{\mu(m)}^1)^{-1} = \varphi_{\mu(l)}^2 \cdot (\varphi_{\mu(m)}^2)^{-1} \cdot \gamma_m \quad \text{on } \varphi_{\mu(m)}^1(W_l \cap V_m)$$

and so  $\bar{\gamma}_l \cdot \bar{\varphi}_{lm}^1, \bar{\varphi}_{lm}^2 \cdot \bar{\gamma}_m$  are defined on  $V_l \cap V_m \neq \emptyset$  and are equal, where

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{\gamma}_l &= (\varphi_{\mu(l)}^1 | V_l, \text{germ of } \gamma_l \text{ on } \varphi_{\mu(l)}^1(V_l), \\ \bar{\varphi}_{lm}^1 &= (\varphi_{\mu(m)}^1 | V_m, \text{germ of } \varphi_{\mu(l)}^1 \cdot (\varphi_{\mu(m)}^1)^{-1} \text{ on } \varphi_{\mu(m)}^1(V_m)), \\ \bar{\varphi}_{lm}^2 &= (\varphi_{\mu(m)}^2 \cdot \eta | V_m, \text{germ of } \varphi_{\mu(l)}^2 \cdot (\varphi_{\mu(m)}^2)^{-1} \text{ on } \varphi_{\mu(m)}^2(V_m)). \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $\{\bar{\varphi}_{lm}^1\}$  and  $\{\bar{\varphi}_{lm}^2\}$  are cohomologous in  $\mathcal{C}^1(\{V_i\}, \Pi)$ , where the former determines  $\delta(d^1)$  and the latter determines  $\delta(d^2)$  because  $\eta$  is identity on  $M \times 0$ , that is  $\delta(d^1) = \delta(d^2)$ .

Conversely, we suppose  $\delta(d^1) = \delta(d^2)$ . Since  $M$  is compact, there exists a finite covering  $\{V_k, k \in K\} = \mathfrak{A}$  of  $M$  by open sets of  $M$  which is a refinement of  $\{U_j \cap M \times 0 (\neq \Phi)\}$  as an open covering of  $M$  (with the index injection of the refinement  $\lambda: K \rightarrow J$ ), such that

$$\{\varphi_{kl}^1\} = \{(\varphi_{\lambda(l)}^1 | V_k \cap V_l (\neq \Phi), \text{ germ of } \varphi_{\lambda(k)}^1 \cdot (\varphi_{\lambda(l)}^1)^{-1} \text{ on } \varphi_{\lambda(l)}^1(V_k \cap V_l))\}$$

and

$$\{\bar{\varphi}_{kl}^2\} = \{(\varphi_{\lambda(l)}^2 | V_k \cap V_l, \text{ germ of } \varphi_{\lambda(k)}^2 \cdot (\varphi_{\lambda(l)}^2)^{-1} \text{ on } \varphi_{\lambda(l)}^2(V_k \cap V_l))\}$$

are cohomologous in  $\mathcal{C}^1(\{V_k\}, \pi)$ . Then we have a element  $\bar{\gamma}_k$  of  $\Pi(V_k)$  for each  $k \in K$  such as

$$\bar{\gamma}_k \cdot \bar{\varphi}_{kl}^1 = \bar{\varphi}_{kl}^2 \cdot \bar{\gamma}_l \quad \text{for } V_k \cap V_l \neq \Phi.$$

From the definition of  $\pi(V_k)$  and the product in it,

$$\bar{\gamma}_k = (\varphi_{\lambda(k)}^1 | V_k, \text{ germ of } \gamma_k \text{ on } \varphi_{\lambda(k)}^1(V_k))$$

where  $\gamma_k \in \Gamma \times I$ , (the domain of  $\gamma_k \cap (B \times 0) = \varphi_{\lambda(k)}^1(V_k)$ , (the range of  $\gamma_k \cap (B \times 0) = \varphi_{\lambda(k)}^2(V_k)$ , and  $\gamma_k \varphi_{\lambda(k)}^1 | V_k = \varphi_{\lambda(k)}^2 | V_k$ . If we set

$$W_k = (\varphi_{\lambda(k)}^1)^{-1} \cdot (\text{the domain of } \gamma_k) \cap (\varphi_{\lambda(k)}^2)^{-1} \cdot (\text{the range of } \gamma_k) \\ \subset M \times I,$$

then  $W_k \cap (M \times 0) = V_k$ ,  $\{W_k, k \in K\}$  is a finite covering of  $M \times 0$  by open sets of  $M \times I$ , and  $(\varphi_{\lambda(k)}^2)^{-1} \cdot \gamma_k \cdot \varphi_{\lambda(k)}^1$  can be defined on  $W_k$ . Since

$$\bar{\gamma}_k \cdot \bar{\varphi}_{\lambda(k)\lambda(l)}^1 = \bar{\varphi}_{\lambda(k)\lambda(l)}^2 \cdot \bar{\gamma}_l$$

then

$$(\varphi_{\lambda(k)}^2)^{-1} \cdot \gamma_k \cdot \varphi_{\lambda(k)}^1 = (\varphi_{\lambda(k)}^2)^{-1} \cdot \gamma_l \cdot \varphi_{\lambda(l)}^1 \quad \text{on } W_k \cap W_l (\neq \Phi).$$

Therefore, there exist a positive number  $\varepsilon$  and a homeomorphism  $\eta$  from  $M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)$  into  $M \times I$  such that  $M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon) \subset \bigcup_{k \in K} W_k$ ,

$$\eta | M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon) \cap W_k = (\varphi_{\lambda(k)}^2)^{-1} \cdot \gamma_k \cdot \varphi_{\lambda(k)}^1 | (M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)) \cap W_k, \\ \gamma_k \cdot \varphi_{\lambda(k)}^1 | M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon) \cap W_k = \varphi_{\lambda(k)}^2 \eta | M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon) \cap W_k$$

and  $\eta_t(x, t)$  is independent of  $x$  where  $\eta(x, t) = (\eta_x(x, t), \eta_t(x, t))$ . Here,  $\{\gamma_k \cdot \varphi_{\lambda(k)}, (M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)) \cap W_k\}$  and  $\{\varphi_{\lambda(k)}^2 \cdot \eta, (M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)) \cap W_k\}$  are coordinate systems of  $d^1 | M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)$  and  $\bar{\eta} d^2 | M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)$ , respectively, i.e.  $d^1 | M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon) = \bar{\eta} d^2$ . Since  $\varphi_{\lambda(k)}^2 \cdot \gamma_k \cdot \varphi_{\lambda(k)}^1 = \text{identity}$

on  $V_k$ , then  $\eta|M \times 0 = \text{identity}$ . Therefore,  $\eta$  gives the local equivalence of  $d^1$  and  $d^2$ .

**§ 4. Germs of local automorphisms depending differentiably on 1-parameter for the differentiable  $(B, \Gamma)$ -structure**

A diffeomorphism  $\xi$  of an open set  $V$  of  $M$  to an open set of  $M$  is called a *local automorphism for the differentiable  $(B, \Gamma)$ -structure  $s_0$*  if  $\xi \cdot s_0 = s_0$  on  $V$ , i.e. for a regular map  $\varphi$  of  $s_0$  on a neighborhood of each point  $x \in \xi(V)$ ,  $\varphi \cdot \xi$  is a regular map on a neighborhood of  $\xi^{-1}(x)$ .

A diffeomorphism  $\zeta$  of  $V \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)$  into  $M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)$  is said a *local automorphism of  $V$  depending differentiably on 1-parameter for  $s_0$* , if

$$\zeta(x, 0) = \text{identity } (x \in V), \zeta_t(x, t) = t$$

and if  $\zeta_x(x, t)$  is local automorphism of  $M$  for each fixed  $t$  where

$$\zeta(x, t) = (\zeta_x(x, t), \zeta_t(x, t)), \quad x \in V, t \in (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon).$$

For each open set  $V$  of  $M$ , we set

$$A(V) = \{\text{germ of } \zeta \text{ on } V \times 0\}.$$

which is a group. By the restriction  $A(V) \rightarrow A(V')$  for  $V \supset V'$ ,  $\{A(V)\}$  is a presheaf of group over  $M$  and induces a sheaf  $[A]$  over  $M$ .

**Definition.** *The sheaf  $[A]$  is the sheaf of germs of local automorphisms depending differentiably on 1-parameter for  $(B, \Gamma)$ -structure  $s_0$ .*

**Lemma 6.** *For each open set  $V$  of  $M$  where  $V$  has a regular map  $\psi$  of  $s_0$ , there exists an onto-map  $\pi : \Pi(V) \rightarrow A(V)$ .*

*Proof.* For  $\bar{\psi} = (\psi, \text{germ of } \gamma \text{ on } \psi(V)) \in \Pi(V)$ , ( $\gamma \in \Gamma \times I$ ), if we set  $\tilde{\psi}_t(x, t) = (\psi(x), t)$ , ( $x \in V, t \in I$ ) and  $\tilde{\gamma}(y, t) = (\gamma(y, 0), t)$ , ( $y \in \psi(V), t \in I$ ), then  $\tilde{\psi}_t \in B \times I(V \times I)$ ,  $\tilde{\gamma} \in \Gamma \times I$  and  $(\tilde{\gamma})^{-1} \cdot \gamma \in \Gamma \times I$ . Hence, there exists an open set  $W$  of  $M \times I$  such that  $W \cap (M \times 0) = V$ ,  $\tilde{\psi}_t(W) \subset (\text{domain of } \gamma)$  and  $\tilde{\psi}_t^{-1} \cdot \tilde{\gamma}^{-1} \cdot \gamma \cdot \tilde{\psi}_t$  can be defined on  $W$ . Since  $\tilde{\gamma}^{-1} \cdot \gamma|_{\psi(V)} = \text{identity}$  and since  $\tilde{\psi}_t^{-1} \cdot \tilde{\gamma}^{-1} \cdot \gamma \cdot \tilde{\psi}_t$  is a local automorphism of  $V$  depending differentiably 1-parameter for  $s_0$ , we see that (germ

of  $\tilde{\psi}^{-1} \cdot \tilde{\gamma}^{-1} \cdot \gamma \cdot \tilde{\psi}$  on  $V$ ) is an element  $\pi \tilde{\psi}$  of  $A(V)$  and the correspondence  $\tilde{\psi} \rightarrow \pi \cdot \tilde{\psi}$  gives a map  $\pi : \Pi(V) \rightarrow A(V)$ .

Conversely, let (germ of  $\zeta$  on  $V$ ) be an element  $\bar{\zeta}$  of  $A(V)$  where  $\zeta$  is a local diffeomorphism of an open set of  $M \times I$  including  $V$  such that  $\zeta$  gives a local automorphism of  $V$  depending 1-parameter. For a regular map  $\varphi$  of  $s_0$  on  $V$ ,

$$(\varphi, \text{germ of } \tilde{\varphi} \zeta \tilde{\varphi}^{-1} \text{ on } \varphi(V)) \quad \text{where} \quad \tilde{\varphi}(x, t) = (\varphi(x), t)$$

is an element  $\tilde{\psi}$  of  $A(V)$  such as  $\pi \tilde{\psi} = \zeta$ , that is,  $\pi$  is onto.

We define  $H^1(M, [A])$  from the presheaf  $\{A(V)\}$  in the same manner as we did for  $H^1(M, [\Pi])$ , and we have

**Proposition 2.** *The map  $\pi$  induces a bijection  $\pi^* : H^1(M, [\Pi]) \rightarrow H^1(M, [A])$ .*

*Proof.* For an element  $\{\tilde{\psi}_{\alpha\beta}\} = \{\psi_{\alpha\beta}, \text{germ of } \gamma_{\alpha\beta} \text{ on } \psi_{\alpha\beta}(V_\alpha \cap V_\beta)\} \in \mathcal{C}^1(\mathfrak{B}, \Pi)$  where  $\mathfrak{B} = \{V_\alpha\}$  and  $\gamma_{\alpha\beta} \in I \times I$ , we have

$$\tilde{\gamma}_{\alpha\beta}(y, t) = \tilde{\psi}_\alpha \tilde{\psi}_\beta^{-1}(y, t) \quad \text{where} \quad y \in \psi_\beta(V_\beta), \quad t \in I$$

and

$$\tilde{\psi}_{\alpha\beta} = \tilde{\psi}_\beta | V_\alpha \cap V_\beta \times I \quad \text{where} \quad \tilde{\psi}_\alpha = (\psi_{\alpha\alpha}(x), t) \quad (x \in V_\alpha)$$

because  $\tilde{\psi}_{\alpha\alpha} \cdot \tilde{\psi}_{\alpha\beta} = \tilde{\psi}_{\alpha\beta} \cdot \tilde{\psi}_{\beta\beta}$ . Since

$$\begin{aligned} & (\tilde{\psi}_{\alpha\beta}^{-1} \cdot (\tilde{\gamma}_{\alpha\beta})^{-1} \cdot \gamma_{\alpha\beta} \cdot \tilde{\psi}_{\alpha\beta}) \cdot (\tilde{\psi}_{\beta\gamma}^{-1} \cdot (\tilde{\gamma}_{\beta\gamma})^{-1} \cdot \gamma_{\beta\gamma} \cdot \tilde{\psi}_{\beta\gamma}) = \tilde{\psi}_\alpha^{-1} \cdot \gamma_{\alpha\beta} \cdot \gamma_{\beta\gamma} \cdot \tilde{\psi}_\gamma \\ & = \tilde{\psi}_\gamma^{-1} \cdot \tilde{\psi}_\gamma \cdot \tilde{\psi}_\alpha^{-1} \cdot \gamma_{\alpha\gamma} \cdot \tilde{\psi}_\gamma = \tilde{\psi}_\alpha^{-1} \cdot (\tilde{\gamma}_{\alpha\beta})^{-1} \cdot \gamma_{\alpha\gamma} \cdot \tilde{\psi}_{\alpha\gamma} \end{aligned}$$

then  $\{\pi \tilde{\psi}_{\alpha\beta}\}$  is an element of  $\mathcal{C}^1(\mathfrak{B}, A)$  and moreover this correspondence  $\{\tilde{\psi}_{\alpha\beta}\} \rightarrow \{\pi \tilde{\psi}_{\alpha\beta}\}$  gives a map from  $\mathcal{C}^1(\mathfrak{B}, \Pi)$  onto  $\mathcal{C}^1(\mathfrak{B}, A)$

by Lemma 5. If two elements  $\{\tilde{\psi}_{\alpha\beta}^1\}$  and  $\{\tilde{\psi}_{\alpha\beta}^2\}$  of  $\mathcal{C}^1(\mathfrak{B}, \Pi)$  are cohomologous, then there exists an element  $\tilde{\psi}_\alpha = (\psi_{\alpha\alpha}^1, \text{germ of } \gamma_\alpha \text{ on } \psi_{\alpha\alpha}^1(V_\alpha))$  of  $\Pi(V_\alpha)$  for each  $V_\alpha$ , such that  $\tilde{\psi}_\alpha \cdot \tilde{\psi}_{\alpha\beta}^1 = \tilde{\psi}_{\alpha\beta}^2 \cdot \tilde{\psi}_\beta$  and  $\gamma_\alpha \cdot \gamma_{\alpha\beta}^1 = \gamma_{\alpha\beta}^2 \cdot \gamma_\beta$  on a suitable domain including  $\psi_{\alpha\beta}^1(V_\alpha \cap V_\beta)$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} & ((\tilde{\psi}_\alpha^2)^{-1} \gamma_\alpha \tilde{\psi}_\alpha^1) \cdot ((\tilde{\psi}_\beta^1)^{-1} \cdot (\tilde{\gamma}_{\alpha\beta}^1)^{-1} \cdot \gamma_{\alpha\beta}^1 \cdot \tilde{\psi}_\beta^1) = (\tilde{\psi}_\alpha^2)^{-1} \cdot \gamma_\alpha \cdot \gamma_{\alpha\beta}^1 \tilde{\psi}_\beta^1 \\ & = (\tilde{\psi}_\alpha^2)^{-1} \cdot \gamma_{\alpha\beta}^2 \cdot \gamma_\beta \cdot \tilde{\psi}_\beta^1 = ((\tilde{\psi}_\beta^2)^{-1} \cdot (\tilde{\gamma}_{\alpha\beta}^2)^{-1} \cdot \gamma_{\alpha\beta}^2 \cdot \tilde{\psi}_\beta^2) \cdot ((\tilde{\psi}_\beta^2)^{-1} \cdot \gamma_\beta \cdot \tilde{\psi}_\beta^1) \end{aligned}$$

on a suitable open set of  $M \times I$  including  $V_\alpha \cap V_\beta (\neq \Phi)$ . Therefore, if we set

$$\bar{\zeta}_\alpha = (\text{germ of } (\tilde{\psi}_\alpha^2)^{-1} \cdot \gamma_\alpha \cdot \tilde{\psi}_\alpha^1 \text{ on } V_\alpha) \in A(V_\alpha),$$

we have  $\bar{\zeta}_\alpha (\pi \tilde{\psi}_{\alpha\beta}^1) = (\pi \tilde{\psi}_{\alpha\beta}^1) \bar{\zeta}_\beta$  on  $V_\alpha \cap V_\beta$ , i.e.  $\{\pi \tilde{\psi}_{\alpha\beta}^1\}, \{\pi \tilde{\psi}_{\alpha\beta}^2\}$  are

cohomologous.

Conversely, if  $\{\pi\tilde{\nu}_{\alpha\beta}^1\}$  and  $\{\pi\tilde{\nu}_{\alpha\beta}^2\}$  are cohomologous in  $C^1(\mathfrak{B}, A)$ , then there exists, for each  $\alpha$ , a local diffeomorphism  $\zeta_\alpha$  on an open set  $W_\alpha$  of  $M \times I$  including  $V_\alpha$  such that  $\bar{\zeta}_\alpha(\pi\tilde{\nu}_{\alpha\beta}^1) = (\pi\tilde{\nu}_{\alpha\beta}^2)\bar{\zeta}_\beta$  where  $\bar{\zeta}_\alpha$  is the germ of  $\zeta_\alpha$  on  $V_\alpha$ , and such that  $\zeta_\alpha((\tilde{\nu}^1)^{-1} \cdot (\tilde{\gamma}^1)^{-1} \cdot \gamma_{\alpha\beta}^1 \cdot \tilde{\nu}_\beta^1)$  and  $((\tilde{\nu}_\beta^2)^{-1} \cdot (\tilde{\gamma}_{\alpha\beta}^2)^{-1} \cdot \gamma_{\alpha\beta}^2 \cdot \tilde{\nu}_\alpha^2)\zeta_\beta$  can be defined and are equal on  $W_\alpha \cap W_\beta (\neq \Phi)$ . If we set  $\gamma_\alpha = \tilde{\nu}_\alpha^2 \zeta_\alpha (\tilde{\nu}_\alpha^1)^{-1}$  on  $W_\alpha$ , then

$$\gamma_\alpha \gamma_{\alpha\beta}^1 = \gamma_\alpha \tilde{\nu}_\alpha^1 (\tilde{\nu}_\beta^1)^{-1} (\tilde{\gamma}_{\alpha\beta}^1) \gamma_{\alpha\beta}^1 = \tilde{\nu}_\alpha^2 (\nu_\beta^2)^{-1} (\tilde{\gamma}_{\alpha\beta}^2)^{-1} \gamma_{\alpha\beta}^2 \gamma_\beta = \gamma_{\alpha\beta}^2 \gamma_\beta.$$

Therefore,  $(\nu_\alpha, \text{germ of } \gamma_\alpha \text{ on } \nu_\alpha(V_\alpha)) \cdot \tilde{\nu}_{\alpha\beta}^1 = \tilde{\nu}_\alpha^2 \cdot (\nu_\beta, \text{germ of } \gamma_\beta \text{ on } \nu_\beta(V_\beta))$ , that is,  $\{\tilde{\nu}_{\alpha\beta}^1\}$  and  $\{\tilde{\nu}_{\alpha\beta}^2\}$  are cohomologous in  $C^1(\mathfrak{B}, \Pi)$ .

From Proposition 1 and Proposition 2, we have

**Theorem 1.** *There exists a bijection  $\bar{D}(s_0) \rightarrow H^1(M, [A])$ .*

### § 5. Cross-sections of a differentiable bundle

Let  $F$  be a differentiable manifold and  $G$  be an effective differentiable transformation group on  $F$  and let  $\Gamma_0$  be the pseudogroup of all local diffeomorphisms of  $R^n$ . For each element  $\gamma_0$  of  $\Gamma_0$  whose domain is  $U$ , we define a diffeomorphism  $\tau(\gamma_0) : F \times U \rightarrow F \times \gamma_0(U)$  such that  $\tau(\gamma_0)(x, f) = (\gamma_0(x), \tau_F(x, f))$  and for each fixed  $x$ ,  $\tau_F$  is a transformation of  $F$  by  $G$ . Differentiable cross-sections of  $F \times R^n$  over  $U$  can be transformed to differentiable cross-sections over  $\gamma_0(U)$  by  $\tau(\gamma_0)$ . If we denote by  $\tilde{B}$  the space of germs of differentiable cross-sections of  $F \times R^n$  over  $R^n$ , then  $\tilde{B}$  is a topological space with a differentiable structure and  $\tau(\gamma_0)$  induces a local diffeomorphism of  $\tilde{B}$ . Then  $\Gamma_0$  defines a pseudogroup  $\tilde{\Gamma}$  of local diffeomorphisms of  $\tilde{B}$  associated to  $\tau$ . Hence we can consider differentiable  $(\tilde{B}, \tilde{\Gamma})$ -structures.

On the other hand, let  $\{U_i, \varphi_i\}$  be a coordinate system of the differentiable structure of  $M$ , then  $\{U_i, \varphi_i\}$ ,  $F$ ,  $G$ , and  $\tau$  define a differentiable fibre bundle  $\mathfrak{B}$  with the fibre  $F$ , the structure group  $G$ , the base space  $M$ , the bundle space  $X$  and the projection  $p$ . We say  $\mathfrak{B}$  an  $F$ -bundle  $\tau$ -associated to the differentiable structure of  $M$  (or a differentiable  $F$ -bundle) and  $\{U_i, \varphi_i\}$  a coordinate system of  $\mathfrak{B}$ . The diffeomorphism  $\varphi_i : U_i \rightarrow R^n$  induces a fibre-preserving diffeomorphism  $\varphi_i^* : p^{-1}(U_i) \rightarrow \varphi_i(U_i) \times F$  and

$$\varphi_j^*(\varphi_i^*)^{-1}|_{\varphi_i(U_i \cap U_j)} \times F = \tau(\varphi_j \varphi_i^{-1}|_{\varphi_i(U_i \cap U_j)}) \quad \text{for } U_i \cap U_j \neq \Phi.$$

If  $c$  is a differentiable cross-section of  $\mathfrak{B}$  over  $M$ , the map  $\varphi_i^* \cdot c|_{U_i}$  can be regarded as a diffeomorphism  $c_i$  of  $U_i$  into  $\tilde{B}$  and  $c_j \cdot c_i^{-1}|_{c_i(U_i \cap U_j)} \in \tilde{\Gamma}$ , then  $\{U_i, c_i\}$  is a coordinate system of a differentiable  $(\tilde{B}, \tilde{\Gamma})$ -structure  $s$  and  $s$  is independent of the coordinate system  $\{\varphi_i, U_i\}$  of  $\mathfrak{B}$ . Therefore we have a map  $C: \{c\} \rightarrow H^0(M, [\tilde{B}/\tilde{\Gamma}]_M)$  where  $\{c\}$  is the set of all differentiable cross-sections of  $\mathfrak{B}$  over  $M$ .

**Lemma 7.** *The map  $C$  is a bijection.*

*Proof.* We can take a coordinate system  $\{U_i, \bar{\varphi}_i\}$  for  $s \in H^0(M, [\tilde{B}/\tilde{\Gamma}]_M)$  such that  $\{U_i, \varphi_i\}$  is a coordinate system of  $\mathfrak{B}$  where  $\varphi_i = p_0 \cdot \bar{\varphi}_i$ ,  $p_0$  is the projection of sheaf  $\tilde{B} \rightarrow R^n$  and  $\varphi_i^*: p^{-1}(U_i) \rightarrow \varphi_i(U_i) \times F$  is a coordinate function induced from  $\varphi_i$ . Then  $(\varphi_j^*)^{-1} \bar{\varphi}_i(U)$  is a cross-section  $s_i$  over  $U_i$  for  $\mathfrak{B}$  and

$$(\varphi_j^*)(\varphi_i^*)^{-1}|\bar{\varphi}_i(U_i \cap U_j) = \tau(\varphi_j \cdot \varphi_i^{-1})|\bar{\varphi}_i(U_i \cap U_j) = \bar{\varphi}_j \bar{\varphi}_i^{-1}|\bar{\varphi}_i(U_i \cap U_j)$$

for  $U_i \cap U_j \neq \Phi$  and so

$$\begin{aligned} s_i|_{U_i \cap U_j} &= (\varphi_j^*)^{-1} \bar{\varphi}_i|(U_i \cap U_j) = (\varphi_j^*)^{-1} \varphi_j^*(\varphi_i^*)^{-1} \bar{\varphi}_i \bar{\varphi}_j^{-1} \bar{\varphi}_j|_{U_i \cap U_j} \\ &= (\varphi_j^*)^{-1} \bar{\varphi}_j|_{U_i \cap U_j} = s_j|_{U_i \cap U_j}, \end{aligned}$$

hence  $\{s_i\}$  is a cross-section  $c$  over  $M$ . The correspondence  $s \rightarrow c$  defines a correspondence  $S: H^0(M, [\tilde{B}/\tilde{\Gamma}]_M) \rightarrow \{c\}$  and  $S \cdot C = \text{identity}$ ,  $C \cdot S = \text{identity}$ .

Then we have

**Theorem 2.** *Differentiable cross-sections of the differentiable  $F$ -bundle are differentiable  $(\tilde{B}, \tilde{\Gamma})$ -structures.*

**Remark.** The proof of Lemma 7 ensures that  $C$  gives a bijection of the set of differentiable cross-sections over an open set  $U$  of  $M$  onto the set of sections of  $[\tilde{B}/\tilde{\Gamma}]_M$  over  $U$ .

## § 6. Deformations of differentiable cross-sections of the differentiable bundle

From the differentiable  $F$ -bundle  $\mathfrak{B}(X, M, F, G)$ , a differentiable  $F$ -bundle  $\mathfrak{B} \times I(X \times I, M \times I, F, G)$  is naturally defined. As for the coordinate system  $\{U_i, \varphi_i\}$  of  $\mathfrak{B} \times I$ ,  $\varphi_i$  can be taken to be diffeo-

morphisms of  $U_i$  into  $R^n \times I$  such as  $\varphi_{i,t}(x, t) = t$  where  $\varphi_i = (\varphi_{i,x}(x, t), \varphi_{i,t}(x, t))$ ,  $(x, t) \in U$ . Differentiable cross-sections  $\tilde{d}$  of  $\mathcal{B} \times I$  define cross-sections  $c$  of  $\mathcal{B}$  by the restriction on  $M \times 0$ , and  $\tilde{d}$  is called a (differentiable) deformation of  $c$ .

**Definition.** A deformation  $\tilde{d}$  of a given cross-section  $c_0$  of  $\mathcal{B}$  is locally trivial if there exist an open neighborhood  $U$  relative to  $M \times I$  for each point of  $M$  and a diffeomorphism  $\xi$  from  $U$  into  $M \times I$  such as

$$\xi_t(x, t) = t, \quad \xi(x, 0) = \text{identity and } \tilde{d} = \xi^*c_0,$$

where  $\xi^*$  is a local bundle-automorphism induced by  $\xi$ ,  $\tilde{c}_0(x, t) = (c_0(x), t)$  and  $\xi(x, t) = (\xi_x(x, t), \xi_t(x, t))$ ,  $((x, t) \in U)$ .

Now, we take  $\tilde{B}, \tilde{\Gamma}$  as  $B, \Gamma$  in §§ 2-3, then  $\tilde{B} \times I, \tilde{\Gamma} \times I, [\tilde{B} \times I / \tilde{\Gamma} \times I]_{M \times I}, D(\tilde{s}_0)$  ( $\tilde{s}_0 \in H^0(M, [\tilde{B} / \tilde{\Gamma}]_M)$ ),  $[\tilde{\Pi}]$ ,  $\tilde{D}(s_0)$  and  $[\tilde{A}]$  take the place of  $B \times I, \Gamma \times I, [B \times I / \Gamma \times I]_{M \times I}, D(s_0), [\Pi], \bar{D}(s_0)$  and  $[A]$ , respectively. If we apply Theorem 1 to this case, we have

**Proposition 3.** We have a bijection  $\tilde{D}(s_0) \rightarrow H^1(M, [A])$ .

Let  $\widetilde{B \times I}$  be the space of germs of differentiable cross-sections of the product bundle  $F \times (R^n \times I)$  over  $R^n \times I$  and let  $\widetilde{\Gamma \times I}$  be the pseudogroup of local diffeomorphisms of  $\widetilde{B \times I}$  induced by local diffeomorphisms of  $R^n \times I$  as in § 5. Then

**Lemma 8.**  $H^0(M \times I, [\tilde{B} \times I / \tilde{\Gamma} \times I]_{M \times I})$  is a sub-set of  $H^0(M \times I, [\widetilde{B \times I} / \widetilde{\Gamma \times I}]_{M \times I})$ .

*Proof.*  $\tilde{B} \times I$  is a sub-space of  $\widetilde{B \times I}$  and  $\tilde{\Gamma} \times I$  is a sub-pseudogroup of  $\widetilde{\Gamma \times I}$ . The set  $\tilde{B} \times I(U)$  is a sub-set of  $\widetilde{B \times I}(U)$  for each open set  $U$  of  $M \times I$ . If

$$\varphi, \psi \in \tilde{B} \times I(U) \quad \text{and} \quad \varphi \cdot \psi^{-1} = \gamma \in \widetilde{\Gamma \times I},$$

then  $\gamma \in \tilde{\Gamma} \times I$  and therefore  $\tilde{B} \times I / \tilde{\Gamma} \times I(U) \subset \widetilde{B \times I} / \widetilde{\Gamma \times I}(U)$  by Lemma 1. Therefore,  $[\tilde{B} \times I / \tilde{\Gamma} \times I]_{M \times I} \subset [\widetilde{B \times I} / \widetilde{\Gamma \times I}]_{M \times I}$  since  $r_{U'}^U(\tilde{B} \times I(U)) \subset \tilde{B} \times I(U')$  for  $U \supset U'$ .

If we apply Lemma 7 to the set  $\{\tilde{c}\}$  of differentiable cross-sections of  $\mathcal{B} \times I$  and  $H^0(M \times I, [\widetilde{B \times I} / \widetilde{\Gamma \times I}]_{M \times I})$ , we have a bijection

$$\{\tilde{c}\} \begin{matrix} \xrightarrow{\tilde{C}} \\ \xleftarrow{\tilde{S}} \end{matrix} H^0(M \times I, [\widetilde{B \times I / \Gamma \times I}]_{M \times I}).$$

**Definition.** *Locally trivial deformations  $\tilde{d}^1$  and  $\tilde{d}^2$  of  $c_0$  are locally equivalent if there exist a positive number  $\varepsilon < 1$  and a diffeomorphism  $\xi$  from  $M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)$  into  $M \times I$  such that*

1.  $\xi_i(x, t)$  is independent of  $x$  for  $(x, t) \in M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)$ ,
2.  $\xi(x, 0) = \text{identity}$ ,
3.  $\tilde{d}^1 | \xi(x, t) = \xi^*(\tilde{d}^2(x, t))$ ,

where  $\xi(x, t) = (\xi_x(x, t), \xi_i(x, t))$  and  $\xi^*$  is a bundle map induced by  $\xi$ .

If we set  $\tilde{s}_0 = C(c_0)$  where  $c_0$  is a given cross-section of  $\mathfrak{B}$ , then  $\tilde{S}$  maps bijectively  $D(\tilde{s}_0)$  onto a sub-set  $E(c_0)$  of the set of locally trivial deformations of  $c_0$ .

**Lemma 9.** *For each locally trivial deformation  $\tilde{d}$  of  $c_0$ , there exists an element  $\tilde{d}'$  of  $E(c_0)$  such that  $\tilde{d}$  and  $\tilde{d}'$  are locally equivalent.*

*Proof.* Let  $\{U_j, \varphi_j, j \in J\}$  be a coordinate system of  $\mathfrak{B}$ . Since  $\tilde{d}$  is a locally trivial deformation of  $c_0$  and since  $M$  is compact, there are a finite covering  $\{U'_k, k \in K\}$  of  $M \times 0$  by open sets of  $M \times I$  and diffeomorphisms  $\xi_k$  of  $U'_k$  into  $M \times I$  for each  $k \in K$ , such that the covering  $\{U'_k\}$  is a refinement of the covering  $\{U_j; U_j \cap (M \times 0) \neq \emptyset, j \in J\}$  of  $M \times 0$  (with the index injection of the refinement  $\kappa: K \rightarrow J$ ),  $\xi_k^* \tilde{c}_0 = \tilde{d}$  on  $U'_k$  and  $\xi_k(U'_k) \subset U_k$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi_{\kappa(k)}^* \tilde{d}(x, t) &= \varphi_{\kappa(k)}^*(\xi_k \tilde{c}_0)(x, t) = \varphi_{\kappa(k)}^* \tilde{c}_0(\xi_k(x, t)) = \varphi_{\kappa(k)}^* \tilde{c}_0(\xi_{k,x}(x, t), t) \\ &= \varphi_{\kappa(k)}^* \tilde{c}_0(\xi_{k,x}(x, t), t) \subset (\tilde{s}_{\kappa(k)}(\xi_{k,x}(x, t))) \times I \subset \tilde{B} \times I \end{aligned}$$

where  $(x, t) \in U'$  and  $\xi_k(x, t) = (\xi_{k,x}(x, t), t)$ , hence  $\tilde{C}(\tilde{d} | U'_k)$  is a section of  $[\tilde{B} \times I / \tilde{\Gamma} \times I]_{M \times I}$  over  $U'_k$  by Lemark in §5. If we take a positive number  $\varepsilon$  such as  $M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon) \subset \bigcup_{k \in K} U'_k$ , then  $\tilde{C}(\tilde{d} | M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon))$  is a section of  $[\tilde{B} \times I / \tilde{\Gamma} \times I]_{M \times I}$  over  $M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)$ . By Lemma 4, this section can be extended over  $M \times I$  which is an element  $d$  of  $D(s_0)$ . Then  $\tilde{S} \cdot d \in E(c_0)$  and

$$\tilde{S} \cdot d | M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon) = \tilde{S} \cdot \tilde{C}(\tilde{d} | M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)) = \tilde{d} | M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)$$

i.e.  $\tilde{S} \cdot d$  and  $\tilde{d}$  are equal on  $M \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)$ .



By definitions, the local equivalence of locally trivial deformations of  $c_0$  applied to  $E(c_0)$  and local equivalence of  $D(\mathfrak{s}_0)$  are compatible with the bijection  $E(c_0) \rightarrow D(\mathfrak{s}_0)$ . Then, by Lemma 9 we have

**Proposition 4.** *The set of local equivalence classes of all locally trivial deformations of  $c_0$  can be identified with the set  $\tilde{D}(\mathfrak{s}_0)$  of local equivalence classes of  $D(\mathfrak{s}_0)$ .*

A local diffeomorphism  $\xi_V$  of an open set  $V$  of  $M$  into  $M$  is said to be a *local automorphism* of  $V$  for the cross-section  $c_0$ , if  $c_0 \circ \xi_V(x) = \xi_V^* \cdot c_0 \mid x$  where  $\xi_V^*$  is a local bundle map induced by  $\xi_V$ .

**Definition.** *A local diffeomorphism  $\zeta$  of an open set  $V \times (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)$  of  $M \times I$  into  $M \times I$  is a local automorphism on  $V$  depending differentiably on 1-parameter for the cross-section  $c_0$  if  $\zeta_t(x, t) = t$ , and for each fixed  $t$ ,  $\zeta_x(x, t)$  is a local automorphism of  $V$  for  $c_0$ , where  $\zeta(x, t) = (\zeta_x(x, t), \zeta_t(x, t))$ .*

From the definition of the map  $C$  (§5.), local automorphisms on  $V$  depending differentiably on 1-parameter for  $c_0$  are local automorphisms on  $V$  depending differentiably on 1-parameter for the  $(\tilde{B}, \tilde{F})$ -structure  $\mathfrak{s}_0 = C(c_0)$ . Then, the sheaf  $[\mathfrak{M}]$  of germs of local automorphisms depending differentiably for the given cross-section  $c_0$  of  $\mathfrak{B}$  is isomorphic to the sheaf  $[A]$  for  $C(c_0)$ .

Therefore, from Proposition 3 and Proposition 4, we have

**Theorem 3.** *There is a one-to-one correspondence between the set of local equivalence classes of locally trivial deformations of the cross-section  $c_0$  of  $\mathfrak{B}$  and the cohomology set  $H^1(M, [\mathfrak{M}])$ .*

## § 7. Remarks

1. The fibre bundle of positive definite symmetric tensors of the differentiable manifold  $M$  is a fibre bundle associated to the differentiable structure of  $M$  and its cross-sections are Riemannian metrics on  $M$ . In this case, our sheaf  $[\mathfrak{M}]$  is the sheaf of germs of motions depending differentiably on 1-parameter for the given Riemannian metric  $g_0$ .

2. Though we have discussed "1-parameter" to simplify the

exposition, our theory is valid for “ $m$ -parameter” by taking  $I^m$  as the parameter space.

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