

# Helicoidal surfaces in 3-dimensional Lorentz-Minkowski space satisfying the condition $\Delta^{II}G = f(G + C)$

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**Abstract:** In this work, we introduce the generalized dual Woodall numbers. As special cases, we study with dual Woodall, dual modified Woodall, dual Cullen numbers and dual modified Cullen numbers. We present Binet's formulas, generating functions and the summation formulas for these numbers. Also, we give Catalan's and Cassini's identities and present matrices related with these sequences.

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## 1. Introduction

The study of finitely generated submanifolds began in the late 1970s when B-Y Chen attempted to find a better estimate of the mean total curvature of a compact submanifold of a Euclidean space and to find a notion of "degree" for submanifolds of a Euclidean space.

In the late 1970s, B-y. Chen introduced the notion of finitely generated Euclidean immersion. Basically, it is a submanifold whose immersion  $r : M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$  is constructed using a finite number of proper functions with values in  $\mathbb{R}^m$  of their Laplacian [2, 4]. Much work has been done to characterize the classification of finitely generated submanifolds and many interesting results have been obtained (see for example [6]).

The theory of submanifolds forms an important and useful class of theories in differential geometry. The mathematical models are often used to describe many different branches of science such as engineering, chemistry, biology, physical problems, etc [1, 9, 10, 14].

Then in [3, 5] submanifolds with a type-1 Gaussian map are studied. On the other hand, it can be observed that the Laplacian of the Gaussian map of a helicoid, a catenoid and a right cone in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  is of the form

$$\Delta G = f(G + C), \tag{1}$$

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where  $\Delta$  is the Laplace operator associated with the first fundamental form,  $f$  is the smooth function in the surface and  $C$  a constant vector. This has led several geometers to classify all submanifolds of a Euclidean  $m$ -space  $\mathbb{R}^m$  (or in the Lorentz-Minkowski space  $\mathbb{R}_1^3$ ) which satisfies the condition eq. (1).

A submanifold  $M$  of a Euclidean space  $\mathbb{R}^m$  is said to have a Gaussian map of type 1 if its Gaussian map  $\mathbf{G}$  satisfies the condition eq. (1) for a non-zero smooth function  $f$  on  $M$  and a constant vector.

In [7, 8] M. Choi and Y.H. Kim gave a characterization of the helicoid as a ruled surface with a type 1 Gaussian map in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Furthermore, in the article [12], A. Niang studied the rotation surfaces in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  under the condition

$$\Delta \mathbf{G} = f \mathbf{G},$$

and obtained a characterization theorem for rotation surfaces of constant mean curvature. In [13] he studied under certain conditions the version of Lorentz rotation surfaces  $\mathbb{R}_1^3$ . B-Y.Chen also proved that the surfaces of revolution in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  with a first-order pointwise type-1 Gaussian map coincide with the surfaces of revolution with constant mean curvature. Furthermore, they characterized rational surfaces of revolution with a pointwise type-1 Gaussian map in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

If a surface in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  has non-parabolic points, then the second fundamental form can be considered a new Riemannian metric.

In this work, we consider the helicoidal surfaces without parabolic points in the Minkowski 3-space  $\mathbb{R}^3$  satisfying the following condition

$$\Delta^I \mathbf{G} = f(\mathbf{G} + C) \quad (2)$$

where  $\Delta^I$  is the Laplace operator associated with the second fundamental form,  $f$  is a smooth function on the surface and  $C$  is a constant vector.

Our main results show that the helicoidal surfaces without parabolic points in  $\mathbb{R}_1^3$  which satisfy the condition

$$\Delta^I \mathbf{G} = f \mathbf{G} \quad (3)$$

for a non-zero function  $f$ , coincide with surfaces of revolution with constant non-zero Gaussian curvature. Furthermore, we claim that there are no surfaces of revolution that satisfy the condition  $\Delta^I \mathbf{G} = 0$ .

The assumption throughout this document is that all surfaces are bonded and all objects are smooth, unless otherwise stated.

In Section 2, we will review some basic facts on Euclidean space  $\mathbb{R}^3$  (respectively of the Lorentz-Minkowski space  $\mathbb{R}_1^3$ ). In Section 3, we show that the helicoidal surfaces without parabolic points which satisfy the condition  $\Delta^I G = f(G + C)$  coincide with surfaces of revolution with constant non-zero Gaussian curvature.

## 2. Preliminaries

In this part we will give some definitions and basic concepts necessary for this work.

### Definition 2.1.

We call a pseudo-Euclidean space of dimension  $m$ , of signature  $(s, m - s)$ , the vector space  $\mathbb{R}^m$  equipped with the metric

$$g = -dx_1^2 - \dots - dx_s^2 + dx_{s+1}^2 + \dots + dx_m^2, \quad (4)$$

where  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m)$  are the coordinates of  $\mathbb{R}^m$ . We denote it as  $\mathbb{R}_s^m$ . In particular, for  $m > 2, \mathbb{R}_1^m$  is called Lorentz-Minkowski  $m$ -space.

We will be particularly interested in the Lorentz-Minkowski 3-space, which is the vector space  $\mathbb{R}^3$  equipped with the Lorentzian metric

$$\mathbf{g} = ds^2 = -dx^2 + dy^2 + dz^2, \quad (5)$$

where  $(x, y, z)$  is the coordinate system of  $\mathbb{R}_1^3$ .

We associate with this metric the Lorentz scalar product of two vectors  $X = (X_1, X_2, X_3)$  and  $Y = (Y_1, Y_2, Y_3)$  of  $\mathbb{R}_1^3$ , defined by

$$\langle X, Y \rangle = -X_1 Y_1 + X_2 Y_2 + X_3 Y_3. \quad (6)$$

### Definition 2.2.

The Lorentz vector product of two vectors  $X$  and  $Y$  is denoted as  $X \times Y$ . It is the unique vector in  $\mathbb{R}_1^3$  which is defined by:

$$X \times Y = (-X_2 Y_3 + X_3 Y_2, X_3 Y_1 - X_1 Y_3, X_1 Y_2 - X_2 Y_1) \quad (7)$$

### 2.1. Surfaces of $\mathbb{R}^3$

#### Definition 2.3.

Let  $\mathbf{M}^2$  be a regular surface of the Euclidean space  $\mathbb{R}^3$  (respectively of the Lorentz-Minkowski space  $\mathbb{R}_1^3$ ). We define the functions  $E, F$  and  $G : \omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  by

$$E = \langle r_u, r_u \rangle, F = \langle r_u, r_v \rangle, G = \langle r_v, r_v \rangle \tag{8}$$

where  $r_u$  (respectively  $r_v$ ) denotes the partial derivative of  $r$  with respect to  $u$  (respectively  $v$ ).  $\{r_u, r_v\}_{|(u,v)}$  is a basis of the tangent space  $T_p\mathbf{M}^2$  on the surface  $M^2$  at  $p = r(u, v)$ .

The functions  $E, F$  and  $G$  are called coefficients of the first fundamental form associated with the surface  $\mathbf{M}^2$ .

Let  $\mathbf{M}^2$  be a regular surface. Let  $\mathcal{N}$  be the unit normal vector to this surface, which is defined by

$$\mathcal{N} = \frac{r_u \times r_v}{\|r_u \times r_v\|}. \tag{9}$$

The application  $\mathcal{N} : M^2 \rightarrow Q^2(\varepsilon) \subset \mathbb{R}_1^3$ , which at any point of  $M^2$  associates the unit normal vector with  $\mathbf{M}^2$  at this point, is called the Gaussian application of the surface  $\mathbf{M}^2$ , where  $\varepsilon (= \pm 1)$  denotes the sign of the vector field  $\mathcal{N}$  of  $Q^2(\varepsilon)$ , the two-dimensional form space.

We then obtain new functions  $L, M$  and  $N : \omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  defined by

$$L = \langle \mathcal{N}, r_{uu} \rangle, M = \langle \mathcal{N}, r_{vu} \rangle, N = \langle \mathcal{N}, r_{vv} \rangle, \tag{10}$$

they are called coefficients of the second fundamental form associated with the surface  $\mathbf{M}^2$ .

### 2.2. Ruled surfaces

#### Definition 2.4.

A ruled surface  $\mathbf{M}^2$  of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  (or  $\mathbb{R}_1^3$ ) is a surface parametrized by

$$r(u, v) = \alpha(u) + v\beta(u) \tag{11}$$

where  $\alpha$  is a curve of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  (respectively  $\mathbb{R}_1^3$ ) and  $\beta$  is a non-zero vector field along  $\alpha$ .

For a surface  $\mathbf{M}^2$  of  $\mathbb{R}_1^3$  and a local coordinate system  $(u, v)$  in  $\mathbf{M}^2$ .

The Laplacian associated with the first fundamental form of the surface  $\mathbf{M}^2$  is written:

$$\Delta f = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{|EG - F^2|}} \left[ \left( \frac{Gf_u - Ff_v}{\sqrt{|EG - F^2|}} \right)_u - \left( \frac{Ff_u - Ef_v}{\sqrt{|EG - F^2|}} \right)_v \right] \tag{12}$$

The Laplacian associated with the second fundamental form of the surface  $\mathbf{M}^2$  [11] is written:

$$\Delta^{II} f = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{|LN - M^2|}} \left[ \left( \frac{Nf_u - Mf_v}{\sqrt{|LN - M^2|}} \right)_u - \left( \frac{Mf_u - Lf_v}{\sqrt{|LN - M^2|}} \right)_v \right] \tag{13}$$

where  $LN - M^2 \neq 0$ .

### 3. Helicoidal surfaces verifying $\Delta^{II}G = f(G + C)$

In this section we will study only three types of spaces de  $\mathbb{R}_1^3$ , which are:

1. Type I helicoidal surfaces are described by

$$r(u, v) = (u \sinh v, u \cosh v, g(u) + kv), \quad u \in I, v \in \mathbb{R}, k > 0$$

2. Type II helicoidal surfaces are described by

$$r(u, v) = (u \cosh v, u \sinh v, g(u) + kv), \quad u \in I, v \in \mathbb{R}, k > 0$$

3. Type III helicoidal surfaces are described by

$$r(u, v) = (g(u) + kv, u \cos v, u \sin v), \quad u \in I, v \in \mathbb{R}, k > 0.$$

We will try to answer the following question:

What are the helicoidal surfaces in 3-dimensional Lorentz-Minkowski space satisfying

$$\Delta^{II}G = f(G + C)? \tag{14}$$

### 3.1. Type I helicoidal surface

Suppose that the surface  $\mathbf{M}^2$  is expressed by:

$$r(u, v) = (u \sinh v, u \cosh v, g(u) + kv). \quad (15)$$

Let us calculate the derivatives of order 1 and 2 with respect to  $u$  and  $v$  of  $r(u; v)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} r_u(u, v) &= (\sinh v, \cosh v, g'(u)); \\ r_v(u, v) &= (u \cosh v, u \sinh v, k); \\ r_{uu} &= (0, 0, g''); \\ r_{vu} &= (\cosh v, \sinh v, 0); \\ r_{vv} &= (u \sinh v, u \cosh v, 0). \end{aligned}$$

The elements of the first and second fundamental form are:

$$E = 1 + g'^2; F = cg'; G = k^2 - u^2 \quad (16)$$

$$L = -\frac{ug''}{w}; M = \frac{k}{w}; N = \frac{u^2g'}{w} \quad (17)$$

where  $w = |EG - F^2|^{\frac{1}{2}} = |u^2(1 + g'^2) - k^2|^{\frac{1}{2}}$

$$LN - M^2 \neq 0 \Rightarrow k^2 + u^3g'g'' \neq 0. \quad (18)$$

We set  $R = LN - M^2 = |k^2 + u^3g'g''|$ . The unit normal vector or Gaussian map is given by:

$$\mathbf{G} = \frac{1}{w}(-k \cosh v + g'u \sinh v, -k \sinh v + g'u \cosh v, -u). \quad (19)$$

Let us now calculate the Laplacian  $\Delta^{II}\mathbf{G}$  for each component of  $\mathbf{G}$ .

The first component  $\mathbf{G}_1$  of  $\mathbf{G}$ , is

$$\mathbf{G}_1 = \frac{1}{w}(-k \cosh v + g'u \sinh v) \quad (20)$$

The component  $\mathbf{G}_1$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta^{II}G_1 &= \left( \frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2R^2w^3} [ku^4g'^2g'' + k^3ug'] - \frac{1}{Rw^2} [4ku^3g'^2g'' + 2ku^4g''^2 \right. \\ &\quad \left. + ku^4g'^2g'' + k^3ug' + k^3u^3g'^2g'' + 2k^3g'] \right) \cosh v \\ &\quad + \left( \frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2R^2w^3} [u^5g'g'' - k^2u^3g'g'' + k^2u^2 - k^4] - \frac{1}{Rw^2} [5u^4g'g'' + u^5g''^2 + u^5g'g''' \right. \\ &\quad \left. - 3k^2u^2g'g'' - k^2u^3g''^2 - k^2u^3g'g''' + k^2u - k^2ug'^2 - u^4g'g'' - u^4g'^3g''] \right) \sinh v. \end{aligned} \quad (21)$$

We can set

$$\Delta^{II}G_1 = A_1 \cosh v + B_1 \sinh v \quad (22)$$

The component  $G_2$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta^{II}G_2 &= \left( \frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2R^2w^3} [ku^4g'^2g'' + k^3ug'] - \frac{1}{Rw^2} [5ku^3g'^2g'' + 2ku^4g'g''^2 + ku^4g'^2g'' + k^3ug'' + 2k^3g'] \right) \sinh v \\ &\quad + \left( \frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2R^2w^3} [u^5g'g'' - k^2u^3g'g'' + k^2u^2 - k^4] - \frac{1}{Rw^2} [5u^4g'g'' + u^5g''^2 + u^5g'g''' \right. \\ &\quad \left. - 3k^2u^2g'g'' - k^2u^3g''^2 - k^2u^3g'g''' + k^2u - k^2ug'^2 - u^4g'g'' - u^4g'^3g''] \right) \cosh v. \end{aligned} \quad (23)$$

We can also put

$$\Delta^{II}\mathbf{G}_2 = A_1 \sinh v + B_1 \cosh v. \quad (24)$$

The Laplacian of the second fundamental form is:

$$\Delta^{II} \mathbf{G} = (A_1 \cosh v + B_1 \sinh v; A_1 \sinh v + B_1 \cosh v; D_1) \tag{25}$$

where

$$A_1 = \frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2R^2w^3} [ku^4g'^2g'' + k^3ug'] - \frac{1}{Rw^2} [5ku^3g'^2g'' + 2ku^4g'g''^2 + ku^4g'^2g'' + k^3ug'' + 2k^3g'], \tag{26}$$

$$B_1 = \frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2R^2w^3} [u^5g'g'' - k^2u^3g'g'' + k^2u^2 - k^4] - \frac{1}{Rw^2} [5u^4g'g'' + u^5g''^2 + u^5g'g''' - 3k^2u^2g'g'' - k^2u^3g''^2 - k^2u^3g'g''' + k^2u - k^2ug'^2 - u^4g'g'' - u^4g'^3g''], \tag{27}$$

$$D_1 = \frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2R^2w^3} (k^2u^2g' + u^5g'^2g'') - \frac{1}{Rw^2} (2k^2ug' + k^2u^2g'' + 5u^4g'^2g'' + 2u^5g'g''^2 + u^5g'^2g'''). \tag{28}$$

So

$$D_1 = \frac{uA_1}{k} \tag{29}$$

Let  $(\Delta^{II} \mathbf{G})_i$  be the  $i^{th}$  component of  $\Delta^{II} \mathbf{G}$  for  $i = 1; 2; 3$ . So we have

$$\left\{ \begin{aligned} \Delta^{II} \mathbf{G}_1 &= f(u, v) \left( \frac{-k \cosh v + ug' \sinh v}{\sqrt{|u^2(1+g'^2) - k^2|}} + c_1 \right) \\ &= A_1 \cosh v + B_1 \sinh v \\ \Delta^{II} \mathbf{G}_2 &= f(u, v) \left( \frac{-k \sinh v + ug' \cosh v}{\sqrt{|u^2(1+g'^2) - k^2|}} + c_2 \right) \\ &= A_1 \sinh v + B_1 \cosh v \\ \Delta^{II} \mathbf{G}_3 &= f(u, v) \left( \frac{-u}{\sqrt{|u^2(1+g'^2) - k^2|}} + c_3 \right) \\ &= \frac{uA_1}{k} \end{aligned} \right. \tag{30}$$

where  $C = (c_1, c_2, c_3)$ .

By identification we can easily determine  $f(u, v); c_1; c_2$  and  $c_3$ .

$$\left\{ \begin{aligned} -\frac{kf(u, v)}{w} &= A_1 \\ \frac{ug'f(u, v)}{w} &= B_1 \\ c_1f(u, v) &= 0 \end{aligned} \right. \tag{31}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{aligned} -\frac{kf(u, v)}{w} &= A_1 \\ \frac{ug'f(u, v)}{w} &= B_1 \\ c_2f(u, v) &= 0 \end{aligned} \right. \tag{32}$$

So from eqs. (31) and (32), we can deduce that  $c_1 = c_2 = 0$  and

$$f(u, v) = -\frac{wA_1}{k} \text{ or } f(u, v) = \frac{wB_1}{ug'}$$

**Case 1:** If  $f(u, v) = -\frac{wA_1}{k}$ , we have the expression for  $f(u, v)$ :

$$f(u, v) = -\frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2R^2w^3} [u^4g'^2g'' + k^2ug'] - \frac{1}{Rw^2} [5u^3g'^2g'' + 2u^4g''^2 + u^4g'^2g'' + k^2ug'' + 2k^2g'] \tag{33}$$

To determine  $c_3$  we can use

$$\Delta^{II} \mathbf{G}_3 = f(u, v) \left( \frac{-u}{\sqrt{|u^2(1+g'^2) - k^2|}} + c_3 \right) = \frac{uA_1}{k} \tag{34}$$

$$-uf + c_3fw = \frac{uwA_1}{k} \implies c_3 = \frac{uA_1}{kf} + \frac{u}{w} \implies c_3 = 0 \tag{35}$$

**Case 2:** If  $f(u, v) = \frac{wB_1}{ug'}$ , we can easily express  $f(u, v)$  by replacing  $B_1$  with its expression

$$f(u, v) = \frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2ug'R^2w^2} [u^5g'g'' - k^2u^3g'g'' + k^2u^2 - k^4] - \frac{1}{ug'Rw} [5u^4g'g'' + u^5g''^2 + u^5g'g''' - 3k^2u^2g'g'' - k^2u^3g''^2 - k^2u^3g'g''' + k^2u - k^2ug'^2 - u^4g'g'' - u^4g'^3g''] \quad (36)$$

From eqs. (34) and (36) we have:

$$C_3 = \frac{uA_1}{kf} + \frac{u}{w}. \quad (37)$$

Thus we have just demonstrated the following theorem

**Theorem 3.1.**

Let  $r : M^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be a parametrization of the helical surface given by

$$r(u, v) = (u \sin v, u \cos v, g(u) + kv)$$

where  $v \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $k > 0$ ,  $u \in I \subset \mathbb{R}$  and  $G$  is a Gaussian map.

1. If  $f(u, v) = -\frac{wA_1}{k}$ , where

$$A_1 = \frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2R^2w^3} [ku^4g'^2g'' + k^3ug'] - \frac{1}{Rw^2} [5ku^3g'^2g'' + 2ku^4g'g''^2 + ku^4g'^2g'' + k^3ug'' + 2k^3g']. \quad (38)$$

Then the condition  $\Delta^{II}G = fG$  is verified.

2. If  $f(u, v) = \frac{wB_1}{ug'}$ , where

$$B_1 = \frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2R^2w^3} [u^5g'g'' - k^2u^3g'g'' + k^2u^2 - k^4] - \frac{1}{Rw^2} [5u^4g'g'' + u^5g''^2 + u^5g'g''' - 3k^2u^2g'g'' - k^2u^3g''^2 - k^2u^3g'g''' + k^2u - k^2ug'^2 - u^4g'g'' - u^4g'^3g'']. \quad (39)$$

Then the condition  $\Delta^{II}G = f(G + C)$  is verified, where  $C = (0, 0, c_3)$  according to eq. (37).

**Corollary 3.1.**

Let  $M^2$  be a helicoidal surface parametrized by

$$r(u, v) = (u \sinh v, u \cosh v, g(u) + kv)$$

in  $\mathbb{R}_1^3$ . If  $g'' = 0$

1. If  $f(u, v) = -\frac{wA_1}{k}$ , where

$$A_1 = \frac{1}{w^3} [kau^2(1 + a^2) + 2k^3a] \quad (40)$$

Then the condition  $\Delta^{II}G = fG$  is verified.

2. If  $f(u, v) = \frac{wB_1}{ug'}$ , where

$$B_1 = \frac{1}{w^4} [2u^3 - 2uk^2 + 3u^3a^2 + u^3a^4 - 4ua^2k^2] \quad (41)$$

Then the condition  $\Delta^{II}G = f(G + C)$  is verified, where  $C = (0, 0, c_3)$

with  $c_3 = \frac{u}{w} \left[ 1 + \frac{uA_1g'}{kB_1} \right] \Rightarrow c_3 = \frac{u}{w} \left[ 1 + \frac{au^2g'(1 + a^2) + 2k^2ag'}{2u^2 - 2k^2 + 3u^2a^1 + u^2a^4 - 4a^2k^2} \right]$

### 3.2. Type II helicoidal surfaces

Suppose that the surface  $\mathbf{M}$  is expressed equivalently by:

$$r(u, v) = (u \cosh v, u \sinh v, g(u) + kv), \quad u \in I, v \in \mathbb{R}, k > 0 \tag{42}$$

the result is identical to the previous case. There is no point in studying it.

### 3.3. Type III helicoidal surfaces

Suppose that the helicoidal surfaces  $\mathbf{M}$  are described by:

$$r(u, v) = (g(u) + kv, u \cos v, u \sin v), \quad u \in I, v \in \mathbb{R}, k > 0. \tag{43}$$

We can verify that

$$E = 1 - g'^2; F = -kg'; G = u^2 - k^2 \tag{44}$$

$$L = \frac{ug''}{w}; M = -\frac{k}{w}; N = \frac{u^2g'}{w}. \tag{45}$$

The unit vector is:

$$\mathbf{G} = \frac{1}{w} (u; -ug' \cos v + k \sin v; ug' \sin v + k \cos v). \tag{46}$$

Now let us compute the Laplacian  $\Delta^{II}G$  for each of the components of  $\mathbf{G}$ .

The first component  $\mathbf{G}_1$  of  $\mathbf{G}$ , is  $\mathbf{G}_1 = \frac{u}{w}$ . The Laplacian of the second fundamental form for  $\mathbf{G}_1$  is:

$$\Delta^{II}\mathbf{G}_1 = \frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2R^2w^3} (k^2u^2g' - u^5(g')^2g'') - \frac{1}{Rw^2} (2k^2g' + k^2u^2g'' - 5u^4g'^2g'' - 2u^5g'(g'')^2 - u^5(g')^2g'''). \tag{47}$$

Put  $\Delta^{II}\mathbf{G}_1 = D_2$ .

The component  $\mathbf{G}_2$  is

$$G_2 = \frac{1}{w} (-ug' \cos v + k \sin v). \tag{48}$$

The Laplacian of the second fundamental form for the component  $\mathbf{G}_2$  is:

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta^{II}\mathbf{G}_2 = & \left[ \frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2R^2w^3} (k^4 + k^2u^2 - k^2u^3g'g'' - u^5g'g'') - \frac{1}{Rw^2} (k^2u - k^2ug'^2 - 3k^2u^2g'g'' - k^2u^3g'g''') \right. \\ & \left. - 4u^4g'g'' + u^4g'^3g'' - u^5g''^2 - u^5g'g'''' \right] \cos v + \left[ \frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2R^2w^3} (k^3ug' - ku^4g'^2g'') \right. \\ & \left. - \frac{1}{Rw^2} (2k^3g' + k^3ug'' - 5ku^3g'^2g'' - 2ku^4g'g''^2 - ku^4g'^2g''') \right] \sin v. \end{aligned} \tag{49}$$

We pose

$$\Delta^{II}\mathbf{G}_2 = A_2 \cos v + B_2 \sin v. \tag{50}$$

The component  $\mathbf{G}_3$

$$\mathbf{G}_3 = \frac{1}{w} (ug' \sin v + k \cos v). \tag{51}$$

The Laplacian of the second fundamental form for the component  $\mathbf{G}_3$  is:

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta^{II}\mathbf{G}_3 = & \left[ \frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2R^2w^3} (-k^4 - k^2u^2 + k^2u^3g'g'' + u^5g'g'') - \frac{1}{Rw^2} (-k^2u + k^2ug'^2 + 3k^2u^2g'g'' \right. \\ & \left. + k^2u^3g'g'' + 4u^4g'g'' - u^4g'^3g'' - u^5g''^2 + u^5g'g''') \right] \sin v + \left[ \frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2R^2w^3} (k^3ug' - ku^4g'^2g'') \right. \\ & \left. - \frac{1}{Rw^2} (2k^3g' + k^3ug'' - 5ku^3g'^2g'' - 2ku^4g'g''^2 - ku^4g'^2g''') \right] \cos v. \end{aligned} \tag{52}$$

Then

$$\Delta^{II}\mathbf{G}_3 = -A_2 \sin v + B_2 \cos v. \quad (53)$$

The Laplacian of the second fundamental form is

$$\Delta^{II}\mathbf{G} = (D_2; A_2 \cos v + B_2 \sin v; -A_2 \sin v + B_2 \cos v), \quad (54)$$

where

$$A_2 = -\frac{1}{Rw^2} \left( k^2 u - k^2 u g'^2 - 3k^2 u^2 g' g'' - k^2 u^3 g' g''' - 4u^4 g' g'' + u^4 (g')^3 g'' - u^5 (g'')^2 - u^5 g' g''' \right) + \frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2R^2 w^3} \left( k^4 + k^2 u^2 - k^2 u^3 g' g'' - u^5 g' g'' \right), \quad (55)$$

$$B_2 = \frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2R^2 w^3} \left( k^3 u g' - k u^4 (g')^2 g'' \right) - \frac{1}{Rw^2} \left( 2k^3 g' + k^3 u g'' - 5k u^3 (g')^2 g'' - 2k u^4 g' (g'')^2 - k u^4 g'^2 g''' \right), \quad (56)$$

$$D_2 = \frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2R^2 w^3} \left( k^2 u^2 g' - u^5 (g')^2 g'' \right) - \frac{1}{Rw^2} \left( 2k^2 g' + k^2 u^2 g'' - 5u^4 (g')^2 g'' - 2u^5 g' (g'')^2 - u^5 (g')^2 g''' \right). \quad (57)$$

We note that  $D_2 = \frac{u}{k} B_2$

Let  $\Delta^{II}G_i$  be the  $i^{th}$  component of  $\Delta^{II}\mathbf{G}$  for  $i = 1; 2; 3$ . Then we have

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \Delta^{II}\mathbf{G}_1 = f(u, v) \left( \frac{u}{\sqrt{|u^2(1+g'^2)+k^2|}} + C_1 \right) \\ \quad = D_2 \\ \Delta^{II}\mathbf{G}_2 = f(u, v) \left( \frac{-u g' \cos v + k \sin v}{\sqrt{|u^2(1+g'^2)+k^2|}} + C_2 \right) \\ \quad = A_2 \cos v + B_2 \sin v \\ \Delta^{II}\mathbf{G}_3 = f(u, v) \left( \frac{u g' \sin v + c \cos v}{\sqrt{|u^2(1+g'^2)+k^2|}} + C_3 \right) \\ \quad = -A_2 \sin v + B_2 \cos v \end{array} \right.$$

where  $C = (C_1, C_2, C_3)$ .

By identification we can easily determine  $f(u, v)$ ;  $C_1$ ;  $C_2$  and  $C_3$ .

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} -\frac{u g' f(u, v)}{k f(u, v)} = A_2 \\ \frac{w}{k f(u, v)} = B_2 \\ C_2 f(u, v) = 0 \end{array} \right. \quad (58)$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} -\frac{u g' f(u, v)}{k f(u, v)} = -A_2 \\ \frac{w}{k f(u, v)} = B_2 \\ C_3 f(u, v) = 0. \end{array} \right. \quad (59)$$

So from eqs. (58) and (59), we can deduce that  $C_2 = C_3 = 0$  and

$$f(u, v) = -\frac{w}{u g'} A_2$$

or

$$f(u, v) = \frac{w}{k} B_2.$$

**Case 1:** If  $f(u, v) = \frac{w}{k} B_2$ , then the expression of  $f(u, v)$  is

$$f(u, v) = \frac{1}{Rw} \left( -2k^2 g' - k^2 u g'' + 5u^3 (g')^2 g'' + 2u^4 g' g''^2 + u^4 (g')^2 g''' \right) + \frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2R^2 w^2} \left( k^2 u g' - u^4 g'^2 g'' \right).$$



We can determine  $C_1$  from

$$\Delta^{II} \mathbf{G}_1 = f(u, v) \left( \frac{u}{\sqrt{|u^2(1+g'^2)+k^2|}} + C_1 \right) = D_2 \tag{60}$$

Then  $f(u, v) \left( \frac{u}{w} + C_1 \right) = D_2 \implies C_1 = \frac{D_2}{f} - \frac{u}{w} \implies C_1 = \frac{u}{w} - \frac{u}{w} \implies C_1 = 0$

**Case 2:** If  $f(u, v) = -\frac{w}{ug'}$   $A_2$ , We can express  $f(u, v)$  by replacing  $A_2$  with its expression.

$$f(u, v) = \frac{1}{Rwug'} \left( k^2u - k^2u(g')^2 - 3k^2u^2g'g'' - k^2u^3g'g''' - 4u^4g'g'' + u^4(g')^3g'' - u^5(g'')^2 - u^5g'g''' \right) - \frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2R^2w^2ug'} \left( k^4 + k^2u^2 - k^2u^3g'g'' - u^5g'g'' \right) \tag{61}$$

$$C_1 = \frac{D_2}{f} - \frac{u}{w} \implies C_1 = -\frac{u}{w} \left[ \frac{ug' B_2}{k A_2} + 1 \right].$$

Thus, we have just established the following theorem

**Theorem 3.2.**

Let  $r : \mathbb{M}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_1^3$  be a parametrization of the helical surface given by

$$r(u, v) = (g(u) + kv, u \cos v, u \sin v), \quad u \in I, v \in \mathbb{R}, k > 0$$

and  $G$  a Gaussian map.

1. If  $f(u, v) = \frac{w}{k} B_2$ , where

$$B_2 = \frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2R^2w^3} \left( k^3ug' - ku^4(g')^2g'' \right) - \frac{1}{Rw^2} \left( 2k^3g' + k^3ug'' - 5ku^3(g')^2g'' - 2ku^4g'(g'')^2 - ku^4(g')^2g''' \right). \tag{62}$$

Then the condition  $\Delta^{II}G = fG$  is verified.

2. If  $f(u, v) = -\frac{w}{ug'}$   $A_2$ , where

$$A_2 = -\frac{1}{Rw^2} \left( k^2u - k^2u(g')^2 - 3k^2u^2g'g'' - k^2u^3g'g''' - 4u^4g'g'' + u^4(g')^3g'' - u^5(g'')^2 - u^5g'g''' \right) + \frac{R'w + 6w'R}{2R^2w^3} \left( k^4 + k^2u^2 - k^2u^3g'g'' - u^5g'g'' \right) \tag{63}$$

then the condition  $\Delta^{II}G = f(G + C)$  is verified with  $C = (c, 0, 0)$ , where  $c = C_1 = -\frac{u}{w} \left[ \frac{ug' B_2}{k A_2} + 1 \right]$ .

**Corollary 3.2.**

Let  $\mathbb{M}^2$  be a helical surface parametrized by  $r(u, v) = (g(u) + kv, u \cos v, u \sin v)$  in  $\mathbb{R}_1^3$ . If  $g'' = 0$

1. If  $f(u, v) = -\frac{wB_2}{k}$ , where

$$B_2 = \frac{1}{w^3} [kau^2(1+a^2) + 2k^3a] \tag{64}$$

Then the condition  $\Delta^{II}G = fG$  is verified.

2. If  $f(u, v) = \frac{wA_2}{ug'}$ , where

$$A_2 = \frac{1}{w^4} [2u^3 - 2uk^2 + 3u^3a^2 + u^3a^4 - 4ua^2k^2] \tag{65}$$

Then the condition  $\Delta^{II}G = f(G + C)$  is verified, where  $C = (c, 0, 0)$

with  $c = c_1 = -\frac{u}{w} \left[ 1 + \frac{uB_2g'}{kA_2} \right] \implies c_1 = -\frac{u}{w} \left[ 1 + \frac{au^2g'(1+a^2) + 2k^2ag'}{2u^2 - 2k^2 + 3u^2a^1 + u^2a^4 - 4a^2k^2} \right]$

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