

th let Ω be an open set of \mathbb{R}^n , starshaped (at 0) then Ω is C^∞ -diffeomorphic to \mathbb{R}^n .

Proof: Let $F: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \Omega$ and $\varphi: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$ be a C^∞ function such that $F = \varphi^{-1}(\{0\})$.

$$\text{We set } f: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \text{ by } x \mapsto \left[1 + \left(\int_0^1 \frac{dv}{\varphi(vx)} \right)^2 \|x\|_2^2 \right] \cdot x = \left[1 + \left(\int_0^{\|x\|_2} \frac{dt}{\varphi(t \frac{x}{\|x\|_2})} \right)^2 \right] \cdot \|x\|_2 \cdot \frac{x}{\|x\|_2}$$

(where $\|x\|_2 = (\sum_i x_i^2)^{1/2}$)

f is smooth on \mathbb{R}^n . We set $A(x) = \sup \{ t > 0, \frac{tx}{\|x\|_2} \in \Omega \}$. f send injectively

$[0, A(x)] \cdot \frac{x}{\|x\|_2}$ into \mathbb{R}^n . $\frac{x}{\|x\|_2}$ moreover, if we set $u = \frac{x}{\|x\|_2}$, then

$$\|f(0, u)\|_2 = 0 \text{ and } \lim_{t \rightarrow A(x)} \|f(t, u)\|_2 = \left[1 + \left(\int_0^{A(x)} \frac{dt}{\varphi(tu)} \right)^2 \right] \cdot A(x) = +\infty$$

indeed, if $A(x) = +\infty$ it is obvious

if $A(x) < \infty$ then $\int_0^{A(x)} \varphi(tu) dt = 0 \Rightarrow \varphi(tu) = O(t - A(x))$
 $\int_0^{A(x)} \frac{ds}{\varphi(su)}$ diverges.

We infer that $\varphi([0, A(x)] \cdot \frac{x}{\|x\|_2}) = \mathbb{R}^n$ and so $\varphi(\Omega) = \mathbb{R}^n$.

To conclude, we have $d_x f(h) = \lambda(x)h + d\lambda(x) \cdot x$

so if $x \in \text{Ker } d_x f$ then there exists $\mu \in \mathbb{R}$ such that $h = \mu x$
 and we get $[\lambda(x) + d\lambda(x)] = 0$ (note that $\lambda(0) = 1$ so $x \neq 0$).

but we have $\lambda(x) \geq 1$ and $g(t) = \lambda(tx)$ increasing so $g'(1) = d\lambda(x) \cdot x$

which gives a contradiction.

Nota bene - The Whitney Theorem is a classical result.
 - in the case $n=2$ the Riemann theorem implies that Ω is holomorphically diffeomorphic to $\mathbb{R}^2 \simeq \mathbb{C}$.