Exercise Sheet 13

1. Let $\varphi: (0,\infty) \times (0,2\pi) \times (-\frac{\pi}{2},\frac{\pi}{2}) \to \mathbb{R}^3$ be defined by

 $\varphi(r, \alpha, \beta) = (r \cos \alpha \cos \beta, r \sin \alpha \cos \beta, r \sin \beta).$

Calculate the pullback $\varphi^*(xdy)$.

- 2. Let ω_1, ω_2 be differential forms, defined on some open set $U \subset \mathbb{R}^n$. Assume that ω_1 is closed and ω_2 is exact. Show that $\omega_1 \wedge \omega_2$ is closed and exact.
- 3. Let $A_i \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ be a countable sequence of sets of measure zero. Show that the union $\cup_i A_i$ is, again, a set of measure zero.