

# ATA

## Advanced Tensor Analysis

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### Abstract

ATA is a tensor calculus package made for general purpose, easy to use with good looking formula display. This package was built for computing large tensor equations with the least amount of time. This package is unique in the sense that it allows you to input tensors in their tensor form and it has a simple framework. The Output comes with tensor and derivatives of tensors only and any covariant derivatives are evaluated at the beginning. In addition, ATA uses the tensors symmetries to simplify an expression enormously. ATA can be of interest to the scientist working on any field where tensor calculus is required.

```
Clear["Global`*"];  
Get["C:\\Library\\Mathematica\\Afak Publish\\ATA.m"];
```

First we must set the number of dimensions and name our coordinate.

```
SetSystem[3, x]
```

## Tutorial

### ■ Evaluating Tensor

Use the EvaExp Head to Evaluate your tensor and write in tensor form.

```
Aa // EvaExp
```

A<sub>a</sub>

### ■ ExpandIndex

Use the ExpandIndex Head to sum over repeated indices.

```
A_a A^a // EvaExp // ExpandIndex
```

$$A^1 A_1 + A^2 A_2 + A^3 A_3$$

## ContractIndex

Use the ContractIndex Head to Contract repeated indices.

```
A_a A^a // EvaExp // ExpandIndex
A_a A^a // EvaExp // ExpandIndex // ContractIndex
```

$$A^1 A_1 + A^2 A_2 + A^3 A_3$$

$$A^a A_a$$

## Define

Use the Define Head to Define your tensor .

Define[**{Tensor Name, Tensor Indices, Tensor Definition, Symmetric Indices, Antisymmetric Indices, Tensor Elements}**]

When using Define you must enter the tensor name and its indices, however its optional to enter the other elements such as "Symmetric Indices".

e.g. Define[**{ $\delta$ , {a,-b}}**], defines  $\delta_b^a$

e.g. Define[**{ $\delta$ , {a,-b},  $g^{ac} g_{cb}$ , {{a,-b}}, {{1,0,0},{0,1,0},{0,0,1}}**}], defines  $\delta_b^a = g^{ac} g_{cb}$  and  $\delta_b^a$  is symmetric with respect to the permutation a and b.

```
Define[{W, {a, -b}, g^ac g_cb}]
W_b^a // EvaExp
```

$$g^{ac} g_{cb}$$

## SimplifyTensor

SimplifyTensor Head uses elements four and five of Define[] to simplify equations

e.g Show that  $T_{ab} + T_{ba}=0$ , where  $T_{ab}$  is antisymmetric

```
Define[{T, {-a, -b}, , , {-a, -b}}]
T_ab + T_ba // EvaExp
T_ab + T_ba // EvaExp // SimplifyTensor
```

$$T_{ab} + T_{ba}$$

$$0$$

## ■ $\mathcal{D}$ Operators

Use  $\mathcal{D}$  Head when writing derivatives

e.g.

$V^a_{,b}$  is writing as  $\mathcal{D}_1[V^a, b]$

$V^a_{;b}$  is writing as  $\mathcal{D}_2[V^a, b]$

```
 $\mathcal{D}_1[V^a, b]$  // EvaExp
 $\mathcal{D}_2[V^a, b]$  // EvaExp
```

$V^a_{,b}$

$V^a_{,b} + V^c \Gamma^a_{cb}$

## ■ ReplaceIndices

Use ReplaceIndices Head to replace indices of equations

```
 $V^a$  // EvaExp
 $V^a$  // EvaExp // ReplaceIndices [# , {a → 1}] &
```

$V^a$

$V^1$

## ■ Calculate

Calculate Head uses the sixth element of Define evaluate tensor

```
Define[{g, {-μ, -ν}, , , , DiagonalMatrix[{1, x12, x12 Sin[x2]2]}]}]
gμν // EvaExp
gμν // EvaExp // ReplaceIndices [# , {μ → 2, ν → 2}] &
gμν // EvaExp // ReplaceIndices [# , {μ → 2, ν → 2}] & // Calculate
```

$g_{\mu\nu}$

$g_{22}$

$x_1^2$

## Example. Riemann Tensor

Now we can define important Tensors like the Riemann Tensor

```
Define[{R, {ρ, -μ, -σ, -ν}, D1[Γμνρ, σ] - D1[Γμσρ, ν] + Γμνκ Γκσρ - Γμσκ Γκνρ}]
Rabca // EvaExp
```

$$-\Gamma_{ab,c}^a + \Gamma_{ac,b}^a + \Gamma_{ac}^d \Gamma_{db}^a - \Gamma_{ab}^d \Gamma_{dc}^a$$

### Example. Ricci Tensor

```
Define[{R, {ρ, -μ, -σ, -ν}, D1[Γμνρ, σ] - D1[Γμσρ, ν] + Γμνκ Γκσρ - Γμσκ Γκνρ}]
Define[{R, {-a, -b}, Racbc}]
Rab // EvaExp
```

$$\Gamma_{ab,c}^c - \Gamma_{ac,b}^c - \Gamma_{ac}^d \Gamma_{db}^c + \Gamma_{ab}^d \Gamma_{dc}^c$$

### Example. Commutator $[D_a, D_b] V^c = R_{dbc}^a V^d + 2 S_{ab}^d D_d V^c$

```
Define[{R, {ρ, -μ, -σ, -ν}, D1[Γμνρ, σ] - D1[Γμσρ, ν] + Γμνκ Γκσρ - Γμσκ Γκνρ}]
Define[{S, {ρ, -μ, -ν},  $\frac{\Gamma_{\mu\nu}^{\rho} - \Gamma_{\nu\mu}^{\rho}}{2}$ }]
Define[{Γ, {ρ, -μ, -ν}]}
Vd Rdabc + 2 Sab}^d Dd[Vc, d] // EvaExp
D2[D2[Vc, b], a] - D2[D2[Vc, a], b] // EvaExp
```

$$V_{,d}^c \Gamma_{ab}^d - V_{,d}^c \Gamma_{ba}^d - V^d \Gamma_{da,b}^c + V^d \Gamma_{db,a}^c + V^d \Gamma_{db}^e \Gamma_{ea}^c - V^d \Gamma_{da}^e \Gamma_{eb}^c + V^e \Gamma_{ab}^d \Gamma_{ed}^c - V^e \Gamma_{ba}^d \Gamma_{ed}^c$$

$$V_{,d}^c \Gamma_{ab}^d - V_{,d}^c \Gamma_{ba}^d - V^d \Gamma_{da,b}^c + V^d \Gamma_{db,a}^c + V^d \Gamma_{ab}^e \Gamma_{de}^c - V^d \Gamma_{ba}^e \Gamma_{de}^c + V^d \Gamma_{db}^e \Gamma_{ea}^c - V^d \Gamma_{da}^e \Gamma_{eb}^c$$

### Example. Commutator $[D_a, D_b] V^c = R_{dbc}^a V^d$ (If $\Gamma_{\mu\nu}^{\rho}$ is symmetric with respect to $\mu$ and $\nu$ )

```
Define[{R, {ρ, -μ, -σ, -ν}, D1[Γμνρ, σ] - D1[Γμσρ, ν] + Γμνκ Γκσρ - Γμσκ Γκνρ}]
Define[{S, {ρ, -μ, -ν},  $\frac{\Gamma_{\mu\nu}^{\rho} - \Gamma_{\nu\mu}^{\rho}}{2}$ }]
Define[{Γ, {ρ, -μ, -ν}, , {{-μ, -ν}}}]
Vd Rdabc // EvaExp
D2[D2[Vc, b], a] - D2[D2[Vc, a], b] // EvaExp // SimplifyTensor
```

$$-V^d \Gamma_{da,b}^c + V^d \Gamma_{db,a}^c + V^d \Gamma_{db}^e \Gamma_{ea}^c - V^d \Gamma_{da}^e \Gamma_{eb}^c$$

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## Example. Spherical Metric

```

Clear["Global`*"];
Get["C:\\Library\\Mathematica\\Afak Publish\\ATP.m"];
SetSystem[3, X]
Define[{R, {-a, -b}, Rcacb}]
Define[{R, {ρ, -μ, -σ, -ν},  $\mathcal{D}_1[\Gamma_{\mu\nu}^\rho, \sigma] - \mathcal{D}_1[\Gamma_{\mu\sigma}^\rho, \nu] + \Gamma_{\mu\nu}^\kappa \Gamma_{\kappa\sigma}^\rho - \Gamma_{\mu\sigma}^\kappa \Gamma_{\kappa\nu}^\rho$ ]}]
Define[{g, {-μ, -ν}, , , DiagonalMatrix[{1, X12, X12 Sin[X2]2]}]}]
Define[{g, {μ, ν}, , , Inverse[DiagonalMatrix[{1, X12, X12 Sin[X2]2]}]}]}]
Define[{Δ, {μ, -ν, -κ},  $\frac{1}{2} g^{\mu\lambda} (\mathcal{D}_1[g_{\lambda\nu}, \kappa] + \mathcal{D}_1[g_{\lambda\kappa}, \nu] - \mathcal{D}_1[g_{\nu\kappa}, \lambda])$ ]}]
Define[{Γ, {μ, -ν, -κ}, , , Δabc // EvaExp // TableTensor[#, {a, b, c}] &]}]

Rbc // EvaExp // TableTensor[#, {b, c}] & // FullSimplify // MatrixForm

```

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$