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this classic text provides overview of both classic and hyperbolic geometries placing the work of key mathematicians philosophers in historical context coverage includes geometric transformations models of the hyperbolic planes and pseudospheres

one of the first college level texts for elementary courses in non euclidean geometry this volume is geared toward students familiar with calculus topics include the fifth postulate hyperbolic plane geometry and trigonometry and elliptic plane geometry and trigonometry extensive appendixes offer background information on euclidean geometry and numerous exercises appear throughout the text reprint of the holt rinehart winston inc new york 1945 edition

in this book dr coolidge explains non euclidean geometry which consists of two geometries based on axioms closely related to those specifying euclidean geometry as euclidean geometry lies at the intersection of metric geometry and affine geometry non euclidean geometry arises when either the metric requirement is relaxed or the parallel postulate is replaced with an alternative one in the latter case one obtains hyperbolic geometry and elliptic geometry the traditional non euclidean geometries when the metric requirement is relaxed then there are affine planes associated with the planar algebras which give rise to kinematic geometries that have also been called non euclidean geometry the essential difference between the metric geometries is the nature of parallel lines euclid's fifth postulate the parallel postulate is equivalent to playfair's postulate which states that within a two dimensional plane for any given line  $l$  and a point  $a$  which is not on  $l$  there is exactly one line through  $a$  that does not intersect  $l$  in hyperbolic

geometry by contrast there are infinitely many lines through a not intersecting  $l$  while in elliptic geometry any line through  $a$  intersects  $l$  another way to describe the differences between these geometries is to consider two straight lines indefinitely extended in a two dimensional plane that are both perpendicular to a third line in euclidean geometry the lines remain at a constant distance from each other meaning that a line drawn perpendicular to one line at any point will intersect the other line and the length of the line segment joining the points of intersection remains constant and are known as parallels in hyperbolic geometry they curve away from each other increasing in distance as one moves further from the points of intersection with the common perpendicular these lines are often called ultraparallels in elliptic geometry the lines curve toward each other and intersect

this book develops a self contained treatment of classical euclidean geometry through both axiomatic and analytic methods concise and well organized it prompts readers to prove a theorem yet provides them with a framework for doing so chapter topics cover neutral geometry euclidean plane geometry geometric transformations euclidean 3 space euclidean  $n$  space perimeter area and volume spherical geometry hyperbolic geometry models for plane geometries and the hyperbolic metric

examines various attempts to prove euclid's parallel postulate by the greeks arabs and renaissance mathematicians it considers forerunners and founders such as saccheri lambert legendre w bolyai gauss others includes 181 diagrams

an introduction to non euclidean geometry covers some introductory topics related to non euclidian geometry including hyperbolic and elliptic geometries this book is organized into three parts encompassing eight chapters the first part provides mathematical proofs of euclid's fifth postulate concerning the extent of a straight line and the theory of parallels the second part describes some problems in hyperbolic geometry such as cases of parallels with and without a common perpendicular this part also

deals with horocycles and triangle relations the third part examines single and double elliptic geometries this book will be of great value to mathematics liberal arts and philosophy major students

there are many technical and popular accounts both in russian and in other languages of the non euclidean geometry of lobachevsky and bolyai a few of which are listed in the bibliography this geometry also called hyperbolic geometry is part of the required subject matter of many mathematics departments in universities and teachers colleges a reflection of the view that familiarity with the elements of hyperbolic geometry is a useful part of the background of future high school teachers much attention is paid to hyperbolic geometry by school mathematics clubs some mathematicians and educators concerned with reform of the high school curriculum believe that the required part of the curriculum should include elements of hyperbolic geometry and that the optional part of the curriculum should include a topic related to hyperbolic geometry the broad interest in hyperbolic geometry is not surprising this interest has little to do with mathematical and scientific applications of hyperbolic geometry since the applications for instance in the theory of automorphic functions are rather specialized and are likely to be encountered by very few of the many students who conscientiously study and then present to examiners the definition of parallels in hyperbolic geometry and the special features of configurations of lines in the hyperbolic plane the principal reason for the interest in hyperbolic geometry is the important fact of non uniqueness of geometry of the existence of many geometric systems

renowned for its lucid yet meticulous exposition this classic allows students to follow the development of non euclidean geometry from a fundamental analysis of the concept of parallelism to more advanced topics 1914 edition includes 133 figures

the russian edition of this book appeared in 1976 on the hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the historic day of february 23 1826 when lobachevskii delivered his famous lecture on his discovery of non euclidean geometry the

importance of the discovery of non euclidean geometry goes far beyond the limits of geometry itself it is safe to say that it was a turning point in the history of all mathematics the scientific revolution of the seventeenth century marked the transition from mathematics of constant magnitudes to mathematics of variable magnitudes during the seventies of the last century there occurred another scientific revolution by that time mathematicians had become familiar with the ideas of non euclidean geometry and the algebraic ideas of group and field all of which appeared at about the same time and the later ideas of set theory this gave rise to many geometries in addition to the euclidean geometry previously regarded as the only conceivable possibility to the arithmetics and algebras of many groups and fields in addition to the arithmetic and algebra of real and complex numbers and finally to new mathematical systems i e sets furnished with various structures having no classical analogues thus in the 1870 s there began a new mathematical era usually called until the middle of the twentieth century the era of modern mathematics

a thorough analysis of the fundamentals of plane geometry the reader is provided with an abundance of geometrical facts such as the classical results of plane euclidean and non euclidean geometry congruence theorems concurrence theorems classification of isometries angle addition trigonometrical formulas etc

this book is a text for junior senior or first year graduate courses traditionally titled foundations of geometry and or non euclidean geometry the first 29 chapters are for a semester or year course on the foundations of geometry the remaining chapters may then be used for either a regular course or independent study courses another possibility which is also especially suited for in service teachers of high school geometry is to survey the fundamentals of absolute geometry chapters 1 20 very quickly and begin earnest study with the theory of parallels and isometries chapters 21 30 the text is self contained except that the elementary calculus is assumed for some parts of the material on advanced hyperbolic geometry chapters 31 34 there are over 650 exercises 30 of which are 10 part true or false

questions a rigorous ruler and protractor axiomatic development of the euclidean and hyperbolic planes including the classification of the isometries of these planes is balanced by the discussion about this development models such as taxicab geometry are used extensively to illustrate theory historical aspects and alternatives to the selected axioms are prominent the classical axiom systems of euclid and hilbert are discussed as are axiom systems for three and four dimensional absolute geometry and pieri's system based on rigid motions the text is divided into three parts the introduction chapters 1-4 is to be read as quickly as possible and then used for reference if necessary

this accessible approach features stereometric and planimetric proofs and elementary proofs employing only the simplest properties of the plane a short history of geometry precedes the systematic exposition 1961 edition

this resource is devoted to finite and non euclidean geometric systems for secondary school teachers and students

the discovery of hyperbolic geometry and the subsequent proof that this geometry is just as logical as euclid's had a profound influence on man's understanding of mathematics and the relation of mathematical geometry to the physical world it is now possible due in large part to axioms devised by george birkhoff to give an accurate elementary development of hyperbolic plane geometry also using the poincare model and inversive geometry the equiconsistency of hyperbolic plane geometry and euclidean plane geometry can be proved without the use of any advanced mathematics these two facts provided both the motivation and the two central themes of the present work basic hyperbolic plane geometry and the proof of its equal footing with euclidean plane geometry is presented here in terms accessible to anyone with a good background in high school mathematics the development however is especially directed to college students who may become secondary teachers for that reason the treatment is designed to emphasize those aspects of hyperbolic plane geometry which contribute to the skills knowledge and insights needed to

teach euclidean geometry with some mastery

from nothing i have created a new different world wrote jános bolyai to his father wolfgang bolyai on november 3 1823 to let him know his discovery of non euclidean geometry as we call it today the results of bolyai and the co discoverer the russian lobachevskii changed the course of mathematics opened the way for modern physical theories of the twentieth century and had an impact on the history of human culture the papers in this volume which commemorates the 200th anniversary of the birth of jános bolyai were written by leading scientists of non euclidean geometry its history and its applications some of the papers present new discoveries about the life and works of jános bolyai and the history of non euclidean geometry others deal with geometrical axiomatics polyhedra fractals hyperbolic riemannian and discrete geometry tilings visualization and applications in physics

the elements of non euclidean geometry by julian lowell coolidge ph d harvard university contents chapter i foundation for metrical geometry in a limited region fundamental assumptions and definitions sums and differences of distances serial arrangement of points on a line simple descriptive properties of plane and space chapter ii congruent transformations axiom of continuity division of distances measure of distance axiom of congruent transformations definition of angles their properties comparison of triangles side of a triangle not greater than sum of other two comparison and measurement of angles nature of the congruent group definition of dihedral angles their properties chapter iii the three hypotheses a variable angle is a continuous function of a variable distance saccheri s theorem for isosceles birectangular quadrilaterals the existence of one rectangle implies the existence of an infinite number three assumptions as to the sum of the angles of a right triangle three assumptions as to the sum of the angles of any triangle their categorical nature definition of the euclidean hyperbolic and elliptic hypotheses geometry in the infinitesimal domain obeys the euclidean hypothesis chapter iv the introduction of trigonometric formulae limit of ratio of opposite sides of diminishing isosceles quadrilateral continuity of the

resulting function its functional equation and solution functional equation for the cosine of an angle non euclidean form for the pythagorean theorem trigonometric formulae for right and oblique triangles chapter v analytic formulae directed distances group of translations of a line positive and negative directed distances coordinates of a point on a line coordinates of a point in a plane finite and infinitesimal distance formulae the non euclidean plane as a surface of constant gaussian curvature equation connecting direction cosines of a line coordinates of a point in space congruent transformations and orthogonal substitutions fundamental formulae for distance and angle chapter vi consistency and significance of the axioms examples of geometries satisfying the assumptions made relative independence of the axioms chapter vii the geometric and analytic extension of space possibility of extending a segment by a definite amount in the euclidean and hyperbolic cases euclidean and hyperbolic space contradiction arising under the elliptic hypothesis new assumptions identical with the old for limited region but permitting the extension of every segment by a definite amount last axiom free mobility of the whole system one to one correspondence of point and coordinate set in euclidean and hyperbolic cases ambiguity in the elliptic case giving rise to elliptic and spherical geometry ideal elements extension of all spaces to be real continua imaginary elements geometrically defined extension of all spaces to be perfect continua in the complex domain cayleyan absolute new form for the definition of distance extension of the distance concept to the complex domain case where a straight line gives a maximum distance chapter viii the groups of congruent transformations congruent transformations of the straight line hyperbolic plane elliptic plane euclidean plane hyperbolic space elliptic and spherical space clifford parallels or paratactic lines chapter ix point line and plane treated analytically chapter x the higher line geometry chapter xi the circle and the sphere chapter xii conic sections chapter xiii quadric surfaces chapter xiv areas and volumes volume of a cone of revolution a sphere the whole of elliptic or of spherical space chapter xv introduction to differential geometry chapter xvi differential line geometry chapter xvii multiply connected spaces chapter



xviii the projective basis of non euclidean geometry chapter xix the differential basis for euclidean and non euclidean geometry

a text which surveys real projective geometry the elliptic metric and supplies applicable definitions and theorems

a versatile introduction to non euclidean geometry is appropriate for both high school and college classes its first two thirds requires just a familiarity with plane and solid geometry and trigonometry and calculus is employed only in the final part it begins with the theorems common to euclidean and non euclidean geometry and then it addresses the specific differences that constitute elliptic and hyperbolic geometry major topics include hyperbolic geometry single elliptic geometry and analytic non euclidean geometry

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