

Codimension one coincidence Indices for spin PL manifolds

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Using the results and techniques about one-parameter fixed point theory from [3], one-parameter fixed point indices from [1], and the geometric description of spin manifolds and spin structures based on [2], two indices for codimension one coincidences are defined, as follows. Let $F, G : X \rightarrow Y$ be PL maps where X and Y are and spin, closed, connected PL manifolds, X is $(n + 1)$ -dimensional and Y is an n -dimensional, $n \geq 5$. A coincidence of F and G is a point $a \in X$ such that $F(a) = G(a)$. The set of all the coincidences is denoted by $\text{Coin}(F, G)$. For a family V of isolated circles of coincidences of F and G , we define two indices: $\text{ind}_1(F, G; V)$ - which is an element in the first homology group $H_1(E)$, where E is the space of paths in $X \times Y$ from the graph of F to the graph of G ; and $\text{ind}_2(F, G; V)$ - which is an element in the group \mathbf{Z}_2 with two elements. We prove that for a family V of isolated circles of coincidences of F and G in the same coincidence class there is a neighborhood N of V and a homotopy from F to H rel $X \setminus N$ such that $\text{Coin}(H, G) = \text{Coin}(F, G) \setminus V$ if and only if $\text{ind}_1(F, G; V) = 0$ and $\text{ind}_2(F, G; V) = 0$.

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