

**THE AFFINE CONNECTION  
IN THE NORMAL COORDINATES***A. V. Gavrilov*

We propose a method to calculate the derivatives of the Christoffel symbols in the normal coordinates on a smooth manifold with symmetric affine connection. As an application, we construct an algorithm for computing the Taylor series of the double exponential map.

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