

**Gradient trajectories lying on isolated surface singularities do not oscillate at their limit point.**

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Assume that  $\mathbb{R}^n$  is equipped with a real analytic Riemannian metric  $\mathbf{g}$ . Let  $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a real analytic function singular at  $O$  the origin. We would like to understand the dynamics of  $\nabla f$  in a neighbourhood of the critical point  $O$ , where  $\nabla f$  stands for the gradient vector field of the function  $f$  associated with the metric  $\mathbf{g}$ . We are particularly interested in the oscillating/non-oscillating behaviour in a neighbourhood of  $O$  of any gradient trajectory accumulating on  $O$ . If such a trajectory lies in a real analytic surface with an isolated singularity at  $O$ , then this trajectory cannot oscillate at  $O$ .