



Mathematics and CS Seminar

Waists of balls in different spaces

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Gromov and Memarian (2003--2011) have established the waist inequality asserting that for any continuous map f from the sphere S^n to \mathbb{R}^{n-k} there exists a fiber $f^{-1}(y)$ such that every t -neighborhood has measure at least the measure of the t -neighborhood of an equatorial subsphere S^k of S^n . Going to the limit we may say that the $(n-k)$ -volume of the fiber $f^{-1}(y)$ is at least that of the standard sphere S^k . We extend this limit statement to the exact bounds for balls in spaces of constant curvature, tori, parallelepipeds, projective spaces and other metric spaces. By the volume of preimages for a non-regular map f we mean its lower Minkowski content, some new properties of which will be also presented in the talk. (based on the joint work with Roman Karasev and Alfredo Hubard)

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