Third Homework Assignment in 18.101 (Due Monday, October 20)

- (1) Munkres §13 #1, part b and #2. (You'll need part b of exercise 1 to do exercise 2.)
- (2) Munkres §14, #8.
- (3) Munkres §16, #3.
- (4) Let U be an open subset in \mathbb{R}^n and $A \subseteq U$ a compact subset. Prove

Theorem. There exists a C^{∞} function, $p : \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}$ such that p is equal to one on a neighborhood of A, and the support of p is contained in U. Hint: Partitions of unity.

(5) Let $f: \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^{n+1}$ be a C^1 map. Prove that the image of f is a set of measure zero. *Hint:* Munkres, Lemma 18.1.