

and we can evaluate this intersection number by

$$\#(\Delta \cdot P_f) = \int_{P_f} \varphi_\Delta = \sum_p (-1)^{n-p} \int_{P_f} \sum_\mu \pi_1^* \psi_{\mu,p} \wedge \pi_2^* \psi_{\mu,n-p}^*;$$

since  $\tilde{f}^* \pi_2^* = f^*$ , this is

$$= \sum_p (-1)^{n-p} \int_M \sum_\mu \psi_{\mu,p} \wedge f^* \psi_{\mu,n-p}^*$$

$$= \sum_p (-1)^{n-p} \cdot \text{trace}(f^* | H_{DR}^{n-p}(M))$$

$$= \sum_p (-1)^p \text{trace}(f^* | H_{DR}^p(M)).$$

$\Gamma_{\tilde{f}}(M) = P_f \cap \Delta(M) \ni (p, p)$  To be transverse at  $(p, p)$ ,

$\{\Delta_*(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_1}), \dots, \Delta_*(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_n}), \tilde{f}_*(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_1}), \dots, \tilde{f}_*(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_n})\}$  must

generate  $T_{(p,p)}(M \times M)$ .

As we computed

above, the set of vectors is expressed as the matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} I_n & I_n \\ I_n & J_f(p) \end{pmatrix} \text{ in terms of the basis } (\frac{\partial}{\partial y_1}, \dots, \frac{\partial}{\partial z_1}, \dots).$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} I_n & I_n \\ I_n & J_f(p) \end{pmatrix} \neq 0 \iff P_f \text{ and } \Delta \text{ intersect transversely at } (p, p).$$

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} I & I \\ I & J_f(p) \end{pmatrix} = \det \begin{pmatrix} I & I-I \\ I & J_f(p)-I \end{pmatrix} = \det \begin{pmatrix} I & 0 \\ I & J_f(p)-I \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \det \begin{pmatrix} I & 0 \\ I & J_f(p)-I \end{pmatrix} = \det(J_f(p)-I)$$