

to prove unitarity, we show that the function

$$f(\omega, z) = \sum_{m=-j}^j \overline{e^m(\omega)} e^m(z)$$

is invariant under $f(A\omega, Az)$

$$\begin{aligned} f(\omega, z) &= \sum_{m=-j}^j \frac{\overline{\omega_1}^{j+m} \overline{\omega_2}^{j-m} z_1^{j+m} z_2^{j-m}}{(j+m)!(j-m)!} \\ &= \frac{[\overline{\omega_1} z_1 + \overline{\omega_2} z_2]^{2j}}{(2j)!} = \frac{(\omega, z)^{2j}}{(2j)!} \end{aligned}$$

it follows the unitarity since

$$f(A\omega, Az) = \frac{(A\omega, Az)^{2j}}{(2j)!} = \frac{(\omega, z)^{2j}}{(2j)!} = f(\omega, z)$$

for irreducibility (idea)

$$MD^j(A) = D^j(A)M$$

→ $M = \lambda I$, A is irreducible.

Reduction of a direct product.

The direct product of representations $D^j(A)$ and $D^k(A)$, will be denoted by $D(A)$, we assume that $j \geq k$

we will prove first that $D(A)$ is reduced, contains to the representation $D^k(A)$ exactly once if $j-k \leq l \leq j+k$, and $j+k-l$ is an integer.

It's may be prove using the characters.

$$A \in SU(2) \longrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} e^{i\varphi} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-i\varphi} \end{pmatrix}, \quad 0 \leq \varphi \leq \pi.$$

Let $\omega = e^{2i\varphi}$, as $D^j(0, \phi, \varphi)_{mn} = e^{-2im\phi} \delta_{mn}$.

In addition, $\chi^j = \omega^{2j} + \omega^{2j-2} + \dots + \omega^{-2j+2} + \omega^{-2j}$

So

$$\chi^j(\varphi) = \sum_{m=-j}^j \omega^m = \omega^{-j} \sum_{n=0}^{2j} \omega^n$$

$$= (1-\omega)^{-1} (\omega^{-l} - \omega^{l+1})$$

$$= (1-\omega)^{-2} (\omega^{-j} - \omega^{j+1}) (\omega^{-k} - \omega^{k+1}) = x^j(p) x^k(p)$$

The direct product may be build in the function space of two variables, generate by $e^m(x) e^n(y)$; $-j \leq m \leq j$, $-k \leq n \leq k$.

$$f_{l,p}(x,y) = \sum_{m,n} [l]^{1/2} \begin{pmatrix} j & k & l \\ m & n & p \end{pmatrix} e^m(x) e^n(y)$$

↑ 3j-symbols.

$$\text{where } [l] = 2l+1.$$

If x, y are replaced by $A^{-1}x$ and $A^{-1}y$.

$$\sum_{m',n'} D^j(A)_{m'm} D^k(A)_{n'n} e^{m'}(x) e^{n'}(y) = \sum_{l,p'} [e]^{1/2} \begin{pmatrix} j & k & l \\ m & n & p \end{pmatrix} D_{p'p}^l(A) f_{l,p'}(x,y).$$

$$\rightarrow [l] \begin{pmatrix} j & k & l \\ m & n & p \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} j & k & l \\ m' & n' & p' \end{pmatrix} = \frac{[l]}{\Omega} \int D^l(A)_{p'p} D^j(A)_{m'm} D^k(A)_{n'n} dA.$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} j & k & l \\ m & n & p \end{pmatrix} = (-1)^{2j-k+n} \left[\frac{(j+k-l)! (k+l-j)! (l+j-k)! (l+p)! (l-p)!}{(j+k+l+1)! (j+m)! (j-m)! (k+n)! (k-n)!} \right]^{1/2}$$

$$\times \sum_t (-1)^k \frac{(l+j-n-t)! (k+n+t)!}{(l+p-k)! (t+k-j-p)! t! (l-k+j-t)!}$$

where t is the greatest non-negative factorial