## 1 Algebra on a field

#### 1.1 Bilinear maps

A bilinear map (or function) is a map from two inputs to an output which preserves addition and scalar multiplication. This is in contrast to a linear map, which only has one input.

In addition, the function is linear in both arguments.

That is if function f is bilinear then:

$$\begin{split} X &= aM + bN \\ Y &= cO + dP \\ f(X,Y) &= f(aM+bN,cO+dP) \\ f(X,Y) &= f(aM,cO+dP) + f(bN,cO+dP) \\ f(X,Y) &= f(aM,cO) + f(aM,dP) + f(bN,cO) + f(bN,dP) \\ f(X,Y) &= acf(M,O) + adf(M,P) + bcf(N,O) + bdf(N,P) \\ \text{Note that:} \end{split}$$

$$f(X,Y) = f(X+0,Y)$$
  

$$f(X,Y) = f(X,Y) + f(0,Y)$$
  

$$(0,Y) = 0$$

That is, if any input is 0 in an additative sense, the value of the map must be zero.

### 1.2 Algebra on a field

# 2 Cross products

## 2.1 The cross product

 $v \times u$ 

#### 2.1.1 Cross product is a bilinear map

This is a bilinear map from two vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  to another vector in the same space.

$$V \times V \to V$$

#### 2.1.2 Calculating the cross product

This is calcualted by:

$$u \times v = ||u|| ||v|| \sin(\theta) n$$

The resulting vector is perpendicular to both input vectors.

## 3 Lie groups

## 3.1 Lie groups

# 4 Lie algebra

## 4.1 Lie algebra

Lie groups have symmetries. We can consider only the infintesimal symmetries.

For example the unit circle has many symmetries, but we can consider only those which rotate infintesimally.

#### 4.1.1 Example

Take a continous group, such as U(1). Its Lie algebra is all matrices such that their exponential is in the Lie group.

$$\mathfrak{u}(1) = \{X \in \mathbb{C}^{1 \times 1} | e^{tX} \in U(1) \forall t \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

This is satisfied by the matrices where  $M=-M^*$ . Note that this means the diagonals are all 0.

#### 4.1.2 Scale of specific Lie algebra matrices doesn't matter

Because of t.

#### 4.1.3 Commutation of Lie group algebra

Consider two members of the Lie algebra: A and B. The commutator is:

A.

The corresponding Lie group member is:

$$e^{t(A+B)} = e^{tA}e^{tB}$$

While the Lie group multiplication may not commute, the corresponding addition of the Lie algebra does.

#### 4.2 The Lie bracket

We can define the Lie bracket from the ring commutator.

We use the Lie bracket, rather than multiplication, as the operator over a field homomorphism.

[A, B]

This generates another element in the algebra.

This satisifies:

- Bilinearity: [xA + yB, C] = x[A, C] + y[B, C]
- Alternativity: [A, A] = 0
- Jacobi identity: [A, [B, C]] + [C, [A, B]] + [B, [C, A]] = 0
- Anticommutivity: [A, B] = -[B, A]

One option for the Lie bracket is the ring commutor. So that:

$$[A, B] = AB - BA$$

## 4.3 Commutation of Lie groups

We can measure commutation of Lie groups using:

$$ABA^{-1}B^{-1}$$

If the group commutes then:

$$ABA^{-1}B^{-1} = BA^{-1}B^{-1} = I$$

### 4.3.1 Commutation of Lie algebra: COMPLETE THIS

This corresponds to [A, B] = AB - BA in the underlying lie algebra, if we expand.

$$A = e^{ta}$$

$$B = e^{tb}$$

$$ABA^{-1}B^{-1} = e$$

## 5 Lie algebra of specific Lie groups

- 5.1 Lie algebra of O(n)
- 5.1.1 O(n) forms a Lie group
- 5.1.2 Lie algebra of O(n)

The Lie algebra of (n) is defined as:

$$\mathfrak{o}(n) = \{ X \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} | e^{tX} \in O(n) \forall t \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

This is satisfied by the skew-symmetric matrices where  $M=-M^T.$  Note that this means the diagonals are all 0.

- 5.2 Lie algebra of U(n)
- 5.2.1 U(n) forms a Lie group
- **5.2.2** Lie algebra of U(n)

The Lie algebra of (n) is defined as:

$$\mathfrak{u}(n) = \{ X \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n} | e^{tX} \in U(n) \forall t \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

This is satisfied by the skew-Hermitian matrices where  $M = -M^*$ . Note that this means the diagonals are all 0 or pure imaginary.

- 5.3 Lie algebra of SO(n)
- 5.3.1 SO(n) forms a Lie group
- 5.3.2 Lie algebra of SO(n)

The Lie algebra of (n) is defined as:

$$\mathfrak{so}(n) = \{ X \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} | e^{tX} \in SO(n) \forall t \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

This is satisfied by the skew-symmetric matrices where  $M = -M^T$ . Note that this means the diagonals are all 0.

- 5.4 Lie algebra of SU(n)
- 5.4.1 SU(n) forms a Lie group
- $\textbf{5.4.2} \quad \textbf{Lie algebra of} \ SU(n)$

The Lie algebra of (n) is defined as:

$$\mathfrak{su}(n) = \{ X \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n} | e^{tX} \in SU(n) \forall t \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

This is satisfied by the skew-Hermitian matrices where  $M=-M^*$  and the trace is 0. Note that this means the diagonals are all 0 or pure imaginary.

# 6 Hypercomplex numbers

- 6.1 Hypercomplex numbers
- 6.2 Quaternions
- 6.3 Clifford algebra
- 7 Sort
- 7.1 Projective line in the field