

Day 1

Representation theory

Goal (A) \nearrow PBW thm

(B) \nearrow Ultimate problem of repn theory

(C) \nearrow Classification thm of simple Lie algebras / \mathbb{C}

§1 What is a representation

(1) A representation of a group G over a field K is a grp hom.

$$\rho: G \rightarrow GL(V) \text{ for some } K\text{-vec space } V$$

$$(i.e. \rho(gh) = \rho(g)\rho(h) \quad \forall g, h \in G)$$

(2) A (unital) associative algebra A/F is a F -vector space with an assoc. bilinear multiplication

• A reprn of a unital assoc. alg A/K is an alg hom.

$$\rho: A \rightarrow \text{End}(V) \text{ for some } K\text{-vec space } V$$

$$(i.e. \rho(x+y) = \rho(x) + \rho(y), \rho(xy) = \rho(x)\rho(y), \quad \forall x, y \in A)$$

(3) A Lie algebra \mathfrak{g}/F is a F -vec space with a Lie bracket s.t.

• A reprn of a Lie alg \mathfrak{g}/K is a Lie alg hom.

$$\rho: \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow GL(V)$$

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(4) A reprn of a Lie group, algebraic grp, Hecke algebra, Quantum grp, Lie superalg., ...

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Answer:

A representation of $\square X/K$ is a \square -morphism

$$\rho: X \rightarrow \text{End}(V) \text{ for some } K\text{-vector space } V$$

if it makes sense

Question:

1. Why in (1), it's $GL(V)$ instead of $\text{End}(V)$?
2. Does it make sense to talk about reprn of a field?
3. _____ ring?

§2 Module

(1) A G -module is a K -vector space V w/ G -action

$$gv = \rho(g)(v) \text{ for some reprn } \rho \text{ of } G.$$

(2) An A -module is a K -vector space V w/ A -action

$$xv = \rho(x)(v) \text{ of } A$$

(3) A Lie alg module is a K -vec sp V w/ \mathfrak{g} -action

$$gv = \rho(g)(v) \text{ of } \mathfrak{g}$$

[Fact]

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{representation} \\ \text{of } \square \end{array} \right\} \xrightarrow{\sim} \{ \square\text{-modules} \}$$

• A submodule W of V is an invariant subspace $W \subseteq V$
(i.e. $GW \subseteq W, AW \subseteq W, \mathcal{G}W \subseteq W$)

• A module is simple if it has no submodules other than 0 and itself.

Ultimate problem of repn theory:

Construct & classify simple modules.

Examples

(1) Repn of sym grp:

Simple modules = Specht modules \leftrightarrow partitions

(2) Repn of simple Lie alg / \mathbb{C}

Simple modules = ?, parametrized by ?

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Examples

(1) general linear Lie alg.

$$\mathfrak{gl}_n(K) = \{n \times n \text{ mat.} / K\} \text{ with } [A, B] = AB - BA$$

(2) special linear Lie alg

$$\mathfrak{sl}_n(K) = \{A \in \mathfrak{gl}_n(K) \mid \text{tr}(A) = 0\}$$

$$\mathfrak{sl}_2(\mathbb{C}) = \mathbb{C} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \oplus \mathbb{C} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \oplus \mathbb{C} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\uparrow \quad \quad \uparrow \quad \quad \uparrow$
 $e \quad \quad f \quad \quad h$

$$[e, f] = ? \quad [h, h] = ?$$

$$[h, e] = ?$$

$$[h, f] = ?$$

• An ideal I of a Lie alg \mathfrak{g} is a subspace s.t. $[\mathfrak{g}, I] \subseteq I$.

• A Lie alg \mathfrak{g} is simple if it has no ideals other than 0 and \mathfrak{g} .

Goal: Understand simple Lie alg / \mathbb{C}

Thm

(1) $\{\text{simple Lie alg} / \mathbb{C}\} \xrightarrow{\sim} \{\text{connected Dynkin diagrams}\}$

In particular, \mathfrak{g} -action is clear via \curvearrowright

List(fin):

$$A_n \quad \circ - \circ - \dots - \circ - \circ \quad E_6 \sim 8 \quad \circ - \circ - \overset{\circ}{\underset{\circ}{\circ}} - \dots - \circ - \circ$$

$$B_n \quad \circ - \circ - \dots - \circ \rightrightarrows \circ \quad F_4 \quad \circ - \circ \rightrightarrows \circ - \circ$$

$$C_n \quad \circ - \circ - \dots - \circ \rightleftharpoons \circ \quad G_2 \quad \circ \rightrightarrows \circ$$

$$D_n \quad \circ - \circ - \circ \begin{matrix} \nearrow \circ \\ \searrow \circ \end{matrix}$$

§3 Lie algebras

• A Lie alg / K is a K -vector space \mathfrak{g} with a bilinear map (called Lie bracket)

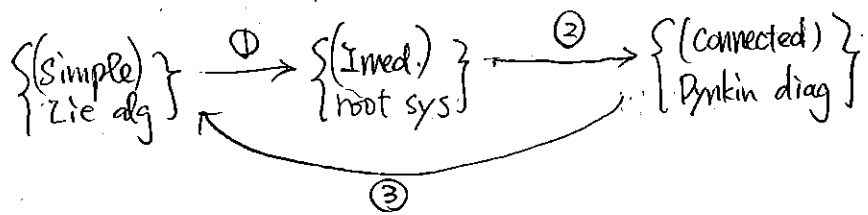
$$[\cdot, \cdot] : \mathfrak{g} \times \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow K$$

$$(x, y) \mapsto [x, y] \quad \text{s.t.}$$

$$(L1) [x, x] = 0 \quad \forall x \in \mathfrak{g}$$

(L2) Jacobi identity.

(Outline of the proof)



①: Given \mathfrak{g} = simple Lie alg / \mathbb{C}

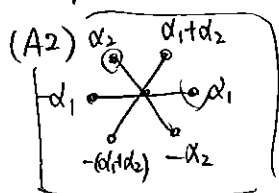
\leadsto Cartan decomp. $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{h} \oplus \left(\bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Phi} \mathfrak{g}_{\alpha} \right)$
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 Cartan subalg root sys root space

②: Given Φ : root sys

$\leadsto \Phi \supseteq \Delta = \{\alpha_i\}_{i \in I}$
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 simple roots

\leadsto Cartan matrix $(a_{ij})_{i,j}$ where $a_{ij} = (\alpha_i^\vee, \alpha_j)$, $\alpha_i^\vee = \frac{2\alpha_i}{(\alpha_i, \alpha_i)}$

Example $\Phi = \{\pm\alpha_1, \pm\alpha_2, \pm(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2)\}$ is a root sys

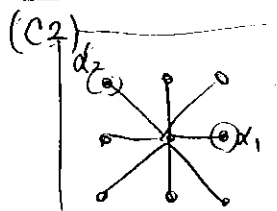


$$\alpha_1^\vee = \alpha_1 \leadsto (\alpha_1^\vee, \alpha_1) = 2, (\alpha_1^\vee, \alpha_2) = -1$$

$$\alpha_2^\vee = \alpha_2 \leadsto (\alpha_2^\vee, \alpha_2) = 2, (\alpha_2^\vee, \alpha_1) = -1$$

with $(\alpha_1, \alpha_1) = (\alpha_2, \alpha_2) = 2$

$$\leadsto \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \leadsto \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



$$(\alpha_1, \alpha_1) = 2$$

$$(\alpha_2, \alpha_2) = 4$$

$$\alpha_1^\vee = \alpha_1 \leadsto (\alpha_1^\vee, \alpha_1) = 2, (\alpha_1^\vee, \alpha_2) = -2$$

$$\alpha_2^\vee = \frac{\alpha_2}{2} \leadsto (\alpha_2^\vee, \alpha_2) = 2, (\alpha_2^\vee, \alpha_1) = -1$$

$$\leadsto \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \leadsto \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

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\leadsto Dynkin diag (I, E) where

$$\overset{i}{\circ} - \overset{j}{\circ} \in E \text{ if } a_{ij} = a_{ji} = -1$$

$$\overset{i}{\circ} \Rightarrow \overset{j}{\circ} \in E \text{ if } \begin{cases} a_{ij} = -1 \\ a_{ji} = -2 \end{cases}$$

$$\overset{i}{\circ} \Rightarrow \overset{j}{\circ} \in E \text{ if } \begin{cases} a_{ij} = -1 \\ a_{ji} = -3 \end{cases}$$

③ Given a Dynkin diag \leadsto Cartan matrix A

\leadsto simple Lie alg $\mathfrak{g}(A) = \langle e_i, f_i, h_i \mid i \in I \rangle / \sim$

Chevalley relations

- $[h_i, h_j] = 0$
- $[e_i, f_j] = \begin{cases} h_i & \text{if } i=j \\ 0 & \text{otw} \end{cases}$
- $[h_i, e_j] = a_{ij} e_j$
- $[h_i, f_j] = -a_{ij} f_j$

Serre relations

- $[e_i, [e_i, \dots [e_i, e_j] \dots]] = 0 \quad i \neq j$
- $[f_i, [f_i, \dots [f_i, f_j] \dots]] = 0 \quad i \neq j$

Example

(A1) $\begin{smallmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{smallmatrix} \rightarrow A = [2] \leadsto \mathfrak{g}(A) = \mathbb{C}e \oplus \mathbb{C}f \oplus \mathbb{C}h \text{ s.t.}$

$$\begin{cases} [h, h] = 0 \\ [e, f] = h \\ [h, e] = 2e \\ [h, f] = -2f \end{cases}$$

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$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \mapsto A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mapsto \mathfrak{g}(A) = \mathbb{C}e_1 \oplus \mathbb{C}f_1 \oplus \mathbb{C}h_1 \oplus \mathbb{C}[e_1, e_2] \oplus \mathbb{C}[e_2, e_1] \oplus \mathbb{C}[e_2, [e_1, e_2]] \\ \oplus \mathbb{C}e_2 \oplus \mathbb{C}f_2 \oplus \mathbb{C}h_2 \oplus \mathbb{C}[f_1, f_2] \oplus \dots \oplus \dots$$

- Chevalley relations
- $[e_1, [e_1, e_2]] = 0$; \dots
- $[e_2, [e_2, e_1]] = 0$; \dots

§4 PBW thm

$\mathcal{U}(\mathfrak{g}) = \text{Span}_{\mathbb{C}} \{x_1 \dots x_N \mid x_i \in \mathfrak{g}, N \in \mathbb{N}\} / (xy - yx \sim [x, y])$
 is the univ. env. alg of \mathfrak{g} \wedge it's an assoc. alg, not a Lie alg.

Example

$$(A1) \mathfrak{g} = \mathbb{C}e \oplus \mathbb{C}f \oplus \mathbb{C}h$$

- $2fef + 3hfe \in \mathcal{U}(\mathfrak{g})$
- $100[h, e] \in \mathcal{U}(\mathfrak{g})$
- $100he - 100eh$

Claim: $\mathcal{U}(\mathfrak{g})$ has a basis $\{f^a h^b e^c \mid a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}\}$

- $hfe = ([h, f] + fh)e = -2fe + fhe$
- $fef = f([e, f] + fe) = fh + fe^2$
- $100[h, e] = 200e$

Thm (PBW)

Fix an ordered basis $\{x_1 < x_2 < \dots < x_n\}$ of \mathfrak{g}

Then $\{x_1^{m_1} x_2^{m_2} \dots x_n^{m_n} \mid m_i \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}\}$ is a basis of $\mathcal{U}(\mathfrak{g})$

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§5 Weyl group

$$\mathfrak{g} = \underbrace{\mathfrak{h}}_{\text{CSA}} \oplus \sum_{\alpha \in \Phi} \mathfrak{g}_{\alpha}$$

\uparrow root sys

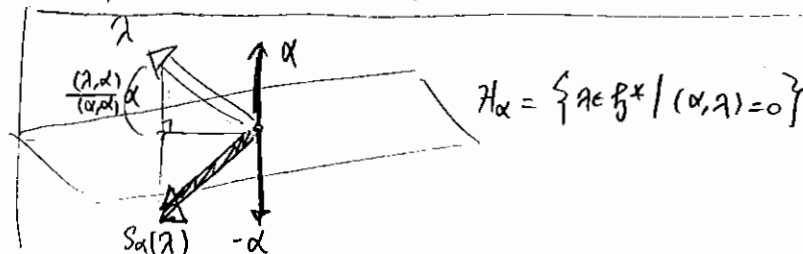
Fact

(1) $\Phi \subseteq \mathfrak{h}^*$ (i.e. each root is a map $\alpha: \mathfrak{h} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$)

(2) For each $\alpha \in \Phi$, we define a reflection

$$S_{\alpha}: \mathfrak{h}^* \rightarrow \mathfrak{h}^* \quad \text{where } \alpha^{\vee} = \frac{2\alpha}{(\alpha, \alpha)}$$

$$\lambda \mapsto \lambda - (\lambda, \alpha^{\vee})\alpha$$



(3) $\Phi \supseteq \Delta = \{\alpha_i \mid i \in I\}$ simple sys s.t.

if $\beta \in \Phi$ then $\beta = \sum c_i \alpha_i$ all pos or all neg.

$\mapsto \Phi = \Phi^+ \cup \Phi^-$ wrt Δ

(4) $W := \langle S_{\alpha} \mid \alpha \in \Phi \rangle$ is the Weyl group

\mapsto length fn $\ell(w) = |\Phi^+ \cap w^{-1}\Phi^-|$

(5) For $\alpha \in \Delta$, $S_{\alpha}(\alpha) = -\alpha$ and S_{α} permutes $\Phi \setminus \{\pm\alpha\}$

(pf) Assume $\alpha = \alpha_j$, $\beta \neq \pm \alpha_j \mapsto \beta = \sum c_i \alpha_i$ where $c_i \neq 0$ for some $i \neq j$

$$\mapsto S_{\alpha}(\beta) = \sum c_i S_{\alpha}(\alpha_i) = \sum c_i (\alpha_i - (\alpha_i, \alpha_j^{\vee})\alpha_j)$$

$\alpha_j^{\vee} \leftarrow$ neg except $i=j$

$\mapsto S_{\alpha}(\beta)$ has same coeff pos $\mapsto S_{\alpha}(\beta) \in \Phi^+ \setminus \{\pm\alpha\}$.

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Day 2

Character formulas

Goal:

(A) Simple modules $L(\lambda)$

- (i) construction via Verma modules
- (ii) Weyl character formula (if $\dim L(\lambda) < \infty$)
- (iii) Kazhdan-Lusztig conj (in general)

§1 Verma modules

$\lambda \in \mathfrak{h}^*$, define Verma mod. $M(\lambda) = U(\mathfrak{g})/I(\lambda)$, where

$$I(\lambda) = U(\mathfrak{g})\mathcal{N} + \sum_{h \in \mathfrak{g}} U(\mathfrak{g})(h - \lambda(h)\mathbb{1}) \subseteq U(\mathfrak{g})$$

In words, \exists highest weight vector $v_\lambda^+ = \mathbb{1} + I(\lambda) \in M(\lambda)$ s.t.

- (a) $M(\lambda) = U(\mathfrak{n}^-)v_\lambda^+ (= \text{Span}_{\mathbb{C}} \{ f_{i_1}^{m_1} \dots f_{i_n}^{m_n} v_\lambda^+ \})$
- (b) $h \cdot v_\lambda^+ = \lambda(h) v_\lambda^+ \quad \forall h \in \mathfrak{h} \quad (\text{i.e. } v_\lambda^+ \in M(\lambda)_\lambda)$

Example

(A) $\mathfrak{g} = \mathbb{C}e \oplus \mathbb{C}h \oplus \mathbb{C}f$, $\mathfrak{h} = \mathbb{C}h$

$\mathfrak{h}^* = \{ \lambda: \mathfrak{h} \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \} \cong \mathbb{C}$ (identifying λ with $\lambda(h)$)

$\Delta = \{ \pm \alpha \}$ where $\alpha \mapsto 2$ ($\because [h, e] = \alpha(h)e$)

$$S_\alpha(\lambda) = \lambda - (\lambda, \alpha)\alpha = \lambda - \lambda(h)\alpha = \lambda - 2\lambda = -\lambda$$

$$M(\lambda) = \text{Span}_{\mathbb{C}} \{ v_\lambda^+, f v_\lambda^+, f^2 v_\lambda^+, \dots \}$$

$Q = \mathfrak{h}$ -action on $M(\lambda)$:

$$h(v_\lambda^+) = \lambda v_\lambda^+$$

$$h(f v_\lambda^+) = ([h, f] + f h) v_\lambda^+ = -2f v_\lambda^+ + f \lambda v_\lambda^+ = (\lambda - 2) f v_\lambda^+$$

$$h(f^k v_\lambda^+) = (\lambda - 2k) f^k v_\lambda^+$$

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$$e v_\lambda^+ = 0$$

$$e f v_\lambda^+ = ([e, f] + f e) v_\lambda^+ = \lambda v_\lambda^+$$

$$e f^2 v_\lambda^+ = ([e, f] + f e) f v_\lambda^+ = h f v_\lambda^+ + f([e, f] + f e) v_\lambda^+ = (\lambda - 2) f v_\lambda^+ + \lambda f v_\lambda^+ = 2(\lambda - 1) f v_\lambda^+$$

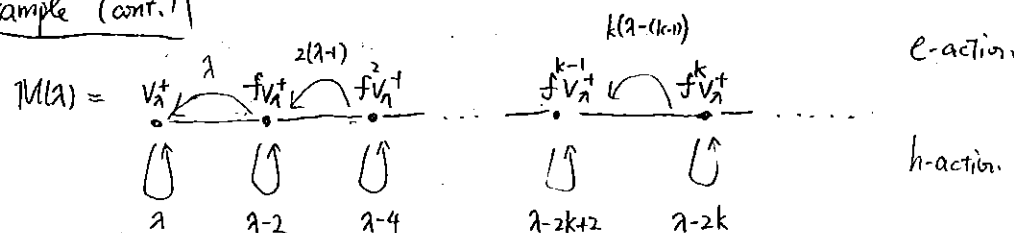
$$e f^k v_\lambda^+ = k(\lambda - (k-1)) f^{k-1} v_\lambda^+$$

Fact

(1) $M(\lambda)$ has a uniq maximal submodule $N(\lambda)$,
 \rightarrow a uniq simple quotient $L(\lambda) := M(\lambda)/N(\lambda)$

(2) If L is simple, then $L \cong L(\lambda)$ for some $\lambda \in \mathfrak{h}^*$

Example (cont.)



Case 1: $\lambda = k-1$ for some $k \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$ (i.e. $\lambda \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq -1}$)

$$\rightarrow e f^k v_\lambda^+ = 0$$

$\rightarrow U(\mathfrak{g}) f^k v_\lambda^+ = U(\mathfrak{n}^-) f^k v_\lambda^+ = \text{Span}_{\mathbb{C}} \{ f^k v_\lambda^+, f^{k+1} v_\lambda^+, \dots \}$ is a proper submod.
 $= N(\lambda) \cong M(-2\lambda - 2)$

$$\rightarrow L(\lambda) = M(\lambda)/N(\lambda) = \text{Span}_{\mathbb{C}} \{ \overline{v_\lambda^+}, \overline{f v_\lambda^+}, \dots, \overline{f^{k-1} v_\lambda^+} \}$$

$$e.s. \quad \begin{array}{ccc} & M(\lambda) & \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ L(\lambda) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & N(\lambda) \end{array}$$

Case 2: $\lambda \notin \mathbb{Z}_{\geq -1}$

$$\rightarrow N(\lambda) = 0, \quad M(\lambda) \cong L(\lambda)$$

§ 2 formal character

Given a weight module M (i.e. $M = \bigoplus_{\lambda \in \mathfrak{h}^*} M_\lambda$, where $M_\lambda = \{m \in M \mid h \cdot m = \lambda(h)m, \forall h \in \mathfrak{h}\}$)

formal character $ch M = \sum_{\lambda \in \mathfrak{h}^*} (\dim M_\lambda) e(\lambda)$ formal symbol.

Example

(A1) $M(\lambda) = \text{span}_{\mathbb{C}} \{V_\lambda^+, fV_\lambda^+, \dots\}$
 $ch M(\lambda) = e(\lambda) + e(\lambda-2) + e(\lambda-4) + \dots$
 $ch L(0) = e(0) = ch M(0) - ch M(2)$
 $ch L(1) = e(1) + e(-1) = ch M(1) - ch M(-3)$
 $ch L(2) = e(2) + e(0) + e(-2) = ch M(2) - ch M(-4)$
 $ch L(-2) = ?$

Convolution $f * g$ is given by $(f * g)(\lambda) = \sum_{\mu+\nu=\lambda} f(\mu)g(\nu) \quad \forall \lambda \in \mathfrak{h}^*$

Kostant fcn $p(\mu) = \#\{(C_\alpha)_{\alpha \in \mathfrak{h}^+} \mid C_\alpha \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}, \sum C_\alpha \alpha = \mu\}$

Example

(A1) $\alpha \mapsto 2, p(\mu) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \mu = 0, 2, 4, \dots \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$
 $(p * e)(\lambda) = \sum_{\mu+\nu=\lambda} p(\mu)e(\nu) = e(\lambda) + e(\lambda-2) + e(\lambda-4) + \dots = ch M(\lambda)$

$\forall \lambda \in \mathfrak{h}^*$, view $e(\lambda)$ as the function s.t. $e(\lambda) * e(\mu) = e(\lambda+\mu)$

(i.e. $e(\lambda)(\mu) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \lambda+\mu=0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$)

Fact

(1) $P = \prod_{\alpha \in \mathfrak{h}^+} \frac{1}{1 - e(-\alpha)}$ and $P * e(\lambda) = ch M(\lambda)$

(2) $e(\lambda)$ commutes with any fcn f

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$W \curvearrowright e(\lambda)$ by $we(\lambda) = e(w(\lambda))$

In particular, $S_\beta \left(e(\frac{\beta}{2}) - e(-\frac{\beta}{2}) \right) = - \left(e(\frac{\beta}{2}) - e(-\frac{\beta}{2}) \right)$

Let Weyl vector $\rho = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha \in \mathfrak{h}^+} \alpha$

Let $q = e(\rho) * \prod_{\alpha \in \mathfrak{h}^+} (1 - e(-\alpha))$

$= \prod_{\alpha \in \mathfrak{h}^+} (e(\frac{\alpha}{2}) - e(-\frac{\alpha}{2}))$

Fact

(3) $S_\beta(q) = -q \quad \forall \beta \in \Delta$

(4) $q * p = e(p) \xRightarrow{(1)} q * ch M(\lambda) = e(\lambda+p)$

Pf.

(3) $S_\beta(q) = S_\beta \left(e(\frac{\beta}{2}) - e(-\frac{\beta}{2}) \right) \prod_{\alpha \in \mathfrak{h}^+, \alpha \neq \beta} (e(\frac{\alpha}{2}) - e(-\frac{\alpha}{2})) = -q$

(4) $q * p = e(p) * \left(\prod_{\alpha \in \mathfrak{h}^+} (1 - e(-\alpha)) \right) * \left(\prod_{\alpha \in \mathfrak{h}^+} \frac{1}{1 - e(-\alpha)} \right) = e(p)$

Thm [Weyl] char. formula

If $\lambda \in \Lambda^+ := \{\lambda \in \mathfrak{h}^* \mid (\lambda, \alpha^\vee) \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0} \quad \forall \alpha \in \Delta\}$ dom. int. wt
 then $ch L(\lambda) = \frac{\sum_{w \in W} (-1)^{l(w)} e(w \cdot \lambda)}{\sum_{w \in W} (-1)^{l(w)} e(w \cdot 0)}$ dot-action where $w \cdot \lambda = w(\lambda + \rho) - \rho$

(Pf) Assume we know $\lambda \in \Lambda^+ \Rightarrow ch L(\lambda) = \sum_{w \in W} C_w ch M(w \cdot \lambda)$ for $\{C_w \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0} \mid C_1 = 1\}$
 we show first $q * ch L(\lambda) = \sum_{w \in W} (-1)^{l(w)} e(w(\lambda + \rho))$

Now $q * ch L(\lambda) = \sum C_w q * ch M(w(\lambda + \rho) - \rho) \xrightarrow{(4)} \sum C_w e(w(\lambda + \rho))$

ooh, $S_\alpha(q * ch L(\lambda)) = \sum C_w e(S_\alpha w(\lambda + \rho)) = \sum C_{S_\alpha w} e(w(\lambda + \rho))$

$-q * ch L(\lambda) = \sum (-C_w) e(w(\lambda + \rho)) \xrightarrow{\text{ind}} C_{S_\alpha w} = -C_w$

In particular,

$q = q * e(0) = q * ch L(0) = \sum_{w \in W} (-1)^{l(w)} e(w(\rho)) \leadsto \times$

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Cor [Kostant dim. formula]

If $\mu \leq \lambda \in \Lambda^+$ then

$$\dim L(\lambda)_\mu = \sum_{w \in W} (-1)^{l(w)} p(w \cdot \lambda - \mu)$$

(Pf) $\dim L(\lambda)_\mu = \sum_{w \in W} (-1)^{l(w)} \dim M(w \cdot \lambda)_\mu$

where $\dim M(w \cdot \lambda)_\mu = [e(\mu)] p * e(w \cdot \lambda) = p(w \cdot \lambda - \mu) \neq$

Thm [Weyl's dim. formula]

If $\lambda \in \Lambda^+$ then

$$\dim L(\lambda) = \frac{\prod_{\alpha \in \Phi^+} (\lambda + \rho, \alpha^\vee)}{\prod_{\alpha \in \Phi^+} (\rho, \alpha^\vee)}$$

Lemma

- $(w\mu, w\nu) = (\mu, \nu) \quad \forall w \in W$
- S_α permutes $\Phi^+ \setminus \{\alpha\}$
- $l(w) = |\Phi^+ \cap w\Phi^-|$

(Pf) $\forall \alpha \in \Phi^+$, define $\partial_\alpha: e(\mu) \mapsto (\mu, \alpha^\vee) e(\mu) \leadsto \partial = \prod_{\alpha \in \Phi^+} \partial_\alpha$

(i) $\partial e(\alpha + \beta) = (\partial e(\alpha)) * e(\beta) + e(\alpha) * \partial e(\beta)$

(ii) Define $\nu: \sum_{\mu \in \Lambda} c_\mu e(\mu) \mapsto \sum c_\mu$ so that $\nu(ch L(\lambda)) = \dim L(\lambda)$

Then $\nu\left(\partial \sum_{w \in W} (-1)^{l(w)} e(w\mu)\right) = |W| \prod_{\alpha \in \Phi^+} (\mu, \alpha^\vee)$

(pf of ii)

LHS = $\sum_{w \in W} (-1)^{l(w)} \prod_{\alpha \in \Phi^+} (w\mu, \alpha^\vee)$

Note that (\cdot, \cdot) is W -invariant

$$\begin{aligned} \leadsto \prod_{\alpha \in \Phi^+} (w\mu, \alpha^\vee) &= \prod_{\alpha \in \Phi^+} (\mu, \tilde{w}\alpha^\vee) = \left(\prod_{\substack{\alpha \in \Phi^+ \\ \tilde{w}\alpha \in \Phi^+}} (\mu, \tilde{w}\alpha^\vee) \right) \left(\prod_{\substack{\alpha \in \Phi^+ \\ \tilde{w}\alpha \in \Phi^-}} (\mu, \tilde{w}\alpha^\vee) \right) \\ &= \left(\prod_{\substack{\mu \in \Phi^+ \\ \beta \in \Phi^+}} (\mu, \beta^\vee) \right) \left(\prod_{\substack{\mu \in \Phi^+ \\ \beta \in \Phi^-}} (\mu, \beta^\vee) \right) \end{aligned}$$

Note that $\prod_{\substack{\mu \in \Phi^+ \\ \beta \in \Phi^-}} (\mu, \beta^\vee) = \prod_{\substack{\mu \in \Phi^+ \\ \alpha \in \Phi^+}} (\mu, -\alpha^\vee) = \prod_{\alpha \in \Phi^+} \prod_{\mu \in \Phi^+} (\mu, -\alpha^\vee) = (-1)^{l(w)} \prod_{\alpha \in \Phi^+} (\mu, \alpha^\vee)$

\leadsto LHS = $\sum_{w \in W} \prod_{\alpha \in \Phi^+} (\mu, \alpha^\vee)$

(iii) $\nu(q) = 0$

(pf of iii)

Note that $\nu(e(\alpha) - 1) = 0 \quad \forall \alpha \in \Delta$, so

$$\nu(q) = \nu(e(-\rho)) \prod \nu(e(\alpha) - 1) = 0$$

$\nu(\partial(q * ch L(\lambda))) \stackrel{(ii)}{=} |W| \prod_{\alpha \in \Phi^+} (\lambda + \rho, \alpha^\vee)$
 $\parallel (i)$

$\nu(qq) \nu(ch L(\lambda)) + \nu(q) \nu(\partial ch L(\lambda)) \xrightarrow{\quad} \dim L(\lambda) = \frac{\prod (\lambda + \rho, \alpha^\vee)}{\prod (\rho, \alpha^\vee)} *$
 $|W| \prod_{\alpha \in \Phi^+} (\rho, \alpha^\vee) \xrightarrow{\dim L(\lambda)} 0$ by (iii)

Remark

1. Weyl char formula only computes $ch L(\lambda)$ for $\lambda \in \Lambda^+$, Weyl's dim formula suggests $\dim L(\lambda) < \infty$ in this case.
2. If $\lambda \notin \Lambda^+$, we have

Conj [KL] [thm of BB, B-K]

$$ch L(w \cdot 0) = \sum_{x \in W} (-1)^{l(x) - l(w)} \frac{l(x) - l(w)}{P_{w_0 w, w_0 x}(1)} ch M(x \cdot 0)$$

$[M(w \cdot 0), L(x \cdot 0)] = P_{x, w}(1)$ KL polyn

Thm [Soergel]

If $\lambda \in \mathfrak{h}^* \setminus \Lambda$ then:

(a) $\exists \lambda^q \in \Lambda^+$ for some other Lie algs \mathfrak{g}^q

(b) $[M(\lambda), L(\mu)] = [M(\lambda^q), L(\mu^q)]$

Thm [Jantzen]

If $\lambda \in \Lambda$ then $[M(w \cdot \lambda), L(x \cdot \lambda)] = [M(w \cdot 0), L(x \cdot 0)]$

§3 Multiplicity Questions

Recall comp. series for finite grp G :

$$G = G_0 \supset G_1 \supset \dots \supset G_n = 1$$

s.t. G_i/G_{i+1} is simple

Q: Does $M \in \mathcal{U}(\mathfrak{g})$ has a finite comp. series?

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} \text{i.e. } M = M_0 \supset M_1 \supset \dots \supset M_n = 0 \\ \text{s.t. } M_i/M_{i+1} \text{ is simple } (\cong L(\mu_i) \text{ for some } \mu_i) \end{array} \right)$$

A: No, in general.

We'll see:

- Verma modules have finite comp. series.
- The multiplicity $[M(\lambda):L(\mu)]$ of $L(\mu)$ occurs in $M(\lambda)$ is well-defined
- Finding $\text{ch } L(\lambda) = \sum \text{ch } M(\mu) \iff$ finding $[M(\lambda):L(\mu)]$

§4 Central characters

- Σ = center of $\mathcal{U}(\mathfrak{g})$

Fact:

- (1) $\forall z \in \Sigma, m \in M(\lambda), zm = \chi_\lambda(z)m$ for some central character $\chi_\lambda: \Sigma \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$
- (2) If $[M(\lambda):L(\mu)] \neq 0$ then $\chi_\mu = \chi_\lambda$ and $\mu \leq \lambda$
- (3) [Harish-Chandra] $\chi_\mu = \chi_\lambda \iff \mu \in W \cdot \lambda$

P.7 (pf)

(1) $\forall h \in \mathfrak{g}, m \in M(\lambda)$

$$hzm = zhm = z\chi(h)m = \chi(h)zm \rightsquigarrow zm \in M(\lambda)$$

$$\therefore \dim M(\lambda)_\lambda = 1, zm \in \mathbb{C}m \rightsquigarrow zm = \chi_\lambda(z)m$$

$\forall h \in \mathfrak{g}, m \in M(\lambda)$

$$m = \sum f_\alpha v_\alpha^+ \rightsquigarrow zm = z \sum f_\alpha v_\alpha^+ = \sum z f_\alpha v_\alpha^+ = \chi_\lambda(z)m$$

(2) ✓

(3) HARD! (study $\Sigma \rightsquigarrow S(\mathfrak{g})^W$)

Example

(A1) The Casimir operator $2\Omega = h^2 + 2h + 4fe \in \Sigma$

$$\begin{aligned} e(h^2 + 2h + 4fe) &= (he - 2e)h + 2eh + 4(h+fe)e \\ &= h(he - 2e) + 4he + 4fe^2 \\ &= (h^2 + 2h + 4fe)e \end{aligned}$$

$$2\Omega v_\lambda^+ = (\lambda^2 + 2\lambda) v_\lambda^+ \quad (\lambda + \mu + 2)(\lambda - \mu)$$

$$\begin{aligned} [M(\lambda):L(\mu)] \neq 0 &\iff \lambda^2 + 2\lambda = \mu^2 + 2\mu \iff \lambda^2 - \mu^2 + 2(\lambda - \mu) = 0 \\ &\iff \mu = \lambda \text{ or } \mu = -\lambda - 2 \\ &\iff \mu \in W \cdot \lambda \end{aligned}$$

Lemma

$M(\lambda)$ has fin. comp. series

(pf) Let $V = \sum_{w \in W} M(\lambda)_{w \cdot \lambda}$ be a f.d. vec sp.

if $M(\lambda) = M_0 \supset M_1 \supset \dots$ non-stop, so is $\forall n M_i \supset \dots$

Pick $v_\mu^+ \in M_i/M_{i+1}, \chi_\lambda = \chi_\mu \Rightarrow \mu = w \cdot \lambda$ for some $w \in W$

$$\Rightarrow M_i \cap V \neq 0 \text{ and } \dim(M_i \cap V) > \dim(M_{i+1} \cap V) \rightsquigarrow *$$

Day 3

Strong linkage principle

Goal: (A) Strong linkage principle
 (\Rightarrow) Verma thm
 (\Leftarrow) BGG thm
 \uparrow Jantzen filtration

(B) Category \mathcal{O}
 & translation functor

Recall:

- Study $L(\lambda)$
 \uparrow study $\text{ch } L(\lambda)$
- case 1: $\lambda \in \Lambda^+$ \leadsto solved by Weyl char formula
- case 2: $\lambda \notin \Lambda^+$ \leadsto $\lambda \in \Lambda$ \leadsto $\lambda \in W \cdot 0$
 \uparrow [Serge] \uparrow [Jantzen]
- \uparrow Solved by KL theory
 \uparrow based on strong LP
 \uparrow based on central char
 \uparrow based on HC thm

§1 Verma thm

- We say $\mu \leq \lambda$ if $\lambda - \mu = \sum_{\alpha \in \Phi^+} c_\alpha \alpha$ for $c_\alpha \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$
- We say $\mu \uparrow \lambda$ if $\mu = s_\alpha \cdot \lambda \leq \lambda$ for some $\alpha \in \Phi^+$
- We say μ is strongly linked to λ (write $\mu \uparrow \uparrow \lambda$) if
 $\mu = \lambda$ or $\mu = \mu_0 \uparrow \mu_1 \uparrow \mu_2 \uparrow \dots \uparrow \mu_n = \lambda$

Thm SLP

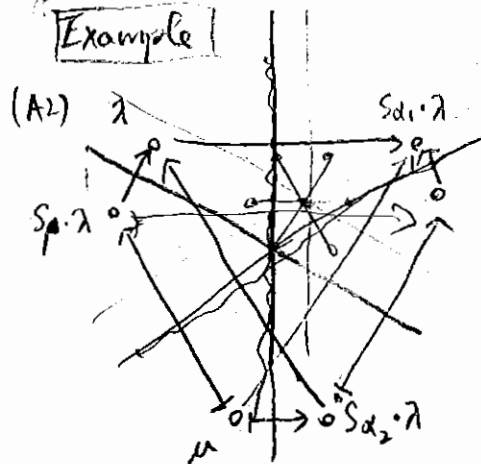
$$[M(\lambda) : L(\mu)] \neq 0 \xrightleftharpoons[\text{Verma}]{\text{BGG}} \mu \uparrow \uparrow \lambda$$

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Thm (Verma)

- If $\lambda, \mu \in \mathfrak{g}^*$ and $\mu \uparrow \uparrow \lambda$ then
- $\exists M(\mu) \hookrightarrow M(\lambda)$
 - $[M(\lambda) : L(\mu)] \neq 0$

Example



$$\lambda \uparrow s_{\alpha_1} \cdot \lambda$$

$$s_{\alpha_2} \cdot \lambda \uparrow \lambda$$

$$s_{\beta} \cdot \lambda \uparrow \lambda$$

$$\mu \uparrow s_{\beta} \cdot \lambda \quad (\Rightarrow \mu \uparrow \uparrow \lambda)$$

$$\mu \uparrow s_{\alpha_2} \cdot \lambda$$

Recall that $e f_{\alpha}^k v_{\lambda}^+ = k(\lambda - \rho(k-1)) f_{\alpha}^{k-1} v_{\lambda}^+$

\leadsto If $\lambda \in \Lambda^+$, $\mu = s_{\alpha} \cdot \lambda = \lambda - k\alpha$ for some $\alpha \in \Delta$, $k \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0}$
 then $M(\mu) \hookrightarrow M(\lambda)$ is a nonzero form.

$$v_{\mu}^+ \mapsto f_{\alpha}^k v_{\lambda}^+$$

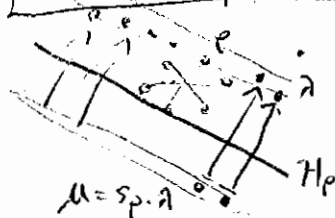
Thm [Shapovalov]

\exists Shapovalov element $S = S(\gamma, k)$, $\gamma \in \Phi^+$, $k \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0}$ s.t.

$M(\mu) \hookrightarrow M(\lambda)$ is a nonzero form

$$v_{\mu}^+ \mapsto S v_{\lambda}^+$$

for ANY pair (μ, λ) s.t. $\mu = s_{\gamma} \cdot \lambda = \lambda - k\gamma$



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[Thm]

(1) [Jantzen sum formula]

$M(\lambda)$ has a Jantzen filtration

$$M(\lambda) = M(\lambda)^0 \supset M(\lambda)^1 \supset \dots \supset M(\lambda)^n = 0 \quad \text{s.t.}$$

(a) $M(\lambda)^0 / M(\lambda)^1 \cong L(\lambda)$



(b) $\sum_{i \geq 0} \text{ch } M(\lambda)^i = \sum_{\alpha \in \Phi^+} \sum_{S_\alpha \cdot \lambda < \lambda} \text{ch } M(S_\alpha \cdot \lambda)$

(2) [BGG]

If $[M(\lambda) : L(\mu)] \neq 0$ then $\mu \uparrow \uparrow \lambda$

[pf]

$$[M(\lambda) : L(\mu)] \neq 0 \leadsto \gamma := \lambda - \mu = \sum_{\alpha \in \Phi^+} c_\alpha \alpha$$

induction on $\text{ht}(\gamma) := \sum c_\alpha$

• $\text{ht}(\gamma) = 0 : \lambda = \mu \quad \checkmark$

"survive first round"

• $\text{ht}(\gamma) > 0 : \lambda \neq \mu \leadsto L(\mu) \neq L(\lambda) \subseteq M(\lambda)^0 / M(\lambda)^1$

$$\leadsto [M(\lambda)^i : L(\mu)] \neq 0 \text{ for some } i > 0$$

$\leadsto L(\mu)$ occurs on RHS

$$\leadsto [M(S_\alpha \cdot \lambda) : L(\mu)] \neq 0 \text{ for some } S_\alpha \cdot \lambda < \lambda$$

$$\leadsto S_\alpha \cdot \lambda - \mu < \gamma$$

inol $\rightarrow \mu \uparrow \uparrow S_\alpha \cdot \lambda \uparrow \lambda$

✗

Recall that $\text{ch } L(\lambda)$ is computed only for $\lambda \in \Lambda^+$

[Thm] [Soergel]

If $\lambda \in \mathfrak{g}^*$ then

(a) $\exists \lambda^h \in \Lambda^h$ (for some other Lie alg \mathfrak{g}^h)

(b) $[M(\lambda) : L(\mu)] = [M(\lambda^h) : L(\mu^h)]$

[pf] need end alg of proj. gen.
Soergel's V-functor

[Thm] [Jantzen]

If $\lambda \in \Lambda^+$ then

$$[M(w \cdot \lambda) : L(x \cdot \lambda)] = [M(w \cdot 0) : L(x \cdot 0)]$$

[pf] need Jantzen's translation functor

[Cor] [KL]

$$[M(w \cdot 0) : L(x \cdot 0)] = P_{x,w}(1) \quad \checkmark \text{ KL-polyn}$$

equiv.,

$$\text{ch } L(w \cdot 0) = \sum_{x \leq w} (-1)^{\ell(x) - \ell(w)} P_{w_0 w, w_0 x}(1) \text{ch } M(x \cdot 0)$$

\uparrow Bruhat order \uparrow longest elt in w

§3 Homological algebra

A SES of $U(\mathfrak{g})$ -mod is

$$0 \rightarrow N \xrightarrow{f} M \xrightarrow{g} L \rightarrow 0$$

s.t. $\text{Im} f = \ker g$

($\Leftrightarrow L \cong M/N$) (\Leftarrow) M is an extension of N by L

If $\text{Ext}(L, N) = 0$
then $M = N \oplus L$

Example

$0 \rightarrow N(1) \rightarrow M(1) \rightarrow L(1) \rightarrow 0$ is a SES

$0 \rightarrow M(-2) \rightarrow M(0) \rightarrow L(0) \rightarrow 0$ is a SES
($= L(-2)$)

If $M = M^0 \supset \dots \supset M^n = 0$ s.t. $M^i/M^{i+1} \cong L(\mu_i)$
then \exists SES, $0 \rightarrow M' \rightarrow M^0 \rightarrow L(\mu_1) \rightarrow 0$

$\vdots \quad \vdots \quad \vdots \quad \vdots$

A module $M \in \mathcal{C}$ has a Verma flag if

$$M = M^1 \supset \dots \supset M^n = 0 \text{ s.t. } M^i/M^{i+1} \cong M(\mu_i)$$

$\Rightarrow \exists$ SES,

Note that $M \neq \bigoplus M(\mu_i)$ in general

Fact

(1) $\forall M \in \mathcal{C}, M = \bigoplus_i M^{\lambda_i}$

\Leftrightarrow If M has a Verma flag $M \supset M' \supset M'' = 0$ s.t. $M/M' \cong M(\mu_1)$
 $M'/M'' \cong M(\mu_2)$

then $M = M(\mu_1) \oplus M(\mu_2)$

(2) If L is f.d., $M = L \otimes M(\lambda)$ has a Verma flag s.t. quot. $\cong M(\lambda + \mu_i)$
and $\dim(M/M(\lambda + \mu_i)) = \dim M_{\mu_i}$

e.g. $L = L(3), \lambda = 0 \leadsto \text{ch } M = \text{ch } M(3) + \text{ch } M(1) + \text{ch } M(-1) + \text{ch } M(-3)$
 $\leadsto M = M(3) \oplus M(1) \oplus M(-1) \oplus M(-3)$

P.S. §4 translation functor

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For any $\lambda, \mu \in \Lambda$, define translation

$$T_{\lambda}^{\mu}(M) = (L(\bar{\nu}) \otimes M^{\lambda})^{\lambda_{\mu}} \quad \lambda \rightarrow \mu$$

where $\bar{\nu}$ is the unique elt in $W \cdot \nu \in \Lambda^+$

e.g.

$$T_0^3(M(0) \oplus M(3)) = M(3)$$

Thm [Jantzen]

(1) Under some good cond.

$T_{\lambda}^{\mu}: \mathcal{O}_{\lambda} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{O}_{\mu}$ is an equiv. of cat

Verma \mapsto Verma

Simple \mapsto simple

(2) $\lambda = w\lambda'$ for $\lambda' \in \Lambda^+$
 $[M(w\lambda'), L(\lambda')] = [M(w \cdot 0), L(\lambda' \cdot 0)]$

Day 4

Coxeter groups & Hecke algebras

Goal: (A) Coxeter group $W \rightsquigarrow$ (i) length fcn (ii) Bruhat ordering
(iii) Hecke alg (iv) KL polyn.

(B) Count $|W|$ via

(i) transitive action on root sys

(ii) deg of fundamental invariants.

(C) Hecke alg \longleftrightarrow Cat. \mathcal{O} (principal block) \longleftrightarrow Tensor space of quantum alg

std basis $T_w \longleftrightarrow$ Verma mod M_w

\longleftrightarrow std basis

KL basis $C_w \longleftrightarrow$ Simple mod L_w

\longleftrightarrow dual canonical basis

dual KL basis $C_w^* \longleftrightarrow$ Tilting mod T_w

\longleftrightarrow canonical basis

§ 1 Root sys

• $(V, (\cdot, \cdot))$ is a f.d. Euclidean space

$(V = \mathbb{R}\epsilon_1 \oplus \dots \oplus \mathbb{R}\epsilon_n \text{ and } (\epsilon_i, \epsilon_j) = \delta_{ij})$

• For any $\alpha \in V \setminus \{0\}$, we define reflection $s_\alpha: V \rightarrow V$ by

$$s_\alpha(\lambda) = \lambda - (\lambda, \alpha^\vee) \alpha, \text{ where } \alpha^\vee = \frac{2\alpha}{(\alpha, \alpha)}$$

Example

(1) $\alpha = \epsilon_1 - \epsilon_2 \rightsquigarrow (\alpha, \alpha) = (\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_2, \epsilon_1 - \epsilon_2) = 2 \rightsquigarrow \alpha^\vee = \alpha$

(2) $\alpha = \epsilon_1 + \epsilon_2 \rightsquigarrow \alpha^\vee = \alpha$

(3) $\alpha = \epsilon_1 \rightsquigarrow \alpha^\vee = 2\alpha$

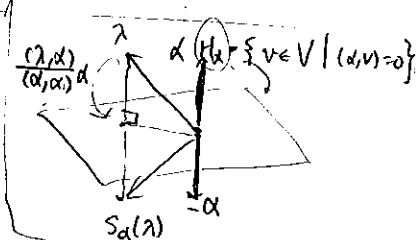
(4) $\alpha = 2\epsilon_1 \rightsquigarrow \alpha^\vee = \frac{1}{2}\alpha$

• A root sys Φ is a finite subset of $V \setminus \{0\}$ s.t.

(R1) $\Phi \cap \mathbb{R}\alpha = \{\pm\alpha\} \quad \forall \alpha \in \Phi$

(R2) $s_\alpha(\Phi) = \Phi \quad \forall \alpha \in \Phi$

(R3) $(\alpha, \beta^\vee) \in \mathbb{Z} \quad \forall \alpha, \beta \in \Phi$



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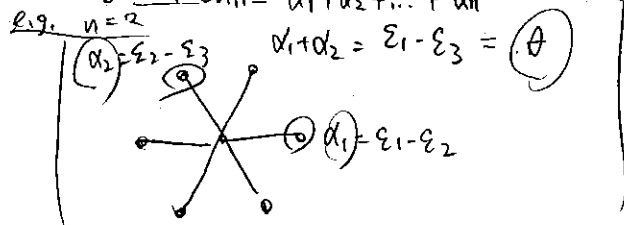
Example

(An) $V = \mathbb{R}\epsilon_1 \oplus \dots \oplus \mathbb{R}\epsilon_{n+1}$

$\Delta = \{\alpha_1^A, \dots, \alpha_n^A\}$ where $\alpha_i^A = \epsilon_i - \epsilon_{i+1}$

$\rightsquigarrow \Phi = \{\pm(\epsilon_i - \epsilon_j) \mid 1 \leq i < j \leq n+1\} \rightsquigarrow |\Phi| = 2 \binom{n+1}{2} = n^2 + n$

$\theta = \epsilon_1 - \epsilon_{n+1} = \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \dots + \alpha_n$



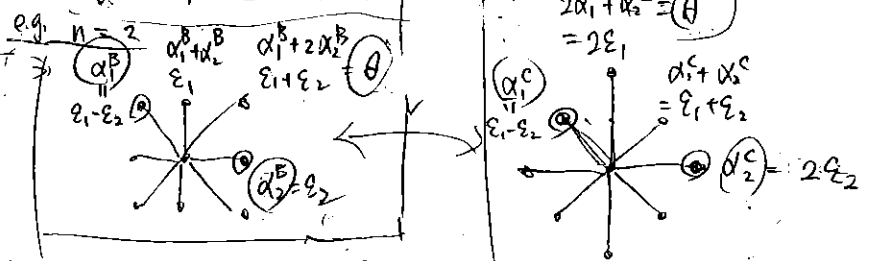
(Bn) $V = \mathbb{R}\epsilon_1 \oplus \dots \oplus \mathbb{R}\epsilon_n$

$\Delta = \{\alpha_1^B, \dots, \alpha_n^B\}$ where $\alpha_i^B = \begin{cases} \alpha_i^A & \text{if } i=1, \dots, n-1 \\ \epsilon_n & \text{if } i=n \end{cases}$

$\rightsquigarrow \Phi = \{\pm\epsilon_i \pm \epsilon_j \mid 1 \leq i < j \leq n\} \cup \{\pm\epsilon_i\}_{i=1}^n$

$\rightsquigarrow |\Phi| = 4 \binom{n}{2} + 2n = 2n^2$

$\theta = \epsilon_1 + \epsilon_2 = \alpha_1 + 2(\alpha_2 + \dots + \alpha_n)$



(Cn) $V = \mathbb{R}\epsilon_1 \oplus \dots \oplus \mathbb{R}\epsilon_n$

$\Delta = \{\alpha_1^C, \dots, \alpha_n^C\}$ where $\alpha_i^C = (\alpha_i^B)^\vee = \begin{cases} \alpha_i^A & \text{if } i=1, \dots, n-1 \\ 2\epsilon_n & \text{if } i=n \end{cases}$

$\rightsquigarrow \Phi = \{\pm\epsilon_i \pm \epsilon_j \mid i < j\} \cup \{\pm 2\epsilon_i\}_{i=1}^n$

$\theta = 2\epsilon_1 = 2(\alpha_1 + \dots + \alpha_{n-1}) + \alpha_n$

Facts

(1) [Finiteness Lemma] $(\alpha, \beta^\vee)(\beta, \alpha^\vee) \in \{0, 1, 2, 3\} \quad \forall \alpha, \beta \in \Phi$

(2) \exists Simple sys. $\Delta \subset \Phi$ s.t. if $\beta \in \Phi$ then $\beta = \sum c_i \alpha_i$ where c_i all pos or all neg.
 $\rightsquigarrow \Phi = \Phi^+ \cup \Phi^-$ w.r.t Δ

(3) $\exists!$ highest root $\theta \in \Phi$ (i.e. $\sum c_i$ is the longest)

§2 Coxeter grp Given $S = \{s_i\} \subseteq W$

(W, S) is a Coxeter sys (W is a Coxeter grp) if

$$W = \langle S \mid (s_i s_j)^{m_{ij}} = 1 \rangle \text{ where } m_{ii} = 1, m_{ij} \geq 2 \text{ if } i \neq j$$

A reduced expression of $w \in W$ is a prod.

$w = t_1 \dots t_N$ where $t_i \in S$ s.t. N is minimal among all

$\leadsto \ell(w) = N$ is the length of w .

Fact

(1) $\ell(w)$ is well-defined.

(2) \exists root sys $\Phi \subseteq V := \bigoplus_{s \in S} \mathbb{R} \alpha_s$ with simple sys $\Delta = \{\alpha_s \mid s \in S\}$

(3) $\ell(ws_\alpha) > \ell(w) \iff w\alpha \in \Phi^+$

(4) $\ell(w) = n(w) := |\Phi^+ \cap w^{-1}\Phi^-|$

(5) Del cond. & exchange and.

(6) \exists Bruhat ordering $w \leq w' \iff$

(7) Fix a reduced expression $w = t_1 \dots t_N$, then

$w' \leq w \iff w'$ is a subexpression of $t_1 \dots t_N$

§3 Weyl grp

Given a root sys $\Phi \subseteq V$, its Weyl grp $W = \langle s_\alpha \mid \alpha \in \Phi \rangle$

Facts

(1) $W = \langle s_\alpha \mid \alpha \in \Delta \rangle$

(2) W is a Coxeter grp. (m_{ij} given by Dynkin diagram)

(3) If $|W| < \infty$ then $\exists!$ longest elt $w_0 \in W$ s.t.

(a) $w_0 \Phi^+ = \Phi^-$

(b) $w_0 = w_0^{-1}$

(c) $\forall w \in W, \exists w' \in W$ s.t. $ww' = w_0$ and $\ell(w) + \ell(w') = \ell(w_0)$

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Example

(An) $W_n^A = \langle s_i \mid (s_i s_j)^{m_{ij}} = 1 \rangle$ where $m_{ij} = \begin{cases} 3 & \text{if } |i-j|=1 \\ 2 & \text{if } |i-j| > 1 \end{cases}$

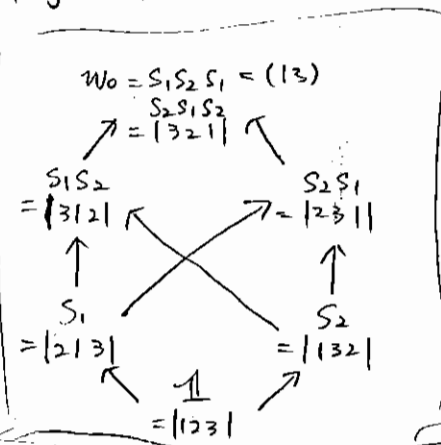
$$\text{i.e. } \begin{cases} s_i^2 = 1 \\ s_i s_{i+1} s_i = s_{i+1} s_i s_{i+1} & \text{if } 1 \leq i \leq n-1 \\ s_i s_j = s_j s_i & \text{if } |i-j| > 1 \end{cases}$$

$W_n^A \cong S_{n+1}$ e.g. $n=2$

$s_i \mapsto (i \ i+1)$

$w_0 \mapsto (1 \ n+1)$

$$\ell_A(w) = \#\{(i,j) \mid i < j, w(i) > w(j)\}$$



$$1 \quad 2 \quad \dots \quad n-1 \quad n$$

(Bn) $W_n^B = \langle s_i \mid (s_i s_j)^{m_{ij}} = 1 \rangle$ where $m_{ij} = \begin{cases} 3 & \text{if } |i-j|=1 \text{ \& not } n \\ 4 & \text{if } |i-j|=1 \text{ \& is } n \\ 2 & \text{otw} \end{cases}$

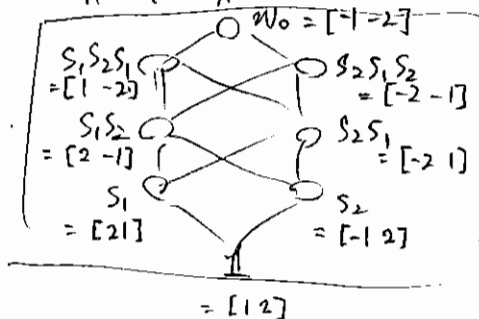
$$\text{i.e. } \begin{cases} s_i^2 = 1 \\ s_i s_{i+1} s_i = s_{i+1} s_i s_{i+1} & \text{if } 1 \leq i \leq n-2 \\ s_{n-1} s_n s_{n-1} s_n = s_n s_{n-1} s_n s_{n-1} \\ s_i s_j = s_j s_i & \text{if } |i-j| > 1 \end{cases}$$

$W_n^B \cong \{w \in \text{Perm}[-n, n] \mid w(-j) = -w(j) \forall j=1, \dots, n\} \cong \mathbb{Z}_2 \times S_n$

$s_i \mapsto \begin{cases} (-i \ -(i+1)) (i \ i+1) & \text{if } i \neq n \\ (-1 \ 1) (-n \ n) & \text{if } i = n \end{cases}$

$w_0 \mapsto (-1 \ 1) (-2 \ 2) \dots (-n \ n)$

$$\ell_B(w) = \ell_A(w) - \sum_{i \in [1, n]} w(i) \text{ where } w(i) < 0$$



Fact 1

- (4) $\Phi = \Phi_s \cup \Phi_{\bar{s}}$ and $\theta \in \Phi_{\bar{s}}$ set of long roots.
 (5) $W \cap \Phi_{\bar{s}}$ transitively (i.e. $\forall \alpha \in \Phi_{\bar{s}}, \exists w \in W$ s.t. $w\alpha = \beta$)
 ($W \cap \Phi_s$)

$\Rightarrow |W| = |\Phi_s| |W_{\beta}|$ for any $\beta \in \Phi_{\bar{s}}$
 where $W_{\beta} = \{w \in W \mid w\beta = \beta\}$ is the isotropy subgroup
 $= \langle s_{\alpha} \in S \mid (\alpha, \beta) = 0 \rangle$

IP. this is true for $\beta = -\theta$, the lowest ^{long} root

(6) Dynkin (AFF type X) = Dynkin (FIN type X $\cup \{-\theta\}$)

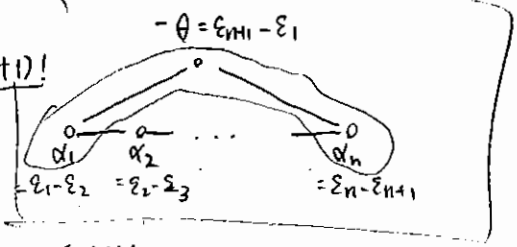
Example

(An) Known: $|W| = |S_{n+1}| = (n+1)!$

$|\Phi_s| = |\Phi| = n^2 + n = (n+1)n$

$\theta = \varepsilon_1 - \varepsilon_{n+1}$

$\Rightarrow |W_A| = (n+1)n |W_{A_{n-2}}^A| = \dots = (n+1)!$

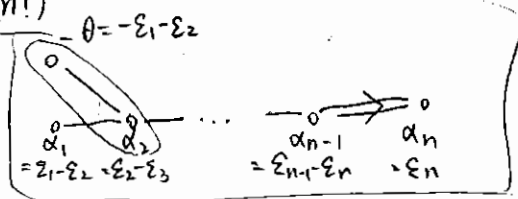


(Bn) Known: $|W| = 2^n |S_n| = 2^n (n!)$

$|\Phi| = 2n^2, |\Phi_s| = 2n(n-1)$

$\theta = \varepsilon_1 + \varepsilon_2$

$\Rightarrow |W_B^B| = 2n(n-1) |W_A^A| \cdot |W_{A_{n-2}}^A| = 2^n (n!)$



(Cn) Known: $|W| = 2^n (n!)$

$|\Phi_s| = 2n$

$\theta_s = 2\varepsilon_1$

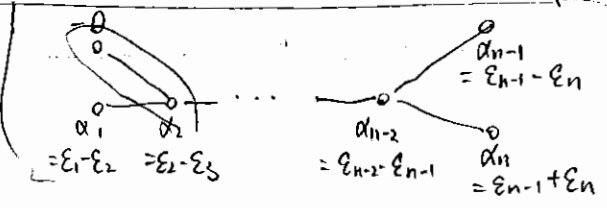
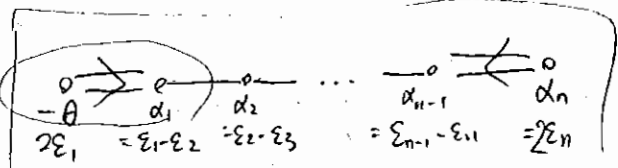
$|W_s| = 2n |W_{A_{n-1}}^B| = 2^n (n!)$

(Dn) $|\Phi_s| = |\Phi| = 2n(n-1)$

$\theta = \varepsilon_1 + \varepsilon_2$

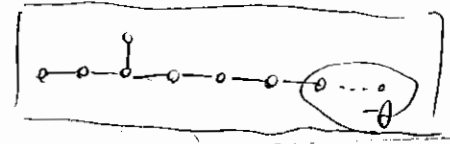
$|W_D^D| = 2n(n-1) |W_A^A| \cdot |W_{A_{n-2}}^D|$

$= 2^n (n!)$



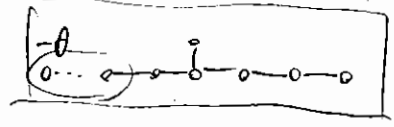
P.5 (E8)

$|\Phi_{E_8}^E| = 240 = 2^4 \cdot 3 \cdot 5$



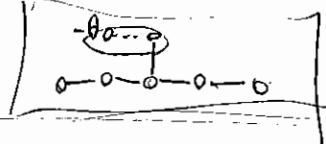
$|W_{E_8}^E| = 2^4 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 |W_7^E|$
 $= 2^{14} \cdot 3^5 \cdot 5^2 \cdot 7$

(E7) $|\Phi_{E_7}^E| = 126 = 2 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 7$



$|W_{E_7}^E| = 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 7 |W_6^D| = 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 7 (2^5 \cdot 6!)$
 $= 2^{10} \cdot 3^4 \cdot 5 \cdot 7$

(E6) $|\Phi_{E_6}^E| = 72 = 2^3 \cdot 3^2$



$|W_{E_6}^E| = 72 |W_5^A| = 72 \cdot 6!$

§4 Invariant polynomials

- $\mathcal{S} := P(\mathfrak{g})$: polynomials on \mathfrak{g}
 $= S(\mathfrak{g}^*)$ sym. alg on \mathfrak{g}^* ($= T(\mathfrak{g}^*) / \langle f \circ g - g \circ f \rangle_{f, g \in \mathfrak{g}^*}$)
- $W \subset \mathfrak{g}^*$ by reflection (i.e. $s_i(\lambda) = \lambda - (\lambda, \alpha_i^\vee) \alpha_i \forall \lambda \in \mathfrak{g}^*$)
 $\Rightarrow W \subset T(\mathfrak{g}^*)$ by $w(\lambda_1 \otimes \dots \otimes \lambda_r) = w\lambda_1 \otimes \dots \otimes w\lambda_r$
 $\Rightarrow W \subset S(\mathfrak{g}^*) = \mathcal{S}$
- $\mathcal{R} := \mathcal{S}^W$: W -invariant polyn. on \mathfrak{g}
- $\mathcal{R}^+ :=$ W -invariant polyn on \mathfrak{g} with const = 0

Example

(A1) $s_{\alpha_1}(h) = -h \forall h \in \mathfrak{g}$

$h^2 \in \mathcal{R}, h^2 \in \mathcal{R}^+$

$h^{-1} \in \mathcal{R}, h^{-1} \notin \mathcal{R}^+$

Fact

(1) [Chevalley]

\exists homogeneous, alg. ind, elts $f_1, \dots, f_n \in \mathbb{R}^+$ s.t.

(a) $\mathbb{R} \cong \mathbb{C}[f_1, \dots, f_n]$ fund. invariants

(b) $n = \dim \mathfrak{g}$

(c) $\{\deg f_i\}$ is ind. of choice of f_i 's
 $\underbrace{\deg f_i}_{=d_i}$

(2) $|W| = d_1 \dots d_n$

(3) The Poincaré series $\sum_{w \in W} t^{\ell(w)} = \text{Poincaré polyn.}$ $\prod_{i=1}^n \frac{1-t^{d_i}}{1-t}$
 (specialize $t=1 \leadsto |W| = d_1 \dots d_n$)

Example

(A2) $d_1=2, d_2=3, |W_2^A| = |S_3| = 6 = 2 \cdot 3$

w	1	s_1	s_2	$s_1 s_2$	$s_2 s_1$	$s_1 s_2 s_1$
$\ell(w)$	0	1	1	2	2	3

$$\text{LHS} = 1 + 2t + 2t^2 + t^3 = (1+t)(1+t+t^2) = \left(\frac{1-t^2}{1-t}\right) \left(\frac{1-t^3}{1-t}\right)$$

The Coxeter number h of type X_n is the order of $s_1 \dots s_n$

Fact

(4) (a) $h \cdot n = |\Phi|$

(b) $h = 1 + \sum c_i$ where $\theta = \sum c_i \alpha_i$

(c) $h = d_n$

Example

(A2) $h = \text{ord}(s_1 s_2) = 3$

$$h \cdot n = 3 \cdot 2 = 6 = |\Phi|$$

$$\theta = \varepsilon_1 + \varepsilon_3 = \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 \leadsto 1 + \sum c_i = 1 + 2 = 3$$

$$3 = d_2$$

P.7

§5 Hecke alg Given a Coxeter group (W, S)

Recall: W is gen. by S_i subject to

$$(S_i S_j)^{m_{ij}} = 1$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \underbrace{S_i S_j S_i \dots}_{m_{ij}} = \underbrace{S_j S_i S_j \dots}_{m_{ij}} \quad \forall i, j$$

$\bullet A$: a comm. ring containing q & q^{-1}

(e.g. $\mathbb{Z}[q, q^{-1}], \mathbb{Q}(q); \mathbb{Z}[v, v^{-1}], \mathbb{Q}(v)$ where $v^2 = q$)

\bullet The Hecke alg. \mathcal{H} is the unital assoc. A -alg gen by s.t.

$$(H1) \text{ Braid rel'n } \underbrace{T_i T_j T_i \dots}_{m_{ij}} = \underbrace{T_j T_i T_j \dots}_{m_{ij}} \quad \forall i, j \in S$$

$$(H2) \text{ Hecke rel'n } (T_i - q)(T_i + 1) = 0 \quad \forall i \in S$$

$$(H2') \quad T_i^2 = (q-1)T_i + q \quad \forall i \in S$$

Fact

(1) $T_w = T_{t_1} \dots T_{t_N}$ if $w = t_1 \dots t_N$ is a reduced expr is well-defined.

$$(2) \quad s \in S, T_s T_w = \begin{cases} T_{sw} & \text{if } \ell(sw) > \ell(w) \\ (q-1)T_w + qT_{sw} & \text{if } \ell(sw) < \ell(w) \end{cases} \quad (H1')$$

$$(3) \mathcal{H} = \langle T_w | w \in W \rangle / (H1') \text{ \& } (H2)$$

(4) $w \in W$, T_w is invertible, and

$$(T_w^{-1}) = q^{-\ell(w)} \sum_{x \in W} (-1)^{\ell(w, x)} R_{x, w}(q) T_x$$

where $R_{x, w} \in \mathbb{Z}[q]$ of $\deg \ell_{w, x} := \ell(w) - \ell(x)$ and $R_{w, w}(q) = 1 \quad \forall w \in W$

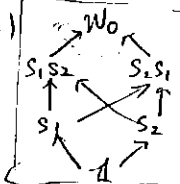
P.8

Algorithm computing $R_{x,w}$

1. $R_{x,w} = 0$ if $x \neq w$
2. $R_{x,w} = 1$ if $x = w$
3. Now $x < w$: pick any $s \in S$ s.t. $sw < w$ (e.g. $w = t_1 \dots t_n$ reduced) $\leadsto s = t_1$

$$R_{x,w} = \begin{cases} R_{sx,sw} & \text{if } sx < x \\ (q-1)R_{x,sw} + qR_{sx,sw} & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Example

(A2) 

$\bullet R_{1,s_1}$: $x=1, w=s_1$, pick $s=s_1$
 $sx = s_1 > 1 = x$
 $\leadsto R_{1,s_1} = (q-1)R_{1,1} + qR_{s_1,1} = (q-1) + q = 2q-1$

§6 KL basis

$\bar{\cdot} : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathcal{H}$ by $\bar{q} = q^{-1}$ & $\bar{T}_w = (T_{w^{-1}})^{-1}$ ($\overline{R(q)} = R(q^{-1}) \forall R \in \mathbb{Z}[q]$)

Fact

- (1) $\bar{\cdot}$ is an alg. involution
- (2) $\overline{R_{x,w}} = (-1)^{l_{x,w}} q^{l_{x,w}} R_{x,w} T_x$

$$\bar{T}_w = \sum_{x \leq w} \bar{q}^{l(x)} \overline{R_{x,w}} T_x$$

In particular,

$$\bar{T}_s = \overline{R_{1,s}} T_1 + \bar{q}^{-1} \overline{R_{s,s}} T_s = \bar{q}^{-1} - 1 + \bar{q}^{-1} T_s$$

- (3) $C_s = \bar{v}^{-1}(T_s - q)$ are bar-invariant
 $\bar{C}_s = \bar{v}^{-1}(T_s + 1)$

$$(\because \bar{C}_s = v(\bar{T}_s - q^{-1}) = v(\bar{q}^{-1} T_s - 1) = \bar{v}^{-1}(T_s - q) \checkmark)$$

(4) [KL]

\exists bar-inv. basis $\{C_w\}$ s.t. $C_w = \sum_{x \leq w} (-1)^{l_{x,w}} v^{l(w)-2l(x)} \overline{R_{x,w}} T_x$,

where $\begin{cases} P_{x,w} \in \mathbb{Z}[q] \\ P_{w,w}(q) = 1 \\ \deg P_{x,w} \leq \frac{l_{w,x}-1}{2} \text{ if } x < w \end{cases}$

P.9 (5) $q^{l_{w,x}} \overline{P_{x,w}} - P_{x,w} = \sum_{x < y \leq w} R_{x,y} P_{y,w} \leftarrow \text{algorithm}$

(6) shortcuts:

- (a) $P_{x,w} = 1$ if $0 \leq l_{w,x} \leq 2$
- (b) $P_{x,w_0} = 1 \forall x \in W$
- (c) $P_{x,sw(0)} = 1$ if $x \leq w$

Example

(A3) $x = s_2, w = s_2 s_1 s_3 s_2$

(5) $q^3 \overline{P_{x,w}} - P_{x,w} =$

y	$R_{x,y}$	$P_{y,w}$
$s_2 s_1$	1	1
$s_2 s_3$	1	1
s_{12}	1	1
s_{32}	1	1
s_{212}	1	1
s_{213}	1	1
s_{232}	1	1
s_{132}	1	1
s_{2132}	1	1

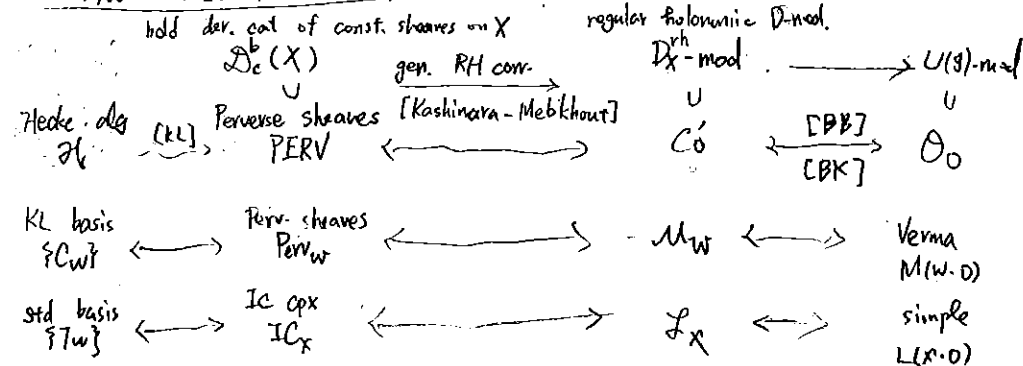
$\leadsto q^3 \overline{P_{x,w}} - P_{x,w} = q^3 + q^2 - q - 1$

$$\leadsto P_{x,w} = 1 + q$$

§7 KL theory

Thm [KL79]

$P_{x,w}(q) = \sum_{i=0}^{l_{w,x}} q^i \dim \mathcal{H}_x^{2i}(X_w)$ (Schubert var.)
 $\mathbb{P}, P_{x,w} \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}[q]$ (No geom. interpretation for $R_{x,w}$)



Thm [BB, DK] [KL conj]
 $(\lambda(w \cdot 0) : L(x \cdot 0)) = P_{X,w}(1)$
 (pf) $P_{X,w}(1)$ abelian subcat
 perv. sheaf $\parallel \leftarrow [KL]$ IC sheaf \downarrow bdd deriv. cat of constructible sheaves
 $[Per_w : IC_X] : \text{in } PERV \in \mathcal{D}_c^b(X)$ on X flag var.
 $\parallel \leftarrow [Kashiwara - Mebkhout]$
 $[M_w : L_F]$ in regular holonomic D-mod on X
 $\parallel \leftarrow [Beilinson - Bernstein] [Brylinski - Kashiwara]$
 $[M(w \cdot 0) : L(x \cdot 0)]$ in \mathcal{O}_0

§ 8 Schur-Jimbo duality

• classical Schur duality:

$$gl_n \overset{\uparrow}{\curvearrowright} \underbrace{V \otimes \dots \otimes V}_d \overset{\uparrow}{\curvearrowright} S_d, \quad V: \text{natural repn of } gl_n$$

Thm (a) On $V \otimes \dots \otimes V$, gl_n -action commutes w/ S_d -action.
 (b) gl_n and S_d have double centralizer property
 i.e. $\varphi(U(gl_n)) = \text{End}_{\varphi(S_d)}(\underbrace{V \otimes \dots \otimes V}_d)$
 $\varphi(S_d) = \text{End}_{\varphi(U(gl_n))}(\underbrace{V \otimes \dots \otimes V}_d)$

$$gl_n \overset{\uparrow}{\curvearrowright} \underbrace{V \otimes \dots \otimes V}_d \overset{\uparrow}{\curvearrowright} S_d$$

q-analog.

$$U_q(gl_n) \overset{\uparrow}{\curvearrowright} \underbrace{V \otimes \dots \otimes V}_d \overset{\uparrow}{\curvearrowright} \mathcal{H}_d^A \leftarrow \text{Hecke alg of type A}$$

natural repn of $U_q(gl_n)$
 $= \mathbb{Q}(q)^n$

Thm [Jimbo, 90]

$U_q(gl_n)$ and \mathcal{H}_d^A have double centralizer property.

Thm

- (a) \exists canonical & dual canon. basis on $U_q(gl_n)$
- (b) V and hence $V \otimes \dots \otimes V$
- (c) $\mathcal{H}_d^A \xrightarrow{\sim} V \otimes \dots \otimes V \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{O}_0$
 std basis \mapsto std basis \mapsto Verma
 KL basis \mapsto dual can. basis \mapsto simple
 dual KL basis \mapsto can. basis \mapsto Tilting

• 2-Schur duality [Bao-Wang 2013]

$$U_q(gl_n)$$

$$\downarrow U$$

$$U^L \overset{\uparrow}{\curvearrowright} V \otimes \dots \otimes V \overset{\uparrow}{\curvearrowright} \mathcal{H}_d^B$$

coideal subalg natural repn of U^L

Thm

- (a) U^L and \mathcal{H}_d^B have double centralizer property
- (b) \exists can. & dual can basis on U^L and hence $V \otimes \dots \otimes V$
- (c) $V \otimes \dots \otimes V \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_0$
 std \mapsto Verma
 dual can. \mapsto simple
 can. \mapsto Tilting

[new]

(d) generalize to cat \mathcal{O} of Lie superalgebra $osp(2m+1|2n)$.

Advanced topics

§1 Kac-Moody algebras

• $A \in M_{I \times I}(\mathbb{Z})$ is a GCM if

(G1) $a_{ii} = 2 \quad \forall i \in I$

(G2) $a_{ij} \in \mathbb{Z}_{\leq 0}$ if $i \neq j$

(G3) $a_{ij} = 0 \iff a_{ji} = 0$

• A is $\begin{cases} \text{finite} & \text{if } A \text{ is a CM} \\ \text{affine} & \text{if } \exists \vec{a} > 0 \text{ s.t. } A\vec{a} = 0 \\ \text{indefinite} & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

• A is a GCM \leadsto realization $(\mathfrak{g}, \Delta^\vee, \Delta)$ s.t.

(i) \mathfrak{g} is a \mathbb{C} -vector space

(ii) $\Delta^\vee \subseteq \mathfrak{g}$ has a basis $\{h_i\}_{i \in I}$

(iii) $\Delta \subseteq \mathfrak{g}^*$ has a basis $\{\alpha_i\}_{i \in I}$ s.t. $\alpha_j(h_i) = a_{ij}$

Fact

(1) Each realization \leadsto Lie algebra $\mathfrak{g}(A) = \langle e_i, f_i, \mathfrak{h} \rangle / \sim$

(2) $\exists!$ minimal realization (i.e. $\dim \mathfrak{g} = 2|I| - \text{rank}(A)$) up to isom.

\leadsto Kac-Moody alg $\mathfrak{g}(A) = \langle e_i, f_i, \mathfrak{h} \rangle / \sim$

§2 Affine Lie alg.

[Fact] Let A : affine, $I = \{0, 1, \dots, n\}$, $I_0 = \{1, \dots, n\}$

(1) $\text{rank } A = n \leadsto \dim \mathfrak{g} = n+2$

$\mathfrak{g} = \text{Span}_{\mathbb{C}} \{h_0, \dots, h_n, d\}$ where d is the scaling elt s.t. $d(\alpha_i) = \delta_{i,0}$

$\mathfrak{g}^* = \text{Span}_{\mathbb{C}} \{\alpha_0, \dots, \alpha_n, \omega_0\}$ where $\omega_i(h_j) = \delta_{ij}$ is the fund wt

$= \text{Span}_{\mathbb{C}} \{\omega_0, \dots, \omega_n, \delta\}$ $\delta = \sum_{i \in I} a_i \alpha_i$ is the basic img root (i.e. $(\delta, \delta) = 0$)

P.1 (2) affine Dynkin diagram

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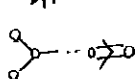
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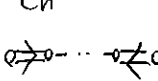
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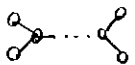
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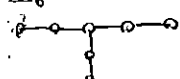
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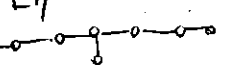
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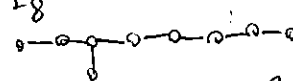
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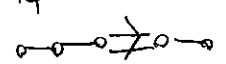
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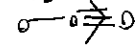
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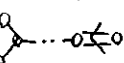


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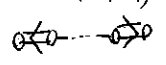
$\tilde{A}'_1 (A_2^{(2)})$



$\tilde{B}_n^t (A_{2n-1}^{(2)})$



$\tilde{C}_n^t (D_{n+1}^{(2)})$



$\tilde{C}'_n (A_{2n}^{(2)})$



$\tilde{F}_4^t (E_6^{(2)})$



$\tilde{G}_2^t (D_4^{(3)})$



(3) $\alpha \in \mathbb{Z}$ is real iff $(\alpha, \alpha) > 0$ iff $\alpha = \alpha_0 + k\delta$ i
imag iff $(\alpha, \alpha) \leq 0$ iff $\alpha = k\delta$
 \mathbb{Z}

$\mathbb{Z} = \mathbb{Z}_{\text{re}} \cup \mathbb{Z}_{\text{im}}$ has mult n

(4) $W = \langle S_\alpha \mid \alpha \in \mathbb{Z}_{\text{re}} \rangle = \langle S_{\alpha, m} \mid \alpha \in \mathbb{Z}_0, m \in \mathbb{Z} \rangle$
 where $S_{\alpha, m}(\lambda) = S_\alpha(\lambda) + m\lambda$

(5) (W, S) is a Coxeter sys with $S = \{S_{\alpha_1}, \dots, S_{\alpha_n}, S_{\alpha, 1}\}$

Fact

(1) For $\lambda \in \mathfrak{g}^*$, we can define $M(\lambda) \rightarrow L(\lambda)$

(2) If $\lambda \in \Lambda^+$ then [Weyl-Kac char. for]

$$\text{ch } L(\lambda) = \frac{\sum_{w \in W} (-1)^{\ell(w)} e(w \cdot \rho)}{\sum_{w \in W} (-1)^{\ell(w)} e(w \cdot 0)}$$

(3) [SLP] ✓

(4) [KL conj] ✓ by Casanova & Kasahara-Tanisaki

§3 Categorification

Defn 1. A catn is an assignment

object \mapsto category
map \mapsto functor
= \mapsto isomorphism
⋮
etc etc

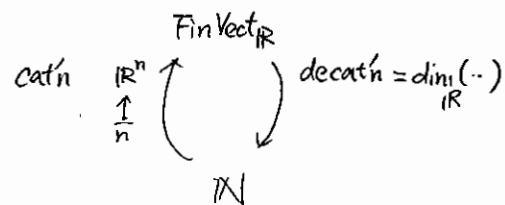
Example

$\mathbb{N} \rightarrow \text{FinVect}_{\mathbb{R}}$ \leadsto "FinVect_R categorifies \mathbb{N} "

$n \mapsto \mathbb{R}^n$ or "FinVect_R is a catn of \mathbb{N} "

$1+1=2 \mapsto \mathbb{R} \oplus \mathbb{R} \cong \mathbb{R}^2$ "FinVect_R = categorification of \mathbb{N} "

$2 \times 3 = 6 \mapsto \mathbb{R}^2 \otimes \mathbb{R}^3 \cong \mathbb{R}^6$



P.3

Recall: Euler formula $\chi(\square) = F - E + V = 2$

P.4

$$\leadsto \chi(X) = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i \dim H_i(X)$$

↑
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[Khovanov, 2000]

For each knot K , define Khovanov homology $Kh(K) = (Kh^i(K))_{i \in \mathbb{Z}}$

$$\leadsto \chi(Kh(K)) = \sum_{i \in \mathbb{Z}} (-1)^i \dim Kh^i(K) = (q + q^{-1}) J(K)$$

Jones' polyn.

Example

Khovanov homology
catn (complicated) $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{decatn} = \text{Euler char.} \\ \text{Jones polyn.} \end{array} \right.$

[Cor] Milnor conj, [Rasmussen, 2010]

Defn 2 Refine a new homology to understand structure.

Recall $\mathfrak{sl}_2(\mathbb{C}) = \langle e, f, h \rangle / \sim$

$$V = \mathfrak{sl}_2(\mathbb{C})\text{-mod} \leadsto V = \bigoplus_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} V_n \quad (\text{i.e. } v \in V_n \Leftrightarrow h \cdot v = nv)$$

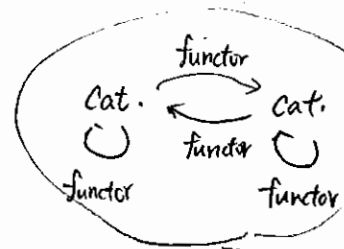
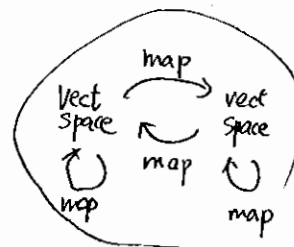
$$\cdots \xrightarrow{e} V_{n-2} \xrightarrow{e} V_n \xrightarrow{e} V_{n+2} \xrightarrow{e} \cdots$$

$\nwarrow f \quad \nearrow f \quad \nwarrow f \quad \nearrow f$
 $\quad \quad \quad \cup \quad \quad \cup \quad \quad \cup$
 $\quad \quad \quad h \quad \quad h \quad \quad h$

\Downarrow categorification

$$\cdots \xrightarrow{E} C_{n-2} \xrightarrow{E} C_n \xrightarrow{E} C_{n+2} \xrightarrow{E} \cdots$$

$\nwarrow F \quad \nearrow F \quad \nwarrow F \quad \nearrow F$
 $\quad \quad \quad \cup \quad \quad \cup \quad \quad \cup$
 $\quad \quad \quad \mathcal{A} \quad \quad \mathcal{A} \quad \quad \mathcal{A}$



$$[e, f] = h \leadsto ef = fe + h$$

$$\leadsto ef|_{V_n} = fe|_{V_n} + n$$

\Downarrow

$$E\mathbb{Z}|_{C_n} \cong E\mathbb{Z}|_{C_n} \oplus \underbrace{1_{C_n} \oplus \dots \oplus 1_{C_n}}_n$$

Example

(Naive cat'n)

$$\text{cat'n} \left(\begin{array}{c} \{C_n\}_n \\ \oplus V_n \end{array} \right) \text{decat'n} = \text{Grothendieck group } \mathcal{K}(-)$$

(Chuang-Rouquier's cat'n)

$$\text{cat'n} \left(\begin{array}{c} \{C_n\}_n, \text{extra data} \\ \oplus V_n \end{array} \right) \text{decat'n} = \text{Grothendieck group}$$

$q, a \in \mathbb{R}^x, x \in \text{End}(E), T \in \text{End}(E^2)$

Adjointness

nil affine Hecke rel'n

Conj [Brauer's conj.]

Recall $\mathbb{C}G_d$ is semisimple while $\overline{\mathbb{F}_p}G_d$ is NOT

\rightarrow blocks $\{B_i\} \leadsto$ defect group $D(B)$

If defect groups are isom. $(D(B_i) \cong D(B_j))$ then $B_i \cong B_j$? No

$\text{mod} \quad \text{mod} \Rightarrow D^b(B_i) = D^b(B_j)$
non mod

\leadsto Cyclotomic Hecke alg (Hecke alg of Cox rel'n grp $G(d, l, n)$)

Defn 3: Construct a "higher cat. \mathcal{C} s.t. $\mathcal{K}(\mathcal{C}) \cong \bigcirc$

P.5 Defn 4:

Given a $(n-1)$ -cat., and a decat'n: from n -cat.

A cat'n is the inverse for this decat'n.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & n\text{-cat.} & \\ \text{cat'n} \nearrow & & \searrow \text{decat'n} \\ & (n-1)\text{-cat.} & \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \dim(-) \\ \mathcal{K}(-) \\ \mathcal{K}(-) \end{array}$$