

WZ COUPLINGS FOR GENERALIZED SIGMA-ORBIFOLD FIXED-POINTS

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ABSTRACT

The Wess-Zumino couplings for generalized sigma-orbifold fixed-points are presented and the generalized GS 6-form that encoding the complete sigma-standard gauge-gravitational-non standard gauge anomaly and its opposite inflow is derived.

1 Introduction

The result that this paper presents is about WZ couplings for generalized sigma-orbifold fixed-points. The usual orbifold fixed-points do not involve any kind of gauge fields, the corresponding GS 6-form that encoding the complete gauge-gravitational anomaly and its opposite inflow only involves the standard gauge field of the D-branes. From the other side, the sigma-orbifold fixed-points have one sigma-gauge field and the corresponding GS 6-form that encoding the complete sigma-gauge-gravitational anomaly and its opposite inflow involves both the standard gauge field of the D-branes and such sigma-gauge field. The generalized sigma-orbifold fixed-points that this paper considers have two gauge fields: the sigma-gauge field and one non-standard $SO(2n)$ -gauge field, and then, the corresponding generalized GS 6-form that encoding the complete sigma-standard gauge-gravitational-non standard gauge anomaly and its opposite inflow, involves three gauge fields: the standard gauge field of the D-branes, the sigma-gauge field and the non-standard $SO(2n)$ -gauge field. The aim of the present paper is to display the Wess-Zumino couplings to the RR forms for such generalized sigma-orbifold fixed-points.

For the usual orbifold fixed-points the Wess-Zumino couplings have the following form, which can be derived both from index theorems and from direct string computation by factorization of the one-loop partition functions: (Scrucca and Serone, hep-th/9912108)

$$S_{Fk}^{(2k)} = \sqrt{2\pi} \sum_{i_k=1}^{N_k} C_{(2k)}^{i_k} \wedge Z_{(2k)}$$

Where the Mukai vector of RR charges for the usual orbifold fixed-points is given by:

$$Z_{(2k)}\left(\frac{R}{4}\right) = -\frac{4}{\sqrt{N}} \epsilon_k \sqrt{\frac{|c_k^1 c_k^2 c_k^3|}{|s_k^1 s_k^2 s_k^3|}} \sqrt{L\left(\frac{R}{4}\right)}$$

In these formulaes C is the vector of the RR potential forms. L is the Hirzebruch genus that generates the Hirzebruch polynomials which are given in terms of Pontryaguin classes for real bundles. The Pontryaguin classes are given in terms of the 2-form curvature of the corresponding real bundle. The formula for Z involves only the gravitational curvature. For each k -twisted sector, s and c are the vectors of sines and cosines respectively of the twist vector v , \blacksquare is the

sign of the product of the components of the vector s . N_f is the number of fixed points. Here the relevant group is \mathbb{Z}_N .

From the other side, for the usual sigma-orbifold fixed-points the Wess-Zumino couplings have the following form, which can be derived both from equivariant index theorems and from direct string computation by factorization of the one-loop partition functions: (Scrucca and Serone, hep-th/0006201)

$$S_F = \sqrt{2\pi} \sum_{k=1}^{\frac{1}{2}(N-1)} \sum_{i_k=1}^{N_k} \int C_{(2k)}^{i_k} \wedge Z_{(2k)}$$

where,

$$Z_{(2k)}\left(\frac{\mathbf{R}}{4}, \frac{\mathbf{G}}{4}\right) = -\frac{4}{\sqrt{N}} \epsilon_k \sqrt{\frac{|C_{2k}|}{|C_k^2|}} \sqrt{L_k\left(\frac{\mathbf{G}}{4} \epsilon_{2k}\right)} \sqrt{L\left(\frac{\mathbf{R}}{4}\right)}$$

For this case, L_k is the Hirzebruch equivariant factor, G is the sigma gauge field and C_k is the product of the components of the vector s .

In this paper is presented the formula for the WZ couplings of the generalized sigma-orbifold fixed-points which also have one additional $SO(2n)$ Yang-Mills gauge field. Such WZ coupling is given by the following formula:

$$S_F = \sqrt{2\pi} \sum_{k=1}^{\frac{1}{2}(N-1)} \sum_{i_k=1}^{N_k} \int C_{(2k)}^{i_k} \wedge Z_{(2k)}$$

where,

$$Z_{(2k)}(R, G, Y) = -\frac{4}{\sqrt{N}} \epsilon_k \sqrt{\frac{|C_{2k}|}{|C_k^2|}} \sqrt{\prod_{i=1}^3 \frac{\sin(\mathbf{p} \mathbf{k} \mathbf{v}_i)}{\sin(\mathbf{p} \mathbf{k} \mathbf{v}_i + \frac{\mathbf{G}_i}{4\mathbf{p}_i})}} \sqrt{A\left(\frac{\mathbf{R}}{2}\right) \prod_{a=1}^n \frac{\cos(\mathbf{p} \mathbf{k} \mathbf{u}_a + \frac{\mathbf{Y}_a}{4\mathbf{p}_i})}{\cos(\mathbf{p} \mathbf{k} \mathbf{u}_a)}}$$

In this last formula, the productory that involves the sines is the equivariant Dirac-roof factor, the productory that involves the cosines is the equivariant Mayer class, v is the twist vector corresponding to the action of the group \mathbb{Z}_N over the normal bundle with respect to space-time of the fixed submanifold, u is the twist vector corresponding to the action of the group \mathbb{Z}_N over the $SO(2n)$ bundle on the space-time, Y is the vector of eigenvalues of the 2-form curvature of the $SO(2n)$ bundle, A is the Dirac-roof genus for the tangent bundle of the fixed submanifold.

When the $SO(2n)$ bundle over the space-time is the tangent bundle of the space-time, one obtains the usual formula for Z corresponding to the usual sigma-orbifold fixed-points. For this, the equivariant Mayer class for the tangent bundle of the space-time is factorized as the product of the usual Mayer class for the tangent bundle of the fixed submanifold with the equivariant Mayer factor for the normal bundle of the fixed submanifold. In such case, the vector u is reduced to the vector v and the vector Y is reduced to the sum of the vector of eigenvalues for the 2-form curvature of the tangent bundle of fixed manifold, with the vector G . Finally one can use the following identity:

$$A\left(\frac{\mathbf{R}}{2}\right) Mayer\left(\frac{\mathbf{R}}{2}\right) = L\left(\frac{\mathbf{R}}{4}\right)$$

In the following section the generalized GS 6-form that encoding the complete sigma-standard gauge-gravitational-non standard gauge anomaly and its opposite inflow, will be given. In the final third section some conclusions are presented.

2 The generalized GS anomaly-inflow 6-form

Let E be a $SO(2n)$ -bundle over the space-time and consider a formal factorisation for the total Pontryaguin classs of the real bundle E , which has the following form:

$$p(E) = \prod_{a=1}^n (1 + y_a^2)$$

The total Pontryaguin classs of the real bundle E , has the following formal summarisation in terms of the corresponding Pontryaguin classes:

$$p(E) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} p_j(E)$$

The total Mayer class for the real bundle E has the following formal factorisation:

$$Mayer(E) = \prod_{a=1}^n \cosh(\frac{y_a}{2})$$

The total Mayer class for the real bundle E has the following formal summarisation in terms of the Mayer polynomials which are formed from the corresponding Pontryaguin classes :

$$Mayer(E) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} Mayer_j(p_1(E), \dots, p_j(E))$$

The Mayer polynomials are given by:

$$Mayer_0(p_0(E)) = Mayer_0(1) = 1$$

$$Mayer_1(p_1(E)) = \frac{p_1(E)}{8}$$

$$Mayer_2(p_1(E), p_2(E)) = \frac{p_1(E)^2 + 4p_2(E)}{384}$$

$$Mayer_3(p_1(E), p_2(E), p_3(E)) = \frac{p_1(E)^3 + 12p_1(E)p_2(E) + 48p_3(E)}{46080}$$

The pontryaguin classes of the real bundle E have the following realizations in terms of the powers of the 2-form curvature for such bundle. For this curvature the y 's are the eigenvalues:

$$p_1(E) = p_1(R_E) = -\frac{1}{8p_i^2} tr R_E^2$$

$$p_2(E) = p_2(R_E) = \frac{1}{16p_i^4} [\frac{1}{8}(tr R_E^2)^2 - \frac{1}{4} tr R_E^4]$$

$$p_3(E) = p_3(R_E) = \frac{1}{64p_i^6} [-\frac{1}{48}(tr R_E^2)^3 - \frac{1}{6} tr R_E^6 + \frac{1}{8} tr R_E^2 tr R_E^4]$$

Using all these expretions one can to obtain the following expantion:

$$Mayer(\frac{R_E}{2}) =$$

$$1 + \frac{p_1(R_E)}{32} + \frac{p_1(R_E)^2 + 4p_2(R_E)}{6144} + \frac{p_1(R_E)^3 + 12p_1(R_E)p_2(R_E) + 48p_3(R_E)}{2949120} + \dots$$

Now one has the following expantions:

$$A(\frac{R}{2}) = 1 - \frac{p_1(R)}{96} + \frac{7p_1(R)^2 - 4p_2(R)}{92160} + \dots$$

$$L\left(\frac{R}{4}\right) = 1 + \frac{p_1(R)}{48} + \frac{-p_1(R)^2 + 7p_2(R)}{11520} + \dots$$

Using these three expansions it is easy to obtain the following identities:

$$A\left(\frac{R}{2}\right)Mayer\left(\frac{R}{2}\right) = L\left(\frac{R}{4}\right)$$

$$A(R)Mayer(R) = L\left(\frac{R}{2}\right)$$

$$A(2R)Mayer(2R) = L(R)$$

$$A(2^q R)Mayer(2^q R) = L(2^{q-1} R)$$

$$[A(R)2^k Mayer(R)]_{topform} = L(R)_{topform}$$

Now, the group \mathbb{Z}_N can be thought to act like the automorphism group of the tangent bundle over space-time, of the standard gauge bundle and of the $SO(2n)$ -bundle E . For the normal bundle respect to the space-time of the fixed submanifold, the group \mathbb{Z}_N acts according to the twist vector v . For the $SO(2n)$ -bundle E over the space-time, the group \mathbb{Z}_N acts according to the twist vector u . Then, the equivariant Mayer class for E has the following factorization:

$$Mayer_k\left(\frac{Y}{2}\right) = \prod_{a=1}^n \frac{\cosh(ipiku_a + \frac{y_a}{4})}{\cosh(ipiku_a)}$$

When one defines:

$$y_a = \frac{iY_a}{pi}$$

one obtains:

$$Mayer_k\left(\frac{Y}{2}\right) = \prod_{a=1}^n \frac{\cos(piku_a + \frac{Y_a}{4pi})}{\cos(piku_a)}$$

When the ten dimensional space-time is of the form $X = R^{1,3}_x T^6$ and the fixed submanifold by the action of the group \mathbb{Z}_N is N_k copies of $R^{1,3}$, then the equivariant Dirac-roof factor has the following factorization, where the twist vector v corresponds to the action of the group \mathbb{Z}_N over the normal bundle with respect to the space-time of the fixed submanifold and G is the sigma gauge field:

$$A_k\left(\frac{G}{2}\right) = \prod_{i=1}^3 \frac{\sin(pikv_i + \frac{G_i}{4pi})}{\sin(pikv_i)}$$

Using all these notations, the Mukay vector of RR charges for the generalized sigma orbifold fixed-points can be written as follows:

$$Z_{(2k)}(R, G, Y) = -\frac{4}{\sqrt{N}} \epsilon_k \sqrt{\frac{|C_{2k}|}{|C_k^2|}} \sqrt{A_k\left(\frac{G}{2}\right)} \sqrt{A\left(\frac{R}{2}\right) Mayer_k\left(\frac{Y}{2}\right)}$$

For the particular case when the $SO(2n)$ gauge bundle E is the $SO(10)$ tangent bundle of the space-time X , the equivariant Mayer class for E has the following factorization, where x is the vector of eigenvalues of the 2-form curvatur R of the tangent bundle of the fixed submanifold:

$$Mayer_k\left(\frac{R_x}{2}\right) = \prod_{a=1}^5 \frac{\cos(piku_a + \frac{Y_a}{4pi})}{\cos(piku_a)} = \left(\prod_{i=1}^3 \frac{\cos(pikv_i + \frac{G_i}{4pi})}{\cos(pikv_i)}\right) \left(\prod_{j=1}^2 \cos\left(\frac{ipix_j}{4pi}\right)\right) = Mayer_k\left(\frac{G}{2}\right) Mayer\left(\frac{R}{2}\right)$$

Using this last factorization it is easy to obtain the usual formula for the Mukay vector of the usual sigma orbifold fixed-points:

$$\begin{aligned} Z_{(2k)}(R, G, Y) = & \\ -\frac{4}{\sqrt{N}}\epsilon_k \sqrt{\frac{|C_{2k}|}{|C_k^2|}} \sqrt{A_k(\frac{G}{2})} \sqrt{A(\frac{R}{2})} \text{Mayer}_k(\frac{G}{2}) \text{Mayer}(\frac{R}{2}) = & \\ -\frac{4}{\sqrt{N}}\epsilon_k \sqrt{\frac{|C_{2k}|}{|C_k^2|}} \sqrt{A_k(\frac{G}{2})} \text{Mayer}_k(\frac{G}{2}) \sqrt{A(\frac{R}{2})} \text{Mayer}(\frac{R}{2}) = & \\ -\frac{4}{\sqrt{N}}\epsilon_k \sqrt{\frac{|C_{2k}|}{|C_k^2|}} \sqrt{L_k(\frac{G}{4})} \sqrt{L(\frac{R}{4})} = Z_{(2k)}(\frac{R}{4}, \frac{G}{4}) & \end{aligned}$$

Here are used the following identities:

$$A(\frac{R}{2}) \text{Mayer}(\frac{R}{2}) = L(\frac{R}{4})$$

$$A_k(\frac{G}{2}) \text{Mayer}_k(\frac{G}{2}) = L_k(\frac{G}{4})$$

Now, the total generalized GS couplings can be obtained by summing the D-brane and generalized sigma orbifold fixed-points contributions. For the D-brane the relevant coupling has the following form (Scrucca and Serone, hep-th/0006201):

$$Y_{(2k)}(R, G, F) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \epsilon_{2k} \sqrt{\frac{1}{|C_{2k}|}} ch_{2k}(\epsilon_{2k} F) \sqrt{A_k(G\epsilon_k)} \sqrt{A(R)}$$

Defining the quantities $X_{(2k)} = Y_{(2k)} + Z_{(2k)}$, one has:

$$S_{GS} = \sqrt{2\pi} \sum_{k=1}^{\frac{1}{2}(N-1)} \sum_{i_k=1}^{N_k} \int C_{(2k)}^{i_k} \wedge X_{(2k)}$$

Using the explicit forms of the Mukay vectors of RR charges for the D-branes and generalized sigma orbifold fixed-points and the tadpole cancellation condition, one can check that the total RR charges $X_{(2k)}^{(0)}$ with respect to the RR 4-forms are zero, and the following results for the total RR charges $X_{(2k)}^{(2)}$ and $X_{(2k)}^{(4)}$ with respect to the RR 2-forms and the RR 0-forms are found:

$$\begin{aligned} X_{(2k)}^{(2)} = & \frac{1}{\sqrt{N} 2\pi N_k^{\frac{1}{4}}} [itr(\gamma_{2k} F) + \frac{1}{4} tr(\gamma_{2k}) (\sum_{i=1}^3 G_i tan(pikv_i) + \\ & \sum_{a=1}^n Y_a tan(piku_a))] \\ X_{(2k)}^{(4)} = & \epsilon_{2k} \frac{-1}{2\sqrt{N} (2\pi)^2 N_k^{\frac{1}{4}}} \{ tr(\gamma_{2k} F^2) - \frac{1}{64} tr(\gamma_{2k}) tr(R^2) + \\ & itr(\gamma_{2k} F) \sum_{i=1}^3 G_i cot(2pikv_i) - tr(\gamma_{2k}) [\sum_{i=1}^3 \frac{3}{16} G_i^2 tan^2(pikv_i) + \\ & \sum_{i \neq j=1}^3 \frac{\cos(2pikv_i) \cos(2pikv_j) - \cos^2(pikv_i) \cos^2(pikv_j)}{2 \sin(2pikv_i) \sin(2pikv_j)} G_i G_j + \\ & \sum_{a=1}^n \frac{Y_a^2 (2\cos^2(piku_a) + \sin^2(piku_a))}{16 \cos^2(piku_a)} - \sum_{a=1}^n \sum_{i=1}^3 \frac{\sin(piku_a) \cos(pikv_i)}{8 \cos(piku_a) \sin(pikv_i)} Y_a G_i - \\ & \sum_{a \neq b=1}^n \frac{\sin(piku_a) \sin(piku_b)}{8 \cos(piku_a) \cos(piku_b)} Y_a Y_b \} \end{aligned}$$

These results are generalizations of the equations (6.10) and (6.11) in hep-th/0006201. When the $SO(2n)$ bundle is the $SO(10)$ tangent bundle, the equations in this paper are reduced to the equations (6.10) and (6.11) in hep-th/0006201. For such case the vector u is reduced to the vector v and the vector Y is reduced to $G \oplus (i\pi x)$

Finally, one arrives at a very simple factorized expression for the 6-form that are encoding the complete sigma- standard gauge-gravitational-non standard gauge anomaly and its opposite inflow(Scrucca and Serone, hep-th/0006201):

$$A^{(6)} = I^{(6)} = i \sum_{k=1}^{\frac{1}{2}(N-1)} N_k X_{(2k)}^{(2)} \wedge X_{(2k)}^{(4)}$$

3 Conclutions

Using both Mayer class and equivariant Mayer class it is possible to write the WZ couplings for certain generalized sigma orbifold fixed-points. This involves a new non standard $SO(2n)$ gauge bundle. When such new bundle is the $SO(10)$ tangent bundle of the ten dimensional space-time of the superstrings theories, then one can to obtain the WZ couplings for the usual sigma orbifold fixed-points. Finally when the new WZ coupling for the such generalized sigma orbifold fixed-points is combined with the usual WZ coupling for the usual Dp-brane, on can to obtain the generalized 6 form that are encoding the complete anomaly and its opposite inflow.

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