

## 0.1 Lie groups

**Definition 0.1.1.** A **real Lie group**  $G$  is a group and a smooth manifold such that multiplication  $G \times G \rightarrow G$  and inverse  $G \rightarrow G$  are smooth

A **complex Lie group** is a group and complex manifold such that multiplication and inverse are holomorphic

a Lie subgroup  $H$  is a subgroup and an immersed submanifold

**Definition 0.1.2.** Left multiplication  $L_g$  by  $g$  is an isomorphism, a vector field  $X$  on  $G$  is called **left invariant** if  $(L_g)_*X = X$ , by Exercise ??,  $[X, Y]$  is also left invariant since  $(L_g)_*[X, Y] = [(L_g)_*X, (L_g)_*Y] = [X, Y]$

Define **Lie algebra of  $G$**  to be left invariant vector fields. Equivalently,  $T_1G$

If  $\phi : G \rightarrow H$  is a homomorphism of Lie groups, then  $d\phi : \text{Lie}(G) \rightarrow \text{Lie}(H)$  or  $(d\phi)_1 : T_1G \rightarrow T_1H$  is an homomorphism of Lie algebras

Suppose  $H \leq G$  is a Lie subgroup, then  $\text{Lie}(H) = T_1H \leq T_1G$

**Proposition 0.1.3.** Lie groups are parallelizable

*Proof.* For any  $0 \neq X_1 \in T_1G$ , we can define a vector field  $X_g = (L_g)_1X_1$ , this is a nonvanishing global section of the tangent bundle,  $G$  is parallelizable  $\square$

**Definition 0.1.4.** A Lie group representation  $(\rho, V)$  is a Lie group homomorphism  $\rho : G \rightarrow GL(V)$

**Proposition 0.1.5.** Let  $V$  be a complex vector space,  $(\pi, V)$  be a Lie group representation of a compact Lie group  $G$ , then there exists a positive definite Hermitian form such that  $(\pi, V)$  is unitary

*Proof.* Choose any positive definite Hermitian form  $\langle, \rangle$ , define Hermitian form

$$(v, w) := \int_G \langle \pi(g)v, \pi(g)w \rangle d\mu$$

Where  $\mu$  is the Haar measure with  $\int_G d\mu = 1$ , integrals make sense since  $G$  is compact, then  $(,)$  is  $G$  left invariant  $\square$

**Definition 0.1.6.** Lie group  $G$  acts on smooth manifold  $M$ ,  $G_p$  is the stablizer of  $p$ . The **isotropy representation** is  $G_p \rightarrow GL(T_pM)$ ,  $g \mapsto d_pg$

## 0.2 Exponential map

**Lemma 0.2.1.** The exponential map  $e^A = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{A^k}{k!}$  is defined on  $M_n(\mathbb{C})$  and logarithmic map  $\log A = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{k+1}(A-I)^k}{k}$  are defined on  $|A-I| < 1$  and there inverses to each other locally, moreover, the exponential map is surjective onto  $GL(n, \mathbb{C})$

**Remark 0.2.2.** Note that this also holds for a Banach algebra  $A$

*Proof.* Just compare the coefficients of multiplication of series □

$$AV \leq V \iff e^t AV \leq V$$

**Lemma 0.2.3.** Let  $e^{tA}$  be a one parameter subgroup, then  $V \leq \mathbb{R}^n$  is invariant under  $A$  iff invariant under  $e^{tA}, \forall t$ , in particular,  $Av = 0$  iff  $e^{tA}v = 0, \forall t$

*Proof.* If  $AV \subseteq V$ , then  $e^{tA}V = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} t^k \frac{A^k}{k!} V \subseteq V$

If  $e^{tA}V \subseteq V, \forall t$ , since  $V$  is closed,  $\left. \frac{d}{dt} \right|_{t=0} e^{tA}V = AV \subseteq V$  □

**Proposition 0.2.4.** Observe that  $v'(t) = Av(t)$  with  $v(0) = v_0$  has the solution  $v(t) = e^{tA}v_0$ . Consider  $V_m$  to be the vector space of homogeneous polynomials in  $n$  variables of degree  $m$ , define group action of  $GL(n, \mathbb{C})$  on  $V_m$ ,  $g \cdot f(x) := f(g^{-1}x)$ , consider  $v(t) = e^{tA} \cdot f := f(e^{-tA}x)$ , then  $v'(t) = \left. \frac{d}{dt} \right|_{t=0} f(e^{-tA}x) =: D_A f$ , where  $D_A$  is a linear differential operator  $V_m \rightarrow V_m$  by Lemma 0.2.3, then we should have  $f(e^{-tA}x) = v(t) = e^{tD_A}f$ , therefore we would get  $D_A = -A^T$ , and it will be easy to check that  $D_{[A,B]} = [D_A, D_B]$

*Proof.* If we denote  $g = (g_{ij}) \in GL(n, \mathbb{C})$ ,  $f(x) = \sum_{i_1, \dots, i_n} C_{i_1, \dots, i_n} x_1^{i_1} \cdots x_n^{i_n}$ , then  $f(g^{-1}x) = \sum_{i_1, \dots, i_n} C_{i_1, \dots, i_n} (g_{11}x_1 + \cdots + g_{1n}x_n)^{i_1} \cdots (g_{n1}x_1 + \cdots + g_{nn}x_n)^{i_n}$  is still a homogeneous polynomial in  $n$  variables of degree  $m$ . Denote  $A = (a_{ij})$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \left. \frac{d}{dt} \right|_{t=0} f(e^{-tA}x) &= \nabla f(x) \cdot \left. \frac{d}{dt} \right|_{t=0} e^{-tA}x \\ &= -\nabla f(x) \cdot Ax \\ &= -\sum_{i,j} a_{ij} x_j \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i} \\ &= \left( -\sum_{i,j} a_{ij} x_j \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \right) f \\ &= (-\nabla^T A x) f \\ &= D_A f \end{aligned}$$

In particular,  $D_A x_i = -\sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j$ , thus  $D_A$  has matrix  $-A^T$  with respect to  $x_1, \dots, x_n$ , basis of  $V_1$  □

**Example 0.2.5.** Consider Lie group  $SL(2, \mathbb{C})$  whose Lie algebra is  $\mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{C})$ , which is generated by  $H = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}, X = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, Y = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ , thus  $D_H = -x_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x_1} + x_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x_2}, D_X = -x_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x_1}, D_Y = -x_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x_2}$

**Definition 0.2.6.** Let  $G$  be a (Lie) group, then a 1-parameter subgroup means a (smooth) group homomorphism  $\phi : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow G$ ,  $\phi(s+t) = \phi(s)\phi(t)$

Lie group homomorphism induce Lie algebra homomorphism

**Proposition 0.2.7.** Let  $\phi : G \rightarrow H$  be a homomorphism of Lie groups, then  $d\phi : \text{Lie}(G) \rightarrow \text{Lie}(H)$  or  $(d\phi)_1 : T_1G \rightarrow T_1H$  is an homomorphism of Lie algebras

*Proof.* Suppose  $X$  is a left invariant vector field on  $G$ , then  $(d\phi)_g X_g = (d\phi)_g (dL_g)_1 X_1(f) = X_1(f \circ \phi \circ L_g) = X_1(f \circ \phi \circ L_g) = (dL_{\phi(g)})_1 (d\phi)_1 X_1(f)$  which gives a left invariant vector field, thus using Lemma ??

$$\begin{aligned} (d\phi)[X, Y](f) &= [X, Y](f \circ \phi) \\ &= X(Y(f \circ \phi)) - Y(X(f \circ \phi)) \\ &= X(((d\phi Y)f) \circ \phi) - Y(((d\phi X)f) \circ \phi) \\ &= ((d\phi X)(d\phi Y)f) \circ \phi - ((d\phi Y)(d\phi X)f) \circ \phi \\ &= ([d\phi X, d\phi Y]f) \circ \phi \end{aligned}$$

Therefore  $(d\phi)[X, Y] = [(d\phi X), (d\phi Y)]$ ,  $d\phi$  is a Lie algebra homomorphism  $\square$

**Proposition 0.2.8.** One parameter subgroups are precisely the maximal integral curves of the left invariant vector fields starting at 1

**Remark 0.2.9.** There is a one to one correspondence,  $\{\text{One parameter subgroups of } G\} \leftrightarrow \text{Lie}(G) \leftrightarrow T_1G$

*Proof.* Suppose  $\phi : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow G$  is a one parameter subgroup, let  $X_1 = \phi'(0)$ , then we have a left invariant vector field  $X$  on  $G$ , think of  $\frac{\partial}{\partial t}$  as a left invariant vector field on  $\mathbb{R}$ , thus  $\phi$  as Lie group homomorphism induces  $(d\phi) \frac{\partial}{\partial t}$  which is also a left invariant vector field and  $\phi'(s) = (d\phi)_s \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \Big|_s = X_{\phi(s)}$  as in Proposition 0.2.7

Conversely, if  $\phi : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow G$  is the maximal integral curve of some left invariant vector field  $X$ , suppose the global flow generated by  $X$  is  $\varphi : G \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow G$ , then  $\varphi(1, t) = \phi(t)$ ,  $\phi(t+s) = \varphi(1, t+s) = \varphi(\varphi(1, t), s) = \varphi(\phi(t), s)$ , since  $L_{\phi(t)}$  is an isomorphism, thus  $L_{\phi(t)} \circ \phi$  is the maximal integral curve starting at  $\phi(t)$ , thus  $\varphi(\phi(t), s) = \phi(t)\phi(s)$   $\square$

**Definition 0.2.10.** For any  $A \in T_1G$ , define the exponential map  $\exp A := \phi_A(1)$  where  $\phi_A : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow G$  is the one parameter subgroup corresponding to  $A$ , also it is easy to see that  $\exp tA := \phi_{tA}(1) = \phi_A(t)$  which is a scaling of the integral curve, and  $\exp(t+s)A = \exp tA \exp sA$  since  $\exp tA$  is a one parameter subgroup, and thus  $(\exp A)^{-1} = \exp(-A)$

**Proposition 0.2.11. (Properties of exponential map)** <sup>Properties of exponential map</sup>

Let  $G, H$  be Lie groups with Lie algebras  $\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{h}$

(a) The exponential map is a smooth map

(b)  $(d\exp)_0 : \mathfrak{g} \cong T_0\mathfrak{g} \rightarrow T_1G \cong \mathfrak{g}$  is the identity map, which implies that the exponential map is a local diffeomorphism around 0

(c) Suppose  $\phi : G \rightarrow H$  is a Lie group homomorphism, then the following diagram commutes

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathfrak{g} & \xrightarrow{(d\phi)_1} & \mathfrak{h} \\ \downarrow \exp & & \downarrow \exp \\ G & \xrightarrow{\phi} & H \end{array}$$

*Proof.*

(a)

(b) For any  $A \in \mathfrak{g}$ , consider  $\gamma : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow G, t \mapsto tA$  which is a one parameter subgroup of  $\mathfrak{g}$ , thus  $A = \gamma'(0) \in T_0\mathfrak{g}$ , and  $\exp A = \gamma(1) = A$

(c) Define  $\gamma(t) = \phi(\exp tA)$  which is a one parameter subgroup of  $H$  since  $\gamma(t+s) = \phi(\exp(t+s)A) = \phi(\exp tA \exp sA) = \phi(\exp tA)\phi(\exp sA) = \gamma(t)\gamma(s)$ , then  $\gamma'(0) = \left. \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \right|_{t=0} \phi(\exp tA) = (d\phi)_1 \left. \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \right|_{t=0} \exp tA = (d\phi)_1 A$ , on the other hand,  $\exp(t(d\phi)_1 A)$  is one parameter subgroup of  $H$  corresponds to  $(d\phi)_1 A = \gamma'(0)$ , thus  $\exp(t(d\phi)_1 A) = \gamma(t) = \phi(\exp tA)$   $\square$

**Proposition 0.2.12.** Let  $G$  be a Lie group and  $H \leq G$  a Lie subgroup, then  $\text{Lie}(H) = \{A \in \text{Lie}(G) \mid \exp tA \in H, \forall t \in \mathbb{R}\}$