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# TUTORIAL 1

1. Suppose  $V$  is a vector space over  $\mathbb{K} = \mathbb{R}$  or  $\mathbb{C}$ .

$$GL(V) = \{\text{linear isomorphisms } V \rightarrow V\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Its Lie algebra is } \mathfrak{gl}(V) &= \{\text{linear maps } V \rightarrow V\} \\ &= V^* \otimes V \end{aligned}$$

with Lie bracket the commutator of endomorphisms of  $V$ :

$$[X, Y] = \underset{\uparrow}{X \circ Y} - Y \circ X \quad \forall X, Y \in \mathfrak{gl}(V).$$

Via choice of basis for  $V$  :  $GL(V) \simeq GL(n, \mathbb{K})$   
 $\mathfrak{gl}(V) \simeq \mathfrak{gl}(n, \mathbb{K})$

$[ , ] =$  commutator of matrices.

Many Lie groups arise as Lie subgroups of  $GL(V)$  consisting of linear isomorphisms of  $V$  preserving some additional geometric structure on  $V$ .

- Suppose  $V$  is a real vector space.

Fix an orientation on  $V$ .

$$GL_+(V) = \{ A \in GL(V) : A \text{ is orientation preserving} \}.$$

Via choice of basis of  $V$ :  $GL_+(V) = GL_+(n, \mathbb{R}) =$   
 $\mathbb{R}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \{ A \in GL(n, \mathbb{R}) : A \text{ preserves standard orientation on } \mathbb{R}^n \} \\ &= \{ A \in GL(n, \mathbb{R}) : \det(A) > 0 \}. \end{aligned}$$

$GL(V) \cong GL(n, \mathbb{R})$  has two connected components  
and  $GL_+(V) = (GL(V))_0$ .

If we fix not only an orientation but a volume form  
 $\omega \in \wedge^n V^*$  on  $V$ ,

$$SL(V) = \{ A \in GL(V) : A \text{ preserves } \omega \} \subseteq GL_+(V)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 SL(V) &\simeq SL(n, \mathbb{R}) = \left\{ A \in GL(n, \mathbb{R}) : A \text{ preserves} \right. \\
 &\quad \left. \text{standard volume form on } \mathbb{R}^n \right\} \\
 &\quad \left( \lambda_1 \cdots \lambda_n, \text{ where } \{\lambda_i\} \text{ is dual} \right. \\
 &\quad \left. \text{basis to the standard basis} \right) \\
 &= \left\{ A \in GL(n, \mathbb{R}) : \det(A) = 1 \right\}.
 \end{aligned}$$

• Lie group,  $\det(AB) = \det(A) \det(B)$ .

•  $SL(n, \mathbb{R}) = f^{-1}(0)$       $f = \det - 1 : GL(n, \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$   
 $C^\infty$  and regular.

$T_{Id} f = T_{Id} \det$       $\Rightarrow SL(n, \mathbb{R}) \subseteq GL(n, \mathbb{R}) \subseteq M_n(\mathbb{R})$   
 $\nearrow = \text{tr} : \mathfrak{gl}(n, \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a subalgebra.

$$\implies \mathfrak{sl}(n, \mathbb{R}) = \ker(\text{Tr}) = \{X \in \mathfrak{gl}(n, \mathbb{R}) : \text{tr}(X) = 0\}.$$

$$\dim(\mathfrak{sl}(n, \mathbb{R})) = \dim(\mathfrak{gl}(n, \mathbb{R})) - 1 = n^2 - 1.$$

For a complex vector space  $V$  fix a complex volume form  $\omega$  giving rise to the standard orientation on  $V$ .

$$GL(V) \cong GL(n, \mathbb{C}) \subseteq \mathbb{C}^{n^2} \text{ open subset.}$$

$$GL(n, \mathbb{C}) \text{ is connected} \quad : \quad \det_{\mathbb{C}} : GL(n, \mathbb{C}) \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$$

$$SL(V) = \{A \in GL(V) : A \text{ preserves } \omega\} \\ \cong \{A \in GL(n, \mathbb{C}) : \det_{\mathbb{C}}(A) = 1\}.$$

$\uparrow$   
connected.

It is a complex Lie subgroup, since  $f = \det_C - 1$  is

$$\text{Lie}_{\mathbb{C}} \text{SL}(n, \mathbb{C}) = T_{\text{id}} \text{SL}(n, \mathbb{C})$$

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$$\{X \in \mathfrak{gl}(n, \mathbb{C}) : \text{tr}(X) = 0\}.$$

$$\dim_{\mathbb{C}} (\text{SL}(n, \mathbb{C})) = n^2 - 1$$

$$\dim_{\mathbb{R}} (\text{SL}(n, \mathbb{C})) = 2n^2 - 2.$$

- $V$  is a real vector space. Equip it with a non-degenerate symmetric bilinear form  $b: V \times V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  of signature  $(p, q)$  ( $\dim(V) = p + q =: n$ ).

$$O(V, b) = \{ A \in GL(V) : \underline{b(Av, Aw) = b(v, w) \quad \forall v, w \in V} \}.$$

Up to isomorphism,  $\exists$  a unique such bilinear form of sign.  $(p, q)$  on  $V$ , hence we can find an identification

$$O(V, b) = O(\mathbb{R}^n, \underset{\uparrow}{\langle, \rangle}) =: \underline{O(p, q)}$$

where  $\langle x, y \rangle := x^t \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} I_p & \\ & -I_q \end{pmatrix}}_{I_{p, q}} y$  is the standard inner product of  $\mathbb{R}^n$  of signature  $(p, q)$ .

$$O(p, q) = \{ A \in GL(n, \mathbb{R}) : A^t I_{p, q} A = I_{p, q} \}.$$

$$\parallel$$

$$f^{-1}(0)$$

$$f(A) = A^t I_{p, q} A - I_{p, q} \quad \text{Co-ker.}$$



$$\underline{f: \mathfrak{gl}(n, \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow M_n^{\text{sym}}(\mathbb{R}) \longleftarrow}$$

$$T_A f(X) = \left. \frac{d}{dt} \right|_{t=0} f(A+tX) = \underline{X^t \Gamma_{r,q} A + A^t \Gamma_{r,q} X}.$$

$$S \in M_n^{\text{sym}}(\mathbb{R}) \quad X = \frac{1}{2} A \Gamma_{r,q} S \quad T_A f(X) = S.$$

$\Rightarrow \mathcal{O}(r, q) \subseteq M_n(\mathbb{R})$  is a subalgebra.

$$\mathcal{O}(r, q) := \ker(T_{\text{id}} f) = \left\{ X \in \mathfrak{gl}(n, \mathbb{R}) : \underline{X^t \Gamma_{r,q}^\downarrow + \Gamma_{r,q} X = 0} \right\}$$

$$q=0 \quad : \quad \mathcal{O}(n) := \mathcal{O}(n, 0) = \left\{ X \in \mathfrak{gl}(n, \mathbb{R}) : \underline{X^t = -X} \right\}$$

$$\dim(\mathcal{O}(r, q)) = \underline{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}}.$$

$$A^t I_{r,q} A = I_{r,q} \implies \det(A^t) \det(I_{r,q}) \det(A) = \det(I_{r,q})$$

$$\iff \det(A)^2 = 1$$

$$\iff \underline{\det(A) = \pm 1}$$

$$SO(p,q) = O(p,q) \cap SL(n, \mathbb{R}) = O(p,q) \cap GL_+(n, \mathbb{R})$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \underline{O_0(p,q)} \subset SO(p,q) \subseteq O(p,q) \\ \uparrow \\ \text{has two connected components} \end{array} \implies \begin{array}{l} \underline{so(p,q)} = \underline{o(p,q)} \\ so(u) = o(u) \end{array}$$

$$\text{For } q=0 : O_0(n) = SO(n)$$

$\therefore V$  is a complex vector space, then  $\exists$  up to isomorphism only one non-degenerate symmetric bilinear form

$$b: V \times V \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \quad \text{on } V.$$

(no signature over  $\mathbb{C}$ !).

$$(V, b) \simeq (\mathbb{C}^n, \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle)$$

$\uparrow$  standard inner product  $\langle x, y \rangle = x^t y$

$$O(n, \mathbb{C}) = \{ A \in GL(n, \mathbb{C}) : A^t = A^{-1} \}$$

$$\cong \sigma(n, \mathbb{C}) = \{ X \in \mathfrak{gl}(n, \mathbb{C}) : X^t = -X \}$$

$$\underline{SO(n, \mathbb{C})} = \underline{O_0(n, \mathbb{C})}$$

complex  
lie groups  
of complex dim.  $\frac{n(n-1)}{2}$

$V$  is complex vector space ..

and let  $b : V \times V \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  be a Hermitian inner product of signature  $(r, q)$

( $\cdot$   $b$  is non-degenerate  $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$ )

$$\cdot b(\lambda v, w) = \lambda b(v, w)$$

$$b(v, \lambda w) = \lambda b(v, w)$$

$$b(v, w) = \overline{b(w, v)} .$$

$$U(V, b) = \left\{ A \in GL(V) : \begin{aligned} \langle Av, Aw \rangle \\ = \langle v, w \rangle \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$\exists$  up to isomorphism only one such  $b$ ,

hence we can find an identification

$$U(V, b) = : U(r, q) = \left\{ A \in GL(n, \mathbb{C}) : \begin{aligned} \langle Av, Aw \rangle = \langle v, w \rangle \\ \forall v, w \in \mathbb{C}^n \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$$\approx \{ A \in GL(n, \mathbb{C}) : \underline{\bar{A}^t I_{p,q} A = I_{p,q}} \}$$

where  $\langle v, w \rangle = \bar{v}^t I_{p,q} w$  is the standard ~~inner~~  
Hermitian inner product of signature  $(p, q)$ .

$$U(n) := U(n, 0) = \{ A \in GL(n, \mathbb{C}) : \bar{A}^t = A^{-1} \}$$

$$n=1 \quad U(1) = \{ \alpha \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\} : \bar{\alpha} \alpha = 1 \} = \{ \alpha \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\} : |\alpha|^2 = 1 \}$$

$$= S^1$$

= circle group.

$$U(r, q) = f^{-1}(0) \quad f: GL(n, \mathbb{C}) \rightarrow \underline{W} = \{x \in \mathfrak{gl}(n, \mathbb{C}) : \bar{x}^t = x\}$$

$$f(A) = \bar{A}^t \Gamma_{r, q} A - \Gamma_{r, q}$$

smooth and regular.

$$T_A f(x) = \left. \frac{d}{dt} \right|_{t=0} f(A + tx) = \bar{A}^t \Gamma_{r, q} x + \bar{x}^t \Gamma_{r, q} A.$$

$\Rightarrow U(r, q) \subseteq \mathbb{C}^{n^2}$  is a real submfld.

$$\text{and } u(r, q) = T_{id} U(r, q) = \left\{ x \in \mathfrak{gl}(n, \mathbb{C}) : \Gamma_{r, q} x + \bar{x}^t \Gamma_{r, q} = 0 \right\}$$

$$u(n) = \left\{ x \in \mathfrak{gl}(n, \mathbb{C}) : \underline{x = -\bar{x}^t} \right\}.$$

$$\dim(U(r, q)) = n^2 \rightarrow \underline{n(n-1)} + n. \quad \cancel{x \in u(n)} \quad \cancel{u \in \mathbb{C}}$$

Note  $u(n)$  is not a complex vector space since:

$$X \in u(n), \alpha \in \mathbb{C} \quad : \quad \overline{\alpha X}^t = \overline{\alpha} \overline{X}^t = -\overline{\alpha} X \\ \neq -\alpha X$$

( $U(n, \mathbb{R})$  is only a real Lie subgroup  
of  $(GL(n, \mathbb{C}) \mid \circ)$ ).

unless  $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ .

$U(2)$  has Lie algebra

$$u(2) = \{ X \in gl(2, \mathbb{C}) : X = -\overline{X}^t \} \\ = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} ix & a+ib \\ a+ib & iy \end{pmatrix} : x, y, a, b \in \mathbb{R} \right\},$$

Pauli matrices :

$$\sigma_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \sigma_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \sigma_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \sigma_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\{ \underline{i\sigma_0}, \underline{i\sigma_1}, \underline{i\sigma_2}, \underline{i\sigma_3} \}$  is a basis of the real vector space  $\mathfrak{u}(2)$ .

$$\begin{pmatrix} ix & a+ib \\ -a+ib & iy \end{pmatrix} = \frac{x+y}{2} i\sigma_0 + b i\sigma_1 + a i\sigma_2 + \frac{x-y}{2} i\sigma_3.$$

Remark :  $\sigma_0, \dots, \sigma_3$  form complex basis of  $\mathfrak{gl}(2, \mathbb{C})$ .



For  $A \in U(p, q)$  we have  $\det_{\mathbb{C}}(A) \underbrace{\det_{\mathbb{C}}(\bar{A}^t)}_{\det_{\mathbb{C}}(A)} = 1$

$\implies | \det_{\mathbb{C}}(A) |^2 = 1$

$\det_{\mathbb{C}} : U(p, q) \rightarrow U(1) \leftarrow$

$\implies SU(p, q) = \{ A \in U(p, q) : \det_{\mathbb{C}}(A) = 1 \}$

is a real Lie ~~sub~~ group of dim  $n^2 - 1$ .

$su(p, q) = \{ X \in \mathfrak{gl}(n, \mathbb{C}) : I_{p, q} X = -\bar{X}^t I_{p, q}, \text{tr}(X) = 0 \}$

•  $V$  vector space over  $\mathbb{K} = \mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}$ .

$\exists$  a unique upto isomorphism symplectic structure

on  $V$  (i.e.,  $\omega_V: V \times V \rightarrow \mathbb{K}$  non-deg., skew-symm. sym bilinear form).

We can identify,  $(V, \omega_V) \simeq (\mathbb{K}^{2n}, \omega)$

$\omega(x, y) = x^t J_n y$ .  $\uparrow$  standard symplectic form.

$Sp(2n, \mathbb{K}) = \{ A \in GL(2n, \mathbb{K}) : \omega(Ax, Ay) = \omega(x, y) \forall x, y \in \mathbb{K}^{2n} \}$   
 $= \{ A \in GL(2n, \mathbb{K}), \underline{A^t J_n A = J_n} \}$ .

$f(A) = A^t J_n A - J_n$        $f(A)^t = -f(A)$

$\Rightarrow Sp(2n, \mathbb{K})$  is a real (complex) Lie group

and  $\mathfrak{sp}(2n, \mathbb{K}) = \ker(\tau_{\text{idf}}) = \{ X \in \mathfrak{gl}(2n, \mathbb{K})$

$$, J_n X + X^t J_n = 0 \}$$

$$\dim_{\mathbb{K}}(\mathfrak{sp}(2n, \mathbb{K})) = 2n^2 + n$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ C & -A^t \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} B = B^t \\ C = C^t \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} U(n) &= O(2n) \cap GL(n, \mathbb{C}) \cap Sp(2n, \mathbb{R}) \\ &= O(2n) \cap GL(n, \mathbb{C}) = O(2n) \cap Sp(2n, \mathbb{R}) \\ &= GL(n, \mathbb{C}) \cap Sp(2n, \mathbb{R}) \end{aligned}$$

$\rightarrow$  Kähler manifold.

2.  $G$  Lie group

$$\textcircled{1} \quad R_x = \nu^* L_{-x} \quad \forall x \in \mathfrak{g}.$$

$$(gh)^{-1} = g^{-1}h^{-1} \iff \nu \circ \rho^h = \underbrace{\lambda_{h^{-1}} \circ \nu}$$

If  $\zeta \in \mathfrak{X}_L(G)$ , then  $\underline{\nu^* \zeta} \in \mathfrak{X}_R(G)$ .

$$\underline{(\rho^h)^* \nu^* \zeta} = \underline{(\nu \circ \rho^h)^* \zeta} = \underline{(\lambda_{h^{-1}} \circ \nu)^* \zeta} = \underline{\nu^* \lambda_{h^{-1}}^* \zeta} = \underline{\nu^* \zeta}$$

$\forall h \in G$ .

$$\nu^* \zeta(e) = (\tau_e \nu)^{-1} \zeta(e) = -\zeta(e) \quad \mathbb{R} \zeta = L_{\zeta(e)}$$

(2) follows from (1)

$$[L_x, L_y] = L_{[x, y]}$$

$$\begin{aligned} [R_x, R_y] &= [v^* L_{-x}, v^* L_{-y}] = v^* [L_{-x}, L_{-y}] \\ &= v^* (L_{[x, y]}) = -R_{[x, y]}. \end{aligned}$$

(3)  $(0, L_x)$  is a vector field on  $G \times G$

which is  $\mu$ -related to  $L_x$ .  $\begin{matrix} T_e \\ \parallel \\ T_h \end{matrix} \downarrow_h X$

$$\left( T_{(g, h)} \mu \right)^* (0_g, L_x(h)) = T_h \downarrow_g L_x(h) = T_e \left( \downarrow_{gh} \right) X$$

Similarly, for  $(R_y, 0)$  and  $R_y$ .  $= L_x(gh)$ .

$\implies 0 = \underline{[(0, L_x), (R_y, 0)]}$  is  $\mu$ -related to  
 $[L_x, R_y]$

Since  $\mu$  is surjective, this shows  $[L_x, R_y](g) = 0$   
 $\forall g \in G$ .