

## Aleksseev@FI: Double (Poisson) Brackets, 1

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Idea: Define poisson structures in a non-commutative context

[van den Bergh, Crawley-Boevey, Etingof, Ginzburg, Kontsevich]

Consider families of (commutative) poisson mfd's with poisson structures and functions of a very special type.

Lecture 1 Poisson brackets on matrix spaces & moment maps.

Lecture 2 Double brackets of free algebras.

Lecture 3 Examples: nontrivial double brackets (no quivers)

• Goldman brackets & upgrades

( $\pi, (\Sigma)$ , moduli of flat connections)

Lecture 4 • Knizhnik-Zamolodchikov connection

• Hitchin's theorem

• non-commutative integrability

Recall Poisson mfd's:  $A = \mathcal{C}^\infty(M)$

$\{ \}_: A \otimes A \rightarrow A$  s.t.

derivation:  $\{fg, h\} = \dots$

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+ skew symmetry + Jacobi.

E.g.:  $M = \mathbb{R}_{x,y}^2$      $\{f, g\} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial g}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial g}{\partial x}$

$\leadsto$  bivector  $\partial_x \wedge \partial_y = \pi$

Example 2     $M = \text{Mat}_{N \times N} \times \text{Mat}_{N \times N}$      $\left( \begin{array}{l} \text{over } \mathbb{K} \\ \text{or} \\ \text{another} \\ \text{char } 0 \\ \text{field} \end{array} \right)$

$X \quad Y$

bivector:

$$\pi = \sum \frac{\partial}{\partial X_{ij}} \wedge \frac{\partial}{\partial Y_{ji}}$$

or

$$\{X_{ij}, X_{kl}\} = 0 = \{Y_{ij}, Y_{kl}\}$$

$$\{X_{ij}, Y_{kl}\} = \delta_{il} \delta_{kj}$$

Notation     $(\partial_x)_{ij} = \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial X_{ji}} \right)$

so  $\pi = \sum (\partial_x)_{ij} \wedge (\partial_y)_{ij} = \text{Tr}(\partial_x \wedge \partial_y)$   
 $= -\text{Tr}(\partial_y \wedge \partial_x)$

This formula "hides"  $N$ .

Example of a f.d. Lie algebra w/ basis

$$\{\tilde{z}_i\}, \quad [\tilde{z}_i, \tilde{z}_j] = \sum_k C_{ij}^k \tilde{z}_k$$

$\mathfrak{g}^*$  is poisson by

$\xi \in \mathfrak{g} \rightsquigarrow f_\xi(x) = \langle x, \xi \rangle$  a function on  $\mathfrak{g}^*$

$\Pi_{KKS}$  is uniquely defined by the property  
 Kirillov-Kostant-Souriau

$$\{f_\xi, f_\eta\} = f_{[\xi, \eta]}$$

using basis, w/  $x_i = f_{\xi_i}$ , get

$$\{x_i, x_j\} = \sum c_{ij}^k x_k$$

For  $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{so}(N)$ ,  $\mathfrak{g}^* \cong \text{Mat}_{N \times N}$ , with

$$\langle x, \xi \rangle = \text{Tr}(X \cdot \xi)$$

$$E_{ij} = \begin{pmatrix} & & & 1 \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ 1 & & & \end{pmatrix} \quad [E_{ij}, E_{kl}] = \delta_{jk} E_{il} - \delta_{il} E_{kj}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Pi &= \text{Tr}(\partial_x \lrcorner X \partial_x) = -\text{Tr}(X \partial_x \lrcorner \partial_x) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \text{tr}([X, \partial_x] \lrcorner \partial_x) \end{aligned}$$

Ex 1 Verify this

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Setup  $M = \underbrace{\text{Mat}_N \times \dots \times \text{Mat}_N}_{m \text{ times}}$

$$\Pi = \sum_{i,j,k,L} C_{i,j,k,L} \text{Tr}(\partial_i \lrcorner X_k \partial_j \lrcorner X_L)$$

Notation:  $\partial_i = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i}$        $k = (k_1, \dots, k_s)$

$$L = (l_1 \dots l_t)$$

$$X_K = X_{K_1} \dots X_{K_s}$$

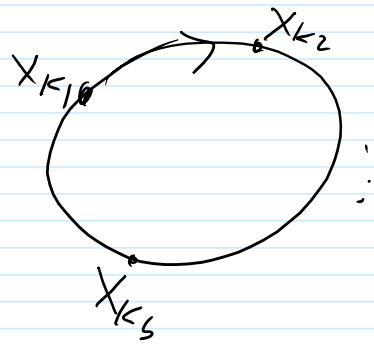
Generalizes both of the last two examples!

Remark Sums can be infinite if working in an appropriate formal setting.

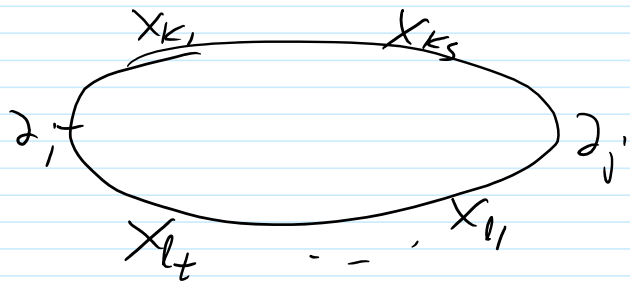
Functions  $\sum_K C_K \text{tr} X_K \quad K = (k_1 \dots k_s)$

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Pictorial presentation  $\text{tr} X_K \rightarrow$



$$\text{tr}(\partial_i X_K \partial_j X_L) \rightarrow$$



E.g.  $\mathbb{T} = \text{Tr}(\partial_1 \partial_2) \quad F = \text{Tr}(X_1 X_3)$   
 $\mathbb{J} = \text{Tr}(X_2 X_3)$

$$\{F, g\}_{\text{tr}} = \text{Tr} \left( \begin{array}{c} \bigcirc_1 \quad \bigcirc_2 \quad \bigcirc_3 \end{array} \right)$$

$$= 3 \left( \begin{array}{c} \bigcirc_1 \text{---} \bigcirc_2 \text{---} \bigcirc_3 \end{array} \right) = \text{Tr} (X_3^2)$$

Proposition  $\mathfrak{g}_{\text{tr}} = \underset{\text{Field}}{k} \langle \text{functions of the type } \text{tr}(X_k) \rangle$

then

Under  $\{ \}_{\text{tr}}$ ,  $\mathfrak{g}_{\text{tr}}$  is a Lie algebra "independent" of  $N$ .

[really,  $\mathfrak{g}_{\text{tr}}$  depends on  $N$ , but the structural computations do not]

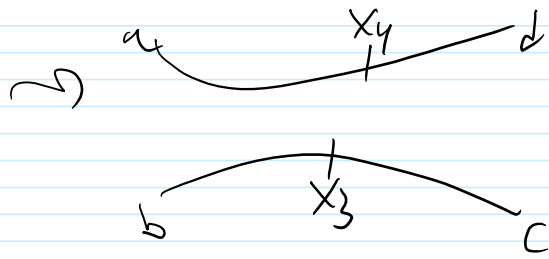
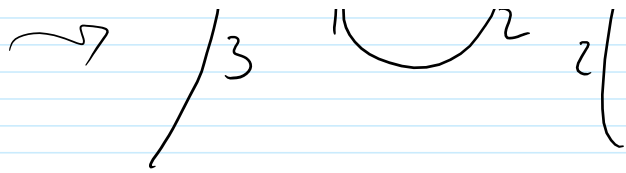
More brackets:

$$\{ (X_k)_{ab}, (X_L)_{cd} \} = 0$$

E.g.  $(X_1 X_3)_{ab} \rightsquigarrow \begin{array}{c} x_1 \quad x_3 \\ a \quad | \quad | \quad b \end{array}$

$$\{ (X_1 X_3)_{ab}, (X_2 X_4)_{cd} \}_{\text{tr}} = \text{Tr}(a_1 a_2)$$

$$\rightsquigarrow \begin{array}{c} ) \quad 1 \quad / \\ 3 \quad \bigcirc_2 \quad 2 \end{array}$$



$$= (X_4)_{as} (X_3)_{cb}$$

"double bracket"

Questions 1.  $N$  independence?

2. When does  $\Pi$  yield a poisson bracket?