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of ss Lie algs /  $\mathbb{C}$        $G$  adjoint group of  $g$   
 $h$  Cartan       $T$  max. torus, i.e.  $T = h$

$W = W(g)$  group       $V(g) \rightarrow Z(V(g))$

Harish-Chandra:       $Z(V(g)) \xrightarrow{\sim} (Sym h)^W$

Let  $D(X) =$  algebraic regular diffops on  $X$  smooth

$Z(V(g)) = D(G)^{G \times G}$  bi-invariant diffops on  $G$ .  $\hookrightarrow$   $D(G)$   
 $S_h^W = T \rtimes W$ -invariant diffops on  $T$  (i.e. constant coefficient)

19/4 More general :  $D(G)^{G \times G} \hookrightarrow D(G)^{W \times G}$

map to  $D(T)^W$  (no longer  $T$ -invariant)

$\Phi : D(G)^{ad G} \rightarrow D(T)^W$  not iso (LHS not  $h^*$  gen)

"rational case" - replace groups by Lie algebras

$\phi : D(g)^{ad g} \rightarrow D(h)^W$  no longer iso.

Both sides are filtered by order of d. terms, map preserves  
 filtration.  $gr \phi : C[[g \oplus g]]^{ad g} \rightarrow C[[h \oplus h]]^W$

- just restriction - "double analog" of

(Chevalley restriction map).  $(gr D(X)) = C[[T^* X]]$

Radical part construction of  $g$  regular semisimple  $\subset g$  open dense

$h^{reg} = h \cap g^{rs}$

$G/T \times h^{reg} \rightarrow g^{rs}$   $(g, h) \mapsto Ad g \cdot h$

$W$ -Galois coverings.

Given  $u \in D(g^{rs})^{ad g}$

Given  $u \in D(G/T \times h^{reg})^G$  on étale cover, lift diffop,  
 invariant under left action  $G \curvearrowright G/T$ .

In particular  $\tilde{u}$  acts on  $C[G/T \times h^{reg}]^G = C[h^{reg}]$

by a differential operator

$\Rightarrow D(G/T \times h^{reg})^G \rightarrow D(h^{reg})$

$D(g^{rs})^{ad g} \rightarrow D(h^{reg})^W$

$u \xrightarrow{\text{radical}}$

$R$  = root system of  $(g, h)$ ,  $R_+$  positive roots,

$\zeta = \prod_{\alpha \in R_+} \alpha$  see polynomial on  $h$   $f \in C[h]$

$\phi: u \mapsto \frac{1}{f} \circ u^{\text{radial}} \circ f$   
 which acts as  $C[h^{\text{res}}] \ni f \mapsto \frac{1}{f} u^{\text{radial}} \circ (ff)$   
 -  $f$  never vanishes on  $h^{\text{res}}$ .  
 ( $f$  cuts out singular part).  
 [H C proved that  $\phi(u) \in D(h)^W$  i.e. not just on  $h^{\text{res}}$ ,  
 provided  $u$  is regular on  $g^{\text{reg}}$  not just  $g^{\text{res}}$   
 $u \in D(g^{\text{res}})$  --- not true for just radial part.  
 [we won't need this extend  $h^{\text{res}} \rightarrow L$ ].]

B Base  $G$  assoc to  $R_+$ : replace  $G(\mathbb{A})$  coming by  
 $p: G_B^\times B \rightarrow g^{\text{reg}}$ ,  $f$  occurs as Jacobian of two wps  $P$ .

Let  $V = \text{f.d. } G\text{-module, irreducible}$  (recall  $G$  adjoint  $\Rightarrow$  h.w.  
 in root lattice)  $\rightsquigarrow 0$  weight space  $V\langle 0 \rangle = V^T = V^h \neq 0$ .

Frobenius reciprocity:  $C[G/A] = \bigoplus_{\substack{\text{simple} \\ G\text{-module}}} V^* \otimes V\langle 0 \rangle$  (Poisson)

If  $u \in D(g^{\text{res}})^{\text{ad } g}$ ,  $u$  acts on  $C[g^{\text{res}}]$  commutes  
 with adjoint action of  $g^{\text{res}}$ .

- can take any isotypic component in  $C[g^{\text{res}}]$ , not just  
 invariant part as before  
 $\rightarrow D(g^{\text{res}})^{\text{ad } g}$  acts on  $\text{Hom}_g(V^*, C[G/A \times h^{\text{res}}])$

$\hookrightarrow$  get a map  $\tilde{\chi}_V: D(g^{\text{res}})^{\text{ad } g} \rightarrow D(h^{\text{res}}, \text{End}_C V\langle 0 \rangle)^W$   
 differs with values in  $\text{End}_C V\langle 0 \rangle$   
 [  $D(X, A) := D(X) \otimes A$   $A$ -valued diffns ]

$\psi_V := \frac{1}{f} \circ \tilde{\chi}_V \circ f: D(g^{\text{res}})^{\text{ad } g} \rightarrow D(h^{\text{res}}, \text{End}_C V\langle 0 \rangle)^W$

- $(Vg)^{\text{ad } h}$  centralizer of  $h \subset Vg$ , contains  $h$ .
- $(Vg)_h = (Vg)^{\text{ad } h} / h(Vg)^{\text{ad } h}$  ( $h$  central no gauges 2-sided ideal)
- $(Vg)^{\text{ad } h}$  acts on any weight space  $V\langle \mu \rangle$  of a gradable  $V$ .
- $\Rightarrow (Vg)_h$  acts on  $V\langle 0 \rangle$  for any  $V$ .  $(Vg)_h \xrightarrow{\omega} \text{End}_C V\langle 0 \rangle$   
 "endomorphism ring of functor  $V \mapsto V\langle 0 \rangle$ "

Theorem  $\exists!$  algebra homomorphism  $\tilde{\phi}: D(g^{\text{rs}})^{\text{alg}} \xrightarrow{\sim} D(h^{\text{rs}}, (\text{Log})_h)$   
 s.t. for any  $g^{\text{rs}}$ -module  $V$  and  $u$ ,  
 $\omega \circ \tilde{\phi}(u) = \tilde{\phi}_V(u)$ . (R.h.dim. - we used drop of  $C/\Gamma$ )

$g^{\text{rs}}$   
 Sketch of Proof

$\text{inf: instl of } h^{\text{rs}} < g^{\text{rs}}$  (formal completion)  
 For any  $g^{\text{rs}}$ -module  $V$  with  $h$  diagonalizable  
 (or just locally finite),  $\text{Log}$   
 $V$ -valued functions  $\mathbb{C}[[\text{Log}_h, V]] \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathbb{C}[h^{\text{rs}}, V\langle 0 \rangle]$   
 ...  $g^{\text{rs}}$  action transverse to  $h^{\text{rs}}$  --  
 looks like  $\widehat{G/T}_1$  - infinitesimal Frobenius reciprocity

(our  $W$ -case is infinitesimally isomorphic). ( $\text{Log}_h \cong G/T \times h^{\text{rs}}$ )

Applying our previous construction to

$V = V_{g^{\text{rs}}} \otimes_{(V_{g^{\text{rs}}})^h} (\text{Log})_h$  induced  $V$ -module with  
 diagonalizable  $h$ -action.

- a cyclic  $(\text{Log})_h$ -module,  $V = V_{g^{\text{rs}}} / V_{g^{\text{rs}}} \cdot h$

$V\langle 0 \rangle = 1 \otimes (V_{g^{\text{rs}}})_h$ , so universal object is itself =  $V\langle 0 \rangle$ .

Draft

$g^{\text{rs}} \xleftarrow{w} G/T \times h^{\text{rs}}$ ,  $\text{etts} \Rightarrow \text{gt} \rightsquigarrow D(g^{\text{rs}})^G = (D(G/T \times h^{\text{rs}}))^G$

$$D(G/T \times h^{\text{rs}}) = D(G/T) \otimes D(h^{\text{rs}})$$

$$D(G/T)^G = (V_{g^{\text{rs}}})_h \quad - \text{defined by value at } 1_T$$

$$(D(G/T) \otimes D(h^{\text{rs}}))^G = D(G/T)^G \otimes D(h^{\text{rs}}) = (\text{Log})_h \otimes D(h^{\text{rs}})$$

Recall  $\psi = \tilde{\phi}^{-1} \circ \tilde{\phi} \circ f$ . Let  $\{e_x, x \in R\}$  Chaudhury basis in  $g^{\text{rs}}$

Consider constant coefficient Laplacian  $\Delta_g$  on  $g^{\text{rs}} = \sum \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x_i^2}$  in  $g^{\text{rs}}$  basis.

What is  $\psi(\Delta_g)$ ?  $= \Delta_h + \sum_{x \in R} \frac{e_x e_{-x}}{x^2}$

(HC says  $\phi(\Delta_g) = \Delta_h$ )

$\Delta_h (\text{Log})_h$   
 0-th order diff.,

Order of diff. is preserved, symbol shd  
 be same as Laplacian —  $\delta$  kills first order term  
 so get  $\Delta_h + \text{function}$

## Calogero-Moser

Classical	Quantum
$gh \quad H = \sum p_i^2 + C \sum_{i \neq j} \frac{1}{(x_i - x_j)^2}$	$\Delta = k(k+1) \sum_{i \neq j} \frac{1}{(x_i - x_j)^2}$ <p style="text-align: center;">Planck constant</p>
$gy \quad H =  \vec{p} ^2 + \sum_{\alpha \in R} \frac{c_\alpha (C_\alpha + 1)}{\alpha^2 (C_\alpha)}$	$\Delta = \sum_{\alpha \in R} \frac{c_\alpha (C_\alpha + 1)}{\alpha^2}$

Specify a function  $C: R \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  which is W-invariant

-- either 1 or 2 orbits of  $W$ , so just 1 or 2 numbers per  $\alpha$  simple  
 $\alpha \mapsto C_\alpha \quad R = A_n \text{ only 1 number}$

So  $\psi(\Delta_{\text{Q}})$  looks like quantum Calogero-Moser with constant replaced by  $\alpha, C_\alpha \in \psi(\Delta_{\text{Q}})_k$  -- "correct" (-M operator). Radical part on group gives  $\sin^2$  denominator  
--  $\psi(\Delta_{\text{Q}})$  is quantum spin Calogero-Moser Hamilton.

From now on  $\alpha j = \sinh$ .

$(\Delta_{\text{Q}})_k \Rightarrow V<0>$ . look for  $V$  with  $\dim V<0> = 1$

$\Rightarrow$  get scalar diff eq from  $\psi(\Delta_{\text{Q}})$

-- don't have many such for small  $k$  & deg  $\Delta_{\text{Q}}$   
which don't work.

— quantum version of coadjoint  $O_m$ .

Construction of  $V_k$ : (corresponding to  $k(E+)$ )

As a space  $V_k = (x_1, \dots, x_n)^k \subset [\sum x_i^{\pm 1}, \dots, x_n^{\pm 1}]$   
total deg = 0

$E_{ij}$  matrix units acts as  $x_i \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} - k \cdot \delta_{ij}$  (Kronecker  $\delta$ )

$\Rightarrow V<0> = C \cdot ((x_1, \dots, x_n)^k \cdot 1)$  1-dimensional.

- correction  $k \cdot \delta_{ij}$  came to make this degree zero  
— need as many variables as dimension of Cartan  
to set  $V<0>$  1-dim.

For  $V$  finite: take  $S^{kn}(\mathbb{C}^n)$ , — but we want continuous parameter.

Let  $L$  = canonical bundle on  $\mathbb{CP}^{n-1}$  with action needed.

$\begin{matrix} L \\ \downarrow \pi \\ \mathbb{CP}^{n-1} \end{matrix}$

$T \subseteq GL_n$  has mixed open orbit  $V \subseteq \mathbb{CP}^{n-1}$

$L_u$  Twisted differential operators:  $D(L_u)^{\mathbb{C}} / (E_u - k)$   
 $\downarrow \mathbb{C}$  generated by  $E_u$  and  $E_{\bar{u}}$ .  
 $= D_k$   
 $GL_n$  acts on  $L_u$ , which  $\rightarrow D(L_u)^{E_u}$

Prop  $V_k = D_k / D_k \cdot a(\mathfrak{g})$

[Report]  $V$  is Drinfeld VHS for field of left, which is affine here etc  
 - doesn't occur for other groups  
 - lines which don't lie on rational hyperplanes  
 hyperplanes coming from a fixed basis in field  $\mathbb{K}$ .

Notation  $\phi_k = \psi_k$

Claim:  $\phi_0 = \phi$  Harish-Chandra (valid in this case!)

So  $\phi_k(\Delta_g) = \Delta_k - \frac{k(k+1)}{(k+1)} \sum_{i < j} \frac{1}{(x_i - x_j)^2} =: L_k$

(graph)  $\phi_k : D(g) \xrightarrow{\text{ad } g} D(h^{\text{reg}})^W$

What are kernel & image of this map?

Let  $\mathcal{L}_k$  = centralizer of  $L_k$  in  $D(h^{\text{reg}})^W$ . : Quotient integers of  $n$ th

Theorem (Opdam) There is an algebra isomorphism

$$\sigma : Sh^W \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{L}_k \quad \text{with Casimir } \Delta \mapsto L_k,$$

constant coefficients with property that

principal symbol of  $\sigma(p)$  is  $p$ . (gives identity on symbols).

Def  $B_k$  is subalgebra in  $D(h^{\text{reg}})^W$  generated by  $\mathcal{L}_k$   
 and  $\mathbb{C}[h]^W$ . (as 0-order operators)

Theorem  $\text{Im}(\phi_k) = B_k \quad \forall k.$

Classical HC: what is  $\text{Im}(\phi = \phi_0)$ ?  $= D(h)^W$

- highly nontrivial, - proved in last five years.

Asked first by Wallach, proved for classical Lie algs & some exceptional Levi subgroups - Staffford JAMS 1998

- prove using trace form noncommutative algebra:

Proposition If a finite group  $\Gamma$  acts on vector space  $V \Rightarrow D(V)^\Gamma$  is a simple algebra ("Maschke theorem"  
-analog of  $C[G]$  simple)

Lemma (L-S): Let  $R \leq S$  be two Noetherian rings (left & right)  
without zero-divisors (not nec. countable)  
s.t. • skew fields of fractions  $Q(R) = Q(S)$  (Ore:  $Q(R)$  exst.)  
•  $S$  is finite as both left & right  $R$ -module  
•  $S$  is simple  
 $\Rightarrow R = S$

= apply to  $R = \text{Im } (\phi)$ .

$$\phi: D(\mathfrak{g})^{\text{reg}} \xrightarrow{\sim} D(h)^W$$

$$\text{gr } \phi: C[\mathfrak{g}_\lambda \otimes \mathfrak{g}_\lambda]^G \xrightarrow{\sim} C[h \otimes h]^W$$

suffices to prove  $\text{gr } \phi$  surjective to show  $\phi$  surjective.

Then (A Joseph '97)  $\text{gr } \phi$  surjective  
PF involves crystal bases for quantum groups  
- in fact can put any number of reps..

$$C[h \otimes h]^W \supseteq C[h_1]^{W_1}$$

both contained in things of reps... how  
much can we build from these?

- do they Poisson generate? - in most cases but not all  
exceptional ones.

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$$L_k = \Delta - k(k+1) \sum_{i,j} (\frac{1}{x_i - x_j}) z^i \text{ diff op on } \mathbb{C}^n \text{ diag} = h^{(k)}$$

$C_k$  = centralizer of  $L_k$  in  $D(\mathfrak{g})^w$

$B_k$  = associative subalgs of  $D(L^{(k)})^w$  gen. by  $C_k$  &  $\mathbb{C}[h]^w$

$\phi_k: D(\mathfrak{g})^w \longrightarrow D(\mathfrak{g})^w$

Theorem  $\text{Image } (\phi_k) = B_k$ .

Don't know  $C_k$  explicitly - what kind of singularities?

know almost nothing about  $B_k$  - see corral algebra...

- $G$  acts on  $\mathfrak{g}$  adjointly, so  $\mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \text{Vect } \mathfrak{g}$ ,  $x \mapsto ad x$  linear vector fields  
- extends to homomorphism  $\text{ad}: U(\mathfrak{g}) \rightarrow D(\mathfrak{g})$
- Rep  $V_k = (x_1, \dots, x_n)^k \mathbb{C}[[x_1, \dots, x_n^{\pm 1}]]$   $\mathfrak{g} (= \mathfrak{sl}_n)$  - module  
 $\text{Ann } V_k \subset U(\mathfrak{g})$  annihilator of  $V_k$  (two-sided ideal in  $U(\mathfrak{g})$ ).
- $\text{ad}(\text{Ann } V_k) \subset D(\mathfrak{g})$  subalg
- Let  $I_k = D(\mathfrak{g})^w \cap D(\mathfrak{g}) \cdot \text{ad}(\text{Ann } V_k)$

Theorem For all but fin many [probably all]  $k \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\ker \phi_k = I_k$ .

Drinfeld

Quantum analogue of Hamiltonian reduction:

M Poisson variety,  $A_0 = \text{Fun}(M)$  its Lie bracket, derivation of comalg structure

Quantization:  $A$  algebra /  $\mathbb{C}[[\hbar]]$ , (Flat) topologically free

(in particular integrally complete):  $A = \varprojlim A/\hbar^n A$  &  $A/\hbar^n A$  free  $(\mathbb{C}[[\hbar]]^\times)$

$A/\hbar A = A_0$ , as Poisson algebras

( $A/\hbar A$  naturally Poisson)

$a, b \in A_0$  lift to  $\tilde{a}, \tilde{b} \in A$   $\{a, b\} = \frac{[\tilde{a}, \tilde{b}]}{\hbar}$  and  $\hbar$ .

Classical: M Hamiltonian  $G$ -space,  $G \times M \rightarrow M$ ,  $\mu: M \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}^*$  Poiss.

st. 1. infi action  $\mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \text{Vect } M$  agrees with composite

$\mathfrak{g} \hookrightarrow \text{Fun}(\mathfrak{g}^*) \rightarrow \text{Fun } M \xrightarrow{\text{Lie}} \text{Vect } M$

2.  $M \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}^*$  is  $G$ -equivariant (contract for  $G$  connected).

i.e. has Poiss algebra  $A_0$ ,  $G$  acts  $G \times A_0 \rightarrow A_0$  &

Lie alg. homomorphism  $\mathfrak{g} \rightarrow A_0$ , with requirements

1. Inf. action  $\mathfrak{g} \times A_0 \rightarrow A_0$  is adjoint action not  $\mathfrak{g} \rightarrow A_0$

2.  $\mathfrak{g} \rightarrow A_0$  is  $G$ -equivariant.

Reduction:  $\mathcal{O} \subset \mathfrak{g}^*$ ,  $M//G = \mu^{-1}(\mathcal{O})/G$

Algebraic setting - rather work with orbit closure rather than just orbits, or in general any  $G$ -invariant subvariety of  $\mathfrak{g}^*$ .

Algebraic analogy  $\bar{D}$  vs  $I \subset \text{Fun}(\mathfrak{g}^*)$  ideal

which is  $G$ -invariant  $\iff I$  is a Poisson ideal (in general  
[in general  
need  $G$ -invar.  
w/  $G$  not  
connected])  
(i.e. have Poisson structure on quotient).

(over  $\bar{D}$ )

[in general  $\mathfrak{g}^*$   
harder to define  
nonaffine varieties  
no  $\mathbb{C}$ ]

Reduction :  $A_0 \rightsquigarrow (A_0 / IA_0)^G$  for general  $G$ ... or  
can take  $A_0^G / (IA_0 \cap A_0^G)$ : first always injects  
into latter, & for  $G$  reductive is surjective! need to  
extend function from subvariety to total space in  $G$ -invariant  
fashion, & can "average" for  $G$  reductive  
 $A_0^G / (IA_0 \cap A_0^G) \hookrightarrow ((A_0 / IA_0))^G$ , isom for  $G$  reductive  
...  $IA_0 \cap A_0^G$  is a Poisson ideal of  $A_0^G$ .

Third (I best) definition: homological version

$A_0 \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} \text{Fun}(\mathfrak{g}^*) / I \rightsquigarrow$  closed version, BRST

Quatum version: "equative definitions", less precise than geometric objects.

Def A assoc algebra,  $G \times A \rightarrow A$ ,  $\mathfrak{g}^* \rightarrow A$  with the two  
compatibilities.  $I \subset \mathfrak{g}^*$  two-sided ideal (analog of Poisson ideal),  
General  $\rightsquigarrow A^G / (IA \cap A^G)$  why is  $I$ -torsion two-sided ideal?

Assume  $G$  reductive, or in particular  $A$  is a semisimple  $G$ -module.

Lemma  $IA \cap A^G = AI \cap A^G$ ,  $IA \cap A^G = AI \cap A$

Pf Average operator:  $\pi: A \rightarrow A^{\mathfrak{g}^*}$

$$IA \cap A^{\mathfrak{g}^*} = \pi(IA)$$

$$\cdot g \in \mathfrak{g}^* : \pi(ga) = \pi(ga) \quad (\pi([ga]) = 0 \quad A = A^{\mathfrak{g}^*} + \text{Im}(\text{ad } g))$$

$$\cdot \pi(g_1 g_2 a) = \pi(g_1 g_2 a) = \pi(a, g_1 g_2)$$

$$\text{So } \pi(u_a) = \pi(a) \quad \text{true for all } a \in A \quad (\text{key} \rightarrow A)$$

$$\therefore \pi(IA) = \pi(A)$$

Integrating

Suppose  $X$  is a  $G$ -manifold.  $\rightsquigarrow T^*X$  is Hamiltonian  $G$ -space  
 $\mu: T^*X \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}^*$  adjoint of action map  $\mathfrak{g}^* \rightarrow TX$ .

Quantization of  $\langle [\mathfrak{g}^*] \rangle$  is  $V_{\mathfrak{g}^*}$ ,  $\langle [T^*X] \rangle$  is  $D(X)$

- filtered assoc algebras with  $\mathfrak{g}^*$  commutative  $\rightsquigarrow \mathfrak{g}^*$  is Poisson.

Want  $V: V_{\mathfrak{g}^*} \rightarrow D(X)$ , quantization of  $\mu^*$

- comes from action  $\mathfrak{g}^* \rightarrow \text{Lie } X$ .

Reduction:  $A^G / (A^G \cap A_{\text{ad}}(I))$

Special case:  $X = \alpha_j$ ,  $G$  acts by adjoint action  
 $\nu = \text{ad}: V_{\alpha_j} \rightarrow D(\alpha_j)$ .

$$D(\alpha_j)^G / (D(\alpha_j)^G \cap D(\alpha_j) \cdot \text{ad } I) \quad \text{-- Thm: } \text{Ker } \phi_I = D(\alpha_j)^G \cap D(\alpha_j) \cdot \text{ad } I$$

Take  $I = \text{Ann } V_k$ :  $V_{\alpha_j} / \text{Ann } V_k$  is quantization of  
 Fun (conj class of  $(\dots)$ )

- orbit itself is twisted cotangent bundle.

TDS quantization of twisted cotangent bundle,

$V_{\alpha_j}$  maps to global twisted differential operator.

I quantization of set of functions on  $\alpha_j$ :  $I$  is kernel of  
map from  $V_{\alpha_j}$  to twisted diff op (level  $k$ ) on  $\mathbb{P}^n$

"Classical" case  $k=0$ :  $\phi = \phi$  classical Hamilton-Charle  
 $(D(\alpha_j)^G) \rightarrow D(\alpha_j)^W$  what is kernel?

Solved by Lecomte-Staffel: (conjectured by Dixmier)  
Theorem  $\text{Ker } \phi = D(\alpha_j)^G \cap D(\alpha_j) \cdot \text{ad } \alpha_j$   
 $(= \text{Hamilton reduction at } 0)$

-- what one would expect from radial part constraint:  
 Kernel should be those which annihilate moment function.  
 Highly nontrivial!

Commutative analogues:  $\text{gr}(D(\alpha_j)^G \cap D(\alpha_j) \cdot \text{ad } \alpha_j)$   
 $= ([\alpha_j \otimes \alpha_j]^G \cap [\alpha_j \otimes \alpha_j] \cdot \text{ad } \alpha_j)$

Zero variety of  $[\alpha_j \otimes \alpha_j] \cdot \text{ad } \alpha_j$ :

most likely  $\alpha_j \otimes \alpha_j \rightarrow \alpha_j^*$  is  $x, y \mapsto [xy]$ .

"ad  $\alpha_j$ ": matrix elements of commutators, as far as on  $\alpha_j \otimes \alpha_j$

- i.e.  $\{\lambda([xy]), \lambda \in \alpha_j^*, xy \in \alpha_j\}$
- i.e. equations for  $[xy] = 0$ .

So zero variety is  $\{(x, y) \in \alpha_j \otimes \alpha_j \mid [xy] = 0\} = \mathbb{Z}$ ,  
 the commutig variety.

$\text{Ann } V_k \subset V_{\alpha_j} \Rightarrow \alpha_j \text{ in } \text{Ann } V_k \subset \text{gr } V_{\alpha_j} = (\alpha_j)$ .

- this is the ideal (quadratic) defining cone

$x_{ij} X_{kl} - x_{ik} x_{jl}$  - matrices of rank  $\leq 1$ .

Zero variety of  $\text{gr}(\text{Ann } V_k)$  is <sup>nilpotent</sup> matrices of rank  $\leq 1$

- relate Calogero-Moser variety & take parabola to zero  
 $\rightsquigarrow$  asymptotic cone of  $D_m$ .

Zero variety of  ~~$\mathbb{C}[[\mathbf{y} \otimes \mathbf{y}]]^{\text{nilpotent}}$~~   $\text{gr}(\text{Ann } V_k) =$

$$\mathcal{Z}_1 = \{(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}) \in \mathbf{y} \otimes \mathbf{y} \mid [\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}] = \text{nilpotent of rank } \leq 1\}$$

- obvious discrepancy with  $\mathcal{Z}$  !  $\mathcal{Z}_1 \supset \mathcal{Z}$

- i.e. Lascoux-Stafford not graded?

Open problem: is the ideal  $J = \mathbb{C}[[\mathbf{y} \otimes \mathbf{y}]]^h \subset \mathbb{C}[[\mathbf{y} \otimes \mathbf{y}]]$  a radical?

i.e.  $\mathbf{y}$  ideal in  $\mathbb{C}[[\mathbf{y} \otimes \mathbf{y}]]$  given by e.g.  $[\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}] = 0$

prime? (known that variety is irreducible).

- not complete intersection...

This will imply finiteness immediately.

Levasser-Stafford proof Let  $\mathcal{D} = \mathcal{D}(\mathbf{y} \otimes \mathbf{y}) = \overline{J}$   
just left ideal.

Consider  $M = \mathcal{D}(\mathbf{y}) / \mathcal{D}(\mathbf{y}) \text{ad } \mathbf{y}$ , as  $D$ -module on  $\mathbf{y}$ .

- singular support  $\text{SS}(M) = \mathcal{Z} \subset T^*\mathbf{y}$ .

$\dim \mathcal{Z} = \dim \mathbf{y} + \text{rk } \mathbf{y}$  (typical pairs: two simultaneous diag. matrices) - not holonomic!

The algebra  $\mathcal{D}(\mathbf{y})^\mathbf{y}$  commutes with  $\text{ad } \mathbf{y}$ ,  
therefore acts on  $M$  on right.

Easy to see by construction (tautologically) that the right  $\mathcal{D}(\mathbf{y})^\mathbf{y}$  action descends through  $\text{Ker } \phi$ , hence to  $\mathcal{D}(\mathbf{y})^\mathbf{y} / \text{Ker } \phi$   
 $\cong \text{Im } \phi = \mathcal{D}(L)^w$

Thus  $M$  is a  $\mathcal{D}(\mathbf{y}) \otimes \mathcal{D}(L)^w$ -module.  $\rightsquigarrow$  classical analog is  $(\mathcal{D}(\mathbf{y}))^w$ , which is singular

If we didn't have  $w$ -invariant - if we had  $\mathcal{D}(\mathbf{y} \otimes L)$   
 $M$  would be holonomic over this..  $\mathcal{D}(\mathbf{y}) \otimes \mathcal{D}(L)^w$   
is not  $\mathcal{D}(\mathbf{y})$  or anything, but  $M$  behaves as if it were holonomic ...

Obvious that  $\text{Ker } \phi \supset \mathcal{D}(\mathbf{y})^\mathbf{y} \cap \mathcal{D}(\mathbf{y}) \text{ad } \mathbf{y}$

- not equality: if  $\text{Ker } \phi$  was bigger you'd construct a smaller  $M \rightarrow M'$ , & holonomic & null!  
 $\Rightarrow$  no smaller  $M''$ !

- use nice criteria for 'irreducibility' of  $D$ -mod!

only need mult. 1 (no nilpotents) at the generic point  
 in some sense unlike classically where we need no nilpotents  
 (radical ideal) anymore.

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irred  $\mathbb{Z} = \{ A, B \text{ both regl.} \mid [A, B] = 0\}$

many red. components  $\mathbb{Z}_1 = \{ A, B \in \mathfrak{gl}_n \times \mathfrak{gl}_n \mid [A, B] \text{ nilpotent rank } 1\}$

$$\mathcal{C}[\mathbb{Z}] \rightarrow \mathcal{C}[\mathbb{Z}]$$

Theorem  $\mathcal{C}[\mathbb{Z}]^{G_n} \cong (\mathcal{C}\mathbb{Z})^{G_n}$  - resolves contradiction from last time.  
 (as reduced varieties)

<sup>a</sup>Burk's Lemma Let  $A, B$  be non-matrices s.t.  $[A, B] = C$ , rk  $C = 1$ ,  $C$  nilpotent.  
 $\Rightarrow A, B$  can be simultaneously upper-triangularized  
 (i.e.  $A, B$  generate solvable Lie algebra)

Twist setup:  $A \rightarrow A - \lambda \text{Id}$  if necessary  $\rightarrow$  assume

$$\ker A \neq 0, \quad \text{Im } A \not\subseteq \mathbb{C}^n$$

$\mathbb{B}_>$  induction on  $n$ , suffices to show  $\exists W \subset \mathbb{C}^n$  proper

$A, B$ -stable. Exercise:  $W$  is either  $\ker A$  or  $\text{Im } A$ .  
 - one of these is  $B$ -stable ... ■

Remark Given a semisimple Lie algebra,  $\mathfrak{g}$  by s.t.

$[A, B]$  is a root vector  $\in (\mathfrak{g}_m : \text{all these are roots})$   
 - does not always imply  $AB$  generate a solvable  
 Lie algebra. - counterexample in  $so(8)$

By Weyl, all  $G_n$  invariant polynomials on  $\mathfrak{gl}_n \times \mathfrak{gl}_n$

are generated by functions like

$$(A, B) \mapsto \text{tr}(A^{b_1} B^{c_1} A^{b_2} \dots) \quad \text{as an algebra.}$$

$\mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{Z}$  closed subvarieties -  $G$ -inv funs on here extend to  
 invariant funs on  $\mathfrak{gl}_n \times \mathfrak{gl}_n$  ( $G_n$  reductive!)  
 so if we upper-triangularize, get some functions  
 as if they commute: only diagonal entries are in  
 $\text{tr}(A^{b_1} B^{c_1} \dots)$ . ■