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Def 0.1 V an ℓ -dim v.s. / K

\mathcal{R} is a (central) arrangement of hyperplanes



\mathcal{R} is a finite collection of one-codimensional vector subspaces of V .

Def 0.2

$L(\mathcal{R}) := \left\{ \bigcap_{H \in \mathcal{B}} H \mid \mathcal{B} \subseteq \mathcal{R} \right\}$ Agree $\bigcap_{H \in \mathcal{R}} H = V$

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$x \leq y \stackrel{\text{def.}}{\iff} x \supseteq y$

V the minimum in $L(\mathcal{R})$

$T(\mathcal{R}) = \bigcap_{H \in \mathcal{R}} H$ is the maximum of $L(\mathcal{R})$

Def 0.3

$\mu: L(\mathcal{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$ defined inductively by

$$\mu(V) = 1$$

$$\mu(x) = - \sum_{\substack{y \leq x \\ y \neq x}} \mu(y) \quad (x \neq V)$$

P.1: $\mathcal{R} = \mathcal{R}_4$ Find $T(\mathcal{R})$ and $\mu(T(\mathcal{R})) = 6$

Def 0.4

$$\text{Poin}(\mathcal{R}, t) = \sum_{x \in L} |\mu(x)| t^{\text{codim } x}$$

$$= \sum_{x \in L} (-1)^{\text{rk } x} \mu(x) t^{\text{rk } x}$$

ex: \diamond

$$\pi(\mathcal{R}, t) = 1 + 3t + 2t^2 = (1+t)(1+2t)$$

1. Finite Reflection Grps

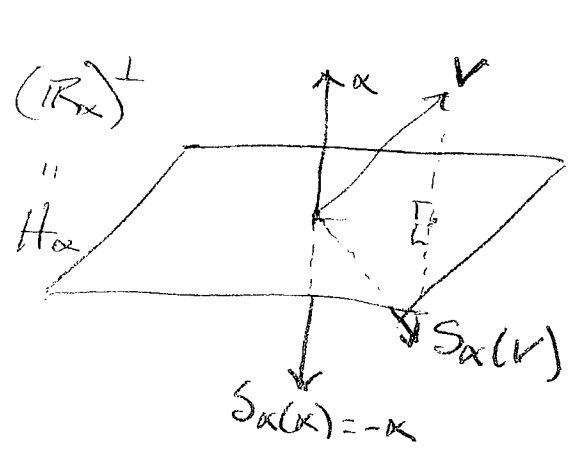
V l -dim Euclidean space with inner product $(,)$ / \mathbb{R}

Let $x \neq 0 \in V$

$$S_x \in O(V) \quad \begin{cases} S_x(B) = B \text{ if } (x, B) = 0 \\ S_x(x) = -x \end{cases}$$

Then

$$S_x(v) = v - 2 \frac{(x, v)}{(x, x)} x$$



S_x : (orthogonal) reflection

$$S_x^2 = Id$$

Notation

$$\text{Def II } S_x = S_{H_x} = S_H$$

$$H = \ker(I - S_H) = \text{Fix}(S_H)$$

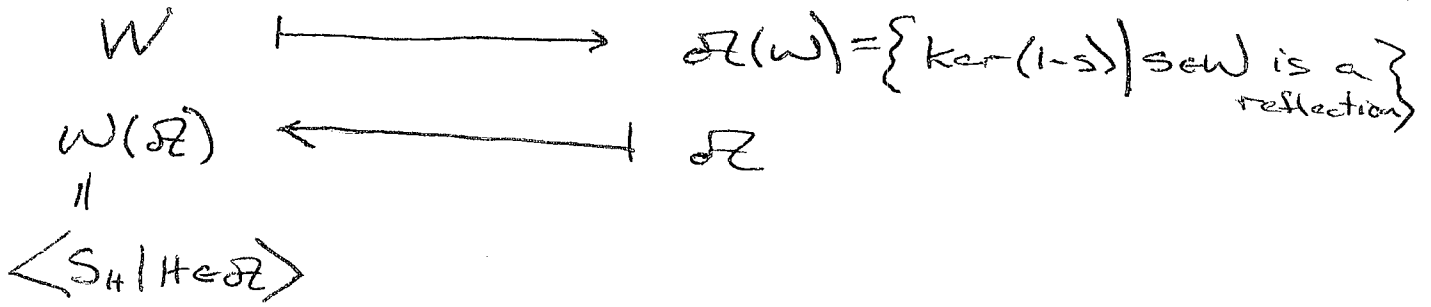
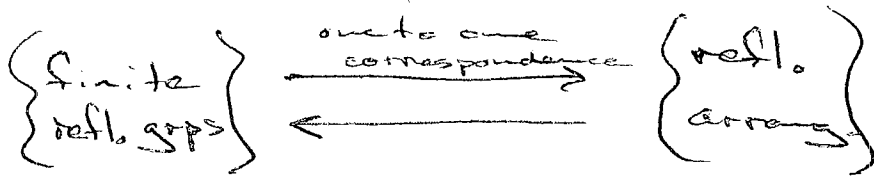
Def 1.2 $W \subset O(V)$

W is finite reflection grp $\Leftrightarrow W$ is a finite subgroup of $O(V)$ generated by reflections

2. Reflection Arrangements

Def 2.1 \mathcal{R} is an arr. of hyp. in V

$$\mathcal{R} \text{ is reflection arr. } \Leftrightarrow S_H(\mathcal{R}) = \mathcal{R} \quad \forall H \in \mathcal{R}$$



P-2 Show $W(\mathcal{R})$ is a finite refl. grp if \mathcal{R} is a refl. arr.

P-3: which is the more obvious?

1. $\mathcal{R}(W(\mathcal{R})) = \mathcal{R}$ for any refl. arr.

2. $W(\mathcal{R}(W)) = W$ -3P

Prove the more obvious one and discuss the other.

Examples (\mathcal{R}_2) braid arr.

e_1, \dots, e_{2+1} orthogonal basis for \mathbb{R}^{2+1}

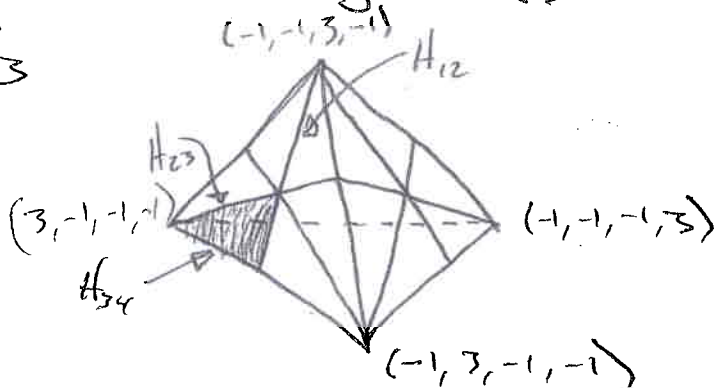
x_1, \dots, x_{2+1} the dual $\omega \dots (\mathbb{R}^{2+1})^*$

$V = \ker(x_1 + \dots + x_{2+1}) = \left\{ c_1 e_1 + \dots + c_{2+1} e_{2+1} \in V \mid c_1 + \dots + c_{2+1} = 0 \right\}$

$\mathcal{R}_2 := \{ H_{ij} \mid i < j \}$ $H_{ij} = \ker(x_i - x_j) \cap V$

24 chambers

6 planes



P-4: Show \mathcal{R}_2 is a refl. arr.

Find $W(\mathcal{R}_2)$ and what grps $W(\mathcal{R}_2)$?

Example (B_ℓ) ℓ ≥ 2

e_1, \dots, e_ℓ C.N. basis of $\mathbb{R}^\ell = V$

x_1, \dots, x_ℓ dual basis

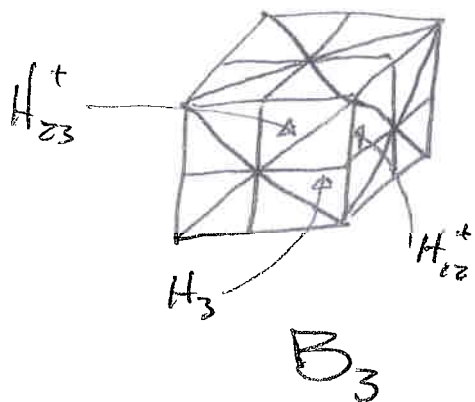
$$H_{ij}^+ = \ker(x_i - x_j) \quad (i < j)$$

$$H_{ij}^- = \ker(x_i + x_j) \quad (i < j)$$

$$H_k = \ker(x_k)$$

$$B_\ell = \{ H_{ij}^+, H_{ij}^-, H_k \mid 1 \leq i < j \leq \ell, 1 \leq k \leq \ell \}$$

Pr. 5 Same as Pr. 4 for B_ℓ



9 planes
48 chambers
 $V = \mathbb{R}^3$

Example (D_ℓ) ℓ ≥ 4

Same notation as B_ℓ

e_1, \dots, e_ℓ H_{ij}^+, H_{ij}^-

$$D_\ell = \{ H_{ij}^+, H_{ij}^- \mid 1 \leq i < j \leq \ell \}$$

Pr. 6 Same as Pr. 4 for D_ℓ

3. Chambers

\mathcal{R} arr. in $\mathbb{R}^d = V$

Def 3.1 $M(\mathcal{R}) = V \setminus \bigcup_{H \in \mathcal{R}} H$

A connected component of $M(\mathcal{R})$ is called a chamber.

$\text{Cham}(\mathcal{R}) = \{ \text{chambers of } \mathcal{R} \}$

Theorem 3.1 Let $C \in \text{Cham}(\mathcal{R})$ and \mathcal{R} is a refl. arr. and $T(\mathcal{R}) = \{\emptyset\}$

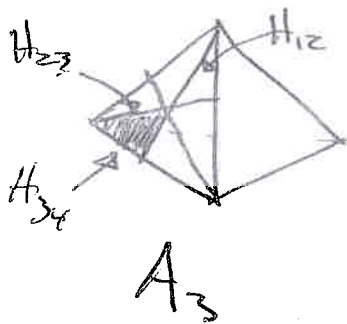
$\Rightarrow \exists!$ $H_1, \dots, H_\ell \in \mathcal{R}$
 $\exists!$ $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_\ell \in V$ s.t.

• $H_i = (\mathbb{R}\alpha_i)^\perp \quad \forall i$

• $\|\alpha_i\| = 1 \quad \forall i$

• $C = \{v \in V \mid (v, \alpha_i) > 0 \quad i=1, \dots, \ell\}$

In particular, each chamber is a simplicial cone

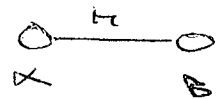


$H_1 = H_{12} \quad \alpha_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(e_1 - e_2)$
 $H_2 = H_{23} \quad \alpha_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(e_2 - e_3)$
 $H_3 = H_{34} \quad \alpha_3 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(e_3 - e_4)$

system of simple roots
s.s.R.

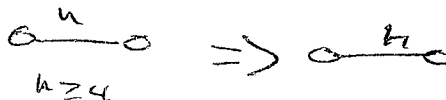
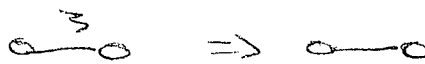
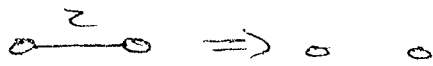
Coxeter diagram

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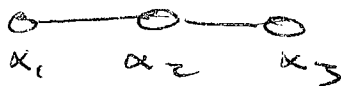


$$\|\alpha\| = \|\beta\| = 1$$

$$(\alpha, \beta) = -\cos(\pi/4)$$



For the example A_3



Pr 2: Find SSR and the Coxeter diagram for B_3

Theorem 3.2: \mathcal{R} is refl. arr. and essential

$\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n$ SSR

$$\Rightarrow W = \langle S_{\alpha_1}, \dots, S_{\alpha_n} \rangle$$

Thm 3.3: W acts on $\text{Chan}(\mathcal{R})$

transitively and effectively.

So, $\forall c_1, c_2 \in \text{Chan}(\mathcal{R})$

$\exists! w \in W$ st. $c_1 = w(c_2)$

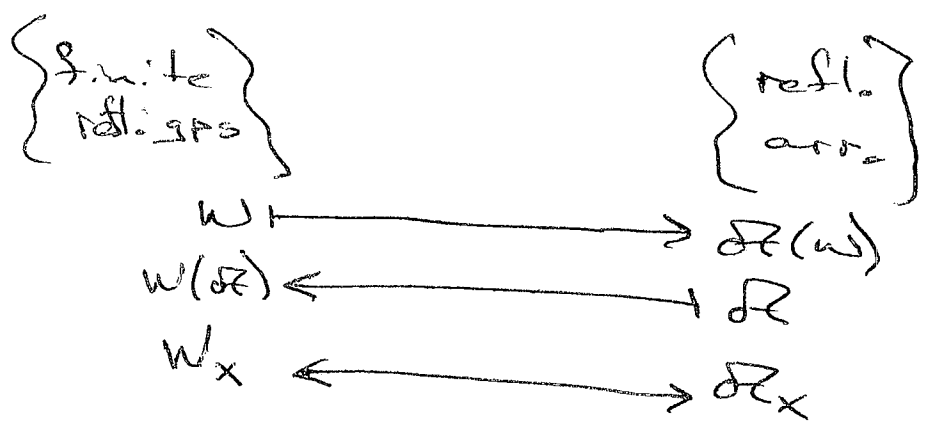
Cor. $|\text{Chan}(\mathcal{R})| = |W(\mathcal{R})|$

4. Parabolic Subgrps

Recall $\mathcal{R}_X = \{H \in \mathcal{R} \mid X \leq H\}$

Thm 4.1: $X \in L(\mathcal{R})$ $W_X := \{w \in W \mid \text{Fix}(w) \geq X\}$

$\Rightarrow W_X = W(\mathcal{R}_X)$ and $\text{dR}(W_X) = \mathcal{R}_X$



In particular, W_X is a finite refl. grp and \mathcal{R}_X is a refl. arr.

Thm 4.2 $L(\mathcal{R}) = \{\text{Fix}(w) \mid w \in W\}$

Pr. 8 $x \in L(\mathcal{R})$

$|M(x)| = |\{w \in W \mid \text{Fix}(w) = x\}|$

(Note: $\sum_{w \in W} \det w = 0$)

5. Classification

Def 5.1 \mathcal{R}_1 arr. in V_1
 \mathcal{R}_2 " " " " V_2

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{R}_1 \times \mathcal{R}_2 = \{H_1 \oplus V_2 \mid H_1 \in \mathcal{R}_1\} \cup \{V_1 \oplus H_2 \mid H_2 \in \mathcal{R}_2\}$$

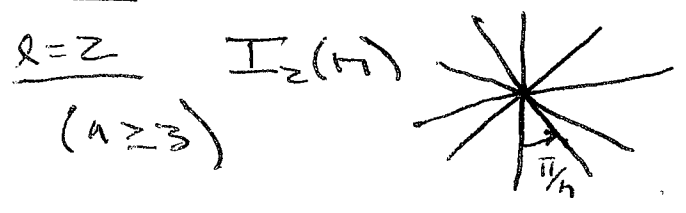
$$|\mathcal{R}_1 \times \mathcal{R}_2| = |\mathcal{R}_1| + |\mathcal{R}_2|$$

Def 5.2 \mathcal{R} is called irreducible iff \mathcal{R} can not be expressed as $\mathcal{R} = \mathcal{R}_1 \times \mathcal{R}_2$ with $\dim V_1 > 0$ & $\dim V_2 > 0$.

Thm 5.3: \mathcal{R} is irr. refl. arr

$\Rightarrow \mathcal{R}$ is one of the following

$l=1$ \mathcal{R}_1



- $A_2 = I_2(3)$
- $B_2 = I_2(4)$
- $G_2 = I_2(6)$

$l=3$ \mathcal{R}_3, B_3, A_3

$l=4$ $\mathcal{R}_4, B_4, D_4, F_4, A_4$

$l \geq 5$ A_l, B_l, D_l

- E_6
- F_4
- F_7
- F_8

P.9: $V = \langle e_1, \dots, e_r \rangle$

$$[e_i, e_j] = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{8}{9} & -\frac{1}{9} & \dots & -\frac{1}{9} \\ -\frac{1}{9} & \frac{8}{9} & & \\ \vdots & & \ddots & \\ -\frac{1}{9} & & & \frac{8}{9} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{R}_2 = \left\{ \ker(x_i - x_j) \right\} \cup \left\{ \ker(x_i + x_j + x_k) \right\} \\ \cup \left\{ \ker(x_{i_1} + \dots + x_{i_6}) \mid 1 \leq i_1 < \dots < i_6 \leq r \right\}$$

$$E_6 = \mathcal{R}_6, E_7 = \mathcal{R}_7$$

$$\Delta_{SSR} = \{ e_i - e_{i+1} \mid i=1, \dots, r-1 \} \cup \{ e_{r-2} + e_{r-1} + e_r \}$$

Find $|E_6|$ & $|E_7|$. Show E_6 & E_7 are refl. arr. Find the Coxeter diagrams of E_6 & E_7 .

6. Basic Invariants

\mathcal{R} refl. arr. in V , $\omega = \omega(\mathcal{R})$, V^* -dual

Def: 6.1 $\omega \curvearrowright V^*$ contragradient action

$$\langle \omega x, v \rangle = \langle x, \omega^* v \rangle \quad x \in V^*, v \in V, \omega \in W$$

Def 6.2 $\mathcal{S} := \mathcal{S}(V^*)$ the symmetric alg. of V^*/\mathcal{R}

Then $\mathcal{S} = \mathbb{K}[x_1, \dots, x_r]$ is polynomials on V

$$\mathcal{S} = \bigoplus_{p=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{S}_p \quad \mathcal{S}_1 = V^* \quad \omega \curvearrowright \mathcal{S}_p$$

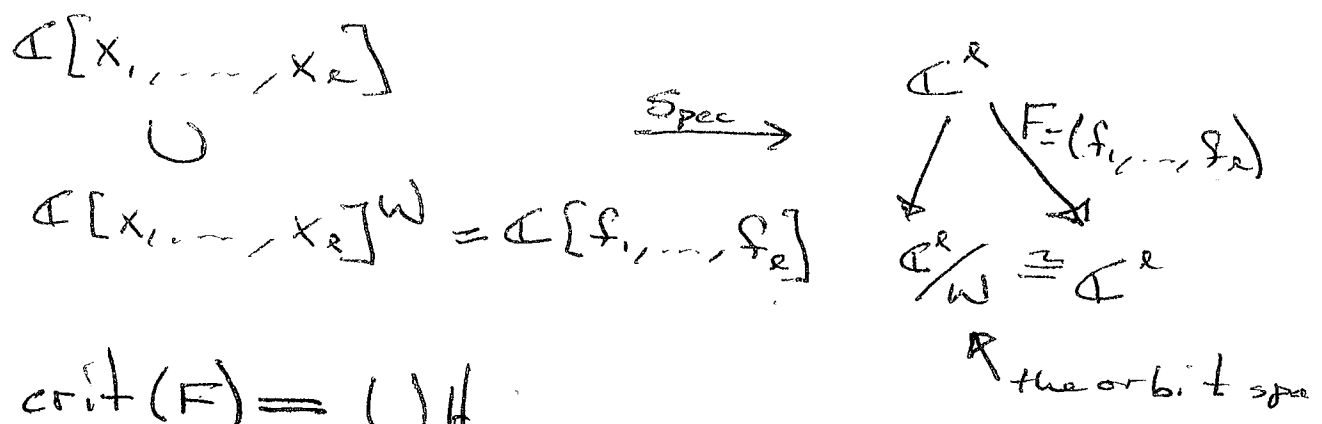
Thm 6.3 (Shephard-Todd 54, Chevalley 55)

$R = \mathbb{C}^W$ is (inv.) refl. arr.
the invariant subring

\Rightarrow (1) $\exists f_1, \dots, f_r \in R$ s.t. $R = \mathbb{C}[f_1, \dots, f_r]$
homog. alg. indep. {basic invariants}

(2) $\exists U \subset S$ s.t. $S = U \otimes R$
 W -stable

(3) $W \curvearrowright U$
regular representation



$\text{crit}(F) = \bigcup_{H \in \mathcal{H}} H$
the set of critical pts

$\{ \Delta(f_1, \dots, f_r) = 0 \}$
" $\det \left[\frac{\partial f_i}{\partial x_j} \right]$

Vandermonde determinate

$\mathbb{C}^r = \{ (x_1, \dots, x_{r+1}) \mid x_1 + \dots + x_{r+1} = 0 \}$
 $\downarrow (f_1, \dots, f_r)$
 \mathbb{C}^r

$f_j = \frac{1}{j+1} \sum_{k=1}^{r+1} x_k^{j+1}$ power sums

$$\begin{vmatrix} x_1 & x_1^2 & \dots & x_1^r \\ x_2 & & & \\ \vdots & & & \\ x_r & x_r^2 & \dots & x_r^r \end{vmatrix} = \prod (x_i - x_j)$$

Exponents f_1, \dots, f_r basic invariants

$$m_j = \deg f_j - 1 \quad (j=1, \dots, r)$$

\mathcal{R} irred. refl. arr.

$$1 = m_1 < m_2 \leq \dots \leq m_{r-1} < m_r$$

$h = m_r + 1$ is the Coxeter #

$$m_j + m_{r+1-j} = h \quad (j=1, \dots, r)$$

$$\text{Poin}(\mathcal{R}, t) = (1 + t^{m_1}) \dots (1 + t^{m_r})$$