

## Loading packages

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In[ ]:= << KnotTheory`
Get["C:\\drorbn\\AcademicPensieve\\People\\Frohlich\\221117\\RVT.m"] (* RVT-conversion program was
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Loading KnotTheory` version of February 2, 2020, 10:53:45.2097.  
Read more at <http://katlas.org/wiki/KnotTheory>.

## Formatting

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In[ ]:= Format[gdo_GDO] := Subsuperscript[E, Row[{gdo // getCO, "", gdo // getCC}],
      Row[{gdo // getDO, "", gdo // getDC}]] [gdo // getL, gdo // getQ, gdo // getP];
Format[pg_PG] := E [pg // getL, pg // getQ, pg // getP];

SubscriptFormat[v_] := (Format[v[i_]] := Subscript[v, i]);

SubscriptFormat /@ {y, b, t, a, x, η, β, α, ξ, A, B, T};
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In[ ]:= γ = 1; ħ = 1; $k = 0;
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In[ ]:= setValue[value_, obj_, coord_] := Module[{b = Association @@ obj}, b[coord] = value;
      Head[obj] @@ Normal@b]
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## PG["L"→L, "Q"→Q, "P"→P]=Perturbed Gaußian $Pe^{L+Q}$

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In[ ]:= fromE[e_E] := toPG @@ e /.
      Subscript[(v : y | b | t | a | x | B | T | η | β | τ | α | ξ | A), i_] → v[i]
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In[ ]:= toPG[L_, Q_, P_] := PG["L" → L, "Q" → Q, "P" → P]
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δ[i_, j_] := If[SameQ[i, j], 1, 0]
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getL[pg_PG] := Lookup[Association @@ pg, "L", 0]
getQ[pg_PG] := Lookup[Association @@ pg, "Q", 0]
getP[pg_PG] := Lookup[Association @@ pg, "P", 1]
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setL[L_][pg_PG] := setValue[L, pg, "L"];
setQ[Q_][pg_PG] := setValue[Q, pg, "Q"];
setP[P_][pg_PG] := setValue[P, pg, "P"];
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applyToL[f_][pg_PG] := pg // setL[pg // getL // f]
applyToQ[f_][pg_PG] := pg // setQ[pg // getQ // f]
applyToP[f_][pg_PG] := pg // setP[pg // getP // f]
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In[*]:= CCF[e_] := ExpandDenominator@
  ExpandNumerator@Together[Expand[e] /. E^x_ E^y_ => E^(x+y) /. E^x_ => E^CCF[x]];
CF[sd_SeriesData] := MapAt[CF, sd, 3];
CF[e_] := Module[{vs = Union[Cases[e, (y | b | t | a | x | η | β | τ | α | ξ)[_], ∞],
  {y, b, t, a, x, η, β, τ, α, ξ}]}, Total[CoefficientRules[Expand[e], vs] /.
  (ps_ -> c_) => CCF[c] (Times@@ (vs^ps))]];
CF[e_PG] := e // applyToL[CF] // applyToQ[CF] // applyToP[CF]

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In[*]:= PG /: Congruent[pg1_PG, pg2_PG] := And[CF[getL@pg1 == getL@pg2],
  CF[getQ@pg1 == getQ@pg2], CF[Normal[getP@pg1 - getP@pg2] == 0]]

PG /: pg1_PG * pg2_PG :=
  toPG[getL@pg1 + getL@pg2, getQ@pg1 + getQ@pg2, getP@pg1 * getP@pg2]

setEpsilonDegree[k_Integer][pg_PG] := setP[Series[Normal@getP@pg, {ε, 0, k}]] [pg]

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In[*]:= dds12vars = {y, b, t, a, x};
dds12varsDual = {η, β, τ, α, ξ};

Evaluate[Dual /@ dds12vars] = dds12varsDual;
Evaluate[Dual /@ dds12varsDual] = dds12vars;
Dual@z = ξ;
Dual@ξ = z;

Dual[u_[i_]] := Dual[u][i]

U21 = {B[i_]^p_ => E^(-p ħ γ b[i]), B^p_ => E^(-p ħ γ b), T[i_]^p_ => E^(-p ħ t[i]),
  T^p_ => E^(-p ħ t), A[i_]^p_ => E^(p γ α[i]), A^p_ => E^(-p γ α)};
l2U = {E^(c_. b[i_] + d_.) => B[i]^(-c / (ħ γ)) E^d,
  E^(c_. b + d_.) => B^(-c / (ħ γ)) E^d, E^(c_. t[i_] + d_.) => T[i]^(-c / ħ) E^d,
  E^(c_. t + d_.) => T^(-c / ħ) E^d, E^(c_. α[i_] + d_.) => A[i]^(c / γ) E^d,
  E^(c_. α + d_.) => A^(c / γ) E^d, E^expr_ => E^Expand@expr};

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## Differentiation

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In[ ]:= DD[f_, b] := D[f, b] - h γ BD[f, B];
DD[f_, b[i_]] := D[f, b[i]] - h γ B[i] D[f, B[i]];

DD[f_, t] := D[f, t] - h TD[f, T];
DD[f_, t[i_]] := D[f, t[i]] - h T[i] D[f, T[i]];

DD[f_, α] := D[f, α] + γ AD[f, A];
DD[f_, α[i_]] := D[f, α[i]] + γ A[i] D[f, A[i]];

DD[f_, v_] := D[f, v];
DD[f_, {v_, 0}] := f;
DD[f_, {}] := f;
DD[f_, {v_, n_Integer}] := DD[DD[f, v], {v, n - 1}];
DD[f_, {L_List, ls___}] := DD[DD[f, L], {ls}];

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## Finite zips

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In[ ]:= collect[sd_SeriesData, ζ_] := MapAt[collect[#, ζ] &, sd, 3];
collect[expr_, ζ_] := Collect[expr, ζ];

Zip[{}][P_] := P;
Zip[ζs_List][Ps_List] := Zip[ζs] /@ Ps;
Zip[{ζ_, ζs___}][P_] := (collect[P // Zip[{ζs}], ζ] /.
  f_. ζ^d_. => DD[f, {Dual[ζ], d}]) /.
  Dual[ζ] → 0 /.
  ((Dual[ζ] /. {b → B, t → T, α → A}) → 1)

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## Q-zips

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In[ ]:= QZip[ζs_List][pg_PG] :=
Module[{Q, P, ζ, z, zs, c, ys, ηs, qt, zrulerule, ζrule}, zs = Dual /@ ζs;
  Q = pg // getQ;
  P = pg // getP;
  c = CF[Q /. Alternatives @@ Union[ζs, zs] → 0];
  ys = CF /@ Table[D[Q, ζ] /. Alternatives @@ zs → 0, {ζ, ζs}];
  ηs = CF /@ Table[D[Q, z] /. Alternatives @@ ζs → 0, {z, zs}];
  qt = CF /@ # & /@ (Inverse@Table[δ[z, Dual[ζ]] - D[Q, z, ζ], {ζ, ζs}, {z, zs}]);
  zrulerule = Thread[zs → CF /@ (qt.(zs + ys))];
  ζrule = Thread[ζs → ζs + ηs.qt];
  CF@setQ[c + ηs.qt.ys]@setP[Det[qt] Zip[ζs][P /. Union[zrulerule, ζrule]]]@pg]

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## L - zips

In[ ]:=

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LZip[ξs_List][pg_PG] := Module[{L, Q, P, ξ, z, zs, Zs,
  c, ys, ηs, lt, zrule, Zrule, ξrule, Q1, EEQ, EQ, U}, zs = Dual /@ ξs;
  {L, Q, P} = Through[{getL, getQ, getP}@pg];
  Zs = zs /. {b → B, t → T, α → A};
  c = CF[L /. Alternatives @@ Union[ξs, zs] → 0 /. Alternatives @@ Zs → 1];
  ys = CF /@ Table[D[L, ξ] /. Alternatives @@ zs → 0, {ξ, ξs}];
  ηs = CF /@ Table[D[L, z] /. Alternatives @@ ξs → 0, {z, zs}];
  lt = CF /@ # & /@ Inverse@Table[δ[z, Dual[ξ]] - D[L, z, ξ], {ξ, ξs}, {z, zs}];
  zrule = Thread[zs → CF /@ (lt.(zs + ys))];
  Zrule = Join[zrule, zrule /.
    r_Rule ⇒ ((U = r[[1]] /. {b → B, t → T, α → A}) → (U /. U21 /. r // l2U))];
  ξrule = Thread[ξs → ξs + ηs.lt];
  Q1 = Q /. Union[Zrule, ξrule];
  EEQ[ps___] := EEQ[ps] = (CF[E^-Q1 DD[E^Q1, Thread[{zs, {ps}}]]) /.
    {Alternatives @@ zs → 0, Alternatives @@ Zs → 1});
  CF@toPG[c + ηs.lt.ys, Q1 /. {Alternatives @@ zs → 0, Alternatives @@ Zs → 1},
    Det[lt] (Zip[ξs] [(EQ @@ zs) (P /. Union[Zrule, ξrule])]) /.
    Derivative[ps___][EQ][___] ⇒ EEQ[ps] /. _EQ → 1)]]

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## Pairing of PG objects

In[ ]:=

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Pair[{}][L_PG, R_PG] := L R;
Pair[is_List][L_PG, R_PG] :=
  Module[{n}, Times[L /. ((v : b | B | t | T | a | x | y)[#] → v[n@#] & /@ is),
    R /. ((v : β | τ | α | A | ξ | η)[#] → v[n@#] & /@ is)] //
  LZip[Join@@Table[Through[{β, τ, a}[n@i]], {i, is}]] //
  QZip[Join@@Table[Through[{ξ, y}[n@i]], {i, is}]]]

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## GDO=Gaussian Differential Operator (PG with domain and range)

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In[*]:=
toGDO[do_List, dc_List, co_List, cc_List, L_, Q_, P_] :=
  GDO["do" → do, "dc" → dc, "co" → co, "cc" → cc, "PG" → toPG[L, Q, P]]

toGDO[do_List, dc_List, co_List, cc_List, pg_PG] :=
  GDO["do" → do, "dc" → dc, "co" → co, "cc" → cc, "PG" → pg]

getDO[gdo_GDO] := Lookup[Association@@gdo, "do", {}]
getDC[gdo_GDO] := Lookup[Association@@gdo, "dc", {}]
getCO[gdo_GDO] := Lookup[Association@@gdo, "co", {}]
getCC[gdo_GDO] := Lookup[Association@@gdo, "cc", {}]

getPG[gdo_GDO] := Lookup[Association@@gdo, "PG", PG[]]

getL[gdo_GDO] := gdo // getPG // getL
getQ[gdo_GDO] := gdo // getPG // getQ
getP[gdo_GDO] := gdo // getPG // getP

setPG[pg_PG][gdo_GDO] := setValue[pg, gdo, "PG"]

setL[L_][gdo_GDO] := setValue[setL[L][gdo // getPG], gdo, "PG"]
setQ[Q_][gdo_GDO] := setValue[setQ[Q][gdo // getPG], gdo, "PG"]
setP[P_][gdo_GDO] := setValue[setP[P][gdo // getPG], gdo, "PG"]

setDO[do_][gdo_GDO] := setValue[do, gdo, "do"]
setDC[dc_][gdo_GDO] := setValue[dc, gdo, "dc"]
setCO[co_][gdo_GDO] := setValue[co, gdo, "co"]
setCC[cc_][gdo_GDO] := setValue[cc, gdo, "cc"]

applyToDo[f_][gdo_GDO] := gdo // setDO[gdo // getDO // f]
applyToDC[f_][gdo_GDO] := gdo // setDC[gdo // getDC // f]
applyToCO[f_][gdo_GDO] := gdo // setCO[gdo // getCO // f]
applyToCC[f_][gdo_GDO] := gdo // setCC[gdo // getCC // f]

applyToPG[f_][gdo_GDO] := gdo // setPG[gdo // getPG // f]

applyToL[f_][gdo_GDO] := gdo // setL[gdo // getL // f]
applyToQ[f_][gdo_GDO] := gdo // setQ[gdo // getQ // f]
applyToP[f_][gdo_GDO] := gdo // setP[gdo // getP // f]

CF[e_GDO] :=
  e // applyToDo[Union] // applyToDC[Union] // applyToCO[Union] // applyToCC[Union] //
  applyToPG[CF]

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## Pairing of GDO's

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In[*]:= Pair[is_List][gdo1_GDO, gdo2_GDO] :=
  GDO["do" → Union[gdo1 // getDO, Complement[gdo2 // getDO, is]],
  "dc" → Union[gdo1 // getDC, gdo2 // getDC],
  "co" → Union[gdo2 // getCO, Complement[gdo1 // getCO, is]],
  "cc" → Union[gdo1 // getCC, gdo2 // getCC],
  "PG" → Pair[is][gdo1 // getPG, gdo2 // getPG]

gdo1_GDO // gdo2_GDO := Pair[Intersection[gdo1 // getCO, gdo2 // getDO]][gdo1, gdo2];

GDO /: Congruent[gdo1_GDO, gdo2_GDO] := And[Sort@*getDO /@ Equal[gdo1, gdo2],
  Sort@*getDC /@ Equal[gdo1, gdo2], Sort@*getCO /@ Equal[gdo1, gdo2],
  Sort@*getCC /@ Equal[gdo1, gdo2], Congruent[gdo1 // getPG, gdo2 // getPG]]

GDO /: gdo1_GDO gdo2_GDO := GDO["do" → Union[gdo1 // getDO, gdo2 // getDO],
  "dc" → Union[gdo1 // getDC, gdo2 // getDC], "co" → Union[gdo1 // getCO, gdo2 // getCO],
  "cc" → Union[gdo1 // getCC, gdo2 // getCC], "PG" → (gdo1 // getPG) * (gdo2 // getPG)]

setEpsilonDegree[k_Integer][gdo_GDO] := setP[Series[Normal@getP@gdo, {ε, 0, k}]] [gdo]

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## Conversion maps from old notation

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In[*]:= fromE[Subscript[℔, {do_List, dc_List} → {co_List, cc_List}][L_, Q_, P_]] :=
  toGDO[do, dc, co, cc, fromE[℔[L, Q, P]]]

fromE[Subscript[℔, dom_List → cod_List][L_, Q_, P_]] :=
  GDO["do" → dom, "co" → cod, "PG" → fromE[℔[L, Q, P]]]

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## Algebra building blocks

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In[*]:=
fromLog[L_] := CF@Module[{L, l0 = Limit[L, ε → 0]}, L = l0 /. (η | y | ξ | x) [_] → 0;
  PG["L" → L, "Q" → l0 - L] /. l2U]

cΔ = (η[i] + E^(-γ α[i] - ε β[i]) η[j] / (1 + γ ε η[j] ξ[i])) y[k] +
  (β[i] + β[j] + Log[1 + γ ε η[j] ξ[i]] / ε) b[k] + (α[i] + α[j] + Log[1 + γ ε η[j] ξ[i]] / γ)
  a[k] + (ξ[j] + E^(-γ α[j] - ε β[j]) ξ[i] / (1 + γ ε η[j] ξ[i])) x[k];

cm[i_, j_, k_] = GDO["do" → {i, j}, "co" → {k}, "PG" → fromLog[cΔ]];

cη[i_] = GDO["co" → {i}];
cσ[i_, j_] = GDO["do" → {i}, "co" → {j},
  "PG" → fromLog[β[i] b[j] + α[i] a[j] + η[i] y[j] + ξ[i] x[j]]];
cε[i_] = GDO["do" → {i}];
cΔ[i_, j_, k_] = GDO["do" → {i}, "co" → {j, k}, "PG" → fromLog[
  β[i] (b[j] + b[k]) + α[i] (a[j] + a[k]) + η[i] (y[j] + y[k]) + ξ[i] (x[j] + x[k])]];

sY[i_, j_, k_, l_, m_] = GDO["do" → {i}, "co" → {j, k, l, m},
  "PG" → fromLog[β[i] b[k] + α[i] a[l] + η[i] y[j] + ξ[i] x[m]]];

sS[i_] = GDO["do" → {i}, "co" → {i},
  "PG" → fromLog[-(β[i] b[i] + α[i] a[i] + η[i] y[i] + ξ[i] x[i])]];

cS[i_] = sS[i] // sY[i, 1, 2, 3, 4] // cm[4, 3, i] // cm[i, 2, i] // cm[i, 1, i];

cR[i_, j_] = GDO["co" → {i, j}, "PG" → toPG[ħ a[j] b[i], (B[i] - 1) / (-b[i]) x[j] y[i], 1]]

cRi[i_, j_] =
  GDO["co" → {i, j}, "PG" → toPG[-ħ a[j] b[i], (B[i] - 1) / (B[i] b[i]) x[j] y[i], 1]]

CC[i_] := GDO["co" → {i}, "PG" → PG["P" → B[i]^(1/2)]]
CCi[i_] := GDO["co" → {i}, "PG" → PG["P" → B[i]^(-1/2)]]
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Out[\*]=

$$E_{(i,j),\{\}}^{\{\},\{\}} \left[ a_j b_i, -\frac{(-1 + B_i) x_j y_i}{b_i}, 1 \right]$$

Out[\*]=

$$E_{(i,j),\{\}}^{\{\},\{\}} \left[ -a_j b_i, \frac{(-1 + B_i) x_j y_i}{b_i B_i}, 1 \right]$$

## Defining the trace

### Coefficient extractors

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In[*]:=
getConstLCoef::usage =
  "getConstLCoef[i][gdo] returns the terms in the L-portion of a GDO
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expression which are not a function of y[i], b[i], a[i], nor x[i]."
getConstLCoef[i_][gdo_] := (SeriesCoefficient[#, {b[i], 0, 0}] &)*
(Coefficient[#, y[i], 0] &)* (Coefficient[#, a[i], 0] &)*
(Coefficient[#, x[i], 0] &)* ReplaceAll[U21]@*getL@gdo

getConstQCoef::usage =
"getConstQCoef[i][gdo] returns the terms in the Q-portion of a GDO
expression which are not a function of y[i], b[i], a[i], nor x[i]."
getConstQCoef[i_][gdo_][bb_] :=
ReplaceAll[{b[i] → bb}]@* (Coefficient[#, y[i], 0] &)* (Coefficient[#, a[i], 0] &)*
(Coefficient[#, x[i], 0] &)* ReplaceAll[U21]@*getQ@gdo

getyCoef::usage = "getyCoef[i][gdo][b[i]]
returns the linear coefficient of y[i] as a function of b[i]."
getyCoef[i_][gdo_][bb_] := ReplaceAll[{b[i] → bb}]@* ReplaceAll[U21]@*
(Coefficient[#, x[i], 0] &)* (Coefficient[#, y[i], 1] &)* getQ@gdo

getbCoef::usage = "getbCoef[i][gdo] returns the linear coefficient of b[i]."
getbCoef[i_][gdo_] := (SeriesCoefficient[#, {b[i], 0, 1}] &)*
(Coefficient[#, a[i], 0] &)* (Coefficient[#, x[i], 0] &)*
(Coefficient[#, y[i], 0] &)* ReplaceAll[U21]@*getL@gdo

getPCoef::usage =
"getPCoef[i][gdo] returns the perturbation P of a GDO as a function of b[i]."
getPCoef[i_][gdo_][bb_] :=
ReplaceAll[{b[i] → bb}]@* (Coefficient[#, a[i], 0] &)* (Coefficient[#, x[i], 0] &)*
(Coefficient[#, y[i], 0] &)* ReplaceAll[U21]@*getP@gdo

getaCoef::usage = "getaCoef[i][gdo] returns the linear coefficient of a[i]."
getaCoef[i_][gdo_] := (SeriesCoefficient[#, {b[i], 0, 0}] &)*
(Coefficient[#, a[i], 1] &)* ReplaceAll[U21]@*getL@gdo

getxCoef::usage = "getxCoef[i][gdo][b[i]]
returns the linear coefficient of x[i] as a function of b[i]."
getxCoef[i_][gdo_][bb_] := ReplaceAll[{b[i] → bb}]@* ReplaceAll[U21]@*
(Coefficient[#, y[i], 0] &)* (Coefficient[#, x[i], 1] &)* getQ@gdo

getabCoef::usage = "getabCoef[i][gdo] returns the linear coefficient of a[i]b[i]."
getabCoef[i_][gdo_] := (SeriesCoefficient[#, {b[i], 0, 1}] &)*
(Coefficient[#, a[i], 1] &)* ReplaceAll[U21]@*getL@gdo

getxyCoef::usage = "getxyCoef[i][gdo][b[i]] returns
the linear coefficient of x[i]y[i] as a function of b[i]."
getxyCoef[i_][gdo_][bb_] := ReplaceAll[{b[i] → bb}]@* ReplaceAll[U21]@*
(Coefficient[#, x[i], 1] &)* (Coefficient[#, y[i], 1] &)* getQ@gdo

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Out[\*]=

`getConstLCoef[i][gdo]` returns the terms in the L-portion of a GDO expression which are not a function of  $y[i]$ ,  $b[i]$ ,  $a[i]$ , nor  $x[i]$ .

Out[\*]=

`getConstQCoef[i][gdo]` returns the terms in the Q-portion of a GDO expression which are not a function of  $y[i]$ ,  $b[i]$ ,  $a[i]$ , nor  $x[i]$ .

Out[\*]=

`getyCoef[i][gdo][b[i]]` returns the linear coefficient of  $y[i]$  as a function of  $b[i]$ .

Out[\*]=

`getbCoef[i][gdo]` returns the linear coefficient of  $b[i]$ .

Out[\*]=

`getPCoef[i][gdo]` returns the perturbation P of a GDO as a function of  $b[i]$ .

Out[\*]=

`getaCoef[i][gdo]` returns the linear coefficient of  $a[i]$ .

Out[\*]=

`getxCoeff[i][gdo][b[i]]` returns the linear coefficient of  $x[i]$  as a function of  $b[i]$ .

Out[\*]=

`getabCoef[i][gdo]` returns the linear coefficient of  $a[i]b[i]$ .

Out[\*]=

`getxyCoef[i][gdo][b[i]]` returns the linear coefficient of  $x[i]y[i]$  as a function of  $b[i]$ .

## The trace

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In[*]:= safeEval[f_][x_] := Module[{fx, x0},
  If[{fx = Quiet[f[x]]} == Indeterminate, Series[f[x0], {x0, x, 0}] // Normal, fx]]

closeComponent[i_][gdo_GDO] :=
  gdo // setCO[Complement[gdo // getCO, {i}]] // setCC[Union[gdo // getCC, {i}]]

tr::usage =
  "tr[i] computes the trace of a GDO element on component i. Current implementation
  assumes the Subscript[a, i] Subscript[b, i] term vanishes and $k=0."
tr::nonzeroSigma = "tr[`1`]: Component `1` has writhe: `2`, expected: 0."
tr[i_][gdo_GDO] :=
  Module[{cL = getConstLCoef[i][gdo], cQ = getConstQCoef[i][gdo], beta = getPCoef[i][gdo],
    eta = getyCoef[i][gdo], beta = getbCoef[i][gdo], alpha = getaCoef[i][gdo],
    xi = getxCoef[i][gdo], lambda = getxyCoef[i][gdo], ta}, ta = (1 - Exp[-alpha]) t[i];
  expL = cL + alpha a[i] + beta ta;
  expQ = safeEval[cQ[#] + t[i] eta[#] xi[#] / (1 - t[i] lambda[#]) &][ta];
  expP = safeEval[beta[#] / (1 - t[i] lambda[#]) &][ta];
  CF[{gdo // closeComponent[i] // setL[expL] // setQ[expQ] // setP[expP]} /. l2U]] //
  Module[{sigma = getabCoef[i][gdo]},
  If[sigma == 0, True, Message[tr::nonzeroSigma, i, ToString[sigma]];
  False]]
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Out[*]:= tr[i] computes the trace of a GDO element on component i. Current implementation
  assumes the Subscript[a, i] Subscript[b, i] term vanishes and $k=0.
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Out[*]:= tr[`1`]: Component `1` has writhe: `2`, expected: 0.
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## Z invariant

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In[*]:= CCn[i_][n_Integer] := Module[{j}, If[n == 0, GDO["co" -> {i}],
  If[n > 0, If[n == 1, CC[i], CC[j] // CCn[i][n - 1] // cm[i, j, i]],
  If[n == -1, CCI[i], CCI[j] // CCn[i][n + 1] // cm[i, j, i]]]]]

cm[{}, j_] := ceta[j]
cm[{i_}, j_] := csigma[i, j]
cm[{i_, j_}, k_] := cm[i, j, k]
cm[ii_List, k_] := Module[{i = First[ii], is = Rest[ii], j, js, l}, j = First[is];
  js = Rest[is];
  cm[i, j, l] // cm[Prepend[js, l], k]]

toGDO[Xp[i_, j_]] := cR[i, j]
toGDO[Xm[i_, j_]] := cRi[i, j]
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toGDO[{i_, n_}] := CCn[i][n]
toGDO[xs_Strand] := cm[List@@xs, First[xs]]
toGDO[xs_Loop] := Module[{x = First[xs]}, cm[List@@xs, x] // tr[x]]

toList[RVT[cs_List, xs_List, rs_List]] :=
  Flatten[#, 1] &@ ((toGDO /@ # &) /@ {xs, rs, cs})

getIndices[RVT[cs_List, _List, _List]] := Sort@Flatten[#, 1] &@ (List@@@cs)

ZFramed[rvt_RVT] := Fold[#2[#1] &, GDO["co" → getIndices@rvt], toList@rvt]

combineBySecond[L_List] := mergeWith[Total, #] & /@ GatherBy[L, First];
combineBySecond[Lis___] := combineBySecond[Join[Lis]]

mergeWith[f_, L_] := {L[[1, 1]], f@ (#[[2]] & /@ L)}

Reindex[RVT[cs_, xs_, rs_]] :=
  Module[{sf, cs2, xs2, rs2, repl, repl2}, sf = Flatten[List@@ # & /@ cs];
  repl = (Thread[sf → Range[Length[sf]]]);
  repl2 = repl /. {(a_ → b_) → ({a, i_} → {b, i})};
  cs2 = cs /. repl;
  xs2 = xs /. repl;
  rs2 = rs /. repl2;
  RVT[cs2, xs2, rs2]]

Unwrite[RVT[cs_List, xs_List, rs_List]] := Module[{lw},
  lw = Table[{1, Plus@@xs /. {Xp[i_, j_] => If[MemberQ[1, i] ^ MemberQ[1, j], 1, 0],
    Xm[i_, j_] => If[MemberQ[1, i] ^ MemberQ[1, j], -1, 0]}], {1, cs}];
  addLoops[L_, n_] := Join[L, Head[L] @@ Table[Subscript[Last[L], i], {i, 2 Abs[n]}]];
  Xn[n_] := If[n ≥ 0, Xm, Xp];
  (*Loops to counteract the write.*) addXings[L_, n_] := If[n == 0, {},
    Table[Xn[n][Subscript[Last[L], 2 i - 1], Subscript[Last[L], 2 i]], {i, Abs[n]}]];
  addRots[L_, n_] := {First@L, n};
  (*Print["lw: ", lw];*) Reindex@RVT[addLoops@@@lw,
    Join[xs, Flatten[addXings@@@lw], combineBySecond[rs, addRots@@@lw]]]

Z[L_RVT] := ZFramed[Unwrite[L]]

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## Partial Trace

In[\*]:=

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ptr[L_] := Module[{ZL = Z[L], cod}, cod = getCO@ZL;
  Table[(Composition@@Table[tr[j], {j, Complement[cod, {i}}])][ZL], {i, cod}]]

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## Reindexing of GDO's

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In[*]:= getGDOIndices [gdo_GDO] := Sort@Catenate@Through[{getDO, getDC, getCO, getCC}@gdo]

isolateVarIndices [i_ -> j_] := (v : y | b | t | a | x | η | β | α | ε | A | B | T) [i] -> v[j];

ReindexBy[f_] [gdo_GDO] :=
Module[{replacementRules, varIndexFunc, repFunc, indices = getGDOIndices[gdo]},
  replacementRules = Thread[indices -> (f /@ indices)];
  repFunc = ReplaceAll[replacementRules];
  varIndexFunc = ReplaceAll[Thread[isolateVarIndices[replacementRules]]];
  gdo // applyToPG[varIndexFunc] // applyToCO[repFunc] // applyToDo[repFunc] //
  applyToDC[repFunc] // applyToCC[repFunc]

fromAssoc[ass_] := Association[ass] [#] &

ReindexToInteger[gdos_List] :=
Module[{is = getGDOIndices@gdos[[1]], f}, f = fromAssoc@Thread[is -> Range[Length[is]]];
  ReindexBy[f] /@ gdos

getReindications[gdos_List] :=
Module[{gdosInt = ReindexToInteger[gdos], is, fs, ls}, is = getGDOIndices[gdosInt[[1]]];
  fs = (fromAssoc@*Association@*Thread) /@ (is -> # & /@ Permutations[is]);
  ls = CF@ReindexBy[#] /@ gdosInt & /@ fs;
  Sort[Sort /@ ls]

getCanonicalIndex[gdo_] := First@getReindications@gdo

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## Where the MVA is not stronger than ptr

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In[*]:= getCanonicalIndex@*ptr@*toRVT /@ {Link[5, Alternating, 1], Link[7, NonAlternating, 2]}

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Out[\*]=

$$\left\{ \left\{ \mathbb{E}_{\{1\}, \{2\}}^{\{\}, \{1\}} \left[ 0, 0, \frac{B_1}{B_1 + t_2 - 2 B_1 t_2 + B_1^2 t_2} \right], \mathbb{E}_{\{2\}, \{1\}}^{\{\}, \{1\}} \left[ 0, 0, \frac{B_2^{3/2}}{B_2 + t_1 - 2 B_2 t_1 + B_2^2 t_1} \right] \right\}, \right. \\ \left. \left\{ \mathbb{E}_{\{1\}, \{2\}}^{\{\}, \{1\}} \left[ 0, 0, \frac{B_1}{B_1 + t_2 - 2 B_1 t_2 + B_1^2 t_2} \right], \mathbb{E}_{\{2\}, \{1\}}^{\{\}, \{1\}} \left[ 0, 0, \frac{B_2^{5/2}}{1 - B_2 + B_2^2 + t_1 - 2 B_2 t_1 + B_2^2 t_1} \right] \right\} \right\}$$

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In[*]:= MultivariableAlexander[#] [B] & /@ {Link[5, Alternating, 1], Link[7, NonAlternating, 2]}

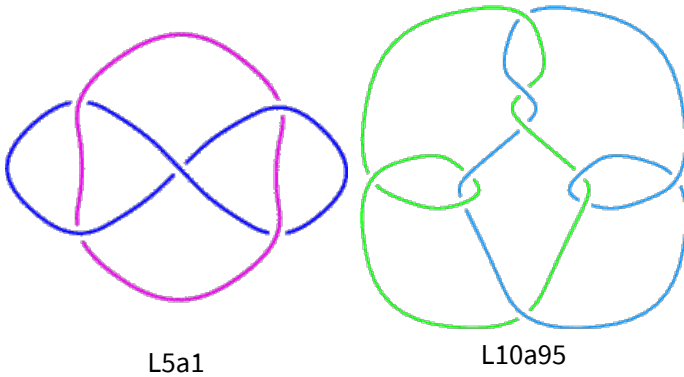
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**KnotTheory:** Loading precomputed data in MultivariableAlexander4Links`.

Out[\*]=

$$\left\{ \frac{(-1 + B_1) (-1 + B_2)}{\sqrt{B_1} \sqrt{B_2}}, \frac{(-1 + B_1) (-1 + B_2)}{\sqrt{B_1} \sqrt{B_2}} \right\}$$

## Where ptr is not stronger than the MVA



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In[ ]:= getCanonicalIndex@*ptr@*toRVT /@ {Link[5, Alternating, 1], Link[10, Alternating, 95]}
Out[ ]:=

$$\left\{ \left\{ \mathbb{E}_{(1), (2)}^{\{\}, \{\}} \left[ 0, 0, \frac{B_1}{B_1 + t_2 - 2 B_1 t_2 + B_1^2 t_2} \right], \mathbb{E}_{(2), (1)}^{\{\}, \{\}} \left[ 0, 0, \frac{B_2^{3/2}}{B_2 + t_1 - 2 B_2 t_1 + B_2^2 t_1} \right] \right\}, \right.$$


$$\left. \left\{ \mathbb{E}_{(1), (2)}^{\{\}, \{\}} \left[ 0, 0, \frac{B_1}{B_1 + t_2 - 2 B_1 t_2 + B_1^2 t_2} \right], \mathbb{E}_{(2), (1)}^{\{\}, \{\}} \left[ 0, 0, \frac{B_2^{3/2}}{B_2 + t_1 - 2 B_2 t_1 + B_2^2 t_1} \right] \right\} \right\}$$


In[ ]:= MultivariableAlexander[#][B] & /@ {Link[5, Alternating, 1], Link[10, Alternating, 95]}
Out[ ]:=

$$\left\{ \frac{(-1 + B_1) (-1 + B_2)}{\sqrt{B_1} \sqrt{B_2}}, - \frac{(-1 + B_1) (-1 + B_2) (-1 + B_1 + B_2) (-B_1 - B_2 + B_1 B_2)}{B_1^{3/2} B_2^{3/2}} \right\}$$


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## Where the MVA+A+A is not stronger than ptr?

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In[ ]:= toRVT[Link[2, Alternating, 1]]
Out[ ]:=
RVT[{{Strand[1, 2], Strand[3, 4]}, {Xm[1, 4], Xm[3, 2]}, {{1, 0}, {2, 0}, {3, 0}, {4, 1}}}]

In[ ]:= ptr[ε_] /; Head[ε] != RVT := ptr[toRVT[ε]]

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In[\*]:= **ptr** /@ **AllLinks** [ {2, 5} ]

Out[\*]=

$$\left\{ \left\{ \mathbb{E}_{\{1\},\{3\}}^{\{\},\{}} \left[ -a_3 b_1 + \frac{a_1 (1 - B_1) t_3}{B_1}, \frac{T_3 x_1 y_1 - T_3^{\frac{1}{B_1}} x_1 y_1}{b_1 T_3}, T_3^{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2B_1}} \right], \right. \right.$$

$$\left. \mathbb{E}_{\{3\},\{1\}}^{\{\},\{}} \left[ -a_1 b_3 + \frac{a_3 (1 - B_3) t_1}{B_3}, \frac{T_1 x_3 y_3 - T_1^{\frac{1}{B_3}} x_3 y_3}{b_3 T_1}, \sqrt{B_3} \right] \right\},$$

$$\left\{ \mathbb{E}_{\{1\},\{5\}}^{\{\},\{}} \left[ -2 a_5 b_1 + \frac{a_1 (2 - 2 B_1^2) t_5}{B_1^2}, \frac{T_5^2 x_1 y_1 - T_5^{\frac{2}{B_1^2}} x_1 y_1}{b_1 T_5^2}, \frac{T_5^{3/2} + B_1 T_5^{3/2}}{T_5^{1 + \frac{1}{2B_1^2}} + B_1 T_5^{\frac{3}{2B_1^2}}} \right], \right.$$

$$\left. \mathbb{E}_{\{5\},\{1\}}^{\{\},\{}} \left[ -2 a_1 b_5 + \frac{a_5 (2 - 2 B_5^2) t_1}{B_5^2}, \frac{T_1^2 x_5 y_5 - T_1^{\frac{2}{B_5^2}} x_5 y_5}{b_5 T_1^2}, \frac{\sqrt{B_5} T_1 + B_5^{3/2} T_1}{T_1 + B_5 T_1^{\frac{1}{B_5^2}}} \right] \right\},$$

$$\left\{ \mathbb{E}_{\{1\},\{5\}}^{\{\},\{}} \left[ 0, 0, \frac{B_1}{B_1 + t_5 - 2 B_1 t_5 + B_1^2 t_5} \right], \mathbb{E}_{\{5\},\{1\}}^{\{\},\{}} \left[ 0, 0, \frac{B_5^{3/2}}{B_5 + t_1 - 2 B_5 t_1 + B_5^2 t_1} \right] \right\}$$

Talk title: “Link invariants from the 2D Lie algebra: Some mysteries”

Abstract. A standard construction associates a tangle invariant  $Z$  with the 2D Lie algebra  $L$ ; it is fast to compute (poly time!), it is well-behaved under standard operations (strand stitching, strand doubling, etc.), and when restricted to knots, it yields the Alexander polynomial. In this talk we explain how a study of the co-invariants of the double of  $L$  leads to an invariant  $Y$  of links which we understand a lot less well:  $Y$  is still well behaved under knot operations, and when we can compute  $Y$ , the computation is easy. But we don't know how to compute  $Y$  algebraically for links with more than two components, and we don't know where  $Y$  fits in the bigger Alexander world: we give counterexamples to show that it is not a simple variant of the Alexander or multi-variable Alexander invariants.