

# Computation of Koszul homology and application to partial differential systems

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A fundamental notion: **formal integrability**

→ derivatives of  $F^{\rho}$ 's do not bring new integrability conditions

### Examples

$$(\Sigma_1): \dot{u} = u$$

→  $(\Sigma_1)$  is formally integrable with formal power series solutions

$$u_0 + u_0 t + \frac{u_0}{2} t^2 + \frac{u_0}{3!} t^3 + \dots$$

$$(\Sigma_2): u_{33} = u_{13}, \quad u_{23} = u_{13}, \quad u_{12} = u_{11}$$

→ derivatives of  $(\Sigma_2)$  yield coherent results, e.g.,

$$(u_{33})_2 = u_{123} = u_{113} \quad \text{and} \quad (u_{23})_3 = u_{133} = u_{113}$$

→  $(\Sigma_2)$  is formally integrable with formal power series solutions

$$u_0 + u_i x^i + \frac{u_{11}}{2} (x^1)^2 + u_{11} x^1 x^2 + u_{13} x^1 x^3 + \frac{u_{22}}{2} (x^2)^2 + u_{13} x^2 x^3 + \frac{u_{13}}{2} (x^3)^2 + \dots$$

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**Theorem (Goldschmidt).** If the symbol of  $\Sigma$  is 2-acyclic and if 1st derivatives of  $\Sigma$  do not bring new integrability conditions, then  $\Sigma$  is formally integrable

**Theorem (Serre).** Spencer and Koszul complexes are dual to each other

→ 2-acyclicity  $\Leftrightarrow$  Koszul homology vanishes in degree 2

**Our contribution:**

**effectively check** 2-acyclicity of **linear systems**

→ ORE MORPHISMS and ORE MODULES **Maple** packages

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where for basis elements  $(\chi_i)$  of  $T = \mathcal{A}_1^n$

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**Objective:** compute  $H_2 \rightarrow$  using OreMorphisms package

**Approach:** given  $\mathcal{M}_2 \xrightarrow{f} \mathcal{M}_1 \xrightarrow{g} \mathcal{M}_0$  s.t.  $g \circ f = 0$  and  $\mathcal{M}_i = \mathcal{A}^{1 \times p_i} / (\mathcal{A}^{1 \times q_i} R_i)$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 \mathcal{A}^{1 \times q_2} & \xrightarrow{\cdot R_2} & \mathcal{A}^{1 \times p_2} & \longrightarrow & \mathcal{M}_2 & \longrightarrow & 0 \\
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 \cdot Q_1 \downarrow & & \cdot P_1 \downarrow & & g \downarrow & & \\
 \mathcal{A}^{1 \times q_0} & \xrightarrow{\cdot R_0} & \mathcal{A}^{1 \times p_0} & \longrightarrow & \mathcal{M}_0 & \longrightarrow & 0
 \end{array}$$

OreMorphisms computes matrices  $S', S''$  s.t.  $\ker \begin{pmatrix} \cdot P_1 \\ \cdot R_0 \end{pmatrix} = \mathcal{A}^{1 \times s'} (S' \quad -S'')$  and

$$\ker(g)/\text{im}(f) = \mathcal{A}^{1 \times s'} S' / \left( \mathcal{A}^{1 \times (p_2 + q_2)} \begin{pmatrix} P_2 \\ R_1 \end{pmatrix} \right)$$

**Case of  $H_2$  Koszul homology:**  $\mathcal{M}_i = \Lambda^i T \otimes \mathcal{M}(\Sigma)$ ,  $f = \partial_{i+1}$ ,  $g = \partial_i$

$$\rightarrow R_i = I \otimes \sigma(R); P_i, Q_i = (\text{grad}, \text{curl}, \text{div}) \otimes I$$

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**Algorithmic side of the theorem**

Existence of a right factorization  
may be checked using OreModules

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Symbol module:  $\mathcal{A} := \mathbb{Q}[\chi_1, \chi_2, \chi_3]$

$$\mathcal{M}(\Sigma) = \mathcal{A} / \left( \mathcal{A}(-2)^{1 \times 3} \begin{pmatrix} \chi_3^2 - \chi_1 \chi_3 \\ \chi_2 \chi_3 - \chi_1 \chi_3 \\ \chi_1 \chi_2 - \chi_1^2 \end{pmatrix} \right)$$

2nd homology group:  $H_2 = \mathcal{A}^{1 \times 7} S' / (\mathcal{A}^{1 \times 10} S)$

$$S' = \begin{pmatrix} \chi_3 & \chi_3 & \chi_3 \\ \chi_1 & \chi_2 & \chi_3 \\ 0 & \chi_1 - \chi_2 & 0 \\ 0 & \chi_2 \chi_3 - \chi_3^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \chi_2 \chi_3 - \chi_3^2 \\ 0 & 0 & \chi_1 \chi_3 - \chi_3^2 \\ 0 & 0 & \chi_1^2 - \chi_1 \chi_2 \end{pmatrix} \quad S = \begin{pmatrix} \chi_1 & \chi_2 & \chi_3 \\ \chi_3^2 - \chi_1 \chi_3 & 0 & 0 \\ \chi_2 \chi_3 - \chi_1 \chi_3 & 0 & 0 \\ \chi_1 \chi_2 - \chi_1^2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \chi_3^2 - \chi_1 \chi_3 & 0 \\ 0 & \chi_2 \chi_3 - \chi_1 \chi_3 & 0 \\ 0 & \chi_1 \chi_2 - \chi_1^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \chi_3^2 - \chi_1 \chi_3 \\ 0 & 0 & \chi_2 \chi_3 - \chi_1 \chi_3 \\ 0 & 0 & \chi_1 \chi_2 - \chi_1^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

2-acyclicity test: **success**

$(\Sigma) : u_{33} = u_{22} = u_{13} = u_{12} = 0, u_{23} = \alpha u_{11} \quad (\alpha: \text{a parameter})$

**Symbol module:**  $\mathcal{A} := \mathbb{Q}[\alpha][\chi_1, \chi_2, \chi_3]$

$$\mathcal{M}_\alpha(\Sigma) = \mathcal{A} / \left( \mathcal{A}(-2)^{1 \times 5} \begin{pmatrix} \chi_3^2 & \chi_2 \chi_3 - \alpha \chi_1^2 & \chi_2^2 & \chi_1 \chi_3 & \chi_1 \chi_2 \end{pmatrix}^T \right)$$

**2nd homology group:**  $H_2 = \mathcal{A}^{1 \times 11} S' / (\mathcal{A}^{1 \times 16} S)$

$$S' = \begin{pmatrix} \chi_2 & 0 & \alpha \chi_1 \\ \chi_3 & \alpha \chi_1 & 0 \\ \chi_1 & 0 & 0 \\ \chi_2^2 & 0 & 0 \\ \chi_3^2 & 0 & 0 \\ \chi_2 \chi_3 & 0 & 0 \\ \chi_2^2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \chi_3 & 0 \\ 0 & \chi_2 & \chi_3 \\ 0 & 0 & \chi_2^2 \\ 0 & 0 & \chi_3^2 \\ 0 & 0 & \chi_1 \chi_3 \end{pmatrix} \quad S = \begin{pmatrix} \chi_1^2 & \chi_2 & \chi_3 \\ \chi_3^2 & 0 & 0 \\ \chi_2 \chi_3 - \alpha \chi_1^2 & 0 & 0 \\ \chi_2^2 & 0 & 0 \\ \chi_1 \chi_3 & 0 & 0 \\ \chi_1 \chi_2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \chi_3^2 & 0 \\ 0 & \chi_2 \chi_3 - \alpha \chi_1^2 & 0 \\ 0 & \chi_2^2 & 0 \\ 0 & \chi_1 \chi_3 & 0 \\ 0 & \chi_1 \chi_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \chi_3^2 \\ 0 & 0 & \chi_2 \chi_3 - \alpha \chi_1^2 \\ 0 & 0 & \chi_2^2 \\ 0 & 0 & \chi_1 \chi_3 \\ 0 & 0 & \chi_1 \chi_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

**2-acyclicity test: success.** Moreover,  $\mathcal{M}_\alpha(\Sigma)$  is **involution** iff  $\alpha \neq 0$

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**2-acyclicity test:** fail

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