# Computing the Lie algebra of the differential Galois group of a linear differential system (2/2) 

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## Abstract

- In this talk we explain how to compute the Lie algebra of the differential Galois group of some convenient $\partial Y=A Y$, using reduced forms.
- Then, we obtain an effective way to check the Morales-Ramis-Simó criterion.


# Differential Galois theory 

How to compute a reduced form?

Application: effective Morales-Ramis-Simó theorem

- Let $(\mathbf{k}, \partial)$ be a field equipped with a derivation.
$\rightarrow$ Take for example $\mathbf{k}:=\mathbb{C}(z)$ with classical derivation.
- Let $C:=\{\alpha \in \mathbf{k} \mid \partial \alpha=0\}$ and assume that $C$ is algebraically closed.
- We consider

$$
\begin{equation*}
\partial Y=A Y, \text { with } A \in \operatorname{Mat}(\mathbf{k}) \tag{1}
\end{equation*}
$$

## Picard-Vessiot extension

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A Picard-Vessiot extension for (1) is a diff. field extension $K \mid \mathbf{k}$ such that

- There exists $U \in \mathrm{GL}(K)$ such that $\partial U=A U$.
- $K \mid \mathbf{k}$ is generated by the entries of $U$.
- $\{\alpha \in K \mid \partial \alpha=0\}=\{\alpha \in \mathbf{k} \mid \partial \alpha=0\}=\boldsymbol{C}$.


## Proposition

There exists an unique Picard-Vessiot extension for (1).

## Differential Galois group

## Definition

The differential Galois group $G$ of (1) is the group of field automorphisms of $K$, commuting with the derivation and leaving all elements of $\mathbf{k}$ invariant.

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \rho_{U}: G \longrightarrow \\
& \varphi \longmapsto \\
& \longmapsto U^{-1}(C) \\
& \varphi(U)
\end{aligned}
$$

Theorem
The image $\rho_{U}(G)$ is a linear algebraic group.

## Gauge transformation

Let $A \in \operatorname{Mat}(\mathbf{k}), P \in \operatorname{GL}(\mathbf{k})$. We have

$$
\partial Y=A Y \Longleftrightarrow \partial[P Y]=P[A] P Y
$$

with

$$
P[A]:=P A P^{-1}+\partial(P) P^{-1}
$$

## Lie algebra of a matrix

- A Wei-Norman decomposition of $A$ is a finite sum of the form

$$
A=\sum a_{i} M_{i}
$$

where $M_{i}$ has coefficients in $C$ and the $a_{i} \in \mathbf{k}$ form a basis of the $C$-vector space spanned by the entries of $A$.

- Let $\operatorname{Lie}(A)$ be the Lie algebra generated by the $M_{i}$.
$\rightarrow$ Independent of the choice of the $a_{i}$.


## Kolchin-Kovacic reduction theorem

> Theorem (Kolchin-Kovacic reduction theorem)
> Assume that $\mathbf{k}$ is a $\mathcal{C}^{1}$-field ${ }^{1}$ and $G$ is connected. Let $\mathfrak{g}$ be the Lie algebra of $G$. Let $H \supset G$ be a connected linear algebraic group with Lie algebra $\mathfrak{h}$ such that $\operatorname{Lie}(A) \subset \mathfrak{h}$. Then, there exists a gauge transformation $P \in H(\mathbf{k})$ such that $\operatorname{Lie}(P[A]) \in \mathfrak{g}$.

> Definition
> If $\operatorname{Lie}(A) \in \mathfrak{g}$ we will say that (1) is in reduced form.

${ }^{1}$ Remind that $C(x)$ is a $\mathcal{C}^{1}$-field and any algebraic extension of a $\mathcal{C}^{1}$-field is a $\mathcal{C}^{1}$-field.

## Algorithm for reducing $\partial Y=A Y$

1. Factorize (1). We may then write

$$
A=\left(\begin{array}{cccc}
A_{k} & & & 0 \\
& \ddots & & \\
& & A_{2} & \\
S_{k} & & S_{2} & A_{1}
\end{array}\right)
$$

2. Compute the reduced form of $\partial Y=\operatorname{Diag}\left(A_{k}, \ldots, A_{1}\right) Y$.
3. For $\ell$ from 2 to $k$ compute the reduced form of

$$
\partial Y=\widetilde{A_{\ell}} Y
$$

where $\widetilde{A_{\ell}}$ is the triangular bloc matrices with blocs $A_{1}, \ldots, A_{k}, S_{2}, \ldots, S_{\ell}$ as in $A$ and with zeros elsewhere.
$\rightarrow$ See what follows.
At the end, we have computed the reduced form of $\partial Y=A Y!$

## Our goal

Let us consider

$$
\partial Y=\left(\begin{array}{c|c}
A_{1} & 0  \tag{2}\\
\hline S & A_{2}
\end{array}\right) Y=A Y, A \in \operatorname{Mat}(\mathbf{k})
$$

Assume that $\partial Y=\left(\begin{array}{c|c}A_{1} & 0 \\ \hline 0 & A_{2}\end{array}\right) Y=A_{\text {diag }} Y$ is in reduced form with an abelian Lie algebra. We want to put (2) in reduced form.
$\rightarrow$ In a work in progress with Weil, we treat the case of non abelian Lie algebra.

## Shape of the gauge transformation

Let $A_{\text {sub }}:=\left(\begin{array}{l|l}0 & 0 \\ \hline S & 0\end{array}\right)$.
Proposition (A-M,D,W)
There exists a gauge transformation

$$
P \in\left\{\operatorname{Id}+B, B \in \operatorname{Lie}\left(A_{\text {sub }}\right) \otimes \mathbf{k}\right\},
$$

such that $\partial Y=P[A] Y$ is in reduced form.
Corollary
Let $P \in\left\{\operatorname{Id}+B, B \in \operatorname{Lie}\left(A_{\text {sub }}\right) \otimes \mathbf{k}\right\}$, and assume that for all
$Q \in\left\{\operatorname{Id}+B, B \in \operatorname{Lie}\left(A_{\text {sub }}\right) \otimes \mathbf{k}\right\}, \operatorname{Lie}(Q[P[A]])=\operatorname{Lie}(P[A])$.
Then, $\partial Y=P[A] Y$ is in reduced form.

## The adjoin action

Proposition (A-M,D,W)

$$
\text { If } P:=\operatorname{Id}+\sum f_{i} B_{i} \text {, with } f_{i} \in \mathbf{k}, B_{i} \in \operatorname{Lie}\left(A_{\text {sub }}\right) \text {. Then }
$$

$$
P[A]=A+\sum f_{i}\left[B_{i}, A_{\text {diag }}\right]-\sum \partial\left(f_{i}\right) B_{i} .
$$

## Remark

The fact that $\partial Y=A_{\text {diag }} Y$ has an abelian Lie algebra implies that we may easily compute a Jordan normal form of $\Psi: X \mapsto\left[X, A_{\text {diag }}\right]$. Furthermore the eigenvalues of $\Psi$ belongs to $\mathbf{k}$.

Let $\lambda_{j}$ be the eigenvalues of $\Psi$. We have the decomposition:

$$
\operatorname{Lie}\left(A_{\text {sub }}\right) \otimes \mathbf{k}=\bigoplus_{i, j} E_{\lambda_{j}}^{(i)} \bigcap \operatorname{Lie}\left(A_{\text {sub }}\right) \otimes \mathbf{k}
$$

where

$$
E_{\lambda_{j}}^{(i)}:=\operatorname{ker}\left(\left(\Psi-\lambda_{j} \mathrm{Id}\right)^{i}\right) / \operatorname{ker}\left(\left(\Psi-\lambda_{j} \mathrm{Id}\right)^{i-1}\right)
$$

We are going to perform the reduction on the $E_{\lambda_{j}}^{(i)}$ separately.

## Reduction in a very particular case

Assume that $A_{\text {sub }}=b B, b \in \mathbf{k}, B$ constant, and $\Psi=\lambda \mathrm{Id}, \lambda \in \mathbf{k}$. Then

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \mathfrak{g}=\{0\} \\
& \text { I } \\
& \exists f \in \mathbf{k}, \text { s.t. Lie }((\operatorname{Id}+f B)[A])=\{0\} \\
& \text { § } \\
& \partial f=\lambda f+b .
\end{aligned}
$$

## Reduction on one level of a characteristic space

- Fix $m \in \mathbb{N}$. Write $A_{\text {sub }}=\bar{A}+\sum_{i} b_{i} B_{i}$, where $b_{i} \in \mathbf{k}, B_{i}$ form a constant basis of $E_{\lambda}^{(m)} \cap \operatorname{Lie}\left(A_{\text {sub }}\right) \otimes \mathbf{k}$.
- Compute a basis $\left(\left(g_{j}, \underline{c}_{(\bullet, j)}\right)\right)$ of elements in $\mathbf{k} \times C$ such that $\partial g_{j}=\lambda g_{j}+\sum_{i} c_{i, j} b_{i}$.
- Construct a constant invertible matrix $\bar{Q} \in \mathrm{GL}(C)$ whose first columns are the $\underline{c}_{(\bullet, j)}$. Let $\left(\gamma_{i, j}\right)=\bar{Q}^{-1}$.
- Let $f_{i}:=\sum_{j} \gamma_{i, j} g_{j}$. Perform $P_{\lambda}^{(m)}:=\mathrm{Id}+\sum_{i} f_{i} B_{i}$.


## Reduction in general

Theorem (A-M,D,W)
Let $P:=\prod_{i, j} P_{\lambda_{j}}^{(i)}$. Then, $\partial Y=P[A] Y$ is in reduced form.

## General principle of the Morales-Ramis-Simó theorem

Hamiltonian complex system
$\stackrel{\downarrow}{\downarrow}$ Variational equations
$\downarrow$
Differential Galois groups

## General principle of the Morales-Ramis-Simó theorem

Integrable Hamiltonian complex system


Theorem (Morales-Ramis-Simó)
Let us consider an Hamiltonian system and let $G_{p}$ be the differential Galois group of the variational equation of order p. If the Hamiltonian system is integrable, then for all p, the Lie algebra of $G_{p}$ is abelian.

## Shape of the variational equations

Let $\partial Y=A_{p} Y$ be the variational equation of order $p$. We have

$$
A_{p}:=\left(\begin{array}{c|c}
\operatorname{sym}^{p}\left(A_{1}\right) & 0 \\
\hline S_{p} & A_{p-1}
\end{array}\right) \in \operatorname{Mat}(\mathbb{C}(x))
$$

## Reduction of $\partial Y=A_{p+1} Y$

- Let $p \in \mathbb{N}$. Assume that $\partial Y=A_{p} Y$ is in reduced form and $G_{p}$ has an abelian Lie algebra.
- We use our previous work to put $\partial Y=A_{p+1} Y$ in reduced form.
- If $G_{p+1}$ has an abelian Lie algebra, we may put $\partial Y=A_{p+2} Y$ in reduced form.

