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$$\mathcal{D}\psi = \left[\begin{pmatrix} 0 & \partial \\ -\bar{\partial} & 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} U & 0 \\ 0 & V \end{pmatrix} \right] \psi = 0$$

where $\partial = \frac{\partial}{\partial z}$ and z is a conformal parameter

Given a torus $\Sigma \approx \mathbb{R}^2/\Lambda$, the Floquet function:

$$\mathcal{D}\varphi = 0, \quad \varphi(q + \gamma) = \mu(\gamma)\varphi(q),$$

where $q \in \mathbb{R}^2$, $\gamma \in \Lambda$.

The spectral curve:

$$\Gamma = \{P(\mu_1, \mu_2) = 0\} \subset \mathbb{C}^2$$

where $\mu_i = \mu(\gamma_i)$ and γ_1, γ_2 generate Λ .

From Γ and z we reconstruct

$$E(\Sigma) = \int_M UV \frac{idz \wedge d\bar{z}}{2} =$$

$$\stackrel{\text{for } \mathbb{R}^3}{=} \frac{1}{4} \mathcal{W} = \frac{1}{4} \int_M (H^2 + \hat{K}) d\mu.$$

$$f : \Sigma \rightarrow G$$

$$d_{\mathcal{A}} : \Omega^1(\Sigma; E) \rightarrow \Omega^2(\Sigma; E),$$

where $E = f^{-1}(TG) \xrightarrow{\pi} \Sigma$ is the pullback of TG and

$$\begin{aligned}\omega &= u dz + u^* d\bar{z}, \\ d_{\mathcal{A}}\omega &= d'_{\mathcal{A}}\omega + d''_{\mathcal{A}}\omega, \\ d'_{\mathcal{A}}\omega &= -\nabla_{\bar{\partial}} f u dz \wedge d\bar{z}, \\ d''_{\mathcal{A}}\omega &= \nabla_{\partial} f u^* dz \wedge d\bar{z}.\end{aligned}$$

The derivational equations:

$$d_{\mathcal{A}}(df) = 0,$$

$$d_{\mathcal{A}}(*df) = ie^{2\alpha} H N dz \wedge d\bar{z}$$

where N is the normal field, H is the mean curvature, and $e^{2\alpha} dz d\bar{z}$ is the metric.

$$\Psi = f^{-1}\partial f, \quad \Psi^* = f^{-1}\bar{\partial}f$$

$$\partial\Psi^* - \bar{\partial}\Psi + \nabla_{\Psi}\Psi^* - \nabla_{\Psi^*}\Psi = 0,$$

$$\partial\Psi^* + \bar{\partial}\Psi + \nabla_{\Psi}\Psi^* + \nabla_{\Psi^*}\Psi = e^{2\alpha}Hf^{-1}(N)$$

For $SU(2)$ and $H = 0$ we have

$$\bar{\partial}\Psi - \partial\Psi^* + [\Psi^*, \Psi] = 0, \quad \bar{\partial}\Psi + \partial\Psi^* = 0,$$

i.e. the following connection on $F^{-1}(TG)$:

$$\mathcal{A}_\lambda = \left(\partial + \frac{1 + \lambda^{-1}}{2}\Psi, \bar{\partial} + \frac{1 + \lambda}{2}\Psi^* \right),$$

is flat for all λ .

Thus we have the “integrability.”

$$\langle \Psi, \Psi \rangle = \langle \Psi^*, \Psi^* \rangle = 0, \quad \langle \Psi, \Psi^* \rangle = \frac{1}{2}e^{2\alpha}$$

$$\Psi = \sum_{k=1}^3 Z_k e_k, \quad \Psi^* = \sum_{k=1}^3 \bar{Z}_k e_k$$

$$Z_1^2 + Z_2^2 + Z_3^2 = 0$$

$$Z_1 = \frac{i}{2}(\bar{\psi}_2^2 + \psi_1^2), \quad Z_2 = \frac{1}{2}(\bar{\psi}_2^2 - \psi_1^2),$$

$$Z_3 = \psi_1 \bar{\psi}_2$$

$$f_z = f\Psi$$

$$ds^2 = e^{2\alpha} dz d\bar{z}, \quad e^\alpha = (|\psi_1|^2 + |\psi_2|^2),$$

$$\omega = A dz^2, \quad A = \langle \nabla_{f_z} f_z, N \rangle.$$

We consider the following Lie groups with Thurston's geometries:

$$\mathbb{R}^3, \quad SU(2), \quad \text{Nil}, \quad \widetilde{SL}_2, \quad \text{Sol}.$$

The bases e_1, e_2, e_3 in the Lie algebras are as follows:

- 1) Nil and \widetilde{SL}_2 admits rotations around the "e₃-axis";
- 2) $[e_1, e_2] = 0$ for Sol.

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$$\begin{pmatrix} \psi_1 \\ \psi_2 \end{pmatrix} \longrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} -\bar{\psi}_2 \\ \bar{\psi}_1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$U = V = \frac{1}{2}He^\alpha \quad \text{for } \mathbb{R}^3$$

$$U = \bar{V} = \frac{1}{2}(H - i)e^\alpha \quad \text{for } SU(2)$$

$$U = V = \frac{1}{2}He^\alpha + \frac{i}{4}(|\psi_2|^2 - |\psi_1|^2) \quad \text{for Nil}$$

$$U = \frac{1}{2}He^\alpha + i\left(\frac{1}{2}|\psi_1|^2 - \frac{3}{4}|\psi_2|^2\right),$$

$$V = \frac{1}{2}He^\alpha + i\left(\frac{3}{4}|\psi_1|^2 - \frac{1}{2}|\psi_2|^2\right) \quad \text{for } \widetilde{SL}_2$$

$$U_{\text{Sol}} = \frac{1}{2}He^\alpha + \frac{1}{2}\bar{\psi}_2\frac{\bar{\psi}_1}{\psi_1},$$

$$V_{\text{Sol}} = \frac{1}{2}He^\alpha + \frac{1}{2}\bar{\psi}_1\frac{\bar{\psi}_2}{\psi_2} \quad \text{for Sol}$$

Minimal surfaces:

$$\bar{\partial}\psi_1 = \partial\psi_2 = 0 \quad \text{for } \mathbb{R}^3$$

$$\bar{\partial}\psi_1 = -\frac{i}{2}(|\psi_1|^2 + |\psi_2|^2)\psi_2,$$

$$\partial\psi_2 = \frac{i}{2}(|\psi_1|^2 + |\psi_2|^2)\psi_1 \quad \text{for } SU(2)$$

$$\bar{\partial}\psi_1 = \frac{i}{4}(|\psi_2|^2 - |\psi_1|^2)\psi_1,$$

$$\partial\psi_2 = -\frac{i}{4}(|\psi_2|^2 - |\psi_1|^2)\psi_1 \quad \text{for Nil}$$

$$\bar{\partial}\psi_1 = i \left(\frac{3}{4}|\psi_1|^2 - \frac{1}{2}|\psi_2|^2 \right) \psi_2,$$

$$\partial\psi_2 = -i \left(\frac{1}{2}|\psi_1|^2 - \frac{3}{4}|\psi_2|^2 \right) \psi_1 \quad \text{for } \widetilde{SL}_2$$

$$\bar{\partial}\psi_1 = \frac{1}{2}\bar{\psi}_1^2\bar{\psi}_2, \quad \partial\psi_2 = -\frac{1}{2}\bar{\psi}_1\bar{\psi}_2^2 \quad \text{for Sol}$$

Constant mean curvature surfaces:

$$A_{\bar{z}} = 0 \quad \text{for } \mathbb{R}^3, SU(2)$$

$$\left(A + \frac{Z_3^2}{2H + i} \right)_{\bar{z}} = 0 \quad \text{for Nil}$$

$$\left(A + \frac{5}{2(H - i)} Z_3^2 \right)_{\bar{z}} = 0 \quad \text{for } \widetilde{SL}_2$$

? for Sol

- a surface is CMC in \mathbb{R}^3 , $SU(2)$, and Nil iff the equation holds
- if a surface in \widetilde{SL}_2 is CMC then the equation holds (similar equations are known for $S^2 \times \mathbb{R}$ and $H^2 \times \mathbb{R}$ (Abresch–Rosenberg))
- the equations for Nil and \widetilde{SL}_2 were derived by Abresch

The energy:

$$\frac{1}{4} \int H^2 d\mu \quad \text{for } \mathbb{R}^3$$

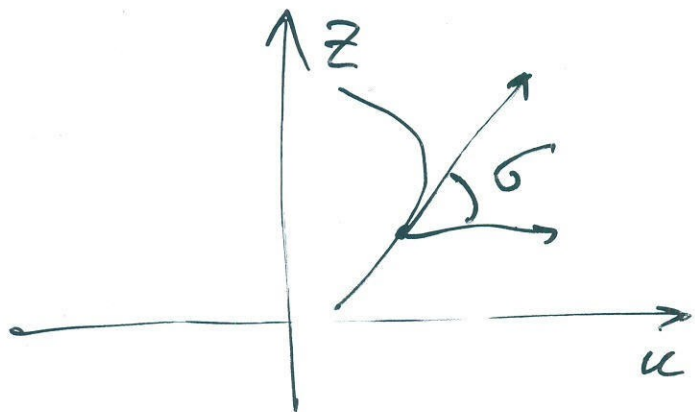
$$\frac{1}{4} \int (H^2 + 1) d\mu \quad \text{for } SU(2)$$

$$\frac{1}{4} \int \left(H^2 + \frac{\widehat{K}}{4} - \frac{1}{16} \right) d\mu \quad \text{for Nil}$$

$$\frac{1}{4} \int \left(H^2 + \frac{5}{16} \widehat{K} - \frac{1}{4} \right) d\mu \quad \text{for } \widetilde{SL}_2$$

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$$V_H = \frac{4\pi}{H} - \frac{4H^2 - 3}{4H} S_H, \quad H > 0$$



$$d\sigma^2 = du^2 + \frac{4u^2}{4u^2 + u^4} dv^2$$

$$E = \int u v d\mu = \frac{\pi}{8} \int \left(\sigma - \frac{\sin \sigma}{u} \right)^2 \sqrt{4u^2 + u^4} ds$$

+ topological term
 $(= \frac{1}{4} \chi(M))$

CMC revolution sphere $\Leftrightarrow \dot{\sigma} = \frac{\sin \sigma}{u}$

$$\Delta H + 2H(H^2 - k) + 2e^{-4\alpha} (A \bar{z}_3^2 + \bar{A} z_3^2) = 0$$