

複素旗多様体内の実旗多様体の交叉の構造

On the structure of the intersection of real flag manifolds
in a complex flag manifold

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The intersection of real forms in a Herm. symm. space

G/K : compact symmetric space

$A \subset G/K$: **antipodal set** $\stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff} s_x(y) = y$ for all $x, y \in A$

Theorem (Tasaki (2010), Tanaka-Tasaki (2011))

G/K : Hermitian symmetric space of compact type

$L_1, L_2 \subset G/K$: real forms, L_1 and L_2 intersect transversally

$\implies L_1 \cap L_2$ is an antipodal set of L_1 and L_2 .

In addition, if L_1 and L_2 are congruent to each other,
then $L_1 \cap L_2$ is a great antipodal set of L_1 and L_2 .

Complex flag manifolds and real flag manifolds

G : connected compact semisimple Lie group

$H \in \mathfrak{g}$

$M_{\mathbb{C}} := \text{Ad}(G)H \subset \mathfrak{g}$: **complex flag manifold**

$$M_{\mathbb{C}} = \text{Ad}(G)H \cong G/G_H \cong G^{\mathbb{C}}/P$$

G/K : Riemannian symmetric space of compact type

$$\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{k} \oplus \mathfrak{p}$$

$H \in \mathfrak{p}$

$M := \text{Ad}(K)H \subset \mathfrak{m}$: **real flag manifold**

$$M = \text{Ad}(K)H \cong K/K_H$$

$M = \text{Ad}(K)H \subset \text{Ad}(G)H = M_{\mathbb{C}}$: **real form**

Antipodal set of a complex flag manifold (1/2)

Δ : root system of $\mathfrak{g}^{\mathbb{C}}$ w.r.t. $\mathfrak{t} \subset \mathfrak{g}$

F : fundamental system of Δ

$$\mathfrak{g}_H = \{X \in \mathfrak{g} \mid [H, X] = 0\} = \mathfrak{t} + \mathfrak{g} \cap \sum_{\substack{\alpha \in \Delta \\ \alpha(H) = 0}} \mathfrak{g}_{\alpha}$$

$$Z := \sum_{\substack{\alpha \in F \\ \alpha(H) \neq 0}} H_{\alpha} \in \mathfrak{t}$$

$$g_k := \exp \frac{2\pi}{k} Z \in \exp \mathfrak{t} \subset G_H$$

$$s_H^{(k)} : M_{\mathbb{C}} \rightarrow M_{\mathbb{C}}; \quad x \mapsto \text{Ad}(g_k)x$$

Then $s_H^{(k)}$ defines a k -symmetric structure on $M_{\mathbb{C}}$, if $k \geq k_0$.

$A_k \subset M_{\mathbb{C}}$: **antipodal set** $\overset{\text{def}}{\iff} s_x^{(k)}(y) = y$ for all $x, y \in A_k$

Antipodal set of a complex flag manifold (2/2)

Theorem

For any $x \in M_{\mathbb{C}}$, the fixed point set of $s_x^{(k)}$ is

$$F(s_x^{(k)}, M_{\mathbb{C}}) = \{y \in M_{\mathbb{C}} \mid [x, y] = 0\}.$$

In particular, $F(s_x^{(k)}, M_{\mathbb{C}})$ is independent of the choice of $k \geq k_0$.

Theorem

$A \subset M_{\mathbb{C}}$: maximal antipodal set

$\Rightarrow \exists \mathfrak{t}' \subset \mathfrak{g}$: maximal abelian subalgebra s.t.

$$A = M_{\mathbb{C}} \cap \mathfrak{t}'.$$

Hence A is an orbit of the Weyl group of \mathfrak{g} with respect to \mathfrak{t}' .

Maximal antipodal sets of $M_{\mathbb{C}}$ are conjugate to each other by G .



The intersection of real flag manifolds (1/2)

$$F_{n_1, \dots, n_r}(\mathbb{K}^n) := \left\{ (V_1, \dots, V_r) \mid \begin{array}{l} V_1 \subset V_2 \subset \cdots \subset V_r \subset \mathbb{K}^n \\ \dim V_i = n_1 + \cdots + n_i \end{array} \right\}$$

$$F_{n_1, \dots, n_r}(\mathbb{C}^n) \cong SU(n)/S(U(n_1) \times \cdots \times U(n_{r+1}))$$

$$F_{n_1, \dots, n_r}(\mathbb{R}^n) \cong SO(n)/S(O(n_1) \times \cdots \times O(n_{r+1}))$$

$$F_{n_1, \dots, n_r}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset F_{n_1, \dots, n_r}(\mathbb{C}^n) : \text{real form}$$

Lemma

For any $u \in U(n)$ there exist $z_i \in U(1)$ ($1 \leq i \leq n$) and positively oriented orthonormal bases v_1, \dots, v_n and w_1, \dots, w_n of \mathbb{R}^n which satisfy

$$uw_i = z_i v_i \quad (1 \leq i \leq n), \quad \det u = z_1 \cdots z_n.$$



The intersection of real flag manifolds (2/2)

Theorem

For $u \in U(n)$,

$F_{n_1, \dots, n_r}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ and $F_{n_1, \dots, n_r}(u\mathbb{R}^n)$ intersect transversally

$$\iff z_i \neq \pm z_j \ (i \neq j).$$

$F_{n_1, \dots, n_r}(\mathbb{R}^n) \cap F_{n_1, \dots, n_r}(u\mathbb{R}^n)$

$= \{(\langle v_{i_1}, \dots, v_{i_{n_1}} \rangle_{\mathbb{C}}, \langle v_{i_1}, \dots, v_{i_{n_1+n_2}} \rangle_{\mathbb{C}}, \dots, \langle v_{i_1}, \dots, v_{i_{n_1+\dots+n_r}} \rangle_{\mathbb{C}})$

$| 1 \leq i_1 < \dots < i_{n_1} \leq n, 1 \leq i_{n_1+1} < \dots < i_{n_1+n_2} \leq n, \dots,$

$1 \leq i_{n_1+\dots+n_{r-1}+1} < \dots < i_{n_1+\dots+n_r} \leq n,$

$\#\{i_1, \dots, i_{n_1+\dots+n_r}\} = n_1 + \dots + n_r\},$

that is a maximal antipodal set of $F_{n_1, \dots, n_r}(\mathbb{C}^n)$.

The intersection number

Corollary

If $F_{n_1, \dots, n_r}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ and $F_{n_1, \dots, n_r}(u\mathbb{R}^n)$ intersect transversally, then

$$\begin{aligned}& \#(F_{n_1, \dots, n_r}(\mathbb{R}^n) \cap F_{n_1, \dots, n_r}(u\mathbb{R}^n)) \\&= \#_k(F_{n_1, \dots, n_r}(\mathbb{C}^n)) = \dim H^*(F_{n_1, \dots, n_r}(\mathbb{C}^n), \mathbb{Z}_2) \\&= \#_I(F_{n_1, \dots, n_r}(\mathbb{R}^n)) = \dim H^*(F_{n_1, \dots, n_r}(\mathbb{R}^n), \mathbb{Z}_2) \\&= \frac{n!}{n_1! n_2! \cdots n_{r+1}!}\end{aligned}$$