

# Noncommutative hamiltonian formalism for noncommutative gravity

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Both **Hamiltonian methods** and **noncommutative geometry** have a long history in theoretical physics (and mathematics)

brought together already many decades ago  
(quantum phase space, Dirac 1925)

In this talk: **twisted hamiltonian formalism**, application to twisted vierbein gravity

abelian twist  $\longrightarrow$  star (exterior) product

# The logic

Classical gravity:  
forms, wedge product

$$\int R^{ab} \wedge V^c \wedge V^d \varepsilon_{abcd}$$

Legendre  
↓

Hamiltonian  
Poisson bracket  
Canonical transformations  
Symmetry generators

Noncommutative gravity:  
forms,  $\star$  - wedge product

$$\int R^{ab} \wedge_{\star} V^c \wedge_{\star} V^d \varepsilon_{abcd}$$

twist  
→

$\star$  - Legendre  
↓

$\star$  - Hamiltonian  
 $\star$  - Poisson bracket  
 $\star$  - Canonical transformations  
 $\star$  - Symmetry generators

## NC field theories, $\star$ product

- Field theories on NC spaces become especially tractable when non commutativity is encoded in a twisted  $\star$ product (noncommutative, associative) between ordinary fields
- Example: **Moyal-Groenewold**  $\star$  product:

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) \star g(x) &\equiv f(x) \exp\left[\frac{i}{2} \theta^{\mu\nu} \overleftarrow{\partial}_\mu \overrightarrow{\partial}_\nu\right] g(x) \\ &= fg + \frac{i}{2} \theta^{\mu\nu} \partial_\mu f \partial_\nu g + \frac{1}{2!} \left(\frac{i}{2}\right)^2 \theta^{\mu\nu} \theta^{\rho\sigma} (\partial_\mu \partial_\rho f) (\partial_\nu \partial_\sigma g) + \dots \end{aligned}$$

- generalization: abelian twist

$$\partial_\mu \rightarrow X_A = X_A^\mu(x) \partial_\mu \quad \text{with} \quad [X_A, X_B] = 0$$

$$f(x) \star g(x) \equiv fg + \frac{i}{2} \theta^{AB} X_A^\mu(x) X_B^\nu(x) \partial_\mu f \partial_\nu g + \dots$$

- extension to p-forms:  $\wedge_\star$  - product

$$X_A \rightarrow \ell_{X_A} \quad (\text{Lie derivative})$$

$$\tau \wedge_\star \tau' \equiv \tau \wedge \tau' + \frac{i}{2} \theta^{AB} \ell_{X_A} \tau \wedge \ell_{X_B} \tau' + \dots$$

- Properties

- Leibniz rule

$$d(\tau \wedge_{\star} \tau') = d\tau \wedge_{\star} \tau' + (-)^{\deg(\tau)} \tau \wedge_{\star} d\tau'$$

- Integration: graded cyclicity

$$\int \tau \wedge_{\star} \tau' = (-)^{\deg(\tau)\deg(\tau')} \int \tau' \wedge_{\star} \tau$$

- Complex conjugation

$$(\tau \wedge_{\star} \tau')^* = (-)^{\deg(\tau)\deg(\tau')} \tau'^* \wedge_{\star} \tau^*$$

NB only need these properties in the sequel. Satisfied by abelian twist, but more general  $\wedge_{\star}$  could still satisfy them ?



Sir William Rowan Hamilton, 1805 - 1865



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## Noncommutative hamiltonian formalism

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# 1. Covariant hamiltonian formalism

- The language of **differential forms** is natural for geometric theories, for ex. (super)gravity
- Forms suggest a **covariant hamiltonian** treatment, since derivatives of fields  $\phi$  appear as  $d\phi$
- Actions: integrals of  $d$ -form Lagrangians
- Forms are multiplied with the exterior (wedge) product  $\wedge$

# Geometric theories with p-form fields

$$S = \int_{\mathcal{M}^d} L(\phi_i, d\phi_i)$$

$\phi_i$  are  $p_i$ -forms

- Variational principle

$$\delta S = \int_{\mathcal{M}^d} \delta\phi_i \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} L}{\partial\phi_i} + d(\delta\phi_i) \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} L}{\partial(d\phi_i)}$$

all products are exterior products

form derivatives acting from the left

- Euler-Lagrange eq.s

$$d \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} L}{\partial(d\phi_i)} - (-)^{p_i} \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} L}{\partial\phi_i} = 0$$

# Form Legendre transformation

- usual field momenta

$$\pi(x) = \frac{\partial L}{\partial(\partial_0\phi(x))}$$

with  $0$  - form fields and Lagrangian

- **form** field momenta

$$\pi(x) = \frac{\partial L}{\partial(d\phi(x))}$$

$(d - p - 1)$  - form

with  $p$  - form fields and  $d$  - form Lagrangian

# Form Hamiltonian

- $(d - p_i - 1)$  - form momenta

$$\pi^i \equiv \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} L}{\partial(d\phi_i)}$$

- $d$  - form Hamiltonian

$$H = d\phi_i \pi^i - L = H(\phi_i, \pi^i)$$

- Hamilton eq.s

$$d\phi_i = (-)^{(d+1)(p_i+1)} \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} H}{\partial \pi^i}$$

$$d\pi^i = (-)^{p_i+1} \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} H}{\partial \phi_i}$$

**equivalent** to the Euler-Lagrange eq.s

## Form Poisson bracket (FPB)

- from the on-shell differential:

$$dF = d\phi_i \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} F}{\partial \phi_i} + d\pi^i \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} F}{\partial \pi^i} =$$

$$\frac{\overleftarrow{\partial} H}{\partial \pi^i} \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} F}{\partial \phi_i} - (-)^{p_i d} \frac{\overleftarrow{\partial} H}{\partial \phi_i} \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} F}{\partial \pi^i} \equiv \{F, H\}$$

using  $\frac{\overleftarrow{\partial} F}{\partial A} = (-)^{a(f+1)} \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} F}{\partial A}$

- The FPB  $\{A, B\}$  is a  $(a + b - d + 1)$  - form
- Canonical rel.s  $\{\phi_i, \pi^j\} = \delta_i^j$

# Properties of the form Poisson bracket

$$\{B, A\} = -(-)^{(a+d+1)(b+d+1)} \{A, B\}$$

(anti)symmetry

$$\{A, BC\} = B\{A, C\} + (-)^{c(a+d+1)} \{A, B\}C$$

derivation

$$\{AB, C\} = \{A, C\}B + (-)^{a(c+d+1)} A\{B, C\}$$

$$(-)^{(a+d+1)(c+d+1)} \{A, \{B, C\}\} + \text{cyclic} = 0$$

Jacobi

$$(-)^{(a+d+1)(b+d+1)} \{\{B, C\}, A\} + \text{cyclic} = 0$$



# Gravity in d=4

- Lagrangian

$$L(\phi, d\phi) = R^{ab}V^cV^d\epsilon_{abcd} = d\omega^{ab}V^cV^d\epsilon_{abcd} - \omega^a_e\omega^{eb}V^cV^d\epsilon_{abcd}$$

- 2 - form momenta

$$\pi_a = \frac{\partial L}{\partial(dV^a)} = 0$$

$$\pi_{ab} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial(d\omega^{ab})} = V^cV^d\epsilon_{abcd}$$

both momenta definitions are **primary constraints**

$$\Phi_a \equiv \pi_a = 0, \quad \Phi_{ab} \equiv \pi_{ab} - V^cV^d\epsilon_{abcd} = 0$$

- Hamiltonian

$$\begin{aligned}
 H &= dV^a \pi_a + d\omega^{ab} \pi_{ab} - d\omega^{ab} V^c V^d \epsilon_{abcd} + \omega^a_e \omega^{eb} V^c V^d \epsilon_{abcd} = \\
 &= dV^a \Phi_a + d\omega^{ab} \Phi_{ab} + \omega^a_e \omega^{eb} V^c V^d \epsilon_{abcd}
 \end{aligned}$$

- Hamilton eq.s

$$d\pi_a = \frac{\partial H}{\partial V^a} = -2R^{bc} V^d \epsilon_{abcd}$$

$$d\pi_{ab} = \frac{\partial H}{\partial \omega^{ab}} = 2\omega^c_{[a} V^d V^e \epsilon_{b]cde}$$

velocities  $dV^a$  and  $d\omega^{ab}$  undetermined at this stage

- using the constraints in the Hamilton eq.s yields the **field equations** :

$$d\Phi_a = \{\Phi_a, H\} = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad R^{bc} V^d \varepsilon_{abcd} = 0 \quad \text{Einstein eq.s}$$

$$d\Phi_{ab} = \{\Phi_{ab}, H\} = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad R^c V^d \varepsilon_{abcd} = 0 \quad \text{zero torsion}$$

- these eq.s partially determine the “velocities”

$$dV^a = \omega^a_b V^b$$

$$d\omega^{ab} \quad \text{constrained by Einstein eq.s}$$

- constraint algebra

$$\{\Phi_a, \Phi_b\} = \{\Phi_{ab}, \Phi_{cd}\} = 0; \quad \{\Phi_a, \Phi_{bc}\} = -2\varepsilon_{abcd}V^d$$

Thus constraints are not all **first-class**, and this is consistent with some “velocities” getting fixed by requiring “conservation” of the primary constraints.

# Infinitesimal canonical transformations

- on any  $a$  - form  $A$  :

$$\delta A = \varepsilon \{A, G\}$$

where the generator  $G$  is a  $(d - 1)$  - form

Then  $\{A, G\}$  is a  $a$  - form like  $A$

- preserve commutation relations with FPB
- the commutator of two infinitesimal canonical transformations generated by  $G_1$  and  $G_2$  is again a canonical transformation, generated by

$$\{G_1, G_2\}$$

# Action invariance and Noether theorems

- canonical **global** transformations

$$\delta\phi_i = \{\phi_i, G\} = \frac{\overleftarrow{\partial} G}{\partial\pi^i}, \quad \delta\pi^i = \{\pi^i, G\} = -(-)^{p_i d} \frac{\overleftarrow{\partial} G}{\partial\phi_i},$$

$$S = \int_{\mathcal{M}^d} d\phi_i \pi^i - H$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta S &= \int_{\mathcal{M}^d} d(\delta\phi_i)\pi^i + d\phi_i\delta\pi^i - \delta H = \\ &= \int_{\mathcal{M}^d} d(\delta\phi_i\pi^i - G) - \{H, G\} \end{aligned}$$



The action is invariant, up to bdy term, under the canonical form-transformation generated by  $G$  iff

$$\{H, G\} = 0 \quad \text{up to total der}$$

- Noether charges

on shell (i.e. using Hamilton eq.s):

$$dG = \{G, H\}$$

thus if  $G$  generates a symmetry, on shell  $dG=0$ .  
Then by Stokes theorem, on shell the integral

$$\mathcal{G}(t) = \int_{\mathcal{S}} G$$

with  $\mathcal{S}$  (d-1)-dim slice of the manifold  $\mathcal{M}^d$ , and  
fields with suitable bdy conditions “at the end of the slice” ,

is conserved in  $t$ , the coordinate parametrizing the slice foliation

- canonical **local** transf. generated by  $\varepsilon(x)G + (d\varepsilon) F$

$$\delta S = \int_{\partial\mathcal{M}^d} \varepsilon(\{\phi_i, G\}\pi^i - G) + d\varepsilon(\{\phi_i, F\}\pi^i - F) \\ + \int_{\mathcal{M}^d} [d\varepsilon (G - \{H, F\}) - \varepsilon\{H, G\}]$$

are symmetries (for arbitrary  $\varepsilon(x)$ ) iff

$$G - \{H, F\} = 0, \quad \{H, G\} = 0$$

LC, Ann. of Phys. (1982)

- moreover  $\{constraints, G\} \approx 0, \quad \{constraints, F\} \approx 0$

i.e.  $G$  and  $F$  must be **first class**, but not necessarily constraints



# Gauge generators for d=4 vierbein gravity

$$\mathbb{G} = (d\varepsilon)F + \varepsilon(x)G$$

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3-form
2-form
3-form

- Lorentz rotations

$$\mathbb{G} = \varepsilon^{ab}G_{ab} + d\varepsilon^{ab}F_{ab} = \varepsilon^{ab}(2\omega^c{}_a\pi_{bc} - V_a\pi_b) + (d\varepsilon^{ab})\pi_{ab} = \mathcal{D}\varepsilon^{ab}\pi_{ab} - \varepsilon^{ab}V_a\pi_b$$

$$\delta V^a = \{V^a, \mathbb{G}\} = \varepsilon^a{}_b V^b, \quad \delta \omega^{ab} = \{\omega^{ab}, \mathbb{G}\} = \mathcal{D}\varepsilon^{ab}$$

$$\delta \pi_a = \{\pi_a, \mathbb{G}\} = \varepsilon_a{}^b \pi_b, \quad \delta \pi_{ab} = \varepsilon^c{}_{[a} \pi_{b]c}$$

## **2. NC covariant hamiltonian formalism**

# Geometric theories with p-form fields, with twisted $\wedge_\star$

$$S = \int_{\mathcal{M}^d} L(\phi_i, d\phi_i, \wedge_\star)$$

- Variational principle

$$\delta S = \int_{\mathcal{M}^d} \delta\phi_i \wedge_\star \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} L}{\partial\phi_i} + d(\delta\phi_i) \wedge_\star \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} L}{\partial(d\phi_i)}$$

all products are exterior products

form derivatives acting from the left  
with CYCLIC REORDERING

- Euler-Lagrange eq.s

$$d \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} L}{\partial(d\phi_i)} - (-)^{p_i} \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} L}{\partial\phi_i} = 0$$

## ★ - Hamiltonian

- $(d - p_i - 1)$  - form momenta

$$\pi^i \equiv \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} L}{\partial(d\phi_i)}$$

- $d$  - form Hamiltonian

$$H = d\phi_i \wedge_{\star} \pi^i - L$$

- Hamilton eq.s

$$d\phi_i = (-)^{(d+1)(p_i+1)} \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} H}{\partial \pi^i}$$

$$d\pi^i = (-)^{p_i+1} \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} H}{\partial \phi_i}$$

**equivalent** to the Euler-Lagrange eq.s

## ★ - Poisson bracket

$$\{A, B\}_\star \equiv \frac{\overleftarrow{\partial} B}{\partial \pi^i} \wedge_\star \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} A}{\partial \phi_i} - (-)^{p_i d} \frac{\overleftarrow{\partial} B}{\partial \phi_i} \wedge_\star \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} A}{\partial \pi^i}$$

## ★ - canonical transformations

$$\delta \phi_i = \{\phi_i, G\}_\star = \frac{\overleftarrow{\partial} G}{\partial \pi^i}$$

the generator  $G$   
is a d-1 form

$$\delta \pi^i = \{\pi^i, G\}_\star = -(-)^{p_i d} \frac{\overleftarrow{\partial} G}{\partial \phi_i}$$

$$\delta A = \delta \phi_i \wedge_\star \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} A}{\partial \phi_i} + \delta \pi^i \wedge_\star \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} A}{\partial \pi^i} = \{A, G\}_\star$$

holds only under  
integration

preserve  $\{\phi_i, \pi^j\}_\star = \delta_i^j$

## ★ - symmetries

The conditions for gauge generators are formally as in the classical case, with Poisson brackets replaced by their twisted version.

In particular  $\varepsilon(x)G + (d\varepsilon) F$  generates a symmetry iff

$$G - \{H, F\}_\star = 0, \quad \{H, G\}_\star = 0$$

$$\{\text{constraints}, G\}_\star \approx 0, \quad \{\text{constraints}, F\}_\star \approx 0$$

### **3. NC hamiltonian for NC vierbein gravity**

# NC vierbein gravity

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- Classical action

$$S = \int R^{ab} \wedge V^c \wedge V^d \varepsilon_{abcd} = -4 \int R \sqrt{-g} d^4x$$

with  $V^a = V^a_{\mu} dx^{\mu}$ ,  $\omega^{ab} = \omega^{ab}_{\mu} dx^{\mu}$

$$R^{ab} = R^{ab}_{\mu\nu} dx^{\mu} \wedge dx^{\nu} = d\omega^{ab} - \omega^{ac} \wedge \omega_c^b$$

- Index-free

$$S = \int \text{Tr} (i\gamma_5 R \wedge V \wedge V)$$

with  $V = V^a \gamma_a$ ,  $\Omega = \frac{1}{4} \omega^{ab} \gamma_{ab}$ ,  $R = d\Omega - \Omega \wedge \Omega$



$$S = \int \text{Tr} (i\gamma_5 R \wedge V \wedge V)$$

- Invariances:

$$\delta_\epsilon V^a = \epsilon^a_b V^b, \quad \delta_\epsilon \omega^{ab} = d\epsilon^{ab} - \omega^a_c \epsilon^{cb} + \omega^b_c \epsilon^{ca} \equiv \mathcal{D}\epsilon^{ab}$$

- Diff.s

$$[\delta_{\epsilon_1}, \delta_{\epsilon_2}] = -\delta_{[\epsilon_1, \epsilon_2]}$$

- Local Lorentz rotations

$$\delta_\epsilon V = -V\epsilon + \epsilon V, \quad \delta_\epsilon \Omega = d\epsilon - \Omega\epsilon + \epsilon\Omega$$

with  $\epsilon = \frac{1}{4} \epsilon^{ab} \gamma_{ab}$

➔  $\delta_\epsilon R = -R\epsilon + \epsilon R$

➔  $\delta_\epsilon \int \text{Tr} (i\gamma_5 R \wedge V \wedge V) = 0$

by cyclicity of  $\text{Tr}$  and  $[\gamma_5, \epsilon] = 0$

- ★ vierbein gravity:

$$S = \int \text{Tr} (i\gamma_5 R \wedge_\star V \wedge_\star V)$$

with  $R = d\Omega - \Omega \wedge_\star \Omega$

- Invariances:

- 1) **Diff.s:** the action is an integral of a 4-form on a 4-manifold
- 2) ★ - **gauge invariance** under:

$$\delta_\varepsilon V = -V \star \varepsilon + \varepsilon \star V, \quad \delta_\varepsilon \Omega = d\varepsilon - \Omega \star \varepsilon + \varepsilon \star \Omega$$

➔  $\delta_\varepsilon R = -R \star \varepsilon + \varepsilon \star R$

➔  $\delta_\varepsilon \int \text{Tr} (i\gamma_5 R \wedge_\star V \wedge_\star V) = 0$

by cyclicity of  $\text{Tr}$  and  $\int$ , and if  $[\gamma_5, \varepsilon] = 0$

Note:

$\Omega \wedge_{\star} \Omega$  contains  $[\gamma^{ab}, \gamma^{cd}] \rightarrow \gamma^{ef}$  and  
 $\{\gamma^{ab}, \gamma^{cd}\} \rightarrow 1, \gamma_5$

→  $\Omega = \frac{1}{4} \omega^{ab} \gamma_{ab} + i \omega 1 + \tilde{\omega} \gamma_5$

$$\varepsilon = \frac{1}{4} \varepsilon^{ab} \gamma_{ab} + i \varepsilon 1 + \tilde{\varepsilon} \gamma_5$$

$$V = V^a \gamma_a + \tilde{V}^a \gamma_a \gamma_5$$

$$R = \frac{1}{4} R^{ab} \gamma_{ab} + i r 1 + \tilde{r} \gamma_5$$

→ New fields:  $\omega, \tilde{\omega}, \tilde{V}^a$

→ gauge invariance:  $SL(2, C) \rightarrow \star GL(2, C)$

## NC vierbein gravity action in components

$$S = \int R^{ab} \wedge_{\star} (V^c \wedge_{\star} V^d - \tilde{V}^c \wedge_{\star} \tilde{V}^d) \epsilon_{abcd} - 2i R^{ab} \wedge_{\star} (V_a \wedge_{\star} \tilde{V}_b - \tilde{V}_a \wedge_{\star} V_b) \\ - 4 r \wedge_{\star} (V^a \wedge_{\star} \tilde{V}_a - \tilde{V}^a \wedge_{\star} V_a) + 4i \tilde{r} \wedge_{\star} (V^a \wedge_{\star} V_a - \tilde{V}^a \wedge_{\star} \tilde{V}_a)$$

where the curvatures are

$$R^{ab} = d\omega^{ab} - \frac{1}{2} \omega^a_c \wedge_{\star} \omega^{cb} + \frac{1}{2} \omega^b_c \wedge_{\star} \omega^{ca} - i(\omega^{ab} \wedge_{\star} \omega + \omega \wedge_{\star} \omega^{ab}) - \\ - \frac{i}{2} \epsilon^{abcd} (\omega^{cd} \wedge_{\star} \tilde{\omega} + \tilde{\omega} \wedge_{\star} \omega^{cd})$$

$$r = d\omega - \frac{i}{8} \omega^{ab} \wedge_{\star} \omega_{ab} - i(\omega \wedge_{\star} \omega - \tilde{\omega} \wedge_{\star} \tilde{\omega})$$

$$\tilde{r} = d\tilde{\omega} + \frac{i}{16} \epsilon_{abcd} \omega^{ab} \wedge_{\star} \omega^{cd} - i(\omega \wedge_{\star} \tilde{\omega} + \tilde{\omega} \wedge_{\star} \omega)$$

# NC gauge variations

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_\epsilon V^a &= \frac{1}{2}(\epsilon^a_b \star V^b + V^b \star \epsilon^a_b) + \frac{i}{4}\epsilon^a_{bcd}(\tilde{V}^b \star \epsilon^{cd} - \epsilon^{cd} \star \tilde{V}^b) \\ &\quad + i(\epsilon \star V^a - V^a \star \epsilon) - \tilde{\epsilon} \star \tilde{V}^a - \tilde{V}^a \star \tilde{\epsilon} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_\epsilon \tilde{V}^a &= \frac{1}{2}(\epsilon^a_b \star \tilde{V}^b + \tilde{V}^b \star \epsilon^a_b) + \frac{i}{4}\epsilon^a_{bcd}(V^b \star \epsilon^{cd} - \epsilon^{cd} \star V^b) \\ &\quad + i(\epsilon \star \tilde{V}^a - \tilde{V}^a \star \epsilon) - \tilde{\epsilon} \star V^a - V^a \star \tilde{\epsilon} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_\epsilon \omega^{ab} &= d\epsilon^{ab} + \frac{1}{2}(\epsilon^a_c \star \omega^{cb} - \epsilon^b_c \star \omega^{ca} + \omega^{cb} \star \epsilon^a_c - \omega^{ca} \star \epsilon^b_c) \\ &\quad + i(\epsilon^{ab} \star \omega - \omega \star \epsilon^{ab}) + \frac{i}{2}\epsilon^{ab}_{cd}(\epsilon^{cd} \star \tilde{\omega} - \tilde{\omega} \star \epsilon^{cd}) \\ &\quad + i(\epsilon \star \omega^{ab} - \omega^{ab} \star \epsilon) + \frac{i}{2}\epsilon^{ab}_{cd}(\tilde{\epsilon} \star \omega^{cd} - \omega^{cd} \star \tilde{\epsilon}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\delta_\epsilon \omega = d\epsilon - \frac{i}{8}(\omega^{ab} \star \epsilon_{ab} - \epsilon_{ab} \star \omega^{ab}) + i(\epsilon \star \omega - \omega \star \epsilon - \tilde{\epsilon} \star \tilde{\omega} + \tilde{\omega} \star \tilde{\epsilon})$$

$$\delta_\epsilon \tilde{\omega} = d\tilde{\epsilon} + \frac{i}{16}\epsilon_{abcd}(\omega^{ab} \star \epsilon^{cd} - \epsilon^{cd} \star \omega^{ab}) + i(\epsilon \star \tilde{\omega} - \tilde{\omega} \star \epsilon + \tilde{\epsilon} \star \omega - \omega \star \tilde{\epsilon})$$

from

$$\delta_\epsilon V = -V \star \epsilon + \epsilon \star V, \quad \delta_\epsilon \Omega = d\epsilon - \Omega \star \epsilon + \epsilon \star \Omega$$

gauge invariance:

$$SL(2, C) \rightarrow \star GL(2, C)$$

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Lorentz

generators:  $\gamma^{ab}, 1, \gamma_5$

★ Lie algebra:  $[\delta_{\epsilon_1}, \delta_{\epsilon_2}] = \delta_{\epsilon_2 \star \epsilon_1 - \epsilon_1 \star \epsilon_2}$

# NC Legendre transformation and NC Hamiltonian

$$\pi_a = \frac{\vec{\partial} L}{\partial(dV^a)} = 0$$

$$\tilde{\pi}_a = \frac{\vec{\partial} L}{\partial(d\tilde{V}^a)} = 0$$

$$\pi_{ab} = \frac{\vec{\partial} L}{\partial(d\omega^{ab})} = \epsilon_{abcd}(V^c V^d - \tilde{V}^c \tilde{V}^d) + 2i(\tilde{V}^{[a} V^{b]} - V^{[a} \tilde{V}^{b]})$$

$$\pi = \frac{\vec{\partial} L}{\partial(d\omega)} = 4(\tilde{V}^c V^c - V^c \tilde{V}^c)$$

$$\tilde{\pi} = \frac{\vec{\partial} L}{\partial(d\tilde{\omega})} = 4i(V^c V^c - \tilde{V}^c \tilde{V}^c)$$

$$\begin{aligned} H = & dV^a \pi_a + d\tilde{V}^a \tilde{\pi}_a + d\omega^{ab} \pi_{ab} + d\omega \pi + d\tilde{\omega} \tilde{\pi} - L = \\ & dV^a \Phi_a + d\tilde{V}^a \tilde{\Phi}_a + d\omega^{ab} \Phi_{ab} + d\omega \Phi + d\tilde{\omega} \tilde{\Phi} + \\ & + [\omega^{c[a} \omega^{b]}_c + i(\omega^{ab} \omega + \omega \omega^{ab}) + \frac{i}{2}(\omega_{ef} \tilde{\omega} + \tilde{\omega} \omega_{ef}) \epsilon^{abef}] \cdot \\ & \cdot (V^c V^d - \tilde{V}^c \tilde{V}^d) \epsilon_{abcd} + 2i(\tilde{V}_a V_b - V_a \tilde{V}_b) + \\ & + 4\left(\frac{i}{8} \omega^{ab} \omega_{ab} - i\tilde{\omega} \tilde{\omega} + i\omega \omega\right) (\tilde{V}^c V_c - V^c \tilde{V}_c) - \\ & - 4i\left(\frac{i}{16} \omega^{ab} \omega^{cd} \epsilon_{abcd} - i\omega \tilde{\omega} - i\tilde{\omega} \omega\right) (V^c V_c - \tilde{V}^c \tilde{V}_c) \end{aligned}$$

## 4. NC canonical gauge generators

$$\mathbb{G} = (d\epsilon) \wedge_{\star} F + \epsilon \star G$$



# Gauge generator for $\star$ GL(2,C) transformations

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbb{G} = & d\varepsilon_{ab}\pi^{ab} + d\varepsilon \pi + d\tilde{\varepsilon} \tilde{\pi} + \\
 & + \frac{1}{2}\varepsilon_{ab}(V^a\pi^b + \pi^bV^a) + \frac{i}{4}\varepsilon^{cd}(\tilde{V}^b\pi^a - \pi^a\tilde{V}^b)\epsilon_{abcd} + \\
 & + \frac{1}{2}\varepsilon_{ab}(\tilde{V}^a\tilde{\pi}^b + \tilde{\pi}^b\tilde{V}^a) + \frac{i}{4}\varepsilon^{cd}(V^b\tilde{\pi}^a - \tilde{\pi}^aV^b)\epsilon_{abcd} - \\
 & - \varepsilon^{ca}(\omega^b{}_c\pi_{ab} + \pi_{ab}\omega^b{}_c) - i\varepsilon^{ab}(\omega\pi_{ab} - \pi_{ab}\omega) - \frac{i}{2}\varepsilon_{cd}(\tilde{\omega}\pi_{ab} - \pi_{ab}\tilde{\omega})\epsilon^{abcd} - \\
 & - \frac{i}{8}\varepsilon_{ab}(\omega^{ab}\pi - \pi\omega^{ab}) + \frac{i}{16}\varepsilon^{cd}(\omega^{ab}\tilde{\pi} - \tilde{\pi}\omega^{ab})\epsilon_{abcd} - \\
 & - i\varepsilon(V^a\pi_a - \pi_aV^a) + \tilde{\varepsilon}(\tilde{V}^a\pi_a + \pi_a\tilde{V}^a) - i\varepsilon(\tilde{V}^a\tilde{\pi}_a - \tilde{\pi}_a\tilde{V}^a) + \tilde{\varepsilon}(V^a\tilde{\pi}_a + \tilde{\pi}_aV^a) - \\
 & - i\varepsilon(\omega^{ab}\pi_{ab} - \pi_{ab}\omega^{ab}) - \frac{i}{2}\tilde{\varepsilon}(\omega_{ab}\pi_{cd} - \pi_{cd}\omega_{ab})\epsilon^{abcd} \\
 & - i\varepsilon(\omega\pi - \pi\omega + \tilde{\omega}\tilde{\pi} - \tilde{\pi}\tilde{\omega}) + i\tilde{\varepsilon}(\tilde{\omega}\pi - \pi\tilde{\omega} - \omega\tilde{\pi} + \tilde{\pi}\omega)
 \end{aligned}$$

## NC gauge variations

$$\delta_\epsilon \phi_i = \{\phi_i, \mathbb{G}\} = -\frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} \mathbb{G}}{\partial \pi^i}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_\epsilon V^a &= \frac{1}{2}(\epsilon^a_b \star V^b + V^b \star \epsilon^a_b) + \frac{i}{4}\epsilon^a_{bcd}(\tilde{V}^b \star \epsilon^{cd} - \epsilon^{cd} \star \tilde{V}^b) \\ &\quad + i(\epsilon \star V^a - V^a \star \epsilon) - \tilde{\epsilon} \star \tilde{V}^a - \tilde{V}^a \star \tilde{\epsilon} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_\epsilon \tilde{V}^a &= \frac{1}{2}(\epsilon^a_b \star \tilde{V}^b + \tilde{V}^b \star \epsilon^a_b) + \frac{i}{4}\epsilon^a_{bcd}(V^b \star \epsilon^{cd} - \epsilon^{cd} \star V^b) \\ &\quad + i(\epsilon \star \tilde{V}^a - \tilde{V}^a \star \epsilon) - \tilde{\epsilon} \star V^a - V^a \star \tilde{\epsilon} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_\epsilon \omega^{ab} &= d\epsilon^{ab} + \frac{1}{2}(\epsilon^a_c \star \omega^{cb} - \epsilon^b_c \star \omega^{ca} + \omega^{cb} \star \epsilon^a_c - \omega^{ca} \star \epsilon^b_c) \\ &\quad + i(\epsilon^{ab} \star \omega - \omega \star \epsilon^{ab}) + \frac{i}{2}\epsilon^{ab}_{cd}(\epsilon^{cd} \star \tilde{\omega} - \tilde{\omega} \star \epsilon^{cd}) \\ &\quad + i(\epsilon \star \omega^{ab} - \omega^{ab} \star \epsilon) + \frac{i}{2}\epsilon^{ab}_{cd}(\tilde{\epsilon} \star \omega^{cd} - \omega^{cd} \star \tilde{\epsilon}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\delta_\epsilon \omega = d\epsilon - \frac{i}{8}(\omega^{ab} \star \epsilon_{ab} - \epsilon_{ab} \star \omega^{ab}) + i(\epsilon \star \omega - \omega \star \epsilon - \tilde{\epsilon} \star \tilde{\omega} + \tilde{\omega} \star \tilde{\epsilon})$$

$$\delta_\epsilon \tilde{\omega} = d\tilde{\epsilon} + \frac{i}{16}\epsilon_{abcd}(\omega^{ab} \star \epsilon^{cd} - \epsilon^{cd} \star \omega^{ab}) + i(\epsilon \star \tilde{\omega} - \tilde{\omega} \star \epsilon + \tilde{\epsilon} \star \omega - \omega \star \tilde{\epsilon})$$

**reproduce** the NC gauge variations obtained from

$$\delta_\epsilon V = -V \star \epsilon + \epsilon \star V, \quad \delta_\epsilon \Omega = d\epsilon - \Omega \star \epsilon + \epsilon \star \Omega$$

NC gauge variations of the momenta  $\delta_\varepsilon \pi^i = \{\pi^i, \mathbb{G}\} = \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} \mathbb{G}}{\partial \phi_i}$

$$\delta_\varepsilon \pi_a = \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} \mathbb{G}}{\partial V^a} = \frac{1}{2}(\pi^b \varepsilon_{ab} + \varepsilon_{ab} \pi^b) - \frac{i}{4}(\tilde{\pi}^b \varepsilon^{cd} - \varepsilon^{cd} \tilde{\pi}^b) \epsilon_{abcd} -$$

$$- i(\pi_a \varepsilon - \varepsilon \pi_a) + \tilde{\pi}_a \tilde{\varepsilon} + \tilde{\varepsilon} \tilde{\pi}_a$$

$$\delta_\varepsilon \tilde{\pi}_a = \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} \mathbb{G}}{\partial \tilde{V}^a} = \frac{1}{2}(\tilde{\pi}^b \varepsilon_{ab} + \varepsilon_{ab} \tilde{\pi}^b) - \frac{i}{4}(\pi^b \varepsilon^{cd} - \varepsilon^{cd} \pi^b) \epsilon_{abcd} +$$

$$+ \pi_a \tilde{\varepsilon} + \tilde{\varepsilon} \pi_a - i(\tilde{\pi}_a \varepsilon - \varepsilon \tilde{\pi}_a)$$

$$\delta_\varepsilon \pi_{ab} = \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} \mathbb{G}}{\partial \omega^{ab}} = -\pi_{c[a} \varepsilon_{b]}^c - \varepsilon_{c[b} \pi_{a]}^c - \frac{i}{8}(\pi \varepsilon_{ab} - \varepsilon_{ab} \pi) + \frac{i}{16}(\tilde{\pi} \varepsilon^{cd} - \varepsilon^{cd} \tilde{\pi}) \epsilon_{abcd}$$

$$- i(\pi_{ab} \varepsilon - \varepsilon \pi_{ab}) - \frac{i}{2}(\pi^{cd} \tilde{\varepsilon} - \tilde{\varepsilon} \pi^{cd}) \epsilon_{abcd}$$

$$\delta_\varepsilon \pi = \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} \mathbb{G}}{\partial \omega} = -i(\pi_{ab} \varepsilon^{ab} - \varepsilon^{ab} \pi_{ab}) - i(\pi \varepsilon - \varepsilon \pi + \tilde{\pi} \tilde{\varepsilon} - \tilde{\varepsilon} \tilde{\pi})$$

$$\delta_\varepsilon \tilde{\pi} = \frac{\overrightarrow{\partial} \mathbb{G}}{\partial \tilde{\omega}} = -\frac{i}{2}(\pi^{ab} \varepsilon^{cd} - \varepsilon^{cd} \pi^{ab}) \epsilon_{abcd} + i(\pi \tilde{\varepsilon} - \tilde{\varepsilon} \pi - \tilde{\pi} \varepsilon + \varepsilon \tilde{\pi})$$

# Conclusions

The covariant hamiltonian formalism (CHF) is *not* equivalent to the usual (“time singled out”) hamiltonian formalism.

The definitions of momenta are different.

However the form Hamilton equations are equivalent to the usual Hamilton equations of motion. Thus both formalisms describe the same classical theory.

Canonical quantization however may not lead to the same quantum theory, since the canonical commutation relations are different. Thus next homework: **quantization within CHF**

And also: **★ - canonical quantization for ★ - deformed gravity**

*Thank you !*

