Universal Lie Algebra, Vogel Parameters and Color Factors in Nonabelian Gauge Theories

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Norwegian mathematician Sophus Lie (17.12.1842 - 18.02.1899) was born in Christiania (Oslo). German mathematician Felix Klein (25.04.1849 – 22.06.1925)

French mathematician Élie Joseph Cartan (09.04.1869 – 06.05.1951)

German mathematician Hermann Klaus Hugo Weyl (09.11.1885 - 08.12.1955)



Sophus Lie



Felix Klein

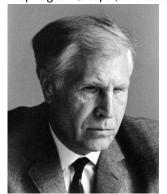


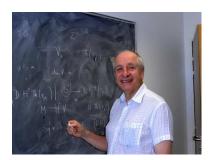
Hermann Weyl



Élie Cartan

Lev Semenovich Pontryagin (03.09.1908 – 03.05.1988) "Topological Groups", Princeton University Press (1939)



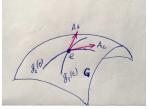


Pierre Vogel (Université Paris VII)
"The universal Lie algebra", Preprint (1999)

A Lie group G is a smooth manifold. Consider the tangent vector space $T_e(G)$ to the Lie group G at the unit element $e \in G$.

Definition. The tangent vector space $T_e(G)$, equipped with the multiplication $[A_1, A_2] \in T_e(G)$ ($\forall A_1, A_2 \in T_e(G)$) with axioms:

- 1) Anticommutativity: $[A_1, A_2] = -[A_2, A_1]$,
- 2) Jacoby identity: $[[A_1, A_2], A_3] + [[A_3, A_1], A_2] + [[A_2, A_3], A_1] = 0$, is called the Lie algebra $\mathfrak g$ of the Lie group G.



Let $X_a \mid_{a=1,\ldots,\dim\mathfrak{g}} \in \mathcal{T}_e(G)$ be basis elements of Lie algebra (LA) \mathfrak{g} :

$$[X_a, X_b] = C_{ab}^d X_d , \qquad (1)$$

 C_{ab}^d – are structure constants. Matrices $ad(X_a)_b^d = C_{ab}^d$ define the adjoint representation of g. The invariant Cartan-Killing metric in $T_e(G)$ is

$$g_{ab} \equiv \operatorname{Tr}(\operatorname{ad}(X_a) \cdot \operatorname{ad}(X_b)) = C_{ac}^d C_{bd}^c. \tag{2}$$

The C-K metric g_{ab} defines invariant scalar product for $A, B \in T_e(G)$:

$$(A, B) = (A^a X_a, B^b X_b) = A^a g_{ab} B^b.$$

For simple Lie algebras, the metric g_{ab} is invertible:

$$g_{ab} g^{bc} = \delta^c_a ,$$

and unique up to a normalization factor: $g_{ab} \rightarrow \lambda g_{ab}$. For compact Lie algebras g, one can chose the basis: $g_{ab} = -\delta_{ab}$.

The classification of simple Lie algebras (E.Cartan-H.Weyl): 4 infinite series (accidental isomorphisms are not taken into account):

1.
$$A_n$$
: $\mathfrak{s}\ell(n+1)$; **2.** B_n : $\mathfrak{so}(2n+1)$; **3.** C_n : $\mathfrak{sp}(2n)$; **4.** D_n : $\mathfrak{so}(2n)$; $\dim \mathfrak{s}\ell(N) = N^2 - 1$, $\dim \mathfrak{so}(N) = \frac{N(N-1)}{2}$, $\dim \mathfrak{sp}(N) = \frac{N(N+1)}{2}$,

and 5 exceptional LA: \mathfrak{g}_2 , \mathfrak{f}_4 , \mathfrak{e}_6 , \mathfrak{e}_7 , \mathfrak{e}_8 with dims: 14, 52, 78, 133, 248.

The main object is split (or polarized) Casimir operator of LA \mathfrak{g} is

$$\widehat{C} = g^{ab} X_b \otimes X_a \equiv X^a \otimes X_a \in \mathfrak{g} \otimes \mathfrak{g}. \tag{3}$$

The operator \widehat{C} is independent of the choice of the basis X_a in $\mathfrak g$ and is related to the standard quadratic Casimir operator (central element in the enveloping algebra $\mathcal U(\mathfrak g)$)

$$C^{(2)} = g^{ab} X_b \cdot X_a \in \mathcal{U}(\mathfrak{g}). \tag{4}$$

Relation is via comultiplication $\Delta(X_a) = (X_a \otimes I + I \otimes X_a)$:

$$\Delta(C^{(2)}) = \Delta(X^a) \cdot \Delta(X_a) = C^{(2)} \otimes I + I \otimes C^{(2)} + 2\widehat{C}.$$
 (5)

Physics analogy $\mathfrak{su}(2)$: X_a are components of the spin-vector, operator $C^{(2)}$ is the squire of the spin-vector, Δ is s rule for addition of spins, ad for $\mathfrak{su}(2)$ – representation numerated by spin j=1.

Remark. The split Casimir operator \widehat{C} commutes with the action of \mathfrak{g} :

$$[\Delta(A), \widehat{C}] = [(A \otimes I + I \otimes A), \widehat{C}] = 0, \quad \forall A \in \mathfrak{g}.$$

Let T and \widetilde{T} be two representations of \mathfrak{g} . One can visualize split Casimir operator in the representation $T\otimes\widetilde{T}$:

$$((T \otimes \widetilde{T}) \widehat{C})_{\beta B}^{\alpha A} = g^{ab} T_{\beta}^{\alpha}(X_a) \widetilde{T}_{B}^{A}(X_b) \equiv g^{ab} (T_a)_{\beta}^{\alpha} (\widetilde{T}_b)_{B}^{A}, \qquad (6)$$

where $\alpha, \beta = 1, ..., \dim T$ and $A, B = 1, ..., \dim \widetilde{T}$:

$$(T_a)^{\alpha}_{\beta} g^{ab} (\widetilde{T}_b)^{A}_{B} = \begin{pmatrix} A & \widetilde{T}_b & B \\ & & & \\ &$$

Colour factor for the Feynman diagram describing scattering of two particles in the representations T and \widetilde{T} by gauge field $A \in \mathfrak{g}$.

Split Casimir operator \widehat{C} appears in many applications: in the representation theory, in the theory of integrable systems, as colour factors in the nonabelian gauge theories, ...

Universal Lie algebra.

1. Consider tensor products of r adjoint representations of the simple LA $\mathfrak g$ and consider Clebsch-Gordan expansion of these products:

$$\operatorname{ad}^{\otimes r} := \underbrace{\operatorname{ad} \otimes \operatorname{ad} \otimes \cdots \otimes \operatorname{ad}}_{r} = \bigoplus_{\lambda} n_{\lambda} T_{\lambda} , \qquad (7)$$

where T_{λ} are irreps, λ – parameters which numerate irreps (e.g. highest weights) and $n_{\lambda} \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0}$ are multiplicities.

- 2. The elements of the vector space of rep $\operatorname{ad}^{\otimes r}$ are rank r tensors $t^{a_1a_2...a_r}$. Invariant subspaces in $V_{\operatorname{ad}}^{\otimes r}$ are spaces of $t^{a_1a_2...a_r}$ with special symmetrization of indices $(a_1,a_2,...a_r)$ (according to Young diagrams $\vdash r$): $t_{\pm}^{a_1a_2} = \frac{1}{2}(t^{a_1a_2} \pm t^{a_2a_1})$.
- **3.** Amazing fact: it was noticed [P.Deligne (1996), P.Vogel (1999), J.M.Landsberg and L.Manivel (2002),...] that, for first r=2,3,..., formula (7) is universal for all simple Lie algebras $\mathfrak g$. Moreover, there are remarkable universal formulas for all $\dim(\mathcal T_\lambda)$.
- 4. Formulas for $\dim(\mathcal{T}_{\lambda})$ are written as rational and homogeneous symmetric functions of 3 parameters (α, β, γ) , which parameterize all simple Lie algebras $\mathfrak g$ and called Vogel parameters.

First we give famous P.Deligne formula (appeared in the example r = 2)

$$\begin{split} \dim\mathfrak{g} &\equiv \dim(\mathrm{ad}) = \frac{(\alpha-2t)(\beta-2t)(\gamma-2t)}{\alpha\beta\gamma} = \\ &= \frac{(\hat{\alpha}-1)(\hat{\beta}-1)(\hat{\gamma}-1)}{\hat{\alpha}\hat{\beta}\hat{\gamma}}\,, \quad \hat{\alpha} := \frac{\alpha}{2t}, \; \hat{\beta} := \frac{\beta}{2t}, \; \hat{\gamma} := \frac{\gamma}{2t}\,, \end{split}$$

Since all $\dim(T_{\lambda})$ are homogeneous symmetric functions of Vogel parameters (α, β, γ) , it is possible to fix one of them, e.g. $\alpha = -2$. For this choice the sum $t := \alpha + \beta + \gamma$ coincides with dual Coxeter number h^{\vee} .

	Туре	Lie algebra	α	β	γ	$t = h^{\vee} = \alpha + \beta + \gamma$	$\hat{\gamma} = \frac{\gamma}{2t}$
1	A_n	$s\ell(n+1)$	-2	2	n+1	n+1	1/2
	B_n	so(2n + 1)	-2	4	2 <i>n</i> – 3	2 <i>n</i> − 1	$\frac{2n-3}{2(2n-1)}$
	C _n	sp(2n)	-2	1	n + 2	n+1	$\frac{n+2}{2(n+1)}$
	D_n	so(2n)	-2	4	2 <i>n</i> – 4	2n – 2	$\frac{n-2}{2(n-1)}$
	G_2	g 2	-2	10/3	8/3	4	1/3
	F_4	f4	-2	5	6	9	1/3
	E_6	\mathfrak{e}_6	-2	6	8	12	1/3
	E ₇	e ₇	-2	8	12	18	1/3
	E ₈	€8	-2	12	20	30	1/3

Note that, for all exceptional Lie algebras we have $2t = 3\gamma \rightarrow \hat{\gamma} = 1/3$.

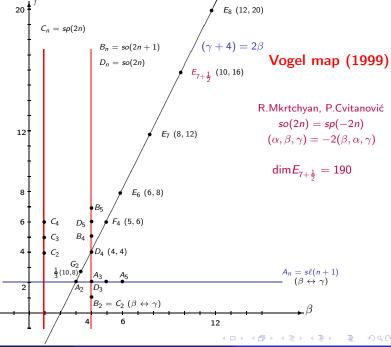
Table

In view that all $\dim(\mathcal{T}_{\lambda})$ are homogeneous symmetric functions of the Vogel parameters, one can consider all simple Lie algebras as points on the 2d plane $\mathcal{P}_{(\alpha=-2)}$ in 3d space of the Vogel parameters (α,β,γ) . More precisely they are points in \mathbb{RP}^2/S_3 (the Vogel map).

Before we represent the Vogel map, we note that condition $2t=3\gamma$, for exceptional LAs, defines the line $(\gamma+4)=2\beta$ on the plane $\mathcal{P}_{(\alpha=-2)}\in\mathbb{R}^3$. Remarkable fact: points of Lie algebras $\mathfrak{s}\ell(3)$ and $\mathfrak{so}(8)$ are also on this line.

Туре	Lie algebra	α	β	γ	$t = h^{\vee} = \alpha + \beta + \gamma$	$\hat{\gamma} = \frac{\gamma}{2t}$
A_2	<i>s</i> ℓ(3)	-2	2	3	3	$\frac{\beta}{2t} = 1/3$
D_4	so(8)	-2	4	4	6	1/3
G_2	\mathfrak{g}_2	-2	10/3	8/3	4	1/3
F ₄	f4	-2	5	6	9	1/3
E_6	e 6	-2	6	8	12	1/3
E ₇	e ₇	-2	8	12	18	1/3
E ₈	e ₈	-2	12	20	30	1/3

Unified description of all simple LA by means of 3 parameters (α, β, γ) leads to the conjecture of existing the universal LA.



Example: $\mathrm{ad}^{\otimes 2}$, (r=2). For all simple LAs (with rank >1) we have decomposition

$$\mathrm{ad}^{\otimes 2} = \mathbb{A}(\mathrm{ad}^{\otimes 2}) + \mathbb{S}(\mathrm{ad}^{\otimes 2}) \ = \ (\mathrm{ad} + \mathsf{X}_2) + \left(\mathbf{1} + \mathsf{Y}(\alpha) + \mathsf{Y}(\beta) + \mathsf{Y}(\gamma)\right) \ .$$

Dim. formulas for reps are homogeneous rational functions in (α, β, γ) (symmetry in (α, β, γ) is permutation of $Y(\alpha), Y(\beta), Y(\gamma)$) [Vogel(1999)]:

$$\begin{aligned} \dim(\mathrm{ad}) &\equiv \dim \mathfrak{g} = \frac{(\alpha - 2t)(\beta - 2t)(\gamma - 2t)}{\alpha\beta\gamma} \,, & \boxed{t := \alpha + \beta + \gamma} \,, \\ \dim(\mathsf{X}_2) &= \frac{1}{2} \dim \mathfrak{g} \, (\dim \mathfrak{g} - 3) \,, & 20|_{sl(3)}, & 350|_{so(8)} \,, & \dim(\mathbf{1}) = 1 \,, \end{aligned} \tag{8}$$

$$\dim Y(\alpha) = \frac{(2t - 3\alpha)(\beta - 2t)(\gamma - 2t)t(\beta + t)(\gamma + t)}{\alpha^2(\alpha - \beta)(\alpha - \gamma)\beta\gamma}, \quad 27|_{sl(3)} \sim [4, 2], \quad 300|_{so(8)}$$

$$\dim Y(\beta) = \dim Y(\alpha)|_{\alpha \leftrightarrow \beta}, \quad 0|_{sl(3)}, \quad \frac{0}{0} = 35, 35', 35''|_{so(8)}$$
(9)

$$\dim \mathsf{Y}(\gamma) = \dim \mathsf{Y}(\alpha)|_{\alpha \leftrightarrow \gamma} \ , \quad 8|_{sl(3)}, \ \frac{0}{0} = 0|_{so(8)}$$

In the rhs we give dims for two "exceptional" algebras $\mathfrak{sl}_3,\mathfrak{so}_8$.

Remark. For the exceptional line $2t = 3\gamma$, we have dim $Y(\gamma) = 0$. It means that, for axceptional LA, in the decomposition of $ad^{\otimes 2}$, the representation $Y(\gamma)$ is missing:

$$\operatorname{ad}^{\otimes 2} = \mathbb{A}(\operatorname{ad}^{\otimes 2}) + \mathbb{S}(\operatorname{ad}^{\otimes 2}) = (\operatorname{ad} + \mathsf{X}_2) + (\mathbf{1} + \mathsf{Y}(\alpha) + \mathsf{Y}(\beta)) . \tag{10}$$

Some achievements in the universal description of simple LA & LG.

1.) The generating function of universal eigenvalues $C_{ad}^{(k)}$ of the higher Casimir operators in the ad-representation of $\mathfrak g$ [R.Mkrtchyan, A.Sergeev and A.Veselov (2012)]

$$\hat{C}(z) \; = \; \textstyle \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \, C_{\rm ad}^{(k)} z^k = \frac{1}{\dim(\mathfrak{g})} \left(\frac{1}{1+z} + \frac{\dim Y(\alpha)}{1+\frac{z\alpha}{2t}} + \frac{\dim Y(\beta)}{1+\frac{z\beta}{2t}} + \frac{\dim Y(\gamma)}{1+\frac{z\beta}{2t}} \right) + \\ + \frac{1}{2} \dim(\mathfrak{g}) + \frac{1}{1+\frac{z}{2}} - \frac{3}{2} \; .$$

2.) Formula for volumes of compact simple Lie groups G [R.Mkrtchyan, A.Veselov]

$$\operatorname{Vol}(G) = (2^{3/2}\pi)^{\dim \mathfrak{g}} e^{-\Phi(\alpha,\beta,\gamma)},$$

where $\Phi(\alpha, \beta, \gamma) = \int_0^\infty dz \frac{F(z/t)}{z(e^z-1)}$ and

$$F(z) = \frac{\operatorname{sh}_{\frac{z}{4}}^{z}(\alpha - 2t)\operatorname{sh}_{\frac{z}{4}}^{z}(\beta - 2t)\operatorname{sh}_{\frac{z}{4}}^{z}(\gamma - 2t)}{\operatorname{sh}_{\frac{z}{4}}^{z}\alpha\operatorname{sh}_{\frac{z}{4}}^{z}\beta\operatorname{sh}_{\frac{z}{4}}^{z}\gamma} - \dim\mathfrak{g}. \tag{11}$$

Here the first term in rhs is the deformation of the universal formula (8) for $\dim \mathfrak{g} = \frac{(\alpha-2t)(\beta-2t)(\gamma-2t)}{\alpha\beta\gamma}$ (it is clear that $F(z)|_{z=0}=0$).

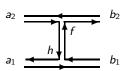
Our method of universal description of the LA is based on the extracting of invariant subspaces in $V_{\rm ad}^{\otimes r}={\rm ad}^{\otimes r}$ by means of the investigations of the characteristic identities for r-split CO $\widehat{C}_{\rm ad}$.

The split Casimir operators and universality in $\underline{ad}^{\otimes 2}$:

$$(\widehat{C}_{\mathsf{ad}})_{b_1b_2}^{a_1a_2} \equiv (\mathsf{ad} \otimes \mathsf{ad})_{b_1b_2}^{a_1a_2} (X_h \otimes X^h) = (X_h)_{b_1}^{a_1} (X^h)_{b_2}^{a_2} = C_{hb_1}^{a_1} \ C_{fb_2}^{a_2} \ \mathsf{g}^{hf},$$

acts in the space $V_{\rm ad}^{\otimes 2}$ and $V_{\rm ad} \simeq {\mathfrak g}$ is the space of ad-representation. Since ad-representation embedded in $T \otimes (T^{\rm T})^{-1}$, one can consider adj. indices a,b,c,... as pairs of fundamental and antifundamental indices $a=(i,\bar{j}),\ b=(k,\bar{\ell}),....$ In view of this, matrices $(\widehat{C}_{\rm ad})_{b_1b_2}^{a_1a_2}$ can be represented as Feynman "colour" diagrams (oriented and not oriented lines correspond to ${\mathfrak sl}_N$ and ${\mathfrak so}_N$, ${\mathfrak sp}_{2n}$ cases)

$$(\widehat{C}_{ad})_{b_1b_2}^{a_1a_2} = C_{bb_1}^{a_1} C_{fb_2}^{a_2} g^{hf} =$$



Let split CO \widehat{C}_{ad} satisfies char. identity $\prod_{i=1}^k (\widehat{C}_{ad} - a_i) = 0$. Then we find k projectors in $ad^{\otimes 2}$ onto invariant subspaces of \widehat{C}_{ad} with eigenvalues a_j :

$$\mathsf{P}_{(a_j)} = \prod_{i \neq j} \frac{(\widehat{\mathsf{C}}_{\mathsf{ad}} - a_i)}{a_j - a_i} \qquad \Rightarrow \qquad \mathrm{ad}^{\otimes 2} = \sum_j \mathsf{P}_{(a_j)} \cdot \left(\mathrm{ad}^{\otimes 2}\right) \,.$$

The invariant subspaces $P_{(a_i)} \cdot (ad^{\otimes 2})$ are called Casimir subspaces.

Define invariant operators in $V_{\rm ad}^{\otimes 2}$ by their action on the basis $(X_{a_1} \otimes X_{a_2})$:

$$\textbf{I}(X_{a_1} \otimes X_{a_2}) = (X_{a_1} \otimes X_{a_2}) \;, \quad \textbf{P}(X_{a_1} \otimes X_{a_2}) = (X_{a_2} \otimes X_{a_1}) \;,$$

and construct projectors $\mathbf{P}_{+}^{(ad)} = \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{I} + \mathbf{P})$ and $\mathbf{P}_{-}^{(ad)} = \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{P})$. Introduce symmetrized and antisymmetrized parts of \widehat{C}_{ad}

$$\widehat{C}_{\pm} = \mathbf{P}_{\pm}^{(ad)} \ \widehat{C}_{ad} \ , \quad \ (\widehat{C}_{\pm})_{b_1 b_2}^{a_1 a_2} = \frac{1}{2} ((\widehat{C}_{ad})_{b_1 b_2}^{a_1 a_2} \pm (\widehat{C}_{ad})_{b_1 b_2}^{a_2 a_1}) \ ,$$

where \widehat{C}_+ – symmetric and \widehat{C}_- – antisymmetric parts of $\widehat{C}_{\sf ad}$ in $(V_{\sf ad})^{\otimes 2} \simeq {\sf ad}^{\otimes 2}$.

Proposition 1. For <u>all</u> simple LA $\mathfrak g$ the SCO \widehat{C}_- satisfy char. identity

$$\widehat{C}_{-}(\widehat{C}_{-} + \frac{1}{2}) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \widehat{C}_{-}^{2} = -\frac{1}{2}\widehat{C}_{-}, \qquad (12)$$

Since identity (12) is quadratic, we have two projectors $P_{(0)}, P_{(-\frac{1}{2})}$ on two subrepresentations X_1, X_2 in $\mathbb{A}(\mathsf{ad} \otimes \mathsf{ad}) \equiv \mathbf{P}_{-}^{(ad)}(\mathsf{ad} \otimes \mathsf{ad})$

$$\mathbb{A}(\mathsf{ad} \otimes \mathsf{ad}) = \mathsf{P}_{(0)}(\mathsf{ad} \otimes \mathsf{ad}) + \mathsf{P}_{(-\frac{1}{2})}(\mathsf{ad} \otimes \mathsf{ad}) = \mathsf{X}_1 + \mathsf{X}_2 = \mathsf{ad} + \mathsf{X}_2,$$

where
$$\dim X_1 = \operatorname{Tr}(P_{(0)}) = \dim \mathfrak{g}$$
, $\dim X_2 = \operatorname{Tr}(P_{(-\frac{1}{2})}) = \frac{\dim \mathfrak{g}}{2} (\dim \mathfrak{g} - 3)$.

Proposition 2. For all LA of the classical series $A_n = \mathfrak{sl}_{n+1}$, $B_n = \mathfrak{so}_{2n+1}$, $C_n = \mathfrak{sp}_{2n}$, $D_n = \mathfrak{so}_{2n}$ (except \mathfrak{sl}_3 and \mathfrak{so}_8), in ad-representation, \widehat{C}_+ has the universal char identity

$$\widehat{(\hat{C}_{+}+1)(\hat{C}_{+}^{3}+\frac{1}{2}\hat{C}_{+}^{2}-\mu_{1}\hat{C}_{+}-2\mu_{2})\mathbf{P}_{+}^{(ad)}=0}, \quad \#4,$$
(13)

where

$$\begin{cases} \text{ for } \mathfrak{sl}_{N}: & \mu_{1} = \frac{1}{N^{2}}, & \mu_{2} = \frac{1}{4N^{2}}; \\ \text{ for } \mathfrak{so}_{N}, \mathfrak{sp}_{N}: & \mu_{1} = \frac{8 - \epsilon N}{2(\epsilon N - 2)^{2}}, & \mu_{2} = \frac{\epsilon N - 4}{2(\epsilon N - 2)^{3}}; \end{cases}$$
(14)

 $\epsilon=1,-1$ for $\mathfrak{so}_N,\mathfrak{sp}_N$ and $2(\dim\mathfrak{g}-1)\mu_2+\mu_1=1/2$. The factorized form of (13) is

$$(\widehat{C}_{+}+1)(\widehat{C}_{+}+\frac{\alpha}{2t})(\widehat{C}_{+}+\frac{\beta}{2t})(\widehat{C}_{+}+\frac{\gamma}{2t})\mathbf{P}_{+}^{(ad)}=0,$$
(15)

where $\left(\frac{\alpha}{2t} + \frac{\beta}{2t} + \frac{\gamma}{2t}\right) = 1/2 \implies (t = \alpha + \beta + \gamma),$

$$\mu_1 = -\frac{\alpha\beta + \alpha\gamma + \beta\gamma}{4t^2} , \quad \mu_2 = -\frac{\alpha\beta\gamma}{16t^3} , \tag{16}$$

If we fix $\alpha = -2$, then from (14),(16) we deduce the values of the Vogel parameters α, β, γ for $s\ell(N), so(N), sp(N)$ in Table 1.

And find the expression for dim \mathfrak{g} in terms the parameters μ_1, μ_2 and α, β, γ :

$$\dim \mathfrak{g} = \frac{2\mu_2 - \mu_1 + 1/2}{2\mu_2} = \frac{(\alpha - 2t)(\beta - 2t)(\gamma - 2t)}{\alpha\beta\gamma}.$$

From char. identity (15), we deduce four universal projectors $P_{(a_i)}^{(+)}$ on the invariant subspaces $V_{(a_i)}$ (with eigenvalues a_i of \widehat{C}_+)

$$\begin{split} \textbf{P}_{+}^{(\text{ad})} \left(\textit{V}_{\text{ad}}^{\otimes 2} \right) &= \big(\textit{P}_{(-1)}^{(+)} + \textit{P}_{(-\frac{\alpha}{2t})}^{(+)} + \textit{P}_{(-\frac{\beta}{2t})}^{(+)} + \textit{P}_{(-\frac{\gamma}{2t})}^{(+)} \big) \textit{V}_{\text{ad}}^{\otimes 2} = \\ &= \textit{V}_{(-1)} + \textit{V}_{(-\frac{\alpha}{2t})} + \textit{V}_{(-\frac{\beta}{2t})} + \textit{V}_{(-\frac{\gamma}{2t})} \; . \end{split}$$

$$\mathsf{P}^{(+)}_{(-\frac{\alpha}{2t})} = \mathsf{P}^{(+)}(\alpha|\beta,\gamma)\,,\quad \mathsf{P}^{(+)}_{(-\frac{\beta}{2t})} = \mathsf{P}^{(+)}(\beta|\alpha,\gamma)\,,\quad \mathsf{P}^{(+)}_{(-\frac{\gamma}{2t})} = \mathsf{P}^{(+)}(\gamma|\alpha,\beta)\,.$$

The representations of $\mathfrak g$ in the subspaces $V_{(-1)},\ V_{(-\frac{\alpha}{2t})},\ V_{(-\frac{\beta}{2t})},\ V_{(-\frac{\gamma}{2t})}$ were respectively denoted by Vogel as $\mathsf X_0=\mathbf 1,\ \mathsf Y_2(\alpha),\ \mathsf Y_2(\beta),\ \mathsf Y_2(\gamma)$

$$\mathbb{S}(\mathsf{ad}^{\otimes 2}) = \mathsf{X}_0 + \mathsf{Y}_2(\alpha) + \mathsf{Y}_2(\beta) + \mathsf{Y}_2(\gamma) \ .$$

Thus, Prop. 1,2 justify the Vogel statement for LA of classical series. Theorem. (P.Vogel, 1999)

$$\mathrm{ad}^{\otimes 2} = \mathbb{A}(\mathrm{ad}^{\otimes 2}) + \mathbb{S}(\mathrm{ad}^{\otimes 2}) \ = \ (\mathrm{ad} + \mathsf{X}_2) + \big(\mathbf{1} + \mathsf{Y}(\alpha) + \mathsf{Y}(\beta) + \mathsf{Y}(\gamma)\big).$$

Finally, we calculate (by means of trace formulas) the Vogel universal expressions for the dim of the invariant eigenspaces $V_{(a_i)}$:

$$\begin{split} &\dim V_{(-1)} = \operatorname{Tr} \, \mathsf{P}^{(+)}_{(-1)} = 1\,, \\ &\dim Y_2(\alpha) \equiv \dim V_{(-\frac{\alpha}{2t})} = \operatorname{Tr} \, \mathsf{P}^{(+)}_{(-\frac{\alpha}{2t})} = -\frac{(3\alpha - 2t)(\beta - 2t)(\gamma - 2t)t(\beta + t)(\gamma + t)}{\alpha^2(\alpha - \beta)\beta(\alpha - \gamma)\gamma}\,, \\ &\dim Y_2(\beta) \equiv \dim V_{(-\frac{\beta}{2t})} = \operatorname{Tr} \, \mathsf{P}^{(+)}_{(-\frac{\beta}{2t})} = -\frac{(3\beta - 2t)(\alpha - 2t)(\gamma - 2t)t(\alpha + t)(\gamma + t)}{\beta^2(\beta - \alpha)\alpha(\beta - \gamma)\gamma}\,, \\ &\dim Y_2(\gamma) \equiv \dim V_{(-\frac{\gamma}{2t})} = \operatorname{Tr} \, \mathsf{P}^{(+)}_{(-\frac{\gamma}{2t})} = -\frac{(3\gamma - 2t)(\beta - 2t)(\alpha - 2t)t(\beta + t)(\alpha + t)}{\gamma^2(\gamma - \beta)\beta(\gamma - \alpha)\alpha}\,. \end{split}$$

Remark. The cases of algebras \$13 and \$08 are exceptional.

Universal char identities for \widehat{C} for exceptional Lie algebras in $\operatorname{ad}^{\otimes 2}$.

The antisymmetric \hat{C}_{-} and symmetric \hat{C}_{+} parts of the split Casimir operators in the ad-representation for all exceptional Lie algebras g obey the universal identities

$$\widehat{C}_{-}\left(\widehat{C}_{-}+\frac{1}{2}\right)=0$$

$$\widehat{C}_{-}\left(\widehat{C}_{-} + \frac{1}{2}\right) = 0, \quad \widehat{C}_{+} + 1)(\widehat{C}_{+}^{2} + \frac{1}{6}\widehat{C}_{+} - 2\mu) \mathbf{P}_{+}^{(ad)} = 0, \quad \#3, \quad (17)$$

where the universal parameter μ is fixed as follows

$$\mu = \frac{5}{6(2 + \dim(\mathfrak{g}))}, \tag{18}$$

and for algebras $\mathfrak{g}_2,\mathfrak{f}_4,\mathfrak{e}_6,\mathfrak{e}_7,\mathfrak{e}_8$ with dimensions 14,52,78,133,248 we have respectively $\mu = \frac{5}{96}, \frac{5}{324}, \frac{1}{96}, \frac{1}{162}, \frac{1}{300}$.

Moreover the char identities for C_+ for algebras $\mathfrak{s}\ell_3$ and \mathfrak{so}_8 have the same structure (17) with $\mu = \frac{1}{12}$ and $\mu = \frac{1}{36}$.

From (17) we obtain the factorized form of the universal char. identity for \widehat{C}_+

$$(\widehat{C}_{+}+1)(\widehat{C}_{+}^{2}+\frac{1}{6}\widehat{C}_{+}-2\mu)\mathbf{P}_{+}^{(ad)}\equiv(\widehat{C}_{+}+1)(\widehat{C}_{+}+\frac{\alpha}{2t})(\widehat{C}_{+}+\frac{\beta}{2t})\mathbf{P}_{+}^{(ad)}=0\;,\;(19)$$

where we introduced the notation for two roots of eq. $\hat{C}_{+}^{2} + \frac{1}{6}\hat{C}_{+} - 2\mu = 0$:

$$\frac{\alpha}{2t} = \frac{1 - \mu'}{12} , \quad \frac{\beta}{2t} = \frac{1 + \mu'}{12} , \quad \mu' := \sqrt{1 + 288\mu} = \sqrt{\frac{\dim \mathfrak{g} + 242}{\dim \mathfrak{g} + 2}} . \quad (20)$$

These roots are related by $3(\alpha+\beta)=t$, and for $\alpha=-2$ this relation defines the line of the exceptional LA on the Vogel (β,γ) plane (as we discussed above). We note that μ' is a rational number (since $\frac{\alpha}{2t}$ and $\frac{\beta}{2t}$ are rational) only for certain finite sequence of dim \mathfrak{g} :

$$\dim \mathfrak{g} = 3, 8, 14, 28, 47, 52, 78, 96, 119, 133, 190, 248, 287, 336, \\ 484, 603, 782, 1081, 1680, 3479, \tag{21}$$

which includes the dimensions 14, 52, 78, 133, 248 of the exceptional Lie algebras $\mathfrak{g}_2, \mathfrak{f}_4, \mathfrak{e}_6, \mathfrak{e}_7, \mathfrak{e}_8$, and the dimensions 8 and 28 of $\mathfrak{s}\ell(3)$ and $\mathfrak{so}(8)$, which are sometimes also referred to as exceptional.

Remark. The sequence (21) contains $\dim \mathfrak{g}^* = (10m-122+360/m), \ (m \in \mathbb{N})$ referring to the adjoint representations of the so-called E_8 family of algebras \mathfrak{g}^* ; see the Cvitanović book. For such dimensions we have relation $\mu' = |(m+6)/(m-6)|$. Two numbers 47 and 119 from sequence (21) do not belong to the sequence $\dim \mathfrak{g}^*$. Thus, the interpretation of these two numbers as the dimensions of some algebras is missing. Moreover, for values $\dim \mathfrak{g}$ given in (21), using (20), one can calculate dimensions of the corresponding representations $Y(\alpha)$:

$$\dim V_{\left(-\frac{\alpha}{2t}\right)} = \left\{5, 27, 77, 300, \frac{14553}{17}, 1053, 2430, \frac{48608}{13}, \frac{111078}{19}, 7371, 15504, 27000, \frac{841279}{23}, \frac{862407}{17}, 107892, \frac{2205225}{13}, \frac{578151}{2}, 559911, \frac{42507504}{31}, \frac{363823677}{61}\right\}$$

Since dim $V_{(-\frac{\alpha}{2t})}$ should be integer, we conclude that there not exist Lie algebras with dimensions 47, 96, 119, 287, 336, 603, 782, 1680, 3479, for which we assume characteristic identity (19) and the trace formulas.

Universal formulas for 3-split Casimir operator in ad^{⊗3}

The matrix $\widehat{C}_{b_1b_2b_3}^{a_1a_2a_3} := (\widehat{C}_{(3)})_{b_1b_2b_3}^{a_1a_2a_3}$ of the 3-split Casimir operator is

$$(\widehat{C}_{(3)})_{b_1b_2b_3}^{a_1a_2a_3} = (\widehat{C}_{12} + \widehat{C}_{13} + \widehat{C}_{23})_{b_1b_2b_3}^{a_1a_2a_3}, \qquad (22)$$

and acts in the space $V_{\rm ad}^{\otimes 3}$ of the representation ${\rm ad}^{\otimes 3}$.

According to

$$\mathsf{ad}^{\otimes 3} = (\mathsf{P}_{[3]} + \mathsf{P}_{[2,1]} + \mathsf{P}_{[1^3]})\,\mathsf{ad}^{\otimes 3} \;,$$

we have decomposition

$$\widehat{C}_{(3)} = (P_{[3]} + P_{[2,1]} + P_{[1^3]})\widehat{C}_{(3)} = \widehat{C}_{[3]} + \widehat{C}_{[2,1]} + \widehat{C}_{[1^3]}$$
.

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Proposition 3. For 3-split Casimirs $\widehat{C}_{[1^3]}$, $\widehat{C}_{[3]}$ and $\widehat{C}_{[2,1]}$ we have the universal char. identities

$$\widehat{C}_{[1^{3}]}\left(\widehat{C}_{[1^{3}]} + \frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\widehat{C}_{[1^{3}]} + \frac{3}{2}\right)\left(\widehat{C}_{[1^{3}]} + \frac{1}{2} + \hat{\alpha}\right)\left(\widehat{C}_{[1^{3}]} + \frac{1}{2} + \hat{\beta}\right)\left(\widehat{C}_{[1^{3}]} + \frac{1}{2} + \hat{\gamma}\right) = 0$$

$$\left(\widehat{C}_{[3]} + \frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\widehat{C}_{[3]} + 1\right)\left(\widehat{C}_{[3]} + \frac{1}{2} - \hat{\alpha}\right)\left(\widehat{C}_{[3]} + \frac{1}{2} - \hat{\beta}\right)\left(\widehat{C}_{[3]} + \frac{1}{2} - \hat{\gamma}\right) \times \left(\widehat{C}_{[3]} + 3\hat{\alpha}\right)\left(\widehat{C}_{[3]} + 3\hat{\beta}\right)\left(\widehat{C}_{[3]} + 3\hat{\gamma}\right)P_{[3]} = 0,$$
(23)

$$\begin{split} \left(\widehat{C}_{[2,1]} + \tfrac{1}{2}\right) \left(\widehat{C}_{[2,1]} + 1\right) \left(\widehat{C}_{[2,1]} + \tfrac{1}{2} - \hat{\alpha}\right) \left(\widehat{C}_{[2,1]} + \tfrac{1}{2} - \hat{\beta}\right) \left(\widehat{C}_{[2,1]} + \tfrac{1}{2} - \hat{\gamma}\right) \times \\ \left(\widehat{C}_{[2,1]} + \tfrac{1}{2} + \hat{\alpha}\right) \left(\widehat{C}_{[2,1]} + \tfrac{1}{2} + \hat{\beta}\right) \left(\widehat{C}_{[2,1]} + \tfrac{1}{2} + \hat{\gamma}\right) \times \\ \left(\widehat{C}_{[2,1]} + \tfrac{3}{2}\hat{\alpha}\right) \left(\widehat{C}_{[2,1]} + \tfrac{3}{2}\hat{\beta}\right) \left(\widehat{C}_{[2,1]} + \tfrac{3}{2}\hat{\gamma}\right) \mathsf{P}_{[2,1]'} = 0. \end{split}$$

where $\hat{\alpha} = \frac{\alpha}{2t}$, $\hat{\beta} = \frac{\beta}{2t}$, $\hat{\gamma} = \frac{\gamma}{2t}$. All formulas in (23) are homogeneous and symmetric under permutations (α, β, γ) . Our results are in agreement with [P.Vogel (1999), A.M. Cohen and R. de Man (1996)].

The dimensions of irreps corresponding to the eigenvalues of $\widehat{C}_{[2,1]}$

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$$\begin{array}{lll} \dim_{-\frac{1}{2}} & = 2X_2 = & 2 \times \frac{1}{2} \; \dim(g) \left(\dim(g) - 3\right), \\ \dim_{-1} & = 2X_1 = & 2 \times \dim(g), \\ \dim_{\hat{\alpha} - \frac{1}{2}} & = B = & \frac{(\hat{\alpha} - 1)(\hat{\beta} - 1)(2\hat{\alpha} + \hat{\beta})(2\hat{\alpha} + \hat{\gamma})(2\hat{\beta} + 1)(2\hat{\gamma} + 1)(3\hat{\beta} - 1)(3\hat{\gamma} - 1)}{8\,\hat{\alpha}^2\,(\hat{\alpha} - \hat{\beta})(\hat{\alpha} - \hat{\gamma})(2\hat{\beta} - \hat{\gamma})(2\hat{\gamma} - \hat{\beta})\,\hat{\beta}^2\,\hat{\gamma}^2}, \\ \dim_{\hat{\beta} - \frac{1}{2}} & = B' = & \frac{(\hat{\beta} - 1)(\hat{\gamma} - 1)(\hat{\alpha} - 1)(2\hat{\beta} + \hat{\gamma})(2\hat{\beta} + \hat{\gamma})(2\hat{\gamma} + 1)(\hat{\alpha} + 1)(3\hat{\gamma} - 1)}{8\,\hat{\beta}^2\,(\hat{\beta} - \hat{\gamma})(2\hat{\gamma} - \hat{\alpha})(2\hat{\gamma} - \hat{\alpha})(2\hat{\alpha} - \hat{\gamma})\,\hat{\gamma}^2\,\hat{\alpha}^2}, \\ \dim_{\hat{\gamma} - \frac{1}{2}} & = B'' = & \frac{(\hat{\gamma} - 1)(\hat{\alpha} - 1)(\hat{\beta} - 1)(2\hat{\gamma} + \hat{\alpha})(2\hat{\gamma} + \hat{\beta})(2\hat{\alpha} + 1)(2\hat{\beta} + 1)(3\hat{\alpha} - 1)(3\hat{\beta} - 1)}{8\,\hat{\gamma}^2\,(\hat{\gamma} - \hat{\alpha})(\hat{\gamma} - \hat{\beta})(2\hat{\alpha} - \hat{\alpha})(2\hat{\alpha} - \hat{\alpha})(\hat{\beta} - \hat{\alpha})(\hat{\alpha} - \hat{\gamma})(\hat{\beta} + 1)(3\hat{\alpha} - 1)(3\hat{\beta} - 1)}, \\ \dim_{-\hat{\alpha} - \frac{1}{2}} & = Y_2' = & -\frac{(3\hat{\alpha} - 1)(\hat{\beta} - 1)(\hat{\gamma} - 1)(2\hat{\beta} + 1)(2\hat{\beta} + 1)}{8\hat{\alpha}^2(\hat{\alpha} - \hat{\beta})(\hat{\alpha} - \hat{\gamma})\hat{\beta}}, \\ \dim_{-\hat{\beta} - \frac{1}{2}} & = Y_2'' = & -\frac{(3\hat{\beta} - 1)(\hat{\gamma} - 1)(\hat{\alpha} - 1)(2\hat{\beta} + 1)(2\hat{\alpha} + 1)}{8\hat{\beta}^2(\hat{\beta} - \hat{\gamma})(\hat{\beta} - \hat{\alpha})\hat{\gamma}\hat{\alpha}}, \\ \dim_{-\hat{\gamma} - \frac{1}{2}} & = Y_2'' = & -\frac{(3\hat{\gamma} - 1)(\hat{\alpha} - 1)(\hat{\beta} - 1)(2\hat{\alpha} + 1)(2\hat{\beta} + 1)}{8\hat{\gamma}^2(\hat{\gamma} - \hat{\alpha})(\hat{\gamma} - \hat{\beta})\hat{\alpha}\hat{\beta}}, \\ \dim_{-\frac{3}{2}\hat{\alpha}} & = C = & -\frac{2}{3}\frac{(1 + 2\hat{\alpha})(1 + 2\hat{\beta})(1 + 2\hat{\beta})(1 - \hat{\beta})(\hat{\alpha} - \hat{\beta})(\hat{\alpha} - \hat{\gamma})(\hat{\beta} - \hat{\alpha})}{\hat{\beta}^3\hat{\gamma}\hat{\alpha}(\hat{\beta} - 2\hat{\gamma})(\hat{\beta} - 2\hat{\alpha})(\hat{\beta} - \hat{\gamma})(\hat{\beta} - \hat{\alpha})(\hat{\beta} - \hat{\gamma})}, \\ \dim_{-\frac{3}{2}\hat{\beta}} & = C' = & -\frac{2}{3}\frac{(1 + 2\hat{\alpha})(1 + 2\hat{\beta})(1 + 2\hat{\alpha})(1 + 2\hat{\alpha})(1 - \hat{\alpha})(1 + \hat{\alpha})(2\hat{\gamma} + \hat{\alpha})(2\hat{\beta} + \hat{\alpha})}{\hat{\beta}^3\hat{\gamma}\hat{\alpha}(\hat{\beta} - 2\hat{\gamma})(\hat{\beta} - 2\hat{\alpha})(\hat{\beta} - \hat{\gamma})(\hat{\beta} - \hat{\alpha})(\hat{\beta} - \hat{\alpha})}. \end{array}$$

All calculations were done with "Mathematica".

Universal formulas for 4-split Casimir operator in ad^{⊗4}

The matrix of the 4-split Casimir operator is

$$(\widehat{C}_{(4)})_{b_1b_2b_3b_4}^{a_1a_2a_3a_4} = (\widehat{C}_{12} + \widehat{C}_{13} + \widehat{C}_{14} + \widehat{C}_{23} + \widehat{C}_{24} + \widehat{C}_{34})_{b_1b_2b_3b_4}^{a_1a_2a_3a_4}, \qquad (24)$$

and acts in the space $V_{\rm ad}^{\otimes 3}$ of the representation ${\rm ad}^{\otimes 3}$.

$$(\hat{C}_{4})_{b_{1}}^{a_{1}}a_{2}a_{3}a_{4} = a_{1} - a_{1} - a_{1} - a_{2} - a_{3} - a_{4} - a_{5} + a_{5} - a_{5} -$$

According to

$$\mathsf{ad}^{\otimes 4} = (\mathsf{P}_{[4]} + \mathsf{P}_{[3,1]} + \mathsf{P}_{[2^2]} + \mathsf{P}_{[2,1^2]} + \mathsf{P}_{[1^4]})\,\mathsf{ad}^{\otimes 4} \;,$$

we have decomposition

$$\widehat{C}_{(4)} = \widehat{C}_{[4]} + \widehat{C}_{[3,1]} + \widehat{C}_{[2^2]} + \widehat{C}_{[2,1^2]} + \widehat{C}_{[1^4]}$$
.

Symmetric module $P_{[4]}(ad^{\otimes 4})$ includes the following representations:

[M.Avetisyan, A.P.I., S.Krivonos, R.Mkrtchyan, The uniform structure of $\mathfrak{g}^{\otimes 4}$, ArXive:2311.05358]

$$\begin{array}{l} \mathsf{P}_{[4]}(\mathsf{ad}^{\otimes 4}) = 2 \oplus J \oplus J' \oplus J'' \oplus X_2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3 \oplus 3Y_2 \oplus 3Y_2' \oplus 3Y_2'' \oplus \\ \mathsf{C} \oplus \mathsf{C}' \oplus \mathsf{C}'' \oplus Y_4 \oplus Y_4' \oplus Y_4'' \oplus \mathsf{D} \oplus \mathsf{D}' \oplus \mathsf{D}'' \oplus \mathsf{D}''' \oplus \mathsf{D}'''' \oplus \mathsf{D}'''''. \end{array}$$

The universal dimension formulae of some of these representations are:

Conclusion.

- 1.) Char. identities for the split COs allow us to calculate colour factors for the amplitudes in "glue-dynamics" and write them in the universal form via Vogel parameters.
- 2.) The universal description of the subrepresentations in $ad^{\otimes n}$ for $n \geq 5$ is open problem. We have difficulties with analytical calculations on "Mathematica".
- 3.) *n*-Split Casimir operators are Hamiltonians for Heisenberg-type spin-chains with interactions between all nodes (not just the closest ones).



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