

Title: Front End - Lie Groups and Lie Algebras - 2

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Abstract:

$D_1 = C_2$  is NOT the symmetry of a 1-gon.

$D_2 = C_2 \times C_2 = V_4$  is Not the symmetry of a 2-gon.

$D_n$  is symmetry of  $n$ -gon

$$\{x, y \mid x^n = y^2 = (xy)^2 = e\}$$



Recap

What is a group

set  $G$  binary operator  $\circ$

1) closed

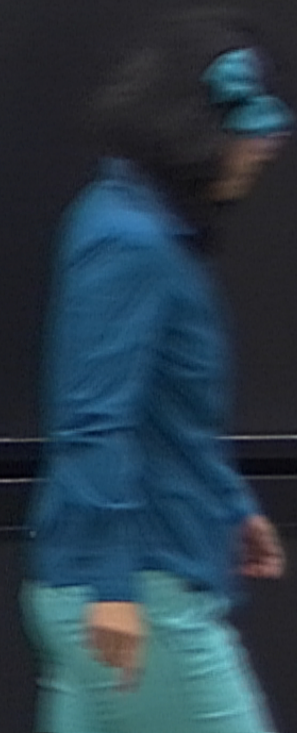
2) associative

3) identity exists

4) inverse exists

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Quantum Mechanics

$|4\rangle$



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$|\psi\rangle$

$$P(|\psi_1\rangle \rightarrow |\psi_2\rangle) = |\langle \psi_1 | \psi_2 \rangle|^2$$



group

other observer  
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Wigner 30'

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U - unitary

$$\langle U\psi | U\phi \rangle = \langle \psi | \phi \rangle$$

and linear

$$(aU + bV)|\psi\rangle = aU|\psi\rangle + bV|\psi\rangle$$

- anti-unitary

and anti-linear

$$\dots = \langle \psi | \phi \rangle^*$$
$$\dots = a^* \dots + b^* \dots$$



$$\langle u\psi | u\phi \rangle = \langle \psi | \phi \rangle$$

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Trivial Enlightening:  $\mathbb{1}$  unitary-linear

$$|\langle \psi_1 | \psi_2 \rangle|^2 = |\langle O\psi_1 | O\psi_2 \rangle|^2$$

$$= |\langle \psi_1 | O^\dagger O \psi_2 \rangle|^2$$

$$\text{want} = |\langle \psi_1 | \psi_2 \rangle|^2$$

$$O^\dagger O = \mathbb{1}$$



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 $|\psi\rangle$

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 $U_1|\psi\rangle$

third  
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$\rho: G \rightarrow GL(V)$



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(U/F)

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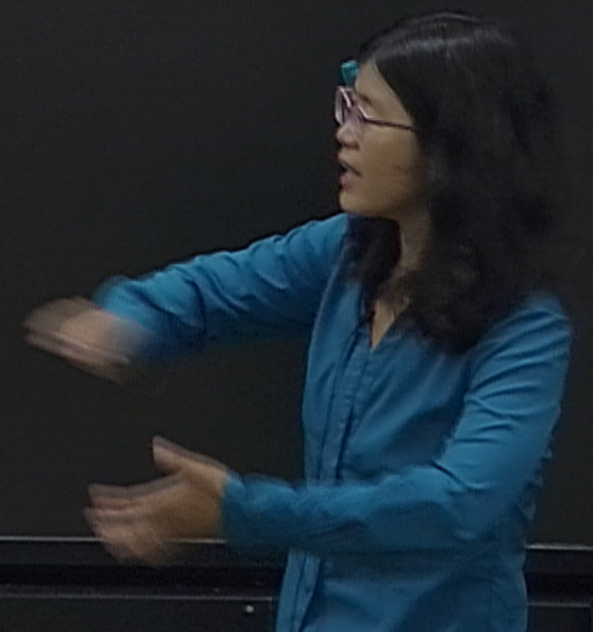
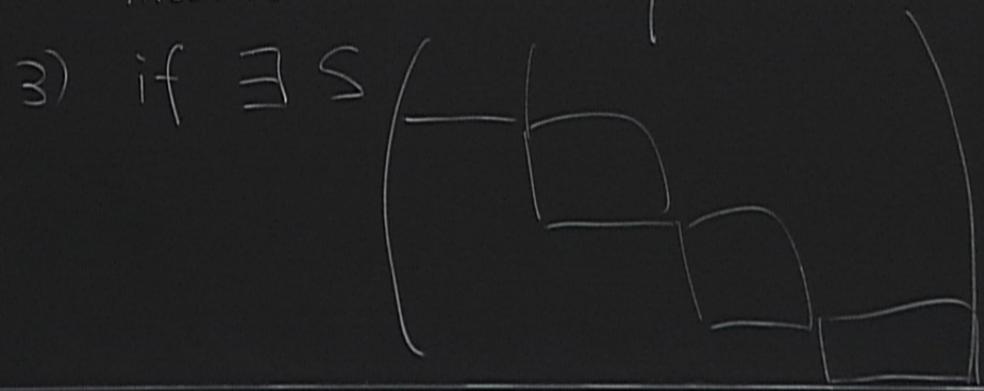


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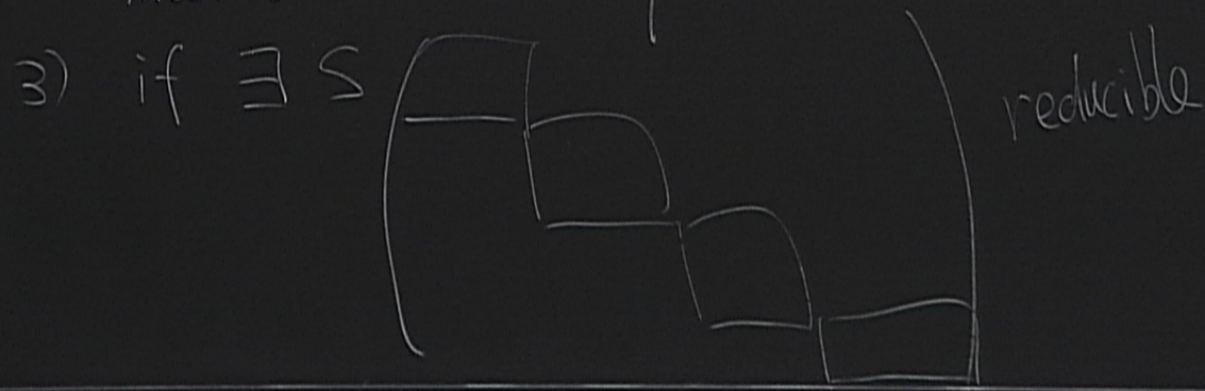


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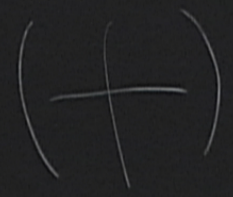
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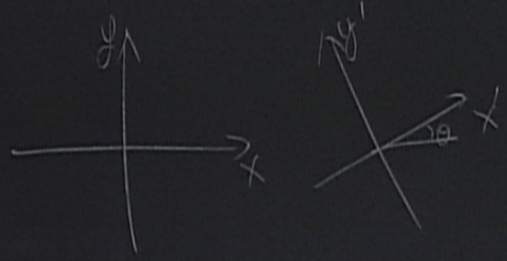


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which Lie Groups  
 what group members are labeled by  
 continuous parameter

$$\vec{\theta} = (\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots)$$

start with one continuous parameter.



$\left\{ e^{i\theta} \right\}$  parameter.

$$e^{i\theta_1} \cdot e^{i\theta_2} = e^{i(\theta_1 + \theta_2)}$$

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rotations in 3D.

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rotations in N dimensions  
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 $\| \vec{x} \|^2 = \dots$

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other de  
 $P(|\psi\rangle)$   
 $= |\langle \dots \rangle|^2$   
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 $D(\dots)$   
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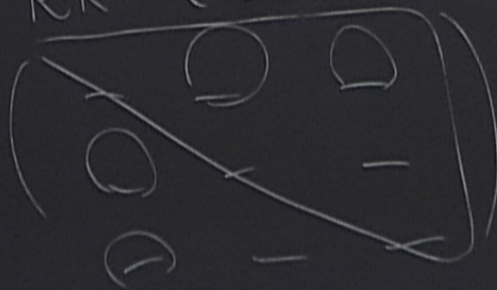
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$$R^T R = \mathbb{1}$$
$$\det(R^T R) = \det \mathbb{1}$$
$$(\det R)^2 = 1$$
$$\det R = \pm 1$$



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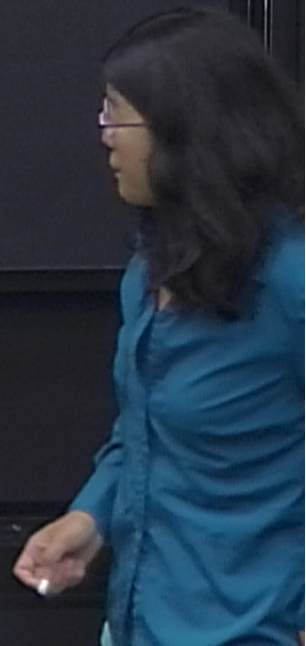
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$V^2 = 1$

$SU(2)$   
 $= 2^2 - 1$

$3 + 3$

Poincaré Group 10 parameters  
 $SO(3,1) + \text{translations}$   
in  $\mathbb{R}^4$