

# THE LIE GROUP OF FOURIER INTEGRAL OPERATORS \* AND APPLICATIONS TO FLUID DYNAMICS

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## Review COMPACT case:

**Theorem:** (M.Adams, T.Ratiu, R.Schmid, 1985) :  
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$FIO_*(M)$  is an  $\infty$ -dim principal fiber bundle over the base manifold  $Diff_\theta(\dot{T}^*M)$  of contact transformations of  $\dot{T}^*M$  with gauge group  $\Psi DO_*(M)$  of invertible pseudodifferential operators.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \Psi DO_*(M) & \longrightarrow & FIO_*(M) \\ & & \downarrow \\ & & Diff_\theta(\dot{T}^*M) \end{array}$$

- $FIO$ , Fourier integral operators, they generalize
- $\Psi DO$ , pseudodifferential operators, they generalize
- $DO$ , differential operators

$$FIO \supset \Psi DO \supset DO$$

$P \in \Psi DO_m$  classical  $\Psi DO$  order  $m$ , locally :  $u \in C_c^\infty(M)$

$$Pu(x) = (2\pi)^{-n} \int \int e^{i(x-y)\cdot\xi} p(x, \xi) u(y) dy d\xi$$

- $p(x, \xi)$  classical symbol of order  $m$

$$p(x, \xi) \sim \sum_{j=m}^{-\infty} p_j(x, \xi), \quad \text{homogeneous degree } j \text{ in } \xi$$

- special case:

$$p(x, \xi) = \sum_{|\alpha| \leq m} p_\alpha(x) \xi^\alpha \quad \text{polynomial in } \xi$$

$\Rightarrow P \in DO$  differential operator order  $m$

$P$  oscillatory integral, highly singular, nice operators:

- invariant under diffeomorphisms,  $\Rightarrow$  def. on  $M$
- extend  $P : H_c^s(M) \rightarrow H_c^{s-m}(M)$  bounded
- closed under composition, order additive
- $\Psi DO = \bigcup_m \Psi DO_m$  is an  $\infty$ -dim graded Lie algebra

$$P \in \Psi DO_m, \quad Q \in \Psi DO_n$$

$$\Rightarrow [P, Q] = PQ - QP \in \Psi DO_{m+n-1}$$

Note:  $\Psi DO_1$  is  $\infty$ -dim Lie algebra : ?? LIE GROUP ??

**Question:** Are there  $\infty$ -dim Lie groups  $\mathcal{G}$  ,  $\mathcal{G}_o$  which have  $\Psi DO$  resp.  $\Psi DO_1$  as Lie algebras?

**Answer:** YES  $\mathcal{G} = FIO_*$  and  $\mathcal{G}_o = (FIO_o)_*$  the groups of invertible Fourier integral operators (order zero)

$A \in FIO_m$  Fourier integral operator of order  $m$  on  $M$ , compact, locally:

$$Au(x) = (2\pi)^{-n} \int \int e^{i\varphi(x,y,\xi)} a(x, \xi) u(y) dy d\xi$$

- $a(x, \xi)$  classical symbol of order  $m$  ,  $a \sim \sum_{j=m}^{-\infty} a_j$
- $\varphi(x, y, \xi)$  nondegenerate phase function

Note: if  $\varphi(x, y, \xi) = (x - y) \cdot \xi \Rightarrow A \in \Psi DO_m$

$\varphi$  is locally generating a homogeneous canonical transformation  $\eta : \dot{T}^*M \rightarrow \dot{T}^*M : \eta^*\omega = \omega, \eta(t\alpha) = t\eta(\alpha)$   
 $\Leftrightarrow \eta^*\theta = \theta$  canonical 1-form (quantomorphism)

again

(i)  $A : C_c^\infty(M) \rightarrow C^\infty(M)$  extends  $A : \mathcal{E}'(M) \rightarrow \mathcal{D}'(\mathcal{M})$

(ii) closed under composition, order additive, and if  $A = A_1 \circ A_2$  then  $\eta = \eta_1 \circ \eta_2$ , and  $A^{-1} \Rightarrow \eta^{-1}$

Let

$FIO = \cup_m FIO_m$  ,  $FIO_*$  group of invertible  $FIOs$

$Diff_\theta^\infty = \{\eta \in Diff^\infty(\dot{T}^*M) \mid \eta^*\theta = \theta\}$

we have an exact sequence of groups

$$I \rightarrow \Psi DO_* \xrightarrow{j} FIO_* \xrightarrow{p} Diff_\theta^\infty \rightarrow id$$

$A \in FIO_*$  ,  $p(A) = \eta \in Diff_\theta^\infty$  surjective,  
 $ker p = \Psi DO_*$  , since  $\varphi(x, y, \xi) = (x - y) \cdot \xi \Rightarrow id$

we want : LIE GROUPS

zero order groups

$$I \rightarrow (\Psi DO_0)_* \xrightarrow{j} (FIO_0)_* \xrightarrow{p} Diff_\theta^\infty \rightarrow id$$

Lie algebras

$$0 \longrightarrow \Psi DO_0 \hookrightarrow \Psi DO_1 \longrightarrow Vec_\theta^\infty \longrightarrow 0$$

$$\parallel$$

$$L_X \theta = 0$$

Note !!

$$Diff_\theta^\infty \neq exp(Vec_\theta^\infty) \quad , \quad FIO \neq exp(\Psi DO)$$

Idea: construct  $\infty$ -dim principal fiber bundle such that

- base space =  $Diff_\theta^\infty(T^*M)$
- total space =  $(FIO_0)_*$
- fiber =  $p^{-1}(\eta) \simeq (\Psi DO_0)_* =$  gauge group

step 1:  $Diff_\theta^\infty = \varprojlim_{\infty \leftarrow s} Diff_\theta^s$  is an ILH Lie group

step 2:  $(\Psi DO_0)_* = \varprojlim_{\infty \leftarrow s} (\Psi DO_0^s)_*$  is an ILH Lie group

step 3: piece 1 & 2 together via local section  $\sigma$

$$\sigma : U \subset Diff_\theta^\infty \rightarrow (FIO_0)_*$$

then  $(FIO_0)_*$  locally:  $p^{-1}(U) \simeq \sigma(U) \times (\Psi DO_0)_*$   
 $\Rightarrow$  chart at identity  $I \in (FIO_0)_*$

step 4: move this chart around by group structure of  
 $Diff_\theta^\infty$

step 5: chart transitions smooth  $\Rightarrow (FIO_0)_*$  smooth manifold

step 6: multiplication "smooth"  $\Rightarrow (FIO_0)_*$  Lie group

step 7: identify  $(1 - \Delta)^{m/2} : (FIO_0)_* \xrightarrow{\sim} (FIO_m)_*$

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Next: **NON-COMPACT** case

J. Eichhorn:

*"There is exactly one thing that work in the non-compact case: NOTHING"*

## **Diffeomorphisms of NON-COMPACT manifolds:**

**Example:** Let  $M^n$  and  $N^{n'}$  be compact manifolds, then a map  $f : M^n \rightarrow N^{n'}$  is of Sobolev class  $H^s$  if and only if the local representatives  $f_j^i : U_i \subset \mathbf{R}^n \rightarrow V_j \subset \mathbf{R}^{n'}$  are of class  $H^s$ , where  $M \subset \cup(U_i, \phi_i)$ ,  $N \subset \cup(V_j, \psi_j)$ ,  $f_j^i := \psi_j \circ f \circ \phi_i^{-1}$ . These covers are **finite** if  $M, N$  are compact.

This definition is invariant  $\Leftrightarrow s > \frac{n}{2} + 1$

In the compact case we can define the distance by

$$d^s(f, g) := \left( \sum_{i,j} \|f_j^i - g_j^i\|_s^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

These definitions are meaningless if  $M, N$  are open !

## **Idea: Bounded Geometry**

- Control over the metric and its derivatives
- Control over the mappings and their derivatives by the metric, i.e. maps adapted to the bounded geometry

**Definition:** A Riemannian manifold  $(M^n, g)$  has *bounded geometry of order  $k$* ,  $0 \leq k \leq \infty$ , if  $M$  has a positive injectivity radius  $r_{inj}(M)$  and the curvature tensor  $R$  and all its derivatives up to order  $k$  are uniformly bounded; i.e the following two conditions  $(I)$  and  $(B_k)$  are satisfied:

$$(I) : r_{inj}(M) = \inf_{x \in M} r_{inj}(x) > 0$$

$$(B_k) : |\nabla^i R| \leq C_i, \quad 0 \leq i \leq k.$$

$(I) \Leftrightarrow$  there exists a ball around 0 in  $\mathbf{R}^n$  which is domain of normal (geodesic) coordinates **for all**  $x \in M$ .

$(B_k) \Leftrightarrow$  there exists a constant  $d_k$  (independent of  $x \in M$ ) such that  $\|g_{ij}\|_{C^k} \leq d_k$  in any normal coordinate system  $\Leftrightarrow \|\Gamma_{ij}^m\|_{C^{k-1}} \leq d_k$  in any normal coordinate system

Examples of manifolds with bounded geometry:

- compact manifolds
- Lie groups
- homogeneous spaces
- covering spaces of Riemannian manifolds
- leaves of foliations of compact manifolds

**Fact:** Given an open manifold  $M^n$  and  $k \geq 0$ , then there exists a complete Riemannian metric  $g$  on  $M^n$  satisfying the conditions  $(I)$  and  $(B_k)$ ; i.e there is **no** topological obstruction for a metric with bounded geometry of any order.

## Bounded maps $C^{p,r}(M, N)$ :

A  $C^\infty$  map  $f : M \rightarrow N$  is bounded of order  $r \leq k$  iff  $\frac{\partial^\alpha}{\partial x^\alpha} f^\nu$  is uniformly bounded in any normal coordinate system;  $|\alpha| \leq r \leq k$ .

**Topology of bounded maps:**  $f, g$  are close iff ex. a vector field  $\xi$  along  $f$  with small Sobolev norm  $\|\xi\|_{p,r} < \varepsilon$  such that  $g(x) = \exp_{f(x)} \xi(x)$

**Theorem:** (J. Eichhorn, R. Schmid)

The completion  $C^{p,r}(M, N)$  is a  $C^{k+1-r}$ -Banach manifold, and for  $p = 2$  it is a Hilbert manifold  
 $1 < p < \infty, r \leq k, r > \frac{n}{p} + 1$

## The bounded diffeomorphism group $Diff^{p,r}(M)$ .

**Problem:**  $f$  bounded  $\not\Rightarrow f^{-1}$  bounded, i.e. no group.

We need an additional assumption then  $Diff^{p,r}$  is open in  $C^{p,r}(M, M)$  and each component is a  $C^{k+1-r}$ -Banach manifold, and for  $p = 2$  it is a Hilbert manifold.

**Theorem:** (J. Eichhorn, R. Schmid) Let  $(M^n, g)$  be an open, oriented, complete Riemannian manifold satisfying (I),  $(B_\infty)$  and let  $r > \frac{n}{p} + 1$ . Then  $Diff^{p,\infty}(M) = \lim_{\leftarrow} Diff^{p,r}(M)$  is an ILB - Lie group; and for  $p = 2$  it is an ILH - Lie group.

## Volume preserving and symplectic diffeomorphisms

Let  $\omega$  be a  $C^\infty$ -bounded non-degenerate  $q$ -form,  $q = n$  or  $q = 2$ , consider  $Diff_\omega^{p,r} = \{f \in Diff^r \mid f^*\omega = \omega\}$ .

**Theorem:** (Eichhorn, Schmid)

a)  $Diff_\omega^{p,\infty} = \lim_{\leftarrow r} Diff_\omega^{p,r}$  is an ILH-Lie group with Lie algebra consisting of divergence free ( $q = n$ ), or locally Hamiltonian ( $q = 2$ ) vector fields  $\xi$  with finite Sobolev norm  $|\xi|_{p,r}$  for all  $r$ .

b)  $Diff_\omega^{p,r}$  is an infinite dim. Riemannian manifold, with (weak) metric

$$g(X, Y)_{id} = \int_M (X, Y)_x dvol_x(g)$$

## Contact transformations on $\dot{T}^*M$

If  $(M^n, g)$  is an open, oriented, complete Riemannian manifold satisfying (I),  $(B_k)$  then the Sasaki metric on the co-sphere bundle in  $\dot{T}^*M$  satisfies (I),  $(B_{k-1})$

Let  $\theta$  be the canonical 1-form on  $T^*M$  and consider

$$Diff_\theta^{p,r} = \{f \in Diff^{p,r}(\dot{T}^*M) \mid f^*\theta = \theta\}$$

. **Theorem:** (Eichhorn, Schmid)

$Diff_\theta^{p,\infty} = \lim_{\leftarrow r} Diff_\theta^{p,r}$  is an ILH-Lie group.

This is the space of phase functions for the Fourier integral operators !

## Pseudodifferential operators and Fourier integral operators on open manifolds

If  $(M^n, g)$  is **open** the previous definition of  $\Psi DO_s$  and  $FIO_s$  does **not** make sense. We need to adapt the class of symbols and phase functions to the bounded geometry of  $M$  in order to obtain globally defined Fourier integral operators  $A : C_c^\infty(M) \rightarrow \mathcal{D}'(M)$ . Then the corresponding spaces  $\Psi DO$  and  $FIO$  have similar properties as in the compact case and we can use the same ideas as before to construct Lie group structures.

$$FIO \quad Au(x) = (2\pi)^{-n} \int \int e^{i\varphi(x,y,\xi)} a(x,\xi) u(y) dy d\xi$$

- **symbols:** the family of local symbols  $a(x, \xi)$  together with their derivatives should be uniformly bounded
- **phase functions:** the phase functions  $\varphi(x, y, \xi)$  should locally generate canonical transformations in the space  $Diff_\theta^{p,r}(T^*M)$

This defines the class of **uniform** pseudodifferential- and Fourier integral operators  $\mathcal{U}\Psi DO_m, \quad \mathcal{U}FIO_m$

Again we get an exact sequence of groups

$$I \rightarrow (\mathcal{U}\Psi DO_0)_* \xrightarrow{j} (\mathcal{U}FIO_0)_* \xrightarrow{p} Diff_{\theta}^{p,r} \rightarrow id$$

Now we follow the same ideas as in the compact case: step 1,2...7 to construct ILH Lie groups structures on these spaces.

**Main Theorem:** (Eichhorn, Schmid)

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{U}\Psi DO &= \lim_{\leftarrow s} \mathcal{U}\Psi DO^s && \text{is an ILH Lie group} \\ \mathcal{U}FIO &= \lim_{\leftarrow t} \mathcal{U}FIO^t && \text{is an ILH Lie group} \end{aligned}$$

multiplication

$$\begin{aligned} \mu : \mathcal{U}FIO^{t+r} \times \mathcal{U}FIO^t &\rightarrow \mathcal{U}FIO^t ; \mu(A, B) = AB \\ &\text{is } C^k \text{ differentiable, } k = \min(r, t) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{inversion } \nu : \mathcal{U}FIO^{t+r} &\rightarrow \mathcal{U}FIO^t ; \nu(A) = A^{-1} \\ &\text{is } C^k \text{ differentiable, } k = \min(r, t) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{right mult. } R_A : \mathcal{U}FIO^t &\rightarrow \mathcal{U}FIO^t ; R_A(B) = BA \\ &\text{is } C^t \text{ differentiable, for any } A \in \mathcal{U}FIO^t \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{left mult. } L_A : \mathcal{U}FIO^t &\rightarrow \mathcal{U}FIO^t ; L_A(B) = AB \\ &\text{is } C^0 \text{ (continuous), for any } A \in \mathcal{U}FIO^t \end{aligned}$$

# APPLICATIONS

## 1. Euler equations

1) Classical Euler equations for an incompressible, homogeneous fluid without viscosity

$$E_{cl} \begin{cases} \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + \nabla_{u(t)} u(t) = \text{grad } p \\ \text{div } u(t) = 0 \end{cases}$$

where  $u = u(x, t)$  is a time dependent  $C^1$  vector field on  $(M^n, g)$ ,  $\nabla = \nabla^g$ ,  $\text{div} = \text{div}_{d\text{vol}_x(g)}$ . Additionally, we assume  $u(t) \in \Omega^r(TM)$  for all  $t$  which means that the fluid moves very slowly at infinity,  $r > \frac{n}{2} + 1$ . Then  $u(t)$  defines a 1-parameter family of diffeomorphisms  $f_t$  defined by

$$\left. \frac{df_s}{ds} \right|_{s=t} = u(t) \circ f_t .$$

**Theorem:** (Eichhorn, Schmid) Assume  $(M^n, g)$  **open** with  $(I)$  and  $(B_k)$ ,  $k - 2 \geq r > \frac{n}{2} + 1$ . Then  $u(t)$  satisfies the classical Euler equations  $(E_{cl})$  iff  $\{f_t\}_t$  is a geodesic in  $\text{Diff}_\mu^{\infty, r}(M)$ .

**$M$  compact:** D.G. Ebin and J.E. Marsden (1970).

## 2) Topological Euler equations

$\mu =$  fixed volume form on  $(M, g)$

$u = u(x, t)$  is a time dependent  $C^1$  vector field on  $(M^n, g)$

$\nabla = \nabla^g$  the Riemannian covariant derivative

but now  $div = div_\mu$ , defined by  $L_X \mu = (div_\mu X) \mu$ .

$$(E_{top}) \quad \begin{cases} \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + \nabla_{u(t)} u(t) = grad p \\ div_\mu u(t) = 0 \end{cases}$$

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Then  $u(t)$  satisfies the topological Euler equations  $(E_{top})$  iff  $\{f_t\}_t$  is a geodesic in  $Diff_\mu^{\infty, r}(M)$ .

## 2. KdV equation and the group of Fourier integral operators

Korteweg deVries (KdV) equation  $u_t = 6uu_x - u_{xxx}$

Poisson bracket  $\{F, G\}(u) = \int \frac{\delta F}{\delta u} \partial_x \frac{\delta G}{\delta u} dx$

Hamiltonian  $H(u) = \int (u^3 + \frac{1}{2}u_x^2) dx$

Hamilton's equations  $u_t = \{u, H\} \iff u$  satisfies KdV  
*Gardner, Kruskal 1971*

**Theorem:** (*M.Adams, J.Eichhorn, T.Ratiu, R.Schmid*)

**A:** The KdV equation is a Hamiltonian system with respect to the Lie-Poisson bracket on the coadjoint orbit of the Lie group of invertible Fourier integral operators  $G = FIO_*$  through the Schrödinger operator.

**B:** The Kostant-Symes theorem applied to a splitting of the Lie algebra of  $FIO_*$ , the space of pseudodifferential operators  $\mathfrak{g} = \Psi DO$  gives the complete integrability of KdV, i.e. the Gelfand-Dikii family of commuting integrals, including  $H$ .

Consider  $M = S^1$  the unit circle. Then each pseudodifferential operator  $P \in \Psi DO_m(S^1)$  has total symbol of the form  $p(x, \xi) = \sum_{-\infty < j \leq m} p_j(x) \xi^j$ .

The Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g} = \Psi DO$  decomposes into the two subalgebras  $\mathfrak{h} = \Psi DO_- = \cup_{m < 0} \Psi DO_m$  and  $\mathfrak{k} = \Psi DO_+ = \cup_{m \geq 0} \Psi DO_m$ , i.e.  $\Psi DO = \Psi DO_- \oplus \Psi DO_+$

The inner product  $\langle P, Q \rangle = \text{Trace}(P \cdot Q)$  where  $\text{Trace}(P) = \int p_{-1}(x) dx$  identifies  $\Psi DO^* \simeq \Psi DO$  and  $(\Psi DO_-)^* \simeq \Psi DO_+$

So for  $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{h} \oplus \mathfrak{k}$  we get  $\mathfrak{g}^* = \mathfrak{k}^\perp \oplus \mathfrak{h}^\perp$ , i.e

$$\begin{aligned} \mathfrak{g}^* &= \Psi DO^* \simeq \Psi DO_+^\perp \oplus \Psi DO_-^\perp \simeq \Psi DO_-^* \oplus \Psi DO_+^* \simeq \\ &\simeq \Psi DO_+ \oplus \Psi DO_- \end{aligned}$$

The Lie-Poisson bracket on  $\mathfrak{h}^* = \Psi DO_-^* \simeq \Psi DO_+$  at  $A \in \Psi DO_+$  is

$$\{F, H\}(A) = \langle A, \left[ \frac{\delta F}{\delta A}, \frac{\delta H}{\delta A} \right] \rangle = \int (A \circ \left[ \frac{\delta F}{\delta A}, \frac{\delta H}{\delta A} \right])_{-1} dx$$

...)<sub>-1</sub> means order(-1) part of the symbol.

The Lie-Poisson evolution equations  $\dot{F} = \{F, H\}$  for any function  $F$  on  $\Psi DO_-^*$  are equivalent to

$$\dot{A} = X_H(A) = ad_{\frac{\delta H}{\delta A}}^*(A) = \left[ \frac{\delta H}{\delta A}, A \right]_+$$

on  $\Psi DO_-^* \simeq \Psi DO_+$ , where  $... ]_+$  means taking only the part in  $\Psi DO_+$

For the Schrödinger operator  $A \in \Psi DO_+$  with total symbol  $a(x, \xi) = a(x) + \xi^2$  the Lie-Poisson bracket of two functions  $F, G : \Psi DO^* \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$  at  $A$  becomes

$$\{F, G\} = \int \frac{\delta F}{\delta a} \partial_x \frac{\delta G}{\delta a} dx$$

which is the Gardner bracket.

For the Hamiltonian  $H = \int (a^3 + \frac{1}{2}a_x^2) dx$  Hamiltons equations  $\dot{A} = [\frac{\delta H}{\delta A}, A]_+$  become

$$a_t = 6aa_x - a_{xxx}$$

which is the KdV equation.

For the functionals

$$H_k(A) = \text{Trace}(A^k) = \int (A^k)_{-1} dx, \quad k \in \mathbf{N} \text{ we have}$$

$$\frac{\delta H_k}{\delta A} = kA^{k-1}, \text{ hence } [A, \frac{\delta H_k}{\delta A}] = [A, kA^{k-1}] = 0.$$

Thus  $H_k$  are constant on coadjoint orbits. By Kostant-Symes theorem, restricting the  $H_k$  to  $\Psi DO_-^* \simeq \Psi DO_+$  gives the Gelfand-Dikii family of commuting integrals for KdV.

Ex.

$$H_0 = \int a \, dx$$

$$H_1 = \int \frac{1}{2} a^2 \, dx$$

$$H_2 = \int (a^3 + \frac{1}{2} a_x^2) dx \equiv H \text{ above !}$$

$$H_3 = \int (\frac{5}{8} a^4 + \frac{5}{4} a a_x^2 + \frac{1}{8} a_{xx}^2) dx$$

etc.