



## Foundation of general differential Galois theory

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§1 Why general diff. Galois theory?

1. Galois theory of algebraic equations

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0 \quad a \neq 0$$

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$a_0 x^m + a_1 x^{m-1} + \dots + a_m = 0 \quad a_0 \neq 0$$

Cardano, Ferrari

$n=3, 4$

⋮

Impossible to generalize this kind of formula to  $n \geq 5$ .

Galois Theory.

This is not the end of the story  
but this is the starting point of  
number theory.

Proof of Fermat's last Theorem  
without Galois Theory

Impossible to imagine

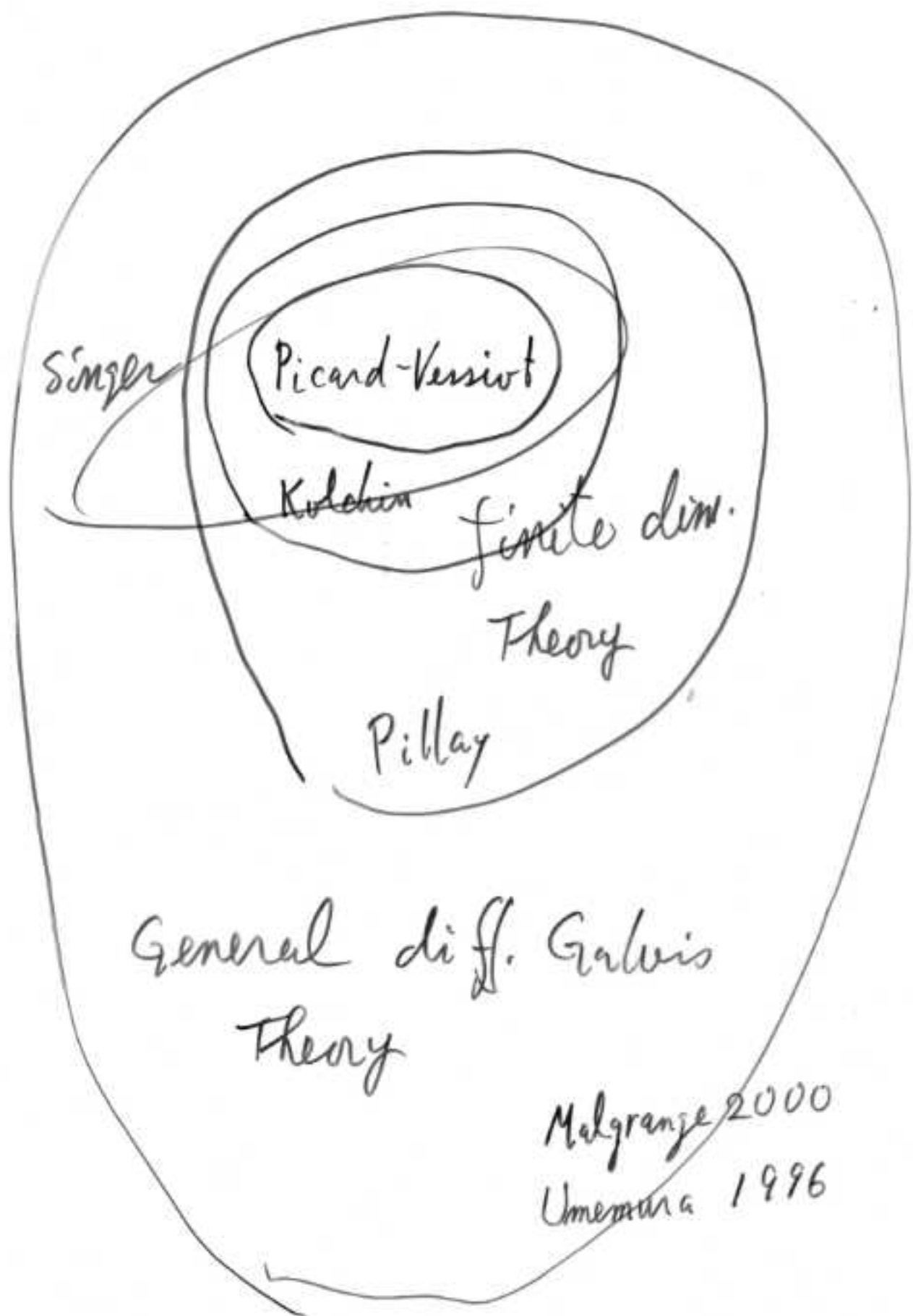
## 2. Differential Galois Theory

Long history since S. Lie.

Irreducibility of the Painlevé  
equations was proved without

D. G. T.

Kolchin's Theory, Picard-Vessiot  
Theory are too restrictive for app.  
in analysis.



Singer

Picard-Vessiot

Kulshin

finite dim.  
Theory

Theory

Pillay

General diff. Galois  
Theory

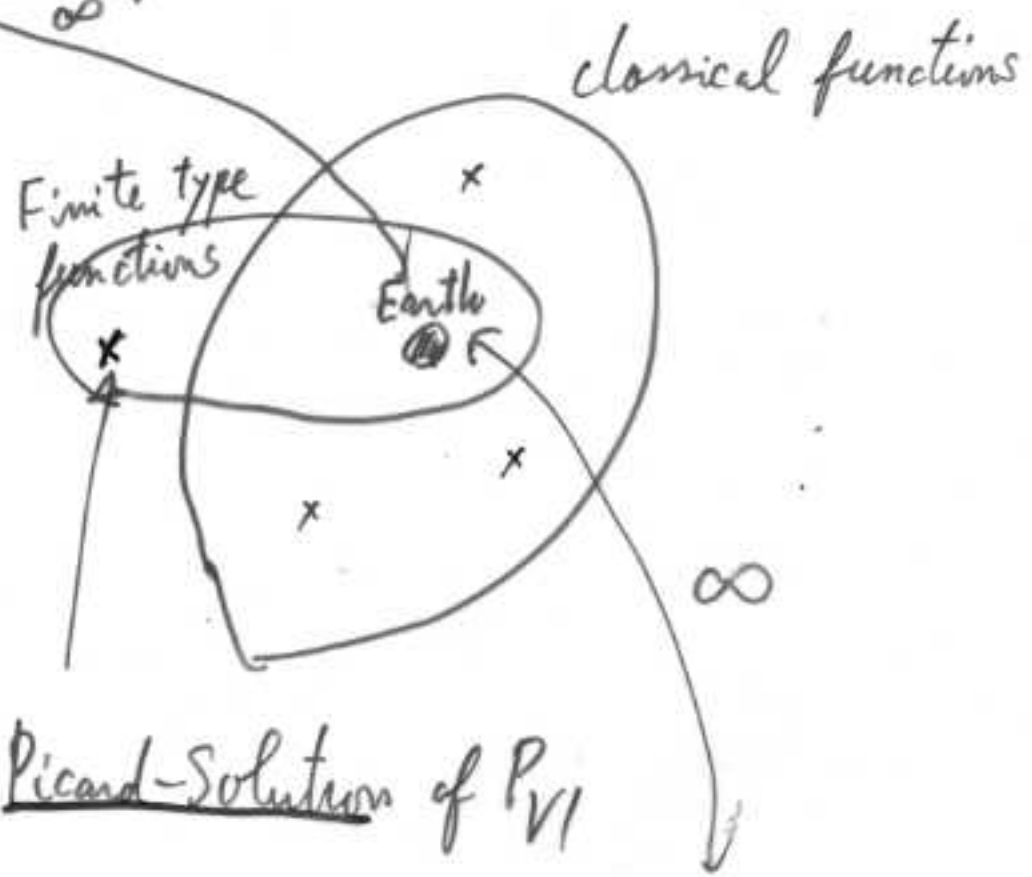
Malgrange 2000

Umehara 1996

# Remarkable applications to Painlevé equations

Functions = Stars

A Solution of  $P_I$



Another solution of  $P_I$

x  
Casale

Dynamical System on a manifold <sup>on a scheme</sup>  
Continuous, discrete



Galois groupoid on the manifold

Observation by algebraic  
partial diff. eqs.

given a diff. field  $\Leftrightarrow$  Continuous Dynamical  
sys. on a variety

very naturally

We can hear the music of Galois  
Groupoid.

## §2 Diff. field and Dynamical sys on a variety

Example 1.  $\mathbb{C}(x)$ ,  $d/dx$

Dynamical system on the line

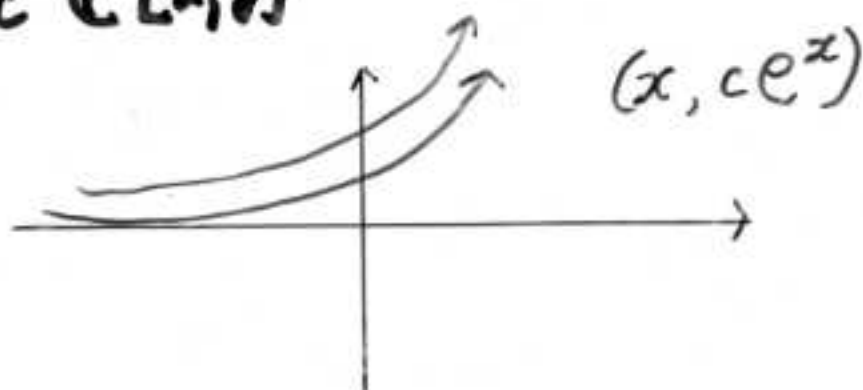


$L = \text{Spec } \mathbb{C}[x]$  Model of  $\mathbb{C}(x)$

2.  $\mathbb{C}(x, y)$   $y' = y$ ,  $x' = 1$   
diff. field

$(\mathbb{C}[x, y], \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial}{\partial y})$  Model of  $\mathbb{C}(x, y)$

$\text{Spec } \mathbb{C}[x, y]$



Generally  $(L/\mathbb{C}, \delta)$  diff. field

$\delta: L \rightarrow L$  derivation

$$\delta(ab) = (\delta a)b + a\delta b$$

$$\delta(a+b) = \delta a + \delta b$$

$$\delta(\mathbb{C}) = 0$$

$L$  is finitely generated  $/\mathbb{C}$

Proposition  $\exists R \subset L$

(i)  $R$  is finitely gen.  $/\mathbb{C}$  as a ring.

(ii)  $\mathbb{C}(R) = L$ .

(iii)  $\delta(R) \subset R$

$\delta$  defines a vector field  $X(\delta)$  on  
 $\text{Spec } R$  algebraic variety. Scheme

Dynamical system  $(\text{Spec } R, X(\delta))$ .

A Geometrization of  $(L/\mathbb{C}, \delta)$



## §3 Groupoid

Definition Groupoid = Category where  
 $\forall$  morphism is an isomorphism

An object is called a vertex.

a morphism is called an element.

$x, y \in \text{ob } G$  vertices

$$\begin{array}{c} x & \xrightarrow{\varphi} & y \\ \bullet & & \bullet \end{array} \quad \varphi \in \text{Hom}(x, y)$$

Brandt 1926, Ehresmann 1950's

Grothendieck 1950's, 60's

$Y := \{\text{elements of } G\} = \{\text{morphisms in } G\}$

$X := \text{ob } G = \{\text{vertices}\}$

$$Y \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{s} \\ \xrightarrow{t} \end{array} X, \quad \varphi \in Y \quad \varphi = \text{Hom}(A, B)$$

$s(\varphi) := A, \quad t(\varphi) := B.$

Example 1. Group  $G$

ob  $C = \{P\}$  only one object.

$$\text{Hom}(P, P) = G$$

$\mathcal{C} \cong \mathcal{C}_G$   $g \cdot h := gh$  product in  $G$   
 $h$  Group  $G$  operates on  $X = \{P\}$  trivially.

2. Equivalence relation on a set  $X$

ob  $C := X = \{\text{points of } X\}$

$$x \cdot \rightarrow \cdot y \quad \forall x \sim y$$

$$\text{Hom}(x, y) = \begin{cases} \emptyset & \forall x \not\sim y \\ 1 \text{ morphism} & \forall x \sim y \end{cases}$$

3 Group operation  $(G, X)$

Category  $\mathcal{C}$  of  $\mathcal{C} = X$

For  $x, y \in X$ ,  $\text{Hom}(x, y) = \{g \in G \mid x^g = y\}$

$$x \xrightarrow{g} y \quad x^g = y$$

$$x \xrightarrow{g} y \quad y \xrightarrow{h} z$$

$$x^g = y \quad y^h = z$$

so that

$$x^{gh} = (x^g)^h = y^h = z$$

$$x \xrightarrow{gh} z$$

So we can compose morphisms.

Morphism  $g$  is an isomorphism.

#### 4 Poincaré groupoid

$X = \text{topological space}$

of  $C = \{ \text{paths of } X \}$

For  $x, y \in X$ ,

$\text{Hom}(x, y) = \{ \varphi: [0, 1] \rightarrow M \mid \varphi \text{ is continuous, } \varphi(0) = x, \varphi(1) = y \} / \text{homotopy}$



composition of paths

$G = \text{groupoid}$

$Y := \{ \text{morphisms in } G \}$

$X := \text{ob } G$

$$\boxed{Y \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{s} \\ \xrightarrow{t} \end{array} X}$$

For  $\varphi \in \text{Hom}(A, B)$ ,  $A, B \in X$

$s(\varphi) := A$ ,  $t(\varphi) := B$ .

$$\boxed{Y \times_s Y \xrightarrow{\bar{\pi}} Y, \quad (\varphi, \psi) \mapsto \varphi \circ \psi}$$

$$\{ (\varphi, \psi) \in Y \times_s Y \mid t(\varphi) = s(\psi) \}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \bullet & \longrightarrow & \bullet \\ A & & B \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} \bullet & \longrightarrow & \bullet \\ B & & C \end{array}$$

Associativity

$$\boxed{\begin{array}{ccc} Y \times_s Y \times_s Y & \xrightarrow{1 \times \bar{\pi}} & Y \times_s Y \\ \bar{\pi} \times 1 \downarrow & \circlearrowleft & \downarrow \bar{\pi} \\ Y \times_s Y & \xrightarrow{\bar{\pi}} & Y \end{array}}$$

Commutative

A groupoid is defined by arrows and diagrams.

Two sets  $Y, X$

$$Y \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{s} \\ \xrightarrow{t} \\ \xrightarrow{+} \end{array} X, \quad Y \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{x} \\ \xrightarrow{+s} \\ \xrightarrow{+} \end{array} Y \xrightarrow{\bar{t}} Y \dots$$

+ Commutative diagrams.

↓

We can define a groupoid in a category, where fiber product exists.

Objects  $Y, X$  of  $\mathcal{C}$

$$Y \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{s} \\ \xrightarrow{t} \\ \xrightarrow{+} \end{array} X, \quad Y \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{x} \\ \xrightarrow{+s} \\ \xrightarrow{+} \end{array} Y \xrightarrow{\bar{t}} Y, \dots$$

morphisms in  $\mathcal{C}$  + commutative diagrams

Example 5. Lie groupoid of  
all the local isomorphisms of a manifold  $M$

Let  $M$  be a complex manifold.

$$\boxed{J^* \rightarrow M \times M \quad x \mapsto (S(x), +(x))}$$

( $\mathcal{C}$  = category of complex manifolds)

$$\boxed{J^* \times_S J^* \rightarrow J^*}$$

where  $J^*$  is a complex manifold of  
infinite dim.

$M = \mathbb{C}$ , construction of  $J^*$

$$J^* = \mathbb{C}^{\mathbb{N}} = \{(a, b_0, b_1, b_2, \dots) \in \mathbb{C}^{\mathbb{N}} \mid b_i \neq 0\}$$

$$N = \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$$

$$\mathbb{C} = M$$

$$s: J^* \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, (a, t_0, t_1, \dots) \mapsto a$$

$$t: J^* \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, (a, t_0, t_1, \dots) \mapsto t_0$$

Composition

$$J^*_t \times_s J^* \xrightarrow{\Phi} J^*$$

$$((a, \underbrace{t_0}, t_1, \dots), (c, \underbrace{d_0}, d_1, \dots))$$

$$\in J^*_t \times_s J^*$$

$$(\Leftrightarrow t_0 = c)$$

$$\downarrow \Xi$$

$$(e, t_0, t_1, \dots)$$

$$\text{where } e = a, t_0 = d_0, t_1 = t_1, d_1$$

$$t_2 = \dots$$

$$t_0 = t_0(a) \quad t_0 = c$$

$$d_0 = d_0(c)$$

$$\text{So that } d_0 = d_0(c) = d_0(t_0(a))$$

$$\uparrow$$

$$d \psi(\varphi(x)) / dx$$

$$= \psi'(\varphi(x)) \varphi'(x)$$

Formula of calculating

$$d^n \psi(\varphi(x)) / dx^n \text{ in terms of } \varphi^{(i)} \text{ and } \psi^{(i)}$$





In  $(a, b_0, b_1, \dots)$ ,

imagine  $b_0$  is a general  
function of  $a$ ,  $b_0 = b_0(a)$

$b_1 = d b_0(a)/da$ ,  $b_2 = d^2 b_0(a)/da^2$ , ...

# Bell polynomial

$$f_1 = b_1 d_1$$

$$f_2 = b_2 d_1 + b_1^2 d_2$$

⋮

$$f(\varphi)' = f'(\varphi) \varphi'$$

$$f(\varphi)^{(2)} = f'' \varphi'' + 2f'(\varphi')^2$$

⋮

$J_{x+s} \times J_x \xrightarrow{\Phi} J_*$  is associative

⋮

$J_x \xrightarrow{s \times t} \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}, \quad J_{x+s} \times J_x \xrightarrow{\Phi} J_*$

is a groupoid

Groupoid of all the local isomorphisms of  $\mathbb{C}$ .

We are interested in a very special kind of subgroupoids of  $J_x \xrightarrow{s} M$ .

Subgroupoids of  $J_*$  defined by a system of differential equations

Example 6. Schwarzian = 0

Schwarzian derivative

$$\{y; x\} := \left( \frac{d^3 y}{dx^3} \right) / \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right) - \frac{3}{2} \left[ \left( \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} \right) / \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right) \right]^2$$

or

$$\{y; x\} = y^{(3)} / y^{(1)} - \frac{3}{2} (y^{(2)} / y^{(1)})^2$$

Formula

$$\{z; x\} = \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 \{z; y\} + \{y; x\} \quad (*)$$

Cocycle condition

$$J^* \supset Y = \{ (a, b_0, b_1, \dots) \in J^* \}$$

$$b_3/b_1 - \frac{3}{2} (b_2/b_1)^2 = 0 \dots \quad \}$$

diff. ideal gen. by  $\{b_i; a\}$

$$\delta = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} b_{i+1} \partial b_i$$

$$Y \subset J^* \quad \dim Y = 4$$

$$\begin{array}{c} s \downarrow \downarrow t \\ \mathbb{C} \end{array}$$

$Y \xrightarrow[t]{s} \mathbb{C}$       $Y \subset J^*$  is closed under the composition by the cocycle condition (\*).

$Y \xrightarrow[t]{x_s} Y \rightarrow Y$  is an algebraic D-groupoid.

$\{y; x\}$  is an alg. diff. eq. in  $Y$ .

Résumé (1) On a complex manifold  $M$ ,  
 $\exists$  groupoid  $J^* \xrightarrow[t]{s} M$  of local isom.

(2) An algebraic D-groupoid is a subgroupoid of  $J^*$  defined by diff. eqs.

## §4 Algebraic construction of the Jet space

<sup>algebra</sup>  
 $R/\mathbb{C}$ , of finite type, smooth.

assume  $R$  is étale /  $\mathbb{C}[t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n]$  <sup>poly. ring</sup>

For  $\forall$   $R$ -algebra  $A$ , consider

$$\left\{ \varphi: R \rightarrow A[[X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n]] \right\}.$$

Among these,  $\exists!$  the universal one.

$$\varphi: R \rightarrow J[[X]]$$

$$J = R \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} J, \quad R \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} R\text{-alg.}$$

$\text{Spec } J \rightarrow \text{Spec } R \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} R = \text{Spec } R \times_{\mathbb{C}} \text{Spec } R$   
is the jet space.

Equivalent definition

$\exists$  derivation  $\partial_1, \partial_2, \dots, \partial_n / \mathbb{C}$

$$\partial_i: J \rightarrow J$$

$$\tilde{\partial}_i := \partial_i \otimes 1 + 1 \otimes \partial_i \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$: R \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} J \rightarrow R \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} J.$$

$$J = R \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} J \xrightarrow{\tilde{\partial}_i} R \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} J = J$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} | & \curvearrowright & | \\ R & \xrightarrow{\partial_{t_i}} & R \end{array}$$

Universal among such ext. of derivations

$R \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} R$ -alg.  $S$  with derivations

$\tilde{\partial}_i \quad 1 \leq i \leq m$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & S & \xrightarrow{\tilde{\partial}_i} & S & \\
 & \uparrow & \curvearrowright & \uparrow & \\
 \text{a} \otimes 1 & R & \xrightarrow{\partial_i} & R & \\
 \uparrow & & & & \\
 \text{a} & & & & 
 \end{array} \quad 1 \leq i \leq m$$

$(\mathcal{J}, \{\tilde{\partial}_i\}_{1 \leq i \leq m})$  is the universal among such  $(S, \{\tilde{\partial}_i\}_{1 \leq i \leq m})$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & S & \xrightarrow{\tilde{\partial}_i} & S & \\
 & | & & | & \\
 & R \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} R & \curvearrowright & R \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} R & \\
 & \uparrow & & \uparrow & \\
 \text{a} \otimes 1 & R & \xrightarrow{\partial_i} & R & \text{a} \otimes 1 \\
 \uparrow & & & & \uparrow \\
 \text{a} & & & & \text{a}
 \end{array}$$



## §5 Construction of Galois groupoid

Algebraically construction of the Galois closure.

$$(L/\mathbb{C}, \delta) \quad R/\mathbb{C}, \delta(R) \subset R$$

$R$  is étale /  $\mathbb{C}[t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n]$

Derivations  $\partial_i : R \rightarrow R, 1 \leq i \leq n.$

$$C_R = \{x \in R \mid \delta(x) = 0\} \supset \mathbb{C}$$

$$L : R \rightarrow R^q[[X]], a \mapsto \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \delta^n(a) X^n$$

universal Taylor morphism

(1) Ring hom.

(2) compatible with  $\delta$  and  $d/dX$

$$\mathcal{R} = \langle R^q, L(R) \rangle \subset R^q[[X]]$$

$\partial_1, \partial_2, \dots, \partial_n$  operate on coefficients

Lemma  $R^q L(R) \simeq R \otimes_{\mathbb{C}_R} R$

Cor.  $R^q L(R)$  is an  $R \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} R$ -alg.  
and we have surj.  $R \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} R$ -alg. hom  
 $J \rightarrow R$ .

In fact derivations  $\partial_i$  on  $R \otimes \mathbb{1}$   
extend to  $R$  in  $R^q L \times \mathbb{1}$ .

Universality of  $J$

$$J \rightarrow R$$

that is surjective.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (\text{Spec } J) \supset \text{Spec } R & \text{closed} & \\ & \text{subscheme.} & \\ \downarrow & & \\ \text{Spec } R \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} \text{Spec } R & & \end{array}$$

## §6 Example

1. M. Singer Parameterized Picard-Vessiot

$$\Delta = \{\partial/\partial x, \partial/\partial y\} = \{\partial_x, \partial_y\}$$

$$k := \mathbb{C}(x, t), \quad K := \mathbb{C}(x, t, \underbrace{x^t}_y, \log x)$$

$$\partial_x y = \frac{t}{x} y$$

$$\partial_t y = (\log x) y$$

$$\partial_x \log x = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\partial_t \log x = 0$$

$$\mathbb{C}(x, t, x^t, \log x)$$

$$\downarrow$$
$$\mathbb{C}(x, t)$$

$$\text{Gal}_\Delta(K/k) = \text{Aut. gr of } K/k.$$

$$\sigma \in \text{Gal}_\Delta(K/k)$$

$$\sigma(y) = \exp(ct + c')y, \quad c, c' \in \mathbb{C}$$

$$\text{Gal}_\Delta(K/k) = \{ \exp(ct + c') \mid c, c' \in \mathbb{C} \}$$

$$= \{ t \mapsto a(t) \mid 0 = (\log a)'' = \left(\frac{a'}{a}\right)' \} \quad D\text{-group (id)}$$

Our interpretation      Ordinary diff. field

$$\mathbb{C}(x, t)$$

$x, t, y$  are variables

$$\mathbb{C}(x, t, y)$$

$$\partial_x + (t/x)\partial_y \quad \longleftarrow \quad \frac{d}{dx}$$

$\text{on } \mathbb{C}^3$

$$\underline{\frac{dt}{dx} = 0, \quad \frac{dx}{dx} = 1, \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{t}{x} y}$$

Ordinary diff. field ext.  $\mathbb{C}(x, t, y)/\mathbb{C}(x, t)$

What is the Galois groupoid of the extension?

$$\text{Gal}(\mathbb{C}(x, t, y)/\mathbb{C}(x, t)) \quad \frac{d}{dx}$$

$$S = \mathbb{C}[x, t, y], \quad R = \mathbb{C}[x, t]$$

$$\iota: S \rightarrow S \llbracket X \rrbracket$$

$$t \mapsto t$$

$$x \mapsto x + X$$

$$a \mapsto \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m!} \frac{d^m a}{dx^m} X^m$$

$$y \mapsto \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \frac{d^n y}{dx^n} X^n = y \left(1 + \frac{X}{x}\right)^t$$

where

$$\left(1 + \frac{X}{x}\right)^t = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{t(t-1)\dots(t-m+1)}{m!} \left(\frac{X}{x}\right)^m$$



$$y = x^t \mapsto (x+X)^t = x^t \left(1 + \frac{X}{x}\right)^t = y \left(1 + \frac{X}{x}\right)^t$$

$$(t, x, y) \xrightarrow{L} (\tilde{t}, \tilde{x}, \tilde{y})$$

$$(4) \tilde{t} = t, \quad \tilde{x} = x + X, \quad \tilde{y} = y \left(1 + \frac{X}{x}\right)^t$$

Diff. eq. satisfied by  $\tilde{t}, \tilde{x}, \tilde{y}$

they are functions of  $t, x, y,$

$X$  being a parameter transcendental

$$\begin{array}{lll} \tilde{t} = t, & \partial_t \tilde{x} = 0 & \partial_t \tilde{y} = \log\left(1 + \frac{X}{x}\right) \tilde{y} \\ & \partial_x \tilde{x} = 1 & \partial_x \tilde{y} = t \left(\frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{x}\right) \tilde{y} \\ & \partial_y \tilde{x} = 0 & y \partial_y \tilde{y} = \tilde{y} \end{array}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \tilde{T} = t, \quad \partial_t \hat{X} = 0, \\ \quad \quad \quad \partial_x \hat{X} = 1, \\ \quad \quad \quad \partial_y \hat{X} = 0, \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \left( \partial_t (\partial_x \tilde{Y} / \tilde{Y}) = \frac{1}{\hat{X}} - \frac{1}{x} \right), \quad (1) \\ \partial_t (\partial_t \tilde{Y} / \tilde{Y}) = 0, \quad (2) \\ \partial_y (\partial_t \tilde{Y} / \tilde{Y}) = 0, \quad (3) \\ \partial_x \tilde{Y} = t \left( \frac{1}{\hat{X}} - \frac{1}{x} \right) \tilde{Y}, \quad (4) \\ y \partial_y \tilde{Y} = \tilde{Y}. \quad (5) \end{array}$$

$\hat{X} = x$

Dynamical system

$$(t, x, y) \mapsto (\tilde{T}, \hat{X}, \tilde{Y})$$

is algebraically described by the system (#) if you observe it by alg. diff. eq.

Galois groupoid  $\text{Gal}(\mathbb{C}(t, x, y) / \mathbb{C})$   
 $d/dx$

$\mathbb{H}$  Solutions of (#)?



$$\hat{T} = t, \quad \hat{X} = x + c_1, \quad \hat{Y} = y \left( \frac{x + c_1}{x} \right)^t e^{c_2 t + c_3}$$

$c_1, c_2, c_3 \in \mathbb{C}.$

Why?  $\hat{Y} = f(x, t) y$  by (5)

$$f_x / f = t \left( \frac{1}{\hat{x}} - \frac{1}{x} \right) = t \left( \frac{1}{x+c_1} - \frac{1}{x} \right) \text{ by (A)}$$

$$f = \left( \frac{x+c_1}{x} \right)^t g(t)$$

$$\partial_t \left( \partial_t f / f \right) = 0 \quad \text{by (2)}$$

$$g'(t) = e^{c_2 t + c_3}$$

$$\text{Gal}(\mathbb{C}(t, x) / \mathbb{C})$$

$$(t, x) \mapsto (\hat{T}, \hat{X})$$

$$\hat{T} = t, \quad \frac{\partial \hat{X}}{\partial x} = 1, \quad \frac{\partial \hat{X}}{\partial t} = 0$$

Natural groupoid morphism

$$\text{Gal}(\mathbb{C}(t, x, y) / \mathbb{C}(x, t))$$

↓

$$K_{\text{er}} \stackrel{\text{Def}}{=} \text{Gal}(\mathbb{C}(x, t, y)/\mathbb{C}(x, t))$$

↓

$$\text{Gal}(\mathbb{C}(x, t, y)/\mathbb{C})$$

↓

$$\text{Gal}(\mathbb{C}(x, t)/\mathbb{C})$$

In (\*) to add  $\hat{X} = x$  ( $\hat{T} = t$ )

(\*) reduces to

$$(*) \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \hat{T} = t, \quad \hat{X} = x, \quad \partial_x \hat{Y} = 0 \\ \partial_t (\partial_t \hat{Y} / \hat{Y}) = 0 \\ \partial_y \hat{Y} = \hat{Y} \end{array} \right.$$

$$(t, x, \tilde{Y}) \mapsto (t, x, \hat{Y})$$

solution  $\hat{Y} = y e^{c_1 t + c_2}$

as Singer's calculation.



In this particular case, the groupoid  
 $\text{Gal}(\mathbb{C}(x, t, y)/\mathbb{C}(x, t))$  is a group!