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§ 3 lie racks (and § 4, 5)

def 3.1 pointed rack $(Q, o, 1)$

- Q is a set
- $o: Q \times Q \rightarrow Q$ binary operation
- 1 distinguished element (left distributivity)

1. $x \circ (y \circ z) = (x \circ y) \circ (x \circ z)$

2. $\forall a, b \in Q \quad \exists! x \in Q, a \circ x = b$

3. $1 \circ x = x \quad x \circ 1 = 1 \quad \forall x \in Q$

 (Q, o) any magma (i.e. a set with a binary operation)

$$\text{Aut } Q = \{ \psi \text{ bijection: } Q \rightarrow Q, \psi(x \circ y) = \psi(x) \circ \psi(y) \}$$

If: $\phi(x)y := x \circ y$ (left translation) $\checkmark$ then $\phi(x) \in \text{Aut } Q$.Example: G a group $x \circ y = xyx^{-1}$ $(G, o, 1)$ is pointed rack.

survey of "racks"

[1] Andruskiewitsch, N & Graña, M Adv Math 178 '03 177-243

def 3.2 lie rack $(Q, o, 1)$ = smooth manifoldwith $o: Q \times Q \rightarrow Q$ is smooth.Example ^e • conjugation in a Lie groupExample 3.3 H Lie gp, V H -module $Q := V \times H$

$$(u, A) \circ (v, B) = (Av, ABA^{-1}) \quad u, v \in V, A, B \in H$$

 $1 = (0, 1)$ $(Q, o, 1)$ is a linear Lie rack.
(by definition)

Example 3.3 details

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V being an H -module (meaning H -Lie group module)
 means $\exists \quad H \times V \rightarrow V \quad (V \text{ a vector space})$
 $(A, u) \rightarrow A \cdot u$
 smooth

such that $1 \cdot u = u \quad (1 = \text{identity element of } H)$

$$A \cdot (\alpha u + v) = \alpha A \cdot u + A \cdot v$$

$$(AB) \cdot u = A \cdot (B \cdot u)$$

To verify that $Q := V \times H, \quad 1 = (0, 1)$
 (zero vector in V and identity elt of H)

$$\text{and } (u, A) \circ (v, B) := (A \cdot v, ABA^{-1})$$

is a Lie rack, need to prove

$$1. \quad (u, A) \circ ((v, B) \circ (w, C)) = ((u, A) \circ (v, B)) \circ ((u, A) \circ (w, C))$$

$$2. \quad \text{given } (u, A), (v, B), \exists! (x, X) \text{ with}$$

$$(u, A) \circ (x, X) = (v, B)$$

$$3. \quad 1 \circ (u, A) = (u, A) \quad \text{and} \quad (u, A) \circ 1 = 1$$

$$1. \quad \text{LHS} = (u, A) \circ (B \cdot w, BCB^{-1}) = (A \cdot (B \cdot w), ABCB^{-1}A^{-1})$$

$$\text{RHS} = (A \cdot v, ABA^{-1}) \circ (A \cdot w, ACA^{-1}) = ((ABA^{-1}) \cdot (A \cdot w), AB\bar{A}^{-1}AC\bar{A}^{-1}AB^{-1}A^{-1})$$

$$= (AB) \cdot w, ABCB^{-1}A^{-1})$$

$$2. \quad \text{LHS} = (A \cdot x, AX\bar{A}^{-1})$$

$$\text{need } A \cdot x = v \quad \text{and} \quad AX\bar{A}^{-1} = B$$

$$\text{so let } x = \bar{A}^{-1} \cdot v, \quad X = A^{-1}BA \quad \text{proving existence of } (x, X)$$

$$\text{For uniqueness, if } (y, Y) \text{ also satisfies } A \cdot y = v, \quad AY\bar{A}^{-1} = B$$

$$\text{then } y = \bar{A}^{-1} \cdot (A \cdot y) = \bar{A}^{-1} \cdot (A \cdot x) = x \quad \text{and} \quad Y = A^{-1}BA = X$$

$$3. \quad 1 \circ (u, A) = (0, 1) \circ (u, A) = (u, 1A1^{-1}) = (u, A)$$

$$(u, A) \circ 1 = (u, A) \circ (0, 1) = (0, A1A^{-1}) = (0, 1) = 1$$

non-pointed smooth racks

[20] Sabatini, L.V. Smooth Quasigroups & Loops (book 1999)

Theorem 3.4 $(Q, 0, 1)$ a Lie rack $\mathfrak{g} = T_1 Q \Rightarrow$

$\exists$ bilinear $[\cdot, \cdot]: \mathfrak{g} \times \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}$

(1) $(\mathfrak{g}, [\cdot, \cdot])$ is a Lie algebra (the tangent Lie algebra of the rack)

(2) $\forall x \in Q$, the tangent map $\Phi(x) = T_1 \phi(x) : \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}$ is an automorphism of $(\mathfrak{g}, [\cdot, \cdot])$

(3) $T_1 \Phi = \text{ad}$ where $\text{ad} : \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathfrak{gl}(\mathfrak{g})$
 $\text{ad } X(Y) = [X, Y]$

proof For $x \in Q$, $\phi(x)1 = 1$ so $\phi(x) : Q \rightarrow Q$ satisfies $\phi(x)'(z) : T_1 Q \rightarrow T_1 Q$ for $z \in Q$.

recall if $f: Q \rightarrow Q$ and $p \in Q$, then $f'(p)$ is a linear transformation from $T_p Q$ to $T_{f(p)} Q$

defined by $f'(p) \cdot \xi = \frac{d}{dt} \Big|_{t=0} f(\gamma(t))$ where $\gamma: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow Q$
 $\gamma(0) = p$ $\gamma'(0) = \xi$

We define $\Phi(x) = T_1 \phi(x)$ to be $\phi(x)'(1) : T_1 Q \rightarrow T_1 Q$

Then $\Phi: Q \rightarrow L(T_1 Q)$ (= all linear trans on the vector space $T_1 Q$)

$\Phi(x) = \phi(x)'(1)$. Since $\phi(x)$ is a bijection, its derivative at any point is an invertible linear transformation

(4)

If $f \circ \bar{f} = \text{id}_Q$ then $f'(\bar{f}'(z)) \circ \bar{f}'(z) = \text{id}'_Q(z)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{id}'_Q(z) \cdot \xi &= \frac{d}{dt} \text{id}_Q(\gamma(t)) \quad \gamma(0) = z, \gamma'(0) = \xi \\ &= \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\text{id}_Q(\gamma(t)) - \text{id}_Q(z)}{t} = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\gamma(t) - \gamma(0)}{t} = \gamma'(0) = \xi \end{aligned}$$

So $\text{id}'_Q(z) = \text{id}_{T_z Q}$ so $\bar{f}'(z)$ has an inverse

and the same holds for $f'(z)$.

Since $\Phi(x)$ is invertible as an element of $L(T_x Q)$

we may write $\Phi: Q \rightarrow GL(T_x Q)$

Moreover $\Phi(1) = \text{id}_{T_1 Q}$ since $\phi(1) = \text{id}_Q$.

Hence $\Phi'(z): T_z Q \rightarrow T_{\Phi(z)}(GL(T_x Q))$

and $\Phi'(1): T_1 Q \rightarrow T_{\text{id}_{T_1 Q}}(GL(T_x Q)) = \mathfrak{gl}(T_1 Q) (= L(T_1 Q))$

We define $\text{ad}: T_1 Q \rightarrow \mathfrak{gl}(T_1 Q)$ by $\text{ad} = \Phi'(1)$

and set $[\xi, \eta] := \text{ad}(\xi)(\eta) \quad (\xi, \eta \in T_1 Q)$

It remains to prove

$$\Phi(x)[\xi, \eta] = [\Phi(x)\xi, \Phi(x)\eta] \quad (\text{which is (2) in the theorem})$$

and

$$[\xi, [\eta, \zeta]] = [[\xi, \eta], \zeta] + [\eta, [\xi, \zeta]]$$

(3) holds by definition (which is (1) in the theorem)