

§24 Periodicity theorem for orthogonal groups

\mathbb{R}^n : n -dimensional Euclidean vector space
orthogonal group

$$O(n) := \left\{ T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \text{ linear, } \forall u, v \in \mathbb{R}^n \right. \\ \left. {}^t(Tu) \cdot Tv = {}^t u \cdot v \right\} \\ = \left\{ T \in M_n(\mathbb{R}) \mid {}^t T \cdot T = I \right\}$$

Lie group, $\dim O(n) = \frac{n(n-1)}{2}$

Lie algebra of $O(n)$

$$\mathfrak{o}(n) := \left\{ A \in M_n(\mathbb{R}) \mid {}^t A = -A \right\}$$

交代行列
(歪対称行列)
全体

$$\exp: \mathfrak{o}(n) \rightarrow O(n), \left(\exp(A) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} A^k \right)$$

The inner product

$$\langle A, B \rangle := \text{trace}(A \cdot {}^t B) = \sum_{i,j} a_{ij} b_{ij}$$

induces a left-right invariant Riemann metric on $O(n)$.

Let n even, $n = 2m$

$$\Omega_1(2m) := \left\{ J \in O(2m) \mid J^2 = -I \right\}$$

space of complex structures on \mathbb{R}^{2m}

Example $J_1: \mathbb{R}^{2m} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{2m}$

$$J_1 \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ \vdots \\ v_{2m-1} \\ v_{2m} \end{pmatrix} := \begin{pmatrix} -v_2 \\ v_1 \\ \vdots \\ -v_{2m} \\ v_{2m-1} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(\mathbb{R}^{2m}, J_1) \cong (\mathbb{C}^m, \sqrt{-1} \times)$$

Lemma 24.1 The space of minimal geodesics $\Omega^d \subset \Omega(O(2m), I, -I)$ is homeomorphic to $\Omega_1(2m)$.

① Any geodesic on $O(2m)$ through I is given by $\gamma(t) = \exp(\pi t A)$, $\gamma(0) = I$

$\gamma(1) = -I \iff \exp(\pi A) = -I$

$\forall A \in \mathfrak{o}(2m)$, ($tA = -A$), $\exists T \in O(2m)$, $\exists a_1, \dots, a_m \in \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}$

$$TAT^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \boxed{\begin{matrix} 0 & a_1 \\ -a_1 & 0 \end{matrix}} & & & 0 \\ & \boxed{\begin{matrix} 0 & a_2 \\ -a_2 & 0 \end{matrix}} & & \\ & & \dots & \\ 0 & & & \boxed{\begin{matrix} 0 & a_m \\ -a_m & 0 \end{matrix}} \end{pmatrix}$$

線形代数から

- 実行列の固有値は実数または共役な複素数かゼロ
- 交代行列の固有値は純虚数 (実部がゼロ)
- 正規行列 ($AA^* = A^*A$) はユニタリ行列で対角化できる
- A の固有値 ia に対する固有空間の (エルミート計量 $t u, v$ に関する) 正規直交基底 w_1, \dots, w_s をとり, 実正規直交基底 $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(w_1 + \bar{w}_1), \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(w_1 - \bar{w}_1), \dots$ にとり直す

たとえば 佐武一郎「線形代数学」p172 例3.

$$\begin{matrix} \exp(T(\pi A)T^{-1}) \\ \text{"} \\ T \exp(\pi A) T^{-1} \end{matrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \pi a_1 & \sin \pi a_1 & & \\ -\sin \pi a_1 & \cos \pi a_1 & & \\ & & \dots & \\ & & & \boxed{\begin{matrix} \cos \pi a_2 & \sin \pi a_2 \\ -\sin \pi a_2 & \cos \pi a_2 \end{matrix}} \\ & & & \dots \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$\gamma(1) = -I \Leftrightarrow \exp(\pi A) = -I \Leftrightarrow a_1, \dots, a_m \text{ odd integer}$$

$$\langle \pi A, \pi A \rangle = \text{trace}(\pi A \cdot {}^t(\pi A)) = 2\pi^2(a_1^2 + a_2^2 + \dots + a_m^2)$$

$$\|\pi A\| = \pi \sqrt{2(a_1^2 + a_2^2 + \dots + a_m^2)}$$

$$L(\gamma|_{[0,1]}) = \pi \sqrt{2(a_1^2 + a_2^2 + \dots + a_m^2)}$$

$a_i \geq 0$
 $\in \mathbb{Z} \Rightarrow 2\pi^2$

$$\gamma|_{[0,1]} \text{ minimal} \Leftrightarrow a_1 = 1, a_2 = 1, \dots, a_m = 1$$

$$P(I, -I) = \pi \sqrt{2m}, \text{ minimum of } E = 2m\pi^2$$

$$E: \Omega(O(2m), I, -I) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

\mathbb{R}^d

$$\therefore \gamma|_{[0,1]} \text{ minimal} \Leftrightarrow TAT^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & & \\ -1 & 0 & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow A^2 = -I, A = T^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & & \\ -1 & 0 & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & 0 \end{pmatrix} T \in O(2m)$$

$$\therefore A \in \Omega_1(2m)$$

$$\text{Let } J \in \Omega_1(2m), J^2 = -I, J^t J = I \therefore {}^t J = -J$$

J : skew-symmetric $J \in \mathfrak{o}(2m)$

$$\exists T \in O(2m), T J T^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & a_1 & & \\ -a_1 & 0 & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$J^2 = -I \therefore a_1 = 1, a_2 = 1, \dots, a_m = 1, \exp(\pi t J)|_{[0,1]} \in \Omega(O(2m), I, -I) \text{ minimal}$$

$$\exp(\pi t \cdot) \Omega_1(2m) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d \text{ well-defined surjective continuous}$$

By §23 (4)

, it is injective.

$$\Omega_1(2m) \text{ compact, } \mathbb{R}^d \text{ Hausdorff}$$

\therefore homeo.

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Remark $U(m) := \{T \in O(2m) \mid J_1 T = T J_1\}$

$$O(2m) \longrightarrow \Omega_1(2m)$$

$$\uparrow \longmapsto T J_1 T^{-1}$$

$$O(2m)/U(m) \cong \Omega_1(2m)$$

homogeneous space

($\Omega_1(2m)$ は $\mathbb{R}^{2m} = \mathbb{C}^m$ の "Lagrangian subspace" 全体
の空間 と 同一視できる)

Lemma 24.2 $\gamma \in \Omega(O(2m), I, -I)$

γ : non-minimal geodesic \Rightarrow index $\gamma \geq 2m - 2$
($\gamma \in C(E) \setminus \Omega^d$)

(1) By Index theorem (Th. 15.1), Th. 20.5, Proof of Th. 21.7,
index γ is estimated by studying eigen values of

$$KA = -\frac{1}{4} (\text{Ad } A)^2 \text{ for}$$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & a_1 & & & \\ -a_1 & 0 & & & \\ & & 0 & a_2 & \\ & & -a_2 & 0 & \\ & & & & \ddots \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\left(K_A(W) = -\frac{1}{4} [A, [A, W]] \right)$$

$a_1 \geq a_2 \geq \dots \geq a_m > 0$, integers

non-zero eigen values of KA are given by

- 1) For $i < j$, $e = \frac{1}{4} (a_i + a_j)^2$ multiplicity 2
- 2) $i < j$, $a_i \neq a_j$, $e = \frac{1}{4} (a_i - a_j)^2$

たとえば

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & a & 0 & 0 \\ -a & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & b \\ 0 & 0 & -b & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$W = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & w_{13} & w_{14} \\ 0 & 0 & w_{23} & w_{24} \\ -w_{13} & -w_{23} & 0 & 0 \\ -w_{14} & -w_{24} & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

に対して $[A, [A, W]]$ を計算してみると

$$\equiv (\text{Ad } A)^2(W)$$

$$(Ad A)^2(W) = \left(\begin{array}{c|cc} 0 & (-a^2-b^2)W_3+2abW_4 & (-a^2-b^2)W_4-2abW_3 \\ \hline * & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

(Ad A)^2 の表現行列 (の1つのブロック) は

$$\begin{bmatrix} -a^2-b^2 & 0 & 0 & 2ab \\ 0 & -a^2-b^2 & -2ab & 0 \\ 0 & -2ab & -a^2-b^2 & 0 \\ 2ab & 0 & 0 & -a^2-b^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

固有方程式は

$$\begin{aligned} & (\lambda + a^2 + b^2 + 2ab)^2 (\lambda + a^2 + b^2 - 2ab)^2 \\ & = (\lambda + (a+b)^2)^2 (\lambda + (a-b)^2)^2 \end{aligned}$$

固有値は $\lambda = -(a+b)^2, -(a-b)^2$ (重複度 2)

K_A の固有値は $\lambda = \frac{\pi^2}{4}(a+b)^2, \frac{\pi^2}{4}(a-b)^2$ //

$K_{\pi A}$

conjugate points corresponding $e = \frac{1}{4}(a_i + a_j)^2$

$$\begin{aligned} t &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{e}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{e}}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{e}}, \dots \\ &= \frac{2}{a_i + a_j}, \frac{4}{a_i + a_j}, \frac{6}{a_i + a_j}, \dots \end{aligned}$$

The number of t with $0 < t < 1$ is $\frac{a_i + a_j}{2} - 1$

$\frac{1}{4}(a_i + a_j)^2$ contributes to index λ by $a_i + a_j - 2$

$\frac{1}{4}(a_i - a_j)^2$ " " $a_i - a_j - 2$

$$\therefore \text{index } \gamma = \sum_{i < j} (a_i + a_j - 2) + \sum_{\substack{i < j \\ a_i > a_j}} (a_i - a_j - 2)$$

γ : non-minimal $\therefore a_1 \geq 3$ (odd, positive > 1)

$$\text{index } \gamma \geq \sum_{j=2}^m (3 + a_j - 2) \geq \sum_{j=2}^m (3 + 1 - 2) = 2m - 2 //$$

(Bott)

Theorem 24.3 The inclusion $\Omega^d \hookrightarrow \Omega(O(2m), I, -I)$ induces isomorphisms $\pi_i(\Omega^d) \xrightarrow{\cong} \pi_i(\Omega(O(2m), I, -I))$ for $i \leq 2m-4$.

$$\pi_i(\Omega_1(2m)) \cong \pi_{i+1}(O(2m)) \quad (i \leq 2m-4)$$

(!) By Th. 22.1 and Lem. 24.2, we have $\pi_i(\Omega, \Omega^d) = 0$ for $0 \leq i < 2m-2$. Then by the exact sequence $\rightarrow \pi_{i+1}(\Omega, \Omega^d) \rightarrow \pi_i(\Omega^d) \xrightarrow{i_*} \pi_i(\Omega) \rightarrow \pi_i(\Omega, \Omega^d) \rightarrow$ we have $\pi_i(\Omega^d) \cong \pi_i(\Omega)$ for $0 \leq i \leq 2m-4$. Since $\Omega^d \cong \Omega_1(2m)$, $\Omega(O(2m), I, -I) \cong \Omega(O(2m))$ $\pi_i(\Omega_1(2m)) \cong \pi_i(\Omega^d) \cong \pi_i(\Omega(O(2m))) \cong \pi_{i+1}(O(2m))$ for $0 \leq i \leq 2m-4$.

Let J_1, \dots, J_{k-1} be complex structures on \mathbb{R}^{2m} with $J_r J_s = -J_s J_r$ for $r \neq s, 1 \leq r, s \leq k-1$. Let $\Omega_k(2m)$ be complex structures J on \mathbb{R}^{2m} with $J J_r = -J_r J$ for $1 \leq r \leq k-1$. Suppose $\Omega_k(2m) \neq \emptyset$. Then $\Omega_k(2m) \subset \Omega_{k-1}(2m) \subset \dots \subset \Omega_1(2m) \subset \Omega_0(2m) = O(2m)$. $\Omega_k(2m)$ is closed in $O(2m)$. $\therefore \Omega_k(2m)$ compact.

Lemma 24.4 $\Omega_k(2m) \subset O(2m)$: totally geodesic submanifold. Every connected component of $\Omega_k(2m)$ are symmetric spaces. The space of minimal geodesics in $\Omega(\Omega_k(2m), J_l, -J_l)$ is homeomorphic to $\Omega_{k+1}(2m)$ ($0 \leq l \leq k-1$)

submanifold $N \subset (M, g)$ is totally geodesic (全测地的) $\iff \forall$ geodesic γ of $(N, g|_N)$ is a geodesic of (M, g) .

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Proof of Lemma 24.4

$\exp: \mathfrak{o}(n) \rightarrow O(n)$, $\mathfrak{o}(n) \cong \mathfrak{U} \subset \mathfrak{O}(n)$, $I \in \exists \mathfrak{V} \subset \mathfrak{O}(n)$
(\mathfrak{U} 并非所有矩阵) \mathfrak{U} open \mathfrak{V} open

s.t. $\exp: \mathfrak{U} \xrightarrow{\cong} \mathfrak{V}$. (1-1) (4-2) (4)

Claim 1: Let $J \in \Omega_1(n)$. Then $\{J \exp A \mid A \in \mathfrak{U}\}$ is a neighborhood of J in $O(n)$

If $AJ = -JA$, $A \in \mathfrak{U}$, then $J \exp A \in \Omega_1(n)$.

If \mathfrak{U} sufficiently small, $J \exp A \in \Omega_1(n)$, $A \in \mathfrak{U}$, then $AJ = -JA$.

(1) Let $AJ = -JA$. $J^{-1}(\exp A)J = \exp(J^{-1}AJ) = \exp(-A) = (\exp A)^{-1}$, $J^{-1} = -J$. $\therefore (J \exp A)^2 = -I$, $J \exp A \in \Omega_1(n)$.
Let $J \exp A \in \Omega_1(n)$, $(J \exp A)^2 = -I$. $J^{-1}(J \exp A)J(\exp A) = I$
 $\exp(J^{-1}AJ + A) = I$. \mathfrak{U} suffi small, $J^{-1}AJ + A = 0$
 $\therefore AJ = -JA$ //

Claim 2 Let $J \in \Omega_k(n)$. Then

$(J \exp A)J_l = -J_l(J \exp A) \Leftrightarrow AJ_l = J_l A$ ($1 \leq l \leq k-1$)

(1) $(J \exp A)J_l = -J_l(J \exp A) \Leftrightarrow J(\exp A)J_l = J J_l(\exp A)$
($J_l J = -J J_l$)

$\Leftrightarrow (\exp A)J_l = J_l(\exp A)$

$\Leftrightarrow \exp(J_l^{-1}AJ_l - A) = I \Leftrightarrow J_l^{-1}AJ_l - A = 0 \Leftrightarrow AJ_l = J_l A$
 \mathfrak{U} is small //

$\mathfrak{U} \cap \{A \in \mathfrak{o}(n) \mid AJ = -JA, AJ_l = J_l A (1 \leq l \leq k-1)\} \xrightarrow{\exp} \mathfrak{V} \cap \Omega_k(n)$

$\mathfrak{U} \ni A \quad t \mapsto J \exp(tA)$: geodesic through J

is contained in $\Omega_k(n)$

(in $O(n)$)

$\therefore \Omega_k(n)$: totally geodesic

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By the isometry $J \exp tA \mapsto J(J \exp tA)^T J = J \exp(-tA)$, $\Omega_k(n)$ turns to be a symmetric space (cf. Lemma 21.2).

Finally let us show

$$\Omega_{k+1}(2m) \cong \{ \text{minimal geodesics} \} \subset \Omega(\Omega_k(2m), J_k, -J_k)$$

Let $J \in \Omega_{k+1}(2m)$. $A := J_k^{-1} J$. Then $A \in \Omega_1(2m)$,

$$AJ_1 = J_1 A, \dots, AJ_{k-1} = J_{k-1} A, AJ_k = -J_k A$$

$$\begin{cases} AJ_1 = J_k^{-1} J J_1 = -J_k^{-1} J_1 J = J_k J_1 J = -J_1 J_k J = J_1 A, \dots \\ AJ_k = J_k^{-1} J J_k = -J = -J_k A, A^2 = J_k^{-1} J J_k^{-1} J = J_1 J J_k J = -I \end{cases}$$

$\gamma(t) := J_k \exp(\pi t A)$ geodesic in $\Omega_k(2m)$ (← Claim 2)

$$\gamma(0) = J_k, \gamma(1) = J_k \exp(\pi A). \exists T \in O(2m), T^{-1} A T = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \\ & & \dots \end{pmatrix}$$

(15.4) Remark →

∴ $\gamma(1) = -J_k$, γ minimal in $O(2m)$ (← 15.3) ∴ γ minimal in $\Omega_k(2m)$.

Conversely let $\gamma(t) = J_k \exp(\pi t A) \in \Omega(\Omega_k(2m), J_k, -J_k)$ be a minimal geodesic, $A \in \mathfrak{o}(2m)$.

$$\exp(\pi A) = -I \quad \therefore \exists T \in O(2m), T^{-1} A T = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \\ & & \dots \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A \in \Omega_1(2m), J := J_k A \in \Omega_{k+1}(2m)$$

(End of Proof of Lemma 24.4) //

$$\Omega_k(2m) \leftrightarrow \Omega_k(2m + 2m')$$

J_1, \dots, J_k i complex structures, anti-commutative on $\mathbb{R}^{2m'}$

$$\downarrow \\ J \longmapsto J \oplus J_k'$$

anti-commutative to $J \oplus J_\alpha'$ ($1 \leq \alpha \leq k-1$)

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Definition: $\Omega_k := \bigcup_m \Omega_k(2m)$

(\mathbb{C} is anti-commutative J_1, \dots, J_k on \mathbb{R}^{2m} exist
for $m \geq 3$)

$O := \bigcup_n O(n)$ infinite orthogonal group

(direct limit topology, i.e. $\Omega_k \supset U \text{ open} \Leftrightarrow \Omega_k(2m) \cap U \text{ open in } \Omega_k(2m)$)

$$\Omega_{k+1}(2m) \hookrightarrow \Omega(\Omega_k(2m), J_k, -J_k) \simeq \Omega(\Omega_k(2m))$$

induces $\Omega_{k+1} \rightarrow \Omega(\Omega_k)$

Theorem 24.5 $\Omega_{k+1} \simeq \Omega \Omega_k \quad (k \geq 0)$

$$\pi_h \Omega \underset{\Omega_0}{\simeq} \pi_{h-1} \Omega_1 \simeq \pi_{h-2} \Omega_2 \simeq \dots \simeq \pi_1 \Omega_{h-1} \quad (h > 0)$$

(証明はモース理論を用い、あとで概略を説明)

Descriptions of $\Omega_k(n) \quad k=0, 1, 2, \dots, 8$

$k=0$: $\Omega_0(n) = O(n)$ orthogonal group

$k=1$: $\Omega_1(n)$: complex structures on \mathbb{R}^n
By a fixed $J_1 \in \Omega_1(n)$, $\mathbb{R}^n \simeq \mathbb{C}^m \quad (n=2m)$.

$k=2$ $\Omega_2(n)$

By a fixed $J_2 \in \Omega_2(n)$ $\mathbb{C}^m \simeq \mathbb{H}^l \quad (n=4l)$
(\mathbb{H} , i, j): quaternions (四元数)

$$Sp(l) := \left\{ T: \overset{\mathbb{R}^{4l}}{\mathbb{H}^l} \rightarrow \overset{\mathbb{R}^{4l}}{\mathbb{H}^l} \mid T: \mathbb{H}\text{-linear isometry} \right\}$$

$$\Omega_2(4l) \cong U(2l)/Sp(l)$$

k=3, n=16r.

Lemma 24.6 (k=3).

$$\Omega_3(16r) \stackrel{\cong}{\underset{\text{as set}}{=}} \{ \mathbb{H}\text{-subspaces of } \mathbb{H}^{4r} \}$$

⊙ $J_1 \in \Omega_1(16r), J_2 \in \Omega_2(16r); J_3 \in \Omega_3(16r)$

$J_1 J_2 J_3 \in O(16r), (J_1 J_2 J_3)^2 = I$ ∴ Eigen values of $J_1 J_2 J_3$

are $\pm 1, V_1 := \{ x \in \mathbb{R}^{16r} \mid J_1 J_2 J_3 x = x \}$

$V_2 := V_1^\perp = \{ x \in \mathbb{R}^{16r} \mid J_1 J_2 J_3 x = -x \}$

$\mathbb{R}^{16r} = V_1 \oplus V_2, V_1, V_2: J_1, J_2\text{-invariant}$

In particular $V_1: \mathbb{H}\text{-subspace of } \mathbb{H}^{4r},$

(V_2 is determined by V_1).

Conversely, given $\mathbb{R}^{16r} = V_1 \oplus V_2$, define $J_3 \in \Omega_3(16r)$

$$J_3|_{V_1} := -J_1 J_2|_{V_1}, \quad J_3|_{V_2} := J_1 J_2|_{V_2}$$

Then $J_3 \in \Omega_3(16r)$

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Fix $J_3 \in \Omega_3(16r)$ such that $\dim_{\mathbb{H}} V_1 = \dim_{\mathbb{H}} V_2 = 2r$

Lemma 24.6 (k=4).

$$\Omega_4(16r) \stackrel{\cong}{=} \{ \varphi: V_1 \rightarrow V_2 \text{ isometry, } \mathbb{H}\text{-linear} \}$$

$$\cong Sp(2r)$$

Proof of Lemma 24.6 (k=4)

J_1, J_2, J_3 fixed, Let $J_4 \in \Omega_4(16r)$
 $(J_3 J_4)(J_1 J_2 J_3) = -(J_1 J_2 J_3)(J_3 J_4)$, $J_3 J_4(V_1) \subset V_2$
 $(J_3 J_4)J_1 = J_1(J_3 J_4)$, $(J_3 J_4)J_2 = J_2(J_3 J_4)$
 $J_3 J_4|_{V_1} : V_1 \rightarrow V_2$: H-isom., isometry
 Conversely, let $\varphi : V_1 \rightarrow V_2$ H-isom, isometry
 Define $J_4 : \mathbb{R}^{16r} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{16r}$ by $J_4|_{V_1} = J_3^{-1}\varphi$, $J_4|_{V_2} = -\varphi^T J_3$
 Then $J_4 \in \Omega_4(16r)$

Lemma 24.6 (k=5)

$\Omega_5(16r) \cong_{\text{as set}} \{W \subset V_1 \mid W : \mathbb{C}\text{-subspace } V_1 = W \oplus J_2 W\}$ \swarrow J_1 -invariant

① Let $J_5 \in \Omega_5(16r)$ $(J_1 J_4 J_5)(J_1 J_2 J_3) = (J_1 J_2 J_3)(J_1 J_4 J_5)$
 $(J_1 J_4 J_5)^2 = I$, $(J_1 J_2 J_3)^2 = I$, $\therefore J_1 J_4 J_5(V_1) \subset V_1$
 $W := \{x \in V_1 \mid J_1 J_4 J_5 x = x\}$, $J_2(J_1 J_4 J_5) = -(J_1 J_4 J_5)J_2$
 $J_2 W = W^\perp$ in V_1 , $J_1 J_4 J_5|_{(J_2 W)} = -I$, $J_1 W = W$
 Conversely given W , define J_5 by
 $J_5|_W = -J_1 J_4$, $J_5|_{J_2 W} = J_1 J_4$, $J_5|_{V_2} = J_1 J_4$ \swarrow 上の構成が自然に定まる
 Then $J_5 \in \Omega_5(16r)$. //

Remark: $U(2r) := \{\varphi : V_1 \rightarrow V_1 \text{ H-isom, } \varphi(W) \subset W\}$
 $\hookrightarrow Sp(2r)$
 $\Omega_5(16r) \cong Sp(2r)/U(2r)$

Lemma 24.6 (k=6)

$\Omega_6(16r) \cong \{X \subset W \text{ } \mathbb{R}\text{-subspace, } W = X \oplus J_1 X\}$

① $J_6 \in \Omega_6(16r)$. $J_2 J_4 J_6(W) \subset W$,
 $X := \{x \in W \mid J_2 J_4 J_6 x = x\}$ $J_1 X = X^\perp$ in W //

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Remark $O(2r) = \{ \varphi: W \rightarrow W \text{ } \mathbb{C}\text{-linear isom, } \varphi(X) \subset X \}$
 $\Omega_6(16r) \cong U(2r)/O(2r)$

Lemma 24.6 ($k=7$)

$$\Omega_7(16r) \cong \{ X_1 \subset X = \mathbb{R}^{2r}, \text{ } \mathbb{R}\text{-linear subspaces} \}$$

Fix $J_7 \in \Omega_7(16r)$ such that $\dim_{\mathbb{R}} X_1 = r$, $X_2 = X_1^\perp$ in X
 $\dim_{\mathbb{R}} X_2 = r$

Lemma 24.6 ($k=8$)

$$\Omega_8(16r) \cong \{ \psi: X_1 \rightarrow X_2, \text{ } \mathbb{R}\text{-linear isometry} \}$$
$$\cong O(r)$$

$$\Omega_8 = \bigcup_r \Omega_8(16r) \underset{\text{homeo}}{\cong} \mathbb{O} = \bigcup_r O(r)$$

Theorem 24.7 (Bott)

$$\mathbb{O} \cong \Omega \Omega \Omega \Omega \Omega \Omega \Omega \Omega \mathbb{O}$$
$$\pi_i(\mathbb{O}) \cong \pi_{i+8}(\mathbb{O})$$

(!) By Th. 24.5

$$\mathbb{O} \cong \Omega_8 \cong \Omega \Omega_7 \cong \Omega \Omega \Omega_6 \cong \dots \cong \Omega \Omega \Omega \Omega \Omega \Omega \Omega \Omega (\Omega_6)$$
$$= \Omega \Omega \Omega \Omega \Omega \Omega \Omega \Omega \mathbb{O}$$
$$\pi_i(\mathbb{O}) \cong \pi_{i+1}(\overbrace{\Omega \dots \Omega}^7 \mathbb{O}) \cong \pi_{i+2}(\underbrace{\Omega \dots \Omega}_6 \mathbb{O})$$
$$\dots \cong \pi_{i+8}(\mathbb{O})$$

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$$\mathcal{S}_p := \Omega_4 = \bigcup_m \Omega_4(16r) \simeq \Omega\Omega\Omega\Omega(\mathbb{O})$$

$i \pmod{8}$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
$\pi_i(\mathbb{O})$	$\mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}$	$\mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}$	0	\mathbb{Z}	0	0	0	\mathbb{Z}
$\pi_i(\mathcal{S}_p)$	0	0	0	\mathbb{Z}	$\mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}$	$\mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}$	0	\mathbb{Z}
$\pi_i(W)$	0	\mathbb{Z}	0	\mathbb{Z}	0	\mathbb{Z}	0	\mathbb{Z}

Proof of Th. 24.5

Let V be a Euclidean vector space, J_1, \dots, J_k anti-commuting complex structures on V .

Definition: (V, J_1, \dots, J_k) is a minimal (J_1, \dots, J_k) -space
 $\stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff} \left(\begin{array}{l} W \subset V \text{ linear subspace } J_\ell(W) \subset W \quad (1 \leq \ell \leq k) \\ \implies W = \{0\} \text{ or } V \end{array} \right)$

$(V, J_1, \dots, J_k) \simeq_{\text{isom}} (V', J_1', \dots, J_k')$ isomorphic

$\stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff} \exists \varphi: V \rightarrow V'$ isometric isom,

$$\begin{array}{ccc} V & \xrightarrow{\varphi} & V' \\ J_\ell \downarrow & \cong & \downarrow J_\ell' \\ V & \xrightarrow{\varphi} & V' \end{array} \quad (1 \leq \ell \leq k)$$

Lemma 24.8 Let $k \not\equiv 3 \pmod{4}$. Then all minimal (J_1, \dots, J_k) -spaces are isomorphic. For any k , the dimension of minimal (J_1, \dots, J_k) -space m_k is uniquely determined: $m_0 = 1$, $m_1 = 2$, $m_2 = m_3 = 4$, $m_4 = m_5 = m_6 = m_7 = 8$, $m_8 = 16$, $m_k = 16 m_{k-8}$ ($k > 8$). (証明略)

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Proof of Th. 24.5 when $k \not\equiv 2 \pmod{4}$.

$(\mathbb{R}^n, J_1, \dots, J_{k-1})$

$J \in \Omega_k(n) = \{J: \text{complex structures on } \mathbb{R}^n, J^2 = -I, (1 \leq l \leq k-1)\}$

$T_J \Omega_k(n) \cong T := \{A \in \mathfrak{o}(n) \mid AJ = -JA, AJ_l = J_l A \ (1 \leq l \leq k-1)\}$

$A \in T, \gamma(t) = J \exp(\pi t A)$

γ geodesic in $\mathcal{R}(\Omega_k(n); J, -J) \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} \text{eigen value of } A \\ \text{is } ia, \text{ } a: \text{ odd integer.} \end{cases}$

$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & a \\ -a & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ eigen value $\pm ia \leftarrow (15-2) (15-3) (15-7)$

$KA: T \rightarrow T, KA(B) := -\frac{1}{4}[A, [A, B]]$

Try to find a lower estimate of index γ .

Decompose $\mathbb{R}^n = M_1 \oplus M_2 \oplus \dots \oplus M_s$ into closed & minimal subspaces under the actions of $J_1, \dots, J_{k-1}, J, A, M_i \perp M_j$.

Eigen values of $A|_{M_h}$ are all equal up to sign. $\pm ia_h$
 a_1, \dots, a_s positive odd integers.

M_h is $(J_1, \dots, J_{k-1}, J, J')$ -minimal, where $J' = \frac{1}{a_h} JA|_{M_h}$

$\therefore \dim_{\mathbb{R}} M_h = m_{k+1}$ (\leftarrow Lemma 24.8). $k+1 \not\equiv 3 \pmod{4}$.

$\therefore M_1 \cong M_2 \cong \dots \cong M_s$ (\leftarrow Lemma 24.8).

For $h \neq j$, define $B: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ by $B|_{M_l} = 0$ ($l \neq h, j$)

$B|_{M_h}: M_h \rightarrow M_j$ isometry such that $BJ_\alpha = J_\alpha B$ ($1 \leq \alpha \leq k-1$)

$BJ = -JB, BJ' = J'B, B|_{M_j}: M_j \rightarrow M_h, B|_{M_j} = -(B|_{M_h})^*$

Then $B \in T$.

Moreover B is an eigen vector of KA with eigen value $\frac{1}{4}(a_h + a_j)^2$.

$S = \frac{n}{m_{k+1}}, \gamma$ is not minimal $\Leftrightarrow \exists a_h \geq 3$.

Claim: KA has at least $s-1 = \frac{n}{m_{k+1}} - 1$ eigen values which are greater than or equal to $\frac{1}{4}(3+1)^2 = 4$. ($a_h \in a_1, \dots, a_n \in a_{n-1}, a_n \in a_{n+1}, \dots, a_h \in a_s$)

For a non minimal geodesic $\gamma(t) = J \exp(\pi t A)$,
 \exists at least one conjugate point for each eigenvalue ≥ 4 .

Claim \forall geodesic in $\Omega(\Omega_k(n), J, -J)$ has index $\geq \frac{n}{M_{k+1}} - 1$.

By Th. 22.1, $\pi_i(\Omega_{k+1}(n)) \xrightarrow{\cong} \pi_i(\Omega(\Omega_k(n)))$

for $0 \leq i \leq \frac{n}{M_{k+1}} - 3$.

$\frac{n}{M_{k+1}} \rightarrow \infty$ k is fixed

By taking the limit $n \rightarrow \infty$, the inclusion $i: \Omega_{k+1} \rightarrow \Omega \Omega_k$ induces isomorphisms $\pi_i(\Omega_{k+1}) \rightarrow \pi_i(\Omega \Omega_k)$ for any i .

$\Omega_{k+1} \cong$ CW complex, $\Omega \Omega_k \cong$ CW complex (\leftarrow Th. 17.3 等)

$\therefore \Omega_{k+1} \cong \Omega \Omega_k$ (Whitehead の定理, Th. 17.3 の証明は使わない)

under the condition $k \neq 2 \pmod{4}$.

Remark:

By the above proof, we have in particular the analogue of Th. 24.3, that the inclusion

$$\Omega_2(n) \hookrightarrow \Omega(\Omega_1(n), J_1, -J_1)$$

induces isomorphisms

$$\pi_i(\Omega_2(n)) \cong \pi_i(\Omega(\Omega_1(n), J_1, -J_1))$$

$$(\cong \pi_{i+1}(\Omega_1(n)))$$

for $0 \leq i \leq \frac{n}{M_2} - 3 = \frac{n}{4} - 3$

However the inclusion

$$\Omega_3(n) \hookrightarrow \Omega(\Omega_2(n), J_2, -J_2)$$

does not induce an isomorphism, as sets,

$$\pi_0(\Omega_3(n)) \text{ and } \pi_0(\Omega(\Omega_2(n), J_2, -J_2))$$

$$\cong \pi_1(\Omega_2(n))$$

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$$(\cong \mathbb{Z})$$

Therefore, to show Th. 24.5, we have to look at each connected component of $\Omega(\Omega_2(n), J_2, -J_2)$ (when n is sufficiently large).

Proof of Th. 24.5 on the case $k \equiv 2 \pmod{4}$

To describe $\pi_0(\Omega(\Omega_k(\mathbb{R}^n), J, -J)) \cong \pi_1(\Omega_k(\mathbb{R}^n))$,

define $f: \Omega_k(\mathbb{R}^n) \rightarrow S' \subset \mathbb{C}$ as follows:

$i := J_1 J_2 \dots J_{k-1}$ is a complex structure on \mathbb{R}^n

i commutes with each J_1, J_2, \dots, J_{k-1} . ($\leftarrow k \equiv 2 \pmod{4}$)

Fix $J \in \Omega_k(\mathbb{R}^n)$. For any $J' \in \Omega_k(\mathbb{R}^n)$, $J^{-1}J'$ commutes with i . Then $J^{-1}J': \mathbb{R}^n \cong \mathbb{C}^{\frac{n}{2}} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^{\frac{n}{2}}$ is a complex linear unitary transformation. Define $f(J) := \det(J^{-1}J') \in S'$.

Let $\gamma \in \Omega(\Omega_k(\mathbb{R}^n), J, -J)$ be a geodesic from J to $-J$,

$\exists A \in \mathfrak{o}(n)$, $\gamma(t) = J \exp(\pi t A)$.

Then A commutes with $i = J_1 J_2 \dots J_{k-1}$.

$A: \mathbb{R}^n \cong \mathbb{C}^{\frac{n}{2}} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^{\frac{n}{2}}$ is complex linear skew-Hermitian ($A^* = -A$), \forall eigenvalue of A is pure-imaginary.

($z \mapsto iaz$, $z = x + iy$, $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -a \\ a & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$, $z = x - iy$, $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 0 & a \\ -a & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$)

$$f(J \exp(\pi t A)) = \det(\exp(\pi t A)) = e^{\pi t \text{trace } A}$$

($\text{trace } A = ia_1 + \dots + ia_{\frac{n}{2}}$, a_j : odd integer, $\frac{n}{2}$ even)

$\therefore \text{trace } A = i \times (\text{even integer})$
 $\text{trace } A$ is a homotopy invariant of γ .

To estimate index of γ , decompose $\mathbb{R}^n = M_1 \oplus \dots \oplus M_r$ into minimal subspaces M_h invariant under J_1, \dots, J_{k-1} , J and A . Then the restriction $A|_{M_h}$ has only one eigen value ia_h (a_1, \dots, a_r : odd integers)

$$A|_{M_h} = a_h J_1 J_2 \dots J_{k-1}|_{M_h}, \dim_{\mathbb{C}} M_h = \frac{m_k}{2}$$

$$\text{trace } A = ia_1 \frac{m_k}{2} + \dots + ia_r \frac{m_k}{2} = i(a_1 + \dots + a_r) \frac{m_k}{2} \quad (r m_k = n).$$

