The Regularity Problem for Milnor's Infinite-Dimensional Lie Groups

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• f of class C^2 iff of class C^1 , with (of class C^n – inductively)

$$d[df]: \widetilde{U} \times \widetilde{F} \to E$$

of class C^1 for $\widetilde{U} \equiv U \times F \subseteq \widetilde{F} \equiv F \times F$.

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• Alternatively, f of class C^n if $(d^p f(x, ...) - multilinear)$

$$d^p f: (x; v_p, \ldots, v_1) \mapsto (D_{v_p}(D_{v_{p-1}}(\ldots(D_{v_1}(f))\ldots)))(x)$$

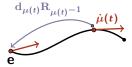
defined for all $x \in U$, $v_1, \ldots, v_p \in F$ and continuous, for $1 \le p \le n$.

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Regularity Problem: When is Lie group C^k -regular? $(k \equiv \infty)$

Further Motivation:

- $\exp(X) = \text{Evol}(\phi_X)(1)$ with $\phi_X : [0,1] \ni t \mapsto X \in \mathfrak{g}$ constant.
- Let (P, M) be principal G-bundle, $\omega \in \Omega^1(P, \mathfrak{g})$, $s \colon M \supseteq U \to P$ local section, and $\gamma \in C^1([0, 1], U)$. Then,

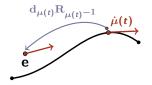
$$\widetilde{\gamma}(t) := (s \circ \gamma)(t) \cdot \operatorname{Evol}(-(s^*\omega)(\dot{\gamma}))(t) \qquad \forall \ t \in [0,1]$$

horizontal lift of γ in $s(\gamma(0))$, i.e., $\widetilde{\gamma}(1) = \mathcal{P}^{\omega}_{\gamma}(s(0))$ (holonomy).

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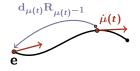
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$$\begin{split} \int_{r}^{r'} \phi &= \int_{t_{n}}^{r'} \phi \cdot \ldots \cdot \int_{r}^{t_{1}} \phi & \text{splitting} \\ \int \phi \cdot \int \psi &= \int \phi + \operatorname{Ad}_{\int_{r}^{\bullet} \phi} (\psi) & \text{product} \\ \int \phi &= \int \dot{\varrho} \cdot (\phi \circ \varrho) & \text{substitution} \end{split}$$

for all $\phi, \psi \in \mathfrak{D} \cap C^0([r, r'], \mathfrak{g})$, and $\rho \colon [\ell, \ell'] \to [r, r']$ pos. of class C^1 .

Glueing with Bump Functions

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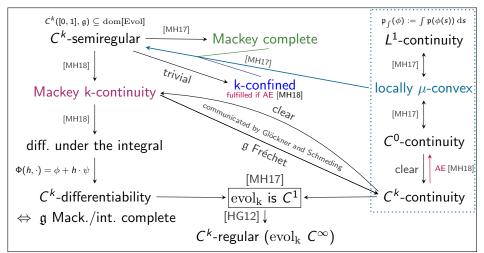
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$$\int \phi \stackrel{(*)}{=} \int \dot{\varrho}_{n-1} \cdot (\phi_{n-1} \circ \varrho_{n-1}) \cdot \ldots \cdot \int \dot{\varrho}_0 \cdot (\phi_0 \circ \varrho_0) \stackrel{(**)}{=} \int \phi_{n-1} \cdot \ldots \cdot \int \phi_0$$

$$\mathfrak{q}_{\infty}(\phi) \leq 2 \cdot \max(\mathfrak{q}_{\infty}(\phi_0), \ldots, \mathfrak{q}_{\infty}(\phi_{n-1})) \qquad \forall \, \mathfrak{q} \in \mathfrak{P}$$

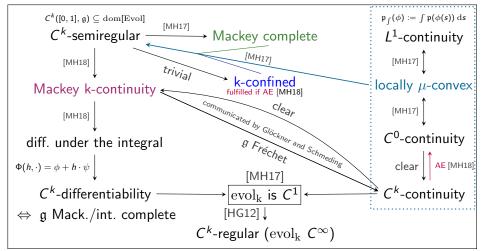


locally μ -convex: To each $\mathfrak{p} \in \mathfrak{P}$, there exists $\mathfrak{q} \in \mathfrak{P}$ with

$$(\mathfrak{p}\circ\Xi)(\Xi^{-1}(X_1)\cdot\ldots\cdot\Xi^{-1}(X_n))\leq\mathfrak{q}(X_1)+\ldots+\mathfrak{q}(X_n)$$

if $\mathfrak{q}(X_1) + \ldots + \mathfrak{q}(X_n) \leq 1$; for all $n \geq 1$.

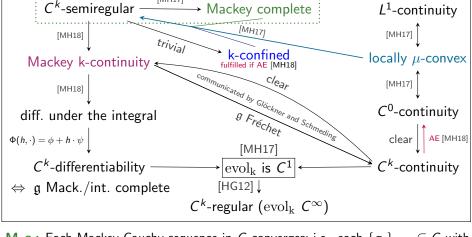
 $n \ge 1$. Introduced in [HG12]



AE (asymptotic estimate): To each $\mathfrak{v}\in\mathfrak{P}$, there exists $\mathfrak{v}\leq\mathfrak{w}\in\mathfrak{P}$, such that

$$\mathfrak{v}([X_1,[X_2,[\ldots[X_n,Y]\ldots]]]) \leq \mathfrak{w}(X_1) \cdot \ldots \cdot \mathfrak{w}(X_n) \cdot \mathfrak{w}(Y)$$

 $\text{for } X_1, \dots, X_n, \, Y \in \mathfrak{g}, \, \, n \geq 1.$ (Banach, abelian, nilpotent)



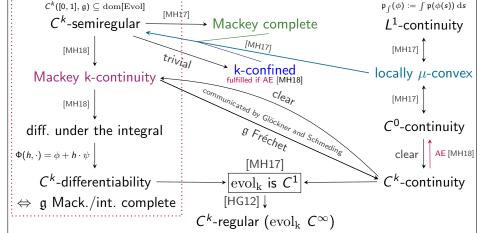
 $\mathfrak{p}_{\int}(\phi) := \int \mathfrak{p}(\phi(s)) ds$

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 $.C^k([0,1],\mathfrak{g})\subseteq \text{dom}[\text{Evol}].$

[MH17]

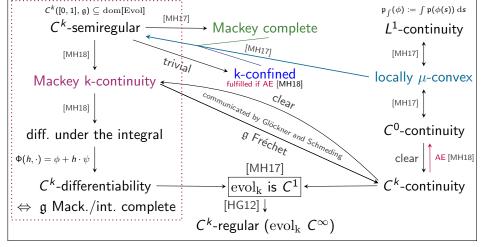


$$\mathsf{M}.\,\mathsf{k-c.}: \quad \{\phi_n\}_{n\in\mathbb{N}} \to_{\mathfrak{m},\mathfrak{k}} \phi \quad \Longrightarrow \quad \lim_{n\to\infty} \int_0^{\bullet} \phi_n = \int_0^{\bullet} \phi \quad (f_n^{\bullet} \phi_n \in f_n^{\bullet} \phi \cdot U: n > N_U)$$

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Mackey-like convergence in the
$$C^k$$
-topology — e.g., for $k \in \mathbb{N}$:

$$\mathfrak{p}_{\infty}^{k}(\phi - \phi_{n}) \leq \mathfrak{c}_{\mathfrak{p}} \cdot \lambda_{n} \qquad \forall \ n \in \mathbb{N}, \ \mathfrak{p} \in \mathfrak{P}$$
 for $\{\mathfrak{c}_{\mathfrak{p}}\}_{\mathfrak{p} \in \mathfrak{P}} \subseteq \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}, \ \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0} \supseteq \{\lambda_{n}\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \to 0.$

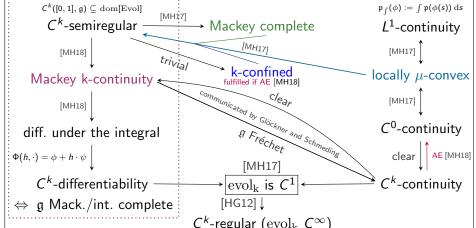


$$\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}h}\Big|_{h=0} \int \Phi(h,\cdot) = \overline{\mathrm{d}_e \mathrm{L}_{\int \Phi(0,\cdot)}} \Big(\int \mathrm{Ad}_{\left[\int_0^s \Phi(0,\cdot)\right]^{-1}} \big(\partial_1 \Phi(0,s) \big) \, \mathrm{d}s \Big) \in \overline{T_{\int \Phi(0,\cdot)} G}$$

$$\Phi \colon (-\varepsilon,\varepsilon) \times [0,1] \to \mathfrak{g} \text{ with } \Phi(h,\cdot) \in C^k([0,1],\mathfrak{g}) \text{ and } \partial_1 \Phi(0,\cdot) \in C^k([0,1],\mathfrak{g}), \text{ such that to } \mathfrak{p} \in \mathfrak{P}, \, \mathbf{s} \preceq k \colon \exists L_{\mathfrak{p},\mathbf{s}} \ge 0 < \varepsilon_{\mathfrak{p},\mathbf{s}} \le \varepsilon \text{ with}$$

 $1/|h| \cdot \mathfrak{p}_{\infty}^{s}(\Phi(h,\cdot) - \Phi(0,\cdot)) < L_{\mathfrak{p},s} \qquad \forall \ 0 < |h| < \varepsilon_{\mathfrak{p},s}.$

Duhamel
$$\partial_h \exp(X + h \cdot Y)$$
: $\Phi(h, \cdot) = \phi_X + h \cdot \phi_Y$



$$C^k$$
-regular $(\operatorname{evol}_k\ C^\infty)$

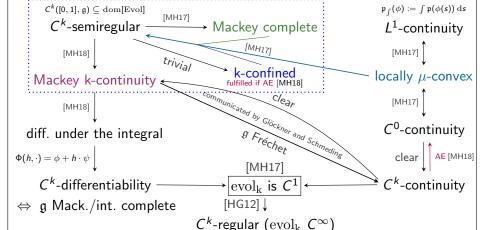
$$\mathrm{d}_{\phi} \operatorname{evol}_{\mathbf{k}}(\psi) = \mathrm{d}_{\mathbf{e}} \mathrm{L}_{\int \phi} \left(\int \operatorname{Ad}_{\left[\int_{0}^{s} \phi\right]^{-1}}(\psi(s)) \, \mathrm{d}s \right) \qquad \qquad \operatorname{evol}_{\mathbf{k}} := \int |_{C^{k}([0,1],\mathfrak{g})}$$

$$d_{\phi} \circ \operatorname{Ork}(\psi) = \operatorname{den}_{J_{\phi}}(\int \operatorname{Id}_{J_{\phi}} \phi - \operatorname{Id}_{J_{\phi}}(\psi) dy)$$

1. $d_{\phi} \operatorname{evol}_{k} : C^{k}([0,1],\mathfrak{g}) \to T_{\int \phi}G$ is linear and C^{0} -continuous.

2. $\lim_{(n,\alpha)} d_{\phi_n} \operatorname{evol}_k(\psi_\alpha) = d_{\phi} \operatorname{evol}_k(\psi)$ holds for each

- sequence $\{\phi_n\}_{m\in\mathbb{N}} \rightharpoonup_{\mathfrak{m},k} \phi$, - net $\{\psi_{\alpha}\}_{n\in\mathbb{N}} \rightharpoonup_{\mathfrak{n},0} \psi$.



k-c: Can approximate
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 by M.-C. sequence $\{\phi_n\}_{n\in\mathbb{N}}\subseteq\mathfrak{D}\mathrm{P}([0,1],\mathfrak{g})$, such that to each $\mathfrak{q}\in\mathfrak{P}$, there exists $\mathfrak{m}\in\mathfrak{P}$ with

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Let $\mu(t) := \lim_n \int_0^t \phi_n$ for each $t \in [0,1]$; and verify (ptw.) convergence, as well as the solution property $\delta^r(\mu) = \phi$. $\left[\int_0^t \phi_n \right]^{-1} \left[\int_0^t \phi_m \right] = \int_0^t \mathrm{Ad}_{\left[\int_0^0 \phi_n \right]^{-1}} (\phi_n - \phi_m)$

Thank you for your Attention!

Strong Trotter Property

G has strong Trotter property *iff* for each $\mu \in C^1_*([0,1],G)$ with $\dot{\mu}(0) \in \mathrm{dom}[\exp]$, we have

$$\lim_{n} \mu(\tau/n)^{n} = \exp(\tau \cdot \dot{\mu}(0)) \qquad \forall \tau \in [0, \ell]$$
 (*)

uniformly for each $\ell > 0$.

Proposition [MH18]:

- 1. If G is sequentially 0-continuous, then G has strong Trotter property.
- 2. If G is Mackey 0-continuous, then (*) holds for each $\mu \in C^1_*([0,1],G)$ with $\dot{\mu}(0) \in \mathrm{dom}[\exp]$ and $\delta^r(\mu) \in C^{\mathrm{lip}}([0,1],\mathfrak{g})$.

Fulfilled, e.g., if G is C^0 -semiregular, and μ is of class C^2 .

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Sketch of the Proof:

- Pass to sufficiently fast decreasing subsequence of $\{g_n\}_{n\in\mathbb{N}}$.
- Use bump functions to construct from the "differences" $g_n^{-1}g_{n-1}$ some $\phi \in C^{\infty}([0,1],\mathfrak{g})$ with $\phi(1)=0$ and

$$\int \phi|_{[t_n,t_{n+1}]} = g_n^{-1}g_{n-1}$$
 for $t_0 := 0$, $t_n := \sum_{k=1}^n 2^{-k}$ thus,

$$(\int \phi \cdot g_0^{-1})^{-1} = \lim_n (\int_0^{t_{n+1}} \phi \cdot g_0^{-1})^{-1}$$

$$= \lim_n (g_n^{-1} g_{n-1} \cdot \dots \cdot g_1^{-1} g_0 \cdot g_0^{-1})^{-1}$$

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Automatically k-c: if $(\mathfrak{g},[\cdot,\cdot])$ asymptotic estimate; hence, [MH18]

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$$(\mathfrak{p}\circ\Xi)(g_m^{-1}\cdot g_n)\leq \mathfrak{c}_{\mathfrak{p}}\cdot\lambda_{m,n} \qquad \forall \ m,n\in\mathbb{N},\ \mathfrak{p}\in\mathfrak{P}$$

for $\{\mathfrak{c}_{\mathfrak{p}}\}_{\mathfrak{p}\in\mathfrak{P}}\subseteq\mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}$, $\mathbb{R}_{>0}\supseteq\{\lambda_{m,n}\}_{(m,n)\in\mathbb{N}\times\mathbb{N}}\to 0$.

Theorem [MH17]: If G locally μ -convex, then C^k -semiregular for $k \in \mathbb{N}_{\geq 1} \sqcup \{ \text{lip}, \infty \}$ if and only if G Mackey complete and **k-confined**. **k-c:** Can approximate $\phi \in C^k([0,1],\mathfrak{q})$ by C^0 -M.-C. sequence $\{\phi_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subseteq \mathbb{N}$

 $\mathfrak{D}\mathrm{P}([0,1],\mathfrak{g})$, such that to each $\mathfrak{q}\in\mathfrak{P}$, there exists $\mathfrak{m}\in\mathfrak{P}$ with

$$\mathfrak{q} \circ \operatorname{Ad}_{[\int_0^{\bullet} \phi_n]^{-1}} \leq \mathfrak{m} \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}.$$
 (*)

Idea of the Proof: Let $\int_0^t \phi := \lim_n \int_0^t \phi_n$ for each $t \in [0,1]$; and verify (ptw.) convergence, as well as the solution property $\delta^r(\int_0^{\bullet} \phi) = \phi$.

$$\left[\int_0^t \phi_n\right]^{-1} \left[\int_0^t \phi_m\right] = \int_0^t \operatorname{Ad}_{\left[\int_0^\bullet \phi_n\right]^{-1}}(\phi_n - \phi_m) \quad \overset{(*)}{\Longrightarrow} \quad \left\{\int_0^t \phi_n\right\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \text{ is MC.}$$

$$\mathfrak{p}_{\infty}^{k}(\phi) = \max(0 \le p \le k \mid \mathfrak{p}_{\infty}(\phi^{(p)}))$$

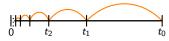
Theorem [MH18]: If G is C^k -semiregular for $k \in \mathbb{N} \sqcup \{ \text{lip}, \infty \}$, then G is Mackey k-continuous.

$$\mathsf{M. k-c.:} \qquad \underbrace{\{\phi_n\}_{n\in\mathbb{N}} \rightharpoonup_{\mathfrak{m.k}} \phi}_{\text{(*)}} \qquad \Longrightarrow \qquad \underbrace{\lim_n^\infty \int_0^\bullet \phi_n = \int_0^\bullet \phi}_{\text{(**)}}$$

- (*) Mackey-like convergence in the C^k -topology e.g., for $k \in \mathbb{N}$ that $\mathfrak{p}_{\infty}^k(\phi \phi_n) \leq \mathfrak{c}_{\mathfrak{p}} \cdot \lambda_n \qquad \forall \ n \in \mathbb{N}, \ \mathfrak{p} \in \mathfrak{P}$ for $\{\mathfrak{c}_{\mathfrak{p}}\}_{\mathfrak{p} \in \mathfrak{P}} \subseteq \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}, \ \mathbb{R}_{>0} \supseteq \{\lambda_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \to 0.$
- (**) Uniform convergence: Given $e \in U \subseteq G$ neighbourhood, there exists $N_U \in \mathbb{N}$ with

$$\int_0^t \phi_n \in \int_0^t \phi \cdot U \qquad \forall \ t \in [0,1], \ n \ge N_U.$$

Mackey Continuity



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Sketch of the Proof: (indirect argument)

- If claim is wrong, there exists $e \in U \subseteq G$ open and $\{\phi_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \rightharpoonup_{\mathfrak{m}.k} 0$ with $\int_0^{\bullet} \phi_n \nsubseteq U$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$.
- Use bump functions $\rho_n \equiv \dot{\varrho}_n$ to construct $\phi \in C^k([0,1],\mathfrak{g})$ with $\phi(0)=0$ and

$$\int_{t_{n+1}}^t \phi|_{[t_{n+1},t_n]} = \int_0^{\varrho_n(t)} \phi_n \quad \text{ for } \quad t_0 := 1, \ t_n := 1 - \sum_{k=1}^n 2^{-k}.$$

- Choose $e \in V \subseteq G$ open with $V \cdot V^{-1} \subseteq U$, as well as $0 < s \le 1$ with $\int_0^t \phi \in V$ for $0 \le t \le s$.
- Obtain contradiction by

$$\int_0^{\varrho_n(t)} \phi_n = \int_{t_{n+1}}^t \phi|_{[t_{n+1},t_n]} = \left[\int_0^t \phi\right] \cdot \left[\int_0^{t_{n+1}} \phi\right]^{-1} \in V \cdot V^{-1} \subseteq U,$$

for each $t \in [t_{n+1}, t_n]$ with $t_n \leq s$.