

compose to:  $\frac{1}{2(l+h^V)} \sum_{a=1}^d \left( \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} J_k^a J_{n-k} + \sum_{k \geq 0} k c \right)$

naive definition

**Thm**  $[L_n, X_m] = -m X_{n+m}$   
 $[L_m, L_n] = (m-n) L_{n+m} + \frac{c_g(l)}{12} (m^3 - n^3) \delta_{m,-n}$

where  $c_g(l) = \frac{l \dim g}{2(l+h)}$  ... the central charge.

**Lemma**  $\sum_{a=1}^d \left( [X_i, J^a]_m J_{a,m} + J_{a,m} [X_i, J^a]_m \right) = 0 \quad (X \in g)$

PF:  $\sum_a [X_i, J^a]_m J_{a,m} = \sum_a \sum_{b=1}^d k_{ab} ([X_i, J^a], J^b) J_{b,m} J_{a,m}$   
 $[X_i, J^a] = \sum_b k_{ab} ([X_i, J^a], J^b) J^b$

$\hookrightarrow = - \sum_a \sum_b k_{ab} ([X_i, J^a], J^b) J_{b,m} J_{a,m} = - \sum_b J_{b,m} [X_i, J^b]_m$  □

PF of the Thm.:

$[X_m, 2(l+h^V)L_n] = \sum_a \left( \underbrace{\left( \sum_{k < 0} [X_m, J^a]_k J_{a,n-k} + \sum_{k < 0} J_{a,n-k} [X_m, J^a]_k \right)}_{\textcircled{1}} + \underbrace{\sum_{k \geq 0} k c}_{\textcircled{2}} \right)$

$\textcircled{1} = \dots = \sum_a \sum_{-m \leq k < 0} J_k^a [X_i, J^a]_{n-k} + \sum_{k < 0} (m X_k \delta_{m,-k} + m X_k \delta_{m,-m+k}) c$

$\textcircled{2} = \dots = \sum_a \sum_{m > k \geq 0} [X_i, J^a]_{m+m-k} J_k^a + \sum_{k \geq 0} (m X_k \delta_{m,-m+k} + m X_k \delta_{m,k}) c$

$\textcircled{1} + \textcircled{2}$   $\xrightarrow{\text{of the lemma}}$   $2ml X_{n+m}$

$2ml X_{n+m} + m \sum_{a=1}^d [J^a, [J_{n+1}, X]]_{n+m} = \text{Ad}(c) X_{n+m} = 2ml^V X_{n+m} + 2ml X_{n+m} = 2m(l+h^V) X_{n+m}$

The Casimir C acts on irred. of mult. by a number

$(\lambda, \lambda) + 2(\lambda, \rho)$   
 $\rho = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha \in \Delta^+} \alpha$  □

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$\Sigma$  closed Riemann surface

$x_1, \dots, x_n \in \Sigma_n$  distinct

$t_1, \dots, t_n$  local coordinates

$$t_i: \underset{x_i}{\bigcup V_i} \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \quad t_i(x_i) = 0$$

$\mathfrak{g}$  a cpx simple Lie alg.

$\mathfrak{g}(x_1, \dots, x_n)$  the Lie alg. of  $\mathfrak{g}$ -valued meromorphic functions on  $\Sigma$  with poles at  $x_1, \dots, x_n$  at most.

$\tau_j: \mathfrak{g}(x_1, \dots, x_n) \hookrightarrow \mathfrak{g}((t_j))$  via Laurent expansion at  $x_j$  in  $t_j$

$\bigoplus_{i=1}^n \mathfrak{g}((t_i)) \oplus \mathbb{C}c$  a diagonal central extension:

$$[(x_1 \otimes f_1, \dots, x_n \otimes f_n), (y_1 \otimes g_1, \dots, y_n \otimes g_n)] =$$

$$= ([x_1, y_1] \otimes f_1 g_1, \dots, [x_n, y_n] \otimes f_n g_n) - \sum_i (x_i, y_i) \operatorname{Res}_{t_i=0} (f_i d g_i)$$

$$f \mapsto (t_1(f), \dots, t_n(f))$$

$$\mathfrak{g}(x_1, \dots, x_n) \hookrightarrow \bigoplus_i (\mathfrak{g}((t_i)) \oplus \mathbb{C}c)$$

$\searrow \cup$  (recall: use Residue theorem or prove it's Lie mod.)

$$\bigoplus_i \mathfrak{g}((t_i))$$

$l \in \mathbb{N}$

$$x_1, \dots, x_n \in P_l = \{ \lambda \in P_+ \mid 0 \leq (\lambda, \theta) \leq l \}$$

$H_{x_1}, \dots, H_{x_n}$  the integrable highest weight modules of level  $l$  with the highest weight  $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n$ .

left action of  $\mathfrak{g}(x_1, \dots, x_n)$  on  $H_{x_1} \otimes \dots \otimes H_{x_n}$

The space of vacua (of conf. fields) is the space of lin. forms  $\mathbb{V}_\lambda^+(\Sigma)$   
 $\varphi: H_{x_1} \otimes \dots \otimes H_{x_n} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  invariant under  $\mathfrak{g}(x_1, \dots, x_n)$ .

$$\Sigma = \mathbb{C}P^1 = \mathbb{C} \cup \{\infty\}$$

$$t_i = z - x_i \quad x_i \neq \infty$$

$$t_i = \frac{1}{z} \quad x_i = \infty$$

$$H_{\vec{\lambda}} := \bigotimes_{i=1}^n H_{\lambda_i} \quad V_{\vec{\lambda}} := \bigotimes_i V_{\lambda_i} \text{ -- finite dimensional} \quad (15)$$

Thm The natural restriction mapping  $\text{Hom}_{\mathbb{C}}(H_{\vec{\lambda}}, \mathbb{C}) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{C}}(V_{\vec{\lambda}}, \mathbb{C})$  induces an inj. map.

$$j: V_{\vec{\lambda}}^+(\mathbb{C}P^1) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{C}}(V_{\vec{\lambda}}, \mathbb{C})^{\text{weight-0-action}}$$

(and finite dim. of  $V_{\vec{\lambda}}^+(\mathbb{C}P^1)$  follows)

Moreover, if some of the  $\lambda_i$  is  $\infty$ ,

then  $\psi \in \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{C}}(V_{\vec{\lambda}}, \mathbb{C})$  is  $\psi \in \text{Im } j$

iff  $\forall k=1,2,\dots,n \quad \exists \varphi_k := w_1 \otimes \dots \otimes w_{k-1} \otimes v_{\lambda_k}^{\text{highest weight}} \otimes w_{k+1} \otimes \dots \otimes w_n \in V_{\vec{\lambda}}$

recall:  
 $\Pi_{\lambda} = \mathcal{U}(\hat{\mathfrak{g}}) \otimes V_{\lambda}$   
 $\mathcal{U}(\mathfrak{g}[t]) \otimes \mathbb{C}$   
 $(\mathfrak{g} \otimes t) V_{\lambda} = 0$   
 $\mathbb{C} \cdot V_{\lambda} = \mathbb{C} \cdot V_{\lambda}$   
 $H_{\lambda} = \Pi_{\lambda} / J_{\lambda} \text{ -- max. ideal}$

$$(*) \quad \text{we have } \sum_{\substack{\vec{m}_k \\ |\vec{m}_k| = l_k}} \prod_{j \neq k} \binom{l_k}{m_j} (x_j - x_k)^{-m_j} \psi \left( \prod_{i \neq k} p_i(x_0)^{m_i} \varphi_k \right) = 0$$

$$l_k := l - (\Theta, \lambda_k) + 1$$

$$\vec{m}_k = (m_1, \dots, m_k, \dots, m_n) \in \mathbb{N}_0^{n-1}, \quad |\vec{m}_k| := \sum_{i \neq k} m_i$$

The "mysterious" interest will be useful to prove the following

Verlinde formula (for  $g=0$ , i.e.  $\Sigma_g = \mathbb{C}P^1$ ):

$$\dim V_{\vec{\lambda}}^+(\Sigma_g) = \sum_{j=0}^l (S_0^j)^{2-2g} \prod_{a=1}^n \frac{\sin \frac{\pi}{S_0^a}}{S_0^a} = \left(\frac{l+2}{2}\right)^{g-1} \sum_{j=0}^l \frac{\prod_{a=1}^n \sin \frac{(i_a+1)(j+1)\pi}{l+2}}{\left(\sin \frac{(g+1)\pi}{l+2}\right)^{2g-2+n}}$$

$i_a = ??$

PROOF of Thm:  $\langle \psi | \in V_{\vec{\lambda}}^+(\mathbb{C}P^1)$

$(x \otimes 1) \cdot \psi \in \mathfrak{g}(x_1, \dots, x_n)$  const. function,  $x \in \mathfrak{g}$

$\langle \psi | (x \otimes 1) = 0$  by def.

expand  $x \otimes 1$  via  $\mathfrak{g}(x_1, \dots) \hookrightarrow \bigoplus_i \mathfrak{g}_i(t_i) \oplus \mathbb{C}$ :

$$x \otimes 1 \mapsto (x \otimes 1, \dots, x \otimes 1)$$

$0 = (X \otimes 1) \cdot \psi = \sum_i \rho_i(x) \dot{\psi}$  action on the  $i$ -th position

$v \in V_{\vec{\lambda}} = V_{\lambda_1} \otimes \dots \otimes V_{\lambda_m}$  with diag. action  $X \cdot (v_1 \otimes \dots \otimes v_m) = \sum_i \rho_i(x) v_1 \otimes \dots \otimes v_m$

$0 = ((X \otimes 1) \cdot \psi)(v) = \psi((X \otimes 1)v) = \psi(\sum_i \rho_i(x)v)$

$\psi(X \cdot v)$

and  $\psi(X \cdot v) = 0$  means that  $\psi \in \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{C}}(V_{\vec{\lambda}}, \mathbb{C})$ .

(\*) is necessary:

assume  $\psi = j(\phi)$

$h := \frac{1}{z - x_k}, \phi \in V_{\vec{\lambda}}$

$\psi \xrightarrow{??} \phi \left( \rho_k \left[ \tau_k \underbrace{(X_{\ominus} \otimes h)^{l_k}}_{\substack{\text{in } \\ \mathfrak{g}(x_1, \dots, x_n)}} \right] \phi \right)$

$0 = (X_{\ominus} \otimes h) \cdot \phi(\psi) = -\phi((X_{\ominus} \otimes h)\psi) = -\sum_{j=1}^n \phi \rho_j \tau_j (X_{\ominus} \otimes h) \psi = (**)$

$\tau_j(X_{\ominus} \otimes h) = \begin{cases} j=k \dots X_{\ominus} \otimes t_k^{-1} \\ j \neq k \dots X_{\ominus} \otimes \tau_j \left( \frac{1}{z - x_k} \right) = \dots = X_{\ominus} \otimes \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m t_j^m}{(x_j - x_k)^{m+1}} \end{cases}$   
*(i.e. holomorphic around  $x_i, i \neq k$ )*

$t_{\mathfrak{g}}[h]$  annihilates  $\psi$  (since  $\psi \in V_{\vec{\lambda}}$ )  
 hence only  $m=0$  is relevant in the Laurent exp.

$(**) = -\phi \left( \rho_k (X_{\ominus} \otimes t_k^{-1}) \psi \right) - \sum_{j \neq k} \frac{1}{x_j - x_k} \phi \left( \rho_j (X_{\ominus} \otimes 1) \psi \right) = 0$

then it follows:

$\phi \left( \rho_k \tau_k (X_{\ominus} \otimes h)^{l_k} \psi \right) \stackrel{\text{not same?}}{=} (-1)^{\sum_{\vec{m}_k} l_k} \prod_{j \neq k} \binom{l_k}{m_j} (x_j - x_k)^{-m_j} \phi \left( \prod_{j \neq k} \rho_j (X_{\ominus})^{m_j} \psi \right)$   
 $|\vec{m}_k| = l_k$