

Dual Polynomials of the Multi-Indexed (q -)Racah Orthogonal Polynomials

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§ 1. Introduction

Quantum Mechanics vs Orthogonal Polynomials

- Orthogonal polynomials often appear in quantum mechanical systems.
 - harmonic oscillator \rightarrow Hermite polynomial
 - hydrogen atom \rightarrow Legendre polynomial (associated Legendre “polynomial”)
Laguerre polynomial
 - Pöschl-Teller potential \rightarrow Jacobi polynomial
- By using the known properties of orthogonal polynomials, we can investigate quantum mechanical systems.
- Conversely, by using quantum mechanical systems, we can investigate unknown properties of new orthogonal polynomials.
 - \leftarrow physicist’s approach to orthogonal polynomials

- We consider quantum mechanical systems in one dimension.

$$\mathcal{H}\phi_n(x) = \mathcal{E}_n\phi_n(x) \quad \|\phi_n\| < \infty \quad (n = 0, 1, \dots) \quad 0 = \mathcal{E}_0 < \mathcal{E}_1 < \mathcal{E}_2 < \dots$$

eigenvalue problem of the Schrödinger equation

exactly solvable : $\{\mathcal{E}_n\}$ and $\{\phi_n(x)\}$ are known explicitly

- **(ordinary) orthogonal polynomial**

$P_n(\eta)$: polynomial in η ($n = 0, 1, \dots$) $\deg P_n = n \rightarrow$ a complete set
 orthogonal with respect to appropriate inner product
 \Leftrightarrow three term recurrence relations

$$\eta P_n(\eta) = A_n P_{n+1}(\eta) + B_n P_n(\eta) + C_n P_{n-1}(\eta)$$

- **Bochner's theorem**

(ordinary) orthogonal polynomials satisfying
 $\overset{(iii)}{2^{nd}}$ order differential equation (with polynomial coefficients)
 $\overset{(i)}{\Leftrightarrow}$ Hermite, $\overset{(ii)}{\text{Laguerre, Jacobi, Bessel}}$ polynomials

 non positive definite inner product

- **To avoid this No-Go theorem**

(i) 2nd \rightarrow higher \rightarrow **Krall** polynomials

(ii) differential \rightarrow difference

\rightarrow **Askey-Wilson, q -Racah** polynomials etc.

\rightarrow generalizations of Bochner's theorem

Askey-scheme of hypergeometric orthogonal polynomials

(iii) ordinary \rightarrow non ordinary : in spite of missing degrees, a complete set

\rightarrow **exceptional** or **multi-indexed** polynomials

Gómez-Ullate–Kamran–Milson
 arXiv:0807.3939

(i) 2nd \rightarrow higher (ii) differential \rightarrow difference (iii) ordinary \rightarrow non ordinary

▪ Quantum Mechanical Systems

We consider three kind of systems (Hamiltonians).

with R.Sasaki

oQM : ordinary Quantum Mechanics
idQM : discrete QM with imaginary shifts
rdQM : discrete QM with real shifts

QM system	dynamical variable	Schrödinger equation	order	examples of orthogonal polynomials
oQM	continuous	differential eq.	2 nd	Hermite, Laguerre, Jacobi
idQM	continuous	difference eq.	2 nd	MP, Wilson, Askey-Wilson etc.
rdQM	discrete	difference eq.	2 nd	Hahn, Racah, q -Racah etc.

(ii) oQM \rightarrow idQM, rdQM

Askey-scheme of hypergeometric orthogonal polynomials

(iii) deform oQM, idQM, rdQM systems by Darboux transformations

multi-indexed orthogonal polynomials

(i) We have considered 2nd order so far, but can think of higher orders.

Today's talk : dual (q -)Racah multi-indexed polynomials, which satisfy higher order difference equations, and exactly solvable rdQM systems

- **Hamiltonian** : hermitian operator

Forms of Hamiltonians (2nd order case)

oQM $p = -i \frac{d}{dx}$

$$\mathcal{H} = p^2 + U(x)$$

idQM $p = -i \frac{d}{dx} \quad \gamma = 1, \log q$

$$\mathcal{H} = \sqrt{V(x)} e^{\gamma p} \sqrt{V^*(x)} + \sqrt{V^*(x)} e^{-\gamma p} \sqrt{V(x)} - V(x) - V^*(x)$$

rdQM $x = 0, 1, \dots \quad (x = 0, 1, \dots, N)$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{H}_{x,y} = & -\sqrt{B(x)D(x+1)} \delta_{x+1,y} - \sqrt{B(x-1)D(x)} \delta_{x-1,y} \\ & + (B(x) + D(x)) \delta_{x,y} \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathcal{H} = (\mathcal{H}_{x,y}) \quad (e^{\pm \partial})_{x,y} = \delta_{x \pm 1, y}$$

$$\mathcal{H} = -\sqrt{B(x)} e^{\partial} \sqrt{D(x)} - \sqrt{D(x)} e^{-\partial} \sqrt{B(x)} + B(x) + D(x)$$

- parameters : $\boldsymbol{\lambda} = (\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots) \quad q^{\boldsymbol{\lambda}} = (q^{\lambda_1}, q^{\lambda_2}, \dots)$

If needed, we write $\boldsymbol{\lambda}$ -dependence : $f = f(\boldsymbol{\lambda}), f(x) = f(x; \boldsymbol{\lambda})$ etc.

§ 2. Multi-Indexed Polynomials

Deformation of quantum mechanical systems

original

exactly solvable system

$$\mathcal{H}\phi_n(x) = \mathcal{E}_n\phi_n(x)$$

$\phi_n(x)$: described by ordinary orthogonal polynomial $P_n(\eta)$

Darboux
transformation

$\mathcal{D} = \{(\mathfrak{t}_1, d_1), \dots, (\mathfrak{t}_M, d_M)\}$: label of seed solutions
type
degree of polynomial part

briefly $\mathcal{D} = \{d_1, \dots, d_M\}$: multi-index set

deformed

exactly solvable system

$$\mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{D}}\phi_{\mathcal{D}n}(x) = \mathcal{E}_n\phi_{\mathcal{D}n}(x)$$

$\phi_{\mathcal{D}n}(x)$: described by **multi-indexed orthogonal polynomial** $P_{\mathcal{D},n}(\eta)$

$\mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{D}}$: expressed by **denominator polynomial** $\Xi_{\mathcal{D}}(\eta)$

$\phi_{\mathcal{D}n}, P_{\mathcal{D},n}, \Xi_{\mathcal{D}}$: expressed in terms of determinant (Wronskian, Casoratian)

choice of
seed solutions



type of seed solution	deformed system
virtual state	iso spectral
eigenstate	state deletion
pseudo virtual state	state addition

▪ eigenstate : $\phi_{\mathcal{D}n}(x) = \psi_{\mathcal{D}}(x)\check{P}_{\mathcal{D},n}(x)$

multi-indexed polynomial : $\check{P}_{\mathcal{D},n}(x) = P_{\mathcal{D},n}(\eta(x))$

→ polynomial in $\eta = \eta(x)$: sinusoidal coordinate

→ $\psi_{\mathcal{D}}(x)^2$: weight function

▪ $P_{\mathcal{D},n}(\eta)$ ($n = 0, 1, \dots$) $\deg P_{\mathcal{D},n}(\eta) = e_n \geq n$

$\{e_0, e_1, \dots\} = \{0, 1, \dots\} \setminus I$ I : a set of missing degrees

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{case (1)} \quad I = \{0, 1, \dots, \ell - 1\} \\ \text{case (2)} \quad I \neq \{0, 1, \dots, \ell - 1\} \end{array} \right.$

The case (1) multi-indexed polynomials were constructed for Laguerre, Jacobi, (Askey-)Wilson, (q -)Racah cases.

$\deg P_{\mathcal{D},n}(\eta) = \ell_{\mathcal{D}} + n$ O-Sasaki : [arXiv:1105.0508](#), [1203.5868](#), [1207.5584](#)

In the following we consider the case (1) polynomials.

Multi-indexed polynomial

← constructed by quantum mechanical formulation and Darboux transformation

$$P_{\mathcal{D},n}(\eta) \quad (n = 0, 1, \dots) \quad \text{case (1)} \quad \deg P_{\mathcal{D},n}(\eta) = \ell_{\mathcal{D}} + n$$

$\mathcal{D} = \{d_1, \dots, d_M\}$: label of system (Darboux transformation)

n : label of polynomial n = number of zeros in the physical region (number of sign changing)

They are not ordinary orthogonal polynomials.

→ They do not satisfy three term recurrence relations.

→ They satisfy recurrence relations with more terms.

Recurrence relations

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(a) variable dependent coefficients

$$\sum_{k=-M-1}^{M+1} \mathcal{C}_{\mathcal{D},n+k} R_{n,k}^{[M]}(\eta) P_{\mathcal{D},n+k}(\eta) = 0$$

(b) constant coefficients

$$X(\eta) P_{\mathcal{D},n}(\eta) = \sum_{k=-L}^L r_{n,k}^{X,\mathcal{D}} P_{\mathcal{D},n+k}(\eta)$$

(a) $R_{n,k}^{[M]}(\eta)$ depends on M only (← structure of Darboux transformation)

(b) various X 's are possible.

Recurrence relations with constant coefficients

$$X(\eta)P_{\mathcal{D},n}(\eta) = \sum_{k=-L}^L r_{n,k}^{X,\mathcal{D}} P_{\mathcal{D},n+k}(\eta)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \deg \Xi_{\mathcal{D}}(\eta) &= \ell_{\mathcal{D}} \\ \deg P_{\mathcal{D},n}(\eta) &= \ell_{\mathcal{D}} + n \end{aligned}$$

What X gives these relations?

→ Answer : $X(\eta) = X^{\mathcal{D},Y}(\eta)$ $Y(\eta)$: arbitrary polynomial in η ($\neq 0$)

$$\deg X(\eta) = L = \ell_{\mathcal{D}} + \deg Y(\eta) + 1 \quad \text{various } X \text{ 's are possible}$$

oQM (Laguerre, Jacobi) $X(\eta) = \int_0^\eta dy \Xi_{\mathcal{D}}(y) Y(y)$ $\frac{dX(\eta)}{d\eta} = \Xi_{\mathcal{D}}(\eta) Y(\eta)$

idQM (Wilson, Askey-Wilson) \neg **Miki-Tsujimoto : arXiv:1410.0183**

$$X(\eta) = I[\Xi_{\mathcal{D}} Y](\eta) \quad \begin{aligned} I : \text{polynomial of degree } n \\ \mapsto \text{polynomial of degree } n + 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\check{X}(x - i\frac{\gamma}{2}) - \check{X}(x + i\frac{\gamma}{2})}{\eta(x - i\frac{\gamma}{2}) - \eta(x + i\frac{\gamma}{2})} = \check{\Xi}_{\mathcal{D}}(x) \check{Y}(x) \quad \begin{aligned} \check{\Xi}_{\mathcal{D}}(x) &= \Xi_{\mathcal{D}}(\eta(x)) \\ \check{X}(x) &= X(\eta(x)) \\ \check{Y}(x) &= Y(\eta(x)) \end{aligned}$$

rdQM (Racah, q -Racah) **arXiv:1804.10352**

$$X(\eta) = I_{\lambda+M\delta}[\Xi_{\mathcal{D}} Y](\eta) \quad \begin{aligned} I_{\lambda} : \text{polynomial of degree } n \\ \mapsto \text{polynomial of degree } n + 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\check{X}(x) - \check{X}(x-1)}{\eta(x; \lambda + M\delta) - \eta(x-1; \lambda + M\delta)} = \check{\Xi}_{\mathcal{D}}(x) Y(\eta(x; \lambda + (M-1)\delta)) \quad \begin{aligned} \check{X}(x) &= X(\eta(x; \lambda + M\delta)) \\ \check{\Xi}_{\mathcal{D}}(x) &= \Xi_{\mathcal{D}}(\eta(x; \lambda + (M-1)\delta)) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{For } x \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0} \quad \check{X}(x) = \sum_{j=1}^x (\eta(j; \lambda + M\delta) - \eta(j-1; \lambda + M\delta)) \check{\Xi}_{\mathcal{D}}(j) Y(\eta(j; \lambda + (M-1)\delta))$$

§ 3. Dual Polynomials

$$\mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{D}}\phi_{\mathcal{D}n}(x) = \mathcal{E}_n\phi_{\mathcal{D}n}(x)$$

Multi-indexed (q -)Racah polynomials

← described by rdQM

$$\check{P}_{\mathcal{D},n}(x) = P_{\mathcal{D},n}(\eta(x)) \quad \eta(0) = 0 \quad P_{\mathcal{D},n}(0) = 1 \quad \deg P_{\mathcal{D},n}(\eta) = \ell_{\mathcal{D}} + n$$

$x = 0, 1, \dots, N$: variable(coordinate)

finite system

$n = 0, 1, \dots, N$: label of polynomial

n = number of sign changing

▪ orthogonality

$$\sum_{x=0}^N \frac{\psi_{\mathcal{D}}(x)^2}{\check{\Xi}_{\mathcal{D}}(1)} \check{P}_{\mathcal{D},n}(x) \check{P}_{\mathcal{D},m}(x) = \frac{\delta_{nm}}{d_{\mathcal{D},n}^2}$$

normalized eigenvector:

$$\hat{\phi}_{\mathcal{D}n}(x) = \frac{d_{\mathcal{D},n}}{\sqrt{\check{\Xi}_{\mathcal{D}}(1)}} \psi_{\mathcal{D}}(x) \check{P}_{\mathcal{D},n}(x) \quad \rightarrow \quad \sum_{x=0}^N \hat{\phi}_{\mathcal{D},n}(x) \hat{\phi}_{\mathcal{D},m}(x) = \delta_{nm}$$

▪ 2nd order difference equation ← Schrödinger equation for polynomial part

$$\tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{\mathcal{D}} \check{P}_{\mathcal{D},n}(x) = \mathcal{E}_n \check{P}_{\mathcal{D},n}(x) \quad \mathcal{E}_0 = 0$$

$$\mathcal{E}_n \check{P}_{\mathcal{D},n}(x) = (\cdots) \check{P}_{\mathcal{D},n}(x+1) + (\cdots) \check{P}_{\mathcal{D},n}(x) + (\cdots) \check{P}_{\mathcal{D},n}(x-1)$$

recurrence relations for x

▪ recurrence relations with constant coefficients

$$\check{X}(x) \check{P}_{\mathcal{D},n}(x) = \sum_{k=-\min(L,n)}^{\min(L,N-n)} r_{n,k}^{X,\mathcal{D}} \check{P}_{\mathcal{D},n+k}(x) \quad (x, n = 0, 1, \dots, N)$$

recurrence relations for n

orthogonality: $\sum_{x=0}^N \hat{\phi}_{\mathcal{D},n}(x) \hat{\phi}_{\mathcal{D},m}(x) = \delta_{nm} \Leftrightarrow \sum_{n=0}^N \hat{\phi}_{\mathcal{D},n}(x) \hat{\phi}_{\mathcal{D},n}(x) = \delta_{xy}$

Dual multi-indexed (q -)Racah polynomials

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dual polynomial : exchange x and n

$$\check{Q}_{\mathcal{D},x}(n) = \frac{\check{P}_{\mathcal{D},n}(x)}{\check{P}_{\mathcal{D},0}(x)} \quad \check{Q}_{\mathcal{D},x}(0) = 1 \quad \hat{\phi}_{\mathcal{D},n}(x) = \frac{\phi_{\mathcal{D},0}(x)}{\sqrt{\check{\Xi}_{\mathcal{D}}(1)}} d_{\mathcal{D},n} \check{Q}_{\mathcal{D},x}(n)$$

• orthogonality $\sum_{n=0}^N \frac{d_{\mathcal{D},n}^2}{\check{\Xi}_{\mathcal{D}}(1)} \check{Q}_{\mathcal{D},x}(n) \check{Q}_{\mathcal{D},y}(n) = \frac{\delta_{xy}}{\phi_{\mathcal{D},0}(x)^2}$

• 2nd order difference equation of $\check{P}_{\mathcal{D},n}(x) \rightarrow$ three term recurrence relations of $\check{Q}_{\mathcal{D},x}(n)$ recurrence relations for label x

recurrence relations for variable x

→ ordinary orthogonal polynomial

$$\check{Q}_{\mathcal{D},x}(n) = Q_{\mathcal{D},x}(\mathcal{E}_n) \quad \deg Q_{\mathcal{D},x}(\mathcal{E}) = x$$

• $2L+1$ term recurrence relations of $\check{P}_{\mathcal{D},n}(x) \rightarrow$ $2L$ -th order difference equation of $\check{Q}_{\mathcal{D},x}(n)$ recurrence relations for variable n

recurrence relations for label n

→ Krall type

• correspondence $x \leftrightarrow n, \eta(x) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{E}_n, P_{\mathcal{D},n}(\eta) \leftrightarrow Q_{\mathcal{D},x}(\mathcal{E}), \frac{\phi_{\mathcal{D},0}(x)}{\phi_{\mathcal{D},0}(0)} \leftrightarrow \frac{d_{\mathcal{D},n}}{d_{\mathcal{D},0}}$

§ 4. Exactly Solvable rdQM

discrete QM with real shifts rdQM

dynamical variable x : $x = 0, 1, \dots, N$ finite system

Hamiltonian \mathcal{H} : hermitian matrix (real symmetric matrix)

2nd order case

$$\mathcal{H}_{x,y} = -\sqrt{B(x)D(x+1)} \delta_{x+1,y} - \sqrt{B(x-1)D(x)} \delta_{x-1,y} \\ + (B(x) + D(x)) \delta_{x,y} \quad \text{tri-diagonal matrix (Jacobi matrix)}$$

$$B(x) > 0, D(x) > 0 \quad \text{at boundaries} \quad D(0) = 0 \quad B(N) = 0$$

$$\mathcal{H} = -\sqrt{B(x)} e^{\partial} \sqrt{D(x)} - \sqrt{D(x)} e^{-\partial} \sqrt{B(x)} + B(x) + D(x)$$

• Schrödinger equation

$$\mathcal{H}\phi_n(x) = \mathcal{E}_n\phi_n(x) \quad (n = 0, 1, \dots, N) \quad 0 = \mathcal{E}_0 < \mathcal{E}_1 < \dots < \mathcal{E}_N$$

$$\text{eigenvector} \quad \|\phi_n\| < \infty \quad (\text{trivial for finite systems})$$

diagonalization of matrices

new exactly solvable rdQM systems

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For each $X(\eta) = X^{\mathcal{D},Y}(\eta)$ $Y(\eta)$: non-negative coefficients
 $\deg X(\eta) = L = \ell_{\mathcal{D}} + \deg Y(\eta) + 1$

→ $\mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{D}}^{X \text{ dual}} = (\mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{D};x,y}^{X \text{ dual}})_{0 \leq x,y \leq N}$: real symmetric

$$\mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{D}}^{X \text{ dual}} = \sum_{k=-\min(L,x)}^{\min(L,N-x)} r_{x,k}^{X,\mathcal{D}} \frac{d_{\mathcal{D},x}}{d_{\mathcal{D},x+k}} e^{k\partial}$$

$$(e^{k\partial})_{x,y} = \delta_{x+k,y}$$

$(2L+1)$ - diagonal matrix

• eigenvectors $\mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{D}}^{X \text{ dual}} \phi_{\mathcal{D},n}^{\text{dual}}(x) = \mathcal{E}_{\mathcal{D},n}^{X \text{ dual}} \phi_{\mathcal{D},n}^{\text{dual}}(x) \quad (n = 0, 1, \dots, N)$

$$\phi_{\mathcal{D},n}^{\text{dual}}(x) = \frac{d_{\mathcal{D},x}}{d_{\mathcal{D},0}} \check{Q}_{\mathcal{D},n}(x) \quad \check{Q}_{\mathcal{D},n}(x) = Q_{\mathcal{D},n}(\mathcal{E}_x)$$

$$\mathcal{E}_{\mathcal{D},n}^{X \text{ dual}} = \check{X}(n) \quad 0 = \mathcal{E}_{\mathcal{D},0}^{X \text{ dual}} < \mathcal{E}_{\mathcal{D},1}^{X \text{ dual}} < \dots < \mathcal{E}_{\mathcal{D},N}^{X \text{ dual}}$$

Eigenvectors do not depend on X !

→ For X_1, X_2 with arbitrary Y_1, Y_2 $[\mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{D}}^{X_1 \text{ dual}}, \mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{D}}^{X_2 \text{ dual}}] = 0$

- $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{closure relation holds (in brute force way)} \rightarrow \text{creation/annihilation operators} \\ \text{shape invariance does not hold} \rightarrow \text{first example} \end{array} \right.$

§ 5. Summary and Comments

- By using QM systems, we study orthogonal polynomials.
- Recurrence relations for case (1) multi-indexed polynomials (variable dependent coefficients and constant coefficients). (known for Laguerre, Jacobi, Wilson, Askey-Wilson) $(q-)$ Racah [arXiv:1804.10352](#)
- Dual multi-indexed $(q-)$ Racah polynomials. [arXiv:1805.00345](#) ordinary orthogonal polynomials, higher order difference equations (Krall type).
- New exactly solvable rdQM systems. [arXiv:1805.00345](#) eigenvectors : dual multi-indexed $(q-)$ Racah polynomials
- **Future problems :**
 - explicit form of $r_{n,k}^{X,\mathcal{D}}$ for general n,k,X,D ?
 - relation among $r_{n,k}^{X,\mathcal{D}}$ for different X ?
 - Is it possible to deform rdQM systems of dual multi-indexed $(q-)$ Racah polynomials by Darboux transformation ?
 - Is it possible to construct “dual polynomials” of multi-indexed (Askey-)Wilson polynomials ?

Ortho. Poly. and QM systems

How to avoid Bochner's theorem

- (i) 2nd order → higher
- (ii) differential → difference
- (iii) ordinary → non-ordinary

QM system	dyn. var.	Schrödinger equation	order	examples of orthogonal polynomials	status
oQM	continuous	differential equation	2 nd	Hermite, Laguerre, Jacobi	⊙
				multi-indexed version (iii)	○
			higher (i)	Krall version (i)	○
				multi-indexed version (i)(iii)	×
idQM (ii)	continuous	difference equation (ii)	2 nd	MP, Wilson, Askey-Wilson etc.	⊙
				multi-indexed version (ii)(iii)	△
			higher (i)	Krall type version (i)(ii)	△
				multi-indexed version (i)(ii)(iii)	×
rdQM (ii)	discrete	difference equation (ii)	2 nd	Hahn, Racah, <i>q</i> -Racah etc.	⊙
				multi-indexed version (ii)(iii)	△
			higher (i)	Krall type version (i)(ii)	△
				multi-indexed version (i)(ii)(iii)	×

today's talk

understanding : ⊙ > ○ > △ > ×

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