

ソリトン・インスタントン と非可換幾何学

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cf. MH, “Solitons on Non-Commutative spaces”

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1. Introduction

- Non-Commutative (NC) spaces are defined by noncommutativity of the coordinates:

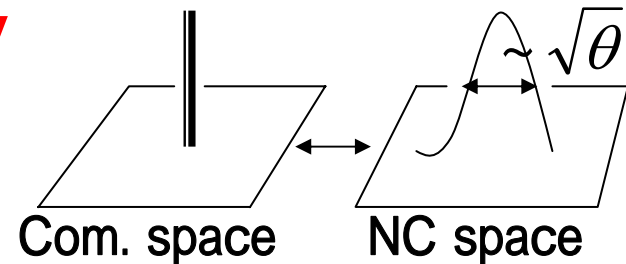
$$[x^i, x^j] = i\theta^{ij} \quad \theta^{ij} : \text{NC parameter}$$

This looks like CCR in QM: $[q, p] = i\hbar$

(\rightarrow "space-space uncertainty relation" \rightarrow)

Resolution of singularity

(\rightarrow New physical objects)



e.g. resolution of small instanton singularity

(\rightarrow U(1) instantons)

NC gauge theories



Com. gauge theories

in background of
magnetic fields

(real physics)

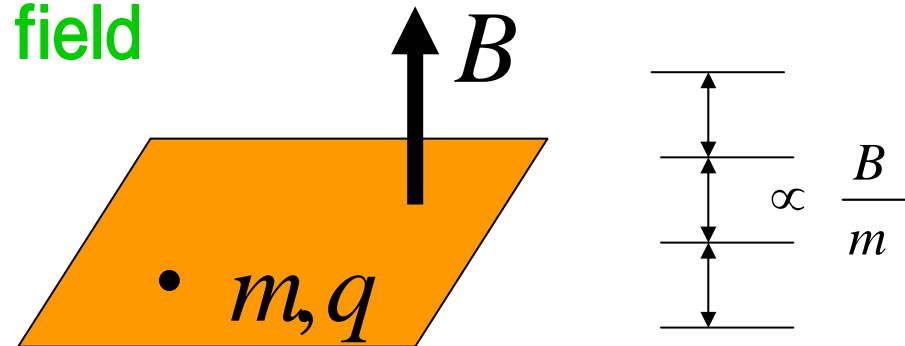
(Ex.) Motion of a charged particle
in background magnetic field

$$L = \frac{m}{2} (\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2) + qBx\dot{y}$$

$$\downarrow m \rightarrow 0$$

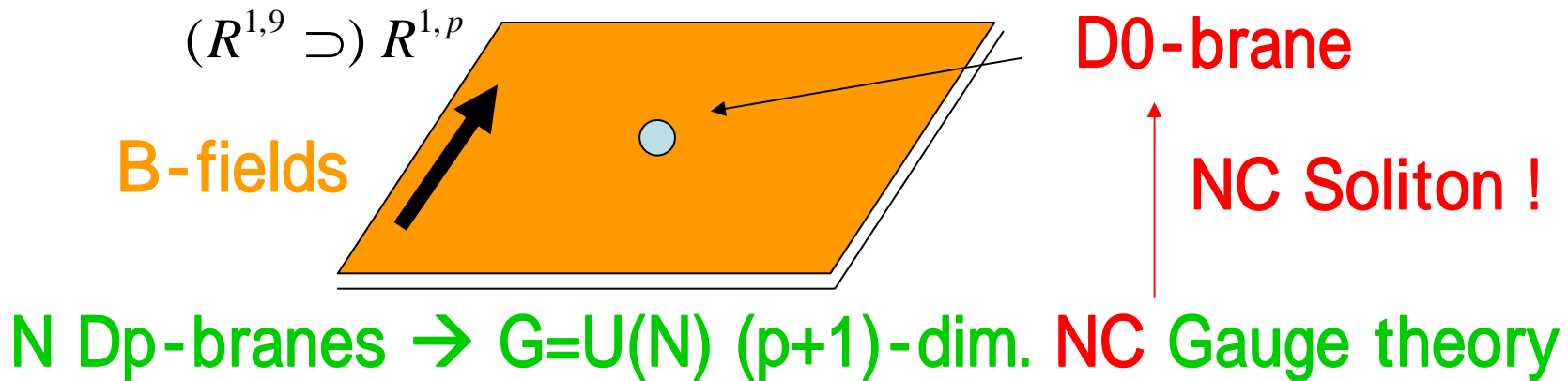
$$L = qBx\dot{y}$$

$$p_y = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{y}} = qBx \quad \xrightarrow{[y, p_y] = i} \quad [x, y] = -i \frac{1}{qB}$$



Gauge theories are realized on D-branes
which are solitons in string theories

In this context, (NC) solitons are (lower-dim.) D-branes



Analysis of NC solitons \leftrightarrow Analysis of D-branes
(easy to treat)

↓
Various applications

e.g. confirmation of Sen's conjecture on decay of D-branes

Plan of this talk

1. Introduction
2. NC gauge theories
3. ADHM construction of (NC) instantons
4. Applications to D-brane dynamics

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5. NC extension of soliton theories
6. NC Sato's theories
7. Conservation Laws
8. Exact Solutions and Ward's conjecture
9. Conclusion and Discussion

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2. NC Gauge Theories

Here we discuss NC gauge theory of **instantons**.
 (Ex.) 4-dim. (Euclidean) $G=U(N)$ Yang-Mills theory

- Action

$$\begin{aligned}
 S &= -\frac{1}{2} \int d^4x \text{Tr} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} = -\frac{1}{4} \int d^4x \text{Tr} (F_{\mu\nu} F_{\mu\nu} + \tilde{F}_{\mu\nu} \tilde{F}_{\mu\nu}) \\
 &= -\frac{1}{4} \int d^4x \text{Tr} \left[\underbrace{(F_{\mu\nu} \mp \tilde{F}_{\mu\nu})^2}_{=0 \Leftrightarrow \text{BPS}} \pm \underbrace{2F_{\mu\nu} \tilde{F}_{\mu\nu}}_{\Leftrightarrow C_2} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

- Eq. Of Motion:

$$[D^\nu, [D_\nu, D_\mu]] = 0$$

$$(F_{\mu\nu} := \partial_\mu A_\nu - \partial_\nu A_\mu + [A_\mu, A_\nu])$$

- BPS eq. (= (A)SDYM eq.)

$$F_{\mu\nu} = \pm \tilde{F}_{\mu\nu} \quad \rightarrow \text{instantons}$$

$$(\Leftrightarrow F_{z_1 \bar{z}_1} + F_{z_2 \bar{z}_2} = 0, \quad F_{z_1 z_2} = 0)$$

(i) Star-product formalism

NC theories are obtained from commutative gauge theories by replacing products of fields with **star-products**: $f(x)g(x) \rightarrow f(x) * g(x)$

- **The star product:**

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) * g(x) &:= f(x) \exp\left(\frac{i}{2} \theta^{ij} \bar{\partial}_i \bar{\partial}_j\right) g(x) \\ &= f(x)g(x) + i \frac{\theta^{ij}}{2} \bar{\partial}_i f(x) \bar{\partial}_j g(x) + O(\theta^2) \end{aligned}$$

A deformed product



Presence of background magnetic fields

$$f * (g * h) = (f * g) * h \quad \text{Associative}$$

$$[x^i, x^j]_* := x^i * x^j - x^j * x^i = i\theta^{ij} \quad \text{NC !}$$

(Ex.) 4-dim. NC (Euclidean) $G=U(N)$

Yang-Mills theory

(All products are star products)

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 &\quad (F_{\mu\nu} := \partial_\mu A_\nu - \partial_\nu A_\mu + \underbrace{[A_\mu, A_\nu]_*})
 \end{aligned}$$

- Eq. Of Motion:

$$[D^\nu, [D_\nu, D_\mu]_*]_* = 0$$

Don't omit even for $G=U(1)$

- BPS eq. (=NC (A)SDYM eq.)

($\because U(1) \cong U(\infty)$)

$$F_{\mu\nu} = \pm \tilde{F}_{\mu\nu} \quad \rightarrow \text{NC instantons}$$

$$(\Leftrightarrow F_{z_1 \bar{z}_1} + F_{z_2 \bar{z}_2} = 0, \quad F_{z_1 z_2} = 0)$$

A deformed theory is obtained.

Notes

- Noncommutativity violates Lorentz symmetry.
- U(1) part of gauge groups play important roles:
 - It behaves as non-abelian
 - SU(N) gauge theories are basically forbidden

$$g_1, g_2 \in SU(N) \Rightarrow g_1 * g_2 \notin SU(N)$$

- Star-products contain infinite derivatives
 - Non-local (\rightarrow Quantum treatment is hard)
 - Impossible to solve?? (solvable !!!)

Today's discussions are all classical.

(ii) Operator formalism

- This time, we begin with noncommutativity of coords. and treat the coords. and functions as **operators**.

- For simplicity, let's consider NC plane:

$$[\hat{x}^1, \hat{x}^2] = i\theta \quad (\theta > 0)$$

$$\downarrow \hat{a} := \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\theta}} \hat{z}, \hat{a}^* := \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\theta}} \hat{\bar{z}}, \quad z := x^1 + ix^2$$

$$[\hat{a}, \hat{a}^*] = 1$$

Ann. op. **Cre. Op.** **acting on Fock sp.** $H = \langle |0\rangle, |1\rangle, |2\rangle, \dots \rangle$ **occupation number basis**

- Fields are also operators in the Fock space:

$$\hat{f}(\hat{x}^1, \hat{x}^2) = \sum_{m, n=0}^{\infty} f_{mn} |m\rangle \langle n|$$

Infinite-size matrix

Equivalence of the two formalisms

(i) Star-product formalism

← Weyl trf. →

(ii) Operator formalism

$$[x^1, x^2]_* = i\theta$$

Noncommutativity

$$[\hat{x}^1, \hat{x}^2] = i\theta$$

$$f(x^1, x^2)$$

Fields

$$\hat{f} = \sum_{m, n=0}^{\infty} f_{mn} |m\rangle\langle n|$$

Star product: *

Products

Matrix multiplication: \circ

$$(\widehat{f * g} = \hat{f} \circ \hat{g})$$

Differentiation

$$\partial_i \hat{f} := [\hat{\partial}_i, \hat{f}] := [-i(\theta^{-1})_{ij} \hat{x}^j, \hat{f}]$$

$$(\partial_i \hat{x}^j = \delta_i^j)$$

$$\int dx^1 dx^2 f(x^1, x^2)$$

Integration

$$2\pi\theta \text{Tr}_H \hat{f}$$

$$2 \exp\left\{-\frac{r^2}{\theta}\right\}$$

A projection

$$|0\rangle\langle 0|$$

(Gaussian)

4-dim. NC (Euclidean) $G=U(N)$ Yang-Mills theory

EOM: $[\hat{D}^\nu, [\hat{D}_\nu, \hat{D}_\mu]] = 0$ ∞

BPS eq.: $\hat{F}_{z_1\bar{z}_1} + \hat{F}_{z_2\bar{z}_2} = 0, \quad \hat{F}_{z_1\bar{z}_2} = 0$

Noncommutativity:

$$\theta^{\mu\nu} = \left[\begin{array}{cc|cc} 0 & \theta & & 0 \\ -\theta & 0 & & 0 \\ \hline & & 0 & \theta^2 \\ 0 & & -\theta^2 & 0 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} \longleftrightarrow H_1 \\ \longleftrightarrow H_2 \end{array}$$

Fields: $\hat{f}(\hat{x}^\mu) = \sum C_{m_1 m_2 n_1 n_2} |m_1\rangle\langle n_1| \otimes |m_2\rangle\langle n_2|$

3. ADHM construction of (NC) instantons

Atiyah-Drinfeld-Hitchin-Manin, *PLA65(78)185*

ADHM eq. ($G=U(k)$): $k \times k$ matrix eq.

D-brane s
interpretation

Douglas, Witten

$$[B_1, B_1^*] + [B_2, B_2^*] + I I^* - J^* J = 0$$

$$[B_1, B_2] + I J = 0$$

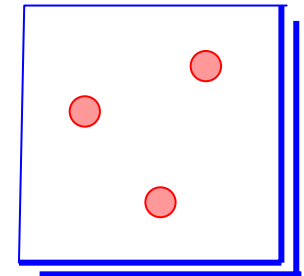
BPS

ADHM data $B_{1,2} : k \times k, I : k \times N, J : N \times k$

k D0-branes

1:1

Instantons $A_\mu : N \times N$



N D4-branes

ASD eq. ($G=U(N), C_2=-k$): $N \times N$ PDE

$$F_{z_1 \bar{z}_1} + F_{z_2 \bar{z}_2} = 0$$

$$F_{z_1 z_2} = 0$$

BPS

[cf. MH, *素粒子論研究* 106 (2002) 1]

String theory is a treasure house of dualities

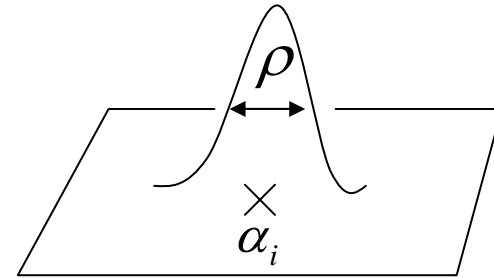
ADHM construction of BPST instanton (N=2,k=1)

ADHM eq. (G=U(1))

$$[B_1, B_1^*] + [B_2, B_2^*] + I I^* - J^* J = 0$$

$$[B_1, B_2] + I J = 0$$

Final remark: matrices B and coords. z always appear in pair: z-B



$$B_{1,2} = \alpha_{1,2}, \quad I = (\rho, 0), \quad J = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \rho \end{pmatrix}$$

\updownarrow \updownarrow \updownarrow
position **size**

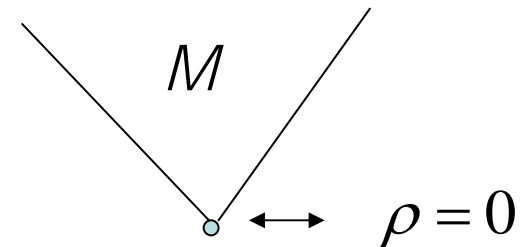
$$A_\mu = \frac{i(x-b)^\nu \eta_{\mu\nu}^{(-)}}{(x-b)^2 + \rho^2}, \quad F_{\mu\nu} = \frac{2i\rho^2}{((x-b)^2 + \rho^2)^2} \eta_{\mu\nu}^{(-)}$$

$\xrightarrow{\rho \rightarrow 0}$ singular

ASD eq. (G=U(2), C₂=-1)

$$F_{z_1 \bar{z}_1} + F_{z_2 \bar{z}_2} = 0$$

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Small instanton singularity

ADHM construction of NC BPST instanton

(N=2, k=1)

Nekrasov&Schwarz,
CMP198(98)689
[hep-th/9802068]

ADHM eq. (G=U(1)) 1 × 1 matrix eq.

$$[B_1, B_1^*] + [B_2, B_2^*] + I I^* - J^* J = \zeta$$

$$[B_1, B_2] + I J = 0$$

$$B_{1,2} = \alpha_{1,2}, \quad I = (\sqrt{\rho^2 + \zeta}, 0), \quad J = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \rho \end{pmatrix}$$

position ↔ size → slightly fat?

$A_\mu, F_{\mu\nu}$: something smooth

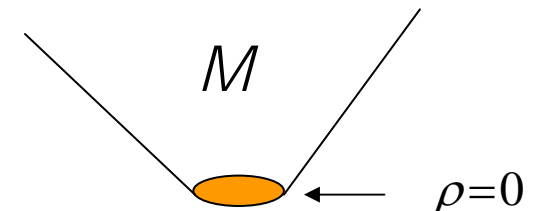
→
 $\rho \rightarrow 0$

Regular!
(U(1) instanton!)

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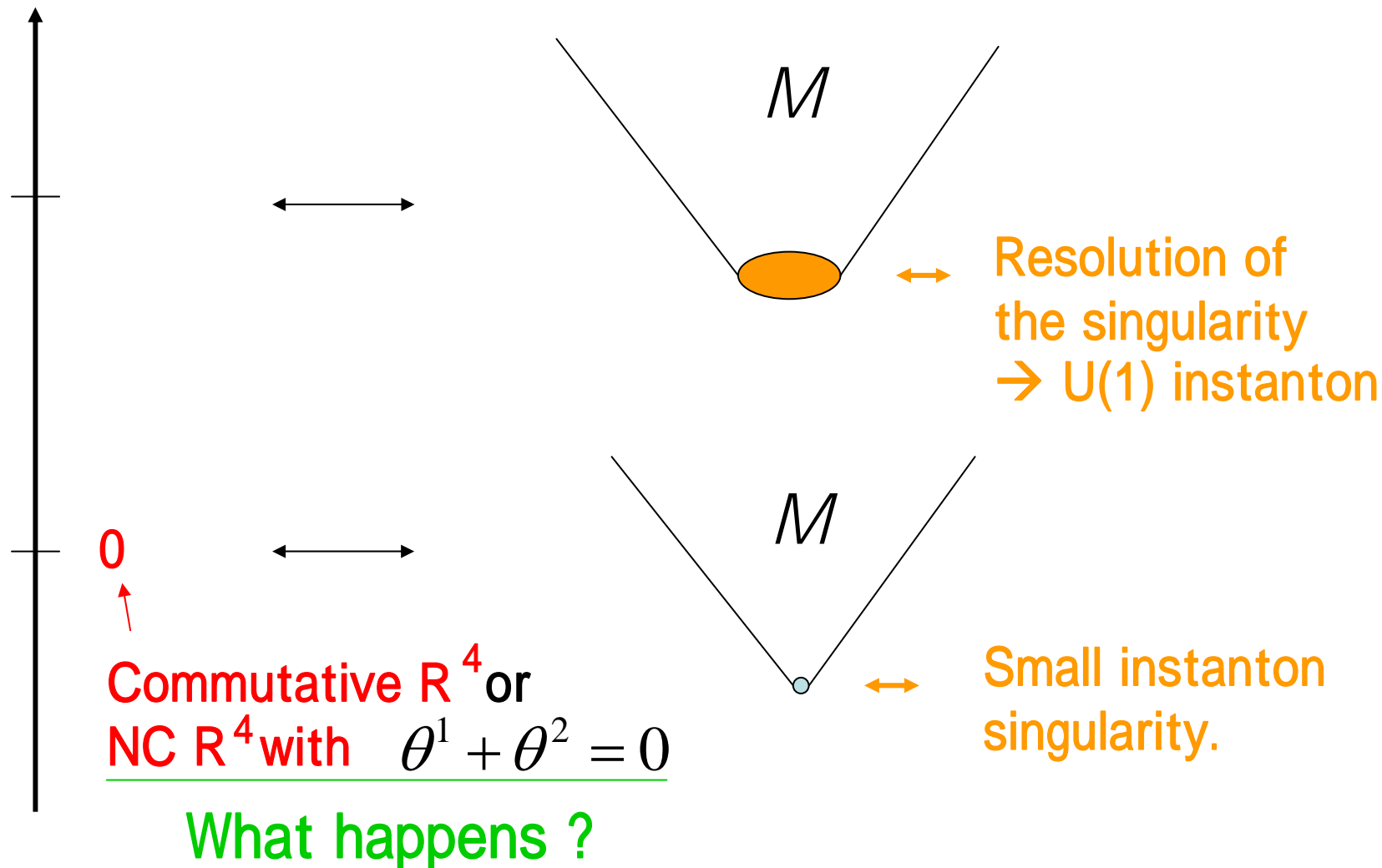


Resolution of the singularity

Comments on instanton moduli M_ζ

H. Nakajima

$$\zeta \propto \theta^1 + \theta^2$$



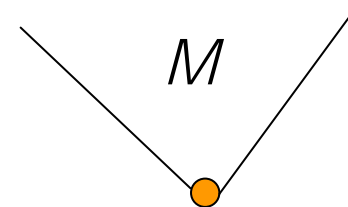
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MH,
PRD65(02)085022
[hep-th/0109070]

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Small instanton singularity

$$B_{1,2} = \alpha_{1,2}, I = 0, J = 0$$



position



size \rightarrow singular?

$$D_{z_i} = U_1^* \hat{\partial}_{z_i} U_1 - \frac{\bar{\alpha}_i}{2\theta^i} |0\rangle\langle 0|, \quad F_{12} = -F_{34} = \frac{i}{\theta} |0\rangle\langle 0| \leftrightarrow \frac{2i}{\theta} \exp\left\{-\frac{r^2}{\theta}\right\}$$

ASD eq. ($G=U(1), C_2=-1$)

Solution Generating Technique!

Regular!

Inconsistent?

$$F_{z_1 \bar{z}_1} + F_{z_2 \bar{z}_2} = 0$$

$$F_{z_1 z_2} = 0$$

$$U_1 U_1^* = 1,$$

$$U_1^* U_1 = 1 - |0\rangle\langle 0|$$

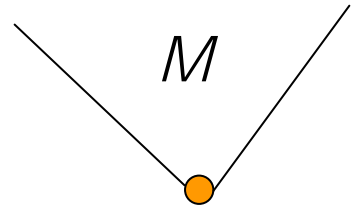
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↕ position ↕ size → singular?

Small instanton singularity
consistent

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<NC side>

Regular!

<Com. side>

SW map

$$J_{D0}(x) = \frac{2}{\theta^2} + \delta^{(2)}(z_1 - \alpha_1) \delta^{(2)}(z_2 - \alpha_2)$$

$F_{\mu\nu} \parallel \tilde{F}^{\mu\nu}$ **D4 (=infinite D0s)** **a D0 (singular)**



4. Applications to D-brane Dynamics

- Solution Generating Technique (SGT)

based on an auto-Backlund transformation:

$$D_{z_i} \rightarrow U_k^* D_{z_i} U_k - \sum_{m=1}^k \frac{\overline{\alpha}_i^{(m)}}{2\theta^i} |p_m\rangle\langle p_m| \quad : \text{Almost gauge transformation}$$

$$U_k U_k^* = 1, \quad \langle p_m | p_n \rangle = \delta_{mn},$$

$$U_k^* U_k = 1 - P_k = 1 - \sum_{m=1}^k |p_m\rangle\langle p_m|$$

Almost unitary operator [Harvey-Kraus-Larsen]

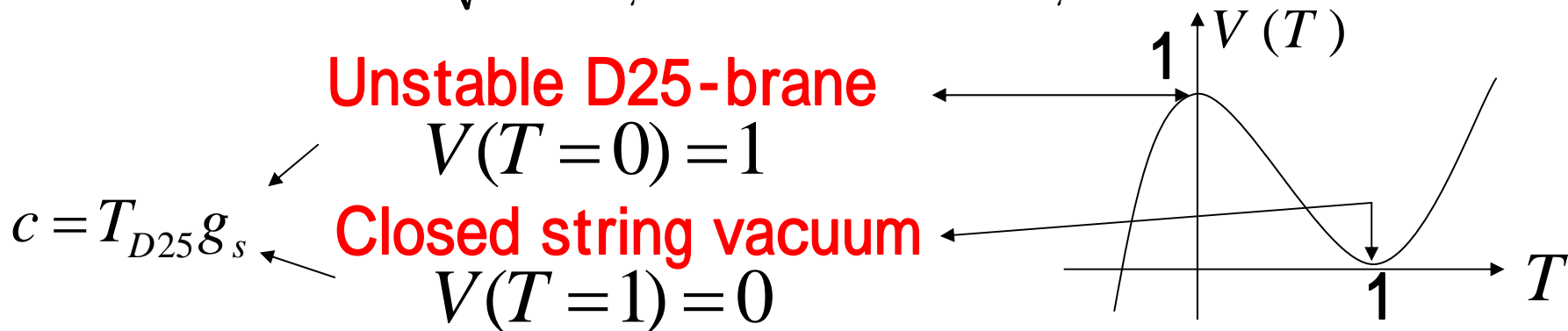
which leaves EOM as it is: $\frac{\delta L}{\delta \phi} \rightarrow U_k^* \frac{\delta L}{\delta \phi} U_k$

$$\begin{aligned} e.g. \quad [D^\nu, [D_\nu, D_\mu]] &\rightarrow [U_k^* D^\nu U_k, [U_k^* D_\nu U_k, U_k^* D_\mu U_k]] \quad (U_k | p_m \rangle = 0) \\ &= [U_k^* D^\nu, [D_\nu, D_\mu U_k]] = U_k^* [D^\nu, [D_\nu, D_\mu]] U_k \end{aligned}$$

- SGT is independent of the details of actions
 - SGT generates non-trivial soliton solutions from trivial solutions.
 - (Ex.) Confirmation of Sen's conjecture on decay of D-branes via tachyon condensation
- Effective action of D25-brane in SFT:

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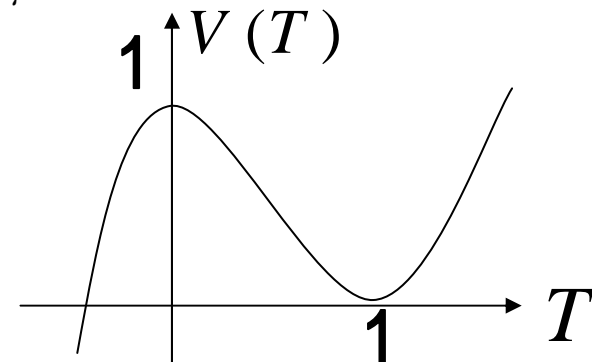
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Sen's conjecture:

The EOM has lower-dim.

D-brane solutions.

Solve it! \rightarrow impossible???



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$$L = \text{(complicated but gauge invariant !)}$$

$$T=1, D_z = \hat{\partial}_z, A_i = 0 \quad : \text{closed string vacuum}$$

↓ SGT

$$T=1-P_k, D_z = U_k^* \hat{\partial}_z U_k, A_i = 0 \xrightarrow[\text{fluctuation}]{\text{tension}} \text{k D23-branes !!! (exact result !)}$$

5. NC Extension of Soliton Theories

Soliton equations in diverse dimensions

4	Anti-Self-Dual Yang-Mills eq. (instantons) $F_{\mu\nu} = -\tilde{F}_{\mu\nu}$	NC extension (Successful)
3	Bogomol'nyi eq. (monopoles)	NC extension (Successful)
2 (+1)	KP eq. BCS eq. DS eq. ...	NC extension (This section)
1 (+1)	KdV eq. Boussinesq eq. NLS eq. Burgers eq. sine-Gordon eq. Sawada-Kotera eq	NC extension (This section)

↑
Dim. of space

Ward's observation:

Almost all integrable equations are reductions of the ASDYM eqs.

R.Ward, Phil.Trans.Roy.Soc.Lond.A315(85)451

ASDYM eq.

↓ Reductions

KP eq. BCS eq.
KdV eq. Boussinesq eq.
NLS eq. mKdV eq.
sine-Gordon eq. Burgers eq. ...

(Almost all !)

e.g. [Mason&Woodhouse]

NC Ward's observation: Almost all
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MH&K.Toda, PLA316(03)77[hep-th/0211148]

NC ASDYM eq.

Successful

↓ Reductions

NC KP eq. **NC** BCS eq.

NC KdV eq. **NC** Boussinesq eq.

NC NLS eq. **NC** mKdV eq.

NC sine-Gordon eq. **NC** Burgers eq. ...

(Almost all !?)

Successful?

A general framework is needed

6. NC Sato's Theories

- Sato's Theory : one of the most beautiful theory of solitons
 - Based on the existence of hierarchies and tau-functions
- Sato's theory reveals essential aspects of solitons:
 - Construction of exact solutions
 - Structure of solution spaces
 - Infinite conserved quantities
 - Hidden infinite-dim. Symmetry

Let's discuss NC extension of Sato's theory

Derivation of soliton equations

- Prepare a Lax operator which is a pseudo-differential operator

$$L := \partial_x + u_2 \partial_x^{-1} + u_3 \partial_x^{-2} + u_4 \partial_x^{-3} + \dots$$

$$u_k = u_k(x^1, x^2, x^3, \dots)$$

- Introduce a differential operator

$$B_m := (L * \dots * L)_{\geq 0}$$

m times

Noncommutativity
is introduced here:

$$[x^i, x^j] = i\theta^{ij}$$

(Arbitrarily)

- Define NC (KP) hierarchy equation:

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial x^m} = [B_m, L]_*$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \partial_m u_2 \partial_x^{-1} + \\ \partial_m u_3 \partial_x^{-2} + \\ \partial_m u_4 \partial_x^{-3} + \dots \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} F_{m2}(u) \partial_x^{-1} + \\ F_{m3}(u) \partial_x^{-2} + \\ F_{m4}(u) \partial_x^{-3} + \dots \end{array}$$



Each coefficient yields
a differential equation.

Negative powers of differential operators

$$\partial_x^n \circ f := \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \binom{n}{j} (\partial_x^j f) \partial_x^{n-j}$$

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$$\frac{n(n-1)(n-2)\cdots(n-(j-1))}{j(j-1)(j-2)\cdots 1}$$

: binomial coefficient
which can be extended
to negative n
→ negative power of
differential operator
(well-defined !)

Ex.) $\partial_x^3 \circ f = f\partial_x^3 + 3f\partial_x^2 + 3f''\partial_x + f'''$

$$\partial_x^2 \circ f = f\partial_x^2 + 2f\partial_x + f''$$

$$\partial_x^{-1} \circ f = f\partial_x^{-1} - f\partial_x^{-2} + f''\partial_x^{-3} - \dots$$

$$\partial_x^{-2} \circ f = f\partial_x^{-2} - 2f\partial_x^{-3} + 3f''\partial_x^{-4} - \dots$$

Closer look at NC (KP) hierarchy

For $m=2$

$$\partial_x^{-1}) \quad \partial_2 u_2 = \underline{2u_3'} + u_2''$$

$$\partial_x^{-2}) \quad \partial_2 u_3 = \underline{2u_4'} + u_3'' + 2u_2 * u_2' + 2[u_2, u_3]_*$$

$$\partial_x^{-3}) \quad \partial_2 u_4 = \underline{2u_5'} + u_4'' + 4u_3 * u_2' - 2u_2 * u_2'' + 2[u_2, u_4]_*$$

⋮

Infinite kind of fields are represented
in terms of one kind of field $u_2 \equiv u$

MH&K.Toda, [hep-th/0309265]

$$u_x := \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}$$

$$\partial_x^{-1} := \int^x dx'$$

For $m=3$

$$\partial_x^{-1}) \quad \partial_3 u_2 = u_2''' + 3u_3'' + 3u_4'' + 3u_2' * u_2 + 3u_2 * u_2'$$

⋮



$$u_t = \frac{1}{4} u_{xxx} + \frac{3}{4} (u_x * u + u * u_x) + \frac{3}{4} \partial_x^{-1} u_{yy} + \frac{3}{4} [u, \partial_x^{-1} u_{yy}]_*$$

(2+1)-dim.
NC KP equation

and other NC equations
(NC hierarchy equations)

$$u = u(x^1, x^2, x^3, \dots)$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \updownarrow & \updownarrow & \updownarrow \\ x & y & t \end{array}$$

etc.

(KP hierarchy) ^{reductions} \rightarrow (various hierarchies.)

- (Ex.) KdV hierarchy

Reduction condition

$$L^2 = B_2 (=:\partial_x^2 + u) \quad : \text{2-reduction}$$

gives rise to NC KdV hierarchy


which includes (1+1)-dim. NC KdV eq.:

$$u_t = \frac{1}{4}u_{xxx} + \frac{3}{4}(u_x * u + u * u_x)$$

Note $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x_{2N}} = 0$: dimensional reduction in x_{2N} directions

KP :	$u(x^1, x^2, x^3, x^4, x^5, \dots)$	
	$x \quad y \quad t$: (2+1)-dim.
\downarrow		\downarrow
KdV :	$u(x^1, x^3, x^5, \dots)$	
	$x \quad t$: (1+1)-dim.

-reduction of NC KP hierarchy yields
wide class of other NC hierarchies

- No-reduction \rightarrow NC KP $(x, y, t) = (x^1, x^2, x^3)$
 - 2-reduction \rightarrow NC KdV $(x, t) = (x^1, x^3)$
 - 3-reduction \rightarrow NC Boussinesq $(x, t) = (x^1, x^2)$
 - 4-reduction \rightarrow NC Coupled KdV ...
 - 5-reduction \rightarrow ...
 - 3-reduction of BKP \rightarrow NC Sawada-Kotera
 - 2-reduction of mKP \rightarrow NC mKdV
 - Special 1-reduction of mKP \rightarrow NC Burgers
 - ...
- Noncommutativity should be introduced into space-time coords
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7. Conservation Laws

- Conservation laws: $\partial_t \sigma = \partial_i J^i$ σ : Conserved density
time \nearrow $\partial_t \sigma$ \nwarrow $\partial_i J^i$ space

Then $Q := \int_{space} dx \sigma$ is a conserved quantity.

$$\because \partial_t Q = \int_{space} dx \partial_t \sigma = \int_{spatial} dS_i J^i = 0$$

infinity

Conservation laws for the hierarchies

Following G.Wilson's approach, we have:

$$\partial_m res_{-1} L^n = \partial_x J + \underbrace{[A, B]_*}_{\text{troublesome}} = \partial_x J + \underbrace{\theta^{ij} \partial_j \Xi_i}$$

troublesome

I have found the explicit form !

∂_j should be space or time derivative



Noncommutativity should be introduced in space-time directions only.

$res_{-r} L^n$:
coefficient
of ∂_x^{-r} in L^n

Hot (old?) Results

Infinite conserved densities for NC hierarchy eqs. ($n=1,2,\dots$)

$$\sigma = \text{res}_{-1} L^n + \theta^{im} \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \sum_{l=0}^k (-1)^{k-l} \binom{k}{l} (\text{res}_{-(l+1)} L^n) \diamond (\partial_i \partial_x^{k-l} \text{res}_k L^m)$$

$t \equiv x^m$ $\text{res}_r L^n$: coefficient of ∂_x^r in L^n

\diamond : Strachan's product (commutative and non-associative)

$$f(x) \diamond g(x) := f(x) \left(\sum_{s=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^s}{(2s+1)!} \left(\frac{1}{2} \theta^{ij} \vec{\partial}_i \vec{\partial}_j \right)^{2s} \right) g(x)$$

MH, [hep-th/0311206]

We can calculate the explicit forms of conserved densities for the wide class of NC soliton equations.

- Space-Space noncommutativity:

NC deformation is slight: $\sigma = \text{res}_{-1} L^n$

- Space-time noncommutativity

NC deformation is drastical:

– Example: NC KP and KdV equations $([t, x] = i\theta)$

$$\sigma = \text{res}_{-1} L^n - 3\theta((\text{res}_{-1} L^n) \diamond u'_3 + (\text{res}_{-2} L^n) \diamond u'_2)$$

meaningful ?

8. Exact Solutions and Ward's conjecture

- We have found **exact N-soliton solutions** for the wide class of NC hierarchies.
- 1-soliton solutions are all the same as commutative ones because of

$$f(x-vt) * g(x-vt) = f(x-vt)g(x-vt)$$

- Multi-soliton solutions behave in almost the same way as commutative ones **except for phase shifts.**
- Noncommutativity might affect **the phase shifts**

cf. MH, proc NCGP 2004 [hep-th/0501001] (to appear?)

NC Burgers hierarchy

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- NC (1+1)-dim. Burgers equation:

$$\dot{u} = u'' + 2u * u' : \text{Non-linear \&}$$

Infinite order diff. eq. w.r.t. time ! (Integrable?)

NC Cole-Hopf transformation

$$u = \tau^{-1} * \tau' \quad (\xrightarrow{\theta \rightarrow 0} \partial_x \log \tau)$$

(NC) Diffusion equation:

$$\dot{\tau} = \tau'' : \text{Linear \& first order diff. eq. w.r.t. time}$$

(Integrable !)

A solution :

$$\tau = 1 + \sum_{l=1}^N e^{k_l^2 t} * e^{\pm k_l x} = 1 + \sum_{l=1}^N \underline{e^{\frac{i}{2} k_l^3 \theta}} e^{k_l^2 t \pm k_l x}$$

Deformed!

NC Ward's observation (NC NLS eq.)

- Reduced ASDYM eq.: $x^\mu \rightarrow (t, x)$

Legare,
[hep-th/0012077]

(i) $B' = 0$

(ii) $C' - \dot{A} + [A, C]_* = 0$

(iii) $A' - \dot{B} + [C, B]_* = 0$

A, B, C: 2 times 2
matrices (gauge fields)



Further
Reduction:

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & q \\ -\bar{q} & 0 \end{pmatrix}, B = \frac{i}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}, C = -i \begin{pmatrix} q * \bar{q} & q' \\ q' & -\bar{q} * q \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(ii) \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 & i\dot{q} - q'' - 2q * \bar{q} * q \\ i\dot{\bar{q}} + \bar{q}'' + 2\bar{q} * q * \bar{q} & 0 \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

NOT traceless

$$i\dot{q} = q'' + 2q * \bar{q} * q \quad : \text{NC NLS eq.}$$

Note: $A, B, C \in gl(2, C) \xrightarrow{\theta \rightarrow 0} sl(2, C)$

**U(1) part is
important**

NC Ward's observation (NC Burgers eq.)

- Reduced ASDYM eq.: $x^\mu \rightarrow (t, x)$

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[hep-th/0301213]

$$G=U(1)$$

$$(i) \quad \dot{A} + \underline{[B, A]}_* = 0$$

$$(ii) \quad \dot{C} - B' + \underline{[B, C]}_* = 0$$

A, B, C: 1 times 1
matrices (gauge fields)



Further

Reduction: $A = 0, B = u' - u^2, C = u$

should remain

$$(ii) \Rightarrow \dot{u} = u'' + 2u' * u \quad : \text{NC Burgers eq.}$$

Note: Without the commutators $[,]$, (ii) yields:

$$\dot{u} = u'' + \underline{u' * u + u * u'} \quad : \text{neither linearizable nor Lax form}$$

symmetric

9. Conclusion and Discussion

- In this talk, we discussed
 - NC instantons where we saw that resolution of singularities yields new physical objects
 - NC soliton theories motivated by Ward's conjecture where we proved existence of infinite conserved quantities and exact multi-soliton solutions which would suggest hidden infinite-dim. symmetry.
 - New study area of integrable systems and geometry

Further directions

- Completion of NC Sato's theory
 - Theory of tau-functions → hidden symmetry
(deformed affine Lie algebras?)
Cf. Dimakis&Mueller-Hoissen, Wadati group, ...
 - Geometrical descriptions from NC extension of the theories of Krichever, Mulase and Segal-Wilson and so on.
- Confirmation of NC Ward's conjecture
 - NC twistor theory
e.g. Kapustin&Kuznetsov&Orlov, Hannabuss, Hannover group,...
 - D-brane interpretations → physical meanings
- Foundation of Hamiltonian formalism with space-time noncommutativity
 - Initial value problems, Liouville's theorem, Noether's thm,...