

# ON NON-COMMUTATIVE MODULES WITH DIFFERENTIALS

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## Abstract

The aim of the paper is to point out some aspects of modules with differentials in the non-commutative case. The categories of algebras, of anchored modules, preinfinitesimal modules and pseudoalgebras are defined.

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## 1 Anchored and preinfinitesimal modules over non-associative algebras

Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be an algebra, non necessarily associative, over a commutative ring  $\mathbf{k}$  and  $\mathcal{M}$  a left  $\mathcal{A}$ -module. We suppose that the center  $\mathcal{Z}(\mathcal{A}) = \{a \in \mathcal{A} : ab = ba, (\forall)b \in \mathcal{A}\}$  is a subalgebra of  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $\mathcal{A}$  is a bimodule over  $\mathcal{Z}(\mathcal{A})$  (these conditions follows automatically if  $\mathcal{A}$  is associative). Denote by  $\mathcal{D}er(\mathcal{A}) = \{D : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A} : D \text{ is } \mathbf{k}\text{-linear and } D(a \cdot b) = D(a) \cdot b + a \cdot D(b), (\forall)a, b \in \mathcal{A}\}$  the  $\mathcal{Z}(\mathcal{A})$ -module of derivations.

A *covariant left morphism (covl-morphism)* of two modules  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$  and  $(\mathcal{A}', \mathcal{M}')$  is a couple  $(\varphi, \psi)$  denoted by  $(\varphi, \psi) : (\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M}) \rightarrow (\mathcal{A}', \mathcal{M}')$  or  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M}) \xrightarrow{(\varphi, \psi)} (\mathcal{A}', \mathcal{M}')$ , where  $\varphi : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}'$  is an algebra morphism and  $\psi : \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{M}'$  is a left  $\mathcal{A}$ -module morphism.

A *contravariant left morphism of first kind (conl<sub>I</sub>-morphism)* of two modules  $(\mathcal{A}', \mathcal{M}')$  and  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$  is a couple  $(\varphi, \psi)$  denoted by  $(\varphi, \psi) : (\mathcal{A}', \mathcal{M}') \leftarrow (\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$  or  $(\mathcal{A}', \mathcal{M}') \xleftarrow{(\varphi, \psi)}_I (\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$ , where  $\varphi : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}'$  is an algebra morphism and  $\psi : \mathcal{M}' \rightarrow \mathcal{M}$  is a left  $\mathcal{A}$ -module morphism.

A *contravariant left morphism of second kind (conl<sub>II</sub>-morphism)* of two modules  $(\mathcal{A}', \mathcal{M}')$  and  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$  is a couple  $(\varphi, \psi)$  denoted by  $(\varphi, \psi) : (\mathcal{A}', \mathcal{M}') \longleftarrow (\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$  or  $(\mathcal{A}', \mathcal{M}') \xleftarrow{(\varphi, \psi)}_{II} (\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$ , where  $\varphi : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}'$  is an algebra morphism and  $\psi : \mathcal{M}' \rightarrow \mathcal{A}' \otimes_{\mathcal{Z}(\mathcal{A})} \mathcal{M}$  is a left  $\mathcal{A}'$ -module morphism.

**Example 1** Let  $(\mathcal{A}', \mathcal{M}')$  be a left module and  $\varphi : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}'$  be an algebra morphism. Considering  $\mathcal{M}'$  as an  $\mathcal{A}$ -module, then  $(\varphi, id_{\mathcal{M}}) : (\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M}') \rightarrow (\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$  is a covl-morphism.

Let  $\xi = (E, \pi, M)$  and  $\xi' = (E', \pi', M')$  be vector bundles and denote by  $E_x = \pi^{-1}(x)$  the fibre in  $x \in M$ . We denote by  $(f_0, f) : \xi \rightarrow \xi'$  a morphism and by  $(f_0, g) : \xi \leftarrow \xi'$  a comorphism of vector bundles, where  $f_0 : M \rightarrow M'$ ,  $f : E \rightarrow E'$  and  $g : E' \rightarrow E$  are differentiable maps and for every  $x \in M$ ,  $f_x = f|_{E_x} : E_x \rightarrow E'_{f_0(x)}$  and  $g_x = g|_{E'_{f_0(x)}} : E'_{f_0(x)} \rightarrow E_x$  are linear maps. It is well known that  $f_0^* : \mathcal{F}(M') \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(M)$ ,  $f_0^*(u) = u \circ f_0$ , is a commutative algebra morphism and concerning sections:  $f^* : \Gamma(\xi) \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(M) \otimes_{\mathcal{F}(M')} \Gamma(\xi')$  is an  $\mathcal{F}(M)$ -module morphism and  $g_* : \Gamma(\xi') \rightarrow \Gamma(\xi)$  is an  $\mathcal{F}(M')$ -module morphism.

**Example 2** If  $\xi = (E, \pi, M)$  and  $\xi' = (E', \pi', M')$  are vector bundles and  $(f_0, g) : \xi \leftarrow \xi'$  is a comorphism of vector bundles, then  $(f_0^*, g_*) : (\mathcal{F}(M), \Gamma(\xi)) \leftarrow_I (\mathcal{F}(M'), \Gamma(\xi'))$  is a con<sub>I</sub>-morphism of modules.

**Example 3** If  $\xi = (E, \pi, M)$  and  $\xi' = (E', \pi', M')$  are vector bundles and  $(f_0, f) : \xi \rightarrow \xi'$  is a morphism of vector bundles, then  $(f_0^*, f_*) : (\mathcal{F}(M), \Gamma(\xi)) \leftarrow_{II} (\mathcal{F}(M'), \Gamma(\xi'))$  is a con<sub>II</sub>-morphism of modules.

A *left anchor (l-anchor)* on  $\mathcal{M}$  is a left  $\mathcal{Z}(\mathcal{A})$ -morphism  $\mathfrak{a} : \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}er(\mathcal{A})$ . For  $X \in \mathcal{M}$  and  $a \in \mathcal{A}$  we denote  $\mathfrak{a}(X)(a) = [X, a]_{\mathcal{M}}$ . Notice that  $(i, \mathfrak{a}) : (\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M}) \leftarrow_I (\mathcal{Z}(\mathcal{A}), \mathcal{D}er(\mathcal{A}))$ , where  $i : \mathcal{Z}(\mathcal{A}) \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$  is the inclusion, is a con<sub>I</sub>-morphism of modules. A left module  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$  together with an l-anchor is an *l-anchored module*.

A *covariant morphism (covl-morphism)* of two l-anchored modules  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$  and  $(\mathcal{A}', \mathcal{M}')$  is a covl-morphism  $(\varphi, \psi)$  of modules, where  $\varphi : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}'$  and  $\psi : \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{M}'$  such that  $[\psi(X), \varphi(a)]_{\mathcal{M}'} = \varphi([X, a]_{\mathcal{M}})$ ,  $(\forall) X \in \mathcal{M}$  and  $a \in \mathcal{A}$ .

A *contravariant morphism of first kind (conl<sub>I</sub>-morphism)* of two anchored left modules  $(\mathcal{A}', \mathcal{M}')$  and  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$  is a covl<sub>I</sub>-morphism  $(\varphi, \psi)$  of modules, where  $\varphi : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}'$  and  $\psi : \mathcal{M}' \rightarrow \mathcal{M}$  fulfills the condition  $[\psi(X'), a]_{\mathcal{M}} = [X', \varphi(a)]_{\mathcal{M}'}$ ,  $(\forall) X' \in \mathcal{M}'$  and  $a \in \mathcal{A}$ .

A *contravariant morphism of second kind (conl<sub>II</sub>-morphism)* of two anchored left modules  $(\mathcal{A}', \mathcal{M}')$  and  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$  is a covl<sub>II</sub>-morphism  $(\varphi, \psi)$  of modules, where  $\varphi : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}'$  and  $\psi : \mathcal{M}' \rightarrow \mathcal{A}' \otimes_{\mathcal{Z}(\mathcal{A})} \mathcal{M}$  fulfills the condition  $[X', \varphi(a)]_{\mathcal{M}'} = \sum_i a'_i \varphi([X_i, a]_{\mathcal{M}})$ ,  $(\forall) X' \in \mathcal{M}'$  and  $a \in \mathcal{A}$ , where  $\psi(X') = \sum_i a'_i \otimes X_i$ .

**Example 4** Let us suppose that the algebra  $\mathcal{A}$  has the property

$$(ab)c + b(ac) + (bc)a = a(bc) + (ba)c + b(ca), \quad (AD)$$

( $\forall$ )  $a, b, c \in \mathcal{A}$ . We say that an algebra  $\mathcal{A}$  which fulfills the condition (AD) is an *algebra with interior derivations*. Then algebra  $\mathcal{A}$  itself is a covl-anchored module according to the anchor  $ad : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{I}nt(\mathcal{A}) \subset \mathcal{D}er(\mathcal{A})$ ,  $u \rightarrow ad(u) = ad_u$ , where  $ad_u : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$  is the interior derivation  $ad_u(v) = u \cdot v - v \cdot u$ . An algebra morphism  $\varphi : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}'$  of two algebras with interior derivations induces a covl-morphism  $(\varphi, \varphi)$  of underlying anchored modules since  $[\varphi(a), \varphi(b)]_{\mathcal{A}'} = \varphi(a) \cdot \varphi(b) - \varphi(b) \cdot \varphi(a) = \varphi(a \cdot b - b \cdot a) = \varphi([a, b]_{\mathcal{A}})$ .

Notice that associative algebras, commutative algebras and Lie algebras over  $\mathbf{k}$  are algebras with interior derivations.

**Example 5** Let  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$  be an anchored module which has the anchor  $\mathfrak{a} : \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}er(\mathcal{A})$  and consider the anchored module  $(\mathcal{Z}(\mathcal{A}), \mathcal{D}er(\mathcal{Z}(\mathcal{A})))$ , the inclusion  $i : \mathcal{Z}(\mathcal{A}) \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$  and the restriction  $i' : \mathcal{D}er(\mathcal{A}) \rightarrow \mathcal{D}er(\mathcal{Z}(\mathcal{A}))$ . Using the definition of the anchor, for every  $X \in \mathcal{D}er(\mathcal{A})$  and  $a \in \mathcal{Z}(\mathcal{A})$ , we have  $[X, i(a)]_{\mathcal{M}} = [\mathfrak{a}(X), a] = [i' \circ \mathfrak{a}(X), a]$ , thus  $(i' \circ \mathfrak{a}, i) : (\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M}) \leftarrow_I (\mathcal{Z}(\mathcal{A}), \mathcal{D}er(\mathcal{Z}(\mathcal{A})))$  is a  $\text{conl}_I$ -anchored morphism.

**Example 6** If  $f : M \rightarrow M'$  is a differentiable map and  $\tau M$  and  $\tau M'$  are the tangent bundles, then  $(f, \tau f) : (M, \tau M) \rightarrow (M', \tau M')$  induces the  $\text{conl}_{II}$ -anchored morphism  $(f^*, \tau f_*) : \mathcal{X}(M) \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(M) \otimes_{\mathcal{F}'(M)} \mathcal{X}(M')$ . This example can be extended for morphisms of relative tangent spaces.

If  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$  is an anchored module, then a *bracket* on  $\mathcal{M}$  is a skew symmetric  $\mathbf{k}$ -bilinear map  $[\cdot, \cdot]_{\mathcal{M}} : \mathcal{M} \times \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{M}$  which enjoys the property:

$$[X, u \cdot Y]_{\mathcal{M}} = [X, u]_{\mathcal{M}} \cdot Y + u \cdot [X, Y]_{\mathcal{M}},$$

( $\forall$ )  $X, Y \in \mathcal{M}$ ,  $u \in \mathcal{A}$ .

A *preinfinitesimal left module (pl-module)*  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$  is a left module together with an anchor and a bracket on  $\mathcal{M}$ . In analogous way a *preinfinitesimal right module (pr-module)* and a *preinfinitesimal bi-module (pb-module)* can be defined.

If  $(\mathcal{A}', \mathcal{M}')$  and  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$  are pl-modules then:

A *covariant morphism of preinfinitesimal left module (cov-morphism of pl-module)* is a covl-morphism  $(\varphi, \psi)$  of anchored modules, where  $\varphi : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}'$  and  $\psi : \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{M}'$ , such that for every  $X, Y \in \mathcal{M}$  then  $\psi([X, Y]_{\mathcal{M}}) = [\psi(X), \psi(Y)]_{\mathcal{M}'}$ .

A *contravariant morphism of first type of preinfinitesimal left module (con<sub>I</sub>-morphism of pl-module)* is a  $\text{conl}_I$ -morphism  $(\varphi, \psi)$  of l-anchored modules, where  $\varphi : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}'$  and  $\psi : \mathcal{M}' \rightarrow \mathcal{M}$  such that  $[\psi(X'), \psi(Y')]_{\mathcal{M}} = \psi([X', Y']_{\mathcal{M}'})$ , ( $\forall$ )  $X', Y' \in \mathcal{M}'$ .

A *contravariant morphism of second type of preinfinitesimal left module* (*con<sub>II</sub>-morphism of pl-module*) is a con<sub>II</sub>-morphism  $(\varphi, \psi)$  of l-anchored modules, where  $\varphi : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}'$  and  $\psi : \mathcal{M}' \rightarrow \mathcal{A}' \otimes_{\mathcal{Z}(\mathcal{A})} \mathcal{M}$  fulfill the condition that for every  $X', Y' \in \mathcal{M}'$  which allow the  $\psi$ -decompositions  $\psi(X') = \sum_i a'_i \otimes X_i$  and  $\psi(Y') = \sum_\alpha b'_\alpha \otimes Y_\alpha$ , then one has  $\psi([X', Y']_{\mathcal{M}'}) = \sum_\alpha [X', b'_\alpha] \otimes Y_\alpha - \sum_i [Y', a'_i] \otimes X_i + \sum_{i, \alpha} a'_i b'_\alpha \otimes [X_i, Y_\alpha]$ .

Let  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$  be a pl-module,  $i : \mathcal{Z}(\mathcal{A}) \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$  be the inclusion and  $\mathfrak{a}$  be its anchor. The couple  $(\mathcal{Z}(\mathcal{A}), \mathcal{D}er(\mathcal{A}))$  is a pl-module. If  $(i, \mathfrak{a}) : (\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M}) \leftarrow_I (\mathcal{Z}(\mathcal{A}), \mathcal{D}er(\mathcal{A}))$  is a con<sub>I</sub>-morphism of pl-module, then we say that  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{L})$  is a *pseudoalgebra*. A pseudoalgebra  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{L})$  is a *Lie pseudoalgebra* if the bracket on  $\mathcal{L}$  fulfills the Jacobi identity

$$\mathcal{J}_{\mathcal{L}}(X, Y, Z) \stackrel{not.}{=} [[X, Y]_{\mathcal{L}}, Z]_{\mathcal{L}} + [[Y, Z]_{\mathcal{L}}, X]_{\mathcal{L}} + [[Z, X]_{\mathcal{L}}, Y]_{\mathcal{L}} \equiv 0.$$

Let  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$  be a pl-module. Then

$$\mathcal{D} : \mathcal{M} \times \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}er(\mathcal{M}), \quad \mathcal{D}(X, Y) = [D(X), D(Y)] - D([X, Y]_{\mathcal{M}})$$

is an anchor for  $\mathcal{M} \wedge \mathcal{M}$ , i.e.  $(\mathcal{M} \wedge \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{D})$  is an l-anchored module.

Let  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$  be a pl-module with an l-anchor  $D : \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}er(\mathcal{A})$  and

$$\mathcal{D} : \mathcal{M} \times \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}er(\mathcal{M}),$$

$$\mathcal{D}(X, Y) = [D(X), D(Y)]_{\mathcal{D}er(\mathcal{A})} - D([X, Y]_{\mathcal{M}}).$$

Then  $\mathcal{D}$  is an l-anchor for  $\mathcal{M} \wedge \mathcal{M}$ , i.e.  $(\mathcal{M} \wedge \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{D})$  is an l-anchored module, where the exterior product is taken over  $\mathcal{A}$ .

A *linear connection* on the preinfinitesimal module  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$  is a map  $\nabla : \mathcal{M} \times \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{M}$  which satisfies the Koszul conditions:

$$\nabla_{aX} Y = a \nabla_X Y, \quad \nabla_{X+Y} Z = \nabla_X Z + \nabla_Y Z,$$

$$\nabla_X(aY) = [X, a]_{\mathcal{M}} \cdot Y + a \cdot \nabla_X Y, \quad \nabla_X(Y + Z) = \nabla_X Y + \nabla_X Z,$$

$(\forall) a \in \mathcal{A}, X, Y \in \mathcal{M}$ .

The *torsion* of a linear connection  $\nabla$  is the  $\mathcal{A}$ -bilinear map  $T : \mathcal{M} \times \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{M}$  defined by  $T(X, Y) = \nabla_X Y - \nabla_Y X - [X, Y]$ . The *curvature* of  $\nabla$  is  $R(X, Y)Z = \nabla_X \nabla_Y Z - \nabla_Y \nabla_X Z - \nabla_{[X, Y]} Z$ .

Notice that the curvature of a linear connection is a linear connection on the anchored module  $(\mathcal{M} \wedge \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{D})$  defined above. Using a linear connection  $\nabla$  on the preinfinitesimal module  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$ , the formula

$$[X \wedge Y, U \wedge V]_{\mathcal{M} \wedge \mathcal{M}} = \nabla_{X \wedge Y}(U \wedge V) - \nabla_{U \wedge V}(X \wedge Y)$$

defines a bracket on  $\mathcal{M} \wedge \mathcal{M}$ , thus  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M} \wedge \mathcal{M})$  becomes a preinfinitesimal module; additionally, the formulas

$$[X, Y]_{\mathcal{D}'(\mathcal{M})} = [X, Y]_{\mathcal{M}} + X \wedge Y,$$

$$\begin{aligned} [X \wedge Y, Z]_{\mathcal{D}'(\mathcal{M})} &= \nabla_{X \wedge Y} Z - \nabla_Z (X \wedge Y), \\ [X \wedge Y, Z \wedge T]_{\mathcal{D}'(\mathcal{M})} &= \nabla_{X \wedge Y} (Z \wedge T) - \nabla_{Z \wedge T} (X \wedge Y), \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

define a bracket on  $\mathcal{D}(M) = \mathcal{M} \oplus (\mathcal{M} \wedge \mathcal{M})$ , where the anchor is given by  $\mathcal{D}'(X + (Y \wedge Z)) = D(X) + \mathcal{D}(Y, Z)$ . We call this preinfinitesimal module  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{D}(M))$  as the *derived* preinfinitesimal module of  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$ , given by  $\nabla$ .

The corresponding notions for right modules and bimodules can be defined in an analogous way and the above properties remain true, under suitable changes.

Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be an algebra with interior derivations,  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M})$  be a module and  $\alpha : \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$  be an  $\mathcal{A}$ -linear map. Then  $\mathfrak{a} : \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}er(\mathcal{A})$ ,  $\mathfrak{a}(X) = ad_{\alpha(X)}$  is an anchor on  $\mathcal{M}$ , where  $ad_u : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$  is the commutator  $ad_u(v) = u \cdot v - v \cdot u$ . The bracket  $[X, Y]_{\mathcal{M}} = \alpha(X)Y - \alpha(Y)X + \beta(X, Y)$  defines on  $\mathcal{M}$  a pl-module structure, where  $\beta : \mathcal{M} \times \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{M}$  is an  $\mathcal{A}$ -linear and a skew symmetric map. Since  $\mathcal{D}(X, Y) = -ad_{\alpha(\beta(X, Y))}$ , it follows that a pl-module is a pseudoalgebra iff  $\beta$  takes values in  $\mathcal{Z}(\mathcal{A})$ .

## 2 Lie pseudoalgebra structure

The algebra  $\mathcal{A}$  in this section is associative. Then  $\mathcal{A}$  itself is a covb-anchored module according to the covb-anchor  $ad : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{I}nt(\mathcal{A}) \subset \mathcal{D}er(\mathcal{A})$ ,  $u \rightarrow ad(u) = ad_u$ .

**Proposition 1** *Let us suppose that  $\mathcal{A}$  has a unit 1. Then the only bracket on  $\mathcal{A}$  of the covl-anchor  $ad$  is the commutator  $(a, b) \rightarrow [a, b] = a \cdot b - b \cdot a$ .*

*Proof.* Let us denote by  $[\cdot, \cdot]$  the bracket. We must have  $[a, b \cdot c] = ad_a(b) \cdot c + b \cdot [a, c]$ . Taking in this relation  $a = c = 1$ , we have  $[1, b] = 0$ , then taking  $c = 1$ , it follows  $[a, b] = ad_a(b) + b \cdot [a, 1] = ad_a(b)$ .  $\square$

A Lie covb-pseudoalgebra  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{A})$  is obtained, which we call the *canonical Lie covb-pseudoalgebra* structure on  $\mathcal{A}$ .

**Proposition 2** *The canonical Lie covb-pseudoalgebra on  $\mathcal{A}$  allows a linear connection defined by  $\nabla_a b = a \cdot b$ , which has a null torsion.*

*If the algebra is associative then the connection  $\nabla$  is flat, i.e. it has also a null curvature.*

*Proof.* We have  $\nabla_{abc} = (ab)c = a(bc) = a\nabla_b c$  and  $\nabla_a(bc) = (ab - ba)c + b(ac) = (ad_a b)c + b\nabla_a c$ , thus  $\nabla$  is a linear connection. It is obvious that  $T = 0$  and that the curvature of  $\nabla$  is  $R(a, b)c = a(bc) - b(ac) - (ab - ba)c = 0$ .  $\square$

This example shows some different aspects of the non-commutative case, compared with the commutative one:

Given an anchor, it is possible that a linear connection or a bracket, if there exists, to be unique.

The equality  $[aX, b]_{\mathcal{M}} = a \cdot [X, b]_{\mathcal{M}}$ , for  $a, b \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $X \in \mathcal{M}$  does not always hold.

### 3 Non-associative and associative algebras

Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be an algebra, non necessarily associative, over a commutative ring  $\mathbf{k}$ . Consider two linear subspaces  $V_1, V_2 \subset \mathcal{A}$ , where  $V_1 = \{ \sum_{i=1}^n ((a_i \cdot b_i) \cdot c_i) - a_i \cdot (b_i \cdot c_i) \mid a_i, b_i, c_i \in \mathcal{A} \}$  and  $V_2 = \{ \sum_{i=1}^n ((a_i \cdot b_i) \cdot c_i) - a_i \cdot (b_i \cdot c_i) \cdot d_i \mid a_i, b_i, c_i, d_i \in \mathcal{A} \}$ .

**Proposition 3** *The linear subspace  $\mathcal{J} = V_1 + V_2 \subset \mathcal{A}$  is an ideal of  $\mathcal{A}$ .*

*Proof.* We prove the condition of ideal on additive generators of  $V_1$  and  $V_2$ . For  $a, b, c \in \mathcal{A}$ , denote by  $\varphi(a, b, c) = (a \cdot b) \cdot c - a \cdot (b \cdot c)$ .

Consider  $x_1 = \varphi(a, b, c) \in V_1$ ,  $y_1 = \varphi(a, b, c) \cdot d \in V_2$  and  $e \in \mathcal{A}$ . It is obvious that  $x_1 \cdot e \in V_2$ . We have:

$$\begin{aligned} y_1 \cdot e &= (\varphi(a, b, c) \cdot d) \cdot e = \varphi(\varphi(a, b, c), d, e) + \varphi(a, b, c) \cdot (d \cdot e) \in V_1 + V_2; \\ e \cdot x_1 &= e \cdot ((a \cdot b) \cdot c) - e \cdot (a \cdot (b \cdot c)) = (e \cdot (a \cdot b)) \cdot c - \varphi(e, a \cdot b, c) - (e \cdot a) \cdot (b \cdot c) + \varphi(e, a, b \cdot c) = \\ &= (e \cdot (a \cdot b) - (e \cdot a) \cdot b) \cdot c - \varphi(e, a \cdot b, c) + \varphi(e, a, b \cdot c) - \varphi(e \cdot a, b, c) \in V_1 + V_2; \\ e \cdot y_1 &= e \cdot (\varphi(a, b, c) \cdot d) = (e \cdot \varphi(a, b, c)) \cdot d - \varphi(e, \varphi(a, b, c), d) \in V_1 + V_2, \text{ using the} \\ &\text{previous steps. } \square \end{aligned}$$

The quotient algebra  $\mathcal{A}' = \mathcal{A}/\mathcal{J}$  is an associative algebra, the canonical projection  $\pi : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}'$  is an algebra morphism and  $\mathcal{A}'$  is an  $\mathcal{A}$ -module. Let us suppose that  $\mathcal{J} \subset \mathcal{Z}(\mathcal{A})$ . Then every  $a' = a + \mathcal{J} \in \mathcal{A}'$  defines  $ad_{a'} : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$ ,  $ad_{a'}(b) = [a, b]$  which is an anchor on the module  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{A}')$ . Since  $\mathcal{A}'$  is an associative algebra,  $(\mathcal{A}', \mathcal{A}')$  is an anchored module. If  $\mathcal{A}$  has a unit, then  $\psi : \mathcal{A}' \rightarrow \mathcal{A}' \otimes_{\mathcal{Z}(\mathcal{A})} \mathcal{A}'$ ,  $\psi(a') = 1 \otimes a'$  defines a contravariant morphism  $(\pi, \psi) : (\mathcal{A}', \mathcal{A}') \leftarrow (\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{A}')$  of anchored modules, since if  $a' = \pi(a)$ , then  $[a', \pi(b)] = [\pi(a), \pi(b)] = \pi([a, b]) = \pi(ad_{a'}(b))$ . But  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{A}')$  and  $(\mathcal{A}', \mathcal{A}')$  are also Lie pseudoalgebras and  $(\pi, \psi)$  is a Lie pseudoalgebra morphism.

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