Independance of hyperlogarithms over function fields via algebraic combinatorics.

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1 Introduction

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the method of Weshung consists in a recurrence based on the total degree. However this method cannot be used with variable coefficients. Another proof was given in [Joris and al. 1998] based on monodromy. Here, we give a general theorem on differential algebra and show that, at the cost of using variable domains (which is the realm of germ spaces) and replace the recurrence on total degree by a recursion on the words (with the graded lexicographic ordering), one can encompass the previous results mentionned above and get much larger rings of coefficients

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$$

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d(f) = \sum_{x \in X} \alpha_x u_x \Longrightarrow (\forall x \in X)(\alpha_x = 0) . \tag{3}
$$

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$$
d(\mathcal{C}) \cap span_k((u_x)_{x \in X}) = \{0\} . \tag{4}
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and, then $\langle S|P\rangle$ must be a constant, say $\lambda \in k$. For $Q = P - \lambda.1_{X^*}$, we have

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and $\langle S|Q\rangle = \langle S|P\rangle - \lambda \langle S|1_{X^*}\rangle = \langle S|P\rangle - \lambda = 0$.

This implies that $Q = 0$ and, as $Q = -(f + \lambda)1_{X^*} + \sum_{x \in X} \alpha_x x$, one has, in particular, all the $\alpha_x = 0$.

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Let K be the kernel of $P \mapsto \langle S|P \rangle$ (a linear form $C\langle X \rangle \to C$) i.e.

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\mathcal{K} = \{ P \in \mathcal{C}\langle X \rangle | \langle S | P \rangle = 0 \} . \tag{7}
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If $\mathcal{K} = \{0\}$, we are done. Otherwise, let us adop the following strategy.

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it is easy to check that ≺ is also a well-ordering relation. For each nonzero polynomial P, we note $lead(P)$ its leading monomial i.e. the greatest element of its support $supp(P)$ $(for \prec)$.

Now, as $\mathcal{R} = \mathcal{K} - \{0\}$ is not empty, let w_0 be the minimmal element of $lead(\mathcal{R})$ and choose a $P \in \mathcal{R}$ such that $lead(P) = w_0$. We write

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P = fw_0 + \sum_{u \prec w_0} \langle P | u \rangle u \; ; \; f \in \mathcal{C} - \{0\} \; . \tag{9}
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the polynomial $Q = \frac{1}{f}$ $\frac{1}{f}P$ is also in $\mathcal R$ with the same leading monomial, but the leading coefficient is now 1 and Q reads

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$$

$$
\langle S | M^{\dagger} Q \rangle + \langle S | \mathbf{d}(Q) \rangle = \langle S | M^{\dagger} Q + \mathbf{d}(Q) \rangle
$$
 (11)

with

$$
M^{\dagger}Q + \mathbf{d}(Q) = \sum_{x \in X} u_x(x^{\dagger}Q) + \sum_{u \prec w_0} d(\langle Q|u \rangle)u \in \mathcal{C}\langle X \rangle . \tag{12}
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It is impossible that $M^{\dagger}Q + d(Q) \in \mathcal{R}$ because it would be of leading monomial strictly less than w_0 , hence $M^{\dagger}Q + d(Q) = 0$. This is equivalent to the recursion

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d(\langle Q|u\rangle) = -\sum_{x \in X} u_x \langle Q|xu\rangle \; ; \; \text{for } x \in X \; , \; v \in X^* \tag{13}
$$

From this last relation, we derive that $\langle Q|w \rangle \in k$ for every w of length $deg(Q)$ and, because $\langle S|1 \rangle = 1$, one must have $deg(Q) > 0$. Then, write $w_0 = x_0v$ and compute the coefficient at v

$$
d(\langle Q|v\rangle) = -\sum_{x \in X} u_x \langle Q|xv\rangle = \sum_{x \in X} \alpha_x u_x \tag{14}
$$

with coefficients $\alpha_x = -\langle Q|xv\rangle \in k$ as $|xv| = \deg(Q)$ for all $x \in X$. Condition PI implies that all coefficients $\langle Q|xu\rangle$ are zero, in particular, as $\langle Q|x_0u\rangle = 1$, we get a contradiction. This proves that $\mathcal{K} = \{0\}.$

 \Box

3 Series with variable coefficients.

3.1 Motivations.

In this section, we implement an abstract setting which is intended to apply on function spaces. As a motivation, let us illustrate this by an example.

Let V be a connected and simply connected analytic variety of dimension one (for example, the doubly cut plane $\mathbb{C} - (]-\infty, 0[\cup]1, +\infty[$, or the universal covering of $\mathbb{C} - \{0,1\}$, $\mathcal{H} = C^{\omega}(V; \mathbb{C})$ be the space of all analytic fonctions on V. This space is a differential algebra with the derivative $\frac{d}{dz}$. One extends at once this derivative (then denoted by **d**) to $\mathcal{H}\langle\langle X\rangle\rangle$ by

$$
\mathbf{d}(S) = \sum_{w \in X^*} \frac{d}{dz} (\langle S|w \rangle) w \tag{15}
$$

it is easy to check (proof in the general case below) that d is a derivation of the algebra $\mathcal{H}\langle\langle X\rangle\rangle$. Differential equations of the type

$$
\mathbf{d}(S) = MS \tag{16}
$$

where $M = \sum_{x \in X} u_x(z)x$ were widely considered in the domains of (à faire automatique, Drinfel'd, Weshung, etc...) and provide, through integrators build by iterated integrals, spaces of special functions. An immediate application of theorem $(\hat{a}$ faire ??) below provides the result that, for any solution of (16) (with $\langle S|1 \rangle = 1$), the family of functions $(\langle S|w\rangle)_{w\in X^*}$ is free over the field of rational functions on V.

3.2 General setting

Let M, be a locally finite monoid [?] and $\mathcal{H}\langle\langle\mathcal{M}\rangle\rangle$, be the large algebra [4] of M with coefficients in \mathcal{H}). Let M be a locally finite monoid [?] and V be a set (where the variable z stands) and $\mathcal{H} \subset C^V$, an algebra of fonctions. Every series $S \in \mathcal{H} \langle \langle \mathcal{M} \rangle \rangle$ can be written

$$
S := \sum_{m \in \mathcal{M}} \langle S|m \rangle m \tag{17}
$$

(as the family $(\langle S|m\rangle m)_{m\in\mathcal{M}}$ is summable). Thus, one can consider the series of $\mathcal{H}\langle\langle \mathcal{M}\rangle\rangle$ as functions on V (with values in $\mathbb{C}\langle\langle \mathcal{M} \rangle\rangle$) and specialize them by

$$
S(z_0) := \sum_{m \in \mathcal{M}} \left(\langle S|m \rangle \right) \Big|_{z=z_0} m \ . \tag{18}
$$

Moreover, if d is a derivation in H, its extension to $\mathcal{H}\langle\langle \mathcal{M}\rangle\rangle$ "coefficient by coefficient" given as

$$
\mathbf{d}(S) := \sum_{m \in \mathcal{M}} d(\langle S|m \rangle) m \tag{19}
$$

is a derivation of $\mathcal{H}\langle\langle\mathcal{M}\rangle\rangle$. Let us show, on an example, how the proof of theorem **a** faire ?? below works on an example. The data are

- 1. $X = \{x_0, x_1\}$
- 2. V is a connected and simply connected subset of $\mathbb C$
- 3. $\mathcal{H} = C^{\omega}(V, \mathbb{C})$ which does not contain $\{0, 1\}$, eendowed with the derivation $\frac{d}{dz}$
- 4. $M = \frac{x_0}{z} + \frac{x_1}{1-z_0}$ $1-z$
- 5. **Statement** : If S is any solution of

$$
\mathbf{d}(S) = MS ; \langle S|1 \rangle = 1 \tag{20}
$$

then the functions $(\langle S|w\rangle)_{w\in X^*}$ are linearly independant over the field of rational functions i.e. if

$$
f_i = \frac{p_i}{q_i}, \ i = 1 \cdots N \ ; \ p_i, q_i \in \mathbb{C}[z]
$$
\n
$$
(21)
$$

and $w_i \in X^*$ are such that

$$
\sum_{i=1}^{N} f_i(z) \langle S | w_i \rangle = 0 \tag{22}
$$

on some open (non void) set (which does not contain the opes of the f_i) then

$$
(\forall i \in [1 \cdots N])(f_i \equiv 0) . \tag{23}
$$

6. An example for the recursion Order X by $x_0 < x_1$ and use \prec_{glex} , the graded lexicographic ordering on X^* . For each non-trivial relation (REL) (if there are such)

$$
\sum_{i=1}^{N} f_i(z) \langle S | w_i \rangle = 0 \tag{24}
$$

we consider the leading monomial $lead(REL) = \sup\{w_i | f_i \neq 0\}$. If there were nontrivial relatons, we could take one with the least possible leading monomial and the relation itself.

Assumption 1 Suppose that the set of its monomials be $\{x_0, x_1, x_1x_0, x_0^2x_1\}$ with $lead(\text{REL}) = x_0^2 x_1$. One has

$$
f_{x_0}(z)\langle S|x_0\rangle + f_{x_1}(z)\langle S|x_1\rangle + f_{x_1x_0}(z)\langle S|x_1x_0\rangle + f_{x_0^2x_1}(z)\langle S|x_0^2x_1\rangle = 0.
$$
 (25)

which is defined on U intersection of the domains $U_0 = dom(f_{w_i})$. At the cost of restricting the relation to $U_1 = U_0 \setminus \mathcal{O}_{f_{x_0^2 x_1}}$ one has also

$$
g_{x_0}(z)\langle S|x_0\rangle + g_{x_1}(z)\langle S|x_1\rangle + g_{x_1x_0}(z)\langle S|x_1x_0\rangle + \langle S|x_0^2x_1\rangle = 0 \qquad (26)
$$

with $g_i = \frac{f_i}{f_i}$ $\frac{f_i}{f_{x_0^2 x_1}}$. Differentiating (26), we get

$$
g'_{x_0}(z)\langle S|x_0\rangle + g_{x_0}(z)\langle S'|x_0\rangle + g'_{x_1}(z)\langle S|x_1\rangle + g_{x_1}(z)\langle S'|x_1\rangle + g'_{x_1x_0}(z)\langle S|x_1x_0\rangle + g_{x_1x_0}(z)\langle S'|x_1x_0\rangle + \langle S'|x_0^2x_1\rangle = 0.
$$
 (27)

As $S' = MS$, we have

$$
\langle S' | x_0 u \rangle = \langle MS | x_0 u \rangle = \frac{1}{z} \langle S | u \rangle \text{ and}
$$

$$
\langle S' | x_1 u \rangle = \langle MS | x_1 u \rangle = \frac{1}{1 - z} \langle S | u \rangle.
$$
 (28)

With this in hand (29) becomes

$$
g'_{x_0}(z)\langle S|x_0\rangle + g_{x_0}(z)\frac{1}{z}\langle S|1\rangle + g'_{x_1}(z)\langle S|x_1\rangle + g_{x_1}(z)\frac{1}{1-z}\langle S|1\rangle +
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which is of rank strictly less than (25) and then should be trivial. A contradiction as $\frac{1}{z}$ is zero in no non-void open subset ; "**Assumption 1**" must be false and we are done.

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4 Applications of the main theorem.

4.1 Independance of the polylogarithms.

Let V be a connected and simply connected analytic variety of dimension 1 (for example, the doubly cut plane $\mathbb{C} - (]-\infty,0] \cup [1,+\infty[)$, or the universal covering of $\mathbb{C} - \{0,1\}$, $\mathcal{A} = C^{\omega}(V; \mathbb{C})$ be the space of analytic fonctions on V endowed with the derivative $d = \frac{d}{dz}$. Let $X = \{x_0, x_1\}$ and X^* be the free monoid on X. It is locally finite [?] and we note $\mathcal{A}\langle\langle X\rangle\rangle$ its large algebra [4] (with coefficients in A).

5 Réserve à ordonner

We will use three types of differential equations.

a) Left-sided equation

$$
\frac{d}{dz}S(z) = M(z)S(z)
$$
\n(44)

b) Right-sided equation

$$
\frac{d}{dz}S(z) = S(z)M(z)
$$
\n(45)

c) Two-sided equation

$$
\frac{d}{dz}S(z) = M_1(z)S(z) + S(z)M_2(z)
$$
\n(46)

with $M, M_i \in \mathcal{H}_{\geq 1}\langle\langle\mathcal{M}\rangle\rangle$. One first give the resolution of equations of type (46) as their properties specialize, with $M_2 = 0$ (resp. $M_1 = 0$) to the type (44) (resp. (45)).

Theorem 5.1 *With the preceding assumptions. i) Equation (46) has solutions all of the form*

$$
S = (H_{z_0}^z)^* S_0 \tag{47}
$$

where $H_{z_0}^z$ is the operator

$$
G \mapsto \int_{z_0}^{z} \left(M_1(s)G(s) + G(s)M_2(s) \right) ds \tag{48}
$$

and $S_0 = S(z_0)$ *is a constant series.*

ii) Two solutions which coincide at a point do coincide everywhere. iii) Let Δ be a closable comultiplication with constant coefficients and suppose that M_1, M_2 *in (46)* are primitive elements for Δ *i.e.*

$$
\Delta(M_i) = M_i \otimes 1 + 1 \otimes M_i ; i = 1, 2 .
$$

Then if S*, a solution of (46), is group-like at a point of* V *, it is group-like everywhere in* V *.*

iv) The constant term of S is contant on V (and is that of S_0), in particular, if a solution *is invertible at a point, it is so everywhere (these solutions will be called regular).*

v) Let S *be a regular solution of an equation of type (44) with primitive multiplier. Let* F *be a filter on* V *(neighbourhoods of* 0*, of* 1*, of infinity etc.) and one supposes that* S *is asymtotically equivalent to* G (w.r.t. F *i.e.* lim_F $(G^{-1}S) = 1$). Then S is group-like.

5.0.1 Proof of theorem (5.1)

i) The integrator $H = H_{z_0}^z \in \text{End}(\mathcal{H}\langle\langle \mathcal{M} \rangle\rangle)$ satisfies

$$
H^n(\mathcal{H}\langle\langle\mathcal{M}\rangle\rangle)\subset \mathcal{H}_{\geq n}\langle\langle\mathcal{M}\rangle\rangle
$$

for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. This implies that $(H^n)_{n\geq 0}$ is summable for the M-adic topology of $\text{End}^{filter}(\mathcal{H}_{\geq 1}\langle\langle\mathcal{M}\rangle\rangle)$ given by the ideal M of operators ϕ such that $\phi\big(\mathcal{H}\langle\langle\mathcal{M}\rangle\rangle\big)$ \subset $\mathcal{H}_{\geq 1}\langle\langle \mathcal{M}\rangle\rangle$. Let $H^* = \sum_{n\geq 0} H^n$ be its sum. For S_0 a constant series, one has

$$
\frac{d}{dz}(H^*[S_0]) = \frac{d}{dz}(I + HH^*)[S_0] =
$$

$$
\frac{d}{dz}(S_0) + \frac{d}{dz}(HH^*)[S_0] = M_1H^*[S_0] + H^*[S_0]M_2
$$
(49)

Conversely, if S is a solution of (44), then $S_0 = (I - H)[S]$ is a constant series as

$$
\frac{d}{dz}(S_0) = \frac{d}{dz}(I - H)[S] = \frac{d}{dz}S - \frac{d}{dz}(H)[S] = M_1S + SM_2 - (M_1S + SM_2) = 0.
$$

Moreover $S = (I - H)^{-1}[S_0] = H^*[S_0]$ and then $S_0 = S(\alpha)$.

ii) If two solutions S_1, S_2 coincide at $z_1 \in V$, one can construct the operator H with formula (48) and $\alpha = z_1$. One has then $S_1 = H^*(S_1(z_1)) = H^*(S_2(z_1)) = S_2$.

iii) A comultiplication with constant coefficients permute with the derivation operator hence, if S is a solution of (46) , one has

$$
\frac{d}{dz}(\Delta(S)) = \Delta(\frac{d}{dz}(S)) = \Delta(M_1S + SM_2) = \Delta(M_1\Delta(S) + \Delta(S)\Delta(M_2)
$$
\n(50)

this proves that $\Delta(S)$ satifies a two sided differential equation. On the other hand, $S \otimes S$ satisfies

$$
\frac{d}{dz}(S \otimes S) = \frac{d}{dz}(S) \otimes S + S \otimes \frac{d}{dz}(S) =
$$
\n
$$
(M_1S + SM_2) \otimes S + S \otimes (M_1S + SM_2) =
$$
\n
$$
(M_1 \otimes 1 + 1 \otimes M_1)(S \otimes S) + (S \otimes S)(M_1 \otimes 1 + 1 \otimes M_1)
$$
\n(51)

which proves that, if M_1 and M_2 are primitive, $\Delta(S)$ and $S \otimes S$ satisfy the same differential equation. By virtue of (ii), if S is group-like at a point, it is so everywhere. In particular (and this will be used in (v)), if S is an invertible solution of an equation of type (46) , with M_1 and M_2 primitive, then, for $z_0 \in V$, $S(z)S(z_0)^{-1}$ is group-like.

iv) Indeed

$$
\langle S|1_{X^*}\rangle = \langle H^*[S_0]|1_{X^*}\rangle = \langle (I + HH^*)[S_0]|1_{X^*}\rangle =
$$

$$
\langle S_0|1_{X^*}\rangle + \langle HH^*[S_0]|1_{X^*}\rangle = \langle S_0|1_{X^*}\rangle.
$$
 (52)

v) For $z_0 \in V$, one defines

$$
R(z, z_0) = S(z)S(z_0)^{-1}G(z_0)G(z)^{-1} = S(z)\Big(G(z_0)^{-1}S(z_0)\Big)^{-1}G(z)^{-1}.
$$

 $R = R(z, z_0)$ is the product of two group-like series $(S(z)S(z_0)^{-1}$ and $G(z_0)G(z)^{-1})$. Thus, z being fixed, one has

$$
\left(S(z) \otimes S(z)\right)\left(G(z)^{-1} \otimes G(z)^{-1}\right) = \left(S(z)G(z)^{-1}\right) \otimes \left(S(z)G(z)^{-1}\right) =
$$
\n
$$
\lim_{z_0: \mathcal{F}} R(z, z_0) \otimes R(z, z_0) = \lim_{z_0: \mathcal{F}} \Delta(R(z, z_0)) =
$$
\n
$$
\Delta(\lim_{z_0: \mathcal{F}} (R(z, z_0)) = \Delta(S(z)G(z)^{-1}) = \Delta(S(z))\Delta(G(z)^{-1}) =
$$
\n
$$
\Delta(S(z))\left(G(z)^{-1} \otimes G(z)^{-1}\right) \tag{53}
$$

and, finally $\Delta(S) = S \otimes S$.

Remark 5.2 *The proof of the theorem provides an integrator*

$$
H(G) = \sum_{w \in \mathcal{M}} \left(\sum_{uv=w} \int_{z_0}^{z} \left(\langle M_1|u \rangle(s) \langle G|v \rangle(s) + \langle G|u \rangle(s) \langle M_2|v \rangle(s) \right) ds \right) w
$$

but any similar operator H such that $\frac{d}{dz}(H(G)) = M_1G + GM_2$ would do. In particular, one *can construct operators with varied lower integration bounds. For example, the operator*

$$
H(G) = \sum_{w \in \mathcal{M}} \Big(\sum_{uv=w} \Big(\int_{a(u)}^{z} \langle M_1 | u \rangle(s) \langle G | v \rangle(s) + \int_{b(v)}^{z} \langle G | u \rangle(s) \langle M_2 | v \rangle(s) \Big) ds \Big) w \tag{54}
$$

is fairly admissible. We will see in Paragraph (6.2) an application of such a principle.

6 Coordinates of group-like elements.

6.1 Through the looking glass: passing from right to left.

Let $S \in \mathcal{H}(\langle X \rangle)$, we call $\mathcal{F}(S)$ the C-vector space generated by the coefficients of S, one has

$$
\mathcal{F}(S) = \{ \langle S|P \rangle \}_{P \in \mathbb{C}\langle X \rangle} \ . \tag{55}
$$

We will use the following increasing filtrations

$$
\mathcal{F}_{\leq \alpha}(S) = \{ \langle S|P \rangle \}_{P \in \mathbb{C}_{\leq \alpha}\langle X \rangle} . \tag{56}
$$

or

$$
\mathcal{F}_{\leq n}(S) = \{ \langle S|P \rangle \}_{P \in \mathbb{C}_{\leq n} \langle X \rangle} . \tag{57}
$$

Proposition 6.1 *We have the following properties :*

i) If $T \in \mathbb{C}\langle\langle X \rangle\rangle$ then $\mathcal{F}(ST) \subset \mathcal{F}(S)$ and one has equality if T is invertible. *ii)* If S is group-like, then $\mathcal{F}(S)$ *is a unital sub-algebra of* \mathcal{H} *, which is filtered w.r.t.* (56) *and (57) i.e.*

$$
\mathcal{F}_{\leq \alpha}(S)\mathcal{F}_{\leq \beta}(S) \subset \mathcal{F}_{\leq \alpha+\beta}(S)
$$
\n(58)

Proof — (i) The space $\mathcal{F}(ST)$ is spanned by the

$$
\langle ST|w\rangle = \sum_{uv=w} \langle S|u\rangle \langle T|v\rangle \in \mathcal{F}(S)
$$

if T is invertible one has $\mathcal{F}(S) = \mathcal{F}(STT^{-1}) \subset \mathcal{F}(ST)$ which proves the equality. ii) If S is group-like, one has

$$
\langle S|u\rangle\langle S|v\rangle = \langle S \otimes S|u \otimes v\rangle = \langle \Delta(S)|u \otimes v\rangle = \langle S|u\perp v\rangle \tag{59}
$$

In the case when all functions $\langle S|w \rangle$ are C-linearly independant, one has a correspondence between the Differential Galois group of a differential equation of type (44) (acting on the right) and the group of automorphisms of $\mathcal{F}(S)$ compatible with the preceding filtration (they turn out to be unipotent).

Proposition 6.2 *Let* S *be a group-like series. The following conditions are equivalent: i)* For every $x \in X$, $ker_{\mathbb{C}}(S) \subset ker_{\mathbb{C}}(Sx)$. *ii)* For every $x \in X$, there is a derivation $\delta_x \in \mathfrak{Der}(\mathcal{F}(S))$ such that

$$
\delta_x(S) = Sx \tag{60}
$$

iii) For every $x \in X$, there is a one-paramater group of automorphisms $\phi_x^t \in Aut(\mathcal{F}(S))$; $t \in$ R *such that*

$$
\phi_x^t(S) = Se^{tx} \tag{61}
$$

iv) For every $C \in \text{Lie}_C \langle \langle X \rangle \rangle$, there is $\delta \in \mathfrak{Der}(\mathcal{F}(S))$ *such that*

$$
\delta(S) = SC \tag{62}
$$

v) For every $C \in \text{Lie}_C(\langle X \rangle)$, there is $\phi \in Aut(\mathcal{F}(S))$ such that

$$
\phi(S) = Se^C \tag{63}
$$

vi) The functions $(\langle S|w \rangle)_{w \in X^*}$ *are* C-linearly independant.

Proof — i) \implies ii) From the inclusion, we derive that, for all $x \in X$ there exists a C-linear mapping $\phi \in \text{End}(\mathcal{F}(S))$ such that for all $w \in \mathcal{M}, \phi(\langle S|w \rangle) = \langle Sx|w \rangle$. It must be a derivation of $\mathcal{F}(S)$ as

$$
\phi(\langle S|u\rangle\langle S|v\rangle) = \phi(\langle S|u\sqcup v\rangle) = \langle Sx|u\sqcup v\rangle = \langle S|(u\sqcup v)x^{-1}\rangle =
$$

$$
\langle S|(ux^{-1}\sqcup v) + (u\sqcup vx^{-1})\rangle = \langle S|(ux^{-1}\sqcup v)\rangle\langle S|(u\sqcup vx^{-1})\rangle =
$$

$$
\langle Sx|u\rangle\langle S|v\rangle + \langle S|u\rangle\langle Sx|v\rangle = \phi(\langle S|u\rangle)\langle S|v\rangle + \langle S|u\rangle\phi(\langle S|v\rangle)
$$
 (64)

from the fact that $(\langle S|w\rangle)_{w\in X^*}$ spans $\mathcal{F}(S)$.

 $ii) \Longrightarrow iv$) As $(\langle S|w\rangle)_{w\in X^*}$ spans $\mathcal{F}(S)$, the derivation ϕ is uniquely defined. Let us note it δ_x and notice that, doing so, we have constructed a mapping $\Phi: X \to \mathfrak{Der}(\mathcal{F}(S))$ (which is Lie algebra. Therefore, there is a unique extension of this mapping as a morphism $Lie_{\mathbb{C}}(X) \to \mathfrak{Der}(\mathcal{F}(S))$. This correspondence, which we will note $P \to \delta(P)$ is (uniquely) recursively defined by

$$
\delta(x) = \delta_x \; ; \; \delta([P, Q]) = [\delta(P), \delta(Q)] \; . \tag{65}
$$

For $C = \sum_{n\geq 0} C_n \in \text{Lie}_{\mathbb{C}}\langle\langle X\rangle\rangle$ with $C_n \in \text{Lie}_{\mathbb{C}}\langle X\rangle_n$, we remark that the sequence $\langle S \sum_{0 \leq n \leq N} C_n |w\rangle$ is stable (for large N). Set $\delta_{\leq N} := \delta(\sum_{0 \leq n \leq N} C_n)$. We see that $\delta_{\leq N}$ is stable (for large N) on every \mathcal{F}_{α} and we note $\delta(C)$ its limit. It is clear that this limit is a derivation and that it corresponds to C.

 $iv) \implies v$) For evey $C = \sum_{n\geq 0} C_n \in \text{Lie}_{\mathbb{C}}\langle\langle X\rangle\rangle$, the exponential e^C defines a mapping $\phi \in \text{End}(\mathcal{F}(S))$ as indeed $e^{\delta \leq N}$ is stationnary. It is easily checked that this mapping is an automorphism of algebra of $\mathcal{F}(S)$.

 $v \implies iii$ For $C_i \in \text{Lie}_{\mathbb{C}}(\langle X \rangle); i = 1, 2$ which commute we have

$$
Se^{C_1}e^{C_2} = \phi_{C_1}(S)e^{C_2} = \phi_{C_1}(Se^{C_2}) = \phi_{C_1}\phi_{C_2}(S)
$$
\n(66)

this proves the existence, for a $C \in \text{Lie}_{\mathbb{C}}\langle\langle X \rangle\rangle$ of a one-parameter (rational) group ϕ_C^t in $Aut(\mathcal{F}(S))$ such that $Se^{tC} = \phi_C^t(S)$. This one-parameter (rational) group can be extended to R as continuity is easily checked by taking the scalar products $\langle \phi_C^t(S)|w \rangle = \langle Se^{tC}|w \rangle$ and it suffices to specialize the result to $C = x$.

 $iii) \implies ii)$ By stationary limits one has

$$
\langle Sx|w\rangle = \lim_{t \to 0} \frac{1}{t} (\langle Se^{tx}|w\rangle - \langle S|w\rangle) = \lim_{t \to 0} \frac{1}{t} (\langle \phi_x^t(S)|w\rangle - \langle S|w\rangle)
$$
(67)

 $(v) \implies i$) Let $x \in X, t \in \mathbb{R}$, we take $C = tx$ and $\phi_t \in \text{Aut}(\mathcal{F}(S))$ s.t. $\phi_t(S) = Se^{tx}$. It there is $P \in \mathbb{C}\langle X \rangle$ such that $\langle S|P \rangle = 0$ one has

$$
0 = \langle S|P \rangle = \phi_t(\langle S|P \rangle) = \langle \phi_t(S)|P \rangle = \langle Se^{tx}|P \rangle = \sum_{n=0}^{\deg(P)} \frac{t^n}{n!} \langle Sx^n|P \rangle \tag{68}
$$

and then, for all $z \in V$, the polynomial

$$
\sum_{n=0}^{\deg(P)} \frac{t^n}{n!} \langle S(z)x^n | P \rangle \tag{69}
$$

is identically zero over R hence so are all of its coefficients in particular $\langle S(z)x|P \rangle$ for all $z \in V$. This proves the claim.

i) $\implies vi$) Let $P \in ker_{\mathbb{C}}(S)$ if $P \neq 0$ take it of minimal degree with this property. For all $x \in X$, one has $P \in ker_{\mathbb{C}}(Sx)$ which means $\langle Sx|P \rangle = 0$ and then $Px^{\dagger} = 0$ as $deg(Px^{\dagger}) = deg(P) - 1$. The reconstruction lemma implies that

$$
P = \langle P|1 \rangle + \sum_{x \in X} (Px^{\dagger})x = \langle P|1 \rangle \tag{70}
$$

Then, one has $0 = \langle S|P\rangle = \langle S|1\rangle\langle P|1\rangle = \langle P|1\rangle$ which shows that $ker_{\mathbb{C}}(S) = \{0\}$. This is equivalent to the statement (vi). $vi) \Longrightarrow i$) Is obvious as $ker_{\mathbb{C}}(S) = \{0\}.$ \Box

It is possible to enlarge somehow the range of proposition (6.1) to coefficients that are analytic functions $f : dom(f) \to \mathbb{C}$.

Definition 6.3 *We call here differential field of germs w.r.t. a filter basis* B *of open connected subsets of* V, a map C defined on B such that for every $U \in \mathbb{B}$, $\mathcal{C}[U]$ *is a subring of* $C^{\omega}(U, \mathbb{C})$ *and*

1. C is compatible with restrictions i.e. if $U, V \in \mathbb{B}$ and $V \subset U$, one has

$$
res_{VU}(\mathcal{C}[U]) \subset \mathcal{C}[V]
$$

2. if $f \in \mathcal{C}[U] \setminus \{0\}$ then there exists $V \in \mathbb{B}$ *s.t.* $V \subset U - \mathcal{O}_f$ and f^{-1} (defined on V) *is in* $\mathcal{C}[V]$.

For any $U \in \mathbb{B}$, we note $\mathcal{C}[U]$ the ring of functions in C defined on U and restricted *to this set.*

There are important cases when the conditions (6.1) are satified as shows the following theorem.

Theorem 6.4 *Let* V *be a simply connected non-void open subset of* $\mathbb{C} - \{a_0, \dots a_n\}$ $({a_0, \dots a_n}$ are distinct points), $M = \sum_{i=0}^n$ λ_ix_i $\frac{\lambda_i x_i}{z-a_i}$ be a multiplier on $X = \{x_0, \dots x_n\}$ *with all* $\lambda_i \neq 0$ *and* S *be any regular solution of*

$$
\frac{d}{dz}S = MS \tag{71}
$$

Then, let C *be a differential field of functions defined on* V *which do not contain linear combinations of logarithms on any domain but which contains* z *and the constants (as, for example the rational functions).*

If U *is a non-void domain of* C *and* $P \in C[U]\langle X \rangle$ *, one has*

$$
\langle S|P \rangle = 0 \Longrightarrow P = 0 \tag{72}
$$

Proof — Let $U \in \mathbb{B}$. For every non-zero $Q \in \mathcal{C}[U]\langle X\rangle$, we note lead(Q) the greatest word in the support of Q for the graded lexicographic ordering \prec (we have endowed X with any linear ordering) and call Q monic if the leading coefficient $\langle Q|lead(Q)\rangle$ is 1. A monic polynomial then reads

$$
Q = w + \sum_{u \prec w} \langle Q | u \rangle u . \tag{73}
$$

Suppose now that it is possible to find U and $P \in \mathcal{C}[U]\langle X\rangle$ (not necessarily monic) such that $\langle S|P\rangle = 0$, we choose P with lead(P) minimal for \prec .

Then

$$
P = f(z)w + \sum_{u \prec w} \langle P|u \rangle u \tag{74}
$$

with $f \not\equiv 0$. Thus $U_1 = U \setminus \mathcal{O}_f \in \mathbb{B}$ and $Q = \frac{1}{f(t)}$ $\frac{1}{f(z)}P \in \mathcal{C}[U_1]\langle X\rangle$ is monic and satisfies

$$
\langle S|Q\rangle = 0. \tag{75}
$$

Differentiating eq. (75), we get

$$
0 = \langle S' | Q \rangle + \langle S | Q' \rangle = \langle MS | Q \rangle + \langle S | Q' \rangle = \langle S | Q' + M^{\dagger} Q \rangle . \tag{76}
$$

Remark that one has

$$
Q' + M^{\dagger} Q \in \mathcal{C}[U_1] \langle X \rangle \tag{77}
$$

If $Q' + M^{\dagger}Q \neq 0$, one has $lead(Q' + M^{\dagger}Q) \prec lead(Q)$ and this is not possible because of the minimality hypothesis of $lead(Q) = lead(P)$. Hence, one must have $R = Q' + M^{\dagger}Q = 0$. With $|w| = n$, write now

$$
Q = Q_n + \sum_{|u| < n} \langle Q | u \rangle u \tag{78}
$$

where $Q_n = \sum_{|u|=n} \langle Q|u\rangle u$ is the dominant homogeneous component of Q . For every $|u| = n$ we have

$$
(\langle Q|u\rangle)' = -\langle M^{\dagger}Q|u\rangle = -\langle Q|Mu\rangle = 0
$$
\n(79)

thus all the coefficients of Q_n are constant.

If $n = 0$, $Q \neq 0$ is constant which is impossible by eq. (75) and because S is regular. If $n > 0$, for any word $|v| = n - 1$, we have

$$
(\langle Q|v\rangle)' = -\langle M^{\dagger}Q|v\rangle = -\langle Q|Mv\rangle = -\sum_{i=0}^{n} \frac{\lambda_i}{z - a_i} \langle Q|x_i v\rangle = -\sum_{i=0}^{n} \frac{\lambda_i}{z - a_i} \langle Q_n|x_i v\rangle \tag{80}
$$

Because all $x_i v$ are of length n.

Then

$$
\langle Q|v\rangle = -\sum_{i=0}^{n} \langle Q_n|x_i v \rangle \int_{\alpha}^{z} \frac{\lambda_i}{s - a_i} ds + const \tag{81}
$$

But all the functions \int_{α}^{z} λ_i $\frac{\lambda_i}{s-a_i}$ ds are linearly independant over $\mathbb C$ and not all the scalars $\langle Q_n|x_i v \rangle$ are zero (write $w = x_k v$ and choose v such). This contradicts the fact that $Q \in \mathcal{C}[U_1]\langle X\rangle$ as C does contain no linear combination of logarithms.

Remark 6.5 *i) If a series satifies the equivalent conditions of the theorem (6.2), then every* Se^C *so does.*

ii) Series as the one of polylogarithms and all the exponential solutions of equation

$$
\frac{d}{dz}(S) = \left(\frac{x_0}{z} + \frac{x_1}{1-z}\right)S\tag{82}
$$

satisfy conditions of the theorem (6.2) as shows theorem (6.4).

iii) One could ask oneself what happens when these conditions are not satisfied. In fact the set of Lie series $C \in \text{Lie}_{\mathbb{C}}(\langle \mathbb{X} \rangle)$ *such that it exists a* $\phi \in \text{End}(\mathcal{F}(S))$ *(then a derivation) s.t.* $SC = \phi(S)$ *is a closed Lie subalgebra of Lie*_C $\langle \langle X \rangle \rangle$ *which we will note Lies. For example*

- *for* $X = \{x_0, x_1\}$ *and* $S = e^{zx_0}$ *one has* $x_0 \in Lie_S$; $x_1 \notin Lie_S$
- *for* $X = \{x_0, x_1\}$ *and* $S = e^{z(x_0 + x_1)}$ *, one has* $x_0, x_1 \notin Lie_S$ *but* $(x_0 + x_1) \in Lie_S$ *.*

6.2 Polylogarithms and related functions

Here X is still the finite alphabet $\{x_0, x_1\}$ equipped with the order $x_0 < x_1$ and let C be the ring $\mathbb{C}[z, z^{-1}, (1-z)^{-1}].$

The iterated integral over ω_0, ω_1 associated to $w = x_{i_1} \cdots x_{i_k}$ over X and along the integration path $z_0 \rightarrow z$ is the following multiple integral defined by

$$
\int_{z_0 \to z} \omega_{i_1} \cdots \omega_{i_k} = \int_{z_0}^z \omega_{i_1}(t_1) \int_{z_0}^{t_1} \omega_{i_2}(t_2) \dots \int_{z_0}^{t_{r-2}} \omega_{i_r}(t_{r-1}) \int_{z_0}^{t_{r-1}} \omega_{i_r}(t_r), \tag{83}
$$

where $t_1 \cdots t_{r-1}$ is a subdivision of the path $z_0 \leadsto z$. In a shortened notation, we denote this integral by $\alpha_{z_0}^z(w)$ and $\alpha_{z_0}^z(1_{X^*})=1$. One can check that the polylogarithm $Li_{s_1,...,s_r}$ is also the value of the iterated integral over ω_0 , ω_1 and along the integration path $0 \rightsquigarrow z$ $[?, ?]$:

$$
\text{Li}_w(z) = \alpha_0^z (x_0^{s_1 - 1} x_1 \dots x_0^{s_r - 1} x_1). \tag{84}
$$

The definition of polylogarithms is extended over the words $w \in X^*$ by putting $\text{Li}_{x_0}(z) :=$ log z. The $\{\text{Li}_w\}_{w\in X^*}$ are $\mathcal{C}\text{-linearly independent [?, ?].}$ In order to, define $L = \sum_{w\in X^*} \text{Li}_w w$, one also can use an integrator with variable lower integration bounds as one described by (54) with $M_2 = 0$, $a(u) = 1$ for $u \in x_0^*$ and $a(u) = 0$ for $u \in X^*x_1X^*$.

Indeed, L is group-like but, to show this one cannot use Thm 5.1 (iii) because the lower bounds of the integrals are different. So one first shows that

$$
\lim_{z \to 0} \exp(-x_0 \log z) L(z) = \lim_{z \to 0} L(z) \exp(-x_0 \log z) = 1
$$
 (85)

¹Here, 1_{X^*} stands for the empty word over X.

which can be done as follows. One first remarks that, in case w contains at least ons x_1 (i.e. $|w|_{x_1} \geq 1$) and for every k

$$
\lim_{z \to 0} \log(z)^k \langle L(z) | w \rangle = 0 \tag{86}
$$

then, setting $L^+(z) = \sum_{|w|_{x_1} \geq 1} \langle L(z)|w\rangle w$, one has

$$
lim_{z \to 0} \exp(-x_0 \log z) L^{+}(z) = L^{+}(z) \exp(-x_0 \log z) = 0
$$
 (87)

and as

$$
L(z) = L^{+}(z) + \sum_{w \in (x_0)^{*}} \langle L(z) | w \rangle w = L^{+}(z) + \exp(x_0 \log z)
$$
 (88)

the result follows.

The following functions

$$
\forall w \in X^*, \quad P_w(z) = (1 - z)^{-1} \text{Li}_w(z), \tag{89}
$$

are also C-linearly independent, as $\mathcal C$ is an integral domain, by the following lemma easy to check

Lemma 6.6 Let A be an integral domain and M an A-module. If $(x_i)_{i\in I}$ is a linearly *independant family and* $b \neq 0$ *in* A, then $(bx_i)_{i \in I}$ *is linearly independant.*

Since, for any $w \in Y^*$, P_w is the ordinary generating function of the sequence $\{\mathcal{H}_w(N)\}_{N\geq 0}$:

$$
P_w(z) = \sum_{N \ge 0} \mathcal{H}_w(N) z^N
$$
\n(90)

then, as a consequence of the classical isomorphism between convergent Taylor series and their associated sums, the harmonic sums $\{\mathcal{H}_w\}_{w\in Y^*}$ are C-linearly independent. Firstly, ker $P = \{0\}$ and ker $\mathcal{H} = \{0\}$, and secondly, P is a morphism transporting the stuffle to the Hadamard product :

$$
P_u(z) \odot P_v(z) = \sum_{N \ge 0} \mathcal{H}_u(N) \mathcal{H}_v(N) z^N = \sum_{N \ge 0} \mathcal{H}_{u \sqcup v}(N) z^N = P_{u \sqcup v}(z). \tag{91}
$$

7 Conclusion

To sum up what has been done in this paper? we can state that the deformed algebra **LDIAG** (q_c, q_s) , which originates from a special quantum field theory [?], is free and its law can be constructed from very general procedures: it is a shifted twisted law. Before shifting, one can observe that the law is, in fact, dual to a comultiplication on a free algebra. This comultiplication is a perturbation, with q_s (the superposition parameter) of the shuffle comultiplication on this free algebra. The parameter q_s is obtained by addition of a perturbating factor which is just dual to a (diagonally) deformed law of a semigroup whereas the crossing parameter q_c is obtained by extending to the tensor structure (i.e. to words) a colour factor of an algebra.

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