

Iwahori-Hecke Algebras in Multiple Contexts

- 1) Hecke algebras for a reductive group
- 2) Presentation of spherical/finite/affine Hecke algebras
- 3) Quantum Schur-Weyl duality

1) Reductive Groups

Definitions

G : reductive gp/ F : nonarch, local field

\mathcal{O} : ring of ints. of F

\mathfrak{p} : max'l ideal of \mathcal{O}

B = Borel subgp.

K° = max'l compact subgp

J = Iwahori subgp.

Favorite example

$$G = GL_n(\mathbb{Q}_p)$$

$$\mathcal{O} = \mathbb{Z}_p$$

$$\mathfrak{p} = \langle p \rangle$$

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} * & & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & * & \\ 0 & & & \ddots \\ & & & & * \end{pmatrix}$$

$$K^\circ = \begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{O} & \dots & \mathcal{O} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \mathcal{O} & \dots & \mathcal{O} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$J = \begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{O} & \mathcal{O} \\ \mathfrak{p} & \mathcal{O} \end{pmatrix}$$

Let K be a compact open subgroup of G . The Hecke algebra of G relative to K is the set of smooth compactly supported K -biinvariant functions on G :

$$\mathcal{H}_K := \left\{ \phi: G \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, \text{ smooth cpt. supp.} \mid \phi(kgk) = \phi(g) \forall k, k' \in K, g \in G \right\},$$

w/ mult. defined as convolution.

Remarks

- 1) Reductive groups are hard
- 2) Hecke algebras are relatively simple: often finite(-ish) dim'l.
- 3) Borel-Matsumoto: \exists corresp. btwn irreps of \mathcal{H}_K and "admissible" irreps of G w/ a K -fixed vector v ($k \cdot v = v \forall k \in K$).
- 4) So Hecke algebras are a tool to understand reps of red. gps.

But what do Hecke algebras look like?

2) Presentations (Iwahori)

For this section, $G = GL_n$, (but can be done for any Cartan type).

$$\mathcal{H}_{k^0} = X_*(T) \cong \mathbb{Z}^n \quad (\text{spherical Hecke alg.})$$

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$$\mathcal{H}_B = \left\langle T_i, i=1, \dots, n-1 \right\rangle \left\{ \begin{array}{l} T_i T_{i+1} T_i = T_{i+1} T_i T_{i+1}, \\ T_i T_j = T_j T_i, \quad i \neq j \pm 1 \\ T_i^2 = (q-1)T_i + q \end{array} \right.$$

(finite Hecke alg.)

$$\mathcal{H}_J = \left\langle T_i, i=0, \dots, n-1 \right\rangle \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{same rel'n's as for } \mathcal{H}_B, \\ \text{but indices taken mod } n \end{array} \right.$$

(affine Hecke alg.)

Remarks

- 1) Not guaranteed a simple presentation of \mathcal{H}_K for other subgps. K , but
- 2) \mathcal{H}_{k^0} is commutative!

3) H_B is a deformation of the gp. alg of S_n :

$$\text{If } g \mapsto 1$$

$$H_B \mapsto \mathbb{C}[S_n].$$

So repr theory of finite Hecke algebras relate to repr. theory of S_n .

4) Exact sequences:

$$1 \rightarrow \mathcal{P}K^\circ \rightarrow \mathcal{J} \rightarrow B(\mathbb{F}_q) \rightarrow 1$$

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$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{H}_{K^\circ} \rightarrow \mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{J}} \rightarrow \mathcal{H}_B \rightarrow 0$$

So to understand $\mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{J}}$, want to understand \mathcal{H}_{K° , \mathcal{H}_B .

3) Quantum Schur-Weyl Duality

First, classical S-W duality:

Let $V = \mathbb{C}^n$ be std. repr of $G = GL_n(\mathbb{C})$.

Now, take $V^{\otimes k}$, for $k \leq n$, and let G act diagonally:

$$g \cdot (V_1 \otimes \dots \otimes V_k) := g \cdot V_1 \otimes \dots \otimes g \cdot V_k.$$

Let S_k act on $V^{\otimes k}$ by permuting the factors:

$$(V_1 \otimes \dots \otimes V_k) \cdot \sigma = V_{\sigma^{-1}(1)} \otimes \dots \otimes V_{\sigma^{-1}(k)}$$

These actions commute, and in fact are mutual centralizers.

Schur-Weyl Duality: As a (GL_n, S_k) -bimod, $V^{\otimes k}$ decomposes as

$$V^{\otimes k} = \bigoplus_{\lambda \vdash k} L^\lambda \otimes S^\lambda,$$

where the L^λ are (distinct) highest wt. modules, and the S^λ are (distinct) Specht mods.

Now, let V be the std. repr. of the quantum gp. $U := U_q(\mathfrak{gl}_n)$, $q \neq \text{root of unity}$, and let U act on $V^{\otimes k}$ via the coproduct map.

Since U not cocomm., we can't just permute the factors, Instead, we use the Yang-Baxter eqn. to define isomorphisms:

$$R_i = V_1 \otimes \dots \otimes V_i \otimes U_{i+1} \otimes \dots \otimes V_k \cong V_1 \otimes \dots \otimes V_{i+1} \otimes V_i \otimes \dots \otimes V_k.$$

Thm (Jimbo, '86): The alg. gen'd by the R_i is isom. to H_B (for GL_k), and the U and H_B actions are mutual centralizers, so we the decomp.

$$V^{\otimes k} = \bigoplus_{\lambda \vdash k} L_{\mathfrak{g}}^{\lambda} \otimes S_{\mathfrak{g}}^{\lambda},$$

where $L_{\mathfrak{g}}^{\lambda}, S_{\mathfrak{g}}^{\lambda}$ are irred., and deformations of the L^{λ}, S^{λ} .

Remarks

1) Jimbo's results helped kick-start huge breakthroughs. One notable example: Jones' Field Medal work on knot invariants.

2) This section only holds for GL_n , not a reductive group of any other type.

3) Not surprising that $U_q(\mathfrak{gl}_n)$ is in S-W duality w/ a deformation of $\mathbb{C}[S_n]$, but it is remarkable that this deformation turned out to be the Hecke alg.

4) I am not aware of any "natural" reason for remark 3, and in light of remark 2), might be hard to have a general result. Would be very interesting if such a result existed!

$$U(\mathfrak{sl}_2) = \langle e, f, h \mid [e, f] = 2h, \dots \rangle$$

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 E & F & k, k^{-1} & \mathfrak{g} \square
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