

(Math 277)

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Survey?

D. Faust, Report on Sexual Assault (7 PM SC Hall D).

Last time:

Setup:  $(M, \omega = d\theta)$  symplectic mfd.  
 $L_i \subset M, i=0, \dots, k$  exact.

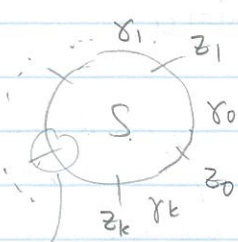
We examined

$$R = R_{k+1} = \left\{ \text{space of holom. str. on } D^2 \setminus \{k+1 \text{ pts}\} \right\}$$

$$= \text{Conf}_{k+1}(D^2) / \text{PSL}(2, \mathbb{R}).$$

$$\dim R_{k+1} = k-2.$$

$\{(u, S) \mid S \in R_{k+1}, u: S \rightarrow M \text{ satisfying:}$



- $\gamma_i \subset \partial S.$

- $u(\gamma_i) \subset L_i$

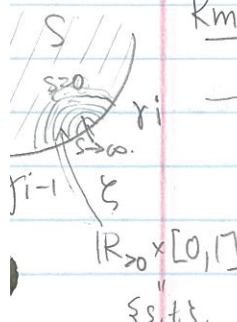
- $(du - X_Y)^{0,1} = 0$

↑ perturbation of  $(du^{0,1}) = 0.$

Rmk This also resolves the issue of  $L_i \nexists L_{i+1}.$

• Choosing holomorphic parametrizations

$\xi: \mathbb{R}_{>0} \times [0,1] \rightarrow S,$   
we demand that as  $s \rightarrow \infty,$   $\xi$  converges to a Hamiltonian chord.



$X_Y ?$

- $Y \in \Omega_{dR}^1(S; C^\infty(M)).$

- $X_Y \in \Omega_{dR}^1(S; u^*TM)$

$$T_x S \ni v_x \mapsto X_Y(v_x)(u(x)).$$

← perturbs  $u(z_i)$  in  $L_{i-1} \cap L_i.$

By a Hamiltonian chord, Hino means a  $C^\infty$  map

$$c: [0,1] \rightarrow M.$$

$$\text{s.t. } \begin{cases} c(0) \in L_{i-1} \\ c(1) \in L_i \\ \dot{c}(t) = X_Y(c(t)). \end{cases}$$

⚠ When choosing  $Y$ , choose  $Y$  to be independent of  $s$ ,  $s \in \mathbb{R}_{>0}$ .

Thm (from last time)  $\exists$  plenty of choices of  $(J_x, Y)$  making the moduli space  $\{(U, s)\}$  a  $C^\infty$  mfd.

( $J_x$  is a choice of compatible almost cplx structure on  $M$  for all  $x \in S$ .)

- Question about almost  $\mathbb{C}$ -structure for each  $S$ ?

Rmk To choose  $\zeta$  concretely,

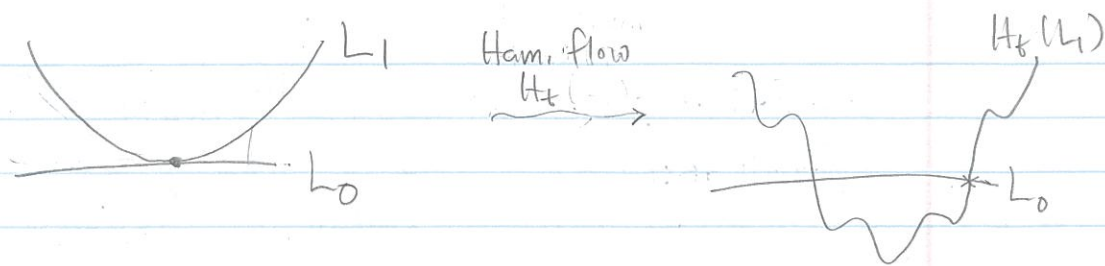
$$\begin{array}{ccc} S & \rightarrow & \mathcal{J} \xleftarrow{\zeta} \mathbb{R} \times [0,1] \times \mathbb{R}_{>0} \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \swarrow \text{project.} \\ * = \{S\} & \xrightarrow{s} & \mathbb{R}_{>0} \end{array}$$

These  $\zeta$  are called strip-like ends.

Rmk. Given  $\zeta: \mathbb{R} \times [0,1] \rightarrow S$ ,

$$\dot{c}(t) = \zeta^* X_Y \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \right) \in T(\mathbb{R} \times [0,1]).$$

Q: Alt. motivation for perturbation. (Y?)



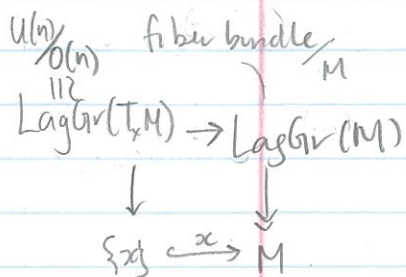
Want to replace nontransverse intersection w/ pt after Ham. flow ← this is a Hamiltonian chord.

For patching, need to choose global  $\gamma \in \mathcal{D}^1(S; C^\infty(M))$

Today: What is the dimension of  $\{(u, S)\}$ ?

Idea: given a map  $D^2 \xrightarrow{u} M^{2n}$  s.t.  
 $\partial D^2 \xrightarrow{u} \text{Lag Gr}(M)$ .

i.e.  $\forall z \in \partial D^2$ , the tangent vector to  $\partial D^2$  at  $z$  is assigned a (specified) Lagrangian subspace of  $T_u(z)M$ .



Ex. If you have a map  $(D^2, \partial D^2) \xrightarrow{u} (M, L)$ , then  $u$  defines a map  $\partial D^2 \rightarrow \text{Lag Gr}(M)$ .

Then the "winding number" of

$$\partial D^2 \rightarrow \text{Lag Gr}(M)$$

determines the dimension of  $\{(u, S)\}$ .

This winding # is called the Maslov index of  $u$ .

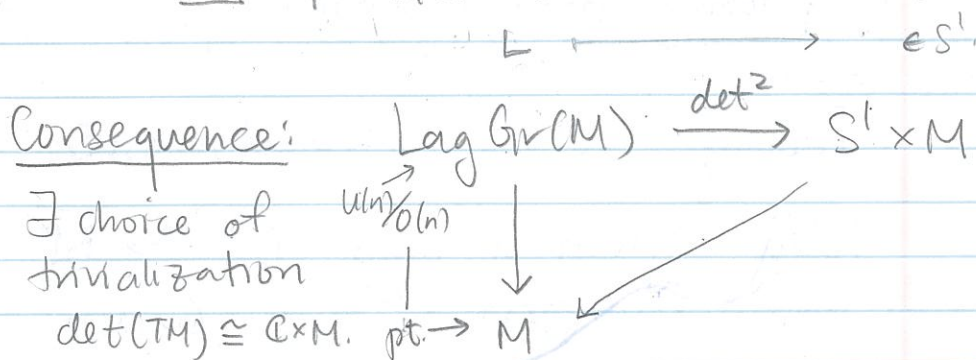
why?  
spectral flow  
 (how e-vals change)  
 ↓  
 Index of some operator.  
 ↑  
 (Cauchy-Riemann)

Concretely, recall  $\pi_1(U(n)/O(n)) \cong \mathbb{Z}_2$ ,  
 realized by  $U(n)/O(n) \xrightarrow{\det^2} S^1$ .

(To see this, look in  $H^*$  and use pairing).

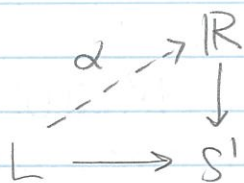
Defn. Call a symplectic mfld almost Calabi-Yau if  $e(TM) = 0$ .

(Recall prev. exercise on compatible  $\mathbb{Q}$ -structures on TM - contractible choice)



$\Rightarrow \forall L \subset M \exists$  well-defined map (after choosing trivialization)  $L \rightarrow S^1$

Suppose  $\exists$  a lift.



Defn:  $\alpha$  is called a grading on  $L$

Remark The  $\mathbb{Z}_2$ -worth of choices of  $\alpha$  corresponds to shifts of an object of  $\text{Fuk}(M)$ :

like in a  $\Delta$ -ed cat.

## The grading on $CF^*(L_0, L_1)$

Suppose  $(L_0, d_0)$  and  $(L_1, d_1)$  are graded Lagrangians. Fix  $x \in L_0 \cap L_1$ . The degree of  $x$  can be defined by

At  $x \in M$ , we have

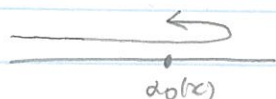
$$\begin{array}{ccc} \widetilde{\text{LagGr}}(TM) & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{R} \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \text{LagGr}(TM) & \xrightarrow{\det^2} & S^1 \end{array}$$

and  $d_0(x), d_1(x) \in \mathbb{R}$  give elts  $\widetilde{T_x L_0}, \widetilde{T_x L_1}$  in  $\widetilde{\text{LagGr}}(TM)$ .

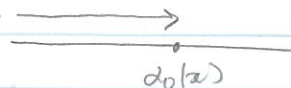


But  $d_0, d_1$  not nec. in same fiber!

Convention: Look at a path  $\tilde{\gamma}$  that begins (up to  $\pm$ ) at  $d_1(x)$  and ends at  $d_0(x)$  w/ negative derivative



OK.



not OK.

(maybe need similar cond<sup>n</sup> at  $d_1(x)$ .)

Count the signed intersection # of  $\tilde{f}$  with  
either

•  $d_1 + \mathbb{Z}_1$ , or

•  $d_0 + \mathbb{Z}_1$  (one of these is correct).

↙ probably this one.

Next time : how to compute dim

• why  $\mu^k: \dots \rightarrow \text{hom}(\dots) [2-k]$