

## Analysis of minimal representations

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Observation.  $\varpi$ : minimal rep of  $G$

$\text{DIM}(\varpi)$  (Gelfand–Kirillov dimension)

$= \frac{1}{2}$  dimension of minimal nilpotent orbits

$<$  dimension of any non-trivial  $G$ -space



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My viewpoint:

Minimal representation ( $\Leftarrow$  group)

$\approx$  Maximal symmetries ( $\Leftarrow$  rep. space)

## Geometric analysis on minimal reps

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## Indefinite orthogonal group $O(p + 1, q + 1)$

Throughout this talk,  $p, q \geq 1$ ,  $p + q$ : even  $> 2$

$$\begin{aligned}
 G &= O(p + 1, q + 1) \\
 &= \{g \in GL(p + q + 2, \mathbb{R}) : {}^t g \begin{pmatrix} I_{p+1} & O \\ O & -I_{q+1} \end{pmatrix} g = \begin{pmatrix} I_{p+1} & O \\ O & -I_{q+1} \end{pmatrix}\}
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... real simple Lie group of type D

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( $L^2$  model of minimal reps of some other groups [Sahi](#),  
[Hilgert–K–Möllers](#))



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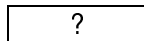
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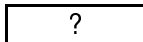
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3. Deformation of Fourier transforms (Theorems F, G, H)  
(interpolation, special functions, Dunkl operators)

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Yamabe operator

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scalar curvature

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But  $\text{Sol}(\widetilde{\Delta}_X)$  is invariant by  $\text{Conf}(X, g)$ .





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Remark 1.  $\text{Sol} \cdots$  in the sense of  $C^\infty$ , hyperfunction, etc  
(the result (1) remains true)

Remark 2. For  $q = 1$ , take a double cover  $X'$  of  $X$ .  
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$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{Sol}(\widetilde{\Delta}_{S^p \times S^q}) & \subset & \text{Sol}(\widetilde{\Delta}_{\mathbb{R}^{p,q}}) \\ \uparrow & & \uparrow \\ \text{Conf}(S^p \times S^q) & \hookleftarrow & \text{Conf}(\mathbb{R}^{p,q}) \end{array}$$

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Unitarization of subrep (representation theory)



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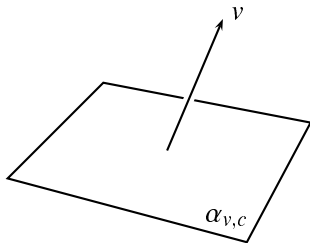
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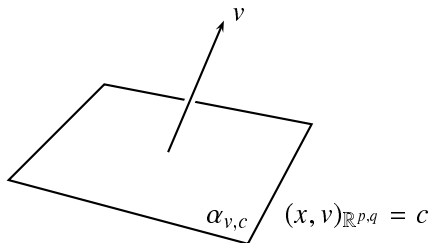
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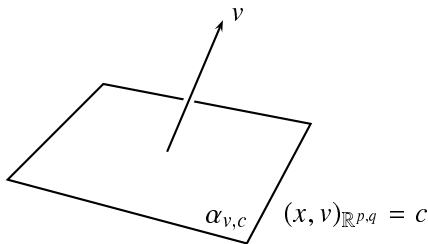


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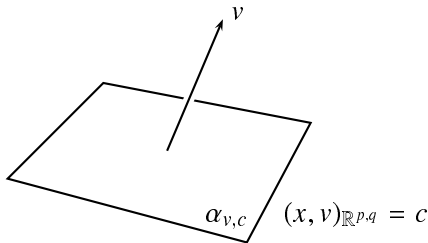


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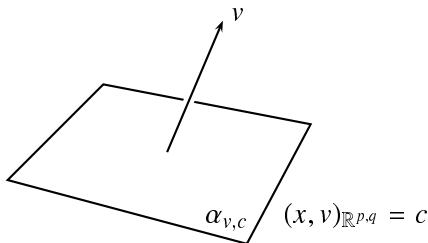


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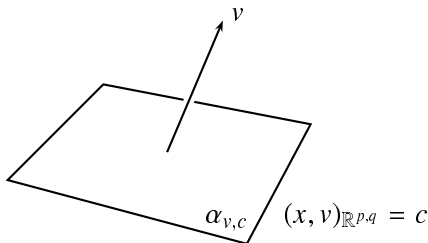
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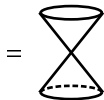
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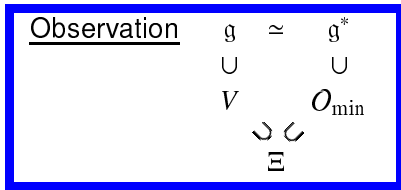
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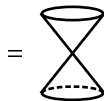
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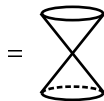
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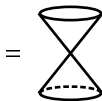
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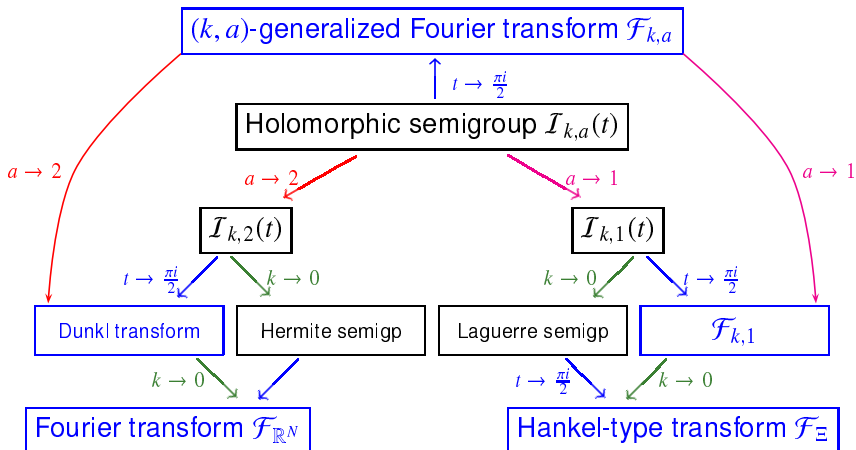
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## Deformation theory of Fourier transform

- Generalized Fourier transform  $\mathcal{F}_{k,a}$  [C.R.A.S. Paris \(2009\)](#)
- Laguerre semigroup and Dunkl operators 74 pp.  
[Compositio Math \(to appear\)](#), with Ben Saïd and Bent Ørsted
- Inversion and holomorphic extension  
[R. Howe 60th birthday volume \(2007\), 65 pp.](#) with Mano

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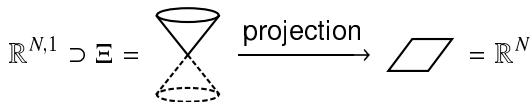
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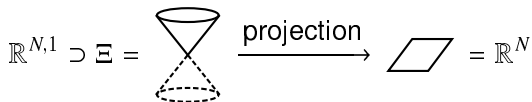




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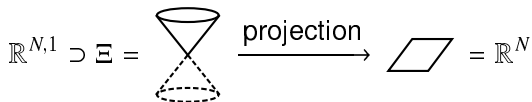
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“Laguerre semigroup” ([\[K–Mano\]](#), 2007)

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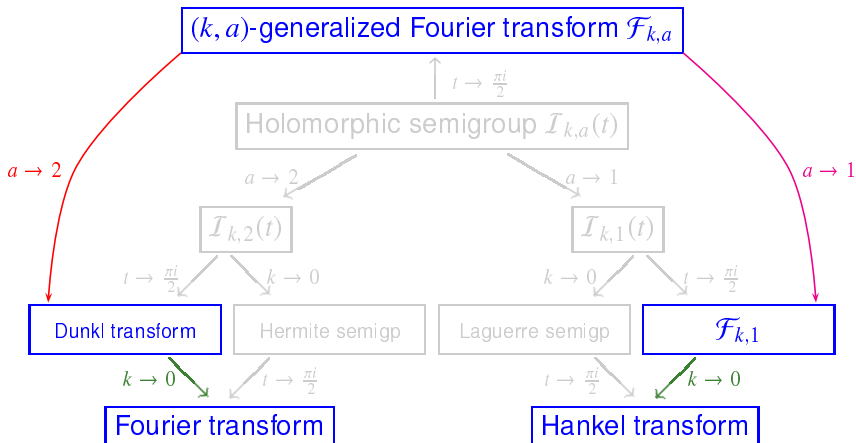
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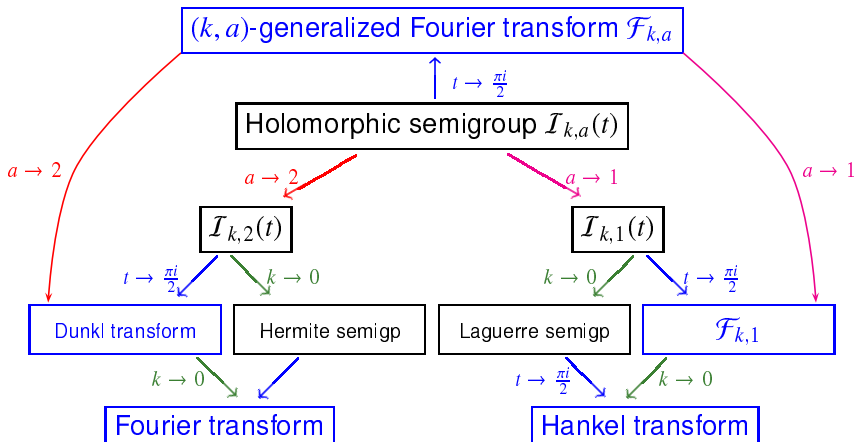
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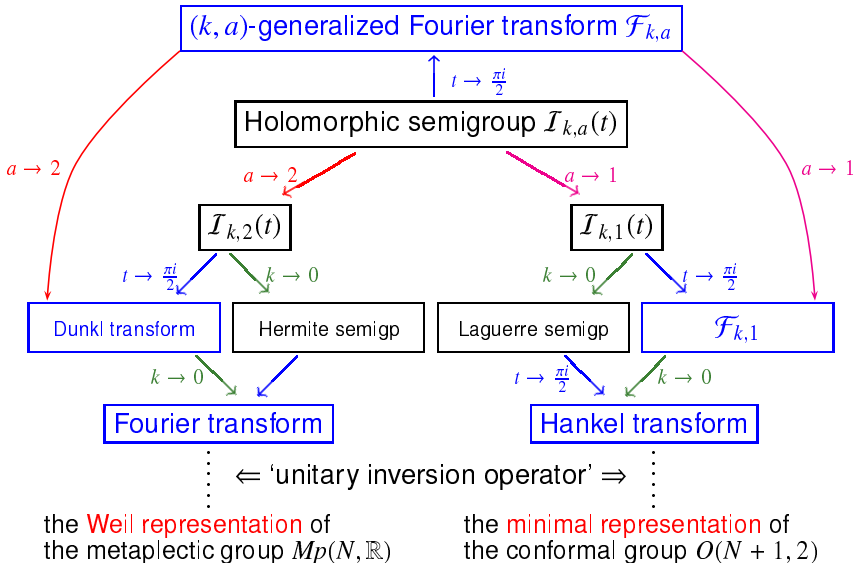
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## Generalized Fourier transform $\mathcal{F}_{k,a}$

$$\mathcal{F}_{k,a} = c \mathcal{I}_{k,a} \left( \frac{\pi i}{2} \right) = c \exp \left( \frac{\pi i}{2a} (|x|^{2-a} \Delta_k - |x|^a) \right)$$

Thm G (with Ben Saïd, Ørsted, to appear)

- 1)  $\mathcal{F}_{k,a}$  is a unitary operator
- 2)  $\mathcal{F}_{0,2}$  = Fourier transform on  $\mathbb{R}^N$   
 $\mathcal{F}_{k,a}$  = Dunkl transform on  $\mathbb{R}^N$   
 $\mathcal{F}_{0,1}$  = Hankel-type transform on  $L^2(\mathbb{S}^N)$
- 3)  $\mathcal{F}_{k,a}$  is of finite order  $\iff a \in \mathbb{Q}$
- 4)  $\mathcal{F}_{k,a}$  intertwines  $|x|^a$  and  $-|x|^{2-a} \Delta_k$

$\implies$  generalization of classical identities such as Hecke identity, Bochner identity, Parseval–Plancherel formulas, Weber's second exponential integral, etc.

## Heisenberg-type inequality

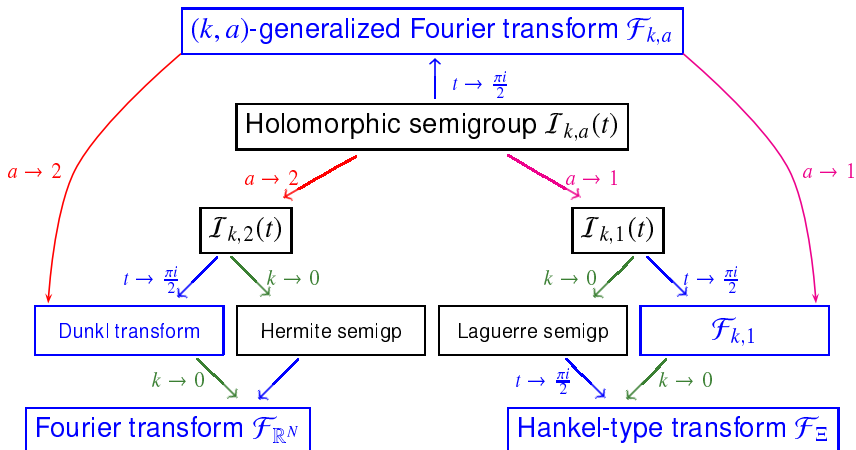
Thm H ([2]) (Heisenberg inequality)

$$\| |x|^{\frac{a}{2}} f(x) \|_k \| |\xi|^{\frac{a}{2}} (\mathcal{F}_{k,a} f)(\xi) \|_k \geq \frac{2(k)+N+a-2}{2} \| f(x) \|_k^2$$

- $k \equiv 0, a = 2$        $\cdots$  Weyl–Pauli–Heisenberg inequality  
for Fourier transform  $\mathcal{F}_{\mathbb{R}^N}$
- $k$ : general,  $a = 2$        $\cdots$  Heisenberg inequality for Dunkl  
transform  $\mathcal{D}_k$  (Rösler, Shimeno)
- $k \equiv 0, a = 1, N = 1$        $\cdots$  Heisenberg inequality for Hankel  
transform



# Special values of holomorphic semigroup $\mathcal{I}_{k,a}(t)$

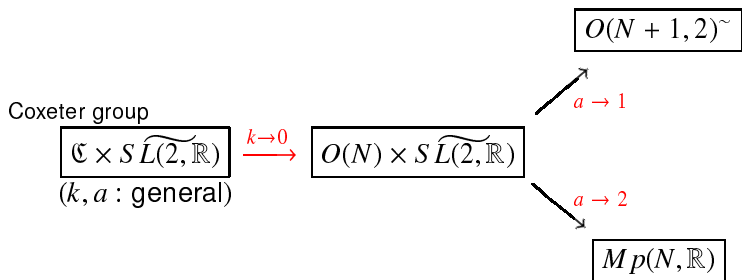


⋮  $\Leftarrow$  'unitary inversion operator'  $\Rightarrow$  ⋮

the **Weil representation** of  
the metaplectic group  $Mp(N, \mathbb{R})$

the **minimal representation** of  
the conformal group  $O(N + 1, 2)$

## Hidden symmetries in $L^2(\mathbb{R}^N, \vartheta_{k,a}(x)dx)$



## Minimal $\Leftrightarrow$ Maximal

### (Ambitious) Project:

Use minimal reps to get an inspiration in finding new interactions with other fields of mathematics.

### Viewpoint:

Minimal representation ( $\Leftarrow$  group)  
 $\approx$  **Maximal symmetries** ( $\Leftarrow$  rep. space)

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