

Confluence and versal unfolding Pfaffian systems

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Some corrections indicated by red.

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$$D_{r,3} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ 1 & s_{3,1} & s_{3,12} & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ 0 & 1 & s_{4,1} + s_{3,2} & s_{4,12} & 0 & \dots \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots \end{pmatrix} \quad (4.12)$$

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Then we remark that

$$\begin{aligned} D'_{r,k,i,j}(\mathbf{a}') &= \sum_{\nu=1}^r T'_{i,\nu}(\mathbf{a}') S'_{\nu,k}(\mathbf{a}') S'_{\nu,j}(\mathbf{a}') = D_{r,k,i+1,j+1}(\mathbf{a})|_{a_1=0} = D'_{r,j+1,i,k-1}(\mathbf{a}') \quad (5.9) \\ &= \sum_{\nu=\max\{k, j+1\}}^i t_{\nu+1, \{k, k+1, \dots, i+1\} \setminus \{\nu+1\}} s'_{\nu+1, \{2, \dots, j\}}, \end{aligned}$$

$$T'_{i,\nu}(\mathbf{a}') S'_{\nu,j}(\mathbf{a}') = T_{i-1,\nu-1}(\mathbf{a}') S_{\nu-1,j-1}(\mathbf{a}') \quad (5.10)$$

and we get the following lemma by the same way as in the proof of the previous lemma.

Lemma 5.1. i) $D'_{r,k,i,j}(\mathbf{a}')$ are homogeneous polynomials of \mathbf{a}' with degree $j+k-i-1$. In particular

$$D'_{r,k,i,j}(\mathbf{a}') = \begin{cases} 0 & (i+1 < k \text{ or } i < j \text{ or } i > j+k-1), \\ 1 & (i = j+k-1). \end{cases}$$

The following proposition may be added at the end of §4 (p.131).

Proposition 4.4. The polynomials $D_{r,k,i,j}(\mathbf{a})$ ($1 \leq i \leq r, 1 \leq j \leq r, 1 \leq k \leq r$) are given by

$$D_{r,k,i,j}(\mathbf{a}) = \begin{cases} 0 & (L < 0 \text{ or } i < j \text{ or } i < k), \\ 1 & (L = 0), \\ \sum_{0 \leq \nu_1 \leq \nu_2 \leq \dots \leq \nu_L \leq i-k} \prod_{p=1}^L (a_{i-\nu_p} - a_{\nu_p+p}) & (L > 0, i \geq j, i \geq k), \end{cases} \quad (4.19)$$

where $L = k + j - i - 1$.

Proof. Lemma 4.2 implies the first two cases in (4.19). Note that

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{\nu=k}^i \frac{s_{\nu, \{1, \dots, j-1\}}}{s_{\nu, \{k, k+1, \dots, i\} \setminus \{\nu\}}} &= \frac{(a_k - a_{j-1})s_{k, \{1, \dots, j-2\}}}{s_{k, \{k+1, \dots, i\}}} + \sum_{\nu=k+1}^i \frac{(a_{\nu} - a_{j-1})s_{\nu, \{1, \dots, j-2\}}}{(a_{\nu} - a_k)s_{\nu, \{k+1, \dots, i\} \setminus \{\nu\}}} \\ &= \frac{(a_k - a_{j-1})s_{k, \{1, \dots, j-2\}}}{s_{k, \{k+1, \dots, i\}}} + \sum_{\nu=k+1}^i \left(\frac{a_k - a_{j-1}}{a_{\nu} - a_k} + 1 \right) \frac{s_{\nu, \{1, \dots, j-2\}}}{s_{\nu, \{k+1, \dots, i\} \setminus \{\nu\}}} \\ &= \sum_{\nu=k+1}^i \frac{s_{\nu, \{1, \dots, j-2\}}}{s_{\nu, \{k+1, \dots, i\} \setminus \{\nu\}}} + \sum_{\nu=k}^i (a_k - a_{j-1}) \frac{s_{\nu, \{1, \dots, j-2\}}}{s_{\nu, \{k, k+1, \dots, i\} \setminus \{\nu\}}}, \end{aligned}$$

which shows the recursive relation

$$D_{r,k,i,j}(\mathbf{a}) = D_{r,k+1,i,j-1}(\mathbf{a}) + (a_k - a_{j-1})D_{r,k,i,j-1}(\mathbf{a}) \quad (k+j > i+1). \quad (4.20)$$

Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} D_{r,k,i,j}(\mathbf{a}) &= (a_k - a_{j-1})D_{r,k,i,j-1} + (a_{k+1} - a_{j-2})D_{r,k+1,i,j-2} + (a_{k+2} - a_{j-3})D_{r,k+2,i,j-3} + \dots \\ &= \sum_{\nu=0}^{\min\{i-k, j-2\}} (a_{k+\nu} - a_{j-1-\nu})D_{r,k+\nu,i,j-\nu-1} \\ &= \sum_{\mu=0}^{i-k} (a_{i-\mu} - a_{j+k-i-1+\mu})D_{r,i-\mu,i,j+k-i-1+\mu} \quad (\mu + \nu = i - k) \\ &= \sum_{\nu_L=0}^{i-k} (a_{i-\nu_L} - a_{L+\nu_L})D_{r,i-\nu_L,i,L+\nu_L} \quad (L := k + j - i - 1, \nu_L = \mu) \\ &= \sum_{\nu_L=0}^{i-k} (a_{i-\nu_L} - a_{L+\nu_L}) \sum_{\nu_{L-1}}^{\nu_L} (a_{i-\nu_{L-1}} - a_{L-1+\nu_{L-1}})D_{r,i-\nu_{L-1},i,L-1+\nu_{L-1}} \\ &= \dots \\ &= \sum_{0 \leq \nu_1 \leq \nu_2 \leq \dots \leq \nu_L \leq i-k} (a_{i-\nu_L} - a_{L+\nu_L})(a_{i-\nu_{L-1}} - a_{L-1+\nu_{L-1}}) \dots (a_{i-\nu_1} - a_{1+\nu_1}), \end{aligned}$$

which means (4.19) □