

GEOMETRIC WEYL QUANTIZATION

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1 Introduction

Following on the quantization by groupoids program as a way to obtain an integral product which would deform the multiplication of the Poisson algebra of functions on a symplectic manifold M as in Weinstein [5]. We search for a product of the general form

$$(fg)(z) = \int_{M \times M} f(x)g(y)K(x, y, z)dx dy,$$

with a kernel K_{\hbar} , depending on the deformation parameter \hbar , of the kind $K_{\hbar}(x, y, z) = \hbar^{\dim M} \cdot \exp(iS(x, y, z)/\hbar)$, eventually multiplied by an "amplitude" $A(x, y, z)$, where the function $S(x, y, z)$ could be the symplectic area of a surface whose boundary is the geodesic triangle for which the points x, y and z are the midpoints of its sides, generalizing what is known for \mathbb{R}^{2n} .

In this present work, we will derive such a formula (Moyal-Weyl integral product) for \mathbb{R}^2 with the euclidian connection and for \mathbb{R}^2 how a (non-metric) symplectic symmetric space (see [1] for details), by means of geometric quantization of the symplectic groupoid $M \times M$ and its prequantization as described in [6, 3].

2 Mathematical Results

Let (M, ω) be a symplectic manifold and let $\hbar \in \mathbb{R}^+$ be a parameter. Let (Y, θ) be a prequantization of $(M, \omega/\hbar)$, meaning that $\pi : Y \rightarrow M$ is a principal S^1 -bundle equipped with a connection form θ whose curvature is ω/\hbar . We let $L \rightarrow M$ be the associated complex line bundle over M with connection ∇ and compatible hermitian structure. It follows that we can identify Y with the subset of L of points of length 1. Now, consider a prequantization of the pair groupoid $M \times M$ the symplectic structure $(\omega, -\omega)$. We let $[L] \rightarrow M \times M$ be the associated complex line bundle with connection and compatible hermitian structure (see [2] for details).

Theorem 2.1. *Let the symplectic groupoid $G = \mathbb{R}^2 \times \overline{\mathbb{R}^2}$ of coordinates $(x_1, y_1; x_2, y_2)$, with which its symplectic form may be written as*

$$\Omega = dx_1 \wedge dy_1 - dx_2 \wedge dy_2.$$

If P is a central (real) polarization and F is a trivial (real) polarization of the $\mathbb{R}^2 \times \overline{\mathbb{R}^2}$ such that F and P are nontransverse. Then for the two sections $\alpha \in \Gamma_F([L] \otimes Q^F)$ and $\beta \in \Gamma_P([L] \otimes Q^P)$

$$\langle \alpha, \beta \rangle_{\hbar} = \langle f, Tg \rangle_{L^2(\mathbb{R}^2)}, \quad \text{where}$$

- In the case of the Euclidean plane, we have: $Tg(x_1, x_2) = (2\pi\hbar)^{-1} \int_{\mathbb{R}} g(\frac{x_1-x_2}{2}, \xi) \exp(i\frac{\xi}{\hbar}(x_2 - x_1)) d\xi$
- In the case of the Bieliavsky plane (see [1]) we have:

$$Tg(x_1, x_2) = (2\pi\hbar)^{-1} \int_{\mathbb{R}} g(\frac{x_1+x_2}{2}, \xi) \exp(2i\frac{\xi}{\hbar} \sinh \frac{(x_2-x_1)}{2}) \cosh^{\frac{1}{2}}(\frac{(x_2-x_1)}{2}) d\xi$$

- $\alpha = f \cdot s_0 \otimes \sqrt{d\alpha_1}$ and $\beta = g \cdot t_0 \otimes \sqrt{d\beta_1}$, such that s_0, t_0 are nonvanishing sections of L and $\sqrt{d\alpha_1}, \sqrt{d\beta_1}$ are half-forms on $\mathbb{R}^2 \times \overline{\mathbb{R}^2}$ associated with P, F respectively.

- $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_h$ is the pairing of two sections $t \otimes \sqrt{\alpha_1} \in \Gamma_F([L] \otimes Q^F)$, $s \otimes \sqrt{\beta_1} \in \Gamma_P([L] \otimes Q^P)$ given by $\langle t \otimes \sqrt{\alpha_1}, s \otimes \sqrt{\beta_1} \rangle_h = \int (t, s) \langle \sqrt{\alpha_1}, \sqrt{\beta_1} \rangle_{PR}$, where (\cdot, \cdot) is the Hermitian metric on $[L]$ and $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_{PR}$ is the pairing of half-forms.

Remark 2.1. If the symplectic groupoid $G = \mathbb{R}^2 \times \overline{\mathbb{R}}^2$ has coordinates $(x_1, y_1; x_2, y_2)$ the polarization F above is generated for $\{\partial y_1, \partial y_2\}$, and the product groupoid is: $(x_1, y_1; x_3, y_3) = (x_1, y_1; x_2, y_2) \cdot (x_2, y_2; x_3, y_3)$.

Let $\alpha = f \cdot s_0 \otimes \sqrt{\alpha_1}$, $\beta = g \cdot s_0 \otimes \sqrt{\beta_1}$ in $\Gamma_P([L] \otimes Q^P)$, we define $\Upsilon(\alpha) = Tf(x_1, x_2) s_0(x_1, y_1, x_2, y_2) \otimes \sqrt{dx_1 \wedge dx_2}$ and $\Upsilon(\beta) = Tg(x_2, x_3) s_0(x_2, y_2, x_3, y_3) \otimes \sqrt{dx_2 \wedge dx_3}$, sections in the $\Gamma_F([L] \otimes Q^F)$. Analogously if $\rho = h \cdot t_0 \otimes \sqrt{\rho_1}$ is a section in $\Gamma_F([L] \otimes Q^F)$, we define $\Upsilon^{-1}(\rho) = T^{-1}h \cdot s_0 \otimes \sqrt{\rho'_1}$ a section in $\Gamma_P([L] \otimes Q^P)$, where $\sqrt{\rho'_1}$ is the generator of Q^P . Now consider a new section of $[L]$ by

$$\begin{aligned} \Upsilon(\alpha) \odot \Upsilon(\beta)(x_1, y_1, x_3, y_3) &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} Tf(x_1, x_2) Tg(x_2, x_3) t_0(x_1, y_1, x_2, y_2) \odot t_0(x_2, y_2, x_3, y_3) dx_2 \otimes \sqrt{dx_1 \wedge dx_3} \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} Tf(x_1, x_2) Tg(x_2, x_3) dx_2 t_0(x_1, y_1, x_3, y_3) \otimes \sqrt{dx_1 \wedge dx_3}. \end{aligned}$$

Then $\Upsilon^{-1}(\Upsilon(\alpha) \odot \Upsilon(\beta)) = (f \star_h^0 g) \cdot s_0 \otimes \sqrt{\rho'_1}$, where \star_h^0 is the Moyal-Weyl product, i.e.

$$(u \star_h^0 v)(x) = \frac{1}{\hbar^{2n}} \int_{\mathbb{R}^{2n} \times \mathbb{R}^{2n}} u(y)v(z) e^{-\frac{2i}{\hbar} S^0(x, y, z)}$$

where

$$S^0(x, y, z) = \omega^0(x, y) + \omega^0(y, z) + \omega^0(z, x).$$

In the case of the Bieliavsky plane(see [1]) we have that $(u \star_h^B v)(x_0)$ is:

$$\frac{1}{\hbar^2} \int_{\mathbb{R}^2 \times \mathbb{R}^2} \sqrt{\cosh(a_0 - a_1) \cosh(a_1 - a_2) \cosh(a_2 - a_0)} e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} [l_2 \sinh(a_0 - a_1) + l_1 \sinh(a_2 - a_0) + l_0 \sinh(a_1 - a_2)]} u(x_1)v(x_2) dx_1 dx_2$$

The basic information mentioned above about the polarization and prequantization is to be found in [4] while additional information on the central polarization, central polarized sections and the product section \odot can be found in [2].

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