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fermion generating fun.

$$\text{Dirac fermions } e^{-\Gamma(A)} = \int_{\bar{\psi}\psi} e^{-\int \bar{\psi} i \not{D} \psi} \quad \not{D} = \not{\partial} + A \quad = \det(i\not{D})$$

classically this has invariance under  $\psi \rightarrow e^{i\alpha \gamma_5} \psi$   
 $\bar{\psi} \rightarrow \bar{\psi} e^{i\alpha \gamma_5}$   
leads to <sup>conserved</sup> current  $\partial_\mu (\bar{\psi} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 \psi) = 0$

Fujikawa: Change in measure corresp. to these gauge transf.

$$\sum_n \bar{\psi}_n \gamma_5 \psi_n e^{-\lambda_n^2/m^2} = \text{tr} \left( \gamma_5 e^{-\not{D}^2/m^2} \right)$$

$$\text{Thus } \partial_\mu j_5^\mu = \frac{(i)^n}{(2\pi)^n} \frac{1}{2^n n!} \text{tr}(F^n) \quad (\text{axial anomaly})$$

Now for non-abelian anomaly

$$\frac{1 \pm \gamma_5}{2} = P_\pm$$

$$\not{D}_\pm = \not{D} P_\pm$$

$$D_+ : \Delta_+ \rightarrow \Delta_-$$

Weyl fermions

$$\int e^{-S} = \int e^{-\int \bar{\psi} i \not{D}_+ \psi} \stackrel{?}{=} \det i \not{D} \quad \text{doesn't give a eigenvalue problem}$$

$$\text{Instead put } \hat{D} = \not{D}_+ + \not{D}_- = \not{D} + A_+ = \begin{pmatrix} \not{D}_- & \\ & \not{D}_+ \end{pmatrix}$$

$\hat{D}$  non-hermitian so has  $\infty$  eigenvalues

$$|\det \hat{D}^2| = \det(\not{D}_- \not{D}_+) \det(\not{D} \not{D}) = \text{const} \sqrt{\det \not{D}^2}$$

So  $|\det \hat{D}^2|$  is gauge-invariant ( $\exists$  gauge-invariant PV regularization procedure). Also eigenvalues of  $\hat{D}$  occur in pairs  $\pm \lambda$  because  $\hat{D}$  anti-commutes with  $\gamma_5$ .

Gauge transf.  $\psi_+ \rightarrow g \psi_+$   
 $\psi_- \rightarrow \psi_- - v \psi_+$   $g = e^{-v}$

$$\Gamma(A - DV) = \Gamma(A) + \int v^a D_\mu \frac{\delta \Gamma}{\delta A_\mu^a}$$

Again anomalous contribution from the measure

$$\int v^a D_\mu \frac{\delta \Gamma}{\delta A_\mu^a} = \int dx \text{tr} v \gamma_5 e^{-\frac{1}{M^2} \hat{D}^2}$$

4 dims

$$= \frac{1}{24\pi^2} \int \text{tr} v d(A dA + \frac{1}{2} A^3)$$

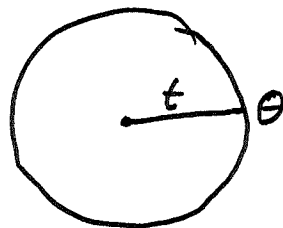
Interesting question is why does one obtain the Chern-Simons form out of the analytical procedure.

$S^{2n}$ ,  $x^\mu$  coords.,  $A$  fixed gauge field no zero modes

$$A^\theta = g^{-1} (d_x + A) g \quad g(\theta, x) : S^1 \times S^{2n} \rightarrow G$$

2 parameter family

$$A^{t, \theta} = t A^\theta$$



How does  $\det(\hat{D}^{t, \theta})$  behave?

$$\det(\hat{D}^{t, \theta}) = \underbrace{\sqrt{\det \hat{D}(A)}}_{\text{gauge-inv.}} e^{iW(A, \theta)}$$

$$\text{Winding no. of } W(\theta) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int d\theta \frac{dW}{d\theta}$$

To derive a formula for  $\frac{dW}{d\theta}$  which uses the Chern-Simons form. This then explains the connection between anomalies (phase of  $W$ ) and Chern-Simons.

Look at the points  $(t, \theta)$  in the disk where  $\hat{D}^{t, \theta}$  has zero. Have a winding number of  $W$  at each such point. This <sup>local</sup> winding number depends only on the winding number of the smallest eigenvalue around ~~the~~ the points - can assume only one zero mode (or maybe 2?) by genericity.

$$2n+2 \quad x^n, t, \theta \quad \mathcal{D}_{2n+2} = \sum_{a=1}^{2n+1} (\partial_a + A_a) \Gamma^a$$

$$\Gamma^\mu = \sigma_1 \otimes \gamma^n$$

$$\Gamma^{2n+1} = \sigma_1 \otimes \gamma_5$$

$$\Gamma^{2n} = \sigma_2 \otimes 1$$

$$A_\mu^{t, \theta} = A_\mu(t, \theta) dx^\mu$$

$$A_\theta = A_t = 0$$

Actually one completes the disk  $D^2 \times S^{2n}$  to  $S^2 \times S^{2n}$  using  $g(t, \theta)$ . Get non-trivial bdd

$$\therefore \text{ind}(\mathcal{D}_{2n+2}) \neq 0$$

$$\text{Consider } \mathcal{D}_{2n+2}^\varepsilon = \frac{1}{\varepsilon} D_\mu \Gamma^\mu + D_i \Gamma^i$$

Take  $\varepsilon$  being very small  $\Rightarrow S^{2n}$  small +  $S^2$  large

The index is invariant under deformation. 4

To analyze zero modes I define a Hamiltonian

$$H_\varepsilon = (i D_{2n+2}^\varepsilon)^2 = \frac{1}{\varepsilon^2} \mathbb{1} \times (i D_{2n})^2 + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} + \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \Gamma^i \Gamma^\mu \partial_i A_\mu$$

$$\int dt \int dx \mathcal{F}^{n+1} = \int dx \omega_{2n}^1(A^0, F^\theta) \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{1-form} \\ \text{on } S^1 \end{array}$$

$$\mathcal{F} = (dx + d_\varepsilon + d_\theta) A^{t\theta} + (A^{t\theta})^2$$

In adiabatic approximation using  $\psi_+$   $\psi_-$  for zero modes of  $D_{2n}$ .

$$H_\varepsilon = -\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \varphi_1^2} - \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \varphi_2^2} + \frac{1}{\varepsilon^2} (|z_1|^2 \varphi_1^2 + |z_2|^2 \varphi_2^2) + \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \begin{pmatrix} \chi z_1^* + i z_2^* \\ \chi z_1 - i z_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Principle:  $\int_{S^2} \eta_1(L) =$  winding no. of  $W$  old index thm.

$$= \sum_{\substack{\text{local winding} \\ \text{critical} \\ \text{points}}} \text{no} = \underset{\substack{\text{molecular} \\ \downarrow \\ \text{physics}}}{\text{ind}(D^{2n+2})} = \int_{S^2 \times S^1} \mathcal{F}^{n+1}$$

$$= \int_{S^1} \int_{S^n} \text{Ch-Simons}$$

Prepare graduate class: The goal is the proposition: that an invariant diff. form on  $G$  is the same thing as a natural transf. from flat connections on the trivial bundle to forms on the base.

Instead of saying trivial bundle, I could say principal bundles  $P$  with section  $s$ .

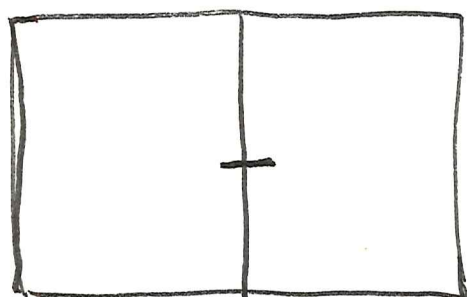
The process goes as follows:

$$\Lambda \mathfrak{g}^* \xrightarrow{\text{flat connection}} \Omega(P) \xrightarrow{s^*} \Omega(Y).$$

Then you could say that ~~it suffices to prove~~ one gets a 1-1 corresp. without actually formulating the prop.

For today's lecture I want to define  $d$  on  $\Lambda \mathfrak{g}^*$ .

Describe connection geometrically as a selection of horizontal space



$$0 \rightarrow T_\pi \rightarrow T_P \rightarrow \pi^* T_M \rightarrow 0$$

$\uparrow$   
 $\mathfrak{g}$

So we get  $\Omega_P^1 \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}^* \otimes \Omega_P^0$

$$\omega \mapsto (x \mapsto \iota_x \omega)$$

Define connection to be a

$$\text{or } \theta \in \Omega^1(P, \mathfrak{g}) = \Omega^1(P) \otimes \mathfrak{g}$$

map  $\mathfrak{g}^* \rightarrow \Omega_P^1$

Such that  $\uparrow$  right-invariant:  $L_x \theta + [X, \theta] = 0$

and  $\iota_x \theta = X.$