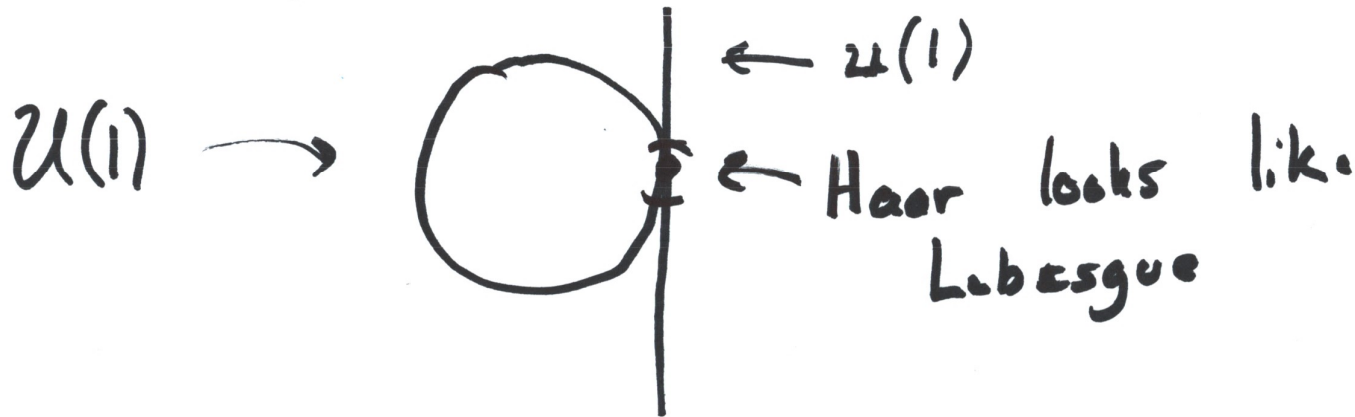


Lecture 10

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0. Summary of last class

- e^x maps vector space \mathfrak{g} to group G ← Lie algebra
- $e^x \approx I + x$ for small x , so $e^x e^y \approx I + (x + y)$ ← linearizes group action near identity
- e^x maps Lebesgue measure on \mathfrak{g} to approx. of Haar measure on G , for small $x \in \mathfrak{g} \Leftrightarrow e^x$ near I .



To be proved: Weyl formula for density of e -values (2)

1. More preliminaries

Claim: $U(N) \subseteq \text{Mat}_{N \times N}(\mathbb{C}) \cong \mathbb{R}^{2N^2}$ has
dim. N^2 as a real manifold.

Why? Gram-Schmidt $\Rightarrow U(N)$ parametrized
by $S^{2N-1} \times S^{2N-3} \times \dots \times S^3 \times S^1$
of dim. N^2

Prop: If $k \in U(N)$ is random with any distribution, and
 $m \in U(N)$ is independent and Haar dist.

km has Haar dist; so does mk

Implies:

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Claim: For $g \in \mathcal{U}(N)$ Haar dist.

$g \stackrel{\text{dist.}}{\sim} h t h^{-1}$ with $h \in \mathcal{U}(N)$ Haar dist. \setminus independent
 t diagonal $N \times N$, $/$
entries have same joint dist as e-values of g

Why? $g = k t k^{-1}$ for $k \in \mathcal{U}(N)$, dependent on t
e-values \rightarrow

$m \in \mathcal{U}(N)$ } But conjugation $m g m^{-1}$ does not change dist.
Haar } of g , and $m(k t k^{-1}) m^{-1} = (mk) t (mk)^{-1}$ has
dist } $h t h^{-1}$ we want.

Claim: Dist. of e-values is given by $\textcircled{4}$
a continuous prob. density function:

$$E f(\omega_1, \dots, \omega_N) = \int_{[-\pi, \pi]^N} f(e^{i\theta_1}, \dots, e^{i\theta_N}) p_N(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_N) d\theta_1 \dots d\theta_N$$

e-values of random unitary for some continuous p_N

Why? All combinations of e-values possible,
use translation invariance of Haar.

Def: $\text{Diag} = N \times N$ diagonal matrices,
real entries

$\text{Herm}' = N \times N$ Hermitian matrices,
vanishing entries on diagonal

} real dim. N \mathbb{C}
vector
space dim. $N^2 - N$

Lemma: If $t = \text{diag}(e^{it_1}, \dots, e^{it_N})$ has all e^{it_j} distinct,
any $g \in \mathcal{U}(N)$ with $\|g - t\| \leq \epsilon$ for suff. small ϵ

has a unique expression as

$$g = e^{iH} t e^{iD} e^{-iH}$$

for $D \in \text{Diag}$
 $H \in \text{Herm}'$

with $D, H = O(\epsilon)$.

Computation: For $t = \text{diag}(e^{it_1}, \dots, e^{it_N})$ (6)

define

$L: \text{Herm}' \rightarrow \text{Herm}'$ by $L(H) = tHt^{-1} - H$

Then $|\det(L)| = \prod_{1 \leq j < k \leq N} |e^{it_j} - e^{it_k}|^2$

(To be done soon: note if e^{it_j} distinct $\Rightarrow \det(L) \neq 0$ and L invertible)

Proof of Lemma via computation:

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For $H, D = O(\epsilon)$,

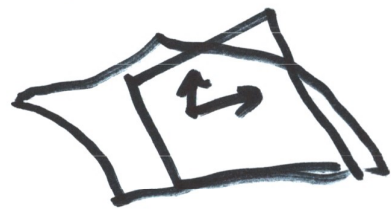
$$e^{iH} t e^{iD} e^{-iH} \approx (I+iH)t(I+iD)(I-iH) + O(\epsilon^2)$$

$$\approx t + iHt + itD - itH + O(\epsilon^2)$$

$$= t + it(D + t^{-1}Ht - H) + O(\epsilon^2)$$

$$= t + it \left(\begin{pmatrix} I & \\ & L \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} P \\ H \end{pmatrix} \right) + O(\epsilon^2)$$

$\begin{pmatrix} I & \\ & L \end{pmatrix}$ is invertible, so small changes in $\begin{pmatrix} P \\ H \end{pmatrix}$ take N^2 dim. space to N^2 dim. space



Inv. func. thm. \Rightarrow g close to t has unique expression in D, H .

(What we've done is computed the
Jacobian of $\begin{pmatrix} D \\ H \end{pmatrix} \mapsto e^{iH} t e^{iD} e^{-iH}$ at $\begin{pmatrix} D \\ H \end{pmatrix} = 0$) \mathbb{C}
Jacobian
 $\det \begin{pmatrix} I \\ L \end{pmatrix}$