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**Abstract:** The Schwartz kernel representation  $(A \mapsto K_A) : \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}) \to \mathcal{H} \widehat{\otimes} \mathcal{H}'$ endows the space of continuous linear operators on a nuclear Hopf-Fréchet algebra  $\mathcal{H}$  with a natural Hopf algebra structure. We study pseudodifferential symbolic calculus on a compact Lie group G related to the function Hopf algebra  $\mathcal{H} := \mathcal{D}(G)$ .

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### 1 Introduction

Hopf algebras were introduced by Heinz Hopf in 1941, in the context of algebraic topology. Somewhat simplified, a Hopf algebra is an algebra for which the dual space is also an algebra so that the duality pairing is intertwined in a subtle symmetric way. Examples range from group algebras, their duals, and universal enveloping algebras to deformations of such structures.

The study of Hopf algebras can be considered as a kind of non-commutative geometry, stemming out from the 19th century observations of polynomial rings. Indeed, by the work of Hilbert and others, many commutative rings were realized as function algebras — recall the Gelfand theory of commutative Banach algebras culminating this line of thought in early 1940s: For a commutative unital C\*-algebra  $\mathcal{A}$ , let  $X := \text{Hom}(\mathcal{A}, \mathbb{C})$ . The Gelfand transform of  $f \in \mathcal{A}$  is  $\hat{f} : X \to \mathbb{C}$  defined by  $\hat{f}(x) := x(f)$ . If X is endowed with the weakest topology such that  $\hat{\mathcal{A}} := \{\hat{f} \mid f \in \mathcal{A}\} \subset C(X)$  then it is a compact Hausdorff space and  $C(X) = \hat{\mathcal{A}} \cong \mathcal{A}$ . That is,  $\mathcal{A}$  is essentially an algebra of functions.

Hence, commutative algebra is closely related to geometry: instead of a space, we can study the function algebra on it. Non-commutative geometry is a concept referring to the study of not necessarily commutative algebras. We may associate C\*-algebras to non-commutative topology (commutative case: C(X)), von Neumann algebras to non-commutative measure theory (commutative case:  $L^{\infty}(X)$ ), and Lipschitz-algebras to non-commutative metric theory (commutative case: Lip(X)) (see [7]).

What if  $\operatorname{Hom}(\mathcal{A}, \mathbb{C})$  of a commutative C\*-algebra  $\mathcal{A}$  has a structure of a topological group? The group axioms give rise to operations on the algebra, and these new operations have natural symmetries reflected in the algebra; generalizing this to the non-commutative case, Hopf algebras arise. Nevertheless, Hopf algebras provide a satisfying duality theory for algebraic structures much more general than just groups. Purely algebraic Hopf theory is often spiced up with topology, and there are Hopf-von Neumann algebras, Hopf C\*-algebras, Hopf-Fréchet algebras, etc.

In the sequel, we study Hopf algebras inspired by symbolic calculus of pseudodifferential operators on a compact Lie group G. There the Hopf algebra  $\mathcal{H}$  is the nuclear Fréchet algebra  $\mathcal{D}(G)$  of functions  $f \in C^{\infty}(G)$ ; the pseudodifferential operators that map  $\mathcal{H}$  to  $\mathcal{H}$  form a subalgebra of  $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H})$ . Instead of studying an operator  $A \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H})$ , we study its symbol  $\sigma_A : G \to \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H})$ , in some sense a less complicated object. The symbol of a pseudodifferential operator composition is approximately the product of the symbols,  $\sigma_{AB}(x) = \sigma_A(x)\sigma_B(x) + \ldots$ , and the symbol of the adjoint operator is almost the adjoint of the original symbol,  $\sigma_{A^*}(x) = \sigma_A(x)^* + \ldots$  Often just these first term approximations are studied, discarding the remainders. Thus a distorted composition  $A \star B$  can be defined by  $\sigma_{A\star B}(x) := \sigma_B(x)\sigma_A(x)$ , and a distorted adjoint  $A^*$  by  $\sigma_{A^*}(x) := \sigma_A(x)^*$ . But it turns out that  $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H})$  has analogies of all the other Hopf operations as well.

### 2 Schwartz Kernel Theorem.

Schwartz Kernel Theorem [5]. For nuclear Fréchet spaces and their duals the projective and injective tensor products coincide, and in the sequel  $\widehat{\otimes}$  refers to these topological tensor products. Let  $\mathcal{H}$  be a nuclear Fréchet space and  $A \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H})$ . The Schwartz kernel  $K_A \in \mathcal{H} \widehat{\otimes} \mathcal{H}'$  of A is defined by

$$\langle A\phi, f \rangle =: \langle K_A, f \otimes \phi \rangle$$

for every  $\phi \in \mathcal{H}$  and  $f \in \mathcal{H}' := \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}, \mathbb{C})$ , where the duality brackets are for  $\mathcal{H} \times \mathcal{H}'$  and  $(\mathcal{H} \widehat{\otimes} \mathcal{H}') \times (\mathcal{H}' \widehat{\otimes} \mathcal{H})$ , respectively. Then the mapping

 $(A \mapsto K(A) = K_A) : \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}) \to \mathcal{H} \widehat{\otimes} \mathcal{H}'$ 

is a continuous linear isomorphism, for which

$$K_{BAC} = (B \otimes C')K_A,$$

where  $C' \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}')$  is the adjoint of C, defined by  $\langle \phi, C'f \rangle := \langle C\phi, f \rangle$ .

### 3 Hopf algebras

Basic treatises of Hopf algebras are [2] and [1]. We shall use the following convention: all the vector spaces encountered in this paper are over the complex field  $\mathbb{C}$ , and  $V \otimes W$  denotes the tensor product of vector spaces. We shall constantly identify the vector spaces  $\mathbb{C} \otimes V$  and  $V \otimes \mathbb{C}$  with V by respective mappings  $\mu \otimes v \mapsto \mu v$  and  $v \otimes \mu \mapsto \mu v$ . The identity mapping in a vector space is denoted by I. The linear interchanging operator  $\tau : V \otimes W \to$  $W \otimes V$  is defined by  $\tau(v \otimes w) := w \otimes v$ .

Algebra. An algebra  $\mathcal{A} = (\mathcal{A}, m, \eta)$  consists of a vector space  $\mathcal{A}$  with linear mappings  $m : \mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{A} \to \mathcal{A}$  (the product or multiplication) and  $\eta : \mathbb{C} \to \mathcal{A}$  (the unit), satisfying

$$m(m \otimes I) = m(I \otimes m)$$

(associativity of the product) and

$$m(\eta \otimes I) = I = m(I \otimes \eta)$$

(the unit of the algebra; notice the identifications  $\mathbb{C} \otimes V = V = V \otimes \mathbb{C}$ ). We shall use the following abbreviations:  $m(f \otimes g) = fg$  and  $\eta(1) = \mathbb{I}$ . Then the algebra axioms are written as (fg)h = f(gh) (= fgh) and  $\mathbb{I}f = f = f\mathbb{I}$ . The algebra is *commutative* if  $m = m\tau$ . If  $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B}$  are algebras then there is a natural *tensor product algebra*  $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$  with the unit

$$\eta_{\mathcal{A}\otimes\mathcal{B}}:=\eta_{\mathcal{A}}\otimes\eta_{\mathcal{B}}$$

and with the product defined by

$$m_{\mathcal{A}\otimes\mathcal{B}} := (m_{\mathcal{A}}\otimes m_{\mathcal{B}})(I\otimes\tau\otimes I),$$

i.e.  $(a_1 \otimes b_1)(a_2 \otimes b_2) = (a_1a_2) \otimes (b_1b_2).$ 

**Co-algebra.** A co-algebra  $\mathcal{C} = (\mathcal{C}, \Delta, \varepsilon)$  consists of a vector space  $\mathcal{C}$  with linear mappings  $\Delta : \mathcal{C} \to \mathcal{C} \otimes \mathcal{C}$  (the co-product or co-multiplication) and  $\varepsilon : \mathcal{C} \to \mathbb{C}$  (the co-unit) satisfying

$$(\Delta \otimes I)\Delta = (I \otimes \Delta)\Delta$$

(co-associativity of the co-product) and

$$(\varepsilon \otimes I)\Delta = I = (I \otimes \varepsilon)\Delta$$

(the co-unit of the co-product). Notice that the co-algebra axioms are obtained by inverting the arrows of the commutative diagrams given by the algebra axioms; this is a dual concept. Co-algebra is called *co-commutative* if  $\Delta = \tau \Delta$ . The *tensor product co-algebra*  $\mathcal{C} \otimes \mathcal{D}$  of co-algebras  $\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{D}$  is endowed with operations

$$\varepsilon_{\mathcal{C}\otimes\mathcal{D}}:=\varepsilon_{\mathcal{C}}\otimes\varepsilon_{\mathcal{D}}$$

and

$$\Delta_{\mathcal{C}\otimes\mathcal{D}} := (I \otimes \tau \otimes I)(\Delta_{\mathcal{C}}\otimes \Delta_{\mathcal{D}}).$$

Now if  $\mathcal{A}$  is an algebra and  $\mathcal{C}$  is a co-algebra, we can define the *convolution* A \* B of operators  $A, B \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{A})$  by  $A * B := m(A \otimes B)\Delta$ .

**Bi-algebra.** A *bi-algebra*  $\mathcal{B} = (\mathcal{B}, m, \eta, \Delta, \varepsilon)$  is an algebra  $(\mathcal{B}, m, \eta)$  and a co-algebra  $(\mathcal{B}, \Delta, \varepsilon)$  such that

$$\Delta(fg) = \Delta(f)\Delta(g)$$

(the co-product is multiplicative, or the product is co-multiplicative),

$$\varepsilon(fg) = \varepsilon(f)\varepsilon(g)$$

( $\varepsilon$  is a multiplicative linear functional on  $\mathcal{B}$ ) and

$$\Delta(\mathbb{I}) = \mathbb{I} \otimes \mathbb{I}$$

(and thereby  $\varepsilon(\mathbb{I}) = 1$  follows). To state this in another way,  $\Delta$ ,  $\epsilon$  are algebra morphisms and  $m, \eta$  are co-algebra morphisms. Now  $\eta \varepsilon \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{B})$  is the neutral element with respect to the convolution product, i.e.  $A * (\eta \varepsilon) = A = (\eta \varepsilon) * A$ , and associativity of the convolution follows directly from both co-associativity of  $\Delta$  and associativity of m.

Hopf algebra. A Hopf algebra

$$\mathcal{H} = (\mathcal{H}, m, \eta, \Delta, \varepsilon, S)$$

is a bi-algebra  $(\mathcal{H}, m, \eta, \Delta, \varepsilon)$  with so called *antipode*  $S \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H})$  such that

$$I * S = \eta \varepsilon = S * I.$$

That is, S is the convolutive inverse of I. An *involutive Hopf algebra* is a Hopf algebra  $\mathcal{H}$  with involution  $j : \mathcal{H} \to \mathcal{H}$ ; i.e. j is conjugate-linear,  $j^2 = I$ , j(fg) = j(g)j(f) and  $(j \otimes j)\Delta = \Delta j$ .

**Group algebra example.** Let G be a compact Lie group,  $e \in G$  its neutral element. Let  $\mathcal{D}(G)$  be the space  $C^{\infty}(G)$  with the usual Fréchet space structure. We identify  $\mathcal{D}(G) \otimes \mathcal{D}(G)$  with a subspace of  $\mathcal{D}(G \times G)$ . Then the vector space  $\mathcal{D}(G)$  is endowed with co-algebra operations  $(\Delta \phi)(x, y) := \phi(xy)$  and  $\varepsilon(\phi) := \phi(e)$ . Hence the co-algebra axioms here correspond to the monoid axioms of the underlying space. Trivially, the usual multiplication and the unit  $\mathbb{I} \in \mathcal{D}(G)$  provide an algebra structure for  $\mathcal{D}(G)$ . Distribution  $f \in \mathcal{D}'(G)$  is a linear functional on  $\mathcal{D}(G)$ , acting by  $\langle \phi, f \rangle := \int_G \phi(x) f(x) d\mu_G(x)$ , where  $\mu_G$  is the Haar measure of G. Then the convolution  $f * g \in \mathcal{D}'(G) = \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{D}(G), \mathbb{C})$  of  $f, g \in \mathcal{D}'(G)$  defined as above coincides with the usual convolution:

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \phi, f * g \rangle &:= \langle \Delta \phi, f \otimes g \rangle \\ &= \int_{G \times G} \phi(xy) \ f(x) \ g(y) \ \mathrm{d}\mu_{G \times G}(x, y) \\ &= \int_{G} \phi(x) \ \int_{G} f(xy^{-1}) \ g(y) \ \mathrm{d}\mu_{G}(y) \ \mathrm{d}\mu_{G}(x). \end{aligned}$$

We notice that  $\mathcal{D}(G)$  is in fact a bi-algebra with its canonical mappings, and  $\eta \varepsilon(\phi) = \phi(e)\mathbb{I}$ ; the identity element with respect to the convolution is given essentially by the Dirac delta  $\delta_e$  at the neutral element  $e \in G$ . The group bialgebra  $\mathcal{D}(G)$  is a natural involutive Hopf algebra with the antipode defined by  $(S\phi)(x) := \phi(x^{-1})$  and the involution given by  $(j\phi)(x) := \overline{\phi(x)}$ . Thus here the antipode axiom is related to the existence and uniqueness of inverse elements in the underlying monoid. Notice also that  $\mathcal{D}(G) \widehat{\otimes} \mathcal{D}(G)$  can be identified with  $\mathcal{D}(G \times G)$ .

Hopf algebra in a nutshell: In short, if we denote  $m(A \otimes B)\Delta = A * B$ and  $\mathbb{I}_* = \eta \varepsilon$ , the axioms for a Hopf algebra  $\mathcal{H}$  are:

$$m(m \otimes I) = m(I \otimes m), \quad \eta(1) = \mathbb{I},$$
$$(\Delta \otimes I)\Delta = (I \otimes \Delta)\Delta, \quad I * \mathbb{I}_* = I = \mathbb{I}_* * I,$$
$$\Delta m = m_{\mathcal{H} \otimes \mathcal{H}}(\Delta \otimes \Delta) = (m \otimes m)\Delta_{\mathcal{H} \otimes \mathcal{H}}, \quad \varepsilon m = m_{\mathbb{C}}(\varepsilon \otimes \varepsilon),$$
$$\Delta(\mathbb{I}) = \mathbb{I} \otimes \mathbb{I}, \quad \varepsilon(\mathbb{I}) = 1,$$
$$I * S = \mathbb{I}_* = S * I,$$

all the mappings  $m, \eta, \Delta, \varepsilon, S$  being linear. The axioms for an involution j in an involutive Hopf algebra are then

$$jm = \tau(m \otimes m)j, \quad \Delta j = (j \otimes j)\Delta,$$

j being conjugate-linear.

Consequences of the Hopf axioms. It quite easily follows that S is anti-multiplicative and anti-co-multiplicative,

$$Sm = m(S \otimes S)\tau, \quad \Delta S = \tau(S \otimes S)\Delta,$$

and that

$$S\mathbb{I} = \mathbb{I}, \quad S\mathbb{I}_* = \mathbb{I}_* = \mathbb{I}_*S.$$

Furthermore, in an involutive Hopf algebra, the antipode has the inverse

 $S^{-1} = jSj.$ 

**Duality of Hopf algebras.** Let  $\mathcal{H}$  be a nuclear Hopf-Fréchet algebra, i.e. a nuclear Fréchet space and a Hopf algebra, with the algebraic tensor products replaced by the topological tensor products in the Hopf definitions. Then the dual space  $\mathcal{H}' = \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}, \mathbb{C})$  has a natural dual Hopf algebra structure. Indeed, we define the Hopf structure  $\mathcal{H}' = (\mathcal{H}', m, \eta, \Delta, \varepsilon, S)$  by dualities  $\mathcal{H} \times \mathcal{H}' \to \mathbb{C}$ ,  $(\mathcal{H} \widehat{\otimes} \mathcal{H}) \times (\mathcal{H} \widehat{\otimes} \mathcal{H})' \to \mathbb{C}$  and  $\mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}' \to \mathbb{C}$ , where  $(\mathcal{H} \widehat{\otimes} \mathcal{H})' \cong \mathcal{H}' \widehat{\otimes} \mathcal{H}'$  and  $\mathbb{C}' \cong \mathbb{C}$ :

$$\begin{split} \langle \phi, m(f \otimes g) \rangle &:= \langle \Delta \phi, f \otimes g \rangle, \\ \langle \phi, \eta(1) \rangle &:= \langle \varepsilon(\phi), 1 \rangle = \varepsilon(\phi), \\ \langle \phi \otimes \psi, \Delta f \rangle &:= \langle m(\phi \otimes \psi), f \rangle, \\ \langle 1, \varepsilon(f) \rangle &:= \langle \eta(1), f \rangle, \\ \langle \phi, Sf \rangle &:= \langle S\phi, f \rangle. \end{split}$$

If  $\mathcal{H}$  is an involutive Hopf algebra, we can endow the dual with an antipode by

$$\langle \phi, j(f) \rangle := j_{\mathbb{C}} \langle j(S\phi), f \rangle,$$

where  $j_{\mathbb{C}}: \mathbb{C} \to \mathbb{C}$  is the complex conjugation  $z \mapsto \overline{z}$ .

**Group algebra dual.** Let G be a compact Lie group and  $f, g \in \mathcal{D}'(G)$ . Then it is easy to verify that  $m(f \otimes g) = f * g \in \mathcal{D}'(G)$ , and that  $\eta(1) = \delta_e \in \mathcal{D}'(G)$  is the Dirac delta at  $e \in G$ . Moreover,  $\varepsilon f = \int_G f(x) d\mu_G(x)$  and  $Sf(x) = f(x^{-1})$  informally. The involution for distributions is given by  $(j(f))(x) = \overline{f(x^{-1})}$ . Notice that  $\mathcal{D}'(G) \otimes \mathcal{D}'(G)$  can be identified with  $\mathcal{D}'(G \times G)$ .

Hopf structures via linear isomorphisms. Let  $\mathcal{H}$  be a Hopf algebra,  $\mathcal{B}$  a vector space and  $\iota : \mathcal{B} \to \mathcal{H}$  a linear bijection. Then this isomorphism naturally endows  $\mathcal{B}$  with a Hopf structure:

$$m_{\mathcal{B}} := \iota^{-1} m_{\mathcal{H}} (\iota \otimes \iota),$$
$$\eta_{\mathcal{B}} := \iota^{-1} \eta_{\mathcal{H}},$$
$$\Delta_{\mathcal{B}} := (\iota^{-1} \otimes \iota^{-1}) \Delta_{\mathcal{H}} \iota,$$

$$\varepsilon_{\mathcal{B}} := \varepsilon_{\mathcal{H}}\iota,$$
$$S_{\mathcal{B}} := \iota^{-1}S_{\mathcal{H}}\iota.$$

An involution, if it exists, is defined by

$$j_{\mathcal{B}} := \iota^{-1} j_{\mathcal{H}} \iota.$$

In the sequel, we equip  $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H})$  with Hopf structures  $\mathcal{L}_*$  and  $\mathcal{L}_*$  via linear bijections

$$\mathcal{L}_{\star} \xrightarrow{\rho} \mathcal{L}_{\star} \xrightarrow{K} \mathcal{H} \widehat{\otimes} \mathcal{H}',$$

where  $\mathcal{L}_{\star} = \mathcal{L}_{*} = \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H})$  as topological vector spaces, K is the Schwartz kernel isomorphism, and  $\rho$  is a natural convolution isomorphism  $A \mapsto A * S$ .

# 4 Hopf structure via Schwartz kernels

The fundamental Hopf structure for  $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H})$ . Let  $\mathcal{H}$  be a nuclear Hopf-Fréchet algebra; the most natural way to endow  $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H})$  with a Hopf algebra structure is from  $\mathcal{H} \widehat{\otimes} \mathcal{H}'$  via the Schwartz kernel isomorphism  $A \mapsto K(A) = K_A$ . For instance,

$$m_*(A \otimes B) := K^{-1}(m(K_A \otimes K_B)).$$

Let us denote this Hopf algebra by  $\mathcal{L}_* = (\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}), m_*, \eta_*, \Delta_*, \varepsilon_*, S_*)$ , and write  $\mathbb{I}_* := \eta_*(1)$ .

**Theorem 1.** The operations in  $\mathcal{L}_*$  can be written in terms of the basic Hopf operations  $m, \eta, \Delta, \varepsilon, S$  of  $\mathcal{H}$  as follows:

$$m_*(A \otimes B) = m(A \otimes B)\Delta = A * B, \tag{1}$$

$$\mathbb{I}_* = \eta_*(1) = \eta\varepsilon,\tag{2}$$

$$\Delta_*(A) = \Delta Am,\tag{3}$$

$$\varepsilon_*(A) = \varepsilon(A(\mathbb{I}_{\mathcal{H}})), \tag{4}$$

$$S_*(A) = SAS. \tag{5}$$

If  $\mathcal{H}$  is an involutive Hopf algebra then  $\mathcal{L}_*$  has a Hopf structure with involution  $j_*$ , where

$$j_*(A) = jAjS. \tag{6}$$

**Proof.** In the following,  $A, B \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H})$  have respective Schwartz kernels  $K_A, K_B \in \mathcal{H} \widehat{\otimes} \mathcal{H}'$ . Let  $f, g \in \mathcal{H}'$  and  $\phi, \psi \in \mathcal{H}$ . Then

$$\langle m_*(A \otimes B)\phi, f \rangle := \langle m(K_A \otimes K_B), f \otimes \phi \rangle = \langle K_A \otimes K_B, \Delta(f \otimes \phi) \rangle = \langle (A \otimes B)\Delta\phi, \Delta f \rangle = \langle (A * B)\Delta\phi, f \rangle = \langle (A * B)\phi, f \rangle,$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \Delta_*(A)(\phi \otimes \psi), f \otimes g \rangle &:= \langle \Delta(K_A), (f \otimes \phi) \otimes (g \otimes \psi) \rangle \\ &= \langle K_A, m((f \otimes \phi) \otimes (g \otimes \psi)) \rangle \\ &= \langle Am(\phi \otimes \psi), m(f \otimes g) \rangle \\ &= \langle \Delta Am(\phi \otimes \psi), f \otimes g \rangle, \end{aligned}$$

$$\varepsilon_*(A) := \varepsilon(K_A)$$

$$= \langle K_A, \eta(1 \otimes 1) \rangle$$

$$= \langle A\eta 1, \eta 1 \rangle$$

$$= \langle \varepsilon A\eta 1, 1 \rangle$$

$$= \varepsilon A \mathbb{I},$$

$$\langle S_*(A)\phi, f \rangle := \langle S(K_A), f \otimes \phi \rangle = \langle K_A, S(f \otimes \phi) \rangle = \langle AS\phi, Sf \rangle = \langle SAS\phi, f \rangle.$$

If  $\mathcal{H}$  is an involutive Hopf algebra with involution j then  $\mathcal{H}'$  has involution i given by  $\langle \phi, i(f) \rangle = \overline{\langle j(S\phi), f \rangle}$ ; thereby  $\mathcal{L}_*$  has the Hopf structure with involution  $A \mapsto jAjS$ , because

$$\langle (j \otimes i) K_A, f \otimes \phi \rangle = \overline{\langle (S^{-1} \otimes I) K_A, (i \otimes jS)(f \otimes \phi) \rangle } = \overline{\langle S^{-1}AjS\phi, if \rangle} = \langle jSS^{-1}AjS\phi, f \rangle = \langle K_{jAjS}, f \otimes \phi \rangle;$$

notice that we used the fact  $K_{BAC} = (B \otimes C')K_A$ 

Hopf operations for  $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{D}(G))$ . Let G be a compact Lie group and  $A, B \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{D}(G))$  with respective Schwartz kernels  $K_A, K_B$ . Then informally

$$K_{A*B}(x,y) = \int_{G} K_{A}(x,yz^{-1}) \ K_{B}(x,z) \ d\mu_{G}(z),$$
  

$$\varepsilon_{*}(A) = \int_{G} K_{A}(e,z) \ d\mu_{G}(z),$$
  

$$K_{S*(A)}(x,y) = K_{A}(x^{-1},y^{-1}),$$
  

$$K_{j_{*}(A)}(x,y) = \overline{K_{A}(x,y^{-1})},$$

and so on.

# 5 Hopf homomorphism by convolution

In Theorem 1 we equipped  $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H})$  with the involutive Hopf structure  $\mathcal{L}_*$  from  $\mathcal{H}\widehat{\otimes}\mathcal{H}'$  via the Schwartz kernel isomorphism. There the product is the operator convolution  $(A, B) \mapsto A * B = m(A \otimes B)\Delta$ , with the unit element  $\mathbb{I}_* = \eta \varepsilon \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H})$ . We know that I and S are convolution inverses to each other,  $I * S = \eta \varepsilon = S * I$ . A simple way to endow  $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H})$  with an involutive Hopf structure with the unit element I is via the linear bijection

$$\rho = (A \mapsto A * S) : \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}) \to \mathcal{L}_*.$$

Alternatively, this Hopf algebra is begotten by the isomorphism

$$L = (A \mapsto L_A = K_{A*S}) : \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}) \to \mathcal{H} \widehat{\otimes} \mathcal{H}'.$$

We denote this Hopf structure by

$$\mathcal{L}_{\star} = (\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}), m_{\star}, \eta_{\star}, \Delta_{\star}, \varepsilon_{\star}, S_{\star}, j_{\star}).$$

Since  $S * I = \eta \varepsilon = I_*$  and  $(A * S)(\mathbb{I}) = A\mathbb{I}$ , we get:

**Theorem 2.** The operations in  $\mathcal{L}_{\star}$  can be written in terms of the basic Hopf operations  $m, \eta, \Delta, \varepsilon, S$  of  $\mathcal{H}$  as follows:

$$m_{\star}(A \otimes B) = A * S * B, \tag{7}$$

$$\mathbb{I}_{\star} = \eta_{\star}(1) = I \tag{8}$$

$$\Delta_{\star}(A) = (\Delta(A * S)m) * (I \otimes I), \tag{9}$$

$$\varepsilon_{\star}(A) = \varepsilon(A(\mathbb{I}_{\mathcal{H}})), \tag{10}$$

$$S_{\star}(A) = (S(A * S)S) * I. \tag{11}$$

If  $\mathcal{H}$  is an involutive Hopf algebra then  $\mathcal{L}_{\star}$  has a Hopf structure with involution  $j_{\star}$ , where

$$j_{\star}(A) = (j(A * S)jS) * I.$$
 (12)

#### 6 Pseudodifferential operators

**Pseudodifferential operators.** Let  $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  be the Schwartz test function space of rapidly decreasing smooth functions  $\mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{C}$ . An operator  $A \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n))$  is called a *pseudodifferential operator* of order  $m \in \mathbb{R}$  on  $\mathbb{R}^n$ , denoted by  $A \in \Psi^m(\mathbb{R}^n)$ , if it is of the form

$$(Af)(x) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} a(x,\xi) \ \widehat{f}(\xi) \ e^{i2\pi x \cdot \xi} \ \mathrm{d}x,$$

where the symbol  $a \in C^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}^n)$  satisfies the inequalities

$$\left|\partial_{\xi}^{\alpha}\partial_{x}^{\beta}a(x,\xi)\right| \leq C_{Am\alpha\beta} \|\xi\|_{\mathbb{R}^{n}}^{m-|\alpha|}$$

for  $\|\xi\|_{\mathbb{R}^n} > 1$ , where  $C_{Am\alpha\beta} < \infty$  is a constant depending on  $A, m, \alpha, \beta$ . Let M be a compact smooth manifold without a boundary, and let  $\mathcal{D}(M)$ be the test function space of  $C^{\infty}$ -smooth functions on M. An operator  $A \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{D}(M))$  is called a *pseudodifferential operator* of order  $m \in \mathbb{R}$  on M, denoted by  $A \in \Psi^m(M)$ , if all of its localizations belong to  $\Psi^m(\mathbb{R}^{\dim(M)})$ ; this definition makes sense, since  $\Psi^m(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is invariant under smooth changes of local coordinates. A *principal symbol* of a pseudodifferential operator  $A \in \Psi^m(M)$  is a function on the cotangent bundle of M defining A up to  $\Psi^{m-1}(M)$ . If pseudodifferential operators  $A \in \Psi^{m_A}(M)$  and  $B \in \Psi^{m_B}(M)$ have respective principal symbols a, b, then the composition AB has a principal symbol ab, and the adjoint  $A^*$  has a principal symbol  $\overline{a}$ ; in some sense, pseudodifferential operator algebras behave like function algebras. For more about pseudodifferential calculus, see [4].

**Compact Lie groups.** The nuclear Fréchet space of interest for us is  $\mathcal{D}(G)$ , where G is a compact Lie group. Let  $\mu_G$  be the normalized Haar measure of G. For  $A \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{D}(G))$ , let us define a mapping  $s_A : G \to \mathcal{D}'(G)$  and a convolution operator  $\sigma_A(x) \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{D}(G))$  by

$$(A\phi)(x) = \int_G K_A(x,y) \phi(y) d\mu_G(y)$$
  
=: 
$$\int_G s_A(x)(xy^{-1}) \phi(y) d\mu_G(y)$$
  
= 
$$(s_A(x) * \phi)(x)$$
  
=: 
$$(\sigma_A(x)\phi)(x).$$

Let us call the mapping  $\sigma_A : G \to \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{D}(G))$  the symbol of A. It is noteworthy that  $A \mapsto \sigma_A$  is a one-to-one mapping. For pseudodifferential operators on G, there is a symbolic calculus with asymptotic expansions analogous to the Euclidean case, see [3] and [6]. One of the consequences is that if pseudodifferential operators  $A_1 \in \Psi^{m_1}(G)$  and  $A_2 \in \Psi^{m_2}(G)$  have the respective symbols  $\sigma_{A_1}, \sigma_{A_2}$ , then the composition  $A_1A_2 \in \Psi^{m_1+m_2}(G)$ has the symbol  $x \mapsto \sigma_{A_1}(x)\sigma_{A_2}(x)$  modulo  $\Psi^{m_1+m_2-1}(G)$ , and the adjoint  $A_1^* \in \Psi^{m_1}(G)$  has the symbol  $x \mapsto \sigma_{A_1}(x)^*$  modulo  $\Psi^{m_1-1}(G)$ . Again, the behavior of pseudodifferential operator algebras resembles function algebra case. Next we show how symbolic calculus is related to the Hopf algebra  $\mathcal{D}(G)$ .

**Remark.** The distribution  $L_A \in \mathcal{D}(G) \widehat{\otimes} \mathcal{D}'(G)$  introduced in the previous section satisfies  $L_A = (I \otimes S)s_A$ , because

$$L_A(x, y) = K_{A*S}(x, y)$$
  
=  $\int_G K_A(x, yz^{-1}) K_S(x, z) d\mu_G(z)$   
=  $K_A(x, yx)$   
=  $s_A(x, y^{-1}).$ 

Conversely,  $s_A = (I \otimes S)L_A$ , since here  $S^2 = I$ .

**Theorem 3.** Let  $A, B \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{D}(G))$ . Then

$$\sigma_{A\star B}(x) = \sigma_B(x)\sigma_A(x)$$

for every  $x \in G$ . If  $A \in \Psi^{m_1}(G)$  and  $B \in \Psi^{m_2}(G)$  then

$$A \star B \in \Psi^{m_1+m_2}(G) \quad and \quad A \star B - AB \in \Psi^{m_1+m_2-1}(G).$$

Moreover,  $\sigma_{I_{\star}}(x) \equiv I$ .

**Proof.** Notice that  $\mathcal{D}(G)$  is commutative and that  $S : \mathcal{D}'(G) \to \mathcal{D}'(G)$  is antimultiplicative. Thus we get

$$s_{A\star B} = (I \otimes S)L_{A\star B}$$
  
=  $(I \otimes S)(L_A L_B)$   
=  $(I \otimes S)(((I \otimes S)s_A) ((I \otimes S)s_B))$   
=  $((I \otimes S)(I \otimes S)s_B) ((I \otimes S)(I \otimes S)s_A)$   
=  $s_B s_A$ ,

and consequently  $\sigma_{A\star B}(x) = \sigma_B(x)\sigma_A(x)$ .

Let  $A \in \Psi^{m_1}(G)$  and  $B \in \Psi^{m_2}(G)$ . As it is well-known,  $AB \in \Psi^{m_1+m_2}(G)$ and  $[A, B] = AB - BA \in \Psi^{m_1+m_2-1}(G)$ . From the symbolic calculus of [3] and [6] it follows that the operator  $A \star B$  with the symbol

$$x \mapsto \sigma_B(x)\sigma_A(x)$$

belongs to  $\Psi^{m_1+m_2}(G)$ , and moreover that  $A \star B - BA \in \Psi^{m_1+m_2-1}(G)$ , because the first term in the asymptotic expansion for  $\sigma_{BA}(x)$  is  $\sigma_B(x)\sigma_A(x)$ . Hence also

$$A \star B - AB = A \star B - BA - [A, B]$$

belongs to  $\Psi^{m_1+m_2-1}(G)$ 

**Theorem 4.** Let  $A \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{D}(G))$ . Then

 $\sigma_{j_{\star}(A)}(x) = \sigma_A(x)^*$ for every  $x \in G$ , where  $B^*$  for  $B \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{D}(G))$  is defined by  $\langle \phi, \overline{B^*f} \rangle := \langle B\phi, \overline{f} \rangle.$ 

If  $A \in \Psi^m(G)$  then

$$j_{\star}(A) \in \Psi^m(G)$$
 and  $j_{\star}(A) - A^* \in \Psi^{m-1}(G).$ 

Proof. Now

$$s_{j_{\star}(A)} = (I \otimes S)L_{j_{\star}(A)}$$
  
=  $(I \otimes S)(j \otimes j)L_{A}$   
=  $(I \otimes S)(j \otimes j)(I \otimes S)s_{A}$   
=  $(j \otimes SjS)s_{A}$   
=  $(j \otimes j)s_{A}$ ,

and combining this with  $\langle g * \phi, \overline{f} \rangle = \langle \phi, \overline{j(g) * f} \rangle$ , we get  $\sigma_{j_*(A)}(x) = \sigma_A(x)^*$ . If  $A \in \Psi^m(G)$  then  $A^* \in \Psi^m(G)$  and

$$x \mapsto \sigma_{A^*}(x) - \sigma_A(x)^*$$

is the symbol of an operator belonging to  $\Psi^{m-1}(G)$ , by [3] and [6]

**Theorem 5.** Let  $A \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{D}(G))$ . Then

$$\sigma_{S_{\star}(A)}(x) = \sigma_A(x^{-1})'$$

for every  $x \in G$ . If  $A \in \Psi^m(G)$  then  $S_{\star}(A) \in \Psi^m(G)$ .

**Proof.** Here

$$s_{S_{\star}(A)} = (I \otimes S)L_{S_{\star}(A)}$$
  
=  $(I \otimes S)(S \otimes S)L_{A}$   
=  $(I \otimes S)(S \otimes S)(I \otimes S)s_{A}$   
=  $(S \otimes S)s_{A}$ .

Combining this fact with  $\langle g * \phi, f \rangle = \langle \phi, (Sg) * f \rangle$ , we get  $\sigma_{S_{\star}(A)}(x) = \sigma_A(x^{-1})'$ . Let  $A \in \Psi^m(G)$ . Then

$$x \mapsto \sigma_{A'}(x) - \sigma_A(x)'$$

is the symbol of an operator belonging to  $\Psi^{m-1}(G)$ , due to the analogous result for  $A \mapsto A^*$  presented in [3] and [6]. If  $B \in \Psi^m(G)$  and  $\kappa : G \to G$  is  $C^{\infty}$ -smooth then

$$x \mapsto \sigma_B(\kappa(x))$$

is the symbol of an operator belonging to  $\Psi^m(G)$ , due to the symbol operator inequalities in [6]. Finally, by choosing  $\sigma_B(x) := \sigma_A(x)'$  and  $\kappa := (x \mapsto x^{-1})$ , we obtain  $S_*(A) \in \Psi^m(G)$  Acknowledgements. The author is grateful to the Academy of Finland for its financial support.

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