

p-adic Mathematical Physics and V.S.Vladimirov Works

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- Principles of p-adic mathematical physics
- V.S.Vladimirov works
 - spectral theory in p-adic quantum mechanics
 - Vladimirov's operator of fractional differential
 - higher derivatives
- Quantum zeta-function and motives

Principles of p-adic mathematical physics.

Rational numbers

I.V. *p-adic string*, Class.Quant. Gravity, 4, 1987, L83

- Only rational numbers can be observed.
- Irrational numbers (infinite decimals) are not observed.
- On the field of rational numbers \mathbb{Q} there are two norms: ordinary real and p-adic (Ostrowsky theorem)
- One cannot measure distances less the Planck length,

$$\Delta x > \ell_{Planck},$$

because of the black hole creation.

- Non-Archimedean geometry appears

Number theory as an ultimate physical theory

- In ultimate physical theory one can put the principle according to which fundamental physical laws should be invariant with respect to change of number field (I.V. 1987).
- It is in some sense a further generalization of the Einstein principle of general relativity.

V.S.Anashin -automata
V.V.Zharinov -talk on functional mechanics

p-adic numbers

\mathbb{Q} field of rational numbers

$$x = p^\nu \frac{m}{n} \in \mathbb{Q}$$

p-adic norm: $|x|_p = \frac{1}{p^\nu}$

Non-Archimedean norm: $|x + y|_p \leq \max(|x|_p, |y|_p)$

\mathbb{Q}_p field of p-adic numbers is a completion of \mathbb{Q} with respect to p-adic norm

p-adic numbers $x = p^\nu \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n p^n$

Vladimirov fractional differential operator

$$D^\alpha \psi(x) = \int_{\mathbb{Q}_p} |\xi|_p^\alpha \chi(-\xi x) \tilde{\psi}(\xi) d\xi, \quad \alpha > 0$$

$$D^\alpha \psi(x) = \frac{p^\alpha - 1}{1 - p^{-\alpha-1}} \int_{\mathbb{Q}_p} \frac{\psi(x) - \psi(y)}{|x - y|_p^{\alpha+1}} dy, \quad \alpha > 0$$

$$D^\alpha \chi(\xi x) = |\xi|_p^\alpha \chi(\xi x)$$

- D^α unbounded self-adjoint operator in $L^2(\mathbb{Q}_p)$
- **Spectrum:** $p^{\alpha n}$, $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ and 0

Spectral theory of the Vladimirov operator

Theorem. Every function $f \in L^2(\mathbb{Q}_p)$ is expanded in the Fourier-series in eigen-functions $\{\varphi_{N,k,\varepsilon_l}^l\}$ of the operator D^α :

$$f(x) = \sum_{N \in \mathbb{Z}} \sum_{1 \leq l < \infty} \sum_{1 \leq k \leq p-1} \sum_{\varepsilon_l} f_{N,k,\varepsilon_l}^l \varphi_{N,k,\varepsilon_l}^l(x) \quad (*)$$

where

$$f_{N,k,\varepsilon_l}^l = \int_{\mathbb{Q}_p} f(x) \bar{\varphi}_{N,k,\varepsilon_l}^l(x) dx.$$

The series (*) converges in $L^2(\mathbb{Q}_p)$, and the Parseval-Steklov equality is valid

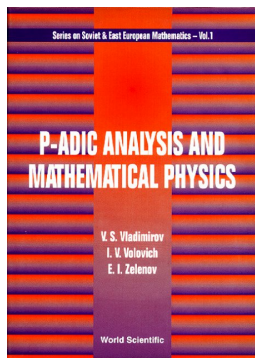
$$\|f\|^2 = \sum_{N \in \mathbb{Z}} \sum_{1 \leq l < \infty} \sum_{1 \leq k \leq p-1} \sum_{\varepsilon} |f_{N,k,\varepsilon_l}^l|^2.$$

Spectral theory of the Vladimirov operator

I kind $(l = 2, 3, \dots, k = 1, 2, \dots, p - 1, \varepsilon_l = \varepsilon_0 + \varepsilon_1 p + \dots + \varepsilon_{l-2} p^{l-2})$

$$\varphi_{N,k,\varepsilon_l}^l(x) = p^{\frac{N+1-l}{2}} \delta(|x|_p - p^{l-N}) \cdot \delta(x_0 - k) \chi_p(\varepsilon_l p^{l-2N} x^2)$$

Various Formulations of p-adic Quantum Mechanics



Vladimirov, I.V. "*p-adic quantum mechanics*,
Comm. Math. Phys., 123 (1989), 659-676,
300 citations

Vladimirov, I. V., Zelenov, *p-adic analysis and
mathematical physics*, 1994 - World Scientific
1500 citations

- 4 numbers fields: \mathbb{Q} , \mathbb{R} , \mathbb{C} , \mathbb{Q}_p
- p-adic quantum oscillator ($L_2(\mathbb{Q}_p)$, U_t , $W(z)$)
- Unitary representations, Vladimirov operator, Schrodinger type equation ...
- Yu.I.Manin - adelic space-time
- B.Dragovich - adelic quantum mechanics

Spectral theory in p-adic quantum mechanics and representation theory

- $(\mathcal{H}, U_t), \quad t \in \mathbb{R}, \quad (L^2(X, \mu), V_t), \quad V_t \phi(x) = e^{it\omega_x} \phi(x), \quad \phi \in L^2, \quad \omega_x \in \mathbb{R}$
- $(\mathcal{H}, U_t), \quad t \in \mathbb{Q}_p, \quad (L^2(X, \mu), V_t), \quad V_t \phi(x) = \chi(\omega_x t) \phi(x), \quad \phi \in L^2, \quad \omega_x \in \mathbb{Q}_p$
- p-adic classical oscillator

$$\partial_t \chi(\omega t) = i|\omega|_p \chi(\omega t)$$

$$\partial_t^\alpha = e^{i\pi\alpha/2} D_t^\alpha$$

- Generalization of the Jacobi theorem

V.Zh. Sakbaev talk

Integrability of real and p-adic quantum dynamics

I.V. “*Remarks on the complete integrability of quantum and classical dynamical systems,*”
P-Adic Numbers Ultrametric Anal. Appl.,
11:4 (2019), 328-334, arXiv:1911.01335 .

- Any real or p-adic quantum dynamical system is completely integrable.
- Moreover, it is unitary equivalent to a set of classical noninteracting harmonic oscillators
- Any classical dynamical system with an invariant measure is also completely integrable
- Explicit integrability wide classes of classical and quantum multidimensional PDE by using wave operators.

Quantum dynamical systems

- Quantum dynamical system: (\mathcal{H}, H) or (\mathcal{H}, U_t) ,

$$U_t = e^{itH}$$

- Schrödinger equation

$$i \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} = H\psi$$

- (\mathcal{H}, U_t) , $t \in \mathbb{Q}_p$, or locally compact commutative group G .
- Systems of harmonic oscillators

$$(L^2(X, \mu), V_t),$$

$$V_t \phi(x) = e^{-it\omega_x} \phi(x)$$

Integrability. Theorem

- **Theorem.** Let \mathcal{H} be a separable Hilbert space and H a self-adjoint operator with a dense domain $D(H) \subset \mathcal{H}$. Then the Schrödinger equation

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \psi(t) = H\psi(t), \quad \psi(t) \in D(H), \quad t \in \mathbb{R}$$

completely integrable in the sense that this equation is unitary equivalent to the complexified system of equations for a family of classical non-interacting harmonic oscillators.

Equivalently, quantum dynamical systems (\mathcal{H}, U_t) is unitary equivalent to a system of harmonics oscillators $(L^2(X, \mu), V_t)$.

There exists a set of non-trivial integrals of motion for the arbitrary Schrödinger equation.

Integrability of Quantum Dynamical Systems on \mathbb{Q}_p and Locally Compact Commutative Groups

- $(\mathcal{H}, U_t), t \in \mathbb{Q}_p$ or G .

Quantization of the Riemann Zeta-Function and Cosmology

I.Aref'eva, I.V. Int. J. Geom. Meth. Mod. Phys.,4, 881-895 (2007), hep-th/0701284

- Quantization of the Riemann zeta-function is proposed.
- We treated the Riemann zeta-function as a symbol of a pseudodifferential operator and studied the corresponding classical and quantum field theories.
- We show that the Lagrangian for the zeta-function field is equivalent to the sum of the Klein-Gordon Lagrangians with masses defined by the zeros of the Riemann zeta-function

Quantization of the Riemann Zeta-Function.

Main Definitions

The Riemann zeta-function is defined as

$$\zeta(s) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^s}, \quad s = \sigma + i\tau, \quad \sigma > 1$$

One introduces the Riemann ξ -function

$$\xi(s) = \frac{s(s-1)}{2} \pi^{-\frac{s}{2}} \Gamma\left(\frac{s}{2}\right) \zeta(s)$$

The Hadamard representation for the ξ -function

$$\xi(s) = \frac{1}{2} e^{as} \prod_{\rho} \left(1 - \frac{s}{\rho}\right) e^{s/\rho}$$

Here ρ are nontrivial zeros of the zeta-function and

$$a = -\frac{1}{2}\gamma - 1 + \frac{1}{2} \log 4\pi \tag{1}$$

where γ is Euler's constant.

Quantization of the Riemann Zeta-Function.

Pseudodifferential operator $F(\square)$

If $F(\tau)$ is a function of a real variable τ then we define a pseudodifferential operator $F(\square)$ by using the Fourier transform

$$F(\square)\phi(x) = \int e^{ixk} F(k^2) \tilde{\phi}(k) dk.$$

Here \square is the d'Alembert operator $\square = -\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x_0^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x_1^2} + \dots + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x_{d-1}^2}$,

$\phi(x)$ is a function from $x \in \mathbb{R}^d$, $\tilde{\phi}(k)$ is the Fourier transform,

$$k^2 = k_0^2 - k_1^2 - \dots - k_{d-1}^2.$$

Quantization of the Riemann Zeta-Function. Lagrangian

We consider the following Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L} = \phi \xi\left(\frac{1}{2} + i\Box\right) \phi. \quad (*)$$

The integral in

$$\xi\left(\frac{1}{2} + i\Box\right) \phi(x) = \int e^{ixk} \xi\left(\frac{1}{2} + ik^2\right) \tilde{\phi}(k) dk$$

converges if $\phi(x)$ is a decreasing function since $\xi(\frac{1}{2} + i\tau)$ is bounded.

The quantized ξ -function can be expressed as

$$\xi\left(\frac{1}{2} + i\Box\right) = \frac{1}{2} - (\Box^2 + \frac{1}{4}) \int_1^\infty x^{-\frac{3}{4}} \cos\left[\frac{\Box}{2} \log x\right] \omega(x) dx.$$

Quantization of the Riemann Zeta-Function. Spectrum

Proposition. *The Lagrangian (*) is equivalent to the following Lagrangian*

$$\mathcal{L}' = \sum_{\epsilon, n} \eta_{\epsilon n} \psi_{\epsilon n} (\square + \epsilon m_n^2) \psi_{\epsilon n}, \quad (2)$$

where the notations are defined below.

Let

$$\rho_n = \frac{1}{2} + im_n^2, \quad \bar{\rho}_n = \frac{1}{2} - im_n^2, \quad m_n > 0, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots \quad (3)$$

be the zeros at the critical line.

We shall show that the zeros m_n^2 of the Riemann zeta-function become the masses of elementary particles in the Klein-Gordon equation.

Quantization of the Riemann Zeta-Function.

Proof of Proposition

From the Hadamard representation we get

$$\xi\left(\frac{1}{2} + i\tau\right) = \frac{C}{2} \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(1 - \frac{\tau^2}{m_n^4}\right) \quad (4)$$

Now if we define the fields $\psi_{\epsilon n}$ as

$$\psi_{\epsilon_0 n_0} = \frac{C}{2m_n^2} \prod_{\epsilon n \neq \epsilon_0 n_0} \left(1 + \frac{\square}{\epsilon m_n^2}\right) \phi, \quad (5)$$

and the real constants $\eta_{\epsilon n}$ by

$$\eta_{\epsilon n} = \frac{1}{i\xi'\left(\frac{1}{2} - i\epsilon m_n^2\right)}, \quad (6)$$

then it is straightforward to see that the Lagrangians (*) and (2) are equivalent. The proposition is proved.

Quantization of the Riemann Zeta-Function.

Summary

- Quantization of the mathematics of Fermat-Wiles and the Langlands program is indicated.
- The Beilinson conjectures on the values of L-functions of motives are interpreted as dealing with the cosmological constant problem.
- Possible cosmological applications of the zeta-function field theory are discussed.

Motives

I.V. “*D-branes, black holes and $SU(\infty)$ gauge theory,*”
2nd International Sakharov Conference on Physics,
20-23 May 1996, Proc. pp 618-621, hep-th/9608137.

- Grothendieck’s motives.
 - Motives are defined by algebraic correspondences modulo homological equivalence
 - Motivic cohomology is a kind of universal cohomology theory for algebraic varieties.
 - Realizations of a motive M over the field of rational numbers Q are linear spaces over Q and over the field of l -adic numbers Q_l .
 - If X is a smooth projective algebraic variety over Q then the realization of its motive is given by the Betti $H_B(X)$, De Rham $H_{DR}(X)$ and l -adic cohomology $H_l(X)$ of X .
 - Category of motives is isomorphic to category of finite dimensional representations of proalgebraic motivic Galois-Serre group G .

Motives. L-functions

- The group G plays the role of conformal group in the ordinary string theory.
- Motivic-theory deals with algebraic varieties over the field of rational numbers \mathbb{Q} , so **the theory is background independent and it is not based on a spacetime continuum.**
- The partition function in motivic-theory is given by L -function of a motive.
- L -function of a motive M is defined by the Euler product:

$$L(M, s) = \prod_p \det(1 - p^{-s} \text{Frob}_p | H_l(M)^{I_p})^{-1},$$

where Frob_p is a Frobenius element in $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$ and I_p is the inertia group in $G_{\mathbb{Q}_p}$.

Motives. Motivic-string

- Motivic-string partition function can be expressed as inverse to the Mellin transform of L -function of a motive.
- Deligne has used L -function in the proof of the Ramanujan conjecture:

$$|\tau(p)| \leq 2p^{11/2}.$$

The Ramanujan function $\tau(n)$ is defined by the relation

$$\Delta(q) = q \prod_n (1 - q^n)^{24} = \sum_n \tau(n) q^n$$

We have: $\Delta(q)^{-1} = \text{tr} q^H$, where $H = L_0 - \frac{1}{24}$ and L_0 is the Virasoro operator.

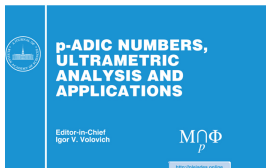
- L -function of the motive M is the Dirichlet series:

$$L(M, s) = \sum_n \tau(n) n^{-s} = \prod_p (1 - \tau(p)p^{-s} - p^{11-2s})^{-1},$$

- It is amusing that the motive M is eleven-dimensional.
- We suggest a relation between the cosmological constant problem and the Beilinson conjectures on values of L -functions.

Conclusions

- Principle of invariance of fundamental physical laws:
fundamental physical laws should be invariant
with respect to change of number field
- V.S.Vladimirov works on p-adic mathematical physics
- All quantum dynamical system (\mathcal{H}, U_t) (real and p-adic) are
completely integrable in the sense of the unitary equivalence to a
system of classical harmonic oscillators
- Quantization of Riemann zeta-function



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