

claim:  $\text{ch } M(\lambda) = e(\lambda) \prod_{\beta \in \Delta_+} (1 - e(-\beta))^{-\text{mult } \beta}$ .

proof: let  $\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots$  be all the positive roots of the Lie alg  $\mathfrak{g}(A)$ . and let  $e_{-\beta_i}^{m_i}$  be a basis of  $\mathfrak{g}_{-\beta_i}$  ( $1 \leq i \leq \text{mult } \beta_i = m_i$ )

let  $v_\lambda$  be a highest weight vector of  $M(\lambda)$ , by prop. 9.2 b)

we have  $M(\lambda) = U(\mathfrak{n}^-)v_\lambda$  and  $M(\lambda)_\lambda = \bigoplus_{\lambda \in \mathfrak{H}^+} (M(\lambda))_\lambda$ .

Then by PBW the vectors:

$e_{-\beta_1}^{n_{1,1}} \dots e_{-\beta_1}^{n_{1,m_1}} e_{-\beta_2}^{n_{2,1}} \dots e_{-\beta_2}^{n_{2,m_2}} \dots (v_\lambda)$  form a basis of  $M(\lambda)_\lambda$ .

where  $\underbrace{(n_{1,1} + \dots + n_{1,m_1})}_{r_1} \beta_1 + \underbrace{(n_{2,1} + \dots + n_{2,m_2})}_{r_2} \beta_2 + \dots = \lambda - \alpha$ .

Therefore  $\text{ch } M(\lambda) = \sum_{\lambda \in \mathfrak{H}^+} (\dim (M(\lambda))_\lambda) e(\lambda)$ .

$$= \sum_{r_i} e(\lambda - r_1 \beta_1 - r_2 \beta_2 - \dots)$$

$$= e(\lambda) \sum_{r_i} e(-r_1 \beta_1 - r_2 \beta_2 - \dots) = e(\lambda) \prod_{\beta_i} \left( \sum_{r_i} e(-r_i \beta_i) \right)$$

$$= e(\lambda) \prod_{\beta_i} \left( \sum_{j=0}^{m_i} e(-j \beta_i) \right) = e(\lambda) \prod_{\beta_i} (e(0) + e(-\beta_i) + \dots)^{m_i}$$

$$= e(\lambda) \prod_{\beta_i} (1 - e(-\beta_i))^{-m_i}$$

$$(1 - e^{-\alpha})^{-1} = (1 + e^{-\alpha} + e^{-2\alpha} + \dots)$$

in f.d.,  $m_i = 1$ .  $\text{ch } M(\lambda) = e(\lambda) \prod_{\beta_i} (1 - e(-\beta_i))$ .

Q: in prop 9.8.  $(c_{ij})$

find  $\lambda$ ,  $|\lambda + \rho|^2 = |\lambda + \rho|^2$   $\lambda - \delta, \lambda - 2\delta, \dots$

$$(c_{ij}) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & c_{12} & c_{13} \\ & 1 & c_{23} \\ & & 1 \\ & & & \ddots \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} M(\lambda - \delta) \\ M(\lambda - 2\delta) \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & c_{12} & c_{13} \\ & 1 & \\ & & \ddots \\ & & & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} L(\lambda - \delta) \\ L(\lambda - 2\delta) \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix}$$



重数与  $\lambda$  无关

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & a_{12} & \dots \\ & \ddots & \\ & & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & c_{12} & c_{13} \\ & 1 & \\ & & \ddots \end{pmatrix}$$

$c_{12} + a_{12} = 0.$

Q: In finite dimension Lie algebra.

$ch\mathfrak{V}$  is defined in the group ring of  $\mathfrak{h}$  over  $\mathbb{Z}$ , denoted by  $\mathbb{Z}[\mathfrak{h}]$ , where  $\mathfrak{h}$  is weight set  $\mathfrak{h} = \{ \lambda \in \mathfrak{h} \mid \langle \lambda, \alpha \rangle \in \mathbb{Z}, \forall \alpha \in \Phi \}$  in this book.

$ch\mathfrak{V} \in \mathfrak{E}$ , The element of  $\mathfrak{E}$  are series of the form  $\sum_{\lambda \in \mathfrak{h}^+} c_{\lambda} e(\lambda)$ .

$e(\lambda)\lambda = 1 \quad e(\lambda)\mu = 0 \quad \mu \neq \lambda.$

where  $c_{\lambda} \in \mathbb{C}$ , and  $c_{\lambda} = 0$  for  $\lambda \notin \sum_{i=1}^3 D(\alpha_i)$ .

§ 9.9. irreducibility and complete reducibility.

Now, using the Casimir operator, we can investigate irreducibility and complete reducibility in  $\mathfrak{U}$ .

prop 9.9. let  $A$  be a symmetrizable matrix.

a) if  $\langle \lambda + \rho, \beta \rangle \neq \langle \beta, \beta \rangle$  for every  $\beta \in \mathfrak{Q}_+$ ,  $\beta \neq 0$ , then the  $\mathfrak{g}(A)$ -module  $M(\lambda)$  is irreducible.

proof: if  $M(\lambda)$  is not irreducible.

by prop 9.5 b). there is a primitive weight  $\lambda = \lambda - \beta$ ,

where  $\beta > 0$ . Note that  $[M(\lambda) : L(\lambda)] \neq 0$  iff  $\lambda$  is a

primitive weight. by lem 9.8 a). we have:

$$\frac{|\lambda + \rho|^2 - |\rho|^2}{|\lambda + \rho|^2 - |\rho|^2} = \frac{|\lambda + \rho|^2 - |\rho|^2}{|\lambda + \rho|^2 - |\rho|^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{|\lambda + \rho - \rho|^2}{|\lambda + \rho|^2} = \frac{|\lambda + \rho|^2}{|\lambda + \rho|^2} \Rightarrow 2(\lambda + \rho | \rho) = (\rho | \rho). \text{ Contradiction} \#.$$

b). let  $V$  is a  $g(A)$ -module from the category  $\mathcal{O}$  such that for any two primitive weights  $\lambda$  and  $\mu$  of  $V$ , such that  $\lambda - \mu = \beta > 0$ , one has  $2(\lambda + \rho | \beta) \neq (\beta | \beta)$ , then  $V$  is completely reducible.

proof: we may assume that the  $g(A)$ -module  $V$  is indecomposable.

since clearly,  $\Omega$  is locally finite on  $V$ , i.e. every  $v \in V$  lies in a finite dimensional  $\Omega$ -invariant subspace

$\Gamma v \in V, v \in V_\lambda$ , for some  $\lambda \in P(V)$ . 有限的原因.

$$\dim(V_\lambda) < \infty \quad \& \quad \underline{\Omega(V_\lambda) \subset V_\lambda}.$$

$$\Omega \cdot v_\lambda \quad h.(\Omega \cdot v_\lambda) = \Omega(h \cdot v_\lambda). \quad \downarrow$$

we obtain that there exists a  $a \in \mathbb{C}$  such that  $\Omega - aI$  is locally nilpotent on  $V$ , i.e.  $\forall v \in V$ , there is  $N \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ , s.t.  $(\Omega - aI)^N(v) = 0$ .

$\Gamma$  since  $V$  is a direct sum of ~~eigenspaces~~ 特征空间 of  $\Omega$ .

$\Omega - aI$  acts locally nilpotently on  $V$  \(\downarrow\)

Jordan 标准型. 每个 Jordan 块有限阶.

Now, let  $v$  be a primitive vector of weight  $\lambda$ , then there is a submodule  $U$  s.t.  $\Omega(v) = (\lambda + \rho|^2 - |\rho|^2)v \pmod{U}$   
 lem 9.8 b). then  $|\lambda + \rho|^2 - |\rho|^2 = a$ , whence  $|\lambda + \rho|^2 = |\mu + \rho|^2$  for

any two primitive weights  $\lambda$  and  $\mu$ .

$$\text{Thus, } |\lambda + \rho|^2 = |\lambda - \beta + \rho|^2 = |\lambda + \rho|^2 - 2(\lambda + \rho | \beta) - (\beta | \beta)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(\lambda + \rho | \beta) = (\beta | \beta) \text{ contradicts to condition.}$$

by lem 9.5, we finish.

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### § 9.10.

Recall:  $\mathfrak{g}(A) = \mathfrak{g}'(A) + \mathfrak{H}$  and that  $\mathfrak{H}' = \sum_{\alpha \in \Phi} \mathbb{C} \alpha_{\alpha} = \mathfrak{g}'(A) \cap \mathfrak{H}$ .

the free abelian group  $\mathbb{Q}$  (root lattice)  $\mathbb{Q} = \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{Z} \alpha_i$ .

and  $\mathcal{U}(\mathfrak{g}'(A)) = \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \mathbb{Q}} \mathcal{U}'_{\alpha}$  where  $\mathcal{U}'_{\alpha} = \mathcal{U}(\mathfrak{g}'(A)) \cap \mathcal{U}_{\alpha}$ , and

$\mathcal{U}(\mathfrak{g}(A)) = \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \mathbb{Q}} \mathcal{U}_{\alpha}$ , where  $\mathcal{U}_{\alpha} = \{x \in \mathcal{U}(\mathfrak{g}(A)) \mid [h, x] = \alpha(h)x, \text{ for } \forall h \in \mathfrak{H}'\}$ .

A  $\mathfrak{g}'(A)$ -module  $\mathcal{V}$  is called a highest-weight module with highest weight  $\lambda \in (\mathfrak{H}')^+$  if  $\mathcal{V} = \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \mathbb{Q}^+} \mathcal{V}_{\lambda - \alpha}$  s.t.

$$(1) \mathcal{U}'_{\beta}(\mathcal{V}_{\lambda - \alpha}) \subset \mathcal{V}_{\lambda - \alpha + \beta}.$$

$$(2) \dim \mathcal{V}_{\lambda} = 1.$$

$$(3) h(v) = \lambda(h)v, \text{ for } h \in (\mathfrak{H}')^+, v \in \mathcal{V}_{\lambda}.$$

$$(4) \mathcal{U}(\mathfrak{g}'(A))(\mathcal{V}_{\lambda}) = \mathcal{V}.$$

In other words, this is a restriction of a highest-weight module over  $\mathfrak{g}(A)$  to  $\mathfrak{g}'(A)$ .

We define the Verma module  $M(\lambda)$  over  $\mathfrak{g}'(A)$  and it contains a unique proper maximal graded submodule  $M'(\lambda)$ .

We put  $L(\lambda) = M(\lambda) / M'(\lambda)$

Lemma 9.10. The  $\mathfrak{g}'(A)$ -module  $L(\lambda)$  is irreducible.

proof: let  $\mathcal{V} \subset L(\lambda)$  be a nonzero  $\mathfrak{g}'(A)$ -submodule.

we choose  $v = \sum_{i=1}^m v_i \in \mathcal{V}$  s.t.  $v_i \in L(\lambda)_{\lambda_i}$ ,  $v_i \neq 0$  &  
 $\sum_{i=1}^m (\lambda - \lambda_i)$  is minimal.

If  $\lambda_i \neq \lambda$  for some  $i$ , then  $e_j(v_{\lambda_i}) \neq 0$  for some  $j$ .  
 then  $e_j(v_i)$  will <sup>3.7</sup>  $\sum_{i=1}^m (\lambda - \lambda_i)$  lower

hence  $v \in L(\lambda)_\lambda$ , and  $\mathcal{V} = L(\lambda)$

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$g(A)$  的  $\mathfrak{h}$  的  $\mathfrak{h}$ -子空间,  $g(A)$  的  $\mathfrak{h}$ -子空间  $\mathfrak{h}$  和  $\mathfrak{h}$  相同.

$\mathfrak{h} \setminus \mathfrak{h}'$ .  $\langle \lambda, \alpha_i^\vee \rangle$   $\mathfrak{h}' = g(A) \cap \mathfrak{h}$ .  
 $\sim \mathfrak{h}'$

Claim:  $\dim L(\lambda) = 1$  iff  $\lambda|_{\mathfrak{h}'} = 0$ .

proof: " $\Leftarrow$ " if  $\lambda|_{\mathfrak{h}'} = 0$ , we can consider the 1-dimensional  
 $g(A)$ -module  $\mathbb{C}$  which is trivial on  $g(A)$ .

$n_+(v) = 0$ ,  $n_-(v) = 0$ ,  $h(v) = \langle \lambda, h \rangle |$ . for  $h \in \mathfrak{h}$ .

by the uniqueness of  $L(\lambda)$ , then

$L(\lambda) \cong \mathbb{C}$  as  $g(A)$ -module.

$\Rightarrow \dim L(\lambda) = 1$ .

" $\Rightarrow$ " since  $\dim L(\lambda) = 1$ ,  $\forall v \in L(\lambda)$ , is a highest-weight

vector, then  $0 = e_i f_i(v) = (e_i f_i + f_i e_i)(v)$

$= \alpha_i^\vee \cdot v = \langle \lambda, \alpha_i^\vee \rangle v$ .

$\Rightarrow \lambda|_{\mathfrak{h}'} = 0$ .

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prop 9.10.

Let  $A$  be a symmetrizable matrix, possibly infinite.

a) let  $\nu \in \lambda + \rho$ ,  $\nu^+(\beta) \neq \langle \beta | \nu \rangle$  for every  $\beta \in Q_+ \setminus \{0\}$ , then

the  $g(A)$ -module  $M(\lambda)$  is irreducible.

b). Let  $V$  be  $g(A)$ -module such that the following conditions are satisfied:

i) for every  $v \in V$ ,  $e_i(v) = 0$ , for all but a finite number of the  $e_i$ . (i.e.  $V$  is restricted).

ii) for every  $v \in V$ , there exists  $k > 0$ , s.t.

$e_{i_1} \cdots e_{i_s}(v) = 0$ , whenever  $s > k$ . (not too big).

iii)  $V = \bigoplus_{\lambda \in (H')^*} V_\lambda$ , where  $V_\lambda = \{v \in V \mid h(v) = \langle \lambda, h \rangle v \text{ for all } h \in H'\}$ .

iv) if  $\lambda$  and  $\mu \in (H')^*$  are primitive weights s.t.

$\lambda - \mu = \beta|_{H'}$  for some  $\beta \in Q_+ \setminus \{0\}$ , then

$$2\langle \lambda + \rho, \nu^{-1}(\beta) \rangle \neq \langle \beta, \beta \rangle.$$

Then  $V$  is completely reducible, i.e. is isomorphic to a direct sum of  $g(A)$ -modules of the  $L(\lambda)$ ,  $\lambda \in (H')^*$

proof: To prove the prop. we employ the operator  $\Omega_0$  instead of  $\Omega$ .

[ Prop  $\Omega_0 = 2 \sum_{\alpha \in \Delta_+} \sum_i e_{-\alpha}^{(i)} e_\alpha^{(i)}$ , where  $\{e_\alpha^{(i)}\}$  is a basis of  $g_\alpha$  for  $\forall \alpha \in \Delta_+$  and  $\{e_{-\alpha}^{(i)}\}$  is the dual basis of  $g_{-\alpha}$  ]

• it is clear that  $\Omega_0$  is locally finite on  $V$  as long as condition (i) and (ii) of b) hold.

$W$ -D. + (iii).  $V_\lambda$  f.d.  $\Rightarrow$  locally finite.

$\Omega_0$  is  $W$ -finite.

• Furthermore, (2.6-1)  $[\Omega_0, u] = -u(2\rho|\alpha) + (\alpha|\alpha)u + 2\nu^{-1}(\alpha)$ .

where  $u \in U_{\alpha'}$ , implies the following fact:

let  $v \in V_\lambda$  be s.t.  $(\Omega_0 - aI)v = 0$ . for some  $k \in \mathbb{Z}_+$

and  $a \in \mathbb{C}$ . and let  $\psi' \in U_{-\beta}(\psi)$ , ( $\beta \in \mathfrak{Q}$ ). then, by (3.4.1).  
we have (9.10.2).

$$(\Omega_0 - (\alpha + 2\langle \lambda + \rho, \nu^{-1}(\beta) \rangle - (\beta | \beta))I_V)^k \psi' = 0.$$

$b.$

~~$a=0$  and  $\Omega_0^k(\psi) = 0$  by (11).~~

$\Omega_0$  linear transformation. a  $\mathfrak{g}$ -module.

$$(3.4.1) : (\lambda - \lambda - \mu)^k a = \sum_{s=0}^k C_k^s (\text{ad } \lambda - \lambda)^s a (\lambda - \mu)^{k-s}$$

where  $k \geq 0$ ,  $\lambda, \mu \in \mathfrak{C}$ .

$$(\Omega_0 - a - b)^k \psi' = \sum_{s=0}^k C_k^s (\text{ad } \Omega_0 - b)^s \psi' (\Omega_0 - aI_V)^{k-s}$$

since  $\psi' \in U_{-\beta}(\psi)$ . let  $\psi' = u\psi$  where  $u \in U_{-\beta}$   
then  $\text{ad } \Omega_0(u) = -u(2(\rho | \beta) + (\beta | \beta) - 2\nu^{-1}(\beta))$ .

$$\text{we have } (\text{ad } \Omega_0 - bI_V)\psi' = (\text{ad } \Omega_0 - bI_V)u\psi.$$

$$= \text{ad } \Omega_0(u)\psi - b\psi'$$

$$= u(2(\rho | \beta) - (\beta | \beta) + 2\nu^{-1}(\beta))\psi - 2\langle \lambda, \nu^{-1}(\beta) \rangle \psi' - 2\langle \rho, \nu^{-1}(\beta) \rangle \psi' + (\beta | \beta)\psi'$$

$$= (2(\rho | \beta) - (\beta | \beta))\psi' + u \cdot 2\nu^{-1}(\beta) \cdot \psi - 2(\lambda | \beta)\psi' - 2(\rho | \beta)\psi' + (\beta | \beta)\psi'$$

$$= 2u\langle \lambda, \nu^{-1}(\beta) \rangle \psi - 2(\lambda, \nu^{-1}(\beta))\psi' = 0.$$

$$\Rightarrow (\Omega_0 - (\alpha + 2\langle \lambda + \rho, \nu^{-1}(\beta) \rangle - (\beta | \beta))I_V)^k \psi' = 0.$$