# SOME NOTES ON THE MORDELL LANG CONJECTURE AND JOUANOLOU'S THEOREM

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The following statement can be found in [1];

## Theorem 0.1. Mordell Lang Conjecture

Let K be an algebraically closed field of characteristic zero, let A be an abelian variety defined over K, X a subvariety of A defined over K and  $\Gamma$  a finitely generated subgroup of A(K), then there exist  $\{\gamma_1, \ldots, \gamma_m\} \subset \Gamma$ , abelian subvarieties  $\{B_1, \ldots, B_m\}$  of A such that  $\gamma_i + B_i \subseteq X$ , for  $1 \le i \le m$  and;

$$X(K) \cap \Gamma = \bigcup_{i=1}^{m} \gamma_i + (B_i(K) \cap \Gamma)$$

This will follow from the relative version;

**Definition 0.2.** We define a homomorphism  $f: A \to B$  between abelian varieties to be connected if Ker(f) is an abelian subvariety of A. Let  $X \subseteq A$  be an irreducible subvariety, then we define;

$$Stab_X = \{ a \in A : a + X = X \}$$

**Lemma 0.3.** The inverse image  $f^{-1}(C)$ , for C an abelian subvariety of B,  $f: A \to B$  connected, is an abelian variety.

Proof. As  $Ker(f) \subseteq A$  is connected, the fibres of f are equidimensional and connected. If  $f^{-1}(C)$  is not irreducible, we can find components  $\{W_1, W_2\}$  such that  $C = W_1 \cup W_2$ , with  $pr(W_1) = pr(W_2)$ . We must have that for generic  $a \in f(A)$ , that  $W_1(a) = W_2(a)$ , as Ker(f) is irreducible. The condition on f(A), that  $W_1(a') = W_2(a')$  for a'inf(A) is closed and holds for generic a. Hence, as f(A) is irreducible, it holds everywhere on f(A) and  $W_1 = W_2$ .

## Theorem 0.4. Relative Mordell Lang Conjecture

Let  $k \subset K$  be algebraically closed fields of characteristic zero. Let A be an abelian variety defined over K and let X be an irreducible subvariety of A defined over K. Let  $\Gamma$  be a finitely generated subgroup of A(K), and suppose that  $X \cap \Gamma$  is Zariski dense in X. Then there exists  $\gamma \in \Gamma$ , an abelian subvariety B of A containing  $\gamma + X$ , an abelian variety A' defined over k, a subvariety X' of A' defined over k, and a connected homomorphism f from B to A', such that  $\gamma + X = f^{-1}(X')$ ,  $f(B \cap \Gamma) \subset A'(k)$ .

**Lemma 0.5.** Theorem 0.1 follows from Theorem 0.4 and the result in [3].

Proof. The proof of Theorem 0.1 follows from the fact that Theorem 0.1 is known when  $\{X,A\}$  are defined over K having zero transcendence degree over  $\mathcal{Q}$ , (\*), because K can be replaced by a number field  $K_0 \subset K$ , which defines  $\{A,X\}$  and such that  $\Gamma$  is a finitely generated subgroup of  $A(K_0)$ ; the finitely many generators can be chosen over  $K_0$ . This result is due to Faltings, see [3]. Then, if  $\{X,A\}$  are defined over K an arbitrary algebraically closed field of characteristic zero,  $\Gamma$  is a finitely generated subgroup of A, let  $Z = \overline{X} \cap \overline{\Gamma}$  and  $Z = W_1 \cup \ldots \cup W_s$  be its decomposition into irreducibles. Each  $W_i$  is defined over K as K is algebraically closed. We have that;

$$Z = \overline{Z \cap \Gamma}$$

$$= \overline{\bigcup_{i=1}^{s} (W_i \cap \Gamma)}$$

$$= \bigcup_{i=1}^{s} \overline{W_i \cap \Gamma}$$

in particularly,  $\overline{W_i \cap \Gamma} = W_i$ . We can then apply Theorem 0.4, to each  $W_i$ , with k having transcendence degree 0 over  $\mathcal{Q}$ , to find  $\{\gamma_1, \ldots, \gamma_s\} \subset \Gamma$ ,  $\{B_1, \ldots, B_s\}$  abelian subvarieties of A, with  $\gamma_i + W_i \subseteq B_i$  and  $\{A_1, \ldots, A_s\}$  abelian varieties over k, homomorphisms  $\{f_1, \ldots, f_s\}$ ,  $f_i : B_i \to A_i$ , and  $X_i \subset A_i$  subvarieties over k, such that  $\gamma_i + W_i = f_i^{-1}(X_i)$ ,  $1 \le i \le s$ ,  $f_i(B_i \cap \Gamma) \subset A_i(k)$ . We have that the groups  $f_i(B_i \cap \Gamma) \subset A_i$  are finitely generated, so we can apply Falting's result, to obtain that there exist  $\{\gamma_{i,1}, \ldots, \gamma_{i,m(i)}\} \subset f_i(B_i \cap \Gamma)$ , abelian subvarieties  $\{C_{i,1}, \ldots, C_{i,m(i)}\}$  of  $A_i$ ,  $1 \le i \le s$ , such that

$$\gamma_{i,j} + C_{i,j} \subseteq X_i$$
, for  $1 \le i \le s$ ,  $1 \le j \le m(i)$  and;

$$X_i(K) \cap f_i(B_i \cap \Gamma) = \bigcup_{j=1}^{m(i)} \gamma_{i,j} + (C_{i,j}(K) \cap f_i(B_i \cap \Gamma))$$

Applying  $f_i^{-1}$ , using the fact  $D_{i,j} = f_i^{-1}(C_{i,j})$  are abelian subvarieties of  $B_i$ , as  $f_i$  is connected, we obtain that;

$$f_{i}^{-1}(X_{i}(K) \cap f_{i}(B_{i} \cap \Gamma))$$

$$= \gamma_{i} + (W_{i}(K) \cap \Gamma)$$

$$= f_{i}^{-1}(\bigcup_{j=1}^{m(i)} \gamma_{i,j} + (C_{i,j}(K) \cap f_{i}(B_{i} \cap \Gamma)))$$

$$= \bigcup_{j=1}^{m(i)} \delta_{i,j} + (D_{i,j}(K) \cap \Gamma)$$
where  $f_{i}(\delta_{i,j}) = \gamma_{i,j}$ . Then;
$$W_{i}(K) \cap \Gamma = \bigcup_{j=1}^{m(i)} (\delta_{i,j} - \gamma_{i}) + (D_{i,j}(K) \cap \Gamma)$$
and;
$$X(K) \cap \Gamma$$

$$= Z(K) \cap \Gamma$$

$$= \bigcup_{i=1}^{s} W_{i}(K) \cap \Gamma$$

$$= \bigcup_{j=1}^{s} \bigcup_{j=1}^{m(i)} (\delta_{i,j} - \gamma_{i}) + (D_{i,j}(K) \cap \Gamma)$$

Re indexing, we obtain the result.

We now claim that we can strengthen the hypotheses and weaken the conclusion of Theorem 0.4 to;

**Theorem 0.6.** Let  $k \subset K$  be algebraically closed fields of characteristic zero. Let A be an abelian variety defined over K and let X be an irreducible subvariety of A defined over K, such that  $Stab_X$  is finite. Let  $\Gamma$  be a finitely generated subgroup of A(K), and suppose that  $X \cap \Gamma$  is Zariski dense in X. Then there exists  $\gamma \in \Gamma$ , an abelian subvariety B of A containing  $\gamma + X$ , an abelian variety A' defined over k, a subvariety X' of A' defined over k, and a bijective homomorphism f from

B to A', such that  $\gamma + X = f^{-1}(X')$ ,  $f(B \cap \Gamma) \subset A'(k)$ .

**Lemma 0.7.** If Theorem 0.6 is true, then so is Theorem 0.4.

Proof. This is essentially proved in [1]. Assume that Theorem 0.6 holds. Let  $\{X, A, \Gamma\}$  be given as in the hypotheses of Theorem 0.4. Then  $Stab_X$  is an algebraic subgroup of A defined over K. Let S be its connected component, then S is irreducible and so defines an abelian subvariety of A. Let  $A_1 = \frac{A}{S}$  be the quotient abelian variety, with canonical projection  $\pi: A \to A_1$ . Then  $\{\pi_1(X), A_1\}$  are defined over K and  $Stab_{\pi_1(X)}$  is finite, as S has finite index in  $Stab_X$ . We have that, by continuity of  $\pi_1$ , that;

$$\pi_1(\overline{X \cap \Gamma})$$

$$= \pi_1(X)$$

$$= \overline{\pi_1(X \cap \Gamma)}$$

$$= \overline{\pi_1(X) \cap \pi(\Gamma)}$$

so that  $\pi_1(X) \cap \pi(\Gamma)$  is Zariski dense in  $\pi_1(X)$ . Clearly,  $\pi_1(\Gamma) \subset A_1(K)$  is finitely generated. It follows that we can obtain the hypotheses of Theorem 0.6, so that there exists  $\gamma \in \Gamma$ , an abelian subvariety  $B_1$  of  $A_1$  containing  $\pi_1(\gamma) + \pi_1(X)$ , an abelian variety A' defined over k, a subvariety X' of A' defined over k, and a bijective homomorphism f from  $B_1$  to A', such that  $\pi_1(\gamma) + \pi_1(X) = f^{-1}(X')$ ,  $f(B_1 \cap \pi_1(\Gamma)) \subset A'(k)$ . Then, letting  $B = \pi_1^{-1}(B_1)$ , so that B is an abelian subvariety as  $\pi_1$  is connected, which contains  $\gamma + X$ ,  $\pi_1 \circ f : B \to A'$  is connected as  $\pi_1$  is connected and f is a bijective homomorphism,  $\gamma + X = (\pi_1 \circ f)^{-1}(X')$ . Clearly  $\pi_1 \circ f(B \cap \Gamma) \subset A'(k)$ , so the conclusion of Theorem 0.4 is obtained.

In order to prove Theorem 0.6, we follow the exposition in [1]. We add a derivation to K and enlarge K to a bigger algebraically closed field which we also denote by K, which is differentially closed. We replace the group  $\Gamma$  by a definable group H which contains it and has finite Morley rank. We arrange that k is the field of constant of K, see the article by [11]. The definable group H cannot be one-based, as  $X \cap H$  is a definable subset of H, and by a result in [8],  $X \cap H$  would be

a finite union of cosets of subgroups of H, and, therefore,  $X = \overline{X \cap H}$  would be a finite union of cosets of abelian subvarieties of A, contradicting the assumption that  $Stab_X$  is finite?  $Stab_X \supset H_1 \subset H$  and  $H_1$  is infinite?

We can find B a strongly minimal  $\delta$ -definable set such that  $H \subset acl(B)$ . If B is locally modular, then by [7] or [12], B is one based. It follows that H is one based, as if  $\{S,T\}$  are algebraically closed sets in  $H^{eq}$ , then, we can find subsets  $\{S_1,T_1\}\subset B$ , such that  $acl^{eq}(S_1)=S$ ,  $acl^{eq}(T_1)=T$ , with

$$S_1 \quad \bigcup_{S \cap T} \quad T_1$$

as for  $\overline{s_1} \subset S_1$  finite,  $Cb(\overline{s_1}/T_1) \in acl^{eq}(\overline{s_1}) \cap acl^{eq}(T_1)$ , and using the finite character of forking independence. By forking symmetry, and the fact that algebraic types have U-rank 0;

$$S \quad \bigcup_{S \cap T} \quad T$$

This contradiction implies that B is non locally modular, (E). We claim that B is non-orthogonal to the constants, (D). If not, choose  $\overline{c}$  in B generic over the definition  $\overline{b}$  of B, and consider  $tp(\overline{c}\overline{b}/k_0)$ , where  $k_0 = acl(\overline{b}) \cap k$ .

We use the representation given in [9]. Replacing  $\overline{c}\overline{b}$  with an interdefinable tuple if necessary, there exists a smooth irreducible variety Vand an affine subbundle W of T(V) such that;

$$\{\overline{xy} \in V : (\overline{xy}, \overline{x'y'}) \in W\}$$

is  $\delta$ -irreducible, defined by  $f(\overline{x}, \overline{y}) = 0$ , with generic point  $\overline{cb}$  over  $k_0$ , in the sense that any differential polynomial  $g(\overline{x}, \overline{y})$ , over  $k_0$ , vanishing at  $\overline{cb}$  vanishes on  $f(\overline{x}, \overline{y}) = 0$ . We have that  $f(\overline{x}, \overline{b}) \cap B$  is cofinite in B, as  $\overline{c}$  was generic in the sense of Morley rank. Replacing B by  $B' = f(\overline{x}, \overline{b}) \cap B$ , then B' is strongly minimal and still  $H \subset acl(B')$ . We claim that if  $\overline{e} \in B'$ , then  $tp(\overline{eb}/k_0)$  is a specialisation of  $tp(\overline{cb}/k_0)$ . For suppose that  $g \in k_0\{\overline{x}, \overline{y}\}$  is a differential polynomial which has the property that  $g(\overline{cb}) = 0$ , then g vanishes on  $f(\overline{x}, \overline{y}) = 0$ , and it follows that  $g(\overline{cb}) = 0$ , as  $f(\overline{cb}) = 0$ .

As above, replacing  $\overline{c}b$  with an interdefinable tuple of length (N+1)s, for some N,  $s = length(\overline{c}b)$ , we assume that  $t.deg(\overline{c}b_n/\overline{c}b_{n-1}) = d$ , forall  $n \geq 1$ , where where  $\overline{c}b_n = (\overline{c}b, \overline{c}b', \dots, \overline{c}b^{(n)})$ . Then, if  $tp(\overline{e}b/k_0)$  is a proper specialisation, replacing  $\overline{c}b$  with the corresponding interdefinable tuple of the same length, we cannot have that  $t.deg(\overline{e}b_n/\overline{e}b_{n-1}) \leq d-1$ , for any  $n \geq 1$ , as this is strictly monotone decreasing, and we would have that  $U(\overline{c}b/k_0) - U(\overline{e}b/k_0) = \omega$ , which, by additivity of U-rank, implies that  $U(\overline{c}/\overline{b}k_0) = U(\overline{e}/\overline{b}k_0) + \omega$ , contradicting strong minimality. It follows that, for a proper specialisation;

$$t.deg(k_0(\overline{eb}_n)) = t.deg(k_0(\overline{cb}_n)) - r$$
  
where  $1 \le r \le (N+1)s$ .

Moreover, we claim that  $tp(\overline{e}\overline{b}/k_0)$  is a proper specialisation iff  $\overline{e} \in acl(k_0(\overline{b}))$ , (\*). We have that there exists N such that for all n > N;

$$t.deg(k_0(\overline{cb}_n)/k_0(\overline{cb}_{n-1})) = d$$

where  $\overline{cb}_n = (\overline{cb}, \overline{cb}', \dots, \overline{cb}^{(n)})$ , and  $tp(\overline{eb}/k_0)$  is a proper specialisation iff:

$$t.deg(k_0(\overline{eb}_n)) = t.deg(k_0(\overline{cb}_n)) - r$$

where  $1 \leq r \leq (N+1)s$ , (B),  $s = length(\overline{cb})$ . In particular, this occurs iff  $tp(\overline{eb}/k_0) \neq tp(\overline{cb}/k_0)$ , in which case by strong minimality,  $\overline{e} \in acl(k_0(\overline{b}))$  (C)

We claim that for any proper specialisation  $tp(\overline{e}\overline{b}'/k_0)$  of  $tp(\overline{e}\overline{b}/k_0)$  co-degree r, with  $1 < r \le (N+1)s$ , there exists a specialisation;

$$tp(\overline{e}'\overline{b}''/k_0)$$
 of  $tp(\overline{c}\overline{b}/k_0)$ 

of co-degree r-1, such that;

 $tp(\overline{e}\overline{b}'/k_0)$  is a specialisation of  $tp(\overline{e}'\overline{b}''/k_0)$ 

of co-degree 1. (A)

This follows, as by the representation above, we can find an irreducible subvariety  $V_r^0 \subset V$  of algebraic codimension r in V, such that;

$$\{\overline{xy} \in V_r^0 : (\overline{xy}, \overline{x'y'}) \in W\}$$

is  $\delta$ -irreducible, defined by  $f_r^0(\overline{x}, \overline{y}) = 0$ , with generic point  $\overline{e}\overline{b}$  over  $k_0$ . Let  $V_{r-1}^0$  be an irreducible subvariety of codimension r-1, satisfying the corresponding tangency condition;

..... Tangency condition for codimension 1 on f, choose  $f_i \in k_0(V)$  defined over  $k_0$ , such that  $\{f^1, \ldots, f^d\}$  forms a basis for W

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\dim(V)} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i} f_i^r = h^r f$$
, for some  $h^r \in k_0(V)$ ,  $1 \le r \le d$  (UU)

where 
$$f \in k_0[[x_1, \ldots, x_d]] \cap \mathfrak{m}_{\bar{e}\bar{b}}$$
 in local coordinates  $\{x_1, \ldots, x_d\}$ .

Solve for an etale cover of V. Use uniform bound in etale cohomology of covers of original V, in terms of degree of the cover, and bound in number of specialisations in terms of dimension of cohomology groups. Extend the number of specialisations by taking the images of f under the Galois action.

Given solution in etale cover can push forward to obtain a solution in V?

Need to code the vector bundle generated by W as the kernel of a collection of forms  $\{w_1,\ldots,w_p\}$ ,  $w=w_1\wedge\ldots\wedge w_p$ , whose coordinates are rational over  $k_0(\bar{c}, therefore the corresponding minors can be represented by <math>\{f_i\} \in k_0(V), 1 \leq i \leq C_p^{dim(V)}$ , so in the Tate algebra. The condition of dependency df on  $\{w_1,\ldots,w_p\}$  is defined by the vanishing of the minors of the matrix  $\{df,w_1,\ldots,w_p\}$ . Each condition defines an operator condition  $T_i$  on the Tate algebra, rational over  $k_0(V)$ .

Rewrite the differential equation (UU) as;

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\dim(V)} \frac{\partial \log(f)}{\partial x_i} f_i^r = h^r, \text{ for some } h^r \in k_0(V), 1 \le r \le d \ (UUU)$$

and define  $h^r$  in terms of the given  $f^r$  and log(f). Clear then that we can find local analytic solutions to (UU)?? Rational approximation to the logarithm, solve UU to obtain approximate algebraic solutions?

Generic case, codim 2, can choose differential specialisation  $\overline{e}$  to lie on intersection  $f \cap g$  in the Tete algebra, such that  $Rad(f,g) = I(\overline{e})$ , and df, dg are tangent, with nonzero differentials at  $\overline{e}$ . Suppose that;

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\dim(V)} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i} f_i^r = h^r f + s^r g, \text{ for some } h^r, s^r \in k_0(V), 1 \le r \le d (UU)'''$$

 $\frac{f}{g}$  and  $\frac{g}{f}$  define a regular functions at  $\overline{e}$ , using fact that f is tangent to g at  $\overline{e}$ . Divide by f or g;

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\dim(V)} \frac{\partial log(f)}{\partial x_i} f_i^r = h^r + s^r \frac{g}{f}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\dim(V)} \frac{\partial log(g)}{\partial x_i} f_i^r = h^r \frac{f}{g} + s^r$$

In both cases, right hand side is regular at  $\overline{e}$ , forces  $f^r(\overline{e}) = 0$ , for some subset of the  $f^r$  corresponding to one  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i}$ , use to construct nontrivial solution in codimension 1, on an etale cover.

Exclude case in codim 2;

$$\left[\sum_{i=1}^{\dim(V)} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i} f_i^r\right]^{s_r} = h^r f + s^r g$$

$$s_r \in \mathcal{Z}_{>1}$$
.

Generic case, codim 2, can choose differential specialisation  $\overline{e}$  to lie on intersection  $f \cap g$  in the Tete algebra, such that  $(f,g) = I(\overline{e})$ , and df, dg are transverse, with nonzero differentials at  $\overline{e}$ ; use fact that  $\overline{e}$  has codimension 2 and jet spaces argument, to exclude case where higher differentials are all tangent. As we can complete f,g to a set of uniformisers  $\{u_1,\ldots,u_n\}$  at  $\overline{e}$  f and g generate a subalgebra  $k_0[[f,g]]^{alg}$  of the full algebra  $K[[u_1,\ldots,u_n]]^{alg}$ . We can construct;

$$f_1 = (\alpha f + \beta g) + (\gamma f + \delta g)^2 + (\epsilon f + \xi g)^3$$

$$f_2 = (\alpha f + \beta g) + (\gamma f + \delta g)^2$$

where  $\{\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \epsilon, \xi\} \subset k_0$ , so that  $f_1(\overline{e}) = f_2(\overline{e} = 0, \text{ and } \frac{f_1}{f_2} \text{ is regular at } \overline{e}$ , have that  $Rad(f_1, f_2) = I(\overline{e})$  again.

$$\left[\sum_{i=1}^{\dim(V)} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_i} f_i^r\right]^{s_r} = h^r f_1 + s^r f_2$$

$$s_r \in \mathcal{Z}_{>1}$$
.

again. As we must have that  $\left[\sum_{i=1}^{\dim(V)} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_i} f_i^r\right](\overline{e}) = 0$ , (VV) as  $\overline{ee'} \in W$  by differential specialisation,  $df_1(\overline{e})(\overline{e'}) = 0$ , as  $f_1(\overline{e}) = 0$ , so  $\overline{ee'} \in Ker(df_1) \cap W$ , and if one of the conditions in (VV) fails, we would have that  $Ker(df_1) \cap W \subsetneq W$ , contradicting the requirement that  $(\overline{ee'}) \in W_{\overline{e}}$  is generic, otherwise U-rank drops, see above.

Let  $L_i$  denote the derivations of  $k_0[[f,g]]^{alg}$  defined by;

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\dim(V)} \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_i} f_i^r$$

for  $1 \leq r \leq C_{p+1}^{\dim(V)}$ , the components of  $df \wedge \omega$ . Let  $\mathfrak{g}$  denote the Lie algebra generated by the  $L_i$ ,  $1 \leq i \leq r$ . Then, letting  $m_{f,g}$  denote the maximal ideal of  $k_0[[f,g]]^{alg}$ , we have by assumption that each  $L_i$  maps  $m_{f,g}$  to itself, and as the  $L_i$  are derivations, we have that if  $h \in m_{f,g}^2$ ,  $h = \sum_j 1^w s_j t_j$ ,  $\{s_j, t_j\} \subset m_{f,g}$ , then;

$$L_i(h) = L_i(\sum_j = 1^w s_j t_j)$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^{w} L_i(s_j)t_j + L_i(t_j)s_j \in m_{f,g}^2$$

Similarly, each  $L_i$  maps  $m_{f,g}^r$  to  $m_{f,g}^r$ , for  $r \geq 1$ . Consider the representation  $\phi_2$  of the derived algebra  $[\mathfrak{g},\mathfrak{g}]$  on the 2 dimensional vector space  $V_2 = \frac{m_{f,g}}{m_{f,g}^2}$  over  $k_0$ . Then, we have that  $\phi_2(\mathfrak{f}) \subset sl_2(k_0)$  and using the fact that  $\{f,g\}$  are transverse, so generate  $V_2$  over  $k_0$ , we can assume that;

$$L(f) = \lambda f + \mu g \mod m_{f,g}^2$$

$$L(g) = \nu f - \lambda g \mod m_{f,g}^2$$

where  $L \in [\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}]$ . Then considering the representation of  $[\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}]$  on  $V_3 = \frac{m_{f,g}^2}{m_{f,g}^3}$ , we have by the derivation property that;

$$L(f^2) = 2f(\lambda f + \mu g) = 2\lambda f^2 + 2\mu f g \mod m_{f,g}^3$$

$$L(g^2) = 2g(\nu f - \lambda g) = -2\lambda g^2 + 2\nu fg \mod m_{f,g}^3$$

$$L(fg) = f(\nu f - \lambda g) + g(\lambda f + \mu g) = \nu f^2 - \lambda f g + \lambda f g + \mu g^2 = \nu f^2 + \mu g^2 \mod m_{f,g}^3 \ (RR)$$

Now consider the representation  $\phi_{1,3}$  of  $[\mathfrak{g},\mathfrak{g}]$  on  $\frac{m_{f,g}}{m_{f,g}^3}$ , then the image  $\phi_{1,3}([\mathfrak{g},\mathfrak{g}])$  must be a subalgebra of  $sl_5(k_0)$ .... However, using the fact that  $[M_{23},M_{32}]=M_{22}-M_{33}$  and (RR), with  $M_{22}=0$ , we obtain a contradiction unless  $\lambda=0$  or  $\mu=0$ , so the image  $\phi_{1,3}([\mathfrak{g},\mathfrak{g}])$  must be solvable, with an upper triangular representation. Assume that  $\nu\neq 0$ , then using the fact that  $M_{13}=[M_{12},M_{23}]$ , and (RR) again, with  $M_{13}=0$ , we must have that  $\mu=0$  as well...(no). It follows that we can assume that:

$$L(f) = \lambda f \mod m_{f,q}^2$$

$$L(g) = -\lambda g \mod m_{f,g}^2$$

Exclude the case of a remainder.....(no)

..... Need case of infinite co degree specialisations, generated by pairs  $(f_i, g_i)$ . Consider the divisor group  $\Sigma$  generated by the  $\{f_i\}$ , we can define a map for an unobstructed subgroup  $\Sigma' \leq \Sigma$ ;

$$\Psi: \Sigma \to \tfrac{H^0(U,\Omega^1_X)}{H^0(X,\Omega^1_X)}$$

$$\Psi((f_{\alpha})) = \frac{df_{\alpha}}{f_{\alpha}} - \nu_{f_{\alpha}} + H^{0}(X, \Omega_{X}^{1})$$

where  $\nu_{f_{\alpha}}$  is a regular one form on  $U_{\alpha}$ .  $\Psi$  is injective, see [9].

and;

$$\Phi: \Sigma \to \frac{H^0(X, \Omega_X^{p+1} \otimes L)}{(w \wedge H^0(X, \Omega_X^1))}$$

$$f_i \mapsto (\frac{df_i \wedge w}{f_i} - \nu_i \wedge w)^{twist} + H^0(X, \Omega_X^1)$$

As  $\Sigma'$  has arbitrarily large rank and the rank of  $H^0(X, \Omega_X^{p+1} \otimes L)$  is finite, we can find, for  $f_i \in Ker(\Phi)$ ,  $\theta_{f_i}$ , such that;

$$(\frac{df_i \wedge w}{f_i} - \nu_i \wedge w)^{twist} = w \wedge \theta_{f_i} (*)$$

$$(df_i \wedge w - f_i \nu_i \wedge w) = w \wedge \theta_{f_i} (*)$$

$$(df_i - f_i \nu_i - \theta_{f_i}) \wedge w = 0 \ (*)$$

$$(df_i - f_i \nu_i - \theta_{f_i}) \in H^0(X, \Omega_X^{p+1} \otimes L)$$

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..... so that;

$$\left(\frac{df_i \wedge w}{f_i} - \nu_i \wedge w - \theta_{f_i} \wedge w\right)^{twist} = 0 \ (**)$$

$$\left(\frac{df_i \wedge w}{f_i} - \nu_i \wedge w - \theta_{f_i} \wedge w\right) = 0$$

$$w \wedge \overline{\Psi}(w) = 0$$

where  $\overline{\Psi}(f_i) = (\frac{df_i}{f_i} - \nu_i - \theta_{f_i})$  and  $f_i$  is a codegree 1 specialisation. Follow argument in [?].

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Need case of infinite co degree specialisations, generated by pairs  $(f_i, g_i)$ . Consider the divisor group  $\Sigma$  generated by the  $f_i$ , we can define a map;

Choose N large with  $\{f_1, \ldots f_N\}$  linearly independent in  $\langle f_1, \ldots f_N \rangle \subset Div \otimes k_0$ . Let  $\Sigma'$  be the group generated.

We have the unobstructed map  $\Psi: \Sigma \to \frac{H^0(U,\Omega_1)}{H^0(X,\Omega_1)}$  defined by;

$$\Psi((f_{\alpha})) = \frac{df_{\alpha}}{f_{\alpha}} - \nu_{f_{\alpha}}$$

Define a map;

$$\Phi: \Sigma' \to \frac{H^0(X, \Omega_X^{p+1} \otimes L)}{w \wedge H^0(X, \Omega_X^1)}$$

$$f_{1,\alpha}^{m_1} \dots f_{N,\alpha}^{m_N} \mapsto f_{1,\alpha}^{\delta(m_1)} \dots f_{N,\alpha}^{\delta(m_n)} \left( \frac{df_{1,\alpha}^{m_1} \dots f_{N,\alpha}^{m_N} \wedge w}{f_{1,\alpha}^{m_1} \dots f_{N,\alpha}^{m_N}} - \nu_{f_{1,\alpha}^{m_1} \dots f_{N,\alpha}^{m_N}} \wedge w \right)$$

where  $\delta(m) = 0$  if m = 0 and  $\delta(m) = 1$  if  $m \geq 1$ . Generically,  $\left(\frac{df_{1,\alpha}^{m_1}...f_{N,\alpha}^{m_N} \wedge w}{f_{i,\alpha}} - \nu_{f_{i,\alpha}}\right)$  will be a rational section of the sheaf  $\Omega_X^{p+1} \otimes L$ , Let M be the sheaf defined by the transition functions;

$$\frac{f_{1,\alpha}^{\delta(m_1)}...f_{N,\alpha}^{\delta(m_n)}}{f_{1,beta}^{\delta(m_1)}...f_{N,\beta}^{\delta(m_n)}}$$

and we obtain a global section of the sheaf  $\Omega_X^{p+1} \otimes L \otimes M$ , (AB).

To see (AB), consider the simplest case;

$$(\frac{w \wedge df_{1,\alpha}}{f_{1,\alpha}} - w \wedge \nu_{1,\alpha} + \frac{w \wedge df_{2,\alpha}}{f_{2,\alpha}} - w \wedge \nu_{2,\alpha})^{twist}$$

We claim this belongs to  $H^0(X, \Omega_X^{p+1} \otimes L \otimes M)$ , for the line bundle M defined by the transition functions  $f_{1,\alpha}f_{2,\alpha}$ . We have that  $(w \wedge \nu_{1,\alpha})$  and  $(w \wedge \nu_{2,\alpha})$  are regular on  $U_{\alpha}$ , and;

$$\begin{split} & \frac{w \wedge df_{1,\alpha}}{f_{1,\alpha}} - w \wedge \nu_{1,\alpha} + \frac{w \wedge df_{2,\alpha}}{f_{2,\alpha}} - w \wedge \nu_{2,\alpha} \\ &= \frac{1}{f_{1,\alpha}f_{2,\alpha}} [f_{2,\alpha}(f_{1,\alpha}w_1 + g_{1,\alpha}w_2) - f_{1,\alpha}f_{2,\alpha}(w \wedge \nu_{1,\alpha}) \\ &+ f_{1,\alpha}(f_{2,\alpha}w_3 + g_{2,\alpha}w_4) - f_{1,\alpha}f_{2,\alpha}(w \wedge \nu_{2,\alpha})] \end{split}$$

Assume for contradiction that;

$$f_{1,\alpha}f_{2,\alpha}|[f_{2,\alpha}(f_{1,\alpha}w_1+g_{1,\alpha}w_2)-f_{1,\alpha}f_{2,\alpha}(w\wedge\nu_{1,\alpha})+f_{1,\alpha}(f_{2,\alpha}w_3+g_{2,\alpha}w_4)\\-f_{1,\alpha}f_{2,\alpha}(w\wedge\nu_{2,\alpha})]$$

Then:

$$f_{1,\alpha}f_{2,\alpha}|[f_{2,\alpha}g_{1,\alpha}w_2+f_{1,\alpha}g_{2,\alpha}w_4]$$

$$f_{1,\alpha}|f_{2,\alpha}g_{1,\alpha}w_2$$

$$f_{2,\alpha}|f_{1,\alpha}g_{2,\alpha}w_4$$

Assuming that  $g_{1,\alpha}$  and  $g_{2,\alpha}$  are irreducible, see note below, and working in local coordinates for  $\{w_2, w_4\}$ , we obtain that  $f_{1,\alpha} \sim f_{2,\alpha}$ , contradicting the presentation below.

$$0 \to \mathfrak{L}(-D) \to O_X \to O_D \to 0$$

We have that  $\mathfrak{L}(D) \otimes \Omega_X^{p+1}$  is locally free as  $\mathfrak{L}(D)$  is invertible and X is nonsingular. It follows that, tensoring with  $\mathfrak{L}(D) \otimes \Omega_X^{p+1}$ , we obtain a short exact sequence;

$$0 \to \mathfrak{L}(-D) \otimes \mathfrak{L}(D) \otimes \Omega_X^{p+1} \to O_X \otimes \mathfrak{L}(D) \otimes \Omega_X^{p+1} \to O_D \otimes \mathfrak{L}(D) \otimes \Omega_X^{p+1} \to 0$$

$$0 \to \Omega_X^{p+1} \to \mathfrak{L}(D) \otimes \Omega_X^{p+1} \to O_D \otimes_{O_X} \mathfrak{L}(D) \otimes \Omega_X^{p+1} \to 0 \ (BV)$$

By the above calculation (AB), we have that in local coordinates;

$$f_{\alpha}(w \wedge \frac{df_{\alpha}}{f_{\alpha}} - w \wedge \nu_{\alpha})$$

is a global section  $\sigma$  of  $\mathfrak{L}(D) \otimes \Omega_X^{p+1}$  and we compute its restriction  $i^{-1}\sigma$  in  $O_D \otimes_{O_X} \mathfrak{L}(D) \otimes \Omega_X^{p+1}$ . We have that;

$$i^{-1}(f_{\alpha}(w \wedge \frac{df_{\alpha}}{f_{\alpha}} - w \wedge \nu_{\alpha}))$$

$$= i^{-1}(w \wedge df_{\alpha} - f_{\alpha}(w \wedge \nu_{\alpha}))$$

$$=i^{-1}(w\wedge df_{\alpha})$$
, as  $f_{\alpha}$  vanishes on  $f_{\alpha}=0$ 

 $=i^*w$  (as  $df_{\alpha}$  vanishes on the tangent vectors of  $f_{\alpha}$ )

The residue doesn't have to be zero. The global section functor is left exact, so we obtain from (BV);

$$0 \to \Gamma(X, \Omega_X^{p+1}) \to \Gamma(X, \mathfrak{L}(D) \otimes \Omega_X^{p+1}) \to \Gamma(X, O_D \otimes_{O_X} \mathfrak{L}(D) \otimes \Omega_X^{p+1})$$
 No.

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Take a system of local coordinates  $\{x_1, \ldots x_n\}$  on X. As  $\Omega^1(X)$  is locally free because X is non-singular, we can find an open set U such that the differentials  $\{dx_1, \ldots dx_n\}$  remain independent on U. Without loss of generality, we can assume that infinitely many co-degree 2 specialisations lie on U. Otherwise, we find infinitely many codegree specialisations on  $Z = X \setminus U$  and we can use induction.....

Using the fact that the derivation  $df \wedge w(\xi_1, \dots, \xi_{p+1})$  has an eigenvector if the representation is semisimple, we can patch the forms;

$$\left(\frac{df_{\alpha}}{f_{\alpha}} - \nu_{\alpha}\right) \wedge w \wedge dx_{p+2} \wedge \ldots \wedge dx_n$$

to give a global section of the canonical sheaf  $\Omega_X^n$ , possibly with a twist.

Then use cohomological arguments to show that we can find a meromorphic integral  $dg \wedge w \wedge dx_{p+2} \wedge \ldots \wedge dx_n = 0$ . Repeating for the finitely many permutations  $dx_{\sigma(p+2)} \wedge \ldots \wedge dx_{\sigma(n)}$ , we can find a meromorphic integral;

$$dg \wedge w \wedge dx_{\sigma(1)} \wedge \ldots \wedge dx_{\sigma(p+1)} = 0$$

for all permutations  $\sigma$ , to give that;

$$dg \wedge w = 0$$

.... Case of the remainder, consider the representation  $df \wedge w(\xi_1, \ldots, \xi_{p+1})$  on  $k_0[f, g]$  and then  $\frac{m_{f,g}}{m_{f,g}^N}$  for large N. Again we can find an eigenvector r, to obtain that;

$$dr \wedge w \wedge dx_{p+2} \wedge \ldots \wedge dx_n = (\lambda r + \theta) dx_1 \wedge \ldots \wedge dx_n$$

where  $\theta \in m_{f,g}^{N+1}$ . Choose a uniformiser s such that r, s are uniformisers for  $m_{f,g}$ , so that  $m_{f,g}^{N+1} = m_{s,r}^{N+1}$ , and the intersection product;

$$(s=0, r=0) \geq (K, r=0) \ (HU)$$

where K is the canonical class.

Then;

$$\frac{dr}{r} \wedge w \wedge dx_{p+2} \wedge \ldots \wedge dx_n = \frac{s^{N+1}}{r} w_1 + w_2 \in h^0(\Omega_X^n \otimes L)$$

(L defined by 
$$r=0$$
)

where  $w_1$  and  $w_2$  are regular local sections of the canonical sheaf.

Restricting to the divisor r = 0, we obtain that;

$$deg(K|_{r=0}) = (K, r = 0) = (N+1)(s = 0, r = 0)$$

which contradicts (HU)...no

gives a rational section of the canonical sheaf  $\Omega_X^n$ By the representation, this equals;

$$\frac{g_{\alpha}}{f_{\alpha}}\omega + \omega_1$$

where  $\omega_1$  is regular and  $\omega$  is a rational section of  $\Omega_X^n$ . Twisting by f = 0, we obtain a rational section  $\sigma$  of  $\Omega_X^n \otimes L$ , locally of the form;

$$g_{\alpha}\omega + f_{\alpha}\omega_1 \ (UO)$$

Restricting to f = 0, defining the divisor L, and taking the degree, we obtain that;

$$(K + L, L) = (K + (g = 0), L)$$

$$(L, L) = (g = 0, L)$$

If  $(L, L) \leq 0$ , we obtain a contradiction, as g = 0 intersects L properly. If (L, L) > 0, we can use the adjunction formula;

$$\sigma|_L = \omega_L$$

where  $\omega_L$  is a section of the canonical sheaf  $\Omega_L^{n-1}$  on L. By the local representation (UO), we have that;

$$g_{\alpha}\omega|_{L}\in h^{0}(\Omega_{L}^{n-1})$$

so that;

$$g_{\alpha} \in h^0(\Omega_L^{n-1} \otimes (\omega|_X^n)|_L^{-1})$$

Using the short exact sequence of sheaves on L;

$$0 \to \frac{J}{J^2} \to \Omega_X \otimes O_L \to \Omega_L \to 0$$

and taking exterior powers;

$$\Omega_X^n|_L \cong \Omega_L^{n-1} \otimes (\frac{J}{J^2})$$

see [4], p182

$$\left(\frac{J}{J^2}\right) \cong \Omega_X^n|_L \otimes \left(\Omega_L^{n-1}\right)^{-1}$$

$$Hom(\frac{J}{J^2}, O_L) = (\frac{J}{J^2})^{-1} \cong \Omega_L^{n-1} \otimes (\omega|_X^n)|_L^{-1}$$

so that, twisting the sheaf of differentials if necessary, the  $g_{\alpha}$  patch to form a global section of the normal bundle  $Hom_{O_L}(\frac{J}{J^2}, O_L)$ . By a result in [4], L admits an infinitesimal deformation in X over the ring of dual numbers. As g=0 passes through the generic point  $\overline{e}$ , we can use Schlessinger's criteria to generate a global deformation over  $P^1$ , fixing  $\overline{e}$ . In this case, we can assume that the differential specialisation  $\overline{e}$  is defined as the intersection of two linearly equivalent divisors  $\{L, L'\}$ . We can then remove the twist in L, as locally, we obtain that;

$$\left(\frac{df_{\alpha}}{f_{\alpha}} - \nu_{\alpha}\right) \wedge w \wedge dx_{p+2} \wedge \ldots \wedge dx_{n}$$

$$= \frac{g_{\alpha}}{f_{\alpha}}\omega + \omega_{1}$$

$$= h\omega + \omega_{1}$$

is a rational section of  $\Omega_X^n$ , where h is a rational function with (h) = (f = 0) - (g = 0), and we obtain a global section, independently of the divisors f = 0, twisting the sheaf  $\Omega_X^n$ .

...... For infinite co-degree 2 specialisations, have to remove singular points  $p_i$  for the defining divisors  $\{f_i, g_i\}$  and the cases when  $\{f_i, g_i\}$  are tangent. If  $p_i$  is singular for one divisor  $g_i$ , this can be achieved by a simple change of variables, replacing  $f_i$  with  $\lambda f_i + \mu g_i$  and noting that  $d(\lambda f_i + \mu g_i) = \mu d(g_i) \neq 0$ . If  $p_i$  is singular for both  $f_i$  and  $g_i$ , we can blow up the variety X along the subvariety  $V_i$  for which  $p_i$  is the generic point, to obtain an interdefinable specialisation  $p'_i$  and a smooth variety X', and note that by birationality;

$$dim(H^0(X',\Omega^{p+1}\times L))=dim(H^0(X,\Omega^{p+1}\otimes L))$$

We only need to do this a finite number of times by the effective version of Jouanalou's theorem. If  $p_i$  is nonsingular for both  $f_i$  and  $g_i$  but  $f_i$  and  $g_i$  are tangent, we can reduce to the case where  $f_i$  and  $g_i$  are transverse, by considering higher tangent spaces  $T^i(X)$  and checking that;

$$dim(H^0(T^i(X), \Omega^{p+1} \otimes L)) = dim(H^0(X, \Omega^{p+1} \otimes L))$$

We can assume that the co-degree 2 specialisations  $p_i$  are defined by  $(f_i, g_i)$  so that the  $f_i$  are distinct. Otherwise we obtain an infinite number of co-degree 2 specialisations on a single divisor  $f_i$ . Then we can reverse the roles of  $g_i$  and  $f_i$ , and if the  $g_i$  are not distinct, obtain an infinite number of codegree 2 specialisations on the intersection  $f_i \cap g_i$ , contradicting algebraicity. To remove the obstruction in the divisor group  $\Sigma$ , we can assume that the generators  $\{f_i, g_i\}$  are irreducible and intersect transversely at  $p_i$ , so that  $I(p_i) = \langle f_i, g_i \rangle$ . Then, by an effective calculation on the obstruction, we can find a subgroup  $\Sigma_1 \leq \Sigma$  of arbitrary rank N, which is unobstructed for the map  $\Psi$ . Let  $\{b_1, \ldots, b_N \}$  be a basis, and assume that  $\{f_i: 1 \leq i \leq r\}$  appear as components of the basis. Then  $N \leq r$ , as  $\langle b_1, \ldots, b_N \rangle \subset \langle f_1, \ldots, f_r \rangle$ . We can then define the twist using the product of these irreducible components.

In order to prove that that the map  $\Phi$  above is well defined, we still need to show that that the representation of the derived algebra above  $[\mathfrak{g},\mathfrak{g}]$  is reasonably well behaved, as for example we could have that  $f_{\alpha}|g_{\alpha}+g_{\alpha}^2$ , even though the reduced intersection  $f_{\alpha}$  and  $g_{\alpha}$  is transverse at p, as  $g_{\alpha}$  may contain a component such that  $1+g_{\alpha}$  vanishes on  $f_{\alpha}=0$ . (Can assume that  $g_{\alpha}$  is irreducible?)

...... (need the fact that  $V_r^0$  does).... We claim that;

$$f(\overline{x}, \overline{y}) = 0 \cup \{\neg V_r(\overline{x}, \overline{y})\} \cup V_{r-1}^0(\overline{x}, \overline{y}) \ (***)$$

is consistent. If not, then by compactness, we can find a variety  $W_r$  of codimension r, such that;

$$f(\overline{x}, \overline{y}) = 0 \cup \neg W_r(\overline{x}, \overline{y}) \to \neg V_{r-1}^0$$

But  $W_r$  defines a Zariski closed subset of  $V_{r-1}^0$ , so by the geometric axioms for DCF, we can find a tuple  $\overline{e}'\overline{b}'$  satisfying  $f(\overline{x},\overline{y})=0$ , with  $V_{r-1}^0(\overline{e}'\overline{b}')$  and  $\neg W_r(\overline{e}',\overline{b}')$ . Let  $\overline{e}''\overline{b}''$  realise the type (\*\*\*). Then by construction, we have that  $tp(\overline{c}\overline{b})$  specialises to  $tp(\overline{e}''\overline{b}'')$  specialises to  $tp(\overline{e}\overline{b})$ . In particularly, considering differential polynomials  $r(\overline{y})$  over  $k_0$ , we have that  $r(\overline{y})$  vanishes on  $\overline{b}$  iff  $r(\overline{y})$  vanishes on  $\overline{b}''$ , so that  $tp(\overline{b}/k_0) = tp(\overline{b}''/k_0)$ . Using  $\aleph_0$ -homogeneity of K, we can replace  $(\overline{e}''\overline{b}'')$  with a tuple  $(\overline{e}'\overline{b})$  in the realisation of (\*\*\*). It follows that (A) holds.

The following result is due to Hrushovski, [5], which relies on Jouanalou's Theorem, see [6];

If  $k_0$  is an algebraically closed field of constants, and  $p(\overline{x}) = tp(\overline{d}/k_0)$ , then either;

- (a). There is  $c \in C \setminus k_0$  with  $c \in acl(k_0(\overline{d}))$  (non-orthogonality) or
- (b).  $p(\overline{x})$  has only finitely many co-degree 1 specialisations. (G)

Assume that (a) does not hold for  $tp(\overline{c}\overline{b}/k_0)$ . We have (a) does not hold for the proper specialisations,  $tp(\overline{e}\overline{b}/k_0)$ , as, otherwise, we would have that;

$$\begin{array}{ccc} c & \not\downarrow & \overline{e}\overline{b} \\ & k_0 \end{array}$$

but by the definition of  $k_0$ ;

$$c \bigcup_{k_0} \bar{b}$$

so that, by transitivity;

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
c & \swarrow & \overline{e} \\
k_0(\overline{b}) & \end{array}$$

which is a contradiction, as by (C),  $\overline{e} \in acl(k_0(\overline{b}))$ .

As, by (A), we can factor any proper specialisation into a chain of codegree 1 specialisations, and use the bound in (B), it follows, by (G)

applied repeatedly, that  $tp(\overline{c}\overline{b}/k_0)$  has only finitely many proper specialisations of the form  $tp(\overline{c}\overline{b}/k_0)$ , where  $\overline{e} \in B'$ . It follows by (C), that  $acl(k_0(\overline{b})) \cap B'$  is finite and B' is  $\omega$ -categorical. By a result due to Zilber, see [10], this implies that B' is locally modular, which contradicts (E). Hence, the claim (D) is shown.

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