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$$x = x^\mu = \begin{pmatrix} ct \\ x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} ct \\ x^i \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} ct \\ \vec{x} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} ct \\ \underline{x} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mu = 0, 1, 2, 3$$

$$i = 1, 2, 3$$

$$x \cdot y = (x^0)(y^0) - (x^1)(y^1) - (x^2)(y^2) - (x^3)(y^3)$$

$$= x^\mu y^\nu \eta_{\mu\nu} = (x^\mu)^T \eta y = (y^\nu)^T \eta x$$

$$\eta = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & & \\ & -1 & & \\ & & -1 & \\ & & & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$x \cdot y = (x^\mu \eta_{\mu\nu} y^\nu) = x_\nu y^\nu = (x^\mu) (\eta_{\mu\nu} y^\nu) = x^\mu y_\mu$$

η "lowers index".

$$x_\mu = \eta_{\mu\nu} x^\nu$$

$$x^\mu = (\eta^{-1})^{\mu\nu} x_\nu = \eta^{\mu\nu} x_\nu$$

$$\eta^{\mu\nu} = (\eta_{\mu\nu})^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & & \\ & -1 & & \\ & & -1 & \\ & & & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$x^2 = x \cdot x = (ct)^2 - |\vec{x}|^2$$

$$x \cdot x = 0$$

$$= x^\mu x_\mu$$

speed of light
same...

want to find linear transformation

$x' = \Lambda x$. $x'^{\alpha} = \Lambda^{\alpha}_{\mu} x^{\mu}$ $\sum_{\mu=0}^3$

such that

$x' \cdot y' = \eta_{\alpha\beta} x'^{\alpha} y'^{\beta} = \eta_{\alpha\beta} (\Lambda^{\alpha}_{\mu} x^{\mu}) (\Lambda^{\beta}_{\nu} y^{\nu})$
 $= (\eta_{\alpha\beta} \Lambda^{\alpha}_{\mu} \Lambda^{\beta}_{\nu}) x^{\mu} y^{\nu} = \eta_{\mu\nu} x^{\mu} y^{\nu} = x \cdot y$

$\Rightarrow \eta_{\alpha\beta} \Lambda^{\alpha}_{\mu} \Lambda^{\beta}_{\nu} = \eta_{\mu\nu}$

$(\Lambda^T)_{\mu}^{\alpha} \eta_{\alpha\beta} \Lambda^{\beta}_{\nu} = \eta_{\mu\nu}$ $\Lambda^T \eta \Lambda = \eta$

For Λ near identity, $\Lambda^{\alpha}_{\mu} = \delta^{\alpha}_{\mu} + \epsilon^{\alpha}_{\mu}$

$\eta_{\alpha\beta} \Lambda^{\alpha}_{\mu} \Lambda^{\beta}_{\nu} = \eta_{\alpha\beta} (\delta^{\alpha}_{\mu} + \epsilon^{\alpha}_{\mu}) (\delta^{\beta}_{\nu} + \epsilon^{\beta}_{\nu})$
 $= \eta_{\alpha\beta} \delta^{\alpha}_{\mu} \delta^{\beta}_{\nu} + \eta_{\alpha\beta} \delta^{\alpha}_{\mu} \epsilon^{\beta}_{\nu} + \eta_{\alpha\beta} \epsilon^{\alpha}_{\mu} \delta^{\beta}_{\nu}$
 $= \eta_{\mu\nu} + \eta_{\mu\beta} \epsilon^{\beta}_{\nu} + \eta_{\alpha\nu} \epsilon^{\alpha}_{\mu} + O(\epsilon^2)$
 $= \eta_{\mu\nu} + \epsilon_{\mu\nu} + \epsilon_{\nu\mu} = \eta_{\mu\nu}$

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$$\boxed{\epsilon_{\mu\nu} + \epsilon_{\nu\mu} = 0}$$

Antisymmetric ; 4x4 \rightarrow 6 d.o.f. $\left(\begin{matrix} & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \end{matrix} \right)$

Basis:

$$(J_1)_{\mu\nu} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \end{pmatrix} \quad (J_2)_{\mu\nu} = \begin{pmatrix} & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \end{pmatrix} \quad (J_3)_{\mu\nu} = \begin{pmatrix} & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(K_1)_{\mu\nu} = \begin{pmatrix} & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \end{pmatrix} \quad (K_2)_{\mu\nu} = \begin{pmatrix} & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \end{pmatrix} \quad (K_3)_{\mu\nu} = \begin{pmatrix} & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \end{pmatrix}$$

need $\Lambda^\mu{}_\nu$ $J^\mu{}_\nu = \eta^{\mu\alpha} J_{\alpha\nu}$ $\Lambda^\mu{}_\nu = \eta^{\mu\alpha} \Lambda_{\alpha\nu}$

$$\eta^{\mu\nu} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & & \\ & -1 & & \\ & & -1 & \\ & & & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Top row fixed.
other three change signs

$$(J_1)_{\mu\nu} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \end{pmatrix} \quad (J_2)_{\mu\nu} = \begin{pmatrix} & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \end{pmatrix} \quad (J_3)_{\mu\nu} = \begin{pmatrix} & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(K_1)_{\mu\nu} = \begin{pmatrix} & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \end{pmatrix} \quad (K_2)_{\mu\nu} = \begin{pmatrix} & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \end{pmatrix} \quad (K_3)_{\mu\nu} = \begin{pmatrix} & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$\Lambda^\mu_\nu = g^\mu_\nu + A J_1 + B J_2 + C J_3 + D K_1 + E K_2 + F K_3$$

$$\Lambda^\mu_\nu = g^\mu_\nu + (\vec{\theta} \cdot \vec{J} + \vec{\beta} \cdot \vec{K}) \quad \text{infinitesimal}$$

finite $\rightarrow \Lambda^\mu_\nu = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \left(g^\mu_\nu + \frac{1}{N} (\vec{\theta} \cdot \vec{J} + \vec{\beta} \cdot \vec{K}) \right)^N = \exp(\vec{\theta} \cdot \vec{J} + \vec{\beta} \cdot \vec{K})$

$$J_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad J_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$J_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = -J_1 \quad J_1^4 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\exp(\theta J_1) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \theta \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{2} \theta^2 \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{6} \theta^3 \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{24} \theta^4 \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \dots$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 - \frac{1}{2} \theta^2 + \frac{1}{24} \theta^4 + \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 - \frac{1}{2} \theta^2 + \frac{1}{24} \theta^4 + \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cosh \theta & -\sinh \theta & 0 \\ \sinh \theta & \cosh \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

no axis rotation

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$$k_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad k^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad k^3 = k \quad \text{etc.}$$

$$\exp(\beta k_1) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \beta \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{\beta^2}{2!} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \dots$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 + \frac{1}{2}\beta^2 + \frac{1}{24}\beta^4 + \dots & \beta + \frac{1}{6}\beta^3 + \frac{1}{120}\beta^5 + \dots \\ \beta + \frac{1}{6}\beta^3 + \frac{1}{120}\beta^5 + \dots & 1 + \frac{1}{2}\beta^2 + \frac{1}{24}\beta^4 + \dots \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\exp(\beta k_1) = \begin{pmatrix} \cosh \beta & \sinh \beta & 0 & 0 \\ \sinh \beta & \cosh \beta & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$x' = \Lambda v x$$

$$ct' = \cosh \beta \cdot ct + \sinh \beta \cdot x$$

$$x' = \sinh \beta \cdot ct + \cosh \beta \cdot x$$

(x=0)

$$x' = \sinh \beta \cdot ct$$

$$ct' = \cosh \beta \cdot ct$$

$$x' = (c \tanh \beta) t'$$

$$x' = v t'$$

at rest in O. → moving at speed v in O'

$\frac{v}{c} = \tanh \eta$

$\cosh^2 \eta - \sinh^2 \eta = 1$

$1 - \tanh^2 \eta = \frac{1}{\cosh^2 \eta} = 1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}$

$\cosh \eta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}}$

$\sinh \eta = \frac{vc}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}}$

$ct' = \gamma(ct + \frac{v}{c}x)$

$x' = \gamma(x + \frac{v}{c}ct)$

$t' = \gamma(t + \frac{vx}{c^2})$

$x' = \gamma(x + vt)$

Properties

$\eta_{\mu\nu} \Lambda^\mu_\alpha \Lambda^\nu_\beta = (\Lambda^T)_{\alpha\beta} \eta = \eta_{\alpha\beta} = \eta$

$\sqrt{(\det \Lambda)^2} = 1$

$\det \Lambda = \pm 1$

$\eta_{\mu\nu} \Lambda^\mu_\mu \Lambda^\nu_\nu = \eta_{\mu\nu}$

$\mu = \nu \Rightarrow$

$\eta_{\mu\nu} \Lambda^\mu_0 \Lambda^\nu_0 = \eta_{00} (\Lambda^0_0)^2 + \sum_i \eta_{ii} (\Lambda^i_0)^2 = \eta_{00} = 1$

$(\Lambda^0_0)^2 = 1 + \sum_i (\Lambda^i_0)^2$

$\Lambda^0_0 \geq 1$
 $\Lambda^0_0 \leq -1$

$$A = \exp(\vec{\theta} \cdot \vec{J} + \vec{p} \cdot \vec{K})$$

$$\det A = \lambda_1 \dots \lambda_N \quad \log \det A = \log \lambda_1 + \dots + \log \lambda_N = \text{Tr}(\ln A)$$

$$\det A = \exp(\text{Tr}(\ln A))$$

$$\det A = \exp[\text{Tr}(\vec{\theta} \cdot \vec{J} + \vec{p} \cdot \vec{K})] = e^0 = 1.$$

$\exp(\vec{\theta} \cdot \vec{J} + \vec{p} \cdot \vec{K})$ continuously connected to $\mathbb{1}$

$\rightarrow \lambda_0$ can't change sign $\rightarrow \lambda_0 \geq 1$

$$(\cosh s \geq 1)$$

$$T = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & & \\ & 1 & \\ & & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad P = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & \\ & -1 & \\ & & -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad PT = TP = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & & \\ & -1 & \\ & & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\det = -1$$

$$\det = -1$$

$$\det(PT) = 1$$

$$T_0 = -1$$

$$P_0 = +1$$

$$(PT)_0 = -1$$

Four disconnected components:

Proper A

(Proper) \times T

(C) \times P

(C) \times (PT)

$$\Lambda^T \eta \Lambda = 1, \quad \eta^{-1} \Lambda^T \eta \Lambda = 1 \quad \left[\eta^{-1} \Lambda^T \eta = \Lambda^{-1} \right]$$

$$(\Lambda^{-1})^\alpha{}_\beta = \eta^{\sigma\mu} (\Lambda^T)^\nu{}_\mu \cdot \eta_{\nu\beta}$$

$$= \eta^{\sigma\mu} \Lambda^\nu{}_\mu \eta_{\nu\beta}$$

$$= \eta_{\beta\nu} \Lambda^\nu{}_\mu \cdot \eta^{\mu\sigma} = \Lambda^\sigma{}_\beta$$

Rotation lives in (\mathfrak{so}) $\Lambda = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \\ & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ $\Lambda^2 = 1$.

$$\boxed{R^{-1} = R^T} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\boxed{\theta \rightarrow -\theta}$$

Boost.

$$\Lambda^T = \Lambda, \quad \eta \Lambda \eta \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} + & - \\ - & \cancel{+}^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} \rightarrow v \rightarrow -v \\ \rightarrow \eta \rightarrow -\eta \end{matrix}$$