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# A primitive derivation and logarithmic differential forms of Coxeter arrangements

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## Abstract

Let  $W$  be a finite irreducible real reflection group, which is a Coxeter group. We explicitly construct a basis for the module of differential 1-forms with logarithmic poles along the Coxeter arrangement by using a primitive derivation. As a consequence, we extend the Hodge filtration, indexed by nonnegative integers, into a filtration indexed by all integers. This filtration coincides with the filtration by the order of poles. The results are translated into the derivation case.

## 1 Introduction and main results

Let  $V$  be a Euclidean space of dimension  $\ell$ . Let  $W$  be a finite irreducible reflection group (a Coxeter group) acting on  $V$ . The **Coxeter arrangement**  $\mathcal{A} = \mathcal{A}(W)$  corresponding to  $W$  is the set of reflecting hyperplanes. We use [5] as a general reference for arrangements. For each  $H \in \mathcal{A}$ , choose a linear form  $\alpha_H \in V^*$  such that  $H = \ker(\alpha_H)$ . Their product  $Q := \prod_{H \in \mathcal{A}} \alpha_H$ , which lies in the symmetric algebra  $S := \text{Sym}(V^*)$ , is a defining polynomial for  $\mathcal{A}$ . Let  $F := S_{(0)}$  be the quotient field of  $S$ . Let  $\Omega_S$  and  $\Omega_F$  denote the  $S$ -module of regular 1-forms on  $V$  and the  $F$ -vector space of rational 1-forms on  $V$  respectively. The action of  $W$  on  $V$  induces the canonical actions of  $W$  on  $V^*$ ,  $S$ ,  $F$ ,  $\Omega_S$  and  $\Omega_F$ , which enable us to consider their  $W$ -invariant parts. Especially let  $R = S^W$  denote the invariant subring of  $S$ .

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In [16], Ziegler introduced the  $S$ -module of **logarithmic 1-forms** with poles of order  $m$  ( $m \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$ ) along  $\mathcal{A}$  by

$$\Omega(\mathcal{A}, m) := \{\omega \in \Omega_F \mid Q^m \omega \text{ and } (Q/\alpha_H)^m (d\alpha_H \wedge \omega) \\ \text{are both regular for all } H \in \mathcal{A}\}.$$

Note  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 0) = \Omega_S$ . Define the total module of logarithmic 1-forms by

$$\Omega(\mathcal{A}, \infty) := \bigcup_{m \geq 0} \Omega(\mathcal{A}, m).$$

In this article we study the total module  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, \infty)$  of logarithmic 1-forms and its  $W$ -invariant part  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, \infty)^W$  by introducing a geometrically-defined filtration indexed by  $\mathbb{Z}$ .

Let  $P_1, \dots, P_\ell \in R$  be algebraically independent homogeneous polynomials with  $\deg P_1 \leq \dots \leq \deg P_\ell$ , which are called **basic invariants**, such that  $R = \mathbb{R}[P_1, \dots, P_\ell]$  [3, V.5.3, Theorem 3]. Define the **primitive derivation**  $D := \partial/\partial P_\ell : F \rightarrow F$ . Let  $T := \{f \in R \mid Df = 0\} = \mathbb{R}[P_1, P_2, \dots, P_{\ell-1}]$ . Consider the  $T$ -linear connection (covariant derivative)

$$\nabla_D : \Omega_F \rightarrow \Omega_F$$

characterized by  $\nabla_D(f\omega) = (Df)\omega + f(\nabla_D\omega)$  ( $f \in F, \omega \in \Omega_F$ ) and  $\nabla_D(d\alpha) = 0$  ( $\alpha \in V^*$ ).

In Section 2, using the primitive derivation  $D$ , we explicitly construct logarithmic 1-forms

$$\omega_1^{(m)}, \omega_2^{(m)}, \dots, \omega_\ell^{(m)}$$

for each  $m \in \mathbb{Z}$  satisfying  $\nabla_D \omega_j^{(2k+1)} = \omega_j^{(2k-1)}$  ( $k \in \mathbb{Z}, 1 \leq j \leq \ell$ ). The 1-forms  $\omega_1^{(m)}, \dots, \omega_\ell^{(m)}$  form a basis for the  $S$ -module  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, -m)$  when  $m \leq 0$ . Thus it is natural to define  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, -m)$  to be the  $S$ -module spanned by  $\{\omega_1^{(m)}, \omega_2^{(m)}, \dots, \omega_\ell^{(m)}\}$  for all  $m \in \mathbb{Z}$ . Let  $\mathcal{B}_k := \{\omega_1^{(2k+1)}, \omega_2^{(2k+1)}, \dots, \omega_\ell^{(2k+1)}\}$  for  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ . The following two main theorems will be proved in Section 2:

### Theorem 1.1

- (1) The  $R$ -module  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k-1)^W$  is free with a basis  $\mathcal{B}_{-k}$  for  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ .
- (2) The  $T$ -module  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k-1)^W$  is free with a basis  $\bigcup_{p \geq -k} \mathcal{B}_p$  for  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ .
- (3)  $\mathcal{B} := \bigcup_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \mathcal{B}_k$  is a basis for  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, \infty)^W$  as a  $T$ -module.

### Theorem 1.2

- (1) The  $\nabla_D$  induces a  $T$ -linear automorphism  $\nabla_D : \Omega(\mathcal{A}, \infty)^W \xrightarrow{\sim} \Omega(\mathcal{A}, \infty)^W$ .
- (2) Define  $\mathcal{F}_0 := \bigoplus_{j=1}^{\ell} T(dP_j)$ ,  $\mathcal{F}_{-k} := \nabla_D^k \mathcal{F}_0$  and  $\mathcal{F}_k := (\nabla_D^{-1})^k \mathcal{F}_0$  ( $k > 0$ ).
- (3) Then  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, \infty)^W = \bigoplus_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \mathcal{F}_k$ .
- (3)  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k-1)^W = \mathcal{J}^{(-k)}$ , where  $\mathcal{J}^{(-k)} := \bigoplus_{p \geq -k} \mathcal{F}_p$  for  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ .

Let us briefly discuss our results in connection with earlier researches. Let  $\text{Der}_F$  denote the  $F$ -vector space of  $\mathbb{R}$ -linear derivations of  $F$  to itself. It is dual to  $\Omega_F$ . The inner product  $I : V \times V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  induces  $I^* : V^* \times V^* \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , which is canonically extended to a nondegenerate  $F$ -bilinear form  $I^* : \Omega_F \times \Omega_F \rightarrow F$ . Define an  $F$ -linear isomorphism

$$I^* : \Omega_F \rightarrow \text{Der}_F$$

by  $I^*(\omega)(f) := I^*(\omega, df)$  ( $f \in F$ ). Let  $\mathcal{G}_k := I^*(\mathcal{F}_{k-1})$  and  $\mathcal{H}^{(k)} := I^*(\mathcal{J}^{(k-1)})$  for  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ . Thanks to Theorem 1.2, we have commutative diagrams

$$\begin{array}{cccccccccccc} \cdots & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{F}_1 & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{F}_0 & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{F}_{-1} & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{F}_{-2} & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{F}_{-3} & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{F}_{-4} & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \cdots \\ \cdots & & \xrightarrow{I^* \downarrow} & & \xrightarrow{I^* \downarrow} & & \xrightarrow{I^* \downarrow} & & \xrightarrow{I^* \downarrow} & & \xrightarrow{I^* \downarrow} & & \xrightarrow{I^* \downarrow} & & \cdots \\ \cdots & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{G}_2 & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{G}_1 & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{G}_0 & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{G}_{-1} & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{G}_{-2} & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{G}_{-3} & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \cdots \\ \\ \cdots & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{J}^{(1)} & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{J}^{(0)} & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{J}^{(-1)} & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{J}^{(-2)} & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{J}^{(-3)} & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{J}^{(-4)} & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \cdots \\ \cdots & & \xrightarrow{I^* \downarrow} & & \xrightarrow{I^* \downarrow} & & \xrightarrow{I^* \downarrow} & & \xrightarrow{I^* \downarrow} & & \xrightarrow{I^* \downarrow} & & \xrightarrow{I^* \downarrow} & & \cdots \\ \cdots & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{H}^{(2)} & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{H}^{(1)} & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{H}^{(0)} & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{H}^{(-1)} & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{H}^{(-2)} & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \mathcal{H}^{(-3)} & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \cdots \end{array}$$

in which every  $\nabla_D$  is a  $T$ -linear isomorphism. The objects in the left halves of the diagrams were introduced by K. Saito who called the decomposition  $\text{Der}_R = \bigoplus_{k \geq 0} \mathcal{G}_k$  the **Hodge decomposition** and the filtration  $\text{Der}_R = \mathcal{H}^{(0)} \supset \mathcal{H}^{(1)} \supset \dots$  the **Hodge filtration** in his groundbreaking work [7, 8]. They are the key to define the flat structure on the orbit space  $V/W$ . The flat structure is also called the Frobenius manifold structure from the view point of topological field theory [4].

Our main theorems 1.1 and 1.2 are naturally translated by  $I^*$  into the corresponding results concerning the  $\mathcal{G}_k$ 's and the  $\mathcal{H}^{(k)}$ 's in Section 3. So we extend the Hodge decomposition and Hodge filtration, **indexed by nonnegative integers**, to the ones **indexed by all integers**. The Hodge filtration  $\text{Der}_R = \mathcal{H}^{(0)} \supset \mathcal{H}^{(1)} \supset \dots$  was proved to be equal to the contact-order filtration [13]. On the other hand, Theorem 1.2 (3) asserts that the filtration  $\dots \supset \mathcal{J}^{(-1)} \supset \mathcal{J}^{(0)} = \Omega_R$ , indexed by nonpositive integers, coincides with the **pole-order filtration** of the  $W$ -invariant part  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, \infty)^W$  of the total module  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, \infty)$  of logarithmic 1-forms. This direction of researches is related with a generalized multiplicity  $\mathbf{m} : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$  and the associated logarithmic module  $D\Omega(\mathcal{A}, \mathbf{m})$  introduced in [1].

In Section 4, we will give explicit relations of our bases to the bases obtained in [11], [15] and [2].

## 2 Construction of a basis for $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, \infty)$

Let  $x_1, \dots, x_\ell$  denote a basis for  $V^*$  and  $P_1, \dots, P_\ell$  homogeneous basic invariants with  $\deg P_1 \leq \dots \leq \deg P_\ell$ :  $S^W = R = \mathbb{R}[P_1, \dots, P_\ell]$ . Let  $\mathbf{x} := [x_1, \dots, x_\ell]$  and  $\mathbf{P} := [P_1, \dots, P_\ell]$  be the corresponding row vectors. Define  $A := [I^*(x_i, x_j)]_{1 \leq i, j \leq \ell} \in \mathrm{GL}_\ell(\mathbb{R})$  and  $G := [I^*(dP_i, dP_j)]_{1 \leq i, j \leq \ell} \in \mathrm{M}_{\ell, \ell}(R)$ . Then  $G = J(\mathbf{P})^T A J(\mathbf{P})$ , where  $J(\mathbf{P}) := \left[ \frac{\partial P_j}{\partial x_i} \right]_{1 \leq i, j \leq \ell}$  is the Jacobian matrix. It is well-known (e.g., [3, V.5.5, Prop. 6]) that  $\det J(\mathbf{P}) \doteq Q$ , where  $\doteq$  stands for the equality up to a nonzero constant multiple. Let  $\mathrm{Der}_R$  be the  $R$ -module of  $\mathbb{R}$ -linear derivations of  $R$  to itself:  $\mathrm{Der}_R = \bigoplus_{i=1}^{\ell} R (\partial/\partial P_i)$ . Recall the primitive derivation  $D = \partial/\partial P_\ell \in \mathrm{Der}_R$  and  $T = \ker(D : R \rightarrow R) = \mathbb{R}[P_1, \dots, P_{\ell-1}]$ . We will use the notation  $D[M] := [D(m_{ij})]_{1 \leq i, j \leq \ell}$  for a matrix  $M = [m_{ij}]_{1 \leq i, j \leq \ell} \in \mathrm{M}_{\ell, \ell}(F)$ . The next Proposition is due to K. Saito [7, (5.1)] [4, Corollary 4.1]:

### Proposition 2.1

$D[G] \in \mathrm{GL}_\ell(T)$ , that is,  $D^2[G] = 0$  and  $\det D[G] \in \mathbb{R}^\times$ .

Now let us give a key definition of this article, which generalizes the matrices introduced in [11, Lemma 3.3].

### Definition 2.2

The matrices  $B = B^{(1)}$  and  $B^{(k)}$  ( $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ ) are defined by

$$B := J(\mathbf{P})^T A D[J(\mathbf{P})], \quad B^{(k)} := kB + (k-1)B^T.$$

In particular,  $D[G] = B + B^T = B^{(k+1)} - B^{(k)}$  for all  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ .

### Lemma 2.3

$B^{(k)} \in \mathrm{GL}_\ell(T)$  for all  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ , that is,  $D[B^{(k)}] = 0$  and  $\det B^{(k)} \in \mathbb{R}^\times$ .

**Proof.** If  $k \geq 1$ , then the statement is proved in [11, 3.3 and 3.6] and [13, Lemma 2]. Suppose  $k \leq 0$ . Since

$$B^{(1-k)} = (1-k)B + (-k)B^T = -\{kB + (k-1)B^T\}^T = -(B^{(k)})^T,$$

we obtain  $B^{(k)} = -(B^{(1-k)})^T \in \mathrm{GL}_\ell(T)$  because  $1-k \geq 1$ .  $\square$

The following Lemma is in [11, pp. 670, Lemma 3.4 (iii)]:

### Lemma 2.4

- (1)  $\det J(D^k[\mathbf{x}]) \doteq Q^{-2k}$ , where  $J(D^k[\mathbf{x}]) := [\partial D^k(x_j)/\partial x_i]_{1 \leq i, j \leq \ell}$  ( $k \geq 1$ ).
- (2)  $D[J(\mathbf{P})] = -J(D[\mathbf{x}])J(\mathbf{P})$  and thus  $\det D[J(\mathbf{P})] \doteq Q^{-1}$ .

**Definition 2.5**

Define  $\{R_k\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \subset M_{\ell, \ell}(F)$  by

$$\begin{aligned} R_{1-2k} &: = D^k[J(\mathbf{P})] \quad (k \geq 0), \\ R_{2k-1} &: = (-1)^k J(D^k[\mathbf{x}])^{-1} D[J(\mathbf{P})] \quad (k \geq 1), \\ R_{2k} &: = (-1)^k J(D^k[\mathbf{x}])^{-1} \quad (k \geq 0), \\ R_{-2k} &: = D^{k+1}[J(\mathbf{P})] D[J(\mathbf{P})]^{-1} \quad (k \geq 0). \end{aligned}$$

In particular,  $R_1 = J(\mathbf{P})$ ,  $R_0 = I_\ell$  and  $R_{-1} = D[J(\mathbf{P})]$ .

The following Proposition is fundamental.

**Proposition 2.6**

For  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ , we have

- (1)  $\det R_k = Q^k$ ,
- (2)  $R_{2k} = R_{2k-1} D[J(\mathbf{P})]^{-1} = R_{2k-1} B^{-1} J(\mathbf{P})^T A$ ,
- (3)  $R_{2k+1} = R_{2k} J(\mathbf{P}) (B^{(k+1)})^{-1} B$ ,
- (4)  $R_{2k+1} = R_{2k-1} B^{-1} G (B^{(k+1)})^{-1} B$ , and
- (5)  $D[R_{2k+1}] = R_{2k-1}$ .

**Proof.** (2) is immediate from Definition 2.5 because  $B^{-1} J(\mathbf{P})^T A = D[J(\mathbf{P})]^{-1}$ .

(4) Let  $k \geq 1$ . Recall the original definition of  $B^{(k)}$  in [11, Lemma 3.3] given by

$$B^{(k+1)} = -J(\mathbf{P})^T A J(D^{k+1}[\mathbf{x}]) J(D^k[\mathbf{x}])^{-1} J(\mathbf{P}).$$

Compute

$$\begin{aligned} R_{2k-1}^{-1} R_{2k+1} &= -D[J(\mathbf{P})]^{-1} J(D^k[\mathbf{x}]) J(D^{k+1}[\mathbf{x}])^{-1} D[J(\mathbf{P})] \\ &= -D[J(\mathbf{P})]^{-1} A^{-1} J(\mathbf{P})^{-T} J(\mathbf{P})^T A J(\mathbf{P}) J(\mathbf{P})^{-1} \\ &\quad J(D^k[\mathbf{x}]) J(D^{k+1}[\mathbf{x}])^{-1} A^{-1} J(\mathbf{P})^{-T} J(\mathbf{P})^T A D[J(\mathbf{P})] \\ &= B^{-1} G (B^{(k+1)})^{-1} B. \end{aligned}$$

Next we will show that

$$D^{k+1}[J(\mathbf{P})] = D^k[J(\mathbf{P})] B^{-1} B^{(1-k)} G^{-1} B$$

for  $k \geq 0$  by an induction on  $k$ . When  $k = 0$  we have

$$J(\mathbf{P}) B^{-1} B^{(1)} G^{-1} B = J(\mathbf{P}) J(\mathbf{P})^{-1} A^{-1} J(\mathbf{P})^{-T} J(\mathbf{P})^T A D[J(\mathbf{P})] = D[J(\mathbf{P})].$$

Next assume  $k > 0$ . Compute

$$\begin{aligned} D^{k+1}[J(\mathbf{P})] &= D[D^k[J(\mathbf{P})]] = D[D^{k-1}[J(\mathbf{P})] B^{-1} B^{(2-k)} G^{-1} B] \\ &= D^k[J(\mathbf{P})] B^{-1} B^{(2-k)} G^{-1} B + D^{k-1}[J(\mathbf{P})] B^{-1} B^{(2-k)} D[G^{-1}] B \\ &= D^k[J(\mathbf{P})] B^{-1} \{B^{(2-k)} - D[G]\} G^{-1} B \\ &= D^k[J(\mathbf{P})] B^{-1} B^{(1-k)} G^{-1} B, \end{aligned}$$

where, in the above, we used the induction hypothesis

$$D^k[J(\mathbf{P})] = D^{k-1}[J(\mathbf{P})]B^{-1}B^{(2-k)}G^{-1}B,$$

a general formula

$$D[G^{-1}] = -G^{-1}D[G]G^{-1}$$

and

$$D[G] = B + B^T = B^{(2-k)} - B^{(1-k)}.$$

This implies  $R_{-2k-1} = R_{-2k+1}B^{-1}B^{(1-k)}G^{-1}B$  which proves (4).

(3) follows from (2) and (4) because  $G = J(\mathbf{P})^T A J(\mathbf{P})$ .

(1) Since  $\det B^{(k)} \in \mathbb{R}^\times$ ,  $\det J(D^k[\mathbf{x}]) \doteq Q^{-2k}$  and  $\det D[J(\mathbf{P})] \doteq Q^{-1}$  by Lemma 2.3 and Lemma 2.4, (1) is proved.

(5) follows from the following computation:

$$\begin{aligned} D[R_{2k+1}]B^{-1} &= D[R_{2k+1}B^{-1}] = D[R_{2k-1}B^{-1}G(B^{(k+1)})^{-1}] \\ &= \{D[R_{2k-1}]B^{-1}G + R_{2k-1}B^{-1}D[G]\}(B^{(k+1)})^{-1} \\ &= \{R_{2k-3}B^{-1}G + R_{2k-1}B^{-1}(B^{(k+1)} - B^{(k)})\}(B^{(k+1)})^{-1} \\ &= \{R_{2k-1}B^{-1}B^{(k)} + R_{2k-1}B^{-1}(B^{(k+1)} - B^{(k)})\}(B^{(k+1)})^{-1} \\ &= R_{2k-1}B^{-1}. \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

### Definition 2.7

For  $m \in \mathbb{Z}$  define  $\omega_1^{(m)}, \dots, \omega_\ell^{(m)} \in \Omega_F$  by

$$[\omega_1^{(m)}, \dots, \omega_\ell^{(m)}] := [dx_1, \dots, dx_\ell]R_m.$$

When  $m = 2k + 1$  ( $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ ), let

$$\mathcal{B}_k := \{\omega_1^{(2k+1)}, \dots, \omega_\ell^{(2k+1)}\}.$$

For example,  $\omega_j^{(1)} = dP_j$  for  $1 \leq j \leq \ell$  and  $\mathcal{B}_0 = \{dP_1, \dots, dP_\ell\}$  because

$$[\omega_1^{(1)}, \dots, \omega_\ell^{(1)}] = [dx_1, \dots, dx_\ell]J(\mathbf{P}) = [dP_1, \dots, dP_\ell].$$

### Proposition 2.8

The subset

$$\mathcal{B} := \bigcup_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \mathcal{B}_k = \{\omega_j^{(2k+1)} \mid 1 \leq j \leq \ell, k \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$

of  $\Omega_F$  is linearly independent over  $T$ .

**Proof.** Assume

$$\sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} [\omega_1^{(2k+1)}, \dots, \omega_\ell^{(2k+1)}] \mathbf{g}^{(2k+1)} = 0$$

with  $\mathbf{g}^{(2k+1)} = [g_1^{(2k+1)}, \dots, g_\ell^{(2k+1)}]^T \in T^\ell$ ,  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$  such that there exist integers  $d$  and  $e$  such that  $d \geq e$ ,  $\mathbf{g}^{(2d+1)} \neq 0$ ,  $\mathbf{g}^{(2e+1)} \neq 0$  and  $\mathbf{g}^{(2k+1)} = 0$  for all  $k > d$  and  $k < e$ . Then

$$0 = \sum_{k=e}^d [dx_1, \dots, dx_\ell] R_{2k+1} \mathbf{g}^{(2k+1)}$$

implies that

$$0 = \sum_{k=e}^d R_{2k+1} \mathbf{g}^{(2k+1)}.$$

By Proposition 2.6 (4), there exist  $(\ell \times \ell)$ -matrices  $H_{2k+1}$  ( $e \leq k \leq d$ ) such that

$$R_{2k+1} = R_{2e+1} H_{2k+1} \quad (e \leq k \leq d)$$

and  $H_{2k+1}$  can be expressed as a product of  $(k - e)$  copies of  $G$  and matrices belonging to  $\text{GL}_\ell(T)$ . Since  $\det(R_{2e+1}) \neq 0$  by Proposition 2.6 (1),

$$0 = \sum_{k=e}^d H_{2k+1} \mathbf{g}^{(2k+1)}.$$

Note  $D^{d-e}[H_{2k+1}] = 0$  ( $k < d$ ) by Proposition 2.1 and Lemma 2.3. Applying  $D^{d-e}$  to the above, we thus obtain

$$D^{d-e}[H_{2d+1}] \mathbf{g}^{(2d+1)} = 0.$$

Since the matrix  $D^{d-e}[H_{2d+1}]$ , which is a product of  $(d - e)$  copies of  $D[G]$  and matrices in  $\text{GL}_\ell(T)$ , is nondegenerate, we get  $\mathbf{g}^{(2d+1)} = 0$ , which is a contradiction.  $\square$

**Proposition 2.9**

$$\nabla_D \omega_j^{(2k+1)} = \omega_j^{(2k-1)} \quad (k \in \mathbb{Z}, 1 \leq j \leq \ell).$$

**Proof.** By Proposition 2.6 (5) we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \left[ \nabla_D \omega_1^{(2k+1)}, \dots, \nabla_D \omega_\ell^{(2k+1)} \right] = [dx_1, \dots, dx_\ell] D[R_{2k+1}] \\ & = [dx_1, \dots, dx_\ell] R_{2k-1} = \left[ \omega_1^{(2k-1)}, \dots, \omega_\ell^{(2k-1)} \right]. \quad \square \end{aligned}$$



Recall

$$\begin{aligned}\Omega(\mathcal{A}, \infty) : &= \bigcup_{m \geq 0} \Omega(\mathcal{A}, m) \\ &= \{ \omega \in \Omega_F \mid Q^m \omega \in \Omega_S \text{ for some } m > 0 \text{ and} \\ &\quad d\alpha_H \wedge \omega \text{ is regular at generic points on } H \\ &\quad \text{for each } H \in \mathcal{A} \}.\end{aligned}$$

**Lemma 2.10**

$\nabla_D(\Omega(\mathcal{A}, m)^W) \subseteq \Omega(\mathcal{A}, m+2)^W$  for  $m > 0$ .

**Proof.** Choose  $H \in \mathcal{A}$  arbitrarily and fix it. Pick an orthonormal basis  $\alpha_H = x_1, x_2, \dots, x_\ell$  for  $V^*$ . Let  $s = s_H \in W$  be the orthogonal reflection through  $H$ . Then  $s(x_1) = -x_1, s(x_i) = x_i$  ( $i \geq 2$ ),  $s(Q) = -Q$ . Let

$$\omega = \sum_{i=1}^{\ell} (f_i/Q^m) dx_i \in \Omega(\mathcal{A}, m)^W$$

with each  $f_i \in S$ . Then

$$\nabla_D \omega = \sum_{i=1}^{\ell} D(f_i/Q^m) dx_i$$

is  $W$ -invariant with poles of order  $m+2$  at most. The 2-form

$$(Q/x_1)^m dx_1 \wedge \omega = \sum_{i=2}^{\ell} (f_i/x_1^m) dx_1 \wedge dx_i$$

is regular because  $\omega \in \Omega(\mathcal{A}, m)^W$ . Let  $i \geq 2$ . Then  $f_i \in x_1^m S$ . This implies that  $g_i := Q^{m+2} D(f_i/Q^m) \in x_1^{m+1} S$ . It is enough to show  $g_i \in x_1^{m+2} S$  because

$$(Q/x_1)^{m+2} dx_1 \wedge \nabla_D \omega = \sum_{i=2}^{\ell} (g_i/x_1^{m+2}) dx_1 \wedge dx_i.$$

When  $m$  is odd, we have  $s(g_i) = s(Q^{m+2} D(f_i/Q^m)) = -g_i$ . Thus  $g_i \in x_1^{m+2} S$ . When  $m$  is even, we have  $s(g_i) = s(Q^{m+2} D(f_i/Q^m)) = g_i$ . Thus  $g_i \in x_1^{m+2} S$ .  $\square$

**Lemma 2.11**

$\mathcal{B}_{-k} \subset \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k-1)^W$  for  $k \geq 1$ .

**Proof.** We will show by an induction on  $k$ . Fix  $1 \leq j \leq \ell$ . Recall  $\omega_j^{(-1)} = \nabla_D dP_j$  by Proposition 2.9. Since  $dP_j \in \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 0)^W$ , we have  $\nabla_D dP_j \in \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2)^W$  by Lemma 2.10. On the other hand,  $\nabla_D dP_j$  has poles of order one at most because  $dP_j$  is regular. Thus  $\omega_j^{(-1)} \in \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 1)^W$ . The induction proceeds by Proposition 2.9 and Lemma 2.10.  $\square$

We extend the definition of  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, m)$  to the case when  $m$  is a negative integer:

$$\Omega(\mathcal{A}, m) := \bigoplus_{j=1}^{\ell} S \omega_j^{(-m)} \quad (m < 0).$$

**Theorem 2.12**

$\Omega(\mathcal{A}, m)$  is a free  $S$ -module with a basis  $\omega_1^{(-m)}, \omega_2^{(-m)}, \dots, \omega_{\ell}^{(-m)}$  for  $m \in \mathbb{Z}$ .

**Proof.** *Case 1.* When  $m < 0$  this is nothing but the definition.

*Case 2.* Let  $m = 2k - 1$  with  $k \geq 1$ . Recall  $\mathcal{B}_{-k} \subset \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k - 1)^W$  from Lemma 2.11 and  $\det R_{1-2k} \doteq Q^{1-2k}$  by Proposition 2.6 (1). Thus we have

$$\begin{aligned} \omega_1^{(-2k+1)} \wedge \omega_2^{(-2k+1)} \wedge \cdots \wedge \omega_{\ell}^{(-2k+1)} &= (\det R_{1-2k}) dx_1 \wedge dx_2 \wedge \cdots \wedge dx_{\ell} \\ &\doteq Q^{1-2k} (dx_1 \wedge dx_2 \wedge \cdots \wedge dx_{\ell}). \end{aligned}$$

This shows that  $\mathcal{B}_{-k}$  is an  $S$ -basis for  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k - 1)$  by Saito-Ziegler's criterion [16, Theorem 11].

*Case 3.* Let  $m = 2k$  with  $k \geq 0$ . When  $k = 0$ , the assertion is obvious because  $\omega_j^{(0)} = dx_j$  and  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 0) = \Omega_S$ . Let  $k \geq 1$ . By Proposition 2.6 (2) we have

$$\begin{aligned} \left[ \omega_1^{(-2k)}, \dots, \omega_{\ell}^{(-2k)} \right] &= [dx_1, \dots, dx_{\ell}] R_{-2k} = [dx_1, \dots, dx_{\ell}] R_{-2k-1} B^{-1} J(\mathbf{P})^T A \\ &= \left[ \omega_1^{(-2k-1)}, \dots, \omega_{\ell}^{(-2k-1)} \right] B^{-1} J(\mathbf{P})^T A. \end{aligned}$$

This implies that  $\omega_1^{(-2k)}, \dots, \omega_{\ell}^{(-2k)}$  lie in  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k + 1)$  by Lemma 2.11. By Proposition 2.6 (3) we have

$$Q^{2k} R_{-2k} = Q^{2k-1} R_{-2k+1} B^{-1} B^{(-k+1)} Q J(\mathbf{P})^{-1}.$$

Since both  $Q^{2k-1} R_{-2k+1}$  and  $Q J(\mathbf{P})^{-1}$  belong to  $M_{\ell, \ell}(S)$ , so does  $Q^{2k} R_{-2k}$ . In other words, the differential forms  $\omega_1^{(-2k)}, \dots, \omega_{\ell}^{(-2k)}$  have poles of order at most  $2k$  along  $\mathcal{A}$ . Since it is easy to see that  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k) = \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k + 1) \cap (1/Q^{2k})\Omega_S$ , we know that  $\omega_j^{(-2k)}$  belongs to  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k)$  for each  $j$ . We can apply Saito-Ziegler's criterion [16, Theorem 11] to conclude that  $\{\omega_1^{(-2k)}, \dots, \omega_{\ell}^{(-2k)}\}$

is a basis for  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k)$  over  $S$  because  $\det R_{-2k} \doteq Q^{-2k}$  by Proposition 2.6 (1).  
 $\square$

We are now ready to prove Theorems 1.1 and 1.2.

**Proof of Theorem 1.1.**

(1) It is enough to show that  $\mathcal{B}_{-k}$  spans  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k - 1)^W$  over  $R$ . Express an arbitrary element  $\omega \in \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k - 1)^W$  as

$$\omega = \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} f_j \omega_j^{(-2k+1)}$$

with each  $f_j \in S$ . For any  $s \in W$ , get

$$0 = \omega - s(\omega) = \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} [f_j - s(f_j)] \omega_j^{(-2k+1)}.$$

Since  $\mathcal{B}_{-k}$  is linearly independent over  $F$ , we obtain  $f_j \in S^W = R$ .

(2) Let  $d_j := \deg P_j$  and  $m_j := d_j - 1$  for  $1 \leq j \leq \ell$ . Let  $h := d_\ell$  denote the Coxeter number. Define the degree of a homogeneous rational 1-form by

$$\deg\left(\sum_{i=1}^{\ell} f_i dx_i\right) = d \iff f_i = 0 \text{ or } \deg f_i = d \quad (1 \leq i \leq \ell).$$

Then

$$\deg \omega_j^{(2k+1)} = m_j + kh.$$

Recall that  $\mathcal{B}$  is linearly independent over  $T$  by Proposition 2.8. Let  $M_{-k}$  denote the free  $T$ -module spanned by  $\bigcup_{p \geq -k} \mathcal{B}_p$ . Recall that  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k - 1)^W$  is a free  $R$ -module with a basis  $\mathcal{B}_{-k}$  by (1). If  $p \geq -k$ , then  $R_{2p+1} = R_{-2k+1}H$  with a certain matrix  $H \in M_{\ell, \ell}(R)$  because of Proposition 2.6 (4). This implies that  $M_{-k} \subseteq \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k - 1)^W$ . Use a Poincaré series argument to prove that they are equal:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Poin}(M_{-k}, t) &= (1 - t^{d_1})^{-1} \dots (1 - t^{d_{\ell-1}})^{-1} \sum_{p \geq -k} (t^{m_1+ph} + \dots t^{m_\ell+ph}) \\ &= (1 - t^{d_1})^{-1} \dots (1 - t^{d_\ell})^{-1} (t^{m_1-kh} + \dots t^{m_\ell-kh}) \\ &= \text{Poin}(\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k - 1)^W, t). \end{aligned}$$

Therefore  $M_{-k} = \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k - 1)^W$ .

(3) Thanks to Proposition 2.8, it is enough to prove that  $\mathcal{B}$  spans  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, \infty)^W$  over  $T$ . Let  $\omega \in \Omega(\mathcal{A}, \infty)$ . Then  $\omega \in \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k - 1)^W$  for some  $k \geq 1$ . By

(2) and (3) we conclude that  $\omega$  is a linear combination of  $\bigcup_{p \geq -k} \mathcal{B}_p$  with coefficients in  $T$ . This shows that  $\mathcal{B}$  spans  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, \infty)$  over  $T$ .  $\square$

**Proof of Theorem 1.2 (1).** By Proposition 2.9,

$$\nabla_D : \Omega(\mathcal{A}, \infty)^W \rightarrow \Omega(\mathcal{A}, \infty)^W$$

induces a bijection  $\nabla_D : \mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ . Apply Theorem 1.1 (3) to prove that  $\nabla_D$  is a  $T$ -isomorphism.  $\square$

Let  $\nabla_D^{-1} : \Omega(\mathcal{A}, \infty) \rightarrow \Omega(\mathcal{A}, \infty)$  denote the inverse  $T$ -isomorphism.

**Definition 2.13**

For  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ , define

$$\mathcal{F}_0 := \bigoplus_{j=1}^{\ell} T(dP_j), \quad \mathcal{F}_{-k} := \nabla_D^k(\mathcal{F}_0) \quad (k > 0), \quad \mathcal{F}_k := (\nabla_D^{-1})^k(\mathcal{F}_0) \quad (k > 0).$$

Thus  $\nabla_D$  induces a  $T$ -isomorphism  $\nabla_D : \mathcal{F}_k \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{F}_{k-1}$  for each  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ . Since  $\nabla_D$  induces a bijection  $\nabla_D : \mathcal{B}_k \rightarrow \mathcal{B}_{k-1}$  by Proposition 2.9, each  $\mathcal{F}_k$  is a free  $T$ -module of rank  $\ell$  with a basis  $\mathcal{B}_k = \{\omega_j^{(2k+1)} \mid 1 \leq j \leq \ell\}$ .

**Proof of Theorem 1.2 (2) and (3).**

(2) By Theorem 1.1 (3),  $\mathcal{B} = \bigcup_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \mathcal{B}_k$  is a basis for  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, \infty)^W$  as a  $T$ -module. On the other hand, each  $\mathcal{F}_k$  has a basis  $\mathcal{B}_k$  over  $T$  for each  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ .

(3) By Theorem 1.1 (2),  $\mathcal{J}^{(-k)} = \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k-1)^W$ .  $\square$

**Example 2.14**

Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be the  $B_2$  type arrangement defined by  $Q = xy(x+y)(x-y)$  corresponding to the Coxeter group of type  $B_2$ . Then  $P_1 = (x^2 + y^2)/2$ ,  $P_2 = (x^4 + y^4)/4$  are basic invariants. Then  $T = \mathbb{R}[P_1]$  and  $R = \mathbb{R}[P_1, P_2]$ . Let

$$\omega = (x^4 + y^4) \left( \frac{dx}{x} + \frac{dy}{y} \right) \in \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 1)^W.$$

The unique decomposition of  $\omega$  corresponding to the decomposition  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 1)^W = \mathcal{J}^{(-1)} = \mathcal{F}_{-1} \oplus \mathcal{F}_0 \oplus \mathcal{F}_1 \oplus \dots$  is explicitly given by:

$$\omega = -8P_1^3\omega_1^{(-1)} + (8/3)P_1^2\omega_2^{(-1)} - 4P_1\omega_1^{(1)} + 2\omega_2^{(1)} \in \mathcal{F}_{-1} \oplus \mathcal{F}_0$$

by an easy calculation.

**Corollary 2.15**

The  $\nabla_D : \Omega(\mathcal{A}, \infty)^W \rightarrow \Omega(\mathcal{A}, \infty)^W$  induces an  $T$ -isomorphism

$$\nabla_D : \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k - 1)^W = \mathcal{J}^{(-k)} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{J}^{(-k-1)} = \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k + 1)^W.$$

Concerning the strictly increasing filtration

$$\dots \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k - 1) \subset \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k) \subset \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k + 1) \subset \dots,$$

the following Proposition asserts the  $W$ -invariant parts of  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k - 1)$  and  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k)$  are equal.

**Proposition 2.16**

$\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k)^W = \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k - 1)^W = \mathcal{J}^{(-k)}$  for  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ . In particular,  $\Omega_R = \Omega_S^W = \Omega(\mathcal{A}, -1)^W$ .

**Proof.** It is obvious that  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k - 1) \subseteq \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k)$  because  $R_{-2k+1} = R_{-2k} J(\mathbf{P})(B^{(1-k)})^{-1} B$  by Proposition 2.6 (3). Thus  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k - 1)^W \subseteq \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k)^W$ .

Let  $\omega = \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} f_j \omega_j^{(-2k)} \in \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k)^W$  with  $f_j \in S$ . Since

$$(Eq)_k \quad \left[ \omega_1^{(-2k)}, \dots, \omega_{\ell}^{(-2k)} \right] = \left[ \omega_1^{(-2k-1)}, \dots, \omega_{\ell}^{(-2k-1)} \right] D[J(\mathbf{P})]^{-1}$$

by Proposition 2.6 (2), we may express

$$\omega = \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} f_j \omega_j^{(-2k)} = \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} f_j \left( \sum_{i=1}^{\ell} h_{ij} \omega_i^{(-2k-1)} \right) = \sum_{i=1}^{\ell} \left( \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} h_{ij} f_j \right) \omega_i^{(-2k-1)},$$

where  $h_{ij}$  is the  $(i, j)$ -entry of  $D[J(\mathbf{P})]^{-1}$ . Note that  $\omega \in \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k + 1)^W$  and that  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k + 1)^W$  has a basis  $\{\omega_1^{(-2k-1)}, \omega_2^{(-2k-1)}, \dots, \omega_{\ell}^{(-2k-1)}\}$  over  $R$ . Then we know that  $\sum_{j=1}^{\ell} h_{ij} f_j$  is  $W$ -invariant for  $1 \leq i \leq \ell$ . Applying (Eq)<sub>0</sub> we have

$$\begin{aligned} \omega' := \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} f_j dx_j &= \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} f_j \omega_j^{(0)} = \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} f_j \sum_{i=1}^{\ell} h_{ij} \omega_i^{(-1)} \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^{\ell} \left( \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} h_{ij} f_j \right) \omega_i^{(-1)} \in \Omega_S^W. \end{aligned}$$

Recall  $\Omega_S^W = \Omega_R = \bigoplus_{i=1}^{\ell} R (dP_i)$  by [9]. Thus there exist  $g_i \in R$  ( $1 \leq i \leq \ell$ ) such that

$$\omega' = \sum_{i=1}^{\ell} g_i (dP_i) = \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} \left( \sum_{i=1}^{\ell} g_i (\partial P_i / \partial x_j) \right) dx_j.$$

This implies

$$f_j = \sum_{i=1}^{\ell} g_i (\partial P_i / \partial x_j) \quad (1 \leq i \leq \ell).$$

Since

$$\left[ \omega_1^{(-2k)}, \dots, \omega_{\ell}^{(-2k)} \right] J(\mathbf{P}) = \left[ \omega_1^{(-2k+1)}, \dots, \omega_{\ell}^{(-2k+1)} \right] B^{-1} B^{(1-k)}$$

by Proposition 2.6 (3), one has

$$\begin{aligned} \omega &= \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} f_j \omega_j^{(-2k)} = \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} \left( \sum_{i=1}^{\ell} g_i (\partial P_i / \partial x_j) \right) \omega_j^{(-2k)} \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^{\ell} g_i \left( \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} (\partial P_i / \partial x_j) \omega_j^{(-2k)} \right) \in \bigoplus_{i=1}^{\ell} R \omega_i^{(-2k+1)} = \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k-1)^W. \end{aligned}$$

This proves  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k)^W \subseteq \Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k-1)^W$ .  $\square$

### 3 The case of derivations

Denote  $\partial/\partial x_i$  and  $\partial/\partial P_i$  simply by  $\partial_{x_i}$  and  $\partial_{P_i}$  respectively. Then

$$\text{Der}_S = \bigoplus_{j=1}^{\ell} S \partial_{x_j}, \quad \text{Der}_R = \bigoplus_{j=1}^{\ell} R \partial_{P_j}, \quad \text{Der}_F = \bigoplus_{j=1}^{\ell} F \partial_{x_j}.$$

In this section we translate the results in the previous section by the  $F$ -isomorphism

$$I^* : \Omega_F \rightarrow \text{Der}_F$$

defined by  $I^*(\omega)(f) = I^*(\omega, df)$  for  $f \in F$  and  $\omega \in \Omega_F$ . Explicitly we can express

$$I^* \left( \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} f_j dx_j \right) = \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} \left( \sum_{i=1}^{\ell} I^*(dx_i, dx_j) f_i \right) \partial_{x_j}$$

for  $f_j \in F$  ( $1 \leq j \leq \ell$ ).

#### Definition 3.1

Define  $\eta_j^{(m)} := I^*(\omega_j^{(m)})$  for  $m \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $1 \leq j \leq \ell$ .

Then

$$[\eta_1^{(m)}, \dots, \eta_{\ell}^{(m)}] = [\partial_{x_1}, \dots, \partial_{x_{\ell}}] AR_m.$$

In particular,

$$[\eta_1^{(1)}, \dots, \eta_\ell^{(1)}] = [\partial_{x_1}, \dots, \partial_{x_\ell}]AJ(\mathbf{P}) = [I^*(dP_1), \dots, I^*(dP_\ell)],$$

$$\begin{aligned} [\eta_1^{(-1)}, \dots, \eta_\ell^{(-1)}] &= [\partial_{x_1}, \dots, \partial_{x_\ell}]AD[J(\mathbf{P})] = [\partial_{x_1}, \dots, \partial_{x_\ell}]J(\mathbf{P})^{-T}B \\ &= [\partial_{P_1}, \dots, \partial_{P_\ell}]B. \end{aligned}$$

### Definition 3.2

Define

$$D(\mathcal{A}, m) := \{\theta \in \text{Der}_S \mid \theta(\alpha_H) \in S \cdot \alpha_H^m \text{ for all } H \in \mathcal{A}\}$$

for  $m \geq 0$  which is the  $S$ -module of **logarithmic derivations** along  $\mathcal{A}$  of contact order  $m$ . When  $m < 0$  define

$$D(\mathcal{A}, m) := \bigoplus_{1 \leq j \leq \ell} S \eta_j^{(m)}.$$

Lastly define

$$D(\mathcal{A}, -\infty) := \bigcup_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} D(\mathcal{A}, m).$$

### Theorem 3.3

$D(\mathcal{A}, m)$  is a free  $S$ -module with a basis  $\eta_1^{(m)}, \eta_2^{(m)}, \dots, \eta_\ell^{(m)}$  for  $m \in \mathbb{Z}$ .

**Proof.** *Case 1.* When  $m < 0$  this is nothing but the definition.

*Case 2.* Let  $m \geq 0$ . For a canonical contraction  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle : \text{Der}_F \times \Omega_F \rightarrow F$ , define the  $(\ell \times \ell)$ -matrix

$$Y_m := [\langle \omega_i^{(-m)}, \eta_j^{(m)} \rangle]_{1 \leq i, j \leq \ell} = R_{-m}AR_m$$

for  $m \geq 0$ . Since the two  $S$ -modules  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, m)$  and  $D(\mathcal{A}, m)$  are dual each other (see [16]), it is enough to show that  $\det Y_m \in \text{GL}_\ell(S)$ . It follows from the following Proposition 3.6.  $\square$

### Corollary 3.4

$I^*(\Omega(\mathcal{A}, m)) = D(\mathcal{A}, -m)$  for  $m \in \mathbb{Z}$  and  $I^*(\Omega(\mathcal{A}, \infty)) = D(\mathcal{A}, -\infty)$ .

### Corollary 3.5

$\Omega(\mathcal{A}, -m) = \{\omega \in \Omega_S \mid I^*(\omega, d\alpha_H) \in S \cdot \alpha_H^m \text{ for any } H \in \mathcal{A}\}$  for  $m > 0$ .

### Proposition 3.6

- (1)  $Y_{2k-1} = (-1)^{k+1}B^T(B^{(k)})^{-1}B \in \text{GL}_\ell(T)$  for  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,
- (2)  $Y_{2k} = (-1)^k A \in \text{GL}_\ell(\mathbb{R})$  for  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ .

**Proof.**

(1) *Case 1.1.* Let  $m = 2k - 1$  with  $k \geq 1$ . We prove by an induction on  $k$ . When  $k = 1$ ,

$$Y_1 = R_{-1}^T A R_1 = D[J(\mathbf{P})]^T A J(\mathbf{P}) = B^T \in \text{GL}_\ell(T).$$

Assume that  $k > 1$  and prove by induction. By using Proposition 2.6 (5) and (4), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} Y_{2k-1} &= R_{1-2k}^T A R_{2k-1} = D[R_{3-2k}]^T A R_{2k-3} B^{-1} G(B^{(k)})^{-1} B \\ &= \{D[R_{3-2k}^T A R_{2k-3}] - R_{3-2k}^T D[A R_{2k-3}]\} B^{-1} G(B^{(k)})^{-1} B \\ &= -R_{3-2k}^T A R_{2k-5} B^{-1} G(B^{(k-1)})^{-1} B B^{-1} B^{(k-1)} (B^{(k)})^{-1} B \\ &= -R_{3-2k}^T A R_{2k-3} B^{-1} B^{(k-1)} (B^{(k)})^{-1} B \\ &= (-1)^{k+1} B^T (B^{(k-1)})^{-1} B B^{-1} B^{(k-1)} (B^{(k)})^{-1} B \\ &= (-1)^{k+1} B^T (B^{(k)})^{-1} B. \end{aligned}$$

*Case 1.2.* Next assume that  $m = 2k - 1$  with  $k \leq 0$ . Recall that

$$(B^{(1-k)})^T = -kB + (1-k)B^T = -B^{(k)}.$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} R_{1-2k}^T A R_{2k-1} &= (R_{2k-1}^T A R_{1-2k})^T = ((-1)^k B^T (B^{(1-k)})^{-1} B)^T \\ &= (-1)^{k+1} B^T (B^{(k)})^{-1} B. \end{aligned}$$

(2) Apply (1), Proposition 2.6 (2) and (3) to compute

$$\begin{aligned} R_{-2k}^T A R_{2k} &= J(\mathbf{P})^{-T} (B^{(1-k)})^T B^{-T} R_{-2k+1}^T A R_{2k-1} B^{-1} J(\mathbf{P})^T A \\ &= J(\mathbf{P})^{-T} (B^{(1-k)})^T B^{-T} Y_{2k-1} B^{-1} J(\mathbf{P})^T A = (-1)^k A. \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

*Remark.* Corollaries 3.4 and 3.5 show that the definitions of  $D(\mathcal{A}, m)$  and  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, m)$  for  $m \in \mathbb{Z}_{<0}$  are equivalent to those of  $D\Omega(\mathcal{A}, m)$  and  $\Omega D(\mathcal{A}, m)$  in [1].

Consider the  $T$ -linear connection (covariant derivative)

$$\nabla_D : \text{Der}_F \rightarrow \text{Der}_F$$

characterized by  $\nabla_D(fX) = (Df)X + f(\nabla_D X)$  and  $\nabla_D(\partial_{x_j}) = 0$  for  $f \in F$ ,  $X \in \text{Der}_F$  and  $1 \leq j \leq \ell$ . Then it is easy to see the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \Omega_F & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \Omega_F \\ I^* \downarrow & & I^* \downarrow \\ \text{Der}_F & \xrightarrow{\nabla_D} & \text{Der}_F \end{array}$$



is commutative. In fact

$$\begin{aligned}
\nabla_D \circ I^* \left( \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} f_j dx_j \right) &= \nabla_D \left[ \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} \left( \sum_{i=1}^{\ell} I^*(dx_i, dx_j) f_i \right) \partial_{x_j} \right] \\
&= \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} \left( \sum_{i=1}^{\ell} I^*(dx_i, dx_j) D(f_i) \right) \partial_{x_j} \\
&= I^* \left( \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} D(f_j) dx_j \right) = I^* \circ \nabla_D \left( \sum_{j=1}^{\ell} f_j dx_j \right).
\end{aligned}$$

Define  $\mathcal{C}_k := I^*(\mathcal{B}_{k-1}) = \{\eta_1^{(2k-1)}, \eta_2^{(2k-1)}, \dots, \eta_{\ell}^{(2k-1)}\}$  for each  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ . The following Theorems 3.7 and 3.9 can be proved by translating Theorems 1.1 and 1.2 through  $\nabla_D$ .

**Theorem 3.7**

- (1) The  $R$ -module  $D(\mathcal{A}, 2k-1)^W$  is free with a basis  $\mathcal{C}_k$  for  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ .
- (2) The  $T$ -module  $D(\mathcal{A}, 2k-1)^W$  is free with a basis  $\bigcup_{p \geq k} \mathcal{C}_p$  for  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ .
- (3)  $\mathcal{C} := \bigcup_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \mathcal{C}_k$  is a basis for  $D(\mathcal{A}, -\infty)^W$  as a  $T$ -module.

**Definition 3.8**

Define

$$\mathcal{G}_k := I^*(\mathcal{F}_{k-1}), \quad \mathcal{H}^{(k)} := I^*(\mathcal{J}^{(k-1)}) \quad (k \in \mathbb{Z}, 1 \leq j \leq \ell).$$

Then

$$\mathcal{G}_k = \bigoplus_{1 \leq j \leq \ell} T \eta_j^{(2k-1)}, \quad \mathcal{H}^{(k)} = \bigoplus_{p \geq k} \mathcal{G}_p.$$

The  $\nabla_D$  induces  $T$ -isomorphisms

$$\nabla_D : \mathcal{G}_{k+1} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{G}_k, \quad \nabla_D : D(\mathcal{A}, 2k+1)^W \xrightarrow{\sim} D(\mathcal{A}, 2k-1)^W.$$

In particular,

$$\mathcal{G}_0 = \bigoplus_{j=1}^{\ell} T \partial_{P_j}, \quad \text{and} \quad \mathcal{H}^{(0)} = \bigoplus_{j=1}^{\ell} R \partial_{P_j} = \text{Der}_R.$$

**Theorem 3.9**

- (1) The  $\nabla_D$  induces a  $T$ -linear automorphism  $\nabla_D : D(\mathcal{A}, -\infty)^W \xrightarrow{\sim} D(\mathcal{A}, -\infty)^W$ .
- (2)  $D(\mathcal{A}, -\infty)^W = \bigoplus_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \mathcal{G}_k$ .
- (3)  $D(\mathcal{A}, 2k-1)^W = \mathcal{H}^{(k)} = \bigoplus_{p \geq k} \mathcal{G}_p$ . ( $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ ).

*Remark.* The construction of a basis  $\eta_1^{(1)}, \dots, \eta_\ell^{(1)}$  for  $D(\mathcal{A}, 1)$  is due to K. Saito [6]. A basis for  $D(\mathcal{A}, 2)$  was constructed in [10]. In [11]  $D(\mathcal{A}, m)$  was found to be a free  $S$ -module for all  $m \geq 0$  whenever  $\mathcal{A}$  is a Coxeter arrangement. Note that it is re-proved in Theorem 3.3 in this article. In [8] K. Saito called the decreasing filtration  $\text{Der}_R = \mathcal{H}^{(0)} \supset \mathcal{H}^{(1)} \supset \dots$  and the decomposition  $\text{Der}_R = D(\mathcal{A}, -1)^W = \mathcal{H}^{(0)} = \bigoplus_{p \geq 0} \mathcal{G}_p$  the Hodge filtration and the Hodge decomposition respectively. They are essential to define the flat structure (or equivalently the Frobenius manifold structure in topological field theory) on the orbit space  $V/W$ . Note that Theorem 3.9 (3), when  $k \geq 0$ , is the main theorem of [13].

## 4 Relation among bases for logarithmic forms and derivations

In the previous section we constructed a basis  $\{\omega_j^{(m)}\}$  for  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, m)$  and a basis  $\{\eta_j^{(m)}\}$  for  $D(\mathcal{A}, m)$  for  $m \in \mathbb{Z}$ . In this section we briefly describe their relations to other bases constructed in the earlier works [11], [15], and [2]. In [11], the following bases for  $D(\mathcal{A}, 2k+1)$  and  $D(\mathcal{A}, 2k)$  are given:

$$\begin{aligned} [\xi_1^{(2k+1)}, \dots, \xi_\ell^{(2k+1)}] &:= [\partial_{x_1}, \dots, \partial_{x_\ell}] AJ(D^k[\mathbf{x}])^{-1} J(\mathbf{P}), \\ [\xi_1^{(2k)}, \dots, \xi_\ell^{(2k)}] &:= [\partial_{x_1}, \dots, \partial_{x_\ell}] AJ(D^k[\mathbf{x}])^{-1}. \end{aligned}$$

The two bases  $\{\eta_j^{(m)}\}$  and  $\{\xi_j^{(m)}\}$  are related as follows:

### Proposition 4.1

For  $k \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} [\xi_1^{(2k+1)}, \dots, \xi_\ell^{(2k+1)}] &= (-1)^k [\eta_1^{(2k+1)}, \dots, \eta_\ell^{(2k+1)}] B^{-1} B^{(k+1)}, \\ [\xi_1^{(2k)}, \dots, \xi_\ell^{(2k)}] &= (-1)^k [\eta_1^{(2k)}, \dots, \eta_\ell^{(2k)}]. \end{aligned}$$

**Proof.** The second formula is immediate from Definition 2.5. The following computation proves the first formula:

$$\begin{aligned} J(D^k[\mathbf{x}])^{-1} J(\mathbf{P}) &= (-1)^{k+1} R_{2k+1} D[J(\mathbf{P})]^{-1} J(D^{k+1}[\mathbf{x}]) J(D^k[\mathbf{x}])^{-1} J(\mathbf{P}) \\ &= (-1)^k R_{2k+1} D[J(\mathbf{P})]^{-1} A^{-1} J(\mathbf{P})^{-T} B^{(k+1)} \\ &= (-1)^k R_{2k+1} B^{-1} B^{(k+1)}. \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

In [15], the following bases are given:

$$\begin{aligned} & [\nabla_{I^*(dP_1)} \nabla_D^{-k} \theta_E, \dots, \nabla_{I^*(dP_\ell)} \nabla_D^{-k} \theta_E] \quad \text{for } D(\mathcal{A}, 2k+1), \\ & [\nabla_{\partial_{x_1}} \nabla_D^{-k} \theta_E, \dots, \nabla_{\partial_{x_\ell}} \nabla_D^{-k} \theta_E] \quad \text{for } D(\mathcal{A}, 2k). \end{aligned}$$

Here  $\theta_E$  is the Euler derivation. Their relations to  $\{\eta_j^{(m)}\}$  are given as follows:

**Proposition 4.2**

Let  $k \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} & [\nabla_{I^*(dP_1)} \nabla_D^{-k} \theta_E, \dots, \nabla_{I^*(dP_\ell)} \nabla_D^{-k} \theta_E] = [\eta_1^{(2k+1)}, \dots, \eta_\ell^{(2k+1)}] B^{-1} B^{(k+1)}, \\ & [\nabla_{\partial_{x_1}} \nabla_D^{-k} \theta_E, \dots, \nabla_{\partial_{x_\ell}} \nabla_D^{-k} \theta_E] = [\eta_1^{(2k)}, \dots, \eta_\ell^{(2k)}] A^{-1}. \end{aligned}$$

**Proof.** By [12, Theorem 1.2.] and [14] one has

$$[\nabla_{I^*(dP_1)} \nabla_D^{-k} \theta_E, \dots, \nabla_{I^*(dP_\ell)} \nabla_D^{-k} \theta_E] = (-1)^k [\xi_1^{(2k+1)}, \dots, \xi_\ell^{(2k+1)}].$$

Combining with Proposition 4.1, we have the first relation. For the second one, compute

$$\begin{aligned} & [\nabla_{\partial_{x_1}} \nabla_D^{-k} \theta_E, \dots, \nabla_{\partial_{x_\ell}} \nabla_D^{-k} \theta_E] AJ(\mathbf{P}) = [\nabla_{I^*(dP_1)} \nabla_D^{-k} \theta_E, \dots, \nabla_{I^*(dP_\ell)} \nabla_D^{-k} \theta_E] \\ & = [\eta_1^{(2k+1)}, \dots, \eta_\ell^{(2k+1)}] B^{-1} B^{(k+1)} \\ & = [\eta_1^{(2k)}, \dots, \eta_\ell^{(2k)}] J(\mathbf{P}) \end{aligned}$$

by Proposition 2.6 (3). □

Next let us review the bases for  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, m)$  described in [2, Theorem 6]: Let  $k \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$  and  $P_1$  the smallest degree basic invariant. Then

$$\{\nabla_{\partial_{P_1}} \nabla_D^k dP_1, \dots, \nabla_{\partial_{P_\ell}} \nabla_D^k dP_1\}$$

forms a basis for  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k+1)$  and

$$\{\nabla_{\partial_{x_1}} \nabla_D^k dP_1, \dots, \nabla_{\partial_{x_\ell}} \nabla_D^k dP_1\}$$

forms a basis for  $\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k)$ .

**Proposition 4.3**

Let  $k \geq 0$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} & [\nabla_{\partial_{P_1}} \nabla_D^k dP_1, \dots, \nabla_{\partial_{P_\ell}} \nabla_D^k dP_1] = [\omega_1^{(-2k-1)}, \dots, \omega_\ell^{(-2k-1)}] B^{-1}, \\ & [\nabla_{\partial_{x_1}} \nabla_D^k dP_1, \dots, \nabla_{\partial_{x_\ell}} \nabla_D^k dP_1] = [\omega_1^{(-2k)}, \dots, \omega_\ell^{(-2k)}] A^{-1}. \end{aligned}$$

**Proof.** First, note that  $[\nabla_D, \nabla_{\partial_{P_i}}]$  is  $W$ -invariant, hence in  $\text{Der}_R$ . Since the smallest degree of derivations in  $\text{Der}_R$  is  $\deg \partial_{P_\ell}$ , it follows that  $[\nabla_D, \nabla_{\partial_{P_i}}] = 0$ . In other words,  $\nabla_{\partial_{P_i}}$  and  $\nabla_{\partial_{P_\ell}} = \nabla_D$  commute for all  $i$ . Hence

$$[\nabla_{\partial_{P_1}} \nabla_D^k dP_1, \dots, \nabla_{\partial_{P_\ell}} \nabla_D^k dP_1] = \nabla_D^k [\nabla_{\partial_{P_1}} dP_1, \dots, \nabla_{\partial_{P_\ell}} dP_1].$$

Our proof is an induction on  $k$ . First assume that  $k = 0$ . Choose

$$P_1 = \frac{1}{2}[x_1, \dots, x_\ell]A^{-1}[x_1, \dots, x_\ell]^T,$$

and

$$dP_1 = [dx_1, \dots, dx_\ell]A^{-1}[x_1, \dots, x_\ell]^T.$$

Compute

$$\begin{aligned} [\nabla_{\partial_{P_1}} dP_1, \dots, \nabla_{\partial_{P_\ell}} dP_1]B &= [\nabla_{\partial_{x_1}} dP_1, \dots, \nabla_{\partial_{x_\ell}} dP_1]J(\mathbf{P})^{-T}B \\ &= [dx_1, \dots, dx_\ell]A^{-1}J(\mathbf{P})^{-T}B \\ &= [dx_1, \dots, dx_\ell]D[J(\mathbf{P})] = [\omega_1^{(-1)}, \dots, \omega_\ell^{(-1)}]. \end{aligned}$$

For  $k > 0$ , apply  $\nabla_D^k$  and use the commutativity. Then we have the first relation. For the second relation use Proposition 2.6 (2) to compute:

$$\begin{aligned} [\nabla_{\partial_{x_1}} \nabla_D^k dP_1, \dots, \nabla_{\partial_{x_\ell}} \nabla_D^k dP_1] &= [\nabla_{\partial_{P_1}} \nabla_D^k dP_1, \dots, \nabla_{\partial_{P_\ell}} \nabla_D^k dP_1]J(\mathbf{P})^T \\ &= [\omega_1^{(-2k-1)}, \dots, \omega_\ell^{(-2k-1)}]B^{-1}J(\mathbf{P})^T \\ &= [dx_1, \dots, dx_\ell]R_{-2k-1}B^{-1}J(\mathbf{P})^T \\ &= [dx_1, \dots, dx_\ell]R_{-2k}A^{-1} \\ &= [\omega_1^{(-2k)}, \dots, \omega_\ell^{(-2k)}]A^{-1}. \end{aligned}$$

□

*Remark.* If  $k < 0$  in Propositions 4.2 and 4.3, then the derivations and 1-forms in the left hand sides are proved to form bases for the logarithmic modules  $D\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k+1)$ ,  $D\Omega(\mathcal{A}, 2k)$ ,  $\Omega D(\mathcal{A}, 2k+1)$  and  $\Omega D(\mathcal{A}, 2k)$  in [1]. By using the same arguments in the proofs above, we can show that Propositions 4.2 and 4.3 hold true for all integers  $k$  in the logarithmic modules  $D\Omega(\mathcal{A}, \mathbf{m})$  and  $\Omega D(\mathcal{A}, \mathbf{m})$  with  $\mathbf{m} : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$ .

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