

EXPONENTIAL MAPPING FOR LIE GROUPOIDS

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0. Introduction. Lie groupoids have appeared in many problems of differential geometry of higher order, e.g., in the theories of connections of higher order, G -structures of higher order, pseudogroups, and in some theory of differential equations. Originally (see [5]), Lie groupoids were associated with principal fibre bundles. Ngo Van Que [27] formulated in 1967 a precise abstract definition of these objects (see also [7] and [18]). The development of the general theory of Lie groupoids can be found in the papers of Pradines [22]-[26] and Kumpera [11], [12], and also in [3], [4], [8], [15]-[17], [21], [31]-[34].

In [11] an exponential mapping was defined. This paper is devoted to a closer examination of this notion.

A *Lie groupoid* (see [27]) is a collection

$$(0.1) \quad \Phi = (\Phi, (\alpha, \beta), M, \cdot)$$

in which

(i) Φ and M are smooth (i.e., of class C^∞) manifolds with countable bases, M being a connected manifold;

(ii) $\alpha: \Phi \rightarrow M$ and $\beta: \Phi \rightarrow M$ are surmersions (i.e., submersions plus onto);

(iii) $\cdot: D \rightarrow \Phi$, where $D = \{(z, z') \in \Phi \times \Phi : \alpha(z) = \beta(z')\}$, is a partial multiplication which satisfies

(a) $\beta(z \cdot z') = \beta(z)$ and $\alpha(z \cdot z') = \alpha(z')$ if $(z, z') \in D$ and $\cdot(z, z') = z \cdot z'$,

(b) for every point $x \in M$ there exists an element $l_x \in \Phi$ such that $\alpha(l_x) = \beta(l_x) = x$ and $z \cdot l_x = z$ if $\alpha(z) = x$ and $l_x \cdot z = z$ if $\beta(z) = x$,

(c) for every element $z \in \Phi$ there exists an element $z^{-1} \in \Phi$ such that $z \cdot z^{-1} = l_y$, where $y = \beta(z)$, and $z^{-1} \cdot z = l_x$, where $x = \alpha(z)$;

(iv) the *condition of transitivity* holds, which means that $(\alpha, \beta): \Phi \rightarrow M \times M$ is surjective;

(v) the mapping $^{-1} = (\Phi \ni z \mapsto z^{-1} \in \Phi)$ is smooth;

(vi) for every smooth manifold W and for every two smooth mappings $f, g: W \rightarrow \Phi$ such that $\alpha \circ f = \beta \circ g$, the mapping

$$f \cdot g = (W \ni z \mapsto f(z) \cdot g(z) \in \Phi)$$

is smooth.

If $\Phi = (\Phi, (\alpha, \beta), M, \cdot)$ is a Lie groupoid (shortly, L.g.), then Φ is called a *space of the groupoid* Φ , M is said to be a *manifold of units*, α and β are called mappings “*source*” and “*target*”.

The set $\Phi_{(x,x)}$ of those elements h , belonging to the space of a Lie groupoid Φ , for which $\alpha(h) = \beta(h) = x$ is called the *isotropy group* of Φ over x . It is a Lie group [27]. For every Lie groupoid Φ and every x belonging to M (i.e., to a manifold of the units) a principal fibre bundle

$$\Phi_x = (\Phi_x, M, \gamma, \Phi_{(x,x)}, \cdot)$$

is determined in the following way [27]: The set Φ_x consists of all elements $h \in \Phi$ such that $\alpha h = x$ (i.e., $\alpha(h) = x$). Φ_x is a submanifold of Φ . The projection $\gamma: \Phi_x \rightarrow M$ is equal to $\beta|_{\Phi_x}$. The action of the Lie group $\Phi_{(x,x)}$ on Φ_x is determined by the formula $\cdot(h, g) = h \cdot g$, where $h \in \Phi_x, g \in \Phi_{(x,x)}$.

A Lie group is a Lie groupoid with a one-element manifold of the units. A typical example is the Lie groupoid $\pi^k(M)$ of all invertible jets of the k -th order of a manifold M , where $\alpha(j_x^k f) = x, \beta(j_x^k f) = f(x)$, and $j_{g(x)}^k f \cdot j_x^k g = j_x^k(f \circ g)$ (see [6], [13], and [14]).

An element $h \in \Phi$ such that $\alpha h = x$ and $\beta h = y$ will be denoted by

$$x \xrightarrow{h} y.$$

1. Lie algebroid of a Lie groupoid. Let $\Phi = (\Phi, (\alpha, \beta), M, \cdot)$ be an L.g. The diffeomorphism

$$\Phi_h = (\Phi_{\beta h} \ni g \mapsto g \cdot h \in \Phi_{\alpha h})$$

is called a *right translation by the element* $h \in \Phi$ (see [11]). The vector field ξ on an open set $\Omega \subset \Phi$ is called *right-invariant* (shortly, r-i) if ξ is α -vertical (i.e., $\alpha_* \xi_g = 0, g \in \Omega$) and if ξ is invariant with respect to all right translations by elements $h \in \Phi$ (i.e., $\xi_{gh} = (\Phi_h)_* \xi_g, g \in \Omega$ and $gh \in \Omega$). See also [19].

Example. Let X be a vector field on an open subset U of a manifold N and let X be generated by a local one-parameter group of diffeomorphisms f_t . Then the family f_t^k determined on the open set $\beta^{-1}[U] \subset \pi^k(N)$ by the formula

$$j_t^k X = j_{\beta X}^k f_t \cdot Y, \quad Y \in \beta^{-1}[U],$$

is a local one-parameter group of diffeomorphisms. It generates a vector field X^k which is r-i (see [30]).

The mappings $\sigma: U \rightarrow \Phi$, where U is an open set in M such that $\beta \circ \sigma = \text{id}_U$ and $\alpha \circ \sigma: U \rightarrow M$ is a diffeomorphism onto an open subset of M , are called α -admissible β -sections.

The mapping $\varphi: \alpha^{-1}[U] \rightarrow \alpha^{-1}[U']$ defined by the formula

$$\varphi(g) = g \cdot \sigma(ag), \quad g \in \alpha^{-1}[U],$$

where $\sigma: U \rightarrow \Phi$ is an α -admissible β -section such that $\alpha \circ \sigma[U] = U'$, is called a *right translation by the section σ* (see [11]).

THEOREM 1.1. *If ξ is an r -i vector field on an open set $\Omega \subset \Phi$, then there exists exactly one r -i vector field ξ' on $\Omega' = \beta^{-1}[\beta[\Omega]]$ such that the restriction of ξ' to Ω is equal to ξ . If ξ is smooth, then so is ξ' .*

Proof. The existence and uniqueness of ξ' are evident. Assume that ξ is smooth. We take an arbitrary element $x' \xrightarrow{h} y$ belonging to $\beta^{-1}[\beta[\Omega]]$ and an element $x \xrightarrow{g} y$ belonging to Ω ($\beta h = \beta g = y$). Let $\varphi: \alpha^{-1}[U] \rightarrow \alpha^{-1}[U']$ be a right translation by an α -admissible β -section $\sigma: U \rightarrow \Phi$ for which $x \in U$ and $\sigma(x) = g^{-1} \cdot h$. We take $\Theta = \Omega \cap \alpha^{-1}[U]$ and $\Theta' = \varphi[\Theta]$. Then $h \in \Theta'$, $g \in \Theta$ and, clearly, $\xi'|_{\Theta'} = (\varphi|_{\Theta})_*(\xi|_{\Theta})$, which completes the proof.

Let us consider the vector bundle (see [24]) $i^*(T^\alpha \Phi)$, i.e., first we take the vector subbundle $T^\alpha \Phi \subset T\Phi$ of the tangent bundle $T\Phi$, consisting of all α -vertical vectors, and next we pull it back by the imbedding $i = (M \ni x \mapsto l_x \in \Phi)$.

The r -i field ξ on an open set $\Omega \subset \Phi$ determines a cross-section ξ_0 of $i^*(T^\alpha \Phi)$ over $\beta[\Omega]$ by the formula

$$(\xi_0)_x = (\Phi_{h^{-1}})_* \xi_h, \quad x \in \beta[\Omega], \quad h \in \Omega, \quad \text{and} \quad \beta h = x.$$

The correctness of that formula follows from $(\xi_0)_x = \xi'(l_x)$ (for ξ' see Theorem 1.1). If ξ is smooth, then so is ξ_0 .

THEOREM 1.2. *Every cross-section η of $i^*(T^\alpha \Phi)$ over an open set $U \subset M$ can be extended uniquely to an r -i vector field η' on $\beta^{-1}[U]$. If η is smooth, then so is η' .*

Proof. We take a cross-section η of $i^*(T^\alpha \Phi)$ over an open set $U \subset M$. It determines a vector field η' on $\beta^{-1}[U] \subset \Phi$ by the formula

$$\eta'(h) = (\Phi_h)_* l_{\beta h}(\eta(\beta h)), \quad h \in \beta^{-1}[U].$$

Clearly, η' is r -i. Let η be a smooth cross-section. To prove the theorem it suffices to show that η' is smooth in a neighbourhood of every unit l_x , $x \in U$.

Fix the unit l_{x_0} , $x_0 \in U$, and take a coordinate system $\bar{x} = (\bar{x}_1, \dots, \bar{x}_n)$ of the manifold M in the domain $D_{\bar{x}} \ni x_0$ and a coordinate system

$$\hat{x} = (\hat{x}_1, \dots, \hat{x}_n, \hat{x}_{n+1}, \dots, \hat{x}_{n+m}, \hat{x}_{n+m+1}, \dots, \hat{x}_{2n+m})$$

of the manifold Φ in the domain $D_{\hat{x}}$ such that

- (a) $l_{x_0} \in D_{\hat{x}}$,
- (b) $\alpha[D_{\hat{x}}] \subset D_{\bar{x}}$, $\beta[D_{\hat{x}}] \subset D_{\bar{x}}$,
- (c) $(\hat{x}_1, \dots, \hat{x}_n) = \bar{x} \circ \beta|D_{\hat{x}}$,
- (d) $(\hat{x}_{n+m+1}, \dots, \hat{x}_{2n+m}) = \bar{x} \circ \alpha|D_{\hat{x}}$.

Clearly, there exists a neighbourhood $V \subset D_{\hat{x}}$ of l_{x_0} such that $\tau, \sigma \in V$ implies $\tau \cdot \sigma \in D_{\hat{x}}$. If $\sigma \in V$, then for $i = 1, \dots, 2n+m$

$$\begin{aligned} (\eta')_{\sigma}(\hat{x}_i) &= (\Phi_{\sigma})_{*\beta h}(\eta_{\beta h})(\hat{x}_i) \\ &= \eta_{\beta\sigma}(\hat{x}_i \circ \Phi_{\sigma}) = \eta_{\beta\sigma}(\Phi_{\beta\sigma} \ni \tau \mapsto \hat{x}_i(\tau \cdot \sigma) \in R). \end{aligned}$$

We take the imbedding

$$\begin{aligned} l &= (R^n \times R^m \times R^n \times R^m \times R^n \rightarrow R^{2n+m} \times R^{2n+m}), \\ &(a, b, c, d, e) \mapsto ((a, b, c), (c, d, e)), \end{aligned}$$

and we put

$$W = l^{-1}[\hat{x}[V] \times \hat{x}[V]] \subset R^{3n+2m}.$$

W is an open set containing the point

$$(\hat{x}_1(l_{x_0}), \dots, \hat{x}_{2n+m}(l_{x_0}), \hat{x}_{n+1}(l_{x_0}), \dots, \hat{x}_{2n+m}(l_{x_0})).$$

There exist smooth functions $f_i: W \rightarrow R$, $i = 1, \dots, 2n+m$, for which $\hat{x}_i(\tau \cdot \sigma) = f_i(\hat{x}_1(\tau), \dots, \hat{x}_{n+m}(\tau), \hat{x}_1(\sigma), \dots, \hat{x}_{2n+m}(\sigma))$, $i = 1, \dots, 2n+m$, where $\tau, \sigma \in V$ and $\tau \cdot \sigma$ is defined. Hence

$$\begin{aligned} (\eta')_{\sigma}(\hat{x}_i) &= \eta_{\beta\sigma}(f_i(\hat{x}_1(\cdot), \dots, \hat{x}_{n+m}(\cdot), \hat{x}_1(\sigma), \dots, \hat{x}_{2n+m}(\sigma))) \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^{n+m} \eta_{\beta\sigma}(\hat{x}_j) \cdot f_{i|j}(\hat{x}_1(l_{\beta\sigma}), \dots, \hat{x}_{n+m}(l_{\beta\sigma}), \hat{x}_1(\sigma), \dots, \hat{x}_{2n+m}(\sigma)). \end{aligned}$$

Finally, to complete the proof it suffices to see that the function

$$V \ni \sigma \mapsto \eta_{\beta\sigma}(\hat{x}_j), \quad j = 1, \dots, n+m,$$

$$\begin{aligned} V \ni \sigma \mapsto f_{i|j}(\hat{x}_1(l_{\beta\sigma}), \dots, \hat{x}_{n+m}(l_{\beta\sigma}), \hat{x}_1(\sigma), \dots, \hat{x}_{2n+m}(\sigma)), \\ i = 1, \dots, 2n+m, j = 1, \dots, n+m, \end{aligned}$$

are smooth.

From Theorem 1.2 it follows that if ξ is an r -i vector field on an open set $\Omega \subset \Phi$, then for any point $g \in \Omega$ there exists a globally defined r -i vector field η on Φ such that $\xi|_{\Theta} = \eta|_{\Theta}$ for an open set $\Theta \subset \Omega$, where $g \in \Theta$.

We shall continue to assume that the r -i vector fields under consideration are smooth.

Let ξ and η be some r -i vector fields on an open set $\beta^{-1}[U]$, $U \subset M$. Then the following statements are true:

(i) The Poisson bracket $[\xi, \eta]$ is also an r -i vector field.

(ii) If f belongs to $C^\infty(M|U)$, then the vector field $(f \circ \beta) \cdot \xi$ is also r -i and we have

$$(f \circ \beta) \cdot \xi = (f \cdot \xi_0)', \quad [\xi, (f \circ \beta) \cdot \eta] = (f \circ \beta)[\xi, \eta] + (\beta_* \xi)(f) \cdot \eta,$$

where ξ_0 is a cross-section of $i^*(T^\alpha \Phi)$ over U determined by the formula $(\xi_0)_x = \xi(l_x)$, $x \in U$ (for $(f \cdot \xi_0)'$ see Theorem 1.2).

(iii) ξ is β -related to exactly one vector field X on U . If we denote by $\tilde{\beta}_*$ the morphism

$$i^*(T^\alpha \Phi) \ni v \mapsto \beta_*(v) \in TM,$$

then X is equal to $\tilde{\beta}_* \circ \xi_0$ and it is denoted by $\beta_* \xi$.

(iv) The vector space of all smooth global cross-sections of $i^*(T^\alpha \Phi)$, namely $C^\infty(i^*(T^\alpha \Phi))$ with bracket $[[,]]$ defined by $[[\xi, \eta]] = [\xi', \eta']_0$, is an R -Lie algebra. This bracket has the property

$$[[\xi, f \cdot \eta]] = f \cdot [[\xi, \eta]] + (\beta_* \xi)(f) \cdot \eta.$$

(v) The morphism $\tilde{\beta}_*$ has the following properties:

(a) $\tilde{\beta}_*$ is an epimorphism,

(b) $C^\infty(\tilde{\beta}_*): C^\infty(i^*(T^\alpha \Phi)) \rightarrow C^\infty(TM)$ is an R -Lie algebra homomorphism.

A Lie algebroid (shortly, L.a.) is a collection

$$A = (A, [[,]], \gamma)$$

in which

(1) A is a vector bundle over any manifold M ;

(2) $[[,]]: C^\infty(A) \times C^\infty(A) \rightarrow C^\infty(A)$ is a mapping such that $(C^\infty(A), [[,]])$ is a Lie algebra (over R);

(3) $\gamma: A \rightarrow TM$ is an epimorphism of the vector bundles;

(4) if $\eta, \mu \in C^\infty(A)$ and $f \in C^\infty(M)$, then

$$[[\eta, f \cdot \mu]] = f \cdot [[\eta, \mu]] + (\gamma \circ \eta)(f) \cdot \mu;$$

(5) $C^\infty(\gamma): C^\infty(A) \rightarrow C^\infty(TM)$ is an R -Lie algebra homomorphism.

Thus an arbitrary L.g. $\Phi = (\Phi, (\alpha, \beta), M, \cdot)$ determines any object

$$(1.1) \quad (i^*(T^\alpha \Phi), [[,]], \tilde{\beta}_*)$$

which is a Lie algebroid (see [24]).

This definition is almost identical with that of Pradines [24]. It differs in that Pradines does not require for the morphism γ to be an epimorphism. The reason is the fact that Pradines associates such an object with an

object more general than L.g., namely with the differential one (see also [1], [2], [9], [10], [20]).

Example. The L.a. of the L.g. $\pi^k(M)$ is isomorphic to

$$(J^k(TM), [\ , \], \tilde{\beta}),$$

where

(i) $J^k(TM)$ is the vector bundle of the k -th order jets of vector fields of M ,

(ii) $\tilde{\beta} = (J^k(TM) \ni j_x^k \Theta \mapsto \Theta(x) \in TM)$,

(iii) $[\ , \]: C^\infty(J^k(TM)) \times C^\infty(J^k(TM)) \rightarrow C^\infty(J^k(TM))$ is the only mapping for which $(C^\infty(J^k(TM)), [\ , \])$ is a Lie algebra and

$$[\sigma, f \cdot \eta] = f[\sigma, \eta] + (\tilde{\beta}\sigma)(f) \cdot \eta$$

for $\sigma, \eta \in C^\infty(J^k(TM))$ and $f \in C^\infty(M)$.

Investigations of such objects were carried out by Libermann [13], [14].

Example. The L.a. of the trivial L.g. $M \times G \times M$ is a collection $(TM \times \mathfrak{g}, [\ , \], \tilde{\beta})$, where

(i) \mathfrak{g} is the Lie algebra of the Lie group G ;

(ii) $TM \times \mathfrak{g}$ is the vector bundle over M in which a fibre over $x \in M$ is equal to $T_x M \times \mathfrak{g}$;

(iii) $\tilde{\beta} = (TM \times \mathfrak{g} \ni (v, u) \mapsto v \in TM)$;

(iv) if X, X' are two vector fields on M and $h, h': M \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}$ are two smooth mappings, then

$$[(X, h), (X', h')] = ([X, X'], \mathcal{L}_X h' - \mathcal{L}_{X'} h + [h, h']).$$

A smooth mapping $F: \Phi|_\Omega \rightarrow \Phi'$, where Φ and Φ' are spaces of the L.g.'s

$$(1.2) \quad \Phi = (\Phi, (\alpha, \beta), M, \cdot), \quad \Phi' = (\Phi', (\alpha', \beta'), M, \cdot),$$

and Ω contains all units $l_x, x \in M$, is called a *local homomorphism* from Φ into Φ' if

(i) $\alpha' \circ F = \alpha|_\Omega, \beta' \circ F = \beta|_\Omega$,

(ii) $z, z', z \cdot z' \in \Omega$ implies $F(z \cdot z') = F(z) \cdot F(z')$.

If $\Omega = \Phi$, then the local homomorphism is called a *homomorphism* from Φ into Φ' (see [27]).

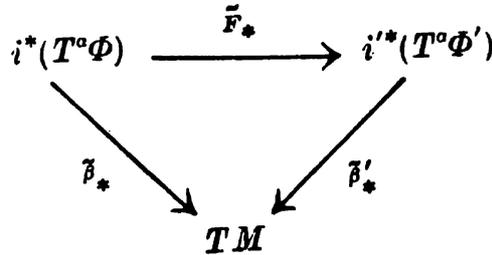
Let $F: \Phi|_\Omega \rightarrow \Phi'$ be a local homomorphism from Φ into Φ' . It is easy to see that the mapping

$$\tilde{F}_* = (i^*(T^a \Phi) \ni v \mapsto F_*(v) \in i'^*(T^a \Phi'))$$

has the following properties:

(i) \tilde{F}_* is a morphism of the vector bundles;

- (ii) if ξ is a cross-section of $i^*(T^\alpha\Phi)$, then ξ' and $(\tilde{F}_* \circ \xi)'$ are F -related (see Theorem 1.2);
- (iii) $C^\infty(\tilde{F}_*)$ is a Lie algebra homomorphism;
- (iv) the diagram



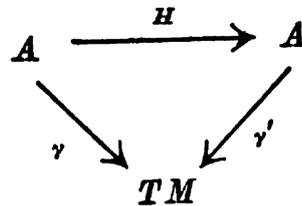
is commutative.

From these properties we infer that the following definition is justified [11], [24]:

Definition 1.1. Let

$$A = (A, [,], \gamma) \quad \text{and} \quad A' = (A', [,]', \gamma')$$

be arbitrary L.a.'s over a manifold M . A morphism $H: A \rightarrow A'$ of the vector bundles is called an L.a. morphism if $C^\infty(H): C^\infty(A) \rightarrow C^\infty(A')$ is a Lie algebra homomorphism and the following diagram is commutative:



The assignment of the L.a. (1.1) to an L.g. (0.1) and of the L.a. homomorphism \tilde{F}_* to an L.g. homomorphism F is a covariant functor from the category of L.g. into the one of L.a. It is called the *Lie functor for L.g.*

2. Groupoid of β -admissible α -sections $\Gamma_{\alpha, \text{loc}}(M, \Phi)$. The L.g. Φ defined by (0.1) determines another very important object, namely the groupoid of β -admissible α -sections (see [11] and [12]) $\Gamma_{\alpha, \text{loc}}(M, \Phi)$. It consists of such local sections $\sigma: M|U \rightarrow \Phi$ of the surmersion $\alpha: \Phi \rightarrow M$ for which U and $U' = \beta \circ \sigma[U] \subset M$ are open sets and $\beta \circ \sigma: M|U \rightarrow M|U'$ is a diffeomorphism. The element $\sigma(x)$ will often be denoted by σ_x , and the topology of M by $\text{Top}M$. We define the mappings

$$a, b: \Gamma_{\alpha, \text{loc}}(M, \Phi) \rightarrow \text{Top}M$$

by the formulas

$$a(\sigma) = D_\sigma, \quad b(\sigma) = \beta \circ \sigma[D_\sigma],$$

where $\sigma: M|D_\sigma \rightarrow \Phi$ (i.e., D_σ is the domain of the σ) for σ belonging to $\Gamma_{\alpha, \text{loc}}(M, \Phi)$. The multiplication $\tau \cdot \sigma$ for $\sigma: M|U \rightarrow \Phi$ and $\tau: M|U' \rightarrow \Phi$ belonging to $\Gamma_{\alpha, \text{loc}}(M, \Phi)$ is defined if $\beta \circ \sigma[U] = U'$, and we have

$$\tau \cdot \sigma = (U \ni x \mapsto \tau_{\beta(\sigma_x)} \cdot \sigma_x \in \Phi).$$

The collection $(\Gamma_{\alpha, \text{loc}}(M, \Phi), (a, b), \text{Top}M, \cdot)$ is a groupoid. It is called a *groupoid of β -admissible α -sections*. The isotropy group over the unit M of this groupoid is denoted by $\Gamma_\alpha(M, \Phi)$. It is easy to find that there exists a natural isomorphism between the groupoid $\Gamma_{\alpha, \text{loc}}(M, \Phi)$ and the groupoid of local right translations of Φ (see [11]).

Let Φ be an arbitrary L.g. defined by (0.1). For each cross-section ξ of $i^*(T^\alpha \Phi)$ the r-i vector field generated by ξ is denoted by ξ' (see Theorem 1.2). Every integral curve γ of ξ' lies in Φ_x for some point $x \in M$, namely if γ passes through h , then γ lies in Φ_{ah} .

Let ξ be an arbitrary fixed global cross-section of $i^*(T^\alpha \Phi)$. It is easy to see that the following statements are true:

(i) If z, z' belong to Φ , $z \cdot z'$ is defined, and γ is an integral curve of ξ' passing through z , then $\gamma' = \Phi_{z'} \circ \gamma$ is also an integral curve of ξ' and it passes through $z \cdot z'$.

(ii) We take a certain point $x_0 \in M$ and

$$\varphi: \Omega' \times I_s \rightarrow \Phi,$$

a local one-parameter group of diffeomorphisms (shortly, l.o-p.g.d.), which generates ξ' on an open set $\Omega' \subset \Phi$ containing l_{x_0} , $I_s = (-\varepsilon, \varepsilon)$.

Then

(a) $z, z', z \cdot z' \in \Omega'$ imply $\varphi_t(z \cdot z') = \varphi_t(z) \cdot z', t \in I_s$;

(b) $z \in \Omega'$ and $l_{\beta z} \in \Omega'$ imply $\varphi_t(z) = \varphi_t(l_{\beta z}) \cdot z, t \in I_s$;

(c) if $l_x \in \Omega', s \in I_s, l_{\beta(\varphi_s(l_x))} \in \Omega'$, then for every $t \in I_s$ such that $t+s \in I_s$ we have

$$\varphi_{t+s}(l_x) = \varphi_t(l_{\beta(\varphi_s(l_x))}) \cdot \varphi_s(l_x).$$

THEOREM 2.1. *Let ξ belong to $C^\infty(i^*(T^\alpha \Phi))$. For every point $x \in M$ there exist a neighbourhood $U \subset M$ of x , a number $\varepsilon > 0$, and an l.o-p.g.d.*

$$(2.1) \quad \varphi': \beta^{-1}[U] \times I_s \rightarrow \Phi$$

which generates ξ' on $\beta^{-1}[U]$.

Proof. Let us take an arbitrary fixed point $x \in M$ and an l.o-p.g.d. $\varphi: \Omega \times I_s \rightarrow \Phi$ which generates ξ' on the open set $\Omega \subset \Phi$ containing the unit l_x . Put $U = i^{-1}[\Omega]$. By (ii) the mapping φ' must be defined by

$$\varphi'(z, t) = \varphi(l_{\beta z}, t) \cdot z, \quad z \in \beta^{-1}[U], t \in I_s.$$

It suffices to show that φ' is an l.o-p.g.d. which generates $\xi'|\beta^{-1}[U]$. By the above it is easy to find that

- (a) $\varphi'(z, 0) = z, z \in \beta^{-1}[U]$;
- (b) $\varphi'_{i+s}(z) = \varphi'_i(\varphi'_s(z)), z, \varphi'_s(z) \in \beta^{-1}[U], s, t, s+t \in I_s$;
- (c) φ' generates $\xi'|\beta^{-1}[U]$.

To complete the proof it remains to see that $\varphi'(\cdot, t), t \in I_s$, is a diffeomorphism.

Let φ' be an l.o-p.g.d. which generates ξ' on $\beta^{-1}[U]$, where ξ is a cross-section of the vector bundle $i^*(T^\alpha\Phi)$ over the open set $U \subset M$.

Put

$$\text{Exp}(t, \xi) = \varphi'_i \circ i|U.$$

The mapping $\text{Exp}(t, \xi): M|U \rightarrow \Phi$ is an α -section. It is easy to find that

- (i) the mapping

$$\psi = (U \times I_s \ni (y, t) \mapsto (\beta \circ \text{Exp}(t, \xi))(y) \in M)$$

is an l.o-p.g.d. which generates $\beta_* \xi'$;

- (ii) $\text{Exp}(t, \xi)$ is a β -admissible α -section, i.e.

$$\text{Exp}(t, \xi) \in \Gamma_{\alpha, \text{loc}}(M, \Phi);$$

- (iii) if $U' = \psi_t[U]$, then

$$\varphi'_i: \Phi|\beta^{-1}[U] \rightarrow \Phi|\beta^{-1}[U'], \quad t \in I_s,$$

are left translations.

The mapping $S: I_s \rightarrow \Gamma_{\alpha, \text{loc}}(M, \Phi)$ is called a *local smooth one-parameter subgroup* (shortly, l.s.o-p.s.) of the groupoid $\Gamma_{\alpha, \text{loc}}(M, \Phi)$ on the open set $U \subset M$ ([11], [12]) if

- (i) $S_t := S(t)$ is defined on the set U ;
- (ii) the mapping $\hat{S} = (U \times I_s \ni (x, t) \mapsto S_t(x) \in \Phi)$ is smooth;
- (iii) $S_0 = i|U$;
- (iv) $s, t, s+t \in I_s$ and $x, \beta \circ S_s(x) \in U$ imply

$$S_{s+t}(x) = S_t(\beta \circ S_s(x)) \cdot S_s(x).$$

THEOREM 2.2. (a) *If ξ is a local cross-section of $i^*(T^\alpha\Phi)$ over an open set $U \subset M$, and φ' is an l.o-p.g.d. (2.1) which generates ξ' , then*

$$S = (I_s \ni t \mapsto \text{Exp}(t, \xi) \in \Gamma_{\alpha, \text{loc}}(M, \Phi))$$

is an l.s.o-p.s. of $\Gamma_{\alpha, \text{loc}}(M, \Phi)$ over U . (In this case S is said to be generated by ξ .)

(b) *Conversely, every l.s.o-p.s. of $\Gamma_{\alpha, \text{loc}}(M, \Phi)$ over an open set $U \subset M$ is generated by exactly one cross-section of $i^*(T^\alpha\Phi)$ over U .*

Proof. (a) is evident.

(b) Let S be an l.s.o-p.s. of $\Gamma_{a,loc}(M, \Phi)$ over an open set $U \subset M$. The uniqueness of ξ which generates S follows from the equality

$$(2.2) \quad \xi(x) = (S_{(\cdot)}(x))_{*0} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \Big|_0 \right), \quad x \in U.$$

We take the cross-section defined by (2.2). It is easy to see that the mapping

$$\varphi' = (\beta^{-1}[U] \times I_s \ni (z, t) \mapsto S_t(\beta z) \cdot z \in \Phi)$$

is an l.o-p.g.d. which generates ξ' . The above considerations prove that ξ' is smooth, and so is ξ . Now we see that

$$(\text{Exp}(t, \xi))(x) = \varphi'(l_x, t) = S_t(x), \quad x \in U.$$

A vector field on a manifold is called *complete* if it is globally defined and generated by a global one-parameter group of diffeomorphisms (shortly, g.o-p.g.d.). An r-i vector field η on an L.g. Φ defined by (0.1) is complete if and only if the vector field $\beta_*\eta$ is complete on the manifold M (see [11] and [12]).

A cross-section ξ of $i^*(T^a\Phi)$ is called *complete* if ξ' is complete on Φ .

An l.s.o-p.s. of $\Gamma_{a,loc}(M, \Phi)$ is called a *global smooth one-parameter subgroup* (shortly, g.s.o-p.s.) of the group $\Gamma_a(M, \Phi)$ if it is over M and is defined on R .

A mapping $S: R \rightarrow \Gamma_a(M, \Phi)$ is a *g.s.o-p.s.* of $\Gamma_a(M, \Phi)$ if and only if

- (i) the mapping $\hat{S} = (M \times R \ni (x, t) \mapsto S(t)(x) \in \Phi)$ is smooth;
- (ii) S is a homomorphism of the additive group R into $\Gamma_a(M, \Phi)$.

If ξ is a complete cross-section of $i^*(T^a\Phi)$, then

$$S = (R \ni t \mapsto \text{Exp}(t, \xi) \in \Gamma_a(M, \Phi))$$

is a *g.s.o-p.s.* of $\Gamma_a(M, \Phi)$, and

- (i) $(S(\cdot)(x))_{*0}((\partial/\partial t)|_0) = \xi(x)$, $x \in M$,
- (ii) $\beta \circ S$ is a *g.o-p.g.d.* which generates $\beta_*\xi$.

Every *g.s.o-p.s.* of $\Gamma_a(M, \Phi)$ is generated by exactly one complete cross-section of $i^*(T^a\Phi)$.

3. Exponential mapping for Lie groupoids. We denote by $C_0^\infty(i^*(T^a\Phi))$ the set of all global cross-sections ξ of $i^*(T^a\Phi)$ such that $\beta_*\xi$ has a compact support. They are complete.

The mapping

$$\text{Exp}_\Phi = (C_0^\infty(i^*(T^a\Phi)) \ni \xi \mapsto \text{Exp}(1, \xi) \in \Gamma_a(M, \Phi))$$

is called an *exponential mapping on the L.g. Φ* defined by (0.1) (see [11], [27], and [28]).

For a cross-section $\xi \in C_0^\infty(i^*(T^a\Phi))$ and a number $s \in R$ the equality $\text{Exp}(1, s\xi) = \text{Exp}(s, \xi)$ holds.

THEOREM 3.1. *Let $F: \Phi|_\Omega \rightarrow \Phi'$ be a local homomorphism from Φ into Φ' defined by (1.2). Assume that x_0 is an arbitrary point in M , $\xi \in C_0^\infty(i^*(T^a\Phi))$ a cross-section, and $\varepsilon > 0$ a number such that the relation*

$$(\text{Exp}_\Phi t\xi)(x_0) \in \Omega$$

holds for every $t \in I_{1+\varepsilon}$. Then there exist a number ε' ($0 < \varepsilon' \leq \varepsilon$) and a neighbourhood U of x_0 such that

- (i) $(\text{Exp}_\Phi t\xi)(x) \in \Omega$ for $x \in U$ and $|t| < 1 + \varepsilon'$,
- (ii) $(\text{Exp}_\Phi(\tilde{F}_* \circ \xi))(x) = F((\text{Exp}_\Phi \xi)(x))$ for $x \in U$.

Proof. Since $\tilde{\beta}'_* \circ (\tilde{F}_* \circ \xi)(x) = \tilde{\beta}'_* \circ \xi(x)$, we have

$$\tilde{F}_* \circ \xi \in C_0^\infty(i^*(T^a\Phi')).$$

Put

$$S(t) = \text{Exp}_\Phi t\xi.$$

$\hat{S}^{-1}[\Omega]$ is an open subset of $M \times R$ containing $\{x_0\} \times I_{1+\varepsilon}$. It is easily seen that there exist a neighbourhood U of x_0 and a number ε' ($0 < \varepsilon' \leq \varepsilon$) such that

$$U \times I_{1+\varepsilon'} \subset \hat{S}^{-1}[\Omega].$$

For an arbitrary point $(x, t) \in U \times I_{1+\varepsilon'}$ we have

$$(\text{Exp}_\Phi t\xi)(x) = \hat{S}(x, t) \in \Omega.$$

Hence the mapping

$$S' = (I_{1+\varepsilon'} \ni t \mapsto F \circ ((\text{Exp}_\Phi t\xi)|U) \in \Gamma_{a,\text{loc}}(M, \Phi))$$

is an l.s.o.-p.s. of $\Gamma_{a,\text{loc}}(M, \Phi)$ over U , which is generated by $(\tilde{F}_* \circ \xi)|U$. Therefore, equality (ii) holds.

Let us take the cross-sections $\xi_1, \dots, \xi_m \in C_0^\infty(i^*(T^a\Phi))$ which are a basis of $i^*(T^a\Phi)$ over $U \subset M$. The r-i vector fields $\xi'_1|_{\Phi_x}, \dots, \xi'_m|_{\Phi_x}$ are a basis of $T(\Phi_x)$ over $\Phi_x \cap \beta^{-1}[U]$ for an arbitrary point $x \in M$. A basic property of the exponential mapping is given in the sequel.

THEOREM 3.2. *For each point $x_0 \in U$ there exist open neighbourhoods $U_m \subset R^m$ of 0 and $U' \subset U$ of x_0 such that the mapping*

$$\overline{\text{Exp}_\Phi} = \left(U_m \times U' \ni (a^1, \dots, a^m, x) \mapsto \left(\text{Exp}_\Phi \sum_{i=1}^m a^i \xi_i \right)(x) \in \Phi \right)$$

is a diffeomorphism onto its open image.

For the proof we need the following lemma which is known from theory of differential equations:

LEMMA. If Z_1, \dots, Z_m are some vector fields on the manifold M , then for any point $y_0 \in M$ there exist a neighbourhood W of y_0 and a cube

$$\Omega_K^m = \{(a^1, \dots, a^m) \in \mathbb{R}^m : |a^i| < K, i = 1, \dots, m\}, \quad 0 < K < \infty,$$

such that for each point $y \in W$ and $a \in \Omega_K^m$ there exists an integral curve

$$\varphi_{y,a}: I_2 \rightarrow M, \quad \varphi_{y,a}(0) = y,$$

of the vector field $\sum_{i=1}^m a^i Z_i$, and the mapping

$$\varphi = (W \times I_2 \times \Omega_K^m \ni (y, t, a) \mapsto \varphi_{y,a}(t) \in M)$$

is smooth.

Proof of Theorem 3.2. From the above lemma it follows that for any point $x_0 \in U$ there exist neighbourhoods $U_m \subset \mathbb{R}^m$ of 0 and $U' \subset U$ of x_0 such that the mapping $\overline{\text{Exp}}_\phi$ is smooth. To prove the theorem it suffices to show that the differential $(\overline{\text{Exp}}_\phi)_{*(0, x_0)}$ is an isomorphism. First, we shall prove that the differential at the point $a = 0$ of the mapping

$$\overline{\text{Exp}}_\phi(x_0) = \left(U_m \ni (a^1, \dots, a^m) \mapsto \left(\text{Exp}_\phi \sum_{i=1}^m a^i \xi_i \right) (x_0) \in \Phi_{x_0} \right)$$

is an isomorphism. Denote this mapping by \varkappa and identify the tangent spaces $T_0(\mathbb{R}^m)$ and $T_{l_{x_0}}(\Phi_{x_0})$ with \mathbb{R}^m by means of the following isomorphism:

$$T_0(\mathbb{R}^m) \ni \sum_{i=1}^m c^i e_i \mapsto (c^1, \dots, c^m) \in \mathbb{R}^m,$$

$$T_{l_{x_0}}(\Phi_{x_0}) \ni \sum_{i=1}^m c^i \xi'_i(l_{x_0}) \mapsto (c^1, \dots, c^m) \in \mathbb{R}^m.$$

Then $\varkappa_{*0} = \text{id}_{\mathbb{R}^m}$. Indeed, if $b = (b^1, \dots, b^m) \in \mathbb{R}^m$ is an arbitrary point and $\lambda_b = (R \ni s \mapsto s \cdot b \in \mathbb{R}^m)$, then

$$\varkappa_{*0}(b) = (\varkappa \circ \lambda_b)_{*0} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \Big|_0 \right) = b$$

because $\varkappa \circ \lambda_b$ is an integral curve of the vector field $\sum_{i=1}^m b^i \xi'_i|_{\Phi_{x_0}}$ and $\varkappa \circ \lambda_b(0) = x_0$. Now, the theorem is implied by the following fact:

If $p: P \rightarrow N$, $q: P' \rightarrow N$ are coregular mappings and $f: P \rightarrow P'$ is a mapping such that $q \circ f = p$, and $p_0 \in P$, $x_0 = p(p_0)$,

$$f_1 = f|_{p^{-1}[\{x_0\}]}: P|_{p^{-1}[\{x_0\}]} \rightarrow P'|_{q^{-1}[\{x_0\}]},$$

and $(f_1)_{*p_0}$ is an isomorphism, then f_{*p_0} is also an isomorphism.

The mapping inverse to $\overline{\text{Exp}}_\phi$ is called the *exponential coordinate system determined by the cross-sections* $\xi_1, \dots, \xi_m \in C_0^\infty(i^*(T^a\Phi))$ which are a basis in a neighbourhood of $x \in M$.

COROLLARY. *There exists an open set $\Omega \subset \Phi$ which contains all units and is contained in the set*

$$E = \{(\text{Exp}_\phi \xi)(x) : x \in M, \xi \in C_0^\infty(i^*(T^a\Phi))\}.$$

THEOREM 3.3. *Let \mathfrak{m} and \mathfrak{n} be any subbundles of $i^*(T^a\Phi)$ such that $i^*(T^a\Phi) = \mathfrak{m} \oplus \mathfrak{n}$. Let $\xi_1, \dots, \xi_m \in C_0^\infty(\mathfrak{m})$ and $\xi_{m+1}, \dots, \xi_{m+n} \in C_0^\infty(\mathfrak{n})$ be cross-sections which are a basis of \mathfrak{m} and \mathfrak{n} , respectively, over a non-empty subset $U \subset M$. Then the cross-sections $\xi_1, \dots, \xi_m, \xi_{m+1}, \dots, \xi_{m+n}$ are a basis of $i^*(T^a\Phi)$ over U . Let $\overline{\text{Exp}}_\phi$ be defined for these sections. Then for each point $x \in U$ there exist neighbourhoods $U' \subset U$ of x , $U_m \subset \mathbb{R}^m$ of 0 , and $U_n \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ of 0 such that the mapping*

$$\lambda: U_m \times U_n \times U' \rightarrow \Phi$$

defined by

$$\lambda(a, b, y) = \overline{\text{Exp}}_\phi((a, 0), \beta \circ \overline{\text{Exp}}_\phi((0, b), y)) \cdot \overline{\text{Exp}}_\phi((0, b), y)$$

is a diffeomorphism onto its open image.

Proof. Let $\overline{\text{Exp}}_\phi: W \times U_1 \rightarrow \Phi$ be the diffeomorphism onto its open image Ω , where $W \subset \mathbb{R}^{m+n} = \mathbb{R}^m \times \mathbb{R}^n$ and $U_1 \subset U$ are open sets such that $0 \in W$ and $x \in U_1$.

Since λ is smooth, we can take neighbourhoods $U_m \subset \mathbb{R}^m$ of 0 , $U_n \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ of 0 , and $U' \subset U_1$ of x such that $\lambda[U_m \times U_n \times U'] \subset \Omega$. We denote by $(x^1(z), \dots, x^{m+n}(z), a(z))$ the exponential coordinates of $z \in \Omega$. Then

$$x^i(\overline{\text{Exp}}_\phi((a, 0), y)) = a^i, \quad i = 1, \dots, m+n, \quad y \in U, \quad a \in W.$$

Let us take the mapping

$$t = (\overline{\text{Exp}}_\phi)^{-1} \circ \lambda: U_m \times U_n \times U' \rightarrow W \times U_1$$

which is of the form

$$t(a, b, y) = (t_y(a, b), y).$$

To prove the theorem it suffices to show that the differential $(t_x)_{*(0,0)}$ is an isomorphism. For $i = 1, \dots, m+n$ we have

$$\begin{aligned} & t_x'(a^1, \dots, a^m, b^1, \dots, b^n) \\ &= x^i \left(\left(\text{Exp}_\phi \sum_{i=1}^m a^i \xi_i \right) \left(\beta \circ \left(\text{Exp}_\phi \sum_{i=1}^n b^i \xi_{m+i} \right) (x) \right) \cdot \left(\text{Exp}_\phi \sum_{i=1}^n b^i \xi_{m+i} \right) (x) \right). \end{aligned}$$

Put

$$\tau_{i,j} = (I_\varepsilon \ni s \mapsto \underbrace{t_x^t(0, \dots, 0, s, 0, \dots, 0)}_{j-1} \in R) \quad \text{for } i, j = 1, \dots, m+n,$$

where $\varepsilon > 0$ and $\prod_{i=1}^{m+n} I_\varepsilon \subset U_m \times U_n$. Then $\tau_{i,j}(s) = s \cdot \delta_j^t$. Therefore, $t_{x,j}^t(0, 0) = \delta_j^t$ and

$$\det [t_{x,j}^t(0, 0): i, j \leq m+n] = 1 \neq 0,$$

which completes the proof.

THEOREM 3.4. *An injective homomorphism $F: \Phi \rightarrow \Phi'$ of the L.g.'s (1.2) is an immersion.*

Proof. It is easy to prove that a homomorphism $F = \Phi \rightarrow \Phi'$ is an immersion if and only if $\tilde{F}_*: i^*(T^a \Phi) \rightarrow i'^*(T^a \Phi')$ is a monomorphism of the vector bundles. Let F be injective. We shall prove that \tilde{F}_* is a monomorphism. Let us take a vector $v \in i^*(T^a \Phi)$ such that $\tilde{F}_*(v) = 0$. Assume that $\xi \in C_0^\infty(i^*(T^a \Phi))$ is a cross-section for which $\xi(x) = v$. Then (Theorem 3.1)

$$(\text{Exp}_\phi t(\tilde{F}_* \circ \xi))(x) = (F \circ \text{Exp}_\phi t\xi)(x).$$

Since $\tilde{F}_* \circ \xi(x) = \tilde{F}_*(v) = 0$, we have $(\tilde{F}_* \circ \xi)'(l_x) = 0$. Hence the integral curve of $(\tilde{F}_* \circ \xi)'$ passing through l_x is constant, and since $t \mapsto (\text{Exp}_\phi t(\tilde{F}_* \circ \xi))(x)$ is such a curve, we obtain

$$(\text{Exp}_\phi t(\tilde{F}_* \circ \xi))(x) = l_x.$$

Consequently, $F((\text{Exp}_\phi t\xi)(x)) = l_x$, and from the injectivity of F we get $(\text{Exp}_\phi t\xi)(x) = l_x$. Since $t \mapsto (\text{Exp}_\phi t\xi)(x)$ is an integral curve of ξ' , we have $v = \xi(x) = \xi'(l_x) = 0$.

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