# INVARIANT HYPERFUNCTIONS ON REGULAR PREHOMOGENEOUS VECTOR SPACES OF COMMUTATIVE PARABOLIC TYPE

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**Abstract.** Let  $(G_R^+, \rho, V)$  be a regular irreducible prehomogeneous vector space defined over the real field R. We denote by P(x) its irreducible relatively invariant polynomial. Let  $V_1 \cup V_2 \cup \cdots \cup V_l$  be the connected component decomposition of the set  $V - \{x \in V; P(x) = 0\}$ . It is conjectured by [Mr4] that any relatively invariant hyperfunction on V is written as a linear combination of the hyperfunctions  $|P(x)|_i^s$ , where  $|P(x)|_i^s$  is the complex power of  $|P(x)|^s$  supported on  $V_i$ . In this paper the author gives a proof of this conjecture when  $(G_R^+, \rho, V)$  is a real prehomogeneous vector space of commutative parabolic type. Our proof is based on microlocal analysis of invariant hyperfunctions on prehomogeneous vector spaces.

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Introduction. Let P(x) be a homogeneous polynomial with real coefficients on a real vector space V. We suppose that the determinant of the Hessian  $\det(\partial P/\partial x_i\partial x_j)$  does not vanish identically. We set  $G_R := \{g \in GL(V); P(g \cdot x) = \chi(g)P(x)\}$ , where  $\chi(g)$  is a constant depending only on  $g \in G_R$ . Then the function  $\chi(g)$  is a character of  $G_R$ . The connected component of  $G_R$  containing the neutral element is denoted by  $G_R^+$ . We let  $V_1 \cup V_2 \cup \cdots \cup V_l$  be the connected component decomposition of the set  $V - \{x \in V; P(x) = 0\}$ . We suppose that each  $V_i$  is a  $G_R^+$ -orbit, i.e.,  $(G_R^+, \rho, V)$  is a real prehomogeneous vector space. Any relatively invariant polynomial is given by a non-negative integer power of P(x). In this paper, we show that every relatively invariant hyperfunction is necessarily obtained as a linear combination of the complex powers of P(x).

We shall explain our problem more precisely. Let

$$|P(x)|_{i}^{s} := \begin{cases} |P(x)|^{s} & \text{if } x \in V_{i}, \\ 0 & \text{if } x \notin V_{i}. \end{cases}$$

Then  $|P(x)|_i^s$  is a continuous function when the real part Re(s) of s is positive, and can be continued to the whole complex plane  $s \in C$  as a hyperfunction with a meromorphic parameter  $s \in C$ . A hyperfunction T(x) which is expressed in the form

(0.1) 
$$T(x) = \sum_{i=1}^{l} a_i(s) \cdot |P(x)|_i^s |_{s=\lambda},$$

satisfies  $T(g \cdot x) = \chi(g)^{\lambda} \cdot T(x)$  if  $a_i(s)$ 's are meromorphic functions defined near  $s = \lambda$  such that the right hand side of (0.1) is holomorphic with respect to s at  $s = \lambda$ . We call a hyperfunction T(x) a  $\chi^{\lambda}$ -invariant hyperfunction if it satisfies  $T(g \cdot x) = \chi(g)^{\lambda} T(x)$  for all  $g \in G_R^+$ .

Our problem is the converse: is every  $\chi^{\lambda}$ -invariant hyperfunction T(x) expressed in the form (0.1)? The purpose of this paper is to give a new approach to this problem via microlocal analysis, and give an affirmative answer for an important class of prehomogeneous vector spaces — the case where P(x) is an irreducible relatively invariant polynomial of a regular prehomogeneous vector space of commutative parabolic type. Our class contains the cases of real symmetric matrix spaces, of Hermitian matrices over complex and quaternion fields and so on. (See the list (4.1)–(4.5).) As a by-product, it follows that the dimension of the space of  $\chi^{\lambda}$ -invariant hyperfunctions coincides with the number of the connected components of  $V - \{x \in V; P(x) = 0\}$  (Theorem 5.6, 1) and 2)). Though we shall only deal with the cases of regular prehomogeneous vector spaces of commutative parabolic type, our method is applicable to other examples provided that they satisfy suitable conditions which would be verified by examining microlocal structure of their holonomic system. See [Mr4].

The problem we treat in this paper seems to be dealt with at least implicitly by several authors, for example, Rais [Ra], Rubenthaler [Ru1], Stein [St], Weil [We], and so on. In Ricci and Stein [Ric-St], almost the same problem was dealt with in the case

where V is the space of  $n \times n$  complex Hermitian matrices and  $P(x) = \det(x)$ . They proved that the dimension of the space of relatively invariant hyperfunctions corresponding to  $\chi^s$  equals the number of open orbits. These are all known partial answers to our problem. The results in this paper are new except the cases (4.2) and (4.5).

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- 1. Formulation of the main problem. In this section we formulate our problem in an exact form and provide fundamental notions and notation used in this paper.
- 1.1. Preliminary conditions and some definitions. Let  $(G_c, \rho, V_c)$  be a prehomogeneous vector space of dimension n defined over a complex number field C: it means that there exists a Zariski-open orbit in  $V_c$ . We put  $S_c := V_c \rho(G_c) \cdot x_0$ , where  $\rho(G_c) \cdot x_0$  is the necessarily unique open orbit in  $V_c$ .

We impose the following three conditions (1.1), 1)-3). The first condition is:

(1.1), 1)  $S_c$  is an irreducible hypersurface in  $V_c$ .

Then  $S_c$  is written as  $S_c = \{x \in V_c; P(x) = 0\}$  with an irreducible polynomial P(x) on  $V_c$ . We call  $S_c$  the singular set and a  $G_c$ -orbit in  $S_c$  a singular orbit. Then the polynomial P(x) is a relatively invariant polynomial with respect to  $g \in G_c$ :  $P(\rho(g) \cdot x) = \chi(g) \cdot P(x)$  with a non-trivial character  $\chi(g)$  of  $G_c$ . We say that P(x) is a relatively invariant polynomial corresponding to the character  $\chi$ . From the condition (1.1), 1), any relatively invariant polynomial is written as  $P(x)^m$  with a non-negative integer m.

The second condition is:

(1.1), 2) The relatively invariant polynomial P(x) has a non-degenerate Hessian, i.e.,  $\det(\partial P/\partial x_i\partial x_j)$  does not vanish identically.

The condition (1.1), 2) guarantees the regularity of the prehomogeneous vector space  $(G_c, \rho, V_c)$ .

- Let  $(G_R^+, \rho, V)$  be a real form of  $(G_C, \rho, V_C)$ . Namely,  $G_R^+$  is the connected component containing the neutral element of a real form  $G_R$  of  $G_C$ ; V is a real form of  $V_C$  satisfying  $\rho(G_R^+) \subset GL(V)$ . We denote  $S := S_C \cap V$  and call it the real singular set. Let  $V_1 \cup V_2 \cup \cdots \cup V_l$  be the connected component decomposition of V S. Then each connected component  $V_i$  is a  $G_R^+$ -orbit. The final condition is:
  - (1.1), 3) The restriction of P(x) on V can be taken as a polynomial with real coefficients.

We now give some definitions.

(1.2) Definition (Relatively invariant hyperfunction). Let v(g) be a character of  $G_R^+$ . We call a hyperfunction (resp. microfunction) T(x) on V a relatively invariant

hyperfunction (resp. microfunction) corresponding to v, or simply, a v-invariant hyperfunction, (resp. microfunction) if it satisfies  $T(g \cdot x) = v(g)T(x)$  for all  $g \in G_R^+$ .

A hyperfunction (resp. microfunction) u(s, x) on  $C \times V$  is said to be a hyperfunction (resp. microfunction) with a holomorphic parameter  $s \in C$  if it satisfies the Cauchy-Riemann equation with respect to  $s \in C$ :  $(\partial/\partial \bar{s})u(s, x) = 0$ . If  $a(s) \cdot u(s, x)$  is a hyperfunction (resp. microfunction) with a holomorphic parameter  $s \in C$  for a holomorphic function a(s), u(s, x) is said to be a hyperfunction (resp. microfunction) with a meromorphic parameter  $s \in C$ .

- (1.3) DEFINITION (Linear combinations). Let  $u_1(s, x), \dots, u_l(s, x)$  be hyperfunctions with a meromorphic parameter  $s \in C$  and let  $a_1(s), \dots, a_l(s)$  be meromorphic functions near  $s = \lambda \in C$ . If  $w(s, x) := \sum_{i=1}^{l} a_i(s) \cdot u_i(s, x)$  is holomorphic at  $s = \lambda$ , then we call  $T(x) := w(s, x)|_{s = \lambda}$  a hyperfunction obtained as a *linear combination of*  $u_i(s, x)$   $(i = 1, \dots, l)$  at  $s = \lambda$ .
- 1.2. Main problem. The hyperfunction  $|P(x)|_i^s$  with a meromorphic parameter  $s \in C$ , which we shall mainly deal with in this paper, is defined in the following way. Let

(1.4) 
$$|P(x)|_i^s := \begin{cases} |P(x)|^s & \text{if } x \in V_i, \\ 0 & \text{if } x \notin V_i, \end{cases}$$

for  $s \in C$  satisfying Re(s)>0. Then  $|P(x)|_i^s$  is a continuous homogeneous function on V and can be viewed as a hyperfunction on V. Clearly,  $|P(x)|_i^s$  is a hyperfunction with a holomorphic parameter s if Re(s)>0. It can be continued to the whole  $s \in C$  as a hyperfunction with a meromorphic parameter  $s \in C$  by the aid of b-function (see for example [Sm-Sh, p. 139]). We also denote by  $|P(x)|_i^s$  the hyperfunction with a meromorphic parameter  $s \in C$  by the analytic continuation of (1.4) to every  $s \in C$ .

Then we have:

PROPOSITION 1.1. Let  $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$ . Any linear combination of  $|P(x)|_i^s$   $(i=1, \dots, l)$  at  $s=\lambda$  in the sense of (1.3) is a  $\chi^{\lambda}$ -invariant hyperfunction.

This proposition follows from the analytic continuation of the equation  $|P(g \cdot x)|_i^s = \chi(g)^s \cdot |P(x)|_i^s$  from the domain  $\{s \in C; \text{Re}(s) > 0\}$ . The main problem that we shall treat in this paper is the converse of Proposition 1.1.

MAIN PROBLEM. Let  $\lambda \in C$ . Is any  $\chi^{\lambda}$ -invariant hyperfunction obtained as a linear combination of  $|P(x)|_i^s$  at  $s = \lambda$  in the sense of (1.3)?

We shall solve this problem by translating it to a problem of estimating the dimension of the solution space of a linear differential equation. Let  $\mathcal{G}_c$  be the complex Lie algebra of the complex linear algebraic group  $G_c$ . Let  $d\rho$  and  $\delta\chi$  be the infinitesimal representations of  $\rho$  and  $\chi$ , respectively. Consider the following system of linear differential equations  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  with one unknown function u(x) on the complex vector space  $V_c$ :

(1.5) 
$$\mathfrak{M}_{s}; \left( \left\langle d\rho(A) \cdot x, \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \right\rangle - s\delta\chi(A) \right) u(x) = 0 \quad \text{for all} \quad A \in \mathscr{G}_{c}.$$

Here  $\langle , \rangle$  means the canonical bilinear form on  $V_c \times V_c^*$ , where  $V_c^*$  is the dual space of  $V_c$ .

Next we consider hyperfunction solutions on the real vector space V of the holonomic system  $\mathfrak{M}_s$ . We use the same notation x,  $\partial/\partial x$  on the real vector space V as on the complex vector space  $V_c$ . Let  $\mathscr{G}$  be the real Lie algebra of  $G_R^+$ . Then, since  $\mathscr{G}_c = \mathscr{G} + \sqrt{-1}\mathscr{G}$  as a real Lie algebra, we have:

$$\left\langle d\rho(A) \cdot x, \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \right\rangle - s\delta\chi(A)$$

$$= \left( \left\langle d\rho(A_1) \cdot x, \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \right\rangle - s\delta\chi(A_1) \right) + \sqrt{-1} \left( \left\langle d\rho(A_2) \cdot x, \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \right\rangle - s\delta\chi(A_2) \right),$$

where  $A = A_1 + \sqrt{-1} A_2 \in \mathcal{G}_C$  with  $A_1, A_2 \in \mathcal{G}$ . Then, if u(x) is a hyperfunction solution on V to  $\mathfrak{M}_s$ , then u(x) is a solution of the system:

$$\left(\left\langle d\rho(A)\cdot x, \frac{\partial}{\partial x}\right\rangle - s\delta\chi(A)\right)u(x) = 0 \quad \text{for all} \quad A \in \mathcal{G}$$

on the real vector space V. Hence if u(x) is  $\chi^{\lambda}$ -invariant, then u(x) is a solution to  $\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda}$  and vice versa. The vector space  $\mathscr{Gol}(\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda})$  of hyperfunction solutions to  $\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda}$  coincides with the vector space of  $\chi^{\lambda}$ -invariant hyperfunctions.

PROPOSITION 1.2. For any fixed  $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$ , the dimension of the space of linear combinations of  $|P(x)|_i^{\lambda}$  in the sense of (1.3) at  $s = \lambda$  is the number l of the connected components of V - S. Consequently,  $\dim(\operatorname{Sol}(\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda})) \geq l$ .

The proof of this propostion is not difficult. See for example Oshima-Sekiguchi [Os-Se], Proposition 2.2.

Our problem is reduced to showing that  $\dim(\mathcal{G}_{\ell}(\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda})) \leq l$ . By Proposition 1.1 any  $\chi^{\lambda}$ -invariant hyperfunction is written as a linear combination of  $|P(x)|_{i}^{s}$  at  $s = \lambda$ , since the dimension of such linear combinations is  $\geq l$ . The rest of this paper is thus devoted to the proof of  $\dim(\mathcal{G}_{\ell}(\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda})) \leq l$  for prehomogeneous vector spaces of commutative parabolic type.

- 2. Regular prehomogeneous vector spaces of commutative parabolic type. In this section we define prehomogeneous vector spaces of commutative parabolic type and give the complex holonomy diagrams of the holonomic systems  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  defined by (1.5). All the results in this section were obtained in [Ki].
- 2.1. Prehomogeneous vector spaces of parabolic type. The notion of prehomogeneous vector spaces of parabolic type was introduced by Rubenthaler [Ru2].

For a semi-simple complex Lie algebra  $\mathcal{G}$ , he extracted a Z-graded structure,

$$\mathcal{G} = \bigoplus_{i \in \mathbf{Z}} \mathcal{G}_i$$

satisfying  $[\mathcal{G}_i, \mathcal{G}_j] \subset \mathcal{G}_{i+j}$ . The Lie algebra  $\mathcal{G}_0$  acts on  $\mathcal{G}_j$  by the adjoint action. Denoting by  $G_0$  the exponential group of  $\mathcal{G}_0$ , we naturally have a representation of  $G_0$  on  $\mathcal{G}_j$ . He gave a general method to get a Z-gradation in the form (2.1) by using the root system of the semi-simple Lie algebra  $\mathcal{G}$ . Then  $(G_0, \mathcal{G}_j)$  forms a prehomogeneous vector space by Vinberg [Vi]. In [Ru2] such a pair  $(G_0, \mathcal{G}_j)$  is called a prehomogeneous vector space of parabolic type. [Ru2] first studied systematically Z-gradations of semi-simple Lie algebras and classified regular prehomogeneous vector spaces of parabolic type.

Particularly, consider the case that  $\mathcal{G}$  has a Z-gradation,

$$\mathscr{G} = \mathscr{G}_{-1} \oplus \mathscr{G}_0 \oplus \mathscr{G}_1,$$

that is to say,  $\mathscr{G}_j = \{0\}$  for  $|j| \ge 2$ . Then, elements of  $\mathscr{G}_1$  commute with each other. We call  $(G_0, \mathscr{G}_1)$  a prehomogeneous vector space of *commutative parabolic type*, which we are interested in. Any irreducible prehomogeneous vector space of commutative parabolic type is obtained by a  $\mathbb{Z}$ -gradation in the form (2.2) of a simple Lie algebra  $\mathscr{G}$ . There are several kinds of irreducible prehomogeneous vector spaces of commutative parabolic type, but they have common distinguished properties. We can deal with them in a unified way.

Muller-Rubenthaler-Schiffmann [Mu-Ru-Sc] gave the complete list of irreducible prehomogeneous vector spaces of commutative parabolic type. It consists of seven kinds of prehomogeneous vector spaces. See Table I in [Mu-Ru-Sc]. Among them, type  $A_n$   $(n \neq 2k+1)$  and type  $E_6$  are non-regular prehomogeneous vector spaces. Type  $B_n$  and type  $D_{n,1}$  are representations of a general orthogonal group of odd and even degree, respectively. We may look upon them as prehomogeneous vector spaces of the same kind. Here is the list of irreducible regular prehomogeneous vector spaces of commutative parabolic type:

(2.3)

- 1) Type  $C_m$   $(m=1, 2, \cdots)$ . ([Mu-Ru-Sc, Table I,  $C_m$ ], and [Ki, §2, 2-2]).  $G_C = GL_m(C)$ ,  $V_C = \operatorname{Sym}_m(C)$ . For  $(g, x) \in G_C \times V_C$ ,  $\rho(g) : x \mapsto g \cdot x \cdot {}^t g$ . An irreducible relatively invariant polynomial  $P(x) = \det(x)$ . The corresponding character of P(x) is  $\chi(g) = \det(g)^2$ .  $G_C^1 = SL_m(C)$ . The dimension of  $V_C$  is n = m(m+1)/2. Here,  $\operatorname{Sym}_m(C)$  means the space of  $m \times m$  complex symmetric matrices and  $\det(x)$  is the determinant of x.
- 2) Type  $A_k$   $(k=2m+1, m=1, 2, \cdots)$ . ([Mu-Ru-Sc, Table I,  $A_k$  (k=2m+1, p=m+1)] and [Ki, §2, 2-1]).  $G_C = GL_m(C) \times SL_m(C)$ ,  $V_C = M_m(C)$ . For  $((g_1, g_2), x) \in G_C \times V_C$ ,  $\rho(g): x \mapsto g_1 \cdot x \cdot {}^tg_2$ . An irreducible relatively invariant polynomial is  $P(x) = \det(x)$ . The corresponding character of P(x) is  $\chi(g) = \det(g_1)\det(g_2)$ .  $G_C^1 = \det(g_1)\det(g_2)$ .

- $SL_m(C) \times SL_m(C)$ . The dimension of  $V_C$  is  $n = m^2$ .
- 3) Type  $D_{2m,2}$   $(m=1, 2, \cdots)$ . ([Mu-Ru-Sc, Table I,  $D_{2m,2}$  and [Ki, § 2, 2-3]).  $G_C = GL_{2m}(C)$ ,  $V_C = \text{Alt}_{2m}(C)$ . For  $(g, x) \in G_C \times V_C$ ,  $\rho(g) : x \mapsto g \cdot x \cdot {}^tg$ . An irreducible relatively invariant polynomial is P(x) = Pff(x). The corresponding character of P(x) is  $\chi(g) = \det(g)$ .  $G_C^1 = SL_{2m}(C)$ . The dimension of  $V_C$  is n = m(2m-1). Here,  $\text{Alt}_{2m}(C)$  means the space of  $2m \times 2m$  alternating matrices and Pff(x) is the Pfaffian of  $x \in \text{Alt}_{2m}(C)$ .
- 4) Type  $E_7$ . ([Mu-Ru-Sc, Table I,  $E_7$ ] and [Ki, §6]).  $G_C = GL_1(C) \times E_{6C}$ ,  $V_C = \operatorname{Her}_3(\mathfrak{C}_C)$ . For  $((g_1, g_2), x) \in G_C \times V_C$ ,  $\rho(g) : x \mapsto g_1(g_2 \cdot x)$ . An irreducible relatively invariant polynomial is  $P(x) = \det(x)$ . The corresponding character of P(x) is  $\chi(g) = g_1^3$ .  $G_C^1 = E_{6C}$ . The dimension of  $V_C$  is n = 27. Here,  $E_{6C}$  is the complex exceptional Lie group of type  $E_6$  and  $\mathfrak{C}_C$  is the complex Cayley algebra.  $\operatorname{Her}_3(\mathfrak{C}_C)$  stands for the space of  $3 \times 3$  Hermitian matrices over  $\mathfrak{C}_C$ . The group  $E_{6C}$  acts on  $\operatorname{Her}_3(\mathfrak{C}_C)$  as the lowest dimensional irreducible representation of  $E_{6C}$  and is defined as the connected subgroup of  $GL(\operatorname{Her}_3(\mathfrak{C}_C))$  consisting of the elements which leave P(x) invariant. We denote by  $g \cdot x$  the action of  $g \in E_{6C}$  on  $x \in V_C$ .
- 5) Type  $B_k$  (m=2k+1) and  $D_{k+1,1}$  (m=2k) with  $k=1,2,\cdots$ . ([Mu-Ru-Sc, Table I,  $B_k$  and  $D_{k+1,1}$ ] and [Sm-Ka-Ki-Os, Example 9.2]).  $G_c = GL_1(C) \times SO_m(C)$ ,  $V_c = C^m$ . For  $((g_1, g_2), x) \in G_c \times V_c$ ,  $\rho(g): x \mapsto g_1(g_2x)$ . An irreducible relatively invariant polynomial is  $P(x) = {}^t x \cdot x$ . The corresponding character of P(x) is  $\chi(g) = g_1^2$ .  $G_c^1 = SO_m(C)$ . The dimension of  $V_c$  is n=m.

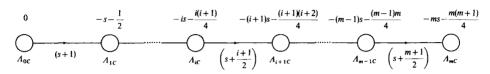
Although [Mu-Ru-Sh] investigated their structure from a unified view point, we rather follow [Ki] and [Sm-Ka-Ki-Os] which studied them on a case-by-case basis, since we need individual information found in the latter. It is easily checked that they satisfy the conditions (1.1), 1) and 2).

- 2.2. Holonomic systems  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  for prehomogeneous vector spaces of commutative parabolic type. The prehomogeneous vector space (2.3), 1) (resp. (2.3), 2), (2.3), 3), (2.3), 4), (2.3), 5)) were treated in [Ki, §2, 2-2] (resp. [Ki, §2, 2-1], [Ki, §2, 2-3], [Ki, §6], [Sm-Ka-Ki-Os, Example 9.2 for m=1]) and its complex holonomy diagram and its b-function were computed there. We shall quote from them required results in a slightly different form in Propositions 2.1 and 2.2. Since the proofs can be found in [Ki] or [Sm-Ka-Ki-Os], or can be easily checked after direct computations, we omit the proof.
- PROPOSITION 2.1. (i) The prehomogeneous vector spaces  $(G_C, \rho, V_C)$  in (2.3), 1), 2), 3) and 4) have the  $G_C$ -orbit decompositions  $\bigcup_{i=0}^m S_{iC} = V_C$  with  $S_{iC} = \{x \in V_C; \text{rank}(x) = m i\}$ . In particular,  $S_{0C} = V_C S_C$  with  $S_C = \{x \in V_C; P(x) = 0\}$  and  $S_C = \bigcup_{i=1}^m S_{iC}$ . Here we let m = 3 in the case of (2.3), 4).
- (ii) The prehomogeneous vector space  $(G_c, \rho, V_c)$  in (2.3), 5) has the orbit decomposition  $\bigcup_{i=0}^2 S_{ic} = V_c$ , with  $S_{0c} = \{x \in V_c; P(x) \neq 0\}$ ,  $S_{1c} = \{x \in V_c; P(x) = 0\} \{0\}$ ,

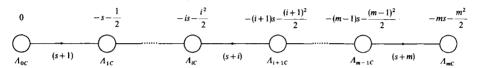
and  $S_{2c} = \{0\}.$ 

PROPOSITION 2.2. Let  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  ( $s \in \mathbb{C}$ ) be the holonomic system defined by (1.5) for one of the prehomogeneous vector spaces (2.3), 1)–5). Then:

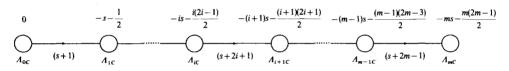
(1) Type  $C_m$   $(m=1, 2, \cdots)$ 



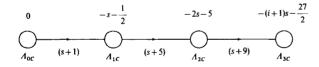
(2) Type  $A_k$   $(k=2m+1, m=1, 2, \cdots)$ 



(3) Type  $D_{2m,2}$   $(m=1, 2, \cdots)$ 



(4) Type  $E_7$ 



(5) Type  $B_k$   $(m=2k+1, k=1, 2, \cdots)$  Type  $D_{k+1,k}$   $(m=2(k+1), k=1, 2, \cdots)$ 

$$0 \qquad -s - \frac{1}{2} \qquad -2s - \frac{m}{2}$$

$$0 \qquad (s+1) \qquad A_{1c} \qquad \left(s + \frac{m}{2}\right) \qquad A_{2c}$$

FIGURE 1.

(i) The characteristic variety  $ch(\mathfrak{M}_s)$  is given by

(2.4) 
$$\operatorname{ch}(\mathfrak{M}_s) = \bigcup_{i=0}^m \Lambda_{iC},$$

with

$$\Lambda_{ic} = \overline{T_{s_ic}^* V_c} .$$

where, we let m=3 for the case 4) and m=2 for the case 5). Each  $\Lambda_{iC}$  is a Lagrangian irreducible component of  $ch(\mathfrak{M}_s)$ , hence (2.4) gives the irreducible component decomposition of  $ch(\mathfrak{M}_s)$ .

(ii) Their holonomy diagrams are as in Figure 1. Type  $C_m$   $(m=1, 2, \cdots)$  is Figure 1, (1); Type  $A_k$   $(k=2m+1, m=1, 2, \cdots)$  is Figure 1, (2); Type  $D_{2m,2}$   $(m=1, 2, \cdots)$  is Figure 1, (3); Type  $E_7$  is Figure 1, (4); Type  $B_k$  (m=2k+1) and Type  $D_{k+1,1}$  (m=2(k+1)) with  $k=1, 2, \cdots$  are Figure 1, (5).

PROOF. (i) is a direct consequence of the argument in [Sm-Ka-Ki-Os] and Proposition 2.1.

(ii) See [Ki, § 2, 2-2], [Ki § 2, 2-1], [Ki, § 2, 2-3], [Ki, § 6] and [Sm-Ka-Ki-Os, Example 9.2 (m=1)], respectively. We add arrows for convenience, although the original holonomy diagrams in [Ki] or [Sm-Ka-Ki-Os] do not contain them. The orders and the "factors of b-functions" are computed from the definition of [Sm-Ka-Ki-Os]. q.e.d.

[Sm-Ka-Ki-Os] and [Ki] computed the *b*-functions of the complex powers of the relatively invariant polynomials of some regular irreducible prehomogeneous vector spaces by utilizing this holonomy diagrams. A *b*-function is, by definition, a polynomial b(s) satisfying  $Q(\partial/\partial x) \cdot P(x)^{s+1} = b(s) \cdot P(x)^s$  where P(x) and Q(y) are irreducible relatively invariant polynomials on  $V_c$  and the dual space  $V_c^*$ , respectively. The *b*-function is a polynomial in *s*, and is determined uniquely up to constant multiple. One of the main theorems of [Sm-Ka-Ki-Os] is that *b*-functions of prehomogeneous vector spaces are obtained as the products of all "factors of *b*-functions". We give the *b*-functions of the prehomogeneous vector spaces in (2.3) for later reference. See [Ki] and [Sm-Ka-Ki-Os].

PROPOSITION 2.3. The b-functions of regular prehomogeneous vector spaces (2.3), 1)-5) are given by:

(2.5) 
$$b(s) = \prod_{i=1}^{m} \left( s + \frac{i+1}{2} \right).$$

2) 
$$b(s) = \prod_{i=1}^{m} (s+i)$$
.

3) 
$$b(s) = \prod_{i=1}^{m} (s + (2i - 1))$$
.

4) 
$$b(s) = \prod_{i=1}^{3} (s + (4i - 3)) = (s + 1)(s + 5)(s + 9)$$
.

5) 
$$b(s) = (s+1)\left(s+\frac{m}{2}\right)$$
.

- 3. Holonomic systems on the real locus and its solutions. In this section we study real micro-local structure of  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  near a normal intersection of two Lagrangian subvarieties of codimension one. There is a simple relation between microfunction solutions on the two Lagrangian subvarieties (Proposition 3.3). It will help the determination of hyperfunction solutions of  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  in § 5.
- 3.1. Solutions with a holomorphic parameter s. Let u(s, x) be a hyperfunction or microfunction solution to  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  with a holomorphic parameter  $s \in C$ . Then u(s, x) can be restricted to the subset  $\{(s, x) \in C \times V; s = \lambda, x \in V\}$  and the restriction  $u(s, x)|_{s=\lambda}$  is a solution to  $\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda}$ . If u(s, x) is a solution with a meromorphic parameter  $s \in C$  and if u(s, x) has a pole at  $s = \lambda$  of order m, then  $(s \lambda)^m u(s, x)|_{s=\lambda}$  is well-defined and is a solution to  $\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda}$ . Namely, the lowest order coefficient of the Laurent expansion of u(s, x) at  $s = \lambda$  is a solution to  $\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda}$ . For example,  $|P(x)|_i^s$  is a hyperfunction with a meromorphic parameter  $s \in C$ .

We now consider the support or the singular spectrum of the solutions.

PROPOSITION 3.1. Let  $\lambda$  be a fixed point in C. Let f(x) be a hyperfunction (resp. microfunction) solution to the holonomic system  $\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda}$  on V (resp. on  $T^*V$ ). Then we have:

$$\widehat{S.S.}(f(x)) \subset \operatorname{ch}(\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda}) \cap T^*V, (resp. \operatorname{supp}(f(x)) \subset \operatorname{ch}(\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda}) \cap T^*V),$$

where  $\widehat{S.S.}$  stands for the singular spectrum on  $T^*V$ . In particular, if f(s, x) is a hyperfunction (resp. microfunction) solution with a holomorphic parameter  $s \in C$ , then the hyperfunction (resp. microfunction)  $f(x) := f(\lambda, x)$  for each  $\lambda \in C$  satisfies (3.1).

This porposition is well known. We omit the proof. See [Ka2], [Ka3] or [Ka4].

The real locus  $ch(\mathfrak{M}_s) \cap T^*V$  is denoted by  $ch(\mathfrak{M}_s)_R$  and is called the *real characteristic variety*. The characteristic variety  $ch(\mathfrak{M}_s)$  has the irreducible component decomposition:  $ch(\mathfrak{M}_s) = \bigcup_{i=1}^m \Lambda_{iC}$ . We denote by  $\Lambda_{iR}$  the real locus  $\Lambda_{iC} \cap T^*V$ . Then  $\Lambda_{iR}$  may not be of real dimension n while  $\Lambda_{iC}$  is always of complex dimension n. In other words, it may not be a *real* conic Lagrangian subvariety in  $T^*V$ , i.e., a subvariety of dimension n in  $T^*V$  on which the real canonical 2-form  $\sum_{i=1}^n dx_i \wedge d\xi_i$  vanishes. So we have to assume the following condition:

(3.2) Each 
$$\Lambda_{iR}$$
 is a real Lagrangian subvariety in  $T^*V$ .

Then each  $\Lambda_{iR}$  is a real form of  $\Lambda_{iC}$ .

Recall that the set of generic points of  $\Lambda_{ic}$  in ch( $\mathfrak{M}_s$ ) is denoted by  $\Lambda_{ic}^o := \{ p \in \Lambda_{ic}; (1) \}$ 

 $\Lambda_{ic}$  is non-singular near p, (2) p is not contained in any other irreducible components  $\Lambda_{ic}$  ( $j \neq i$ ). Since  $\Lambda_{ic}^o$  is a non-singular open dense subvariety in  $\Lambda_{ic}$ , its real locus  $\Lambda_{ic}^o := \Lambda_{ic}^o \cap T^*V$  is a non-singular open dense subvariety in  $\Lambda_{iR}$ . The subvariety  $\Lambda_{iR}^o$  decomposes into a finite number of connected components. Let  $\Lambda_{iR}^o = \coprod_{j=1}^{k_i} \Lambda_i^j$  be the connected component decomposition. Let U be an open set in  $T^*V$  such that  $U \cap \operatorname{ch}(\mathfrak{M}_s)_R = U \cap \Lambda_i^j$  with a connected component  $\Lambda_i^j$  of  $\Lambda_{iR}^o$ . Then the support of a microfunction solution on U is contained in  $\Lambda_i^j \cap U$ . We call it a microfunction solution on  $\Lambda_i^j$  by abuse of language. We have the following theorem on a microfunction solution on  $\Lambda_i^j$ :

PROPOSITION 3.2. For each fixed  $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$  and for any point  $p \in \Lambda^1_i$ , there is a one-dimensional microfunction solution space to  $\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda}$  near p. In particular, if there exists a non-trivial global microfunction solution on  $\Lambda^1_i$ , then it is uniquely determined up to constant multiple, and non-vanishing on  $\Lambda^1_i$ .

PROOF. By definition,  $\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda}$  is a simple holonomic system on  $\Lambda_{i}^{j}$ . Therefore its microfunction solution space on  $\Lambda_{i}^{j}$  is one-dimensional. For a detailed proof, see for example the proof of Theorem 4.2.5 in [Sm-Kw-Ka].

3.2. Real holonomy diagrams. The aim of this subsection is to introduce the real holonomy diagrams of the holonomic system  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  on V. We have given the complex holonomy diagram of a holonomic system  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  in order to see the geometric configuration of intersections of codimension one among the Lagrangian irreducible components of  $\mathrm{ch}(\mathfrak{M}_s)$ . We would like to do the same for the real locus  $\mathrm{ch}(\mathfrak{M}_s)_R$ . Since, it is too complicated to describe all the intersections of all the real Lagrangian subvarieties in  $\mathrm{ch}(\mathfrak{M}_s)_R$ , however, we confine ourselves to writing down intersections between two irreducible components in  $\mathrm{ch}(\mathfrak{M}_s)_R$ . Let  $\Lambda_{ac}$  and  $\Lambda_{bc}$  have a regular intersection of dimension n-1. The intersection is necessarily transversal. Let  $\Sigma_c$  be an irreducible component of  $\Lambda_{ac} \cap \Lambda_{bc}$ . Then we have the complex holonomy subdiagram Figure 2, (1). In Figure 2, (1),  $(p(s)+1)=q_a(s)-q_b(s)+(1/2)$ . Here  $q_a(s)$  and  $q_b(s)$  are the orders of  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  on  $\Lambda_{ac}$  and  $\Lambda_{bc}$ , respectively, and (p(s)+1) is the factor of b-function from  $\Lambda_{ac}$  to  $\Lambda_{bc}$ . See [Sm-Ka-Ki-Os].

Recall that we denote by  $\Lambda_{aR}^o$  and  $\Lambda_{bR}^o$  the sets of generic points of  $\Lambda_{aR}$  and  $\Lambda_{bR}$  in  $\mathrm{ch}(\mathfrak{M}_s)_R$ , respectively. Let  $\coprod_p \Lambda_a^p = \Lambda_{aR}^o$  and  $\coprod_q \Lambda_b^q = \Lambda_{bR}^o$  be the connected component decompositions of  $\Lambda_{aR}^o$  and  $\Lambda_{bR}^o$ , respectively. We denote by  $(\Sigma_c)_{\mathrm{reg}}$  the set of non-singular points of  $\Sigma_c$ . Then  $(\Sigma_c)_{\mathrm{reg}}$  is an (n-1)-dimensional non-singular complex algebraic subvariety and its real locus  $(\Sigma_R)_{\mathrm{reg}} := (\Sigma_c)_{\mathrm{reg}} \cap T^*V$  is an (n-1)-dimensional real algebraic subvariety by the condition (3.2). Let  $\coprod_s \Sigma^s = (\Sigma_R)_{\mathrm{reg}}$  be the connected component decomposition of  $(\Sigma_R)_{\mathrm{reg}}$ .

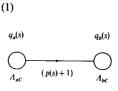
Take a connected component  $\Sigma^{\varepsilon}$  and let  $p \in \Sigma^{\varepsilon}$ . Then we have  $T_p \Lambda_{aR} \cap T_p \Lambda_{bR} = T_p \Sigma^{\varepsilon}$ , that is to say,  $\Lambda_{aR}$  and  $\Lambda_{bR}$  have the (n-1)-dimensional regular intersection  $\Sigma^{\varepsilon}$  in a neighborhood of p, which is transversal. Since  $\Lambda_{aR}$  and  $\Lambda_{bR}$  are n-dimensional,  $\Sigma^{\varepsilon}$  divides

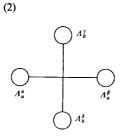
 $\Lambda_{aR}$  and  $\Lambda_{bR}$  into two connected parts near p, i.e.,  $\Lambda_{aR} - \Sigma^{\epsilon}$  and  $\Lambda_{bR} - \Sigma^{\epsilon}$  have two connected components in a sufficiently small neighborhood of p. On the other hand, we have  $\Lambda_{aR} - \Sigma^{\epsilon} = \Lambda_{aR}^{o}$  and  $\Lambda_{bR} - \Sigma^{\epsilon} = \Lambda_{bR}^{o}$ . Hence there exist two connected components,  $\Lambda_{a}^{\alpha}$  and  $\Lambda_{a}^{\beta}$  in  $\Lambda_{aR}^{o}$ , and,  $\Lambda_{b}^{\gamma}$  and  $\Lambda_{bR}^{\delta}$ , which are the connected components near p. Namely,

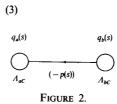
(3.4) 
$$\Lambda_{aR} - \Sigma^{\varepsilon} = \Lambda_{a}^{\alpha} \coprod \Lambda_{a}^{\beta}, \text{ and } \Lambda_{bR} - \Sigma^{\varepsilon} = \Lambda_{b}^{\gamma} \coprod \Lambda_{b}^{\delta}$$

in a neighborhood of p. The indices  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma$  and  $\delta$  do not depend on the choice of the point  $p \in \Sigma^e$ . In order to describe such a geometric situation in  $\mathrm{ch}(\mathfrak{M}_s)_R$ , we express each connected component of  $\Lambda_{aR}^o$  and  $\Lambda_{bR}^o$  by a circle and write the situation (3.4) by Figure 2, (2). In the diagram Figure 2, (2), each circle stands for a connected component in  $\Lambda_{aR}^o$  or  $\Lambda_{bR}^o$  and the cross means an (n-1)-dimensional intersection in  $(\Sigma_R)_{reg}$ . Thus by representing each connected component by a circle and each connected component of  $(\Sigma_R)_{reg}$  by a cross, and by connecting circles, we obtain a diagram consisting of circles and crosses like Figure 2, (2).

# (3.5) Definition (Real holonomy diagram). We call the diagram thus obtained







a real holonomy diagram of the intersection of  $\Lambda_{aR}$  and  $\Lambda_{bR}$  at  $\Sigma_{R}$ , or of the complex holonomy diagram Figure 2, (1).

- In §4.2 we draw real holonomy diagrams of  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  for several real forms, which were partly obtained in [Mr1].
- 3.3. Relations of microfunction solutions. Now we prove that there exist some linear relations among the microfunction solutions on  $\Lambda_a^{\alpha}$ ,  $\Lambda_a^{\beta}$  and  $\Lambda_b^{\gamma}$ ,  $\Lambda_b^{\delta}$ .
- (3.6) Definition (Critical points of  $\mathfrak{M}_s$ ). Suppose that  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  has a holonomy subdiagram Figure 2, (1). We say that  $\lambda \in C$  is a critical point of  $\mathfrak{M}_s$ , or  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  is critical at  $s = \lambda$ , from  $\Lambda_{aC}$  to  $\Lambda_{bC}$ , if  $p(\lambda)$  is a negative integer. Otherwise, we say that  $\lambda$  is non-critical from  $\Lambda_{aC}$  to  $\Lambda_{bC}$ .
- REMARK. When we look upon the above holonomy diagram Figure 2, (1) as the one with the inverse arrow Figure 2, (3), the critical points of  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  are  $\lambda \in C$  satisfying  $-p(\lambda) \in \{0, -1, -2, \cdots\}$ . Namely the set of critical points from  $\Lambda_{aC}$  to  $\Lambda_{bC}$  and those form  $\Lambda_{bC}$  to  $\Lambda_{aC}$  are disjoint and their union is  $\{s \in C; p(s) \in Z\}$ .
- PROPOSITION 3.3. Let  $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$ . Let  $\Lambda_{aC}$  and  $\Lambda_{bC}$  be two irreducible Lagrangian subvarieties in  $ch(\mathfrak{M}_s)$  having the complex holonomy diagram Figure 2, (1). Let  $\Lambda_a^{\alpha}$ ,  $\Lambda_a^{\beta}$  and  $\Lambda_b^{\gamma}$ ,  $\Lambda_b^{\delta}$  be two pairs of connected components of  $\Lambda_{aR}^{\circ}$  and  $\Lambda_{bR}^{\circ}$ , respectively, having the real holonomy diagram Figure 2, (2).
- (1) For each  $s \in C$ , the space of microfunction solutions to  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  near p is two-dimensional.
- (2) If  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  is not critical at  $s=\lambda$  from  $\Lambda_{ac}$  to  $\Lambda_{bc}$ , i.e.,  $p(\lambda)\neq -1, -2, -3, \cdots$ , then the microfunction solutions to  $\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda}$  on  $\Lambda^{\gamma}_b$  and  $\Lambda^{\delta}_b$  are determined by the microfunction solutions on  $\Lambda^{\alpha}_a$  and  $\Lambda^{\beta}_a$ . If  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  is not critical at  $s=\lambda$  from  $\Lambda_{bc}$  to  $\Lambda_{ac}$ , i.e.,  $p(\lambda)\neq 0, 1, 2, \cdots$ , then the microfunction solutions to  $\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda}$  on  $\Lambda^{\alpha}_a$  and  $\Lambda^{\beta}_a$  are determined by the microfunction solutions on  $\Lambda^{\gamma}_b$  and  $\Lambda^{\delta}_b$ .
- (3) Suppose that  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  is critical at  $s=\lambda$  from  $\Lambda_{aC}$  to  $\Lambda_{bC}$ , i.e.,  $p(\lambda)=-1, -2, -3, \cdots$ . Let v(x) be a microfunction solution to  $\mathfrak{M}_s$ . The  $v(x)|_{\Lambda^\alpha_a}$  is determined by  $v(x)|_{\Lambda^\beta_a}$  and vice versa. If the support of v(x) is contained in  $\Lambda_{bR}$ , then  $v(x)|_{\Lambda^\beta_b}$  is determined by  $v(x)|_{\Lambda^\beta_b}$  and vice versa.

PROOF. The holonomic system  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  is transformed to the following holonomic system  $\mathfrak{Q}_{r(s),\,p(s)}$  through a real quantized contact transformation.

(3.7) 
$$\Omega_{r(s),p(s)} \begin{cases} \left(x_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x_1} - r(s)\right) u(x) = 0, \\ \left(x_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x_2} - p(s)\right) u(x) = 0, \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x_3} u(x) = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_4} u(x) = \cdots \frac{\partial}{\partial x_n} u(x) = 0,$$

with

$$\Lambda_{aR} = \{(x, y) \in T^*V; x_1 = y_2 = y_3 = \dots = y_n = 0\},$$

$$\Lambda_{bR} = \{(x, y) \in T^*V; x_1 = x_2 = y_3 = \dots = y_n = 0\},$$

$$p = (0, +dx_1),$$

$$\Sigma^{\ell} = \{(x, y) \in T^*V; x_1 = x_2 = y_2 = y_3 = \dots = y_n = 0\}.$$

Here,  $(x_1, \dots, x_n, y_1, \dots, y_n)$  means real coordinates of  $T^*V$ . This fact is proved as a special case of Theorem 6.3 in [Sm-Ka-Ki-Os]. Though the proof given in [Sm-Ka-Ki-Os] is the one for holonomic systems in the complex domain, it works well in the real domain by real analytic contact transformation instead of holomorphic contact transformation. Namely, that the real version of Theorem 6.3 in [Sm-Ka-Ki-Os] is easily justified.

Therefore the problem is reduced to showing Proposition 3.3 for the holonomic system  $\Omega_{r(s),p(s)}$  defined in (3.7). Namely what we have to show is the following; let u(x) be a microfunction solution to  $\Omega_{r(\lambda),p(\lambda)}$  defined near the point  $p=(0,+dx_1)\in T^*V$ ; if u(x) is zero on  $\Lambda_{aR}^o:=\{(x,y)\in T^*V; x_1=y_2=\cdots=y_n=0, x_2\neq 0\}$ , then u(x) is zero near p. We need the following obvious Lemma 3.3.1.

LEMMA 3.3.1. Let  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  be two real analytic manifolds. Let

$$\mathfrak{M}_1: P_i\left(x_1, \frac{\partial}{\partial x_1}\right) u(x_1) = 0 \qquad (i = 1, \dots, k_1)$$
  
$$\mathfrak{M}_2: Q_i\left(x_2, \frac{\partial}{\partial x_2}\right) v(x_2) = 0 \qquad (i = 1, \dots, k_2)$$

be holonomic systems on  $X_1$  and  $X_2$ , respectively. We denote by  $Sol(\mathfrak{M}_1)$ ,  $Sol(\mathfrak{M}_2)$  the spaces of hyperfunction or microfunction solutions. Consider the holonomic system on  $X_1 \times X_2$ :

$$\mathfrak{M}_{1} \hat{\otimes} \mathfrak{M}_{2} : P_{i} \left( x_{1}, \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{1}} \right) u(x_{1}, x_{2}) = 0 ,$$

$$Q_{j} \left( x_{2}, \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{2}} \right) u(x_{1}, x_{2}) = 0 , \quad (i = 1, \dots, k_{1}, j = 1, \dots, k_{2}) .$$

Then the solution space  $\operatorname{Sol}(\mathfrak{M}_1 \hat{\otimes} \mathfrak{M}_2)$  is given by  $\operatorname{Sol}(\mathfrak{M}_1) \otimes \operatorname{Sol}(\mathfrak{M}_2)$ .

We set  $p(\lambda) := v$  and  $r(\lambda) := \mu$ . By Lemma 3.3.1, the holonomic system  $\mathfrak{L}_{\mu,\nu}$  is given by  $\mathfrak{L}_{\mu,\nu} = \mathfrak{M}_1 \hat{\otimes} \mathfrak{M}_2 \hat{\otimes} \mathfrak{M}_3$  with

$$\begin{split} \mathfrak{M}_1 : \left(x_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x_1} - \mu\right) u(x_1) &= 0 \qquad \text{near} \quad (0, +dx_1) \in T^* \mathbf{R} \;, \\ \mathfrak{M}_2 : \left(x_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x_2} - \nu\right) v(x_2) &= 0 \qquad \text{near} \quad (0, 0) \in T^* \mathbf{R} \;, \\ \mathfrak{M}_3 : \frac{\partial}{\partial x_2} w(x_3, \dots, x_n) &= \dots = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_n} w(x_3, \dots, x_n) = 0 \qquad \text{near} \quad (0, 0) \in T^* \mathbf{R}^{n-2} \;. \end{split}$$

We now examine the space of microfunction solutions to  $\mathfrak{Q}_{\mu,\nu}$  near p. We have

(3.8) 
$$\mathscr{Gol}(\mathfrak{M}_1) = a \cdot (x_1 + i0)^{\mu} \cdot \Gamma(-\mu)$$
, with  $a \in \mathbb{C}$ .  
 $\mathscr{Gol}(\mathfrak{M}_2) = a \cdot |x_2|_+^{\nu} + b \cdot |x_2|_-^{\nu}$ , with  $a, b \in \mathbb{C}$  when  $v \neq -1, -2, -3, \cdots$ .  
 $= a \cdot (x_2 + i0)^{\nu} + b \cdot (x_2 - i0)^{\nu}$  with  $a, b \in \mathbb{C}$  when  $v \neq 0, 1, 2, \cdots$ .  
 $\mathscr{Gol}(\mathfrak{M}_3) = a$ , with a constant function  $a \in \mathbb{C}$ .

The microfunction  $(x_1+i0)^{\mu} \cdot \Gamma(-\mu)$  defined near  $(0, dx_1) \in T^*V$  is the boundary value of the holomorphic function  $\Gamma(-\mu) \cdot z_1^{\mu}$  from the upper half plane  $\{z_1 = x_1 + \sqrt{-1}y_1; x_1, y_1 \in R, y_1 > 0\}$ . Here we take a suitable branch of the holomorphic function  $z_1^{\mu}$  on it. Regarded as a microfunction defined near  $(0, dx_1) \in T^*V$ , it is well defined for all  $\mu \in C$ . The microfunction  $|x_2|_{+}^{\nu}$  (resp.  $|x_2|_{-}^{\nu}$ ) is a hyperfunction on R defined by

$$|x_{2}|_{+}^{\nu} := \begin{cases} |x_{2}|^{\nu} & \text{on } x_{2} > 0 \\ 0 & \text{on } x_{2} < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\left(\text{resp. } |x_{2}|_{-}^{\nu} := \begin{cases} |x_{2}|^{\nu} & \text{on } x_{2} < 0 \\ 0 & \text{on } x_{2} > 0 \end{cases}\right)$$

which is a hyperfunction with a holomorphic parameter  $v \in C$  obtained by the analytic continuation from  $Re(v) \gg 0$  and is well-defined for  $v \neq -1, -2, \cdots$ .

We set

$$\begin{cases} u_{+}(x) = (x_{1} + i0)^{\mu} \cdot \Gamma(-\mu) \cdot |x_{2}|_{+}^{\nu}, \\ u_{-}(x) = (x_{1} + i0)^{\mu} \cdot \Gamma(-\mu) \cdot |x_{2}|_{-}^{\nu}, \end{cases}$$
 for  $v \neq -1, -2, \cdots$ .  

$$\begin{cases} u^{+}(x) = (x_{1} + i0)^{\mu} \cdot \Gamma(-\mu) \cdot (x_{2} + i0)^{\nu}, \\ u^{-}(x) = (x_{1} + i0)^{\mu} \cdot \Gamma(-\mu) \cdot (x_{2} - i0)^{\nu}, \end{cases}$$
 for  $v \neq 0, 1, 2, \cdots$ .

When v is not an integer, the vector space spanned by  $u^+(x)$  and  $u^-(x)$  coincides with that generated by  $u_+(x)$  and  $u_-(x)$ . The pairs of microfunctions  $\{u_+(x), u_-(x)\}$  or  $\{u^+(x), u^-(x)\}$  give a basis for the space of microfunction solutions for  $\mathfrak{Q}_{\mu,\nu}$  near p by Lemma 3.3.1. Thus the proof of (1) is completed.

Next we prove (2). First we suppose that  $v \neq -1, -2, \cdots$ . Let u(x) be a microfunction solution of  $\mathfrak{Q}_{u,v}$  defined near p. Then u(x) is written as  $a_+ \cdot u_+(x) + a_- \cdot u_-(x)$  with

 $a_+, a_- \in C$ . We set  $\Lambda_a^+ := \Lambda_{a\mathbf{R}} \cap \{x_2 > 0\}$  and  $\Lambda_a^- := \Lambda_{a\mathbf{R}} \cap \{x_2 < 0\}$ . Then  $\Lambda_{a\mathbf{R}}^o = \Lambda_a^+ \cup \Lambda_a^-$  near the point p. Since  $u_+(x)|_{\Lambda_a^-} = 0$ ,  $u_-(x)|_{\Lambda_a^+} = 0$  and  $u_+(x)|_{\Lambda_a^+} \neq 0$ ,  $u_-(x)|_{\Lambda_a^-} \neq 0$ , we have  $u(x)|_{\Lambda_a^+} = a_+ \cdot u_+(x)|_{\Lambda_a^+}$  and  $u(x)|_{\Lambda_a^-} = a_- \cdot u_-(x)|_{\Lambda_a^-}$ . Thus the values of  $a_+$  and  $a_-$  are determined by the restrictions  $u(x)|_{\Lambda_a^+}$  and  $u(x)|_{\Lambda_a^-}$ . This means that a microfunction solution u(x) of  $\mathfrak{M}_\lambda$  is determined by the data of u(x) on  $\Lambda_{a\mathbf{R}}^o$ . Thus the data of u(x) on  $\Lambda_{b\mathbf{R}}^o$  are determined by those on  $\Lambda_{a\mathbf{R}}^o$  if  $v = p(\lambda) \neq -1$ , -2,  $\cdots$ . Next we suppose that  $v \neq 0, 1, 2, \cdots$ . Then u(x) is written as  $b_+ \cdot u^+(x) + b_- \cdot u^-(x)$  with  $b_+, b_- \in C$ . We put  $\Lambda_b^+ := \Lambda_{b\mathbf{R}} \cap \{y_2 > 0\}$  and  $\Lambda_b^- := \Lambda_{b\mathbf{R}} \cap \{y_2 < 0\}$ . Since  $u^+(x)|_{\Lambda_b^-} = 0$ ,  $u^-(x)|_{\Lambda_b^+} = 0$  and  $u^+(x)|_{\Lambda_b^+} \neq 0$ ,  $u^-(x)|_{\Lambda_b^-} \neq 0$ , we have  $u(x)|_{\Lambda_b^+} = b_+ \cdot u^+(x)|_{\Lambda_b^+}$  and  $u(x)|_{\Lambda_b^-} = b_- \cdot u^-(x)|_{\Lambda_b^-}$ . Thus the values of  $b_+$  and  $b_-$  are determined by  $u(x)|_{\Lambda_b^+}$  and  $u(x)|_{\Lambda_b^-}$ . This means that a microfunction solution u(x) to  $\mathfrak{M}_\lambda$  is determined by the data of u(x) on  $\Lambda_{b\mathbf{R}}^o$ . Thus the data of u(x) on  $\Lambda_{a\mathbf{R}}^o$  are determined by those on  $\Lambda_{b\mathbf{R}}^o$  if  $v = p(\lambda) \neq 0$ ,  $1, 2, \cdots$ .

As in the proof of (3), suppose that  $v = -1, -2, -3, \cdots$ . By (3.8), the space of microfunction solutions of  $\mathfrak{M}_2$  is given by

$$\mathcal{S}o\ell(\mathfrak{M}_2) = a \cdot (x_2 + i0)^{\nu} + b \cdot \delta^{(-\nu+1)}(x_2)$$

where  $\delta^{(i)}(x_2)$  is the *i*-th derivative of the delta-function for the variable  $x_2$ . Indeed, we have (const.)  $\times \delta^{(-\nu+1)}(x_2) = (x_2+i0)^{\nu} - (x_2-i0)^{\nu}$ . The space of microfunction solutions of  $\mathfrak{M}_1$  and  $\mathfrak{M}_3$  are the same as those of (3.8). Then, by Lemma 3.3.1, the microfunctions  $u_1(x) = (x_1+i0)^{\mu} \cdot \Gamma(-\mu) \cdot \delta^{(-\nu+1)}(x_2)$  and  $u_2(x) = (x_1+i0)^{\mu} \cdot \Gamma(-\mu) \cdot (x_2+i0)^{\nu}$  give a basis of the space of microfunction solutions of  $\mathfrak{Q}_{\mu,\nu}$  near p. It is clear by the definition that  $\sup p(u_1(x)) = \Lambda_b^{\gamma} \cup \Lambda_b^{\delta}$  and  $\sup p(u_2(x)) \supset \Lambda_a^{\alpha} \cup \Lambda_a^{\beta}$  near p. In particular,  $u_1(x)$  and  $u_2(x)$  generate the solution space. Therefore, for any microfunction solution v(x),  $v(x)|_{\Lambda_a^{\alpha} \cup \Lambda_a^{\beta}}$  is written as  $a \cdot u_2(x)|_{\Lambda_a^{\alpha} \cup \Lambda_a^{\beta}}$  with  $a \in C$ . Thus the value of v(x) on  $\Lambda_a^{\alpha}$  is determined by the value on  $\Lambda_a^{\beta}$  and vice versa. If the support of v(x) is contained in  $\Lambda_{bR}$ , then v(x) is a constant multiple of  $u_1(x)$  and hence the value of v(x) on  $\Lambda_b^{\gamma}$  is determined by the value of v(x) on  $\Lambda_b^{\beta}$  and vice versa.

- 4. Real forms of prehomogeneous vector spaces of commutative parabolic type. In this section we give the list of the real forms of prehomogeneous vector spaces of commutative parabolic type and write down their real holonomy diagrams.
  - 4.1. The list of real forms. We consider the following real forms.
- (4.1) Type  $C_m$   $(m=1, 2, \cdots)$ .
  - i)  $(G_R^+, V) = (GL_m(R)^+, \operatorname{Sym}_m(R))$ . Here,  $\operatorname{Sym}_m(R)$  stands for the space of  $m \times m$  symmetric matrices over R.
- (4.2) Type  $A_k$   $(k=2m+1, m=1, 2, \cdots)$ .
  - i)  $(G_R^+, V) = (GL_1(R)^+ \times SL_m(C), \text{Her}_m(C)).$ Here  $\text{Her}_m(C)$  is the space of  $m \times m$  complex Hermitian matrices.
  - ii)  $(G_R^+, V) = (GL_m(R)^+ \times SL_m(R), M_m(R)).$ Here  $M_m(R)$  is the space of  $m \times m$  real matrices.

(4.3) Type  $D_{2m,2}$   $(m=1, 2, \cdots)$ .

real coefficients.

- i)  $(G_R^+, V) = (GL_1(R)^+ \times SL_m(H), \operatorname{Her}_m(H)).$ Here H stands for the quaternion field over R and  $\operatorname{Her}_m(H)$  is the space of  $m \times m$  quaternion Hermitian matrices.
- ii)  $(G_R^+, V) = (GL_{2m}(R)^+, Alt_{2m}(R)).$ Here  $Alt_{2m}(R)$  stands for the space of  $2m \times 2m$  alternating matrices over R. (4.4) Type  $E_7$ .
  - i)  $(G_R^+, V) = (GL_1(R)^+ \times E_6^d, \operatorname{Her}_3(\mathfrak{C}_R^d)).$ Here,  $\mathfrak{C}_R^d$  is the space of division Cayley number field over R and  $\operatorname{Her}_3(\mathfrak{C}_R^d)$  means the space of  $3 \times 3$  Hermitian matrices over  $\mathfrak{C}_R^d$ . The group  $E_6^d$  is the subgroup of  $GL^+(\operatorname{Her}_3(\mathfrak{C}_R^d))$  consisting of the elements which leave  $P(x) = \det(x)$  invariant.
  - ii)  $(G_R^+, V) = (GL_1(R)^+ \times E_6^s, \operatorname{Her}_3(\mathfrak{C}_R^s)).$ Here,  $\mathfrak{C}_R^s$  is the space of split Cayley number algebra over R and  $\operatorname{Her}_3(\mathfrak{C}_R^s)$  means the space of  $3 \times 3$  Hermitian matrices over  $\mathfrak{C}_R^s$ . The group  $E_6^s$  is the subgroup of  $GL^+(\operatorname{Her}_3(\mathfrak{C}_R^s))$  consisting of the elements which leave  $P(X) = \det(x)$  invariant.
- (4.5) Type  $B_k$  (m=2k+1) and  $D_{k+1,1}$  (m=2(k+1)) with  $k=1, 2, \cdots$ . i)  $(G_R^+, V) = (GL_1(R)^+ \times SO(p, q; R), R^m)$ , (p, q > 0 and p+q=m). It is easy to check that the above real forms satisfy the condition (1.1), 3) in addition to (1.1), 1) and 2). The restriction of P(x) to V can be taken to be a polynomial with
- REMARK. 1) T. Kimura determined all the real forms of irreducible regular prehomogeneous vector spaces in 1975, although the result was not published.
- 2) For the cases (4.1), (4.2) and (4.5), there are other real forms which do not satisfy the condition (3.2).
- 4.2. Real holonomy diagrams of  $\mathfrak{M}_s$ . For the real forms listed in (4.1)–(4.5), we now give the real holonomy diagrams of all the intersections of codimension one in the complex holonomy diagrams of  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  in Proposition 2.2. The same result was obtained by [Su].

Let  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  be the holonomic system defined in (1.5) for one of the prehomogeneous vector spaces (2.3), 1)-5). The number m is defined there. We set n to be the dimension of  $V_c$ . By Proposition 2.2, 1) the characteristic variety  $\operatorname{ch}(\mathfrak{M}_s)$  has the irreducible component decomposition given by (2.4):  $\operatorname{ch}(\mathfrak{M}_s) = \bigcup_{i=0}^m \Lambda_{ic}$  with  $\Lambda_{ic} = \overline{T_{S_{ic}}^* V_c}$  where  $S_{ic}$  are  $G_c$ -orbits defined in Proposition 2.1. Note that each  $\Lambda_{ic}$  is a  $G_c$ -invariant subset in  $T^*V_c$  when we identify  $T^*V_c$  with  $V_c \times V_c^*$ . The action of  $G_c$  on the dual space  $V_c^*$  is through the contragredient representation. Let  $(G_R^+, \rho, V)$  be a real form of the prehomogeneous vector space  $(G_c, \rho, V_c)$ . In the same way as in the complex case,  $T^*V$  is naturally identified with  $V \times V_c^*$ , on which  $G_R^+$  acts. The real locus  $\operatorname{ch}(\mathfrak{M}_s)_R$  of the characteristic variety  $\operatorname{ch}(\mathfrak{M}_s)$  is given by

$$\operatorname{ch}(\mathfrak{M}_{s})_{\mathbf{R}} = \bigcup_{i=0}^{m} \Lambda_{i\mathbf{R}}$$

with  $\Lambda_{iR} = \Lambda_{iC} \cap T^*V$ . Each  $\Lambda_{iR}$  is a  $G_R^+$ -invariant subset.

In particular, we suppose that:

(4.7) each orbit 
$$S_{iR} = S_{iC} \cap V$$
 is a real form of  $S_{iC}$ .

Naturally, we have

$$\Lambda_{iR} = \overline{T_{S_{iC}}^* V_C} \cap T^* V = \overline{T_{S_{iC}}^* \cap V} = \overline{T_{S_{iR}}^* V}.$$

Here,  $T_{S_{iR}}^*V$  is the real conormal bundle of the subvariety  $S_{iR}$  in V. Thus the real locus of  $\Lambda_{iC}$  is a real form of  $\Lambda_{iC}$ , and hence the condition (3.2) is satisfied if so is (4.7). We show that the condition (4.7) is satisfied in all real forms of (4.1)–(4.5) by the case-by-case calculations in the following. Furthermore, we construct  $\Lambda_{iR}$  as a union of some  $G_R^*$ -orbits in  $V \times V^*$  and calculate the real holonomy diagrams.

The first case. Consider the cases i) in (4.1)–(4.4). The vector space V is (4.1)  $\operatorname{Sym}_m(R)$ , (4.2)  $\operatorname{Her}_m(C)$ , (4.3)  $\operatorname{Her}_m(H)$  or (4.4)  $\operatorname{Her}_3(\mathbb{C}^d_R)$ , respectively. The real locus  $S_{iR}$  of the  $G_R$ -orbit  $S_{iC}$  in  $V_C$  is

$$S_{iR} = S_{iC} \cap V = \{x \in V; \operatorname{rank}(x) = m - i\}, \quad (i = 0, 1, \dots, m).$$

The subset  $S_{iR}$  is a  $G_R^+$ -invariant subset and decomposes into the following  $G_R^+$ -orbits:  $S_{iR} = \bigcup_{i=1}^{m-i} S_i^j$ , where  $S_i^j$  is the  $G_R^+$ -orbit generated by

$$\begin{bmatrix} I_j & & \\ & -I_{m-i-j} & \\ & & 0_i \end{bmatrix}.$$

Each  $S_i^j$  is a real form of  $S_{ic}$  because the real dimension of  $S_i^j$  coincides with the complex dimension of  $S_{ic}$ . Therefore, the condition (4.7) is satisfied.

By the inner product  $\langle x, y \rangle := \text{Re tr}(x \cdot ^t \bar{y})$  for  $x, y \in V$ , we identify V with its dual space  $V^*$ . The group  $G_R^+$  acts on V as the dual space by the contragredient representation and the orbit decomposition of V as the dual space is the same as that for V. We denote by  $\sum_{i=1}^{p-1} = \text{the } G_R^+$ -orbit in  $V \times V^*$  generated by the point

$$\left(\begin{bmatrix} I_p & & & \\ & -I_{m-i-p} & \\ & & 0_i \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0_j & & & \\ & & I_q & \\ & & -I_{m-i-q} \end{bmatrix}\right) \in V \times V^*$$

where  $i+j \ge m$ ,  $0 \le p \le m-i$  and  $0 \le q \le m-j$ . Then we have:

Proposition 4.1.

$$\Lambda_{iR} = \bigcup_{\substack{m \geq k \geq i, 0 \leq p \leq m-k \\ m \geq j \geq n-i, 0 \leq q \leq m-j}} \Sigma_{k,j}^{p,q}.$$

$$\Lambda_{i\mathbf{R}}^{o} = \bigcup_{\substack{0 \le p \le m-i \\ 0 \le q \le i}} \Sigma_{i,m-i}^{p,q}.$$

These propositions can be verified by a routine but a little complicated computation. See the method in [Sm-Ka-Ki-Os]. In [Mrl], the author has carried out the orbit decomposition (4.8) in the cases i)—iii). We omit the proof here.

We denote by  $\Lambda_i^{p,q}$  the  $G_R^+$ -orbit  $\Sigma_{i,m-i}^{p,q}$ , which is a connected component of  $\Lambda_{iR}^0$ . By computing the action of the Lie algebra  $\mathscr{G}_R$ , we see that  $\Lambda_i^{p,q}$   $(0 \le p \le m-i, 0 \le q \le i)$  are  $G_R^+$ -orbits in  $V \times V^*$  and hence real Lagrangian subvarieties. The other orbits in  $\Lambda_{iR}$  are strictly less dimensional than n. In particular, we may write

$$\Lambda_{i\mathbf{R}}^{o} = \bigcup_{\substack{0 \le p \le m-i \\ 0 \le q \le i}} \Lambda_{i}^{p,q}.$$

By Proposition 4.1, we have

$$\Lambda_{iR} \cap \Lambda_{i+1R} = \bigcup_{\substack{m \geq k \geq i+1, 0 \leq p \leq m-k \\ m > i > n-i, 0 \leq q \leq m-i}} \Sigma_{k,j}^{p,q}.$$

The non-singular locus of  $\Lambda_{iR} \cap \Lambda_{i+1R}$  is given by

$$(\Lambda_{iR} \cap \Lambda_{i+1R})_{\text{reg}} = \bigcup_{\substack{0 \le p \le m-i-1 \\ 0 \le q \le i}} \Sigma_{i+1,m-1}^{p,q}.$$

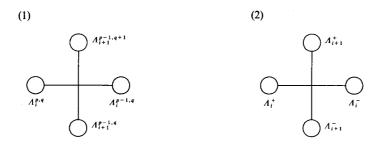
By computing the action of the Lie algebra  $\mathscr{G}_R$ , we see that each orbit  $\sum_{i+1,m-i+1}^{p-1,q} (0 \le p \le m-i-1, 0 \le q \le i)$  is a connected component of  $(\Lambda_{iR} \cap \Lambda_{i+1R})_{reg}$  and is an (n-1)-dimensional  $G_R^+$ -orbit. Thus we have the following proposition.

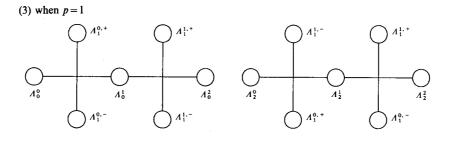
PROPOSITION 4.2. The (n-1)-dimensional intersection of  $\Lambda_{iR}$  and  $\Lambda_{i+1R}$  is represented by the real holonomy diagram as in Figure 3, (1). Here  $1 \le p \le n-i$ ,  $0 \le q \le i$ .

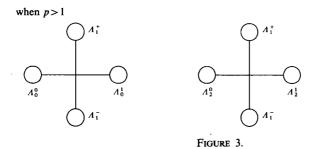
The second case. Next we consider the cases ii) in (4.2)–(4.4). Then V is (4.2)  $M_n(R)$ , (4.3)  $\operatorname{Alt}_{2n}(R)$  and (4.4)  $\operatorname{Her}_3(\mathfrak{C}_R^*)$ , respectively. The real locus  $S_{iR}$  of the orbit  $S_{iC}$  is  $S_{iR} = S_{iC} \cap V = \{x \in V; \operatorname{rank} x = n - i\}$ , for (4.2) and (4.4),  $S_{iR} = S_{iC} \cap V = \{x \in V; \operatorname{rank} x = 2(n-i)\}$  for (4.3). The subset  $S_{iR}$  is  $G_R^+$ -invariant and decomposes into the following  $G_R^+$ -orbits:  $S_{0R} = S_0^+ \cup S_0^-$  with  $S_0^+ = \{x \in V; P(x) > 0\}$  and  $S_0^- = \{x \in V; P(x) < 0\}$ , and  $S_{iR}$  (i > 1) is a single  $G_R^+$ -orbit. By the inner product  $\langle x, y \rangle := \operatorname{tr}(x^{-i}y)$  for  $x, y \in V$  on V, we identify V with its dual space  $V^*$ . The group  $G_R^+$  acts on  $V^*$  by the contragredient action. The vector space  $V^*$  has the same orbit decomposition by the contragredient action of  $G_R^+$ . We denote by  $A_i^e$  the  $G_R^+$ -orbit in  $V \times V^*$  generated by the point,

$$\left(\begin{bmatrix} I_{m-i} \\ 0_i \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0_{m-i} & \varepsilon \\ & I_{i-1} \end{bmatrix}\right) \quad \text{for} \quad (4.2) \text{ and } (4.4),$$

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and

$$\left( \begin{bmatrix} I_{m-i} \\ 0_i \end{bmatrix} \otimes J , \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0_{m-i} & & \\ & \varepsilon & \\ & I_{i-1} \end{bmatrix} \otimes J \right), \quad \text{ for } \quad (4.3) \,,$$

with  $i=0, 1, \dots, m$  and  $\varepsilon = \pm 1$ . Here

$$J = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

and  $\otimes$  means the tensor product of matrices. Let  $\Sigma_{i,j}$  be the  $G_R^+$ -orbit in  $V \times V^*$  generated by the point,

$$\begin{bmatrix} I_{m-i} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
,  $\begin{bmatrix} 0_j \\ I_{m-i} \end{bmatrix}$  for (4.2) and (4.4),

and

$$\left(\begin{bmatrix} I_{m-i} \\ 0_i \end{bmatrix} \otimes J, \begin{bmatrix} 0_j \\ I_{m-i} \end{bmatrix} \otimes J\right) \quad \text{for} \quad (4.3),$$

with i+j>m,  $m \ge i \ge 0$  and  $m \ge j \ge 0$ . Then we have:

Proposition 4.3.

(4.11) 
$$\Lambda_{iR} = (\Lambda_i^+ \cup \Lambda_i^-) \cup \left(\bigcup_{\substack{k \geq i \\ j \geq m-i}} \Sigma_{k,j}\right).$$

$$\Lambda_{i\mathbf{R}}^{o} = \Lambda_{i}^{+} \cup \Lambda_{i}^{-}.$$

We omit the easy proof. The  $G_R^+$ -orbits  $\Lambda_i^+$  and  $\Lambda_i^-$  are *n*-dimensional. The other orbits in  $\Lambda_{iR}$  are of dimension strictly less than *n*. By Proposition 4.3, we have  $\Lambda_{iR} \cap \Lambda_{i+1R} = \bigcup_{\substack{k \geq i+1 \\ j \geq m-i}} \Sigma_{k,j}$ . The non-singular locus of  $\Lambda_{iR} \cap \Lambda_{i+1R}$  is  $\Sigma_{i+1,m-i}$ , which is

an (n-1)-dimensional  $G_R^+$ -orbit.

PROPOSITION 4.4. The (n-1)-dimensional intersections of  $\Lambda_{iR}$  and  $\Lambda_{i+1R}$  are represented by the real holonomy diagrams Figure 3, (2).

The third case. Finally we consider the case i) of (4.5). We may suppose that  $q \ge p > 0$ . The vector space V is  $R^n$ . Without loss of generality we may assume that V is a vector space having the inner product:

(4.13) 
$$\langle x, y \rangle = {}^{t}x \cdot I_{pq} \cdot y$$
 where  $I_{pq} = \begin{bmatrix} I_{p} \\ -I_{q} \end{bmatrix}$  with  $p + q = n$ .

The group  $SO(p, q; \mathbf{R})$  is the subgroup of GL(V) consisting of elements leaving the inner product invariant. We can identify  $V^*$  with V by the inner product. Thus the real contangent space  $T^*V$  is naturally viewed as  $V \times V^*$ . We set:

$$(4.14) p_0^0 = (1, 0, \dots, 0; 0, \dots, 0), p_0^1 = (0, \dots, 0; 1, 0, \dots, 0),$$

$$p_0^2 = (-1, 0, \dots, 0; 0, \dots, 0),$$

$$p_1^0 = (1, 0, \dots, 0; 1, 0, \dots, 0), p_1^1 = (1, 0, \dots, 0; -1, 0, \dots, 0),$$

$$p_2^0 = (0, \dots, 0; 0, \dots, 0).$$

The expression  $(x_1; x_2)$  means the coordinate in  $\mathbb{R}^n = V$  with  $x_1 \in \mathbb{R}^p$  and  $x_2 \in \mathbb{R}^q$ . When p = 1, the points in (4.14) generate mutually different  $G_R^+$ -orbits. When p > 1, the orbits

generated by  $p_0^0$  and  $p_0^2$  (resp.  $p_1^0$  and  $p_1^1$ ) are the same. We denote by  $\sum_{i,j}^{p,q,\epsilon} =$ the  $G_R^+$ -orbit in  $V \times V^*$  generated by the point  $(p_i^p, \epsilon p_i^q)$ ,  $(\epsilon = \pm)$ . Then we have:

## Proposition 4.5.

1) When p=1, we have the following disjoint decompositions of  $\Lambda_{i\mathbf{R}}$  and  $\Lambda_{i\mathbf{R}}^o$ .

(4.15) 
$$A_{0R} = \left( \bigcup_{p=0,1,2} \Sigma_{0,2}^{p,0,+} \right) \cup \left( \bigcup_{p=0,1} \Sigma_{1,2}^{p,0,+} \right) \cup \Sigma_{2,2}^{0,0,+}$$

$$A_{1R} = \left( \bigcup_{\substack{p=0,1\\ \varepsilon=\pm}} \Sigma_{1,1}^{p,p,\varepsilon} \right) \cup \left( \bigcup_{p=0,1} \Sigma_{1,2}^{p,0,+} \right) \cup \left( \bigcup_{q=0,1} \Sigma_{2,1}^{0,q,+} \right) \cup \Sigma_{2,2}^{0,0,+}$$

$$A_{2R} = \left( \bigcup_{q=0,1,2} \Sigma_{2,0}^{0,q,+} \right) \cup \left( \bigcup_{q=0,1} \Sigma_{2,1}^{0,q,+} \right) \cup \Sigma_{2,2}^{0,0,+}$$

$$A_{0R}^{\sigma} = \left( \bigcup_{p=0,1,2} \Sigma_{0,2}^{p,0,+} \right) .$$

$$A_{2R}^{\sigma} = \left( \bigcup_{p=0,1,2} \Sigma_{1,1}^{p,p,\varepsilon} \right) .$$

$$A_{2R}^{\sigma} = \left( \bigcup_{q=0,1,2} \Sigma_{2,0}^{0,q,+} \right) .$$

2) When p>1, we have the following disjoint decompositions of  $\Lambda_{iR}$  and  $\Lambda_{iR}^o$  (i=0,1,2).

(4.17) 
$$A_{0\mathbf{R}} = \left( \bigcup_{p=0,1} \Sigma_{0,2}^{p,0,+} \right) \cup \Sigma_{1,2}^{0,0,+} \cup \Sigma_{2,2}^{0,0,+} .$$

$$A_{1\mathbf{R}} = \left( \bigcup_{\varepsilon=\pm} \Sigma_{1,1}^{0,0,\varepsilon} \right) \cup \Sigma_{1,2}^{0,0,+} \cup \Sigma_{2,1}^{0,0,+} \cup \Sigma_{2,2}^{0,0,+} .$$

$$A_{2\mathbf{R}} = \left( \bigcup_{q=0,1} \Sigma_{2,0}^{0,q,+} \right) \cup \Sigma_{2,1}^{0,0,+} \cup \Sigma_{2,2}^{0,0,+} .$$

$$A_{0\mathbf{R}}^{\sigma} = \left( \bigcup_{p=0,1} \Sigma_{2,2}^{p,0,+} \right) .$$

$$A_{1\mathbf{R}}^{\sigma} = \left( \bigcup_{\varepsilon=\pm} \Sigma_{1,1}^{0,0,\varepsilon} \right) .$$

$$A_{2\mathbf{R}}^{\sigma} = \left( \bigcup_{q=0,1} \Sigma_{2,0}^{0,0,\varepsilon} \right) .$$

$$A_{2\mathbf{R}}^{\sigma} = \left( \bigcup_{q=0,1} \Sigma_{2,0}^{0,0,\varepsilon} \right) .$$

We omit the easy proof. We set

(4.19) 
$$\Lambda_{0}^{i} = \Sigma_{0,2}^{i,0,+} \qquad (i = 0, 1, 2),$$

$$\Lambda_{1}^{i,\epsilon} = \Sigma_{1,1}^{i,i,\epsilon} \qquad (i = 0, 1 \text{ and } \epsilon = \pm),$$

$$\Lambda_{2}^{i} = \Sigma_{2,0}^{0,i,+} \qquad (i = 0, 1, 2),$$

when p=1 and set

(4.20) 
$$A_{0}^{i} = \sum_{0,2}^{i,0,+} \qquad (i = 0, 1),$$

$$A_{1}^{\varepsilon} = \sum_{1,1}^{0,0,\varepsilon} \qquad (\varepsilon = \pm),$$

$$A_{2}^{i} = \sum_{2,0}^{0,0,i,+} \qquad (i = 0, 1),$$

when p>1. The orbits in (4.19) and (4.20) are *n*-dimensional and the other orbits in  $\Lambda_{iR}$  are of dimension strictly less than *n*. By Proposition 4.5, we have

$$\begin{split} & \varLambda_{0R} \cap \varLambda_{1R} \!=\! \! \left( \bigcup_{p=0,1} \varSigma_{1,2}^{p,0,+} \right) \cup \varSigma_{2,2}^{0,0,+} \;, \\ & \cdot \\ & \varLambda_{1R} \cap \varLambda_{2R} \!=\! \! \left( \bigcup_{q=0,1} \varSigma_{2,1}^{0,q,+} \right) \cup \varSigma_{2,2}^{0,0,+} \;, \end{split}$$

where p = 1 and we have

$$\begin{split} & \Lambda_{0R} \cap \Lambda_{1R} = \Sigma_{1,2}^{0,0,+} \cup \Sigma_{2,2}^{0,0,+} \;, \\ & \Lambda_{1R} \cap \Lambda_{2R} = \Sigma_{2,1}^{0,0,+} \cup \Sigma_{2,2}^{0,0,+} \;, \end{split}$$

where p > 1. The real holonomy diagrams are given by the following proposition.

PROPOSITION 4.6. The (n-1)-dimensional intersections of  $\Lambda_{iR}$  and  $\Lambda_{i+1R}$  are represented by the real holonomy diagrams Figure 3, (3).

- 5. Proof of the main theorem. In this section we prove the main theorem for the real forms listed in (4.1)–(4.5) of regular prehomogeneous vector spaces of commutative parabolic type.
- 5.1. Critical points for  $P(x)^s$ . Let  $(G_R^+, \rho, V)$  be one of the real forms of the prehomogeneous vector spaces in (4.1)–(4.5). We always suppose that a relatively invariant polynomial P(x) on V is taken to be with real coefficients. Let b(s) be the b-function of the complex form  $(G_C, \rho, V_C)$  of  $(G_R^+, \rho, V_R)$ . The explicit form is given in (2.5).
- (5.1) DEFINITION (Critical points). We set  $Crit(P(x)^s) := \{\lambda \in C, b(\lambda + k) = 0 \text{ with some non-negative integer } k\}$ . We call an element of  $Crit(P(x)^s)$  a *critical point* for  $P(x)^s$ .

We may express the *b*-functions as  $b(s) = \prod_{i=1}^{m} (s - \lambda_i)$  with  $0 > \lambda_1 = -1 > \lambda_2 > \cdots > \lambda_m$  where  $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_m$  are negative integers or negative half-integers by Proposition 2.3.

Definition (5.1) says that  $\lambda = \lambda_i - p$  with a non-negative integer p and an integer i if  $\lambda \in Crit(P(x)^s)$ .

Proposition 5.1. Let  $\lambda$  be a complex number.

- (1) If  $\lambda \notin \operatorname{Crit}(P(x)^s)$ , then  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  is not critical at  $s = \lambda$  from  $\Lambda_{ic}$  to  $\Lambda_{i+1c}$  for  $i = 0, 1, \dots, m-1$ .
  - (2) If  $\lambda \in \text{Crit}(P(x)^s)$ , then  $\lambda \leq \lambda_1$ .
- (3) If  $\lambda \leq \lambda_m$ , then  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  is not critical at  $s = \lambda$  from  $\Lambda_{i+1}$  to  $\Lambda_{ic}$  for  $i = 0, 1, \dots, m-1$ .
- (4) Suppose that  $\lambda \in \operatorname{Crit}(P(x)^s)$  and  $\lambda_m < \lambda \le \lambda_1$ . Let k be a positive integer  $\le m-1$ . If  $\lambda_{k+1} < \lambda \le \lambda_k$ , then  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  is not critical at  $s = \lambda$  from  $\Lambda_{iC}$  to  $\Lambda_{i+1C}$  for any  $i \ge k$  and  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  is not critical at  $s = \lambda$  from  $\Lambda_{i+1C}$  to  $\Lambda_{iC}$  for any  $i \le k-1$ .
- **PROOF.** (1) By Definition (5.1), if  $\lambda \in \operatorname{Crit}(P(x)^s)$ , then there exist a root  $\lambda_i$  of b(s) and a non-negative integer p such that  $\lambda = \lambda_i p$ . Each  $(s \lambda_i)$  is the factor of b-function of  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  from  $\Lambda_{i-1c}$  to  $\Lambda_{ic}$ . We set  $p(s) + 1 = (s \lambda_i)$ . Then  $p(\lambda) = -p 1$  and it is a negative integer. By Definition (3.6),  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  is critical from  $\Lambda_{i-1c}$  to  $\Lambda_{ic}$  at  $s = \lambda$ .
- (2) If  $\lambda \in \text{Crit}(P(x)^s)$ , then there exist  $\lambda_i$  and a non-negative integer p such that  $\lambda = \lambda_i p$ . Thus  $\lambda = \lambda_i p \le \lambda_i \le \lambda_1$ .
- (3) Note that the factor of b-function of  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  from  $\Lambda_{i+1}c$  to  $\Lambda_{ic}$  is  $-s+\lambda_{i+1}+1$ . Then we have  $(-s+\lambda_{i+1}+1)\big|_{s=\lambda}=-\lambda+\lambda_{i+1}+1\geq -\lambda_m+\lambda_{i+1}+1\geq 1$ , since  $\lambda\leq\lambda_m\leq\lambda_{i+1}$  for all i. The  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  is not critical at  $s=\lambda$  from  $\Lambda_{i+1}c$  to  $\Lambda_{ic}$ .
- (4) The factor of b-function of  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  from  $\Lambda_{ic}$  to  $\Lambda_{i+1c}$  (resp. from  $\Lambda_{i+1c}$  to  $\Lambda_{ic}$ ) is  $(s-\lambda_{i+1})$  (resp.  $(-s+\lambda_{i+1}+1)$ ). Thus, if  $i \ge k$ , then we have  $s-\lambda_{i+1}\big|_{s=\lambda}=\lambda-\lambda_{i+1}>\lambda_{k+1}-\lambda_{i+1}\ge 0$ , and hence  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  is not critical at  $s=\lambda$  from  $\Lambda_{ic}$  to  $\Lambda_{i+1c}$ . If  $i \le k-1$ , then we have  $(-s+\lambda_{i+1}+1)\big|_{s=\lambda}=-\lambda+\lambda_{i+1}+1\ge -\lambda_k+\lambda_{i+1}+1\ge -\lambda_k+\lambda_k+1=1$ , and hence  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  is not critical at  $s=\lambda$  from  $\Lambda_{i+1c}$  to  $\Lambda_{ic}$ .
  - 5.2. Proof of the main theorem at non-critical points.

PROPOSITION 5.2. Let  $\lambda \notin \operatorname{Crit}(P(x)^s)$ . Then the dimension of the space of  $\chi^{\lambda}$ -invariant hyperfunctions is the number l of the connected components of  $V - S_R$ .

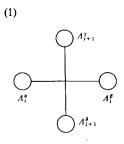
**PROOF.** It suffices to prove that the dimension of the space of  $\chi^{\lambda}$ -invariant hyperfunctions is at most l, since it is at least l by Proposition 1.2.

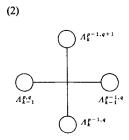
Let u(x) be a  $\chi^{\lambda}$ -invariant hyperfunction. Then u(x) is a solution to the holonomic system  $\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda}$  (see § 1). The function u(x) is real analytic, since  $\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda}$  is an elliptic system on V-S, i.e., the characteristic variety is  $(V-S)\times\{0\}$ . Thus we have  $u(x)|_{V-S}=\sum_{i=1}^{l}a_{i}\cdot|P(x)|_{i}^{\lambda}|_{V-S}$ , because any  $\chi^{\lambda}$  invariant real analytic function on a connected component  $V_{i}$  is written as a constant multiple of  $|P(x)|_{i}^{\lambda}$ .

Consider the hyperfunction  $v(x) := u(x) - \sum_{i=1}^{l} a_i \cdot |P(x)|_i^{\lambda}$  on V. Then v(x) is a hyperfunction solution of  $\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda}$  and is zero on V - S. Now look upon v(x) as the microfunction sp(v(x)) on  $T^*V$ . Then the support of sp(v(x)) is contained in

 $\operatorname{ch}(\mathfrak{M}_s)_R = \operatorname{ch}(\mathfrak{M}_s) \cap T^*V$ . The real characteristic variety  $\operatorname{ch}(\mathfrak{M}_s)_R$  has the irreducible component decomposition  $\operatorname{ch}(\mathfrak{M}_s)_R = \bigcup_{i=0}^m \Lambda_{iR}$  (see (4.6)). Among the irreducible components,  $\Lambda_{0R}$  is the zero section  $V_R \times \{0\}$ . The set  $\Lambda_{0R}^\circ$  of generic points has the connected component decomposition  $\Lambda_{0R}^\circ = V_1 \times \{0\} \cup V_2 \times \{0\} \cup \cdots \cup V_l \times \{0\}$ . Since the hyperfunction v(x) is zero on each connected component  $V_i$ , the microfunction sp(v(x)) is zero on each  $V_i \times \{0\}$   $(i=1, \cdots, l)$ .

LEMMA 5.2.1. For an arbitrary complex number  $\lambda$ , let v(x) be a hyperfunction solution to  $\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda}$ . Suppose that  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  is not critical at  $s=\lambda$  from  $\Lambda_{iC}$  to  $\Lambda_{i+1C}$  (resp.  $\Lambda_{i+1C}$  to  $\Lambda_{iC}$ ). If the microfunction sp(v(x)) is zero on  $\Lambda_{iR}^o$  (resp.  $\Lambda_{i+1R}^o$ ), then it is zero on  $\Lambda_{i+1R}^o$  (resp.  $\Lambda_{iR}^o$ ) as well.





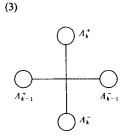


FIGURE 4.

**PROOF.** Let  $\Lambda_{i+1}^{\gamma}$  be a connected component in  $\Lambda_{i+1R}^{\sigma}$ . Then there exist two connected components  $\Lambda_{i}^{\alpha}$ ,  $\Lambda_{i}^{\beta}$  of  $\Lambda_{iR}^{\sigma}$  and  $\Lambda_{i+1}^{\delta}$  of  $\Lambda_{i+1R}^{\sigma}$  which form the real holonomy diagram Figure 4, (1). This easily follows from the real holonomy diagrams calculated in Proposition 4.2, 4.4 and 4.6.

Let v(x) be a hyperfunction solution to the holonomic system  $\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda}$  such that sp(v(x)) is zero on  $\Lambda_{i\mathbf{R}}^{o}$ . Then sp(v(x)) is zero on  $\Lambda_{i}^{a}$  and  $\Lambda_{i}^{b}$ . Since  $\mathfrak{M}_{s}$  is not critical at  $s=\lambda$  from  $\Lambda_{i\mathbf{C}}$  to  $\Lambda_{i+1\mathbf{C}}$  by assumption, sp(v(x)) is zero on  $\Lambda_{i+1}^{\gamma}$  and  $\Lambda_{i+1}^{\delta}$  in a neighborhood of the intersection of  $\Lambda_{i\mathbf{R}}$  and  $\Lambda_{i+1\mathbf{R}}$  by Proposition 3.3, (2). Moreover sp(v(x)) is zero on  $\Lambda_{i+1}^{\gamma}$  and  $\Lambda_{i+1}^{\delta}$  globally. Thus sp(v(x)) is zero on  $\Lambda_{i+1}^{\rho}$  fror every index  $\rho$ . Thus means that sp(v(x)) is zero on all the connected components of  $\Lambda_{i+1\mathbf{R}}^{o}$ . When  $\mathfrak{M}_{s}$  is not critical at  $s=\lambda$  from  $\Lambda_{i+1\mathbf{C}}$  to  $\Lambda_{i\mathbf{C}}$ , we can show the converse in the same way and complete the proof of Lemma 5.2.1.

By Proposition 5.1, (1), if  $\lambda \notin \operatorname{Crit}(P(x)^s)$ , then  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  is not critical at  $s = \lambda$  from  $\Lambda_{ic}$  to  $\Lambda_{i+1c}$  for all  $i=0, 1, \dots, m-1$ . Therefore, by induction on i, if  $sp(v(x))|_{\Lambda_{0R}^c} = 0$ , then  $sp(v(x))|_{\Lambda_{0R}^c} = 0$  for all  $i=0, 1, \dots, m$ .

LEMMA 5.2.2. For an arbitrary complex number  $\lambda$ , let v(x) be a hyperfunction solution to the holonomic system  $\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda}$ . If the microfunction sp(v(x)) is zero on  $\Lambda_{i\mathbf{R}}^o$  for all  $i=0,\cdots,m$ , then v(x)=0 as a hyperfunction on V.

A theorem more general than Lemma 5.2.2 was proved in [Mr3], which would be an interesting result in itself. We omit the proof.

Consider the hyperfunction solution v(x) in the form  $u(x) - \sum_{i=1}^{l} a_i \cdot |P(x)|_i^{\lambda}$  again. Since sp(v(x)) is zero on  $\Lambda_{0R}^o$ , it is zero on  $\Lambda_{1R}^o$ ,  $\Lambda_{2R}^o$ ,  $\cdots$ ,  $\Lambda_{mR}^o$  by induction from Lemma 5.2.1, and hence it is zero on  $\bigcup_{i=1}^m \Lambda_{iR}^o$ . By Lemma 5.2.2, we have v(x)=0, which means  $u(x) = \sum_{i=1}^{l} a_i \cdot |P(x)|_i^{\lambda}$ . Thus we see that any  $\chi^{\lambda}$ -invariant hyperfunction u(x) is expressed as a linear combination of  $|P(x)|_i^{\lambda}$  ( $i=1, \dots, l$ ) if  $\lambda \notin \operatorname{Crit}(P(x)^s)$ . Hence the dimension of the space of  $\chi^{\lambda}$ -invariant hyperfunctions is at most l. Thus we have the desired result.

COROLLARY 5.3. Let  $\lambda \notin \operatorname{Crit}(P(x)^s)$ . Then any  $\chi^{\lambda}$ -invariant hyperfunction is written as a linear combination of  $|P(x)|_s^s$  at  $s = \lambda$  in the sense of (1.3).

**PROOF.** We have seen in Proposition 5.2 that the space of linear combinations of  $|P(x)|_i^s$  at  $s=\lambda$  coincides with the space of  $\chi^{\lambda}$ -invariant hyperfunctions. Thus we have the desired results.

### 5.3. Proof of the main theorem at critical points.

PROPOSITION 5.4. Let  $\lambda \in \operatorname{Crit}(P(x)^s)$ . Then the dimension of the space of  $\chi^{\lambda}$ -invariant hyperfunctions is l, the number of the connected components of  $V-S_R$ .

**PROOF.** It suffices to prove that the dimension of the space of  $\chi^{\lambda}$ -invariant hyperfunctions is at most l. When  $\lambda \in \operatorname{Crit}(P(x)^s)$ , we may suppose that  $\lambda \leq \lambda_1$  by

Proposition 5.1, (2). First we prove Proposition 5.4 when  $\lambda \leq \lambda_m$ .

Lemma 5.4.1. Suppose  $\lambda \leq \lambda_m$ . Then the dimension of the space of  $\chi^{\lambda}$ -invariant hyperfunctions is at most l.

PROOF. Let  $\mathscr{Gel}(\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda})$  be the space of hyperfunction solutions of  $\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda}$  on  $T^*V$ . We denote by  $\mathscr{Gel}(\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda})|_{A_{lR}^o}$  the space of the restrictions to  $A_{lR}^o$  of the *sp*-image of elements of  $\mathscr{Gel}(\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda})$ . Recall that  $A_{mR}^o$  decomposes into l connected components by Proposition 4.1, 4.3 and 4.5. Then  $\mathscr{Gel}(\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda})|_{A_{mR}^o}$  is at most l-dimensional because  $\mathscr{Gel}(\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda})$  is one dimensional on each connected component of  $A_{lR}^o$  by Proposition 3.2.

Let v(x) be a hyperfunction solution of  $\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda}$  on V such that  $sp(v(x))\big|_{A_{mR}^o}=0$ . Then

(5.2) 
$$sp(v(x))|_{A_{i,p}^{p}} = 0$$
 for all  $i = 0, 1, \dots, m$ .

Indeed, since  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  is not critical at  $s=\lambda$  from  $\Lambda_{i+1C}$  to  $\Lambda_{iC}$  for all  $i=m-1, m-2, \cdots, 0$ , by Proposition 5.1 (3),  $sp(v(x))\big|_{\Lambda_{i+1R}^0=0}=0$  implies that  $sp(v(x))\big|_{\Lambda_{iR}^0=0}=0$  for  $i=m-1, m-2, \cdots, 0$  by Lemma 5.2.1. Thus, by induction on i, we have (5.2). Moreover, (5.2) means that v(x)=0 as a hyperfunction on V by Lemma 5.2.2. Thus, for two solutions  $v_1(x), \ v_2(x) \in \mathscr{Sol}(\mathfrak{M}_\lambda)$ , if  $sp(v(x))\big|_{\Lambda_{mR}^0=sp(v_2(x))\big|_{\Lambda_{mR}^0}}$ , then  $v_1(x)=v_2(x)$ . Therefore any hyperfunction solution v(x) of  $\mathfrak{M}_\lambda$  is uniquely determined by the data  $sp(v(x))\big|_{\Lambda_{mR}^0}$ . Hence the dimension of the hyperfunction solutions of  $\mathfrak{M}_\lambda$  is at most l.

LEMMA 5.4.2. Let  $\lambda \in \operatorname{Crit}(P(x)^s)$  and suppose that  $\lambda_m < \lambda \leq \lambda_1$ . Then the dimension of the space of  $\chi^{\lambda}$ -invariant hyperfunctions is at most l-dimensional.

PROOF. We show Lemma 5.4.2 by reducing it to the following sublemma.

SUBLEMMA 5.4.2.1. Let  $\lambda \in \operatorname{Crit}(P(x)^s)$  and suppose that  $\lambda_{k+1} < \lambda \leq \lambda_k$ . Then  $\operatorname{Sol}(\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda})|_{A_{k-1}^p \in A_{k}^p}$  is at most l-dimensional.

Sublemma 5.4.2.1 implies Lemma 5.4.2. Indeed, let v(x) be a hyperfunction solution of  $\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda}$  on V such that  $sp(v(x))|_{A_{k-1}^{\mu} \mathbb{R}^{U}, A_{k}^{\mu} \mathbb{R}} = 0$ . Then

(5.3) 
$$sp(v(x))|_{A_{s,\theta}^{\theta}} = 0$$
, for all  $i = 0, 1, \dots, m$ .

Since  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  is not critical at  $s=\lambda$  from  $\Lambda_{iC}$  to  $\Lambda_{i+1C}$  for all  $i=k,\ k+1,\ \cdots,\ m-1$ , by Proposition 5.1 (4),  $sp(v(x))\big|_{\Lambda_R^0=0}$  implies that  $sp(v(x))\big|_{\Lambda_{i-1R}^0=0}$  for  $i=k+1,\ k+2,\ \cdots,\ m-1$  by Lemma 5.2.1. Similarly, since  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  is not critical at  $s=\lambda$  from  $\Lambda_{i+1C}$  to  $\Lambda_{iC}$  for all  $i=k-2,\ k-3,\ \cdots,0$ , by Proposition 5.1 (4),  $sp(v(x))\big|_{\Lambda_{i+1R}^0=0}$  implies that  $sp(v(x))\big|_{\Lambda_{iR}^0=0}$  for  $i=k-2,\ k-3,\ \cdots,0$  by Lemma 5.2.1. Thus, by induction on i, we have (5.3). Moreover, (5.3) means that v(x)=0 as a hyperfunction on V by Lemma 5.2.2. Therefore any hyperfunction solution v(x) of  $\mathfrak{M}_\lambda$  is uniquely determined by the data  $sp(v(x))\big|_{\Lambda_{k-1R}^0\cup\Lambda_{kR}^0}$ . This implies that the dimension of the hyperfunction solutions of  $\mathfrak{M}_\lambda$  is at most l if  $\lambda_m < \lambda \le \lambda_1$ . Thus we complete the proof of Lemma 5.4.2 if Sublemma 5.4.2.1 is proved.

PROOF OF SUBLEMMA 5.4.2.1. We consider the cases of i) in (4.1)—(4.4). The number l coincides with m+1 in these cases. The connected component decompositions of  $\Lambda_{k-1R}^o$  and  $\Lambda_{kR}^o$  were given in Proposition 4.1. The real holonomy diagrams of the (n-1)-dimensional intersections between  $\Lambda_{k-1R}$  and  $\Lambda_{kR}$  is given by Figure 4, (2) with  $1 \le p \le n-k+1$  and  $0 \le q \le k-1$  (see Proposition 4.2).

We set  $W := \mathscr{Sol}(\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda}) \big|_{A_{k-1R}^o \cup A_{kR}^o}$ ,  $W_1 := \{ v(x) \in W; v(x) \big|_{A_{k-1R}^o} = 0 \}$ . We would like to prove

(5.4) 1) dim 
$$W_1 \le m - k + 1$$
,

2) dim 
$$(W/W_1) \le k$$
,

which means that dim W=m+1=l.

As for (5.4), 1), let v(x) be an element of  $W_1$ . Thus v(x) is zero on  $\Lambda_{k-1}^{p,q}$  and  $\Lambda_{k-1}^{p-1,q}$  in the real holonomy diagram Figure 4 (2). Since  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  is critical at  $s=\lambda$  from  $\Lambda_{k-1c}$  to  $\Lambda_{kc}$ , the value of v(x) on  $\Lambda_k^{p-1,q+1}$  is determined by the value of v(x) on  $\Lambda_k^{p-1,q}$  by Proposition 3.3, (3). Therefore, by induction on q, the values of v(x) on  $\Lambda_k^{p-1,q}$  ( $q=0,1,\cdots,k$ ) are determined by the value of v(x) on  $\Lambda_k^{p-1,0}$ . Hence the values  $v(x)|_{\Lambda_k^p}$  is completely determined by the data  $v(x)|_{\bigcup_{1\leq p\leq m-k+1}\Lambda_k^{p-1,0}}$  because  $\Lambda_{kR}^o$  consists of the connected components in  $\bigcup_{0\leq p\leq m-k}\Lambda_k^{p,q}$  (see (4.10)). Since the dimension of the solution space on the connected component  $\Lambda_k^{p-1,0}$  is one for each  $p=1,2,\cdots,m-k+1$ , we have (5.4), 1).

To show (5.4), 2), let  $v_1(x)$  and  $v_2(x)$  be elements of W. If  $v_1(x) - v_2(x) \in W_1$ , then  $v_1(x)$  and  $v_2(x)$  coincide with each other in  $W/W_1$  and vice versa. Namely, the representative of  $v_1(x)$  in  $W/W_1$  coincides with that of  $v_2(x)$  if and only if  $v_1(X)\big|_{A_{k-1R}^o} = v_2(x)\big|_{A_{k-1R}^o}$ . Therefore the dimension of the space  $\mathscr{Gol}(\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda})\big|_{A_{k-1R}^o}$  is the dimension of  $(W/W_1)$ .

Let v(x) be an element of W. In the real holonomy diagram Figure 4 (2), the value of v(x) on  $\Lambda_{k-1}^{p,q}$  is determined by the value of v(x) on  $\Lambda_{k-1}^{p-1,q}$  by Proposition 3.3 (3), because  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  is critical at  $s=\lambda$  from  $\Lambda_{k-1c}$  to  $\Lambda_{kc}$ . Therefore, by induction on p, the values of v(x) on  $\Lambda_{k-1}^{p,q}$  ( $p=0,1,\cdots,m-k+1$ ) are determined by the value of v(x) on  $\Lambda_{k-1}^{0,q}$ . This means that the values  $v(x)|_{\Lambda_{k-1}^{p}}$  are completely determined by the data  $v(x)|_{\bigcup_{0\leq q\leq k-1}\Lambda_k^{p,q}}$ . The dimension of the solution space on the connected component  $\Lambda_k^{p,q}$  is one for each  $q=0,\cdots,k-1$  and hence we have (5.4), 2):  $\dim(W/W_1)\leq k$ .

By (5.4), 1) and 2), we have dim  $W = \dim(W/W_1) + \dim W_1 \le m+1 = l$ . Then we complete the proof of sublemma 5.4.2.1 in the cases of i) in (4.1)–(4.4).

Next we consider the cases ii) in (4.2)–(4.4). The number l=2 in these cases. The connected component decompositions of  $\Lambda_{k-1R}^o$  and  $\Lambda_{kR}^o$  were given in (4.12) as i=k-1 and k. The real holonomy diagrams of the (n-1)-dimensional intersections of  $\Lambda_{k-1R}$  and  $\Lambda_{kR}$  is given by Figure 4, (3) as proved in Proposition 4.3. The holonomic system  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  is critical at  $s=\lambda$  from  $\Lambda_{k-1C}$  to  $\Lambda_{kC}$ , hence  $\mathfrak{M}_s$  is not critical at  $s=\lambda$  from  $\Lambda_{kC}$  to  $\Lambda_{k-1C}$ . Therefore,  $\mathscr{Gol}(\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda})|_{\Lambda_{k-1R}^o}$  is determined by the data  $\mathscr{Gol}(\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda})|_{\Lambda_{kR}^o}$ . Since  $\Lambda_{k-1R}^o$ 

has only two connected components, the dimension of  $\mathscr{Sol}(\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda})|_{A_{k-1R}^{\varrho}}$  is two and so is the dimension of  $\mathscr{Sol}(\mathfrak{M}_{\lambda})|_{A_{k-1R}^{\varrho} \cup A_{kR}^{\varrho}}$ .

Lastly, we consider the case (4.5). In Proposition 4.6, the real holonomy diagram of (4.5) was proved to have the same form as that in the first case (resp. second case) when p=1 (resp. p>1). Thus we can prove this sublemma for the third case in the same way as in the first case or the second case. Thus we complete the proof of Sublemma 5.4.2.1.

By Lemma 5.4.1 and Lemma 5.4.2, we obtain the result claimed in Proposition 5.4.

COROLLARY 5.5. Let  $\lambda \in C$  be a critical point for  $P(x)^s$ . Then any  $\chi^{\lambda}$ -invariant hyperfunction is written as a linear combination of  $|P(x)|_i^s$  at  $s = \lambda$  in the sense of (1.3).

This corollary is proved in the same way if we use Proposition 5.4 instead of Proposition 5.2.

5.4. Conclusions and a remark.

THEOREM 5.6. Let  $(G_R^+, \rho, V)$  be a one of the real forms in (4.1)–(4.5). Let  $\lambda$  be an arbitrary complex number. Then:

- 1) The dimension of the space of  $\chi^{\lambda}$ -invariant hyperfunctions coincides with the number of the connected components of  $V \{x \in V; P(x) = 0\}$ .
- 2) Any  $\chi^{\lambda}$ -invariant hyperfunction is a tempered distribution and is written as a linear combination of  $|P(X)|_{i}^{s}$  defined in (1.4) at  $s = \lambda$  in the sense of (1.3).

The claim 1) is the direct consequence of Proposition 5.2 and 5.4. The claim 2) follows from Corollary 5.3 and 5.5.

As an application of Theorem 5.6, we have the following:

THEOREM 5.7. Let  $(G_R^+, \rho, V)$  be a real form in (4.1)–(4.5). We put  $G_R^1 := \{g \in G_R^+; \chi(g) = 1\}$ . Then any  $G_R^1$ -invariant tempered distribution whose support is contained in the real singular set  $S_R = \{x \in V_R; P(x) = 0\}$  is obtained as a linear combination of negative order Laurent coefficients of  $|P(x)|_s^s$   $(i = 1, \dots, l)$  at poles.

PROOF. [Mr2, Theorem 2.7] proved that the theorem is valid if the singular set  $S_c = \{x \in V_c; P(x) = 0\}$  decomposes into a finite number of  $G_c^1$ -orbits. Here,  $G_c^1 := \{g \in G_c; \chi(g) = 1\}$ . It is easily checked by calculating the action of the Lie algebra  $\mathscr{G}_c$  on  $V_c$  that any  $G_c$ -orbits in the singular set  $S_c$  is actually a  $G_c^1$ -orbit. The finiteness of the  $G_c$ -orbit decomposition was proved in Proposition 2.1. q.e.d.

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