

# Chp 7 Generalized Flag Variety (cont'd)

Last time

- Bott-Samelson-Demazure-Hansen variety  $\underline{Z}_w := P_{i_1} \times \dots \times P_{i_n} / B^n$   
is irreduc., projective, has principle bundle

$$B^n / U_w(k) \rightarrow P_w / U_w(k) \xrightarrow{\theta} \underline{Z}_w \\ (\bar{P}_1, \dots, \bar{P}_n) \mapsto [P_1, \dots, P_n]$$

- Goal: End  $X^T := G/P_T$  a proj. ind-var struc.

Chp 6:  $\Rightarrow$  Bruhat decomposition  $G = \coprod_{w \in W_T} B_w P_T$

$$\text{hence } X^T = \coprod_w B_w P_T / P_T$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Define } X_z^T &= \begin{cases} \coprod_{w \in z} B_w P_T / P_T & \text{if } z \in W_T \\ X_w & \text{if } z \in wW_T \text{ for some } w \in W_T \end{cases} \\ &= \bigcup_{\substack{w \in z \\ w \in W}} B_w P_T / P_T \end{aligned}$$

which we call the Schubert variety

Defn/Prop  
For  $T$ -regular wt  $\lambda \in D_T^0 := \{ \lambda : f_{j_\lambda} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z} \mid \langle \lambda, d_i v \rangle \leq 0 \text{ iff } i \notin T \}$

we equip  $X_z^T$  a proj. var. struc.  $X_z^T(\lambda)$  by  $X_z^T \xrightarrow[\text{closed}]{i_\lambda} \mathbb{P}(V)$ ;

(i)  $i_\lambda : X^T \hookrightarrow \mathbb{P}(V)$ , where  $V = L^{\max}(\lambda)$  has ht vector  $v_\lambda \neq 0$   
 $gP_T \mapsto [gv_\lambda]$

(ii)  $\text{Im } i_\lambda = \text{Im } m_w^\lambda$  where  $m_w^\lambda : \underline{Z}_w \xrightarrow{m_w^\lambda} P(V)$   
 $[P_1, \dots, P_n] \mapsto [P_1 \cdots P_n v_\lambda]$

(iii)  $m_w^\lambda$  is a morphism of ind-var.

(iv)  $i_\lambda(X^T)$  is closed in  $\mathbb{P}(V)$  as the img of a proj. var. under a morphism  
 $\underline{Z}_w \quad m_w^\lambda$

Moreover  $X^T(\lambda)$  is irreduc. since  $\underline{Z}_w$  is irreduc.

(sketch of pf)

(i) WTS  $[s_i v_\lambda] = [v_\lambda] \iff i \in T$

Since  $s_i v_\lambda \in V_{s_i(\lambda)}$ , it follows from  $\lambda \in D_T^0$ ,

(iii) Any countable-dim'l  $V$  wr basis  $\{e_i\}$  is an ind-var.

with fil'n  $(V_i)_i$  where  $V_i = \{ \sum_j c_j e_j \mid c_j = 0 \vee j > i \}$ ,  
so is  $P(V)$

• Since  $V = L^{\max}(\lambda)$  is a pro-repn of  $G$ ,

$\forall \{ \text{fd subsp } M \subseteq V, \exists \{ \text{fd } P_j \text{-submod } M' \text{ s.t. } P_j / U_j(k) \times M' \rightarrow M' \}_{j \geq 0} \}$   
 $(P, m) \mapsto P.m$   
is a morphism

Iteration of this  $\Rightarrow$

(\*)  $\forall \text{ fd subsp } M \subseteq V, \exists \{ \text{fd subsp } M' \subseteq V \text{ s.t. }$

$\overline{\theta} : P_w / U_w(k) \times M \rightarrow M'$  is a morphism  
 $(\bar{P}_1, \dots, \bar{P}_n, m) \mapsto P_1 \cdots P_n.m$

It then follows using (\*) + principal bundle  $P_w / U_w(k) \xrightarrow{\theta} \underline{Z}_w$

Next, we endow  $X^T$  an ind-var struc  $X^T(\lambda)$  wr fil'n  $X_0 \subset X_1 \subset \dots$  where

$$X^T := \coprod_{\substack{w \in W_T \\ \ell(w) \leq n}} B_w P_T / P_T = \bigcup_{\ell(z) \leq n} X_z^T$$

is a proj var since  $X_z^T$  are proj.

Moreover,  $i_\lambda : X^T(\lambda) \hookrightarrow \mathbb{P}(V)$  is a closed embedding of ind-var.

We will now analyze the dependence of  $X_z^T(\lambda)$  on  $\lambda \in D_T^0$

Fact: Let  $\lambda \in W^Y$ .

- (a) Zariski topology on  $X_\bullet^Y(\lambda)$  doesn't dep on  $\lambda$ ,  $\bullet = \pm$  or  $n$ .
- (b) For  $\lambda \in D_Y^0$ ,  $\mu \in \text{Def}_{\mathbb{Z}}^*$  s.t.  $\mu(\lambda_i) = 0 \quad \forall i \in Y$ ,  
the identity map  $I_\bullet: X_\bullet^Y(\lambda + \mu) \rightarrow X_\bullet^Y(\lambda)$  is a (biregular) isom.

$\Rightarrow$  Proj variety struc on  $X_\bullet^Y(\lambda)$  is indep of choice of  $\lambda \in D_Y^0$   
and hence we can drop the  $(\lambda)$ .

Rmk

In Kumar's book, proof of (b) is only given for symmetrizable  $\mathfrak{g}$ .

For an arbitrary  $\mathfrak{g}$ , the proof can be found in [Kumar'89, Mathieu'89].

However, one can still define a stable variety struc. on  $X_\bullet^Y$   
using  $X_\bullet^Y(\lambda)$  for a "large enough"  $\lambda \in D_Y^0$ .

$\Rightarrow$  Proj ind-variety struc on  $X^Y$  is indep of choice of  $\lambda \in D_Y^0$

Rmk

The proj ind-var struc of  $X^Y$  is realized by

- [KL'80, Lu'83] in the affine case
- [Tits'82, Slodowy'84] for Kac-Moody case

## 7.2. Line bundles on $X^Y$

Recall that the tautological line bundle on  $\mathbb{P}(V)$  is ,

$$\mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{L}_V \xrightarrow{\pi} \mathbb{P}(V) \quad \text{where } \mathcal{L}_V := \{(x, l) \in V \times \mathbb{P}(V) \mid x \in l\}$$

$$(x, l) \mapsto l$$

$i_Y: X^Y \hookrightarrow \mathbb{P}(V)$  is a morphism for  $V = L^{\text{max}}(\lambda)$ ,  $\lambda \in D_Y^0$

Define the algebraic line bundle on  $X^Y$  as the pullback bundle, for  $\lambda \in D_Y^0$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{C} & \longrightarrow & \mathcal{L}_V \xrightarrow{\text{proj}_2} \mathbb{P}(V) \quad [g.v] \\ & & \uparrow \text{proj}_{2,3} \quad \circlearrowleft \quad \downarrow i_{\lambda} \quad \uparrow \\ & & [\mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{L}^Y(-\lambda) := i_{\lambda}^*(\mathcal{L}_V) \xrightarrow{\text{proj}_1} X^Y \quad | \quad g_{\mathcal{P}_Y}] \end{array}$$

$$\{ (g_{\mathcal{P}_Y}, x, l) \in X^Y \times V \times \mathbb{P}(V) \mid x \in l = [g.v] \}$$

We can define  $\mathcal{L}^Y(\lambda)$  for  $\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_{\mathbb{Z}, Y}^* := \{ \lambda \in \mathbb{F}_{\mathbb{Z}}^* \mid \langle \lambda, \alpha_i^\vee \rangle \begin{cases} \in \mathbb{Z} & \forall i \\ = 0 & \text{if } i \notin Y \end{cases} \}$

in general for such  $\lambda = \lambda_1 - \lambda_2$  for some  $\lambda_i \in D_Y^0$

e.g.

$\mathfrak{g} = \text{affine rank 2, } T = \{1\}$

$$D_T^0 = \{ \lambda = c_2 \bar{\omega}_2 + c_0 \delta \mid c_2 \neq 0, c_i \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0} \}$$

$$\mathbb{F}_{\mathbb{Z}, Y}^* = \{ \lambda = c_2 \bar{\omega}_2 + c_0 \delta \mid c_i \in \mathbb{Z} \}$$

say,  $\lambda = -\bar{\omega}_2 \in \mathbb{F}_{\mathbb{Z}, Y}^*$  can be expressed as  $\lambda_1 - \lambda_2$  with  $\lambda_1 = \bar{\omega}_2 \in D_T^0$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 2\bar{\omega}_2$

Fact: For  $\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_{\mathbb{Z}, Y}^*$ , the alg line bundle

$\mathcal{L}^Y(\lambda) := \mathcal{L}^Y(-\lambda_2) \otimes (\mathcal{L}^Y(-\lambda_1))^*$  for  $\lambda = \lambda_1 - \lambda_2$ ,  $\lambda_i \in D_Y^0$ ,  
is well-defined.

Defn: For  $\lambda \in \mathbb{F}_{\mathbb{Z}, \emptyset}^*$ , denote by  $\underline{\mathcal{L}}_w(\lambda)$  the pullback bundle on  $\underline{Z}_w$  via

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{C} & \longrightarrow & \mathcal{L}^{\emptyset}(\lambda) \longrightarrow G/B \\ & & \uparrow \text{proj}_1 \quad \uparrow m_w := m_w^{\emptyset} \\ & & [\mathbb{C} \rightarrow \underline{\mathcal{L}}_w(\lambda) \xrightarrow{\text{proj}_1} \underline{Z}_w] \\ & & \qquad \qquad \qquad \text{will use in Chp 8.} \\ & & M_w^*(\mathcal{L}^{\emptyset}(\lambda)) \end{array}$$

### §7.3 Study of the group $\mathcal{U}^- := \langle u_\beta \mid \beta \in \Delta^+ \rangle$

Goal:  $\mathcal{U}^-$  has an ind-var struc from  $\mathcal{X}^\phi$ , and is an affine ind-grp  
 $\mathcal{U}^- \curvearrowright$  integrable hwt mod  $V(\lambda)$ ,  $\lambda \in D_{\mathbb{Z}}$

Defn Recall  $\mathcal{X}^\phi$  is an ind-var w/ filtration  $X_0 \subset X_1 \subset \dots$

Identify  $\mathcal{U}^-$  with the image  $\mathcal{U}^- \hookrightarrow \mathcal{X}^\phi$  from Chp 6  
 $g \mapsto gB$

$\Rightarrow \mathcal{U}^-$  is an ind-var w/ filtn  $\mathcal{U}_0 \subset \mathcal{U}_1 \subset \dots$  where  $\mathcal{U}_i = \mathcal{U}^- \cap X_i$

Fact  $\overset{(a)}{\mathcal{U}^-}$  is an affine ind-grp (i.e.  $\mathcal{U}^- \times \mathcal{U}^- \rightarrow \mathcal{U}^-$  is a morphism)  
 $(x, y) \mapsto xy^{-1}$

(b) For  $k \geq 1$ ,  $\exists$  ind-grp morphism

$$i(k): \mathcal{U}^- \longrightarrow \widehat{\mathcal{U}}^{-(k)} := \widehat{\mathcal{U}}^- / \widehat{\mathcal{U}}^-(k), \quad u_\beta \mapsto \overline{\text{Exp}(u_\beta)}.$$

pro-Lie alg

where  $\widehat{\mathcal{U}}^-$  = pro-unip pro-grp with Lie  $\widehat{\mathcal{U}}^- = \widehat{n}^- = \prod_{\alpha \in \Delta^-} \mathfrak{g}_\alpha$

$$\widehat{\mathcal{U}}^-(k) = \text{Exp}(\widehat{n}^-(k)) \text{ and } \widehat{n}^-(k) := \prod_{\substack{\alpha \in \Delta^- \\ h + \alpha \geq k}} \mathfrak{g}_\alpha \cong \widehat{n}^-$$

In fact,  $\exists m = m(k)$  s.t.  $i(k)(\mathcal{U}_m) = \widehat{\mathcal{U}}^{-(k)}$

(c) Let  $\lambda \in D_{\mathbb{Z}}$ ,  $V = V(\lambda)$ : int. hwt  $\mathfrak{g}$ -mod /  $G$ -mod.

The res'n of  $G \times V \rightarrow V$  induces a morphism of ind-varieties

$$\mathcal{U}^- \times V \rightarrow V, \text{ i.e.,}$$

$V$  is an algebraic repn of the ind-grp  $\mathcal{U}^-$

### §7.4 Kac-Peterson's $G^{\min}$

Recall  $G$  = amalgamated product of  $B, N, P_i \approx$  "maximal KM grp"

Define  $G^{\min} = \langle u_\alpha, T \mid \alpha \in \Delta^+ \rangle$  where  $T = \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{Z}}(\mathfrak{f}_{\mathbb{Z}}^*, \mathbb{C}^*)$

#### Fact

(a)  $(G^{\min}, B^{\min}, N, S)$  is a Tits system  
 where  $B^{\min} = B \cap G^{\min}$

$\Rightarrow$  Bruhat decomposn.

(b)  $B^{\min} = \langle u_\alpha, T \mid \alpha \in \Delta^+ \rangle$

$$(i) \text{ Recall } L^{\max}(\lambda) = \frac{M(\lambda)}{M_1(\lambda)} = \frac{U(g) \otimes_{U(B)} \mathbb{C}_\lambda}{\sum_i U(g)(f_i^{\lambda(\alpha_i^\vee)+1} \otimes 1)} \quad \begin{matrix} \checkmark \\ \text{int. hwt mod} \\ \text{w/ hwt vector } v_\lambda \end{matrix}$$

$$\text{Define } L^{\max}(\lambda)^- = \frac{U(g) \otimes_{U(B)} \mathbb{C}_{-\lambda}}{\sum_i U(g)(f_i^{\lambda(\alpha_i^\vee)+1} \otimes 1)} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{max'l lowest weight mod} \\ \text{w/ hwt vector } v_\lambda^* \\ \text{fund. wts} \end{matrix}$$

For any finite  $\Lambda \subset D_{\mathbb{Z}}$ , let  $\bar{\Lambda} = \Lambda \sqcup \{\overline{\alpha_i}\}$  and

$$\psi: G^{\min} \rightarrow \bigoplus_{\lambda \in \bar{\Lambda}} (L^{\max}(\lambda) \oplus L^{\max}(\lambda)^-) = V_{\bar{\Lambda}}$$

$$g \mapsto \sum_{\lambda \in \bar{\Lambda}} (g v_\lambda + g v_\lambda^*) \quad \text{std opp. Borel } B^- = T.U^-$$

$$\text{For } m \geq 0, \text{ let } G_m^{\min} := \left( \bigcup_{\ell(w) \leq m} B^{\min} w B^{\min} \right) \cap \left( \bigcup_{\ell(w) \leq m} B^- w B^- \right)$$

Fact (c)  $\psi(G_m^{\min})$  is closed in  $V_{\bar{\Lambda}}$   $\forall m \geq 0$

$\Rightarrow G^{\min}$  has an affine ind-var struc  $G^{\min}(\Lambda)$  w/ filtn  $(G_m^{\min})_{m \geq 0}$

$\Rightarrow \exists$  "large enough"  $\Lambda$  and hence define the stable ind-var struc

(d) Module maps  $m^\pm: G^{\min} \times L^{\max}(\lambda)^\pm \rightarrow L^{\max}(\lambda)^\pm$  are morphisms of ind-var.

(e)  $G^{\min}$  is an affine ind-grp

Rmk Many of these are announced w/o pf's in [Kac-Peterson '83]