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Abstract

We introduce the basic symplectic invariants of singular curves and surfaces: symplectic codimension, symplectic codimension, symplectic defect and the number of isotropic double points. Their algebraic representations are constructed and relations between these invariants are derived. For isotropic multigerms of maps from \mathbb{C}^2 to \mathbb{C}^4 the number of open umbrellas as a new invariant is introduced and its relation with Segre number of the image variety is found.

1 Introduction

We consider the classification problem for mappings to the symplectic space. The symplectomorphism classification problem is motivated naturally from Hamilton dynamics, the theory of differential equations, and differential geometry. For instance, the symplectic classification of Hamilton-Jacobi equations $V \subset T^*\mathbf{R}^n = \mathbf{R}^{2n}$ is of importance in the theory of first order PDE. Even for second order PDE, our classification problem appears in the study of singularities for generalized geometric solutions to symplectic Monge-Ampère equations: Given an n-form Ω on $T^*\mathbf{R}^n = \mathbf{R}^{2n}$, $f: (\mathbf{R}^n, 0) \to (T^*\mathbf{R}^n, 0)$ is called a generalized geometric solution to the Monge-Ampère equation associated to Ω if $f^*\omega = 0$, $f^*\Omega = 0$. For example, for the MA-equation Hessian = constant, we take $\Omega = c \cdot dx_1 \wedge \cdots \wedge dx_n - dp_1 \wedge \cdots \wedge dp_n$. Moreover, the investigation of singularities of special Lagrangian varieties requires the basic symplectic singularity theory of parametrized Lagrangian varieties (cf. [6]).

Let $\omega = \sum_{i=1}^n dp_i \wedge dx_i$ be the standard symplectic form on $\mathbf{K}^{2n} = T^*\mathbf{K}^n$, where $\mathbf{K} = \mathbf{R}$ or \mathbf{C} . Mappings are assumed to be real analytic or C^{∞} for $\mathbf{K} = \mathbf{R}$ and complex analytic for $\mathbf{K} = \mathbf{C}$. Multi-germs $f: (\mathbf{K}^m, S) \to (\mathbf{K}^{2n}, 0)$ and $f': (\mathbf{K}^m, S') \to (\mathbf{K}^{2n}, 0)$ to the symplectic space are called *symplectomorphic* (resp. *diffeomorphic*) if the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (\mathbf{K}^m,S) & \stackrel{f}{\longrightarrow} & (\mathbf{K}^{2n},0) \\ \sigma \downarrow & & \downarrow \tau \\ (\mathbf{K}^m,S') & \stackrel{f'}{\longrightarrow} & (\mathbf{K}^{2n},0) \end{array}$$

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is commutative for some diffeomorphism-germ σ and some symplectomorphism-germ τ , $\tau^*\omega = \omega$ (resp. a diffeomorphism-germ τ). Here S, S' are finite sets.

For a map-germ $f: (\mathbf{K}^m, S) \to (\mathbf{K}^{2n}, 0)$, the diffeomorphism class of the pull-back form $f^*\omega$ on (\mathbf{K}^m, S) of the symplectic form ω is an obvious symplectic invariant of f: If f and f' are symplectomorphic, then $f^*\omega$ and $f'^*\omega$ are diffeomorphic, that is, for a diffeomorphism $\sigma: (\mathbf{K}^m, S) \to (\mathbf{K}^m, S')$, we have $\sigma^*(f'^*\omega) = f^*\omega$. We call $f^*\omega$ the "geometric restriction" of ω by f. In this connection, we mention a theorem which contains the classical Darboux theorem as the special case m=0:

Theorem 1.1 (Darboux-Givental [4]) Two immersion-mono-germs $f, f' : (\mathbf{K}^m, 0) \to (\mathbf{K}^{2n}, 0)$ are symplectomorphic if and only if the geometric restrictions $f^*\omega$ and $f'^*\omega'$ are diffeomorphic.

Thus in the non-singular case (the case of immersion-mono-germs), the classification problem is reduced to that of the geometric restrictions of the symplectic form to the sources. Note that the pull-backs of symplectic forms are not arbitrary. To explain this, recall the standard notions: A submanifold M in the symplectic space $(\mathbf{K}^{2n}, \omega)$ is called coisotropic (resp. isotropic, symplectic) if the skew-orthogonal in \mathbf{K}^{2n} to each tangent space T_pM , $p \in M$, to M contains T_pM (resp. the geometric restriction $\omega|_M$ is zero, $\omega|_M$ is symplectic). By the classical Darboux theorem, for a coisotropic submanifold, the local diffeomorphism class of the geometric restriction $\omega|_M$ is determined by just the dimension of M. Moreover, we know that a non-singular hypersurface is coisotropic. Then we have

Corollary 1.2 All non-singular hypersurface-germs in \mathbf{K}^{2n} are symplectomorphic. All coisotropic (resp. isotropic, symplectic) submanifold-germs of fixed dimension in \mathbf{K}^{2n} are symplectomorphic.

Note that all immersion-germs on a fixed dimensional source are diffeomorphic in our sense. Therefore the symplectic classification is very different from the differential classification.

In the *singular case*, however, even if f and f' are diffeomorphic and $f^*\omega$ and $f'^*\omega$ are diffeomorphic, f and f' are not necessarily symplectomorphic.

In fact, in the case m=n=1 for planar mono-curves $(\mathbf{K},0) \to (\mathbf{K}^2,0)$, we have given both symplectic and differential exact classifications of differentially uni-modal plane curve singularities, and clarified the difference between the differential and symplectic classifications ([24][26]). For the classification of curves $(m=1, n \geq 2)$, see [2][3][30][10][9].

A mapping f is called *isotropic* if $f^*\omega = 0$, that is, if $\sum_{i=1}^n d(p_i \circ f) \wedge d(x_i \circ f) = 0$. If m = 1, then any germ $f : (\mathbf{K}, S) \to (\mathbf{K}^{2n}, 0)$ is isotropic. Moreover if $f : \mathbf{K}^n \to \mathbf{K}^{2n}, m = n$, then we often call isotropic f Lagrangian.

In the case m=n=2, we have

Theorem 1.3 ([21]) Let $f: (\mathbf{K}^2, 0) \to (\mathbf{K}^4, 0)$ be isotropic. Suppose f is diffeomorphic to

$$f_{\text{ou}}(t, u) = \left(t^2, u, ut, \frac{2}{3}t^3\right) = (p_1, p_2, x_1, x_2).$$

Then f is symplectomorphic to f_{ou} (Darboux-type theorem). Moreover for any n there exists a class of open umbrellas characterised by the symplectic structural stability, and for them the Darboux-type theorem holds.

A generalization of the Darboux-Givental theorem to the singular case is given in.

Theorem 1.4 (Domitrz, Janeczko, Zhitomirskii, [10], 2006) For any $N, N' \subset \mathbf{K}^{2n}$ quasi-homogeneous, N and N' are symplectomorphic if and only if the algebraic restrictions $[\omega]_N$ and $[\omega]_{N'}$ are diffeomorphic.

The algebraic restriction $[\omega]_N$ is defined as the residue class of ω modulo the differential ideal generated by the functions vanishing on N. Though the direct calculation of the algebraic restriction for the open umbrella is not straightforward, we have via Theorem 1.3 the following:

Corollary 1.5 The algebraic restrictions of two symplectic forms with zero geometric restrictions to an open umbrella are diffeomorphic to each other.

Roughly classifying the classification problems in the presence of various geometric structures, we observe that there are, at least, two types:

- (V) Classification of mappings and varieties, and
- (D) Classification of differential forms and dynamical systems.

For classifications of type (V), we have finite lists of simplest objects and finite dimensional moduli for complicated objects. Moreover the finite determinacy holds, except for an infinite codimensional set of objects.

On the other hand, for classifications of type (D), we have finite lists of simplest objects, but functional moduli for complicated objects. The finite determinacy does not hold for objects of finite codimension.

Therefore, we ask whether our symplectic classification problem falls into type (V) or (D).

Actually, this depends on the class of mappings we treat: The classification of isotropic (or Lagrangian) varieties (or mappings) under symplectomorphisms falls into type (V), and, in fact, several finiteness theorems are proved for them [22][24][25][26]. These results clarify the difference between geometric and algebraic restrictions.

For the classification problem of singularities, the notion of *codimension* is the most basic one to measure the complexity or degeneracy of singularities. For instance, the classification of a class of singularities of mappings proceeds from small codimension to large. In general, for a map-germ $f: (\mathbf{K}^n, S) \to (\mathbf{K}^p, 0)$, the \mathcal{A}_e -codimension of f is defined by

$$\mathcal{A}_{e}\text{-}\mathrm{cod}(f) = \dim_{\mathbf{K}} V_{f}/[f_{*}(V_{S}) + (V_{p}) \circ f],$$

the dimension of the quotient of the infinitesimal deformations of f by those induced from right-left equivalences [32][38]. We often write $\operatorname{cod}(f) = \mathcal{A}_e\operatorname{-cod}(f)$ briefly. The codimension $\mathcal{A}_e\operatorname{-cod}(f)$ is finite if and only if f is finitely $\mathcal{A}\operatorname{-determined}$. Moreover the

codimension is estimated by other geometric invariants such as 0-stable invariants in terms of "disentanglement" ([28][34][35]). For instance, the \mathcal{A}_e -codimension of an \mathcal{A} -finite germ $f: (\mathbf{C}, S) \to (\mathbf{C}^2, 0)$ is estimated as

$$\mathcal{A}_{e}\text{-}\operatorname{cod}(f) \leq \delta(f) - r + 1, \quad \cdots (*)$$

where r = #S, and equality holds if and only if f is quasi-homogeneous ([36]). See also [8][18].

Let $f: (\mathbf{K}^n, S) \to (\mathbf{K}^{2n}, 0)$ be a multi-germ of isotropic mapping (or Lagrangian immersion with singularities). Then we set

$$\operatorname{sp-cod}(f) = \dim_{\mathbf{K}} V I_f / [f_*(V_S) + (V H_{2n}) \circ f],$$

and call it the symplectic codimension (or the symplectic-isotropic codimension) of f: $(\mathbf{K}^n, S) \to (\mathbf{K}^{2n}, 0)$. Here VI_f is the space of infinitesimal isotropic deformations of f:

$$VI_f = \{v : (\mathbf{K}^m, S) \to T\mathbf{K}^{2n} \mid v^* \dot{\omega} = 0, \pi \circ v = f\},\$$

for the natural symplectic lifting $\dot{\omega}$ of ω on $T\mathbf{K}^{2n}$, $\dot{\omega} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} d\varphi_i \wedge dx_i + dp_i \wedge d\xi_i$ for the coordinates $(x, p; \xi, \varphi)$ of $T\mathbf{K}^{2n}$, and $\pi : T\mathbf{K}^{2n} \to \mathbf{K}^{2n}$ is the bundle projection. Moreover we denote by VH_{2n} the space of holomorphic Hamiltonian vector fields over $(\mathbf{K}^{2n}, 0)$, and by V_S the space of holomorphic vector fields over (\mathbf{K}^n, S) . The symplectic codimension sp-cod(f) is regarded as the minimal number of parameters for "the symplectically versal isotropic unfolding" of f, if f is of corank one.

In the case n=1, any planar curve $f:(\mathbf{K},S)\to(\mathbf{K}^2,0)$ is isotropic and the notion of the *symplectic codimension* of f is given by

$$\operatorname{sp-cod}(f) = \dim_{\mathbf{K}} V_f / [f_*(V_S) + (VH_2) \circ f].$$

It is introduced in [24] and shown to be equal to $\delta(f) = \dim_{\mathbf{K}} \mathcal{O}_1/f^*\mathcal{O}_2$, the number of double points, in the case of mono-germs, r = 1. Here \mathcal{O}_n denotes the **K**-algebra of C^{∞} or holomorphic function-germs on $(\mathbf{C}^n, 0)$. The result is easily generalized to multi-germs, for general r, and in fact we have

$$\operatorname{sp-cod}(f) = \delta(f) - r + 1,$$

for a multi-germ $f: (\mathbf{K}, S) \to (\mathbf{K}^2, 0)$. Therefore Mond's formula (*) is rewritten as

$$\mathcal{A}_e$$
-cod $(f) \leq \text{sp-cod}(f),$

and the difference $sd(f) = \operatorname{sp-cod}(f) - \mathcal{A}_e - \operatorname{cod}(f)$ was called the *symplectic defect*, which measures the difference of symplectomorphism and diffeomorphism classifications, i.e. the dimension of the symplectic moduli space. It is also called the *symplectic multiplicity* in [11].

For $n \geq 2$, there is no such simple relation between the \mathcal{A}_e -codimension and the symplectic codimension, because the symplectic-isotropic codimension indicates the codimension in a subspace of map-germs of an orbit of a subgroup of \mathcal{A} . To measure the difference between symplectomorphism equivalence and diffeomorphism equivalence for isotropic map-germs we introduce another symplectic invariant diff-cod(f) = diff-cod_I(f), the differential-isotropic codimension instead of the symplectic-isotropic codimension sp-cod(f) = sp-cod_I(f) of f. Then we set

$$sd(f) = sp\text{-}cod(f) - diff\text{-}cod(f).$$

We give an algebraic description of sd(f) and show that both sp-cod(f) and diff-cod(f) are \mathcal{A} -invariant, hence so is sd(f). Moreover, we show an example of quasi-homogeneous isotropic map-germs $f: (\mathbb{C}^2, 0) \to (\mathbb{C}^4, 0)$ with sd(f) > 0.

In this paper, we also consider new geometric symplectic invariants of isotropic mappings for $\mathbf{K} = \mathbf{C}$. If a multi-germ of isotropic mapping $f: (\mathbf{C}^n, S) \to (\mathbf{C}^{2n}, 0)$ is of corank ≤ 1 , and sp-cod $(f) < \infty$, then f can be perturbed to a symplectically stable isotropic mapping \tilde{f} whose singularities consist of open umbrellas and transverse self-intersection points (double points). See §4. The number of transverse self-intersection points of the perturbation \tilde{f} does not depend on the perturbation. It is called the number of isotropic double points of f and denoted by $\delta_I = \delta_I(f)$.

Note that, for n = 1, $\delta_I(f) = \delta(f)$.

We give a relation between the two symplectic invariants sp-cod(f) = sp-cod $_I(f)$ and $\delta_I(f)$ for isotropic map-germs $f: (\mathbf{C}^n, S) \to (\mathbf{C}^{2n}, 0)$. Moreover, we introduce another invariant $u_I(f)$, the number of open umbrellas, for isotropic map-germs $f: (\mathbf{C}^2, S) \to (\mathbf{C}^4, 0)$ and provide a relation of $\delta_I(f)$ and $u_I(f)$ with the Segre number of the image variety of f using Gaffney's result ([14]).

2 Symplectic invariants of curves

First we consider symplectic classification of planar curves. Let $f: (\mathbf{K}, S) \to (\mathbf{K}^2, 0)$ be a multi-germ of planar curve. We assume that the base point set S consists of r points.

Theorem 2.1 Let $f: (\mathbf{K}, S) \to (\mathbf{K}^2, 0)$ be an \mathcal{A} -finite plane curve with r components. Then $\operatorname{sp-cod}(f)$ and $\delta(f)$ are both finite and we have

$$\operatorname{sp-cod}(f) = \delta(f) - r + 1,$$

where r = #S and $\delta(f) = \dim_{\mathbf{C}} \mathcal{O}_S / f^* \mathcal{O}_2$, the number of double points of a stable perturbation of f.

Proof: We denote by $J_S \subset \mathcal{O}_S$ the ideal of \mathcal{O}_S consisting of the functions which vanish on S, the Jacobson radical of \mathcal{O}_S . If $S = \{x_0\}$, r = 1, then $J_S = m_{x_0} \subset \mathcal{O}_{x_0}$, the unique maximal ideal. For each $v = v_1 \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \circ f\right) + v_2 \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial p} \circ f\right) \in V_f$, we take the unique function $h \in J_S$ ("generating function") such that

$$dh = v_2 d(x \circ f) - v_1 d(p \circ f) \ (= v^* \dot{\theta}),$$

the pull-back of the Louville 1-form on $T\mathbf{K}^2$ by $v:(\mathbf{K},S)\to T\mathbf{K}^2\cong T^*\mathbf{K}^2$. Then the generating function h belongs to

$$\mathcal{R}_f = \{ h \in \mathcal{O}_S \mid dh \in \langle d(x \circ f), d(p \circ f) \rangle_{\mathcal{O}_S} \}.$$

Thus we have a linear mapping $e: V_f \to \mathcal{R}_f \cap J_S$. Clearly the mapping e is surjective. Moreover we have $e|_{f_*(V_S)} = 0$ and $e(X_H \circ f) = (H - H(0)) \circ f$, for the Hamiltonian vector field X_H with the Hamiltonian $H \in \mathcal{O}_2$. Then we have an exact sequence of vector spaces

$$0 \to \frac{V_f'}{f_*(V_S)} \to \frac{V_f}{f_*(V_S) + (VH_2) \circ f} \to \frac{\mathcal{R}_f \cap J_S}{f^*m_2} \to 0,$$

where V_f' is the space of vector fields along f having zero generating functions.

Let $S = \{s_1, \ldots, s_r\}$. Denote by f_i the germ of f at s_i . Assume that the order of f_i at s_i is equal to k_i . Then we have $V'_f/f_*(V_S) \cong \bigoplus_{i=1}^r V'_{f_i}/f_{i*}(V_{s_i})$ and it has dimension $\sum_{i=1}^r (k_i - 1)$ over \mathbf{K} . On the other hand $\mathcal{O}_S/(\mathcal{R}_f \cap J_S) \cong \bigoplus_{i=1}^r \mathcal{O}_{s_i}/m_{s_i}^{k_i}$ and it has dimension $\sum_{i=1}^r k_i$ over \mathbf{K} . Thus we have

$$\operatorname{sp-cod}(f) = \dim_{\mathbf{K}} \frac{V_f}{f_*(V_S) + (VH_2) \circ f}$$

$$= \dim_{\mathbf{K}} \frac{V_f'}{f_*(V_S)} + \dim_{\mathbf{K}} \frac{\mathcal{R}_f \cap J_S}{f^*m_2}$$

$$= \dim_{\mathbf{K}} \frac{\mathcal{O}_S}{\mathcal{R}_f \cap J_S} - r + \dim_{\mathbf{K}} \frac{\mathcal{R}_f \cap J_S}{f^*m_2}$$

$$= \dim_{\mathbf{K}} \frac{\mathcal{O}_S}{f^*m_2} - r = \dim_{\mathbf{K}} \frac{\mathcal{O}_S}{f^*\mathcal{O}_2} - r + 1 = \delta(f) - r + 1.$$

Remark 2.2 If we set

$$\mathcal{G}_f = \{ h \in \mathcal{O}_S \mid dh \in \langle d(x \circ f), d(p \circ f) \rangle_{f^* \mathcal{O}_2} \},$$

then we have

$$\mathcal{A}_{e}\text{-}\mathrm{cod}(f) = \dim_{\mathbf{K}} \frac{\mathcal{O}_{S}}{\mathcal{G}_{f}}.$$

Moreover

$$\operatorname{sd}(f) = \dim_{\mathbf{K}} \frac{\mathcal{G}_f}{f^* \mathcal{O}_2} - r + 1.$$

Note that \mathcal{O}_S , \mathcal{R}_f and \mathcal{G}_f are defined via the exterior derivative and any locally constant functions belong to them, which is not the case for $f^*\mathcal{O}_2$.

Considering the symplectomorphism equivalence, we have given the classification of uni-modal planar curve-germs and we observe that there exists the difference (or "quotient") between differential and symplectic classifications:

Theorem 2.3 [26] For planar curves $f: (\mathbf{K}, 0) \to (\mathbf{K}^2, 0)$, symplectic moduli appear from diff-codim = 5 on (E_{12}) ; while differential moduli appear from diff-codim = 8 on (N_{20}) .

We can say that symplectic moduli appear earlier than differential moduli.

In general, for each homeomorphism class of planar curves, the symplectic moduli space is mapped canonically onto the differential moduli space. The dimension of the fiber over a diffeomorphism class [f] equals $\mathrm{sd}(f)$. It is known that $\mathrm{sd}(f) = \mu(f) - \tau(f)$, where $\mu(f) = 2\delta(f)$ is the Milnor number of f and $\tau(f)$ is the Tyurina number of f ([37][31][10]). Let s(f) be the symplectic modality, that is, the number of parameters in the symplectic normal form of f. Moreover let c(f) be the codimension of the locus in the parameter space corresponding to germs diffeomorphic to f. Then $s(f) - c(f) = \mathrm{sd}(f)$. Thus we have the formula, even for multi-germs, for the Tyurina number (by means of Varchenko-Lando's formula):

$$\tau(f) = 2\delta(f) + c(f) - s(f).$$

For a detailed symplectic classification of planar-mono-germs see [26].

3 Symplectic-isotropic codimension

Let κ be a germ of 2-form on (\mathbf{K}^m, S) , S being finite. Then we denote by $\mathcal{O}_{m,2n}^{\kappa}$ the set of map-germs $f: (\mathbf{K}^m, S) \to (\mathbf{K}^{2n}, 0)$ with the geometric restriction $f^*\omega = \kappa$.

A deformation f_t of $f_0 = f \in \mathcal{O}_{m,2n}^{\kappa}$ is called *isotropic* if $f_t \in \mathcal{O}_{m,2n}^{\kappa}$, i.e. $f_t^* \omega = f^* \omega$ (= κ). Then we set

$$\operatorname{sp-cod}(f) = \dim_{\mathbf{C}} VI_f / [f_*(V_{S,\kappa}) + (VH_{2n}) \circ f],$$

and call it the symplectic codimension (or the symplectic-isotropic codimension) of f: $(\mathbf{C}^m, S) \to (\mathbf{C}^{2n}, 0)$. Here we set

$$V_{S,\kappa} = \{ \xi \in V_S \mid L_{\xi}\kappa = 0 \},$$

the space of vector fields which leave κ invariant. Note that $V_{S,\kappa} = V_S$ if $\kappa = 0$.

Example 3.1 A map-germ $f: (\mathbf{K}^m, S) \to (\mathbf{K}^{2n}, 0)$ to the symplectic space $(\mathbf{K}^{2n}, \omega)$ is called *coisotropic* if $m \geq n$ and f lifts to an isotropic mapping $\tilde{f}: (\mathbf{K}^m, S) \to (\mathbf{K}^{2n} \times \mathbf{K}^{2k}, 0) = (\mathbf{K}^{2m}, 0)$, with k = m - n. Here we regard \mathbf{K}^{2m} as a symplectic space with the symplectic form $\omega \ominus \eta = \pi_1^* \omega - \pi_2^* \eta$ for the canonical symplectic form η of $\mathbf{K}^{2k} = T^* \mathbf{K}^k$ and projections $\pi_1: \mathbf{K}^{2n} \times \mathbf{K}^{2k} \to \mathbf{K}^{2n}$, $\pi_2: \mathbf{K}^{2n} \times \mathbf{K}^{2k} \to \mathbf{K}^{2k}$. A germ f is coisotropic if and only if $f^*\omega = g^*\eta$ for some $g: (\mathbf{K}^m, S) \to (\mathbf{K}^{2k}, 0)$. A coisotropic map-germ $f: (\mathbf{K}^m, S) \to (\mathbf{K}^{2n}, 0)$ is a *coisotropic map-germ with regular reduction* if g can be taken to be a submersion. Then $\kappa = g^*\eta$ is of constant rank and the *coisotropic deformation* of f is investigated by studying the space $\mathcal{O}_{m,2n}^{\kappa}$. The *characteristic foliation* \mathcal{F}_f is generated by the kernel field defined by $f^*\omega = g^*\eta$. Then any vector field in $V_{S,\kappa}$ preserves \mathcal{F}_f .

Now, for an isotropic $f: (\mathbf{K}^n, S) \to (\mathbf{K}^{2n}, 0)$, we define

$$\operatorname{diff-cod}(f) = \dim_{\mathbf{K}} \frac{VI_f}{f_*(V_S) + (V_{2n} \circ f) \cap VI_f},$$

while

$$\operatorname{sp-cod}(f) = \dim_{\mathbf{C}} \frac{VI_f}{f_*(V_S) + VH_{2n} \circ f},$$

and

$$\mathcal{A}_{e}\text{-}\mathrm{cod}(f) = \dim_{\mathbf{C}} \frac{V_f}{f_*(V_S) + V_{2n} \circ f}.$$

Moreover we set

$$\operatorname{sd}(f) = \operatorname{sp-cod}(f) - \operatorname{diff-cod}(f) \quad (\geq 0),$$

the symplectic defect or symplectic multiplicity of f.

Note that, for n=1, we have $VI_f=V_f$: any infinitesimal deformation is isotropic.

We define subspaces $\mathcal{O}_S \supseteq \mathcal{R}_f \supseteq \mathcal{G}_f \supseteq f^*\mathcal{O}_{2n}$ by

$$\mathcal{R}_f = \{ e \in \mathcal{O}_S \mid de \in \mathcal{O}_S \cdot f^*(\Omega_{2n}^1) \},$$

$$\mathcal{G}_f = \{ e \in \mathcal{O}_S \mid de \in f^*(\Omega_{2n}^1) \},$$

where de is the exterior differential of the function e, Ω_{2n}^1 is the space of holomorphic 1-forms on $(\mathbf{C}^{2n}, 0)$. Then we have algebraic formulae for symplectic invariants.

Theorem 3.2 ([25], r = 1). Let $n \ge 2$. Let $f : (\mathbf{C}^n, S) \to (\mathbf{C}^{2n}, 0)$ be isotropic. If f is a normalization of its image and the codimension of non-immersive locus $\operatorname{cod}_{\mathbf{C}}\Sigma(f) \ge 2$, then

$$\operatorname{sp-cod}(f) = \dim_{\mathbf{K}} \frac{\mathcal{R}_f}{f^* \mathcal{O}_{2n}} - r + 1,$$

$$\operatorname{diff-cod}(f) = \dim_{\mathbf{K}} \frac{\mathcal{R}_f}{\mathcal{G}_f},$$

$$\operatorname{sd}(f) = \dim_{\mathbf{K}} \frac{\mathcal{G}_f}{f^* \mathcal{O}_{2n}} - r + 1,$$

where r = #S.

Proof: We refer to the proof of Theorem 2.1 in the case n = 1. Each isotropic vector field $v \in VI_f$ has the unique generating function $h \in \mathcal{R}_f \cap J_S$ such that $dh = v^*\dot{\theta}$. If we denote by VI'_f is the space of isotropic vector fields with zero generating function, we have the exact sequence

$$0 \to VI'_f \to VI_f \to \mathcal{R}_f \cap J_S \to 0,$$

which induces the exact sequence

$$0 \to \frac{VI_f'}{f_*(V_S)} \to \frac{VI_f}{f_*(V_S) + (VH_{2n}) \circ f} \to \frac{\mathcal{R}_f \cap J_S}{f^*m_{2n}} \to 0.$$

Since the singular locus of f is of codimension ≥ 2 , we have $VI'_f = f_*(V_S)$. Thus we see that

$$\frac{VI_f}{f_*(V_S) + (VH_{2n}) \circ f} \cong \frac{\mathcal{R}_f \cap J_S}{f^*m_{2n}}.$$

We claim that

$$\dim_{\mathbf{K}} \frac{\mathcal{R}_f \cap J_S}{f^* m_{2n}} = \dim_{\mathbf{K}} \frac{\mathcal{R}_f}{f^* \mathcal{O}_{2n}} - r + 1.$$

In fact, we consider the linear map $\mathcal{R}_f \to \mathbf{K}^r = \{S \to \mathbf{K}\}$ defined by $h \mapsto h|_S$, and the induced exact sequence

$$0 \to \mathcal{R}_f \cap J_S \to \mathcal{R}_f \to \mathbf{K}^r \to 0.$$

The last sequence induces the exact sequence

$$0 \to \frac{\mathcal{R}_f \cap J_S}{f^* m_{2n}} \to \frac{\mathcal{R}_f}{f^* \mathcal{O}_{2n}} \to \mathbf{K}^r / \mathbf{K} \cong \mathbf{K}^{r-1} \to 0,$$

where \mathbf{K}^r/\mathbf{K} is the quotient by the diagonal translations.

An isotropic vector field v along f belongs to $(V_{2n} \circ f) \cap VI_f$ if and only if its generating function belongs to $\mathcal{G}_f \cap J_S$. Furthermore any element of $\mathcal{G}_f \cap J_S$ is a generating function of $(V_{2n} \circ f) \cap VI_f$. Therefore we have

$$\frac{VI_f}{f_*(V_S) + (V_{2n} \circ f) \cap VI_f} \cong \frac{\mathcal{R}_f \cap J_S}{\mathcal{G}_f \cap J_S}.$$

Moreover we see that the inclusion $\mathcal{R}_f \cap J_S \to \mathcal{R}_f$ induces an isomorphism

$$\frac{\mathcal{R}_f \cap J_S}{\mathcal{G}_f \cap J_S} \cong \frac{\mathcal{R}_f}{\mathcal{G}_f}.$$

Thus we have the remaining equalities.

Since $\mathcal{R}_f, \mathcal{G}_f$ are defined independently of the symplectic structure, we have:

Corollary 3.3 For isotropic map-germs $f: (\mathbf{K}^n, S) \to (\mathbf{K}^{2n}, 0)$, sp-cod(f) and diff-cod(f) are differential invariants. Namely, if f, f' are diffeomorphic, then sp-cod(f) = sp-cod(f') and diff-cod(f) = diff-cod(f').

4 Symplectic codimension and double points

We recall the Artin-Nagata formula (Mumford's formula) [5]: For an \mathcal{A} -finite map-germ $f: X = (\mathbf{C}^n, S) \to Y = (\mathbf{C}^{2n}, 0)$, the number of double points is given by $\delta(f) = \frac{1}{2} \dim_{\mathbf{C}} \epsilon$, where $\epsilon = \text{Ker}(\mathcal{O}_{X \times_Y X} \to \mathcal{O}_X)$ is the kernel of the induced morphism from the diagonal map $X \to X \times_Y X$ to the fiber product of f. For a map-germ $f: (\mathbf{C}^n, 0) \to (\mathbf{C}^{2n}, 0)$, we have as in [14]:

$$\delta(f) = \dim_{\mathbf{C}} \frac{\langle x_1 - \tilde{x}_1, \dots, x_n - \tilde{x}_n \rangle_{\mathcal{O}_{2n}}}{\langle f_1(x) - f_1(\tilde{x}), \dots, f_{2n}(x) - f_{2n}(\tilde{x}) \rangle_{\mathcal{O}_{2n}}}$$

Also we have $\delta(f) = \frac{1}{2} \dim_{\mathbf{C}} \mathcal{O}_X \otimes_{f^*\mathcal{O}_Y} (\mathcal{O}_X/f^*\mathcal{O}_Y)$.

For $n \geq 2$, the inequality $\mathcal{A}_{e}\text{-}\mathrm{cod}(f) \leq \delta(f) - r + 1$ does not hold in general.

Example 4.1 ([5]): Let $f: (\mathbf{C}^2, S) \to (\mathbf{C}^4, 0)$ be an immersion whose image consists of three planes intersecting transversely to each other at $0 \in \mathbf{C}^4$. Then $\mathcal{A}_e\text{-cod}(f) = 2$, $\delta(f) = 3$, #S = r = 3,

Originally, the above Mumford example is for $\delta(f) \neq \dim_{\mathbf{C}} \mathcal{O}_n/f^*(\mathcal{O}_{2n})$. In fact, $\dim_{\mathbf{C}} \mathcal{O}_n/f^*(\mathcal{O}_{2n}) = 4$ for that example.

On the other hand, Gaffney [14] showed the following: For an A-finite map-germ $f: (\mathbf{C}^n, 0) \to (\mathbf{C}^{2n}, 0)$,

$$\delta(f) = \frac{1}{2} \left[\operatorname{Segre}_{2n} \langle f_1(x) - f_1(\tilde{x}), \dots, f_{2n}(x) - f_{2n}(\tilde{x}) \rangle_{\mathcal{O}_{2n}} - \operatorname{Whitney}(\pi \circ f : (\mathbf{C}^n, 0) \to (\mathbf{C}^{2n-1}, 0)) \right],$$

half of [the Segre number of the ideal defining the double points in $\mathcal{O}_{2n} = \mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}^n \times \mathbf{C}^n}$ minus the number of Whitney umbrellas of a generic projection $\pi : \mathbf{C}^n \to \mathbf{C}^{2n-1}$ composed with f].

Now we consider symplectic-isotropic singularities: If an isotropic map-germ $f:(\mathbf{C}^n,S)\to (\mathbf{C}^{2n},0)$ is of corank one and is stable among isotropic perturbations under symplectomorphisms, then f is symplectomorphic to an *open umbrella*, which can be explicitly represented as a polynomial normal form, and projects to the Whitney umbrella [21]. Note that, though the result was stated in the real C^∞ case, even in the holomorphic and local case, similar results follow.

If an isotropic map-germ $f:(\mathbf{C}^n,S)\to(\mathbf{C}^{2n},0)$ is of corank ≤ 1 and sp-cod $(f)<\infty$, then f can be perturbed to a symplectically stable isotropic mapping \tilde{f} whose singularities consist of "open umbrellas" (singularities of codimension 2) and transverse self-intersection points (double points). The number of transverse self-intersection points of the perturbation \tilde{f} does not depend on symplectically stable perturbations. It is called the number of isotropic double points of f and denoted by $\delta_I = \delta_I(f)$.

We set

$$B_{\varepsilon} = \{ x \in \mathbf{C}^{2n} \mid |x| < \varepsilon \}.$$

Then we have

Proposition 4.2 Let $f: (\mathbf{C}^n, S) \to (\mathbf{C}^{2n}, 0)$ be a multi-germ of an isotropic mapping of $corank \leq 1$ and $\operatorname{sp-cod}(f) < \infty$. Then a representative $f: f^{-1}(B_{\varepsilon}) \to \mathbf{C}^{2n}$ can be perturbed to a symplectically stable isotropic mapping $\tilde{f}: \tilde{f}^{-1}(B_{\varepsilon}) \to \mathbf{C}^{2n}$ whose singularities consist of open umbrellas and transverse double points. The number of double points is independent of the perturbation, provided $\varepsilon > 0$ is sufficiently small.

We need to show the following to get an algebraic formula for the number of double points after isotropic stable perturbations.

Lemma 4.3 Let $f: (\mathbf{C}^n, S) \to (\mathbf{C}^{2n}, 0)$ be a multi-germ of an isotropic mapping. If f is of $corank \leq 1$ and the isotropic codimension $\operatorname{sp-cod}(f) < \infty$, then f is a finite mapping, and the sheaf $f_*\mathcal{R}_f/\mathcal{O}_{2n}$ is a coherent \mathcal{O}_{2n} -module.

Proof: Suppose f is isotropic and sp-cod(f) = $\dim_{\mathbf{C}} VI_f/[f_*(V_S) + VH_{2n} \circ f] < \infty$. Then

$$\dim_{\mathbf{C}} \mathcal{R}_f / f^* \mathcal{O}_{2n} = \dim_{\mathbf{C}} (\mathcal{R}_f \cap J_S) / (f^* m_{2n}) - r + 1$$

is finite dimensional over \mathbb{C} . Note that the above equality was used in the proof of Theorem 3.2, but it holds under the assumption that f is isotropic. Thus we deduce that \mathcal{R}_f is a finite \mathcal{O}_{2n} -module. Moreover suppose that f is of corank ≤ 1 . Then we see that f is a finite mapping (see the proof of Proposition 2.3 of [21] and Remark 2.3 of [19]). Now consider the de Rham complex (Ω, d) of holomorphic differential forms on (\mathbb{C}^n, S) defined by the exterior differential d, and the differential ideal \mathcal{I} generated by the exterior differentials of components of f. Then the induced complex $(\Omega/\mathcal{I}, d)$ is a coherent \mathcal{O}_n -module. Then, by the finite coherence theorem (see for instance [17]), $(f_*(\Omega/\mathcal{I}), d)$ is a coherent \mathcal{O}_{2n} -module. Thus the 0-th cohomology $f_*\mathcal{R}_f$ is also a coherent \mathcal{O}_{2n} -module (see Proposition 1.1 of [20]). Therefore $f_*\mathcal{R}_f/\mathcal{O}_{2n}$ is a coherent \mathcal{O}_{2n} -module as required. \square

Example 4.4 Let $f: (\mathbf{K}^n, S) \to (\mathbf{K}^{2n}, 0)$, S be a set of transverse double points, #S = r = 2. Then $\dim_{\mathbf{K}} \mathcal{R}_f / f^* \mathcal{O}_{2n} = 1$.

Example 4.5 (open umbrella): An isotropic map-germ $f: (\mathbf{K}^2, 0) \to (\mathbf{K}^4, 0)$ is called an *open umbrella* if f is symplectomorphic to $f_{\text{ou}} := (x_1, x_2, p_1, p_2) = (t^2, u, ut, \frac{2}{3}t^3) : (\mathbf{K}^2, 0) \to (\mathbf{K}^4, 0)$. It is of corank one, its singular locus is of codimension 2. Moreover we have $\mathcal{A}_e\text{-cod}(f) = 1$, $\delta(f) = 1$. The open umbrella is symplectically stable under isotropic deformations. Therefore we have diff-cod(f) = sp-cod(f) = 0 and $\delta_I(f) = 0$.

Theorem 4.6 For an isotropic map-germ $f: (\mathbf{C}^n, S) \to (\mathbf{C}^{2n}, 0)$ of corank one and with $\operatorname{sp-cod}(f) < \infty$, we have

$$\dim_{\mathbf{C}} \frac{\mathcal{R}_f}{f^* \mathcal{O}_{2n}} \geq \delta_I(f).$$

Therefore we have

$$\operatorname{diff-cod}(f) \leq \operatorname{sp-cod}(f) \geq \delta_I(f) - r + 1.$$

Proof: For a stable isotropic perturbation \tilde{f} of f, the support of the sheaf $\tilde{f}_*\mathcal{R}_{\tilde{f}}/\mathcal{O}_{2n}$ is the set of double points of $\tilde{f}(\tilde{f}^{-1}B_{\varepsilon}) = \tilde{V}$. Therefore $\delta_I(f)$ is obtained as the sum of the dimensions of $\tilde{f}_*\mathcal{R}_{\tilde{f}}/\mathcal{O}_{2n}$ at the double points. Let $F: (\mathbf{C}^n \times \mathbf{C}, (S, 0)) \to (\mathbf{C}^{2n} \times \mathbf{C}, (0, 0))$, $F(x,t) = (f_t(x),t), f_0 = f$, be an isotropic unfolding of f which induces a stable isotropic perturbation. We denote by D_F the closure of the locus of double points of F. Denote by $\pi: D_F \to \mathbf{C}$ the projection to the parameter space \mathbf{C} . Then π is a finite mapping.

Moreover the stalk $F_*\mathcal{R}_F/\mathcal{O}_{2n+1}$ at a point $(y,t) \in \mathbf{C}^{2n+1}$ is **C**-isomorphic to $(f_t)_*\mathcal{R}_{f_t}/\mathcal{O}_{2n}$ at $y \in \mathbf{C}^{2n}$. Therefore $\delta_I(f)$ is obtained as the sum of the dimensions of $F_*\mathcal{R}_F/\mathcal{O}_{2n+1}$ on $\pi^{-1}(t) \subset D_F$ for $t \neq 0$. Thus we have

$$\dim_{\mathbf{C}} \mathcal{R}_f / f^* \mathcal{O}_{2n} = \dim_{\mathbf{C}} \pi_* (F_* \mathcal{R}_F / \mathcal{O}_{2n+1})_0$$

$$\geq \dim_{\mathbf{C}} \pi_* (F_* \mathcal{R}_F / \mathcal{O}_{2n+1})_t$$

$$= \sum_{y \in \pi^{-1}(t)} \dim_{\mathbf{C}} (F_* \mathcal{R}_F / \mathcal{O}_{2n+1}) = \delta_I(f).$$

Again we remark that, in the inequality sp-cod $(f) \ge \delta_I(f) - r + 1$, equality holds in the case n = 1, but not in general for $n \ge 2$. Therefore, setting

$$i(f) = \operatorname{sp-cod}(f) - (\delta_I(f) - r + 1),$$

it is natural to ask for the interpretation of i(f) in symplectic terms. We remark that the numbers $\delta(f) - r + 1$ and $\delta_I(f) - r + 1$ have a clear topological meaning.

Proposition 4.7 For A-finite $f: (\mathbf{C}^n, S) \to (\mathbf{C}^{2n}, 0)$, the disentanglement (the image of a stable perturbation) is homotopically equivalent to the bouquet of $\delta(f) - r + 1$ circles. For an isotropic $f: (\mathbf{C}^n, S) \to (\mathbf{C}^{2n}, 0)$ of $\operatorname{corank} \leq 1$ with $\operatorname{sp-cod}(f) < \infty$ the isotropic disentanglement (the image of an isotropically stable perturbation) is homotopically equivalent to the bouquet of $\delta_I(f) - r + 1$ circles.

Proof: The image of each 2n-ball of $\tilde{f}^{-1}B_{\varepsilon}$ has, as a deformation retract, a finite tree with vertices which are double points of \tilde{f} . Thus the perturbed image is homotopically equivalent to a compact 1-dimensional complex. Therefore $\tilde{f}(\tilde{f}^{-1}B_{\varepsilon})$ is homotopically equivalent to $\bigvee^m S^1$ for some m. Moreover we have

$$\chi(\tilde{f}(\tilde{f}^{-1}B_{\varepsilon})) = r\chi(D^2n) - \delta = r - \delta.$$

Hence $\chi = 1 - m$. Thus we have $m = \delta - r + 1$.

5 Symplectic invariants of surfaces

First we observe

Lemma 5.1 For an isotropic map-germ $f: (\mathbf{C}^2, S) \to (\mathbf{C}^4, 0)$, sp-cod $(f) < \infty$ if and only if $\mathcal{A}_{e}\text{-cod}(f) < \infty$.

For an isotropic $f: (\mathbf{C}^2, S) \to (\mathbf{C}^4, 0)$, we can define "the number of open umbrellas" $u_I = u_I(f)$, in addition to $\delta_I = \delta_I(f)$. Then the sum of the number of open umbrellas $u_I(f)$ and the number of isotropic double points $\delta_I(f)$ is equal to the number of double points $\delta(f)$:

$$\delta_I(f) + u_I(f) = \delta(f),$$

because $\delta = 1$ for each open umbrella. Moreover, by the isotropic nature of f, we have

Lemma 5.2 Let $f: (\mathbf{C}^2, S) \to (\mathbf{C}^4, 0)$ be an isotropic map-germ of corank ≤ 1 . Here $\operatorname{corank}(f) = \max_{s \in S} \operatorname{corank}_s(f)$. Then,

$$u_I(f) = \text{Whitney}(\pi \circ f),$$

the number of Whitney umbrellas of a generic projection $\pi: \mathbb{C}^4 \to \mathbb{C}^3$ composed with f.

Proof: Suppose f is of corank 1 at $s_1, \ldots, s_{r'}$ and is immersive at $s_{r'+1}, \ldots, s_r$. Let $\ell_i = f_*(T_{s_i}\mathbf{C}^2) \subset T_0\mathbf{C}^4, 1 \leq i \leq r'$. Take the skew-orthogonal $\ell_i^{\perp} = \{v \in T_0\mathbf{C}^4 \mid \omega(v, \ell_i) = 0\}$ to ℓ_i , which is of dimension 3. Then take any line $\ell \subset T_0\mathbf{C}^4$ such that

$$(\ell_1^{\perp} \cup \cdots \cup \ell_{r'}^{\perp} \cup \Pi_{r'+1} \cup \cdots \cup \Pi_r) \cap \ell = \{0\},\$$

where $\Pi_j = f_*(T_{s_j} \mathbf{C}^2)$, and take the projection along ℓ as a generic projection. Then, for any isotropic perturbation \tilde{f} , the tangent space $\tilde{f}_*(T_p\mathbf{C}^2), p \in (\mathbf{C}^2, S)$. does not contain ℓ . In fact, $\tilde{f}_*(T_p\mathbf{C}^2)$ contains a line ℓ' ($\neq \ell$) near $\ell_1, \ldots, \ell_{r'}, \Pi_{r'+1}, \ldots, \Pi_r$. Moreover $\ell \not\subset (\ell')^{\perp}$. If $\ell \subset \tilde{f}_*(T_p\mathbf{C}^2)$, then $\omega(\ell,\ell') \neq 0$. This leads to a contradiction, since \tilde{f} is isotropic. Therefore any singular point of $\pi \circ \tilde{f}$ comes from a singular point of \tilde{f} . Thus the number of Whitney umbrellas of $\pi \circ \tilde{f}$ is equal to the number of open umbrellas of \tilde{f} .

Therefore we have, by Gaffney's formula,

Proposition 5.3 For an isotropic map-germ $f: (\mathbf{C}^2, 0) \to (\mathbf{C}^4, 0)$ with $\operatorname{sp-cod}(f) < \infty$, we have

$$Segre_4 = 2\delta_I + 3u_I.$$

Proof: By Gaffney's formula $2\delta = \operatorname{Segre}_4 - \operatorname{Whitney}(\pi \circ f)$. We have shown that $\delta = \delta_I + u_I$ and $u_I = \operatorname{Whitney}(\pi \circ f)$. Therefore we have

$$Segre_4 = 2\delta + Whitney(\pi \circ f) = 2(\delta_I + u_I) + u_I = 2\delta_I + 3u_I.$$

Example 5.4 (open umbrella): For the isotropic map-germ

$$f_{\text{ou}} := (x_1, x_2, p_1, p_2) = \left(t^2, u, ut, \frac{2}{3}t^3\right) : (\mathbf{C}^2, 0) \to (\mathbf{C}^4, 0)$$

$$\mathcal{R}_f = \mathcal{G}_f = f^* \mathcal{O}_4; \quad \text{sp-cod}(f_{\text{ou}}) = 0, \, \text{sd}(f_{\text{ou}}) = 0, \, \delta_I = 0, \, u_I = 1, \, \delta = 1, \, \text{Segre}_4 = 3.$$

Example 5.5 (multiple open umbrella): For the isotropic map-germ $f_{\text{mou}}^{\pm}(t, u) := (t^2, u, t^3 \pm u^2 t, \frac{4}{3}ut^3) : (\mathbf{C}^2, 0) \to (\mathbf{C}^4, 0). \ \mathcal{R}_f \supseteq \mathcal{G}_f = f^*\mathcal{O}_{2n}; \text{ sp-cod}(f_{\text{mou}}^{\pm}) = 1, \text{ sd}(f_{\text{mou}}^{\pm}) = 0, \ \delta_I = 1, \ u_I = 2, \ \delta = 3, \text{ Segre}_4 = 8.$ There is no difference between "diff" and "symp".

Example 5.6 Consider the family $f_{\lambda}: (\mathbf{C}^2, 0) \to (\mathbf{C}^4, 0)$

$$f_{\lambda}(u,t) := \left(t^2, u, t^5 + ut^3 + \lambda u^2 t, \frac{2}{5}t^5 + \frac{4}{3}\lambda ut^3\right) = (x_1, x_2, p_1, p_2).$$

Then f_{λ} is isotropic. The mapping f_{λ} has an isolated singularity at 0 if and only if $\lambda \neq 0$, and then $\operatorname{sp-cod}(f_{\lambda}) = 2$. Suppose moreover $\lambda \neq 0, \frac{21}{100}$. Then we have $\operatorname{sp-cod}(f_{\lambda}) = 2$, diff- $\operatorname{cod}(f_{\lambda}) = 1$ and $\dim_{\mathbf{C}} \mathcal{G}_{f_{\lambda}} \supseteq f_{\lambda}^* \mathcal{O}_4 = 1 = \operatorname{sd}(f_{\lambda}) = 1$. We see that f_{λ} is trivial under diffeomorphisms and not trivial under symplectomorphisms: λ gives the "symplectic moduli" $\mathcal{R}_{f_{\lambda}} \supseteq \mathcal{G}_{f_{\lambda}} \supseteq f_{\lambda}^* \mathcal{O}_4$. Thus, in symplectic codimension 2, a difference between "diff" and "symp" appears. Note that f_{λ} is quasi-homogeneous and we have $\delta_I = 2, u_I = 2, \delta = 4$, $\operatorname{Segre}_4 = 10$.

An algebraic formula for the number u_I of open umbrellas is known:

Lemma 5.7 [23] For $f: (\mathbf{C}^2, S) \to (\mathbf{C}^4, 0)$, we have

$$u_I = \dim_{\mathbf{C}} \frac{\mathcal{O}_2}{J_f},$$

where J_f is the ideal generated by the 2-minors of the Jacobi matrix of f.

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